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"I, personally, favor the inclusion of the Japanese," said Bishop Boaz. "I fail to see where the entrance of two or three hundred Japs annually to the country could harm the nation economically, and under the new arrangement, that is the largest number that could be admitted in a year. That small group could not effect materially the hundred million people in our great nation, they would not be a drop in the bucket."

"Weighted against this, is the loss of the friendship of a nation of sixty million people, and the straining of cordial relations with Japan.

"The action of the senate was taken, of course, because of the impossibility of the assimilation of the Japanese immigrants into the population of this country, but I think," said the Bishop, "that the Japs make just as good citizens as any other colored race in America which in some cases far outnumber them in proportion. They are intelligent, loyal and law-abiding; they make good American citizens and industrious farmers. They can do the country no more harm than the Negroes and Mexicans within our borders.

EXPECT ARREST OF SEN. WHEELER SOON

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The department of justice can see no reason for delay in proceeding with the case in which Senator Wheeler, democrat, Montana, has been indicted by a federal grand jury, at Great Falls, Montana, and his arrest on the indictment is expected by officials within the next few days.

It was said today at the department of justice that Attorney General Stone expected to treat the case as any other indictment and arrest and it was indicated that if unusual delay should occur Mr. Stone would make inquiries to ascertain the reasons.

REVENUE BOARD IS DEFENDED BY PROF.

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 15.—A vigorous defense of the bureau of internal revenue today was made by Thomas S. Adams, professor of political economy at Yale university, before the national conference of wealth, debts and taxation, meeting under the auspices of the Academy of Political Science.

"I know," he said, "that the personnel of the bureau has been singularly clean; that its reponsible officials have been with few exceptions zealous and intelligent; and that its leaders have fought with vigor and success against the interjection of politics and policicians to the undesirable type."

HERE SHE IS AGAIN!



Irene Castle

It was no surprise when this famous dancer and movie actress announced to the world she had acquired a new husband. This time it was Frederick McLaughlin, internationally known clubman.

Neff's Fire On McAdoo Stirs Capital Gang

HUGHES DEFIES PARTY ATTACKS

Secretary of State Speaks Out For Colidge And Cabinet

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Inviting a candid appraisal of past achievements and expressing unbounded confidence in the leadership of President Coolidge, Secretary Charles Evans Hughes, told New York republicans tonight that their party could look forward to the presidential campaign undismayed by "scandal-mongers" and "tale-bearers."

"You will search in vain for a more ideal executive than President Coolidge," said the secretary in a keynote address before the state convention in Town Hall. "The American people have already indicated their determination to keep him where he is.

"Let it be known that we do not condone wrong. We extinguste no crime," said the secretary. We would not put any obstacle in the way of discovery and punishment of any official dereliction. We would bring to the bar of justic; every dishonest official and every perverter of administration in or out of office. This is a duty which can be and will be competently discharged by the appropriate agencies without any sacrifices of constitutional proceedure.

"Neither political party has a monopoly of virtue or rascality."

DEMOS DECIDE FOR MADISON SQUARE

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Members of the democratic national committee definitely decided late today that the national convention of the party would be held in Madison Square Garden, as originally planned and not in the 258th field artillery armory in the Bronx as suggested by some members in order to admit more spectators.

McAdoo Stock Is Reported Falling With Neff a Potential Dark Horse.

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS, Staff Correspondent.

Washington Bureau Record News.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The speech of Governor Neff at Cleburne last night was the subject of conversation in democratic cloakrooms of senate and house as congress went into session today. A column report of the speech was the part most commented upon. There has been little belief here for weeks that McAdoo could be nominated and especially has this feeling been strong since the rapid succession of McAdoo setbacks in Nebraska, Kansas, Arizona, Rhode Island, Wisconsin and Illinois. But reports here were that McAdoo had received good receptions in Texas and Oklahoma and might in those states revive his drooping fortunes.

One reaction to the Neff speech was that a well known Washington bookmaker early today called Texas newspaper offices in Washington to make full inquiries about the Texas situation as it is understood here. He said he was preparing to offer odds that the Texas delegation would be uninstructed, but had not yet decided what these odds would be. He announced, however, that his quotation on candidates today are: Copeland, Glass and Cox, 3 to 1; Silzer, 4 to 1; Underwood, Davis and Houston, 5 to 1; McAdoo, 6 to 1, and Smith, 10 to 1.

FORT VOTES TO CHANGE GOVERNMENT

By The Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, Texas, April 15.—At a special election today, Fort Worth voted to change its present system of government and also voted for a commission of thirty-five members whose duty it will be to submit to the people in the near future, the best charter possible. There were more than 10,000 votes cast and the majority in favor of the change was more than two to one.

INVESTORS IN PAT MARR STOCK GIVE TESTIMONY

Witnesses From All Parts Of Country Tell Delusions

DEFENSE HINTED

One Texan Among Group Who Bought Stock Hoping For Gain

By The Associated Press.

TEARKANA, Ark., April 15.—Another round of investors in the Pat Marr Oil companies testified today in the trial of Marr and his co-defendants for alleged misuse of the mails that they were induced to invest with Marr by his promise of big dividends made in advertisements and letters sent through the mails.

The government attorneys rushed the questioning of the witnesses, who hailed from all parts of the United States, in an effort to speed up the case. The defens asked (but a few questions, most of the time dismissing the witnesses with no questions at all. It now appears that the trial will continue through next week. Government witnesses have been summoned to appear as late as next Monday.

Mrs. Lola E. Coldin of Orlando, Fla., said she lost $850 by investing in the Marr company. She had previously invested $50 and received it back in a dividend.

"That sort of set me off," she said, "and I sunk $850 with Mr. Marr."

Primus Fromhold, Kansas City, 77 years old, said he invested $750 with Marr and only received $300 in return. E. C. Ice of Locksburg, W. Va., invested $500 with Marr, he testified, and received $400 as dividends. He also recovered his other $100, he said, when he filed suit against Marr. Arthur Allen of Denver, Colo., invested $100 with Marr and got it back as a dividend but that was all he received, he testified.

The defense attorneys intimated today for the first time what the defense will be, when W. H. Martin, counsel for Marr, objected to Mr. Rush differentiating between a 100 per cent dividend sent the investors in two of Marr's companies and a return of their money.

Among the witnesses who testified during the day was C. C. Massey of Corpus Christi, Texs. He said he invested $100 in Marr Camden No. 2 syndicate, expecting to receive a big dividend and in fact only received a 100 per cent dividend.

The government will continue tomorrow with witnesses who invested in Marr's companies, expecting big returns.

HIGH OFFICERS RAILWAY HERE

Head of Burlington System And Others Guests J. A. Kemp for Hour

J. A. Kemp was host Tuesday morning to a group of prominent railroad officials in Wichita Falls on their way from Denver to Fort Worth. The group included among others Hale Holden of Chicago, president of the Burlington syster, operators of the Fort Worth and Denver City Railway and F. E. Clarity, vice-president and general manager of the Denver. The party was carried by a special train composed of the private cars of the officials. The stop in Wichita Falls occupied about an hour, during which time the visitors were driven over the city by Mr. Kemp.

Mr. Kemp had been advised by telegram from the visitors the exact time of their expected arrival. He with other local citizens accompanied the visitors on an automobile tour of the city.

Mr. Holden expressed himself as very much impressed with the size and development of the city.

No statement was made regarding the purpose of the visit here and it is not believed by local Denver officials to have any special significance, being but an annual general inspection of the lines under the Burlington control.

SENATE REJECTS KNIGHT AS COUNSEL

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The senate today rejected the nomination of Samuel Knight of San Francisco, to be special government counsel in prosecuting oil suits involving sections 16 and 36 within the boundaries of naval reserve No. 2, California.

The vote, taken in executive session, was reported unofficially as 39 to 26.

91 DEGREES WAS RECORD YESTERDAY

Entering with a dull thud that brought people to the realization that summer is not far ahead, the first summer day of 1924 held sway in Wichita Falls Tuesday, the thermometer standing around 91 degrees for several hours during the day. While a relapse to winter is indicated by local barometers the changeableness of April weather was again demonstrated yesterday with the unusual warmth.

April is freakish, as everybody knows, and Tuesday refused to do as the weather headquarters predicted—there were no rains, showers, thunder storms, colder and shifting heavy winds. Instead, there was bright sunshine, little wind, and a gentle, all pervading warmth that crept among the seekers of life until they were hot within.

Cooler weather is predicted for the next few days.

VERNON MURDER TRIAL BEGINS

Case of E. C. Williams Heard Tuesday in District Court

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VERNON, Texas, April 15.—The trial of E. C. Williams, farmer of Oklaunion, indicted for the murder of T. E. Pickett, cotton picker, who was killed the night of October 20, 1923, began Monday in the district court of this city.

The shooting occurred following an altercation between Williams and Pickett, when Williams asked Pickett to leave the farm.

The defense rested this morning with three witnesses. A. J. Brown, cotton picker on the Williams farm at the time of the shooting, was the first witness to go on the stand. Dr. H. H. Rhoads was on the stand and described the wounds of the dead man, telling of five bullet holes in the body. Sheriff Frank Edmondson who made the arrest also testified, and testimony was given by Morgan Richardson.

Williams is pleading self defense. He was on the witness stand for two hours and a half this afternoon. He stated that Pickett, whom he had asked to move away, had his arms folded as if to draw a gun, and the fatal shot was fired.

Character witnesses were introduced late today. The court room was crowded with people, many coming from Oklaunion, the neighborhood of the shooting, to hear the trial, which is expected to continue until Thursday.

The defence is represented by Bonner and Storey, and S. A. L. Morgan of Wichita Falls, while the state is represented by District Attorney John A. Storey, assisted by W. H. Tolbert, assistant district attorney of Tarrant county.

The trial is being heard by these jurors: A. E. Shaw, H. A. Hood, J. D. Roberts, W. E. Dunson, L. A. Samuel, R. H. Graffiox, F. A. Bright, O. A. Brunson, E. M. Dennis, W. M. Martin, F. B. Sherrill, and A. Allison.

HERRIN CITY DADS JAILED IN KLAN WAR

By The Associated Press.

HERRIN, Ill., April 15.—Charged with illegal vote gathering from beyond the city limits, E. N. Bowen, judge of the Herrin city court; John M. Garavalia, president of the board of health, and their chauffeur, were arrested and jailed late today as the climax of a hot city election in which the issue was klan and anti-klan.

The arrests were made by S. Glenn Young, klan day worker; John Ford, chief of police, and Harold Crain, assistant chief of police. The warrants were based on affidavits of Miss Nellie Sweet and seven others living outside Herrin that Judge Bowen and Garavalia had persuaded them to vote.

ABOLISH GAMBLING IN LOWER CALIF.

By The Associated Press.

MEXICALI, L. C., April 15.—Public gambling in the northern district of Lower California will be prohibited, beginning today, according to announcement of Governor Abelardo Rodriguez. The anti-gambling edict, however, will not interfere with horse racing at Tia Juana. Rodriguez said that the order came from Mexico City.

DALLAS FIRE CHIEF DEAD.

By The Associated Press

DALLAS, Tex., April 15.—A. S. Hughes, 46, assistant chief of the Dallas fire department, died at a hospital here today from injuries received April 7 when two fire trucks collided at a street intersection.

SIMILAR TO ONE VOTED BY HOUSE IS BILL MADE

Despite Vigorous Protest Of Japan Measure Goes Over

NO RECORD VOTE

Request For Consideration Of Bill Comes Up Suddenly

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Japanese exclusion was voted into the immigration bill today by the senate.

The provision, bitterly protested by Japan, is similar to one already adopted by the house.

The provision was adopted without a record vote.

About 25 senators were on the floor when the amendment came to a vote for its consideration coming unexpectedly after the senate had devoted practically the entire day to a discussion of President Coolidge's protest against further investigation of the internal revenue bureau.

In presenting the amendment, Senator Reed, republican, Pennsylvania, in charge of the immigration bill said the only difference between the senate and house exclusion provision was one portion clarifying the language of the section adopted by the house.

MATSUI REPLIES.

By The Associated Press.

TOKIO, April 15.—Foreign Minister Matsui, replying to questions by the Associated Press, declared this afternoon that no new instructions had been sent to Ambassador Hanihara at Washington relative to any future action on the immigration question.

The foreign minister said that although Ambassador Hanihara has written his letter April 11 urging congress not to pass the Japanese exclusion legislation, without specific instructions from Tokio, he nevertheless had full authority to act on his own discretion.

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ALBANY, N. Y., April 15.—Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York was acclaimed as the candidate of his party in the state for the presidential nomination at the democratic state convention here today.

His candidacy was formally launched in two resolutions, one calling upon the state's eight delegates and eight alternates at large to the democratic national convention to support him "loyally and faithfully as a candidate for the nomination of the exalted office of president."

Sttifling Evidence Is Accused In Land Fraud Case

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Charges by Senator Heflin, democrat, Alabama, that the postoffice department investigation of alleged land frauds in the Lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas was "stifled" were denied in testimony before the senate committee investigating the matter today by O. B. Williamson, postoffice inspector.

"I did not stifle or smother the investigation, nor did I seek to protect anybody," Williamson said. "I had full liberty and I was not influenced by the officers of the Alamo Land and Sugar company."

The matter in the interest through which Senator Heflin has charged that R. B. Creager, republican national committeeman for Texas, was implicated in alleged frauds.

W. H. Hallett, former assistant district attorney at Kansas City, testified in regard to the W. E. Stewart Land company deal, said he viewed the Rio Grande Valley in 1923 with Postal Inspector J. M. Donahue, of Kansas City, and inspected some "choice places." He said he found that the Edinburg tract lacked sufficient water for irrigation purposes. Testifying that Creager, who became Hallin's campaign manager, was interested in the land investigation, "never had anything to do with the matter." Hallett said he had been given "full cooperation" by the postoffice department.

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"There is no danger of any local trouble in the state of California, I believe, for the Japs are so outnumbered that they would not be foolish bishop stated.

"Japan is not enough to start trouble there," the bishop Boaz, who is in favor of Japanese inclusion in immigration as he has stated in recent talks before several Wichita Falls audiences the last few days remarked on the undesirable aspects of the action of the senate Tuesday morning in excluding the Japanese from this country.

"The action of the senate will have a serious effect on the friendship of Japan for this country, I fear," stated the speaker. "The Japs are exceedingly anxious for friendship for the nation and this action will greatly humiliate them. They are a proud people, and were very hopeful and encouraged as to inclusion in the immigration because of the attitude of Ambassador Wood and Secretary Hughes."

"I, personally, favor the inclusion of the Japanese," said Bishop Boaz. "I fail to see where the entrance of two or three hundred Japs annually to the country could harm the nation economically, and under the new arrangement, that is the largest number that could be admitted in a year. That small group could not effect materially the hundred million people in our great nation, they would not be a drop in the bucket."

"Weighted against this, is the loss of the friendship of a nation of sixty million people, and the straining of cordial relations with Japan.

"The action of the senate was taken, of course, because of the impossibility of the assimilation of the Japanese immigrants into the population of this country, but I think," said the Bishop, "that the Japs make just as good citizens as any other colored race in America which in some cases far outnumber them in proportion. They are intelligent, loyal and law-abiding; they make good American citizens and industrious farmers. They can do the country no more harm than the Negroes and Mexicans within our borders.

EXPECT ARREST OF SEN. WHEELER SOON

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The department of justice can see no reason for delay in proceeding with the case in which Senator Wheeler, democrat, Montana, has been indicted by a federal grand jury, at Great Falls, Montana, and his arrest on the indictment is expected by officials within the next few days.

It was said today at the department of justice that Attorney General Stone expected to treat the case as any other indictment and arrest and it was indicated that if unusual delay should occur Mr. Stone would make inquiries to ascertain the reasons.

REVENUE BOARD IS DEFENDED BY PROF.

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 15.—A vigorous defense of the bureau of internal revenue today was made by Thomas S. Adams, professor of political economy at Yale university, before the national conference of wealth, debts and taxation, meeting under the auspices of the Academy of Political Science.

"I know," he said, "that the personnel of the bureau has been singularly clean; that its reponsible officials have been with few exceptions zealous and intelligent; and that its leaders have fought with vigor and success against the interjection of politics and policicians fo the undesirable type."

HERE SHE IS AGAIN!



Irene Castle

It was no surprise when this famous dancer and movie actress announced to the world she had acquired a new husband. This time it was Frederick McLaughlin, internationally known clubman.

Neff's Fire On McAdoo Stirs Capital Gang

HUGHES DEFIES PARTY ATTACKS

Secretary of State Speaks Out For Colidge And Cabinet

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Inviting a candid appraisal of past achievements and expressing unbounded confidence in the leadership of President Coolidge, Secretary Charles Evans Hughes, told New York republicans tonight that their party could look forward to the presidential campaign undismayed by "scandal-mongers" and "tale-bearers."

"You will search in vain for a more ideal executive than President Coolidge," said the secretary in a keynote address before the state convention in Town Hall. "The American people have already indicated their determination to keep him where he is.

"Let it be known that we do not condone wrong. We extinguste no crime," said the secretary. We would not put any obstacle in the way of discovery and punishment of any official dereliction. We would bring to the bar of justic every dishonest official and every perverter of administration in or out of office. This is a duty which can be and will be competently discharged by the appropriate agencies without any sacrifices of constitutional proceedure.

"Neither political party has a monopoly of virtue or rascality."

DEMOS DECIDE FOR MADISON SQUARE

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Members of the democratic national committee definitely decided late today that the national convention of the party would be held in Madison Square Garden, as originally planned and not in the 258th field artillery armory in the Bronx as suggested by some members in order to admit more spectators.

McAdoo Stock Is Reported Falling With Neff a Potential Dark Horse.

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS, Staff Correspondent.

Washington Bureau Record News.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The speech of Governor Neff at Cleburne last night was the subject of conversation in democratic cloakrooms of senate and house as congress went into session today. A column report of the speech was carried in eastern papers.

The McAdoo portion of the speech was the part most commented upon. There has been little belief here for weeks that McAdoo could be nominated and especially has this feeling been strong since the rapid succession of McAdoo setbacks in Nebraska, Kansas, Arizona, Rhode Island, Wisconsin and Illinois. But reports here were that McAdoo had received good receptions in Texas and Oklahoma and might in those states revive his drooping fortunes.

One reaction to the Neff speech was that a well known Washington bookmaker early today called Texas newspaper offices in Washington to make full inquiries about the Texas situation as it is understood here. He said he was preparing to offer odds that the Texas delegation would be uninstructed, but had not yet decided what these odds would be. He announced, however, that his quotation on candidates today are: Copeland, Glass and Cox, 3 to 1; Silzer, 4 to 1; Underwood, Davis and Houston, 5 to 1; McAdoo, 6 to 1, and Smith, 10 to 1.

FORT VOTES TO CHANGE GOVERNMENT

By The Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, Texas, April 15.—At a special election today, Fort Worth voted to change its present system of government and also voted for a commission of thirty-five members whose duty it will be to submit to the people in the near future, the best charter possible. There were more than 10,000 votes cast and the majority in favor of the change was more than two to one.

INVESTORS IN PAT MARR STOCK GIVE TESTIMONY

Witnesses From All Parts Of Country Tell Delusions

DEFENSE HINTED

One Texan Among Group Who Bought Stock Hoping For Gain

By The Associated Press.

TEARKANA, Ark., April 15.—Another round of investors in the Pat Marr Oil companies testified today in the trial of Marr and his co-defendants for alleged misuse of the mails that they were induced to invest with Marr by his promise of big dividends made in advertisements and letters sent through the mails.

The government attorneys rushed the questioning of the witnesses, who hailed from all parts of the United States, in an effort to speed up the case. The defens asked but a few questions, most of the time dismissing the witnesses with no questions at all. It now appears that the trial will continue through next week. Government witnesses have been summoned to appear as late as next Monday.

Mrs. Lula E. Coolin of Orlando, Fla., said she lost $800 by investing in the Pat Marr company. She had previously invested $50 and received it back in a dividend.

"That sort of set me off," she said, "and I sunk $850 with Mr. Marr."

Primus Fromhold, Kansas City, 77 years old, said he invested $750 with Marr and only received $300 in return. E. C. Ice of Locksburg, W. Va., invested $300 with Marr, he testified, and received $400 as dividends. He also recovered his other $100, he said, when he filed suit against Marr. Arthur Allen of Denver, Colo., invested $100 with Marr and got it back as a dividend but that was all he received, he testified.

The defense attorneys intimated today for the first time what the defense will be, when W. H. Martin, counsel for Marr, objected to Mr. Rush differentiating between a 100 per cent dividend sent the investors in two of Marr's companies and a return of their money.

Among the witnesses who testified during the day was C. C. Massey of Corpus Christi, Texas. He said he invested $100 in Marr Camden No. 2 syndicate, expecting to receive a big dividend and in fact only received a 100 per cent dividend.

The government will continue tomorrow with witnesses who invested in Marr's companies, expecting big returns.

HIGH OFFICERS RAILWAY HERE

Head of Burlington System And Others Guests J. A. Kemp for Hour

J. A. Kemp was host Tuesday morning to a group of prominent railroad officials in Wichita Falls on their way from Denver to Fort Worth. The group included among others Hale Holden of Chicago, president of the Burlington syster, operators of the Fort Worth and Denver City Railway and F. E. Clarity, vice-president and general manager of the Denver. The party was carried by a special train composed of the private cars of the officials. The stop in Wichita Falls occupied about an hour, during which time the visitors were driven over the city by Mr. Kemp.

Mr. Kemp had been advised by telegram from the visitors the exact time of their expected arrival. He with other local citizens accompanied the visitors on an automobile tour of the city.

Mr. Holden expressed himself as very much impressed with the size and development of the city.

No statement was made regarding the purpose of the visit here and it is not believed by local Denver officials to have any special significance, being but an annual general inspection of the lines under the Burlington control.

SENATE REJECTS KNIGHT AS COUNSEL

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The senate today rejected the nomination of Samuel Knight of San Francisco, to be special government counsel in prosecuting oil suits involving sections 16 and 26 within the boundaries of naval reserve No. 2, California.

The vote, taken in executive session, was reported unofficially as 39 to 26.

91 DEGREES WAS RECORD YESTERDAY

Entering with a dull thud that brought people to the realization that summer is not far ahead, the first summer day of 1924 held sway in Wichita Falls Tuesday, the thermometer standing around 91 degrees for several hours during the day. While a relapse to winter is indicated by local barometers the changeableness of April weather was again demonstrated yesterday with the unusual warmth.

April is freakish, as everybody knows, and Tuesday refused to do as the weather headquarters predicted—there were no rains, showers, thunder storms, colder and shifting heavy winds. Instead, there was bright sunshine, little wind, and a gentle, all perrading warmth that crept among the seekers of life until they were hot within.

Cooler weather is predicted for the next few days.

VERNON MURDER TRIAL BEGINS

Case of E. C. Williams Heard Tuesday in District Court

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Texas, April 15.—The trial of E. C. Williams, farmer of Oklaunion, indicted for the murder of T. E. Pickett, cotton picker, who was killed the night of October 30, 1923, began Monday in the district court of this city.

The shooting occurred following an altercation between Williams and Pickett, when Williams asked Pickett to leave the farm.

The defense rested this morning with three witnesses, A. J. Brown, cotton picker on the Williams farm at the time of the shooting, was the first witness to go on the stand. Dr. H. H. Rhoads was on the stand and described the wounds of the dead man, telling of five bullet holes in the body. Sheriff Frank Edmondson who made the arrest also testified, and testimony was given by Morgan Richardson.

Williams is pleading self defense. He was on the witness stand for two hours and a half this afternoon. He stated that Pickett, whom he had asked to move away, had his arms folded as if to draw a gun, and the fatal shot was fired.

Character witnesses were introduced late today. The court room was crowded with people, many coming from Oklaunion, the neighborhood of the shooting, to hear the trial, which is expected to continue until Thursday.

The defence is represented by Bonner and Storey, and S. A. L. Morgan of Wichita Falls, while the state is represented by District Attorney John A. Storey, assisted by W. H. Tolbert, assistant district attorney of Tarrant county.

The trial is being heard by these jurors: A. B. Shaw, H. A. Hood, J. D. Roberts, W. E. Deason, L. A. Samuel, R. H. Graffton, F. A. Bright, O. A. Brunson, E. M. Dennis, W. M. Martin, F. B. Sherrill, and A. Allison.

HERRIN CITY DADS JAILED IN KLAN WAR

By The Associated Press.

HERRIN, Ill., April 15.—Charged with illegal vote gathering from beyond the city limits, E. N. Bowen, judge of the Herrin city court; John M. Garavalia, president of the board of health, and their chauffeur, were arrested and jailed late today as the climax of a hot city election in which the issue was klan and anti-klan.

The arrests were made by S. Glenn Young, klan dry worker; John Ford, chief of police, and Harold Crain, assistant chief of police. The warrants were based on affidavits of Miss Nellie Sweet and seven others living outside Herrin that Judge Bowen and Garavalia had persuaded them to vote.

ABOLISH GAMBLING IN LOWER CALIF.

By The Associated Press.

MEXICALI, L. C., April 15.—Public gambling in the northern district of Lower California will be prohibited, beginning today, according to announcement of Governor Abelardo Rodriguez. The anti-gambling edict, however, will not interfere with horse racing at Tia Juana. Rodriguez said that the order came from Mexico City.

DALLAS FIRE CHIEF DEAD.

By The Associated Press

DALLAS, Tex., April 15.—A. S. Hughes, 46, assistant chief of the Dallas fire department, died at a hospital here today from injuries received April 7 when two fire trucks collided at a street intersection.

SIMILAR TO ONE VOTED BY HOUSE IS BILL MADE

Despite Vigorous Protest Of Japan Measure Goes Over

NO RECORD VOTE

Request For Consideration Of Bill Comes Up Suddenly

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Japanese exclusion was voted into the immigration bill today by the senate.

The provision, bitterly protested by Japan, is similar to one already adopted by the house.

The provision was adopted without a record vote.

About 25 senators were on the floor when the amendment came to a vote for its consideration coming unexpectedly after the senate had devoted practically the entire day to a discussion of President Coolidge's protest against further investigation of the internal revenue bureau.

In presenting the amendment, Senator Reed, republican, Pennsylvania, in charge of the immigration bill said the only difference between the senate and house exclusion provision was one portion clarifying the language of the section adopted by the house.

MATSUI REPLIES.

By The Associated Press.

TOKIO, April 15.—Foreign Minister Matsui, replying to questions by the Associated Press, declared this afternoon that no new instructions had been sent to Ambassador Hanihara at Washington relative to any future action on the immigration question.

The foreign minister said that although Ambassador Hanihara had written his letter April 11 urging congress not to pass the Japanese exclusion legislation, without specific instructions from Tokio, he nevertheless had full authority to act on his own discretion.

NEW YORK AL SMITH BOOM ON

By The Associated Press.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 15.—Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York was acclaimed as the candidate of his party in the state for the presidential nomination at the democratic state convention here today.

His candidacy was formally launched in two resolutions, one calling upon the state's eight delegates and eight alternates at large to the democratic national convention to support him "loyally and faithfully as a candidate for the nomination of the exalted office of president."

Sttifling Evidence Is Accused In Land Fraud Case

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Charges by Senator Heflin, democrat, Alabama, that the postoffice department investigation of alleged land frauds in the Lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas was "stifled" were denied in testimony before the senate committee investigating the matter today by O. B. Williamson, post office inspector.

"I did not stifle or smother the investigation, nor did I seek to protect anyone," Williamson said. "I had full liberty and I was not influenced by the officers of the Alamo Land and Sugar company."

Th elattez is the interest through which Senator Heflin has charged that R. B. Creager, republican national committeeman for Texas, was implicated in alleged frauds.

W. H. Hallett, former assistant district attorney at Kansas City, testified in regard to the W. E. Stewart Land company case, said he visited the Rio Grande Valley in 1921 with Postal Inspector J. M. Donaldson of Kansas City, and inspected some "show places." He said he found that the Edinburg tract lacked sufficient water for irrigation purposes. Testifying that Creager, who Senator Heflin has charged used "influence" to halt the land investigation, "never had anything to do with the matter." Hallett said he had been given "full cooperation" by the postoffice department.

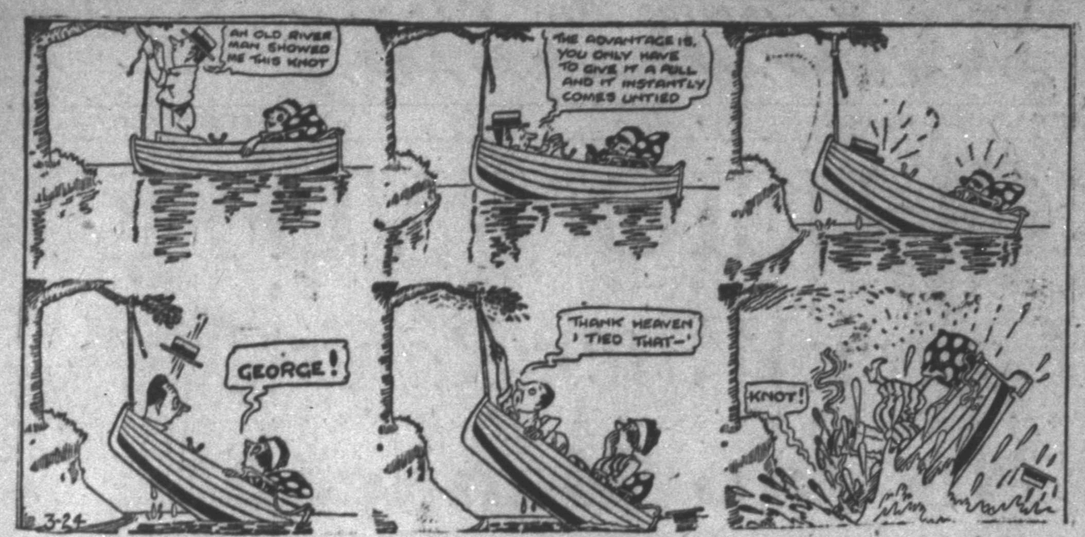
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TEXAS WOOL CROP IS LARGE

May Probably Lead In This As In Cotton

HOUSTON, Tex., April 15.—The state which raises the greatest cotton crops in the country is this year to have one of the greatest wool crops in its history, reports from various sections of the state indicate. H. H. Schutz, agricultural statistician here, has gathered surveys from all the wool counties telling an interesting story of how the goat and the sheep are diligently working to add their share to the great natural wealth of the state.

Some of the correspondents state that there has not been a better wool year in 30 years. Good conditions and satisfactory prices are reported from every section. Representative counties report in part as follows:

Bandera—Stock in good condition. Range fairly good but held back considerably on account of late cold weather. Goat shearing over; sheep shearing has not yet begun. Bulk of mohair was contracted for some 36 to 60 days ago at 52 and 77 cents—52 for old goat hair and 77 for kid hair, but those who did not contract are now getting 60 and 80 cents. As far as is known no wool has been contracted for in this locality. No lambs have been contracted for fall delivery. Kidding is in full sway with a good crop in sight. Slight losses of kids due to bad weather and goats being freshly sheared. Losses of grown goats have been slight. Stock conditions are the best in years.

Coleman—Shearing has hardly commenced yet; just a few muttons that are getting ready for the market. Shearing will start about May 1. Little wool has been contracted for; about 40,000 pounds of eight-month wool at 40 cents and 12-month wool for 45 cents. A few lambs have been contracted for at $6 per head, fall delivery. Sheep doing o. k. Range conditions are good; fine season, as good as has been in 30 years. People here are hoping for warm weather.

Concho—Stock is getting in good shape and the range is further advanced than in the past year. Goats are all shorn; wool is being contracted for at 45 cents per pound. Lambs are being contracted for fall delivery at 10 cents a pound.

Crockett—Sheep have wintered well. Lambs are dropping all over the county; have an abundance of green feed for sheep; should make a 90 per cent lamb crop. Very little wool being contracted on sheep's back; prices paid so far are 40 cents for eight-month fleece and 45 cents for 12-month fleece. Mohair contracted at 50 cents goats and 75 cents for kid hair. Goats are all sheared with very little loss from shearing. Shearing of sheep will commence about April 15; wool will be exceptionally good on account of sheep having done well all the winter. Condition of the sheep business was never brighter for this time of year than at present; prices are good and we could not expect them to be better, in fact they are better than 80 per cent of he flockmasters expected this time last year.

Edwards—Stock are all doing fine with exception of cattle. Goat shearing is almost over and quite a few ranchmen have sold; prices range from 50 cents up on grown goat hair and 75 cents up on kid or yearling hair.

Kerr—Sheep and goats wintered good and prospects for good lamb and kid crop assured. Shearing goats in full swing; clip about normal. Ewes giving plenty of milk and lambs are healthy. Same as to kids.

Kimble—Sheep doing extra well; a ten per cent lamb crop is expected, which is in full swing now, not many lambs being contracted for fall delivery. Quite a lot of wool being contracted at 40 and 45 cents. Goat shearing is about 80 per cent over.

Lampasas—The outlook for the sheep business is very favorable and some wool is being contracted at from 40 to 45 cents. The outlook for the cow business is more favorable than it has been in several years.

San Saba—The range here is much better than usual at this time of year on account of so much slow rainy weather and about 15 inches of snow on February 25. The ground has taken all the water it can hold; cold weather has been later than usual here. Stock of all kind inproving fast. Almost all mohair has been sold at 50 and 75 cents; goats sheared.

Sutton—Range could not be better for sheep and goats; weeds and grass are fine; goats all sheared. Sheep-shearing will start the last of April. Mohair all sold at 50 to 55 cents for grown kid, mohair all sold at 75 to 80 cents per pound. Lots of wool being contracted for at 40 cents for six months and 45 cents for 12 months.

Tom Green—Sheep and goat range was never better at this season of the year. Looks like 95 per cent lamb and kid crop for this section of the country.

Val Verde—Some wool contracted at 40 cents, mohair at 50 cents, kid hair at 75 cents. Bulk of hair sold for 65 cents, kid 85 cents.

Color Cut-Outs



A Dress and Parasol to Match.

Betty Cut-out was keeping her eyes open at the fashion show for an idea for a new party dress. Her mother had said she might have one before summer. Her old last year's organdie had a three-cornered tear in the back and strawberry punch spilled down the front. If she should get invited to a party suddenly she would have nothing at all to wear.

"I wonder if I would like one like this?" pondered Betty as she stepped into a yellow tub silk dress. "I have never had a silk dress. This is a good kind, too, because it will launder." But after Betty had looked it over carefully and held the parasol that matched over her head, she decided it was a nice dress to wear at the seashore, but not quite fluffy enough for parties.

This clever frock has lavender bands for trimming and big clusters of purple grapes on the umbrella as well as on the apron front of the dress. The doll below has a pink dress.

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SLEEVELESS JACKETS AND EMBROIDERY POPULAR



By MME. LISBETH.

Fashion nowadays have a habit of lingering in our midst from season to season. We seem to crave no startling change and I suppose the reason is that many of the clothes women have adopted meet a real need and are therefore retained, in spite of the theory, generally accepted, that fashion follows no reasonable line.

For instance, the sleeveless sweater and jacket for sports wear promises to be as popular this season as it has been in the past. The model on the left shows one in a black and white plaid bound with white and worn with a white tailored blouse and white pleated skirt. Always an attractive costume.

A pretty little chiffon frock of "poilu" blue is shown on the right. The sleeves and neck are trimmed with dainty lace. A pleated panel extends down the front of the skirt and the rest of the skirt is straight, gathered at the waist and embroidered in the same color. A bow is tied directly across the front of the girdle. The pretty flowered hat worn with the frock carries out the color scheme.

A very handsome cape suit is shown in the center. It is fashioned of silk and wool crepe. A straight plain frock with tight sleeves and a patch pocket trimmed with light embroidery as its only trimming is matched by a cape in three-quarter length. The latter is tied about the neck with a tie of self material and has a handsome collar of ermine.

STILL FIGHT ON. BONUS BILL

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Report of the soldier bonus bill to the senate by the finance committee today reveals somewhat the lineup of members on the measure. Senator Walsh, Massachusetts, a democrat member of the committee, said he would present a separate report for democrats asking inclusion in the bill of an option for full cash payments, while Chairman Smoot of the committee voiced opposition to the measure.

Senator Walsh predicted that, while it was not likely the fight for a full cash payment option would be made a partisan issue, nevertheless most of the democrats and probably some republicans would support it. Democrats of the house through a special committee appointed to consider the bonus bill when it was before that body approved an option for full cash payment but when they failed to obtain it supported the measure as adopted.

The bill as passed by the house and approved with some minor changes by the senate committee provides for twenty-year endowment life insurance policies and cash payments only to those veterans not entitled to more than $50 in adjusted service credit.

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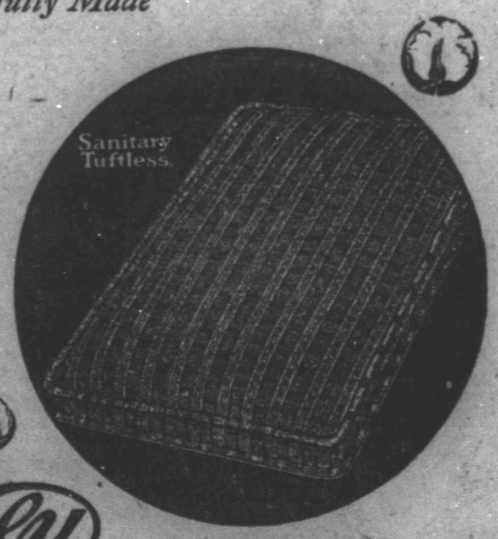
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Here and There In the World of Daily Interest to Women Readers

SOCIETY

Today's Calendar

Officers and group leaders of the Alathean class of the First Baptist Sunday school are requested to meet with the president, Mrs. J. C. Walker, at her home, 1097 Tenth street this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in an important business session.

The Wednesday Study club meets at the library this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Woman's Choral club will meet at the First Baptist church this morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Claude Gilchrist, 1408 Tenth street, will be hostess to the Entre Nous club at her home this afternoon.

A musical program consisting of songs and solo numbers will be given at the Carrigan school this evening at 8 o'clock by the Washington Glee club. Small admission. The public is invited.

Mrs. R. E. Hilburn, 1510 Polk street, will be hostess to the Sorosis club at her home this afternoon.

First Methodist South Women Meet Monday.

Speaking on the land of Korea, Bishop Boaz who recently returned from a trip there, the Woman's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church, south, at the regular Bible study meeting held Monday afternoon at the church.

The meeting was opened with devotionals led by Mrs. W. A. Stuckey followed by the bishop's talk in which he told in part, of the capital of Korea with its 3,000 inhabitants composed of a race which is a cross between a Jap and a Chinaman, and of the wall around the city which he says was built 515 years ago.

The bishop spoke of it as a heart-broken nation feeling the extreme need of Christianity and of the women who he said were no more than slaves. The Korean women dress alike all the time and favor white, which is also used for mourning purposes instead of black, and the styles never change in that country, he said.

The men wear white also, he stated, with trousers tied at the bottom with strings in the pastel colors and hats made of horse hair. Baby girls who die, he said, were buried like dogs, and the women in that country are in a more pitiful plight than those of any other country in the Orient.

There were a large number of members present.

Citizens Committee Met Tuesday Morning.

Members of the citizen's committee of the Junior college met at the Y. W. C. A. club rooms Tuesday morning to discuss plans for the coming of Miss Mary Agnes Doyle, interpreter of Irish literature, who will present "The White Headed Boy" at the Junior college auditorium the evening of April 22. About 30 women were present with Mrs. H. B. Patterson, chairman, presiding.

First Baptist Circles Hold Meeting Monday.

Circles of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon and studied interesting lessons from the book, "The Bible Period by Period."

Circle One met with Mrs. R. C. Smith, 1410 Tenth street, with 17 members present and one guest. Mrs. W. R. Morgan gave the lesson and Mrs. Ray Wilhite gave a solo.

Circle Two

Met with Mrs. R. H. Paul, 1202 Burnett, when Mrs. Davis gave the lesson and Mrs. Bennett talked on the orphan's home. There were 45 present.

Circle Three

Mrs. H. G. Karrenbrock, 2100 Ninth street, was hostess to Circle Three when the session was opened with prayer by Mrs. Ada Moore. Mrs. Baber gave the lesson and there were 18 members present.

Circle Four

Met with Mrs. Wiley Robertson, 1411 Tenth street, when the session was opened with prayer by Mrs. McGiven. Mrs. Robertson gave the lesson and Mrs. Knox Finley talked on "Enlistment." Mrs. Hines talked on "The Family Altar." Mrs. Jerry Schafer sang two solos and there were 32 present.

Circle Five

Mrs. Webb, 1646 Collins, was hostess to Circle Five when Mrs. J. L. Riggs gave the lesson and Mrs. J. Saunders led in prayer. The session was concluded with prayer by Mrs. Kimmel. There were 12 members present.

Circle Six

Met with Mrs. A. C. Parks, 1823 Lucile, when Mrs. Fred Carter opened the session. Mrs. McGregor gave the lesson and there were 12 present.

Circle Seven

Mrs. Holloway, 1306 Taylor, was hostess to Circle Seven which was opened with prayer by Mrs. James King. Mrs. Finch gave the lesson and there were 14 present.

Circle Eight

Met with Mrs. Howard Weaver, 1501 Garfield, when the meeting was opened by Mrs. Hi Willis. Mrs. A. R. Bleakley gave the lesson and there were 12 present.

Mrs. Goodner Will Head Parent-Teachers Federation.

Election of officers featured the quarterly meeting of the Federated Parent-Teachers association at the First Christian church Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. E. S. Goodner was elected president; Mrs. C. D. Shamburger, first vice president; Mrs. J. M. McFall, second vice president; Mrs. Wm. Huff, treasurer, and Mrs. D. J. White, the retiring president, secretary.

The nominating committee included Mrs. Ed Napier, chairman and Mesdames George Wilson and R. D. Bone.

Splendid reports were heard from all the school both financial and in work being accomplished and other afetures of the session were talks by Miss Bezie Dee of the citizenship department of the Civic league and by Mrs. M. M. Adickes of the school board.

Each school furnished a number on the program with two who won ni the recent declamation contest contributing.

The Fannin school won the prize offered by Mrs. White for having the largest number of mothers present. This being the third or fourth time that this school has been the fortunate one.

Royal Neighbors Regular Dinner Day Meeting.

The Royal Neighbors of America will observe regular dinner-day at the hall today with luncheon served at 12 o'clock for which every member is asked to bring a dish of food. Business session at 2 p. m. followed by the opening of the door at 3:30 to visitors for the birthday program. when each member having a birthday either in January, February, March or April is required to bring some article, (labeled) of interest such as curios or family relics for exhibit.

Foreign Missionaries Guests in City.

Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Weber, medical missionaries from Africa, for the past several years, are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Culberson for ten days.

Dr. and Mrs. Weber are workers in a hospital being constructed in Africa in which the First Presbyterian church is bearing half the finances. They will speak at both services on Sunday at the First Presbyterian church.

Floral Heights Baptist Women Meet Monady.

Mrs. L. H. Franks, 1314 Monroe, was hostess to members of circles three and four of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Floral Heights Baptist church Monday afternoon when the meeting was opened with devotionals led by Mrs. Tom Wayne. Mrs. E. H. Temple led in prayer and Mrs. J. T. Duke taught the lesson, which was taken from "A Study in the Old Testament."

After the business session and sentence prayers, refreshments were served to Mesdames Duke, Trout, R. R. Moore, John Gibbs of McKinney, Texas; Tom Wayne, W. L. Ross, L. W. Proctor, M. L. Payne, J. K. Phillips, Robert Farmer, George Smoot, Jr., and L. H. Franks.

Travis School Mothers Club To Meet.

The Mother's club of the Travis school will meet for the last time this term at the school building this afternoon at 3:30. All mothers are urged to attend.

Kitchen Club Meets With Health and Efficiency.

Members of the Kitchen and Health and Efficiency clubs met Tuesday afternon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Akin, 1205 Burnett street.

Mrs. Dave Shepherd was awarded the pressure cooker, according to club regulations. In a short business session, Mrs. Akin was elected a delegate to represent the club at a meeting in Breckenridge.

Mrs. H. E. Wilcox talked on the life and works of Dr. Martin of Dallas, noted psychologist and lecturer who spoke to the club last summer shortly before his death.

Mrs. Nancy McChesney talked on the "Psychology of Food."

Mrs. Wilcox will talk on child psychology at the next meeting of the club Tuesday April 22.

Those present were Mesdames N. A. Ferguson, T. B. Crouch, H. G. Harris, J. W. Akin, Nancy McChesney, H. E. Wilcox, J. T. Harrell, A. H. Bell, A. R. Cannon, H. D Walker and Jack Williams.

Miss Mable Wilkins will arrive Thursday from Norman, Oklahoma, where she is a student in Oklahoma university, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilkins at 1103 Indiana street for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cameron will leave Monday for Roswell, New Mexico, where they will visit their son, Don, who is a student at N. M. M. I.

Miss Ruth Barnard will leave today for Austin where she will visit friends in the Kappa Kappa Gamma house at the university.

Mr. and Mrs. Cope Glass of Paducah, Texas, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Carter at 1909 Grant street for a few days.

Joe Lane Byron, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Byron at 1612 Twelfth street, who underwent an operation for adenoids and enlarged tonsils recently, is reported up and doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. G. LeRoy of Mansfield, La., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Carey of 2400 Ninth street.

R. C. Carey, nephew of Mrs. M. E. Carey of 1611 Tenth street, has returned from Schenectady where for the past three weeks he has been visiting his father who is quite ill.

Little Carter McGregor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carter McGregor, is recovering from a bad case of measles.

Mrs. J. A. Carleton of 1906 Seventh street will return the last of the week from Dallas where she is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Harrison.

Miss Margaret Roberts, well known in this city where she has served as a nurse for several years, was recently operated on in Fort Worth and is seriously ill. Reports late yesterday stated that she was out of danger and improving slightly.

Mrs. Bernard Martin leaves Thursday for Nashville, Tennessee, where she will visit with her daughter, Berniece, who is a student at Ward Belmont.

Mrs. John Gibbs of McKinney, Texas, is the guest of Mrs. R. R. Moore and other friends in the city.

Mrs. Earle Lewis of Houston is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. G. Lewis at Kemp Kort.

Miss Celia Sanford is in Dallas visiting her mother, Mrs. H. G. Coombs for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Winters and daughters, Helen Grace and Sylvia Jane of Denver, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stewart for the week.

Mrs. Wm. Thornton is in Tulsa this week visiting her brother, Wilson Tremain, and family. Before returning she will visit her mother, Mrs. H. G. Tremain in Oklahoma City for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Hughes and Mrs. John Hughes have returned overland to Lawton after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Fisk and family.

Miss Sammie Lyon has returned to Dallas after a visit with Miss Sarah Haley and Miss Josephine Cachman.

Mrs. O. L. Norvell is the house guest this week of Miss Sarah Haley of 2208 Eighth street.

Dorothy Dix

Home-Wrecking Is Always An Inside Job | **Lays Blame For Stolen Affections on Lack of Effort**

It Isn't Fair for the Poor Working Girl to Marry a Poor Man She Doesn't Love Just for a Meal Ticket—This Is as Bad as Robbing a Blind Baby.

The other day a young woman who for years has held a responsible position in a business house told me she was going to be married.

"I am tired of working," she said "and I am going to sit on the do-nothing stool and let a man support me. No more punching the time clock at 9 a. m. for me! When I hear the little cuckoo I am just going to turn over and take another little nap of a morning. No more biting your tongue off to keep from saying the things you would like to a cranky, grouchy boss! I'm through."

"Oh!" I exclaimed "and so you are going to marry a millionaire."

"Not much," she replied, "the lucky man is Jim Smith in our shipping department, and he doesn't draw down any more pay than I do."

"It is better to marry a man with whom you are crazily in love than it is to marry one who is as rich as Croesus," I said.

"Oh, I like Jim well enough," she returned, "but I wouldn't pine away and die of a broken heart if I lost him."

"Well for heaven's sake, if you are not wildly in love with the man, and he isn't rich why are you giving up a good job to marry him?" I asked.

"Oh, I am tired of hard work," she said, "and I want something easy."

"Humph," I said, "you won't get it by marrying. If you are looking for a soft snap, you will find that you have jumped from the frying pan into the fire in exchanging a business job for a domestic job. You will find that no other laborer in the world works the long hours, with no Sundays or holidays off, as the poor man's wife does. You will find that you will have to work a hundred times harder than you have ever done in your life, and that there will be no pay envelope for you of a Saturday night, perhaps not even a 'thank you.'

"You will find that instead of taking a beauty snooze in the morning, you will be getting up in the middle of the night and walking the colic and that instead of having to placate an unreasonable boss, who had to be reasonably polite to you for fear you would give notice and quit, you will have to perpetually rub the fur the right way of a husband who considers that he has a legal right to say anything to you that he pleases.

"But I am not going to dwell on these points. What I want to call your attention to is the downright dishonesty of a girl marrying a poor man just for a meal ticket, just because she is too lazy to earn her own bread and butter, wishing her support on some poor chap who has fallen for her lovely soulful eyes, and willowy figure, and peaches-and-cream complexion.

"Believe, me, my dear, the girl who marries a poor man, with no honest intentions of making a good, thrifty, industrious wife, is as despicable a thief as one who robs a blind baby of pennies, for it is just as easy to befool a man in love as it is an infant in arms.

"Yet many women do this. I hear many young women actually boast that their husbands get up and cook their own breakfasts, and tiptoe off to work without waking them up, and it never seems to occur to these grafting wives that they are not giving their husbands a fair deal, and that they are lying down on their end of the partnership.

"I know many young wives who spend most of their days at bargain sales, and the movies, and the matinees, and playing bridge, and who buy some easily heated up mess on the way home that they slap on the table and call a dinner.

"If these women would be honest with themselves, they would know that they are failures as wives. They would know that it is just as much a wife's business to get up and prepare her husband a nice, tasty breakfast and send him cheerful and contented off to work as it is his business to go to work day after day. She knows that it is just as much her duty to keep a clean, orderly house and give her family good, nourishing, well-cooked food, as it is her husband's duty to supply the raw materials. And if she doesn't do her part she is nothing but a common cheat.

"Anyway, what right has a woman to expect to quit working when she gets married? Why should she consider that marriage entitles her to spend the balance of her life in loafing? If a man has one spark of manhood in him he girds up his loins and pitches into his work with redoubled energy when he gets married. He feels that he has given hostages to fortune, and he sets about the business of life in earnest for the first time. You would think that women would feel the same way about it, but a lot of them don't. They appear to think that just because hey can't lose the wife job they need make no effort to turn out good work or give satisfaction.

"Furthermore, why should not a woman make as much effort to get along with her husband as she did with her employer? If women used a hundredth part of the diplomacy and self-control in domestic life as they do in their business lives, there would be mighty few divorces.

"So ponder these things in your heart," I said to the girl who was going to get married because she was tired of working, "and remember this: that matrimony is the hardest job there is, and that you have no right to enter into it unless you are willing to do your part of the work and pay fair."

DOROTHY DIX.

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Eddie Roush, demon outfielder of the Cinci Reds, and Frankie Frisch, future manager of New York Giants, have announced that they are after the National league batting crown worn by the eminent Rogers Hornsby. Which ought to make the summer an interesting one for "Rajah" as well as the N. L. fans.

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PROTECTING CHILD LIFE.

And now the house judiciary committee of congress has reported a constitutional amendment providing for federal regulation of labor of children under eighteen years of age. Of course majority and minority reports were submitted.

Representative Foster, an Ohio republican, is author of the resolution and in the majority report endorsed the amendment as necessary to protect children from the educational, physical and psysical losses caused by premature labor.

Three democrats signed the minority report. Representative Montague of Virginia, Dominick of South Carolina and Weller of New York opposed the amendment as an unnecessary invasion of state rights. By the way the resolution was also reported favorably by the senate judiciary committee.

Senators and representatives from many southern states have announced their opposition to the amendment. They say it is an invasion on the rights of the states to protect childlife and to prevent children of tender age from being deprived of their educational, physical and spiritual rights.

In days of old New England mill owners were the chief offenders. Now the mills of New England have a forty-eight hour work week and little children are barred by statute from the mills.

It is different in milling centers of the south where children are worked sixty hours a week, their parents or guardians live in company houses, they are compelled to do all their trading with company stores and it is claimed that the factory inspection is not of the best.

If the state is unwilling to protect child life then why shouldn't the federal government step in and afford the protection?

BOSS BRENNAN OF ILLINOIS.

George S. Brenan is known to fame as the democratic leader of Illinois. His enemies call him Boss Brennan of Chicago. Early in the campaign Leader Brennan declared for an uninstructed delegation to the Madison Square Garden convention.

William L. O'Connell and other aspiring democratic leaders of Illinois declared that the delegation should go instructed for William Gibbs McAdoo. What happened may be ancient history but it showed the way the tide is running. From the Lakes to Egypt the Brennan ticket won by a vote of four to one, and the organization which Brennan directs swept every candidate from senator down into nomination and overwhelmed the democratic opposition as the late Roger Sullivan never overwhelmed his political enemies in the years that he was the undisputed dictator of the Illinois democracy.

There is a beautiful deadlock coming in June on Manhattan Island. Where is the leader who will unlock the convention and where is the man who will be selected as the standard bearer of the democratic party?

TICKLING JOHN BULL.

American Ambassador Frank B. Kellog is getting on famously at the Court of St. James and is an idol of the Anglo-American society in the city of London. He spellbinded before the society recently and expressed the hope that in the not far distant future Canada and the United States together would build a St. Lawrence river canal, enabling ocean going ships to go from Manchester far into the interior of the United States and Canada.

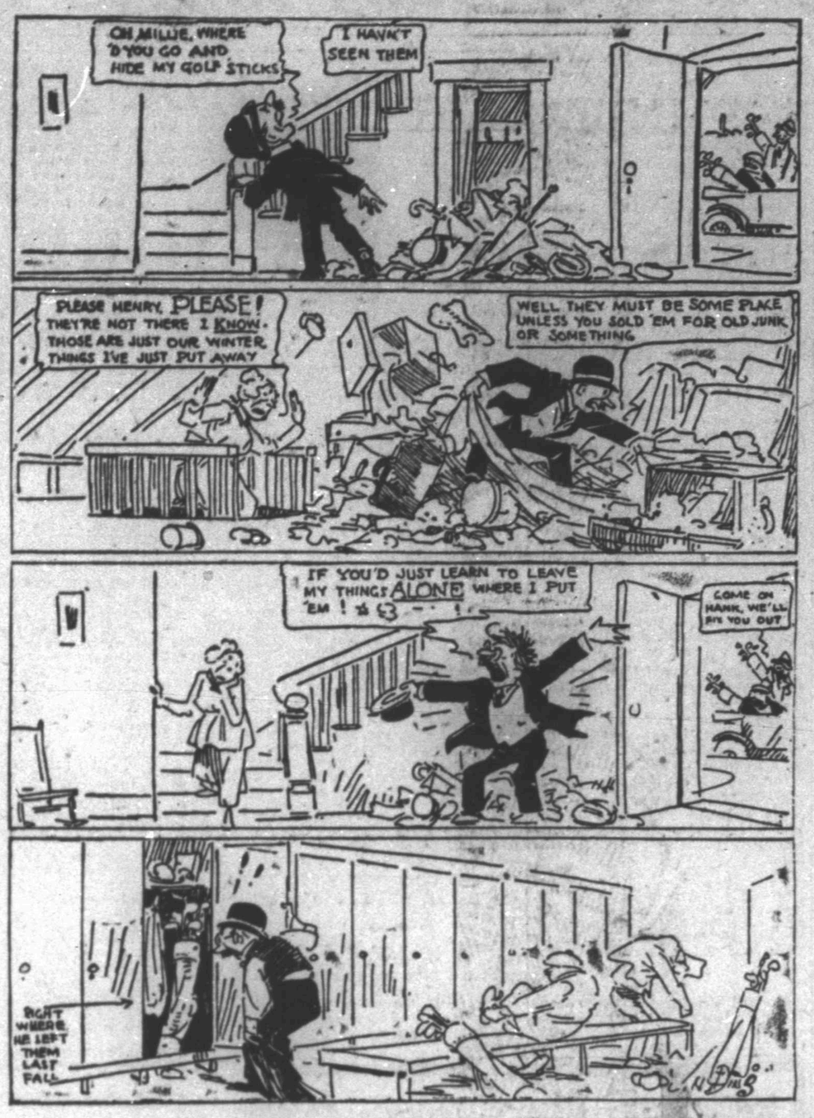
Ambassador Kellogg told the Anglo-Americans that the growth and advancement of the civilization of the world had followed great lines of water transportation. Then why did he overlook the Panama Canal? Why did he overlook the Gulf of Mexico?

Ambassador Kellogg is a citizen of Minnesota. He should be told that there are seventy-five millions of potential buyers in the Spanish American countries and that the world war did not bankrupt them.

PANTOMIME -:- By J. H. Striebel



THE OPENING OF THE GOLF SEASON



The Kiss of Pharaoh

His voice ceased, and silence fell upon the assembly. Then the old Rah Neb commenced to murmur many prayers, and the shoulders of the gathering bent again in worship.

"Amon, ruler of all, to whom wisdom and knowledge are as an open book. . . ."

Suddenly, from a doorway at the end of the chamber, a sound was heard. The prayers ceased, and the dignified Rah Neb turned.

"Who cometh, to disturb the worship of Amon?"

A tall, well-built, figure approached from the doorway, and, at the edge of the assembly, he bowed.

"I have great news for thee, Rah Neb. Amon, our god, hath revealed his will."

All eyes were turned upon the newcomer. But he met the gaze of the priests without a tremor.

His name was El Caleb, and he was known to every one in that chamber. Five years before, his fame as warrior and statesman had ranked him among the most privileged of Pharaoh's court. But he, like many others, had refused to bow the knee to the new god Aton. His faith in Amon had cost him everything. Chief counsellor of the Pharaohs, he had been driven from the palace in disgrace, and had found sanctuary in the secret temple of the deposed god.

"It is well, El Caleb," the high priest said. "Tell us what news thou bringest."

El Caleb bowed again.

"A woman waiteth without, and her words are for thee alone."

Rah Neb nodded slowly.

"I would see her my son. Bid her enter."

El Caleb moved again to the door and opened it, to admit a woman, heavily veiled and leading by the hand a youth of surprising grace and charm.

Her garb was of the simpliest, but her manner betrayed that she was not of common birth. The veil, however, did not betray her identity and she passed up the long aisle, under the inquiring eyes of the priests, the boy holding tightly to her hand.

"I bring to thee a charge," she whispered, a little nervous of her mission, it seemed. "Here within this casket is a papyrus upon which is inscribed the secret of this youth's birth, his horoscope which hath been drawn by the hand of Sampi, the Serpent-Woman, and other things, Rah Neb, which are for thine eyes alone. Thou knowest me?"

Rah Neb bowed.

"I know thee well."

The woman had drawn a small casket from beneath her cloak and this she handed to the high priest, at the same time pushing forward the boy at her side.

"Preserve this youth, O Rah Neb, in secret until the coming of the day of deliverance. It is by Amon's will that these things are come to pass and that I am here. I dare not tarry. Take thou the casket and the youth. Care for him tenderly. Within the papyrus thou shalt find the reason. Farewell!"

With a further gesture of adoration to the effigy of Amon, she turned and retraced her steps toward the door, nodding gracefully to the respectful figure of El Caleb, and passing out into the dim gloom of the passages.

CHAPTER VI.

As El Caleb moved toward the assembly, a curious thing happened. One of the priests seated at the back of the chamber, rose and walked stealthily to the door. He was a slim, insignificant figure, and his actions excited no curiosity. While the other priests were gazing expectantly at their high priest, who was now opening the casket, this one quietly passed out of sight through the passages and hurried after the departing woman. At a discreet distance, he traced her through the rows of humble dwellings up to the very gates of the palace.

Awhile later he had passed into the luxurious halls of the palace of Pharaoh, and was joined, anon, by the stooping, form of Hiljah, the high counsellor.

Hiljah frowned as he recognized his visitor. This "priest" was a spy in the service of Pharaoh, and such men, even to their own masters, are things to be treated with but little respect.

"Well, slave! What tidings dost thou bring of the gathering of Rah Neb and his evil ones? Thou didst mark well, what passed between them?"

The spy, with a crafty leer, nodded and chafed his thin hands.

"It is true, O Master! Mine ears marked well and mine eyes missed not even a gesture of those that were assembled in the secret places beneath the temple of Karnak."

Hiljah reclined on a purple divan and beckoned the spy to come closer.

"Speak but in a whisper, thou," he condescended, with superfluous dignity, drawing in his silken robe lest the other's touch should defile it. "What hast thou to say?"

The spy bent low and his words were punctuated with sharp gestures of the hands, to emphasize the importance of the news he brought.

"El Caleb was there, O Master, and there followed a woman, of graceful bearing, who led a pretty youth by the hand. 'I bring thee a charge,' she said, in the voice of whom thou art acquainted with, O Master. Rah Neb took the child and a casket, in which was a papyrus of some impogtance, I gathered. This woman left at once, and thy servant, ever faithful to thy bidding, great master, followed."

Hiljah seemed impossible of surprise.

"What knowest thou of this boy and his history?"

"Nay, I have not set mine eyes upon this lovely youth, until this day, Great One of Wisdom!"

"And Rah Neb but read the papyrus?"

"As thou sayest. Whatever passed since, I cannot say. I followed the . . ."

"Ah, the woman!" Hiljah seemed to return from a trend of thought which he had been pursuing. His questions had been disinterested, but now they were sharp anxious.

"What of this woman? Who is she?"

The spy paused, as though the revelation was too great for one of his station to make.

"She was the fairest of the fair, O Master, and . . ."

Hiljah frowned.

"Hurry slave Her name!"

"Master, I . . ."

"Her name!" thundered the counsellor, with glaring eyes.

The spy bent almost to the ground, and his lips revealed the secret in little more than a whisper.

"She was the consort of our royal master, O One of Wisdom—Queen Herotah!"

"Ah!"

The muscles of the counsellor's features contracted and presently they relaxed into an evil smile. He looked down at the slave and spoke with added severity.

"Go, thou, and remember that if one word of this shall pass thy lips. . . ."

The spy had already bowed in fear, and now, with great humility, he passed out of the presence of Hiljah and made his way out of the palace, while Hiljah passed along to the main staircase and ascended to the king's apartment.

Almost immediately he was ushered into Pharaoh's presence. The king was reclining on a couch by the balcony, a scroll lying neglected on his knees. Behind, a huge slave was fanning him, his eyes closed and his arms working like an automaton's.

"Well, Hiljah?" Pharaoh betrayed a little of the impatience he felt to know the report of the happenings at the secret meeting. "Hath thy slave returned?"

Hiljah the dignified knew how to be respectful and even fawning, in the presence of the king.

"Even so ,O Egypt. There is nothing to report."

Pharaoh waved his arm, as though the news was entirely what he had expected.

"This evil talk of the queen having connection with Rah Neb and his followers—it is false?"

The counsellor lied easily.

"Those who cast the cloud of suspicion upon the fairest of all fair women, O Royal Egypt, spoke with lying tongues."

Pharaoh seemed distinctly relieved.

"Then those who uttered such words shall pay for them. Thou shalt see to that for me."

The counsellor nodded, as he took his leave. Outside, in the spacious corridors, he paused, and caressed his chin reflectively.

"Thus is Pharaoh soothed. My plans mature with comfortable speed. Now . . . I will seek audience with the queen."

And with a cunning smile, Hiljah passed on his way.

CHAPTER VII

Queen Herotah was resting in her own private apartments, attended only by her faithful confidante and chief attendant, the pretty Charmion.

Pharaoh's consort, clad in a loose robe of white and reclining on a vast divan surfaced with a luxurious purple silk was indeed a woman to be envied for her beauty of face and form.

So Goes It

By BURNS HEGLER

Spring appears to have come and gone and now dear old summer is with us. This doesn't go if a norther strikes us before it appears in print.

Will the gentlemen who have been wishing for summer, kindly rise and remain standing until the thermometer goes to 102?

Well, anyhow, when they get around to the point of wearing switches, there'll be plenty of them in the land. Provided of course that all the bobees have saved theirs.

How we are going to expect the government to function when it is spending all its time answering questions?

After all, honesty is the best police protection.

What the country really needs is more Fox Terriers. There are said to be 50,000,000 rats in America at the present time.

There are a lot of folks who insist on hearing good sermons and then are not willing to pay for them.

Deciding how much Germany should pay and making her pay it are two entirely different propositions.

If the democrats listen to what Pat Neff has to say they might as well begin looking for a presidential candidate.

Our attitude regarding Grover Cleveland Bergdoll's contemplated return to this country is that we might as well let well enough alone.

Pointed Paragraphs

By ROBERT QUILLEN

After all, the most attractive back in America is a greenback.

About the only trailer traveling under its own power is a husband.

Visiting Chinamen rapidly absorb all of our culture except chop suey.

The serpent beguiled Eve, but he didn't turn out to be a federal agent.

As we understand it, nobody is guilty except those who are conveniently dead.

A genius is a man who can pay just enough taxes to escape envy and suspicion.

All but clothiers keep pace with the advance of civilization. They don't reinforce the seat of pants.

Well, Daugherty should feel at home on the board walk after walking the plank.

The banana song is raging in China, but otherwise there are some hopes of peace over there.

Wrigley has withdrawn his support, and now nobody has assurance of the chewing gum concession.

At this rate we should have all our roads hard-surfaced by the time everybody travels in airplanes.

So many idle people, and nobody knows whether they are hicks come-a-stopping or government snoopers.

Americans giggle when Wales takes a header. It is so much more dignified to dive through the windshield.

If you are timid and wear a 12 collar, you can cultivate the consoling belief that boxing is brutal.

A scientist says it is possible to go through the world. At any rate it is a simple matter to go through its pockets.

If it calls him an "apricot", it is a code message. If it calls him a prune, it is a simple statement of fact.

A diplomat is a man who knows why it is insulting to keep Japs out of America and not insulting to keep Koreans out of Japan.

Spring is the season where it is no longer necessary to tell that old lie about an open car being just as warm with the curtains up.

Correct this sentence: "He is an alien and makes more money than I can," said the man, "but I am not prejudiced against him."

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WHAT TODAY MEANS TO YOU

By MARY BLAKE

ARIES

Somewhat unfavorable aspects reign during the early part of the day; they, however, change for the best later on, although they continue to be of a somewhat doubtful nature. Ordinary business avocations can be safely pursued, but it is expedient to postpone the conclusion of any important matter—either business or social—to some more auspicious occasion.

A child born today will be rather morose and naturally secretive. It will find much happiness in solitude, and will love the country, "far from the maddening crowd."

If today is your birthday, you are a great talker about your own affairs, and the affairs of others. Your character is of the light variety. You are not a student, nor a thinker, yet you will always insist on airing your opinions on every conceivable subject. If the conclusions arrived at by you and so freely disseminated, were firm convictions based on intelligent research your hearers would be impressed, and possibly, influenced. You, however, run with the tide, and always magnify and exaggerate.

Gossip makes a strong appeal to you; scandal is never minimized in your handling of it. You do not even maintain a discreet reserve about your own failings and weaknesses, but discuss them with as much "gusto" as you do those of your friends.

In business life you are not much of a success, as, owing to your garrulousness, your plans are known to all competitors or rivals, before you begin to put them into effect.

In your home life you advertise the family dififerences and, if there is a skeleton in your family cupboard, you always leave the door of the cupboard wide open, so that all the world can see inside.

In social life, you can be—and are at times—very entertaining, as your facile speech, and sparking vivacity attract and demand attention; you do not deliberately injure people, or their reputations, but, once started, it is difficult for you to call a halt; you often feel like biting your tongue when you have, as a result of the love you have for hearing yourself talk, "spilled the beans."

Speech is silver; silence—not of the dumb-bell variety—is golden.

Successful people born on this date are:

Henry S. Pritchett, educator.

Charles J. Folger, judge and politician.

William L. Dudley, physician and educator.

Frederick W. Putnam, scientist.

Franz P. Katenborn, musician.

Herbert B. Adams, educator and author.

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BEGIN TRIAL WOMAN ON MURDER CHARGE

By The Associated Press.

MERIDIAN, Texas, April 15. — Six jurors had been accepted late today in the case of Mrs. Nora Bosche, who went to trial in district court here this morning on a charge of murder in connection with the fatal shooting of her stepdaughter, Mrs. Edna S. Kellersberger, on the Kimball Bend plantation, 18 miles northeast of here, early in the morning of October 23, 1923. Thirty-seven of the 100 veniremen were examined and 18 excused.

Mrs. Bosche was brought into court from the jail where she has been confined since her bond was forfeited and she was returned from Oklahoma City April 2.

An apparatus to chart the Pacific ocean bottom measures the time required for sound to pass to the ocean bottom and return.

Eyes paining? Faith Optical Co.—Adv

More Truth Than Poetry

By James J. Montague

THE FLOWER OF MODESTY

I know a movie actor
Who'd blush for very shame,
Should he be thought a factor
In furthering his fame.
He says, "I am no greater
Than other actors are,
Nor do I, now, or later,
Aspire to be a star."

I know a politician,
A shy retiring gent,
Who harbors no ambition
To be the president.
"To seek to serve my nation
Is all I wish," says he,
"And any humble station
Is big enough for me."

I know a fiction writer
Who tells me, now and then,
That he is not much brighter
Than ordinary men.
"My literary brothers,"
He murmurs with a smile,
"Like Bennett, Wells, and others,
Have got me beat a mile."

I wish, that in conclusion
It might be said for me,
That honors in profusion,
Have crowned this modest three.
But it would be absurd of
A truthful man to lie.
The fellows are unheard of,
And will be till they die.

SELF-EVIDENT

It is clear that Diogenes didn't look for an honest man because he wanted to buy oil for his lantern from him.

SKILFUL CRAFTSMEN

If the president should ever need a job he could easily find work repairing some of those European cabinets.

QUALIFIED

On the theory that practice makes perfect, Mr. Bryan ought to be the strongest presidential candidate in existence.

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Dr. Frank Crane's Daily Editorial

Coolidge

By DR. FRANK CRANE

Every one of the more than one hundred million people of the United States is interested in Calvin Coolidge.

Because he is president. And the president of the United States has probably more actual power than any man in the world.

By our peculiar form of government he is one-third. He alone is the executive, while both the legislative and judiciary are composed of groups.

Coolidge came to the presidency by the act of destiny, through the death of Harding, and not by the direct franchise of the people; this renders his problem very delicate. He has to form policies of his own, yet at the same time avoid rupture with the policies of his predecessor. Yet to do this very thing he is well qualified.

The accent of his name is very properly placed on the first syllable. The temperature of his heart is known, probably, to his intimates, but the general public will never know the temperature of his head, because there isn't any.

His mind is singularly free fram any sort of heat, whether fanaticism, superstition or hurry.

He is not large-boned, but rather a trim-looking man, smooth faced, and of the blonde or sandy type.

He looks like New England. And he probably is like New England.

He impresses one as being in the pink of physical perfection. As far as the records go, he is doubtless physically the healthiest man that ever assumed this job.

His most outstanding feature is his eye. His eyes are blue, and he carries them wide open. He was what George Meredith would call "a public eye."

When you are in conversation with company you find some of the folks are eager to talk, some talk all the time, some anxiously await an opportunity to butt in, and some never talk at all unless they have to. Coolidge belongs to the last class. He seemed to me to be the sort of man that has made a practice all his life of waiting till other people got through giving their opinions. It is a good trick, for if one does this his remarks usually carry great weght.

Coolidge impresses me as very democratic, and singularly free from the sort of foolishness that seems to grow on most public men. He is kindly in his manner, gentle in his speech, pleasing in his appearance, but gives one the impression that once he has made up his mind it would be just as well not to waste any time trying to get him to change it.

As to the type of man he is, I should say that he is the lawyer kind of man. He does not impress you as a ponderous judge, an imposing statesman, a pompous general or a silver-tongued orator. He looks and acts like a shrewdly balanced, kindly but determined attorney.

I have known several presidents, and the one Coolidge most resembles is General Grant.

I think if he can safely escape the wild beasts that lurk in the jungle of political parties—that is, if he determines to be president of the United States rather than leader of the republican party—he will make a very useful and capable president.

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Irrigation

By A. M. McPHERSON
Kahn Bldg., Eighth and Indiana
Consulting Engineer

SOILS AND SOIL PHYSICS.

What Is the Soil?

We have been discussing for sometime the need for proper ventilation of the soil. It has been pointed out how it was that the oxygen in the air was so essential. That oxygen acting on many substances or compounds in the soil changed them to other forms which could then be used by plants as food.

In future articles we will discuss some of the elements that exist in the soil and what purpose they serve in the scheme of plant growth.

We will only attempt to scratch the surface of some of the great problems that exist, but what we give will be correct as far as it goes. In any event it will probably give the reader some idea of the mysteries that are yet to be explained.

Perhaps no subject is so little known as that of soils and plant growth. Certainly nothing so common and every day as soil and plants have so much yet to be learned about them.

Men often speak of the great unexplored regions around the North Pole and other parts of the globe, when as a matter of fact one of the greatest unexplored regions is right under their feet. It is the first few feet of soil. Easy to get at, but truly an unknown land.

Men who have spent their lives in studying soils and plants freely confess that the problems that still have to be solved far exced those that have been explained.

The soil is almost a living thing. It is filled with living organisms infinite in variety and number. It is a storehouse of chemical compounds of great complexity.

Soils is a common thing, but still unknown. Plants are common, but who knows the secret of life.

The latest—"Mah Jongg Glasses." We have the exclusive on these wonderful lenses. If your eyes bother you when playing Mah Jongg see Faith Optical Co.—Adv.

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Remarkable Specials Throughout Our Store That Will Make This a Busy Day

We Advise Early Shopping As We Close Our Store At 3:30 P. M. Today On Account of the Opening of the "Texas League Baseball" Season, Take advantage of these extra values this morning, then go out to the Ball Park this afternoon and "root" for the "Spudders."

Today's Specials in the Men's Section—Main Floor

These specials are for today only and are offered in order to make this a busy day in the men's wear section.



Men's Athletic Union Suits—Good grade material, well made, knee length and sleeveless, offered for today special only

Each 79c

KNOX HATS

About 5 dozen extra good hats from Knox—hats in good style and excellent colors. They were priced formerly at $5.00 and $6.00, on sale, today, only each.....$2.95



Men's Soft Collars 2 for 25c. This is an assortment of extra good styles and sold regularly at 25c and 35c.

PHOENIX SOX — in pretty Clocked styles, good serviceable colors, excellent grade silk, $1.50 grade, today only pair 98c

75c grade, today only, pr. 48c

Men's Department—Main Floor
(Shop early today as we close at 3:30 p. m.)



Another Sale Today of Exquisite Linen Dresses

Lovely Fabrics—Stunning Styles—Fast Colors

Owng to the fact that we will close at 3:30 this afternoon, we have decided to give you the benefit today of this great sale of Linen Frocks.

They are in sizes for misses and small women, also some are shown in regular and larger sizes.

PLAIN and SEMI-TAILORED MODELS—Combining white and colored linens embroidered in contrasting colors.

TWO-PIECE MODEL of plaid linen with pleated skirt in blue.

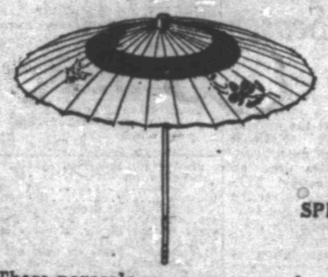
STRAIGHT LINE MODEL—Embroidered in wool thread.

These frocks shown in colors of Maize, Blue, White, Apricot, Pekin Blue, Grey Tangerine, also combined colors—Special Sale today.

$12.75

(Second Floor)
(We close at 3:30 p. m. today. Shop early)

Carry one to the "Game" today.



Beautiful Chinese Parasols

SPECIAL SALE TODAY

These parasols are very unusual, guaranteed waterproof, metal trimmed and mahogany handles, parasol tops are decorated in lovely oriental designs, shown in colors of red, green, blue, tan, grey, orchid and yellow; priced today $2.19
(Main Floor)

Take Advantage of These Extra Specials Before 3:30 o'Clock Today

Then we'll all close and go out and help the "Spudders" cop the attendance cup.

Special Close-out Sale of Minerva Knitting Yarns

We are discontinuing Minerva Yarns and have placed our entire stock in two groups for quick clearance.

Lot No. 1—SILK MIXES, KNITTING WORSTEDS, LUSTRE WOOL AND ICELAND WOOL — PER BALL 29¢

Lot No. 2—SHETLAND FLOSS, EGYPTIAN FLOSS AND SAXONY. — PER BALL 19¢

(Art Department—Second Floor)
(Shop early! We close at 3:30 p. m. today)

At 9 o'Clock Today Ready-Made Window Curtains

Just 120 pairs in this wonderful special event. Curtains of good grade, white scrim with dainty ruffles. These curtains are 2 1-4 yards in length with tie-backs to match and would sell regularly for $1.50 per pair.

We offer these curtains this moring at 9 o'clock, pair

99¢

(We close at 3:30 p. m. today. Shop early)

Van Raalte Suede-finish Gloves Special Sale Today

Charming short cuff novelties of the type that is now wanted for all the new frocks for spring. Ruffled styles, flare cuff and turn down cuff effects in all the leading colors, as cocoa, covert, oak sand, beige, pongee, and grey, sizes 6 to 8, former prices $1.95, special today

$1.49

(Glove Section—Main Floor)
(Shop early. We close at 3:30 p. m. today)

Hand-Knit Wool Shawls

The very newest—Knitted of soft wool in colors of orange, tan, brown, purple and other colors, shown in size 36x54 inches, 5 inch fringe all the way round. These shawls on sale today, each

$7.85

(Second Floor)
(Shop early, as we close at 3:30 p. m. today)

Special Today in the Gift Shop —Second Floor

DECORATED WOOD CANDLES—Colors: Ivory, grey, rose, blue and orchid, pair 89c

POLYCHOME CANDLE STICKS—New designs and pretty color schemes, specially priced for today, pair 89c

(Gift Shop—Second Floor)
(Shop early! We close at 3:30 p. m. today)

Today's Specials in the Dress Goods Section

PRINTED FRENCH CREPES — 40-inch width, light and dark ground, regular price 98c, special today, yd. 69c

BATISTE—Flesh color, excellent for underwear, regular price 25c, Wednesday special, yd...12½c

NATURAL PONGEE—13 Momme, all silk, 33-inch width, yard 98c

(Dress Goods Section—Main Floor)

Extra Special for Today's Selling

PEPPERELL SHEETS—Just 15 dozen, size 81x90, regular price $1.75, special today only, each

$1.39

(Main Floor)

Women's Hat Boxes Sale for One Day Only

Sizes 9x18 and 9x20 inches, excellent grades, regular prices $6.95 and $7.50, today only, each

$5.95

(Main Floor)

A Group of Special Values in the Corset and Underwear Sections

ALL ELASTIC GIRDLES—Extra long, sizes 28 to 39, special price $5.95

CORSELETTES—All sizes, excellent quality, $2.25 and $2.50 values, very special $1.98

SATEEN BLOOMERS—Pink and white, sizes 6 to 14, special price 69c

COTTON JERSEY BLOOMERS—Black and pink, sizes 6 to 10, priced, 4 for.....$1.00

MUSLIN TEDDIES—5 dozen in this assortment, pink and white, all sizes, priced $1.25

(Corset, Underwear Section—Second Floor)
(Shop early today! We close at 3:30 p. m.)

New Arrivals in Fine Easter Footwear for Women

Dainty Models That Will Please the Most Fastidious Dressers.

Your Easter outfit will not be in tune with the style unless you have well selected footwear.

PUMPS OF BLACK SATIN—Center gore with small beaded buckle, Spanish heel, priced $11.50

PUMPS OF CHAMPAGNE KID—Center gore with buckle to match, Spanish heel, priced $12.00

BLACK SATIN PUMPS—Strap style with covered box heel-priced $10.00



2 EYLET TIE OF BLACK SATIN—With Junior Spanish heel, priced $10.00

2 EYLET TIE—Field mouse kid, trimmed in tan, covered box heel, priced $11.50

PATENT LEATHER STRAP PUMP — With covered box heel, priced $10.00

Children's Shoes for Easter

GIRLS' FOOTWEAR—By Mrs. A. R. King, patent kid and calfskin leathers, plain and two-tone effect, priced .....$2.00 to $6.00

SHOES AND OXFORDS — For the little folks. Perkins-Timberlake Co., special for sport wear. Real nature tread lasts, priced .....$2.50 to $4.50

HOLLAND SHOES FOR BOYS—The real boy's shoe, all leather welt sole, plain or cap toe and rubber heels, priced .....$4.50 to $6.00

Boy's Tennis shoes, size 7 to 11, price $1.50

Boy's Tennis shoes, size 11 to 2, price $1.75

Boy's Tennis shoes, size 2 to 6, price $2.00

(Shoe Department—Main Floor)
(Shop early today! We close at 3:30 p. m.)

Gassers Versus Spudders, Opening Today

HIPPO HODGES WILL PITCH FOR WICHITA, SCHILLING ON HILLOCK FOR SHREVEPORT

Gassers vs. Spudders at Athletic Park today.

The game is called at 4 o'clock.

Wichita Falls, after varied and generous preparation, is now getting ready to get off to the ball game, where Buddy Tanner's Spudders will engage with Ira Thomas' Shreveport Gassers in the first game of the season.

Opening Day for Texas League.

Batteries will be: Hodges and Jonnard, Schilling and Graham.

Four years Wichita Falls Spudders have been included within the confines of the Texas league. And a four years finish in the first division is not a bad record, by any means.

Manager Ira Thomas brought his Gassers into Wichita Falls, Tuesday afternoon, arriving at 2:10. After putting up at the Kemp, the Shreveport pilot took his charges to the ball park, where the white-and-black uniforms of Wichita Falls gave place to the gray of Shreveport. Batting practice and snappy infield workout was the extent of the duties imposed by Thomas for that day.

The field boss for all the Gassers was in a good humor Tuesday afternoon. He reported all his club to be in fine condition, and ready to get off to the gun. Thomas is particularly proud of this pitcher, Schillings, who will do duty for Shreveport in the big tilt today. Both the manager and Secretary Kirksey were of the opinion their club would be better than just below seventh place this trip, as some scribe has already willfully predicted.

President Harvey agrees with Skipper Tanner that Wichita Falls has a scrappy bunch that will be in there fighting. The two are claiming no pennants or any particular places, but it is understood that there may be things yet to happen. In speaking of the opening of the season, President Harvey recalled the hard practice weather, and the subsequent injuries to several players. Neither president nor manager have stated that the 1924 club is better or as good as that of 1923, but let it be understood that the present crew have yet some space to go to equal former Records here.

According to Secretary Will Gray, all reserved sections of the stand were sold out early, leaving only unreserved space for the crowds expected to require entrance. It is the plan and idea of clubs and organizations to see Wichita Falls cop the attendance prize cup this time.

Although weather predictions show it to be unsettled, the fine weather of the past two days has helped along ticket sales. With such a baseball day as Tuesday, there will be no space to hold the crowds at Athletic park today.

Hodges.

Hippo Hodges, husky southpaw, has been selected by Manager Tanner for opening day duties, because of his sterling qualities exhibited this year. Exhibition games turned in by Hippo have been among the top-notchers, and fans believe in the hurler. Hodges came to Wichita Falls last year, when he was pronounced an unfinished product in the pitching world. He was sent to Paris of the East Texas league, where he fared little better. It all came about that Hodges was taken on by Bloomington, in the Three-I circuit. There it was he hit his stride, and has been pitching baseball ever since. Hodges also has improved in his play of batted balls, and fields now like a veteran.

Bubber Jonnard, in person, will on best of authority, hold down the receiving end of the Wichita Falls battery. Texas leaguers know Jonnard, and dislike to see him whip a ball to second base.

Spudders.

The batting order of the Spudders will shape up like this:

Coombs, first base; Tanner, third base; Weiss left field; Fitzgerald, center; Turgeon, shortstop; Callaghan, right field; White, second base; Jonnard, catcher; Hodges, pitcher.

Gasser Aces.

Shreveport is admittedly pitching their hurling ace today, Schilling was a good man in the league last year, and looks good to Manager Thomas. Graham will receive the Schilling offerings.

As announced last night, the Gassers are to line up in this batting order, today:

French, right field; Zeider, third base; Riley, first base; Sullivan, left field; Orr, shortstop; Sargent, second base; Eichrodt, center field; Graham, catcher; Schilling, pitcher.

SPORT SNAP SHOTS

The annual "few" have been chosen from the many called for tryouts with the big league ball clubs. Of course the canning bee will continue until the final pruning date, May 16, but most of the major league ball club managers have already sorted most of the wheat from the chaff and unripe stalks.

Here are the lucky youngsters that have retained their places at the dinner tables of the major clubs to date:

Yankees: Outfielder Earl Combs, Catchers Autrey and Urban and Pitcher Gaston.

Indians: Sumpter Clarke, Gully and Pat McNulty, outfielders; Pitchers Joe Shaute, Metevier and Lindsey.

Tigers: Burke, young second sacker and Pitcher Whitehill.

White Sox: Infielder Admiral Martin, Pitchers Steengrafo and Lyons; outfielders Rabbit and Ostergard and Catchers Crouse and Burns.

Browns: Catcher Rego, Pitcher Voight and infielder Rice.

Red Sox: Dudley Lee at short, infielder Gross, outfielder Ike Boone and pitcher Fuhr.

Athletics: Second baseman Max Bishop, pitchers Meeker and Baumgartner. Outfielders Strand and Simmons.

Washington: Pitchers Martina and Wingfield, infielder Prothro, outfielder Smith.

National League.

Giants: Pitchers Dean, Bradshaw, Maun and Baldwin, outfielder Wilson, infielders Lindstrom and Terry.

Cinci Reds: Pitchers Tom Sheehan and Jake May.

Cubs: Infielders Charley Adams, Vogel and Michael; Pitcher Bill Jacobs.

Pirates: Pitchers Kremer and May. Infielders Glenn Wright and Moore.

Cardinals: Infielder Bell, catcher Vick and Douthitt, an outfielder.

Dodgers: Shortstop Johnny Jones; Infielder Klugmah; Pitchers Long, Yarrison and Green, and outfielder Loftus.

Braves: Pitchers Lucas, Lansing and Yearnigan; Infielder Leffler.

Phillies: Infielder Helgeth; Pitcher Liepe.

ALL IN THE FAMILY

That baseball runs in the family, not unlike the wooden leg, has been accepted as a matter of fact, for some time. This season quite a number of brothers are putting on their family acts on the diamond. We have with us at the present writing the following brother teams:

The Wheats: Mack and Zack, with the Dodgers and Curtis, with a Texas team.

The Barneses: Jess and Charles with the Braves and Virgil with the Giants.

The Meusels: Emil with the Giants and Bob with the Yanks.

The Jonnards: Paul with the Giants and Claude with the Indianapolis club.

The Johnston brothers: Jim with the Dodgers and Doc "Wheeler" with a coast team.

The Cooneys: Johnny with the Braves and Paul with Milwaukee.

The Highs: Andy with the Dodgers and Hughie with an A. A. team and a third brother on the Pacific coast.

That Walter Hagen is set for the national and international golfing events of the coming summer is indicated by the decisive manner in which he won recently the annual north-south championship at Pinehurst. Hagen not only triumphed over a brilliant field of American golfers but won out against the master playing of two of Europe's best. Arthur Havers and Ockenden British and French title holders were entered in the tourney.

Hagen stands without an equal as a cool, confident turney player. His ability to make recoveries when he seems hopelessly outplayed is little short of astounding.

COLLEGE BASEBALL.

At Houston:

Rice	2
Texas	7

Allen To Lubbock To Bring Back Prisoner Here

Roy Day, wanted by Wichita Falls police on several counts of forgery, theft, and for the theft of a car, is being held at the Lubbock jail pending the arrival of Night Chief Allen who left early Tuesday morning for that place.

Day is held with four companions, two of whom are girls. There is no charge against any of these. They will all be brought back by Chief Allen in the car which was stolen for them to make the trip.

Day's arrest is at the instigation of Chief of Detectives Dave May who has had his eyes on the case for some time.

LEW TENDLER BEATS SAILOR FRIEDMAN

BOSTON, April 15.—Lew Tendler of Philadelphia won the decision over Sailor Friedman of Chicago in a ten-round bout here tonight. Tendler weighed in at 140 1-2 pounds, and Friedman 141 1-4.

Call Bock Sign Co. Phone 5971. —Adv.

Lenses ground. Faith Optical Co.—Adv.



REDS NOSE OUT PIRATES, 6-5

Record Breaking Crowd Sees Cinci Take Opener

By The Associated Press.

CINCINNATI, April 15.—Before a record breaking crowd, Cincinnati defeated Pittsburgh in the first game of the championship season today 6 to 5. The actual paid attendance was 33,747. The score:

Pittsburgh	AB	H	O	A	Cincinnati	AB	H	O	A
M'ville, 2	3	1	5	3	Burns, rf	4	2	3	1
Carey, cf	5	1	2	0	Daubert, 1	5	1	12	0
Bigbee, lf	4	1	3	0	Rousch, cf	4	0	5	0
Traynor, 3	3	0	1	3	Duncan, rf	4	0	1	0
Pihlart, rf	4	2	2	0	Hargrave, c	4	0	6	3
Wright, ss	4	1	1	2	Bohne, 2b	3	1	1	2
Grim, 1b	3	1	9	1	Pinelli, 3b	3	1	1	4
Schmidt, c	4	1	3	4	Cavener, ss	4	0	1	0
Morrison, p	3	0	0	2	Donohue, p	2	0	0	4
xxMuller	1	0	0	0	zHarper	0	0	0	0
Meadows, p	0	0	0	0	Sheehan, p	0	0	0	0
					zzBlock	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	6	z36	15	Totals	31	9	27	12

xxBatted for Morrison in 9th.
xTwo out when winning run scored.
zBatted for Donohue in 7th.
zzRan for Sheehan in 9th.

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Runs: Maranville, Carey, Bigbee, Traynor, Barnhart, Burns 2, Hargrave 2, Pinelli. Errors: Maranville, Wright 2, Cavener 2. Two base hits Burns, Three base hits Hargrave 2; Bigbee. Base on balls Donohue 1; Sheehan 1; Morrison 2; Meadows 2. Struck out by Donohue 1; Sheehan 1; Morrison 2. Hits off Donohue 6 in 7.

GIANTS GO DOWN BEFORE ROBINS

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Playing a strong game behind Dutch Reuther's efficient pitching, the Brooklyn Dodgers defeated the New York Giants in the opening game today, 3 to 2, before a crowd of 44,000, the greatest that ever saw a National opening game in New York. Score:

Brooklyn	AB	H	O	A	New York	AB	H	O	A
Nels, cf	5	1	4	0	S'worth, cf	5	0	4	0
Johnson, 3	4	2	1	2	Groh, 3b	4	0	1	2
Wheat, lf	3	2	2	0	Frisch, 2b	4	1	1	3
Younger, 1	4	1	11	1	Young, rf	4	0	2	0
Griffith, rf	2	1	0	0	Meusel, lf	4	0	1	0
Bailey, rf	1	0	3	0	Kelly, 1b	3	2	12	0
Klugman, 2	4	0	1	3	Jackson, ss	4	2	2	0
Jones, ss	4	0	1	3	Snyder, c	3	0	7	0
DeBerry, c	3	2	4	2	xO'Connell	1	0	0	0
Ruther, p	4	0	0	1	Ryan, p	1	0	0	0
					Gearin, p	1	0	1	1
					Gowdy, c	1	1	1	0
					Neh'f	0	0	0	2
					xxWilson	1	0	0	0
					xxxLindstm	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	9	27	11	Totals	35	7	27	10

xRan for Snyder in 7th.
xxBatted for Neh'f in 9th.
xxxRan for Gowdy in 9th.

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Runs: Nels, Johnson 2; Frisch; Kelly. Errors: Jones, Reuther, Southworth. Two base hits, Nels, DeBerry, Johnson, Wheat. Snyder, Kelly. Bases on balls off Gearin 3; Neh'f 1; Reuther 2. Struck out by Neh'f 2; Reuther 3. Hits off Ryan 9 in 6; Gearin none in 3.

CARDS BEAT CUBS IN OWN BACKYARD

By The Associated Press.

ST. LOUIS, April 15.—The St. Louis Cardinals defeated the Chicago Cubs, 6 to 5, today in the first 1924 National league game here. A crowd of about 15,000 attended the game. Score:

Chicago	AB	H	O	A	St. Louis	AB	H	O	A
Stats, cf	4	3	1	0	Flack, rf	4	2	3	0
Adams, ss	4	2	3	3	Smith, lf	5	3	2	0
Gotham, 2	4	1	4	4	Hornsby, 2b	5	2	1	3
Grimes, 1b	2	0	10	1	Bottmley, 1	5	0	10	0
Friberg, 3b	3	0	0	3	Freigau, 3b	4	1	1	1
Miller, lf	3	0	2	0	Mueller, cf	4	1	4	0
Vogel, rf	4	1	2	0	L. Bell, ss	4	0	2	1
O'Farrell, c	4	2	3	0	Vick, c	3	1	5	0
Aldridge, p	4	2	0	0	Holm, c	0	0	1	0
					Kuart, p	1	1	0	2
					North, p	0	0	0	0
					Doak, p	1	0	0	1
					Pfeffer, p	0	0	0	0
					zDyer	1	0	0	0
					zz5chults	1	1	0	0
					zzzTornorer	1	0	0	0
					4z Blades	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	11	25	14	Totals	39	13	27	9

xBatted for North in 4th.
xxBatted for Vick in 6th.
xxxBatted for Doak in 8th.
zzRan for Schults in 8th.
xOne out when winning run scored.

Chicago	002 200 010—5
St. Louis	120 000 003—6

Runs: Stats, Grimes, Vogel, O'Farrell 2, Flack 3, Smith, Bottomley, Stuart. Errors Adams Grantham, Vyfbers, Miller, Vogel, Smith. Two base hits Flack, Hornsby, Aldridge. Three base hits Smith. Bases on balls Aldridge 1; Stuart 2; North 0; Doak 2. Struck out by Aldridge 2; by Stuart 1; Doak 1; Pfeffer 1. Hits off Stuart 7 in 3 1-3; Doak 2 in 4; North none in 2-3.

PHILLIES AND BRAVES BATTLE TO 6-6 TIE

By The Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, April 15.—Philadelphia and Boston engaged in an eleven inning deadlock in the first game of the 1924 season, the score standing at 6 runs when the game was called on account of darkness. Score:

Boston	AB	H	O	A	Philadelphia	AB	H	O	A
Bancroft, s	6	2	1	3	Sand, ss	6	2	2	6
Cooney, cf	7	2	4	0	Mokan, lf	5	1	1	0
Jun'n'm, lf	6	3	1	2	Williams, cf	4	3	3	0
Tierney, 3	5	2	3	2	Walker, rf	5	1	2	0
T'mins, 2b	5	1	3	3	Henline, c	3	1	7	0
Stengel, rf	3	1	2	0	Wilson, c	2	0	3	2
Packett, 1	3	6	1	1	Ford, 2b	2	1	1	0
O'Neill, c	6	1	8	1	zLee	0	0	0	0
Ben'wich, p	5	0	0	2	Park'son, 2	0	0	0	0
xE.Smith	1	1	0	0	Holke, 1b	5	1	12	3
xxR. Smith	0	0	0	0	Woehrs, 3b	4	1	3	3
Lucas, p	2	1	0	4	Ring, p	3	1	0	1
Barnes, p	0	0	0	0	xxW Stone	1	0	0	0
					Couch, p	1	1	0	1
Totals	48	16	33	16	Totals	39	13	33	17

xxBatted for Ring in 9th.
xBatted for Ford in 9th.
xBatted for Genewich in 6th.
xxRan for E. Smith in 6th.

Runs: Bancroft, Cunningham, Stengel, O'Neill, R. Smith, Lucas, Sand, Williams, Henline, Wilson, Ford. Errors: Bancroft, Cooney, Tierney, Wilson, Ford, Woehrs 2. Two base hits E. Smith, Lucas. Bases on balls off Ring 5; Couch 2; Genewich 3; Lucas 3. Struck out by Ring 3; Couch 1; Genewich 3; Lucas 2; Barnes 2; hits off Ring 14 in 8; Couch 2 in 3; Genewinch 9 in 5; off Lucas 3 in 3 1-3; Barnes one in 2 2-3.

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SCHLIEBNER BROWN'S ACE IN HOLE



Fred Schliebner and, inset, George Sisler.

Women In Semi-Finals N-S Golf

By The Associated Press.

PINEHURST, N. C., April 15.—Miss Martha Bayard, Short Hills, N. J.; Mrs. H. S. Green, New York; Miss Leslie Bancroft, Boston, and Mrs. R. F. Briggs, Pelham Manor, N. Y., will meet tomorrow in the semi-finals of the annual women's north and south tennis championship tournament.

Miss Bayard today defeated Mrs. Theodore Sohst, Brooklyn, 6-3, 6-3, and Miss Bancroft disposed of Miss Alice Vail, New York, 6-1, 6-0.

Mrs. Green defeated Mrs. DeForrest Candee, New York, 6-2, 6-3, and Miss Eleanor Wetmore, New York, defaulted to Mrs. Briggs. Miss Bayard and Mrs. Green will meet tomorrow in the semi-finals as will Miss Bancroft and Mrs. Briggs.

In the second round of the men's singles, A. L. Bruneau, Brooklyn, defeated J. T. Stockton, New York, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3.

Josiah Wheelwright, Boston, won from Paul Dunn, Pinehurst, 6-1, 6-0, and A. W. Merriman, Birmingham, Conn., defaulted to T. J. Mangan.

The secret is out now why Paul Berlenbach met a tartar in Jack Delaney a few weeks ago. Paul was really fighting Ovilla Chapdelaine. Now who could lick anyone with that moniker? The story goes that Delaney chose a ring name out of respect for the reverence with which the name Chapdelaine is held in Canada, his native soil, since the publication of a book there, "Maria Chapdelaine," by the late Louis Hamon.

There's one for your book, brother press agent.

Standing of Teams

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

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

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	1	0	1.000
Brooklyn	1	0	1.000
St. Louis	1	0	1.000
Pittsburg	0	1	.000
New York	0	1	.000
Chicago	0	1	.000
Boston	0	0	.000
Philadelphia	0	0	.000

Today's Games.

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

New York 2, Boston 1.
Cleveland 3, Detroit 4.
Philadelphia 0, Washington 4.
St. Louis 7, Chicago 3.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	1	0	1.000
Detroit	1	0	1.000
Washington	1	0	1.000
St. Louis	1	0	1.000
Boston	0	1	.000
Cleveland	0	1	.000
Philadelphia	0	1	.000
Chicago	0	1	.000

Today's Games.

New York at Boston.
Cleveland at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Washington.
St. Louis at Chicago.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Indianapolis 10, Minneapolis 8.
Toledo 4, Milwaukee 6.
Louisville 6, St. Paul 4.
Columbus 6, Kansas City, 2.

Villa Kayoed In 4th by Colletti

By The Associated Press.

SAN ANTONIO, April 15.—Pascal Colletti of New Orleans knocked out Kid Pancho, flyweight champion of Mexico, in the fourth round of their 12-round bout here tonight.

Junior College Beats K-P 5-3

The Junior College club won their second baseball victory in a row Tuesday, when they defeated the K. P. team, 5 to 3.

Nichols was used the full route by Coach Moore, and held the K. P. club to a pace sufficient for his sluggers to win. The Indians showed improvement both in batting and field work.

Thieves Foiled In Filling Station Burglary Attempt

Thieves entered the Woody Hines filling station at the corner of 16th and Lamar last night. An inner tube was the only article reported missing. Officer Jensen in passing about one o'clock this morning discovered the open window through which entrance had been made. Several casings and other articles of value were passed up by the marauders whom it is supposed were merely in need of an inner tube.

They're Off Today

DALLAS, Texas, April 15.—Texas baseball fans were in readiness tonight to get in line early tomorrow at the gates of the Texas league parks where opening games of the 1924 season will be played. Forecast of showers threatened to mar the prospects for the games at some places, but hopes were pinned on the fair weather that prevailed today when final workouts were held.

The opening games will be:

Fort Worth, 1923 champions, at Dallas.

Galveston at San Antonio.

Shreveport at Wichita Falls.

Houston at Beaumont.

Record attendances are expected competition being lively for a trophy offered by Doak Roberts, president of the league.

BAYLOR HURLER TO OLYMPICS?

Mule Frazier to Compete In Southern Trials At New Orleans

By The Associated Press

WACO, Texas, April 15.—Earle (Mule) Frazier, internationally famous Baylor university track and athletic star, will do exhibition work in the 120-yard high, 220-yard low and 400-meter hurdles on Carroll field here, preparatory to going to New Orleans next month where he will participate in the Southwestern Olympic trials. Frazier, who for the last five years has outrun everything put before him at the Southern Olympic trials, will go to the Boston national Olympic try-outs later in the season.

At the national collegiate encampment tournament held at Chicago a few years ago, Frazier gained international fame by his time of 15 and one-tenth on the high hurdles, 23 9-10 on the lows and fast time on the quarter-mile events.

He nosed out at the Boston trials last year by a few points, after he had arrived in the Massachusetts city in poor condition for the contests. Frazier is devoting more time to athletics at Baylor university this year than ever before and is in fine trim for the Olympic trials. He says his exhibition runs here Saturday will be a fair test of his condition. Crow will run with him in the high hurdles race and Stovall, a Baylor freshman who transferred here from A. & M., will run the low race with the famous Hillsboro, Texas, timber-topper. In recent tryouts in the quarter-mile race on Carroll field here, Frazier, taking the hurdles, outran other athletes who ran the flat track.

Quarter Million Fans Open Season

By The Associated Press.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Real old-fashioned baseball weather today brought out more than a quarter of a million fans to witness the opening games in the American National leagues and the American association.

The two major leagues drew an attendance of approximately 217,000, the American league attracting 112,000 and the National league 105,000. The American association drew about 52,000 fans, a total for the two majors and the association of 269,000.

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TIGERS BEAT INDIANS, 4-3

Cobb, Speaker and Heilman Share Brilliant Fielding Honors

By The Associated Press.

DETROIT, April 16.—Detroit opened the American league season here today by defeating Cleveland 4 to 3. Cobb, Heilmann and Speaker shared honors in fielding almost impossible catches. The crowd was estimated at approximately 34,000. Score:

Cleveland	AB	H	O	A	Detroit	AB	H	O	A
Jamson, lf	4	1	2	0	Blue, 1b	4	2	13	1
Step'son, 2	5	3	5	2	Cobb, cf	3	1	3	0
Speaker, cf	4	0	3	0	F'rgill, lf	4	1	2	0
J.Sewell, ss	4	2	2	3	Heilmn, rf	3	2	3	0
Burns, 1b	3	1	6	1	Pratt, 2b	4	1	2	5
Summa, rf	4	1	1	0	Rigney, ss	3	0	1	1
Lutzke, 3b	4	1	2	2	Jones, 3b	3	0	1	1
Myatt, c	4	0	2	1	Basaler, c	2	0	1	0
Shaute, p	3	2	1	1	Dauss, p	3	0	1	3
xBrower	1	0	0	0					
Totals	36	11	24	10	Totals	29	8	27	15

xBatted for Shaute in 9th.

Cleveland	000 102 000—3
Detroit	000 013 00x—4

Runs: Stephenson 2, Speaker, Blue, Cobb, Fothergill, Heilmann; errors, none. Two base hits Stephenson, Lutzke, Shaute Fothergill, Pratt. Home run Blue. Bases on balls Shaute 2; Dauss 3. Struck out Shaute 2; Dauss 1.

JOHNSON OPENS 18TH SHUTOUT ATHLETES

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Walter Johnson, ace of the Washington Senators, opened his 18th campaign in the American league today with a shutout victory of Philadelphia 4 to 0.

President Coolidge officially opened the season by tossing out the first ball. A crowd of more than 25,000 witnessed the opening. Score:

Philadelphia	AB	H	O	A	Washington	AB	H	O	A
Bishop, 2b	4	1	5	1	Judge, 1b	4	1	8	0
Hale, 3b	3	1	0	7	S.Harris, 2	5	0	2	3
Strand, cf	4	0	1	0	Rice, cf	4	1	3	0
Hauser, 1b	3	1	12	1	Goslin, lf	4	2	9	0
Simons, lf	4	2	2	0	Fisher, rf	3	0	2	0
Miller, rf	3	0	0	1	Prothro, 3b	2	1	1	0
Gallway, ss	3	0	2	3	Peck ss	4	0	1	5
Perkins, c	3	0	2	0	Ruel, c	3	1	9	1
B.Harris, p	0	0	0	1	Johnson, p	4	1	0	1
Ogden, p	0	0	0	0					
Meeker, p	0	0	0	1	Totals	32	7	27	10
Bgardner, p	0	0	0	1					
xBruggy	1	0	0	0					
xxRicondo	1	0	0	0					
cWelch	1	0	0	0					
Totals	30	4	24	12					

xBatted for B. Harris in 3rd.
xxBatted for Ogden in 6th.
cBatted for Meeker in 8th.

Philadelphia	000 000 000—0
Washington	021 010 00x—4

Runs: Judge, Rice, Goslin, Fisher. Errors: Hale, Galloway 2. Three base hits Judge, Bases on balls B. Harris 1; Ogden 2, Meeker 2, Johnson 2. Struck out Meeker 1; Johnson 8. Hits off B. Harris 2, in 2; Ogden 3 in 2; Meeker 2 in 5.

BROWNS DEFEAT WHITE SOX; SISLER FEATURES

CHICAGO, April 15.—George Harold Sisler, outstanding start of the 1922 American league season came back to the game today after a year's absence due to impaired vision, making his debut as manager of the St. Louis Browns, contributed largely to the team's 7 to 3 victory over Chicago by smashing out two hits in four times up. The game drew an opening attendance of about 28,00.

St. Louis	AB	H	O	A	Chicago	AB	H	O	A
Tobin, rf	5	3	2	0	Mostil, cf	3	0	4	0
Gerber, ss	4	2	2	3	Hooper, rf	4	2	0	0
Sisler, 1b	4	2	15	0	Collins, 2b	3	0	2	2
Williams, 1	4	1	1	0	Sheely, 1	4	0	7	0
Manus, 2b	4	1	0	2	Kamm, 3b	3	1	2	3
Jobson, cf	4	1	1	0	Barrett, lf	4	0	2	0
Severoid, c	4	0	4	1	McClellan, ss	4	0	3	3
Ellerbe, 3b	4	0	1	3	Schalk, c	4	0	3	0
Shocker, p	3	0	0	4	R'bterson, p	2	0	0	1
					zStrunk	1	0	0	0
Totals	39	11	27	13	Connally, p	0	0	0	1
					xxArch'con	1	0	0	0
					Totals	34	6	27	13

zBatted for Robertson in 7th.
xxBatted for Connally in 9th.

St. Louis	200 110 210—7
Chicago	200 100 000—3

Runs: Tobin 3; Gerber, McManus, Jacobson, Shocker, Mostil, Hooper, Kamm. Errors: Gerber, Sheely, Kamm, McClellan. Two base hits Gerber, Hooper 2; Tobin 2; Jacobson. Bases on balls off Shocker 1; Robertson 1. Struck out by Robertson 2; by Shocker 4; Connally 2. Hits off Robertson 9 in 7.

CHAMP YANKS TAKE DOWN RED SOX, 2-1

BOSTON April 15.—Twenty-five thousand enthusiasts saw the world champion Yankee defeat the Red Sox, 2 to 1, in the opening game of the season here today. Score:

New York	AB	H	O	A	Boston	AB	H	O	A
Witt, cf	3	1	3	0	Fingsted, cf	3	0	0	0
Dugan, 3b	4	1	2	2	Wamby, 2b	4	0	6	4
Ruth, lf	3	1	0	0	Ruth, lf	3	0	0	0
Pipp, 1b	3	0	9	0	Harris, rf	3	0	10	0
Meusel, rf	4	0	2	0	Boone, c	2	0	2	1
Ward, 2b	4	1	4	3	Shanks, 3b	4	1	1	3
Schang, c	4	0	5	1	Lee, ss	3	0	2	1
Scott, ss	4	0	2	3	O'Neil, c	3	1	6	1
Shawkey, p	2	0	0	1	Shmke, p	3	1	0	3
xHendricks	1	1	0	0					
Hoyt, p	1	0	0	2	Totals	26	2	27	16
Totals	32	5	27	12					

xBatted for Shawkey in 8th.

New York	000 000 002—2
Boston	000 010 000—1

Runs: Ruth, Meusel, Shanks. Errors: Wamby 2, Shanks. Stolen bases Ruth, Witt. Bases on balls Shawkey 5; Hoyt 1; Ehmke 3. Struck out by Shawkey 3; Hoyt 3; Ehmke 4. Hits off Shawkey 2 in 7; Hoyt none in 2.

Paul Offers Two Spudders Prizes

Dave Paul's offer of a silver bat to the best batsmen and a silver ball for the best pitcher on the Spudder team, is still good, according to announcement made last week at the reception to the Spudders by the Kiwanis club.

The bat and ball are won by the batter and pitcher, respectively, who finish the season with best averages in these departments. These awards have been given by Paul previously, and he declares the same will go this year. He is a strong Wichita Falls fan, and in this way gets into the swing for another pennant race.

According to word from France it was Mme. Criqui who caused Eugene of the silver jaw and world of nerve to re-enter the ring game.

Criqui announced his retirement on his return home after winning and losing the featherweight title in a short span of 60 days in America. Criqui's wife urged him to retire.

A couple of weeks ago she attended a fight with him. Charlie Ledou and Mascart, another French favorite, were the fighters. After watching them Mme. Criqui said in her best French: "If you couldn't lick both those hams in a night I'd disown you." So now Criqui wants to try it.

YOU KNOW ME AL — The Adventures of Jack Keefe — —By Ring Lardner



Texas League Off To Another Jamboree Today

Circuit Looks Better On Whole, While Points For Settlement Yet On Tap

Today the Texas league, best in the class A division, gets away to another hot race.

Every fan has his ideas about the circuit, and will go out today to see an opening game, barring total indisposition or rain.

Reams have been flashed here and there about the big race of Major league teams to unseat the flying New Yorkers. All very well and good, but what of the local situation.

Jackie Atz has led his Cats to a string of pennants, anybody will tell. The way things stack up this trip, it will probably be the toughest run for the money in years, for Fort Worth or any other club.

According to Skipper Ira Thomas of the Gassers, every team in the loop has improved. There are many others who will agree. From the left side of the fence to the deepest corner in the shadow there have been hustlings and rustlings. And still, there are those that fail to be satisfied.

Wichita Falls has had a string of pre-season luck only equaled by the luck of the Colonials at Valley Forge. The comparison may be called ancient, admitting that the Colonials played the game entirely different from the present national pastime. But there is virtue in most everything.

The Spudder bosses are not altogether pleased with their club, admitting there have been better ones, but will tell you that it is a fighting crew and a scrappy bunch. Material promising to be the original million dollars have been shifted and changed by interrupted training, injuries and late developments. Manager Tanner knew hardly anything definite on any of his men, two weeks before the season was to start.

But all this has been swiftly put aside, and as for knowing the club in hand, Tanner has a fair line on them now. Practically all of them are in fair condition, and ready to go. What development of the month will bring is left to the eerie of baseball.

Down at Houston there has been much ado. With the result the Buffs are now given a place and doped to place. Some nice players have been taken on, and have a 50-50 chance of making Houston a baseball club of merit.

San Antonio should be placed in the first division, from the pre-season prospects. A steady infield and likely garden outfit have been amassed from quite a picking. As for pitchers, there is little to be said. Veterans of the league are in a way to be surmised upon, but that after a fashion. The wash, that familiar term of the backwoods, will bring it all out.

Beaumont has a chance to beat Galveston today. The two clubs have this year been heralded as coming out of the old slump, and adding to their valour and the strength of the circuit by making a fair bid. The latter is particular has done by many efforts what many of the loop has been doing, with the exception of Fort Worth and Dallas. The Sandcrabs have wrought and toiled in the vineyard for products of many another league.

Dallas is about where they have been. Should the Steers ever muster up the courage to forget the argument and play baseball with Fort Worth and other clubs, there is hope. They have gone along in division number one for along time, at most times, but the punch, as with others, has been relegated to Fort Worth.

Accordingly, it might be said, there is lots left to be seen. What San Antonio and Houston will do, how the Spudders will turn out as a club, and how Fort Worth may be toppled off the eaves, are all on the board of inquiry.

Little Lessons In Big Sports



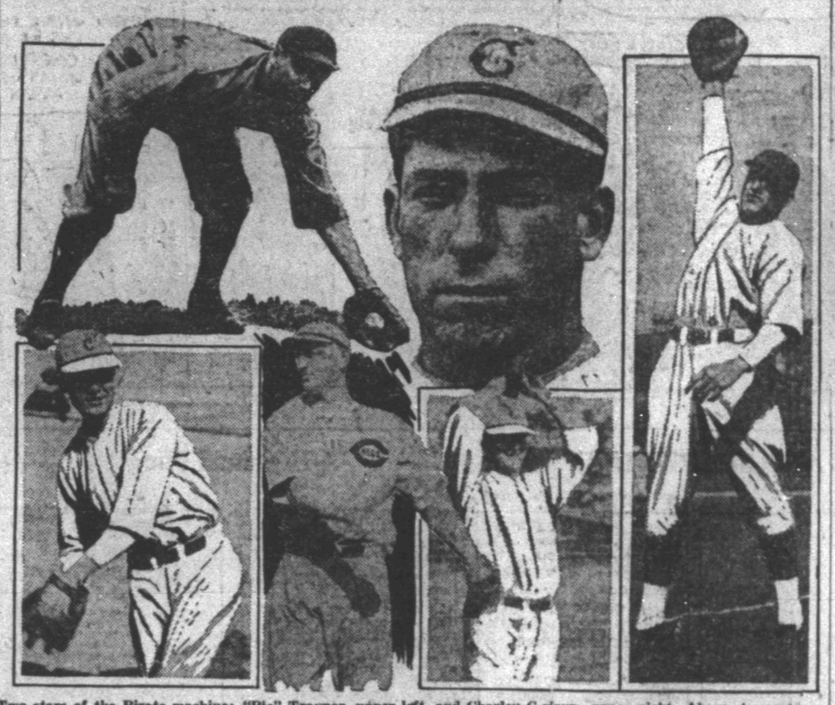
Should a player, in driving, come back slowly, medium, or swiftly, on the backswing?

Answered by
PHIL GAUDIN

Medalist, British open championship; captain of British international golf team; member of that team for eight consecutive years. Winner of numerous foreign tournaments, including Manchester Guardian trophy.

In taking the club one must be very careful to start the swing from the left hand and not the right. I would say a medium pace upswing would be the best, as one can only obtain the speed in the swing by the use of the left hand all the time. I say start with the left hand and finish with it.

GIANTS MUST BEAT PIRATE SLUGGERS, RED HURLERS



Two stars of the Pirate machine: "Pie" Traynor, upper left, and Charley Grimm, upper right. Above, in center, Adolph Luque, Reds' hurling ace. Below, three other red pitchers, Pete Donohue, Tom Sheehan and Jake May.

SPORTS OF 1924



Grover Cleveland Alexander, famous Chicago Cub pitcher, has been in the game since 1909 and never had any season in which he was nicked for more than 3.62 runs per game as an average for the season. He is the holder of numerous pitching records. Among his feats is the one of pitching 62 consecutive innings without giving a base on balls. Maybe his name has something to do with his success—Grover Cleveland for the front part and Alexander for the last. All Cub fans know his as "Alex the Great." (Copyright, 1924, Associated Editors, Inc.)

PLAN FOR BIG STATE TOURNEY

AUSTIN, Texas, April 15.—Plans for the Interscholastic meet, which is to be held at the University of Texas, May 1-3, are well under way toward completion, according to Roy Henderson of the Interscholastic league. All county meets have been held and some of the district meets are being held this week. The districts are given until the week ending April 19 to hold their contest.

About 2,000 contestants and visitors are expected at the state meet at Austin, and committees of faculty and students are being formed to take rare of the large crowds. A committee, headed by Ralph Wood, is canvassing Austin homes to find out how many will allow the contestants to stay in their homes. Every year Austin citizens throw open their doors to contestants and visitors at the meet.

The contests will start with the tennis tournament on Thursday afternoon, May 1, in charged of Dr. D. A. Penick. Public speaking and preliminaries in track will begin Friday morning, May 2. Finals in declamation are to be held Friday night and Saturday morning. Finals in track will take place on Saturday afternoon, and finals in debate on Saturday night.

As soon as the contestants reach Austin they will be taken to the University Y. M. C. A., which is to be the headquarters. There they will register and be assigned to places to stay. Committees which are being formed to care for the interscholastic leaguers are state executive, reception, lodging for girls, information, registration and assignment to lodging, accommodations at S. M. A., transportation and escort to lodgings, courtesy, checking parcels, arrangements for final contest, progress of the meet, custodian of cups and medals, photography, declamation for boys and for girls, debate for boys and for girls, essay writing, and music memory.

Various prizes and loving cups are to be given to the schools and contestants winning first and second places.

DAUGHERTY IS LINKED CROOKED

Bootlegging Ventures And Pardon Fixing Are Mentioned

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—A tale of bootlegging ventures in Ohio, with side lights on alleged parole and pardon fixing at the Atlanta federal penitentiary was spread today before the senate committee investigating the department of justice, while for the second time a witness long sought entered a flat refusal either to appear or testify.

Howard Mannington of Ohio, once a resident of the "little green house in K street" in Washington, a figure involved in almost every chapter of previous testimony before the committee, and who voluntarily returned to the United States from Paris to accept subpoena service in New York, was the witness who refused the committee's behest.

The committee tonight tentatively prepared papers in a proceeding intended at least to enforce his attendance. Chairman Brookhart, however, said that Mannington would be instantly released if he cared to claim immunity from examination since he has been named by several committee witnesses as a close friend of former Attorney General Daugherty, and as sharing in payments for liquor permits which got into the hands of New York bootleggers, and entertained for the "Columbus crowd."

Cecil J. Kearns, former head of two wholesale drug houses in Columbus, now on parole from the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, but under orders to return there, described transactions in liquor involving both himself and other which preceded his imprisonment. He sold to Abe Ungerleider, a member of the Ohio brokerage firm of Samuel Ungerleider and company, five hundred barrels of whiskey in 1922, he testified, insisting that it was for the bootleg trade.

Abe Ungerleider, Kerns testified, told him that he could deal in whiskey because he or his firm had "contributed $50,000 to the republican campaign fund" in 1920. He added that Warren Barnett and William Halley, two Columbus friends of Jesse W. Smith the friend of the former attorney general, had discussed with him a project for getting permits to take liquor bonded warehouses on payments of $7 a case. Senator Wheeler, democrat, Montana, the committee prosecutor, cited from the committee record in connection with this testimony telegraphic exchanges between Smith and Halley in 1923.

Kerns got into trouble, he testified, by buying 196,000 gallons of alcohol from the Old Hickory Powder plant in Nashville, Tenn. He likewise stood trial before Federal Judge Killits in Ohio, he said, for making a too-palatable alcoholic compound and hoped that the two sentences would run concurrently. Released from the penitentiary on parole last February, he said he had been called back by Heber H. Votaw, federal commissioner of prisons, after the likelihood of his becoming a witness before the senate committee had been bruited about, and told to report again for more cell service, which he intended to do.

An apparatus to chart the Pacific ocean bottom measures the time required for sound to pass to the ocean bottom and return.

Eyes paining? Faith Optical Co.—Adv

GLASS HURLS DEMO CHALLENGE

Says Coolidge Oversteps Authority in Mellon Matter

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The cross fire of senate controversy that has raged for three days about presidential intervention in the Pinchot-Heney-Mellon wrangle continued unabated today, with Senator Glass of Virginia delivering what his democratic colleagues hailed as the formal declaration of their resentment at the president's language.

Senator Glass disclaimed any partisan purpose. He voiced respect and admiration for the president and Mr. Mellon; declared himself opposed to the action of the investigating committee in proposing to employ Francis J. Heney at the personal expense of Senator Cousens, republican, Michigan; but added that he could not remain silent in the face of the message that contained the president's "amazing arraignment of the senate of the United States as a menace to orderly government."

"I've had no immediate part in any investigation and have contributed no word of consequence to the discussions of them," Senator Glass said, "but I refuse to remain silent when a president's message is put upon the desk which disparages the patriotism and even the honesty of the senate."

Senator Reed, republican, Pennsylvania, berated the senate for delay in action on the immigration bill which had been two weeks before it, less than half that time being given to debate of the bill while "hour after hour" the fire of partisan criticism had raged from the democratic side.

The Pennsylvania senator insisted that the president had done no more than his constitutional duty, under his oath to defend that instrument, in calling the attention of the senate to its constitutional procedure. Senator Reed challenged the democrats with the statement that they knew but would not admit that the country was "fed up" with senatorial investigations, adding that with the exception of the veterans' bureau and interior department cases, no useful thing had been accomplished by the investigation.

TEXAS REGENTS FAIL TO ELECT PRESIDENT

By The Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Texas, April 15.—University of Texas regents closed their April meeting at 11:15 tonight without having made a selection of a permanent president for the institution. A school of physical education was created by the board today and a dean will be appointed at the May meeting, it was announced. Bids for repair work to the library and heating plant were considered and other detail matters considered in the fourteen session.

Pond Beats Floral Heights 1st Game Twilight League

The Twilight league was opened in Wichita Falls Tuesday afternoon at Twilight park, when Pond Laundry team defeated Floral Heights Methodists by the score of 10 to 4. A full seven inning game was played.

Ponds got to Scott in the second and drove him to the showers after two home runs and a single. Montgomery fared better and retired the side without further loss. Both teams scored heavily in the first, when the score stood 4—all at the end of the frame. Griffin, after two outs, was touched for a single, a double and a home run.

Mayor Frank Collier, vice-president of the league, opened the season when he pitched the first ball. A good gallery was out to see the first two teams get the playing under way.

After the first big inning, Ponds took the lead in the second and held it. Merrell, relieving Griffin in the third, was effective and held the Floral Heights crew scoreless. The other Pond tallies came in the third on a flock of hits and errors. After that inning, Montgomery had little trouble sending them back, as his support tightened.

BOX SCORE.

PONDS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Heffner, ss	3	1	1	0	0	1
Lyons, cf	2	1	1	3	0	0
Ross, c	3	0	2	6	1	0
Tibbs, 3b	4	1	2	0	2	0
Dixon, rf	3	2	2	0	0	0
Belcher, 1b	3	2	2	8	0	0
Martin, 2b	2	1	0	2	2	1
Gordon, lf	1	1	1	1	0	0
Bourland, lf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Griffin, p	2	0	1	0	2	1
Merrell, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	25	10	13	21	7	3

FLORAL H.—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Montgomery, 3b,p	2	1	2	0	4	0
Mathis, 1b	2	1	0	9	0	0
Hale, ss	1	1	0	1	1	0
Parker, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Randell, cf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Powell, rf	1	0	0	1	0	2
Brown, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Neal, c	3	0	0	3	1	1
Scott, p	2	0	0	1	0	1
x Lindsey, 3b	2	0	0	1	1	3
xx Kerr, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	21	4	3	18	9	7

x To third in the second.
xx To right field in the third.

Summary: Stolen bases, Tibbs, Heffner, Powell; sacrifice hits, Ross, Powell, Parker, Randell; two-base hits, Dixon, Belcher; home runs, Belcher, Gordon, Lyons; double plays, Lindsey to Brown to Mathis, Martin to Heffner to Belcher; struck out, by Griffin 3, Merrell 3, Scott 2, Montgomery 2; bases on balls, off Scott 1, Griffin 1; wild pitches, Griffin; passed balls, Neal; umpire, Wilford Harrison.

TEAPOT PROBERS STILL GRINDING

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—After weeks of delay the senate today finally rejected the nomination of Samuel Knight of San Francisco to be special government counsel in litigation looking to the recovery of sections 16 and 36 within the confines of California naval reserve number 2.

Action was in executive session, but it was reported that the vote was 39 to 26 to uphold the adverse recommendation made on the nomination by the oil committee which disclosed the circumstances that caused congress to direct President Coolidge to employ special counsel to prosecute suits for the recovery of the California oil land which had been ceded to that state as non-mineral school lands.

Senator Walsh of Montana, the committee prosecutor, led the fight against Mr. Knight on the ground that he had acted as counsel for the Equitable Trust company in which the Rockefellers are large stockholders. Section 36 is operated by the Standard Oil company of California.

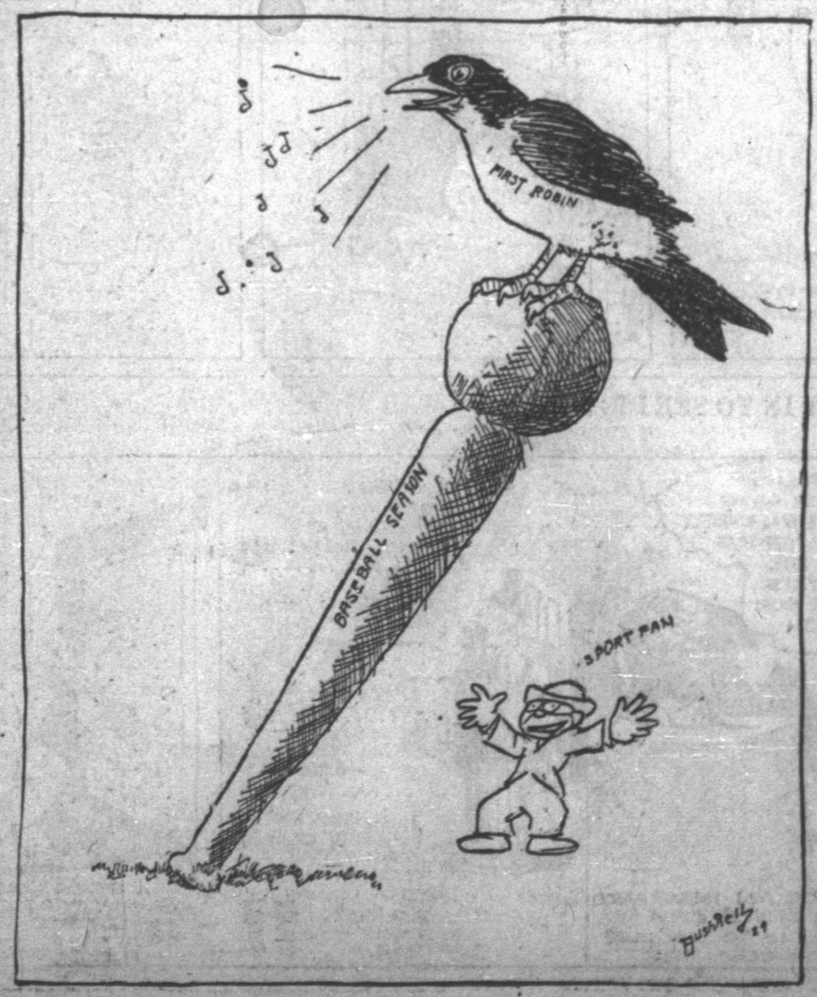
The oil committee resumed its public hearings today, receiving more testimony about statements alleged to have been made by the late Jake Hamon, republican national committeeman from Oklahoma, concerning events at the republican national convention at Chicago in 1920.

P. W. Ballard of Los Angeles, California, who said he was an oil man, told the committee that Hamon had told him that it would be "worth $500,000 for Albert B. Fall to be secretary of the interior," that $150,000 was to be paid him in cash and the remainder in annual installments during his four years in the cabinet.

Reciting that Hamon had told him befort the Chicago convention that he wanted to be interior secretary, Ballard said, the national committeeman had stated after the convention that "the combination had been too strong for him; the Sinclair interests had beaten him to the goal and that the stake was Teapot Dome."

H. E. Clopton of Ardmore, Oklahoma, proprietor of a hotel, testified that Hamon frequently visited his place in the evenings and that he heard him talk about the Chicago convention several times. At one time he said, Hamon had stated that he had spent $165,000 at Chicago, but the witness could not say to whom the money was paid.

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$1,000 In Prizes to Irrigation Farmers Offered by Local Chamber

A thousand dollars was appropriated by the chamber of commerce, for prizes to be given in irrigation farming contests in Wichita county at a meeting of the board of directors held Tuesday afternoon.

W. P. Ferguson, chairman of the committee, reported to the board asking for this amount and pointing out that the information gained as a result of these contests will be of great value in determining the crop yield on various produrts in this county.

It was said that these prizes do not in any way conflict with the premiums offered by the Texas-Oklahoma Fair association which are for specimen products while the contest under consideration by the chamber are for per acre yield and returns.

The report of the committee was unanimously approved with a definite statement that the chamber of commerce is directly behind the farmers in this county and stands ready to assist and encourage them in all possible ways.

The committee was given authority to work out all details in connection with the contests, together with Guy Jones, county farm agent, who is co-operating with the committee in these plans.

The report of the committee follows:

"To the board of directors of the chamber of commerce:

"The committee on agriculture recommends to the board that $1,000 be appropriated to be offered as prize money to irrigation farmers for the growing of certain crops under irrigation in contest.

"In this contest accurate records are to be kept of all operations and all costs of producing the crop, prizes to be awarded on the basis of most dollars return on area designated. Affidavits will be required with all reports.

"It is thought by the committee that this contest will secure the co-operation of irrigation farmers and add very valuable data to convince our community as to what can be raised on our soils under irrigation. Since all records will be backed by affidavits they may be considered authentic and not guess-work.

"It is suggested that the methods of conducting this contest be worked out by the committee, who will maintain definite rules for the governing of such contests. These rules will be somewhat similar to those in effect in the cotton contest held in Titus and Smith counties last year and in the Dallas News contest being held this year.

"Since there should be a definite relation between high acre yields and profitable production this cannot be settled now but this contest will afford an insight into methods that prove most profitable to farmers in this section. The records kept will be made public at the close of the contests making public valuable data which is not available at this time.

It is further recommended that since the above contests are for irrigation farmers only, that this chamber of commerce co-operate with other chambers of commerce in the county in holding a cotton contest for dry land farmers; provided other such organizations can or will co-operate.

The prizes offered are as follows:

	First	Second
Cotton	$200.00	$125.00
Corn	100.00	50.00
Grain sorghums	100.00	50.00
Tomatoes	75.00	50.00
Cabbage	75.00	50.00

"Signed,
"Committee on agriculture,
W. P. Ferguson, chairman,
L. H. Franks,
Herbert Griffin,
T. J. Waggoner,
Solon Downing."

Campus Chatter

The Latin clubs of the high school and the junior high school will give their annual banquet at the Junior college Saturday evening, April 19.

Preparations are being made for over 2,000 guests. The banquet is one of the most enjoyabel of school functions and is featured by a specially arranged program. Roman robes and a distinctly Roman flavor in the program and the menu make the affair most appropriate.

A banquet will be given at the Junior college Saturday evening April 26 honoring the teachers of the city schools, as a result of a committee meeting of some of the members of the school board Monday afternoon.

All schools will dismiss at 3:30 o'clock today for the opening game of the baseball season.

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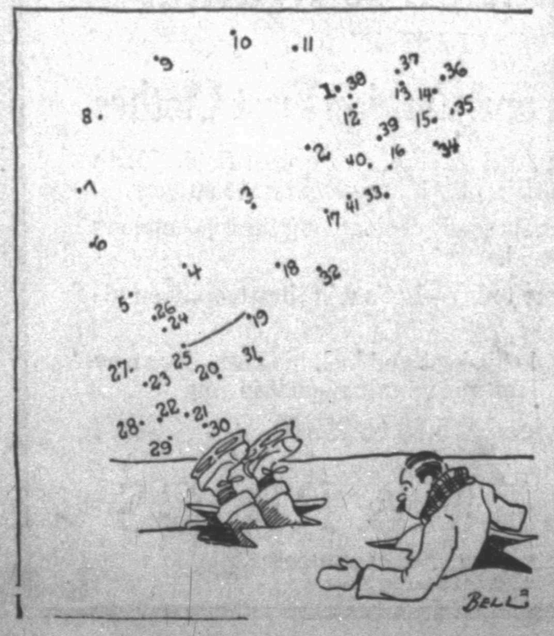


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OIL NEWS

19 NEW WELLS GULF DISTRICT

Much New Work is Reported In Old Pools of Coastal Area

Special to The Record News.

HOUSTON, April 15.—Nineteen producers, many of them workovers, were completed in the Saline Dome districts the week ended April 12. The new wells yielded 2,750 barrels new oil. In the southwest Texas fields, Luling, Somerset and Laredo, eleven wells were finished, with a total of 5,850 barrels new oil. In the heavy oil districts two dry holes were reported and three others bailed salt water. An even dozen tests are bailing as the week closed.

Much new work is reported in the old pools of the coastal district. At Saratoga the Gulf is drilling one test the Rio Bravo two and the Regna Oil company rigging up one. At Batson the Gulf is beginning Nos. 157 and 158. Wing, Ada Bell Oil company drilling one test, S. R. Buchanan drilling one and rigging another, the East Batson Oil company beginning No. 5, Allen, Deutser, et al., No. 5 Trustee and the Paraffin Oil company No. 56, Paraffin.

Goose Creek reports eighteen rigs running on new and workover holes and five additional rigs ready to begin; one out in the bay, the La Porte Oil and Refining company's test on the Freeman lease (state land).

Sour Lake has six rigs running. Hull reports litigation over lease boundaries on the north and northwest sides which has tied up some work.

FAMOUS ATHLETE JOINS CORPS OF MARLAND COMPANY

Special to The Record News.

LAWTON, April 15.—"Big Bill" McKinney, former University of Oklahoma football star and for past two years coach of the Lawton football and track teams, has resigned from the Lawton high school, to join the geological staff of E. W. Marland of Ponca City. McKinney leaves this week for Dallas, Texas, and from there will go to Old Mexico for the Marland interests.

HAMMOND-DILLARD AND KIMMELL PLAN FERGUSON WILDCAT

Hammond, Kimmell and Dillard have derrick erected for test to be drilled on northwest corner of B. N. Ferguson land, D. L. C. survey, abstract 712, Wichita county, approximately one-half mile south of Hill and Roberts discovery well.

HAMMOND TEST HAS RICH SAND

L. P. Hammond's B. F. Dutton No. 1, block 18, Denison County School Lands Survey, Murphy's corner area, Wichita county, will probably be bailed this morning. The sand was found at 1,812 feet and a core showed plenty of oil.

TEXHOMA COMPLETES 100 BARREL WELL

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company's W. H. Taylor A-1, block 835, Geraldine sub-division, American Tribune New Colony lands survey, Archer county, has been put on the pump and is rated as 100 barrel well.

TEXHOMA COMPANY COMPLETES PUMPER

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company's Kemp and Kemper No. 2, block 64, Kemp's Wichita Valley lands survey, Archer county, will be put on the pump. More than 700 feet of fluid is said to be standing in the hole. The sand was found at depth of 1,488 feet.

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Rigging Up

By SUMMERS

Spring and warmer days ahead should be better days ahead for the producer as well as the refiner.

Increased activities in the fields of the mid-continent district marks development in the oil industry. Warmer days apparently are here which means an impetus to gasoline consumption.

Refinery activity in the mid-continent at this time is quiet insofar as expansion and building programs are concerned.

Operator sand producers in the oil fields of Texas and Oklahoma expect a resumption of the practice of premium paying on a more extensive and higher scale than has been obtained for the last thirty days.

Total production of the Corsicana-Powell field up to April 1, amounted to 39,945,000 barrels since the deep pay was discovered in January, 1923. The field is credited with having produced approximately 17,830 barrels per acre up to April 1.

The Corsicana-Powell producing area is about seven miles in length, and has an average width of approximately one-half mile, making a total of about 2240 acres in the producing area.

The largest completion in the Corsicana-Powell district is located in the Hill tank farm section where John W. Hooser et al's Hill No. 1, has produced more than 400,000 barrels of oil since it was completed March 2. The well flowed 25,000 barrels initial. Oil from the well sells for $2 per barrel.

NANCE AND CANNON STRIKE RICH SAND

Nance and Canon's L. F. Wilson No. 1, section 31, American Tribune New Colony Lands survey, Archer county, has 700 feet of fluid in the hole from sand found at depth of 1,382 feet. Preparations are being made to complete the test.

CLINE-ROWE TEST SOUTH IOWA PARK

Cline and Rowe's Allen Kemp No. 1, block 44, has derrick up and are reported moving in tools for deep test. The location is about midway between the Strauss producers and the Hill and Roberts and Electra Gulf Oil company's wells.

DERRICK ERECTED BY ELECTRA GULF

The Electra Gulf Oil company is erecting derrick for test on the Murry land, Hill and Roberts district, Wichita county. The tests will offset the Church-Underwood and Maer-Staniforth wells.

GARDNER TEST IS SETTING CASING

J. A. Gardner and associates John Watkins No. 1, Hill and Roberts district, Wichita county, are setting casing and will test sand encountered at depth of 1,771 feet. The well is an offset to the north of the Electra Gulf Oil company's No. 2.

DANIELS STARTS BAYLOR WILDCAT

C. U. Daniels and associates Wallace Ranch No. 1, eastern Baylor county, have derrick timbers on the ground and are moving in tools for deep test. Contract for drilling of the test has been let to Kimmel, Dillard and Bower.

TEXHOMA ET AL'S. PLAN COMPLETION

The Texhoma-Staniforth No. 2, block 64, Kemp's Wichita Valley farm land survey, Archer county, will probably be drilled in today. The sand was encountered at 1,478 feet. Casing has been set.

MARLAND PLANS OIL PIPE LINE

Company Takes Out Charter In Kansas for Subsidiary Concern

Special to The Record News.

TULSA, April 15.—The Marland Oil company of Ponca City has taken out a charter in Kansas for a subsidiary company, known as the Marland Pipeline company, with a total capitalization of $500,000 and a Kansas capital of $50,000, to build a pipeline to connect the Cowley county, Kansas, field with the Ponca City properties.

Recently the Marland company bought a fourth interest in the Waite Phillips producing well and acreage in Cowley county, the well being on the Johnson farm in section 20-33-3 east. Phillips retains a half interest with the Independent Oil company of Oknulgee owning the remaining fourth.

It is understood here that no attempt toward building the pipeline will be made until the results of three other wells, now drilling there, are known. These are the Johnson No. 2, the Workman and the Glasgow. The Marland company is shipping a vast amount of casing and other oil field material to that locality for development purposes.

Charley C. Brown, a Marland director, is president of the pipeline company, with William H. McFadden vice-president, Charles E. Stephenson secretary, and Robert E. Clark treasurer, all of the Ponca City offices.

State Charters

Austin Bureau
Record News.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 15.—Chartered Monday: Bear Creek Game Reserve, New Braunfels, capital stock $37,000; incorporators I. A. Ogden, H. Dittlinger, B. Dittlinger and others.

Burnet County Fair association, Bertram, capital stock $5,000; incorporators H. A. Reynolds, J. E. Landon, H. A. Klose, A. J. Ater, Dr. T. D. Vaughan, J. L. Garner, Carl Bertram.

Galveston Beach association, Galveston; incorporators C. E. Barfield, S. J. Guido, G. K. Jorgenson.

Colonial Cafe, Navasota, capital stock $6,000; incorporators Abe Daboghi, A. Vescovo, F. Meyer.

Morten-Murray Motor company, Dallas, capital stock $50,000; incorporators E. W. Morten, W. Morten, Wayne Murray.

Texas Paint Manufacturing company, Houston, capital stock $5,000; incorporators Henry Ruts, D. C. Turck, K. Krahl.

Wilson Brothers Mercantile company, Gatseville, capital stock $25,000; incorporators T. M. Wilson, J. E. Weaver, L. J. Randall.

The H. & D. Electric company, Hull, capital stock $10,000; incorporators J. H. Russell, H. B. Darcy, J. B. Russell, Jr.

Amendments:

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Chief Supervisor Oil-Gas Division Here on April 22

T. L. Coplin of the railroad commission has been instructed by the oil and gas division of the railroad commission that Judge H. E. Bell of Austin, chief supervisor of the oil and gas division, will be in Wichita Falls, April 22. A hearing will be held at the office of Mr. Coblin, 516 City National bank building, upon the petition filed by the Evangeline Petroleum company and the Waggoner Refining company, incorporated, praying for a permit to install vacuum pumps on wells in what is known as the Sunshine Hill District in Wichita county.

All applicants and all other interested parties pertaining to this matter may be heard, both for and against, at this meeting, it was stated. The meeting will begin at 10 o'clock the morning of April 22.

Wilbarger Well May Be Pumper

VERNON, April 15.—The South Vernon Oil companys Stephen No. 3, eight miles south of Vernon, will be put on the pump Wednesday. The sand was encountered April 9 and 1,000 feet of fluid was standing in the hole in a few hours. When the sand was found he test had approximately 200 feet of open hole. Cavings has delayed the completion. Casing has been set. The depth is 1,293 feet.

Company officials state the well has been flowing by heads since Saturday.

The First State bank, Bay City, decreasing capital stock from $100,000 to $75,000.

Houston Amusement Park association, Houston, incressing capital stock from $100,000 to $150,000.

BISHOP BOAZ STRONG SERMON ON GOD'S LOVE TUESDAY NIGHT

Bishop Boaz preached to a packed house last evening at the First Methodist church, Tenth and Lamar, with the result several conversions were recorded and new members added to the church.

The text of the bishop's address last night is as follows:

I venture to select for this occasion a great text, however poorly it may be treated. The great fundamental doctrines of the Bible are found in this beautiful passage of scripture. We have first the doctrine of God's existence and his sovereign love, also, the doctrine of the universal atonement made by the Christ. We have the great scriptural doctrine of justification by faith and the doctrine of a future existence with rewards and punishment. This passage of scripture has so many of the great doctrines that Martin Luther used to call it "the Bible in miniature." Only one of these great thoughts—God's love—is to be considered tonight and that only touched upon, for it is an inexhaustible theme.

The fact of God's love is a great comfort and inspiration to the human heart. When I remember that God is everywhere present and that He is infinite in power, wisdom and goodness and that He loves even me with an infinite love, my heart is strangely warmed. Dr. Hillis has well said, "The story of God's love is irresistable. No red man in the forest, no negro in the wilds of Africa, no abandoned boy in the streets of the city can resist its sweet solicitudes. It undermines like a wave, it rends like an earthquake, it binds like a chain, it detains like a good story, cheers like a sunbeam and inspires like good music.

You may well ask, "Why Does God Love Sinful Men?" It is because He sees underneath the scars of sin, a soul in its boundless worth. The diamond expert readily discovers the value of the diamond even in its rough exterior. So, God sees in the sinful man a diamond in the rough.

Just as the mother loves her wayward son, so God loves His wayward children. Love is not blind, as some say, but its vision is quickened to see, even beyond the rude exterior, the wonderful possibilities of the human soul. The sun shines because it is the nature of the sun to shine, and so God loves because it is God's nature to love. It is His very essence. God is love, and, therefore, He cannot keep from loving.

Love Consistent

Love is consistent with our afflictions. There are some who believe that because they suffer afflictions, that surely God does not love them. Many of our afflictions are self-imposed because of our own wrong doings or because of the wrong doings of others, but we are taught in the Bible that "these light afflictions, which are but for a moment, shall work out a far more exceeding and eternal way of glory." The best traits of human character are often developed by the fires of affliction.

God's love is universal. Jesus was a Jew and lived in the land of Palestine, but He did not say that God so loved the Jews, or the people of Palestine that He gave His only begotten son for their salvation, but He declared that God so loved the entire world that He gave His son for the salvation of all. God loves every man of every age and of every rank and station in life. He loves all races and nations.

He does not love the sinner in the same way that He loves the saint. There are two words in the New Testament Greek conveying the idea of love. They are related but are not identical. One of these words conveys the idea of love with an intense good will, as in the text: "God so loved the world (with an intense good will) that He gave His only begotten son." The other word conveys the idea not only of good will, but a love of positive delight, and it is thus that God lives the saint, as when Jesus said, when speaking to His own immediate disciples, "The Father Himself loves you because you have loved Me." He finds great pleasure and delight in loving His saints, but there is no pleasure in loving those who disregard His will.

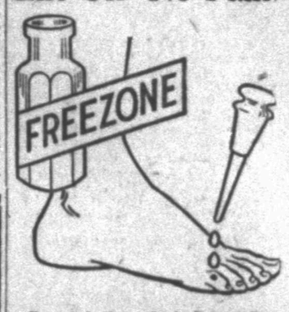
God's love is unchangeable. Human hearts change. Friends sometimes disagree and quarrel. Even relatives oftimes quarrel among themselves and cease to love their own blood kin, but God never ceases to love us. The scripture says, "Jesus, having loved His disciples, loved them to the end." He loved Peter, who denied Him, and won him back by His boundless love. He even loved Judas, who betrayed Him, though His love could not win the traitor.

God's love is unfailing. It is inexhaustible. God has loved every individual from the first man down to the present time. There is still room in His infinite heart for all men who are yet to be born. Any part taken from infinity leaves infinity. God's love is infinite and cannot be exhausted. We had just as well talk about breathing up all the air that surrounds this globe

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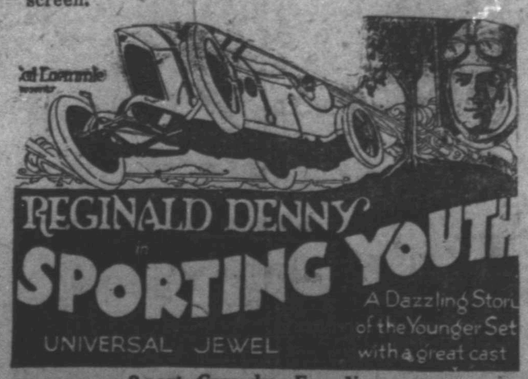
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Rubber, Oil and Copper Show Activity In Markets

COTTON RISING GETS CHECKED

May Contracts Do Considerable Breaking Causing Sudden Down-Turn

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Cotton futures closed steady.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
May	30.46	26.61	30.13-19	30.00
July	29.09	28.32	28.30-83	28.68
Oct.	25.35	24.77	25.12-13	25.03
Dec.	24.80	24.39	24.53-59	24.48
Jan.	24.41	23.90	24.20	24.20

Opening: May 30.10; July 28.72; October 25.15; December 24.58; January unquoted.

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 15.—An early opening advance in the cotton market today was checked by a renewal of realizing and May contracts broke from 30.46 to 29.61, or 39 points net lower. At this level prices steadied on covering, with May closing at 30.13 and with the general market closing steady, net 15 points higher to two points lower.

The opening was firm at an advance of 10 to 13 points. Active months sold 32 to 46 points net higher during the early trading with October advancing to 25.35. Offerings were comparatively light after the break of yesterday and buying was promoted by relatively steady Liverpool cables and reports of rather unsettled weather in the south. Demand failed to broaden on the advance, however, suggesting that the near month short interest had been much reduced last week, and the market turned easier during the midday owing to unfavorable reports from the cotton goods trade and the unsettled tone reported in the early stock market. October declined to 24.77 with the general list showing net losses of about 20 to 29 points, but steadied after the execution of stop orders, last prices showing rallies of 25 to 50 points from the lowest.

Port receipts today 12,053; U. S. port stocks 586,439. Exports 9,902, making 4,865,926 so far this season.

NEW YORK STOCKS

	Sales in Hds.	High	Low	Close
Al C & D	57	67½	65¾	67½
American Cad	381	98⅝	96⅝	97⅝
Am Car & Fnd	1,130	156	154	156
Am Inter Corp	45	20⅝	19⅝	19⅝
Am Loco	44	70⅝	70⅛	70⅛
Am Tel & Tel	600	60⅝	58⅞	60
American Sugar	28	45⅝	44⅝	45⅛
Am Tel & Tel	6,156	126	125	125⅞
Am Tobacco	1,140	140⅞	140⅛	140⅞
Am Woolen	68	67⅝	66⅝	67⅛
Anaconda Copper	87	29⅝	28⅝	29⅛
Atch Top & SF	4	90½	90	90
Atl Coast Line	3	115⅝	115⅛	115⅝
Bald Loco	281	111	109⅛	110⅝
Balt & Ohio	14	52	52⅛	52⅝
Beech Creek	2	44½	44½	44½
Beth Steel	106	50	48⅝	49⅝
Calif Pet	57	23	22⅛	22⅝
Cons Pacific	4	145⅝	145⅛	145⅝
Cen Leather	125	58	57⅛	57⅝
Cerro de Pasco	34	45½	45	45
Chand Motor	64	44	42⅝	44
Ches & Ohio	28	71⅝	70⅝	71⅜
Chic Mil & P pfd	65	38⅝	38	38⅜
Chic & North	8	51⅞	51⅛	51⅝
Chic R I & Pac	14	33⅜	33⅛	33⅜
Chile Copper	29	26⅝	26⅛	26⅜
Coca Cola	17	56	55⅛	55⅝
Con Gas	25	61⅝	61⅛	61⅜
Con Textile	29	4	3⅞	3⅞
Cont Can	39	45⅝	44	45⅜
Corn Products	15	164⅞	163⅝	164⅝
Cosden Oil	313	23¾	21⅝	23⅛
Crucible Steel	88	53⅞	50⅝	53⅜
Cub Am Sgr	24	31⅝	30⅜	31⅛
Cub C Sgr pfd	117	65⅝	64⅝	65⅜
Curt Chas	2	24½	24½	24½
Dup de Nem	15	120⅝	119⅝	120⅜
Erie	25	24	23⅝	24
Fm Pl Lsky	77	67⅝	66	67
Gen Asphalt	23	38⅝	37⅝	38⅛
Gen Electric	110	212	209⅞	211⅝
Gen Motors	130	14⅛	14	14⅛
Inspira. Copper	6	25¼	24⅝	25⅛
Int Mer Mar pfd	20	25⅝	24⅝	25⅜
Intern. Oil	19	14⅜	14⅛	14⅛
Kelly Spring	74	13⅝	13⅜	13⅝
Kenn Copper	93	37⅞	36⅝	37⅛
Lima Loco	6	58	57	58
Loews & Nash	1	91¼	91¼	91¼
Mack Truck	32	78	76	77⅜
Marland Oil	413	36	35⅛	35⅝
Mid States Oil	23	4⅛	4	4⅛
Mo K & T (new)	1	11	10⅝	11
Mo. Pacific pfd	43	39⅛	38⅝	39
New York Cen	10	100⅜	99⅝	100⅛
NY NH & H	11	17⅞	17	17⅞
Norfolk & West	600	128⅝	125⅝	127
North Pacific	16	49⅛	48⅝	49⅛
Pacific Oil	184	48⅝	47⅜	48⅜
Pan-Am Pet	24	46⅝	46⅛	46⅜
Pennsylvania	28	44⅞	43⅝	43⅝
Phillips Pet	240	28⅝	27⅝	28⅛
Prod & Ref	55	27⅜	26	26⅛
Pure Oil	27	23⅜	22⅝	23⅛
Reading	4	83⅜	82⅝	82⅝
Rep I & Steel	58	68⅝	66⅝	68⅛
Reyn Tob B	11	66⅜	65⅝	66⅜
St. L. & SF	24	20⅜	19⅝	19⅝
Sea Air Line	8	9⅜	8⅝	8⅝
Sea Air L pfd	7	19	19	19⅛
Sears Roebuck	20	83⅜	82⅜	83⅜
Shell Union Oil	35	21⅜	21	21
Sinclair Oil	139	51⅛	50⅛	50⅛
Sloss-Sheff Steel	1	56⅜	56⅜	56⅜
South Pacific	26	88⅜	87⅜	88
South Ry pfd	94	25⅝	25⅛	25⅜
South Ry	97	25⅝	25⅛	25⅜
Stand Oil of Cal	118	59⅝	57⅜	59
Stand Oil of NJ	26	36⅝	36⅛	36⅜
Stewart Warner	113	70	67	69⅝
Studebaker	112	98⅜	96⅛	98⅛
Tenn Copper	3	27	26⅞	27
Texas Co.	30	41⅛	40⅜	40⅞
T & P	17	27⅜	26⅝	27⅛
Tob Prod A	17	87⅜	84	86⅝
Union Pacific	28	129⅝	128⅝	129⅜
U S Cast I P	22	71⅜	71	71⅜
U S Ind Al	22	66⅛	65⅛	66⅛
U S Rubber	125	28	27	28
U S Steel	179	97⅛	95⅛	97⅛
Utah Copper	17	67⅛	65⅝	67
Virg Caro Chem	38	2	1⅞	2
West Elec	23	60	59⅝	60
Willys Over pfd	41	66⅛	65⅛	66⅛

Banker Against Propose Merge Of I.-G. N. Railway

By The Associated Press.

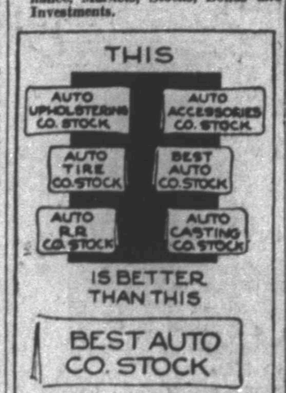
AUSTIN, April 15. — Charges that the sale of the International-Great Northern railroad to the Gulf Coast lines would be "vicious and unconscionable" for a long list of reasons, was made at the afternoon session of the hearing by Jesse Jones, Houston capitalist, a director, stock and bond holder of the International-Great Northern road.

The sale would concentrate too much power in the hands of one set of officials, for "trading" on traffic arrangement and would tend to make its management "more arrogant" in dealing with the public, he declared. Mr. Jones asserted the contract of purchase would violate the Texas constitution and would create "too great a tension" for the manipulation of the International-Great Northern earnings to show a profit for the owners of the Gulf Coast lines at the expense of the International-Great Northern property, he asserted.

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Brief but Important Lessons in Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds and Investments.



Many experts on investments advocate "buying into an industry" instead of just buying the securities of one company in that field.

If you believed that the automobile business was going to prosper in the next few years, what would be the safest way to invest in it?

The easiest way would be to choose securities in some of the best automobile companies. However, there is a more conservative way, called investing in the industry.

For instance, there are railroads which depend upon automobile shipments for the major part of their traffic. Certain equipment companies rely mainly on the automobile business. Other companies deal in materials which ultimately find their way into the automobile.

Of course the automobile is the principal part of the industry, yet by distributing money over the rest of the industry you are not dependent upon the automobile business alone, because those companies have other business too. At the same time if the automobile business does prosper they probably will too.

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TIMELY REVIEWS ON WORLD TOPICS

WORLD PEACE DEPENDS MOST ON ANGLO-SAXON UNITY, SAYS FORMER AUSTRALIAN PREMIER

Not a European League of Nations but a declaration of the intention to have world peace from the great English-speaking powers, America and the British Empire, can best insure its maintenance, the Right Hon. William Morris Hughes, M. P., privy councillor and former prime minister of Australia, declared recently in a New York address.

The speech of the former prime minister was an eloquent plea for closer relations between the United States and Australia, "the vanguard of western civilization" in the Far East, "a white speck" of six millions of Anglo-Saxons set in a colored sea of one hundred millions of Asiatics, increasing at the rate of a million a year.

Peace was just as essential to the preservation of democracy of the kind nurtured in the United States and in Australia as for the preservation of western civilization, Mr. Hughes asserted, and he frankly questioned the effectiveness of the League of Nations—"without America, like a bird with but one wing"—as at present constituted, in the settlement of any dispute comparable to the great war. He suggested that the time was ripe for a more thorough understanding between America and the British commonwealth. England, he said, was now "entirely of America's way of thinking." Give the two dominant English-speaking powers this understanding and "the world will heed us."

Vigorously, Mr. Hughes defended the enforcement of a "white Australia," the policy of Asiatic exclusion and immigration as having justified itself after one hundred years. To that policy he attributed the great progress of the Australian continent from a "primitive bush" with 20,000 people to a continent of 6,000,000, homogenous and democratized in accordance with the principles of western civilization.

Keeping Australia White.

"Nobody has got into Australia whom we have wanted to keep out," he said. "You have had protests regarding your immigration policy. We have had none. Your situation is somewhat different, but Australia and California saw to it that the League of Nations assembly did not go on record as favoring world racial quality.

"A hundred years ago Australia was untouched by industry," said Mr. Hughes. "Look at Australia today. The cities of Sydney and Melbourne may serve as examples of our progress. Australia has today 25,000 miles of railways; near a million people get their livelihood out of our manufactures. We were 20,000 people a hundred years ago, cut off from the world. Today with her industries, irrigation projects, mines and per capita wealth second only to yours, there is no inferior class in Australia; we are all white and of the same strain, with one government and one language."

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

By The Associated Press.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Cattle 10,000, steady. Top matured steers 12.35; few loads heavies, 11.60@12.00; best yearlings, 11.50; bulk fed steers and yearlings, 8.50@10.75; fat cows, 5.25@7.25; beef heifers, 6.50@8.50; bologna bulls, 5.25; veal calves, 9.00@10.00.

Hogs, 26,000; steady to 10 cents lower; butchers, 7.45@7.60; top, 7.65; medium weight, 7.35@7.55; light average, 7.00@7.30; packing sows, 6.85@7.00; killing pigs, 6.00@6.50; estimated holdover, 15,000.

Sheep, 13,000; steady to 25 cents lower; fat wooled lambs, 15.50@16.25; top, 16.40; clipped, 13.75@14.50 to 14.75; fat wooled ewes, 12.00; clipped kids, 9.75@10.00; bulk killing lambs around 17.00; few lots, 20.00@21.00.

BEAR PRESSURE HAS INFLUENCE

Time and Call Money Held Steady During Day

Market Street

Total stock sales 911,400 shares.

Twenty industrials averaged 90.39; previous day 90.83.

High 1924, 101.24; low 90.39.

Twenty railroads averaged 81.17; previous day 81.00.

High 1924, 86.32; low 81.00.

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Bear pressure was renewed again in today's stock market but met with little success except in the rubber and oil shares. The improvement in the rest of the list was widely attributed to buying based on the belief that many stocks had been over-sold.

Activity and strength of the copper shares was one of the features of the the session. Buying of these issues undoubtedly were influenced by speculative expectation that the recent sharp in the stocks of the refined prices and the increased foreign demand would lead to higher commodity prices. Gains of a point or so were registered by American Smelting, Utah, Kennecott and Calumet Arizona.

Weakness of the rubber issues was due to the passing of the Kelly-Springfield common at 12 1-2, U. S. Rubber common at 25 and the first preferred at 69, but all three made good recovery from their low prices of the day.

Active short covering in the steel group was reported to have been inspired by the publication of statistics showing that pig iron bookings for last week totalled nearly 4,000 tons, the best weekly showing in the last month.

Steel common touched 97 1-8 for a net gain of 1 3-8 with approximately similar gains being recorded by Bethlehem, republic and Gulf States Steel.

Studebaker, which has been under considerable pressure for the past month, rallied two points to 84 1-2 after a concerted drive was made, however, against a group of Chicago specialties. Chicago Yellow Cab was hammered down five points to 52 1-4 and then rallied to 58. Yellow Cab broke 8 points to 66, and then rallied to 67 1-2, while Stewart Warner and Montgomery Ward established new 1924 lows at 67 and 23, respectively.

Call money held at 4 1-4 per cent all day. The time money and commercial paper markets were quite with no change in rates. Establishment of a new 1924 high record by French francs around 6 1-4 cents was the feature of the foreign market. Japanese yen broke 30 points to 41.10 cents.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

By The Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, April 15.—The cotton market was erratic in today's trading, fluctuating in a wide range but developing no definite trend. Trading while active at times was purely professional. The market opened slightly higher and soon advanced, keeping on the upgrade until about the middle of the morning. May trading up as high as 30.48, July at 28.90 and October at 24.64 a gain of 38 to 41 points over the previous close on old crop months and 29 points on October. Prices then weakened considerably and before the decline was checked, May dropped to 29.64, July to 28.13 and October to 24.12, or 84, 77 and 52 points, respectively down from the high and 23 to 43 points net lower.

All of the decline was recovered in the late afternoon and the market closed at net gains for the day of 4 to 9 points. The early advance was due partly to the very unfavorable showing by the weather map.

COTTON SEED OIL.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Cotton seed oil declined four to five points early today with lard and cotton, but the market tightened before the close on buying of near months by refiners and covering of shorts. Final bids were four to eight points net higher for active months. Sales 10,500 barrels. Prime crude 8.75@8.87 1-2; prime summer yellow spot 10.25@10.40; May 10.25; July 10.61; September 10.80; October 10.30; all bid.

NEW YORK BONDS

Foreign Bonds.

Argentine 7s	101⅝
Domin of Canada 5½s 1929	101⅞
French Republic 7½s	95⅝
Kingdom of Belgium 7½s	101⅛
Kingdom of Denmark 8s	94⅛
Swiss Confederation 8s	113
Un Kingd of G B & I 5½s	100⅛
U S of Brazil 8s	94¼

Railway and Miscellaneous Bonds.

American Agric Chem 7½s	89⅝
American Smelt & Ref 5s	92¼
American Sugar 6s	100
Atchison gen 4s	86⅝
Baltimore & Ohio cv 4½s	87⅛
Central Leather 5s	94⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio cv 5s	93
Chicago B and Q ref 5s	97⅛
C M & St P cv 4½s	83
C. R. I. & P. ref 4s	76⅝
Chile Copper 6s	100⅛
Erie gen 4s	55⅛
Goodyear Tire 8s 1931	101
Int Mer Marine	93¾
K. C. S. ref 5s	82⅝
Kelly Springfield 8s	94
Liggett & Myers 5s	100⅜
M. K. T. pr lien 5s	81⅛
Mo. Pacific gen 4s	56⅝
N. Y. C. deb 6s	104⅝
N. & W. cv 6s	125
Northern Pac 4s	81⅝
Pennsylvania gen 5s	100⅛
Reading gen 4s	90⅝
St. L. & SF adj. 6s	72⅝
Seaboard Air Line con 6s	71⅛
Southern Pacific cv 4s	94
Southern Ry 5s	98
Southern Ry 6½s	102⅛
Union Pacific 4s	90
U. S. Steel 5s	102⅞

HENRIETTA CHAMBER HEARS TWO SPEAKERS

HENRIETTA, April 15.—Jamie Herron, noted speaker and educator, spoke to a large audience at the high school auditorium here tonight.

Homer D. Wade, assistant manager of the West Texas chamber of commerce, spoke briefly on the coming chamber of commerce convention at Brownwood.

Judge J. S. Dickey, former president of the Henrietta chamber of commerce, presided in the absence of President W. H. Chilson, and introduced the speakers

DAILY COTTON TABLE

Port Movement	Middling	Receipts	Exports	Sales	Stock
New Orleans	30.38	3,765	.....	2,021	148,887
Galveston	30.15	6,607	3,979	1,024	153,033
Mobile	30.00	.....	.....	.....	5,597
Savannah	30.13	826	.....	343	41,276
Charleston	.....	239	.....	.....	22,636
Wilmington	30.25	83	.....	.....	8,071
Texas City	.....	.....	.....	.....	41
Norfolk	30.50	488	.....	307	59,277
Baltimore	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,500
Boston	30.40	.....	.....	.....	5,500
Philadelphia	30.80	45	.....	.....	3,937
New York	30.55	.....	5,923	.....	133,919
Minor ports	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,535
Total today	.....	12,053	9,903	3,695	586,936
Total for week	.....	26,044	28,703	.....	.....
Total for season	.....	6,196,406	4,468,841	.....	.....

Interior Movement	Middling	Receipts	Exports	Sales	Stock
Houston	30.75	2,986	4,513	469	133,604
Memphis	30.50	3,259	3,587	900	78,024
Augusta	30.19	290	701	582	22,990
St. Louis	31.00	788	787	.....	9,161
Atlanta	30.25	.....	.....	.....	.....
Little Rock	30.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dallas	29.90	.....	.....	.....	.....
Montgomery	30.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total today	.....	7,526	9,677	2,413	261,656

GRAIN PRICES ALL LAY DOWN

Renewed Lack of Buying Support Is Main Cause For Short Prices

By The Associated Press.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Fresh downturns in the price of grain took effect today through general lack of buying support. The wheat closing was unsettled, at the same as yesterdays finish to half cent lower, May 1.01 1-2 and July 1.03 1-2, with corn 3-8 to 1-2 cent down, oats a shade to 3-8 cents off, and provisions varying from 7 cents decline to a rise of 5 cents.

Corn prices were inclined to sag owing more or less to talk of larger receipts here when seeding of oats is completed.

Oats declined in sympathy with corn and as a result of auspicious weather for seeding. Slackness in grain values as well, as in the hog market to make provisions a trifle

FORFEIT FEARS BOND OF $10,000 IN ZIMMERMAN CASE

ARCHER CITY, April 15.—Forfeit of a bond of $10,000, posted for the appearance of F. N. Fears, charged with murder, was ordered by Judge H. R. Wilson of the 30th district court here today, when Fears failed to respond when his case was called to trial. Prominent men of Electra, where Fears was formerly in business, are known to be signers of the bond.

Fears was to come to trial on a charge of murder in connection with the death of Frank Zimmerman, an oil field employe, who was found shot in his house near Holliday on the night of July 13, 1923. Two other men, Dewey Wallace and W. A. Kilgore, have been in jail here for several months awaiting trial as accomplices.

District Attorney James V. Allred produced evidence to show that Fear had not been seen or heard of by friends for a week.

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SUITS FILED

L. J. Hawkins vs. F. G. Ford et al., debt and foreclosure.

KLAN AND BOOZE MISSOURI ISSUE

By The Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 15.—Resolutions favoring modification of the Volstead act and condemning the ku klux klan were rejected by the resolutions committee of the democratic state committee here tonight.

The committee adopted a resolution which would instruct Missouri's delegation to the democratic national convention to vote as a unit. Without a vote, the committee refused to act on another resolution to instruct the delegation for William G. McAdoo.

WILL THEY HAVE TO RUIN THE TREE TO GET RID OF THE BEAST?



T. W. DAVIDSON MEN IN MEET TONIGHT

This evening at 7:30 o'clock, there will be a meeting of the friends of Lieut. Gov. T. W. Davidson, gubernatorial candidate, in the office of John Davenport in the Morgan building according to Dr. L. Mackeehney, campaign manager of Mr. Davidson in this county.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, April 15.—All classes of cattle, steers, and yearlings classes sold to a broad demand on a steady base Monday, but steers averaged 10 to 15 cents lower, and yearlings lost another 25 cents. Receipts were estimated at 2,500 head of cattle and 500 calves. Fairly good steers are going at 6.25 to 6.75, and the medium to good cows are making 5.25 to 6.25.

The hog market was unevenly quoted but the general trend of prices seemed to average around steady to 10 cents up. With 1,400 head here the trade made fair progress. Packers paid 7.60 for one carload. Most of the run found an outlet at 7.00 to 7.50. A few pigs brought 6.00. Most sales ranged from 5.00 to 5.75.

Sheep sales averaged 10 to 15 cents lower, fairly good fresh clipped wethers selling at 9.95. Receipts for the day were limited to 1,200 head.

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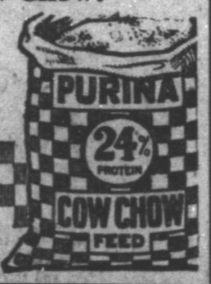
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(Re-Election)

For Judge, County Court At Law
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Re-election.

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PHONE 4121

PLEASE

When answering any of the classified ads either by writing, personal interview or telephone kindly state that you saw the advertisement in the want ad columns of the Record News. This will immediately identify you as a quality reader, aid the advertiser, and insure you the very best service.

THANK YOU

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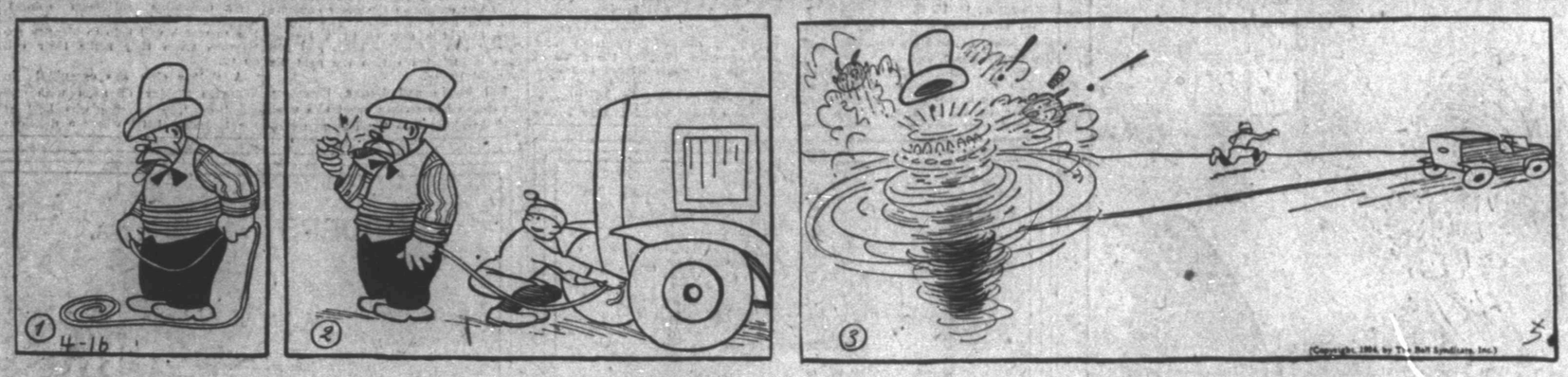
STOLEN Sunday morning from First Baptist church, boy's Harley-Davison bicycle in perfect condition. Reward for recovery or information. Phone 6852 or call Anderson's Store.

HELP WANTED MALE.

WANTED—Boy to collect and do errand work in office. Call at Record News. Ask for bookkeeper.

BOYS WANTED
TO SELL RECORD NEWS
EVERY MORNING

ADAMSON'S ADVENTURES — A Merry-Go-Round — By O. Jacobson



MALE HELP WANTED

WHY EXPERIMENT?
Prepare for business in a permanent, strong, and nationally-known institution—able to provide the very best facilities. Then you will be sure of a good position and quick promotion. Guarantee contract free.
DRAUGHON'S PRACTICAL BUSINESS COLLEGE
10th and Scott.

WANTED—Carpenter work of any kind. No job to large or too small. J. B. Ferratt. Phone 5044.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED — Experienced stenographer and office clerk. One with insurance office experience preferred. Apply in own handwriting. Box A-345, Record News.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

EXPERIENCED waitress desires position. 3206 South Buchanan.

EXPERIENCED stenographer desires connection at once. Box 489, Record News.

ROOMS FOR RENT

LARGE south room adjoining bath, for two men; two meals a day. 1108 Travis.

LARGE front bedroom furnished, with bath; phone and garage; on pavement and car line. Have other rooms also for rent. 1919 Ninth street.

DANDY, big, cool bedroom, three big south windows, one big west window, two big doors, big closet; coolest place in town. It's a-dandy. Pavement and car line. $6.50 per week. 1615 Taylor.

FOR RENT—Lovely front bedroom, south exposure, private entrance; new home, desirable location; garage. Phone 3752.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front bedroom on car line. 1319 Seventeenth street. Or phone 2721.

BEDROOM for gentlemen. Modern, close in. Apply 1006 Tenth street.

ROOMS with bath. 706 Travis Two blocks from Kemp Hotel.

BEDROOM for rent; handy to bath. 1408 Burnett; phone 5369.

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ROOMS AND BOARD

BOARD and room. 804 Tenth. Phone 2697.

WILL have place for three men after Wednesday. Extra meals for people outside. 1210 Ninth street.

ROOM and board; close in, running water. Fairview Hotel. Phone 6585. 1104 Scott.

ROOM and board, ten dollars a week. Call at 1007 Burnett. Call 6306.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms and garage to couple only. 1511 Thirteenth. Phone 2786.

FOR RENT—To men only, a most desirable southeast upstairs bedroom in private home, near bath; garage if desired. 1800 Eleventh. Phone 3396.

THREE rooms unfurnished, modern. 803 Fifteenth street.

FOR good light buy Edison Mazda lamps.
WICHITA FALLS ELECTRIC CO.

TWO furnished rooms for light housekeeping, with privilege of front room. 401 Scott.

HOUSES FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Six-room duplex house. Call 3171 after 8 a. m.

FOR RENT—Servants' house to colored couple, in exchange for washing and ironing—909 Eleventh.

FOR RENT—Four room modern house nicely furnished; with garage. 1510 Harrison. Phone 3316.

SERVANTS house in rear for exchange for house work. Phone 7485. 802 Van Buren.

HALF of modern six-room house, duplex. 504 Brook. $20 per month. Two-room house, 2221 Ville. Phone 3248.

FOR RENT—New three-room house, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 1407 Bluff.

BUY Edison Mazda lamps. There are none better.
WICHITA FALLS ELECTRIC CO.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Some clean white cotton rags. Will pay 8c per lb. See Mr. Allen at Record News.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two-room apartment, everything furnished. References required. 901 Austin street.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, on car line. 2320 Kemp boulevard. Phone 7144.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Lovely unfurnished apartment. Private entrance and bath. Garage. 1701 Huff. Phone 6428.

THERE is a right Edison Mazda lamp for every fixture. Buy them from
WICHITA FALLS ELECTRIC CO.

WINDOW CLEANING.

EXPERIENCED window cleaning company of Dallas have opened a branch in Wichita Falls and are at your service with experienced and capable men. Covered by liability and accident insurance. Phone 3290.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

BEANS.
We will have about 500 acres of vegetables to place at 1003 Ohio from San Benito, Brownsville and Mission, Texas, will be shipped direct by the grower and they must be sold regardless of the price.
1003 OHIO—3893.

LET us be your repairman. We fix anything, sharpen anything, make keys, repair locks, safes, cash registers, talking machines.
Phone 6358. 704 Lamar.
WE SHARPEN LAWN MOWERS
ANDREW YOUNG.

GOING to fix up your yard? If so, phone 3012. Have rich black soil for sale. Will set your grass.

FOR those who wish to place ads in The Record News Classified Columns on Sunday for Monday's paper, call number 4121 between 5 and 7 p. m.

BERNEY LITTLE BOOK AND LETTER SHOP, rent and sell books of latest fiction. Book orders solicited.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED
Prices reasonable. Wichita Mattress Co. Phone 4052.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED
And new ones made to order. We carry a full line of new mattresses from the cheapest to the best including felted and hair mattresses.
PATTON MATTRESS FACTORY
402 Indiana Ave. Phone 2930

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

BRACEY'S RHEUMATISM WONDER
It takes 3 bottles of this medicine to produce the desired effect. We positively guarantee to refund your money if you do not receive a great benefit if not curred.
Bracey's Medicine Co.
1105 Lamar.
$4.00 per bottle. Registered.

DRESSMAKING AND MILLINERY

WANTED—Plain sewing to do. 1502 Fourteenth street.

PLAIN and fancy sewing, children's sewing a specialty. Mrs. Benson. Phone 6866.

COATS lined, boys' tailoring, women's and children's sewing. 908 Fifth. Phone 4674.

PAINTING & PAPER HANGING

CARPENTER work, painting and paper hanging by day or contract. Phone 7703.

WALL PAPER, PAINT AND PICTURES.
An all-essential to the beautifying of the home for springtime. Our paint and wall paper departments as well as our picture framing section are now busy supplying the demands of many customers who are already moved by the spirit of the season. It will pay you to shop with us in these lines. Wichita Falls Paint & Paper Co., 910 Scott avenue.

FINANCIAL

MONEY! !—We sure will spend it if you have second hand furniture to sell. Winters Furniture Co. Phone 4219.

POULTRY & PETS

NOTICE
BULLDOG FANCIERS
I am offering for breeding purposes, a registered pit bull terrier of Colby and Farmer's strain. He is considered the best bulldog in this vicinity. Call at 1903 Collins street.

MOVING AND STORAGE

THE RECORD News DOES produce results. Phone 4121.

PRACTICAL house moving, raising and leveling. Jack Humphrey, phone 5994, 1018 Ohio.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR RENT—Desirable storeroom at 911 Scott avenue, 25x100, fine building, excellent location. See E. P. Nevin, 914 Nitz Natl. Bldg. Phone 4376.

PRINTING, ENGRAVING, BINDING

BERNEY'S LITTLE BOOK AND LETTER SHOP print your books, programs and circular letters.

TELL THE RECORD News want ads what you want and what you don't want.

WANTED—Printing and multigraphing. Reasonable prices. BERNEY'S LITTLE BOOK & LETTER SHOP, 804-A Tenth street.

LET'S SWAP

FARM near Ennis. Eighty acres cotton. Will trade for property near Wichita, take in automobile. J. B. Jamison. Phone 6044.

VETERINARY

DR. J. K. E. RICHARDSON
Graduate and Licensed Veterinarian. General and pet animals practice. Office 605 1-2 Seventh St. Phone 7044. Residence 1112 Monroe st. phone 2160.

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—One National cash register, a bargain. 1100 Ohio avenue.

BUY YOUR magazines, both popular and classics at BERNEY'S LITTLE BOOK AND LETTER SHOP.

A RECORD NEWS want ad will sell it for you. Phone 4121.

WINFREY FIXIT Shop. We repair and recover umbrellas. Phone 5213.

IMPORTED Canaries. Phone 4651.

APPLES
Fresh car of extra large Ben Davis, Ganos, Winesaps, Missouri Pippins; all these apples can be shipped in five bushel barrels by express or local freight. Phone in your order. 1003 Ohio. Phone 3893.
Specked apples 50c per bushel.

FOR SALE—Electric sweeper, good mechanical condition, used only eight months. A real bargain, make me an offer. Phone 3430.

BUTCHERS MEAT BOX FOR SALE CHEAP. PHONE 6315.

PLANTS, SEEDS, GRAIN

COTTON seed for sale. Jamison's Electric Gin. Phone 6044.

COTTON seed, Mebane, Rowden, Half and Half, Kasch, and Blue Wagon varieties, all pure and tested.
MORGAN SEED & FEED CO.
1100 Ohio avenue.

PLUMBING AND HEATING

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

MACK & MACK
Plumbing Co. A. H. McClellan, Mgr.
1112 Ohio Phones 2652-7427

MOORE Plumbing Co. Phone 6300. 904 Sixth street.

PLUMBING—Our cars carry a complete line of repairing materials with them. You do not have to pay for that trip back to the shop. J. H. Castledine, 907 Van Buren. Phone 4426.

WANTED FURNITURE.

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

WE BUY
WE SELL
WE TRADE
HOUSEHOLD GOODS
MICK'S FURNITURE CO.
Phone 3628 706 7th St.

FURNITURE

YOUR credit is good at Winters Furniture Co., phone 4219. 609-11 Seventh St.

FURNITURE, FURNITURE
We buy and sell all kinds.
MILLICAN FURNITURE CO.
804 7th. Phone 4785.

TRY US FOR VALUES

We have a complete stock of new and used furniture, stoves and rugs. Be sure to get our prices before you buy or sell.

E. F. Riley Furniture No. 2
Phone 3223 607 Seventh

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

FURNITURE.

WE pay you the highest cash prices for your furniture. Mick's Furniture Co. Phone 5528. 716-18 Seventh St.

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SPECIAL
For this week
1 8-piece fumed oak dining room suite $75.00
1 3-piece mahogany davanet suite for the living room, upholstered in velour $80.00
1 3-piece Circlasan walnut living room suite $55.00
Just remember a shipment of new davenport bed suites upholstered in velour at prices that we can interest anyone in
Daybeds from $25 to $57.50
A large stock of refrigerators priced from $9.00 to $35.00. Rugs, stoves, linoleum. Trade us your old for old or new.
CASH OR CREDIT
STAR FURNITURE CO.
918-920 Indiana Phone 6011

BETTER BE SURE
THAN SORRY
Buy from Winters for less. Sell to Winters for more.
WE BUY
WE SELL
WE TRADE
WINTERS FURNITURE CO.
609-11 Seventh Phone 4219

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

AUTOMOBILES

IF YOU ARE

Looking for a good used car be sure to see ours. We have them at all prices.

Three 1923 Ford Coupes
One 1922 Ford Coupe.
Two 1923 Ford Tourings.
One 1922 Ford Touring.
One 1922 Ford Roadster.
One 1922 Ford Sedan.
One 1923 Chevrolet Touring.

PARMENTER MOTOR CO.
Used Car Department
807 Lamar

A RECORD NEWS want ad will sell it for you. Phone 4121.

RADIATORS REPAIRED AND RECORED.
Modern equipment, complete stock of cores and parts for all makes.
SUPREME AUTO RADIATOR CO.
605 1-2 Scott. Phone 2804

TELL THE RECORD News want ads what you want and what you don't want.

We will buy your car
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
714 Ninth St. Phone 2015.

TWO new 32x4 1-2 Firestone cord casing at a bargain. 1109 Ohio Ave.

AUTOMOBILES

REAL CARS
at
USED CAR PRICES

Rebuilt Nashes, all models.
1 Dodge Sedan.
1 Dodge Coupe.
1923 Overland Tour.
1923 Chevrolet Tour.
1924 Oakland Sport Roadster.
Late Model Fords.

NASH-KING MOTOR COMPANY
Used Car Exchange.
1010 Scott St. Phone 6808.

FORGET your worries. Buy a Standard "Fuller Sells 'Em" Fuller Battery and Electric Co., 612 Indiana. Phone 7215.

"DEPENDABLE USED CARS"

Essex roadster	$450.00
Essex touring	450.00
Nash touring	375.00
Nash touring	450.00
Nash touring	750.00
Nash sport	750.00
Cadillac 7-passenger	950.00
Cadillac roadster	1,350.00
Packard Twin-Six	1,500.00

"BUY HERE WITH CONFIDENCE."
LLOYD WEAVER COMPANY
814 Travis Phone 4153

FOR SALE—A new 1924 Chevrolet, cash or will make terms to please you. Call Alpine hotel after 6 p. m. Ask for Mr. Osier.

SIX GOOD USED CARS
Five Fords and one Buick.
M. T. BIRCH
Oldsmobile Dealer
6th and Ind

SIX cylinder car for sale cheap—113 Monroe; phone 2160.

OPEN EVENINGS.

Two 1923 Ford Tourings.
One 1922 Ford Coupe.
One 1922 Ford Roadster.
Two 1921 Ford Tourings.
One Sport Model Dodge.
One 1920 Dodge Touring.
One Oldsmobile Six Touring.
One 1923 Chevrolet Coupe.
One Ford Ton Truck.

Let's all go to the ball game Wednesday. We will be closed from 3 p. m. to 6 p. m.

OPEN NIGHTS.

POOL-STOGNER CHEVROLET CO.
808 Lamar St. Phone 2442.

OIL LAND AND LEASES

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OIL WELL SUPPLIES.

WANTED—Four-inch line, or drill stem for water line. A. T. Kramer, phone 2441.

INSURANCE.

"SUPPOSE YOU SHOULD HAVE A FIRE TONIGHT?" CHAS R. FULLER COMPANY, 813 Scott. Phone 2982.

REAL ESTATE.

If you want a nice new five or six room home on the pavement call us and let us quote you prices and terms on some of the best values in the city.
CRAWFORD INVESTMENT CO.
604 Staley Bldg. Phone 7814.

SIX-room bungalow almost new, for sale or trade at Mankins, Texas. This includes three lots. Priced to sell. Mrs. Nelson. Box 1014, city.

IF YOU have any property for sale, list it with us. We have buyers for well located homes, desirable vacant lots, business property and established businesses of various lines. Would appreciate an opportunity to sell your property or your business.
CRAWFORD INVESTMENT CO.
604 Staley Bldg. Phone 7814.

A Record News "want ad" is the best business and personal friend you have.

Have you treated him properly lately or have you slighted him?

Give him a square deal. Try the "want ads" out thoroughly. Phone 4121.

HOMES
Five rooms and three rooms. Bargains.
YORK
Phone 6496.

HUGH WEAVER

A four-room house for $1,250. Small cash payment will handle. Good terms on balance to reliable parties.

If you are looking for a real home, we have it. A nine-room two-story brick on one of the best streets in the city, lots 100x150, two-story garage and servant house. In fact, everything that it takes to make a real home for $18,900.00. If you are interested in a home of this kind, let us show you this place.

We have listing of more than 100 homes and more than that number of vacant lots in all parts of the city. We will appreciate showing you our listings. If we do not have the kind of home that you want we will build you one for small cash payment down and give you good terms on balance. If you are interested in a home, get in touch with us.

Are you going away for the summer? If so and want to rent your home, call us; we have a renter for you now. List your rentals with us and they will receive my personal attention.

HUGH WEAVER
Real Estate, Rentals and Insurance.
824 Staley Bldg. Phone 4747—6820.
"SERVICE THAT SERVES."

FILL your empty sockets with Edison Mazda lamps.
WICHITA FALLS ELECTRIC CO.

NO CASH REQUIRED
IF YOU HAVE A JOB

And are willing to make good monthly payments you can obtain a deed to this beautiful home in Floral Heights. There are five large rooms and in addition a breakfast room, hall, bath and closed in back porch. This is an exceptionally well built home, edge grain floors throughout, attractive fireplace, lots of French doors, good light and bath fixtures, and carefully selected wall paper. If you want a home there is no reason why you should not have one. May we call for you or would you prefer to drive over yourself?

H. G. HELGERSON
Real Estate and Rentals
Basement City National Bldg.
Phone 2373. Residence 2393

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE
J. C. CRANE & SONS, 434 WAGGONER BLDG, PHONE 3377.

REAL ESTATE

PRICE $2,700—$300 CASH.

Four rooms, new and modern in the latest sense, with built in cabinets, good paper and interior finish. This place is well located near school. A real bargain. Be sure to phone 2197 or come to see
WALKER & HILL
710½ Indiana.

A RECORD NEWS want ad will sell it for you. Phone 4121.

LOTS FOR SALE.

On Collins street, west of Brook, fine north front lot for only $1,000; near paving. This is a good buy. We also have 100 other lots in Southland addition for which we are exclusive agents. Phone 6268.

J. M. BLAND REALTY CO.
"21 Years in Wichita."

FOR SALE—On installment plan cheap residences at 307 and 309 Adams and 1502 Eighth street. Also business lots on Eighth street, and loan you half the money to build. Also cheap residence lots
N. HENDERSON
PHONE 5301.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Wichita Falls Council No. 149 R. & S. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m.
W. J. WEBB, T. I. M.
G. W. LAWLER, Rec.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 23—Stated conclave first and third Thursdays of each month.
JAMES R. BAUHMAN, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Work in the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and the Order of Malta Thursday, April 17th, beginning at 5:00 p. m. Supper at 6:30 p. m.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 630 A. F. & A. M.—Stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
W. F. WIENE, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Secy.
Instruction in the E. A. Monday Tuesday and Wednesday, April 14th, 15th and 16th 7:00 p. m.
Work in the Master's Degree Wednesday, April 16th, 6:30 p. m.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202 R. A. M. Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
KINDEL FAULK, H. P.
W. J. WEBB, Secy.
Work in the Mark Master's Degree Monday, April 14th, 7:00 p. m.

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M. Stated meeting the first and third Tuesday nights of each month. Visitors cordially invited to attend. 813 Scott street.
ENTERED apprentice degree Friday, April 4, 7:30 p. m. Master's degree Wednesday, April 9, 7:30 p. m. Master's degree Friday April 11, 7:30 p. m. Stated meeting and examinations Tuesday, April 15, 7:30 p. m.
Sydney A. Gaines, W. M.
G. W. Curd, Secy.

Maskat Temple A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Tuesday each month at Faith lodge rooms in Grenard Bldg., 813 Scott. All visiting Nobles invited to attend. Recorder's office 813 Scott street. Phone 3894.
L. G. HAWKINS, Potentate.
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Wichita Falls Chapter No. 232 of the Eastern Star meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. ESTELLE KARRENBROCK, W. M.
MRS. NENA FRITZ McGLEN, Secy.
Wichita Falls assembly No. 17, Order of the Rainbow for girls, meets second and fourth Tuesdays, 7:30 p. m., in Masonic Temple. Miss Mary C. Meredith, worthy advisor; Miss Dorothy Coleman, secretary.
The gymnasium on the second floor will be open to the girls only, every Friday.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1103 B. P. O. E. meets every Monday night at Elks club corner Eighth and Scott Sts. Visiting members invited to attend.
C. E. JOHNSON, Exalted Ruler.
H. C. ENGLISH, Sec.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 5001 — Regular meeting every Friday night, 8:30 I. O. O. F. Hall, Sixth and Scott Ave.
R. J. CLAYPOOL, Clerk.
Office 2357. Res. 6471. 715 7th

Wichita Encampment No. 6, I. O. O. F.—Meets the second and fourth Thursday nights at 7:30 p. m. in Odd Fellows hall, 603 Scott street. Visiting Patriarchs are requested to meet with us.
GEO. R. DUNN, C. P.
C. D. HALE, Recd. Scribe

Burland Grove Woodmen Circle No. 1487.
Meets every Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Labor Temple, 708 Travis. Visitors welcome. Guardian, Evona Wallace. Clerk, Myrtle Baker. Phone 2512.

Panhandle Lodge No. 941 I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday night at Odd Fellows hall, 603 Scott street, at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers are requested to meet with us.
J. T. MARTIN, N. G.
J. W. BUSSEY, Recd. Sec.

Wichita Falls Council No. 1473—Meets every Monday evening 1909 Ninth street. Visiting Knights welcome.
C. K. WALSH, C. K.
212-14 Morgan Bldg.
CLEM GALLAGHER, F. S.
909 Harrison

"HICKETY-PICKETY, MY BLACK HEN"



week-end at Chickasha, the guest of Misses Mary Louise and Rebecca Green.

Mrs. Joe Dillard and Mrs. C. W. Figg went to Enid Saturday night, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. John Dillard and where Mrs. Dillard will be a delegate to the Grand chapter meeting O. E. S.

W. H. Divers left Sunday for Salina, Kan., to visit his daughter, Mrs. Joe Bredengered, and family.

Mrs. C. I. Huffman and Mrs. Nellie Phelan left Monday night for Enid where both are delegates to the grand chapter O. E. S. Mrs. Phelan will also visit old Waurika friends. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Them. Miss Helen Huffman is clerking in Coker Brothers' store during her mother's absence and Mrs. Seaman Jones is substituting for Mrs. Phelan at the Star.

Mrs. P. E. Slack, nee Miss Lucille Billinger of Wichita Falls arrived in Waurika Tuesday and will visit until Friday at the home of her sister, Mrs. N. A. Burnside, and family.

Chas. Stuart of Pawhuska Okla., arrived in Waurika Saturday and remained until Tuesday the guest of his brother, Donald Stuart and Mrs. Stuart.

Elizabeth Gresham, Ruth Storms, Katherine Wright and Homer Fuller are all recovered from a siege of measles

J. E. Simons of Duncan was in Waurika Tuesday demonstrating a Chevrolet car and visiting his neice, Mrs. Earl Morris, and family.

The Wauriks News-Democrat labored under difficulties last week as result of a breakdown in the big press, caused by the fact that the business had outgrown the press capacity and had been overtaxed. The editors have bought a new model A Duplex flatbed web perfecting press and will have it installed within the next six or eight weeks.

Bill Moore and Denny Thompson are charged in county court this week with breaking into the living apartments of Ed Carew at the Empress theatre Sunday afternoon and stealing two watches and a number of other articles. The boys made their getaway on a southbound train and have not, as yet, been apprehended.

The Kansas City trade trippers will be in Waurika April 23. This is the 33rd annual trip, with 52 towns to be visited o nthe trip. Orange and black umbrellas (Missouri colors), orange and black hat bands and neckties to match will help to identify the trippers when they make their call on us.

A Rotary club was organized in Waurika Friday at noon with 16 members. The meeting was held at the Summers hotel where a delicious lunch was enjoyed. Public installation will be held later.

A civil service examination has been called for Waurika May 3, for applicants for the postmastership at Addington made vacant by the death of Uncle Joe Huffer who had filled the office for many years.

CHICHESTER S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

CHAMBER COMMERCE LEADERS HOLDS MEET TUESDAY P. M.

Bundy Makes Trade Trip Report; Hoffman Tells Of Membership; Other Committees Report

At a meeting of the board of directors of the chamber of commerce Tuesday afternoon at 3 oclock, M. A. Bunday, chairman of the trade extension committee, reported the first 1924 trip, to be made April 22 and 23, practically "over the top" most of the tickets necessary having been sold. Mr. Bundy's report was greeted with applause, it being the general opinion that this trip will redound to much good to Wichita Falls business interests, and many of the members realizing from experience the amount of hard work necessary to put over such a trip successfully.

Report from the membership committee by chairman Luther Hoffman gave a total of 114 new members added since the first of the year with only a definite withdrawal of 36, many of these having acceptable and unavoidable reasons for this step.

A report from the publicity committee brought out the fact that over 60,000 pieces of illustrated and descriptive literature regarding Wichita Falls have gone out over the country within the past six weeks. This item does not include newspaper publicity, only magazine folders and pictorial booklets.

The board approved of the recommendation of the committee that an electric sign for the chamber of commerce be purchased, the cost for the sign and its erection being $200.

T. P. Duncan, chairman of the special committee on the tax appeals board, made a report recommending the board take action in approval of the appointment of such a board by the president of the United States, rather than by the secretary of the treasury as is now the case. The board took such action.

Those present at the meeting included A. H. Britain, Marvin Smith, T. P. Duncan, Jack Barnard, J. S. Bridwell, J. C. Mytinger, Luther Hoffman, G. C. Wood, J. T. Harrell, J. A. Riebolt, J. T. Gant, M. A. Bunday, Guy Jones, Solon Downing, Frank Collier and W. P. Ferguson.

COMMITTEE TO

(Continued from page 1).

the city is now paying for quarters occupied elsewhere.

"Fourth, that both interest and sinking fund payments on the water bonds be paid by tax levy and not by the water department with the exception that the water department take care of the sinking fund for the year 1924-1925 only, as it is not convenient to include this item for this year in the tax levy, and the water department has a substantial balance on hand at this time."

"Fifth, that the water department's expenses for the year 1924-1925 be reduced approximately $60,000 in the following manner:

"On budget, $28,000.
"On sinking fund, $26,606.07.
"On rents, $1,500.
"On profits, $3,841.

"This, we believe, can be done without in any way impairing the efficiency of the department. This difference of approximately $60,000 should then be given to the water consumers in the reduction of rates and increased supply.

"Sixth, the water department should charge the other departments of the city for all water used by them in any manner. This charge should be the actual cost, without any profit added. The water department should charge 5.2 per cent interest annually on its cost of the fire plugs, this being the average interest rate on the water department bonds.

"Seventh, in line with the foregoing reductions we recommend the following rates on water:

"Minimum, 4,000 gallons or less, $1.00.
"Next 6,000 gallons or less, 20c.
"Next 40,000 gallons or less, 18c.
"Next 100,000 gallons or less, 17c.
"Next 250,000 gallons or less, 16c.
"Next 600,000 gallons or less, 15c.
"All over 1,000,000 gallons, 14c.

"These rates will average about 28 per cent reduction on our present rates as well as a more equitable distribution of the sliding scale. These reduced rates, we believe, will be an incentive to a more liberal use of water by the citizens of Wichita Falls.

"Eighth, we do not think it advisable for the city at this time to undertake the erection of a municipal pumping plant, owing to the present financial condition of the city. However, we believe that at some future time this phase should be gone into further when some of our present indebtedness has been liquidated.

"Ninth, that the city of Wichita Falls does not commit itself to take over and pay for any extensions installed in new additions outside the present city limits. But on the contrary, these extensions shall be taken over without cost, whenever such additions shall be taken into the city.

"In conclusion we wish to say that Mr. Lawton, manager of the water department, has rendered this committee valuable service in supplying them with all detailed information asked for pertaining to this department.

"Respectfully submitted: J. N. Riebolt, chairman.

"George N. Dwyer, Merrill W. Blair, J. L. Jackson, Sr., Bert King, I. H. Roberts, C. E. McCutcheon.

Waurika
NEWS AND PERSONALS

CHILD LOST.

Quite a little excitement was manifested Sunday over little three-year-old Helen McNeal of Wichita Falls, who made her appearance at the Howell cafe Sunday morning, lost and crying for her mother. The little one was taken in and comforted and Mrs. Howell and Mrs. Carl Summers joined forces endeavoring to locate the mother. By night time they came to the conclusion that one or the other of their homes would be made happy by the addition of the little girl that no one seemed to claim. Just as it was growing dark a frantic mother rushed in and there was quite a touching reunion. The mother, who was at the Mix hotel, thought the little girl had gone to the country with a cousin of whom she was very fond, and gave no thought to her nonappearance. When evening came and the cousin arrived sans the baby, the hunt was taken up. No doubt little Helen will remember the day she was "lost" for a good many years.

April 15 and 16 have been destgnated as "cleanup days" in Waurika, with Joe Dillard as head of the committees. The City Beautiful campaign with its usual award of prizes, is headed by E. G. Burge. The club also gave the promise of some financial help in regard to the "tonsil and adenoid" day for children at the Weed hospital, April 22.

J. T. Elscheid went to Topeka, Kansas, Thursday to attend the convention of Rotary clubs to be held at that place.

WAURIKA LOCALS.

Miss Verna Davidson spent the last



Housewives

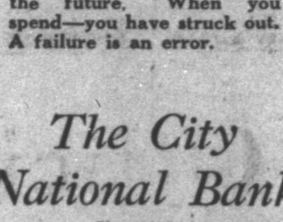
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Do you really know the savings to be effected by Peoples Ice at this time of the year?

We thoroughly believe that if you will call us today —take ice for a trial-proof period of thirty days— and note the difference in the taste of food and the economies through saved food—you will thank us for calling this to your attention.

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Pure Distilled Water Ice
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Safe at Home

When you have made your first deposit with us you have singled to the first base that will score a run for you today and a home-run for the future. When you spend—you have struck out. A failure is an error.

The City National Bank
Since 1890

This bank will close at 2:00 p. m. today.

SPECIAL TODAY at SAUL'S

From 8 to 3:30

(We will close at 3:30 for the ball game.)

81x90 SEAMLESS SHEETS $1

From 8 until 3:30 today limit 3 to one customer.

Remember! These Specials are from 8 until 3:30. We will close at 3:30 for the ball game.

15c PRETTY GINGHAMS BLEACHED AND UNBLEACHED DOMESTIC

10¢ a yard

On sale today from 8 to 3:30, limit 20 yards of each to one customer.

—And while you are here see the hundreds and hundreds of new Easter Hats and Dresses at

SAUL'S

The Store They all Talk About

SPUDDERS vs. GASSERS



Let's Root for the SPUDDERS

Everybody in Wichita Falls should be at the ball park this afternoon to root for the Spudders. Let's win that attendance

TROPHY

The First National Bank
The Convenient Bank.

Help Win the Attendance Prize

A Good Baseball Player Always Plays

"SAFE"

So does the man who makes a success in business—by banking his money in a bank offering him personal service, safety, and assistance in keeping with good banking policies.

Bank with us—we try to live up to that kind of a bank.

THIS BANK WILL CLOSE TODAY at 2 P. M. for the Opening Game

WICHITA STATE BANK & TRUST CO.
GUARANTY FUND BANK
Bob Waggoner Building

KOREA IS BOAZ U. CLUB SUBJECT

Bishop Says Christianity Is Only Hope of This People

"You American business men should thank God that you live in a great Christian nation of enlightenment, comfort and progress," said Bishop Boaz, speaking before University club at their weekly luncheon at the Kemp hotel Tuesday noon.

Bishop Boaz spoke on "The Relation Between Japan and Korea" and told something of the poverty, ignorance, the superstition and the low plane on which the Koreans live and think.

"Korea is in the 'child stage' of the race, even though her civilization dates back to 1300 years before the Christian era. The ways of the people are primitive and crude. it seems like being in a different world to live among them," said the bishop who told many interesting details regarding the manners and customs of the people.

"In 1913 the Japanese took possession of the peninsula of Koren, taking over the control of the government the telephone and telegraph systems, the police systems and the post office department. The Japanese improved the services greatly along these lines, built good roads and railroads, and erected schools. Already the Japanese own 80 per cent of the good land on the peninsula and it is said that before 50 years have passed, they plan to own all the land.

"The Koreans resent the invasion bitterly and vigorously, though whether they will ever attempt an uprising is not known. If they did at this time, they undoubtedly would be crushed without mercy.

"The present governor general of Korea is a big-hearted man who has won the hearts of the Korean people and is working for the best of their interest. In a recent talk he stated that 'the one and only hope for Korea and the world is the Christian religion,'" stated Bishop Boaz, speaking of the receptive attitude along the line of Christian education that be found among the oKrean people.

"They are ready for the Christian religion," the speaker stated, "perhaps for the reason that they hope that other Christian nations might in some way bring pressure to bear and relieve them of the Japanese domination."

Speaking of his personal opinion on the Japanese-Korean question, Dr. Boaz stated that he was entirely neutral.

"I am trying to teach both nations the golden rule, and that other great law, "Thou shalt love thy God with all thy mind, heart, strength and soul, and thy neighbor as thyself.'" said the bishop at the close of his interesting address.

W. B. Hamilton, a former student of Bishop Boaz at S. M. U., Dallas, introduced the speaker, mentioning his life of unselfishness and service and referring to him as "one of the great good men in our church, state, nation and the world." He soke of Bishop Boaz's outstanding work at S. M. U. when he raised a million dollars in six months to swing the financial end of the university.

Many of the guests and club members present were former students of Bishop Boaz.

President C. A. Rogers announced the interscholastic meet to be held at Iowa Park Friday, and the club voted to present one of the silver loving cups to be awarded at that time to winners in the various branches.

Miss Glenore Fisk sang "In the Time of Roses," and sang with her sister, Miss Josephine, "For You I Am Praying."

Misses eLsta Stayton, Marie Beatty and Yancy Cummings gave a musical number from "In the Garden of the Shah," a musical comedy to be presented by the high school glee clubs.

Mothers
AND THEIR CHILDREN



A New Way of Serving Greens.
One Mother Says:

The children will often eat dandelions or other spring greens if they are served in attractive ways. Sometimes I take out the center of a large ripe tomato and chopped dandelion or spinach to which has been added a slice of bacon, fried crisp and cut into bits, and a hard boiled egg, sliced. The center of the tomato may be combined with leftovers such as peas or corn, potatoes and meat, and cooked and thickened to make a soup to serve at the same meal.

Grace Church Plans Special Easter Music

The chorus choir of Grace Methodist church will present Asfords "Cross and Crown" on Easter Sunday evening under the direction of Rev. Leslie Miller, pastor of the church, who states the cantata is one of the most bautiful in all Easter music.

"The there of the cantata," Rev. Miller stated, "covers not only the passion of Christ at the crucifixion, but rises to a glorious climax at the resurrectio nand the ascension."

The choir, which has been doing some splendid work of late under Rev. Miller's direction, has been carefully trained for the presentation of the Easter music, it was stated, and is prepared to give a musical evening of real worth.

The public is cordially invited.

COVINGTON IN TECH CLUB TALK

Gives Interesting Details On Transportation Problems

F. A. Covington, general superintendent of the Fort Worth and Denver City railroad, addressed the Technical club at its regular meeting last night on the sidelights of transportation. He brought out that the average passenger and shipper saw only the completed train ready to do his bidding and never realized the tremendous amount of work and the huge machine necessary to make these things possible.

He pictured the train dispatcher, the engineer, the operators, and gave a very interesting discussion on the making of timetables. This is one of the most intricate pieces of work attendant upon train operation, according to Mr. Covington, yet it is now handled in such manner that the entire train movement on a division may be visualized in much the same way as a world series game on a score board.

Following Mr. Covington's talk a film, dealing with the romance of the railroad, the property of the General Electric company was shown. Among the interesting features of the pictures were views of the Chicago, St. Paul and Milwaukee railroad, which has 700 miles of trackage fully electrified.

The meeting was well attended about 35 or 40 being present.

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Hyer Reminds But 14 Days To Render Property

City Tax Collector W. R. Hyer warned Wichita Falls owners of unrendered property yesterday that they are now due to come to his office and render it for taxation.

Repeated calls by deputies have failed to find some people at their homes, he stated. The city office is not bound to make more than one call for this purpose but as a matter of courtesy has instructed its men to call as many times as necessary to find the owner at home. Under this system most of the city's property has been rendered but there are a few places as yet not on the books.

The city does not wish to retain its large force, according to Mr. Hyer, so henceforth if your property has not been rendered you may call at the tax collector's office and be set down for your bit.

The public is reminded that there are but 14 more days to do this as all property must be in by May 1.

We'll see you at the

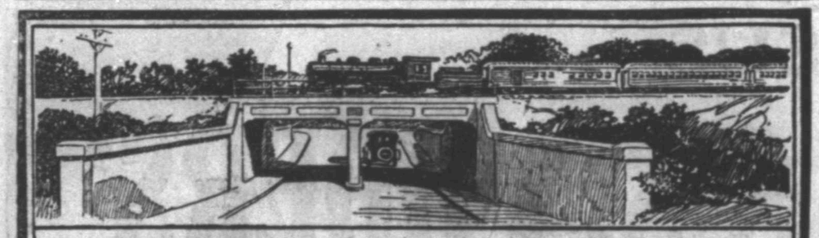
Gasser-Spudder Game Today!

Remember: You can buy Y.B's at Spudder Park. Just light one up and root for Tanner and his Mates.

B.Y's and buy Y.B's.

Wolff Bros.

Wholesale Cigars, Cigarettes and Tobacco.



THE KATY'S YOUR RAILROAD

The Public Regulates

THE public regulates the conduct of American railroads. While the Katy is owned by private capital and operated under private management, the field of managerial enterprise and initiative is limited by public control.

Freight and passenger rates, the frequency of train service and convenience of schedules, the standards of safety, are all regulated by Public Authority. These in turn largely determine the requirements, facilities, type and design of equipment, maintenance standards and the necessity for adequate measures to provide public transportation under the conditions imposed.

Employees' wages, hours of work, working conditions, taxes, bond and stock issues, extensions of lines and service, interest on investment, the valuation of properties, are all regulated by agencies of public authority.

These with other minor regulations limit the field of management. The Katy can meet and provide for requirements only as public authority permits it to earn the revenues necessary to provide additional facilities and justify the use of additional NEW CAPITAL. The public cannot take more out of the railroad in the way of service than it makes possible by revenue.

Southwestern growth will continue to require increased railroad investment each year. Under the present scheme of public regulation, the Katy has made steady progress, expanded and improved its service. If public welfare is to be properly served it is essential that management have freedom of initiative to operate under the simple business laws which apply alike to all enterprises financed by private capital.

The Katy Serves

THE Pioneer in its territory—the Katy always has occupied a distinctive relationship to the public it serves. Although constructed as a private project, it was conceived in a public purpose.

At the close of the Civil War, the Government recognized the necessity for a railroad from the North to Texas and the Mexican border. Congress offered a large grant of land to the first railroad constructed across Indian Territory to Texas. The Katy was certified by President Grant as the winner of a spectacular race in railroad construction which carried all the romance of the pioneer and the thrills of a hard fought and hard earned victory.

The land grant reward was denied by Congress although the Katy has uniformly met the obligations of public service imposed by conditions under which construction was undertaken. However, Pioneer hope of public advantage to result from this artery of commerce has been realized. In a half century, the great Southwestern empire has grown up along the Katy.

To meet the growing needs of Southwestern transportation and in the face of ever increasing public regulation and control, the Katy has steadily increased its investment of NEW CAPITAL and expanded and improved its service. In thirty years the Katy has increased its investment more than $35,000 a mile for each mile of its present system.

Distinctively Southwestern in all its interests and relationship—the only railroad serving all the more important centers in Oklahoma and Texas from both Kansas City and St. Louis—the Katy will always be a vital factor in the growth and welfare of the vast territory for which its construction was purposely designed.

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GASSERS Versus SPUDDERS

Official Opening Game SPUDDER PARK 4 P. M.

Let's Get That Attendance Prize

Today Skipper Tanner and his mates will strut their stuff with the Shreveport Gassers at Spudder Park. Every real, live baseball fan will make it a point to be there, rooting for the Spudders. Incidentally, the more who turn out to the opening game, the better chance we'll have in winning that attendance prize, a handsome medallion of sterling silver against a solid mahogany base. Boy, it's a dinger!

FILL UP YOUR CAR WITH

TEXHOMA GASOLINE and OIL

and push it right on out to the park. You'll find three rapid fire service stations located at Tenth and Broad, Front and Indiana and Refinery on Burk road, awaiting to dispense your gasoline, oil, water, look after your car in general and be of real service.

Let's All Go to the Game Today!

Texhoma Oil & Refining Co.

"100 Per Cent Strong for Tanner and His Spudders"

GASOLINE TEXHOMA KEROSENE MOTOR OILS

BELGIUM BUYS FROZEN BEEF

Prices Reacts On Pork Trade In America As A Result

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS.
Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—A decreasing tendency in the imports of livestock, together with a falling off in domestic production, has caused continued Belgian purchases of foreign frozen beef at a good rate, according to advises to the department of commerce. Large stocks of pork on the market and heavy killing during the first part of the year have been reflected in pork trade from America. Imports of American pork products have dropped off over half a million pounds from January to February. On account of the diminished potatoe crop in Belgium last fall, it seemed more profitable to the farmers to bring live hogs to market than to provide extra fodder and keep the hogs for later use. During the winter months, hog deliveries to the Brussels market, Belgium's principal meat centerm, increased 50 per cent, while cattle deliveries declined 50 per cent, as compared with the same period last year.

The decease in deliveries of cattle may be traced to the recent prohibition of imports from Denmark, Uruguay, and Argentina, the principal sources of supply, because of possible danger from the foot and mouth disease. The insufficient domestic production of cattle has for years been supplemented by heavy imports of live cattle from these countries, Denmark, for instance, supplying on an average of 600 head per week. This situation has reacted favorably toward American exporters, February shipments to Belgium being over half the total cattle exports of animals to that country from the United States. The embargo against Uruguayan cattle has since been lifted.

The trend in Belgium toward the accumulation of domestic pork stocks is also noticeable in the Netherlands and accounted for a very heavy decrease in American purchases in February, our shipments that month dropping over nine million pounds from the January exports. Germany has been a heavy buyer in Belgium and Dutch meat and edible oil markets during the fall and winter months.

In 23 principal German markets during January, German farmers delivered for sale nearly 100,000 beef cattle—an increase of 44 per cent over December deliveries. Deliveries of calves increased by 42 per cent; swine, by 31 per cent; and sheep by 12 per cent. The sudden release of these domestic supplies caused a withdrawal of German buyers in most world markets and the American exports direct to Germany of meats and neat products dropped to 48 million pounds from January shipments of over 61 million pounds.

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Urban Industry Is Looking Up Report Indicates

DALLAS, Texa, April 15.—Urban industries, generally speaking, are at present in a flourishing state and this prosperity is reflected in a high level of domestic demand for foodstuffs and fibers with good prospects for its continuance into the summer, an Agricultural Outlook for 1924, prepared by the bureau of agricultural economics of the federal government, says. This statement was made in the conclusion of summing up the domestic demand for various products.

"One year ago it was possible to state that all the indications favored a season of heavy business," the report says, "with full employment and high wages in city industry. Events during the year bore out that prediction.

"This spring it can still be said that urban industry is in a flourishing state. Less can be said, with assurance, of probable conditions next fall, which is the period of especial interest to farmers."

A factor on the demand side is the increase in the nation's population, continues the report. This increase adds some 1,400,000 persons annually to be fed and clothed. A further factor affecting the balance between demand and supply is the continued movement of population from farm to town, estimated to have been upwards of one million dollars during the past year, the report states.

"So far this year, the evidence indicates a continuation of heavy production of basic materials such as metals and coal; a larger volume of distribution than a year ago, as measured by freight movement and sales from stores; a strong credit situation as measured by interest rates, bank reserves and the like; strong security markets; a generally stable price level; employment well maintained; wage earnings maintained at or near the high level of last fall." the Outlook says in summing up the situation. "This is the general situation, though varying in certain industries and in certain sections of the country. The steel industry is very active, for example, while portions of the textile industry are not so active."

"The current consumptive movement of meat, eggs, dairy products, fruit, fresh vegetables and foods of like class indicates a continued high level of demand for these products." the report continues. "This is natural since, with industrial wages still about 100 per cent above the pre-war scale, great advantage rests with the consuming group. Price of fibers are relatively higher than foods. The retail movement of textiles at current prices raises some points of uncertainty."

$600,000 SHORTAGE DELAYS KANSAS BANK

By The Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, April 15.—Several days will be required to check the affairs of the Fidelity National Bank and Trust company, whose directors yesterday dropped John M. Moore as president after discovering he was short $600,000 in his accounts, according to Luther K. Roberts, chief national bank examiner.

In a statement today, Examiner Roberts was emphatic in his assertion that the bank is solvent and sound.

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Cinderella's elation as supreme ruler of fine Easter Footwear

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$12.50



The season's smartest success developed in all over patent leather also gray kid with blue stamp..$12.50



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Another real hit. Developed in red kidskin, green kidskin, blue kidskin, white kidskin, apricot kidskin, and gray kid—wear Pola for Easter.



MAXWELL'S



The Great American Sport

Opens officially in the Texas League today at 4 o'clock. When Skipper Tanner and his mates meet the Shreveport Gassers at the Spudder Park this afternoon, it is the duty of every fan to be there rooting for the Spudders. We'll be there and we hope to see you there. We will close at 3 p. m. in order to get there on time.

Incidentally, we are offering, right at the beginning of the season

25 PER CENT DISCOUNT

on all Baseball Goods.

MAXWELL Hardware Co.

EVERYTHING IN HARDWARE

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PLAY BALL!

Official Opening Game of the Season in the Texas League Today

SHREVEPORT 'GASSERS'

VERSUS

WICHITA FALLS 'SPUDDERS'

Game Called at 4 o'Clock

SPUDDER PARK

April 16, 17, 18 and 19

Go to Seventh Street, Then Due East to Baseball Park

THE ATTENDANCE PRIZE

Every year an attendance prize is offered by the president of the Texas league to the particular team in this league boasting of the largest attendance on opening day. The prize this year is a beautiful solid sterling silver medallion, handsomely mounted upon a mahogany polished field and is indeed a beautiful trophy.

The management of the Wichita Falls Spudders has done its utmost in securing for you a team of which you can be justly proud. It is our hope that the team will merit your unfailing support and, in turn, we'll reciprocate with a real baseball club for the fans of

"The City That Faith Built"

Your Attendance Is Needed and Will Be Appreciated

Wichita Falls Baseball Ass'n.

Bowie News

PERSONALS

Russell Hannon of Bellevue was a visitor to Bowie Sunday.

Rev. J. F. Killman was a visitor to Ryan, Oklahoma, this week.

Roy Smith of Corsicana is visiting his mother, Mrs. P. Smith, this week.

Ben Spivey of Fort Worth was a visitor to Bowie last week-end.

Mrs. L. E. Davis returned from a week's visit to Fort Worth Sunday.

J. B. Bullard and Joe Biggar were visitors to Henrietta Sunday.

Miss Verba Suttles of Ryan, Okla., was the week-end guest of Mrs. Will Waltman.

Mrs. Dan Cornelius of Nocona is the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. Baker, this week.

Mrs. H. H. Frayard of Mesquite is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Auttenberry this week.

E. L. Craddock, representative of the Hardreder-Keith, Cooke company of Fort Worth, was a business visitor to Bowie Tuesday.

Misses Vera Vivian Clark, Ruth Whaley, Grace Davis, Gilbert Watson and DeWitt Williams attended the baseball game at Henrietta Sunday afternoon.

The many friends of Don Hathcock, student of the Decatur Baptist college, will be interested to know that he has been called to accept the pastorship of a church near Temple, Okla. He will be ordained here at the First Baptist church April 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Alexander, Mrs. Archer Smith, Miss Fanny Mae Snow, and Miss Stella Milburn of Greenville, were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Allen Sunday. Miss Milburn is educational secretary of the Burleson college at Greenville and Mr. Alexander is superintendent of the Sunday school of the First Baptist church at Greenville.

Mrs. R. Allred was a visitor to Nocona Saturday.

Bob and Claude Ayres were Henrietta visitors Sunday.

C. S. Brown of Waco is a visitor to Bowie this week.

Miss Ruth Davis was a visitor to Wichita Falls last week.

Bob Kennedy of Fort Worth spent the week-end here with friends.

Ralph Marmon, Glen Slagle and Bill Biggar were visitors to Henrietta Sunday.

Mrs. C. C. Edwards returned from a three week's visit to Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Misses Nettie McCormack, Georgia and Estelle Williams were visitors to Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Slagle of Decatur were the week-end guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Slagle.

P. E. Redman of Saint Jo, candidate for county treasurer, was a visitor to Bowie Thursday.

Miss Gladys Cooper, who is attending the Bowie Commercial college, spent the week-end in Electra.

Dr. Jessie Givens, Misses Gertrude Well and Emelie Boedeker and Mrs. H. Karlsberg motored to Fort Worth and Dallas Wednesday.

Dr. J. T. Lawson and Dr. F. M. Patton attended the meeting of the Montague County Medical society which was held last Tuesday at Nocona.

The many friends of Ernest Russel, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Russel of this city, will be glad to know that he has again been promoted, and is not assistant manager of the transient department of the Continental National bank of Fort Worth. Ernest was formerly with the City National bank of this city.

Burton Reed spent last week-end in Wichita Falls.

H. O. Walker of Holliday was here Monday on business

H. F. Cook was a business visitor to Nocona Wednesday.

Glen C. Miller of Decatur was a visitor to Bowie Wednesday.

Joe Welch of Wichita Falls spent last week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Conway Garlington motored to Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert S. Calaway of Montague were visitors to Bowie Saturday.

W. S. Cox and L. H. Angrove were business visitors to Austin the first of the week.

Leonard Deford and Leonard Clark were visitors to Wichita Falls Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Dearmore of Fort Worth was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. H. Overstreet.

C. R. Bailey and B. Bernstine of Nocona were business visitors to Bowie Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cox, Misses Mary Warren Shoemaker and Charlotte Mivelaz motored to Fort Worth Sunday.

Among those out of town who attended the dance at the Old Hall Friday night were: Bill Morris, Ham Douglas, Boyd Gowna and Russel Hannon of Bellevue, Ted South end Sam B. Cook of Henrietta, John Meyers of Jacksboro, and Sam Pettigo and Clifford Ware of Saint Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lee of Stamford and Mr. B. Lee of Douglas, Arizona, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mesdames Envoy Brunell, O. D. Wyatt and Kechler of the Salvation Army of Wichita Falls were visitors to Bowie Friday.

Bud Williams, who is attending the Bowie Commercial college, returned from an extended visit to Iowa Park and Wichita Falls Sunday.

Miss Virginia Hoskins of San Jose, California, is on a visit to her grandmother, Mrs. W. J. Linnen.

Miss Countess Coffield was a visitor to Henrietta Sunday.

P. T. Boston of Hedley is a visitor to Bowie this week.

Miss Mildred Waltman entered the Bowie Commercial college Tuesday morning

James Young of Wichita Falls was a visitor to Bowie Thursday.

Misses Gladys Rousey, Marie Box and Maude Chapman spent the week end in Nocona.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pruden and Prentice Evans motored to Fort Worth Sunday returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Truett returned from Iowa Park Friday, where they were called at the death of Mrs. Truett's brother.

Miss Eva Mae Woodward of Bellevue, Miss Mary Louise Cady of Henrietta, and Miss Audrey Jones of Jacksboro, attended the dance here Friday night.

Roy Ross is a business visitor to Altus, Okla., this week.

Misses Hazel and Maurine Allred were visitors to Nocona this week end.

Lynn Garlingron of Ryan, Okla. spent the week end here

Mrs. R. W. Moore of Bellevue was among the Bowie shoppers Tuesday.

M. W. Stewart returned from an entended business visit to Decatur Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jud Watson and Mr. and Mrs. John Williams were visitors to Burkburnett Friday.

Mrs. S. A. Lovette and T. E Whaley were visitors to Saint Jo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burgess spent the week end in Fort Worth with their daughter, Allene.

Mrs. D. Givens of Ryan, Okla., was the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. R. Wainscott, last week

Mr. and Mrs C. G. Pridgen and Aubrey Harkin of Wichita Falls were the guests of Mrs. F. A. Young Sunday.

Miss Mable Reid of Rhome was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Cowles and Mrs. N. E. Reid last week.

YOUNGER SET ENJOY DANCE

The younger set enjoyed a delightful subscription dance Friday night, April 4, at the old hall on Smythe street. Invitations were issued by Bill Ayres, Percy Stallings, John O. Campbell and Foy Ross, to whom the success of the dance is due. Music was furnished by the Original Southern Trumpeters of Wichita Falls. About 45 couples attended the dance and an enjoyable evening was spent.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Garlington, Misses Ruth Whatley, Bounie Davis, Grace Davis, Vera Vivian Clarke, Countess Coffield, Alice Smith, Mildred Waltman, Sarah Speer, Frances Thomas, Messrs. Gilbert Watson, Fred Moore, Earl Chancellor, Joe Biggar, Bill Ayres, Roy Riss, Richard Thomas, Hinds Clark, Bob Ayres and Ben Spivey of Fort Worth.

MRS. HUTCHISON HOSTESS

The Maids and Matrons club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. C. C. Hutchison at her home, 100 North Cummins street. There were 15 members present. Roll call was answered with recent legislation. Miss Lura Moore, assisted by Mrs. David Warren and Miss Inez Rudy, very ably directed the lesson. The debate "Resolved: That that the Colonial woman at her home craft had greater opportunity of self expression than the factory woman of today," between Mrs. R. G. Stephenson and Mrs. Donald was very interesting. The club voted to give $25.00 toward shower bath at the Meyer park. Mrs. Hutchison concluded the program with a selection on the Victrola.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

Members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church met Tuesday afternoon and quilted quilts and prepared garments for Buckners Orphans' Home. Each of the six circles were in session and contributed work for the orphans home.

Circle 1—Circle One met with Mrs. W. J. Welch and prepared some garments for Buckners Orphans Home. An interesting business meeting was also held. The members present were Mesdames Tandy Welch, H. L. Henry, W. C. Inabnit, Southerland, and the hostess.

Circle 2—Circle Two met at the home of Mrs. H. Young, 106 N. Sanders street. The scripture reading was read and prayer was led by Mrs. Young. Mesdames W. T. Ball, Evans James Chapman, Grandma Chapman, and Mrs. S. Harvey were the members who attended the meeting.

Circle 3.—Circle Three met at the home of Mrs. Sam Coffman, 508 West Live Oak street, with Mrs. David Warren, leader of the lesson. During the business session a free will offering was taken, and the auxiliary voted to have an all-day sewing to prepare clothes for the Bucker Orphans Home soon at [illegible] home of Mrs. Walter Coffield.

Mrs. Coffman served delicious refreshments consisting of sandwiches, ice tea, pickles and angel food cake to Mesdames David Warren, Whit Coffield, Melvin Williams, John Burnett, Walter Evans and Askew.

Circle 4.—Circle Four met with Mrs. T. H. Swanson at her home on Lindsay street with four members present. An interesting lesson from "The Royal Servcie" was presided over by Mrs. T. H. Phillips, after the lesson a quilt was prepared for the orphans home.

Circle 5.—Six members were present at the meeting of Circle Five, which met with Mrs. George Curlee Tuesday afternoon at her home on E. Elba street.

Mrs. H. L. Turns led the devotional and Mrs. Curlee led in prayer. During the afternoon a quilt was quilted for Buckner's Orphans Home. Refreshments were served to Mesdames H. L. Turne, Higgins, H. Wright, Fowler and Miss Ollie Cardwell.

Circle 6.—Mrs. G. B. Russel was hostess to Circle Six Tuesday afternoon at her home on E. Pecan street During the afternoon a quilt was quilted for Buckner's Orphan Home The meeting was concluded by the members repeating the 23rd Psalm and prayer by Mrs. J. D. Allen. The members present were Mrs. J. Younge J. Wilson, N. J. Turner, J. D. Allen and the hostess.

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Although mah jongg was played in China by men for hundreds of years, Women were barred by custom from and participation in it. Wistfully, according to Mr. Tees, they watched their husbands mah jongg away the family income. Faithfully they put rice back on the stove when no husband arrived from the nearest mah jongg joint at the supper hour. But always they yearned to try their hand at this enticing pastime.

"So," says M. Tees, who has recently returned from a long sojourn in Shanghai, "I made them a substitute, but something that they will find just as good and then some. Besides, I felt that we owed the Chinese something for mah jongg which they gave to us."

Sop tim bom is played on the principle of the American twenty-one. The Mandarin interpretation of the name is half past ten—loosely ten and a half. It is played with tiles like mah jongg and resembles it in other ways.

Not content with contributing largely to the introduction of mah jongg in America and sop tim bom in China, Mr. Tees had an American friend write a Chinese waltz called "Half Past Ten" (Sop Tim Bom) to which the women of China might play their new game. The new waltz has not been played here yet but the reception it has had from feminine China indicates that it will be a worthy successor to our own "Three O'Clock in the Morning."

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NEWS AND PERSONALS

A Musical Tea entertainment will be given by the ladies of the Methodist church at the parsonage on Thursday, April 17 from two to five in the afternoon.

There will be a good program of musical numbers and readings and an Easter bazaar will also be held in connection with the afternoon function.

All the ladies of the city and surrounding lease neighborhoods are cordially invited to attend. The articles of the bazaar will be useful attractive and at reasonable prices. A general good time socially is guaranteed.

The funeral of Mrs. O. L. Lyons who passed away in her home in Wichita Falls took place at Clara Sunday afternoon under the direction of the Hines Undertaking Co., of Wichita Falls. It was attended by a number of relatives and friends of the sorrowing family who are relatives of Linard Lyons of this community.

The University Study club will hold its next meeting on Wednesday afternoon, April 16, at the home of Mrs. W. D. Gant with Mrs. John E. Haynes and Mrs. I. E. Harwell as joint hostesses. The members are requested to bring the needlework as the hours will be of an informal social nature. All the members are urged to be in attendance if possible.

The last meeting of the Light Bearers was reported a most successful session with about sixteen junior boys and girls present. They are under the direction of Mrs. H. J. Exley assisted by Mrs. George Hood, who directs their music, and Mrs. H. A. Brooks. The children are studying missions and practicing a children's chorus for the special Easter service in the Sunday school hour on Easter Sunday, April 20, and also a children's choir in the general Sunday school programs.

The ladies of the Pythian Sisters under the faithful service of Mrs. Ed Allen and Mrs. Roy Rhodes and their assisting committees realized the generous sum of about $45 from their hamburger and pie sale at the headquarters of the D. O. K. Tuesday. The organization of the ladies wishes to express its appreciation of a splendid patronage of the public on this occasion.

CLUB MEETS.

The ladies of the Humble Get To- club assembled Wednesday the home of Mrs. E. W. of the number, and gave rprise party from nine ey brought a dainty shments and also pre- Annie Johnson with a beautiful for her household in token of their love and in appreciation of her artistic helpfulness in the club's enterprises.

Those present were Mesdames J. M. Priestley, J. A. Reed, Chester Bell, H. H. Moore, Fred C. Osborne, William L. Sadler, M. B. Pettit, Clayton White, N. C. Sheffer, R. L. Sparkman, Harry ten Brink and J. W. Sabatone.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Rosecrans of Oklahoma were weekend guests in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Charles Coe, and her children, on West Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sabatone of the McMann lease are planning to return to their former home in Dallas in a short time. They are disposing of their store and household goods this week. They have been good, helpful citizens of Burkburnett and their many friends will regret to lose them from this community.

T. E. L. CLASS.

The T. E. L. class of the Baptist church was entertained in the home of Mrs. George Uttley in Wichita Falls Friday evening. The rooms were beautifully decorated in the class colors of green and white which formed an attractive setting for the meeting which was in two divisions. The first hour was given over to business matters, opening with a devotional service. During the hour arrangements were made to carry 60 members of the T. E. L. class to the convention held in Wichita Falls on Wednesday night.

The Capsule stories featured the social session which was concluded with a delicious plate luncheon served to the following guests: Mesdames J. W. Sabatone, R. E. Eiser, Earl Carley, J. A. Moody, R. E. Carnes, W. C. Hyne, V. G. Buchanan, Wid Phillips, T. Guy Willis, C. F. Johnson, Z. P. Owens, S. J. Fears, A. J. Owens, Verne Wolfe, Edd Rust, J. A. Messer, George Berlin, Arch Fry, Mary Jolly, A. W. Salter, S. T. Caudle and W. T. Reece.

The announcement of the death of L. W. McLaughlin in Bellevue, Texas, last Friday was read with regret by many friends and business associates in this city, where the family has lived for a number of years. His death, however, was not unexpected as he had been very sick for several weeks and had moved to Bellevue only a short time previous to his passing. Mr. McLaughlin was a prominent oil promoter and well known here and in Wichita Falls. He was survived by a wife and three children.

Miss Mary Carper, night operator for the telephone company, and her small sister were run down by a car a few nights ago driven by J. E. Carrington. The accident was unavoidable as the woman and child were walking on the highway pavement and Mr. Carrington was blinded by an approaching car and did not see the ladies in time to avoid them. Both were painfully but not dangerously hurt, though they were confined to their rooms for several days.

Jamie Heron, the noted Scotch humorist and business men's post gave an entertainment and lecture in Burkburnett under the auspices of the Rotary club Friday night.

In the tennis tournaments of the Wichita County Inter-scholastic meet held recently in Burkburnett the Maxwell Hardware prizes were awarded to Jewel Riley among the boy's singles and Miss Irene Grimes of the girl's singles. Both were pupils of the Burkburnett schools, and each received beautiful sweaters.

Four churches of Burkburnett, Methodist, Baptist, Christian and Presbyterian, will begin a special pre-Easter revival service next Sunday continuing throughout the week.

Mrs. H. C. Harris was hostess to the Maids' and Matrons' club at the last meeting where the husbands and young men friend were special guests.

The party, too, the form of an Easter celebration, and following the games of bridge, a fitting refreshment course was served to the following:

Misses Eunice Jordan, Ealein Word, Weltha McClain, Lilla Majors, Winnie Jean Waldroup, Cora Knauth, Agnes Grannell, Geraldine Parker, Mesdames Saxe, Gleason, the honor guests were, R. B. Saxe, Milton Gleason, D. Lormachell, J. Moore, H. S. Dubose, J. T. Miller, G. I. Townsend, Lacie McKinsie, H. C. Harris and I. E. Records.

The last business session of the Wednesday Needle club met in the home of Mrs. O. E. Melton on the Prairie lease north of the city who also opened the meeting, as president of the organization.

Among other plans the Easter party for the husbands of the members at the home of Mrs. A. J. Keys, featured the discussion, and it was decided to have the party Friday, April 11th. Various committees were appointed to take charge of the plans and at the close of the business session all enjoyed a social hour which was concluded with a refreshment course served to the following guests Mesdames J. L. Boase, A. J. Keys, J. D. Majors, E. C. Pewitt, M. E. Printzing, W. T. Spicer, E. W. Windham and J. S. Mills.

The next regular meeting of the club will be with Mrs. E. C. Pewitt, 203 West Fourth street.

The following new officers were elected for the church year beginning this month in the Light Bearers Missionary organization in the Presbyterian church: President, Melba Berry; vice-president, Anne Smith; secretary, Francis Butts; treasurer, Vivian Jetton.

AUXILIARY MEET.

The Woman's auxiliary met in regular monthly business session Monday at the Presbyterian church with Mrs. H. A. Brooks the president in the chair.

Following the devotional opening and reading of the minutes by the secretary, Mrs. Fred Ford, the treasurer reported all payments made on the piano all other obligations met and a neat balance in the bank.

It was voted that the organization should buy a communion set for the church and a committee was appointed to make the purchase.

Mrs. E. M. Deevers was welcomed as a new member of the society.

Others present were Mesdames Ford, Hoffman, Gill, George Hood, C. O. Irby, J. H. Exley, Sadler, Blake Browning, W. H. Hood, H. H. Spencer, Stemple and Brooks.

The next meeting will be a Bible study program led by Mrs. Brooks.

DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Home Demonstration club recently organized by the county demonstrator, Miss Georgia Langford, will be known as the Harding club. The last meeting of the members were entertained by Mrs. J. C. Reel and a splendid social and industrial time reported.

Hot bread was made and dainty little short cakes which were served as refreshments with hot chocolate.

Four new members were enrolled making in all a roster of 21 names in the club. Those present this week were Mesdames Ramsey, Richardson, Cline, Truesdale, Knauth, Deisher, Patton, Mahoney, Madden, McCreary, Parker, Misses Jewel Moody, Ann Smith and Smoker.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. B. Madden, April 18th, when the uses and alternation of paper patterns will be taught.

Any lady who is interested will be welcomed to come to this meeting.

NEEDLE CLUB.

The Wednesday Needle club was entertained this week by Mrs. E. C. Pewitt on West Fourth street where the hours were given over to needle work and conversational exchange. During the session two new names were added to the membership: Mrs S. G. Cruse and Mrs. J. T. Caffee.

Dainty refreshments were served to the following guests: Mesdames J. L. Boase, C. R. Sabatone, O. E. Melton, A. J. Keys, Joe Majors, J. S. Mills, M. E. Printzing, E. W. Windham, W. T. Spicer, J. L. Caffee, S. G. Cruse, E. C. Pewitt the hostess and two visitors, Mrs. A. L. Paschall and Mrs. R. C. Elder.

The next meeting of the Wednesday club will be with Mrs. M. E. Printzing 511 East Fifth street.

WOMAN IS PASTOR OF CHURCH FOR THREE DECADES



Mrs. William Finlay Dudman

Mrs. William Findlay Dudman is the widow of a clergyman and circuit rider and has herself ridden the circuit and occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church at Towanda, Illinois, for the last thirty years. This is believed to be the longest pastorate of any woman in the country.

After her marriage to the Rev. Mr. Dudman, Mrs. Dudman became so much interested in his work that she decided to become a minister too. She entered a theological school, received the necessary training, and was duly ordained, and has occupied a pulpit regularly ever since.

Mrs. Dudman gives the same time and energy to her work that a man should give and sees no reason why women should not be pastors as well as school teachers. She has been a widow since 1922, and has been a familiar figure over the central Illinois circuit for three decades and is regarded as one of the most successful pastors of the Central Illinois conference.

LOCAL LOBBIES

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M. M. Miller, El Dorado, Ark; J. A. Taylor, Dallas; W. P. Rosenberg, Rochester, N. Y.; B. O. O'Brien, Dallas; H. S. Morgan, Dallas; M. E. Yeager, St. Louis; J. W. Henderson, Herbert Brin, C. E. Doss, Wm. H. Dwyer, A. P. Minchew and wife, E. W. Wickerson, Dallas; T. R. Lott, Eastland; J. E. Lievsang, J. H. Becker, Dallas; J. A. Wilson, Tulsa; W. M. Lourey, Fort Worth; Mrs. E. A. Arnett, Oklahoma City; T. E. Shopp, Oklahoma City; M. B. Hall, Dallas; C. B. McCartney, Oklahoma City; Charles K. White, New York City; R. E. Palmer, St. Louis; Phil Hawley, Dallas; W. R. Rogers, Fort Worth; H. L. Edwards, Houston; J. H. Malloy, New York City; R. L. Benson, Oklahoma City; W. A. Belstrowe, Houston; A. M. Gildersleeve, Denver; Claud Bell and wife, Dallas; G. W. Hailey, Fort Worth; R. S. Cambaugh, Dallas; J. M. Wells, Dallas; S. R. Hard, Fort Worth; Grace Renninger, Lancaster, Pa.; H. R. Grant, Dallas; George P. Carney, Chicago; H. D. Steed, Chicago; E. J. Mathews and wife and children, Dallas.

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Mike McNamara, Fort Worth; R. S. MacMurray, Houston; J. H. Strahn, Walla Walla Washington; R. T. Sullivan, Amarillo; W. N. Holdwin, Oklahoma City; A. C. Barnhart, Springfield, Mo.; G. T. Morris and wife, city; A. D. Davis, Fort Worth; T. C. Rodgers, Fort Worth; C. B. Mosier, Oklahoma City; F. L. Cox, Dallas; M. G. Cox, Cameron; Theo Hardin and wife, Megargle; F. B. Severana, Parsons, Kansas; G. F. Warren, Dallas; V. R. Griffing, Bowie; W. M. Walteig, Dallas; Warren Lee, Dallas; E. D. Johnson, Petrolia; Myra Dertruan, St. Paul; S. C. Steel, Denver; M. J. Amster, Dallas; E. M. Mournsand, Dallas; H. T. Ballard, Fort Worth.

Bowie News

DEARMORE-OVERSTREET

The many friends of Miss Gladys Dearmore and Mr. Fred Overstreet, formerly of Bowie were indeed surprised to hear of their wedding which took place in Decatur Saturday, April 5. The wedding was quietly solemnized at the Decatur Baptist parsonage, Rev. R. E. Bell, formerly pastor of the First Baptist church of Bowie, and an old time friend of the young couple, officiated at the wedding. Immediately afterwards the young couple came to Bowie on a visit to relatives and friends.

The bride is a very popular young lady and has many friends here and in Fort Worth, where she has resided for the past five years. Mr. Overstreet is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Overstreet of this city. They have a host of friends who congratulate and wish them much happiness.

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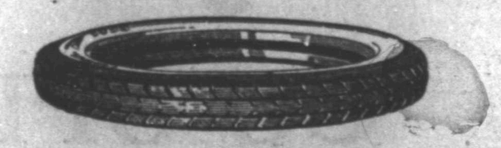
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NEWS AND PERSONALS

VISITOR HONORED.

Mrs. Petrie Hamilton of New Orleans who was formerly Miss Irene Branham of this city, who is the popular guest in the home of Mayor and Mrs. J. A. Britain, was honored with a six o'clock tea Sunday evening, giving Mrs. Hamilton an opportunity to meet old time friends.

The evening was spent in an informal way, conversation of by-gone days being enjoyed very much. Mrs. Britain was assisted in her pleasant duties by Mrs. Tom Craddock, Mrs. T. J. Bolger who served the guests with a salad plate and ice course, while Miss Lina Davidson poured tea. Attending were Messrs. and Mesdames Alva Hill, Tom Craddock, T. J. Bolger, N. P. Mitchell, Charlie Caldwell, Joe Wheat, W. T. Britton, W. R. Lee, J. S. Shultz, Mesdames I. W. Dalton, Z. E. Jenkins, Petrie Hamilton, Georgia Lasater, Mother Albright, Miss Lucile Rupe and Miss Lina Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Britton were hostesses Monday evening with a six o'clock dinner, honoring an old time friend, Mrs. Petrie Hamilton of New Orleans. The table appointments of silver, cut glass, linen and spring flowers, made a pretty setting for the lovely four-course dinner which consisted of roast turkey and the accessories.

Those enjoying this hospitality were Messrs. and Mesdames Ed Craddock, N. P. Mitchell, J. A. Britain, D. B. Daugherty, Miss Lina Davidson, and Nicholas Mitchell.

Members of the senior class of 1924 put on a play Tuesday evening entitled "Love Pirates," at the grade school building, entertaining a large and appreciative audience, the proceeds to be used by the Athletic association. This play reflects much credit on the part of the seniors, also the directors. Those taking part were: Misses Aline Humphreys, John Bess Howe, Pauline Knox, Ana Lee Blevins, Eula Chapman, Lou Farmer, Connie Adkins, Nina Avery, Alma Chapman, Winnie Cooper, Florence Cooper, Beryl Howe, Lila Glasscock, Lois Longly, Mina Lou McLarty, Lillian Posey, Opal Quillen, Jeanette Smith Anna Lena Wirz, Nettie Warren, Bess Armstrong, Misses Sherill Bal lew, Vernon Nichols, Virgil Gore, Carl Quisenberry, Parks Brown, Eugene Tolson, Eddie Syptak, Joe Zach Easley, Truman Holcomb.

Radio Program

Program for April 16, courtesy of Radio Digest (By Associated Press):

WGR Buffalo (319) 5:30, music; 6:30, news; 8, concert, 10:30, dance.

WMAQ Chicago Daily News, (447.5) 7, story; 7:30, lecture; 8:40, orchestra. 9, talks; 9:15, program.

WGN Chicago Tribune (370) 7-11, addresses, music.

KYW Chicago (536) 6:45, bedtime; 7:30, concert; 8, musical; 9, talks; 10-2 a. m., revue.

WDAP Chicago (360) 7-8, ensemble, quintet; 10, artists, orchestra.

WLW Cincinnati (309) 7:15, musical play; 8, talk; 8:15, choir; 8:45, talk; 9, orchestra.

WBAV Columbus (390) 11 a. m., music, news.

WFAA Dallas News (476) 12:30-1 p. m., musical.

WOC Davenport (484) 6:30, sandman; 8, musical.

WWJ Detroit News (517) 6, newsboy's band, Jackson, Mich., vocal.

WCX Detroit (517) 5, concert; 7, music.

WTAS Elgin (286) 8:30-12, Guyon's orchestra, musical.

WBAP Fort Worth Star Telegram (476) 7:30-10:45, concert.

WOS Jefferson City (440.9) 8, address. 8:20, barn dance.

WDAF Kansas City Star (411) 8:0:15, classical concert; 11:45-1 a. m., Nighthawks.

KFI Los Angeles (460) 8:45, stories; 10-1 a. m., orchestra, vocal.

KHJ Los Angeles (395) 8:45, children; 10, orchestra, talk.

WHAS Louisville Journal (400) 7:30-9, solos, readings, talks.

WHA Madison (300) 7:30, farm talk.

WGI Medford Hillside (360) 6:30, program; 7, message to Camp Fire Girls.

WLAG Minneapolis-St. Paul (417) 7:30, lecture; 9:30, Exchange club musical; 9:15, business message; 10:45, dance.

WBAH Minneapolis (417) 7, lecture.

WJZ New York (455) 6, bedtime; 6:30, music; 7, dance; 7:45, soprano; 8, talk. 8:15, jazz pianist; 8:30 glee club; 9:30, dance.

WEAF New York (492) 6, synagogue; 6:50, talk; 7, Columbia university; 7:20, music; 9, band.

KLX Oakland (509) 10-12, studio.

WAAW Omaha (360) 3-9, educational.

WFI Philadelphia (395) 5, talk; 5:30, orchestra.

WOO Philadelphia (509) 6:30-9, orchestra.

WDAR Philadelphia (395) 6:30-9:10 talk, orchestra.

WIP Philadelphia (509) 3:05, orchestra; 6, talk.

KDKA Pittsburgh (326) 5:15, concert; 6:15, talk; 6:30, Wendall Hall; 7, United Synagogue of Amer.; 7:30, Spanish music.

WCAE Pittsburgh (492) 5:30, concert. 6:30, Sunshine Girl; 6:45, theatrical review; 7:30, musical.

KGW Portland (492) 10, concert; 11, talk; 12, dance.

KFAE Pullman (330) 6:30, talk; music.

KFOA Seattle (455) 10:30, orchestra.

WGY Schenectady (380) 5:30, adventure.

WBZ Springfield (337) 5, concert; 6:30, beidtime; 6:40, musical; 7:30, National Republican club.

KSD St. Louis Post Distpatch (546) 6:30, concert; 9, studio; 11:30, dance.

WRC Washington (469) 5, children.

Bowie News
MUSICAL PROGRAM

The Sunday musical sponsored by the Parent-Teachers association will be held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Baptist church and will consist of numbers given by the faculty of the public school. The program follows:

Opening chorus, school faculty; talk, Professor C. W. Walker; piano solo, Miss Azile Smyth: reading, Miss Grace McCloud; vocal solo, Miss Jimmay Norman; vocal duet, Misses McCloud and Phillips; piano solo, Mrs. Vessa Maxwell; vocal solo, Miss Winnie Rice; readings (a) and (b), Mrs. Elena Kent Allen: vocal solo, Miss Azile Smyth; closing chorus, faculty.

P. T. A.

The Parent-Teachers association met Tuesday afternoon. At the business meeting it was voted to place concrete curbs around the grounds. Miss Smyth was appointed chairman of the May Fete program. It was announced that officers would be elected at the next meeting for the coming school year.

METHODIST WOMEN

The Woman's class of the Methodist Sunday school which is taught by Mrs. P. H. Boddy was entertained at the home of Mrs. J. W. Douthett Friday evening. A program consisting of readings by Mrs. Ellena Kent Allen, Miss Virginia Myers and piano solo by Troy Douthett, Jr., and a contest was given after which a salad course was served to Mesdames P. H. Boddy, W. K. Millsapp, Glenn Younger, A. L. Mallick, Grover Thaxton, J. W. Young, W. C. Howell, H. H. Whitmire, R. Borgerman, E. J. Huddleston, F. A. Carr, Ellena Kent Allen, Sr. Anthony, Myers, C. B. McDonald, R. Dugger, Misses Jennie Marberry, Ida Hassell and Naomi Bradley.

MAIDS AND MATRONS

Mrs. J. O. Gililland was hostess to the Maids and Matrons Bridge club Tuesday afternoon with Mesdames Harold Womack of Alpine and Dick Gililland of Rush Springs, Oklahoma, as honor guests. At the close of the games, Mrs. W. H. Myers was presented with high score prize. A two course lunch was served to Mesdames A. B. Staggs, R. C. Green, W. H. Myers, M. M. Alexander, Harold Womack, Dick Gililland, Misses Lumay McGlasson, Bennie McGlasson, Mabel Edwards, Dorothy Bear, Cora Neville, Lennie Mangum and Maud Edwards.

Miss Mary Sue Orton, teacher of the sixth grade in the public schools, entertained her pupils with a tacky party at the home of Mrs. May Puckett Thursday evening from 6 to 9. Refreshments were served to about 40 guests.

BAPTIST WOMEN

The Baptist Woman's Union met Monday afternoon in a lesson study with Mrs. G. P. Jones as leader. At the business meeting a bakery sale was planned to help defray the expenses of putting a curbing around the parking.

TUESDAY CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kelly entertained the Tuesday Night club this week at their home. Decorations indicative of the Easter season were used with rabbits for tallies and chickens for plate favors. Nine tables were arranged for "42" and an ice course was served to Mesdames and Messrs. Barlow Weaver, G. W. McNiell, A. L. Mallick, C. L. Snearley, Elmer Eaton, J. H. Jones, W. H. Cook, W. J. Mangum, Grover Thaxton, Ben Nutter, J. W. Marberry, Dick Hodge, W. B. Allen, Dr. and Mrs. Albert Greer, Mr. and Mrs. N. Snearly, Mesdames J. A. Ashenhurst, Elena Kent Allen, Jack McKenzie, Misses Grace McCloud, Ida Hassell, Etta Pickens, Messrs. Lem Ashenhurst, and J. T. Goggins.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN

The Missionary society of the Christian church met Friday afternoon with Mrs. M. B. Powell as leader. Those taking part on the program were Mesdames W. L. Mount, A. P. Jones and J. S. Dickey. At the business meeting an all day prayer service was planned for the Friday preceding Easter Sunday. Also a market and bazaar was planed to take place on April 19th. A letter was read from the Missionary society of Wichita Falls Christian church inviting the members to attend an all-day meeting the seventh at which time "Mother" Ross would speak.

COUNTY P. T. A. MEET.

The County Parent-Teachers association met last Saturday, April 5, at Nocona. It was reported a good crowd from all parts of the county attended the meeting. Mrs. Clark Hood of Nocona had charge of the program. Those from Bowie taking part on the program were Mrs. Harry Karlsberg, who rendered a beautiful piano solo and Miss Inez Rudy gave one of her lovely vocal solos accompanied at the piano by Miss Catherine Custis.

Bowie was represented at the meeting by Supt. H. W. Kuhn, Miss Annie Wilson, Mesdames Jud Watson, R. C. Cady, R. Allred, D. Calaway, Harry Karlsberg, F. W. Custis, Worsham Whitman, L. H. Angove, Misses Inez Rudy, Elizabeth Davis, Catherine Custis and Fred Custis.

The next meeting of the P. T. A. will be held at Saint Jo, April 28.

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HER TALE OF SLAYING ADMIRER IS CAUSING JEALOUSY IN KILLERS' ROW



Mrs. Beulah Annan.

CHICAGO, April 8.—There now are six women in murderers' row in the Cook county jail. But the story of the latest arrival puts her in a class by herself.

When Harry Kolsedt, 29, went calling on Mrs. Beulah Annan in the absence of her husband, she began teasing him about another admirer of hers, regaling him with stories of her affairs with him so convincing that Harry started to leave. Then, she told police, she realized that Harry could never come back, so she shot and killed him.

Then, for three or four hours, while the phonograph merrily ground out jazz records, she held the head of the dead man in her lap, kissing his chilling lips and weeping. Finally she decided to telephone her husband, to whom Kolstedt was a complete stranger, and tell him about it. He brought police.

Household Hints

FROM SOUP TO DESSERT SPINACH LOAF

Here is a tempting way to serve spinach and ham together. The spinach must be washed, drained and cooked until tender in an enameled are saucepan, so that it will not be discolored. Drain it thoroughly and chop it very fine. For each pint of cooked spinach use two tablespoonfuls of butter, the yolk of one egg, a teaspoonful of salt, and a sprinkling of pepper and paprika. Next arrange the spinach in an enameled ware baking pan with alternate layers of finely chopped ham, the top layer being of spinach. Scatter grated cheese over the top, and brown in a hot oven. It may be served in the same dish in which it is cooked and garnished with slices of pimento.

POT ROAST OF BEEF WITH CRANBERRIES

Fruit with meat is not only pleasing to the taste, but wholesome for the acids in the fruit aid in the digestion of the meat, and add valuable mineral and fibrous elements to the dish in which the meat alone is deficient. We are all familiar with such meat and fruit dishes as roast pork and apple sauce, and roast duck with jelly. This is a new combination with the same merits.

Use a three-pound piece of brisket that is not too fat. Wipe the meat, flour it lightly and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Brown it in a little fat, searing it all over. Cook a pint of cranberries in a pint of water until very soft. Use an enameled ware saucepan for this purpose, as it is not affected by the acid of the fruit and does not discolor it. Rub the berries through a sieve and sweeten them slightly. If very thick, add enough water to make a thin puree, cook for a few minutes, then add the meat and simmer gently until tender. The cranberries will form a thick sauce which is served with the meat in place of gravy.

CHOCOLATE COVERED FIGS

This toothsome and wholesome confection comes from New Orleans, and is especially to be recommended for children, because it satisfies the craving for sweets with a food that is digestible, nutritious and has a tonic effect on the system.

The figs should first be steamed until them are very tender. This may be done conveniently in an enameled ware steamer with a removable rack. When the figs have cooled remove the soft centers and chop this portion fine with a few nuts and candied fruits. Fill the figs with this misture and dip them in unsweetened chocolate which has been melted in an enameled ware double boiler. The chocolate coating will keep the figs soft and moist for a considerable time.

FRENCH ONION SOUP

Winter is the season for thick soups, and this one which, with a liberal chunk of bread, makes a whole meal for the Breton peasant, is especially good. Peel four large onions and two carrots. The onions should be chopped fine, and the carrots diced. Put them into an enameled ware saucepan with three tablespoonfuls of butter and saute them until the onions are well browned. Use a quarter teaspoonful of salt. Add a quart of water and boil for two hours, adding more water as it boils away. This soup should be served with a slice of bread in each plate.

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DICKEY AND BRIDGES CONVENTION HEADS

Special to The Record News.

HENRIETTA, Tex., April 15.—Judge J. S. Dickey and Wainwright Bridges will be in Wichita Falls Saturday as delegates from Clay county to attend the District Centennial meet. Mayor T. K. Howard and O. T. Liles were selected as alternates.

CLAY ROAD BOND SALE IS MONDAY

Special to The Record News.

HENRIETTA, Tex., April 15.—Next Monday the $575,000 road bonds for Clay county will be sold, according to County Judge J. F. Vaden. The bonds have been duly advertised, and this marks the end of the Clay county road controversy covering 14 months.

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NEFF OR M'ADOO IS THE QUERY NOW IN TEXAS

Writer Reviews Activities Of McAdoo Recently

NEFF CHALLENGED

Says Neff Has Always Won Against Hard Opposition

HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD.

William Gibbs McAdoo made a whirlwind campaign of Texas. He swept down from the west upon the city of Amarillo where the railway brotherhoods were in session and addressed an audience of four thousand gathered from Potter county and the surrounding territory. He won a vote of endorsement from the brotherhoods. He made a flying trip to Oklahoma where he addressed large audiences in two cities and then hastened to Fort Worth, the home of William A. Hanger, said to be the craftiest of all Texas politicians. There another audience of four thousand greeted the Californian for presidential honors. It was in the city of Fort Worth that McAdoo hurled a challenge of defiance to the governor of Texas in these words:

"I hold in high esteem and great respect the progressive governor of Texas, Pat M. Neff. We have fought side by side for woman's suffrage and for prohibition and for other progressive democratic measures. It is with profound regret that I learn that the governor does not favor an instructed delegation from Texas to the New York convention. I feel that he and I have the same objective in the fight we are making for progressive democracy but I am convinced that the course he proposes might contribute to a victory of the reactionary and wet elements in the democratic party. I know that Governor Neff would deplore this as much as I do."

This challenge was hurled at Neff [illegible] McAdoo had held a conference [illegible] B. Love, Marshal Hicks [illegible] politicians of Fort [illegible] The ladies' club at [illegible] McAdoo speaking [illegible] the house [illegible] a resolution [illegible] of the number [illegible] adopted by [illegible] maining in the auditorium [illegible] Texas should send a delegation of forty to the national convention instructed for McAdoo. And then the run was made to Dallas, the home town of Love and the headquarters of Cato Sells.

There was a thousand ginners in session. Dr. E. B. Blalock, president of the ginners, introduces McAdoo who made a talk along his usual lines. Blalock announced that Neff was his first and McAdoo his second choice. Then came the meeting at the Coliseum where seven thousand men and women heard the McAdoo speech.

Senator John Davis introduced a resolution calling for an instructed McAdoo delegation and those who were for McAdoo voted for its adoption. Then came another train run to the city of Houston where Col. Thomas H. Ball officiated as master of ceremonies and where another large audience greeted the California contender. It was in the Bayou City that the Californian gave out the following for the edification of the newspaper reporters:

"I stand four square with respect to this (the ku klux klan) and all orders and organizations on the immutable guarantees of liberty contained in the first amendment to the constitution of the United States, namely freedom of religious worship, freedom of speech, freedom of he press and the right of peaceable assembly."

WHAT THEY DID.

Contender McAdoo first used this statement in Georgia and it has been his answer everywhere to all klan questions. Then the McAdoo party, guided by Messrs. Love and Hicks made the run to San Antonio where the McAdoo drive closed. It was the intention of the Californian to return to Los Angeles by way of El Paso but his Chicago managers kept the wires hot urging him to abandon the home schedule and visit Chicago without delay.

Boss Brennan had overwhelmed the McAdoo people in the Illinois primary and the McAdoo people were yelling "fraud and corruption" at the top of their voices. Also they advised him that some delegates might be picked up in Missouri and Michigan and that it would be necessary for him to go to Oregon where there were danger signals flying on account of religious and racial prejudices which had entered into the campaign.

For weeks and weeks Cato Sells has been advising his close friends that McAdoo needed no organization work in Texas as blocs of voters would go to him en-masse. A wily politician is this noted former federal office holder.

After the departure of McAdoo from the state, on Sunday morning W. L. Thornton of Dallas, member of the state democratic executive committee made a savage attack upon Governor Neff declaring that Neff "has placed himself squarely in line with Brennan, Murphy and the other bosses of the party." Moreover Thornton said that the democracy of this state can not afford to trust his leadership and judgment in the selection of the candidate of our party. He concluded his assault upon the governor as follows:

"Democrats of Texas should view with alarm any attempt upon the part of Governor Neff or anyone else to send an uninstructed delegation to New York. Texas democrats are capable of making up their minds and the Texas delegation in the convention should be sent instructed in order that it may not be used as a football by the bosses."

According to the political gossipers of Dallas Mr. Thornton is a prominent leader of the klan and may be a candidate for the seat in congress held for many years by Representative Hatton W. Summers. Four years ago Pat M. Neff was a candidate for the democratic nomination for governor led the fight in Texas for the Wilson policies, prohibition enforcement, equal suffrage and all economic relief measures for the productive forces of national life.

Tom Love was opposed to his nomination for governor; all the Dallas politicians of the hour opposed his nomination for governor; William A. Hanger and his lieutenants opposed his nomination. Almost to a man with the exception of Marshal Hicks they fought the nomination of Neff in a last ditch fight.

Neff won. He won a renomination. Now he has launched his drive for a delegation instructed as to principle and policies alone and the contest should be as sharp and as exciting and as acrimonious as it was four years ago. While Williiam Gibbs McAdoo and his Texas lieutenants were thundering against Neff, Josephus Daniels who as secretary of the navy saved the oil reserves from the spoilers for eight long years, thundered as follows in the city of Waco:

"Pat Neff is one of the finest governors in the United States. Any man who makes a good governor should make a fine president. I think Pat Neff would make a fine president."

Politics is a fine old game. To quote from the vocabulary of the lamented Gallagher, "Let 'er roll." Pat Neff is on the road again.

Scout Camp Board Considering Places For Permanent Site

Because of the distance from Wichita Falls and other cities located in the council, in all probability the offer of Jacksboro, Texas, to move the Boy Scout camp to a place near that city will be rejected, according to reports from scout officials who visited the campsite Tuesday.

"The site is ideal for a camping place," Frank B. Creighton, scout executive, said Tuesday night following his return from Jacksboro, "but the distance from Electra which will send 50 scouts to summer camp is 106 miles; it is 78 miles from Seymour from which 85 scouts will go on summer camp, and it is at inconvenient distances from other places in the council.

"Trucks will have to bring the food to the scouts from this city, and the distance to the camp site cannot be covered, conveniently."

Those who went with Mr. Creighton were P. A. Rogers, chairman of the camp committee, I. H. Roberts, president of the council, and James Lyles.

California has its eye on the Cincinnati Reds' infield for Sam Bohne, Pinelli, Caveney, Fonseca and a newcomer named Begley all hail from the land that is supposed to have the most perfect weather.

'Patents Granted

Washington Bureau,
Record News.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The following patents have been granted Texas, the commissioner of patents announced.

Richard A. Ainsa, El Paso, receptacle rain; David T. Austin, Houston, road surfacing machine; Emeterio Avalos, El Paso, emergency axle for automobiles; Robert W. Castor, Beaumont, pouring device for separating milk and cream; Robert F. Cullen, San Antonio, automobile bumper; Claude E. R. Davis, San Antonio, film and plate magazine for cameras; William F. Hester, Tascosa, wire spreader; Ross Hickman, Oklannion, boll weevil catcher; William S. Hood, light shield for automobiles; Ose A. Miller, Houston, packing; Clarence E. Reed, Houston, deep well drilling aparatus; Ennis E. Sherrill, Dalhart, hot box cooler; Joseph H. Spitler, Houston, spear; Jimmie Sledge, Smithville, combination outer garment; Thomas S. Watson, Electra, tool fo rfitting pistons in position; Earl V. Bateman, Ballinger, phonograph; Fred L. Bronson, Wichita Falls, mop; John H. Devipi, Cleveland, drag spreader; Joseph M. Mull, Houston, striker and jointer; Louis T. Murrah, Dallas, automobile tire lock; John H. Robinson, El Paso, insector of caster; Sanders P. Shell, Van Alystyne, boll weevil exterminator; Benjamin F. Waldron, Mexia, well mechanism.

SCOTT STREET HERE MAGAZINE FRONT

Publicity for Wichita Falls continues tot go abroad. The Portland Cement association has used for the front cover design of its latest booklet a picture of Scott avenue, with a cutline of "Scott Street, Wichita Falls, Texas, concretet paved in 1915." According to information received in a letter from Charles A. Clark, district engineer of the Portland Cement association, with headquarters at Dallas, the booklet is given wide distribution by all the district offices of the association west of the Mississippi river.

4 PROMINENT LOCAL BOYS PAY FINES FOR VIOLATING GAME LAWS

By The Associated Press.

MIAMI, Tex., April 15.—Joe Kell, son of Frank Kell, wealthy financier of Wichita Falls, Jim Williams, John Duncan and Carl B. Stringer, all of Wichita Falls, were fined a total of $267.60, including costs in county court here today on charges of having killed a female deer and several prairie chickens out of season. The defendants did not appear but entered pleas of guilty, through counsel.

MAN INJURED IN DERRICK IMPROVING

J. W. Colle of Holliday is in the General hospital here being treated for injuries received Monday afternoon when a derrick which he was jacking up fell upon him, bruising his body severely. He was brought by a Hines ambulance to the local hospital where he was reported resting well last night.

VET, ASSAILS I. & G. N. MERGE

Says Younger Generation Is Trying to Do Away With The Old

Austin Bureau
Record News.

AUSTIN, Texas, April 15.—The younger generation is apparently trying to "brush aside" the old, Capt. George A. Wright, 78, of Palestine, told the Gulf Coast Lines-I.-G.N. merger hearing while on the stand Monday, the first witness in presenting Palestine's objections to the merger.

In a voluntary statement, which Commissioner Walter Splawn declined to cut off, on protest of Gulf Coast attorneys, Captain Wright, who proved an unusual witness, with a keen memory of every incident in narrating Palestine's sacrifices to get and keep the L.-G. N. general offices and shops, he criticised the chamber of commerce traffic man, previous witness, for apparently "villifying" the laws and constitution of the state.

"As I looked on the face of our honored and honest former governor, Sayers," he declared, "and on the pictures of Reagan, Hogg and others, I had to bow my head in shame for that young man's villifying the constitution and laws those good men wrote, I thought of my affection for Reagan as another witness was willing to override the laws. I wonder why they sent for Judge Freeman, at New Orleans. He violated the statutes by moving the offices to Houston. I was in hopes we had got rid of him."

Captain Wright threw the hearing in a commotion when he attacked the statement of Former Receiver Fay of the L.G.N. that the road needed a "stepfather."

"What is a stepfather?" Captain Wright propounded; "A man who hunts up a rich widow with a few children, a man who is shrewd, and marries her. He beats up the children, spends all the money and gets a divorce.

"Mr. Fyeatt over here doesn't look like he'd make a good stepfather. He looks like he would make a good grandfather.

"I say, let the L.G.N. alone and it will make money and get along without a godfather, stepfather or grandfather.

"What the L.G.N. needs is a great big daddy up there at Palestipe, with all his official children gathered around him there."

He traced the earliest negotiations, when John H. Reagan carried a $150,000 bond issue, turned the proceeds over to the Houston-Great Northern, forerunner of the L.G.N., to induce building here; gave lands and buildings, and in later years, the railroad was exempted from all taxation. Several times the L.G.N. moved its shops and offices to Palestine, only to remove them again, he said. After the Cherokee county judgment they moved back in a hurry, he said; but later, all the offices were transferred to Houston. During railroad administration by the government, Palestine turned over its new four-story hotel, costing $150,000, for general offices. The road is not now acting in good faith, despite judgments, he declared.

Captain Wright attacked testimony of Receiver Fay, saying the road was in worse condition after his administration and before, and if the money spent in giving him extra compensation and in paying attorneys' fees for bringing "worthless suits" to evade the shop and office judgment law had been spent on improvements, the railroad would have had the finest rolling stock and best equipment of any in the country. Palestine has spent $100,000 in lawyers' fees defending suits of the railroad to evade carrying out the agreement, he said.

Frank Andrws, counsel for the railroad, declined to cross-examine Captain Wright, saying that the Palestine shop suits had no bearing on the purchase of stock, since the Gulf Coast lines agreed to carry out all binding contracts.

A formula has been recently discovered by which a factory in Bohemia makes what is said to be practically unbreakable glass.

BISHOP BOAZ

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as to think of exhausting God's infinite love. We may as well think of the fish consuming the water of the sea or the flowers exhausting the sunshine as to talk about human beings exhausting God's love.

Is Immeasureable.

God's love is immeasureable. It is as broad as the human family. "God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everiasting life." It is as long as eternity, for the Psalmist says, "The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting upon them that fear him, and his righteousness unto their children's children." It is as high as heaven and as deep as hell. God is everywhere, and whevere He is, He is love. We are in the midst of an immeasureable and infinite love. It is too high for the wing of the strongest archangel and too deep for the line of his plummet. The story of God's love cannot be told in song or sermon. It cannot be written in prose or poem. It cannot be painted on canvas or carved in marble.

"Could we with ink the ocean fill,
And were the skies of parchment made,
And every blade of grass a quill,
And every man a scribe,
To write the love of God above
Would drain the ocean dry;
Nor could the scroll contain the whole
Though stretched from sky to sky."

Could we place Jacob's ladder at the foot of this pulpit tonight and mount that ladder rung by rung until we stood in the presence of the Son of God himself, and asked the question, "How much does God love poor, fallen humanity?" His only answer could be: "God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten son that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." Is there any man or woman in this congregation tonight whose heart is so hard that it will resist the wooings of this infinite love? The great loving Christ stands at the door of your heart and knocks for admission now. Will you let him in? Will you surrender to this God of love?

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank those who so helpfully assisted during the illness and death of our beloved father, J. H. Crabtree, and express our appreciation of the consolation of friends during the hours of bereavement. Especially do we want to thank those neighbors and friends who bestowed such beautiful floral offerings.

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Mary Pickford's new pictures are always eagerly looked for. One may not think that she is the greatest screen's actress in the world but her pictures are always well done, she can always be depended upon to look pretty and to act acceptably, and for the rest she is always "our Mary," "America's Sweetheart"—secure in our affection.

Her forthcoming picture, "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall," will be shown in Cleveland, O., the week beginning Easter Sunday, April 20th, preceding its New York run. We are promised unusually good entertainment even for Mary's pictures, which, as we said before, are always delightful. Mary's feats of horseback riding are marvellous and you can see from the picture how lovely she looks.

Clare Eames (below) plays Queen Elizabeth, Estelle Taylor, Mary Stuart, while Allan Forrest plays the lover and his wife (Lottie Pickford, you know), is Mary's or Dorothy's, rather, maid.

Picture Closes Today.

"Daughters of Today," a story of the younger generation, is now playing at the Strand. The story deals with the adventures of a young girl who leaves her home in the country to go away to college. Arriving there she gets in with the wrong crowd, the gambling drinking set, and pursues her gay and thoughtless way to the distress of her parents. Finally, after a series of adventures, culminating in murder, the picture leads to a satisfying ending. The cast is headed by Patsy Ruth Miller, star of the "Hunchback of Notre Dame," and Ralph Graves, featured with Marion Davies in the latest Cosmopolitan film, "Yolanda." In their support appear Zasu Pitts, Phil McCullough, Edna Murphy, Phillips Smalley, George Nichols and Gertrude Claire.

Adolph Menjou will play second male lead in Corinne Griffith's next picture for First National, "For Sale." In "A Woman of Paris," "The Marriage Circle," and Thos. H. Ince's drama of the South Seas, "The Marriage Cheat," Menjou has had three fine chances for a character actor and he has certainly made good in all of them.

Member Henry B. Wathall, the "Little Colonel" of "The Birth of a Nation?" and Madame Sul-Te-Wan, the colored actress in the same production whose scene showing contempt for the white race was so good? They are reunited in a recent screen production, "The Woman on the Jury," which features Sylvia Breamer, Madame Sul-Te-Wan's mother, a typical southern mammy, nursed Henry Walthall when he was a baby.

Sidney Chaplin, Mary Carr, Frank Mayo and Phyllis Haver will support Colleen Moore in "The Perfect Flapper. 'Nufsed.

Several overseas men who became addicted to the use of narcotics during the World war are patients at the Reid Foundation hospital established by Mrs. Wallace Reid in Los Angeles. A new cure for drug addiction called the DuBrey cure is being tried out and is said to neutralize all opium in the system.

Scotty, George Fitzmaurice's airdale, plays a part in "Cythera." He had to get into bed with Mickey Moore, and in order to prevent discovery, he was pushed down under the covers and was in imminent danger of being smothered. Released in time he gave a gasp for air, stretched, and walked indignantly out of the picture. He was not seen for the rest of the day.

Man Arrested For Murder

By The Associated Press.

DEL RIO, Texas, April 15.—A man was arrested here this afternoon when he arrived on a westbound passenger train on information from Victoria county officers that he was wanted in Victoria county in a murder case. No further details were given.



Above, Mary Pickford as "Dorothy Vernon," below, Clare Eames as Queen Elizabeth.

"The Meanest Man in the World" is the feature that will be shown on the screen of the Olympic theatre beginning Thursday.

This has been classed as one of the outstanding pictures of the season. A cast of players rarely seen in a single production provide six reels of comedy-drama situations that seldom are found in one production.

This is the film adaptation of the famous stage play in which George M. Cohan personally appeared for a solid year in New York. The author, Augustin MacHugh, obtained the idea for the footlight presentation from the playlet of Everett S. Ruskay. This was regarded as one of the best performances that Cohan had ever appeared in, and on the screen, with Bert Lytell handling the role made famous by Cohan, the film production is scheduled for an equally successful run.

"The Meanest Man in the World" is, as a matter of fact, a soft-hearted lawyer who simply cannot succeed because he can't be mean. He can't say no to anything or anybody and his career almost goes on the rocks when he is sent to Hudsonville, a little New York town to collect an overdue note from J. Hudson. The J. stands for Jane, however, and the lawyer, instead of demanding payment of the note, learns that Miss Hudson is about to be swindled out of some oil land. He decides to remain in Hudsonville and see that the girl is protected from the plotting business men who have their eyes on the oil property.

How the attorney protects the land and how he finally brings in a gusher and how he finally wins the heart of the girl from whom he was to collect the note, makes up one of the most absorbing comedy-dramas presented on the screen for a long time.

Many well-known players will be seen surrounding Bert Lytell. Chief among the names are those of Blanche Sweet, Bryant Washburn, Helen Lynch, Victor Potel, Maryon Aye, Warde Crane, William Conklin, Frances Raymond and a host of others equally prominent in the silent drama. Edward F. Cline directed the picture, which was produced by Principal Pictures corporation and which is a First National release.

Miss Tucker and Ridley Maples In High School Play

Miss Leota Tucker as "Nowobeh" and Ridley Maples as Samuel Johnston Jackson form a negro comedians whose work is one of the high lights of the production of the Persian musical comedy, "In The Garden Of The Shah" which is to be given Monday evening in the Junior college auditorium by the boys and girls glee clubs of the high school under the direction of Miss Winifred Alvis.

Nowobeh is the colored nurse in the employ of Zodhah and Lolah, two pretty Persian girls who play important parts in the story. Samuel Johnston Jackson is the colored valet of two young mining engineers, Billie and Ted, who manage to see a great deal of Nowobeh and Lolah during their stay in Persia. The two "coons" do some catchy dances and song numbers during their clever scenes together in which Nowobeh is a sorceress and uses her "wicked eye" on poor Sam who is afraid of her but entranced with her at the same time.

"What We Were and What We Are" is one humorous song which the pair put over in great style. "The Taming Of the Shrew" is another which promises to bring down the house.

Mr. Maples is well known to Wichita Falls audiences as a negro comedian of rare ability, and although Miss Tucker has always appeared in straight and character roles in former dramatic work, her ability along these lines assures her success in the new field of comedy.

Ticket sales are reported to be progressing splendidly and final rehearsals are being held with principals and choruses working hard to "finish off" the production for presentation Monday night.

Fine Features Don't Count

A boy or girl may have ever so perfect a face, neck and poise, but if even one little pimple, blotch, bump or red spot shows, it ruins their whole appearance. You know how true this is, because you just naturally avoid people whose appearance is not pleasing.

These things are no longer to be endured, however, because thousands of people are getting rid of the worst and most stubborn cases of such skin diseases easily and quickly since the introduction in this country of the wonderful Black and White Ointment. It seems like magic to eczema, ringworm, itch, "breaking-out," etc.

Dealers everywhere are recommending Black and White Ointment now. It is economically priced in liberal size packages. The 50c size contains three times as much as the liberal 25c size.—Adv.

Good Friday Service Planned By Grace Church

The annual Good Friday service is announced for the Grace Methodist church by the pastor, the Rev. Leslie Miller for Friday afternoon, April 18 at 3 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended by the church to the general public and an especially fine musical program has been arranged for the service.

A quartette composed of Mrs. Wayne Holmes, soprano; Mrs. Louella B. Thompson, contralto; R. E. Shepherd, tenor; and Wm. E. Young, bass, will sing "God So Loved the World" from Stainer's "The Crucifixion."

Mm. E. Young will sing "God My Father" from "The Seven Last Words" by Du Boise.

A woman's trio composed of Mrs. R. A. Lyle, Lois Parker and Dorothy Lois Burks will sing "God So Loved the World" by Hine.

The Rev. Miller will speak on "The Three Crosses of Calvary." His sermon will mark the inauguration of the Good Friday service as an annual custom of Grace church, and wide interest is being expressed in Dr. Miller's development of this theme.

Mrs. Carrie Wilcox at the organ will give a specially planned musical setting for the service, playing "Ase's Death" from Greig's "Peer Gynt Suite" as a prelude.

Sheriff's Deputies Capture Still But Child Misdirects

Biblically speaking a little child shall lead them, but members of the sheriff's department are beginning to doubt the advisability of infant leadership since their naive faith in a little girl Monday afternoon led them off the trail of a still resulting in several hours loss of time.

Deputies George Hawkins, W. P. Belcher, and McDonald had worked their investigation of a certain bootlegger's activities to the point where they thought they knew the location of his still and plant. Monday afternoon they made their way to this place, about 20 miles west of the city, and after laying around in the brush for awhile and overcoming difficulties succeeded in gaining sight of the place under suspicion without, as they thought, being seen.

The irrigation ditch was between them and the house, close to which a little girl of quait nrustic charm, it is said, was playing. After some trouble they got across the irrigation ditch and made their way to the house. The most painstaking efforts to approach without being seen proved unavailing for they had been discovered hours ago by the little girl. She had warned her father with the result that all operations had ceased and the still and liquor had been disposed of. The mash had been left in the ; g trough, a very appropriate place, according to Deputy Belcher.

Two men, L. J. Vestal and Walter Jones, were captured and brought back to town where they were lodged in jail pending their making bond.

Those who knew Harry Davis, when the Athletic first sacker was in his prime, say that Paul Strand slugging outfielder who is booked to shine with the Mackmen this year, resembles Harry in size, manner of playing and especially in his stand at the plate and swing at the ball.

Spectales. Faith Optical Co. —Adv.

Old Fiddlers' Contest To Be Held Here Friday

Expert fiddling along old fashioned lines with contestants from five counteis, will be the feature of a program to be given at the Palace theatre Friday evening at 8:15 o'clock. Cash prizes are to be awarded to the winners in the contest. In connection with the program there will be a square dance and a special prize given to the best square sett and t othe best caller.

Prizes are also to be awarded to the best string band, banjo, accordian, guitar and harmonica players. All those wishing to take part in the contest are requested to enter their names at the Wichita Music company before 7:30 p. m. Friday, April 18.

A picture, "Chastity," featuring Katherine McDonald, will be given before the old fiddlers' contest begins.

Fred Luderus, former Philly star and now managing the Oklahoma City team, says that Joe Brown, his rookie pitcher, will be in demand by big league scouts before next fall rolls around. Which news ought to boost railroad traffic toward Oklahoma City.

The Phils have farmed out Leonard Metz, shortstop, to Waterbury in the Eastern league but Manager Fletcher says the youngsters will be recalled later for another examination. Metz was purchased from the Grand Island team of the Nebraska league last year.

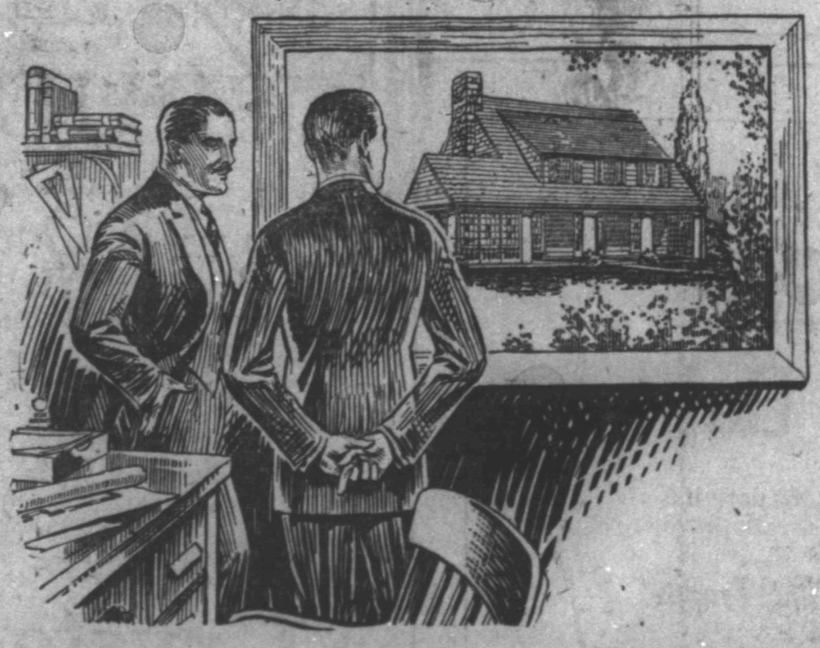
If at first you don't succeed—as an outfielder——try as a pitcher. That's the way Joe Lucey, who once aspired to be a Yankee shortstop, has rewritten the old saying. Joe is now a promising pitcher with the Jersey Ctiy team.

Eyes tested. Faith Optical Co.—Adv

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You bet it would. Well then, why continue to pay rent when you can be making the regular payments on a home which will be wholly yours when paid for?

The Classified columns of The Record News carry descriptions of all sorts of desirable homes in attractive districts.

Read the Real Estate Columns of The Record News and decide to own your own home.

You owe it to your family to have a real home. Own a part of your city—a part of your Country. Make it "yours" actually.

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TRAIN SCHEDULE

NORTH BOUND
F. W. & D. C. Ry.

Tr. No.
7 Fort Worth to Denver and all intermediate points, arrive 3 a. m. depart 3:20 a. m.
1 Fort Worth to Amarillo and interme diate points; makes connection to Tex line; arrive at 1:50 p. m. and depar at 2:10 p. m.
5 Fort Worth and all intermediate points to Wichita Falls; arrive 10:55 p. m

SOUTH BOUND
8 Denver to Fort Worth and intermediate points; arrive at 2:45 a. m., depart 3 a. m.
6 Wichita Falls to Fort Worth and all intermediate points, depart 8 a. m.
2 Amarillo to Fort Worth and intermedi departs at 2:25 p. m.

M. K. T. of T. LINES
diate points; arrive at 2:05 p. m. and
ARRIVE FROM EAST.
47 from Dallas and intermediate points to Wichita Falls; arrive 6:15 a. m.
31 "Texas Special" from St. Louis, Kansas City, Denison, arrive 3:10 p. m.
45 From Dallas and intermediate points to Wichita Falls, arrive 10 p. m.
DEPART TO EAST
46 To Dallas and all intermediate points.
32 "Texas Special" to Denison, Kansas City, St. Louis, etc., depart 3:10 p. m.
48 "Eleven o'clock Katy" to Dallas and depart 7 a. m.
intermediate points, depart 11:20 p. m.

WICHITA VALLEY LINES
ARRIVE FROM WEST
8 From Abilene and all intermediate points, arrive 2:30 a. m.
2 From Abilene and all intermediate points, arrive 1:45 p. m.
DEPART TO WEST
5 To Abilene and all intermediate points depart 12:30 a. m.
1 To Abilene and all intermediate points, depart 2:25 p. m.
ARRIVE FROM EAST
9 From Wichita, Byers, Petrolia and Dean, arrive 6 p. m.
DEPART TO EAST
Depart 9 a. m.

"NORTHWESTERN DIVISION"
ARRIVE FROM NORTH
81 From Oklahoma City, Elk City and intermediate points, arrive 8:00 a. m.
83 From Forgan, Oklahoma and all intermediate points, arrive 8:05 p. m.
DEPART TO NORTH
84 To Forgan, Oklahoma and all intermediate points, depart 7 a. m.
82 To Oklahoma City, Altus, Elk City and all intermediate points, depart 7 p. m.

WICHITA FALLS & SOUTHERN
21 Departs from Wichita Falls for Archer City, Olney, New Castle, Graham and Breckenridge, 8:45 a. m. daily.
23 Arrives Wichita Falls from Breckenridge, Graham, New Castle, Olney, Archer City, 7:20 p. m. daily.
22 Departs from Wichita Falls for Archer City, Olney, New Castle, Graham and Breckenridge, 3:40 p. m. daily.
24 Arrives from Breckenridge, Graham, New Castle, Olney and Archer City, 12:30 p. m. daily.

I. & G. N. MERGE CASE GOES ON

Many Witnesses For Both Sides Are Heard Before Commission

By The Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 15.—The International-Great Northern and Gulf Coast lines consolidation hearing before the state railroad commission slimped today to be closed Wednesday afternoon. A session tonight was called to insure completion Wednesday. Little was developed at the afternoon session further than testimony dealing with the physical condition of the Gulf Coast Lines.

L. S. Bourne, general manager of the Sugarland Railroad testified protestant against the merger, to a recent inspection trip he made over the Gulf Coast Lines, which road he said he found was undermaintained.

Clint Holliday, Houston warehouseman, expressed the opinion the International-Great Northern is now in condition and under management which will permit it to "get its share of the business." J. Lewis Thomas, Houston banker and lumberman declared the merger would create competition with Houston's port; that the competition would be against Houston's interest, but that competition was for the public good as between railroads.

The divisional contract between the Gulf Coast Lines and the San Antonio, Uvalde and Gulf Railroad over which attorneys have wrangled since opening of the hearing, was introduced at the night session by W. T. Eldridge, Sugarland manufacturer, and 48 per cent owner of the San Antonio, Uvalde and Gulf railroad. An objection of Frank Andrews, Gulf Coast attorney, Railroad Commissioner Walter Splawn, ruled the contract was not privileged and should properly go into the record. Mr. Eldridge will be recalled for examination Wednesday.

A "repudiation" of the endorsement by directors of the San Antonio Manufacturers association favorable to the merger, signed by what was stated to be members representing a majority of San Antonio manufacturing output was offered by Attorney Claude V. Birkhead and identified by C. B. Yandell, manager of the San Antonio chamber of commerce.

Mr. Yandell asserted that San Antonio now gets but 20 per cent of the business from Gulf coast points in the Rio Grande Valley and that Houston gets 60 per cent. The Gulf Coast has consistently refused, he said, to permit San Antonio to become a gateway for homeseekers.

Since January 1, 1921, 4,700 home seekers have been carried into the Rio Grande Valley of which only 375 were brought through San Antonio.

The merger would be "disastrous" to the new port of Corpus Christi, Mr. Yandell said, as he declared the Gulf Coast lines would not carry International-Great Northern cotton there.

The San Antonio chamber of commerce did not last year oppose the International-Great Northern-Frisco merger, though they do now oppose the Gulf Coast consolidation, Mr. Yandell admitted under cross examination by Frank Andrews, Gulf Coast attorney.

Hodgins Warns Of "Infant Auto" Drivers Here

Beginning immediately every effort will be made to put a stop to children under 16 driving the family automobile, according to Chief of Police Hodgins last night.

"It is a violation of a state law for any child who has not reached the age of 16 to drive a car," Chief Hodgins stated. "We have been rather lenient in the past with such cases as came to our attention but there have been too many accidents and near accidents lately directly attributable to the child chauffeur in the last few days for us not to do everything in our power to break up this unsafe practice.

"A while back we stopped a great deal of it around the schools but there are still too many infant auto drivers on the streets of Wichita Falls. From now on, don't do it. That is all I have to say."

Bishop Boaz To Deliver Three Special Sermons

Bishop H. A. Boaz, returned missionary from Korea and Japan, who is conducting a series of services at the First Methodist church, south, will deliver a special sermon to the members of the W. M. U. and to the members of the board.

The bishop will hold services especially for the Epworth leagues of the city Thursday night. Invitation is extended to the other young people's organizations over the city.

Friday night is to be Sunday school night, it was stated, when Bishop Boaz will talk to the students of the Sunday schools, to members of all the departments. Invitations are extended to the public to hear these sermons.

Old Home Town Stuff

THINGS YOU SAY, DO AND SEE AND SOME YOU DON'T

A big
HEARTED policeman
CAPTURED a
SMALL boy on a
DOWN town corner
LAST night who
BECAME estranged from
HIS mother.

THE child
INSISTED on
ADDING his
CRIES to the
ROAR of the
STREET.

THE policeman
WAS all up
IN the air
ABOUT how to stop it.
HE wheedled
AND showed it
HIS new uniform
WITH the "Riggs" tag
STILL on it.

AND he pulled
OUT his watch
AND removed his
NEW shiny badge.

ALL for
THE little chap's
BENEFIT, but
IT was no use.

THE mother
CAME at last.

SHE spoke,
"HUSH."

LADDIE boy ceased.

THE policeman
SMILED.
THE mother
THANKED him.
AND we all moved
ON.



Sam Seberskey, oil operator, has returned from a business trip to Perth Amboy, New Jersey.

The lure of the old oaken bucket laid its hand on Tax Collector Guy Raley yesterday. He departed for the scenes of his childhood at Jacksboro for a visit with relatives and friends.

Spring fever forced its way unobtrusively into the city yesterday with the result that nine vags were picked up and taken before the county attorney. Some were fined and some invited to stay awhile.

Yesterday was pay-day at the city hall. Most of the force's wives were down for the occasion, a notable excepting being the case of Chief Hodgins, who stated quietly but firmly that his whole roll was backing the Spudders today.

Only one marriage license yesterday! Don't laugh; it'll get you by and by.

SALVATION CAR GETS NEW TIRE

Envoy Returns to Find Substitution

The Salvation Army looks a gift horse in the mouth!

Donations thankfully received but pedigrees required!

Startling disclosures in the policies of the Salvation Army in their made yesterday when a local envoy set out to determine the whys and wherefores of a new casing found on a rear wheel to the Salvation car after it had been parked on a downtown street Monday for several hours.

According to his report he had left the car was in tip-top shape so far as eral hours while working in the city. When he returned he found that a new casing had been substituted for an old affair that had previously adorned the left rear wheel and that the car was i tip-top shape so far as tires were cocerned for the run to the citadel.

Bad dreams of improperly acquired jewels troubled him Monday night so yesterday he set out to find an explanation of the donation.

"Is it stolen property," he asks. "Was it placed on our car by mistake; 'Salvation Army' is printed plainly on its side. Or is it the gift of some friend of ours?"

These are the perplexing questions that bother Envoy Swartz. At a late hour last night he had not unraveled the mystery.

Constables In Arrest of Two Wanted at Munday

A merry chase followed before the arrest of a man and woman wanted here for forgery and at Munday for theft and similar charges was made late Monday night by Deputies Richardson and Liles of the constable department.

For several days the officers had been on the lookout for the couple. The woman whom the man said was his wife said she was but 15 years old. She admitted participation in several kinds of offenses with her husband.

Officials from Knox county arrived Tuesday and returned with the couple. The officers said the man was also wanted on a charge of stealing a horse and saddle in addition to those for which he was originally sought.

WORLD FLIGHT PLANES STILL IN ALASKA

By The Associated Press.

SEWARD, Alaska, April 15.—Four planes of the army making air circuits of the world left here at 10:10 o'clock this morning, Seward time for Chignik, Alaska.

Major Martin, the leader had waited from 7 o'clock for reports to indicate that the route to Chignik, 450 miles to the west, had passable weather.

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GRANT FREIGHT RATES ARGUED

Recent Hearings In Texas-Oklahoma Case Brings Out Points

By The Associated Press.

DALLAS, Texas, April 15.—The Texas common point group of freight rates in the state has received much attention during the various hearings of the Texas-Oklahoma rate case. This group, the center of attack in the Dallas and Fort Worth complaints was originated years ago when Texas' population was less by many thousands than it is now. The group was made especially for Texas and because of the conditions confronting manufacturers and shippers seeking to do business in the state.

"The common point rate adjustment has been a matter of comparatively slow development," the interstate commerce commission says in a case dealing with Texas rates. "It originated out of the fact that interior Texas is accessible through so many gateways; traffic flows into the state not only by way of the ocean and gulf and on the Red River but over the rail lines entering the state through its eastern and northern boundaries. The competition of the carriers reaching the state from these different directions resulted in putting a large part of the state on the same rate level, and was largely, if not altogether, responsible for the successive extensions of the common point territory toward the west."

The common point territory is that part of Texas lying east of a line commencing at Quanah on the northern border running down through Big Springs, Sweetwater, and San Angelo to San Antonio and then through Corpus Christi to the Gulf of Mexico. There is a small group including Galveston, Houston and Beaumont that is known as the Galveston-Houston group, that is not included in the common point territory.

The last extension of the western boundary line was made on September 19, 1904, at which time the present boundary line was established.

The common point group extends for a distance of 500 miles at its furtherest points from north to south and 450 from east to west. All points in this common point territory take the same commodity rates from any point in the United States or east of the Missouri and Mississippi rivers. The average distance from St. Louis to the common point territory is 800 miles, St. Louis being one of the main gateways to Texas.

One of the complaints in the recent case was that the common point territory was founded when Texas was sparsely settled and it does not meet the conditions of today.

A Perfect Day

Win the attendance prize, win the opening game, then after the game—

Some Home-Baked Ham and Fresh Home-Made Pimento Cheese for the Evening Meal

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Easy Payments

"County Progress" For April Is Now Off Press

The April issue of "County Progress," official organ of the County Judges and the Commissioners' association of Texas, is off the press and is being distributed. This month's issue is unusually attractive, a front cover of exceptional truth and cleverness being a noticeable feature.

"A short history of a public official," it says, "Hired man; tired man: fired man!"

"County Progress" is edited by Judge B. D. Sartin of this city. There are several articles by him in this issue, one entitled "Sane Financing in Road Building," being a practical discussion of the subject.

The next issue will feature El Paso and El Paso county.

ALLEY FOLLOWS HOUSE TO DISCARD

By The Associated Press.

DALLAS, Texas, April 15.—First it was the horse and now it is the alley—the typical old back-alley—that the automobile has shoved into discard.

The Dallas city officials are considering closing all alleys in the residence district of the city.

"Alleys have long since lost their usefulness," Street Commissioner R. A. Wylie said. "They are never used since all residences have garages with front entrances, and they constitute a 'no-man's land' for most property owners."

Even garbage is removed from the front of each house, he said.

The alley closing plan would not apply to the business district.

The city officials will take no action on the proposal until some way has been devised to determine the attitude o fthe majority of the citizens.

NEGRO TO DIE.

MARLIN, Tex., April 15.—Harle Humphreys, negro, convicted slayer of Lee Frazier, who was killed in the McLanahan community January 13, 1922, was sentenced here today to be executed Thursday, May 22.

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