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PLANES RUSH ANTI-TOXIN TO STRICKEN CITY

Win a Prize

HERE ARE THE RULES

Names and addresses of all firms connected with the Treasure Hunt are listed in full page advertisement on page 11, of this issue.

If you find a card in a store, numbered the same as your Record News, come to the Record News office and have with you the ENTIRE FRONT PAGE OF THE RECORD NEWS, with the number on it corresponding to the one in the store. Tell the man at the Record News in whose store you saw the number and tell him what article was by the number and offered as a prize. A voucher will be issued which will be exchanged for the prize today by the merchant in whose store you saw the number and prize. No numbers will be given over the phone by merchant.



WICHITA FALLS MERCHANTS IN JOINT PLAN WITH RECORD NEWS TO OFFER PRIZES TO SHOPPERS

Whatever Number Appears in Sign Printed Above Means Money to Readers Of Today's Record News; Read On

This is Treasure Hunt Day in Wichita Falls.

Back to the time of the Pirate Chieftains, and their chests of gold went the Record News and those who are co-operating with this newspaper today to get the idea of a Treasure Hunt for Wichita Falls shoppers.

So heave ho; starboard your ear for the details of riches and things of wealth which are yours for the asking, if you are lucky, as were the Pirate Chieftains.

Just above where you are reading there is printed today a Signboard. In the center of the Signboard which the Pirate Chieftain is surveying is pasted a number. Each copy of the Record News in Wichita Falls this morning bears a different number—no two are alike, for that would be contrary to the Treasure Hunt idea, handed down by Pirate Chieftains, and not fair to all who will participate.

Each number entitles the holder to participate in this, the greatest Treasure Hunt in the city's history. Over 30 leading merchants here are co-operating with the Record News to make the Treasure Hunt long remembered in Wichita Falls.

These merchants have contributed valuable gifts, which include dresses, hats, shoes, hosiery, jewelry—in fact, prizes of all kinds and for every member of the family. The prizes will be scattered through the various stores of the participating merchants in full view, however, and will be designated by big yellow cards bearing numbers.

The object of the hunt is to find the card on the merchandise bearing a number corresponding to the one appearing on this page of your Record News today, on the signboard above where the Pirate Chieftain is standing.

Below is given a complete list of merchants participating in the Treasure Hunt. And remember, only papers delivered by carrier and those sold on the streets will bear a number.

Names and addresses of all firms connected with the Treasure Hunt are listed in a full page advertisement on page 11 of this issue. If you find a card in a store numbered the same as the number appearing in your Record News this morning, come to the Record News office and have with you the entire front page of the Record News with the number on it corresponding to the one in the store. Tell the man at the Record News in whose store you saw the number and tell him what article was by the number and offered as a prize. A voucher will be issued which will be exchanged for the prize today by the merchant in whose store you saw the number and prize.

All ready for the Treasure Hunt at these stores:

Hub, Cinderella Boot Shop, Art Jewelry Co., Orchid Shop, Orchid Slipper Shop, Wichita Falls Electric Co., Noble-Little Hardware Co., Perkins-Timberlake Co., Kimberlins, Inc., The Booterie, Miller-Ferguson Co., Jolesch-Thomas Shoe Co., Micks Furniture Co., Jim Cassell Drug Store, Lovelace Book Store, P. B. M. Co., Morgan Floral Co., Burgess.

CHAPMAN AGAIN DELAYS DEATH

Policeman's Murderer Granted 30-Day Reprieve By Governor

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Gerald Chapman's third reprieve from the death sentence imposed by the superior court was granted today by Governor Trumbull, the stay being until April 6. Chapman, under a previous reprieve, was to be hanged on March 3 for the murder of a New Britain policeman.

Governor Trumbull said he extended executive clemency only upon the urgent plea of State's Attorney Hugh M. Alcorn at the request of Chapman's counsel and this would be the final stay of sentence.

Busy Oil Operator Makes Trip by Air

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 25.—(AP)—L. F. Smith, Tulsa oil operator, arrived here by airplane today to meet a business engagement.

The plane, which was piloted by I. A. Woodring, left Tulsa at 5:30 a. m. and reached St. Louis at 10 a. m., after a 45-minute stop at Springfield, Mo., for gasoline. The flying time of three hours and 45 minutes for the 380-mile air journey compares with train time of 12 hours and 2 minutes for the 424-mile rail route. The speed was about 102 miles an hour.

COMMITTEE CONSIDERS NORTH PLATTE PROJECT.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(AP)—The house irrigation committee again today considered the bill to authorize an appropriation of $13,000,000 for construction of a flood control and irrigation dam on the North Platte river to supply water for the Casper-Alcova reclamation project in Wyoming.

THE WEATHER

OKLAHOMA: Friday and Saturday fair, little change in temperature.

EAST TEXAS: Friday generally fair, cooler; Saturday fair. Moderate to fresh northerly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Friday fair, cooler in south portion; Saturday fair.

THE DAY IN WICHITA FALLS.

Business council luncheon, noon, Kemp hotel.

The Majestic, B. F. Keith Orpheum interstate vaudeville.

The Olympic, Bert Levey vaudeville, "New Brooms."

The Strand, "Exchange of Wives."

The Mission, "Dixie Merchant."

The Palace, "Stop at Nothing."

The Garden, "Broken Law."

The Gem, "The Lash of the Law."

THE DAY IN WASHINGTON.

The house debated the railroad labor bill.

The White House announced that President Coolidge would sign the tax bill tomorrow.

The department of superintendence of the national education association concluded its convention.

The senate resumed consideration of the aluminum company prosecution proposal and heard speeches opposing it.

Senator Capper, republican, Kansas, proposed to limit trading in grain futures by any operator to one million bushels a day.

Burkburnett C-C Progresses During Year

ANNUAL DINNER HELD THURSDAY BY MEMBERSHIP

President Mills Makes A Report on Work That Has Been Done

DIRECTORS ELECTED

Five Men Named to Aid In Guiding Destinies in Coming Year

By WINNIE D. JACKSON
Record News Staff

BURKBURNETT, Feb. 25.—The Burkburnett Chamber of Commerce has shown remarkable growth during the year just closed according to the year's report given by President J. S. Mills at the annual banquet at the First Methodist church Thursday night. Enthusiasm for an optimistic year and a steady growth for the future was expressed. Five new directors were elected to serve. They are R. E. Fisher, Glenn R. Kincaid, W. S. Duvall, W. A. Roberts and W. R. Hill.

Other speakers on the elaborate program included Bert King, attorney of Wichita Falls; and Hubert M. Harrison, general manager of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce.

Wills Makes Report

In his report to the 200 persons gathered for the annual meeting of the civic body, Mr. Mills told of publicity and advertising that had been successfully carried out during the year 1925-26. Among other things he touched on the community survey in connection with the churches giving information which the organization officials have on file.

The work done in an agricultural way, including poison for army leaf worm was distributed to the farmers through the chamber of commerce office. A dairy school was conducted near Burkburnett with the cooperation of Guy R. Jones, county agricultural agent. A rural telephone line was put in operation to Thrift.

Mr. Mills told of plans to put in an automatic telephone system in the city and to gravel roads near there.

Derricks Removed

Several derricks have been removed from the city during the past year through the efforts of the chamber of commerce, thus lessening fire hazard and making the fire insurance rate lower. He also told of the efforts of the organization with the county commissioners, the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce and other officials to get the free bridge across Red River.

The chamber of commerce is that organization which makes for better living and it embraces a scope of activities not provided for by law Mr Harrison said in his address on "Community Service." "We have our machinery of government, but it took something else, business enterprise, that has made the community move forward commercially and industrially.

"The chamber of commerce has been the moving spirit of that business enterprise that has moved the world forward. It is the plain, hard headed business man."

"The purpose of the chamber of commerce is not only to do for the community in a commercial way but also to bring to its citizens the finer things. It is to open an avenue to make your life brighter and fuller," Bert King declared in an address on "Chamber of Commerce and Community Work."

W. R. Cowles, secretary of the Burkburnett chamber of commerce, was in charge of the program. In addition to the speakers the following musical numbers were given: Vocal solo, Pat Morrison, accompanied by Miss Edna Grennell; several numbers by the Duvall orchestra of Burkburnett; vocal duet by little Mies Manille Milford and Master Calvin Dulaney, accompanied by Miss Grennell; vocal solo, LaNette Haynes, accompanied by Mrs. E. F. Grennell; vocal duet, Mrs. W. D. Ults and Miss Ottie Flo Hall, accompanied by Mrs. E. B. Grennell. The famous Cow Pasture Jazz band orchestra of Electra entertained with a series of numbers during the evening.

Rev. L. E. Finney announced the meeting to be held at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock when an all-city canvass will be launched.

Bootleg King Held For Income Taxes

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Emanuel H. "Mannie" Kessler, known as the bootleg king of Broadway, was arrested today on a warrant charging him with defrauding the United States government of more than $1,560,000, due as income tax for 1922. He was held in bail of $7,500 to await action by the grand jury.

Kessler recently was released from the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga., after having served 20 months of a two-year sentence for violation of the prohibition laws.

A. AND M. PREXY TO TALK TO W. TEXAS EXHIBITORS

FORT WORTH, Feb. 25.—(AP)—T. O. Walton, president of Texas A. and M. college, has accepted the invitation of the West Texas chamber of commerce to attend the banquet given by the chamber for the West Texas exhibitors at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show.

In addition to R. Q. Lee, president of the West Texas chamber of commerce, two former presidents, Clifford B. Jones, of Spur, and A. B. Spencer, manager of the Fort Worth chamber of commerce, will be present.

AIR INVENTOR NOW HAS FUEL-SAVING MOTOR.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Elmer A. Sperry, American inventor of the gyro compass and gyro-ship and airplane stabilizers, speaking here today said he was working on an engine which in tests had run on one-fifth of the fuel normally consumed by most of the standard engines and about half that consumed by Diesel engines. He said his new engine also developed greater power.

Wine Growers In Near Riot After Heavy Tax Levied

BERNKASTEL, Prussia, Feb. 25.—(AP)—A furious riot occurred today in this famous wine growing center due to resentment of the Moselle wine growers against the government's heavy tax on German wines. After a protest meeting which was addressed by two members of the reichstag an angry mob of 2,000 with black flags and placards describing the distress in the wine industry charged the office of the treasury board, smashed the windows and mauled the officials, then demolished the furniture.

The wreckage and official documents were thrown into the street where they were set on fire.

The mob rushed to the tax office next and the furniture and safes in that building were thrown out and everything inflammable went up in smoke and flame.

The mob then crossed the Moselle, attacking the tax office on the other shore, wrecking it.

ETHER WAVES BURN IN DRY LAW DEBATE

Senators Edwards And Brookhart Air Out Views By Radio

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Sharply contrasting word pictures of prohibition were painted in a radio debate here tonight between Senators Edwards, democrat, New Jersey, speaking for the wets and Brookhart, Iowa, republican, speaking for the drys.

Senator Brookhart described the Eighteenth amendment as "our greatest victory in the world war," while Senator Edwards declared it and the Volstead act "were foisted upon a war-crazed people." The New Jersey senator devoted much of his address to an attack upon the Anti-Saloon league and its general counsel, Wayne B. Wheeler, whom he called the "arch-traitor of American liberty, freedom of thought and action." The speaker declared that "not even the sacred courts of our land are free of the poisonous taint of the league's filthy hands and breath."

Senator Brookhart told his audience that the complete answer to the claim that the Eighteenth amendment did not represent the majority voice of the American people was found in its universal ratification by the states.

GOVERNOR NELLIE OF WYOMING LAUDS DRY LAW.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 25.—(AP)—"As the mother of three sons, I rejoice that the day of the open saloon has passed but I feel that probably the most serious problem facing the nation is the present tendency toward derision and defiance of law, especially in regard to the prohibition amendment."

Gov. Nellie Taylor Ross of Wyoming thus expressed her views to the Associated Press on the national prohibition law. Women can be a force strong enough if properly directed, to check this tendency toward lawlessness, she declared.

No. C. I. A. Regent Asked Out, Says Ma

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 25.—Rumors that Governor Miriam A. Ferguson had asked for resignations of any C. I. A. regents, following dismissal of President T. L. Blayney were emphatically denied by Ghent Sanderford, her secretary, late today. The question of new appointments on this board has not been before the governor, he said. Several requests for a ruling whether the governor is empowered to compel resignation of a regent have reached Attorney General B. F. Looney, 10 years ago held the governor without power to dismiss a member of a board of regents except on trial for cause.

"FRENCH DIPLOMAT" WAS VICTIM OF DEMENTIA

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Noel Cobb, alias Dupree, theological student and erstwhile "French diplomat," is back in South Carolina today recuperating at a sanitarium from a mental malady known as "dementia praecox" after martial adventures involving six states.

Poland Asks For Place at Geneva

BERLIN, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Casimir Ciszowski, Polish minister to Berlin announced today that Poland had made formal application for a permanent seat on the league of nations council in connection with Germany's admission to the league.

The Polish minister in a statement declared the augmentation of the council was imperative to insure the proper pacification of the world. He asserted that Spain also was entitled to a permanent council seat by virtue of her prestige among the countries of Latin America.

BISHOP FLAYS PERSECUTION BY MEXICANS

Says U. S. Is Silent to "Sacriligious Outrages Perpetrated

HE CHARGES ROBBERY

Confiscation of All Church Properties Being Made, He Says

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 25.—(AP)—The Mexican representative in Washington "must imagine we are a nation of morons," Archbishop Michael J. Curley of Baltimore will say tomorrow in the Baltimore Catholic review, his official diocesan organ. The statement is in reference to a diplomatic denial that there is religious persecution in Mexico as charged by Archbishop Curley in a recent address in Washington.

"I cannot imagine any conditions worse than those in Mexico for the past ten years so far as real freedom is concerned," the archbishop said. "Our American government is silent and that silence is interpreted as consent to the sacriligous outrages now being perpetrated by the robber government to the south of us."

Confiscation in Progress

In his published statement tomorrow Archbishop Curley will say:

"Since that address was made we have been informed by the press that the order of the Mexican government sending non-Mexican ministers of religion into exile has been cancelled. I have not the slightest confidence in the sincerity of that gesture. The Mexican constitution and laws confiscating all church property to the state are still there. That confiscation is now an accomplished fact. The hampering of religious freedom has been carried on for years as a settled policy by that government.

Leopards Can't Change

"It will be of interest to watch the development of things from now on. Leopards do not easily change their spots. The Mexican representative in Washington has the boldness to come out with a sweeping denial of the existence of any religious persecution in Mexico. He must imagine that we are a nation of morons. He denies facts. But facts are facts, despite ten thousand loud denials. Religious persecution is a fact in Mexico."

PROTEST IS PLANNED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(AP)—A meeting to register a protest against the attitude of the Mexican government toward religious schools and the clergy is to be held at a local theatre Sunday, March 7, under plans now being developed by the Knights of Columbus of Washington.

RE-OPEN SCHOOLS.

EL PASO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Heads of religious schools of Juarez, Mexico, ordered closed by the Chihuahua government today were preparing to continue the schools as government institutions, provided they can obtain an appropriation of $5,000 for them.

Delayed Killing Husband to Make Christmas Happy

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Testimony that Mrs. Eliza Nusbaum caused her accomplices to postpone slaying her aged husband, Albert, from a date prior to December 25 until December 26 to prevent casting a shadow over observance of Christmas was given by Mrs Delilah Martin, accomplice-witness, today in the trial of the 61-year-old grandmother and J. W. Winn, her reputed sweetheart.

"I don't want him killed tonight because I have everything fixed for the holidays," Mrs. Martin quoted "grandma" Nusbaum.

Educators Slap At Evolution Bills

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(AP)—A resolution, declaring that legislation "has not the power to alter, modify or set aside any immutable law of nature of science or of God," was adopted late today in the closing hours of the convention of the department of superintendence of the National Educational association. No mention was made of the various state anti-evolution laws, but it was clearly understood that the resolution was directed at them.

TEX WON'T PAY ENOUGH BERLENBACH-RENAULT

TAMPA, Fla., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Leo P. Flinn, manager of Jack Renault, Canadian heavyweight champion, announced here today he had declined an offer from Tex Rickard for a bout between Renault and Paul Berlenbach, this spring. He said that "Rickard's offer was just half enough for such a match," and added:

"As soon as Rickard offers a purse of the right size he will be ready to sign articles."

CANADA STEEL MAN DEAD

HAMILTON, Ont., Feb. 25.—(AP) Robert Hobson, 63, president of the steel company of Canada, died today at his home here. He suffered a stroke yesterday.

Heroic Katy Switchman Sacrifices Right Hand To Save a Friend From Certain Death Beneath Car Wheels

W. S. Wheeler May Yet Die as Result of Accident At Altus, But R. Irwin, His "Buddy," Gave His Best in Effort to Prevent Further Hurts

Special to the Record News.

ALTUS, Okla., Feb. 25.—A right hand was the price of heroism here early this morning when R. Irwin, M-K-T- switchman, jerked the body of his "buddy," W. S. Wheeler, from under the wheels of a fast-moving box car, only to have those same wheels pass unfalteringly over his own hand, mangling and mashing it beyond further use. Wheeler may die despite the sacrifice of his fellow-workman—his left arm is off just below the collar bone, his collar bone and right arm are broken and it may be necessary, even if he should live, to amputate his right foot from which two toes are already missing. But there is a chance to live, whereas it was certain death that Irwin snatched him from. His head was directly in the path of the rolling wheels when the friendly hand reached in and offered itself instead.

Accident Cause Cloaked in Mystery

Just how or what happened is one of the mysteries of the railroad yards here. A switch engine at the south end of the yard was making up a train. Two cars, with Wheeler atop one of them were "bucked" up a side track in the yard; two other cars, with Irwin on one, were sent up the main line while the engine returned to the side track to pick up the two cars that it had sent in that direction.

In the meantime the two cars that had been sent up the main line stopped, and since there was a slight incline at the point started rolling back down the hill. The engine, returning with its load, found them rolling slowly back down the track and coupled into them, intending to push them on up the hill to where the body of the train was located.

Somehow, someway, for some reason, Wheeler had left the first two cars, however, and Irwin, standing by the side of latter two heard him scream and saw his body fall beneath the first truck on the box car which had already started moving back up the hill.

Irwin waved his lantern for the engineer, some twenty cars down the track to stop the train. Here another of the inexplainable things happened for the lantern, which had been burning since he went on duty some time before, went out. Irwin was left in pitch darkness to solve the situation as best he might.

Body, Writhing in Pain, Is On Rail

In the dim glow of the yard lights he saw Wheeler, who, writhing with the pain of having his arm mashed off, had thrown his body full into the path of the second set of wheels on the box car.

It all happened in considerably less time than it takes to tell the story. Irwin reached in and with a mighty effort pulled his friend from the track. His own hand was caught instead and mashed to where amputation may be necessary. The wheel passed entirely over his hand before it could be withdrawn.

Wheeler and Irwin both were taken to the hospital. Little hope is held out for Wheeler's life, despite the sacrifice of his friend. Irwin, however, beyond the possible loss and certain impairment of his right hand, is expected to recover without serious injury.

Railroad men here declare Irwin's action in getting Wheeler from beneath the wheels of the train as heroic an act as has ever transpired in the history of the line. There is some talk of a movement to get a Carnegie medal for him.

Wheeler has a wife but no children.

SANTA FE WILL GET NEW LINE

Pawhuska Cut-Off Will Give Road New Route For Fast Trains

DALLAS, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Officials of the Santa Fe railroad announced here today that work on the Pawhuska (Oklahoma) cut-off will be started immediately by crews of the company in Oklahoma, making possible a new main line route between Dallas, Kansas City and Chicago, for operation of limited trains.

The Pawhuska cut-off is a stretch of track to be built from Fairfax to Pawhuska, a distance of 32 miles, linking the present main line through Texas to the Gulf with the direct route from Tulsa, Okla., to Kansas City and Chicago. Santa Fe trains now are operated from Texas to Kansas City through Oklahoma City and Wichita, a route considerably longer than that which will now be possible.

"Dependent upon these plans to have a direct trackage service between Dallas and Fort Worth," A. C. Ater, division passenger agent, said today, "the Santa Fe will be enabled by this new cut off to give fast train service from Dallas to both Kansas City and Chicago. A limited train leaving Dallas at about 5 o'clock each afternoon will give early morning delivery in Kansas City and arrive in Chicago that evening."

FORMER BRAKEMAN IS GIVEN $20,000 AWARD.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 25.—Paul C. Mattison, former brakeman for the San Antonio and Aransas Pass railway company, was awarded damages of $20,000 against the S. A. and A. P. and G. H. and S. A. railway companies by a jury in the thirty-seventh district court today. The suit grew out of an injury alleged to have been received while Mattison was attempting to throw the brakes upon a car, Oct. 5, 1924.

Rubber Prices Drop

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Rubber prices, which have been steadily declining since the first of the year, today broke as much as two cents a pound for some options on the rubber exchange of New York, bringing current prices 4 1-2 to 6 cents a pound below last week's closing levels.

President F. R. Henderson of the exchange in a review of the situation attributes the softening price tendency to the conservation program of American manufacturers following the marking up of prices in London last winter to above $1 a pound for spring delivery.

BRYAN'S ADVISER DEAD.

SALEM, Ill., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Charles E. Hull, 63, former state senator and one of the chief advisers of the late William Jennings Bryan, died last night. He was one of the active pall bearers at Mr. Bryan's funeral.

LOSE 2 MILLION IN MAIL FRAUD

Investors in Aerial Navigation Concern Are Hard Hit

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Investors whose complaints resulted in a federal indictment Saturday charging about 12 men with conspiracy to defraud through operations of the International Aerial Navigation company, Western Bond and Mortgage company and other concerns, lost more than $2,000,000, federal officials said today.

Among those indicted were James A. Houchin, Jefferson City, Mo., banker, and twice candidate for the democratic gubernatorial nomination; Harry Allyn, New York; B. P. Bagby, formerly of Jefferson City and Kansas City and Thomas H. Keppel and Jesse E. Keppel, brothers, of St. Louis. Names of the others indicted have not become known.

ALLYN SPENT YEAR IN KANSAS FOR CLAY CONCERN

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Harry Allyn of New York City, indicted at St. Louis by a federal grand jury, spent nearly a year in Kansas City organizing the United Clay Products corporation, which was a merger of brick companies aggregating assets of approximately $8,000,000. The merger represented the transfer of 32 individual brick plants in Iowa, Kansas, Oklahoma and Missouri to the new corporation. Allyn was made president of the corporation.

Grandma Wants To Buy an Airplane

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 25.—(AP)—"Grandma" Halbert, 50, who today reached the bedside of her five-year-old granddaughter, ill with diphtheria at Decatur, Ill., after a hazardous and curtailed airplane trip yesterday from Texas was so "thrilled" over her first air ride that she now wants to buy an airplane.

Mrs. Halbert told newspaper men here today that if she can afford it, she may purchase an airplane to "make trips to town" from her ranch home near San Angelo, Texas.

CAPPER ASKS FOR LAW TO LIMIT GRAIN TRADE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Trading in grain futures would be limited to one million bushels daily for a single operator under an amendment to the futures trading act introduced today by Senator Capper, republican, Kansas.

WIFE SLAYER GETS 2 YEARS.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 25.—John Craig, negro, charged with murder of his wife, Savannah Craig, last November, was convicted of manslaughter in thirty-seventh district court today and his punishment fixed at two years in the penitentiary.

PRECIOUS DRUG IS HURRIED TO WINCHESTER

Ship Carries Treatment for East Texas Smallpox Outbreak

EPIDEMIC IS FEARED

Quick Transportation May Check Spread of Malady

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—While a group of anxious townspeople in a little East Texas town stood in a pasture anxiously watching the skies, a messenger of life in the form of a Kelly Field airplane was riding the northwest wind bringing a precious anti-toxin to save a life and perhaps an epidemic that threatened.

Time meant everything according to the frantic telegram received here ordering 40 units of small pox anti-toxin and the train for Winchester, the place where the patient lay seriously ill had just gone. There was no other until tomorrow morning so officials of the San Antonio Drug company decided that urgent steps must be taken.

They sought the aid of the government and Kelly Field officers promised cooperation. The fluid was wrapped in a large package well filled with excelsior for there is no landing place at Winchester and the pilot would have to drop it from the air. S. W. Knecht, employed by the drug company, and a reserve air service pilot took the package to Kelly Field and took off with the pilot for the East Texas town.

Meantime a telegram had been sent to C. S. Gates, the pharmacist at Winchester to watch for the plane. Across the state the airplane roared and in an hour and a half the little group of watchers was sighted below. The box with its precious anti-toxin was dropped to them and rushed to the patient.

1 Dead, 1 Shot In Fight Over Land

MARLIN, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Nelse Craig is dead, Oliver Graves Sr., lies wounded in a Marlin hospital, while Graves' son, Oliver Graves Jr., is held in Falls county jail as result of shooting that occurred about 4:30 Wednesday afternoon in the Polecat creek section.

No report of the affray had reached the sheriff's department until the younger Graves appeared at the court house in Marlin, Thursday morning and surrendered.

Arkansas Tornado Kills 10 Persons

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Ten persons were killed and more than a score injured by a tornado which swept Chicot county, Arkansas, and parts of Western Mississippi last night, according to reports received at Memphis tonight as telephone and telegraph services were restored to the stricken areas.

FOUR DIE IN STORM.

PINE BLUFF, Ark., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Dispatches from Lake Village, Ark., today reported four persons killed in the tornado which swept the southern part of Chicot county last night. Three of the dead are white persons, killed when the storm struck the Wheat plantation on Boueff river, nine miles south of Lake Village. The other death was that of a negro killed at Jennie, Ark., five miles south of Lake Village.

The town of Lake Village escaped the force of the wind.

ROCKFORD FLOODED.

ROCKFORD, Ill., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Basements of seventy residences were flooded by sewage and storm water and two families had to be rescued in the police boat as the result of flood conditions today in the southeast part of the city. On one avenue the water was three feet deep, one foot higher than ever recorded before.

TWO DIE IN STORM.

GREENVILLE, MISS., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Two people were killed and several others injured when a heavy wind storm struck Jennie, Ark., across the Mississippi from here late tonight according to reports received here. Several houses were demolished. Doctors and nurses were sent to the stricken town from Greenville.

TOWN HIT BY TORNADO.

VERNON, Ind., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Several houses were unroofed here today by a small tornado. No one was injured.

SEES BANNER YEAR FOR WORLD ROTARY CLUBS

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 25.—A banner year for Rotary clubs "all over the world" is seen by Don Adams, president of Rotary International, who was in San Antonio today en route to Mexico.

SHOOTS HIS BOSS.

DALLAS, Feb. 25.—(AP)—A disgruntled former employe shot and wounded Henry Trieb, department foreman of the Dallas Tent and Awning company here today after an argument between the two about the former's recent discharge.

News Events and Social Items of Interest From Wichita Falls Area

QUANAH WILL HEAR R. Q. LEE

President of W. Texas C. Of C. to Address Poultry Men

QUANAH, Feb. 25.—R. Q. Lee, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will make an address before the Hardeman County Poultry Raisers Association next Saturday. He will in all probability address the business men while here. This is his second trip to Quanah recently.

VERNON

Personals.

Mrs. G. M. Stroud has received a message from her husband at Temple where he has been at the bedside of his father for four weeks, announcing his death, which occurred Monday morning. Interment was made there.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey L. Lockett are in Dallas this week on business. They will visit his sister, Miss Wilma Lockett, student in Texas Christian university at Fort Worth on their return.

Mrs. Jack Robinson has returned to her home in Shreveport, La., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carson.

Mrs. C. A. Hansard is building a handsome brick residence on West Paradise street to cost approximately $7,500.

Mrs. T. E. Lester and children of Pampa are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Morris.

Mrs. Henry B. Samuel left Tuesday night for Mesquite, where she will visit relatives.

A memorial tribute to the late Owen A. Brunson, Vernon merchant, who died last week, was the subject of the principal address made by Dr. E. L. Moore at the regular weekly luncheon of the Rotary club Tuesday.

Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth publisher, was a business visitor in Vernon Tuesday.

Lee Probst is having a two-story garage and apartment house erected on Yamparika street.

Joe Smith is having an eight-room duplex erected on East Wilbarger street.

J. S. Armstrong has had construction started on a six-room apartment house on Olive street.

Alfred Dohoney returned Tuesday afternoon from Lubbock where he has been visiting his parents since Saturday.

Allen Coleman returned home Tuesday from Lubbock where he has been attending Texas Technological college.

B. B. Brooks has had construction started on a six-room duplex.

R. I. Jones, Vernon contractor, has started construction on a large, nine-room brick residence on Nabers street.

John Ladd has had construction started on a six-room bungalow on Marshall street.

Deputy Sheriff J. M. Keesee arrested the oldest man ever placed in the Wilbarger county jail. The man is 73 years old. He was arrested in the South Vernon field after an alleged attempt to shoot his daughter-in-law.

C. D. Greene, county tax collector, is ill with an attack of flu.

The P. E. L. class of the First Baptist Sunday school will meet with Mrs. Thomas B. Hoy of South Main street Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Greene are ill with influenza.

R. E. Dutuy of Vernon and Miss Vera Mathus of the Guyer community were married Saturday afternoon by Elder Thomas E. Milholland, at his home on Lexington street.

Miss Pauline McCaleb has returned to Denton, where she is a student in C. I. A., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. McCaleb.

The Business and Professional Women's club held its second meeting Tuesday night at the library auditorium. The constitution and by laws committee made their report and with a few minor changes the document was adopted.

Charles Hardison recently returned from an extended trip through Tennessee.

W. T. Smith has started construction on a modern five-room bungalow on West Wilbarger street.

Construction has been started on a home by A. C. Smith on West Wilbarger street.

B. H. Moon has made plans for the construction of a residence on West Wichita street, to cost approximately $3,500.

John Bryant of Chillicothe is having a six-room duplex constructed on East Pease street.

Miss Ethel Cass to Go To Memorial Ball

QUANAH, Feb. 25.—Quanah's quota of the Stone Mountain Coins has been over-sold ,the required number was 694 and 730 were sold. Miss Ethel Cass sold 310 of the amount and will represent Quanah at Austin at the Memorial ball.

BAND CONCERT SUNDAY

VERNON, Feb. 25.—The Vernon band will give concert, at the Vernon theatre, at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon with A. L. Lundgren, bandmaster, as director.

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AT ALL DRUG AND DEPARTMENT STORES
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Comb Woods For Escaped Convict

HUNTSVILLE, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Prison guards renewed their search in timbered sections near here today for Harry Savage, 20, year term hijacker from Fort Worth who yesterday escaped from the prison store outside the prison walls, along with Audrey Murf, serving a ten year term for bank robbery from Dallas.

FARM PRODUCE COURSE TO BE GIVEN AT A. & M.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 25.—(AP)—For the benefit of farmers, shippers and carriers, a special short course on diseases affecting farm produce during shipment will be held at A. and M. college March 1-3, it was announced here today by R. L. Truitt, chairman of the southwestern claim conference.

Dr. J. J. Taubenhaus, pathologist of the Texas experiment station and other specialists of the college will deliver instructions on identifying and controlling diseases and on proper handling of produce for and during shipment.

PAVING PETITIONS ARE CIRCULATED IN VERNON

VERNON, Feb. 25.—A petition favoring the paving of four blocks of Fannin street, one on Dawson and one on Wanderer is being circulated among the residents of that section and has been signed by a large number of the citizens, according to Eunice Wilson, who has charge of the petition. Mr. Wilson expresses the opinion that the petition will be signed by 100 per cent of the residents to be affected.

Memorial Ball To Be Held March 8

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Date for the Texas ball honoring sponsors of the Stone Mountain Memorial monument organization was set for Mar. 8, Mrs. J. D. Harvel, wife of Judge was named general chairman of the J. D. Harvey of the supreme court, ball.

At this ball is to be selected the two Texas girls who will be guests of the Stone Mountain organization for the trip to Atlanta for the all-Southern Confederate costume ball there March 18.

New Store Will Open in Quanah

QUANAH, Feb. 25.—The Darwood Dry Goods company will open their doors Saturday, February 27. This is a new firm for Quanah and will carry a complete line of dry goods and general merchandise. Mr. Darwood has been with Perkin-Watkin company for years and is well known here.

RELATIVE OF QUANAH MAN KILLED ACCIDENTALLY

QUANAH, Feb. 25.—Messages received here last night by relatives, stated that John Norton of Olustee, Oklahoma had accidentally killed himself while hunting.

Mr. Norton is a brother-in-law of A. A. Pierce, president of the Security National Bank of Quanah and is well known here.

He was about 22 years old and leaves a wife and one child and numerous other relatives.

TO RESUME PAVING ON ELECTRA-HARROLD ROAD

VERNON, Feb. 25.—Paving work on the Colorado-Gulf Highway between Electra and Harrold will be resumed about March 10, according to associates of J. P. Foty, contractor in charge of the work.

SANTA FE ENGINEER IS DEAD OF HIS BURNS.

LUBBOCK, Feb. 25.—(AP)—H. P. Shelby, locomotive engineer who was severely burned when Santa Fe passenger train No. 94 plunged into the ditch at Posey Switch, near here Monday at noon, died in a local sanitarium last night. Several inhalations of steam, which was escaping from almost every portion of the wrecked locomotive, was given by doctors as the main cause of death.

PORT DEADLOCK SETTLED

PEKING, Feb. 25.—(AP)—It is unofficially stated that the deadlock growing out of the closing of the ports of Canton and Whampoa by the commissioner of customs at Canton has been settled.

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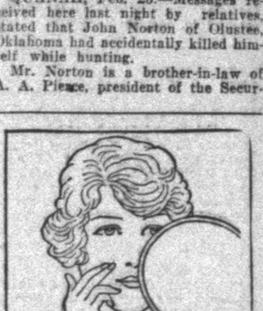
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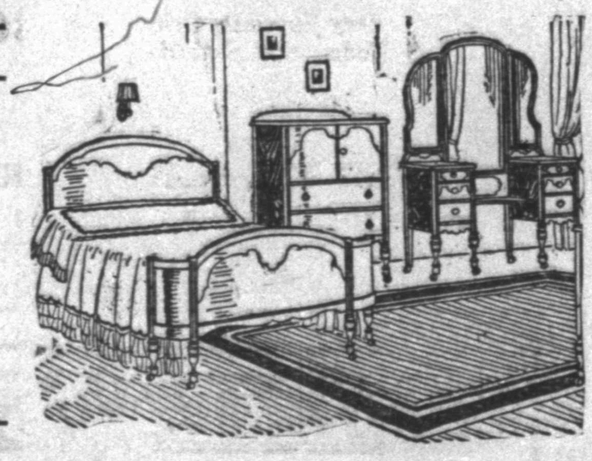
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T. U. WILL HAVE SUMMER TERM

$100,000 Deficiency Is Approved By Governor Ferguson

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—(AP)—The University of Texas will have a summer school, it was determined today when Governor Miriam A. Ferguson approved a $100,000 deficiency, Lutcher Stark, member of the board of regents and Dr. W. M. W. Splawn, president announced.

Because the governor desired to put the state on a cash basis, she deleted the appropriation for the summer school from the bill during the last legislature. She told Dr. Splawn, Mr. Stark and Ed Howard, members of the board of regents, that it was not her desire to interfere with the progress of education at the university or any other school, but that since the state was on practically a cash basis she would authorize the $100,000 deficiency for the summer school.

Dr. Splawn and Mr. Stark expressed gratification and said that the deficiency would cover all expenses for the summer school.

This move by the governor, it was pointed out, settled a problem which has confronted the university officials, instructors and students since the appropriation was deleted from the bill during the last legislature.

Devious ways had been suggested to carry on the summer school. The proposition was put to the governor, Mr. Stark said, and she requested the committee from the regents to return today for her decision. "She fulfilled her promise and we are deeply grateful," Mr. Stark said.

McKINNEY GAS COMPANY SEEKS RATE INCREASE

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Hearing of the Municipal Gas company for an increase from 25 cents to 50 cents readings to serve charge at McKinney, was held before the railroad commission. The gas company first applied to the city commission at McKinney but it was denied in the hearing today which was in the nature of an appeal. It is claimed by the gas company that under the present charge it is not making an adequate return on its investment.

ACCIDENT VICTIM TO BE BURIED FRIDAY

VERNON, Feb. 25.—Funeral arrangements for Luther Cayce, who was killed Wednesday morning when his truck was struck by a Fort Worth and Denver train near Electra, have been perfected. Arrangements are being delayed pending the arrival of relatives. It is thought burial will be made some time Friday.

Waurika

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McBride and little daughter, Betty Jo, spent Sunday in Lawton guests of Mr. McBride's sister, Mrs. Zack Hardy and Mr. Hardy.

Mrs. Lunt Gaines of the Claypool community is ill at the home of her mother, Mrs. Cap Robison.

R. M. Keller spent Tuesday in Nocona.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cotner and their small son, Howard Paul of Wichita Falls, spent the last week-end with Mrs. Cotner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bodenhammer.

Jesse Vanbebber was in Dallas Saturday night and Sunday.

Hollis Thomson of the University of Oklahoma spent the last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thomson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tharpe, Chas. Thomson and Miss Marguerite Frazier were Wichita Falls visitors last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Race Barret Jr., accompanied by Mr. Barret's brother, Jones Barret of Oklahoma City, were in Waurika Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Barret was Miss Olucha Faulkner of Claremore, the wedding having been a very recent social affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheaten Clark spent Sunday in Ardmore.

Henry Nall and Leslie Stone were among the O. U. students who spent the past week end in Waurika with home folks.

J. C. Neil has sold his lunch room to Geo. Amos who recently moved here from Wichita Falls.

Mrs. J. M. Hudlow has been quite ill with flu.

Misses Wanda Jasper and Yvonne Biffle spent the last week end with Miss Biffle's sister, Mrs. Floyd Conway and family, at Wilson.

Mrs. P. F. Dawson is ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sessions visited Mr. Sessions' brother, E. D. Sessions, and family Monday night en route to Dallas where they will attend the bottlers convention being held there this week. Mr. Sessions is a stockholder in the Keen Kola company.

Mrs. Jean Kellog, Mrs. Clara Ray and Mrs. A. D. Allen drove to Wichita Falls Monday where they visited the Will Fay Wear kennels which are known for their French bull dogs.

Mrs. J. A. Bainer came home last Saturday from a visit at Kingfisher and Little Rock, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cole went to Tuttle Saturday night to visit Mrs. Cole's parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. Lyle Smith.

Mrs. Frank Parker, her small son, Verne Clifford and Miss Hattie Burcha of Clemscot, Okla., spent Tuesday in Waurika with Mrs. Parker's daughter, Mrs. Smith Spradling and Mr. Spradling.

Asks Padlock On 7 Denison Houses

SHERMAN, Feb. 25.—(AP)—County Attorney R. M. Finley today filed petitions in the fifteenth district court for closing seven houses in Denison, five of which are within two blocks of West Main Street, under the padlock law, for one year, alleging the sale and storage of liquor and operation of disorderly houses.

This action followed the raiding and searching of more than a dozen houses and the arrest of 36 men and women Wednesday morning.

MERCHANDISE EXPERT TO SPEAK IN VERNON.

VERNON, Feb. 25.—W. H. Farley, nationally known authority on the subject of merchandising, will speak in Vernon on the evening of March 4 under the auspices of the Retail Merchants association, according to A. C. Estes, manager.

Lions of 4 Cities In Vernon Tonight

VERNON, Feb. 25.—Arrangements have been completed for the four-city banquet of the Lions Clubs of Vernon, Wichita Falls, Burkburnett and Electra, according to George A. Long, chairman of the program committee. The banquet will be held at the local Presbyterian church Friday evening, starting at 8 o'clock.

A varied program of music interspersed with addresses by prominent speakers from each of the four cities has been prepared.

Leon H. Brown, local attorney, will make the opening address of welcome for the city of Vernon. Dr. W. L. Rhodes, president of the Lions Club of Vernon, will welcome the visitors in the name of the Lions Club. Responses will be made by the presidents of each of the visiting clubs. M. C. Culbertson, local attorney, will be toastmaster.

Miss Georgia Castlebury will give a vocal solo, and Mrs. Leon H. Brown will give a reading as other parts of the program. The Vernon Lions' "Grand Opera Troup" will also have a part in the program.

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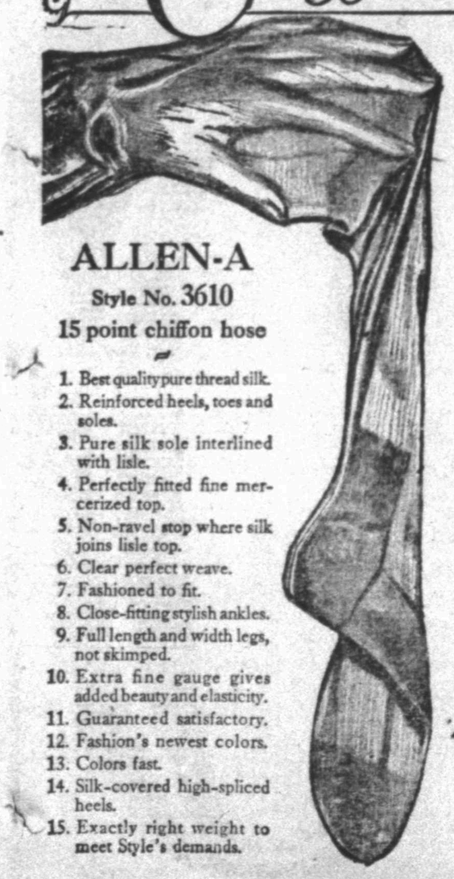
All drug stores are supplied with the wonderful elixir, so all you have to do is to step into the nearest drug store, hand the clerk half a dollar for a bottle of Aspironal and tell him to serve you two teaspoonsful. With your watch in your hand, take the drink at one swallow and call for your money back in two minutes if you cannot feel the distressing symptoms of your cold fading away like a dream, within the time limit. Don't be bashful, for all druggists invite you and expect you to try it. Everybody's doing it.

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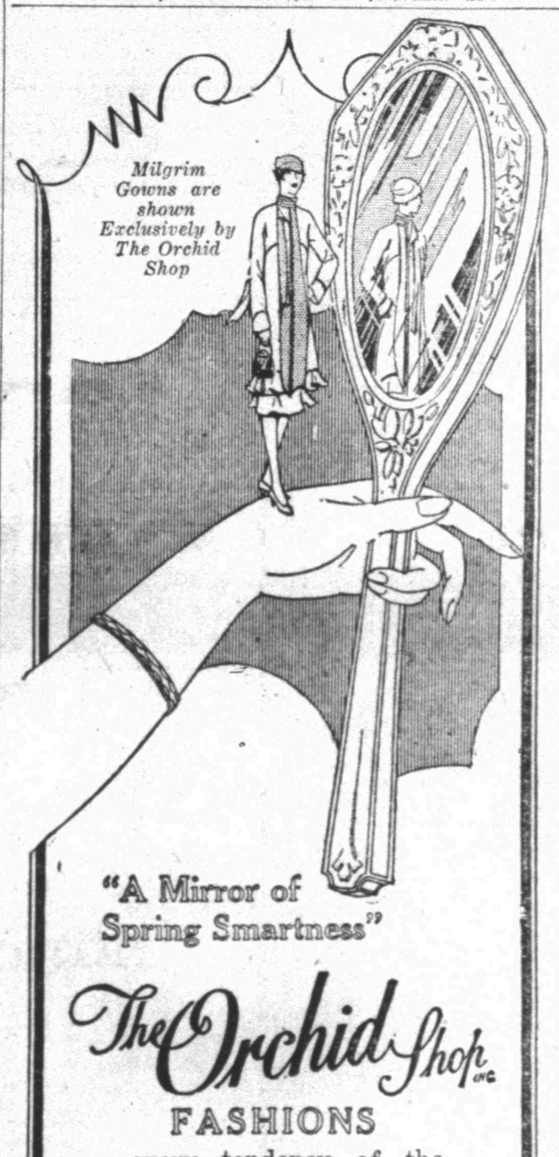
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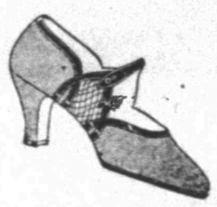
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ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

Feb. 26, 1925

Frank Collier indicted for murder of Buster Robinson and bond denied.

Mural painting for Junior college auditorium completed by Emil Hermann, local artist, and dedication ceremonies planned.

Noble well in Wilbarger county blows in and opens new territories for oil development.

TEXAS A RUBBER STATE

NOW, the experts say the possibilities of southwestern Texas becoming the center of rubber growing in the United states, are all to the good. The wise men of the Inter-Continental Rubber Co. of New York have made many experiments in southwestern and western states. G. H. Carnahan is president of the company. He has faith that the experiments will finally prove successful in relieving consumers in the United States of the foreign monoply.

Up to date the company has expended a million dollars in experimental work in twenty states, but special mention is made of the work in Big Ben section of western Texas in Brewster and Presidio counties. He says that the growing of plants that yield rubber has ebbed in progress throughout the Rio Grande section of Texas for some years, but without the thought of culture in production of commercial rubber.

This New York company has been growing rubber in central Mexico since 1904, its total output there being 70,000,000 pounds of which 8,000,000 pounds was produced in 1925. He furthermore says that for reasons deemed to be in the best interest of all concerned, his associates have thus far kept the results of their work rather closely to the organization, but the time has come, they are persuaded, when a general statement of their position is due.

They have not asked for any help nor is any needed in carrying out their plans as so far developed. Texas has asphalt beds; Texas has salt beds; Texas has beds of iron ore; Texas has beds of sulphur; Texas has pockets of quick silver; Texas has lakes of petroleum; Texas has vast pockets of natural gas; Texas has vast fields of lignite; Texas has billions of feet of hard wood and soft wood.

Now why shouldn't Texas in time become the greatest of manufacturing states. Capitalists are bent upon harnessing the rivers of Texas. They are bent upon furnishing white power, light and heat. They know the value of mills and factories, close to the cotton fields and the grazing lands where the wool and the mohair are grown.

Texas has its gulf ports. Texas is close to the Panama Canal. Texas is within easy reach of the hundred millions who inhabit Mexico, the central Amercas and the Pan-American republic.

Men of vision are not asleep. They have their eye on Texas. And now it is rubber production to break in time a foreign monoply.

Old Dobbin had his faults, but you didn't have to pour hot water on him to get him started.

The man with the hoe is too prone to follow the politician with the hokum.

A HINT FOR TEXAS

TEXAS is an empire within itself. Texas should have the greatest university on the continent of North America. Mineral wealth flowing from the University lands in the shape of royalties should make the Texas U the greatest of all American universities.

Think of California. The university of the golden coast state, with an attendance of 16,282 full time students, now is acclaimed the largest school of its kind in the United States.

Columbia with 11,836 students according to figures at the California university, is second largest and the University of Illinois is third with 11,214.

California hasn't reached its peak. Californians are proud of their university. They are willing to pay the price. They believe that all the children of all the people should be educated. They believe that illiteracy should be banished. They know that ignorance is responsible for poverty and that poverty is responsible for crime in many instances.

Now the fathers of Texas builded wisely. They gave an empire, or rather they set it aside for educational purposes and for university purposes. Why shouldn't the people, who are in the land of the living, carry out the program of the early fathers.

CRIME

CRIME is increasing because it is easier.

It is easier because the criminal has taken advantage of the same labor saving devices that bring an advantage to business.

The automobile helps him to escape.

He employes explosives and chemicals and modern machine drills to break into vaults which he formerly never could have entered without detection.

Moreover with the growth of cities, there are greater fields for him to work in.

As the population grows, the number of criminals increase in proportion. There is always one bad egg in any given number of them.

There is nothing astonishing about the increase of crime, and there should be no difficulty in analyzing the cause of it.

It is not due to the war, or the jazz music, or the increased love of luxury.

It is due to the fact that society maintains relatively the same sized police force it used to, and the same means of fighting crime, without taking into consideration the fact that criminals are increasing in numbers, and intelligence.

As soon as the criminal learns that crime is practically certain of detection he will be forced to find an honest means of earning his livelihood.

Nobody, criminally disposed or otherwise, wants to go to jail.

Not even the boldest burglar would break into the house if he knew that the minute he came out he would fall into the hands of a policeman.

But policemen are too few to cope with the criminal element.

Also police methods are too old fashioned, and there is too much laxity on the part of the courts—perhaps on the part of the law itself.

Our thief catching system has not progressed anything like as rapidly as has the thief it tries to catch.

Our criminal laws are based on the theory that men sometimes do wrong inadvertantly, and they ought to be reformed rather than punished.

It is true that some young men do go wrong without understanding what they are doing.

But for one bookkeeper who "borrows" money from the public till intending to pay it back when he has won at the races, there are a dozen deliberate thieves who steal because to them stealing seems easier than working.

For one starving man who steals a loaf of bread there are a dozen gentlemen who go out with sandbags to get money to spend on their girls.

The inadvertant criminal, and the straving man are always caught, and often punished whey they might have been let off easily.

The professional criminal paves the way for his crime and for his escape. He is hard to catch, and harder to convict, for he knows how to fight prosecution.

Just at present there are far too many of him. But when society really wakes up to its peril it will curb his effectively. The honest heavily outnumber the dishonest.

When they organize and assert their power there will be an end of crime waves and a great shrinkage in crime.

At last report the anthracite strike was being won jointly by Standard Oil and the laundries.

It usually takes three generations to get from the country back to the country club.

TOM CONNALLY ON DECK

REPRESENTATIVE TOM CONNALLY of Texas led a successful fight against an amendment proposed by Representative J. W. Browne to the war department bill, which would have prohibited the purchase of oleomargerine for veterans hospital. Connally of Texas said the the passage of the amendment would mean rank discrimination. He said that it would mean the the price of both oleomargerine and cotton seed would be decreased. He said these government hospitals used large quantities of oleomargerine.

He put Browne and his amendment out of business.

Why not? Cotton seed oil is a vegetable food. Oleomargerine is a vegetable product. They are not counterfeit foods or products. They are health producing and life giving. They have a way of turning rancid butter into the sweetest product of the market in some of the northern states.

Browne was on the job. There was a Texan on the job, and Browne lost. He will come again. These chaps from the north and northwestern states always come back. They never sleep at the switch.



HIGH SPOTS IN THE LIFE OF LITTLE STANLEY, THE GREAT EXPLORER

The GOLDEN COCOON
by RUTH CROSS

Synopsis

Gregory Cochran, gazing out of the car window as his train draws into the home town, is attracted by the sight of a forlorn-looking girl at the side of the tracks. After alighting he follows and rescues her when she plunges into the river. The girl is Molly Shannon, university student, who has been driven to desperation by the desertion of her fiance, Stephen Renfro. Cochran takes her to his own home, one of the finest in the town, and, against the wishes of his proud old mother, shelters her.

CHAPTER XV—Continued

Cochran got up, went round behind her chair, and put both hands on the stately black shoulders. "My dearest mother, I don't expect you to believe anything—only—don't you see she's just another of those little birds with a wing half shot off? And we've got to give it time and a chance to mend so that she can fly away again—"

"But if she has no people," his mother persisted, softened, not by his plea, but by himself, "surely a hospital—"

Cochran made a decided negative motion. "Hospitals may be well enough for broken bones or—broken heads. But when it comes to broken wings, I wouldn't give a pleayune for the lot of them! No, mother"—he stooped and kissed her with an air of finality no other human ever dared assume—"we're going to keep her here and do everything we can for her, and—say nothing to anybody about it."

CHAPTER XVI

There are illnesses of the soul more deadly and wasting than the most virulent infections that attack the body. Barring, a flurry or so with measles and scarlatina, Molly had never been ill in her life. There had not been time or money. Sickness was a luxury only properly to be indulged in by the well-to-do. The true depths of poverty are not sounded until disease is superadded to other and lesser evils. This she knew from the various seasons when her mother had been confined with the perennially a-borning babies. Days passed.

She had no more conception of the passing of time than the unborn, but one day the jar of a closing day pierced the innumerable layers and swathings of silence. It was the first sound she had heard. Immediately after, she felt a relaxation of the presence. It had gone away; probably it had to eat.

With grotesque effort she opened her eyes. The lids were heavy and stiff; no longer with the stiffness of marble; rather that of wood. For some moments there was only a giddily circling blur of darkness, then a more giddily circling blur of light. She watched, fascinated. Finally, as she kept blinking very hard the whirling merry-go-round began to slow—"letting the cat die" they used to call it when they were children. With a jolt it stopped. Little by little the blur dissolved. Here and there an object detached itself—a wall with an old-fashioned engraving on it, high windows with coolly drawn blinds; across the foot of the four-poster mahogany bed a lavender silk coverlet should be and usually wasn't. The room, too, she concluded presently, was all that a room should be usually wasn't.

Near the bed stood a small mahogany table with a glass and a spoon on it. She stared fixedly at the table. Beside the glass was a row of neatly folded white papers. Still with absurd effort she focused her attention on those papers. Without doubt, they had been responsible for the lumpishness and the silence. If one could do as much as that—Frowning with the laboriousness of her attempt t concentrate she pulled herself up to one elbow. She inched slowly and painfully toward the edge of the bed. If one could do as



"I don't want anything but to be let alone—to die."

much as that—there were eight or ten all told—

When she gained the edge of the bed the stand was still more than a foot away. She had to hold on with one hand to the bedpost while she reached out with the other and gathered the flock of papers into a heap. They fell fluttering on to the counterpane as she dropped back a dead weight against the pillows. Drowsiness and sorpor swept over her flood on flood threatening to overwhelm, to sweep her back into her chasm of silence—Pushing and struggling at them, she contrived at last to open her eyes again. She put out her hand and drew the papers to her, unfolded one and began to empty into it contents of the others. It was slow work. Her fingers were thick and clumsy, and the papers wiggled and curveted about until some of the precious white powder was spilled.

She had not heard the door open nor anyone come into the room. But that unerring sixth sense which warns when we are not alone made her drop the opwders abruptly and turn her head. The warning had come a trifle late, though, for she had an idea that the man standing on the other side of the bed had been there for some time. He was looking down at her with curious intentness, but he showed no inclination to stop whatever she was doing.

Instead he smiled and observed in a casually cheerful bass, "Good morning."

Molly, glancing back furtively at her own occupation, found, to her dismay, that the powder had spilled and was trickling in a slow stream over the edge of the counterpane.

If the man noted the circumstances he gave no sign. He came round to Molly's side of the bed and drew up a chair, which creaked a trifle as he subsided deliberately into it. "I'm glad to see you're awake this morning," he said still cheerfully. "When a young lady has slept for two blessed weeks—" He broke off with a slight humorous gesture and looked down rather doubtfully at the chair, which was of fragile build.

Molly watched him in silence. She had no interest one way or the other. If he had said two months or two years, the effect would have been slightly negligible.

"Oh, by the way—" The stream of powder had made by this time a small white hillock on the floor and his foot appeared to come in contact with it. He pushed back an examined it attentively. "It's too bad you happened to spill those. I believe they're the last in the house."

"I didn't happen to spill them," she said at last, low but very distinct. After another interval of silence—without the change of an inflection, hands still pressed to her face: "I hate you, I hate you, I hate you! Why couldn't you leave me alone? It was none of your affair—"

When there was no answer, she went on in the dreary, inflectionless monotone, "You knew I wanted to die—I had to die—" She broke off, this time from sheer lack of strength. After a little: "It's no use your trying to interfere. I shall find some other way."

The man leaned forward "I'm not going to interfere," he said, with the soothing accent one would use toward a sick and fretful child. "But you were in no condition to decide for yourself—you are in no condition now. A doctor might as well leave it to the judgment of a delirious man whether he wants to take medicine or not."

"I don't want anything but to be let lone to die. You don't understand—" She turned away her face. Her fingers were still tightly pressed to her eyes.

"Yes, I think I do—at all events, up to the evening when you left Mrs. Parker's—"

"Mrs. Parker—" she echoed faintly. Once more the shudder ran down her body.

"I found her address on a letter in your handbag."

"You didn't tell her—?" The words were scarcely a breath.

"Only that you had been hurt in a street accident." He paused, significantly. "You are going to tell me the rest—now."

"No—no—" Again the tremor as of the final breakup of life forces. "You don't know what you ask—"

"I think I do. Besides—you're no idea how it will help—"

"I don't want to be helped. I only want to be let alone—to die."

He straightened up decisively, took out his watch. "I have an appointment at ten-thirty. That gives me fifteen minutes longer here—"

Watch in hand, he waited. There was a silence, impassive and stubborn on her side, patient but inflexible as steel on his.

"Ten minutes," he announced presently.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Says His Wife Was Shot Accidentally

FREDERICKSBURG, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Accidental death resulting from a shot of a 38 caliber pistol over which he and she were scuffling was the version of the fatal shooting at Junction of Mrs. Anna Fleming on Dec. 18, 1924, given from the witness stand by Homer Fleming, on trial here for murder.

An argument over a hound with his astranged wife and a subsequent disagreement with his father about some land preceded the fatal shooting, Fleming testified yesterday.

"I came to take my child away the next morning and my father advanced upon me with a knife. I fired over his head to scare him. My wife picked up an auger and began hitting me over the head and in the scuffle she pulled down the pistol and the shot entered her shoulder."

Fleming also testified that his father was a man of violent temper and had killed his own brother with a knife. Ollie Fleming, father of the accused, will not testify at this trial, having been convicted of perjury in a previous trial at Llano.

$200,000 ALLOTED FOR ARANSAS PASS CHANNEL.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Two hundred thousand dollars for work in the channel from Aransas Pass to Corpus Christi, Texas, was allotted today to army engineers from existing river and harbor improvements funds.

Blind Girl Sees After Long Prayer

DALLAS, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Wanda Deason, aged four, today believes in prayer. Yesterday she was blind. She prayed for sight last night and today she sees.

The little girl was ridlng her tricycle on the front porch yesterday and fell off, striking her head on the sidewalk. A blood clot formed that made her totally blind. Physicians considered an operation. But when Wanda was taken home from the doctor's office she started to pray. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Deason, said she prayed far into the night. When she awoke this morning she could see.

Lyrics of Life

By Douglas Malloch

Joe and May.

Two women just across the aisle
Have talked about a lot of things,
And though they spoke with many a smile
'Twas not the smile that gladness brings.
"Oh, yes," says one, "May married Joe;
To keeping house the two have gone."
"She did; They are? I'd like to know
How Joe and May are getting on."

So Woman One tells Woman Two
Of Joe and May and their affairs.
"I hear they fight, folks say they do;
I know she cries, they say he swears.
That's what I hear, for so they say,
I guess a blank is what she's drawn,
And May with Joe, or Joe with May,
Has lots of trouble getting on."

O woman with the busy tongue
And idle heart and idle hand,
The newly wed, the very young,
You may not always understand.
For, after all, it's May and Joe,
Who sweep the floor, who mow the lawn,
The only ones who really know
How Joe and May are getting on.

WILLIE WILLIS



"Ever since Papa licked me for giglin' in church, I set where I can't see Pug wiggle his ears."

DINNER STORIES

A draft of Missouri mules had just arrived and one new private made the mistake of going too near one.

His comrades caught him on the rebound, placed him on a stretcher and started for the hospital.

On the way the injured one regained partial consciousness. He gazed at the sky overhead and felt the swaying motion as he was carried.

Feebly he lowered his shaky hands over the side, only to find space.

"My gosh," he groaned, "I ain't even hit the ground yet."

All the talk of hyphenated citizenship has evidently had its effect upon a San Francisco American born, who recently rebelled fiercely when his Italian father whipped him for some misdemeanor.

"But, Tomaso," said one of the family, "your father has a right to whip you when you are bad."

Tomaso's eyes flashed. "I am a citizen of the United States," he declared. "Do you think, that I am going to let any foreigner lick me?"

In an eastern town they tell of an old chap who made his wife keep a cash account. Each week he would go over it, growling and grumbling. On one such occasion he delivered himself of the following:

"Look here, Sarah: mustard plasters, 50 cents; three teeth extracted, $2.00. There's $2.50 in one week spent for your own private pleasure. Do you think I am made of money?"

POEMS THAT LIVE

The Poplar Field.

The poplars are felled, farewell to the shade
And the whispering sound of the cool colonnade,
The winds play no longer and sing in the leaves,
Nor Ouse on his bosom their image receives.

Twelve years have elapsed since I first took a view
Of my favorite field, and the bank where they grew;
And now in the grass behold they are laid,
And the tree is my seat that once lent me a shade.

The blackbird has fled to another retreat
Where the hazels afford him a screen from the heat;
And the scene whose his melody charmed me before
Resounds with his sweet flowing ditty no more.

My fugitive years are all hasting away,
And I must ere long lie as lowly as they,
With a turf on my breast and a stone at my head,
Ere another such grove shall rise in its stead.

'Tis a sight to engage me, if anything can,
To muse on the perishing pleasures of man;
Short-lived as we are, our enjoyments, I see,
Have a still shorter date; and die sooner than we.

—William Cowper.

2 SAN ANTONIO ESTATES PAY BIG INHERITANCE TAX.

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Comptroller S. H. Terrell today was approving inheritance tax reports of the late Alexander Joske and Ida K. Meyer of San Antonio, a tax of $36,496.95 was assessed against the net community estate of Mr. Joske amounting to $1,184,368 and the tax against the Ida K. Meyer estate of $708,982, amounted to $20,219.28.

NO TRACE OF E. T. CROW, SOUGHT IN WIFE ATTACK.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 24.—(AP)—No trace of E. T. Crow, formerly of Fort Worth, charged with assault to murder in connection with an attack in which his wife was beaten over the head with a hammer at Itasca yesterday has been found by officers in a statewide search advices here at noon indicated.

The Fun Shop

By Maxon Foxhall Judell

Don't You Say So Too, Folks?

Though riches leave me cold and flat,
Or fame go by and act "high hat,"
What care I for such a pair!
While I can laugh, I've wealth to spare!

Throw That In

Homeseeker: "How much for this house?"
Owner: "Well, $1,000 down."
Homeseeker: "Yeah, but I wanted to buy the upstairs, too."

COAL GAS

A Domestic Tragedy, Overheard On the Party Wire
By Heartrouble

Dramatis Personae:
The Lady
The Coalman

Lady—Hello—hello—is this the Clinker Coal company?

Coalman—Yes, Ma'am.

L—What are the chances of my getting some coal?"

C (wearily)—No coal in stock, ma'am. Only coke.

L—No pea coal?

C—No ma'am.

L—No nut coal?

C—No, ma'am.

L (hopefully)—No peanut coal?

C—Only coke, ma'am.

L (brightly)—How about a mixture of coke and coal . . . what do you call it?—coke-cola?

C—We have no anthracite whatever.

L—That's hard.

C—Yes, ma'am, it is, but I could give you some soft.

L—How much a ton?

C—Eighteen dollars—cash.

L—I'll say it's soft—for you!

C—(persuasively)—Shall I send around a couple of tons?

L—(with a new idea)—What is egg coal?

C—Hard.

L—Hard-boiled egg?

C—Say, lady, are you kidding me?

L—You said a binful, old thing. Goo'bye! (hangs up).

C—(doing likewise)—Well, I'll be—

BOTH

Old-fashioned girls used to kiss and make up after a quarrel.

But modern girls do both pretty regularly whether they quarrel or not!

Natural Inference

"Mrs. Lowry, is your husband a horse?" suddenly asked Wilbur, a neighboring boy of six years, the other day of a homely, rich visitor.

"Why, of course not!" I answered. "What ever put that idea into your head?"

"Well," answered Wilbur, "Pa said your husband had horse-shoes when he married you."—Mrs. J. B. L.

Sad Fate

Warren: "Donald froze to death? How was that?"

Wallace: "Failed to pay the rent and was turned out."

Warren: "Out of his house, eh?"

Wallace: "No, he was renting a suit of clothes."—G. G. F.

WHEN BLACK IS READ

Two Minds With But a Single Thought

In my study I sat thinking
How I could increase my wealth,
When a sudden good scheme struck me—
Why not write an
ODE TO HEALTH!

Just then Doctor Wilkins 'phoned me,
(He, too would increase his wealth)
And I promised I would send him
Twenty bucks I
OWED TO HEALTH!
—D. L. West.

He Who Courts and Runs Away, Etc.

I would like to linger longer, Lita Lou,
But 'twould be a very foolish thing to do;
If I haven't lost my bearing.
Round his room your Pa is tearing,
And his language sounds like swearing—
Does it not sound very much like that to you?

So I think I'd better ramble, Lita Lou
For I hate to risk a gamble with his shoe!
When a squall commences showing
It is time I should be going
For I have no way of knowing
Just exactly what your daddy-doodle-do!

—Griff Crawford.

A Time for Everything

It's all right, this TALKIN' of love,
The way these poets do;
I ain't sayin' nothin' against it,
Because I've done it, too;
But dealin' with flesh and blood
I let the old pen lay,
'Cause when I'm lovin' I LOVE
An' LOVE in the REGULAR way!
—Lloyd Hartley.

Fun Shop Station MFJ suggests Loud and Soft Pedals for Radios as On Pianos

Probably Did

Mrs. Folsom: "Henry, I wish you'd speak to Roland. He's wasted three of those expensive apples."

Folsom: "Ye Gods! He must think those apples grow on trees!"—Mrs. Arthur Bakst.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS



SOCIETY

Edward Abner Thompson Presented to Audience Of Wichita Falls Women

Wichita Fall's club women were given a rare literary treat Thursday afternoon at the Wichita club when Edward Abner Thompson, platform reader and dramatist of unusual power and skill was presented to a large crowd under the auspices of Miss Ella Merle Mathis and the literary department of the Forum.

Dr. Thompson read the historical drama, "Disraeli," by Lewis Napoleon Parker—a drama founded on real happenings, the accomplishment of a great achievement, that of acquiring the Suez Canal, thus securing Britain's imperial power and glory.

The leading character, that of "Disraeli," the author, statesman, and genius, who is known in history as Lord Beaconsfield, was ably impersonated by the reader, who proved his versatility when he just as ably portrayed the character of Mary, Lady Beaconfield, the wife, and the son, Charles and Clarissa, his fiancee.

Disraeli's magnetism and power over men was brought out in the last act when he forced by his wonderful personality, the banker to sign the check that made the Suez Canal project possible, after the failure of his financial backer, Mr. Meyers.

The thrilling drama of modern life was charmingly interwoven with a love story, and the entire presentation was exceedingly appreciated by the large audience.

Dr. Thompson is a graduate of Bowdoin college and has a master's degree. He has been active in expression in Boston for twenty years and has visited nearly every state in the Union. He was introduced by Miss Ella Merle Mathis.

Junior Travel Club Study Playwrights

Members of the Junior Travel club met at the home of Mrs. E. T. Duff Wednesday afternoon and continued the study of "American Playwrights" under the leadership of Mrs. O. W. Wilson. Roll call was answered with "Reflections of New England in 'The Scarecrow'," by Percy McKaye, and Mrs. Wilson read a paper on "Percy McKaye, an American Dramatist of Today."

Mrs. O. T. Ailes sent a paper on "The Theme and Interpretation of 'The Scarecrow,' which was read by Mrs. Wayne Somerville.

Mrs. Wilson gave brief summaries of some other plays of McKaye.

Those present were Mesdames E. C. de Montel, J. J. Fennessy, A. L. Lane, Thelbert Martin, W. P. Smith, Wayne Somerville, R. A. Walker, George A. Watson, O. W. Wilson and Julian McFall.

Wednesday Study Club Begin Brownings "Lura"

Members of the Wednesday Study club met at the library and begun the study of Robert Browning's "Lura" with Mrs. Charles William Wallace directing.

In the discussion of the first act, interesting facts in Florentine history were brought out in the setting of the play, and early feudal wars were described.

Those present were Mesdames C. N. Alexander, Bert Bean, T. R. Boone, J. W. Cantwell, W. B. Chauncey, N. B. Chenault, W. W. Cook, Harry Davis, Bernard Martin, Julian Montgomery, O. E. Nichols, M. M. Walker, Charles William Wallace, S. L. McDowell and T. F. Durkin.

Today's Calendar

Musician's club will present excerpts from operas in an elaborate program at the Junior college auditorium this evening at 8:15 o'clock. The public is invited.

Mrs. J. C. Hunt will be hostess to the Unity club at her home, 1821 Ninth street, afternoon.

The Friday Literary club will meet with Mrs. Herbert Gray, afternoon.

Mrs. E. H. Eddlemann will be hostess to the Twentieth Century club, afternoon.

A dinner and reception will be given by the Camp Fire Girls at the Y. W. C. A. honoring the national field worker, Miss Florence Heintz. Dinner at 6:45 and reception at 8.

The new Country club will meet with Mrs. Luke McCrory, 1600 Thirteenth street, afternoon.

Mrs. J. F. White will be hostess to the Stitch and Chatter club at her home, 1401 Fillmore at 3 o'clock.

The T. T. T. Reese's Sunday school class of the First Christian church will give a party in the basement of the church, afternoon.

ADDITIONAL SOCIETY ON PAGE 9.

Catholic Daughters To Hold Initiation

The Catholic Daughters of America announce that they will initiate a class of 40 candidates Sunday when all members and candidates are requested to meet at the Knights of Columbus hall preparatory to attending the 8 o'clock mass at Sacred Heart church.

Following the initiating which will start at 1 p. m. in the auditorium of Saint Mary's academy a banquet will be served at the Kemp hotel complimenting the new members.

Those who have not made reservations are requested to phone Miss Howe at 9004.

DeMolays to Give Dance at Kemp

Members of the Order of DeMolay and their friends will be entertained at a dance at the Kemp hotel Friday evening at 9 o'clock, according to announcement by Jack Welch, chairman of the entertainment committee of Hope chapter. A large delegation of DeMolay members are expected from the Vernon and Electra chapters.

All master Masons are invited also to attend the dance.

Music will be furnished by Cawley's College Ramblers. Jack Wiech and T. J. DuBose will be hosts.

Mrs. Young Hostess To Bridge Club

Mrs. Claude Young was hostess to the "2" Sharp Bridge club at her home Wednesday afternoon when in the games, Mrs. E. W. Corder won the high score favor, and Mrs. E. W. Lindley, second high.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames E. H. Nicholson, W. E. Lindley, E. W. Corder, York, A. G. Deatherage, John Dobbs and O. R. Jeffers.

Carrigan School P. T. A. Holds Meeting

Members of the Carrigan Parent-Teachers heard a splendid talk given by Dr. L. F. Stripling at the school Thursday afternoon when he urged the necessity of parents having their children's tonsils and adenoids removed. Dr. Stripling took for his discussion, "The Ear, Eye, Nose and Throat," and gave an exceptionally instructive address.

Miss Mary Quinn, Red Cross nurse, urged the parents co-operation in heeding the advice given by the examining nurse of school children and Miss Mary McIlheran was present and talked on the advantages of Camp Fire work. A meeting was also announced by her to be held at the Yale Avenue evangelical parsonage this afternoon for parents and school children who are interested in Camp Fire work.

Members of the P. T. A. announce they are receiving subscriptions for the magazine "Better Homes and Gardens" and appreciate any given them. Two songs were given by the school children.

A large attendance enjoyed the meeting Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Hosts to Club

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith entertained the Dumbell "42" club at the home of Mrs. N. A. Lee Tuesday evening when three tables were arranged for "42." In the games Mrs. W. C. Flemming won the high score among the women, a lovely vase, while O. Owens was fortunate among the men, and was presented an ash tray.

Refreshments were served to Messrs and Mesdames W. C. Flemming, Tom Smith, N. A. Lee, Wayne Putnam, Orian Owens, R. G. Lee, Miss Leslie Hudgins and W. J. Grenier.

Theta Club to Hold Monthly Luncheon

Members of the Kappa Alpha Theta club will hold a monthly luncheon at Kemp Kort Saturday at 1 o'clock when alumni, pledges and visiting Thetas are invited to come. The club was organized two weeks ago by local Thetas at the home of Mrs. O. B. Kiel, and she was made president of the organization with Mrs. Curtis Atkinson, secretary-treasurer.

A luncheon will be held by the club the last Saturday in each month, at which time business and other matters will be attended to.

Try an Ad in the Want Ad Section of the Record News.

Mrs. W. L. Roberts



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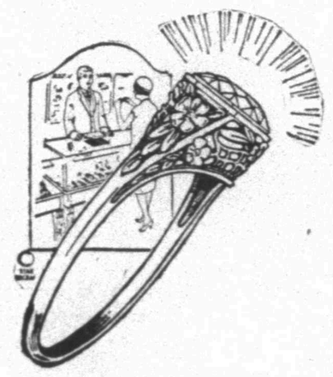
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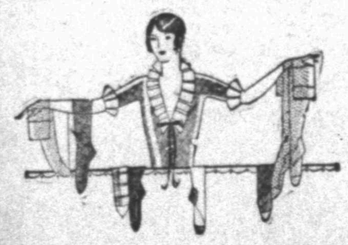


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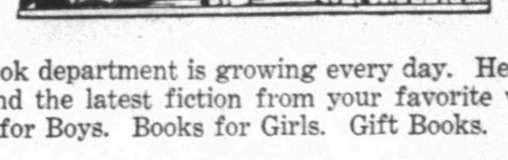


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Wildcat North of John and Jeff Pool Opens New 1,500-Ft. Area

MITCHELL HAS ESTIMATED 50 BARREL WELL

Closest Other 1,500-Production three-quarters of Mile To South

Opening either a new pool, or still more important, affording a definite three-quarter mile extension to the known 1,500-foot producing horizon in the so-called John and Jeff Waggoner area north of Beaver Creek southwest Wichita county, L. B. Mitchell's No. 1, J. and J. Waggoner, in lot 14 of the Willis survey, abstract 548, showed Thursday for the most important wildcat strike in Wichita county in some time.

The well looked good for around 50 barrels Thursday from sand tpoped at 1,525 1-2 feet, and drilled six inches with casing set above at 1,520 feet. It was expected to drill the hole some deeper before placing on the pump.

The well is located approximately three-quarters of a mile north of the Gulf 1,500-foot production, and a mile or more north and east of the Texhoma 1,700-foot production, and better than two miles north of the old production south of Beaver Creek. There are no dry holes immediately around the well, and there is no adta on the area sufficient to determine whether the well makes a definite extension to the already known producing area, or is an opener for another of the small producing districts which have been discovered in this portion of the county.

Oil Gossip

Virgil Pettigrew of the geological department of the Humbl Oil & Refining company was seen in the field Wednesday. Stay with it Petty.

The North Texas Geological society will hold its weekly luncheon in the main dining room of the Kemp hotel on Saturday, February the 27th, rather than in the Wichita club as formerly announced.

Lester Luecke and C. P. Burton of the Wanderer Oil company are in Dallas for a few days on business.

East Montague County

George Pace is again drilling, after being shut down on his No. 1, Conyers, in the R. Grimes survey, east Montague county, and 7 miles north of St. Joe, at a depth of 670 feet.

Gulf, Hayter

The Gulf Production company is drilling at 1,435 feet on its wildcat test to the south of the Pandem Sun production at Megargle. The test is located in the northwest corner of section 2423 T. E. & L. Co. survey, Archer county. The test now is below the shallow sand found in the district, but is not too deep for the deeper sand from which production is coming in the pool proper.

Texhoma, Wolfe

Offsetting shallow production to the south and west and effecting a several hundred foot extension to the thirteen hundred foot pay the No. A-1 test of the Texhoma Oil and Refining company on the Wolfe land came in Thursday as an estimated 25-barrel producer from sand topped at 1,293 and drilled four feet. The test is located in the northeast corner of the Wolfe land in the Poitecent survey, abstract 1228.

Wichita Falls District Leads Texas Oil Fields Again With 356 Operations

News of the Fields

Wood, Stevens

On the Stevens land one and one-half miles south of Westover, Baylor county, and in section 3102, T. E. & L. Co. survey, G. C. Wood is drilling at 1,447 on his wildcat test.

Pandem, Wilson

On the Wilson land in the southwest corner of lot 619 of the Geraldine townsite the Pandem Oil Corporation is drilling at 1,415 on its wildcat test.

Pandem, Young

The Pandem Oil corporation is rigging up on its No. 5 Young in section 2432, T. E. & L. Co. survey in the south Megargle pool. This well is to be located 300 feet north of No. 4.

Maer Morrison

After bailing salt water from sand topped at 1,425 feet, T. E. & L. Co. survey, Archer county, Maer and Staniforth are pulling casing to deepen. The test will be drilled to a depth of 1,500 feet and abandoned as dry.

Clay County

On the Kafer in block 65, Parker county school lands and approximately 5 miles southeast of Petrolia, Clay county, George Pace and associates are drilling at 1550 feet.

Texhoma, Gilworth

The wildcat test of Texhoma-Pace on the Gilworth land in Stephens county, Oklahoma pumped 62 barrels the first 12 hours from sand at 2,214 feet. The well lies midway between production, being approximately one and one-half miles southeast of Empire City, and one mile northwest of the Pace production on the Fobb land. The well has been closely watched for some time.

Atlantic, Wells

The Atlantic Oil Producting company is setting casing to test a likely looking sand reported to have been topped at 783, on a wildcat test No. 1, Wells, located in section 207, T. E. & L. Co. survey, approximately two miles north and east of Orth, in Young county.

West Texas Wildcat Area Is Given Second Place

Operations in North Texas fields reached a total of 977 during the week just ended, the Oil Weekly will say today.

All districts except Mexia, East Texas wildcats and West Texas wildcats showed an increase over the previous week. Wichita Falls had the greatest pickup and reported 356 field operations under way.

Wichita Falls led the other fields of Texas with its total of 356 operations, the West Texas wildcat district followed with 344 and the Panhandle fell into third position with 123 wells in the different stages of operation.

Following is the table prepared by the Oil Weekly:

District—	Rgs.	Drlg. Wlls.	S.D. Wlls.	Comple-tions.	Tot.	Last wk.
Eastland Co.	8	37	3	3	52	51
Wichita Fls	78	201	42	34	356	326
Stephens Co.	29	36	10	3	69	62
Panhandle	37	65	18	3	123	116
Mexia district	1	1	4	-	7	8
E. Tex. Wild.	7	13	-	-	27	29
W. Tex. Wild	20	203	94	16	344	351
Total	176	549	183	64	977	
Prev. Week	226	472	176	79	953	
Increase		77	13		25	
Decrease	59			15		

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Feature—1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30 and 9:30

Mrs. J. W. Aiken at the Pipe Organ

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Gloves 50c
A few pair of Silk Gloves, black and colors, broken sizes, worth up to $2.50, to close out only 50c pair.

Kid Gloves $2.85
Long Kid Gloves, black and colors, broken sizes worth $6.00, to close out at only $2.85 pair.

One lot of Bloomers and Step-Ins, materials of silk striped voiles and satinette, very special at
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Purses $1.00
One crest lot of Leather Purses, worth up to $2.50, very special at only $1.00

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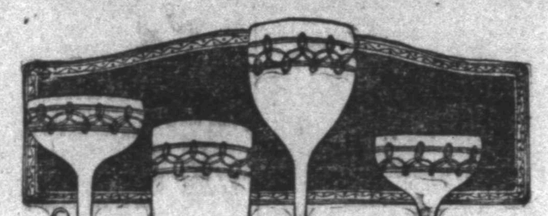
So charmingly styled, so gaily hued you will find several that you "just can't do without."

There are one-piece styles with flaring skirts, clever two-piece effects, with pleated fullness, gay prints, smart georgettes, some combined with taffeta—dresses for school, business and afternoon wear.

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Emerald green with optic crystal gracefully shaped and fashioned

Goblets, regular $4.50 values	$2.75
Sherberts, High Foot, regular $4.50 values	$2.75
Footed Water Tumblers, regular $4.50 values	$2.75
Footed Ice Tea Glasses, regular $4.50 values	$2.75
Parfait Glasses, regular $4.50 values	$2.75
Wine Glasses, regular $4.50 values	$2.75
Cocktail Glasses, regular $4.50 values	$2.75

GROUP NUMBER TWO
SETS OF SIX
$1.65

This group is made of clear glass with beautiful shadow designs and represents an excellent value.

Goblets, regular $2.50 value	$1.65
Sherberts, high and low footed, regular $2.50 values	$1.65
Wine Glasses, regular $2.50 values	$1.65
Cocktail Glasses, regular $2.50 values	$1.65

GROUP NUMBER THREE
SETS OF SIX
$2.45

These glasses are bell-shaped without optic and are decorated with beautiful shade designs. A real value.

Goblets, regular $3.75 values	$2.45
Sherbert Glasses, high foot, regular $3.75 values	$2.45
Parfait Glasses, regular $3.75 values	$2.45
Wine Glasses, regular $3.75 values	$2.45

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Here is a value many housewives will surely take advantage of.

Set of six Water Tumblers, regular $1.25 values ..... 85¢

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Dorsett Carter "Doubling" Pantex Panhandle Pipeline, Also

WILL BUILD 8-INCH LINE OVER ROUTE

Plains Pipeline Company Has Announced Similar Plans

Dorset Carter, president of the Pantex Pipe Line company, announces that a new eight-inch pipe line will be laid from the North Hutchinson pool through the South Hutchinson pool and serve operators on both sides of the Canadian river, in the Amarillo oil field, of the Texas Panhandle.

The eight-inch line will parallel the present six inch line that now runs into Amarillo, a distance of 36 miles. The new line, Mr. Carter said, will be ready for use when the Amarillo field is producing 15,000 barrels a day. It is now doing more than 6,000 a day.

Gathering lines will also be laid into parts of the Amarillo field now shut down for want of tankage and pipe line facilities.

A new six inch line has just been completed than can move 10,000 barrels a day. A novel way of heating the oil to keep it moving has been evolved by Mr. Carter, and this method is put in practice when the temperature falls below 55 degrees, the Amarillo oil congealing at 53.

The construction of adequate pipe lines will help to push the expansion ing in the Lebus hall.

The Plains Pipe Line company recently announced that it was "doubling over its line in the Panhandle also. The Plains is a Wichita Falls concern, headed by Walter Priddy of the American Refining company.

Independent Oil Growing Rapidly 1925 Figures Show

One of the fastest growing concerns in the Mid-Continent area is the Independent Oil and Gas company of Tulsa. The annual report for 1925 by President E. H. Moore to the stockholders of the Independent shows that earnings before making reserves for depreciation, depletion and federal taxes, amounted to $7.82 a share as compared to $4.05 a share in 1924, while after making all proper reserves for every contingency the earnings were $5.12 as against $1.42 a share the previous year. These earnings are based on 500,000 shares for 1925, against but 450,000 the year before.

Valued at $20,000,000

Estimates put a valuation of $10,892,782.85 on the oil and gas leases, pipe lines, refinery, tank cars and other physical properties of the Independent, compared to $5,665,568.40 in 1924. A value of $20,000,000 to $25,000,000 has been placed on the company.

The oil and gas properties of the company have steadily increased from year to year, both in number and value. Beginning in October, 1919, with 86 properties and 7,212 acres, the year 1925 was ended with 866 properties, containing 104,588 acres, representing an actual cost of $7,650,000. The greatest growth was in 1925 as at the end of 1924 it had but 328 properties of 27,127 acres with that cost $4,120,000.

Most of the Independent properties were in Oklahoma, numbering 659 for 57,982 acres; 157 properties in Kansas of 41,723 acres, and 50 in Texas for 4,883 acres.

Ninety-two of the 866 properties were producing from 308 wells at the end of 1925, as compared with 65 producing properties for 168 wells in 1924. The Independent drilled 188 wells in 1925 and 82.97 of them produced either oil or gas and 17.03 per cent were dry.

News Of The Fields

Wampum, Kreger

The Wampum Oil company Thursday bailed salt water from its No. 1, Kreger, located in section 2434 T. E. L. Co. survey, Archer county. Sand in this test was drilled seven feet and topped at 1406.

John and Jeff Pool

Texhoma Oil and Refining company is drilling at 167 feet in its No. 15 J. and J. Waggoner, a 50 foot offset to Number 14 which was completed a few days ago. The well, a spudder test, will be drilled to the shallow sand which comes about 600 feet.

Grisham, Humphries

W. J. Grisham and the Panhandle Refining company are rigging up and will be spudding today on their No. 1 Sanford-Humphries located 1962 feet east and 150 feet south of the northwest corner of the Sanford-Humphries 200 acre tract in the Abner Nail survey southeast of Holliday, Archer county.

Texas Unity, Edwards

The Texas Unity company is rigging up and expects to be spudded Saturday on its No. 1, Edwards, located in the southwest quarter of section 1498, T. E. & L. Co. survey, Young county. This well is located about three miles to the north and east of Jean.

WAGGONER GAS AREA PROLFIC IN PRODUCERS

Total of Nine Big Gas Wells There Now, Report Shows

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 25.—In the prolific gas area southeast of Coweta, and west of Wagoner, in Wagoner county, the Mitchell Oil company and Jake Young have completed their No. 2 Price, in the center of the south line of the north half of the southwest of the southeast of 35-17-16, for 5,500,000 feet a day at 1,406 to 1,426 feet. It is the ninth gasser there, bringing the oepn flow up to 36,100,000 cubic feet a day.

One gas well is producing from 680 feet; six from the Wilcox sand and two from the Turkey mountain sand.

South of the town of Tullahassee, in southern Wagoner county, Charles M. Whaley, oil editor of the Muskogee Daily Phoenix, is drilling at 700 feet in his No. 1 Black, in the northwest corner of the southwest of the northeast of 36,16-17. He expects the gas pay at 800 feet.

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American, Jackson

The American Refining Company is drilling below 1700 feet and looking for the sand on its No. 1, Jackson, located in the west half of the north 40 acres of the west half of block 5, league 3, Dallas County School Lands, Archer county.

OKLAHOMA RAILROAD IS VALUED AT $5,812,877

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(AP)—A tentative valuation of $5,812,877 as of June 30, 1919, was fixed by the interstate commerce commission today for the Missouri Oklahoma & Gulf Railway company.

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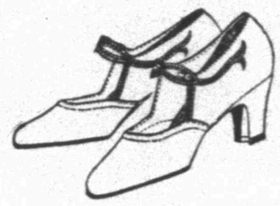
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On the Front Page of Your Paper Today Is a Number--Your Number

Find a prize with this number on it and the article is yours—entirely free—nothing to buy—no strings attached. Just bring the front page of your paper showing the number to the Record News office tonight before 6 p. m. and you will be given an order on the merchant for the prize—that is all.

The shopping district of Wichita Falls will be bustling with excitement and fun today. Join the throngs and hunt for your treasure. Hundreds of prizes. You may be a lucky one, for there will be hundreds of winners.



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Prize winning numbers must be presented before six p. m. tonight—None will be honored after that hour or tomorrow.

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WICHITA FALLS RECORD NEWS

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Study them carefully and bring this list downtown with you—Be sure to see the windows of every one of them—There may be a Prize for you!

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SOCIETY

Commercial Club Enjoy Banquet

Members of the Commercial club of the Junior college enjoyed a delightful banquet in the cafeteria of the school Thursday when Miss Adena Kouri presided as toastmistress.

The table was prettily decorated for the occasion. Places marked in short-hand and violets forming the favors. An informal program was interspersed between courses including a vocal number by Miss Hazel Champion, accompanied at the piano by Miss Mary Beth Martin; a talk by Miss Verna Sellers congratulating the club on its organization and aims and a violin solo by Miss Dorothy VanDeventer accompanied by Miss Bilbro.

Mr. Edwards gave the history of changing ideals in education in his talk, emphasizing the fact that we are preparing for professional life, while still in school and will thereby be of real value in the business world.

The club regretted the fact that the sponsor, Miss Gladys Wilbanks, was ill and unable to be present.

Plates were arranged for Adeeni Kouri, Annabel McCord, Dorothy VanDeventer, Helen Jennings Aleen Hurt, Edward Stahala, Fern Brisco, Beatrice Smith, Dorothy Ragsdale, Doris Ragland, Shirley Darnell, Dorothy Dalton, Laura Burns, Fay Baldwin, Sellers, Edwards, Bilbro, Hattie Smoot, Margaret McPherson and Virginia Alden.

Personals

Little Miss Margaret Weaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Weaver, who has been seriously ill, is reported able to be up.

Mrs. Sam Ward of Decatur, is the guest of her daughters, Mrs. B. D. Sartin and Mrs. Ethel Griffith.

Mrs. Ella Cripliver of Tipton, Iowa, who spent the winter with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cripliver here, has returned home.



She Could Never Have Done It With Piles!

Bless the American girl who has glorified all the sports! She makes a pretty picture in the water, and is a plucky swimmer, too. Piles are unthinkable for active women. If you have them, you ought to know this simple thing to do:

At any hour or moment that you have the least distress or discomfort from piles, use a simple Pyramid pile suppository—and go happily on your way! The worst hemorrhoids, even bleeding and badly protruding piles respond at once to the soothing suppository applied in perfect privacy. But bear the name in mind; Pyramid is the one every druggist has, usually the *only* one he will sell his patrons. Pyramid is marvelous. Why suffer another single half-hour with painful piles?

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Charters

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Charters today included:

Cowling Lumber and Building company, Wichita Falls; capital stock $10,000. Incorporators: J. T. Harrell, L. E. Cowling and L. E. Cowling Jr.

T. S. Holden Drilling company (oil development) Cross Plains; capital stock $10,000. Incorporators: Sherwood Wilson, T. S. Holden and G. M. Wilson, Kelley-Malone company (mercantile), Paris; capital stock $10,000. Incorporators: S. H. Kelly, B. E. Malone and R. T. Kelley.

The Toggery of Breckenridge, Texas, (dry goods), Breckenridge; capistock $40,000. Incorporators: C. E. Martin, Sol Morgenstern and James Allison.

Warren-Hayes Oil corporation, Cisco; capital stock $65,000. Incorporators: L. A. Warren, R. O. Hayes and L. H. Blackstock.

The Cross Plains Sanitarium, Cross Plains; capital stock $8,000. Incorporators: S. P. Collins, Mrs. L. A. McDonough and T. W. Anderson.

Big Creek Petroleum company, Amarillo; capital stock $120,000. Incorporators: Otis Phillips, H. R. Fisher and G. E. Rick, Jr.

WIFE CONVICTED FOR AIDING ESCAPE, APPEALS.

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Appeal of Carrie Freeman, sentenced to two years from Caldwell county on charge of aiding her husband, Austin Freeman to escape from the Lockhart jail, was filed today in the court of criminal appeals.

The woman confessed to smuggling saw blades into the jail, the blades being concealed in a tobacco can. She said the can and blades were given her on the streets of Lockhart by a man she did not know and that she delivered the can to the jailer and asked him to give it to her husband, who was confined on an assault to murder charge.

POLICE SERGEANT LEFT ESTATE OF $105,000.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—During the quarter century he was a police sergeant Michael Broderick, pensioned four years ago, accumulated an estate valued at $105,000. He died recently and his will has been admitted to probate. Most of the estate is in real estate and bonds and five children and two grandchildren will share in it.

FIND WEALTH IN OLD PAINTINGS

One of Oils Is Believed To Be An Original Raphael

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Two paintings, centuries old, one giving every evidence of being an original Raphael, and the other an original Antonio Moro, have been found in San Francisco after truly "picturesque" careers.

They have been certified as originals by art authorities who said today that they are priceless.

The Moro, found in a drapery and tapestry shop by Michael J. Berdnikoff, an expert in the restoration of pictures is the portrait of a sixteenth century women done in oils. Over the picture were super imposed two other paintings, a Syrian scene and the other a flower scene. It was necessary for Berdnikoff to remove these super imposed paintings by chemicals and a razor-sharp knife before he reached the Moro masterpiece.

The Raphael is a madonna and child, painted on an oak panel. It had an adventurous caree in a Toulane county mining camp where it was brought to California in 1849 by a member of a family in whose possession it has been for many years, through purchase in a New York second hand store.

The Raphael, blurred and yellow with age, reacted readily to the chemical restoratives, but it was a matter of some sixteen hours to bring about the restoration of the Moro, Berdnikoff worked without food or sleep. In the Moro the flower picture was in oils, but the Syrian scene was in some composition not known to modern art and difficult to analyze. It could only be removed with the knife.

The chief distinguishing marks of the pictures were the name "Mor" written in a corner of the Spanish masterpiece, and the name "Raphael" written on a ribbon on the breast of the feminine suject in the other picture.

San Antonians Get Black Hand Letter

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Although they paid no attention when a blackhand note was slipped under their door Monday night, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Neutze summoned the police when a second threat came last night.

Both notes threatened death. The second read: "Warning! Time! Soon you will suffer death. Signed: The Black Hand."

The Neutzes declared they had no known enemies and could not account for the threats.

The police believe the writer of the note came from Dallas, and have inquired of Dallas police as to black hand activities there.

PIONEER GEOLOGIST BURIED

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—Funeral service was held here today for William Kennedy, pioneer geologist of the southwest, who died in Fort Worth Monday. He was buried in Oakwood cemetery. Austin formerly was Kennedy's home.

Hoffman Creditors Visit With Moody

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—J. F. Dexter, Dallas highway contractor, who under a subcontract last summer surfaced about 200 miles for the Hoffman Construction company of Eastland and his attorney, O. B. Freeman, called today on Attorney General Dan Moody.

The Hoffman Construction company, which is being sued for $421,000 by the state, owes Dexter and H. K. McCollum, Fort Worth, $32,000 on surfacing work. Dexter and McCollum were given permission to intervene in the state's suit.

Dexter and Freeman said "we are making just a social call."

CUMBERLAND U. EXES WILL HOLD FORTH IN DALLAS

DALLAS, Feb. 25.—(AP)—The five hundred Texas alumni and former stuednt of Cumberland university, Lebanon, Tenn., were invited today by the Dallas alumni association of that school to attend a luncheon meeting here Friday in honor of Dr. John Royal Harris, the university president.

PRESBYTERIANS TO MEET.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Prayer, praise and speaking constituted the opening program of the Presbyterian "regional men of the church" convention here today. Addresses were made by Dr. J. L. Mauze of Huntington, W. Va.; Dr. C. P. Owen and Dr. Spencer J. McCallie of Chattanooga, Tenn., and Dr. W. M. Anderson of Dallas.

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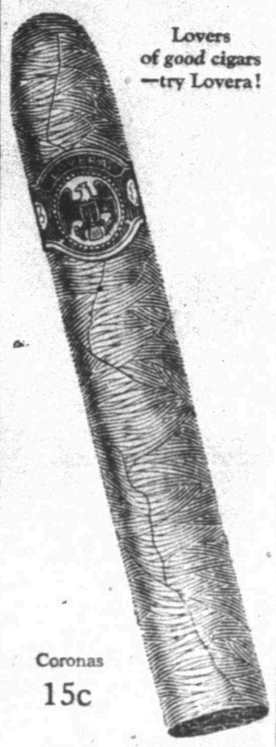
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AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—(AP)—To keep alive "valuable services and heroic adventures of the old freighters of Texas," is among the purposes of the Old Freighters association of Texas, charter for which was granted today by the secretary of state.

Establishing of landmarks and defining the roads and trails made by the freighters is another purpose. Headquarters is at San Antonio.

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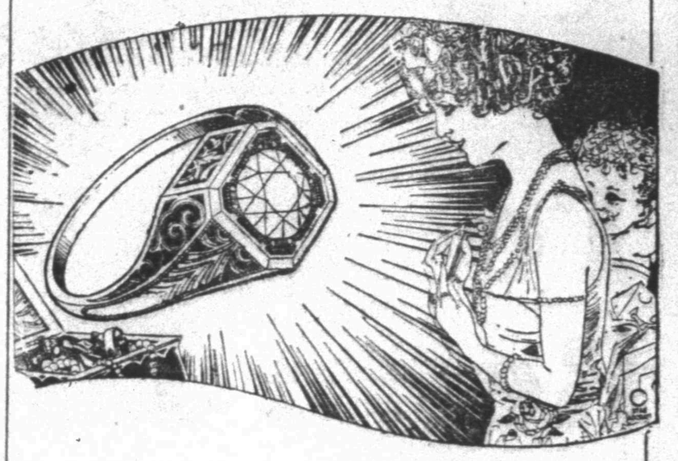
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We planned for comfort, too. We started planning for your comfort when we acquired the site of Westmoreland Park. We saw that its elevation, its surroundings, its spaciousness, offered the maximum of pleasant living in all seasons.

We have made the most of its attractions. Your home will never be cramped in Westmoreland Park. Its sun and its breeze will never be shut off by a too-near neighbor.

The wide streets and boulevards, the ample bigness of the building tracts, insure you full enjoyment of your home. It can partake of the freshness and the freedom of a country home, with none of the country home's disadvantages.

The building tracts are 100x250 feet, with occasional exceptions. We don't speak of them as "lots," because that word doesn't fit the roomy expanse of these homesites. That word doesn't comport with the capacious size of them. To convenience and comfort, we have added charm. We planned to appeal to those who have eyes for the beautiful, the restful. We planned for a measure of exclusiveness, yet without extravagance.

In planning for charm, we again had the aid of the location itself. Westmoreland Park's soil is rich and deep, assuring luxuriant growth of lawns, flowers, shrubs and trees; and our comprehensive planting program is making the most of its fertility.

Rows of sycamore trees will shade the streets and boulevards; lawns and carefully chosen evergreens and shrubs will make real beauty spots of the boulevard park-ways. And exceptional facilities are provided for you when, as a home-owner in Westmoreland Park, you start to avail yourself of your tracts' possibilities for beauty. The landscaping program is in charge of Mr. A. Pharo Gagge, landscape architect.

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LOOKING TO THE FUTURE

Five homes representing an expenditure of approximately $55,000 for construction, are now being built in Westmoreland Park.

This year will see many more homes built by those who have already acquired building tracts, and by those who are convinced of the dominating desirability of Westmoreland Park as a place to live.

The tract you buy in Westmoreland Park is a sound investment. There is nothing speculative or transitory about Westmoreland Park values. They are the result of a carefully planned, carefully executed, program of development and improvement. Even if you have no immediate building plans, it is good business to make your selection now.

With all that Westmoreland Park offers you, with all the completeness of its attractions, the building tracts are priced within your reach. One of these tracts is more than three times the size of the usual "city lot" and the price is far below what you would expect to pay for three desirable lots anywhere in Wichita Falls, even if you could find three lots that offered the distinctive, exceptional advantages that await you here.

It is the part of wisdom to choose early. Already half a dozen homes are under construction. Already dozens of the tracts have been purchased by prospective home-builders. To make your choice now is to give yourself the uttermost benefit of all that Westmoreland Park offers you. A phone call puts us at your service.

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Rogers Speaks At Rotary Club Meet

The sixth object of Rotary, "International Brotherhood", was the subject of the inspirational and educational talk given by C. A. Rogers to the local Rotary club Thursday at noon at the weekly luncheon at the Kemp hotel. His address was in keeping with the program outlined by Rotary International.

"International Brotherhood is the objective of social and religious institutions, the biggest tangible object in the world," and the speaker discussed how it might be brought about through toleration—religious, political and educational.

"Education is the foundation of proper relationship, and leads to sympathetic understanding. It is the forerunner of liberty and enlightened toleration," he declared.

"When properly educated, men do not permit themselves to be led blindfolded into ignorance. The leaders of tomorrow will be those whose genius, and not their prejudice enable them," he said.

Frank Keim, president, announced the appointment of Horrace Robbins as chairman of the "On to Amarillo" committee to take the place of Dan Daniels, resigned.

W. B. Hamilton, former president of the Texhoma Oil and Refining company which recently sold to the Continental, who resigned his position with the sale of the company, thus giving up his classification in Rotary, made a short talk to the club.

Julian Montgomery explained the work of the Boys' Work committee and passed around cards to the various members in order that they might get a list of the boys of Wichita Falls from the ages of 8-18.

Mrs. J. T. Haggerty, 1513 Tenth street, who has been seriously ill for some time and who underwent a serious operation a week ago, is a critical condition. No one is being admitted to see her.

DEATHS

JOHN KIERENS

Funeral services for John Kierens, aged 70, who died Wednesday afternoon at his home, 1102 N. Seventh street, were held at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the Merkle funeral chapel. They were conducted by the local chapter of Odd Fellows with which Mr. Kierens was affiliated.

The body was sent to Smithville, Texas, for burial.

Mr. Kierens is survived by his widow, two sons and one daughter.

MRS. M. R. JONES

Mrs. M. R. Jones, aged 60, died at 10 o'clock Thursday morning at the family home, 1504 Seventeenth street, after a period of ill health extending over several years. The body was sent Thursday night by the Merkle Undertaking company to Goree for Burial.

Mrs. Jones leaves as survivors her husband and three sons, M. E. Jones of Brownsfield, W. D. Jones of Burkburnett and M. J. Jones of Wichita Falls; and two daughters, Mrs. Mary McKinney of Vera and Mrs. Mattie Owens of Goree.

MAY FITE

Funeral services for Mrs. May Fite who died here January 22, will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon in the funeral chapel of the Hines Mortuary. They will be in charge of Rev. F. T. Datson with the local Eastern Star order assisting. Burial will follow in Riverside cemetery.

The body has been held here since death in hopes the deceased's father, who is ill in an Emporia, Kan., hospital, might be able to attend the funeral.

MRS. C. A. OFFERLE

Funeral services will be held at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon in the Hines Mortuary funeral chapel for Mrs. C. A. Offerle, aged 27, who died at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the General hospital. Mrs. Offerle, whose home is in Iowa Park, has been ill for some time.

She leaves as survivors her husband and two small sons, Oscar and Max. She also leaves a sister, Mrs. J. C. Dehoney of Tyler, who was here when the end came.

Rev. H. J. Ballew will be in charge of the services, with burial following in Riverside cemetery.

Temple Israel In Services Tonight

Services will be conducted at 8 o'clock this evening under the auspices of the Council of Jewish Women in Temple Israel in commemoriation of The Feast of Purin, a Jewish festival observed annually. This is celebrated by Jews the world over and recalls the attempted extermination of the Jews under the rule of the Persian King Ahashuerus through the plot of Haman and their rescue by Mordecai and Esther. The entire story is recorded in the Book of Esther.

Girls of the confirmation and preconfirmation classes will read the services and there will be singing by all present.

Wichitan's Mother Dies in Missouri

Word has been received here by Mrs. E. M. Dulaney of the death of her mother, Mrs. Frank P. Brown at Sikeston, Mo., where the funeral was held. Mrs. Dulaney was unable to go because of illness.

Mrs. Brown is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Dulaney of this city, Mrs. Julia Wheeler and Mrs. Bessie Edmiston of Kenett, Mo., and one son, Benjamin S. Brown of Caldwell, Kan.

Mrs. Edmiston will arrive here this week to be with Mrs. Dulaney.

DAMAGES ARE ASKED

Damages in the sum of $2,500 is asked of the Western Union Telegraph company in a suit filed by Willie Mathews of this city in the 78th district court Thursday. The judgment is sought on the grounds that the defendant failed to deliver a death message to him on the morning of June 6, 1925, as a result of which he was not able to attend the funeral of his father at Hugo, Okla. The message was sent in the care of Dr. Guest, to whom, the plaintiff alleges, he was well known, declaring that if the company had notified Dr. Guest his address could have been obtained.

Shep Files Petition

The petition of R. E. Shepherd, mayor, and candidate for re-election, to have his name placed on the ballot for the city election to be held on April 6 was received in the office of the city clerk Thursday and filed. The petition was the third to be received, P. B. Curd and Roscoe Staton, both candidates for commissioners' places having been received previously.

There is a time limit of March 8, one month prior to the date set for election, for the petitions.

Colored P. T. A. Will Hear Mrs. McGregor

Mrs. Homer McGregor, president of the Mothers' Council, will speak before a meeting of the Parent Teacher association of the Washington (colored) school in a benefit banquet to be held at the school Friday evening, according to Ella Duckenfield, president of the Washington school organization.

The funds from the banquet is to be used for playground equipment, it was said.

Read the Record News.

HELD ON DRUG CHARGE.

A man who said he lived in Electra is being held in the county jail pending investigation of being connected with violation of anti-narcotic laws. He was arrested yesterday by city police and turned over to federal authorities.

FARGO MAN NOMINATED TO OPPOSE SENATOR NYE

DEVIL'S LAKE, N. D., Feb. 25.—(AP)—L. B. Hanna of Fargo today was endorsed by the "independent" Republican convention as a candidate for the United States senate seat now held by Gerald P. Nye.

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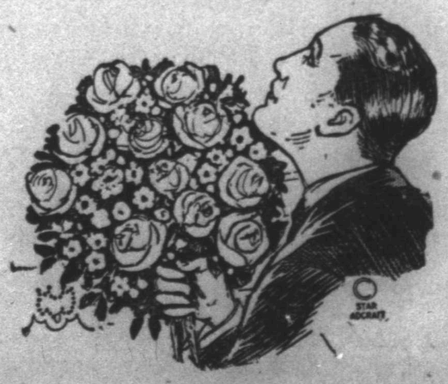
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DANGER IN OFFING

Looks as how America's long reign in the sport world is on the verge of slipping. At least, one section of the empire of athletics has felt earthquakical reverberations. A French woman beats "Our Helen" Wills and then two young Frenchmen defeat the hitherto invincible Bill Tilden and Vincent Richards. And Big Bill goes down not only before Borotra, but LaCosta came along yesterday and lowered the elongated one's mazt afor him.

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NOTICE

Notice by a system of placard advertising that Duke Tramel is matched with Wildcat Ewing again next week, the winner to meet Tommy White. Tom has beat Duke three times already. They're going to get tired seeing the same match over and over.

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They're many good ones told on Jacob Atz, the venerable pilot of the seven-time champion Fort Worth Cats. Pop Boone repeats another one about Jake that we can't afford to overlook. The incident occurred last summer during a game between Waco and the Cats on the Cowtown diamond Says Pop:

"Jimmie Walker was pitching a game against Waco in Cat orchard. Jimmie was going good, altho a bit wobbly on control. Suddenly in the ninth inning, with the Cats a run in front, Jimmie gave a batsman two balls in a row and out of the box he came.

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"Pratt was coaching at first base at the time. While the new pitcher was taking his practice warmup, Pratt started making caustic remarks to Jake about the way he run his ball club. Jake just grinned; he didn't say a word to Derrill, altho he sat on him more forcibly. Lots of managers might have jumped up and started a scrap with the Cub boss. But Jake never even removed his back from the post at the corner of the dugout.

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"When Pratt kidded him about his system of handling pitchers, Jake grinned a good natured grin and pointed at the seven flags flying on the three corners of the orchard. Jake, however, put a lot of expression in his sweeping gesture. And Derrill proved to be a good sport. He saluted Jake and observed: "I guess you must be right, at that. And anyhow, they ain't no argument but that you have copped the grapes."

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"Jake sometimes has doubts he's popular. One night up at Wichita Falls he asked me if the fans didn't get pretty rough that day. The Spuds were winning and Jake came in for a lot of kidding that was not tempered any to his bald head. It so happened I'd sat in the stand that day and heard the remarks of the fans that Jake couldn't hear and I told the Cat skipper about all the nice things they had said about him among themselves, even as they rode him loudly."

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HELEN AND SUZANNE

There is a strong possibility that Helen Wills, who needs no introduction to sport fans, as well as Suzanne Lenglen, who likewise needs no introduction, will clash again shortly, in fact as early as March 8.

After the recent match at Cannes in which the petite Californian met defeat, it was presumed that these two well nigh peerless tennis players would not meet again until the Wimbledon match in England in June.

It is now believed that they will wage battle again at Nice, the week of March 8, for the championship of Southern France.

Mlle. Lenglen has already officially entered the tournament and while Miss Wills has not yet made her entry it is reported that she intends to do so at least in the singles matches.

The entire tennis world of the United States is eager to see the Pacific coast star try conclusions with Suzanne again for they feel she can reverse the decision.

It may be that with a different brand of tennis she can do so. No less an authority than Bill Tilden said, following the recent Cannes setto: "If Miss Wills would only go out and knock the cover off the ball at the start of the match, she might beat Suzanne."

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A number of individuals in Boston are making a desperate attempt to stop Sunday baseball. Let's see, isn't this town of Boston in the same state where they used to burn witches, put people in stocks and pillories, etc? We thought they had finally become enlightened in the Back Bay district but this doesn't look like it.

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There must be some jinx, black cat or hoodoo hovering over the University of Oregon or at least over the gridiron department of that institution. Capt. John J. McEwan, the new football coach, is the fourth specialist the Eugene college has had in four years.

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The announcement that the Futurity at Belmont Park in 1928 will have a gross value of $100,000 making it the richest stake in the world makes us think of that ancient wheeze about the "passing of the horse." Sure he's passing. Passing under the wire ahead so that his owner can hurry over to the secretary's office and collect the juicy purse which he has just won.

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It is reported that Bob Weaver, president of the Southern California division of the A. A. U., is training a Zuni Indian to defeat Paavo Nurmi at the Olympic games in 1928. If the Flying Finn two years hence is anything like he was last year, Weaver better put that Indian in a flying machine or motor cycle when the race starts.

We thought that the good old U. S. A. was the only country where the heads of certain sporting organizations have to worry about the player-writer rule but along comes Japan and climbs into the band wagon. It seems that Tochigiyama (sneeze that one off), champion wrestler, is covering matches for the Tokyo Nichi Nichi. Bill Tilden please note.

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Dedicated to Matty during his last visit to St. Petersburg, Fla., and now standing as a lasting monument to his memory, the Christy Mathewson Playground for children soon will celebrate its first anniversary.

Veteran Heard Pushes Cochran At Mean Clip, But Champ Wins Bout

Golding Goes Down—Rotan Defeats Spiers On Nineteenth Hole in Second Round Match

HOUSTON, Feb. 25.—(AP)—The defeat of Clarence Hubby of Temple; Al Badger's downfall in the opening round and the hard matches Tommy Cochran and George Rotan were forced to play before being able to claim victory featured the first day of play in the Houston invitation golf meet. Hubby, after winning this morning with ease, lost to Willie Hunt, Houston champion, on the home green while Al Badger lost to William White during the morning round.

Commodore Bryan Heard, veteran player gave Tommy Cochran the toughest match he has had in several seasons during the morning play while Clarke Spiers, former Canadian amateur champion, forced Rotan, the defending king, to travel 19 holes to annex the second round match.

It was a great day for golf and the defeats of the leaders came as surprises. However, Hunt has been among the top-notchers for many seasons, but his bad round of 84 in qualifying play compared to the 78 turned in by Hubby, placed the situation in the Temple star's favor.

They started out with Hunt winning the first hole and losing the second. On the next hole Hubby tied the count with Hunt going back into the lead at the third. They reached the turn with the count the same and before Hubby could square things up they were at the seventeenth hole. However, on the next hole his drive went wild and he lost it which gave Hunt the match by one hole.

Commodore Heard started his morning round with Cochran by holing a long putt for a half. Then he tore into the champion and he had gathered a two-hole advantage when they reached the fifth tee. Tommy clipped a couple of birds to even the count and when they started for the back nine the state champion was holding a one hole margin over the veteran.

Heard played in par figures most of the way, with Cochran gathering in another hole before they reached the fifteenth. Here the commodore missed a short putt for a win and he duplicated the performance on the next two holes, giving Cochran a win.

Rotan had a close call during the afternoon. He was pitted against Clarke Spiers and it was Rotan's birdie three on the nineteenth hole that enabled him to win.

At the eighth, Rotan managed to win a hole. After breaking through with a par four on the tough eighth Rotan missed a six-footer on the ninth and Spiers evened the count.

But the tie did not last long. On the eleventh Spiers' drive hooked into the woods; his second hit a tree, and feel but a few yards away. His third was to the green and it was two more before he was down. Rotan, playing down the middle, was down in par, for a win.

Rotan Wins Match on Long Putt

After halving two more holes Spiers with a par four won No. 14. Rotan took a five and the match was all square.

Rotan went back into the lead on the next hole when Spiers' fourth broke into the lip of the cup. Rotan's leadership did not last long. On the next hole Spiers was down in par figures while the defending champion missed a six-footer to throw the match back into a deadlock.

Spiers' drive from the seventeenth tee hooked into the woods, and found a deep ravine. Rotan played his ball to the right of the fairway and it caught the edge of the rough.

The Californian made a remarkable shot out of the ravine and his third was to the left of the green. Rotan shot from the rough and the ball rolled to the rough on the left of the green. However, he played the winning ball and his second attempt put the ball beside a tree, causing him to play a bit shy of the green instead of to the pin. His fourth was several feet away and he held his putt for five. Spiers was shy on his fourth and his long putt for a tie stuck on the lip of the cup.

Rotan hooked his dwrive on the eighteenth and the ball landed in the bayou. Spiers followed with a slice that landed in the water. Rotan's third was to the right of the green while Spiers' was a few yards short. Rotan missed his pitch and the ball rolled but a few yards. His fifth was over the pin while Spiers laid one dead on his fourth giving him the hole and tieing the match.

On the extra hole both golfers made remarkable drives. Spiers looked up on his pitch shot and the ball was short. It landed in a bunker in front of the green. Rotan was 15 feet away from the pin after his shot.

Spiers played a great shot from the bunker putting it about five feet from the stob. Rotan, who had been putting poorly throughout the round, holed the long putt for the win.

The playing of Joe Russell of Houston who eliminated both Dudley Golding of Wichita Falls and Ed Tarrant of San Antonio, was also a feature of the day's play. Russell, one of the longest drivers entered in the tournament, has been playing at a fast clip and he is apparently slated for a berth in the semi-finals.

Lamar Seeligson, San Antonio, is another who probably will go into the semi-finals. The Alamo City golfer defeated Otis Meredith of Houston and William White of this city today. His 68 Tuesday has caused many to wonder just how hard he is going to be to beat.

Unless another upset develops the same finals of last year will meet again. Although Hunt is playing very well the concensus today was that Cochran should win his match Friday and eliminate the winner of the Hoyt-Russell match. Rotan will meet Lamar Conner of Dallas Friday, and during the afternoon he probably will have to face Lamar Seeligson.

The best two matches of the day should be Hunt-Cochran and Rotan-Seeligson, if Seeligson makes the semi-finals.

Results in match play today:

First flight, first round:

Tommy Cochran, Wichita Falls, defeated Bryan Heard, Houston, 2 and 1; Tom Gregory, Dallas, defeated Ike Handy, Houston, 2 and 1; Clarence Hubby, Temple, defeated James Bass, Austin, 6and 5; J. B. Greer, Shreveport, lost to Willie Hunt Houston, 5 and 4; N. C. Hoyt, Houston, defeated A. K. Newby, Houston, 4and 2; R. E. Cone, Galveston, defeated Jack Dionne, Houston, 2 and 1; Ed. Tarrant, San Antonio, defeated George Smythe, Houston, 4 and 3; Joe Russell, Houston, defeated Dudley Golding, Wichita Falls, 3 and 2; George Rotan, Houston, defeated James Harned, Dallas, 3 and 1; Clark Spiers, Los Angeles, defeated Ben Calhoun, Houston, one up in 23 holes; Lamar Conner, Dallas, defeated Fred Golding, Houston, 4 and 3; Frank Lewis, Jr., San Antonio, defeated Clyde Cunningham, Houston, 4 and 3; R. B. McAshan, Houston, defeated Howard Hughes, Houston, 3 and 1; W. A. Kyle, Houston defeated Sid Cade, Dallas, 4 and 3; W. M. White, Houston, defeated Al Badger, San Angelo, 2 and 1; Lamar Seeligson, San Antonio, defeated Otis Meredith, Houston, 2 up.

Second round:

Tommy Cochran defeated Tom Gregory, 6 and 1; Willie Hunt defeated Clarence Hubby one up; N. C. Hoyt defeated R. E. Cone one up; Joe Russell defeated Ed. Tarrant, 5 and 4; George Rotan defeated Clarke Spiers, one up in 19 holes; Lamar Conner defeated Frank Lewis, Jr., one up; Allen Kyle defeated R. B. McAshan, 2 and 1; Lamar Seeligson defeated Bill White, 3 and 2.

First flight consolation:

Bryan Heard defeated Ike Handy, 3 and 2; Jim Bass defeated John Greer one up; A. K. Newby defeated J. C Dionne by default; Dudley Golding defeated George Smythe, 5 and 4; Ben Calhoun defeated James Harned one up in 19 holes; Clyde Cunningham won from Fred Golding, by default; Howard Hughes defeated Sid Cade, 5 and 4; Al Badger defeated Otis Meredith, 3 and 1.

Results in match play of second flight, first round:

D. S. Harris, Dallas, defeated P. H. Arbuckle, Houston, 2 up; J. L. Carr defeated J. B. Miller, one up in 19 holes; Ben Johnson, Houston, lost to L. S. Pickup, Dallas, one up in 20 holes; W. B. Russ, San Antonio, defeated A. L. O'Leary, Houston, 1 up; L. R. Gurly, New York, defeated S. L. Hussey, Houston, one up in 19 holes; C. F. Chambers defeated Russell Brown, Houston, 3 and 2; Leven Jester, Dallas, defeated J. Snell, Dallas, one up in 19 holes.

Doc Bass Defeats T. A. Dickson

E. P. Bass, Wichita Falls, defeated T. A. Dickson, 4 and 3; Frank Jester, Dallas, defeated J. R. Neal, Houston, 5 and 4; L. R. Munger, Dallas, defeated J. F. Lucey, Houston, 7 and 6; G. H. Garrott, Houston, defeated J. D. Cunningham, Corsicana, one up; J. W. Scarbrough, Austin, defeated W. E. Jarboe, Houston, 2 up; L. L. Atwell, Houston, defeated Ed. Rogers, Houston, 3 and 2; J. D. Ewing, Shreveport, defeated H. L. D. Kirkham, Houston, one up in 9 holes; B. Ward, Houston, defeated Dick Harrison, Waco, one up in 20 holes; H. C. Kenney, Houston, defeated Fred Austin, Houston one up.

Second round:

D. S. Harris defeated J. L. Carr, 3 and 2; L. S. Pickup defeated W. B. Russ, one up; L. R. Gurly defeated C. F. Chambers, 3 and 2; James Snell defeated T. A. Dickson, 2 and 1; L. R. Munger defeated Frank Jester 4 and 3; J. W. Scarbrough defeated J. H. Garrott, 4 and 3; L. L. Atwell defeated J. D. Ewing one up; C. B. Edwards defeated H. C. Kenney one up in 19 holes.

Consolation:

P. S. Arbuckle defeated J. B. Miller, 3 and 1; A. O'Leary defeated Ben Johnson, 5 and 4; N. L. Hussey, defeated R. Brown, 2 and 1; Leven Jester defeated E. P. Bass by default; J. R. Neal defeated J. F. Lucey, 2 and 1; W. E. Jarboe defeated J. D. Cunningham by default; Ed Rogers defeated H. L. D. Kirkham, one up; Dick Harrison defeated Fred Austin, 2 and 1.

Results in match play in third flight, first round:

H. E. Oliver, Shreveport, defeated M. C. Baker, Houston, one up; J. V. Scott, Houston, defeated J. H. Pittman, 3 and 2; H. W. McClure, Shreveport, defeated George Pfouts, Dallas, one up in 19 holes; R. J. Jackson, Corsicana, defeated M. C. Fantham, Houston, 6 and 5; B. Alexander, San Angelo, defeated W. F. Brown, Houston, 3 and 2; W. Hancock, Houston, defeated Frank Miller, San Angelo, 2 and 1; H. L. Hill, Houston, defeated M. C. Turner, Dallas, 3 and 2; Mike Hogg, Houston, defeated C. J. Robertson, Houston, one up; William Ross, Dallas, defeated Dr. E. L. Williams, Houston, 5 and 4; H. D. Taylor, Houston, defeated Walter Love, San Antonio, 3 and 2; W. A. Smith, Houston, defeated W. D. Slayton, Dallas, one up; C. A. Tucker, Dallas, defeated Clarence Kendall, Houston, 2 and 1; J. Rockwell, Houston, defeated F. P. Priddie, Houston, one up; G. M. Cockrell, Dallas, defeated Vic Neuhaus, Houston, 3 and 1; P. L. Michael, Houston, defeated L. L. Brundridge, Houston, 2 and 1; E. H. Andrew, Houston, defeated J. F. Hennessy, Houston, 4 and 3.

Second round:

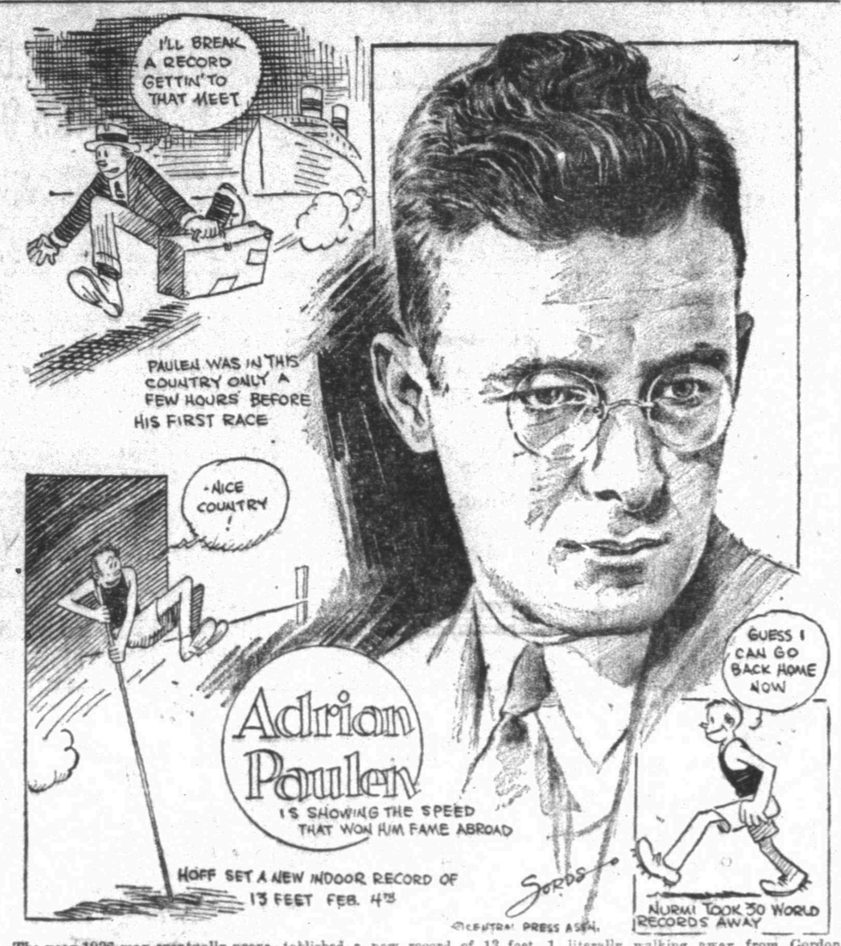
H. E. Oliver defeated J. V. Scott, 4 and 3; H. W. McClure defeated R. J. Jackson, 2 and 1; William Hancock, defeated B. Alexander, 3 and 1; H. L. Hill, defeated Mike Hogg, 6 and 5; H. D. Taylor, defeated William Rose, 2 up; J. Rockwell defeated C. M. Cockrell, 3 and 2; H. L. Michael, lost to E. H. Andrews, 2 up.

Third flight consolation:

J. H. Pittman won from M. G. Baker by default; M. C. Fantham, defeated George Pfouts, 4 and 2; W. F. Brown won from Frank Miller by default; M. C. Turner won from C. J. Robertson by default; Walter Love defeated Dr. E. L. Williams, 2 and 1; W. D. Slayton, defeated Clarence Kendall, 2 and 1; V. Neuhaus, defeated T. P. Priddie by default; J. F. Hennessey defeated L. L. Brundridge, 2 and 1.

ALBION, N. Y., Feb. 25.—Some coyotes that were formerly pets of an Indian woman and obeyed the call of the wild several years ago are now being hunted with a price of $100 on each of their heads. They have been destroying livestock.

FOREIGN INVADERS OF 1926
Are Numerous But They Aren't Dimming Nurmi's Act



The year 1926 may eventually prove a big one for the foreign athletes invading our hospitable and wet-and-dry-torn shores, but the boys here at the writing are having a rather tough time retaining the laurels they brought along from Germany, Afghanistan and other points to the right hand side of the map.

But for the speed with which Charles Hoff demonstrated his ability as a pole vaulter the invasion of the early weeks might have become a horrid flop. However, this Norweglan Olympic star started in to set new world's indoor records with such rapidity that he finally had to get a longer pole.

This is literally true. After setting something like three new records Hoff appeared with a pole lengthened by an added piece to give him "rise" enough.

Hoff Starts in Early.

Hoff, in his debut in New York, established a new record of 13 feet, 1 inch for the indoor vault. That was February 4. Two days later he shoved that record up half an inch. And he's still boosting it.

However, while Hoff was making his brilliant debut, Hubert Houben, German sprint champion, was being decisively beaten by Loren Murchison, American dash wizard. Houben had finished fourth in his debut at Boston a few days before.

Adrian Paulen, Holland runner, finished fourth in the middle distance event. It must be said, however, in justice to Paulen as well as some of the others that they had been but a few hours on land after the voyage across the pond when they performed.

Paulin, in his following appearances showed much more speed and demonstrated his prowess which has won him fame abroad.

Willie Plant, American walker, was literally walking away from Gordon Goodwin, British heel and toe artist, in the latter's initial performance when the American pulled a tendon and had to quit. At that Goodwin was unable to snatch the first place away from Harry Hinkel, New York walker.

Taken Several Beatings.

Previous to the arrival of the track stars Clas Thunberg, Finland's "Nurmi of the Ice," had come to our fair shores to show his stuff.

American racing conditions perhaps handicapped him at the start. Whatever the cause the visitor was beaten decisively by Gorman, Moore and others before he hit his stride. However, after he did get warmed up he showed the speed that won him the position in the winter pastime that Paavo holds on the cinder.

At the International meet on Lake St. Clair, Thunberg shattered a couple of records and then, during a series of races against Charles Jewtraw, former International speed king, the Finlander smashed four records the first three days in trouncing the American. In the first three days of the meet Jewtraw won but one event.

So the others may get under way also before the spring comes on in full bloom. But it is very doubtful if any of them will approach Nurmi's great feat of setting 30 new world's records during their sojourn here.

Helen Loses Again But is Consoled By Sweden's Monarch

MONTE CARLO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—The king of Sweden, tapping Miss Helen Wills on the shoulder when, rather downcast, the American champion walked off the courts today after her defeat in the doubles for the Beaumont cup, said: "You played nobly."

Miss Wills scored two victories today and suffered one defeat in the Monte Carlo tennis tournament. Returning to the courts for her first match after a day's rest, she defeated Miss Lily Cadle of England, who once conquered Mrs. Molla Mallory, 6-0, 6-1, and thus reached the semi-finals in the singles for the Duke of Connaght's gold cup.

Miss Wills and Mlle. Contoslavos won in the women's open doubles from Mrs. Young and Miss Green of England, 6-1, 6-0.

Defeat came when, teamed with Mrs. Aeschlimann against Mrs. Phyllis Satterthwaite and Miss Eileen Bennett of England, the pair passed out of the Beaumont cup competition, 3-6, 1-6.

Helen's most dangerous opponent, Senorita De Alvarez has also reached the semi-finals at the opposite end of the draw and it looks more and more like a Spanish-American final.

Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen will make her first appearance on the Monte Carlo courts Saturday morning when she and her partner, Didi Vlasto, will meet Miss Radcliffe and Miss Platt of England for the Beaumont cup.

When informed over the telephone that the largest attendance in the history of Monte Carlo tennis had marked the presence of Miss Wills as a competitor, despite Suzanne's absence, Mlle. Lenglen replied tartly:

"They bury me too soon. I am not finished yet. I will show them at Nice."

This was interpreted as a strong possibility that Suzanne will try conclusions with Miss Wills at Nice in a return match.

MIKE ARRIVES AHEAD OF MILLERS IN SANTONE

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Mike Kelley, manager of the Minneapolis American Association baseball team, arrived here today in advance of the first group of Millers for spring training.

His appearance brought to four the number of baseball managers now here preparing for the coming season. The others are Rogers Hornsby of the St. Louis Nationals, Honus Mitsee of San Antonio and Jimmy Maloney of the Terrell team of the Texas association.

While the first Minneapolis players will not arrive until Sunday, Kelley came early to make definite arrangements for a training field.

HUMBLE OIL CASE LIKELY TO BE DELAYED TO MAY

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Efforts were made today by attorneys and the court to set the $50,000,000 suit against the Humble Oil and Refining company, R. L. Blaffer and others, but indications were that it would be continued to the May term of the 53rd district court of Travis county.

Electra Twilighters Plan Big Season And Tiff With Spuds

ELECTRA, Feb. 25.—The local Twilight league officials and players were in a very enthusiastic meeting here Wednesday night at which time about 25 were present to discuss plans for the coming baseball season. It was decided at this meeting to erect a board fence around the playing field and work was started Thursday afternoon on the construction of this fence. There is to be a distance of 300 feet from home plate to the fence.

It was also announced at this meeting that the Wichita Falls Spudders will play a picked team from the local Twilight league in an exhibition game on Sunday, March 14, on the local diamond. It was announced that the entire Spudder team will be here on that date. The fence around the field is expected to be completed before this game.

A schedule was drawn up during the meeting, the first half opening on Monday, April 12 and closing Saturday, June 19. Five of the teams to start the race have been named as follows: Magnolias, Texhomas, Texas Hardware, Lions club and U. S. Machine Shop. The sixth team will probably represent the Waggoner Refining company or the K. of P. team of this city.

O. C. Baker was unanimously elected to president this organization for the coming season and will take charge at the next meeting which is to be held in the chamber of commerce hall next Wednesday night. Russel Scheurer, retired president was in charge of the meeting.

AUSTIN HIGH WINS

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Austin high school earned the right to enter the interscholastic league basketball tournament here next week by defeating Tabor high school here tonight, 33 to 19.

Austin smothered Tabor in the first half, leading by a score of 21 to 2, but Tabor rallied strong in the final period. Fomby with 14, Blackloth with 12 points, led Austin to victory.

TOURNEY AT WAURIKA

WAURIKA, Feb. 25.—The annual Jefferson county basketball tournament will be held in Waurika, Feb. 26-27. Eighteen teams are expected to enter and championships will be awarded in three classes, namely: Class A boys, Class B boys and Class A girls. There will also be a free throw contest in connection with the tournament this year.

MATSUDA, GROGGY AND ALMOST OUT, RALLIES TO THROW JACK SO HARD HE CANNOT CONTINUE

Gorman Taken From Ring in Unconscious State—Waters Flattens Meyers In Riotous Match

Jack Gorman fans feared the worst and the worst it was. After throwing Matty Matsuda, lightweight champion of the world to the mat at least four consecutive times last evening in the boxing exhibition staged under the direction of Alec Ross at the legion auditorium, Jack pulled his boner. Climbing the Jap's frame he took a firm hold while the rabid fans screamed from several hundred throats to "look out." Unheeding Jack held on and in the twinkle of an eye the Jap had flopped him backward and 53 minutes and 40 seconds of wonderful work came to an end.

Jack was carried, unconscious from the ring and was unable to return. Later an ambulance carried him to the hospital where attendants worked over him until a later hour.

Matty Is Groggy.

When the climax came Matsuda was groggy from the doughty little Plainview grappler's clutches and flying headlocks. Each time he staggered to his feet Jack was up and at him like a bulldog with a rag. Then Jack started to weaken and the mat fans held their breath. After the trick mare, the Jap was so worn that he staggered, fell on his face and had to be assisted from the ring.

An excellent an exhibition as the main event was, it had nothing on the scrap Teddy Waters staged with Lee Meyers. Waters, it can be said in all truth, was the snappiest and cleanest wrestler who has gone on here in some time. He took the first fall in 33 minutes with a flying headlock and the second in two minutes and three seconds with the same old reliable.

Well Known in East.

Waters has quite a reputation in Chicago and Philadelphia, along with several other northern cities, and although he is a Childress boy, this was the first opportunity he had to demonstrate his grappling ability to local fans. They were with him teeth and toenail from the beginning on his own ability and because Meyers roughed it through the entire scrap. He waved his feet in Waters' face, he caressed his chin with the soles of same; he punched and he slapped, even taking a poke at Gene Leopold, referee, for full measure. The enthusiasm and wild-eyed stuff was more noticeable in this match than in the Matsuda-Gorman go and when Waters challenged the winner of the next go, the fans were with him. Undoubtedly he will meet Matty in the near future in Wichita Falls, Manager Ross having practically promised that last evening.

Matsuda and Gorman were in the pink of condition for their match and although Jack was whipped by the superior thinking power of the Jap, he nevertheless may come back and give the Jap a trimming one of these days. If Jack will just watch the Jap's trick, he will throw Matsuda, for he is as clever, knows as much science and absolutely knows not the word defeat. Another thing he winded the Jap while he himself was tireless.

Matsuda's famed arm lock, even two formidable splits were of no avail. He tried every trick he knows to put Jack's shoulders on the mat but got him only with the treacherous mare. Jack played for the flying mare, for the body scissors and the arm lock. His scissors proved his strongest point and his weakest is his strategy.

LACOSTE TAKES TILDEN TO ONE OF MOST STUNNING DEFEATS IN BIG BILL'S CAREER AS NETSTER

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—(AP)—William T. Tilden suffered one of the most stunning defeats of his career today at the hands of the 22-year-old French ace, Rene LaCoste. While a gallery of several thousand fans looked on in astonishment the invader crushed the American national champion in straight sets 6-4, 8-6, 6-3.

America squared the count for the day, however, in the opening two contests of the Franco-American team series when Vincent Richards defeated Jean Borotra 6-4, 4-6, 6-4, 6-2. Richards' victory was more spectacular than LaCoste's and assured a thrilling climax to the international battle, which will be resumed tomorrow with Richards and Tilden facing a new French combination, LaCoste and Jacques Brugnon, in the doubles.

Tilden's defeat was his second by the French invaders in less than a week. Last Friday Borotra conquered him in two straight sets in the quarter finals of the national indoor tournament. Not in the last six years of Tilden's supremacy, however, has he tasted straight set defeat in a match for the best three out of five sets.

Today's encounter was the first time LaCoste had opposed Tilden since the Davis cup challenge round last September. On that occasion LaCoste lost a five set duel after being several times within a point of victory. This afternoon he more than squared that account.

It was LaCoste's deadly precision, his steadiness under Tilden's hottest fire and his cold confidence that brought him his latest triumph, combined with his ability to apply the decisive punch to his strokes when it was needed. Tilden was alternately erratic and brilliant. He called on the full battery of his spectacular strokes in an effort to stem the remorseless pace of his opponent but seldom was he able to pierce LaCoste's defense.

The American chopped, lobbed and drove with all the power at his command, but the best he could do was make it a close fight in the first two sets. He tired in the third set and went down quickly to defeat as the Frenchman speeded up his play.

Richards displayed the most spectacular tennis he has shown so far in the indoor season in taking the measure of Borotra. Except for a slump in the second set the American out-volleyed and out generalled his opponent. Richards' service was a dominant factor throughout. Twice he faced Borotra four times in succession for love games.

Tourney Plans At Vernon All Settled

VERNON, Feb. 25.—Plans have been perfected for the county basketball tournament for girls and junior boys which is to be held here Saturday, according to J. F. Dockery, director. The high school court will be used for the girls games, while the Junior high school court will be used by the boys.

Much interest is being shown in the coming tournament, the director states. The teams of girls are several in number and practice games that have been played recently show some excellent basketball material. The county is to be represented by girls teams from almost every school, according to announcements made by the director.

Mrs. Wallace Bragg of Chillicothe, all-state forward of S. M. U., will referee the girls games. The games will start at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

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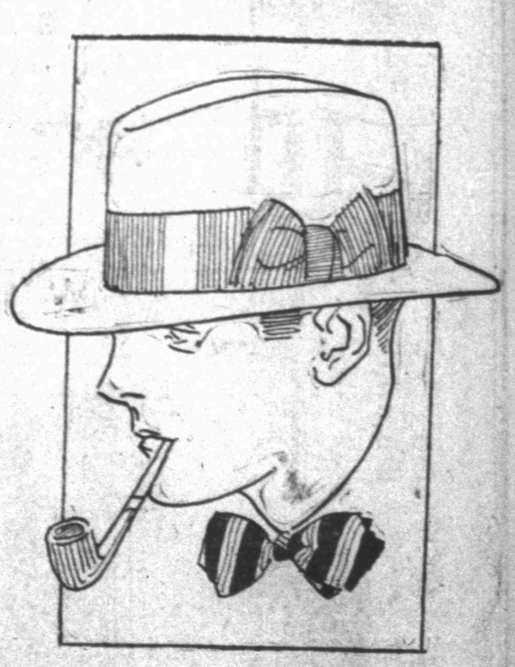
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TEAM WORK

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And went right on behaving as no well-bred urchin should—
Quite deaf to our reproaches or appeals.
We didn't want to spank him, which would hurt us worse than him,
And so, as our instructions he despised
And hope of his improvement every day became more slim
We took him to be psychoanalyzed.

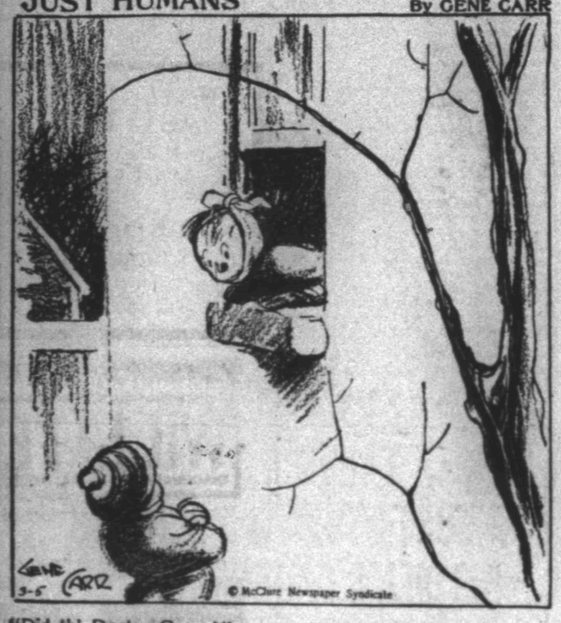
The Freudian professor delved in little Tommy's past,
And, strange to say, the erstwhile sullen youth—
The while the family gathered round and listened all aghast—
Revealed the whole unmitigated truth.
He did not wait for questioning when once he got a start,
In fact, he seemed to fancy it was fun
To tell of all the naughtiness in which he'd had a part,
And talk of all the mischief he had done.

We learned who strung the piece of rope that tripped the milkman up,
(We had to pay his wages all that week)
We learned who bathed in bright red paint the neighbor's new Pom pup,
And how our kitchen sink had sprung a leak.
We found out why the telephone once rung the long night through,
Who put the cat inside the radio set,
And how the baby's little hands got all stuck up with glue—
An incident which we shall not forget.

The psychoanalists maintain that spanking spoils a child—
These toilers in a new and wondrous field
Declare that he is bound to be a little rough and wild
Until he has been fully self-revealed.
They're partly right and partly wrong—no more does Tommy thirst
For evil deeds—a model child he's grown,
An that's because we let them try their method on him first,
And then we took a switch and used our own.

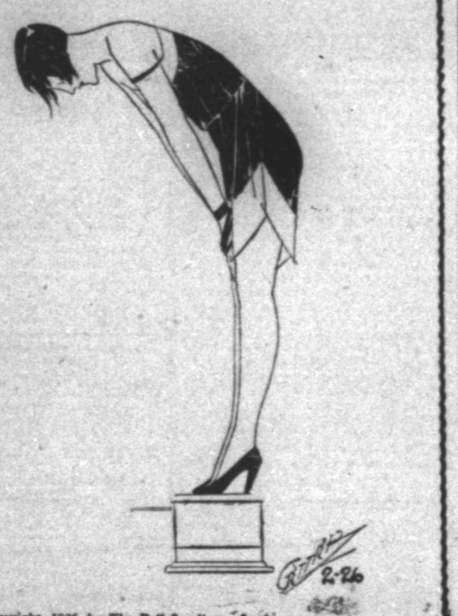
JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



"Did th' Doctor Come?"
"Ya!"
"An' You're th' Bird That Was Always Eatin' Apples to Keep Him Away!"

GIRLIGAGS



"One may reduce and reduce," says spiteful Sue, "and still be a fathead."

Dot Puzzles



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Friend Al:

Well Al I recd. a letter this A. M. from the missus and it is so long since I last hear from her that I thought it was a mash note from one of my fair admires. She has went back home to visit her fokes as she give up all hopes of seeing me again til I am world champeen. But it ain't so far away Al as all I got to do is lick all the contenters includeing Dempsey.

Jack Keefe.



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MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK—Stocks, heavy; General Electric breaks 14 points.
Bonds, steady; merger rail issue in demand.
Foreign exchanges, irregular; sterling lowest in months.
Cotton, easy; bulls unloading.
Sugar, lower; Cuban selling.
Coffee, firm; higher Brazilian markets.
CHICAGO—Wheat, lower; heavy eastern selling.
Corn, steady; small country offerings.
Cattle, higher; choice stock scarce.
Hogs, lower and active.

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net decline of 13 to 27 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
March	19.02	18.75	18.80-82	19.03
May	18.60	18.30	18.36-38	18.63
July	18.10	17.83	17.91-92	18.14
Oct.	17.32	17.12	17.18-19	17.33
Dec.	17.30	17.16	17.17-19	17.31

Opening: March 19.00; May 18.58; July 18.10; October 17.30; December 17.28 Bid.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 25.—(AP)—The cotton market was much more active today than it has been in some time although prices were on the downgrade the greater part of the day under pressure of liquidation of old crop months. Starting with a slight opening decline prices eased off steadily under pressure of selling of near months and more or less hedge selling. After prices had eased off 26 to 28 points during the morning there was a moderate rally on some trade buying which caused prices to recover about ten points, but weakness again developed during the early afternoon and prices made new lows, 31 to 33 points below the close of yesterday on active old crop months and October was 21 points down. In the late trading prices recovered six to eight points from the lows on covering and the close showed net losses for the day of 23 to 27 points on old crop months and 15 points on October.

The start was one to four points down, although cables were about as due. March traded at 19.02, May at 18.60 and July at 18.10. These opening figures proved to be the highs of the day. The market soon turned weak and before the decline was checked March traded down to 18.75, May to 18.36 and July to 17.88, or 26 to 28 points down.

The lower level attracted more or less trade buying and prices rallied about 10 points from the early lows but in the early afternoon the market again weakened and March duplicated its earlier low while other months made new lows with May at 18.30, July at 17.83 and October at 17.12 or 21 to 33 points below the previous close.

The market rallied about six to eight points in the late trading on covering and the close was steady. Exports for the day totaled 16,509 bales.

NEW YORK FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net decline of 14 to 27 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
March	19.80	19.47	19.57-58	19.84
May	19.20	18.92	18.98-19.01	19.25
July	18.63	18.40	18.44-46	18.70
Oct.	17.97	17.81	17.85-86	17.99
Dec.	17.61	17.44	17.48-49	17.63

Opening: March 19.80; May 19.20; July 1860; October 1795; December 17.59.

NEW YORK COTTON.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Continuation of near month liquidation was reflected in a decline which carried the price of May contracts down to 18.92 in the cotton market today. This represented a loss of 33 points, compared with yesterday's closing quotation and a decline of one cent a pound from the high price in the month. Evidently the lower level attracted profit taking by recent sellers and there were rallies in the last hour, May closing at 18.99, or seven points up from the lowest. The general market closed steady at net declines of 10 to 26 points.

The market opened barely steady at a decline of one to 14 points under selling promoted by yesterday's rumors of an easier spot basis in the south. Considerable buying to fixe prices for the trade, and covering on the initial decline, were supplied on very slight rallies, with the market weak and unsettled during mid-day.

The reports of possible shipments here for tender were not very definite but holders of March contracts seemed willing to sell against purchases of May at a slightly narrower difference, while bearish sentiment was probably encouraged by continued reports of favorable prospects for the new crop start.

March broke to 19.47, old crop months showing net declines of 30 to 36 points, while new crop sold about 18 to 19 points net lower, with October declining to 18.21. The break was checked by covering at these figures, and last prices showed rallies of several points from the lowest. At one time, March appeared to be about 54 points over May but showed a premium of 48 points at the close.

The certificated stock here has been reduced to about 12,500 bales and so far very little cotton for certification is reported to be reaching here fro mthe south.

Exports today 16,509, making 5,882,685 so far this season. Port receipts today 19,371. U. S. Port stocks 1,483,405.

SPOT MARKETS.

HOUSTON, Feb. 25.—The spot market closed steady, 25 down sales 2,455 bales. Low ordinary 9.90; ordinary 11.40; good ordinary 12.90; strict good ordinary 14.40; low middling 16.15; strict low middling 17.90; middling 19.40; strict middling 20.15; good middling 20.40; strict good middling 20.65; middling fair 20.90.

GALVESTON, Feb. 25.—The spot market closed steady, 40 down; sales 2,018 bales. Low ordinary 9.35; ordinary 11.25; good ordinary 12.50; low middling 16.50; middling 19.50; good middling 20.50; middling fair 20.95.

DALLAS, Feb. 25.—The spot market closed steady, 25 lower; sales 1,725 bales. Middling fair 21.40; strict good middling 20.15; good middling 19.90; strict middling 19.40; middling 18.65; strict low middling 17.15; low middling 15.85; strict good ordinary 13.65; good ordinary 12.65.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 35 down; sales 2,548 bales. Low middling 15.95; middling 18.95; good middling 19.95; receipts 4,213; stock 506,119.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Cotton spot fair demand, prices steady. American strictly good middling 11.48; good middling 11.18; strictly middling 10.93; middling 10.38; strictly low middling 9.68; low middling 8.78; strictly good ordinary 8.08, good ordinary 7.37; sales 7,000 bales, including 4,700 American; receipts 18,000 bales, American 7,000. Futures closed barely steady: February 9.83; March 9.21; May 9.73; July 9.64; October 9.35; December 9.27; January 9.27.

T. C. U. Debaters Win

FORT WORTH, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Texas Christian University debaters won a two out of three decision over a team from Drake university, Des Moines, here last night in the first interscholastic debate to be held here on spring schedule.

PIGGLY WIGGLY PLANS TO DOUBLE ITS CAPITAL

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Increase of the authorized capital stock of the Piggly Wiggly corporation from 50,000 to 500,000 shares of common stock and the exchange of the present stock of the corporation and 200,000 class A common stock of the Piggly Wiggly Stores, Inc., for the new issuance was recommended by corporation directors yesterday. This plan will be submitted to a stockholders' meeting to be held March 16.

N. Y. Stocks

	Sales	High	Low	Close
American Can	113	341	331	331
Am Tel and Tel	8	148⅝	148¼	148¼
Am Tobacco	5	116¼	115¼	115¼
Am Woolen	42	32⅛	31	32½
Bethlehem Steel	49	43¾	42	42
California Pet	56	34	33½	33½
C H I and P	10	49⅝	48⅞	48⅞
Chrysler Motor	75	48⅛	47⅛	47⅛
Coca Cola	121	148	143¾	143¾
Consolidated Gas	147	101⅝	98⅝	99
Corn Products	56	39⅛	39	39⅛
Dodge Bros pfd	9	87⅛	86⅝	87
Dupont de Nem	9	226⅝	222	222
Fisk Rubber	42	22	21½	21½
Freeport-T Co	87	24⅝	22⅞	22⅞
Gen Electric	341	375	353½	355
Gen Motors	155	126¼	124	124
Gen Petroleum	32	54⅝	53½	53¼
Gulf States Steel	14	82	80	81
Ind Oil and Gas	52	30¼	27⅝	28⅛
Kelly Spring T	15	18⅛	17⅞	17⅞
Louis and Nash	4	132½	132⅝	132⅝
Mack Truck	48	135⅝	131¼	131¼
Marland Oil	133	57⅝	56⅝	56⅞
Mid-Cont Pet	38	33⅞	33¼	33¼
M K and T	18	42⅛	41	41¼
N Y Central	73	129⅝	127⅞	128
North Am Co	112	62	60⅝	61
Pacific Oil	139	81⅝	80⅛	80⅝
Pan-Am Pet B	14	66⅝	63⅜	65
Phillips Pet	139	46⅝	45½	45½
Rario Corp	141	41⅛	37⅝	38⅝
Reyn Tob B	48	95½	94⅛	94⅛
St L and S F	4 21	95½	94⅛	94⅛
Shell Union Oil	61	26¼	25⅛	25⅛
Simms Pet	31	25¼	24Z	24⅛
Sinclair Con Oil	127	24¼	23⅝	23⅝
Southern Pac	31	101⅝	101	101
Southern Ry	15	114½	113¾	113⅛
Stand Oil of Cal	79	57⅛	56¼	56¼
Stand O of N J	163	43⅝	42¼	42⅝
Stude Corp	81	61⅛	59⅜	59⅝
Texas Company	36	52	51⅝	51⅝
Tex Gulf Sulp	40	137⅝	136⅛	136½
T and P	31	53⅛	50⅛	50⅛
T and P C and O	31	15⅛	14⅛	11⅛
Transcont Oil	24	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Union Pacific	13	148½	147½	147½
U S Rubber	161	79⅝	76⅛	76⅛
U S Steel	398	128⅝	127⅛	127⅛
Willys Over	126	30¼	29⅛	29⅛

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—(AP)—A large quota of favorable trade news, stock prices developed a pronounced reactionary tendency in today's stock market. An extreme break of over 20 points to 353½ in General Electric based on reports that directors would take no special dividend action at their meeting in Boston tomorrow started a wave of selling in the afternoon which carried scores of other issues down one to 10 points from their earlier high levels. Previously, the market had shown a tendency to rally under the leadership of the high grade industrials.

The market apparently disregarded such constructive items as the senate's passage of the tax bill, expanding steel operations, increasing inquiries for railroad equipment, raising of the annual dividend of Underwood Typewriter from $3 to $4 and publication of unusually favorable 1925 earnings statements by the Texas Company and Pan-American Petroleum and Transport company.

Continued lack of public interest in the market was reported by the leading commission houses. Relatively stiff money rates and a tendency to defer commitments until the tax payments are out of the way also had a restrictive influence on operations for the rise. Indications that the buying power of the pools had been substantially reduced by the stocks absorbed on the recent decline were seen in the way in which bids were withdrawn on several issues when large blocks of stocks were pressed for sale.

U. S. Steel common celebrates its silver anniversary by closing ⅜ lower at 127⅛ although it had touched 128⅝ earlier in the session on the announcement that mill operations were now 90 per cent of capacity, the highest rate this year. American Can opened at 326, advanced to 341 and then broke to 331 for a net loss of 4½ points on the day.

At intervals, special buying appeared in some of the motor shares on expectations of large earnings for the first quarter. Hudson was bid up to 121⅝ but dropped back later to 117⅞, off ⅛ on the day. Equipments displayed a relatively firm tone due to active short covering on reports that some of the big trunk lines were in the market for large quantities of rolling stock.

Selling of the rails was accentuated by speculative disappointment over the failure of the interstate commerce commission to hand down the "Nickel Plate" merger decision yesterday as had been widely predicted in brokerage circles.

"Nickel Plate" common broke eight points to 165. Atlantic Coast Line, Chicago and Eastern Illinois preferred, Pittsburgh and West Virginia, Texas and Pacific and Wheeling and Lake Erie preferred closed 2½ to nearly four points lower.

Call money again renewed at 5 per cent, holding steady at that figure all day. Brokers reported, however, that there was a marked increase in the supply of loanable funds. Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged.

Further irregularities developed in the foreign exchange market. Demand sterling slipped off to $4.85⅝, the lowest price in about six weeks, and French francs yielded a few points to around 3.63 cents. Norwegian kroner showed another outburst of strength, soaring 28 points to 21.67 cents. Japanese yen continued then downward movement by dropping 7-16 of a cent to 45.42 cents.

Say New Church Is To Be An Eye Sore

DALLAS, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Objection to erection of a new Methodist church on the claim that it "will be an eye-sore" and "depreciate the value of surrounding property," residents of Lake Wood Heights are threatening to institute injunction proceedings to halt the construction work.

Foundations of the church were started yesterday, despite a meeting of protest headed by J. L. Ditmus, who has just completed a $10,000 apartment house in the same block. Ditmus claimed restricted restrictions on Lakewood Heights property prohibit erection of store buildings and churches.

The church building is to be a 30x 40 feet frame structure on the rear of a corner lot. A pastor, the Rev. J. L. Willis, already has been selected. He has declared that construction work was pushed without cognizance of the property owner's dissension.

Church preference or memberships of the objectors has not been revealed.

Asks "Fair Play" For Secretary Mellon

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(AP) An appeal for "fair play" for Secretary Mellon in the proposed aluminum investigation was made in the senate today by Senator Reed, republican, Pennsylvania.

The fight, Senator Reed said, has been declared by Senator Walsh, democrat, Montana, who originally asked the investigation to be one against Secretary Mellon on the ground that he owns the controlling interest in the Aluminum company of America.

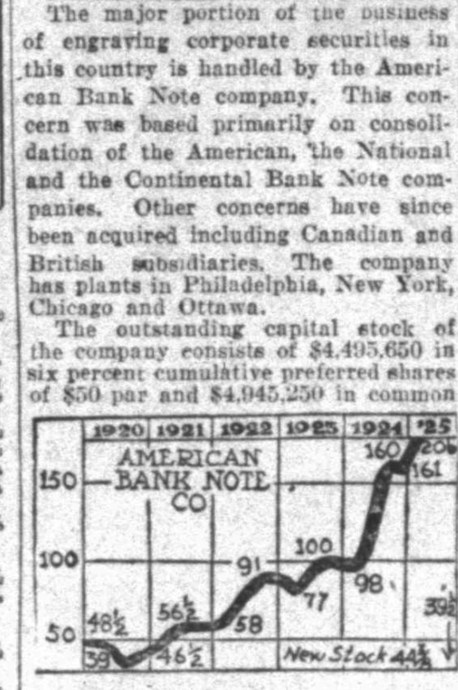
"The fact is," he added, "that Secretary Mellon owns but 16½ percent of the voting stock of the company."

STOCK-A-DAY



The major portion of the business of engraving corporate securities in this country is handled by the American Bank Note company. This concern was based primarily on consolidation of the American, the National and the Continental Bank Note companies. Other concerns have since been acquired including Canadian and British subsidiaries. The company has plants in Philadelphia, New York, Chicago and Ottawa.

The outstanding capital stock of the company consists of $4,495,650 in six percent cumulative preferred shares of $50 par and $4,945,250 in common



shares of $10 par. December 1, 1925, the old common stock of $50 par was changed for new shares of $10 par on the basis of 5 new shares for one of old. There is no funded debt. The preferred shares each have five votes as compared for one vote for each common share.

As of July 1, 1925, the ratio of current assets to current liabilities was 7 to 1 with cash and marketable securities nearly four times the total of current liabilities. Net quick assets on that date exceeded the par value of the preferred issue outstanding.

Dividends have been paid on both common and preferred since organization. The rate on the common shares now is 16 percent annually and this amount has been earned practically twice over in the last five years. Seventy percent of the full years requirements were earned in the first six months of 1925.

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Produce

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Poultry alive, steady; receipts two cars; springs 30c; fowls 28c; turkeys 35c; roosters 21c; ducks 30@32c; geese 20c.

Butter, unsettled; receipts 7,174 tubs; creamery extras 43½c; standards 42¾c; extra firsts 42@42½c; firsts 40½@41½c; seconds 37@39c.

Eggs, higher, receipts 16,008 cases; firsts 26¼@26¾c; ordinary firsts 25c.

TEXAS PRODUCE.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 25.—(Texas Market Service)—Poultry, butter and egg markets of state were all steady to unchanged this morning.

San Antonio: Hens mostly 23@24c fryers 35@37c; some higher; roosters 12c; turkeys 33@35c pound liveweight basis.

Eggs, fresh gathered firsts mostly $6.00 @6.50 per case of 30 dozen.

Fort Worth: Hens mostly 22c; springs 45c; old roosters 10c; turkeys 32@34c pound liveweight.

Eggs, fresh $6.00@6.25 per case of 30 dozen.

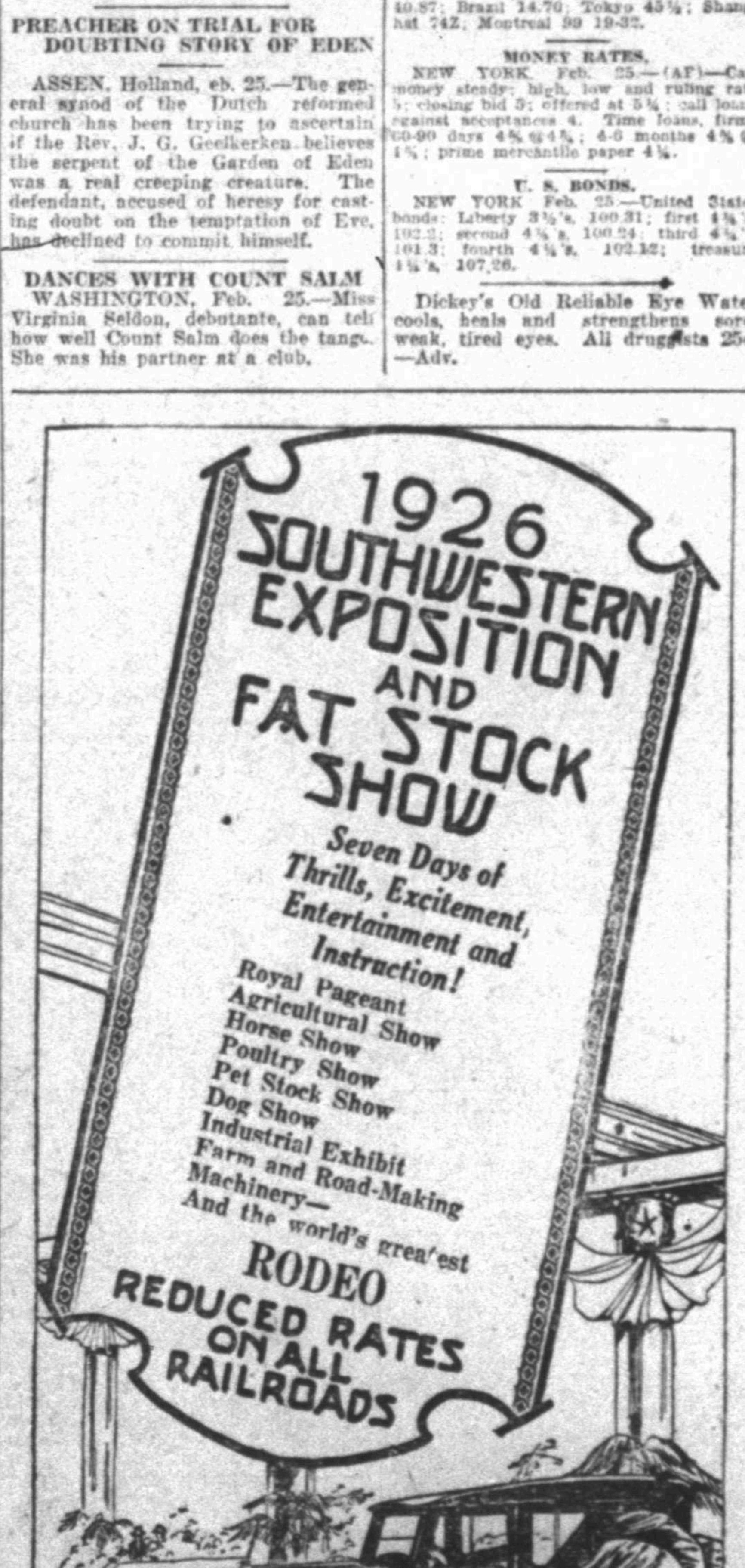
Butter, packing stock country 25@26c; creamery A 46c; B 44c pound.

PREACHER ON TRIAL FOR DOUBTING STORY OF EDEN

ASSEN, Holland, eb. 25.—The general synod of the Dutch reformed church has been trying to ascertain if the Rev. J. G. Geelkerken believes the serpent of the Garden of Eden was a real creeping creature. The defendant, accused of heresy for casting doubt on the temptation of Eve, has declined to commit himself.

DANCES WITH COUNT SALM

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Miss Virginia Seldon, debutante, can tell how well Count Salm does the tango. She was his partner at a club.



Livestock

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 25.—Cattle 4,200; calves 500; steady; fed steers and yearlings $8.25@9.25; butcher cows $5.00@6.25; fed heifers upward to $8.75; canners and cutters $3.50@4.50; bologna bulls upward to $6.00; veal top $11.50.

Hogs, 4,000; uneven; bulk of sales $11.50@13.75; packing sows $10.25@11.00; stock pigs $12.50@13.50.

Sheep, 5,000; higher; lambs $13.00@13.50; top ewes $8.50.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 25.—Supplies for the Thursday at the Fort Worth market were short in cattle and calves, hogs arrived in an unusual number of consignments, while sheep averaged along with the seasonal run.

In the cattle division, she stock predominated, as usual. No beef steers arrived. Calves carried the usual strong weights but the good quality of the preceding day was not here.

No cattle were present save in small lots; calves were present in the usual strong weights, but the good quality of the preceding day was lacking.

Fed steers 800; grass steers 8.50; beef cows ..6.00 in small drafts; $5.75 in full loads at start; this gave a semblance of steadiness to the trade based on declines of week; butcher cows $4.50 to $5.60; canners and cutters at spread prevailing at close of Wednesday. Canners from $2.75 to $3.00 and cutters from $3.25 to $4.50.

Young stock seems to have recovered from the slump of a couple of weeks ago; good heifers $5.00 to $8.00; yearlings top of $9.25; calves displayed no betterment in quality from Wednesday, top of $8.50, heavy calves $7.50 to $8.00.

Cattle, 2,500 including 400 calves; market steady; beeves $5.50@9.00; stockers $4.50@7.50; fat cows $4.00@6.50; yearlings $5.50@9.00; heifers $4.50@8.50; canners $2.50@325; cutters $250@350; calves $500@9.0; bulls $3,50@550.

Hogs, 1,500; market steady; best medium weights $12.80@12.90; good mixed $12.50 @12.75; good lights $12.90@13.00; fair mixed $12.60@12.70; fair lights $12.00@13.00; common $6.00@9.00; packing sows $10.00@11.00; pigs $10.00@10.75.

Sheep, 309; market steady; slaughter lambs $10.50@13.00; feeder lambs $9.00 @10.50; yearlings $7.50@8.50; wethers $7.50@8.50; ewes $7.50@9.00; culls $1.00 @4.00; feeders $6.00@7.00; goats $1.00 @3.50.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Cattle 11,000; fed steers to shippers largely 10 to 15c higher; others steady to 15c higher; slow at close; stockers and feeders fairly active; fully steady; top heavies $11.00; medium weights upward to $10.40; yearlings very scarce; canners, cutters and fat she stock steady; heifers weak to 15c lower; bulls unchanged; vealers 25 to 50c higher; largely $11.50@12.00 to packers.

Hogs, 41,000; fairly active; medium and heavy weight butchers opened 15 to 25c off; packing sows unchanged; bulk 250 to 325 pound butchers $11.40@11.55; better 190 to 225 pound weights largely $12.00@12.65; good and choice 180 pounds down mostly $12.75@13.00; top 140 to 165 pound weights $13.10; packing sows $9.75@10.50; bulk sorted killing pigs $13.00@13.25; shippers took 13,000; estimated holdover 5,000.

Sheep 24,000; fat lambs generally steady to 25c lower, sorts considered; spots strong on choice handy weights; feeding lambs and sheep steady; bulk fat wooled lambs $13.00@13.75; top $14.00; feeding lambs mostly $13.50@14.00; odd lots good fat ewes $8.50; choice light kind absent.

Financial

EXCHANGE RATES.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Foreign exchanges, irregular; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.85⅝; cables 4.86-1-16; 60-day bills on banks 4.82. France demand 3.63; cables 3.63½. Italy demand 4.01⅝; cables 4.01⅞. Demand: Belgium 4.54, Germany 23.80; Holland 40.03; Norway 21.59; Sweden 26.79; Denmark 25.93; Switzerland 19.23⅝; Spain 14.09½; Greece 1.43; Poland 12.00; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96; Jugo-Slavia 1.76; Austria 14⅛; Rumania 42¼; Argentina 40.87; Brazil 14.70; Tokyo 45½; Shanghai 74Z; Montreal 99 19-32.

MONEY RATES.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Call money steady; high, low and ruling rate 5; closing bid 5; offered at 5¼; call loans against acceptances 4. Time loans, firm, 60-90 days 4⅝@4¾; 4-6 months 4⅝@4¾; prime mercantile paper 4¼.

U. S. BONDS.

NEW YORK Feb. 25.—United States bonds: Liberty 3½'s, 100.31; first 4¼'s, 102.2; second 4¼'s, 100.24; third 4¼'s, 101.3; fourth 4¼'s, 102.12; treasury 4¼'s, 107.26.

Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water cools, heals and strengthens sore, weak, tired eyes. All druggists 25c. —Adv.

Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Wheat underwent a material set back in price today and in some quarters this result was to a considerable degree associated with proposals to amend the grain futures act so as to restrict any individual from trades exceeding 1,000,000 bushels a day. The wheat market closed weak, 1⅝ to 2c net lower. May $1.65⅛ to $1.66 and July $1.43½ to $1.43⅝, with corn ⅜ to ⅝c up, oats at ⅛c decline to ¼c gain and provisions 12c to 20c down.

Diminished receipts and smallness of rural offerings gave firmness to corn values. According to some observers, investment buying of corn is broadening on account of belief that the big run of corn is over. Oats were steadied by the action of corn.

In line with the hog market provisions receded.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE.

	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—			
May new	1.68⅛	1.65½	1.65⅛
May old	1.66¼	1.64	1.64
July	1.45⅝	1.43⅛	1.43½
Sept.	1.38⅛	1.36⅛	1.36⅝
CORN—			
May	.79½	.79	.79⅝
July	.83	.82½	.82⅝
Sept.	.84⅝	.83⅝	.84⅛
OATS—			
May	.42	.41Z	.41⅝
July	.42⅝	.42⅛	.42½
Sept.	.43⅛	.42⅝	.42⅝
RYE—			
May	.92½	.92	.92
July	.93⅝	.93	.93⅛
Sept.	.94⅛	.92⅛	.92⅛
LARD—			
May	14.82	14.72	14.75
July	15.05	14.97	14.97
RIBS—			
May	....	....	15.47
July	....	....	15.45
BELLIES—			
May	....	....	16.25
July	....	....	16.47

TEXAS CASH GRAIN.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 25.—The following shows range of values on the Fort Worth cash grain market, basis delivered group three or Texas common points, based on bids, offers and sales of Fort Worth dealers, according to the Fort Worth grain and cotton exchange:

Wheat: No. 1 dark hard, $1.64@1.87; No. 1 ordinary hard, $1.83@1.86; No. 1 red, $1.92@1.95; No. 1, 75 per cent red, $1.90@1.92.

Corn: No. 2 white, 91@92c; No. 3 white, 86@90c No. 2 mixed, 84@90c; No. 3 mixed 87@89c.

Oats: No. 2 red, 56@58c; No. 3 red, 52@54c; No. 3 white, 52@53c.

Snapped corn, 85c@$1.05; No. 3 barley, 80@82c; No. 3 milo, $1.27@1.30; No. 3 kaffir, $1.21@1.23; maize heads $22@24, kaffir heads $20@22; red top cane seed $2.40@2.50.

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.67@1.72; No. 2 red, $1.74@1.75; May $1.58⅝; July $1.35⅝; September $1.28⅝.

Corn: No. 3 white, 69@69½c; No. 2 yellow, 71½@72½c; No. 2 mixed 70@71c; May 74½c; July 77⅝c; September 79⅝c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 41½@42½c; No. 3 white, 40½@41¼c.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Cash wheat No. 2 hard, $1.76.

Corn: No. 4 mixed, 62½@69c; No. 3 yellow, 72½@75c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 41@41½c; No. 3 white, 40⅝@41c.

FRANCE AND RUSSIA OPEN CONFERENCE ON TRADE

PARIS, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Negotiations between soviet Russia and France with regard to commercial relations, credits and the settlement of debts were opened today in the foreign office under the chairmanship of Premier Briand. M. Rakovsky, the soviet ambassador, represented his country.

PRICE OF MEMORIAL COINS TO GO UP SOON

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Price of Stone Mountain Confederate memorial half dollars will be raised to $2 April 15, H. N. Randolph, president of the Stone Mountain monumental association, announced today.

TEXAS IS FIRST IN BEEF CATTLE

Is Seventh in Dairy Stock In U. S., Farm Census Shows

DALLAS, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Texas stands first in beef cattle among the states and seventh in dairy cattle the United States department of commerce announced today as a result of its recent farm census.

This state had 5,800,931 head of cattle of all kinds on Jan. 1, placing it well in the lead of all other states, the census shows. The second state is Iowa with 4,372,295 head. Nebraska is third with 3,314,373, Kansas fourth with 3,143,171 and Wisconsin fifth with 3,035,131.

Wisconsin leads all states in dairy cattle having 1,961,019 head of dairy cows and heifers two years old and over. As compared with Wisconsin, Texas, with 2,358,461 beef cattle two years old, and over had only 731,203 head of dairy cattle in this class. Iowa and Nebraska were the only other states having more than one million head of dairy cows.

Colonel Clarence Ousley, director of the Texas Safe Farming association in commenting on this report, declared that Texas should develop the dairy business as one element in the diversified farming program on which the state is launched. He pointed to the great wealth that has come to Wisconsin through the many products of the dairy, butter, cheese and milk, and said that the same thing was possible for Texas.

JUDGE ASKS CHARLESTON DEMONSTRATION IN COURT

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—An Evanston court room may be the scene of a Charleston demonstration by Miss Dorothy Cope, senior at Northwestern, whose landlady charges the co-ed's dancing kept her awake at nights Justice Samuel Harrison believes a demonstration of the step will aid in reaching a decision.

MRS. WHITNEY DENIES SHE SNUBBED MRS. IRVING BERLIN

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BROCKTON, Mass., Feb. 25.—(AP)—A threatening letter, the second since the trial of Anthony Bimba, Lithuanian editor charged with blasphemy, opened here yesterday, was received today by Associate City Attorney Joseph M. Veracka, who is assisting in the prosecution of Bimba.

The letter, made public at today's session of the trial, read in part: "Remember, attorney, if Bimba is not sentenced we can shoot. Don't be a coward. There is a God. What about the rain, the sun and many other things? He is a fool that hates others to live, but Hoffman is with him. Let's have war."

The Hoffman referred to is Harry Hoffman, counsel for Bimba. The missive received yesterday threatened the associate city attorney with death if Bimba was convicted.

RESENTS HAVING HER NAME ON TOMBSTONE

LITCHFIELD, Ill., Feb. 25.—"Restor Buttol, killed by Blanche Bellaver, October 1, 1923." This inscription appears on a tombstone here over the grave of a Schram City boy traffic victim. Miss Bellaver's family has appealed to State's Attorney Frank M. Ramey seeking to have the inscription removed. She was exonerated by a coroner's jury.

Texas Is Growing

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Twenty-two charters, eight amendments and two foreign permits, granted today by the secretary of the state, surpassed previous records of many years in the number of new concerns granted corporations charters in one day. It was taken here to indicate an increase in business generally as the number of charters granted during the past three months have exceeded any like period for some time.

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SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—More than 1,000 tourists and winter visitors to San Antonio, representing every state and a number of foreign countries, had registered tonight to participate in the parade and festivities to feature the Conopus club's third annual tourist day tomorrow.

The celebration will begin with a parade of decorated cars at San Pedro Park. There will be a barbecue dinner at noon, bathing beauty review, athletic events and other forms of entertainment.

Great slabs and carcasses of meat were hung in the trees around the barbecue pit this afternoon, and the barbecuing was scheduled to begin at midnight, under the direction of Bobby Burns, who came from Kenedy to take charge of that feature.

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Poultry and Supplies 49

TO AVOID disappointment, buy your S. C. Rhode Island Red setting eggs from R. R. Hartman. $150-$350 and $5 per setting. 1410 Harrison street. Phone 4843.

HENRIETTA CHICK HATCHERY can fill your order for baby chicks; all breeds. Mrs. A. P. Deners, Mgr., Henrietta, Texas.

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red eggs for setting. 1405 Smarsh.

NORMAN'S OX-BLOOD REDS
Eggs—Chicks
Get my 1926 folder describing five "special matings." Norman's Red Farm. Byers, Texas.

Articles for Sale 51

SECOND HAND RESTAURANT FIXTURES FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.
1 coffee urn.
1 ice box.
1 pie oven.
(30 pie capacity.)
1 electric waffle iron.
1 hot plate.
You can get these items at a genuine bargain price by calling 9680 and asking for Trent.

FOR SALE—One 220 egg Safety Hatch incubator. Only used twice. Price $22.50. Write 478, Electra, Texas. A. O. Jones.

For Rent—Miscellaneous 52-A

FOR RENT—Two-inch water line. 306 Second Street. Phone 7413.

Good Things to Eat. 57

RUMMAGE SALE—Circle No. 6, First M. E. South. All day Saturday. Perkins-Snider Bldg., on Indiana.

Welding 58

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

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

ELECTRIC welding, no pre-heating automobile blocks, housing, crank case, frames, pipe lines, steam boilers, etc., welded without dismantling, either at our plant or any place in the country, as we have portable electric welding equipment.
CLARK MACHINE CO.
122 Ohio.

Furniture 59

FURNITURE! Furniture! Furniture! We repair gas stoves. Wichita Furniture Co., 1102 Ohio. Phone 8669.

YOU'LL like trading at Bolton's. Good furniture at a low price. Sell or trade us your old furniture.
BOLTON FURNITURE CO.
807 Tenth st. Phone 3389

FOR SALE—$750 Grand piano practically new at a real sacrifice. Must sell at once. 1812 Eighth Street.

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

M-O-N-E-Y!
IN YOUR HOME
Note that used and old furniture you have for sale, then phone 6011 for our high cash bid.
STAR FURNITURE CO.
922 Indiana

HOUSEHOLD specialties. Easy payments. Phone 6355 1013 9th Street. L. B. Price Mercantile Co.

MERCHANDISE

Classified Phone 4121

Furniture 59

FOR SALE—Child's bed, mattress and springs, birdseye maple dressing table. 2613 Tenth street.

Jewelry, Watches, Diamonds 60

WATCH REPAIRING—Prices right. W. C. Broyles. Jeweler. 701 Tenth St. Phone 9579.

JOHN A. MILLER
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN
28 Years Experience
707 Indiana Ave. Phone 5461

REAL ESTATE—RENT

Rooms With Board 67

ROOM and board, men only. 1200 Lamar.

ROOM and board. Lovely south bedroom, adjoining bath and telephone. Excellent meals. $9.50 per week. 800 Taylor. Phone 9569.

ROOM and board, $10 week. Call at 1007 Burnett. Phone 6306.

ROOMERS and boarders wanted at 1217 North Ninth Street, near The American Refinery.

CAN room and board two men; private home; $8.50 week. 1323 North Seventh. Phone 7139.

Rooms Without Board 68

ROOMS with bath, two blocks from Kemp hotel. 706 Travis.

ROOMS — Gentlemen only. Nice, clean, close in, reasonable. 1206 Austin.

FOR RENT—Nice, large room with two beds; connecting bath. 1104 Polk street. Phone 9086.

FRONT bedroom, adjoining bath. 1211 Monroe. Phone 5744.

NICE bedroom, hot and cold water, $5.00 per week. 1104 Scott street.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom at 905 Austin St. Hot and cold water in bathroom.

WELL furnished room for gentleman or employed couple. Walking distance. On pavement. 1509 Eleventh. Phone 9479.

FOR RENT—Nice, clean bedrooms. Also two garages. 1316 Twelfth street. Phone 9714.

BEDROOMS, hot and cold water. Reasonable. Phone 21419; 709 Burnett.

BEDROOMS for rent; close in. 1509 Travis.

NICELY FURNISHED bedroom. Prefer two graduate nurses or two school teachers. 1104 Polk. Phone 9086.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom. Front and back entrance. To men only. 510 Scott.

FOR RENT—Bedroom convenient to bath and telephone. Close in. Phone 7593.

Rooms for Housekeeping 69

TWO furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 709 Holliday.

TWO light housekeeping rooms for rent. Sink in kitchen. 1405 Seventh Street. Phone 6289.

TWO light housekeeping rooms. Screened-in back porch, sink in kitchen. 1412 Twenty-second street. Phone 4628.

ONE furnished light housekeeping room for rent. 300 Burnett. Phone 6023.

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms; furnished, modern. 1001 Virginia. Phone 5506.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms. Hot and cold water; close in. 908 Fourth street.

TWO unfurnished rooms for rent. Phone 7813.

TWO nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. On pavement, to responsible party; no children. 1705 Burnett. Phone 6541.

FOR RENT—One furnished room for light housekeeping. Call at 1702 Holliday after 12 p. m.

ONE light housekeeping room for rent. Everything furnished, $7 per week. 1110 Third street.

THREE Furnished rooms in modern home on pavement or can fix two rooms for couple. 2107 Buchanan St.

Where to Stop in Town 72

RUMMAGE SALE—Circle No. 6, First M. E. South. All day Saturday. Perkins-Snider Bldg., on Indiana.

Apartments and Flats 7

FOR RENT—On 1609 Broad, furnished apartment. Has two bedrooms Phone 5039—3567.

APARTMENT for rent. Two blocks from Kemp hotel. 706 Travis.

BEAUTIFUL three-room apartment, modern, unfurnished, close in. Price $35. Phone 8022. 412 Lamar.

GARAGE apartment, nicely furnished, on pavement; four adults (white people.) References. Phone 6953.

FOUR-ROOM unfurnished apartment, private bath, built-in cabinet, garage. 2113 Princeton. Phone 4541.

NIELY furnished two-room apartment on pavement, convenient to both car-lines, garage if desired. 1600 Fillmore street.

FOR RENT—Four-room apartment; private bath. 1411 Taylor.

NICELY furnished two-room apartment, all modern and newly furnished. 1308 Clark Street. Phone 6855.

FOR RENT—Three-room apartment, furnished. 1915 Kemp Blvd. Phone 7973.

FOR RENT—Nice four-room and bath apartment, garage 2304 Seventh Street. Phone 4753.

APARTMENT consisting of south bedroom; nicely furnished; east, south and west windows; newly papered. Kitchen and dining-room combined, in white. All modern conveniences, bath and porch, private entrance, on car line, close in, garage. To adults. 1310 Thirteenth Street.

SIX-ROOM modern apartment at 1920 Tenth Street, over Gate City grocery, $50 per month. H. G. Helgerson. Phone 9573.

REAL ESTATE—RENT

Classified Phone 4121

Houses for Rent 77

FOR RENT—Seven-room home, 1415 Twelfth street. Nicely furnished, linens, blankets, quilts, silver, tableware and kitchen utensils. Arranged for duplex. Shown by appointment. C. C. Jones Sr., 407 Staley. Phone 6450.

SIX-ROOM modern apartment at 1920 Tenth Street, over Gate City grocery, $50 per month. H. G. Hilgerson. Phone 9573.

COMPLETELY furnished six-room house. On pavement and car line. Party who will board three adults for rent. House rents for $125. Two garages. If interested, call 8632.

FOR RENT—A nice six-room brick home, located at 2410 Ninth street. Two-room modern servant house, double garage, choice neighborhood. Phone 6251.

FURNISHED five-room and breakfast room, garage and on pavement. Price $75.00 month. See owner at 1020 Scott.

FOR RENT—One-half of six-room duplex, unfurnished, South Side. 611 Denver.

FOR RENT—One five-room house. Call Childers and Son, 820 Staley Bldg. Phone 5501.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished, new house, on carline; pavement; busline. Phone 9554.

FOR RENT—Modern, four room house; bath, sleeping porch and garage. 2204 Avenue F. For particulars call 21701.

FOR RENT—2106 Buchanan, six-room duplex unfurnished, with breakfast room; on pavement. Also one six-room furnished house; modern, on pavement. Call 5532.

FOR RENT—Five room furnished home. 2115 Eighth street. L. E. Cowling & Co. Phone 9644.

FOR RENT—1625 Pearl, three room furnished apartment on paving. With linens and garage $60, without $50. All bills paid. Can see any time. Drive out.

Office and Desk Room 78

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

FOR RENT—Office space. Ground floor, 804 Ohio. Phone 4918.

Wanted—to Rent 81

WANTED TO RENT by March 11, four-room unfurnished house, near car line. Phone 3842 after 6:30 p. m.

WANTED—To rent: High class, ready furnished flat, duplex or house. Phone 734 Kemp hotel.

WANTED TO RENT—Modern five or six room unfurnished bungalow. On pavement; in desirable located. With servants' house and double garage. Phone 6259.

WANTED—Modern two or three room apartment close in, give location and price in first letter, answer Record News, Box A-230.

Business Property for Sale 82

FOR SALE—Sandwich shop. 906 1-2 Ninth street.

REAL ESTATE—SALE

Farms and Land for Sale 83

FOR SALE—One only beautiful farm lot 100x350 ft. fronts hard road, 100 ft. Same amount of pavement in city would cost you $700. Entire lot under ditch with laterals ready for use. Water costs $3.50 per year. Fine loamy soil; plenty soft water for domestic purposes; natural gas; telephone; good all white community, less than four block from city school. All children eligible to city high school and Junior college. One-fourth cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years.
DANCER & SKALINDER, REALTORS.
Phone 7611.

FOR SALE—Small irrigated tracts on Iowa Park road. Have one 20-acre tract, improved, would consider trade on city property.
W. L. VALENTINE.
Phone 9957. Basement First National Bank Building.

Houses for Sale 84

FOR SALE—New five-room home. East front, on street to be paved soon. Might take good car on vacant lot as first payment. Price $4,750. See owner, Eli Morgan, 716 Tenth Street Phone 7500.

EIGHT ROOM DUPLEX.
In Scotland addition. On car line, near good school. Good revenue property. Would take car as first payment. Call West. 4588.

DRIVE out to 2714 Fairview boulevard and see my new four-room and bath, breakfast room, hot and cold water. For sale $2,850. Easy terms. T. J. Davis, 1703 Kemp.

FOR RENT—Oone-half duplex with garage; $35 per month. 1313 Sixth street. Seals & Crain, 216 Staley. Phone 6496 or 3038.

BARGAIN IN SCOTLAND
FOUR-ROOMS—$2,350.
This home is new, modern, well constructed; garage; half block off pavement. Phone 9107-7326 or see T. E. Hill, 710 1-2 Indiana.

DUPLEX SACRIFICE
SEVEN ROOMS, $4,750.
Small payment down, situated close in. This home is in excellent condition, back yard fenced; garage. Could not build house and buy lot for $1,000 above price. Phone 9107-7326 or see T. E. Hill, 710 1-2 Indiana.

STATON & STATON
English type. This is a cozy little home, containing five rooms. Has all the modern built-in features, and is new and well finished throughout. And the paving is paid. Has garage. Price $4,000, with $400 cash.
In the Southland addition. This home is located at 1806 Pearl street. It has five rooms, breakfast room, has all the modern conveniences. In splendid condition. Nice lawn, back yard fenced. Good garage. It is now vacant and ready to be occupied. Price $6,000. Very reasonable cash payment. Easy terms.
STATON & STATON.
Realtors.
712 Eighth St. Phone 5328-5323.

REAL ESTATE—SALE

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Houses for Sale. 84

NICE LITTLE COUNTRY HOME
With city water, lights and gas, 3-4 acre, fine garden land, new, comfortable 4-room house, nice garage, fruit trees, close in on graveled street. One block from paved highway, for only $2,800. Take Ford car as part payment, balance $30 per mo.
BALDRIDGE REALTY CO.
Realtors.
716 1-2 7th St. Phone 4040.

FILMORE STREET
5 ROOMS, $3,400.
This place is new and strictly modern, near good school and car line $350 cash will handle. Frank Parrish. 710 1-2 Ind. Phone 5123 or 9107.

Wanted—Real Estate 89

WANTED—Five or six-room house. Must be in good condition and priced right. Address answer to P. O. Box 1605.

WANTED—Lot from owner on cash basis. Must be well located and priced right. Call Lebrecht, 4118 during day, 5044, night.

Real Estate Dealers 89-A

J. I. MUNDELL
Lots. 224 Staley. Phone 6258.

HARLIN BROS. Real Estate Co. 305 City National Bank.

JOHN W. HUNT
Real Estate. 716 Indiana.
Phone 2-1443. Res. Ph. 6574.

WANTED TO BUY at once, direct from owner, brick or brick veneer home, located in good residence section of city. Answer Box 77, Record News.

AUCTIONS—LEGALS

Legal Notices 91

"TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING ON TWENTY-FIRST STREET FROM BROAD STREET TO BLUFF STREET AND TO ALL OTHERS INTERESTED."

Notice is hereby given of the intention of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, to proceed with the improvement of Twenty-First street, from the east property line of Broad to the west property line of Bluff, by raising, grading and filling same and installing concrete curb and gutters and paving with one-course reinforced concrete and assessing a portion of the cost of making and constructing such improvements against all lots and parcels of property abutting on said portion of said street and all lots and land benefited by means of the said improvements, and such assessments, when levied, shall be a first and prior lien upon the lots and land assessed, and a personal claim and a charge against the owners thereof.

On the 15th day of March, A. D. 1926, in the Council Chamber in the basement of the City National Bank building in the City of Wichita Falls, at 7:30 p. m. o'clock, all such owners and their agents will be fully heard by the Board of Aldermen, and any protests, objections, or claims will be fully and fairly heard. The benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each such lot or parcel of land and the owners thereof will be determined and assessment thereof will be levied.

Plans and specifications for the improvements and form of contract and report of Engineer showing estimated cost thereof, are on file in the office of the City Clerk and open to inspection.

The estimated cost of said improvement is $6,438.22.

The estimated amount to be assessed against property owners is $5,948.92.

The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.40 per lineal foot of curb; and,

The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavation is $4.46901 per front foot.

All persons, firms, corporations, or estates, their agents or attorneys, desiring to be heard in any matter or thing in anywise connected with said improvements, the assessment therefor, the benefits thereof, the damages resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before said Board of Aldermen at said time and place.

Done in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 21st day of December, 1925.
W. E. M'BROOM,
City Clerk.

"TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING ON AVENUE N BETWEEN WENONAH AVENUE AND GARFIELD STREET AND TO ALL OTHERS INTERESTED."

Notice is hereby given of the intention of the City to proceed with the improvement of Avenue N from its intersection with east property line of Wenonah to its intersection with the east curb line of Garfield street, by raising, grading, and filling same and installing concrete curbs and gutters where adequate curbs and gutters are not now installed, and paving with 2-inch sheet asphalt Willite Process pavement on 5-inch concrete foundation, and assessing a portion of the cost of making and constructing such improvements against all lots and parcels of property abutting on said portion of said street and all lots and parcels of property benefited by means of such improvements and the owners of such lots or parcels of property; and such assessments, when levied, shall be a first and prior lien upon the lots and parcels of property assessed, and a personal claim and charge against the owners thereof.

On the 15th day of March, 1926, in the Council Chamber in the City National Bank Building in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., all such owners and their agents or attorneys, or any other persons or parties desiring to be heard, will be fairly heard by the Board of Aldermen and any protests, objections or claims will be fully and fairly heard, the benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each lot or parcel of property and the owners thereof are on file in the office of the City Clerk and are open to inspection.

The estimated cost of said improvement is $12,677.73.

The estimated amount to be assessed against the property owners is $11,730.70.

The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.50 per lineal foot of curb; and

The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavation is $6.07366 per front foot.

All persons, firms, corporations or estates, their agents or attorneys desiring to be heard in the matter or thing in any wise connected with said improvements, the assessment therefor, the benefits thereof, the damages resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before said Board at said time and place.

Done in accordance with the Resolution of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 15th day of Feb., 1926.
Signed, W. E. M'BROOM,
City Clerk.

"TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING ON AVENUE O BETWEEN WENONAH AVE. AND SANTA FE AVENUE, AND TO ALL OTHERS INTERESTED:"

Notice is hereby given of the intention of the City to proceed with the improvement of Avenue O from its intersection with east property line of Wenonah Ave. to its intersection with the east curb line of Santa Fe Ave., by raising, grading, and filling same and installing concrete curbs and gutters where adequate curbs and gutters are not now installed, and paving with 2-inch sheet asphalt Willite Process pavement on a 5-inch concrete foundation, and assessing a portion of the cost of making and constructing such improvements against all lots and parcels of property abutting on said portion of said street and all lots and parcels of property benefited by means of such improvements and the owners of such lots or parcels of property; and such assessments, when levied, shall be a first and prior lien upon the lots and parcels of property assessed, and a personal claim and charge against the owners thereof.

On the 15th day of March, 1926, in the Council Chamber in the City National Bank Building in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., all such owners and their agents or attorneys, or any other persons or parties desiring to be heard, will be fairly heard by the Board of Aldermen and any protests, objections or claims will be fully and fairly heard, the benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each lot or parcel of property and the owners thereof, are on file in the office of the City Clerk and are open to inspection.

The estimated cost of said improvement is $8,331.30.

The estimated amount to be assessed against the property owners is $7,708.50.

The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.50 per lineal foot of curb; and

The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavation is $5.68034 per front foot.

All persons, firms, corporations or estates, their agents or attorneys desiring to be heard in the matter or thing in any wise connected with said improvements, the assessment therefor, the benefits thereof, the damages resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before said Board at said time and place.

Done in accordance with the Resolution of the Board of Aldermen, of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 15th day of Feb., 1926.
Signed, W. E. M'BROOM,
City Clerk.

"TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING ON WILSON STREET FROM HOLLIDAY ROAD TO GRACE STREET AND TO ALL OTHERS INTERESTED."

Notice is hereby given of the intention of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, to proceed with the improvement of Wilson street from the west property line of Holliday road to the west property line of Grace street, by raising, grading and filling same and installing concrete curb and gutters and paving with one-course reinforced concrete, and assessing a portion of the cost of making and constructing such improvements against all lots and parcel of property abutting on said portion of said street and all lots and land benefited by means of the said improvements, and such assessments, when levied, shall be a first and prior lien upon the lots and land assessed, and a personal claim and a charge against the owners thereof.

On the 15th day of March, A. D. 1926, in the Council Chamber in the basement of the City National Bank building in the City of Wichita Falls, at 7:30 p. m. o'clock, all such owners and their agents will be fully heard by the board of aldermen, and any protests, objections, or claims will be fully and fairly heard. The benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each such lot or parcel of land and the owners thereof will be determined and an assessment thereof will be levied.

Plans and specifications for the improvements and form of contract and report of Engineer showing estimated cost thereof, are on file in the office of the City Clerk and open to inspection.

The estimated cost of said improvement is $5,466.00.

The estimated amount to be assessed against property owners is $5,054.42.

The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.40 per lineal foot of curb; and,

The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavattion is $3.57351 per front foot.

All persons, firms, corporations, or estates, their agents or attorneys, desiring to be heard in any matter or thing in anywise connected with said improvements, the assessment therefor, the benefits thereof, the damages resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before said Board of Aldermen at said time and place.

Done in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 21st day of December, 1925.
W. E. M'BROOM,
City Clerk.

"TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING ON AVENUE O BETWEEN SHERMAN ROAD AND WENONAH AVENUE AND TO ALL OTHERS INTERESTED:

Notice is hereby given of the intention of the city to proceed with the improvement of Avenue O from its intersection with the east property line of Sherman road to its intersection with the west property line of

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Wenonah Avenue, by raising, grading and filling same and installing concrete curbs and gutters where adequate curbs and gutters are not now installed, and paving with one and one-half inch sheet asphalt Willite process pavement on 5-inch concrete foundation, and assessing a portion of the cost of making and constructing such improvements against all lots and parcels of property abutting on said portion of said street and all lots and parcels of property benefitted by means of such improvements and the owners of such lots or parcels of property; and such assessments, when levied, shall be a first and prior lien upon the lots and parcels of property assessed and a personal claim and charge against the owners thereof.

On the 15 day of March 1926, in the council chambers in the City National bank building in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. all such owners and their agents or attorneys, or any other persons or parties desiring to be heard, will be fairly heard by the board of aldermen and any protests, objections or claims will be fully and fairly heard, the benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each lot or parcel of property and the owners thereof, are on file in the office of the city clerk and are open to inspection.

The estimated cost of said improvement is $7,989.81.

The estimated amount to be assessed against the property owners is $7392.50.

The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.50 per lineal foot of curb; and

The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavation is $4.78036 per front foot.

All persons, firms, corporations or estates, their agents or attorneys desiring to be heard in the matter or thing in any wise connected with said improvements, the assessment therefor, the benefits thereof, the damages resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before said board at said time and place.

Done in accordance with resolution of the board of aldermen of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 15th day of March, 1926.

Signed: W. E. McBROOM,
City Clerk.

CITY POUND NOTICE

Taken up and impounded by the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 461, to prevent certain stock running at large:

Descriptions—One Hereford heifer yearling, about 10 months old, rope on neck. Branded—No brand.

If the owners of said animals do not apply for same within five days from the date of this notice, I will proceed to sell said animals to the highest bidder for cash at the gate of the City Pound, as provided in ordinance first aforesaid.

W. J. TUCKER,
City Pound Keeper.

Date 2-24-26.

CLASSIFIED DISPLAY

Automotive

THE BEST IS YET TO COME

Many of the used cars on our lot still contain the best of miles that were built into them. Good dependable used cars on our bargain lot, merely, because they were driven for a season.

1924 Dodge Brothers Touring, reconditioned $500

1925 Ford Touring Car, new paint and new top $225

1924 Ford Coupe, new paint $400

1924 Dodge Brothers roadster, reconditioned $465

1923 Ford Touring Car $135

1925 Four-Door Ford Sedan $495

1923 Four-Door Ford Sedan $325

1921 Dodge Brothers Roadster $150

1924 Ford Touring $225

1924 Ford Roadster $225

1921 Dodge Brothers Touring $75

1920 Dodge Brothers Roadster $50

SPECIAL PRICE ON TRUCKS TO BE MOVED QUICKLY.

1923 Ford Truck $145

1920 Ford Truck, with new tires $125

G. M. C. Truck $145

G. M. C. Truck $395

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Phone 4144.

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1 Tudor, none better $450
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Opportunity is just around the corner

1925 Dodge Roadster
1925 Dodge Coupe
1924 Nash Coupe
1924 Nash Sedan
1925 Nash Roadster
1925 Ford Coupe
1925 Ford Touring
1923 Huup Sedan
1924 Dodge Sedan
1926 Nash Roadster
1923 Ford Coupes
1923 Ford Roadster
1924 Ford Roadster
1923 Nash Sedan
1922 Hudson Sport Roadster.

These are some of the cars that are going to be offered in the greatest

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Ever held in town. Watch for announcement dates in papers.

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1925 Hudson Sedan

Like new. In A-1 condition every way and a big saving on the price.

Keim Motor Co.
All our used cars are kept inside
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Phone 5059 For Dependable Used Cars

CHRYSLERS

1—1925 Chrysler 70 Roadster $1350
1—1924 Chrysler 70 Roadster $1100
1—1924 Chrysler 70 Phaeton $1000

BUICKS

1—1925 Buick Master Six, 7-passenger sedan $1250
1—1925 Buick Master Six, 7-passenger touring $1000
1—1923 Buick Six touring $475

FORDS

3—1925 Ford four-door sedans, $450 to $575
3—1925 Ford coupes, $375 to $450
3—1924 Ford coupes, $300 to $350
3—1924 Ford roadsters, $100 to $150
2—1924 Ford tourings, $100 to $185

OTHERS

1—1925 Maxwell coupe $600
1—1925 Maxwell touring . . . $375
1—1923 Dodge touring $300
1—1924 Dodge roadster $400
1—1925 Star touring $225

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Pay While You Ride

HERE ARE THE BARGAINS

25 to 50% Reduction

1924 Ford roadster in first class condition every way $195

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1925 Ford touring, perfect condition, practically new tires . . $275

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1924 Ford touring $175
Small cash payment, the balance in easy monthly payments.

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Nash-King Motor Co.
Phone 6808 1012 Scott St.



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Business Outlook for North Texas Greatly Improved Convention Told

DALLAS, Feb. 25.—The business outlook for North Texas and the entire southwest as well is better by far now than it was the corresponding period last year, wholesale grocers declared here today at the annual meeting of the north Texas wholesale grocers association.

H. C. Schuhmacher and W. A. Forbes, both of Houston, officials of the South Texas Wholesale Grocers Association, reported that business conditions of their section compares favorably with those of north Texas.

"Ye hear calamity howlers crying for a return of normalcy and pre-war conditions," observed Frank S. Gates, Ardmore, Okla., past president of the Oklasoma grocers, "but I believe the southwest is far better off than before the war, or even during the peak period of business following the war."

Next year's officers were to be chosen late today. Present officials include: E. M. Schenecker, Fort Worth, president; A. C. Adkins, Dallas; J. M. Radford, Abilene, and R. C. Lane, Paris, all vice presidents.

30 Men Out For Varsity Golf Team

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Thirty Texas University boys, hopeful of emulating the accomplishments of Ossie Carlton, are competing for places on the university eight-man varsity golf team. Carlton of Houston, former amateur champion of the state, acquired much of his skill while attending Texas University several years ago. During the three years he was in school he played frequently over the Austin country club course.

The university golfers are coached by Bob Murphree, a letter man in football, and a golfer of considerable promise. Murphree, now employed as auditor by the Students' Publications board of the university, was a substitute quarterback on the 1922 eleven.

Golf has been designated a minor sport by the university athletic council and the men who make the varsity teams likely will be awarded appropriate emblems, though they will not be given the big white sweater with the orange "T" which goes only to letter men in the major sports: football, basketball, baseball, track and tennis.

"Sink that putt" may become the rallying cry of future Texas University rooters. Coach Murphree will make efforts to arrange matches with rival Southwest conference schools. He expressed belief that within a few years golf will be recognized as a major sport in this section, with every Southwest conference school represented by a strong team.

No man will be allowed to play on either the varsity or the freshman team unless he is scholastically eligible.

Efforts will be made to schedule contests with club teams of San Antonio, Dallas, Houston and other Texas cities.

One Exonerated In Death of Jenkins

MARIETTA, Okla., Feb. 25.—(AP—Charges against Sam Carpenter, one of four persons accused of complicity in the killing of Dr. J. V. Jenkins, Gainesville, Texas dentist, were dismissed today. He will be held, however, as a state witness.

Others facing charges in connection with the case are Mrs. Jenkins, widow of the dentist; Tom Choate, Indian foreman of the Jenkins ranch near Burneyville where Dr. Jenkins was shot last December and Tom Jefferson, a former employe on the ranch.

Mrs. Jenkins was released yesterday on $15,000 bail, $5,000,000 being scheduled on the bond by prominent men here and in Gainesville. Bond of $19,000 was set for Choate, but has not been made.

U. S. Seeks to Collect Bootleggers' Tax

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 25.—(AP)—The federal government will seek to recover several millions of dollars from Pennsylvania dry law violators as retail liquor dealers tax under provisions of the prohibition act, it has been made known by counsel for the prohibition unit here.

The tax will be determined by the quantity of liquor sold, Wade Heilman, federal counsel, said. Tax amounting to $90,000 has already been assessed against Pittsburgh saloonkeepers and bartenders, he added, and where payment is refused the plan of action calls for recourse to the courts.

The attorney explained that individuals who manufacture liquor are subject to a tax of $2,000 as distillers, a penalty of $2,000 under the prohibition act, and a tax of $4.60 on each gallon of liquor made. Others are to be taxed $2,520 for selling liquor, the total including the tax on dealers, an occupation assessment and a special retail dealers' tax fixed by the prohibition act.

Two in Escape From De Kalb Officer

HELENA, Ark., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Two youths, Joe Rawlings and Clyde Miller, whom Burnett Tanner, deputy sheriff was returning to Helena today from DeKalb, Texas, jumped from the officers' motor car near Malvern, Ark., and escaped, Tanner reported upon his return here.

The boys were alleged to have stolen a motor car from a Helena business man. Tanner followed them into nearby woods after their escape but was unable to find them. He returned in the car which was alleged to have been stolen.

JOHN D. PAYS $8500 TO MOVE SITE OF RESERVOIR

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Feb. 25.—John D. Rockefeller had paid $8500 to prevent a reservoir obstructing the view from his Pocantico Hills estate. The village has changed the site with John D. defraying the difference in cost.

No More Money Panics, He Says

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Belief that "however the economic winds of the future may veer and change," financial disasters of the past never will reappear, was expressed by E. H. H. Simmons, president of the New York Stock Exchange, in an address today before the advertising council of Chicago.

He recalled some of the business crises which have occurred during the last 20 years and traced steps taken since in the direction of preventing recurrence.

Development of the "splendidly staunch and flexible federal reserve banking system" was held out as a conspicuous example.

The after-war collapse in 1920 for the first time in the history of American finance was met resolutely, unitedly and intelligently by the American banks under leadership of the federal reserve system, he said.

The New York Stock Exchange, he said, belongs to "this same group of institutions which are particularly useful to the entire American business community during periods of pressure and strain.

Actress, Blamed In Scandal, Weeps

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Marjorie Rambeau, actress named as co-respondent in the suit for divorce brought by Mrs. Mabell Manton, burst into tears during the cross examination of a witness at the trial which began today.

Her breakdown followed testimony by Mrs. Sarah Smith Griggs that a raiding party last August had found the actress and William Kevitt Manton together in the bed room of the actress's suite at the hotel Endicott.

Counsel for Manton said the defense would prove that Manton was in Miss Rambeau's room for "proper reasons." He said Manton was employed as a guest for Miss Rambeau, who at that time was rehearsing for a part in a play in which she later appeared.

Miss Rambeau's counsel contended that Manton was nothing more to the actress than an employe whom she had hired to assist her in the study of her part in the play.

Navy Plans For Aerial Monsters

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(AP) Navy plans for great dreadnaughts of the air, bristling with guns to ward off airplane attacks under the action of the house naval committee in providing for construction of two 6,000,000 cubic foot rigid airships in the $100,000,000 naval expansion program it recently reported to the house.

A glimpse of new monsters that have been designed given the committee by Rear Admiral William A. Moffett, naval air chief, shows seven of the new 50 calibre machine guns, 18 20-calibre and one of the post-war one-pounder automatics, together with 9700 rounds of ammunition for these weapons as a part of the regular military load of each ship.

"The guns are so situated that an enemy aircraft cannot approach from any direction or angle without permitting a concentration of fire," Admiral Moffett said.

No Inquiry Made Of Bath Tub Party

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Earl Carroll, theatrical producer, said today that neither police nor federal authorities had questioned him regarding the reported party at his theater Monday night when a chorus girl was said to have bathed in a bath tub of wine, from which the male guests drank. He reiterated his denial that such a scene had taken place.

Police who were ordered to make an investigation by Commissioner McLaughlin declined to discuss the subject.

Chief Prohibition Enforcement Agent Tuttle said that he had discontinued his investigation into reports that liquor had been served at the party. He asserted that he had asked United States District Attorney Buckner to issue a summons for Mr. Carroll but that no summons had been issued. Any action, he added, would be up to Mr. Buckner.

Cowlings Form A New Building Co.

A charter was granted Thursday by the secretary of state to the Cowling Lumber and Building company, incorporated here by J. T. Cowling, L. T. Cowling Sr., and L. E. Cowling Jr., for $10,000. The company last year built 51 homes in Wichita Falls and its present expansion is designed to permit a still larger and more complete home building service.

The concern is also now equipped to handle vendor lien paper, as practically all its homes are sold on a liberal payment plan.

Kansas Warned To Save Grass Crop

WICHITA, Kan., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Emphasizing the "fundamental importance of conserving the native pastures of Kansas," President F. D. Farrell of Kansas state agricultural college here today said Kansans must develop increased skill in utilizing the grass they have left. He spoke before the annual convention of the Kansas Livestock association.

"In the last ten years the cultivated area of western Kansas has increased 2,000,000 acres," said President Farrell, "most of it at the expense of the pasture area.

"While the pasture area is decreasing through more extensive cultivation of crops, we are facing the probable increased demand for grass."

MR. O'GRADY ROBS SIX STORES IN 20 MINUTES

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 25.—Authorities are searching for a Mr. O'Grady from Chicago who is credited with the holdup record—six in 20 minutes. He secured $446. In each store he announced "I'm O'Grady from Chicago. I'm wanted all over the United States. I want your dough."

PUCKETT SUES TO KEEP JOB

Clay County Engineer Makes Charges Against State Road Dep't.

HENRIETTA, Feb. 25.—Collusion, bulldozing, malice and various other allegations are made by D. M. Puckett, county road engineer of Clay county, in a petition filed in the ninety-seventh district court Thursday morning and in which he seeks to prevent the county commissioners' court from ousting him from his position as road engineer. The Clay county commissioners and the state highway commission of Texas are named by Puckett as co-defendants.

Notice Is Served.

It is charged in the petition that the highway commission of the state has served notice on the Clay county officials that further state aid will not be granted Clay county for the construction and maintenance of roads until Puckett is relieved of his duties as road engineer. It is further maintained in the petition that this acton of the highway commission is prompted by unjustified malice and is taken without adequate or reasonable cause. He therefore seeks a court injunction restraining the county commissioners from taking their contemplated action at the behest of the highway commission.

Made Contract.

The plaintiff's petition recites that he entered into a contract with Clay county officials on July 14, 1924, whereby he was to be in full charge of road building for a period of two years. His salary was set at $5,400 per year. This contract, it is alleged, was approved by the highway commission.

It is further alleged that the plaintiff's services were at all times competent and entirely satisfactory to Clay county officers until the state highway department began to interfere with the duties and obligations of the plaintiff and to busy itself with the duties of the Clay county roads.

Judge Vincent Stine set the case for hearing March 4.

The Old Home Town

P. P. Langford is reported ill at his home on Tilden Street.

Miss Elsie Ulrich is able to be up following a severe attack of influenza.

N. H. Martin, who has been ill for the past week is reported to be improving.

Mrs. Albert Ellis and daughter, Miss Dorothy Ellis have returned from Dallas where they have visited the past several days.

Rev. Fred T. Dotson, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, has returned from Fort Worth where he gave a series of book sermons at St. Mathews church.

William J. Spreen, educational director of the First Christian church, is expected to return here Saturday at noon from San Angelo where he is assisting in conducting a training school at the First Christian church of that city.

Dr. Frank L. Jewett, head of the Christian church Bible choir of the University of Texas, will be in Wichita Falls Sunday and will conduct both services at the First Christian church while here.

Dr. J. C. Cranfill of Dallas, well known layman of the Baptist church, will be in Wichita Falls this week end, and will speak at the services, morning and evening at the First Baptist church, during the absence of the pastor, Dr. O. L. Powers who is conducting a revival in Oklahoma City.

Mountain Story At Majestic Today

The Happy Jack Jenks Players open their second week Saturday matinee and night at the Majestic theatre with DeWitt Newing's big drama success "Dawn o' the Mountains." It has created considerable furore in the stock theatres of the country where it is being produced. Mr. Newing has laid his scenes in the mountains of Virginia; his characters are the strong willed mountaineers whose first idea is to shoot the "furriner" as they call the men of the east, and then talk with them. All the little touches of human nature, all the human kindness, the love and the sunshine of life has been incorporated in "Dawn o' the Mountains."

Bankrupt Petition Is Filed Thursday

Voluntary bankruptcy petitions were filed Thursday with the clerk of the federal district court by John David Wall and Bryan Buchanan, and, acting together, the Wall Brothers General Merchandise company of 537 Ohio avenue, Wichita Falls and Paducah, Texas. John David Wall lists personal and his share of the firm's liabilities as $8,736.41, and assets at $3,718.75. Bryan Buchanan Wall lists his share of the firm's liabilities at $4,736.41, with assets at $3,718.75.

Jernigan Freed On Theft Charge

Cecil Fernigan of Burkburnett was acquitted Thursday in the 89th district court in a trial on a charge of theft.

While the trial was the only one to take place Thursday a number of other matters were disposed of by Judge Martin. A continuance was denied but a postponement for ten days allowed to Blondy Gamble of Burkburnett under an indictment on a liquor charge. The case was immediately set for Tuesday, March 9, by the district attorney.

Harry D. Day forfeited a bond of $1,000 on each of two liquor cases set for trial Thursday. Bond in one instance was signed by R. M. Hester, R. W. Moore, H. C. Pierce, and L. Hemman, and in the other instance by Jas. R. Hill, J. E. Miller, Kenley Smith and W. A. Gressett.

Set for today are two trials on indictments charging Sherman Helms, Wichita Falls youth, with highway robbery against G. C. Hollingsworth and Ed. La Fevers on December 24 of last year. The cases were originally set for trial early in the week but were carried over upon the failure of an important state's witness to appear.

'Spring Ushered In As M'Clurkan Styles Are Shown In New Salons

The spring season was ushered in Thursday afternoon and evening with the formal opening of the new second floor addition of McClurkan's Department store, when in gorgeous array stood hundreds of lovely garments, resplendent in the pastel and warmer shades decreed by the whims of fashion. The upstairs which has been designed especially for a garment salon was filled with numerous baskets of beautiful cut flowers sent by well-wishers and friends of the establishment.

Hundreds of persons passed through the store which was charming in its display of merchandise, of bright colored silks, soft woolen materials and yards upon yards of unmade cloth was shown in the store. The guests registered and to each one was given a dainty perfume container as a favor.

The new department which the company has added in its expansion affords plenty of room for the arrangement and display of garments. The entire upstairs has been completed with the idea of the woman shopper in mind, and long French mirrors, forty-two windows which allow lighting from a natural source, are included in the arrangement.

The management of the store expressed pleasure at the interest displayed by Wichitans yesterday and last night in visiting the store.

NEW PERMITS REACH $42,525

Mytinger and Walker Start 11 New Residences in Wichita Falls

Building permits for 11 new residences in various parts of the city to be built by Mytinger and Walker forced the total of Thursday's business to $42,525, the highest yet for this week, and brought the total for the four days of the week to nearly $110,000. The residences will average almost $3,000, the 11 permits totaling $27,800. Besides these there were other permits for residences of 3,000-$4,000 class taken out.

Training Class To Graduate Tonight 125 Diplomas Ready

Commencement exercises for the Teachers' Training class which has been conducted during the week at the First Methodist church, south, will be held this evening at the church. One hundred and twenty-five students have registered during the course, and the work is graded on the merit of papers handed in each evening.

It is expected that at least one hundred will receive certificates tonight, E. F. Bohmfalk, religious educational director of the church, said yesterday.

Many out of town citizens are taking the work here.

Special Legion Paper Reaches Here

The special edition of "The American Legion Weekly" of Feb. 5, 1926, together with the supplement, styled the "Second A. E. F." has arrived in Wichita Falls, according to R. J. Claypool, commander of the Pat Carrigan Post of the American Legion, and are ready for distribution.

Information concerning the "Back To France in 1927" movement is given in the publication as prepared by the "On To France Travel Committee."

The story was written by Carl A. Baxby who is a Legion man and a member of the Richmond, Va., post, the cartoon on the back of the pamphlet was prepared by the well-known Abian A. Waligren of Philadelphia. Mr. Claypool urges all ex-service men to call at the above mentioned address and secure a copy of the supplement. The detailed plans for the trip, have not been perfected as yet, but as they are perfected such information will be printed in the American Legion Weekly.

Mr. Claypool said that interest is being manifested among ex-service men here and that the membership is growing rapidly, with quite a demand from the ex-service men in the small surrounding towns to become members of the Wichita Falls post.

B. Y. P. U. Delegates In City Sunday

Representatives from the organizations of Baptist Young People's Unions of Wichita county will be in Wichita Falls Sunday to attend the Associational B. Y. P. U. meeting which will be held at the Lamar Avenue Baptist church beginning at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, according to announcement yesterday.

The following program has been arranged:

2:00-2:10—Music by orchestra.
2:10-2:25—Song service—Martin Smith
2:25-2:35—Devotional—Leo Hevrin.
2:35-2:45— Announcements, appointing of committees, getting acquainted.
2:45-3:00—Business.
3:00-3:10—Surprise, colored male quartette.
3:10-3:25—Departmental meetings — Senior leader—C. T. Hodges. Intermediate leader—C. P. Moseley. Junior leader—Mrs. G. A. Patterson. Volunteers—Jewell Cunningham.
3:25-3:30 —Congregational singing — Chorister.
3:30-3:40—Report of committees. Award of banners, selection of next meeting place.
3:40-3:50—Special music.
3:50-4:20—Message—Mrs. E. M. Francis
4:20—Song, "Onward Youthful Workers

30TH COURT TO GRAHAM MON.

Archer County Business Is Practically Wound Up By Wilson

With but two days remaining of its Archer county term the 13th district court is preparing to pack its handbags and move to Graham Monday to begin the month's term in Young county Judge H. R. Wilson stated yesterday in Archer City that Saturday would find most of the civil docket there off the books.

The grand jury of the Young county term of the court will be convened in Graham next Monday, with the first two weeks of the month already set for civil cases. There is a light docket awaiting the grand jury, it is understood.

Criminal trials will begin on March 15, with two murder cases, for which special venires will be ordered set for that week and the next. C. C. Graham, charged by an indictment of the September grand jury with the murder of Red Well last August, will face trial on March 15, while Bob Barnett will face trial on March 22 on a change of venue granted from Archer county this month. Barnett is charged with the murder of Sheriff Ikard near Megargel last fall.

Judge H. R. Wilson and District Attorney Ben P. Allred, will remain in Graham during most of the Young county term. The 30th district court will open April in Wichita Falls again, convening the grand jury on the first Monday of the month as usual.

Girl Reserves In Study of Posture

"Posture, A Good Asset to Health," was the subject on which Girl Reserves of Fannin school talked at their regular meeting Thursday afternoon. Mrs. T. B. Couch talked to the club and brought in the importance of water, fresh fruit, vegetable and exercise in addition to good posture to bring about good health.

Oleta Wilson read the story, "The Wise and Foolish Virgins." Audrey Bell gave a talk on the "Care of the Teeth," giving illustrations and showed a poster made by one of the girls of the club.

A piano solo was given by Hazel Adkins; the devotional was led by Helen Britton; Kathleen Meeks gave a reading which was dramatized by Gertrude Stewart, Lenora Butcher and Margaret Cook.

The Fannin Girl Reserve club will attend the hike Saturday morning when four of the clubs of the city will go to Scotland Park. Miss Estelle Price, adviser of the club, will accompany the girls.

DEGREE TEAM TO VERNON.

Members of the degree team of Hope chapter, Order of De Molay, will go to Vernon, March 5, where they will confer the degrees of the order on 15 candidates, was the announcement made by Jerry Vinson, master councilor, following a communication with E. P. Haney of Vernon, chairman of the advisory council there.

A rehearsal of the degree team is set for Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, it was said.

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6-qt. Preserving Kettle	98c	3-qt. Preserving Kettle	69c
3-qt. Percolator	98c	3-qt. Water Pitcher	69c
2-qt. Double Boiler	98c	3-qt. Stew Pan	69c
4-qt. Double Boiler	98c		
10-qt. Dish Pan, round	98c		
12-qt. Dish Pan, oval	98c		
10¼-in. Double Roaster	98c		
Trays	98c		

OPEN EVENINGS

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SHOPPE

Hunt in Race For Street Commissioner In April Elections

Announcement has been made by friends of J. W. Hunt that he will be a candidate for nomination to the office of Street Commissioner in the coming April elections.

Mr. Hunt is a long resident of Wichita Falls; is a prominent real estate dealer and as such, in close touch with conditions in the city. He knows the needs of the streets here.

Mr. Hunt has always been interested in the civic welfare of the city and has taken an active part in all projects for the benefit and betterment of the community.

Mr. Hunt Thursday stated that if elected he would earnestly and faithfully perform the duties incumbent upon him in connection with this office. He is in favor of a most economical administration and is a firm believer in the policy that the public's money should be spent only when the public receives its full benefit.

CHOIR REHEARSAL TONIGHT

Regular rehearsal of the First Methodist church choir will be held this evening at the church at 7:30 o'clock, according to announcement yesterday. The practice is scheduled for Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock, but due to the illness of the director, Joel H. MacGregor, and to the training school in progress at the church this week, the meeting was postponed.

Mr. MacGregor expects to be able to meet with the singers tonight.

SCOUTS PLAN BIG JAMBOREE

Troops of City to Meet Friday Night For Hour Of Fun

An all-Scout jamboree is announced for Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church when troops of Boy Scouts of the city will assemble for various contests, according to the scout executive, Frank B. Creighton. In addition to the games different badges and merit awards will be presented. Gordon Cook will receive his Eagle Scout badge.

To the troop making the most points in the contests will be awarded a first aid kit.

Points will be given on knot tying, scout laws, the flag, and the following games: Jump the sack, poison, sack relay, "Kelly says," pillow fight, compass.

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Republican Sets Good Example In Memorial Sale

THE sale of Stone Mountain Memorial coins in Wichita Falls has been going slowly, according to members of the committee, and it took a member of the republican party to set a good example Thursday, Judge Walter Scurry said.

Postmaster O. P. Mariele purchased five of the coins yesterday morning. Thoughts of the memorial to the southern heroes invaded his mind so strongly that later in the day he bought five more, making ten for his collection.

DENTIST IS SUED

Dr. J. Benton Manning, Wichita Falls dentist, is named defendant in a damage suit for $2,500 filed Thursday in the 78th district court by Julie Newcomb.

The petition filed by the plaintiff alleges that early in this month she had certain bridge work done by the defendant at a cost of $60.

PRISONER TO U. S. COURT.

Will Cunningham, who was arrested by police officers here Tuesday has been turned over to federal authorities and is a fugitive from justice, according to a message received Thursday by Deputy United States Marshal J. J. Bartlett, who is stationed here.

Cunningham is also known as alias Bill Townsend.

Instructions to Mr. Bartlett were to hold the man until other orders came and that he was wanted in Dallas on a charge of violation of the Harrison anti-barcotic act.

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