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DOCTORS ARE AT ODDS OVER NEGRO'S EARS

Whether or Not M. T. Williams Can Hear Good Brings Differences

ON ROBBERY CHARGE

Verdict Expected Today In Trial For Attack On Grocery Clerk

A decided difference of professional opinion arose late Tuesday afternoon before both sides in the M. T. Williams robbery with a deadly weapon trial rested their cases. The introduction of evidence took up practically the entire day and was started Tuesday morning after the three remaining jurors necessary to complete the panel were obtained. The court's charge will be read Wednesday morning, argument of counsel will start and the negro's fate left in the hands of the jurors.

It is regarded as probable that a verdict will be obtained today.

As a matter of fact, the deafness, or lack of it, with which the negro is supposed to be afflicted, has had little bearing on this particular case. Whether he was deaf or not has had no effect on his swinging a flatiron at the head of a store clerk, which the state contends he has done, but this angle came up through claims of the defense that the negro is mentally and physically deficient. He is either really deaf, or is feigning deafness in skillful fashion, and it was to settle this dispute that the experts were called.

A Professional Clash.

The professional clash arose in the testimony of Dr. R. H. Graham and Dr. O. W. Wilson, both specialists in the treatment of eye, ear, nose and throat maladies. They were called in an effort to ascertain the extent of eye and ear afflictions with which the defendant is supposed to suffer.

Dr. Wilson took the stand first and testified that he examined Williams in the fall of 1923, that he found the negro's vision and hearing both greatly impaired and that, in his opinion, the afflictions were such that improvement was unlikely. The negro at that time, he testified, could not see clearly over a distance of 12 or 15 feet, and was unable to hear conversation carried on in an ordinary tone of voice.

Following this testimony, Dr. Graham was called to the witness stand and asserted that he examined the negro last August, the day before the attack on young Mike Pearce, clerk in the Morgan grocery on Avenue F. He declared emphatically that at that time the negro's vision was nearly normal and his hearing as acute as "that of the average man." He said that Williams conversed with him in an ordinary tone of voice and impressed him as being "unusually intelligent for a negro."

Reporters Are Called.

The state late in the afternoon called two newspaper reporters to the stand and questioned them regarding conversations they had had with Williams at the time of his arrest. Both told that the negro was apparently deaf most of the time but that on a few occasions he had heard questions asked him an ordinary tone of voice and was evidently able to understand them.

Defense attorneys sought throughout the trial to establish the fact that Williams was deaf and of low mentality.

The defendant himself was not put on the stand but his mother was called on the afternoon to testify as to his age.

Mike Pearce, the youth attacked by Williams when he robbed the grocery last summer of about $4 in cash, identified the negro as the one who had entered his place of business and hurled a flatiron at his head.

Other witnesses substantiated various facts as to the presence of the negro near the store, his chase and arrest, and other angles of the case.

Williams is under indictment for the murder of Wesley Ashmore, 13-year-old white youth, who was killed July 8 under circumstances believed to be identical with those surrounding the attack on Pearce. He is scheduled to go to trial on that case Thursday

Fitzgerald Elected To Head C. I. A. Board

DENTON, Feb. 17.—Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald, editor and newspaper publisher, was elected president of the board of regents of the College of Industrial Arts today. Other officers of the board named were:

C. U. Connellee, Eastland, vice president; J. W. Degan, Denton, treasurer, and Mrs. William Capps, Fort Worth, secretary. Mr. Fitzgerald succeeds J. H. Lowery of Honeygrove, as president whose term as a member of the board expired recently.

PRAISES NEW LAW

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17—The new immigration restriction law has definitely settled America's immigration problem, Senator Reed, republican, Pennsylvania, told the senate today in reviewing results of the first six months of its operation.

THE WEATHER

The weather as observed by the Wichita Falls Electric company for Tuesday was as follows: Maximum 58, minimum 30, 5 p. m. 58 precipitation 0 south breeze clear; average wind velocity 10 miles per hour; fastest 15 miles per hour; barometer 29.36.

OKLAHOMA: Wednesday part cloudy, warmer in east and south portion; Thursday part cloudy, cooler.

EAST TEXAS: Wednesday part cloudy, warmer; Thursday cloudy, colder in northwest portion.

WEST TEXAS: Wednesday part cloudy, warmer in southeast portion; Thursday generally fair, colder in north portion.

A Suicide In Cell Is Considerate

OSSINING, N. Y., Feb. 17.—Among the letters left by William S. Ford, who hanged himself in the death house at Sing Sing prison last night to forestall electrocution as an incendiary and murderer of six persons, there was found today Ford's will.

Addressed to the chief of the prison commissary it disposed, in a single sentence, of the earthly possessions of the real estate man who for spite burned a house and caused the death of his father-in-law and five other persons.

"Kindly give to the condemned men a chicken dinner with potatoes, fruit, Irish tea, sugar and milk, to the amount of eight dollars ($8.00) which I have on deposit at the commissary," the will read.

There are 13 doomed men in the death house.

IOWA PARK IS TOLD FUTURE'S VALUES GREAT

Chamber of Commerce Banquet Attended By Over 250 Tuesday

"Let's give her another rush, boys," plead T. J. Pace, president of Iowa Park's chamber of commerce at that organization's annual banquet last night. "In the press of improving other parts of the valley we've slighted what is nearest home, but the stuff is there for us to go get, and this next year you're going to see your chamber of commerce pulling the benefits of irrigation closer to Iowa Park. And then you'll see this soil our fathers tilled before us take on all the appearance of its first youth. It's just been slighted, that is all. We've as fine land without the city limits of Iowa Park as there is in the whole Wichita river valley. Let's give her another rush boys."

And applause that greeted the president's plea told of a unanimous backing to the chamber of commerce in its program for the coming year for the benefit of Iowa Park. Briefly the president told of what was done last year. In so many figures he sketched what had been saved Iowa Park by the activities of the chamber of com-

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CO-ED'S DEATH PROBED

She Dies of Illegal Operation Following Her Marriage.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17. — Logan Pierce, whose bride died of an illegal operation, five days after she left the University of Illinois to marry him, was surrendered to the police today by his attorney for questioning.

Pierce failed to identify the mid-wife, Lucy Hagenow, who is in custody in connection with his wife's death but refused to answer questions.

CLAIMS SHE WAS PRISONER

Girl Charges She Was Held At Tia Juana and Forced to Sign Checks

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Feb. 17.—A young woman who says she is Jessie Apple of Los Angeles, was taken today to a private hospital in this city from Tia Juana, Mexico, where she is said to have been held a captive for two weeks, during which time it is charged that she was forced to sign checks for large amounts.

The young woman, according to a physician who attended her, had been drugged and otherwise mistreated. A number of bruises were found on her body, the doctor said.

LOS ANGELES TO SOAR

Trip to Bermuda Is Planned, Carrying 200 Pounds of Mail.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17—Weather permitting: the dirigible Los Angeles, will leave Lake Hurst, N. J., Friday morning for Bermuda with 200 pounds of mail and carrying Assistant Secretary Robinson of the navy department, Rear Admiral Moffett, chief of navy aeronautics, and it is expected, a representative of the postmaster general. The tender Patoka is already at Bermuda to provide a mooring mast for the airship.

KING GEORGE UNCHANGED.

Great Britain's Ruler Suffering From Bronchitis, Bulletin Says.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—The condition of King corge, who is suffering from bronchitis, was reported unchanged at 8 o'clock tonight. At that hour the king's physicians visited him and it was said that no further bulletins would be issued until tomorrow.

The Day In Washington

The senate commerce committee approved the rivers and harbors bill.

A house committee began an investigation of the national disabled soldiers campaign.

Night sessions were held by both senate and house agricultural committees on farm legislation.

A general denial of a federal trade commission complaint was filed by the Michigan Sugar company.

Brigadier General Mitchell testified further before a house committee on the aircraft controversy.

The navy department informed the state department that the American ship scrapping program has been carried out as prescribed by treaty.

A favorable report was ordered by the senate agricultural committee on the nomination of William J. Jardine to be secretary of agriculture.

WITNESSES IN COLLIER CASE ARE QUERIED

District Attorney's Office Lays Plans For Prosecuting Mayor

STILL IN SECLUSION

Anticipated Appearance Of Chief Executive At City Hall Fails

With Mayor Collier remaining in strict seclusion at his Lamar avenue home, his daughter, Mary Frances, remaining also in seclusion with Mrs. Hattie Robertson at the Robertson home, 1301 Eighteenth, and a new clay mound, flower-decked, rising up in Rosemont burial park, developments Tuesday in the Collier-Robertson tragedy of Saturday night came to a virtual standstill. The case has now been stripped of all but its legal angles.

Attention is now turning primarily to the district attorney's office, through which prosecution of the mayor will be pushed. Work is already under way on this.

District Attorney James V. Allred and his assistant, Robert K. Crain, were engaged all day Monday and Tuesday in the prosecution of the M. T. Williams case, now on trial in the 30th district court, but every minute they were able to take from this has been spent in questioning witnesses and shaping plans.

"There's nothing we can say at this time regarding the affair," Mr. Allred declared Tuesday afternoon. "We haven't had time yet to more than scratch the surface. Mr. Crain and I have both given all the time we could to it, aside from handling the Williams trial, but we don't wish to announce yet what the results of our findings have been.

Awaits the Grand Jury.

"I do know that the facts in the case as we are able to learn them will be presented next week to the grand jury and that as thorough an investigation as it is possible to make will be made. I expect the grand jury will devote most of the week to looking into the evidence, questioning witnesses and bringing out as far as they can all the circumstances in the shooting. We don't know yet, of course, what all of these will show.

"Beyond the grand jury investigation I can't and won't predict. I assume Mr. Collier will be indicted but as to the time, place and nature of his trial neither I nor anybody else has any idea. Those are things that must be worked out as they come up."

Mr. Allred and Mr. Crain have questioned most of the important witnesses, it is understood, including R. W. Windham, special officer to whom Mayor Collier surrendered immediately after young Buster Robertson was shot Saturday night at Bluff and Seventeenth; Mrs. Robertson, the boy's mother; Mary Frances Collier, his wife and the mayor's daughter, and others who may have had information bearing on the case.

Until the Williams case is concluded, which will be today sometime, the two state's attorneys cannot make the thorough investigations they wish. They plan, however, to go thoroughly into every angle as soon as circumstances permit.

Monday brought to them the gun from which the fatal shots were fired. Examination showed four empty cartridges in the magazine. They also secured the small gold locket that dropped from a ribbon around Robertson's neck when the body was stripped at the undertaker's. It contained a miniature photo of Mary Frances. Some other trinkets, property of the girl and boy, have been turned over, also, to Mr. Allred and his assistants.

Counsel Is Silent.

On the other side, the silence that has prevailed since Mr. Collier's arrest, continued Tuesday. His counsel, headed by C. I. Francis, have definately indicated they wished to make no statements in behalf of Mr. Collier or to intimate as to what the nature of his defense will be. Mr. Collier told friends who called on him Monday that "my side will come out at the trial. Until then I have nothing to say," and this was the attitude taken throughout Tuesday.

The mayor, contrary to general belief, remained at his Lamar avenue home all day Tuesday. He was anxious to return to his office and resume his regular duties, it is understood, but kept at home upon the advice of his counsel.

Friends gained ready access and, as has been the case since the mayor's gun laid his son-in-law lifeless in the gutter last Saturday night, many called to extend their sympathy and offer him their support. To all he expressed his appreciation. He and Mrs. Collier, who was with him in their automobile, when young Robertson was killed, spent the day quietly enough and retained their composure.

A number of business matters affecting the conduct of municipal affairs were laid before the mayor by his associates and he gave them his attention. His mail, that had been accumulating at the city hall, was taken to him at intervals throughout the day and he gave directions as to its disposition.

Out at the Robertson home on Eighteenth street the sobs that started Saturday nigh as an echo to the mayor's .44 continued. Mary Frances Collier Robertson, weary and worn by the terrific ordeal through which she has passed, stuck steadfastly to the side of her mother-in-law, who evidently found more comfort in the girl's presence than in any other source. Both went to the Robertson home Monday afternoon after watching Buster's remains laid away at the burial park.

It was a troubled night for both. Neither slept much in the early part of the evening but both dropped off into broken slumbers later and got

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Allred Questions Mrs. Robertson



Mrs. Hattie Robertson (shown above) is expected to be the chief witness for the state in the prosecution of Mayor Frank Collier if he is indicted for killing Elzie (Buster) Robertson, her son, when the grand jury convenes next week. That the state of Texas is losing no time in preparing prosecution of the mayor is seen in the statement from the district attorney's office yesterday that witnesses, including Mrs. Robertson had already been questioned by District Attorney Allred. Mrs. Robertson was with Buster when he was shot down at Seventeenth and Bluff Saturday night.

ALLRED OFFERS KUNTZ VACANCY

Resignation Of Crain, Assistant District Attorney, Filed Tuesday

With the resignation Monday of Robert K. Crain, assistant district attorney for the past 12 months who on March 1 will become a law partner in the firm of John Davenport and B. Y. Cummings, it was believed that J. Earl Kuntz, present assistant county attorney would be appointed to the vacancy. District Attorney James V. Allred, Jr., stated Tuesday afternoon that the position had been tendered Mr. Kuntz, who was considering it.

Mr. Crain's resignation was handed to Mr. Allred Tuesday morning and with it he announced that he would become junior member of the law firm of Davenport, Cummings and Crain. E. G. Thornton, at present connected with the firm, has announced his intention of opening a law office in Archer City in the near future.

Mr. Kuntz, should he accept the position, would bring to the district attorney's office an intimate knowledge of it's affairs, gained through his past association in the prosecution of county court cases. Mr. Kuntz is the son of County Commissioner L. L. Kuntz of Iowa Park and received his law schooling at the University of Texas.

The resignation of Mr. Crain was accepted with regret by District Attorney Allred, who declared that he was losing an able and conscientious assistant.

LOU TELLEGAN TRIES IT AGAIN

One-Time Husband of Geraldine Farrar Takes New Bride

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17.—The "mystery bride" of Lou Tellegen, famous stage and screen star, former husband of Geraldine Farrar, was revealed today as Isabel Graven Dilworth, 22, daughter of the multimillionaire glass manufacturer of Philadelphia.

Mrs. Tellegen is a neice of James Bell, Minneapolis flour king, grand daughter of Governor Dale of Virginia and a cousin of the earl of Craven in England.

Tellegen was married in Rutherford, N. J., December 17, 1923, the day following Geraldine Farrar's divorce from the actor the grand opera star had called the "perfect lover."

Miss Dilworth, after graduating from Ward Belmont, exclusive Nashville, Tenn., school, attended a dramatic school in New York and later was accepted for a role by Tellegen in the stage version of "Don Juan."

A bond of affection, born of the throbbing love story of "Don Juan," brought the romance of Tellegen and the young actress, which ended in their midnight marriage in New Jersey.

Mrs. Tellegen is a niece of Charles Wilworthy, internationally noted art collector of Chicago and has a sister attending Bryn Mawr.

LATE

NEW YORK—Plans for linking 18 broadcasting stations east of the Mississippi river with a combined range of 12,500,000 homes were revealed today by John Holman, manager of broadcasting for station WEAF at a luncheon of the members' committee of the Merchants' association.

WASHINGTON—The house agriculture committee tonight completed work on the Haugen bill providing for establishment of a federal cooperative marketing board and ordered it favorably reported tomorrow.

GREENWOOD, Miss.—Hal Winters, negro, and an unidentified negro were taken from the hands of Holmes county officers and lynched tonight, according to reports reaching here. Their capture followed the killing of Wiley P. Martin, plantation manager near Sidon late this afternoon.

Highway Policy In Bid Letting Changed

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—A new policy in letting road contracts, providing for submission of bids to the highway commission before they are let by commissioners' courts, was announced today by the new state highway commission.

Under the old system the commissioners' courts let the contracts and they were then submitted to the highway commission for approval or rejection. Rejection of a bid meant readvertisement and entailed considerable expenditure according to Frank V. Lanham, chairman of the commission.

By the new arrangement, the county commissioners will be invited to come to Austin to confer about the contracts before they are awarded.

COMMITTEE IN HOUSE TIED ON FERGUSON BILL

Amnesty Measure Reported Out Minus Any Recommendation

VOTE IS 9 TO 9

Measure Will Go Before Legislature For General Debate

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—The senate Ferguson amnesty bill was reported out of the house judiciary committee today without recommendation. The committee was deadlocked nine to nine over the question of its report and consumed an hour in trying to extricate itself from a parliamentary tangle.

As finally decided the report will state that the committee was equally divided and ask that the bill be printed and acted on by the house.

A dispute arose in the committee over the effect of its 9 to 9 tie on a motion to report the measure out unfavorably. There was first a motion that it go out favorably, then a submotion that it be reported out unfavorably. On both motions the committee stood 9 to 9 and the chairman, Representative R. Lee Bobbittee, Laredo, was unable to break the tie because he was paired with Representative Alfred Pestch, Fredericksburg.

Half of the committee contended that because of this action the bill should be sent out with a minority report that it do not pass and the other half wanted the opposite. Representative Sparks raised the point of order that the bill was lost. He was sustained by the chair, but on an appeal from this ruling the chairman was overruled, 10 to 8, and the committee was just where it started without ability to budge.

In this dilemma Read Granberry, the 25-year-old official parliamentarian of the house, was called in to straighten out the tangle. He ruled that since the measure failed to receive a favorable report it had lost in the committee, but that the committee had the power to take any further action it desired and could report anything it desired to the house.

On motion of Representative Edward R. Sinks of Giddings the committee then voted unanimously to send the bill out without recommendation, but with an explanation of how the vote stood.

FIRE HAZARD AT TEXAS U.

Fire Marshal Condemns Occupation of One of the Gymnasiums.

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—(AP)—A fire hazard which might mean death "to a great many persons," has been found in the men's gymnasium at the University of Texas, J. J. Timmins, state fire marshal, today informed th euniversity officials by letter.

The gymnasium is used as a concert hall by placing hundreds of chairs in the center of the hall, which has a basket ball course.

He recommended that use of the gymnasium for concerts be discontinued, and that other fire precautions be taken, especially that smoking by students in the gym be stopped.

TWO FIRE ALARMS TUESDAY

Ford Owned By C. J. Johnson Is Saved At 1304 Twelfth

Fire of undetermined origin, breaking out in a Ford car at 1304 Twelfth owned by C. J. Johnson, caused a run for the fire department at 7:30 Tuesday evening. Some rags and old clothing in the vehicle had burst into flame but were extinguished before any serious damage had been done.

The central station department was called at 3:30 Tuesday afternoon to the Miller-Ferguson store at Tenth and Indiana where a small blaze caused an alarm. No damage was done, firemen reported.

Rail Employe At Road's Behest, Fakes Injuries, Sues, Collects $40,000

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Daniel J. Scantan gave more details in the circuit court here today of how he faked an accident and employed by the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad, sued that road for $40,000 through Attorney William M. McCallum. Scantan, who faked paralysis under the name of Donahue, threw away his crutches in court yesterday and announced fraud had been perpetrated for the railroad to expose an alleged ring framing personal injury suits in Chicago.

While at the hospital, Scantan told the court, he said to Attorney McCallum "I've got these doctors fooled. There's nothing wrong with me." The attorney, Scantan said, told him he had the nurses and doctors "fixed."

Weymouth Kirkland, counsel for the railroad, said the railroad wanted to investigate not only the lawyer, but also to find out whether or not the doctors and nurses were culpable.

BOY, FIRE, DAMAGE

3 Year Old Destroys 250 Telegraph Poles, 3 Garages And Houses

HOUSTON, Feb. 17.—Fire started by a three year old boy, destroyed 250 telegraph poles, three garages, and damaged several houses Tuesday. The youngster and two other children were playing with matches, when the creosote poles ignited and the stiff breze carried the blaze to the garages.

Paulina Longworth Will Be Her Name

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Because she had so many visitors, little Miss Paulina Longworth, granddaughter of the late President Roosevelt, was removed today from her tiny lined wire basket in line with many others in the same ward at the Chicago Lying-in hospital and given a private room. There, or with her mother, the daughter of "Princess Alice" must remain in the hospital for another week before being bundled up and prepared for her trip to Washington.

Little Paulina, despite her distinguished lineage, wears a tiny flannel uniform just like her four-days-old neighbors in the ward. The hospital has the distinction of giving babies of the poor and the rich the same start in the world.

WARNS OF LEGISLATION

RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 17.—Governor Angus McLean today asked governors of 10 southern states and members of the North Carolina congressional delegation to make an effort to keep certain non-cotton producing states from passing discriminatory cotton legislation now before their state assemblies.

The Day In Austin

The senate Ferguson amnesty bill was reported to the house by the committee without recommendation.

The house killed a bill to exempt dentists and bank cashiers from jury service; adopted a resolution demanding repeal of portions of the Esch-Cummins railroad law; approved an emergency appropriation for the Confederate home.

The senate passed the house tick bill; refused to join in the house highway department investigation; killed a resolution providing pensions of $50 for teachers.

The highway investigation committee continued.

The highway commission adopted a policy of letting contracts, providing for consultation with commissioners before the latter award contracts.

Senate adopted resolution calling a constitutional amendment to raise governor's salary to $10,000 a year.

NATIONAL ARMS CONTROL WILL BE SUGGESTED

Council of League of Nations To Query U. S. On Proposal

GENEVA, Feb. 17.—(AP) — The United States will be asked what legislative difficulties, if any, are in the way of national control of the private manufacture of arms by reason of a decision reached tonight by the substitute council of the League of Nations.

This second council of the league, which was created to examine the disarmament question, has agreed that, although the proposed conference for the control of the manufacture of arms should not be convoked until some future date, the work of preparing for such a conference should be actively pushed.

Oldest Native Texan Speaks To Senators

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 17.—Hampton Steele, 85 years old, the oldest living native Texan, addressed the senate today in response to a resolution introduced by Senator Edgar Witt of Waco.

Mr. Steele is the son of Alfonzo Steele, last survivor of the Battle of San Jacinto where Texas won its independence, and whose portrait hangs in the senate chamber.

Mr. Steele told the senate that he had obeyed the Biblical injunction to replenish the earth. He was the father of 17 children, he said, 14 of whom are living, and his descendants numbered 53 grand children, 50 great grand children and three great, great grand children.

SCOUTS SUICIDE VERDICT

Father of Dead Naval Officer Declares Son Was Murdered

VALLEJO, Calif., Feb. 17.—An investigation into the suicide of Lieutenant Albert P. Burleigh, U. S. N. Sunday, was held today on the U. S. S. Argonne with Lieutenant Commander H. R. Hermesch in charge. The investigators found that Lieutenant Burleigh shot and killed himself while apparently despondent over ill health.

ADIEU FOR THE KELLOGGS.

Former Ambassador to England Takes His Departure Tuesday.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—(AP)—A distinguished assemblage of diplomats and citizens today marked the departure of Ambasador Kellogg and Mrs. Kellogg from London. They are to board the Berengaria at Southampton for the United States where Mr. Kellogg is to assume the position of secretary of state.

HOUGHTON IS HONORED.

BERLIN, Feb. 17. — The German cabinet and many other prominent Germans today attended a farewell luncheon which President Ebert gave for Ambassador Alanson B. Houghton, who will succeed Ambassador Kellogg as the United States representative at the court of St. James.

House Tick Measure Passes The Senate

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Cattle tick eradication ceased to agitate the senate today.

It finally passed the house bill which fixed the Brazos river as the line where compulsory, systematic tick eradication will begin at state expense. The vote was 22 to 3. Negative votes were cast by Senators R. S. Bowers of Caldwell, J. G. Strong of Carthage, and A. J. Wirtz of Seguin.

Senator Bowers, who at the beginning of the debate acknowledged that he did not believe tick eradication practicable, led the fight for his own bill which would fix Brazos river as the line. It also would make eradication compulsory but progressive by tiers of counties.

PRAISE HIGHWAY BOARD

State Senate Resolution by Pollard Praises Accomplishments

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—(AP)—The senate today unanimously adopted a resolution offered by Senator Thomas G. Pollard of Tyler, commending the state highway commission and deploring accusations that have been made against it.

The resolution is joined by fifteen senators. Apparently it was prompted by the investigation of the department which is now under way in the house.

COLLINS' BODY LEFT IN EARTH WHERE HE DIED

Funeral Services Are Held At Mouth of Shaft Dug To Rescue Him

WON'T REMOVE IT

Difficulty In Bringing Lifeless Body To Surface Causes Decision

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 17.—(AP)—On the hill above Sand cave this afternoon his family and friends held funeral services for Floyd Collins. There was no casket; no corpse; no grave, and no marker. Sixty feet under ground in the Sand cave trap which closed upon him eighteen days ago, lay the body of Collins, discovered a few days too late by the rescuers. Rather than risk the lives of any of the tireless volunteers, his family chose to leave him in the cave for his last sleep.

Physicians, his friends and officials of the rescue party crept down into his narrow tomb today to gather the legal evidence that Floyd was buried there and that he was dead. None of the family could take a last look, but the thought that Collins would have chosen such a spot, among his beloved caves, comforted them.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Collins were there, silent in the last earthly rites for their son. The aged couple sat side by side in small chairs near the edge of the same limestone ledge under which Sand cave disappears.

Choir On Boulders.

Behind them, standing on large boulders overlooking the valley below were a dozen members of a choir gathered from among residents of Cave City. Mr. and Mrs. Collins listened with bowed heads while chords of "Nearer My God to Thee" drifted over the hill as the service opened.

The aged father glanced often toward the mouth of Sand cave, 125 feet away, as the words "though like the wanderer, the sun gone down," floated away in the distance. Sand cave, naked in the absence of its sheltered canopy, yawned silently as he gazed. The Rev. Roy H. Bisar, of Glasgow, a neighboring community, climbed to a stump to open the Scriptural service and a motion picture camera started to whirr. At the outer fringe of the group stood a sentinel with his rifle. Huge rocks were the benches of the outdoor chapel.

Men who had spent days in the struggle, unshaved and muddy, bared their heads in the chilling breeze. The little gathering of one hundred and fifty men and women heard the Rev. Biser tell them they were "standing on this precipice in the midst of death" and listened to him give thanks "for the brotherhood of men as manifested by those who have risked their lives on this site."

Mental comfort for the Collins family was besought and then Mrs. Ira D. Weathers of Cave City sang a solo.

The story of Floyd Collins, uncertain in its outcome, uncertain even from day to day, Rev. Biser referred to as paralleling the romance of mankind itself. No other incident within memory, he said, had brought so many prayers from the brotherhood of man for one fellowman trapped under ground.

Where He Loved to Be.

"Floyd loved the caverns and the caves; loved them as some of us love flowers and the birds," he continued. "Now he is enshrined in his sarcophagus of stone where his body lies in peace."

"It was Floyd's wish to be buried in a cave," the speaker added, and then related a dream which Mr. Collins said his son recently experienced, a dream that angels came and took him away from a cave where he was imprisoned.

"Heroic deeds have laid a permanent monument for the whole country in the exhibitions of courage and stamina revealed for 18 days at Sand cave," the Rev. C. K. Dickey of Horse Cave said. He supplemented the Rev. Biser's statement that the spot would forever be sacred to the memory of him who had called forth so much loving kindness.

J. F. VanCleave of Glasgow spoke in a voice so low that the trickling of water down an opposite hillside only emphasized the solemnity of the occasion. Faint clicks from cameras were audible as VanCleave told softly of how men emerging from the rescue shaft had dropped like dead men on their cots night after night.

The remainder was short. The Rev. Dickey conducted the committal and A. F. Pearson, a Glasgow undertaker, dropped a piece of ash, a tiny fluttering fern and a bit of earth as Floyd's unseen remains were committed to his Maker.

Fifty-five minutes had elapsed when the final "amen" brought the closing of the services. Such was the last hour of spiritual tribute to Floyd Collins. A few more hours and his body will have been sealed in its tomb deep in the earth below. A block of concrete will be permitted to solidify in the lateral, leading from the rescue shaft, while the shaft proper will be filled with rock and earth from the vicinity. The entrance to the cave will be boarded shut with heavy timbers and Floyd Collins henceforth will rest undisturbed.

RAISE MONEY FOR ELSIE

$2,000 Sought For Hight's Sweetheart To Effect Appeal.

BENTON, Ills., Feb. 17.—Friends of Mrs. Elsie Sweetin, convicted with Lawrence M. Hight, deposed pastor of the poison murder of her husband, Wilford Sweetin, are endeavoring to raise a fund of $2,000 to finance her appeal to the supreme court, it became known today. Mrs. Sweetin was sentenced to 35 years and Hight to life imprisonment.

Gulf's Waggoner Pasture Test Apparently A Well Of Some Sort

Heavy Black Oil From Sand Topped At 1,289-90 Feet

Nearby Tests Will Afford Quick Development Of Possible Pool

KEYS ET AL SPUDDED

Two Tests On Either Side Should Be Down Within Few Days

With at least a good showing to commend the area to other operators and some sort of a well almost a certainty Wilbarger county is marking time now while Gulf Production company attempts to open its third oil pool, some five miles due east of South Vernon.

There its No. 1, Waggoner, in the northwest quarter of section 50, block 14, 3,400 feet west and 150 feet south of the northeast corner of the south half of the northeast quarter of the section, is sanding possibly a foot in oil sand, with a small gas pressure yesterday and a derrick dirty and sloppy from a heavy spray of black low gravity oil. The well had bridged over yesterday, and operations had been suspended pending getting the boilers back out of the way and drilling further in the sand.

If the well should be a pool opener surrounding tests are numerous enough and so located as to soon tell something of its extent, approximately half a mile to the north Burton and Ruff are drilling past 800 feet on their No. 1, Waggoner, and should be down at the end of the week. To the east Keys et al have spudded and are drilling with cable tools on their No. 1, Waggoner, near the Texas company's old wells, while stiff further southeast Consolidated Oil company has made a location for a test in block 4, blk. 1 4,HT&TCRR survey.

The Gulf test is apparently a well of some sort and further developments in the nearby tests will be watched with more than ordinary interest, as the development of a pool here will add considerable impetus to drilling in in other parts of Wilbarger county.

Mag-Prairie Meet Crude Raise Here

Following posting of new crude prices here yesterday by the Prairie Oil and Gas company to conform with the schedules of the Texas company and Humble, effective as of yesterday morning, February 17, and in Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas, Magnolia Petroleum company posted its revised prices effective in Oklahoma and Kansas and as of February 17, 7 a. m.

Gulf, to date, is the only company that has not met this schedule, which, while naming $2.35 for the top grade, shows $2.00 and $2.25 for the two next lowest grades, an increase of five and fifteen cents over old schedules.

Bazette Tests Are Spudding

KERENS, Feb. 17.—R. R. Penn and others have completed the derrick for Absher No. 1 in the Bazette community, the boilers are set and machinery is on the ground. Humphreys-Boyd Oil company's derrick for Walthall No. 1, 400 feet due west of the Penn-Absher location, is up, the boilers and machinery on the lease and the gas line from the Connor tract gas line is laid. Water from the Humphreys tank on the McCown tract will feed both wells. These tests are spudding.

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News of the Fields

Olney Prod. Company

OLNEY, Feb. 17.—Olney Production company's No. 1 Kemp, the farthest north of the group of producers in the Peter-Kemp pool, was placed on the pump Tuesday morning and in the first three and a half hours placed 20 barrels of oil in storage. Shortly placing on the pump the well began making flows at five-minute intercals. This well has been in a state of semi-completion for several months and it was not until recently when an additional amount of sand was drilled that it showed up for a commercial producer. Sand was topped at 1,090 feet.

The well records a nice extension to the Peter Kemp field.

Texas Company, Hill

The Texas company is shut down cementing surface pipe, depth given as 1,180 feet on its No. 2, Hill, located in the southeast corner of the north half of block 2408, TE&LO survey, east end of the Carey pool, southwest Archer county.

The No. 1, is being equipped for the pump.

M-F, Weichman

Murchison and Fain have abandoned their No. 1, Weichman, located due southeast of the Gambrell pool, block 173, southwest corner of the north one-half of the block, total depth given as 1,320 feet. A dry sand was encountered at 1,120 feet.

Petroleum Producers

Hausler.

Petroleum Producers were setting casing yesterday on their No. 11, Hausler, south side of the Carey pool, at a depth given as 1,115 feet. The No. 10 Hausler was drilling and expecting to be on the sand some time during the day.

Kunkel.

Nearly half a mile east of production in the Carey district Petroleum Producers et al. are drilling below 660 feet on their No. 1, Kunkel, BBB&CRR survey, abstract 54, south Archer county.

Kemp and Allen.

Petroleum Producers have spudded and are drilling on their No. 8, Kemp and Allen, southwest of Iowa Park, Wichita county.

Hoffer, Waggoner

T. B. Hoffer has encountered a lime saturated with oil in his No. 1, Waggoner, located in the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 40, block 4, H&TCRR survey, Wilbarger county. Depth was given as 936 feet.

Weekley-Ruff, Waggoner

Ruf fand Weekley have set their 8 1-4 inch pipe in their No. 1, Waggoner, located in section 11, block 14, H&TCRR survey, Wilbarger county, depth given as 1,700 feet.

Medora, Hayter

Medora Oil company was feeling for the sand yesterday below a last reported depth of 1,348 feet in their No. 1, Hayter, located in the northwest quarter of block 1598, TE&LCO survey, west end of the Harmel pool.

Burns-Maxson, Mothes

Burns and Maxson are rigging up on their No. 1, Mothes, located in the southwest corner of block 2445, TE&LCO survey, due south of the Harmel pool, north Young county.

Burns, Burns

L. T. Burns has spudded and drilling on his No. 1, fee, located in the northeast corner of the south half of block 85, TE&LC survey, about five miles due south of the Harmel pool in north Young county.

Gulf, Wggoner

Gulf Production company's No. 1, Waggoner, located in the northeast quarter of section 50, H&TCRR survey, block 14, Wilbarger county, was standing yesterday bridged over with a small gas pressure and some oil standing in the hole above the bridge.

Gas pressure in the well was estimated at possibly eight million cubic feet of gas when the sand was first encountered at 1,290 feet Sunday afternoon, this rapidly decreasing as the bridge formed until Sunday afternoon it was measured and calculated at possibly 1,000,000 cubic feet. The well sprayed oil for some time, covering the derrick and rig. The oil in appearance is extremely low gravity and very black. The tools were still in the hole yesterday.

The boilers were to be moved back and the sand drilled in further in a day or so. Approximately 150 feet of the hole is open.

Burns-Maxson, Wilson

Burns and Maxson have made a location for a test and will get started right away on the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the SPRR survey, abstract 412, approximately 3-4 of a mile southwest of the Waite Phillips pool, west Archer county.

Keys et al, Waggoner

Keys et al. have spudded and are drilling on their No. 1, Waggoner, in the northeast quarter of section 37, block 14, H&TCRR survey, Wilbarger county, near the Gulf's No. 1, Waggoner.

Consolidated, Waggoner

The Consolidated Oil company has made a location and is moving on for a test southeast of the Gulf's well on the Waggoner land, section 50, the well to be located 150 feet from the east line, and half way north and south, in the west forty acres of the east 120 acres of block 4, H&TCRR survey, block 14, Wilbarger county. The test will be drilled with a rotary machine.

Texhoma, Montague

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company is drilling past 900 feet after passing up its second oil sand at 800-95 feet, and going in search of the deeper stuff supposed to lie at 1,300 feet in its No. 2, C. H. Howard, in north Montague county.

Swastika Locations

The Shamrock Oil company, threatened with a complete shutdown in Swastika due to discontinuance of water service from the city of Olney lake in south Archer county, has made two locations on their leases there, the No. B-1, Campbell, Banking company, south of the Christie well, and the Richardson B-15, east side of the field.

The lack of water will shut down six rigs in this district of the Shamrock alone, one of which is ready to drill into the sand.

Texas Company, Gambrell

The Texas company has set casing on their No. 2, Gambrell, in the northeast corner of their Gambrell lease, on the sand at 1,198 feet. The No. 3, in the southeast cornor of the same lease actually flowed 724 barrels Monday from the sand around 1,200 feet, twice the best well ever reported from the Murchison and Fain pool, northwest of Olney, BBB&CRR survey, abstract 31, north Young county.

Texhoma Locations

White.

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company has made a location for a test 490 feet south and 150 feet east of the northwest corner of the south half of block 1, section 42, ATNCL, north Archer county.

Burnett.

Texhoma-Cullum have made a location for their No. B-3, Burnett, 300 feet south of the No. B-2, and 500 feet south and 150 feet east of the northwest corner of their 40-acre lease which is the northwest forty acres of the northeast quarter of the G. R. Meade survey, section 6, abstract 464, south of Fowlkes Station, Wichita county.

Texas Company, Gist

The Texas company was drilling yesterday at past 1,150 feet on its No. 3, Gist, located north of Nocona, north Montague county. This is the well that blew in with the big gas pressure a week or so ago at the level at which it was hoped to make an oil well.

Texas Company, Graham

The Texas company is shut down at 1,300 feet on its No. 1, Graham, loicated in block 193, TE&LCO survey, northeast of the Peter Kemp field, north Young county.

Wells, Waggoner

W. D. Wells was drilling yesterday noon with his Star machine at 760 feet on his No. 1, Waggoner, located in the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section 21, block 14, H&TCRR survey, abstract 377, just east and north of the Gulf's No. 1, Waggoner.

Hardesty, Kunkel

Hardesty-Hinson et al were drilling yesterday below 1,174 feet on their No. 1, Kunkel, located in lot 2, Thomas McCoy survey, northwest of the Carey district, south Archer county.

Humble, Schlegel

The Humble Oil annd Refining company has encountered a sand and is setting casing in its No. 1, Schlegel, BBB&CRR survey, abstract 31, approximately three locations east of production in the Murchison and Fain pool on the Gambrell land, nrothwest of Olney and in north Young county. Sand was encountered at 1,174 feet.

Personals

M. G. Eaton, Consolidated Oil company, New York city, who has been a Wichita Falls visitor for the past few days is returning to his home in New York.

W. A. Moncrief, Marland Oil company of Texas, Dallas, is a Wichita Falls visitor.

Britt Cranfill spent yesterday in Oklahoma City attending the wedding of his brother, Truett Cranfill.

James V. Maxwell Jo., for the past few years an employe of the Texhoma Oil and Refining company land department, is leaving the service of the Texhoma to enter the scouting department of the Continental Oil company (Mutual).

H. A. Holstein and Robert N. Kolm, Atlantic Producing company, spent yesterday in Dallas.

M-F, Hayter

Murchison and Fain are drilling below a last reported depth of 1,000 feet on their No. 1, Hayter, located in the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of block 2,423, TE&LCO survey, just southeast of Megargel in southwest Archer county.

Dill Farm Test

Clark - Harbin - Baldridge are preparing to abandon their No. 1, Dill, Star machine, located north and east of the South Vernon field in section 84, Wilbarger county, at a total depth of 2,525 feet. The well would have been continued but for an unsuccessful fishing job.

Atlantic, Ward

Atlantic Oil Producing company and Donohoe have drilled their No. 2, Ward, Tomlinson survey, abstract 352, south of Anarene, south Archer county to 1,150 feet and shut down.

Atlantic, Blewett

The Atlantic Oil Producing company was drilling below 1,400 feet yesterday in their No. 1, Blewett, block 45, Meade L. M. Pasture subdivision, Probert survey, southwest Archer county, after being shut down for water at 1,370 feet. The well expected to pick up the sand sometime late yesterday.

Last Reports

Magnolia No. 1, Lauster, south Archer county, dg past 1,520.

Rayzor et al, No. 1, Porter, south Archer county, location.

Lincoln et al, Budd No. 1, west Archer county, location.

Texhoma, Covert No. 1, north Wilbarger county, dg past 943 feet.

McQuaid, Schramm No. 1, east Gaylor cunty location.

Mills Bennett, No. 1, Serella, west Archer county, location.

Hamilton et al, No. 1, Easter, north Wilbarger, fishing at 1,829.

Texhoma, Kunkel No. 1, South Archer, spudded and drilling.

Superior, Kinder No. 1, dg past 800 feet, east Archer county.

Moore, Cheeves No. 1, north Young county, spudded and drilling.

Sheel-Boggs, No. 1, Wilson, location, Archer county.

Dawson et al, No. 1, Fowell, north Archer, location.

Welch et al, Wilson No. 1, N. Young, standing full of oil and water.

Atlantic-Jones, Finch, No. 1, north Young county, spudded and drilling.

Roxana-Kentucky, No. 1, Bullock, north Young county, dg past 1,550 feet.

Marland No. 1, Ward, south Archerr rig.

Daniels-Kutis-Cline No. 2, Stampfli-Roberts, dg past 1,081.

Daniels-Kutis-Petroleum Producers No. 1, S. E. Howard, north Montague county, dg below 500 feet.

Daniels and Butis No. 1, Keith, north Young, sd at 460.

Magnolia No. 1, Rogers, casing set and cemented.

Magnolia No. 1, Stampfli-Roberts, casing set and cemented.

Atlantic et al, Wilson, No. 1, north Archer, dg 1,300 feet.

Consolidated No. 1, Bellamy, north Young, dg at 750.

Texas company, Hill No. 1, Standardizing No. 2, rig at 1,169.

Gulf, Ward No. 1, coring at 1,094 feet.

Atlantic, Parker No. 1, South Wilbarger county, dg past 1,550 feet.

United Central No. 3, Rogers, Harms: pool, moving on.

Atlantic et al, No. 1, Burnett, sw of Burke Station, rigging up.

Levy No. 1, Wheeler, Wilbarger, dg past 1,400 feet.

Levy No. 1, Waggoner, Wilbarger, dg past 1,550 feet.

Texhoma-Holmes, Flanicken, location north Wilbarger county.

Waxwell-Weekly, No. 1, Morris, north Wilbarger, derrick.

Little, Youngblood Nos. 2 and 3, Kunke, spudded and drilling.

Sheerin-McCamey, No. 2 Stephens, so Vernon, derrick on ground.

Wells-Guberson No. 2, Wharton, Wilbarger, dg at 1,015 feet.

Humble, Waggoner, Wilbarger, dg at 1,700 feet.

Mulligan No. 1, Waggoner, Wilbarger county, fishing below 1,100 feet.

Holmes-Freeman, Richardson No. 1, north Wilbarger, location.

Monroe Production company, No. 1, Wallace, Baylor county, dg 1,232.

Gulf No. 1, Gass, north Young county derrick.

Mooers et al, Ickert No. 1, south Archer, sr, dizzed to pump.

Gwynn No. 1, Pattusek, south Archer, ed below 1,400 feet.

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Sterling Quits Humble Board

Press of Private Affairs And Old Vow Given As Reasons

HOUSTON, Feb. 17.—Upon strength of a vow to retire at the age of 50, the press of private interests and a hint to possible public activity, R. S. Sterling, chairman of the board of the Humble Oil & Refining company, tendered his resignation at the annual stockholders' meeting Monday morning.

Mr. Sterling has been actively identified with the Humble company since its inception on a small scale as president, until two years ago when he was elected chairman of the board, being succeeeded by W. S. Farish.

The stockholders accepted Mr. Sterling's resignation and passed resolutions of regret.

The stockholders elected the old directors: W. S. Farish, R. L. Blaffer, H. C. Weiss, W. W. Fendren, F. P. Sterling, James Anderson, E. E. Townes, J. S. Bonner, L. A. Carlton, C. B. Goddard and Wallace E. Pratt, the latter in the place of R. S. Sterling.

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City Of Olney Withdraws Water Supply From Archer-Young Operators

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Somplete Shutdown Forecast For North Young-South Archer

SITUATION SERIOUS

Texhoma Hauling Water by Tank Cars to Gambrell And Megargel

Predictions that the end of this week would not see twenty rigs running in south Archer and north Young county were made freely here yesterday when announcement was made from Mayor McCracken's office at Olney that effective February 20 all water lines drawing water from the city of Olney's lake in south Archer county would have their supply cut off. No drilling water can be obtained from that source after the twentieth, word from Olney says.

Olney Lake.

Since development first began in south Archer and north Young county the major part of activity has been carried on with water drawn from the Olney lake, constructed some time ago for the original purpose of supplying Olney with drinking water but turned to a business end when drillers wanted the water and offered to pay for it. Innumerable lines drawing upon the lake's water supply kept up a huge amount of activity, although failing to render sufficient service in many instances, a general charge of $25.00 a day per well being made for the water.

In the last two weeks the lake has become dangerously low, with more than two feet loss recorded in its depth in that time. The announcement from Olney city officials is made as a result of this supply shrinkage, and it simply means that operators will either shut down, or obtain another source for their water.

Texhoma has taken a lead in this matter by laying spurs on the railroad near the Gambrell pool and at Megargel, and shipping water from Seymour, obtained from the city there at approximately half the cost that the pipe service from the Olney lake cost them, each tank car holding approximately 200 barrels.

Brazos Permits.

Crude oil purchasing companies will furnish water to producers, in return for their oil but this supply is even very limited and not always to be counted on.

A Wichitan, E. A. Kellog, has before the state officials applications for permits to get water for drilling permits from the Brazos in north Young county, but action on these has been deferred until the applications are perfected.

In the meantime a water shortage that has been acute all year promises its most serious stage yet for the two counties, and general shut down is prospective for the end of the week.

Sugg Settles Reagan Dispute

Humble Will Proceed With Work On Big Lake Pipeline Now

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Feb. 17.—Laying on a pipe line for an outlet for Reagan county oil to the Santa Fe railway loading tracks here was expected to be resumed here by th Humble Pipe Line company following settlement of differences between the Humble interests and J. D. Sugg, wealthy Chickasha, Okla., banker and cattleman.

Two weeks ago Sugg stopped the work of laying pipe on his Irion county ranch, which the pipe line right-of-way traverses for 20 miles of its total length of 67 between Kemper and San Angelo.

The agreement was reported here today by Harris & Harris, Humble attorneys, upon a receipt of a message from Chickasha. Settlement out of court stopped condemnation proceedings which the Humble company had instituted in district court at Sherwood.

COMPLETE TAX SURVEY

J. Ben Stoner, Valuation Expert, Finishes Huge Task

Acceptance of the system by the city council is the last step to be taken in the installation here of the new unit system of tax appraisment, J. Ben Stoner, who installed the system, said Tuesday. Mr. Stoner and his clerk's have completed their work, all maps are drawn, cards filled out and indexed and other records compiled.

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COLLIER

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considerable rest before morning. The girl was at the house all day and at last report uesday night gave no indication of wishing to leave.

Speculation on the possibility of Mr. Collier resigning as mayor was still pronounced in some quarters. The passage of the city council meeting Monday night with no steps taken in this line led to the belief, however, that the mayor contemplated no immediate severance of his official connection with the city.

Many Gas Stations Going Up Here Now

An unusual number of filling stations are being erected in Wichita Falls at this time. Texhoma has under construction two of its own, one at the corner of Tenth street and Van Buren andn another at Lamar and Eleventh.

Not the least attractive of those going up from the standpoint of location is that of F. M. Gates, under construction at the corner of Ohio and Barwise, ready for operation possibly next week, with an approximate cost of $15,000. Construction in recent months has put Wichita Falls in high rank for attractiveness and number of gasoline service stations, the majority of which are owned by local refiners.

BUILDING PERMIT RECORD

Aggregate Value of $22,320 Established for Two Days

Fifteen building permits, believed to be a record for two days, have been issued by Building Inspector Fred A. Smith thus far this week. Their aggregate value is $22,320, with the largest singe permit being for an even $5,000.

Most of the jobs were small ones, repairs and small houses and garages accounting for the bulk of the new work.

ALLEY WILL BE CLOSED

New Structure Necessitates Stopping Up Bank Roadway

Closing of the alley running behind the City National bank building and at the side of the new structure to be erected by J. J. Perkins, R. O. Harvey, C. W. Snider and others, will be necessary in a few days. Permission has been obtained from city officials, and for a large part of the summer, at least, this alley way will be blocked to general traffic.



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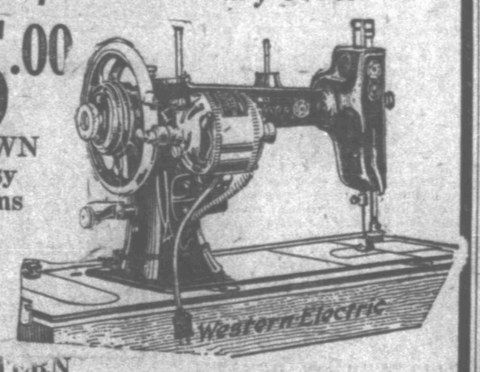
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Increased Prices In Gas Attract Solons, Attention

Sharp Issues Are Raised Tuesday In Both Houses Of Congress

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. — Increased gasoline prices today developed into sharp issues in both houses of congress.

In the senate a resolution by Senator Trammell, democrat, Florida, for a federal trade commission investigation was debated for an hour without action while in the house a committee examined bureau of mines officials in an effort to determine causes for recent higher prices in Washington.

Senator Trammell asserted there was no justification for increases of from 4 to 6 cents a gallon for the commodity in recent weeks. Senator Harreld, republican, Oklahoma, however, contended crude oil production had fallen off, and that the price boosts were the natural outgrowth of the law of supply and demand. Before the house committee, B. F. Tough, bureau of mines expert, said he did not have any information to lead him to believe the price of gasoline in Washington was unfair, adding that he spoke as an individual.

"If we have an increase in the production of crude oil," he said, "then we may expect a decrease in the price of gasoline. Otherwise, there will be no decrease."

Chairman Eihlman declared interior department figures had shown the largest rate of production in December at which time the price increases started, and Mr. Tough replied that formerly stocks started to increase in October and November, but that this year they did not begin until December.

Both Senator Curtis, Kansas, the republican leader, and Senator Harreld referred to previous investigations of the oil industry, the Oklahoman declaring "too many investigations will ruin any business." Senator Curtis thought the Trammell resolution should be referred to the senate interstate commerce committee in as much as prosecutions had been started or were pending as a result of the federal trade commission's of 1923. That investigation, he said, cost $23,000, and before another was ordered it should be considered by a senate committee.

Senator Trammell asserted the 1923 report of the commission showed the oil industry was monopolistic and paid unwarranted dividends.

ACCEPT TRAFFIC LIGHTS

Police Department Satisfied With Them, Council Is Told

Acceptance of the new traffic control system recently installed by the Wichita Falls Electric company has been made by the city upon recommendation of Commissioner J. T. Young. The commissioner has announced that, after a thorough trial, the police department has found the lights and bells functioning satisfactorily and he believed the city should officially accept the job as complete.

SMALL POLICE DOCKET

Business in the Tuesday morning session of the city police court was confined to the trial of a few traffic cases, drunks and yegs. Minimum fines were assessed or bonds forfeited in all the cases.

Plenty of Triumph and Cobbler seed potatoes. C. H. PARKER cash grocer, 611 Indiana. Ph. 5056. —Adv.

Gas Follows Oil When Mid-Field Price Is Boosted

Further Advances Are Expected By Oil Companies In Dallas

DALLAS, Feb. 17. — Following another advance of five cents per barrel on crude oil in mid-continent fields today, the retail price of gasoline at Dallas and Texas filling stations of the major distributing companies was increased from 19 to 21 cents a gallon.

Further advances are expected by oil companies here, it was officially announced, due to the decline in production of crude and with only fifty-five days' supply of gasoline in stock.

The latest advance in crude oil was posted today by the Magnolia Petroleum company here, quoting Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas oil of 36 to 38.9 gravity at $2 per barrel. Oil of 38 to 41.9 gravity is quoted at $2.25 per barrel.

Premiums of 25 to 50 cents per barrel have been paid by purchasing companies in Wichita county and in Oklahoma and this practice is expected to be continued despite the increase in price, Dallas oil men indicated.

With the unprecedented consumption of gasoline during the winter months and crude production in 1924 showing a decrease compared with 1923, also with the spring months just ahead when gasoline consumption reaches its peak Dallas oil men claim that the new oil fields of heavy production must be found to avert a gasoline shortage in the summer.

The most promising prospect for new production is in east Bazette field in Navarro county, Colonel A. F. Humphrey and several major producing company are drilling tests.

ONLY ONE LICENSE

Only one marriage license was issued Tuesday at the county clerk's office. It went to Lloyd O. Grove and Nola Mae Cabe, both of Electra.

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THE FARMERS AND THE ROBERTSON LAW

The action of the state senate's committee on insurance, in favorably reporting the Wirtz bill, signalizes the opening of the actual battle in the legislature over the Robertson law. By a vote of four to three the committee went on record for repeal as provided for in the bill it reported. The minority, however, has submitted a strong report against repeal. Thus both sides of the question have been presented to the upper house of the legislature.

Unquestionably the proponents of repeal have the advantage at this time. Their victory in the insurance committee is but one of their assets. They have a well organized lobby in operation, while their opponents are unorganized. They have the affirmative side of the question under discussion, which is always an advantage. Their greatest asset, however, is the support of representative cattlemen and farmers who have accepted the theory that repeal of the Robertson law will mean cheap money for agriculturists and stock raisers.

So pressing is the need for better agricultural credits, that many farmers and stockmen have embraced the repeal proposal, forwarded by an industrial group not specially sympathetic toward them, without inquiring whether it can really accomplish what is claimed for it. To understand their attitude it is only necessary to recall the strong agrarian fight waged to give Muscle Shoals to Henry Ford, with practically no guarantee that the properties would be held in trust for the country or that the farmers' interest would really be served.

When the Ford proposition was agitated, the manufacture of fertilizer by the nitrogen fixation process was known to be purely experimental and the best technical and scientific opinion was directly against its practicability. Yet many farmers believed that a magnificent power development project could be successfully converted to this purpose, and apparently had no doubt that Henry Ford would devote himself almost exclusively to the manufacture of cheap fertilizer for their benefit, although his interests bound him to automobile production.

The agrarian demand that Muscle Shoals be handed over to Ford now finds its parallel in the support given by cattlemen and farmers to the proposed repeal of the Robertson law. Like the power possibilities at Muscle Shoals, the workings of the Robertson law have no direct relation to agriculture. The primary mission of the law is protection of the interests of life insurance policy holders; only secondarily has it anything to do with investments and then only with investments of the most conservative order.

The Robertson law's provision for investment in approved Texas securities of three-fourths of the reserve required on Texas policies is not, as claimed by proponents of its repeal, an attempt "to legislate money into Texas." It is not even an attempt to keep money in the state. It is a protective feature and nothing more. Inevitably, investment money will go where it can earn the greatest return with the best security. Presently it is coming to Texas because development here is rapid and continuous and so long as this is true, it will continue coming. There is less need for coaxing it now than at any time in our history and, certainly, it will not flood in upon us in return for the repeal of provisions whose only effect, so far as investment is concerned, is to keep about 30 per cent of the money paid for insurance by Texans invested in safe and easily convertible Texas securities.

LONGING FOR THE GOOD OLD DAYS.

By a vote of 16 to 12 the senate of Texas has decided that it would be most fitting for the railway managers of Texas to issue free transportation to the law makers. Then why not free passes for all the office holders?

In the good old days all the politicians packed railway passes; all the newspaper writers who would accept them carried free passes; all the delegates to political conventions were supplied with free passes. But Jones, the freight payer, had to put the cash on the barrel head when he traveled. Gone are the good old days. Why call them back?

If the railway managers are forced to give the law makers free passes, then would it be fair for the railway managers to ask the law makers to give the railroads free legislation? In other words, the legislation demanded by the more aggressive of the railway managers.

Really the people of Texas should pay their law makers a decent wage. They should pay their governor at least $15,000 a year. They should pay all the minor officers of state living salaries instead of miserable stipends.

WHERE SOME OF THE MONEY GOES.

According to a Washington correspondent the personal and corporation incomes and taxes by states and territories for 1922 show that Texans contributed as follows:

Personal income, $545,901,576; corporation income, $94,059,389; total tax paid on personal and corporation income by Texas, $24,585,870.

It surely costs a lot of money to make the world safe for democracy and the babes of today will be gray haired and decrepit before the last item of the war cost has been liquidated.

Constitutional liberty comes high, but it is worth the cost.

PREPARING AN ALIBI

Discovering that it has taken an untenable position in the Wheeler case, the Coolidge administration is not only attempting to withdraw as gracefully as it can, but is also preparing an alibi. It develops that the so-called land fraud case, in which Senator Wheeler of Montana is supposed to be implicated involves neither positive criminality nor actual diversion of public property, but merely the offense of securing too many permits to explore government land. As the enforcement of economy in the granting of permits is regarded with different degrees of seriousness in the east and th west, the administration has graciously turned over to a westerner the guidance of the grand jury inquiry into the case.

The new prosecutor is a democrat as well as a westerner. He is also a man of considerable reputation, having held the important post of assistant attorney general under the Wilson administration. In his hands, the case will seem to be deprived of the least taint of sectional prejudice or partisan interest. As a result of his appointment, the administration will be relieved of a difficult situation and may gain some credit for fairness. But this will not be quite enough. It is not only necessary for the administration to retire from the Wheeler case; it must also seek to free itself of blame for entering the case.

It is now being stated upon good authority that the president had nothing whatever to do with the charges against Wheeler. The sudden zeal of the department of justice for enforcement of the federal land law is supposd to account for the case. William M. Butler, while chairman of the republican national committee, is declared to have been as innocent as Mr. Coolidge of any intention in the matter. But the damaging admission is made that the committee as a body had a great deal to do with setting the prosecution on foot.

The committee's interest was plainly political. It sought to minimize the damage which the republican party might suffer from the oil scandal disclosure by showing that democrats as well as republicans were involved. With the committee so thoroughly understanding its business, it is hardly to be believed that high republican officials were in ignorance of what was going on. If they were so dense, the democratic charge of a lack of responsible leadership in republican ranks was more than justified.

THERE IS MONEY IN OIL.

A New York syndicate offered $50,000,000 Sinclair notes to the buying public and they were quickly sold. It is said that the Sinclair Oil company will retire $30,000,000 and $20,000,000 issues. A New York dispatch says because of the sale of the Sinclair notes, New York financiers say that executives of other oil companies are seeking funds in the street.

Incidentally, the price of crude was advanced ten days ago to the delight of Texans who are interested in the oil industry and now way down east the Standard has advanced the price of gasoline to 17 cents wholesale and 20 cents a gallon retail throughout New York and New England.

Oil production increased early in the year and the Wortham field was responsible for it. Now it is said that Worthma has reached its peak production and that a slump in the daily output may come in the near future.

There must be money in oil for those who keep close to the mother and her cubs.

DECLINING THE ROLE OF PROPAGANDIST

In rejecting the suggestion that he periodically address the country by radio, giving in detail his views on government questions, Mr. Coolidge has declined the role of propagandist which some of his mistaken friends would press upon him. His reasons are excellent. They are, first, that the public press accurately reflects important discussions of the day, and second, that he will be able to express his own personal opinions at specific gatherings and on specially appropriate occassions.

Fundamentally, Mr. Coolidge's objection rests on the sound proposition that information upon public affairs should reach the people through disinterested agencies. The press is the great medium of presentation. It does not originate news, but gathers and displays it. Therefore, its accounts are trusted while the public official who essays to be the reporter and critic of his own acts and opinions is always suspected of seeking rather to serve his own purposes than to enlighten the people.

A WRONG INFERENCE.

Those who favor having a new congress immediately take up its duties, thus eliminating the short session of an expiring congress, are pointing to the approaching legislative jam at Washington to prove their contentions. They declare that congress' failure to pass appropriations in time to consider constructive measures and matters of policy clearly shows the need for change. It is assumed that a new congress could attend to appropriations and other important matters without haste and without waste of time.

But they are proceeding upon wrong inference. They suppose that congress only discharges its full duty to the country when a mass of new laws are enacted and a number of novel theories are evolved. But it is often true that the people are served best when congress legislates least. The whole country has lately desired a comparatively barren session of our national law makers that the forces of improvement in commerce and industry might not be arrested in their work. If the present congress is widely criticized, it will be for things done rather than for things left undone.

"SEEING FRANCE"

Now it has been figured out that American tourists, of whom there were 135,000, left $202,500,000 behind them in France in 1923, establishing a record tourist year. Only 10 per cent visited Paris for business and the rest for pleasure.

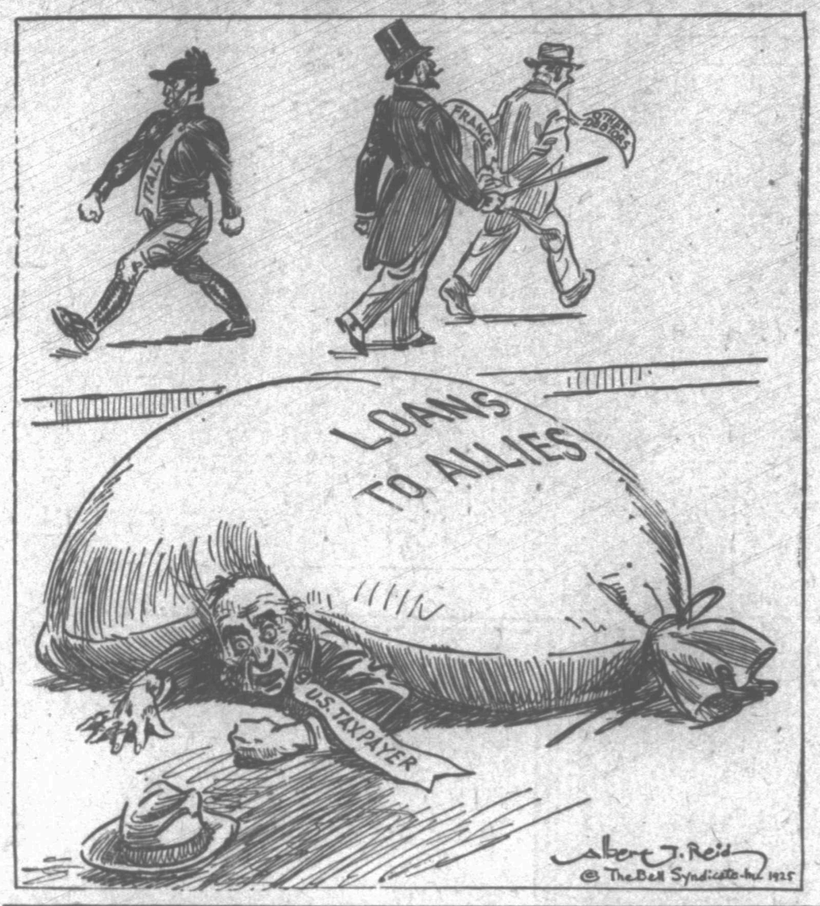
Figures of 1924 are not available, but it is predicted that a new high tourist year for expenditures was established by rich Americans who travel abroad for pleasure and who dearly love the wine shops of the gay capital.

Pointed Paragraphs

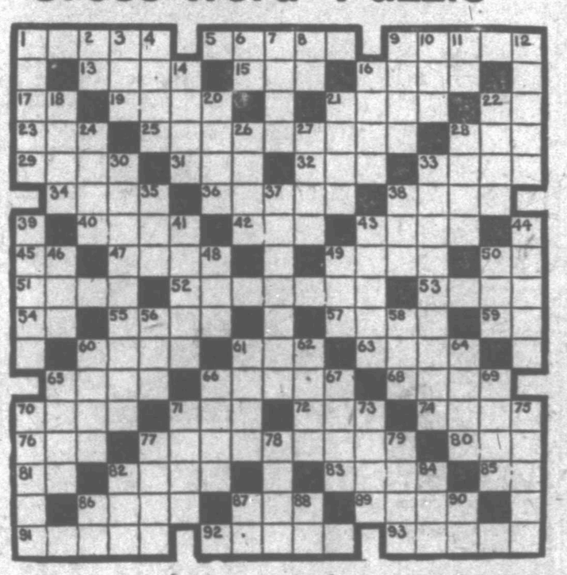
At any rate kings no longer think the state means a word containing one vertical letter.

The poor foreigner learning American can't tell whether "dirt" refers to soil, politics or literature.

Would Be Grateful For Just A Little Lift.



Cross-Word Puzzle



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

Introduction for Puzzle.

Sharpen your wits on this hard fellow! Having by this time attained horizontal word number 1 in the solving of crossword puzzles, and having decided that this cross word game is neither horizontal word 52 you must realize that you horizontal word 29 a great deal more about the English language now-a-days. We are going to tell you that vertical word number 3, defined as "to allow" is "let" and vertical word number 9 meaning "a good number is "many." Now be horizontal number 31.

Horizontal.

1. Dexterity.
5. Sorcery.
9. Plunged or fixed in mud.
13. To ooze.
15. A habitual drunkard.
16. A German philosopher.
17. A preposition.
19. High.
21. To close and open the eyelids quickly.
22. Within.
23. To steal from.
25. The quality of being childish.
28. A number.
29. To possess wisdom, instruction or information.
31. Merry.
32. Belonging to it.
33. A piece of ordnance (plural).
34. Small loops to receive hooks.
36. A nick.
38. The possessive form of "her."
40. Slaughtered.
42. A part of anything worn on, or attached to, the foot.
43. The god of war.
45. In.
47. An oven in which glassware is annealed.
49. Anything that heals or mitigates pain.
50. An academic degree.
51. Was dressed in.
52. Foolish or senseless.
53. The Russian name corresponding to "John."
54. A southern state (abbr.)
55. A title affixed to the name of a knight or baronet (plural).
57. A nutritious vegetable.
59. You and I.
60. Dressed.
61. Corroded.
63. A tramping bushman's luggage (Australia).
65. Having a fine edge or point; sharp.
66. A timepiece.
68. A volcano in Sicily.
70. A partner.
71. Also.
72. Concealed.
74. The general direction of sunrise.
76. A kind of floor covering.
77. A word spelled like another but differing in sound and sense.
80. An indefinite article.
81. One.
82. The hard central part of an apple.
83. To preserve or maintain.
85. A preposition meaning "out."
86. A raccoon.
87. To smear with a sticky substance.
89. Part of a railway track.
91. A Scottish novelist and poet (1771-1832).
92. Moved at an easy gait resembling a canter said of a horse.
93. Persons allied in a contest (plural).

Vertical.

1. A bird that is supposed to bring babies.
2. Exists.
3. To allow.
4. To jump.
6. While.
7. A desert region in Central Asia.
8. That thing.
9. A good number.
10. A writing fluid.
11. Right (abbr).
12. Piles of sand heaped up by the wind.
14. A stopple.
16. Sets of tools.
18. Not any.
20. Thin.
21. Accompanied by.
22. Taverns.
24. Masculine beings.
26. A peasant or cultivator of the soil (India).
27. Small wingless parasitic insects.
28. Belonging to us.
30. An eastern college for women.
33. To begin to grow.
35. To behold.
37. A city in Canada.
38. The nickname of King Henry the Fifth of England.
39. Clumsy.
41. Eerie.
43. A staff borne by a person of authority (plural).
44. The spirits of the dead and gods of the underworld.
46. A plaything.
48. Roads (abbr).
49. A small piece of cloth worn around the neck of children.
50. The stomach.
56. A Scotch forename.
58. To inspire with reverence.
60. An early British people.
61. A large genus of South African plants.
62. To resound.
64. A kind of insect.
65. A spelling of the word "clan" adopted by a secret society.
66. A shed or shelter for small domestic animals.
67. A close loop.
69. A county in North Carolina.
70. To accumulate.
71. A member of the gull family.
73. One whose occupation is dyeing.
75. Topics or themes.
77. The cry of an owl.
78. To sell at auction (Scotch).
79. Food in general.
82. A small bed.
84. An article of food.
86. A business organization.
87. To move.
88. The objective form of "I."
90. A southern state (abbr).

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE.

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IRRIGATION

HOW IT IS POSSIBLE TO TELL THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF WATER AVAILABLE.

Our article yesterday in which we quoted Dr. Youngblood as saying that we must find out how many acres our water supply will finally irrigate has caused some questions to be asked.

One inquiry was "How in the world can you tell how many acres Lake Kemp will irrigate until it has actually been tried out?"

Of course it is impossible to tell exactly but out west it is a thing that is often done and with astonishing accuracy. A brief description of how and why will be of interest.

Naturally the first thing is to know how much water is available. This depends upon two things: the quantity of water you can store in the reservoir and the amount of water which will flow into it.

A topographic survey of the reservoir will give, with considerable accuracy, the amount of water it will hold. Even without a survey the capacity of a reservoir can be closely approximated. No accurate survey has ever been made of Lake Kemp yet is practically sure that it will hold close to 600,000-acre feet at spillway level.

The amount of water flowing down any stream in any given period of time is something which varies greatly. It varies with the seasons of the year and from year to year. It depends upon the rainfall on the watershed above the reservoir and upon the runoff from these rains.

Now from all of this it would appear that it would be quite impossible to tell how much water would flow into a reservoir in any one year. That is correct. It is impossible. But if we keep records over a period of years we can tell very closely what the average amount of water will be. It is upon the average amount that all calculations must be based.

MATTERS OF HEALTH

It is estimated that it costs two dollars a year to feed a rat and repair the damage he does to property—that doesn't include bubonic plague for which he is responsible.

When the bacilli of typhoid fever are present in water, milk, oysters or other foods, they are there by reason of criminal negligence on the part of some one.

Folks who allow piles of fly breeding rubbish to accumulate in their back yards and alleys contribute liberally to the support of the medical fraternity.

More Truth Than Poetry

BOOK SELLING IN SPAIN

When a novelist hungers for fame,
In the land of the brave and the free;
When he hopes to awaken acclaim,
A snappy best seller writes he.
The publisher boosts it for all it is worth,
The critics all rip it to pieces,
And soon it is sold to the ends of the earth,
And the writer gets richer than Croesus.

In Spain, when a novelist writes
A book, it will bring him no pelf,
Unless he goes out and excites
The interest of readers himself.
Emotional boosts and sarcastic reviews
Do not serve in the least to promote it,
Until the dear public is thrilled by the news
Of the deeds of the fellow that wrote it.

Ibanez for instance each day
Strolls into the palace alone,
Tells the King he is getting too gay,
And ought to be chucked off the throne.
He urges the people to come and support
The great but extinct constitution,
Suggesting by way of a live outdoor sport
A glorious red revolution.

Then he moves from Alfonzo's domains,
Sits down by the murmuring brooks,
And counts up the incoming gains
That are made by the sale of his books.
These strenuous methods of writing appear
To go great in monarchial nations,
But if they were needful as boosts over here,
Our books would have small circulations.

THE SPREAD OF HONESTY.

One proof of the increase of morality is found in the fact that when a bucket shop is under investigation all the partners promptly disclaim any connection with it.

EXPLANATION

The reason why there are fewer motor fatalities in New York despite the increase in automobiles is that the machines are so thick that the chauffeurs cannot see the pedestrians as well as they used to.

GONE AND FORGOTTEN

Memory is short-lived. Even the eclipse has gone into eclipse.

CHILDREN'S CROSS WORD PUZZLE

HOW TO SOLVE PUZZLE.

The words start in the numbered squares and run either across or down. Only one letter is placed in each white square. If the proper words are found each combination of letters in the white squares will form words. The key to the puzzle—the first word—is given in the drawing. Below are keys to the other words.



Running Across.

Word 1. It's in the picture. Can you name its colors?

Word 5. Another name for a small roadside hotel.

Word 7. What gasoline and oil come in. Singular.

Word 8. Part of one's face.

Running Down.

Word 1. A synonym for the word in this sentence: "The life guard was called to SAVE the boy from drowning."

Word 2. What forms when dripping water freezes.

Word 3. A synonym for flag.

Word 4. A kind of tree.

Word 6. A continent in the western hemisphere. Abbreviated.

YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE ANSWERED.



What Today Means To You

Today's planetary aspects are of rather a complex nature, and do not favor any special line of endeavor. They reather seem to indicate a favorable opportunity for review and research. Under such circumstances, it would be well to go carefully over any plans in the making, and agreements to be drawn up, but not yet executed, or any correspondence to be written, but not yet mailed. The vibrations are so good, that it will be found easy to get a new angle on a problem, and things that have hitherto baffled you will be made easy of accomplishment. In the evening, the signs are quite benign, and denote happiness and contentment, and a frame of mind that makes you feel at peace with all the world.

A child born today will, at birth show very little sign of strength, and will, by its appearance, cause serious misgivings. These superficial indications need not, however, cause either worry or anxiety, as the child will possess great latent strength, be endowed with a good constitution, and have remarkable recuperative powers. Given careful nutrition, and wholesome environment, it will, without difficulty, attain its maturity gifted with normal strength and health. Its disposition will be very cheerful, and, although not very studious, it will, by its quick and alert perception, learn very readily, and without that plodding effort so necessary in some. It will have a very big heart, and be not only affectionate, but demonstrative. It will not, however, at any time, suffer from a "broken heart," as its loves will not affect it for any length of time.

If today is your birthday, you are very studious, but not very alert. If engaged in a business pursuit, unless it be along statistical lines, you are probably not meeting with that degree of success to which your undoubted ability entitles you, as business demands practicability, and this is the one qualification that above all others you lack. In view of your natural inclinations and inherent gifts, your greatest measure of achievement, would possibly, be found in educational or research fields.

Your disposition is a very serious one, and you have very little sense of humor. In affairs of the heart, you take life very seriously, and are not capable of a flirtatious sentiment. You are very jealous, and this, caused so often by lack of confidence in one's self, embitters your life to a large extent.

Successful people born on this date are:

Charles Emory Smith, journalist.

Charles B. Lewis—"M. Quad," humorist.

Russell H. Chittenden—educatior professor of physiological chemistry at Yale.

Edwin Denby—ex-secretary of the United States navy.

August Belmont, banker.

J. A. Jusserand—ex-ambassador from France.

Pantomime —By J. H. Striebel



Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DON'T DENY YOUR 16-YEAR-OLD GIRL BEAUX OR REFUSE TO LET HER GO TO DANCES—UNLESS YOU WANT HER TO HAVE DATES ON THE SLY. OPEN YOUR HOME TO THE YOUNG PEOPLE.

There isn't a day in the week that I don't get a letter from some young girl who writes:

"I am 16 years old, but my parents will not let me have dates with boys, so when I go out with a boy I have to lie about it, and pretend that I was detained after school, or went somewhere with another girl, or tell some fib like that. I hate to deceive my father and mother, but what else can I do?"

Or another girl writes:

"I am 16 years old. My parents will not let me receive my boy friends in my home, so I have to meet them at the corner drug store or on the street. Boys don't respect a girl who does that, but what can I do?"

Or a girl writes:

"My parents will not let me go to dances or any places of amusement, so I slip off and go anyway. I know it isn't the right thing to do, but what else can I do?

Now, the orthodox advice to give in such cases is to say: "Obey your parents, little girl. They have your welfare at heart and they know best. Don't look at a boy until they tell you to look at him. Sit at home of evenings and suck your thumbs. Be good and you will be happy."

All of which is counsel in which no female infant would take any stock. No normal girl pines after abstract virtue at sixteen. She wants to have a good time. She wants to play and do what the other girls are doing, and she isn't going to take my advice, nor her parent's advice, nor that of any other old wiseacre who tells her to sit quietly on the side lines and enjoy herself watching other people disporting themselves.

So I address myself not to the girls who are doing a wrong and foolish thing, but to their parents who, with the best intentions in the world, are pushing their beloved daughters over the brink of the precipice into the abyss that yawns for silly, reckless, unguided little girls.

Wake up, fathers and mothers, from the trance in which you have doped yourself into believing that your daughter is different from all of the other girls of her generation, and that you can prevent her from doing all the things that the other girls do. Cast aside your cherished belief that you can keep your girl-child in a hermetically sealed jar, in which she will be untouched by all the waves of passion and desire that sway the youth about her until such time as you are ready to take her out of bondage and give her freedom. Forget that you ever imagined that you could enforce absolute obedience on your daughter, and that she would be but clay in your hands.

Realize that it is a condition and not a theory that confronts you in the girl problem of today, and that it has to be settled by subtlety and not by force.

I am not discussinb here whether sixteen is old enough to have dates or not, or the ethics of dancing and moving pictures. Without doubt, it would be sweet if sixteen were the artless child her parents think she is, and if she wanted to play with dolls, and still believed in fairies, and read "Alice in Wonderland."

But the point is that sixteen now is often more sophisticated than sixty; that she reads "The Sheik" instead of "Alice," and is boy crazy, as she will never be again in life, and that no human power can keep her from doing the things that her girl chums are doing.

This being the case—and I assure you it is the case—what are you going to do about it? Are you going to force your daughter to lie and deceive you, or are you going to abate some of your prejudices, perhaps even lay aside some of your scruples, and let her be frank and honest with you? And how are you going to guide and protect her if you do not know what she is doing?

You do not need to be told of the danger that a girl runs who meets men at street corners and who slips out of the house to keep dates. That one thing puts her out of the class of "nice girls" and makes boys treat her with a lack of respect that they would not show to the girl who has the backing of her home and father behind her. She is classed as a "good sport" who is willing to do anything to have a good time, and who will go the limit.

It is literally, and terribly, true that the girl who slips away from home to enjoy forbidden pleasures nearly always slips down into the pit. Don't make your daughter pay that frightful price for the pleasure of youth for which she is so hungry just because you think she isn't old enough to have beaux.

And how are you to know what sort of boys your daughter is associating with if you do not let them come to the house to see her? Remember this, parents: Your girls are going to have beaux, they are going to have dates, they are going to dance. They are going to places of amusement. You can't help that. They will go openly if they can; secretly if they are forced to it. One way you can guide them, protect them, keep them from excesses and bad influences. The other way you leave them to stumble alone blindly down the dark path that leads to perdition.

What are you going to do about it? DOROTHY DIX.

M. A. CLUB TO ENTERTAIN SOON.

The M. A. club of the Saint Mary's academy will entertain Monday evening with a George Washington party, to which the entire high school of the academy is invited. Miss Sybil Martin, president of the club, has appointed the following committee chairman: Miss Mildred Swick, chairman of entertainment committee; Miss Adele Constantin, refreshments, and Miss Mary Margaret Lewis, decoration.

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Society



All society paused Tuesday afternoon to attend one of the loveliest teas of the winter season, a pretty George Washington affair at the C. J. Barnard home 1600 Grant St., with Mrs. C. J. Barnard, Mrs. J. H. Barnard, and Miss Ruth Barnard hostesses honoring Mrs. Alfred Booth of Chicago and Miss Ellen Brooks of Forney, Texas.

Mrs. Booth will be remembered as Berthe Mae Kemp and is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. J. A. Kemp. Miss Brooks is visiting Miss Adele Marcus. Both are widely known in the city and are favorites among the guests who visit frequently in Wichita Falls.

Jonquils, tulips, rosebuds, in fact all spring flowers with here and there a touch of pussy willow among the greenery decorated the handsome Barnard home; while over the mantle hung a portrait of George Washington against a silk gold fringed American flag.

The dining room was lovely in a profusion of blossoms and the tea table was stately with tall silver candlesticks. George Washington favors were on the refreshment plates.

Fifty close friends and relatives of the trio of charming hostesses formed an attractive house party during the calling hours which were from two to six o'clock, and music was furnished by Conan Cantwell's orchestra.

Over 500 of Wichita Falls' most prominent society folk left cards.

MRS. JACK CROSSLIN KILL KARE HOSTESS.

Mrs. Jack Crosslin was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the Kill Kare "42" club, at her home, 1659 Pearl.

The house was pretty in colonial decorations and cut flowers. Hatchets were given as favors to the guests. In the games Mrs. V. T. Williams held high and received a colonial lady boudoir lamp and Mrs. Charles Morgan was consoled for low, a colonial vanity set.

Those present were Mesdames V. T. Williams, W. D. Bolding, George Coleman, Charles Morgan, R. P. Parker, C. E. Naylor, John Barker, John Blackburn, T. W. Parker, members, and Mesdames Bob Mathis, P. A. Martin Jr., T. O. McCoy and E. M. Hooper of Archer City, guests.

SUNSHINE BAND GIVES A PARTY.

The Sunshine band of the Floral Heights Methodist church had a valentine party at the church Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Bonnie Bess Morgan gave several readings and Mesdames John J. Bell and H. R. Wood told stories and read to the children during the afternoon.

Mrs. H. R. Woods, assisted by Mesdames J. E. McKee and G. M. Fry served refreshments of heart ice cream and cake to little Misses Lucia B. Allred, Mary Agnes Johnson, Maurine McNeel, Ruth Johnson, Imogene Kinard, Mary Letha Owens, Dorothy Flowers, Louise Evelyn, Dorothy Allred, Mildred Farmer, Juanita Allred, Annabel Ellis, Mildred Rignod, Elvin Wood, June Rose McKee, Ruth McKee, Mary Louise Wynn, Frances McKee and Crawford Deems, N. B. Wright, Edgar Johnson, Carol Johnson, Earl Rawlings Jr., Charles Wynn, Carrol Couper, Billye Couper, Carl Yancey, Alvin Fry, R. A. Norris, Melvin Stewart, Leonard Hair, Oscar and J. Edwin McKee.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Choral club, First Baptist church, 9:30 a. m.

Pieria club, Mrs. Earl Jameson, 2174 avenue I, afternoon.

Circle 3 of Ladies Aid society of Grace Methodist church, Mrs. G. W. Corkhill, 909 Seventh, afternoon.

Wednesday Study club, at the library, afternoon.

Sorosis club, Mrs. I. W. Karrenbrock at her home, 2204 Ninth.

Coterie club, Mrs. S. M. Gose, 1716 Grant, 3 o'clock.

The 1922 Study club, Mrs. Paul Steed, 1512 Filmore street, 2:30 o'clock.

Travis Mothers club, 3:30 o'clock, at the school.

BRIDGE PARTY AT COUNTRY CLUB.

The women members of the Golf and Country club enjoyed a bridge party at the club Tuesday afternoon. The club parlors were decorated with cut flowers, palms and ferns. In the games Mrs. Baker won high and received a lovely gift.

Those enjoying the party were Mesdames A. H. Britain, William Huff, Duvall Gilchrist, D. L. Fritz, Gates McCarty, Liepold, Joe Jones, J. B. Hatchett, Gant, R. E. Huff, B. L. Fain, J. A. Fisher, J. V. Adams, Marriott, Bill Street, Kingery, Baker, Fenner of Fort Worth, A. R. Dillard, John King, John Kilgorem, C. W. Gilliland, James Waggoner, Gannan, Cravens, Fred Couper, Thornburg, Smith, A. W. Fisher and H. L. Weldon.

MRS. P. P. LANGFORD FOR CIRCLE NO. ONE.

Mrs. P. P. Langford was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the members of Circle One of the First Methodist church at her home on Hays.

The devotionals were led by Mrs. R. V. Guinn after which Mrs. Ead Shaw gave a paper on "China" Mrs. J W Akin Jr. and Misses Elizabeth Langford and Catherine Weeks gave several piano numbers. Roll call was answered to by giving verses from the Bible and reports of sick visits made, of which 54 were reported.

Mrs. Langford, assisted by Mesdames George Keith and C. B. Haynie, served a delicious refreshment plate to the following: Mesdames A. C. Dulaney, J. H. Marian, Martha J. Hurley, W. W. Mann, Barnhill, E. E. Bedell, L. N. Bassett, J. J. DeBerry, Hugh Weaver, Grover Bullington, Ed Shaw, Curtis McDaniel, J. W. Akin Jr., R. L. Underwood, R. V. Guinn, R. C. Tucker, Turner and J. B. McKinley.

TWELVE CHURCHES ARE REPRESENTED.

Twelve churches in the city were represented Tuesday morning at an executive board meeting of the Federated Missionary society which met with Mrs. W. W. Cook at her home on Lucille street. Good reports were given from all committees and a new building fund was organized through the Kiwanis club.

FORUM LECTURE IS ANNOUNCED.

Dr. F. R. Collard will lecture on "The Feeding of Children" and Mrs. Wilcox will lecture on "Teaching Children How to Breathe Deeply," Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock to the members of the Forum and especially to the members of the health department of the club. There will be a physical culture drill exercises. All members are urged to be present.

COLLEGE WOMEN'S CLUB IN SESSION.

Members of the College Women's club met last night at the Kemp library to hear papers on and study France from a historical standpoint.

"The Historical Background of France" was interestingly presented by Mrs. Anna Witherspoon, her discussion including touches of geography of that country and its scenery. It fell to Mrs. Verna Sellers, also, to portray "Belgian Literature in Its Relation to French Literature."

Next meeting of the club will be held as a special session next Tuesday night at the library, the subject of "Citizenship" to be discussed. It will be led by Miss Mamie Raborn.

Miss Caroline Dawson, who has been the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Eckman at their home, 1600 Polk, left the first of the week for her home in Galveston.

Little Miss Bettye Sehmann, daughmann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sehmann Jr., who was recently operated on for tonsils and adenoids, is reported to be getting along nicely.

J. W. Ginsburg, local oil operator, is confined to his home with the flu.

Miss Katherine Kilander leaves today for Fort Worth to attend the funeral of her grandfather. Mrs. E. Kilander left Tuesday, when she received the news of the death of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. King and their small son, Paul David Jr., left Tuesday in their car for Dallas on account of the serious illness of Mr. King's father.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Maxwell have as their guests this week Mr. and Mrs. Paul Larkin of Fort Worth.

SALVATION ARMY PLANS.

Salvation Army headquarters announced last night that today would witness the arrival from Fort Worth of Captain and Mrs. Damon Nichols who will conduct services here for a couple of days. They will be accompanied by Captain Reinkein. The Nichols formerly resided in Wichita Falls.

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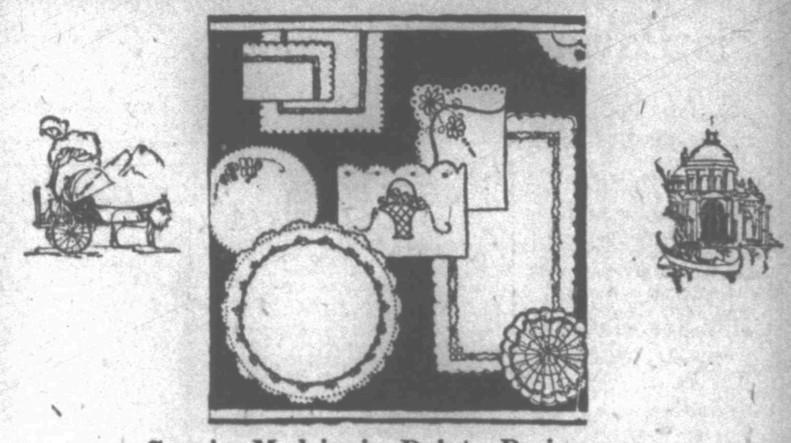
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By the Architects' Small House Service Bureau of the United States, Inc.

One of the biggest helps good architectural service gives a home builder is freedom from "draughty" rooms; rooms where one sits on a chilly Sunday morning with one's feet next the sizzling radiator, while the "draught" seems to rustle the morning news in one's hands and send unpleasant shivers up and down one's spine. Most everyone can remember at least one house of this type. They are still built; hundreds of them every year. The ornate "gingerbread" effects in millwork are no longer used. The big chilly hallways have gone; but the "draughts" remain. Houses poorly designed and poorly built are just as uncomfortable and burn just as much coal today as did their counterparts of 20 years ago. They are still the wastrels of America and they cost us hundreds of carloads of coal as well as many mornings of discomfort every year.

The most common causes of draughty and cold houses are uninsulated walls, no caulking around window frames, lack of "beam fills" at foundation line, incorrectly placed radiators and uninsulated roofs. Let us analyze the first of these items:

Insulation of walls and roof means placing some heavy insulation between or on the studding on all outside walls and across the ceiling joists. This insulation contains thousands of tiny air cells which make a barrier to the passage of heat or cold through walls and roof.

The cold which travels through unprotected walls chills the air next to the wall. Cold air settles and heated air rises, setting up a circulation of draught with the air near the radiator rising rapidly and traveling along the ceiling up the staircase and on out through the roof and the cold air travelling down the outside walls and along the floors. Insulation prevents this circulation by confining the air cells in tiny particles within the texture of the material itself.

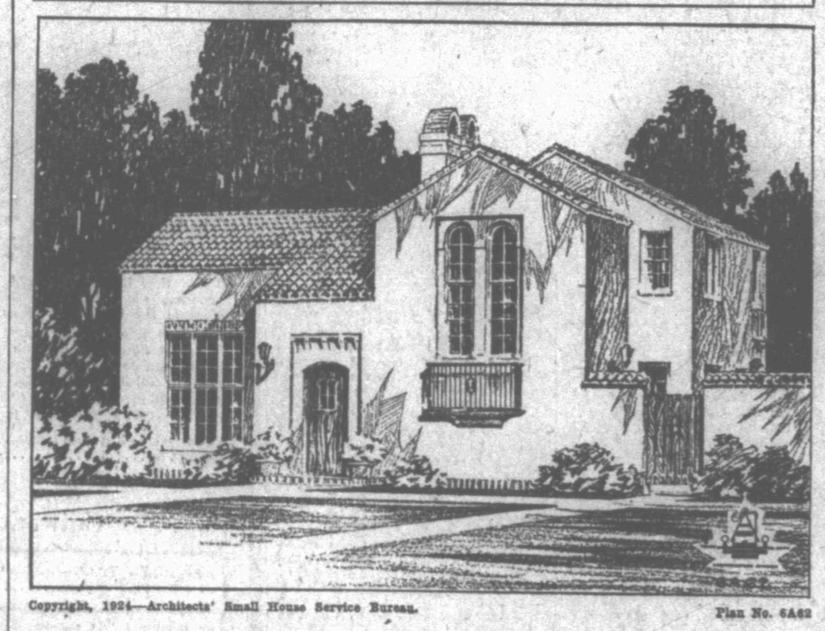
Insulation should be covered in the specifications. For the outside walls and ceiling it should be tough and durable so that it will stay put as long as your house stands. Some manufacturers guarantee this for their material.

Look over your job after the insulation is applied. Make sure every sheet runs the whole distance from the bottom sill to the top plate. See that the places over and between the windows and doors are as carefully lined as the larger spaces. Make sure that the top story ceiling or the roof is lined in the same way, and by a material just as sound as that used for the side walls.

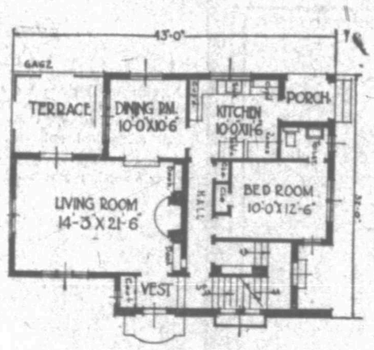
This part of your house is going to be completely covered by plaster. If you don't make sure it is done right, you cannot change it afterwards. It will pay you to make sure while the opportunity exists.

The other items of caulking around window frames, filling in with masonry between the joists where they rest on the wall, and placing the radiators where they should be, must be followed through with proper care as to details to give you a house that will be easy to get warm and which will stay warm. Like every other thing of this kind about small house construction, there are problems of materials and workmanship that must be in the hands of experts.

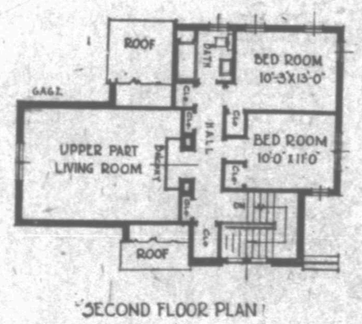
SPANISH TYPE HOUSE



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FIRST FLOOR PLAN



SECOND FLOOR PLAN

THIS two story living room house shows a delightful combination of Spanish and Italian influence. It is planned for a lot 50 feet or more in width, but if desired it can be turned with the narrow end to the street and be accommodated on a lot 40 feet wide.

The construction is masonry foundation, with hollow tile exterior walls finished with stucco and mounted with a tile roof. A brick base course appears at the grade.

The house is planned to be faced east or south. Plans should be reversed for a north or west facing.

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On account of the unusual nature of this house and its flexibility as to materials and equipment, it is difficult to give an estimate of costs that will be of service without stating definite qualifications.

For further information in this regard address the Home Building Editor of this paper.

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Playing with Fire
The Story of a Social Climber
by Lucille Van Slyke

She telephoned a young newspaper woman of her acquaintance and with the delicious bluntness that was one of her greatest charms she threw herself on that astute maiden's mercy.

"Do me a rather nice favor, will you, Miss Sisson? I'm having a little party on the twenty-ninth for my brother's new wife — yes, you've guessed it. She's really a dear kid, and all that unpleasant publicity at the time of their marriage made her most unhappy. I thought if you'd help with a little boost the other way—"

"Going to push her in and let her swim because she's your sister?" laughed the newspaper woman.

"Exactly," Mrs. Morris was curt. And I rather fancy she will learn to swim well at that. If you'd like my list of guests—"

The girl said she'd like it. And some photographs.

Dee took Rosalie down to the photographer's the next morning. Just in her street things without telling her where she was taking her. And Rosalie, with the memory of the elaborately garbed picture of Nannette's mother, cried excitably: "Oh, do let me go home for my pink and silver frock."

Dee gave her a little shake.

"Shades of the Perry predecessor, no!" she raged. "Just between you and me I am going to make an unfair confession. The poor girl has been dead these long years, heaven rest her soul, but she was always—er—done up in the equivalent of pink and silver. We mustn't let people get the idea you are just a second edition of the first Mrs. Quimby even if you do—er—slightly resemble her."

"Do I?" asked the startled Rosalie. Her dark eyes were wide with questions. "Oh, do you suppose that was why Nannette liked me—why Quim—"

"Nonsense!" said Quim's sister bluntly. "Nannette never saw her mother. The poor girl died two days after the child was born. But there's a—well, you're the same type and we don't want to emphasize that. No, ma'am. Quim says you play tennis. We'll put you over as the athlete I think."

"Put me over?" Rosalie echoed stupidly.

"I got the impression," his sister said drily, "from what Quim said the other day that you'd like to be asked about a bit more than you are. Well, we've got to have something to offer people. Some reason why they want to ask you. Don't you see? You must do something well. You seem to have rather a liking for dancing and for tennis. We'll emphasize the clean cut outdoor thing. How do you ride?"

"How *do* I ride what?" asked Rosalie naively.

Quim's sister chuckled—a feminine version of Quim's chuckle. "H-o-r-s-e—horse!" she elucidated.

"I never did but I think I'd like it," Rose answered. Her dark liveliness was glowing; Dee, white-haired and bored, felt a pang of envy and added in an in-lawish jab.

"And, by the way," she drawled, "I wish you'd cut out Dicko Converse. You can't get on if you keep him trailing at your heels."

"Oh, I perfectly hate Dicko!" said Rosalie passionately.

CHAPTER LIV.
Climbing Rose

Rosalie herself found the party that Quim's sister gave for her rather disappointing. Certainly it wasn't very gay. About forty guests in all, seated at four or five tables in a private dining room at Dee's club—Poinsettia and red candles in honor of the holidays; and Dee, with a jeweled comb in her white hair and with a blue velvet frock that emphasized the blueness of her shrewd blue eyes. Rosalie thought the frock that Dee chose for her was much too simple for so important an occasion. It certainly wasn't conspicuous—the most modest affair, sans frills or beads or jewels—but not especially girlish.

"It makes me look old," the bride murmured almost crossly.

"H-m!" said Dee. "I want you to look fairly old. As old as thirty, anyhow. No tootsie wootsie stuff!" she admonished sharply. "No making eyes at the men. Just you remember this, Rosalie! It's the women folks who issue the invitations! You keep your eyes and ears on the women folks tonight, d'y'hear?"

Rosalie, standing very straight in her reseda green satin, stood tiptoe and blinked her long eyelashes soiemnly at Dee.

Dee chuckled.

"You are funny! Standing there making sport of me!"

Rosalie caught her hand.

"I'm not making fun of you," she said huskily, "I'm trying not to cry—I'm—oh, I don't suppose you can understand. All your life you had everything without trying for it! And I had nothing! Nothing at all! And wanted things awfully! And then Quim married me and all those terrible things were printed in the papers and it made him so—so cross!" she ended inadequately. "So I thought if I could get to be the sort of person he'd be proud of—"

Dee, who professed to hate sentiment, stopped her.

"Here's Quim now," she said bluntly.

Quim had presents for them both. A bracelet for his sister and a lovely string of delicate gold filigree beads for Rosalie. He fastened them for her and stooped to kiss the back of her pretty white neck. She was still blushing with girlish delight when the first guest arrived.

But that was the last delightful moment of the evening. For though the list of guests sounded rather distinguished in the morning papers, the guests themselves seemed to Rosalie rather a stupid lot. Nothing at all exciting happened.

The older ones treated her with studious politeness but made no especial effort to include her in their conversations, which seemed to her to be about the most uninteresting subjects.

The younger ones seemed very sufficient unto themselves. Just to hear them calling each other nicknames made Rosalie want to cry out, "Oh, please find a name for me! I hate being just Mrs.!"

Even the dancing was rather sedate and did not last very late. Scraps of conversation let Rosalie understand that all of the younger ones were going on to some far more exciting affair, that they were restlessly awaiting the other party.

She sulked, really. Her usually sweet mouth puckered into an unbecoming pout. She thought longingly of the despised Emsville.

"They had better manners at home," she thought. "When a bride came to Emsville we gave the nicest little parties we could for her."

The evening seemed almost interminable.

Toward the close of the stupid thing, a rather sleepy looking young man presented himself.

"Sorry I missed the dinner and all that," he drawled. "Been out of town. Came out of curiosity. I invited myself. I'm sort of a left hand relative of yours, Mrs. Quim. Dance this?"

She nodded meekly. But when his arm tightened about her, she became aware that he wasn't quite so lifeless as he seemed. From under lazy looking eyes he contemplated her.

"Aren't Dee's parties bores?" he murmured softly. "Must make you long for the canter after the cattle in Texas on the Rio Grande."

"I've only been as far as Chicago," she told him rather primly.

"Go on, go on," he teased her. "You've been as far as you like!" Didn't I read a whole lot about you in pretty little pieces in the paper?"

Her cheeks burned at his audacity but her lips twitched into a semblance of a smile.

This was the kind of language she could understand.

"And besides I picked up a little low down on you from the old Perry friend—oh, how Quim's mother-in-law does love you!"

(Continued Tomorrow.)

THE NEBBS — A Thing of Beauty Is a Joy Forever — —By Sol Hess



DUMB DORA — —By Chic Young



REG'LAR FELLERS — Enough to Make Anybody Yell — —By Gene Byrnes



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



SOME SENSE AND NONSENSE — —By Rube Goldberg



GIRLIGAGS



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"I don't think I am extravagant in the matter of clothes," says Ritzi, "but any man who marries me will find out I'm no Russian dancer."

DOTS PUZZLE



Pack Nips Harrold In Last Practice Tilt Before Title Meet

Top O' Morn Stuff

NOTRE DAME AGAIN

While grid fans are already wondering what Notre Dame will do in football next fall Clement Crowe, captain-elect of the team, is trying to bring more fame to the Indiana school as a member of the basketball team.

The team bids fair to rank as the best that has represented the school since 1909. It started well and its work has been more impressive in the later games. George Keogan, basketball and baseball coach, is the man mainly responsible for its showing. Crowe and Captain Nobel Kizer, a Plymouth, Ind., lad, are the stars of the team.



CLEM CROWE

Kizer is a great running guard. He was placed on all-western basketball selections last year and probably will win the same honor this year. He played guard on Rockne's famous football eleven of last fall.

Crowe is the star basket shooter of the team. He has won several close games with his accurate shots in the closing minutes of the games. Crowe played end on Rockne's team last fall.

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MR. AND MRS. BUD NOW

So our Bud, not meaning the Spudder boss, but Bud McCallum solemn-visaged mentor of the Coyote grid and cage squads, has lost his footing and flattened out for the 10 count at last. It's long distance love-making Bud must have been indulging in for she lived down in Austin, something like 300 miles from Wichita Falls, but McCallum closed up the gap the past week-end, and without telling anybody, breezed down to the Capital City and took the fatal step. Yep, Bud is now a Benedict.

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Speaking of love-making brings to mind a Valentine Duke Trammel, the well known padded mitt exponent, is alleged to have mailed a young lady:

The Boxer's Valentine

Noses are red,
Eyes black and blue.
I sure got knocked out
When I first saw you.

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Thomas Edison, most noted citizen of the Athletics' training camp, Fort Meyers, believes in about four to six hours sleep per night. The Macks will have to hit the hay before midnight, however, Connie has decided. Bud Tanner holds the same for his Spudders.

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Four hours may be enough for a scientist, but a slugger of triples and homers needs about eight or nine.

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Texas Needs That Ruling

Wrestlers in Missouri are more worried about being arrested for perjury than about the opposition headlock. St. Louis district attorney rules that the matmen must make affidavits before each bout swearing it is going to be on the level.

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Long-Distance Performers to Run Against Normi

"Abie's Irish Rose."
"Grandfather's clock."
Tennyson's "Brook."

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The Stars and Their Courses

Most constructive move of progress the football rules committee could make right at the present would be the elimination of mid-year examinations. Too many of the grid luminaries are being flunked at the half-way mark.

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Ruth's February weight is estimated at 250 pounds. With all that added power to put into his swing, think how far he will drive the apples this year.

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Important bridge-construction projects launched in 1924, the Delaware river span and Jack Dempsey's nose.

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Wise Alex says Dempsey quit being a fighter when the doctor took the pug out of his nose.

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FORE HOSSMEN!

The Spudder training squad of Tanner, Windel, and White may be augmented by George Distel, shortstop, next week, it was said around Spud headquarters yesterday. The Four Horsemen of Spudderville!

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STICKLE TOO STRONG

There is little hope held out by close followers of Texas basketball who are interested in the performance of Don Faichney's speedy Hudson-Essex squad of the Wichita Falls Commercial loop, when Don and his five hook with Stickle Lumber company Saturday eve in Dallas.

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The Stickle quint ranks as one of the big kicks in southwestern basket circles. For the local team to beard them on their own court as will be the case this week-end will be sure suicide. But Hudson-Essex intends to give a good account of itself no matter what the odds.

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Even in the Sports Dep't

The phone buzzed.

"Who was baseball's greatest player?"

That is a large order, but the willing mind of Richard, the Lion-Hearted office boy, leaped at the challenge.

"Cobb," he replied.

"Nope."

"Why not?" argued Richard.

"Not enough letters. This has to be a five-letter word."

(Curtain)

STRIBLING TO SUB FOR JIM SLATTERY

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—With the withdrawal of Jimmy Slattery from the negotiations owing to his desire for a brief rest, the prospects today were that Jack Delaney would be substituted for the Buffalo entry against Young Stribling in the proposed bout at Madison Square Garden on Feb. 26. The match will be closed this afternoon if Stribling can extricate himself from a previous ring engagement to meet Warnie Smith of Oklahoma, who is laid up in a local hospital with a broken jaw. The Stribling-Smith bout was to have been held in Milwaukee on Feb. 27.

STRIBLING MATCHED

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 17.—Jimmy Delaney of St. Paul and young Stribling of Macon, Ga., have been matched for a ten-round no-decision bout at catch weights on February 27.

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WALTER JOHNSON HOLDOUT FOR FIRST TIME IN DIAMOND CAREER PULLING GRIFFITH FOR $25,000

Veteran Merely One of Several Senators With Expensive Ideas—Ruel and Peck Seek More Coin

By DAVIS J. WALSH
I. N. S. Sports Editor

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—According to the best and most recent advices Clark Griffith is beginning to pay the first installment on the price of success, an ante that all pennant winners of recent years, particularly the New York Yanks have been forced to meet.

The good word from the fried ham belt is to the effect that Walter Johnson has come out in the open as a hold out for the first time in his career and wants $25,000, no less for another season under the senatorial yoke. Walter is merely one of several of Mr. Griffith's young men obsessed with expensive ideas

Muddy Ruel, star catcher, Roger Peckinpaugh shortstop, and Earl McNeely, outfielder, are amoung those who live only to harry Mr. Griffith with thoughts of foreclosure of the mortgage on the old homestead. Even Stanley Harris, the boy manager put the financial slug on Clark at a very early moment and possibly it was Harris' initial success that inspired the others, if a ball player ever needs monetary inspiration.

It is the old army game, to wit: You get yours, now give me mine. And, as such, it is entirely justified, according to the standards of human instinct. Yet, if you happen to be looking out and not in through the paymaster's window the justification might seem slightly out of focus.

Walt Not Worth It

Johnson, for example, is not worth $25,000 as he stands today. He is nearly at the end of his rope and might not last another season as a headliner. So much for the commercial side of it. But taking the matter from its human angle it is a fact that Johnson never got the money he deserved during the years he pitched his arm off for Griffith. He wants it now, particularly since his cherished ambition to buy a minor league club has been thwarted. It is understood that Johnson has become slightly miffed because Griffith didn't rush to the rescue with assistance in the project. However, one doesn't buy the cleaver for the gent with designs on one's right arm.

Peck's Case Similar

Peckinpaugh's case is similar to Johnson's. Roger came through for Griffith last season after several years of mediocrity. But his future hangs in the balance. He also is slightly aged and no one knows whether his breakdown in the last world series will be repeated this season.

He, of course, is entitled to an increase. So is Muddy Ruel and, in fact, every regular on a championship team. The size of the increase forms the difficulty, Ruel should get a good one. Never a heavily paid young man he developed into what many critics considered the best catcher in 1924 and is just about due to collect dividends.

As for McNeely, it looks as though he has placed an immoderate value on a series-winning base hit that only became finite because of a convenient stone caused a bad bound.

He'll Scrap Clark



BUD ALTON.

Of Denver, welterweight who will meet Benny Clark of Dallas in an eight-rounder on the weekly legion leather program tomorrow night, has been training with Duke Trammel down in Fort Worth. Alton, said Promoter Wofford last night, will arrive in Wichita Falls today.

The Denver boy boasts a pretty good record. Out of 50 battles he has lost but three. Among those he has defeated are listed Don Terry Long, Willie Hope, George Henderson, Poppy Newton, Doc Dorton, Bobby Marsh, Johnny Reistag and Jimmy McCoy. Alton has yet to be knocked from his feet.

Gibbons Accepts Dempsey Terms

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Eddie Kane, manager of Tom Gibbons, said here today that he has accepted terms for a match with Jack Dempsey in California either in May or in June. He would not reveal any other information but it is reported the proposed match may be staged in the Rose bowl at Pasadena, which has a seating capacity of 53,000.

Manager Kane said any other information must come from promoters on the coast whose names he refused to give. He said, however, that Gibbons will start training next month.

FRENCHMEN GIVE DUNDEE THE RAZZ

There is more than one way of removing the fur from a kitten's back, as grandfather so cleverly remarked one time.

The French boxing public was much put out when Johnny Dundee left that country flat a few days before his match with Fred Bretonnel and sailed for the U. S., for reasons which differed every time Johnny later tried to explain his move.

He state positively, however, that he had given the promoters plenty of warning that he could not go through with the bout.

The French movie men had taken several reels of film of Dundee in training to use to boost the fight. When Dundee ran out a fighter named Paul Fritch was substituted for him. The night that fight came off parts of these films were flashed, which showed Johnny training diligently on Jan 16, the day before he sailed hurriedly for home.

A clever caption writer had written the subtitles for the film and his crack concerning the training pictures taken the sixteenth was "Dundee sparring for time with the return tickets in his pockets."

The pictures drew boos and catcalls from the crowd, the subtitles roars of laughter.

Which ought to show Jonathan about where he stands in France.

WESTERN LOOP MAGS SCATTER FOR HOME

EXCELSOR SPRINGS, Mo., Feb. 17.—Western league magnates were scattering to their homes this morning after a harmonious meeting yesterday at which a schedule of 168 games was arranged, the season to open April 16, closing Sept. 27. Lincoln will open at St. Joseph, Denver in Wichita, Des Moines in Tulsa and Omaha in Oklahoma City.

Tentative plans for a "baby world series" with the eastern league were approved.

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Coyotes Forced To Extra Period To Win, 29-24

Outlook For Wichita Falls In District Tourney Not Good

CONTEST SLOW AFFAIR

Visitors Weakened By Loss Of Guards Late In Game

Wichita Falls Coyote basketball machine romped through its final practice contest Tuesday night on the Junior college court with Harrold in preparation for the district meet Friday and Saturday in Electra, winning the tilt, 29 to 24, after being forced into an extra five-minute session because the tabulation was knotted at 24-24 when the allotted four quarters had passed away.

Performance Not So Good

Though victorious, the performance of the Coyotes left doubt in the minds of many spectators as to their ability to grab off the district honors, Coach McCallum, himself, was not very enthusiastic over the outlook last night following the game.

There is, of course, a fair possibility of the Wichita Falls club coming away with flying honors when put to the real test this week-end up at Electra, but their play will have to be of a better brand than was the case last night.

Ray, Coyote forward, broke even with Rook, Harrold center, for scoring honors, each easing five field goals through the hoop.

Harrold Weakened

The teams scrapped it out on almost even terms the greater part of the way until in the aftermath when the visitors were held scoreless till the Coyotes counted five points. Harrold led at the close of the first half, 11 to 10, brought up the rear most of the second half, but rallied sufficiently to tie it up at 24-all by the close of the period. The visitors were weakened defensively late in the contest by the departure of the guards, V. Clynch and B. Clynch, who were taken from the game under the personal foul ruling.

Wednesday and Thursday will be devoted by the Coyotes to passing, goal shooting, and practice scrimmage among themselves. District play begins Friday morning.

Coyotes	FG	FT	TP	Harrold	FG	FT	TP
Jenkins, rf	2	0	4	M'Cdon, rf	1	0	2
Ray, lf	5	10	20	Hale, lf	0	1	1
Andrus, c	3	0	6	Rook, c	5	0	10
L.Powell, rg	2	3	7	V.Clynch, rg	1	1	3
A.Powell, lg	0	0	0	B.Clynch, lg	2	2	6
Watson, lf	0	0	0	O'Berry, rf	0	0	0
Howard, c	1	0	2	M'Knes, lg	1	0	2
Totals	13	3	29	Totals	10	4	24

Referee, Mosley.

Hudson-Essex to Play Stickle Five On Dallas Court

Wichita Falls City League Kings Pick Tough Opposition

Hudson-Essex cagers, kingpins of the Wichita Falls Commercial league, champions of the first half undefeated, and victors in the second half of the race, steps into big time basketball, as far as the southwest is concerned, next Saturday night when they invade the home floor of the Stickle Lumber company five of Dallas.

The Stickle hoopers, high moguls in the past several southwestern A. A. U. tourneys, one of the fastest quints in the state, and a club which has stopped a number of southwestern conference teams, should prove mighty tough pickin's for the Wichita Falls crew, especially since the automobilers will be pastiming on a strange court.

There is but an outside chance for the Wichita Falls club to come away victorious, but they will scrap for that long shot, declared Captain Don Faichney Tuesday. Faichney will rejon the club for this contest, in fact, played a short period with his quint last night during the regular weekly Commercial loop bill. The captain is hardly past the convalescent period following a recent attack of flu, but hopes to be in fairly good form by Saturday. Faichney intends to go to Dallas Friday on business, and is to be followed Saturday morning by the remainder of his team.

The squad making the trip probably will be composed of MacKechney, Montgomery, Allen, forwards; Faichney, center; Skeen, Daniels, Golden, guards.

CANADA WOULD HAVE CLASS A BASEBALL RATING

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Baseball fans in Canada are wishing Joe Page and other prominent sportsmen in the Dominion success in their efforts to give Canada some high-class minor league baseball. There is a movement now on foot to secure the proper financial backing and support of the fans for a Class A league composed entirely of Canadian cities. Those behind the project firmly belive that, could such a circuit be started, it would prove a success.

Canada has had teams in minor leagues of various and assorted classes for many years. Toronto and Montreal have been the leaders among the eastern cities. Montreal, however, failed to keep its International league franchise two years ago and the owners had to sell the franchise to Syracuse.

There has been talk at times of including Toronto in one of the big leagues. This, however, has been only talk.

Canada should have some real baseball. It produces real baseball players who are grabbed up yearly for minor and then major berths in the states.

The Canadian fans number many thousands.

Canada is a sport loving country.

It is regretable that no firm steps have been taken in the direction of getting a real baseball circuit established there.

Let's hope something comes of this new move.

50 GOLFERS ENTER CORPUS TOURNAMENT

CORPUS CHRISTI, Feb. 17.—A field of 50 golf stars from every section of the country is here today for the opening tomorrow of the third annual tournament of the Corpus Christi Golf and Country club. The event will start tomorrow morning with a driving contest, to be conducted on a point basis. The fairway has been divided into sectors of ten yards each, and ten points have been designated in each sector. Thursday morning the championship play will begin, 36 holes to be played Thursday and the remaining 36 Friday. The golfers will start out at 9 o'clock Thursday morning playing threesomes.

Among the entrants is Joe Turness, Elmsford, N. Y., winner of the Texas open at San Antonio last week. Jack O'Brien of San Antonio who conducted the tournament here last year, is again in charge of the play.

Plenty of Triumph and Cobbler seed potatoes. C. H. PARKER cash grocer, 611 Indiana. Ph. 5056. —Adv.

GRANGE'S MUMPS WORSE THAN EVER

RICHMOND, Mich., Feb. 17.—Harold (Red) Grange, Illinois all-American halfback suffered a relapse here this afternoon. His fever mounted and he is in considerable pain caused by increasing swelling, according to his physician.

Plans had been made to move Grange to a hospital today, but his physician later gave orders that he must not be moved.

Grange has been ill since coming here 13 days ago when he was stricken with the mumps upon the evening he was to have addressed a community banquet.

GREB WINS OVER BRITTON EASILY

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Feb. 17.—Harry Greb, middleweight champion of the world tonight easily won the decision over Billy Britton of Pittsburgh, Kansas. The champion apparently did not extend himself for five rounds but had no difficulty in outpointing his opponent when he cut loose in the last half of the 10 round battle.

VETERANS COME IN

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Three more veterans of the New York Giants joined the fold today when Pitchers Bill Ryan and Virgil Barnes and Outfielder Hack Wilson sent in their signed contracts.

FROM UNDERTAKER TO PRIZEFIGHTER



"Allentown Johnny" Leonard, hopeful contender for the lightweight crown of Benny Leonard, started out to be an undertaker and embalmer. He took up boxing as a hobby. Now undertaking is his side line. He prefers to knock 'em down and let someone else drag 'em out.

Johnny Used to Carry 'em Out Now Lets Somebody Else Do it

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Feb. 17.—It's a long shot from an undertaker leading a funeral procession to a contender for the world's lightweight championship, but Allentown Johnny Leonard has bridged the gap. When Tex Rickard recently picked his 10 leading junior lightweight contenders, he named Johnny among them. His home is here, hence the name, Allentown Johnny Leonard.

But, Johnny Leonard isn't his family name. Born in Czecho-Slovakia, his real name is John Lecotash. He has been boxing for seven years, but prior to two years ago hadn't been known outside the city limits of his own town. At least, not as a fighter.

Johnny's parents were poor and Johnny's father died a few weeks after the family's arrival in America. When he was 14 years old he went to work packing cement bags in one of the many cement mills near his home. Two years later he hired out as an undertaker's apprentice, and has been working at the trade ever since. He has an embalmer's license, and can hold his own with the best in the embalming profession.

Rommel and Welch Fail to Sign Contracts With White Elephants

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 17. — A cloud no bigger than a man's hand, a pitching hand, is on the horizon of the White Elephants' destiny. Another cloud, too, about the size of a home-run hitting baseball bat.

That's all. Otherwise the spring has the fairest prospects for the A's since the big smash after the 1914 season. Cloud No. 1 represents Eddie Rommel. Cloud No. 2 is Frank Welch.

The 1925 contracts of the Marklets, 27 of them, sit in serried ranks in the clubhouse safe. There are two vacant grooves, one representing the knuckle-ball ace, the other the long-driving right-fielder from Birmingham.

All 29 members of the Athletics' reserve list had contracts mailed to them. All but the two specified have carried pigeoned back to the tower at 21st and Lehigh. From Welch's test there has issued nothing. Mr. Mack has received no mail with a Birmingham dateline, neither the contract, signed, nor any letter pertaining to the same.

Perhaps Welch will follow the custom of the ball players who carry their signed contracts in their vest pockets when they step off the train at the training camp.

Rommel has written seeking a better contract, but so far no agreement has been reached.

"I expect to hear from Rommel before Friday," said Connie Mack last night. "I don't expect any serious differences. I am not doing any worrying about it."

Neither Rommel nor Welch can be classified as a holdout, strictly speaking, until moves are counted at Fort Myers. A holdout is one who fails to report to his team at the appointed time. Last spring Strand pulled into camp a week late. He was a holdout such as Micky Cochrane may be this year.

Strand's lateness in reporting was due to his purchase-price quarrel with Prez Lane, of the Salt Lake club. If Cochrane is not present when the A's start throwing baseballs against leather in Florida sunshine tomorrow a week it will be because he has taken a determined stand to try to wrench the coveted duents from the Portland coffers.

The last full-fledged outright holdout was Bing Miller, in 1923. Bing held out from his home in Vinton, Ia., for more remuneration. Then he came to the training camp a couple of days late and did some holding out there, for about half a day.

By nightfall of his first day in camp Bing was ready to sign, and before the witching hour tolled Bing's contract, all inked in at the proper places, reposed in the Mackian portfolio.

Cardinals Slated To Surprise 'em Coming Season

Rickey Declares Club Due To Be Better Than In 1922

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 17.—The St. Louis Cardinals this season "will be as great a surprise as were the men who made such a great finish in 1921 and who nearly won the pennant in 1922," Manager Branch Rickey said today. His team starts Friday for Stockton, Calif., on the spring training trip.

"Nobody picks us to finish anywhere high this year, I notice," Rickey said. "But we have far more strength than we are generally credited with having.

"Our catching is strong again, even stronger than in 1921. We have Gonzales and Schmidt. We have experience and ability behind the bat. We have a fine looking infield, power and experience, and still an infield of young men.

"In the outfield each position apparently will be capably filled for the first time since 1921. In fact, our outfield looks better than it did that year. Blades, Douthit, Shinners and Hafey are fine looking right handers and we have Mueller, Smith and Flack, left handers. Then a recruit, Walter Roettger, captain of the Illinois university nine, may surprise us.

"Our pitching staff does not appear to have strength that it promised in 1921 and 1922, but then there is enough potential power there.

"I can say without being optimistic that our team certainly has pennant possibilities."

Wills Challenges Dempsey

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Harry Wills, negro heavyweight, through his manager, Paddy Mullins, filed a challenge today with the state athletic commission for a match with Jack Dempsey. Accompanying the challenge was a certified check for $2,500 in accordance with the commission's rules.

HARRIS EXPECTS JOHNSON AT HOT SPRINGS TODAY

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 17.—Stanley Harris, manager of the Washington team is expecting the arrival of Walter Johnson, veteran hurler, here tomorrow according to a statement made today. Although Johnson so far as is known has not signed a contract with the Senators for next season, he is expected to do so on arrival.

HOPPE LEADS CANNEFAX

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Willie Hoppe, bulk line champion, tonight led Bob Cannefax, three cushion king by eight points at the end of the sixth block of their exhibition 600 point three cushion match.

KANSAS BEATS NEBRASKA

LAWRENCE, Kan., Feb. 17.—The University of Kansas basketball team climbed nearer to another Missouri valley conference championship here tonight by defeating Nebraska in a fast game, 28 to 20.

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Caseys Squeeze Out Landon-Hill Cagers, 24 to 23

Hudson - Essex Scampers Over Iowa Park 48-29

Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Hudson-Essex	4	0	1.000
Knights of Columbus	2	2	.500
Landon-Hill	2	2	.500
Iowa Park	0	4	.000

The fast moving Knights of Columbus snapped off a neat victory last night in the weekly double bill of the Wichita Falls Commercial league on the legion court by taking Chubby Neal's Landon-Hill five into camp by a score of 24 to 23. The first half champs and present league leaders, Hudson-Essex, marched off with an easy victory over the Iowa Park quint, 48 to 29.

In the opener Landon-Hill took an early lead when McCarty looped one, and this was followed up in lively style by his mates until it was 7 to 0 before the Caseys could score. The lads of Tim Colligan proved then the old saying of, "A good beginning makes a bad ending," and set in to chunking baskets fast and furiously. At the half Landon-Hill led by only a 13 to 10 count. Again in the second period the Caseys showed much of their old pep and close to the end of the third quarter took a momentary lead, Landon-Hill flashed back and again forged ahead but the Caseys made one last desperate effort and were rewarded with a victory. Coffey and McAninch played a fine game at guard for the victors. Frank Shaw, Landon-Hill, and Clarence Powell, Caseys, proved the big men with the basket tossing with four each for eight points.

The Autopeddlers found little opposition in the Iowa Park boys and easily accounted for 48 points, enough to win any basketball tilt. In these figures lay the complete tale of their fourth victory in the second half scramble. Allen, Daniels and MacKechney accounted for 45 of the 48 points made, Allen chalking up 20 of them. Van Horn, Iowa Park, was the only man of the losers who had luck in hitting the basket, he flipped six from the floor and one from the foul line. Skeen, Hudson - Essex, played a fine game at guard for the winners.

FIRST GAME

Landon-Hill	G.	F.	P.	Knights of C.	FG	FT	TP
Metzger, rf	2	0	4	Levine, rf	1	0	2
Shaw, lf	4	0	8	Reese, lf	0	0	0
McCarty, c	1	0	2	Pusey, c	3	0	6
Neal, rg	1	1	3	Powell, rg	4	0	8
Rice, lg	0	0	0	Coffey, lg	2	0	4
Rose, lf	2	0	4	Gordon, lf	0	0	0
Dickson, rf	1	0	2	McCulloch, lg	1	0	2
Totals	11	1	23	Totals	12	0	24

Referee, Montgomery.

SECOND GAME

Hudson-Essex	FG	FT	TP	Iowa Park	FG	FT	TP
M'Knes, rf	6	0	12	Van Horn, rf	6	1	13
Allen, lf	10	0	20	Whatley, lf	2	0	4
Daniels, c	6	1	13	Thomas, c	2	0	4
Skeen, lg	0	0	0	Davis, rg	1	0	2
Faichney, c	1	0	2	Rutledge, lg	0	0	0
Thompson, rf	0	0	0				
Faichney, c	1	0	2				
Golden, rg	0	0	0				
Totals	25	1	51	Totals	13	1	29

Referee, Neal.

Illinois Pitcher Signs For Duty With Houston Club

HOUSTON, Feb. 17.—Elmer Hennig, University of Illinois pitcher, has signed a contract with the Houston club and will report here at the close of the college year in June, it was announced today. Hennig, whose home is in San Marcos, was coach and hurler for the Southwest Texas Normal team and a co-star of Big Kallum, southpaw, who is reported to have signed with the St. Louis Cardinals. Hennig is a right hander, six feet three inches tall and weighing 190 pounds.

Joe Gore of Oklahoma, an outfielder, and Raymond Benge, a right handed pitcher from Huntsville, are two other college athletes who will make their professional debut this season with the Buffalo.

Coach McCallum Loses to Cupid In Straight Falls

Bud McCallum, coach of Wichita Falls football and basketball teams, slipped it over on his athletic coterie at the Junior college and high school when with no warning he tripped down to Austin the past week-end, clinched with Daniel Cupid, and lost in straight falls.

Coach Bud is now a wedded man. He married Miss Melba Kerrbeville of San Antonio Saturday, but last night for the first time divulged this to his Wichita Falls friends.

Mr. and Mrs. McCallum are residing at 2614 Ninth street.

BASKETBALL

At Chicago: Northwestern 29; Chicago 7.

At Grinnell, Iowa: Grinnell 37; Ames 23.

GOLFERS TREK INTO HOUSTON FOR INVITATION

Dudley Golding Reported On Hand To Represent Wichita Falls

HOUSTON, Feb. 17.—Champions, former champions and would-be champions are listed among the many golfers who have turned into Houston to take part in the annual Houston Country club invitation tournament. The annual golf classic will get under way Wednesday morning, when Willie McGuire, one pop at the club, will start the fourtsome down the initial tee for the qualifying round.

The event, as in other years, will be run off in three flights with a consolation division for each flight. Those who are defeated during the first round will be entered in the consolation play so that everyone will have plenty of golf for a couple of days.

All players listed in the championship division will qualify for that flight and rounds they fail to make the first division grade they will be marked out. Thirty-two players will make up each flight.

Second division players can get no higher up the list than second flight. Should a second flight player get right and shoot a low score for the first day he will not be pushed into the first division and be forced to taste defeat but he will remain in the flight in which he was entered.

All matches until the finals will be 18 holes match play, the last matches going the full 36 holes. The first round will be played Thursday morning with the finals set for Saturday.

Hubby on the Course.

Clarence Hubby, Waco golfer who put Charlie Dexter out of the state event last year, pulled in Tuesday and for his first round hooked a high 90. Hubby has been playing a neat game for the past couple of months and he may upset a lot of the dope before the final round is reached.

Al Rudger, runner-up to Tommy Cochran for the state, is also in the field and he was knocking the birdies for a row. Al is out on a spit of revenge and according to Horace McCoy, Dallas boy pusher, Rudger is shooting a better game now than when he traveled through the field at Dallas only to catch a snag in the finals.

Louis Jacoby, another Dallas standby, arrived Tuesday. Jacoby, according to reports, is also shooting sterling golf and can be counted in as a real contender for the title.

Dudley Golding, runner-up in the state event a few years back, will help up the Wichita Falls golfing honor. Golding, however, has not been playing much here of late but was out for a round Tuesday evening to get in shape for the tournament.

George Rotan, member of the Walker cup team year before last and holder of Texas title for many seasons, is playing golf at the present time, and he has been cracking down in the low nits and catching sixty every now and then to keep the average low.

Shooting this sort of golf will carry any tournament away and should the former state champion catch a few rounds the low nid's by the time Saturday comes a new champion will have been crowned.

Prep Moore and Fred Golding are also playing right up to the minute and either of them may get right and make the going hard for the brighter lights.

Tommy Cochran, Wichita's champion, is confident of victory. He is ready to start and trim Hubby with all of his golfing thrills Tuesday. "I'll lick the sox off of 'em all," he said, but a broad smile went along with the statement.

Cochran, however, is showing a neat game and is looked on as one of the prime favorites. He was pile-driving them a mile in San Antonio and whenever his clock starts working he is hard to head.

Ossie Carlton, holder of the title, has little to say in regard to the event but it's a safe bet that he'll be heard from as soon as the competition starts.

On to His Game.

Ossie is far from being off of his game and when he's right there are very few who can bowl him over.

While the Texas golfers are holding the spotlight there are a couple of out-of-state men who loom up as real contenders. W. A. Matlock and Larry Bromfield of Denver are both capable of getting plenty nifty and should either of them get right the Lone Star players may be forced to come in second best in the match race.

Bromfield has won the Colorado championship so often that it has almost become affixed to his name. He has copped the honor nine times and whenever anyone can come through for a tournament that many times, he is well worth watching.

Matlock has copped the Denver title and plays a very steady game.

From all indications at least 250 golfers will take part in this year's event which marks the largest tournament ever staged here.

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-The Day's News in Pictures-



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Pis Bernina, which stands 13,300 feet up in Switzerland's skies, finally has been conquered by man. An expedition of the International Research Institute of Germany has just succeeded in scaling the peak for the first time, carrying up heavy scientific equipment with enormous difficulty. This is the highest mountain in East Switzerland. The peak and its conquerors are shown.



The mystery surrounding the deaths of two Ohio State University students from strychnine-laden "cold pills" continues to defy authorities of Columbus, O., who believe the poison got into the pills by design, and not by accident. Meanwhile the University dispensary (shown above) is deserted. John J. Chester, Jr., police prosecutor, seen with a vial of strychnine found in the dispensary. Charles Huls, one of the victims, who was one of the most prominent students on the campus, is also shown.



William Jones (left) and Gervis Bloodworth (right), sentenced to die on the gallows in Georgia for murder, can thank the housetops that surround their prison that they are alive. Georgia law forbids public executions. At the eleventh hour their lawyers won them a stay of execution by pointing out that the gallows erected outside the prison could be seen from nearby roofs. The boys are now awaiting results of an appeal. The photo shows the gallows erected for them.



Mrs. Helen Elwood Stokes, (left) is seen with her mother, Mrs. Arthur Miller of Denver, at the trial in Chicago of her former husband, W. E. D. Stokes, New York millionaire, who is accused of conspiring to besmirch her reputation.



The border and half-cuffs of opossum give a rich tone to this spring coat of white homespun. Fur trimmings are applied in this manner quite extensively on the new coats.



Reserve officers training corps members in the Central High school, in Kansas City, Mo., are never absent from drill, now that Miss Pauline Evelyn is their major. She was chosen for the honor from among 2,000 girls. She is 17.



When one plans a costume for a fancy dress party discussion often arises as to the correct details for the period one wishes to portray. The above costumes range all the way from Bible times to our own Civil war, and are thought to be fairly truthful. In the center is a costume that was worn in a photoplay depicting the Biblical Queen of Sheba. The barbaric display of jewelry is particularly noted in this kind of a costume. The Elizabethan period is illustrated in the Dorothy Vernon picture at the upper left. The standing ruff, tight bodice, full skirt and flowing sleeves are typical of the period. The style of dressing the hair and wearing the hat in the period just preceding the French Revolution is shown in the upper right. The Civil War period is pictured in the lower left and the Colonial gown on the lower right was actually worn by the first White House bride, Martha Hester Monroe.



"Denton's Smasher" carried off the honors in the English bull class at the Minneapolis dog show. Perhaps it was because Mrs. John Lindaman beautified him just before the judges came around. She is seen applying the woman's never failing source of beauty, a powder puff.



With police officials believing that the deaths of two Ohio State University students from strychnine-laden "cold pills" may have been caused by a "Leob-Leopold" type of degenerate, and university authorities admitting that the poison may have gotten into the pills through a "terrible mistake," investigation of the deaths is being pushed. City and county authorities are seen above questioning one of the pharmacy students who worked in the college dispensary, from which the pills came. Dr. W. O. Thompson, president of the university, who is directing the probe, and Dr. H. S. Wingert, who prescribed the fatal pills, are also shown.

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GARFIELD St., five large rooms and breakfast room, every convenience, hardwood floors, all the built-in features; garage and servants' house, $5850 for few days only. N. G. Blacklock. Phone 9057. Res. 5903. Basement First Nat'l. Bank.

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OIL WELL SUPPLIES

WHY build your own pipeline when I can furnish pipe and save you money on any line, large or small. Kork Kelly—Pipeline Contractors. Phone 8215.

HOW BULLETIN SURVIVES

Steno Gets $90 a Month From State, And Gives Time to Publication.

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Efforts of the house highway investigation committee to determine how the state highway bulletin is supported today elicited the information from Miss Alice Young, stenographer, that she is paid $90 a month by the state but devotes most of her time to the bulletin. Committee members said they understood no fund for support of the bulletin is authorized by the state and that it is supposed to be self-supporting.

WACO NAMES CANDIDATES

Politics Warm Up As City Commissioners Are Nominated.

WACO, Feb. 17.—Dr. H. F. Connally and C. A. Nabors, candidates of the Civic Club, were nominated for city commissioner today at the city democratic primary.
The Civic Club, sponsored by the charter changes in December, 1923, by which adopted the city manager form of government. Today's election was the firs tthat had been contested since the adoption of the manager plan.

OUST ATHEISTS FROM CLASS

Solons Would Allow None to Teach Who Do Not Take Oath.

AUSTIN, Feb. 17—(AP)—A movement to prohibit an atheist from teaching in the public schools of Texas was started today in a bill by Representatives Robinson and Harper.
The bill prohibits "any person teaching or performing his duties as teacher, instructor, professor, officer, president or superintendent," in any public school who is an atheist or disbelieves in a supreme being. The bill provides an oath for all teachers.

POTTER UNDER $500 BOND

Charged By Complaint With Murdering Cousin In Oklahoma.

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, Feb. 17. — Noah Potter of Robstown, charged by complaint with murder in connection with the fatal shooting of his cousin, Walter Potter, of Sand Springs, Oklahoma, was placed under $500 bond today following examining trial here.
Walter Potter, was said to have been mistaken by his cousin for a burglar as he started to enter a tent in which Noah Potter lived.

IRWIN TO SUBMIT REPORT

Will Make Known Full Findings Of Prison Investigating Committee.

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Representative T. K. Irwin of Dallas, today was instructed to formulate a tentative report to the legislature for the joint prison investigation committee, it was announced by committee members after a brief meeting. Mr. Irwin, who has declared his intentions of demanding the resignation of several prison officials, will probably submit the report Thursday afternoon for consideration Friday.

SEEK LA GRANGE JURY

Many Examined in Murder, Assault And Assault to Murder Case.

LA GRANGE, Texas, Feb. 17. — Twenty-five men were examined today and 27 me nexamined tonight of the special venire valled in the case of W. H. Langhorn, charged with the slaying of Valeria Zapalac, criminal assault and assault with intent to murder, Minnie Zapalac.

STATE TO SELL BOOZE?

Stuart Wants County Clerks To Dispense All Intoxicating Liquor.

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Senator R. A. Stuart of Fort Worth would put the state in the liquor business. He introduced in the senate today a bill which would create a state dispensary system and make county clerks the dispensers.

WANT R. R. ACT REPEALED

Esch-Cummings Law Attacked In Part By House Resolution.

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—(AP)—Repeal of a portion of the Esch-Cummins railroad act is demanded in a concurrent resolution by Representative Kittrell of Houston, adopted by the house today. The resolution asks Texas senators and representatives to work for passage of the repealing measure pending in congress.

Certified Triumph Seed Potatoes guaranteed to produce twice as many as ordinary Seed Potatoes. Morgan's 1100 Ohio, phone 3726.—Adv.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Faith Chapter, No. 713 O. E. S.—Meets second and fourth Monday evenings in each month, 7:30 p. m., 813 Scott. MRS. PEARL VEROS, W. M., 1307 Polk street, phone 4830. LILLIE MAE EDMONDS, Secretary, 2504 Tenth, phone 7673. Faith Study Club will meet every first and third Thursday of each month.

Wichita Falls Council No. 140 R. & S. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m.
Ed. Bunnenberg, T. I. M.
W. J. Webb, Rec.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59—Stated conclave first and third Thursdays of each month.
R. R. NOLEN, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59 K. T. Work in the Illustrious Order of Red Cross and the Order of Malta Thursday, Feb. 19th beginning at 5:00 p. m. Supper at 6:30 p. m.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M.—Stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
J. W. LYLE, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Secy.
Instruction in the E. A. Tuesday, and Friday, Feb. 17th and 20th 7:00 p. m. Work in the F. C. Degree Wednesday, Feb. 18th beginning at 6:30 p. m., also examination of candidates in the several Degrees.

Wichita Falls Council No. 1473 K. of C.—Meets every first and third Mondays at 8 p. m., 1509 9th St.
C. K. WALSH, G. K.
212-14 Morgan Bldg.
CLEM GALLAGHER
800 Harrison.
F. S.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 292, R. A. M.—Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y.
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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.
Instruction of E. A. candidates each Monday evening. Call secretary in regard to other instruction.
THOS. R. WYNN, W. M.,
G. W. CURD, Sec'y.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 257 of the Eastern Star meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. MARGARET BRADLEY, Phone 5766. W. M.
MRS. NENA FRITZ M'GLNN, Sec'y. Phone 2629.

Wichita Falls Assembly No. 17, Order of the Rainbow for girls, sponsored by the Wichita Falls Chapter No. 257, meets second and fourth Tuesday at 7 p. m. in Masonic Temple, Miss Mary Louise Cox, worthy advisor; Miss Mary C. Meredith, secretary.

Pat Carrigan Post No. 120 American Legion — Meets every second and fourth Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Legion Hall, 812½ Ohio Ave.
—O. T. AILES, P. C.
Post Commander; R. J. CLAYPOOL Adjutant.

Masiak Temple A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Monday each month at Faith Lodge rooms in Chenault Bldg., 813 Scott. All visiting Nobles invited to attend. Recorder's office 813 Scott street. Phone 3884.
W. W. GARDNER, Potentate.
AL ELLIS, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1105 B. P. O. E. meets 1st and third Monday at its club corner Eighth and Scott Sts. Visiting members invited to attend.
O. R. JOHNSON, Exalted Ruler.
H. G. ENGLISH, Sec'y.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 3001 — Regular meeting first and third Wednesday nights. Labor Temple.
R. C. Carr, Consul Commander.
R. J. CLAYPOOL, Clerk.
Office 2337, Res. 6471. 713 7th

Tomorrow's Radio Program

(Courtesy of Radio Digest)
(By Associated Press)

WSB Atlanta Journal (428.3) 8 chorus; 10:45 organ.
WEEI Boston (475.9) 6:15 trio, soprano; 7 musical.
WGR Buffalo (319) 7 concert; 8 concert.
WLS Chicago (344.6) organ, artists; 7 lullaby; 7:20 operetta.
WGN Chicago Tribune (370.2) 6 organ; 6:30 ensemble string quintet; 8 soprano, speaker; 10 dance, Ned and Ches.
WEBH Chicago (370) 7 concert, Riviera theatre; 9 dance, soprano, tenor; 11 dance, popular songs.
KYW Chicago (545.4) 7 concert; 8 literary talk; 8:20 musical; 10-11:30 at homee.
WMAQ Chicago News (447.5) 6 organ; 6:25 orchestra; 8 announced; 8:15 Boy Scouts; 8:50 lecture; 9:15 soprano.
WLW Cincinnati (422.3) 6 concert; 7 jubilee, dance, hand saw address; 10:30 quartet dance; 11 Melody boys.
WEAR Cleveland (389.4) 6 music; 7 concert.
WFAA Dallas News (475.9) 6:30 recital; 8:30 entertainment; 11 orchestra.
WOC Davenport (484) 7 Sandman; 9 orchestra; 11 dance.
KOA Denver (silent).
WHO Des Moines (526) 11 orchestra.
WWJ Detroit News (352.7) 7:30 orchestra artists; 9 dance; 10:30 News orchestra.
WBAP Ft. Worth Star Telegram (475.9) 7:30 musical; 9:30 concert.
KFKX Hastings (288.3) 9:30-11:30 Lions club.
KNX Hollywood (337) 8:15 instrumental; 10 features; 12 orchestra.
WOS Jefferson City (440.9) 8 address.
WDAF Kansas City Star (365.6) 6 school of the air; 11:45 frolic.
KHJ Los Angeles Times (404) 8 concert; 8:30 children; 10 features; 11 instrumental; 12 orchestra.
WHAS Louisville Times (399.8) 7:30 concert.
WMC Memphis Commercial Appeal (499.7) musical.
WCCO Minneapolis-St. Paul (416.4) 7:30 lecture; 7:45 health talk; 8 cattle; 10 dance.
CKAC Montreal (487) 7:30 program.
WEAF New York (491.5) 6 services; 6:30 art talk; 6:45 trio lecture; 7:30 talk, artist; 9 vocal, pianist; 10 orchestra.
WJZ New York (454.3) 7:30 program from WRC; 8:30 Waldorf-Astoria.
WJY New York (405.2) 7:15 chorus; 9:15 archestra.
KGO Oakland (299.8) 6 concert; 10 address, Olga Petrova, musical; 12 dance, soloists.
WOAW Omaha (526) 6 story; 6:20 announced; 6:45 orchestra; 9 program; 10:30 Nightingales.
WFI Philadelphia (395) 6 talk; 7 concert.
WIP Philadelphia (509.9) 6 talk; 7 concert; 8:15 talk; 10 orchestra.
KDKA Pittsburgh (309.1) 7 program 7:30 concert; 10 concert.
WCAE Pittsburgh (461.3) 6:45 special; 7 review; 8 concert.
KGW Portland (silent).
WKAQ Porto Rico (340.7) 6:30 concert.
WGY Schenectady (379.5) 6:30 new books; 6:45 talk; 7 concert; 10:15 organ.
KFQX Seattle (silent).
WBZ Springfield (331.1) 6:30 educational; 7 baritone; 7:15 organ; instrumental; 8 pianist; 8:15 instrumental, vocal; 9:15 trio, orchestra; 10:30 popular songs; 10:45 orchestra.
KSD St. Louis Post Dispatch (545.8) 8 reader, violinist, baritone, address.
WOAI San Antonio (394.5) 9:30 orchestra.
WRC Washington (469) 6 trio; 6:30 Latin American night; 9:45 dance.
WCBD Zion (344.6) 8 quartet, vocal, trombone, cornet, piano.

Crawford Asserts New Trial Entitled

DALLAS, Feb. 17.—Fifteen alleged reasons why a new trial should be granted to William Lester Crawford, convicted of manslaughter for killing Paul M. O'Day were assigned in a motion filed in the Dallas county criminal district court today.

One of the reasons given was that the court permitted "the widow of Paul O'Day, the deceased, clothed in her widow's weeds and Mollie O'Day, her little daughter, with her crippled leg bandaged in splints, to occupy a position within three feet of the jury throughout the entire first two arguments of counsel, and there stage a scene that was calculated to unlawfully influence and affect the jurors in finding their verdict."

T. C. U. Now One Of Richest Institutions

FORT WORTH, Feb. 17.—Texas Christian university today became one of the richest religious schools in the southwest, with the payment of $450,000 to three of the four heirs-at-law of Mrs. Mary Couts Burnett, who willed most of her more than $5,000,000 estate to the Fort Worth school.

Payment in cash of $150,000 to each of the three heirs at law today followed an interlocutory judgment yesterday by District Judge Young.

HIP GASES ARE RIDICULED.

Police Court Proper Place for Booze Flask, Charges Judge Says.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Hip liquor has no place in the federal courts, Judge Adam C. Cliffe of the United States district court here, has ruled.

He ordered a plea of guilty entered by James Cochran, arrested when he was seen to drink from a pocket flask, stricken from the record and the defendant dismissed.

"The defendant at the most was guilty of disorderly conduct," Judge Cliffe said. "Such cases should be prosecuted in the municipal courts and not brought into the federal building."

ARBUCKLE WILL WED.

Doris Deane, Actress, to Become Wife of One Time Comedian.

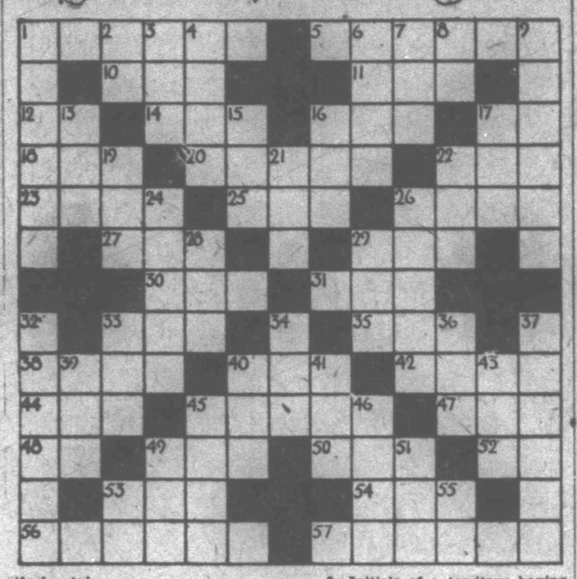
LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17.—Doris Deane, famous actress, and Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle will be married in Pasadena at the home of the bride's mother, February 22, it was reported by Arbuckle's friends.

Miss Deane is on "location" near San Luis Obispo, Cal., playing in a picture which Arbuckle is directing.

CROSS WORD FUNNIES

Selected by JUDGE

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Horizontal

1—Something you get under each eye from burning the midnight oil
5—A place where Irish potatoes are often found
10—Letters of Credit
11—The handle of a Scottish name
12—Our continental abode (abbr.)
14—The platform of the Anti-Saloon League
16—It's mightier than the sword
17—Too bad!
18—"Every woman's secret"
20—Having done this you are no longer hungry
23—A sailor
23—Ain't it grand!
25—This is occasionally called a mug
26—Part of a fruit which creates mirth for other people
27—The only thing a Scotchman will lend you
29—A ballroom bedstead
30—A prevalent kind of bag
31—Something schooners used to foam across
33—Easy to make and hard to collect
35—Mustache Cups Exasperate (Init) (That's terrible!)
38—Gone but not forgotten
40—Nickname for a frog's child
42—The rein of a steamship
44—The tip of a dog's tail
45—Part of wearing apparel used to display lodge emblems
47—A general who kept his horses and side arms
48—A country address (abbr.)
49—A receptacle they used to rush
50—Grounds for divorce
52—Governor thrice, but still ——
53—A powerful weapon, a la Ruth
54—A dog's greeting to a hobo
56—Denoting a gang of dukes, lords, etc.
57—The guy who pays the rent, and can't have dogs nor children

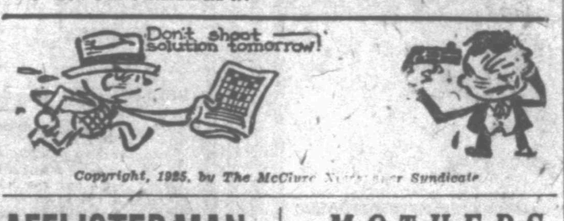
Vertical

1—Venetian streets; yes, they have no horses
3—Initials of a state
3—The fish that made New England famous
4—A vampire's asset
6—The last word, at bedtime
7—How Paavo Nurmi did it?
8—Initials of a territory having a capitol and capital
9—A fisherman's hope and delight
13—A time back
15—A Southern sweet potato
16—Necessary for a musical comedy to be a success
17—There are five to a foot
19—The original spare rib
21—Due on or before March 18th
22—Try to get this!
24—Enthusiastic
26—Lovers use this in summer
28—Used in hair before bobbing became the vogue
29—A type of gear, and it's not funny
32—Husband of Titania, and King of the fairies
33—The end of a perfect day
34—A thing to keep your head in (bald or otherwise)
36—The old cross-word fish himself
37—A breakfast dish made of eggs
39—The tip of a cat's tail (see No. 44 Horizontal)
40—A paternal threat and a color
41—Daniel made this famous
43—A popular cross-word meadow
45—Title given a dead one
46—Usually a shady place
49—A state we hear a lot about yet it's abbreviated here
51—Prohibition requires us to say it cleans cotton
53—A high-powered shot for sparrow hunters
55—Short for mother's husband

The solution will appear tomorrow.

Solution of Saturday's puzzle.

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AFFLICTED MAN BURNS TO DEATH

Outhouse Erected For His Home Is Scene Of a Tragedy

FORT WORTH, Feb. 17.—While his mother, granfather and brother made frantic efforts to rescue him from a fire which destroyed a small outhouse at his father's home near here, William L. Hudson, 27, was burned to death shortly before noon today.

The outhouse was built nine months ago, for William to live in because of a mental affliction, Mrs. Hudson said.

Lester, brother of the dead man, also sustained burns when he broke through a window of the house. L. L. Turner, 73, grandfather, also made vain efforts to enter the building.

Mrs. Hudson said she believed her son burned to death because he was incapable of thinking of a means to escape. The fire is believed to have started from a wood stove.

CHILD FLIGHTS A PUZZLE.

Los Angeles Police Worry About Children Up in Airplanes.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17.—Puzzled policemen today were trying to find a charge to lodge against aviators who give children rides through the clouds without first obtaining the parents' permission. Aviators, anxious to clear a landing space of weeds, let youngsters in the neighborhood do the work, for which they pay them in transportation. This arrangement proved popular with the boys, but not with their mothers, who told officers they wanted their children kept on the ground.

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MOTHERS

AND THEIR CHILDREN



Cutting Silhouettes.

One Mother Says:

My children delight in cutting silhouettes. Large sheets of paper are tacked up onto a door or wall, and the lamp is adjusted so that a good shadow of the little face may be cast onto it. The youngsters take turns being artist and nosing, and some of the results are quite worth marking with the date, to be put away.

MAY TAX BOBBED HAIR.

Procedure Suggested in Bath, England, to Balance Budget.

BATH, England, Feb. 17.—A tax on bobbed hair to assist the municipality of Bath in balancing its budget is proposed by City Councilman S. R. Lewin. Quite an income here was derived by a tax on the powdered hair of the ladies of the seventeenth century, he points out.

The money derived from the bobbing tax, he suggested, might be considered a sort of "poll tax."

Plenty of Triumph and Cobbler seed potatoes. C. H. PARKER cash grocer, 611 Indiana. Ph. 3055. —Adv.

MARKETS

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 17.—Cotton futures closed steady at net advance of 25 to 40.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Mar.	24.50	24.32	24.48-50	24.33
May	24.85	24.66	24.82-84	24.45
July	25.13	24.94	25.11-13	24.82
Oct.	24.78	24.52	24.75-78	24.55
Dec.	24.77	24.55	24.74	24.75

Opening: March 24.32; May 24.70; July 25.00; October 24.52; December 24.62.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 17.—The cotton market was fairly active today and developed rather broad trading during the afternoon. Prices were on the upward grade practically all day. Such reactions as developed were both short lived and of comparatively narrow scope. The stimulating influence during the morning was the continued absence of rain in the western belt and the prospects for continued fair weather in that section. By noon October, the active new crop position showed gains of fully 30 points. During the afternoon reports of an active spot demand in all the southern markets, coupled with advices of scarcity of offerings caused the market to become quite active and prices soared to new high levels, the October position showing just before the close a gain of 43 points.

At the start, although Liverpool was easier than due the market was firmer on the continuance of the drouth in the west and first trades showed gain of 9 to 18 points. Prices continued to advance during the morning until July traded up to 25.05 and October 24.64, or 23 to 29 points above the previous close. Around noon prices eased off about 11 to 12 points from the earlier highs with July 24.94 and October 24.52, mainly due to liquidation of the March position, which reacted sympathetically in late months, although the March position itself only eased off 10 points to 24.32. During the afternoon rally, all months made a new high with March at 24.85, July 25.13 and October 24.78, or 30 to 43 points above the previous close. The close was near the top, showing net gains for the day of 35 to 40 points.

Exports for the day were light, 11,187 bales from all ports.

SPOT NEWS

WACO, Feb. 17.—Waco spots steady, 30 points.

DALLAS, Feb. 17.—Spots steady; 37 points higher; sales 1,300.

Middling fair 25.25; strict good middling 25.10; good middling 24.93; strict middling 24.68; middling 24.30; strict low middling 23.68; low middling 22.70; strict good ordinary 21.95; good ordinary 20.25.

GALVESTON, Feb. 17.—The spot market closed steady, 25 up. Sales 1,473 bales. Low ordinary 17.70; ordinary 19.20; good ordinary 20.70; low middling 23.20; middling 24.70; good middling 25.85; middling fair 25.70.

HOUSTON, Feb. 17.—The spot market closed steady, 25 up. Sales 3,351 bales. Low ordinary 18.85; ordinary 19.60; good ordinary 20.85; strict good ordinary 22.10; low middling 23.25; strict low middling 24.25; middling 24.85; strict middling 25.20; good middling 25.35; strict good middling 25.60; middling fair 25.85.

Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	1.81½	1.84¾	1.79¾	1.84½
July	1.52	1.56	1.51	1.55¾
Sept.	1.41	1.43¾	1.40¼	1.43⅞
Corn—				
May	1.26	1.28¼	1.25¼	1.28
July	1.27½	1.29¾	1.26⅝	1.29
Sept.	1.27	1.28¾	1.26½	1.28½
Oats—				
May	.53	.54⅛	.52⅝	.54⅛
July	.53¾	.55⅝	.53⅜	.55⅝
Sept.	.53⅝	.54	.52½	.53⅝
Rye—				
May	1.57	1.59⅝	1.55⅞	1.59½
July	1.32½	1.34⅝	1.31¼	1.34⅝
Sept.	1.15½	1.17¼	1.15⅛	1.17¼
Lard—				
May	15.20	15.42	15.20	15.42
July	15.55	15.72	15.55	15.72
Ribs—				
May	.....	.....	.....	15.80
July	.....	.....	.....	16.00
Bellies—				
May	.....	.....	.....	17.87
July	.....	.....	.....	18.05

TEXAS GRAIN

FORT WORTH, Feb. 17.—The following shows range of values on the Fort Worth cash grain market, basis delivered group 3 or Texas common points, based on bids, offers and sales of Fort Worth dealers, according to the Fort Worth Grain and Cotton Exchange:

Wheat: No. 1 export 1.90; No. 1 dark hard 1.04½@1.06½; No. 1 1.02½@1.03; No. 1, 75 per cent red 2.02½; durham 1.95½.

Corn: No. 2 white 1.28@1.31; No. 3 white 1.26@1.28; No. 2 mixed 1.25@1.27; No. 3 mixed 1.23@1.24.

Oats: No. 2 red 66@68; No. 3 red 65@67; No. 3 white 63@65.

Snapped corn 1.17@1.27; No. 3 barley 96@98; No. 3 milo maize 2.00@2.10; No. 3 kaffir corn 1.90@1.95; maize head per ton 32.50@34.00; kaffir head 28.00@34.00; cane seed 1.75@1.96.

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Wheat: No. 3 hard 1.73.

Corn: No. 3 white 1.14¼; No. 2 yellow 1.23½@1.24; No. 4 white 1.10@1.11½.

Oats: No. 3 white 48½@51¾c; No. 4 white 47@49¾c.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 17.—Wheat: No. 2 hard 1.71@1.90; No. 2 red 1.88@1.94. Close: May 1.73⅝ split asked to 1.73⅝; July 1.45⅝ split bid to 1.45⅝ split bid; September 1.35⅝ split asked to 1.36⅛ asked.

Corn: No. 3 white 1.05@1.11; No. 2 yellow 1.13@1.15; No. 3 yellow 1.11@1.12 No. 2 mixed 1.09@1.11; May 1.18⅝ asked; July 1.20⅝ bid; September 1.22.

Oats: No. 2 white 51½@52c; No. 3 white 50@51c.

Livestock

TEXAS LIVE STOCK

FORT WORTH, Feb. 17.—Live stock receipts fell down to very moderate proportions Tuesday and buyers experienced difficulty in obtaining an assortment that was sufficient to meet their most important orders. The yard estimate was for 2,000 head of cattle, 350 calves, 750 hogs and 300 sheep.

Steady pecrir were recorded throughout the cattle division. Cows were in the majority, and most of the run lacked quality. Two cars of steers sold at 6.75. Canner cows went at 1.90 to 2.25. Medium to good cows brought 3.00 to 3.75, and the better grades cleared around 4.00 to 4.25. Bulls sold mostly within a spread of 2.75 to 3.50, but a few individuals made 4.00.

The market has not been receiving any good light calves in car lots, but one load made its appearance Tuesday and sold readily at 8.00. A few head made 8.25. Most of the calves here brought 4.50@5.50. Trading displayed activity and the yards were cleared within a short time after the market opening.

Stocker consignments were disposed of at rates that were in line with recent quotations. Receipts were unimportant.

No quotable change developed in the trend of the hog market. Receipts were so small that it was hard to get actual comparisons, but salesmen were confident that their wares brought at least as much as they would have sold for Monday. One cars that was good brought 11.50. Other deals were within a general range of 11.00 to 11.35.

Pigs were disposed of at rates that were in line with Monday's big decline. Most of the supply found an outlet at 7.50@8.50.

Receipts of sheep were neglected until a late hour. Two decks of fall shorn wethers were on offer, but bids received were unsatisfactory.

Cattle, 2,380, including 350 calves. Market steady; steers 3.50@7.75; stockers 3.25@7.50; cows 3.00@5.50; cutters 2.25@2.75; canners 1.90@2.25; heifers 3.50@7.50; yearlings 3.50@8.50; bulls 2.00@4.50; calves 2.50@8.50.

Hogs 750; market strong; top 11.50; bulk 10.75@11.35; best medium weight 11.35@11.50; good light 10.75@11.25, fair light 9.75@10.25; packing sows 9.25@10.50; good mixed 11.25@11.40; fair mixed 10.75@10.75; common 6.50@8.50, pigs 4.50@9.00.

Sheep 300; steady; lambs 1 under week ago. Lambs 13.50@16.50; feeders 11.50@15.25; yearlings 11.00@12.00; wethers 9.00@10.50; ewes 8.00@9.50; culls 1.50@3.50; stockers 3.50@5.50; goats 1.50@3.50.

MONEY

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Call money, firm; high 4; low 3½; ruling rate 4; closing bid 3½; offered at 4; last sale 3½; call loans against acceptances 3½. Time loans, firm; 60-90 days 3⅞; four six months 3⅞@4; prime commercial paper 3¼@3¾.

Financial

STOCKS

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Stock prices went through another period of sharp reaction early today during which a number of the popular issues sold down one to seven points but strong buying support made its appearance in the late afternoon and the general list closed irregularly higher. Total sales again exceeded two million shares.

One of the features of the session was a sharp break in American Smelting and Refining which dropped from par to below 85 on selling inspired by an unfavorable federal income decision in California involving the use of its smelter process. The stock rallied about 99 later on the announcement of company officials that an appeal would be taken and that the damages involved were about 2?0,000, and not several million as reported in news dispatches from the west.

Baldwin was carried down to a new low for the year at 123¼ on selling influenced by the publication of the annual report for 1924 showing net profit of $1,320,926, or less than the preferred dividend requirements, as compared with $6,516,465 the year before. Fresh buying developed in that issue later however, when the attention was drawn to the possibilities of the new Diesel Engine Locomotive. The stock rallying to above 133 and then easing to 130⅝ for a net gain of 3¾ on the day. This started a rally in the general list, which was still under way when the market closed.

U. S. Steel common closed fractionally higher at 123¾ after having sold as low as 122¾. American Can fluctuated between 172 and 166½ closing at 170¾ for a net gain of 2¾. Studebaker closed fractionally higher at 43¾.

Atchison was the outstanding feature of the railroad group, soaring six points to 124, the highest price since 1910. New York Central moved up nearly two points to 121½, while Southern Railway, New Haven, Texas and Pacific, Wabash preferred A, Atlantic Coast Line, Erie first preferred, the Missouri Pacific issues and Western Pacific moved up a point or so. Lackawanna was heavy, dropping 1¾ to 136.

The rally in the oils was stimulated by another increase in mid-continent crude prices. General Petroleum, the Pan-American issues and independent oil and gas each closed about two points higher while a number of other improved a point or more.

Call money renewed at 4 per cent and then stepped up to 5½. Time money and commercial paper rates held firm with business in moderate volume.

A further recovery in French francs, which carried the demand rate to around 5.38 cents, was the feature of the irregular foreign exchange market. Buying of French currency was prompted by the reassuring statements of Premier Herriot. Demand sterling was heavy, again falling below $4.77. Most of the European rates showed only minor changes.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Sales in

	Hds.	High	Low	Close
Allied Chem & Dye	75	85¼	83⅜	85
Am Can	751	170⅜	166¼	170⅜
Am Car & Fdry	11	199	198	198
Am Inter Corp	38	35¼	35	35¼
Am Locomotive	130	120	117⅝	120
Am Smelt & Ref	405	100	93⅜	96⅛
Am Sugar	83	85	61	63
Am Tel & Tel	45	133⅜	133	133⅝
Am Tobacco	43	87	85	87
Am Woolen	106	53⅛	49⅝	52⅜
Anaconda Cop	53	42⅜	41	42⅛
A T & S Fe	403	124	118	124
Atl Coast Line	16	140½	140	140
Baldwin Loco	369	131⅜	126⅛	130⅝
B & O	76	78⅜	77⅜	77⅝
Bethlehem Steel	108	46⅞	45½	46⅜
Calif Pet	83	26⅝	26	26⅜
Canadian Pac	17	149⅜	149⅛	149⅞
Cen Leather pfd	54	60⅛	59	59⅝
Cerro De Pasco	15	52¼	50⅜	50⅜
Chandler Motor	43	30⅜	29⅝	30
Cpeake & Ohio	42	92⅞	92¼	92⅝
C M & St P pfd	61	21⅛	20⅝	21⅛
Chic & Nwestern	24	67⅝	66¾	66⅞
C R I & P	312	45⅜	44	45⅛
Chile Copper	87	35⅝	34¾	34⅞
Coca Cola	24	89½	88	88
Congoleum Co	57	39	38⅜	38⅝
Consol Gas	72	79	78	79
Consol Tide	26	4¾	4¼	4½
Conti Can	129	64⅞	64¼	64⅝
Corn Prod	53	38¼	38¼	38¼
Coulen Oil	63	21⅜	20⅝	21
Crucible Steel	67	71⅛	68¼	70⅜
Cuba C S pfd	40	88½	88½	88½
Cuban Am Sugar	19	30⅝	30½	30½
Davison Chem	1	44⅛	43¼	43⅞
Dupont de Nem	71	147⅛	145¼	147⅛
Erie	18	31¼	31	31¼
Famous Players	60	92	90¾	90¾
Gen Asphalt	36	54⅛	53⅝	54
Gen Elec	99	232¼	223¾	230⅞
Gen Motors	129	75	73⅜	75
Gt Northern pfd	55	68¼	68¼	68¼
Gulf St Steel	22	87⅜	85½	87⅛
Houston Oil	28	78¼	77	78¼
Ill Central	1	114⅜	114⅜	114⅜
Inter Harv	18	104	102	103⅝
Inter M M pfd	191	45	42⅝	45
Kelly Sfield	17	16	14⅝	15
Kennecott Cop	152	52⅝	51⅝	52⅞
L & N	5	106⅜	106	106⅜
Mack Truck	308	137⅜	132	135⅜
Marland Oil	172	42	41½	42
Middle St Oil	28	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
M K & T	170	37	35½	36¼
Mo Pac pfd	76	79	76¾	79
N Y Central	107	121½	119¾	121⅜
N Y N H & H	94	31⅜	30¾	31¼
Nfolk & Western	34	126⅜	125⅜	126
Northern Pac	32	68	67⅛	68
Pacific Oil	435	61	59⅜	60⅜
Pan-Am Pet B	466	72	69¼	72
Penn	27	47⅝	47	47⅛
Phillips Pet	271	42⅝	40⅜	42
Prod & Ref	7	28¼	27⅜	27⅞
Pure Oil	72	30⅝	29⅜	30⅝
Reading	149	75¼	74⅛	75
Republic I & Steel	55	51¼	50	50⅜
Reynolds Tob B	10	75⅝	75⅝	75⅝
St L Swestern	32	48½	47	47
Seaboard A L	19	22⅜	21⅜	21⅜
Seaboard A L pfd	20	38¾	38½	39
Sears Roebuck	223	156⅜	151⅛	154⅝
Shell Union Oil	388	26	25⅜	26
Sinclair Oil	163	21¼	20½	20⅝
Southern Pac	68	103⅛	102½	103⅛
Southern Ry	90	86⅝	85½	86⅜
Stand O of Cal	88	62⅛	61⅝	62⅜
Stand O of N J	116	44	43	44
Stewart Warner	70	69⅜	67½	69½
Studebaker Corp	132	43¾	42½	43¾
Texas Co	83	47	46⅛	46⅝
T & P	106	54½	52⅝	53⅜
Tobacco Prod	21	74⅜	72¾	74⅛
Trans Oil	130	4¾	4⅜	4⅝
Union Pac	35	149	148¼	149
U S C I P	35	220	211	218⅜
U S Ind Alcohol	45	79½	77½	79
U S Rubber	53	40¼	39⅜	39⅝
U S Steel	1116	123½	122½	123⅝
Whouse Elec	24	70⅜	69⅜	70½
Willys Oland pfd	25	75⅜	74	75⅜

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Foreign exchanges. Irregular; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.76⅝; cables 4.76⅞; 60-day bills on banks 4.73½. France demand 5.28; cables 5.28½; Italy 4.11 and 4.11½; Belgium 5.07 and 5.07⅛; Germany demand 2?80; Holland 40.14; Norway 15.24; Sweden 26.93; Denmark 17.77; Switzerland 19.24; Spain 14.22; Greece 1.55½; Poland 19¼; Czecho Slovakia 2.97; Jugo-Slavia 1.63½; Austria .0014¼; Rumania .51½; Argentina 39.40; Brazil 11.33; Tokio 39; Montreal 99⅛.

MONEY AT WORK

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

How may over-capitalization occur and what factors may tend to encourage it?

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Of the many ways in which over-capitalization may occur the following five are the commonest: It may be due to fraudulent transactions. It may result through actual loss or destruction of valuable assets. It may result from the depreciation of tangible assets due to poor maintenance. It may occur because the promoters had too much optimism and over-estimated the probable future earnings. The methods of promotion may have been extravagant.

There are very definite reasons why over-capitalization often occurs. One of these is the desire of the promoters to talk in big figures and make the company look important, whether or not it has any right to be. The ease with which corporations are formed in some states has also fostered over-capitalization.

Produce

PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Poultry alive, higher; fowls 24@26c; springs 28c; roosters 18; turkeys 25c; ducks 27c; geese 17c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Butter; higher creamery extras 41c; standards 41c; extra firsts 36½@40c; firsts 36½@37c; seconds 32@34½c.

Eggs, lower; receipts 17,778 cases. firsts 36½@37c; ordinary firsts 35½@36½c.

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—The Texas spinach movement yesterday was listed as but five out of a total of 20 cars out. The shipping point market was steady around 60@70c a bushel for cas htrack cars. The jobbing trade follows: Boston 5 Texas arrived, 15 track stronger, 1.25.

Minneapolis no arrivals, 1 track unchanged.

Detroit no arrivals, 8 track, dull, 1.25 to 1.35.

Cleveland 2 Texas arrived, 3 track, steady 1.15 to 1.25.

Philadelphia 1 South Carolina arrived, 8 track, weaker 1.00 to 1.25.

New York, 6 Texas, arrivals, steady 1.70½@1.72.

Kansas City 2 Texas arrival, 2 track, dull 1.02 to 1.25.

Chicago 3 Texas, 2 arrivals, 1 track steady 1.00 to 1.25.

Cincinnati, no arrivals five track steady, 1.02 to 1.25.

Pittsburgh 3 Texas arrived, dull 1 to 1.25.

Cabbage continued on somewhat low levels but with generally steady tones. Rollings were light, consisting of but two of 71 cars.

Kansas City 1, Texas 2 other arrivals, 1 track unchanged.

Chicago 12 Texas, 3 other arrivals, 49 track steady unchanged.

Memphis 9 Texas, 4 other arrivals, Sunday 4 track 2.50 to 2.75.

Pittsburgh 1 Texas, 9 other arrivals, weak 2.50 cwt. barrels.

Kansas City, 1 Texas, 4 other arrivals, 4 track, unchanged.

Detroit 11 Texas arrived 14 track, weak, 2.25 to 2.50.

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—Of 58,740 cars of eggs received in Chicago, New York, Boston and Philadelphia Yesterday 32,372 cases were checked into New York and 17,787 into Chicago. The day's storage movement was a net withdrawal of 1,605 cases which left but 39 cases in storage at Philadelphia, 941 at New York, 238 at Chicago, and 1,541 at Boston, lowest on hand this season.

The dressed poultry business consisted in total receipts of 803, 643 pounds, of which 328,165 pounds went to the coolers. Withdrawals were 913,881 pounds. This morning's holdings New York were 33,555, 106 pounds; Chicago 41,562,158 pounds; Boston 11,165,675 pounds and Philadelphia 4,636,647 pounds.

U. S. BONDS

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—United States bonds:

Liberty 3½'s 101.22; first 4¼'s 101.75; second 4¼'s 100.28; third 4¼'s 101.12; fourth 4¼'s 101.28; government 4¾'s 104.27; treasury 4's 100.27.

Bush On Face For Girl Favor

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Young men who are seeking favor with girls are advised to grow bushy whiskers, like the cave men used to wear, by Arthur Ponsonby, member of parliament, who writes amusingly in the Empire Review contending that the modern male is inclined to become effeminate.

"The whiskerless young men of today are dominated by the girls, and willingly submit," writes Mr. Ponsonby. He suggests that suitors would be much better off if they all grew beards but adds that if it came to a showdown it is doubtful whether they would be able to do so.

'How the young men are dominated is most noticeable in cafes and restaurants," he writes. "In the old days one would see a man enter, followed by a girl, shy and demure.

"Today you will see the girl stride in with an air of mastery and assurance, her brimless hat crushed over her eyes, a long cigarette holder suspended from her lips and behind her trots the little man. She orders the meal and if there is any swearing to be done at the waiter she will do it.

"None of the bewhiskered gentlemen of the old school would permit anything like that—would they?"

ELKS LODGE BURNS.

DALLAS, Feb. 17.—The lodge and club rooms of the Dallas lodge Number 71 B. P. O. E. on Commerce street were damaged to the extent of between $30,000 and $40,000 by fire early today.



COLOR CUT-OUTS

Jack and Jill



AND HERE'S JACK

This is one day's chapter of the story of "Jack and Jill." Children who read the story and cut out the pictures every day will have the whole "Jack and Jill" story at the end of this week.

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Jack was on the porch when his playmate, Jill, came running across the lawn. He had just been to town with his mother and was all dressed up in a bright blue suit with tan shoes and hose.

"Please come with me to fetch a pail of water," cried Jill.

"Of course I will," answered Jack. "But not until you change your suit," cried his mother.

"I won't hurt it," protested Jack. "Now, Jack," answered his mother, "please do as I say." So Jill waited on the porch while Jack went in to change his suit.

Dickey Old Reliable Eye Water cools and heals red eyes. Doesn't hurt. Red folding box. All druggists. —Adv.

Babes Of Tiny Size Are Born

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 17.—Birth here of two babies, one weighing one pound and six ounces, the other two pounds and four ounces has created unusual interest among physicians since it not only sets a record for the city, but may set a nation-wide record. Both little girls are six months prematures which is extraordinary, physicians say. The babies are no larger than a child's doll with the heads scarcely larger than a big apple. But they are healthy and cry lustily.

The two pound and four ounce baby was born last Friday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Neal, and the one pound and six ounce baby to Mr. and Mrs. J. McIntyre, Monday morning. The Neal baby lost weight until Sunday morning and now weights one pound 13-34 ounces. The McIntyre baby has lost one ounce since its birth now weighing one pound and five ounces. The babies are swathed in cotton and lie on a bed heated with hot water bottles to an even temperature of 100 degrees. They are fed by means of a medicine dropper with milk taken from the breast.

Mothers of both children are doing well. The Neal baby is the sixth child and second daughter while the other is the first child.

DALLAS PROPOSES BONDS.

Five Issues Aotaling $2,000,000 Will Be Submitted Voters.

DALLAS, Feb. 17.—Five bond issues totaling $2,000,000 are planned to be submitted to the voters of Dallas April 7, John C. Harris, finance commissioner, said today. If the bonds are voted it will increase the city tax rate 31-2 cents above the present $2.43 rate. The proposed issues follow:

Public schools $1,000,000; storm sewers $250,000; street improvements $250,000; parks $250,000 and sanitary sewers $250,000.

TO KEEP A MAID—RADIO.

**If

The Washingtons Open Parsonage At a Silver Tea

Colonial Party of 18th Century Loveliness For The Atkinsons

George and Martha Washington, bringing with them the pomp and power of the 18th century were present at the Silver tea given Tuesday afternoon at the Atkinson home on Travis, by the women of the Ladies Home Missionary society of the First Christian church.

One was taken back to the eighteenth century when they walked into the midst of the women. Dressed in costumes of the eighteenth century, tight basque, full skirts and puff sleeves, with powdered wig and the pretty curls, the helped to carry out the George Washington scheme and make it seem as if one were living over again the days of great great grand parents. A cheery atmosphere prevailed throughout the beautiful home. Two large flags draped the porch with smaller flags used in the reception suite. Small hatchets tied onto red, white and blue streamers floated everywhere. Large floor baskets were filled with red carnations.

Mrs. Bailey Meets Them

The guests were met at the door by Mrs. C. E. Bailey who passed them on to Mesdames A. M. Sheers, presiding in the hall. They in turn introduced them to the receiving line in the living room and which included Mesdames Milo Atkinson, Lem Keevil, Ola G. Hamlin, T. T. T. Reese, R. E. Shepherd, A. A. Young and Duncan Norwood. The guests were escorted up stairs by Mrs. W. R. Ferguson who introduced Mesdames Bolton and Rigsby who took the women to the pretty guest book presided over by Mrs. J. E. Lieggett. Mesdames T. W. Caskey and J. L. Downing, dressed in Martha Washington costumes, presided over the prettily appointed refreshment table covered in madeira and lace, with a center piece, a large silver flower container of red carnations.

Two red candles burned at either end of the table.

Mesdames J. F. Madley, C. A. Fleming, V. R. Henderson and Misses Charlotte Keevil, Katherine Kilander and Harriet Leath, all dressed in colonial costumes served the dainty refreshment plate. Little Miss Joyce Craft and Master Dick Swindler dressed representing Martha and George Washington, presided over the silver urn.

A program including the following numbers was enjoyed by the callers of the evening; several numbers on the harp, Miss Evarts Martin; violin duet, Mrs. Joe Crouch and Pau Rutledge; reading, Miss Juanita Kinsey; vocal solo, Mrs. J. S. Dickey; reading, Mrs. Tom Couch; piano solo, Ira Cain; vocal solo, Mrs. Wayne Holmes; piano solo, Lester Prothro and vocal solo, R. E. Shepherd.

Those Who Called

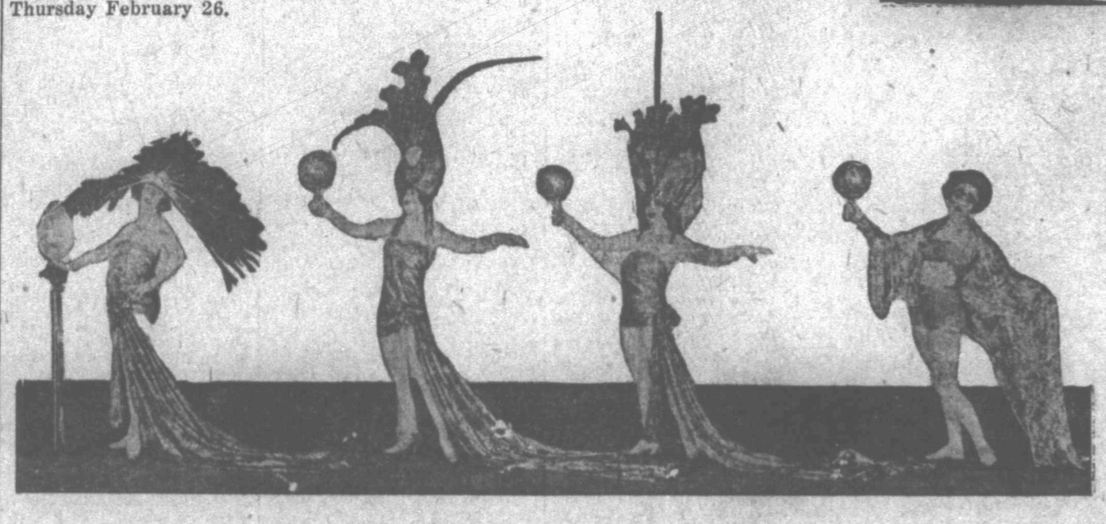
Those calling during the afternoon and evening were Mesdames Lucy Young, T. W. Caskey, C. E. Swindler, Ola G. Hamlin, R. E. Shepherd, B. B. Craft, Tom Reese, Paul Ray, G. D. Rigsby, V. R. Henderson, M. D. Bolton, J. E. Wadley, J. L. Keevil, C. A. Fleming, Joe Crouch, R. F. Stewart, C. Iles, J. L. Downing, R. E. Strange, Sara M. Sheers, B. F. Dutton, A. J. Conner, R. S. Reeder, W. L. Renfro, W. R. Evans, A. L. Williams, D. R. Bragurner, E. H. Taubert, O. J. Norwood, C. E. Bailey, O. H. Karr, J. E. Liggett, J. J. DeBerry, C. C. Stice, Anna W. Barker, O. A. Murphy, W. S. Guillahorn, H. C. Johnston, L. B. Cummings, C. M. Robinson, Onille L. Carrico, Mark D. Walker, J. H. Terrell, T. A. Bradley, W. W. Moore, J. M. Barkley, Tom W. Roberts, B. E. Parmenter, J. W. Hopper, J. T. Young, F. M. Kell, H. J. Strief, C. H. Pogenpohl, F. T. Childers, E. M. Brown, J. H. Widman, Dan McGrath, Wayne Holmes, E. A. Nelson, W. L. Hawkins, H. Wills, B. M. Hester, E. L. Patton, R. E. Norwood, A. M. Brewer, Kate Hunter, G. C. Biggs, Wayne Somerville, Lee Logan, J. F. Boyd, S. M. Griswold, W. F. Kolter, J. M. Sheers, Mora C. Clark, John E. Dunaway, W. A. Maloney, T. A. Norwood, Harry May, Harry McMillan, J. W. Pond, G. W. Pond, Paul L. Pond, T. E. Durrett, E. Engle, T. F. Courtney, W. R. Duke, Porter Oakes, Grady England, J. E. Shipley, Knox Finley, Charles Reid, L. O. Landun, Durwood McDonald, W. P. Killingsworth, L. M. Isbell, Frank Clark, T. M. Clark, R. J. Wiley, Drusie Bacon, W. R. Ferguson, A. R. Prothro, J. B. Hatchitt, Ira L. Cain, C. H. Aldrich, F. B. Creighton, F. L. Adair, S. L. Conn, O. O. Adkins, Felix White, Jean Montgomery, Etta Webster, Homer Karrenbrock, T. B. Couch, John W. Bradley, J. A. Patton, R. D. Ford, J. S. Dickey, Paul G. Putty, Jo Anna Campbell, Harry Hines and Misses Cleo King, Lucille Glenn, Luens Liggett, Ellen Parker, Era Saylors, Leah Mignon Putty, Ruth Keevil, Anna Keevil, Frances Prothro, Phyllis Creighton, Lucille Sheers, Margaret Sheers, Ruth Ferguson, Mary Ferguson, Lucille Harper, Velta Camp, Elva Killingsworth, Ruth McNaught, Jeanette Aldrich, Nancy McChesney, Frances Boyd, Alice Bennett, Buelah Elliott, Sallie L. Mytinger, Katherine Kilander, Charlotte Keevil, Harriet Leath and W. R. Ferguson, J. W. Pond, J. T. Camp, T. E. Durrent, R. E. Shepherd, O. H. Karr, Harold Carr, Ralph Karr, A. R. Prothro, J. B. Hatchitt, A. H. Aldrich, Paul A. Cain, Henry Aldrich, B. B. Craft, F. L. Adair, J. M. Sheers, C. E. Swindler, S. L. Conn, Homer Karrenbrock, John W. Bradley, Jean P. Montgomery, T. B. Couch, Paul G. Putty, Lester Prothro, Ira L. Cain Jr., J. E. Liggett, T. A. Bradley, W. R. Duke and Harry Hines.

A Couple of Stellar Attractions Booked for the Palace Next Week





Upper and right: Two scenes from the sensational melodrama "White Cargo" coming to the Palace theatre Monday night, February 23. Below: Congress of beautiful women make "Flashes of The Great White Way" a never to be forgotten spectacle of revealing charm. The attraction comes to the Palace theatre matinee and night Thursday February 26.





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IOWA PARK

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merce. They totaled a quarter of a million dollars.

Dr. Hunt a Speaker.

"I've seen west Texas grow from buffaloe trails to macadamized roads, and from dugout homes to residences with every modern convenience," stated Dr. J. T. Hunt, president of McMurray college at Abilene, principle speaker of the evening, "and there is every reason to believe that the next 25 years are going to see just as great a change in the west Texas as the past.

"To my mind the most constructive piece of work carried out in Texas in recent years is the irrigation project conceived and built in this very community and in Wichita Falls. The people of this district, showered with nature's wealth from unlimited oil fields instead of dissipating those resources and leaving road bonds and the like for children to pay off without the ways of getting the money that the parents had, have transplanted the passing funds from the oil fields into permanent values, and built a foundation for a civilization centuries hence."

Over 250 Attend.

Last night's banquet was attended by more than 250 citizens of Iowa Park and the surrounding coumunity. Dinner was served by Miss May Foster's high school home economics girls in the gymnasium of the new high school, but two years old, fitted with tables for the occasion.

Mrs. S. A. Baxter, president of the Iowa Park Parent-Teacher association, made a brief talk. Miss Ella Murrel Mathis gave a reading, while Miss Catherine Ralston sang a solo. The policies of the new experiment station farm and what it might mean to Iowa Park were outlined by F. W. Wilson, its superintendent.

John C. Murphree was toastmaster at the meeting.

A TEXAS WONDER

For kidney and bladder trouble, general weak and lame back, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder. At your druggists or by mail $1.25. Small bottle often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2920 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo.—Adv.

TAX DEADLINE LOOMING

February 28 Is Last Time Before 10 Per Cent Penalty Added

With the middle of February already past, City Tax Assessor and Collector W. R. Hyer is reminding tax payers here who have not already attended to it, that the last of the month is the deadline for payments without the addition of a 10 per cent penalty.

Jan. 31 was first set as the last payment date but this was later extended to Feb. 28. A few payments are being made each day, but there are still many outstanding.

Plenty of Triumph and Cobbler seed potatoes. C. H. PARKER ——'s grocer, 611 Indiana. Ph. 5056. —Adv.

$240,000 a Year Needlessly Spent For Soap-Schoch

Noted Authority Shows How Wichita Falls Can Soften Water

"Wichita Falls spends approximately $240,000 more each year for soap than it would if the water it uses was 'soft' instead of 'hard'," Dr. E. P. Schoch, head of the department of chemistry of the University of Texas and an international authority on water problems, told members of the Technical club in an address Tuesday night. Here at the request of Commissioner P. B. Curd to look over the city's water situation with a view to providing some means of softening it, Dr. Schoch was prevailed on to address the Tech club members, and responded with one of the most interesting and eloquent talks they have heard in some time.

Other Revelations.

This revelation concerning the city's immense soap bill was but one of several given by the speaker during the evening. Among other things he told the oil fraternity—especially the refiners, that they were losing untold millions in profits each month by wasteful methods of refining. He characterized the present method of handling crude oil as smacking of those days when cotton seed was burned, fed to the cattle or sunk in the river to get rid of it.

Dr. Schoch yesterday completed his survey of the city's water system, particularly as it related to hardness and softness. Part of his findings were made known last night.

10,000 Families.

The speaker arrived at his soap bill figures by placing the number of families in Wichita Falls at 10,000 and estimating that each one spent $2 more for soap each month than it would if soft water rather than hard came through the mains. This would make the monthly soap expense $20,000, and hence $240,000 for the 12 months. He did not estimate what the total value of all soap used a year would reach.

Getting down to the cost of elimination of this expense, Dr. Schoch said that chemicals necessary for softening Lake Wichita water would cost $75 for each 1,000,000 gallons treated. The city uses 4,000,000 gallons daily, which would bring its expense up to $300 every 24 hours. Thus, the 365 days of the year would eat up approximately $110,000 worth of chemicals—$109,500 to be exact.

On top of this, of course, must be added the initial cost of the treating plant. Dr. Schoch declined to estimate the cost of this.

Hence, with a needless soap bill of $240,000 annually, by operating a softening plant at an annual expense of $110,000, the city could theoretically save $130,000.

This is not taking into consideration the other expenses of operation—salaries of employes, etc., nor is it considering the first cost of installation, which might amount to considerable.

The need of extra use of soap was placed on Lake Kemp which empties hard water into Lake Wichita and thence into the city mains. Accordingly, if the city should go back to Lake Wichita, which alone is a body of soft water, it would have no need for a softening plant. Dr. Schoch admitted this.

He contrasted conditions here with a water softening plant he recently put in at Austin and which softens water there at a chemical cost of $26 per 1,000,000 gallons. The difference in hardness of water at the two points was responsible for the increased cost here, he pointed out.

Dr. Schoch's remarks were especially timely since the city council is seriously considering the hard and soft water problem. It has not committed itself definitel to any proposition, but is keeping an eye pecled for some practical method that will remedy an admittedly troublesome condition.

Tuesday evening's meeting saw one of the largest attendances ever recorded at a Tech club session. It was presided over by Dr. A. H. Douglas, vice president, who functioned in the absence of W. M. Priddy, president. A nine-piece orchestra, led by Paul Rutledge, provided music throughout the evening.

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PORK BILL FAVORED.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—A rivers and harbors bill carrying authorization for projects and surveys for which appropriations aggregating $41,738,130 would be required was reported favorably today by the senate commerce committee.

How Doctors Treat Colds And The Flu

To break up a cold over night or to cut short an attack of grippe influenza or sore throat, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the nauseless Calomel tablet, that is purified from dangerous and sickening effects. Those who have tried it say that it acts like magic, by far more effective and certain than the old style calomel, heretofore recommended by physicians.

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Cops and Scribes Battle Over Note From 11th Floor

Self - Imprisoned Woman Drops It, And The Fight Begins

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Mrs. Jessie Margaret Budlong, self imprisoned in the eleventh floor apartment of her husband in East Seventy-Second street, was the innocent precipitator of a battle between newspaper men and a force of private detectives in her husband's employ when she got into communication with the outside world today.

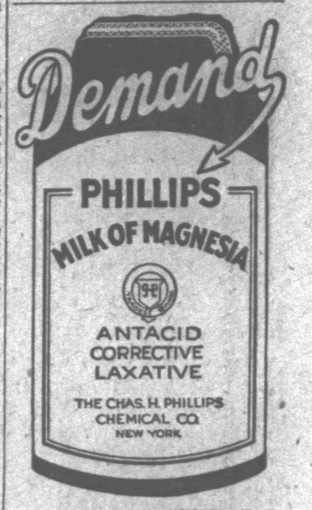
The fight which ended only with the arrival of police reserves had its inception in efforts of the private operatives to obtain a note sent to the newspaper men by Mrs. Budlong. When the police succeeded in ending the melee they found the newspaper men victorious in that they retained possession of the note.

Mrs. Budlong appeared late today at the window of the apartment, where she imprisoned herself several days ago, assumably to forestall a possible attempt to lodge a divorce complaint against her for alleged desertion, and motioned to a throng of newspaper men eleven stories below.

"Be sure and get this," she shouted.

Inside a dress shirt bearing the initials "M. J. B." the property of her husband, Milton J. Budlong, vice-president of the North Central Texas Oil Co., the following note was found:

"I do not wan any one to try and take me out of apartment. I am locked in my room. If they try to break in, I will open the door voluntarily, which I will have to do Thursday, Friday or Saturday. Any opiate would kill me. I am all right but I could not stand a drug or opiate. Also I have no weapons and shall not resist if they attempt to eject me, which they threatened to do last night. I was afraid last night of where they might take me. I am safe at present however, and do not wish any one to try and get me out. Please notify the newspapers and Attorney Max D. Steur."



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