

ALAN REED MAN IS SHOT

No Poison Is Found In Viscera Of Woman By Chemists

EXAMINATION TO BE MADE MORE THOROUGH

Remainder of Week Required To Make Certain Analysis in Austin, According to Coroner Todd.

CLUE WEAKENING

Body Was Re-interred Following Removal of Vital Organs; Woman Found Dead Recently.

The mystery of why the body of Mrs. Clyde Felcher was unearthed in its local grave remained as puzzling as ever today. First analysis of the contents of Mrs. Felcher's viscera, showed no traces of poison, according to a message received today by James Todd Jr. from the state laboratory in Austin.

Officials declared that they would make another analysis, more detailed than the first in order to make certain that there is no evidence of poison in the woman's stomach and intestines. This test would require the remainder of the week, it was stated.

The viscera was sent to Austin a week ago upon orders of Judge Todd, who held the theory that the woman's death might have been due to poison. The body was removed from the grave after 22 days when it was discovered that it had been opened and the woman's stockings removed. Half-burned matches and lumps of earth were found in the coffin. The body had not been molested.

After the viscera was removed and sent to Austin for chemical analysis, the body was re-interred in the local cemetery.

Central Baptist Men Will Meet To Form Body

For the purpose of organizing a Layman's brotherhood, about 100 men and a number of special members will meet at Central Baptist church tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. Dinner will be served by women of the church at that hour. Speeches, music and organizational procedure will follow.

The feature address of the evening will be made by Dr. J. M. Cook of Amarillo, former president of Montezuma college. His subject will be "A Man and the Church." Dr. D. N. Shepherd of Clarendon will address the assembly on the subject, "The Layman and His Work." Rev. O. N. Dunworth of Miami will have for his subject, "If I Were a Layman, What?" Women of the church and the Lutheran stringed band will furnish music for the occasion.

Just before the meeting, pastors of the Canadian Baptist Association, which includes the counties of Roberts, Gray, Hemphill, Lipscomb, and Hansford, will meet in the study of the Rev. D. H. Truhitt, pastor of the Central Baptist church, to organize the association into districts and to make plans for holding revival meetings in school-houses of the districts during this winter.

Rogers Is "Worn Out" Separating Lew And Bill

ARDMORE, Okla., Feb. 4. (AP)—Will Rogers, king of wisecrackers, went on his merry way to Duncan this morning, having crunched his drought relief fund by \$3,000 here last night.

A crowd estimated at 3,000 persons packed the auditorium and held \$4,000 for the privilege. The Claremore boy who made good raised the sale to \$4,000 and Roy M. Johnson, Ardmore oil operator, and other prominent citizens came across with the remaining \$500.

You know, it nearly wore me out keeping Lew White and Governor Murray apart up there in Oklahoma City last night," he said. "White and Murray are pretty close.

In his four appearances in Oklahoma this far, Rogers has raised almost \$21,000 for drought relief victims.

From Duncan, where he speaks at 10 o'clock, Rogers goes to Lawton for more fun making a 3 p. m. last speech in Duncan, his next overnight halt.

Texas Appeals Court Decisions Are Announced

Seventh Civil Appeals. AMARILLO, Feb. 4. (AP)—The following proceedings were had in the court of civil appeals for the seventh district at Amarillo today: Motions granted—Roy A. Webb vs. Wilson W. Ballew, to affirm on certificate; The White Motor company vs. the Insurance Company of the State of Pennsylvania, to affirm on certificate and to dismiss writ of error; W. F. Nicholas vs. Oliver Farm Equipment Sales company et al certiorari.

Motions overruled—J. K. Miller et al vs. Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway company, rehearing; Borger Townsite company vs. Hutchinson county, et al, rehearing.

Affirmed—C. B. Powell vs. Alva Akers, from Lubbock. Reversed and remanded—Lizzie Krele et al vs. Arthur B. Krele, et al, from Childress; Grover C. Bishop et al vs. J. M. Sanford, from Carson.

Submission postponed on agreement—M. S. A. Huff vs. Port Worth and Denver South Plains Railway company, from Lubbock.

Submitted—Capital Hotel company Inc., vs. E. F. Rittenberry, from Potter; Mary Smith et al vs. Minnie Rickerts et al from Hemphill; American Mortgage corporation vs. E. L. Smith, from Lubbock; P. M. Berry et al vs. county board of school trustees from Ochiltree; Minnie L. Downs vs. Farmers Grain Elevator, implement company from Armstrong.

Set for submission on April 1, 1931—Metall Oil company vs. Roy I. Carter, from Wilbarger; C. M. and D. O. Ry. company of Texas vs. George A. Foster, from Hardeman; Robert R. Campbell, Admr. vs. Wm. Cameron and company, Inc., et al from Lamb; C. T. Ware et al vs. Alex Davidson et al from Potter; Rock Creek Oil corporation vs. Lydia B. Moore et al from Potter; Weatherly Independent school district et al vs. Annie Clifton Hughes, et vir, from Hall.

CRIMINAL APPEALS

Ings in the court of criminal appeals: Affirmed: J. C. Scoggin, McCulloch; Jack Green, Armstrong; J. A. Barnett, Panola; W. C. Hickey, Van Zandt (two cases); Tom Hardison, Childress; Percy Webb, Haskell; Louis Cornutt, Carson; Fred Tarver, Callahan; Tom Rhodes, Taylor; Lee Custer, Eastland; J. F. Davis, Howard; George McRobertson, Howard; Enrique Garcia, Bee; Ofilio Herrera, Llano; W. E. Smith, Collin.

Judgment reformed and affirmed: Charlie Grabel, Smith; Lang Iden, Rusk.

Reversed and remanded: J. W. Ooon, Nagodoches; Rodney T. Verner, Tarrant; Andrew Punderbuck, Stephens; Louis Young, Young.

Appeal dismissed: P. O. Altverson, Van Zandt; H. O. Echart, Delta. Appellant's motion for rehearing overruled: C. E. Bok, Knox; Mrs. F. E. Barron, Lubbock; Ollie Shipp and Ford Strickland, Kent; Bill Mullins, Hunt; Ray McNeely, Bexar; Frank January, Cottle; Bewell Lipscomb, Harris; Sylvester Montalbano, Harris; Costoma Williams, McLennan; J. E. Maulsby, San Saba; Claude Vaughn, Johnson. Appellant's motion for rehearing overruled without written opinion: Jack Moore, Taylor.

Appellant's second motion for rehearing denied: Arthur Stollis, Jim Wells.

Appellant's request to file second motion for rehearing denied without written opinion: Sam McCaulley, Jefferson.

Dr. Albert Einstein visiting in California, has suggested that the sun like the earth has different temperatures at its north and south poles than at its equator.

A Harvard student, son of a Yale professor, who evidenced his disapproval for Rudy Vallee by throwing grapefruit at the crooner, has been asked to leave Harvard.

BRIDE IS WOUNDED AS SHE SITS ON KNEE OF HUSBAND—LATTER IS SHOT TO DEATH

SALAMANCA, N. Y., Feb. 4. (AP)—The honeymoon of less than a week of Wesley Dieter, 32, and Mrs. Vivian King Dieter, 30, was brought to a tragic end in a farm house near here last night.

A charge of knockout, fired through a window while the bride was sitting on the knee of her husband, critically wounded her and another charge fired at close range as Dieter rushed to the porch killed him.

Sheriff Frank A. Anns and a deputy arrived, found the bodies in the snow and early this morning came upon Darwin King, 30, former husband of Mrs. Dieter, hiding in an abandoned barn. The sheriff called upon the man to sur-

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Airplane Case Is on Trial

Amendment on Banking Is Proposed By Owen D. Young to Give Stability

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4. (AP)—Amendment of the constitution to protect the American people from a recurrence of present unstable banking conditions was held today by Owen D. Young, New York financier, to be the only recourse if it is found the federal government "has no authority" to apply corrective measures. Testifying before the senate banking investigating committee, Young said: "We have seen thousands of bank failures and it is a great reflection on the American people if they can't get protection against this condition. And this is a period of prosperity, of disturbed economic conditions, true, but of prosperity. "If it finally is decided that the federal government hasn't authority to correct this, I see no way out except through amendment to the constitution. "We should try the first step, and if it is found not effective, the second. The country can't go on this way."

Counterfeiters of Half Dollars Arrested in Northeast Oklahoma

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 4. (AP)—Activities of counterfeiters who had made and circulated more than \$9,000 in bogus half dollars over northeastern Oklahoma were bared, federal operatives said today, by the arrest of Denton A. Carter, 41, and Melvin Hughes, 22. Investigation following the arrest of Carter and Hughes last Friday at Broken Arrow led to the discovery late yesterday of a counterfeit plant in a shack near there. Federal operatives had been working on the case for more than two months following reports that spurious half dollars were being passed between Tulsa and Muskogee. Carter and Hughes are held in jail here. Carter is married and has six children. Hughes is single.

Economy Plan Hits Legislature As Lawmakers Resolve to Save Funds

AUSTIN, Feb. 4. (AP)—The Texas legislature felt the full impact of economy's marshall forces yesterday as the house heard a proposal to make a 10 per cent cut in the salaries of all state employees making \$200 or more a month and with the senate unanimously adopting a strict economy resolution. Representatives McGowan and Albritton of Yorktown were co-authors of the salary cut proposal while the senate's economy move which would go so far as to cut out or consolidate commissions and bureaus under the state government bore the names of a bevy of signers. The house referred the resolution to its committee on state affairs.

Meanwhile echoes of the economy movement were issuing from Gov. Ross S. Sterling's office. In conference with newspapermen he indicated that advocates of additional district courts would find it difficult to procure his sanction. Going further, the governor intimated that he would support a rigid retirement program. He said tax collections would be less this year and that the schools along with other state departments and institutions should come in for their share of slashed expenditures. Citizens were asked not to prevail upon their legislators for increased salaries and for the creation of new commissions and bureaus. The house resolution stated that salaries were in need of readjustment, that they had been fixed when the cost of living was higher.

Night Man Gagged; Safe Then Opened

GREENVILLE, Feb. 4. (AP)—Three unknown men early today held up Sid Watson, night man at the Lone Oak light plant, blindfolded and gagged him and marched him to a drug store where they opened the safe and took \$15. Watson was left bound in the drug store. He worked loose from his bonds and notified officers. An arrest was made.

There are eighteen million more women than men in Europe.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Mostly cloudy, rain in extreme west portion tonight; Thursday cloudy, local rains. EAST TEXAS: Increasing cloudiness tonight; Thursday, cloudy, becoming unsettled in west portion. Light northerly to easterly winds on the coast. OKLAHOMA: Increasing cloudiness tonight; Thursday, cloudy.

—AND A SMILE— SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP)—Chris Tranchese is disappointed. He regards himself as champion ice skater of the world and applied to the New York State Athletic commission for permission to give a demonstration on one of Manhattan's busy streets. The commission referred him to the street cleaning department.

BANKER NOW AGAINST PLAN TO PAY CASH

Rome Stephenson Fears It Is Too Likely to Delay Good Business; Feels Optimistic Over Present.

GIVES SOLUTION

Part Payment Could Be Done Without Injury to Status of Nation If Spread Over Several Months.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4. (AP)—Rome C. Stephenson, president of the American Bankers' association, testified today that cashing veterans service certificates would make hopes of gradual business recovery seem "ill founded."

Before the house ways and means committee, the banker reiterated his belief the "nation is now headed back toward economic recovery." "However," he added, "if this bonus plan payment is to eventuate, it would seem that those hopes are ill founded."

Stephenson termed the nation's present condition "one of the greatest business depressions of its history," and attributed it to "economic surprises."

Upholding Secretary Mellon's opposition to cash redemption of the veterans' adjusted compensation certificates, he said he spoke "not primarily for the banks or for any particular interests, but essentially for the far greater welfare of all of our people."

Cites Other Bills. Enactment of plans to pay cash for certificates now, he warned, might in the future hinder enactment of "other really deserving bills for the relief of the World War veterans."

"The nation has suffered enough economic adversity already," he declared.

Stephenson went on to give the opinion, however, that two substitutes for full cash redemption of soldiers certificates could be executed "without serious injury to business."

Representative Hadley, republican, Washington, asked what would result from taking \$754,000,000 of the treasury reserve for application toward retirement of the certificates, and floating a billion dollar bond issue for part payment.

"It would not be so disastrous," he said.

"You think that would have less effect on the market?" Hadley questioned.

Approves Alternative. "If arrangements for that could be made so as to spread it over some months," the banker answered, "I believe it could be done without serious injury."

Representative Crowther, republican, New York, asked what would come of giving veterans four per cent treasury bonds—convertible at any time—for their certificates.

Again Stephenson said, it could be done "without serious injury." Representative Estep, republican, Pennsylvania, recalled under Secretary Mills of the treasury, had opposed this plan, predicting it would lead to defrauding of veterans by loan sharks.

"I believe a majority of the veterans would hold the bond," said Stephenson. "They might use them form collateral. But I do not believe this would seriously disturb business."

Illegal Holding of Office Is Charged

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 4. (AP)—W. M. Williams, democratic senator from Mangum, charged today that B. F. Van Dyke, appointed yesterday to the state prison Jan. 14, by Governor Murray, is holding office illegally, and said he will sue for recovery of his salary if any is paid him.

"Thirteen" Is Blamed For Panie's Spree—But We'll Still Cuss The Old G. O. P.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4. (AP)—Depression's bleak era is over and "one, and everything's 'okey" for the year '31. This dope's on the level, for figures don't lie, asserts one J. Harris, a cheerful like guy.

The blame for depressions this century's seen he says can be laid to the number "13." The unlucky total of 13 appears in "adding the digits of all the lean years."

A "one" and a "nine" and a "three" and an "0" will total 13, your addition will show. In nineteen naught three and in '21 too, total "13" raised a panicky hue.

This year of our Lord has no similar jinx, and nothing can panic us, J. Harris thinks.

DEFENSE HAS ALIBI IN CASE THIS MORNING

Houston Woman's Story Is Somewhat Different From That of Major Evans and Other Witnesses at Trial.

VERNON, Feb. 4. (AP)—Defense counsel for Emmett Thompson, charged with murder in connection with the slaying of Homer Crabtree, today offered another purported eye-witness account of the attack on Crabtree last November.

Mrs. W. Green, Houston, told of seeing the attack as she was driving along the road en route from Chickasha, Okla., to Pampa. She said she first saw a small car drive rapidly away from the scene and then observed two men struggling about 50 yards from the road.

The witness testified that when she first saw the men, one was striking and kicking the other, who was clutching him about the waist. She said the second man then slumped to the ground while the other continued to kick him.

Mrs. Green said she met a truck being driven rapidly away before she reached the scene, the inference being that the truck was driven by Major Evans, who had testified that he saw the two men drag Crabtree out of the car and stamp on him. The defense sought to show that Crabtree was still able to stand after Evans and Thompson's car had left.

A. C. Meier, Amarillo insurance man, told of Thompson's asking for a witness and saying another man and his partner had been fighting. Meier said Thompson did not say "we" referring to the affray.

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TWO ROBBERS LOOT BANK IN EARLY RAID

Jim Bryant Pierced by Bullet But Is Likely to Recover, Says Physicians of Clarendon Hospital.

HOT UPON TRAIL

Heavily Armed Deputies Have Clue and Expect Arrest Will Be Made at Once by Squadron.

Basing their action on strong clues, Sheriff Lon Blanton and his deputies left here early this afternoon on a mission which they believed would result in arrest of the two men who robbed the First State bank of Amarillo of \$2,300 early today and critically wounded Jim Bryant, a customer.

They had combed the central part of Gray county and had confiscated a Ford coupe in which it is believed the robbers made their escape. The car had been overturned and abandoned seven miles southeast of Pampa.

Sheriff Lon Blanton this morning led a posse of officers in search of two bandits who robbed the First State bank of Amarillo of approximately \$2,300 and critically wounded a customer, Jim Bryant.

Bryant was rushed to a Clarendon hospital by W. J. Ball, Abilene merchant, who told the News-Post that a steel-jacketed bullet went cleanly through the man's stomach but that recovery was considered likely by physicians.

Bryant, a blacksmith, entered the bank on business and was told to lie down on the floor. Somewhat deaf, he misunderstood the instructions and the intent of one of the bandits. He was shot and, although in great pain, was forced to get down with E. B. Hedrick, cashier, and Miss Jennie Stierod, bookkeeper. The outlaw pair, cursing their victims, gathered up all the money in sight then made Mr. Hedrick open the vault and hand out some additional cash. He purposely overlooked a larger sum.

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"I'm in the Jailhouse Now"

Runaway Girls Held Here But They Are Glad to Enjoy Thrills of Being Placed in County Jail.

"I'm in the jailhouse now. I'm in the jailhouse now. I told that judge right to his face, I didn't like this lousy place. I'm in the jailhouse now!"

"I've always wanted to sing that song and know that it's true," exclaimed one of a duo of 16-year-old girls who have been the subject of a 10-day search by Panhandle and Western Oklahoma officers. They were picked up on the Clarendon road about 8 o'clock this morning by John Hensley and Sherman White and brought to the sheriff's office after they had been informed that the girls were running away by a man who had given them a ride from Panhandle.

With the two girls was another girl, also 16, who lives in White Deer. She joined the two runaways this morning. The trio said they were en route to Clarendon where they said they intended to visit the

White Deer girl's relatives. The other two girls live in Panhandle. They left home a week ago and hitch-hiked into Oklahoma. They stayed at Elk City Monday night and came to White Deer yesterday. They said they stayed at a hotel there last night. They are being held in the county jail pending arrival of parents.

"I left home because my daddy gave me a licking," one explained. "My daddy never gave me no licking," said the one who was singing, "I'm in the Jailhouse Now."

"I wanted to see what's going on in the world outside of True Confessions and the movies. And boy, have I had a time in the last week!"

"Put me in jail, I don't care. I've always wanted to go to jail... for a while any way. But not too long. I like my dates."

The White Deer girl said she joined the couple because she wanted to experience some of the thrills of hitch-hiking. The two Panhandle girls were candy-striped pajamas.

Chicago Man Is Tortured and Put Into Coffin by Gang of Young Men

CHICAGO, Feb. 4. (AP)—Acting on information given them by George Withford, 34, whom they found in a coffin-like box on a lonely road early today, police arrested seven youths for questioning on charges of kidnapping Withford, torturing him and then leaving him in an open grave.

The men, Albert Egan, 30; George Schimmel, 19; Joe Klop, 19; Michael Koh, 19; Fred Cost, 21; Richard Moraves, 21, and William Saddy, confessed the abduction, police said, but argued that it was "just a joke." They refused to explain references to Withford as a "steel pigeon."

Withford, a rubber salesman, whose left hand is crippled said seven men took him from a pool room as a "practical joke," put him in an automobile and drove to the

cemetery. He lost consciousness for a time but when he woke up he found himself tied to a stone wall in the graveyard. They threw dirt at him. When he jerked one of his arms free the men tossed a wooden box, the kind in which coffins are kept, near a nearby grave. After gagging him they forced him into it, nailed down the lid and tried to shove it into the grave.

The box, however, did not fit the man, and he was able to wiggle his head out. Instead the officer found where Withford was. "You are getting away," Withford yelled as the men fled. "Call the police and tell them I'm in the jailhouse now!"

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Proposed Bus and Truck Bill Has Hearing on Oilfield Traffic

Proposed bus regulation laws would fall heavily upon a number of persons in this community. Oil field trucks would fail to come within the regulations as to length of vehicle and load. The solution seems to be some method of applying the regulations to those who haul for hire.

It happens, however, that many oil concerns let their hauling by contract. Legislators of oil territories would do well to watch for possible dangerous effects upon oil field traffic. Perhaps in many instances the state highways will be in little demand, but Gray county would be an exception.

There is a need for regulating the size and length of trucks which use the congested highways. Both safety and convenience are involved.

Senatorships, it is claimed, are often "bought and paid for." Proving again that one does not always get what he pays for.

The question, gentlemen, is how to get back in Gray county some of this money which is being paid for auto licenses and through the gasoline tax. Voting of paying bonds to match state aid is the only method in sight.

Just our luck—to be too busy to travel on some of those cheaper railroad rates.

Every few weeks one reads of a heroic rescue by a Boy Scout. Remember that the trained Scout also rescues himself when in danger.

Sculpturing, a news item says, is being taken up at a Wisconsin reformatory. Which is as good a way as any to make model prisoners.

Twelve players of the Pittsburgh Pirates had their tonsils removed. It's a pity that big leaguers should be involved in minor operations!

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Business Women Lunch at Canary Shop on Monday

Luncheon for members of the executive board, Pampa Business and Professional Women's club, was held Tuesday noon at the Canary Sandwich shop.

Mrs. R. J. Kiser presided for the meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. W. C. Mitchell, and the following other members were present: Mrs. Frank C. Allison, Mrs. Grace Higgins, Mrs. Mabel C. Lard, Mrs. P. F. McKinnon, Mrs. P. L. Lard, Miss Gladys Payne, and Miss Augusta Miller.

Plans made at the meeting will be presented at a general gathering of the B. and P. W. club next Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Pampa Tea room.

A bill proposing to make "My Missouri" by Mary R. Ellis and Alice B. Spalding, the official state song has been introduced in the state legislature.

Contract Bridge Club Is Favored By Mrs. Kelley

Four tables of bridge were in progress when Mrs. J. A. Kelley was held at a Valentine bridge party Tuesday afternoon in honor of the Contract Bridge club.

Red carnations were featured in decorations for the entertaining suite, and the colors red and black were favored throughout the party. The red score pads, adorned with black silhouettes, were particularly attractive.

In the games, Mrs. Clifford Braly was awarded the prize for high score and Mrs. Philip R. Pond for high cut.

Dainty refreshments were served to Mesdames Clifford Braly, Frank D. Klein, R. J. Kiser, Frank Thut, Charles Thut, W. A. Wilson, F. McKinnon, Philip R. Pond, and the following victors: Mesdames C. C. Cook, A. B. Zahn, E. B. Emerson, and A. B. Goldston.

Winston Churchill, conservative, has predicted "a terrible catastrophe" in India as a result of the British government's policy.

Telephone Lines May Be Buried

City commissioners yesterday considered a proposal of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. to lay underground conduits from Atchison in the alley between Cuyler and Russell to Francis and up the alley to the telephone building on Browning where a manhole would be built.

At the same meeting decision was made to appoint a committee to assist drafting a building code. Members of the committee will be probably announced at the next meeting.

FATHER AND SON KILLED

EASTLAND, Feb. 4. (AP) — John Foster, 55, and his son, Rufus (Red) Foster, 23, were killed instantly late yesterday when their automobile was struck at a grade crossing near here by a Texas and Pacific passenger train. Foster, a farmer, lived at Flatwoods, four miles south of here. The son was a tool dresser at an oil well being drilled near the crossing.

NEW CHICAGO SKYLINES!

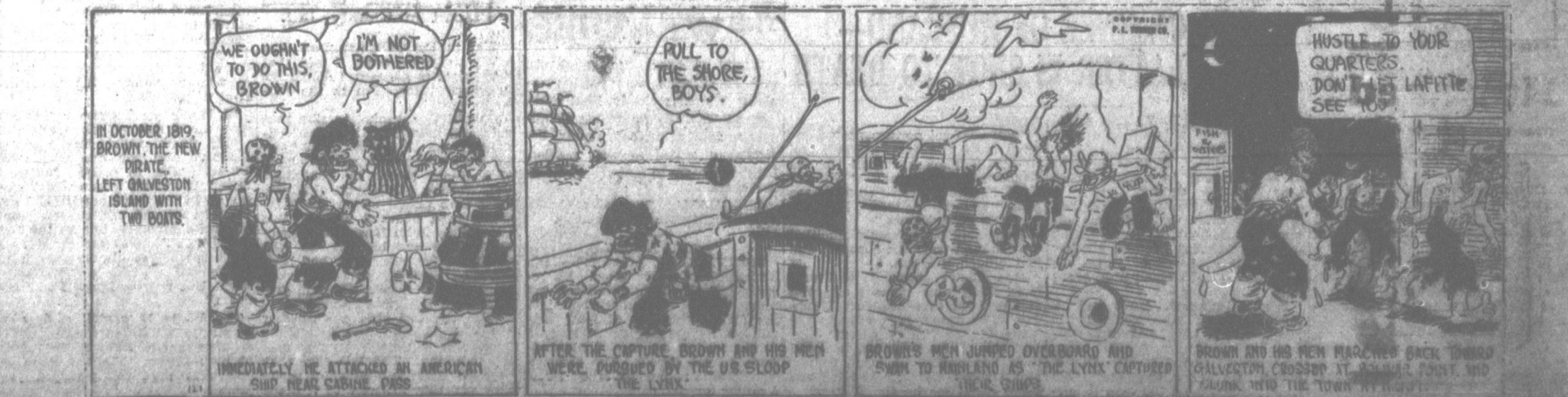


OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



"TEXAS HISTORY MOVIES"



TODAY'S RADIO

By C. E. RUTENFELD

Abolishes Fresh Radio Editor.

(Time is Central Standard Throughout.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 4. (AP) — An 11-year-old boy and a 35-year-old man, working side by side at the microphone, comprise one of radio's newest novelties.

The boy is Donald Hughes, the three doctors — to network broadcast — is Nick Dawson and the now-casting. They are not to have a ely is "Daddy and Hullo." They center this time. Their program were chosen because they were con-sidered just the right type.

The sketch had its debut on WABC and stations last night in the presence of the author of the Continuation of the Bobby Jones series, J. P. McEvoy, who interrupt-gold periods on WEAF and stations ed a vacation in Havana to come last 1.

New York for the first few broadcast.

To be sent out each Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 6:45 p. m. the skit depicts the difficulties of a modern father in attempting to answer all of the questions of his young son.

A highlight on the WABC chain tomorrow afternoon marks the return of Russell, Pratt, Ransome, Sherman and Joe Rudolph — the

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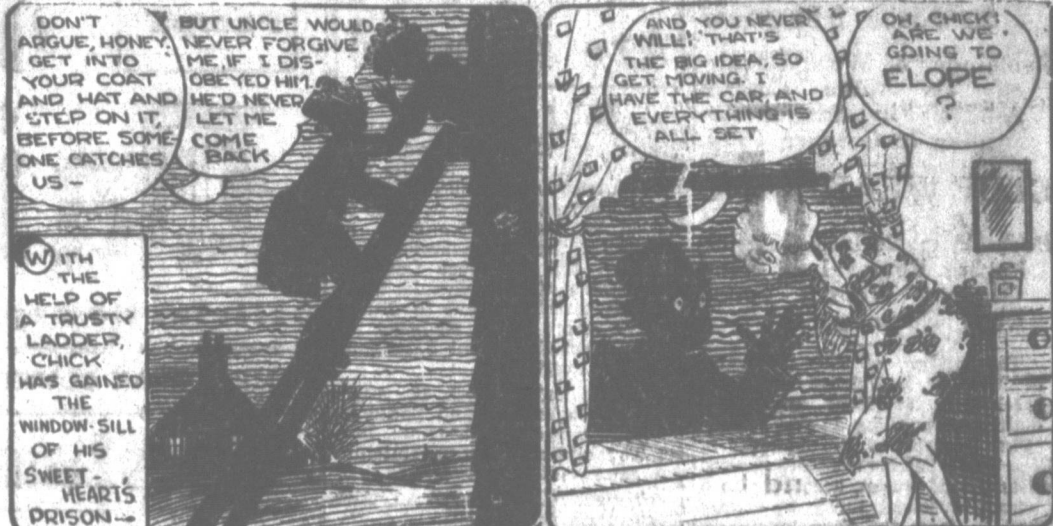
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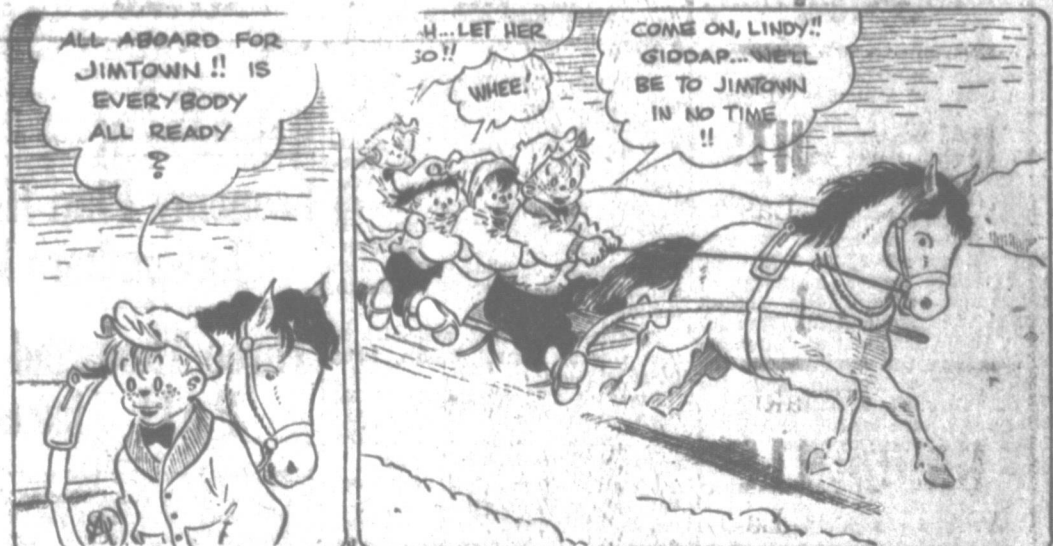
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By Cowan



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser



By Patton and Rosenfield

Giant Plane Will Be Delayed in Its Transoceanic Trip

LAS PALMAS, Canary Islands, Feb. 4. (AP)—Crilled by giant waves in Bahia Gando, several miles from here, the DC-3, German 18-horsepower, appeared today to have been thwarted in its trans-Atlantic flight project for two weeks at least.

Some doubt existed as to the extent of injuries sustained by the plane yesterday as it attempted to take off for Porto Praia, Cape Verde Islands, en route to Rio de Janeiro, but it was understood that both engine and superstructure were damaged.

An urgent message has been sent to Lisbon to the Dornier engineer, M. Benier, to proceed at once to the Canary Islands to aid in the repairs to the plane. He is leaving for Cadix to catch a ship to Las

Palmas. He inferred before his departure that repairs might take several weeks since parts would have to be imported from Germany.

AUSTIN NOTES

By HARRELLE LEE
Associated Press Staff Writer
AUSTIN, Feb. 4. (AP)—If they followed merely their own personal interests, state senators elected last year would oppose any legislative redistricting this session.

If the state is redistricted all senators will have to run again next year. A campaign often causes trouble and suspense, not to mention the possibility of failing of reelection. If the state is not redistricted, the senators elected for a four-year term last year are assured of their seats until 1935.

Barry Miller of Dallas and A. J. Wirtz of Seguin have graduated from the senate to the third house as lobbyists in Austin is called. Miller and Wirtz were two of

the most familiar figures in the senate during the forty-first legislature, the former as presiding officer through being lieutenant-governor, and the latter as a leader in many of the floor fights.

Neither sought re-election this year. Wirtz retired and Miller was unsuccessful in his race for governor.

It's hard for Miller to stay away from the political arena because he has been more or less closely connected with politics since he started as a page in congress in Washington, D. C., when he was but 12 years old.

Miller would like to serve once more in the state house of representatives but he probably won't. "It's high time I was making some money," he explained.

The former lieutenant-governor thinks persons who already are naming the next democratic presidential nominee are a little too ambitious. The candidates who are at the front 18 months ahead of the convention are usually left

at the post when the convention is held, he said.

Miller has a great deal of admiration for Owen D. Young of New York. Once a relative died and left an estate to be settled. Miller wrote to Young, who was then in Boston, asking him to investigate the property. Young took a half day off from his duties to comply with the request, Miller said.

A bill has been introduced in the house to license operators of cleaning and pressing establishments. This was done notwithstanding rumblings from certain legislative sources that too many licenses are being required in Texas.

Pink Parrish, the jovial senator from Lubbock, said "It's getting to be where a man has to get a license to go into his own backyard." Senator Russek of Schulenberg is asking the legislature to repeal the law enacted by the last session which licensed barbers.

Ross S. Sterling is a newspaperman, and naturally capitol corre-

spondents thought they would have a friend in the governor's office when he became governor. So far, they have not been disappointed.

Governor Sterling sees the representatives of the press as soon as possible after they request an audience, always within a few minutes. He does not evade questions, but answers them quickly and to the point.

Paul Wakefield, the governor's secretary is an experienced newspaperman, and he smooths the road for the scribes who are endeavoring to chronicle the governor's acts.

Frank Baldwin recently drove Governor Sterling from Waco to Fort Worth to fill a speaking engagement. Several Waco residents remarked jokingly that Mr. Sterling was placing a lot of faith in Baldwin, who is quite a booster for Waco. If anything should happen to Mr. Sterling, Baldwin's fellow-townsmen, Lt. Gov. Edgar Witt, of Waco, would become governor.

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Sale Starts Thurs. Feb. 5th

Brand New Ladies' SPRING COATS Some Are Fur Trimmed, values to \$25. Now \$14.95	Ladies' Broadcloth Fur-Trimmed COATS \$45.50 values Now \$12.95	Ladies' SILK DRESSES Values to \$18.50 Now \$4.95	Brand New Spring JACKETS Various colors, and values to \$12.50. Now \$8.95	LADIES' SHOES Values to \$7.95 While they last, pr. \$1.00
Men's OVERCOATS All Wool. Values to \$37.50. While they last \$8.95	Men's BOOT PANTS The kind that sold for \$3.50. Pair \$1.00	One Bin LADIES' SHOES Some of these sold up to \$6.95, 2 pr. for \$1.00	Boys' Long PANTS Some sold up to \$3.50. Pair \$1.00	Men's and Boys' All Leather BELTS Each 29c
Children's Taped UNION SUITS While They Last 3 for \$1.00	TENNIS SHOES You can't afford to overlook this, 2 pr. \$1.00	Men's UNION SUITS Light and Heavy Weight, 2 suits for \$1.00	MEN'S HATS Values to \$5.50. Slightly Damaged 29c	Children's Flannel NIGHT GOWNS 3 for \$1.00
Boys' Khaki UNIONALLS While They Last 2 for \$1.00	Men's Broadcloth PAJAMAS and Night Shirts 2 for \$1.00	Boys' UNION SUITS Values to 95c 3 for \$1.00	Ladies' FELT HATS 2 for \$1.00	MEN'S HATS And Caps. - Values to \$3.95. Each \$1.00
LADIES' SMOCKS While They Last 2 for \$1.00	Men's Light and Medium light color WOOL PANTS Values to \$7.50, pr. \$1.00	Painters Union Made OVERALLS Get Them Now. 2 for \$1.00	Carpenter Union made OVERALLS You'll never buy them again this cheap, pair \$1.00	Men's Coat Style SWEATERS All Wool, Slightly Soiled. Values to \$5.95. \$1.00
Men's Cotton SOX Lay in a Supply. 12 pair for \$1.00	1 Bin Ladies' HOUSE SLIPPERS 2 pair for \$1.00	Men's JUMPERS Blue and Striped Values to \$1.95 2 for \$1.00	Boys' Rodeo PANTS 2 for \$1.00	Men's High Grade LUMBER JACKS Values to \$3.95 Now \$1.95

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Pork Chops	Lean and fresh 6 lbs.	\$1
SPUDS	Red McClures or Idaho Rurals, 50 lbs. for	\$1
Pure Lard	Home Rendered, 10 lbs. for	\$1
Can Tomatoes	Solid pack, Red Ripe, 13 cans	\$1
Butter	First Grade Creamery, 3 1/2 lbs.	\$1
STEAK	Baby Beef or Veal, T-Bone or Loin, 5 lbs.	\$1
EGGS	Strictly Fresh, 7 dozen for	\$1
Sliced Bacon	7 lbs. for	\$1
FLOUR	Arbutus, 24-lb bag and 10-lb. bag meal, for	\$1
PEAS	Blackeyed, medium cans, Wapco, 13 cans for	\$1
Macaroni	or Spaghetti, Skinners, 13 pkgs.	\$1
Pork Steak	Lean and Tender, 6 lbs. for	\$1
SOAP	Koko, Hardwater, 24 bars for	\$1
String Beans	Cut Stringless, very tender, 9 cans for	\$1
PRUNES	Monarch, Fresh No. 2 1/2 size cans, 4 for	\$1
Can Tomatoes	No. 1 cans, solid pack, 20 cans	\$1
Can SOUP	Rex, Assorted kinds, 12 cans	\$1
Peaches	Gallon, Solid Fruit, 2 cans	\$1
Coffee	Chase & Sanborn, Special 3-lb. can	\$1

LUMBERMEN SPRING BIG UPSET IN CITY BOWLING LEAGUE

HOTEL CREW IS LOSER TO CELLARITES

Gordon Stores Team Defeats Cabot Men; Flying Dutchmen Turn About to Win Over Diamond Shop.

Consistent bowling by the lumbermen, with three players on the Foxworth-Galbraith team hitting a 200 clip, proved one of the upset in the Commercial league matches at the Pampa Bowling alleys last night, when the Foxworth-Galbraith bowlers, the cellar team of the league, won two out of three games from the Schneider hotel pinner.

The hotel crew had a percentage of 484, being just one notch lower than the Diamond shop team at 485 for second place.

The lumbermen lost the first game 902 to 854, and won the second and third games by 30 to six pins, respectively.

In the match between the top-notchers of the Commercial league, the Cabot and Gordon teams, the cabot men staged a good fight in the second game, but lost by 26 pins. The Gordon stores team won all the games of the match, 810, 788, and 854, to its opponents 739, 750, and 727. Swanson was high scorer on the Cabot team with a 167 on the first game. Claugson on the Gordon team hit a 204 in the final game. Tobin a 208 in the first, and Husek a 194 in the third.

Cal Farley's Flying Dutchmen provided another upset to the dope in their match with the Diamond shop crew. The fifth place team took two straight games from the jewellers, dropping the third. Pruitt was high scorer of the winners, bowling 200 and better in the second and third, but falling down in the third game to a 106. Holmes scored a 194 in the second game to take high score honors for the jewellers.

At 8 o'clock Thursday night, the Kohl Collie will have a match with the Pampa All-Stars on alleys 5 and 6 at the Pampa alleys.

On Friday night, the City League teams will have matches as follows: Worley hospital versus American Legion, 7:30, alleys 3 and 4; Klwanis club against Lions club, alleys 5 and 6; Rotary club versus Elks lodge, 8:30, alleys 3 and 4.

Scores of the matches Tuesday night:

Schneider Hotel	1	2	3
Moore	154	161	176
McConnell	173	180	225
Bradley	180	185	171
Peeler	202	158	149
Whitman	136	164	155
TOTAL PINS	902	838	843

Foxworth-Galbraith	1	2	3
Wagner	136	162	167
Despres	183	232	191
Sylvester	159	159	218
Perry	216	146	126
Smith	136	164	155
TOTAL PINS	854	860	840

Gordon's Stores	1	2	3
Husek	158	139	194
Murphy	159	149	122
Tobin	208	178	179
Claugson	149	158	204
Powell	136	164	155
TOTAL PINS	810	788	854

Cabot Company	1	2	3
Stine	113	149	135
Dial	155	137	136
Maynard	141	156	155
Allen	143	166	141
Swanson	167	152	139
TOTAL PINS	739	750	727

Diamond Shop	1	2	3
Kohl	121	138	162
Huff	177	158	185
Fenberg	155	161	152
Baxter	153	131	160
Holmes	174	194	167
TOTAL PINS	780	792	828

Cal Farley's Tire Shop	1	2	3
Layson	165	151	181
Beaudoin	137	190	137
Cullum	140	167	136
Fruitt	200	219	105
Thompson	185	120	194
TOTAL PINS	807	867	773

JOHN'S FLYING CLUB	1	2	3
Big Spring	154	161	176
W. W. Regan of Kelly field at San Antonio joined the Caterpillar club late yesterday when he was forced to make a parachute jump from an airplane near Big Spring. The plane was demolished. Regan was unhurt.			

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4. (P)—Paulino Ucedun, Spanish heavy-weight, has been signed to meet Les Kennedy, Long Beach, Calif., in a 10-round bout here March 10. Billy Gibson, the Basque's manager, telegraphed acceptance of the contract late yesterday.			
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LEO, RAY AND PAUL TANGLE IN "MILE OF THE CENTURY"



DR. PAUL MARTIN LEO LERMOND RAY CONGER

BY FOSTER HAILEY (Associated Press Sports Writer)

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Three of the most colorful runners competing on American tracks this winter will face Johnny McHugh and his starting pistol in Madison Square Garden Feb. 7, in the classic Rodman Wanamaker mile.

"Ladies and gentlemen, in lane one Ray Conger, America's premier miler," the announcer for the Millers A. A. games will bellow.

A light-haired, skinny looking chap, the Illinois A. C. circle on his chest, will take a few steps down the track and quickly fade back into the crowd at the starting line.

"In lane two, Leo Lermond, Boston's great miler."

Smiling Leo, built on lines as trim as a destroyer, will run cockily down the track and back again. One rather expects to see Leo clasp his hands above his head as a boxer does to answer the plaudits of the crowd. He's that kind of a fighting runner.

"And in lane three," the announcer will call, "Dr. Paul Martin, European champe-e-on."

A slight, boyish looking little fellow, with yellow hair nonchalantly will trot down the track and back again.

Retiring Conger, confident Leo, nonchalant Martin. As diverse in style and temperament as their names. Conger always laying back in a race, ready to checkmate the other fellow's move, but slow to set the pace himself; Leo, always ready and anxious to battle it out for the lead; Martin, the Swiss surgeon, with the jerky little stride, running his own race, pacing himself to his best effort.

The first "mile of the century"—Conger, Lloyd Hahn and Dr. Otto Peitzner—carried no more color than these three competitors have.

As a foil for the three headliners will be Joe Sivak, of Butler university, and Gene Venske, fighting Swede, from Newark, who haven't a lot of crowd-catching color, but who can do a lot of running.

The Wanamaker mile, which Conger will be attempting to win for the third time to gain permanent possession of the historic cup, headlines a meet which has several other events that would be headlines on a less pretentious card.

It will carry much of America's hopes for a long awaited victory in the Olympics at the middle distances. Dr. Martin and Conger probably will be the leading contenders at Los Angeles when 1932 rolls around.

BASKETBALL LAST NIGHT By the Associated Press At Washington: St. Edward's university (Austin) 21; Trinity university 23. Abilene Canyon Teachers 39; Abilene Christian college 26. Sherman: Southwestern 32; Austin college 23. Denton: Sam Houston Teachers 28; Denton Teachers 35. College Station: Baylor 12; Texas Aggies 31.

ROOKIES ARE DEMANDED BY ALL LEAGUES

Connie Mack Has Assembled Dozen Young Pitchers for Spring Tryout; Detroit Seeking Sluggers.

BY PAUL MICKELSON CHICAGO, Feb. 4. (P)—There will be no depression this year for the rookie hopefuls who seek bigger and better pay days in the ranks of the American league.

Help wanted signs, dangling from every club office in the league, have attracted 130 applicants of all shapes, sizes, and records. All of them have been welcomed with open arms.

Opportunity is everywhere for those able to deliver. Even the unsuccessful ones are certain of thorough chances and subsequent employment with minor leagues.

Although his team successfully captured the American league pennant for the second straight year and then added another world's championship, Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Athletics will take a dozen or more young pitchers to the White Elephant's training camp. He admits he needs better support for Bob Grove and George Earnshaw and opportunity will be plentiful. He doesn't need any outfielders but he is taking a trio of rookies along for observation anyway.

Pitchers are the crying need of Joe McCarthy and his New York Yankees, too. Eight experienced hurlers will try out with the Yankees, including four from the International league and one each from the Pacific Coast league and American association. Two young outfielders of great promise, Myril Long of Sacramento and Fred Walker of Jersey City, also will get a chance and are expected to stick.

Detroit, seeking more punch at the bat, has grabbed off several fence busting outfielders, depending on its 1930 staff and optional players for pitching largely.

Chicago and St. Louis needed infielders and went after them. The Browns picked up three young sensations from the Texas league, Burns, Storti and Levey of Wichita Falls, and two good minor league catcher prospects in Young of Milwaukee and Crouch of Wichita Falls. The White Sox, experimenting with good looking youngsters for a change instead of writing out six figured checks for established stars, have a flock of young talent that brings a smile to the face of the "Old Roman," Charles A. Comiskey.

Many Purchases Cleveland needed first string pitching aid and bought Fay Thomas of Sacramento and Oragheah of Oakland, both with experience. The Dodgers also picked up two third basemen, Deane of New Orleans and Wabgoner from El Dorado, one of whom may replace Joe Sewell. Washington had a great pitching staff last year but will try out a few youngsters and give three infielders, including First Baseman Joe Kubei of Kansas City, a chance. Boston, cellar team last year, will take almost a score of rookies to Fenwick. Three of them—Catcher Muddy Ruel, Pitcher Wilky Moore and Pitcher Johnny Brillhart—can hardly be classed as rookies as they have been up before.

Of the 130 recruits, many have been up before but most of them are new to the majors. Only 12 are more than 25 years old while 38 are less than 22. Most of them are huskies, too. Sixty-four stand six feet or better in height while 46 lack but an inch or two of six feet.

A goose recently put out the lights in Glasgow, Mo., by perching on a 33,000 volt line.

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California Man Wins Draw With Fidel La Barba

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4. (P)—A terrific tenth-round finish gave Claude Varner, Bakersfield, Calif., featherweight, a draw with Fidel La Barba, Los Angeles, here last night.

At the end of the eighth Referee Jack Kennedy tolled off four rounds for La Barba, former flyweight champion, and two for his hard hitting opponent. The ninth was about even.

Dashing into the tenth, Varner opened a gash over La Barba's right eye and had him woozy with a rain of rights and lefts to the head at the bell.

La Barba weighed 125; Varner 124.

Major Leaguers Will Avoid Arcs

CHICAGO, Feb. 4. (P)—"Ghosts" haunt the major leagues.

Almost every club president and manager this winter has been besieged with requests and demands that their teams play a share of "ghost" or night games during their spring exhibition baseball season.

And almost to a man they have balked.

The Cubs, Pirates, Giants, and White Sox have had their share of scares over the requests as have the rest. Recently, the Pirates heard the Cubs planned to stage several night games on the west coast with the Pirates as opponents and it took Pres. William L. Veeck of the Cubs some time to convince Barney Dreyfus that it was a false alarm.

Other minor league clubs, operating in parks equipped with arc lights, have attempted to get major league clubs to play night games with little or no success.

NOTICE, SEWER AND CONCRETE CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Commission of the City of Pampa, Texas, until 2:30 p. m. Tuesday, February 17, 1931, for the furnishing of all materials and labor with necessary excavation to the construction of one sewage disposal tank to be located at the sewage disposal plant of the City of Pampa.

Detailed and complete specifications may be obtained at the office of the City Manager in Pampa, Texas.

Proposals should be addressed to the City Manager, Pampa, Texas, and must be accompanied by a certified check or its equivalent in the amount of \$500.00 to guarantee execution of proper contract and qualification of construction bond. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

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TERRELL, Feb. 4. (P)—The W. C. Langwith post, American legion, at a meeting last night unanimously endorsed the bill now before congress for payment of adjusted compensation to ex-servicemen and wired a request to Texas senators and representatives to support the measure.

WRESTLING ENJOYING WAVE OF FAVOR OVER COUNTRY

Local Program For Thursday Night Will Be First Under New Pla-Mor Auditorium Management.

Frank Hunt will offer his first match as Pla-Mor operator Thursday evening when Otis Clingman meets Pete Stecher, a contender for the middleweight championship.

Wrestling in this country is enjoying a wave of prosperity which is believed to be caused by disgust with the current heavyweight boxing muddle. Recently wrestling matches have been drawing larger in the east than are the pugilistic events. The ancient sport, which more nearly approaches the status of exhibition, is being introduced to colleges and high schools in many states.

The coming bout will be between a tall, lanky westerner and a short, fat ex-sailor. Both have powerful scissors holds, and it remains to be seen which will suffer the most from the squeeze.

The event will start at 8:30 p. m.

NOTICE, WATER WELL CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Commission of the City of Pampa, Texas, until 2:30 p. m. Tuesday, February 17, 1931, for the drilling and equipping of one water well in the City of Pampa, Texas.

Some requirements are as follows: The well should be drilled to penetrate the water bearing stratum found at an approximate depth of 335 to 420 feet and should be completed with not less than 20-inch casing and should be developed with gravel placed between the outside of the casing and the wall of the well, and should be equipped with turbine pump, brick pump house and various and sundry other equipment.

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JOSE SANTA AND HANSEN ON PROGRAM

Portugal's Giant Will Try to Remove Knute From Ring Tonight; Replaces Canzoneri-Hals Bout

CHICAGO, Feb. 4. (P)—The 16-round bout between Jose Santa, Portugal's contribution to the oversized heavyweight class, and Knute "Fighting" Racine, Wis. Dane, has worked its way to the top of tonight's fight program at the Chicago stadium.

Tony Canzoneri, lightweight champion of the world, and Goldie Hees of Los Angeles, were signed for the spot, but both became ill and failed from the card. "Three other 10-rounders are listed. Larry Johnson, sharp-punching Chicago negro lightweight, will meet Marly Gallagher of Washington, D. C.; Kim Francis, clever Italian featherweight, will engage George Tate of South Bend, Ind., and Willie O'Sullivan of Boston, last night was matched with Harry Ebbetts, veteran Brooklyn lightweight.

Leslie P. Arnold, former army around-the-world flyer, has two wives, a divorce suit from his first wife, failed while he was on his honeymoon with his second wife, Priscilla Dean, former motion picture actress.

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Merton P.-T. A. Plans Entertainment To Be Held On Feb. Seventeenth

Bridge Also Played At Event Tuesday Evening

A happy crowd of young people and sponsors Monday evening enjoyed a semi-formal dance given in the new Master's cafe ballroom by members of the Lo Quax Homo club. Games of bridge also offered diversion for those not dancing.

"Little Henrie's Happy Four" furnished the music for the evening, and Tex Kelly and little Joe Harmon assisted in the entertainment with songs and dances.

A prize was won by Miss Bobbie Jean Robinson and Joe Kahl and they were awarded a lovely box of Valentine candy.

During a 30-minute intermission punch and sandwiches were served to the following guests and members: Guests, Misses Jane Dabney, Louise Walstead, Jeanette Price, Drusilla Morgan, Bobbie Jean Robinson; Mrs. Oak Lee Whittle, Mrs. Johnnie Poteet. Members: Misses Margaret Buckingham, Dary Meador, Eura Rose, Katie Walker, Pauline Thomas, Katherine Roberts, Susie Belle Hickman, Lucille Kentling.

Guests: Messrs. Bob Langdon, Conrad Graham, Joe Kahl, Robert Burns, Onan Barnard, Lewis Sprinkle, Ray Chastain, Dollar Mason, James Lane, Red Campbell, Jimmy Caldwell, Joe Harmon, Tex Kelly. Members: Messrs. Everett Buckingham, Fletcher Carson, Lowell Rushing, Berkeley Gidley, Floyd Voss, Roy Lewter, Durwood Martindale, Curtis Stark, Harley Kennedy, Ralph Poe, Ray Woodman, Gerdus Schmidt.

Sponsors for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Rose, Mrs. Etta Meador, Mrs. Charles Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. Wood.

Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY
Women of the Mooseheart Legion will hold their regular meeting at 7:30 o'clock at the Moose hall on E. Francis.

Gray county school superintendent, principals and their wives will attend a banquet at 7:30 o'clock in the home economics room of the Pampa high school.

THURSDAY
Members of the W. C. T. U. will meet in the club room of the new city hall at 2:30 o'clock.

Baker Parent-Teacher association will meet at the school at 3 o'clock.

Rebekah lodge will hold a regular meeting.

Open house will be held at Sam Houston school all day, and at 3 p. m. children of the school will present a program.

The J. O. Y. union of the First Baptist church will be entertained with a Valentine party Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the church.

Miss Susie Belle Hickman will be hostess to the Lo Quax Homo club in her home at 7:30 o'clock.

Honore Mann P.-T. A. will meet at 3 p. m.

American Legion auxiliary will meet in the legion hall at 8 o'clock.

Rehearsal of "Nothing but the Truth," premiere offering of the Little Theater, will be held at 7:30 p. m. at the city hall.

FRIDAY
Order of Eastern Star will hold a regular monthly meeting at the Masonic hall at 7:30 o'clock.

Yvonne Cline sewing club will meet in the home of Mrs. H. P. Morseman, 425 N. Starkweather, at 2:30 o'clock.

SATURDAY
The monthly A. A. U. W. and College club luncheon has been postponed until Saturday, February 14. At that time the Valentine's affair will be dressed in the decorations and setting.

AMUSU BRIDGE CLUB FAVORED WITH VALENTINE PARTY GIVEN BY MRS. McCULLOUGH TUESDAY

Amus club members were favored with an attractive Valentine bridge party Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. L. N. McCullough, 311 N. Somerville.

At the close of the games, Mrs. George Walstead was announced as scoring high and lovely refreshments were passed.

One guest, Mrs. J. T. Glover, and the following members attended: Mesdames Lynn Boyd, J. M. Dodson, Dick Walker, J. M. McDonald, Siler Faulkner, C. T. Hunkapillar, William M. Craven, George Walstead, C. P. Buckler, Alex Schneider, C. M. Bryson, W. A. Bratton, R. W. Mitchell, W. J. Smith, Edwin Vicars, Tom Rose, and the hostess.

Cooperation of Teachers And Parents Urged

Thursday, which has been set aside as a special day for visitation in Sam Houston school, is to be observed by a large number of parents, according to the opinion of various teachers. The teachers announce that considerable interest also is being shown in the program which is to be given at 7:30 p. m. in regard to cooperation of parents with teachers, the Rev. C. E. Lancaster, pastor of the First Baptist church, comments thus:

"In every home where there is a child there are problems. Every child born into the world has inherent rights. There is no evading responsibility for them in seeing that their discipline, training, culture and education gives them an equipment that will make them economically independent, and possessors of a character that will make them an asset to society, and not a liability. That greatest asset is a strong, clean personality. Its source must be rooted in a reverent faith in God.

Parents' Influence Needed
"Shirking responsibility: How can God be made a factor in the experience of children? He is no real factor in the lives of parents? To Abraham God said, 'For I know him that he will command his children and household after him.' There is no protection for a child and its training that equals that of the home. The association of the child with the parents in the home is that which shapes the child's ideas of God. If the present generation of children in school have a spiritual blight and moral stigma in their lives, the fault is not with the children, but with the parents.

"Conditions are bad: Untold numbers of children are receiving no special training in the home and none whatever through the church. That fact is evident. The Parent-Teacher's Association has clearly defined objectives. The original purpose, no doubt, did not anticipate aid in spiritual training, but so dependent is real education on Christian ideals, and so many children wholly without them, until spiritual training and its emphasis is a major part of their work. This training cannot be given in the schools. Separation of church and state precludes it. Constitutionally it is forbidden. But an educational program of the Parent-Teacher's Association emphasizing the right of children to have spiritual training in the home, and the imperative necessity of their having it, can be done without interference in school administration or encroaching on home life.

Home Must Have Part
"An illustration: Few of us have ever worked in public education. Many of us, however, have given our best for a program of religious education, graded and departmentalized so that it parallels the systems of public education. It costs the church \$15.00 to \$20.00 a year per pupil to maintain an efficient Sunday school. It takes an immense

outlay of time, training and work, and a force of teachers and administrative officials. We do not feel the program is supplemental to public education, but we are convinced of its importance to the child's cultural as well as its spiritual life. In this work we have problems. The problems are invariably in the homes from which the children come, and homes the church barely touches.

"In maintaining a great system of public schools at a staggering outlay of cost, the faculty has problems. The Parent-Teacher's Association comes as an aid in solving them, but as in everything, there is a limit to the service they can give. Ultimately it remains a home problem. The home not providing spiritual training, though it is giving automobiles, radios, parties, social life, athletics, and infatuation, but no spiritual training should hear the plea of the Parent-Teacher's Association, and cooperate with plans and suggestions in their work even though they do not hear the plea of the church in this matter."

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Novel Reviewed by Mrs. Nichols at Meeting

A review of the novel, "The Great Meadow," by Mrs. W. H. Nichols, followed with a round table discussion, held interest at a meeting of the University Study club Monday afternoon in club room of the city hall.

Those attending were Mrs. Nichols, Mrs. W. R. Campbell, Mrs. Lee Harnah, Mrs. C. S. Boston, Miss Wilena May, and Miss Fannie May.

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Plans for the entertainment were made at a regular meeting of the P.-T. A. Tuesday afternoon at the school.

Members of the girls' glee club of Pampa high school, under the direction of Miss Iva June Willis, opened the program with a song, "Sleepy Hollow Tune." This was followed by a paper on training for responsibility by Mrs. Carl, a duet, "In the Garden," Mrs. A. G. Enloe and Mrs. Tom Alford, a paper on child welfare by Mrs. Serman, an talk, "Why Not the Child?" by Mrs. C. L. Nelson.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Mrs. Alford.

MRS. SAUNDERS GIVEN SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Guy C. Saunders, including a number of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, gathered in her home Monday evening to honor her with a surprise birthday party.

A variety of games was enjoyed, and at a late hour refreshments of cake, coffee, and cocoa were served. Several gifts were presented to the honoree.

Those present were Regill Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Clauson, Mrs. S. E. Elkins, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Walker, Mrs. Clara Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Biggs, Mr. and Mrs. Horace E. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown, J. L. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Smith, W. J. Blard, G. L. Lunsford, E. A. Robertson, J. C. Lunsford, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Noblitt, LaVaca Moore, Beulah Robertson, Josephine Wooten, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sullivan, Alma Walker, Daphna Lunsford, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Robertson, Grace Robertson, W. W. Turner.

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Dinner-Party Is Attractive Event Here On Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Johnson entertained with a small, attractive dinner-party Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the L. M. Williams home, 1002 E. Francis.

A large red heart centered the table, while the Valentine theme was further stressed in appointment for the bridge games played after dinner. Clarence Comer and Miss Neva Ellis were favored as winners of high score in the games.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Owen, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Chandler, Clarence Comer, Miss Neva Ellis, and Mrs. M. E. Johnson.

LONDON BRIDGE CLUB FAVORED BY MRS. SUGG

The Valentine motif was featured in table appointments, refreshments, and favors when Mrs. J. D. Sugg entertained members of the London Bridge club Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. E. Coffee was favored for high score and Mrs. William T. Fraser for low. A light luncheon was served at the close of the games.

Those attending were Mesdames Clarence Barrett, Julian Barrett, W. E. Coffee, Wade Duncan, William T. Fraser, R. G. Hughes, Warren Jeffus, Porter Malone, M. D. Oden, F. O. Sanders, Otto Studer, John Studer, Arthur Swanson, E. W. Blair, A. McClory, R. G. McInturff, Curtis Douglas, and the hostess.

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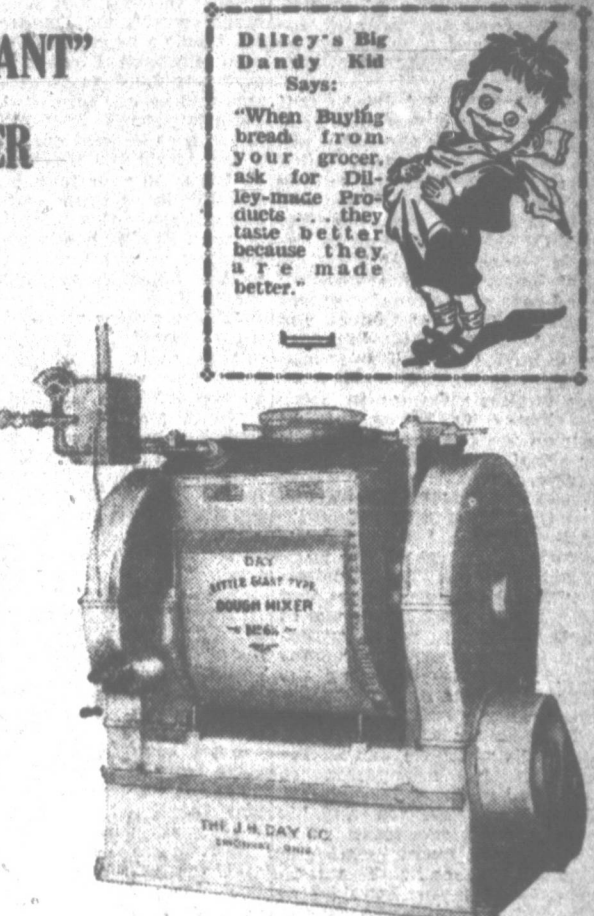
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Murder At Bridge

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In the murder of JUANITA SEARS there are six possible suspects, all guests at her bridge party. JUDGE MARSHALL, owner of the sun and shelter with which she was shot, is one. JOHN DRAKE and FLORA MILES, who was in Nita's closet at the time of the murder, reading a note she thinks is from her husband, are two more. CLIVE HAMMOND, POLLY BEALE and JANET RAYMOND are the others. DUNDEE'S theory is that Nita, recognizing someone in a group picture, cast down to blackmail, receiving \$1000 and a bullet, and he warns DEXTER SPRAGUE to drop the scheme.

CAPTAIN STRAWN thinks that Nita was killed by a New York gunman. Dundee thinks the killer will return to look for papers, which Nita had buried, intending to drop the scheme and marry Hammond. At the office the next morning, PENNY CRAIN tells him of an impromptu bridge party at TRACEY MILES' home, at which were all who had been at the murder, except CAROLYN DRAKE and Janet, and the FETTER DUNKER. Sprague came uninvited and was treated rudely by everyone, and finally made a very tactless reference to Nita's death. Penny is interrupted by Strawn on the telephone, who tells Dundee that there has been another murder.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXXVI

"Dexter Sprague has been murdered," Dundee answered the terrified inquiry in Penny Crain's brown eyes. "The body was discovered about nine this morning by one of the Miles' maids, in what you described just now as the 'trophy room'."

"Shot—just below the breastbone, Captain Strawn says. 'The trophy room' Penny repeated, in a dazed, slow voice. 'Then, that's where he was all the time, after he disappeared so strangely last night.'"

"Whoa, Penny," Dundee cried, his voice sharp with excitement. "Get hold of yourself, darling girl! You are shaking all over. . . I want to know everything you know—as quickly and as accurately as you can tell it. Go right on with the story you were telling me."

"First of all," Penny groaned, covering her quivering face with her hands. "To think that he was

dead all the time we were saying such horrid things about him. . . 'Don't waste sympathy on him,' Penny, Dundee cut in, his voice very gentle but urgent. 'If he had heeded my warning Monday he wouldn't be dead now.'"

"What do you mean?" Penny gasped, but she was already trembling less violently. "Your warning?"

"I had a strong suspicion that he was mixed up with Nita in her blackmail scheme, and I took the trouble to warn him not to try to carry on with it," Dundee explained. "And no longer ago than yesterday afternoon I got what I was sure was final proof of my suspicion and begged Strawn to assign a plainclothesman to 'tail' Sprague, to see that he kept out of mischief. I was afraid the temptation would be too strong for him, but Strawn wouldn't listen to me—still clinging to his theory of a New York gunman. . . Feeling better now, honey? Can you go on? I want to get out to the Miles house as soon as I can."

"You're getting very affectionate aren't you?" Penny gave him a wobbly smile in which, however, there was no reproach. "I think I can go now—Where was I?"

"Good girl," Dundee applauded, and his heart was beating hard with something more than excitement over Sprague's murder. "You'd just told me about Sprague's warning Karen not to leave the table when she became dummy after Judge Marshall's little slam bid in spades."

"I remember," Penny said, pressing her fingers into her temples. "But Karen did leave the table. When Sprague said that awful thing, Karen burst into tears and ran from the porch into the living room. Judge Marshall started to follow her, but Sprague halted him by apologizing very humbly, and then by adding: 'I'd really like to see you play this hand, sir. I believe I've got the cards to set you with.'"

"Of course he could not have said anything better calculated to hold Hugo, who, as I said, is a regular fiend when it comes to bridge. . . Well, Hugo played the hand and made his little slam, and then he again started to go look for Karen, but Polly, who was Sprague's partner, you know, told

him in that brusque way of hers to go on with the game and give Karen a chance to have a little weep in peace. Probably Hugo would have gone to look for her anyway, but just then Flora came back. She said Betty was asleep at last and that her temperature was normal, and when she heard about Karen, she offered to take her hand until Karen felt like coming back."

"What did Drake do then? He'd been playing anagrams with Mrs. Miles, you said," Dundee interrupted.

"Don't you remember?—I told you Johnny had taken Peter's place at our table after Peter refused to breathe the same air as Dexter Sprague," Penny reminded him. "Ralph and I, Lois and Johnny were playing together, and just at the time I became dummy, Sprague became dummy at the other table. He rose, saying he had to go telephone for a taxi, and passed from the porch into the living room."

"Where is the telephone?" "The one the guests use is on a table in the hall closet, where we put our things," Penny explained. "You can shut the door and hold a perfectly private conversation."

"Well, we never saw Dexter Sprague again!" "Good Lord! Another bridge dummy murdered!" Dundee groaned. "At least the newspapers will be happy! . . . Didn't anyone go to look for him after the hand was played?"

"Not straight off," Penny answered, with an obvious effort to remember clearly every detail. "Let's see—Oh, yes! That hand was played out before Ralph had finished playing his, at our table, so I was free to pay attention to the other table. Flora said that since they couldn't play another hand until Dexter came back, she thought she'd better hunt up Karen, who hadn't come back yet."

"How long was Mrs. Miles away from the porch?" Dundee asked quickly. "Oh, I don't know—10 minutes, maybe. She came back alone, saying she had found Karen in her bedroom—Flora's room, of course—crying inconsolably. Flora told Hugo he'd better go up to her himself, since she evidently had her feelings hurt because he hadn't followed her in the first place. Tracey, who wasn't playing bridge, you remember, because he had given up his place to Sprague, asked Flora if she'd seen Sprague, and Flora said

in a surprised voice, 'No! I wonder where he is all this time.' and Polly said that probably he'd gone to the lavatory, which opens into the main hall and is next to the library. . . Well pretty soon Judge Marshall and Karen came back."

"Pretty soon?—Just how long was Judge Marshall gone?" Dundee pressed her, his pencil which had been flying to take down her every word, poised over the notebook he had snatched from her desk.

"I can't say exactly," Penny protested. "I was playing again at the other table. I suppose it was about 10 minutes, for Ralph and I had made another rubber, I remember."

Anyway, Karen was smiling like a baby that has had a lot of

petting, but she said Hugo had promised her she wouldn't have to play bridge any more that evening, so Flora remained at that table, playing opposite Hugo, while Tracey played with Polly. As soon as Tracey became dummy, Flora suggested he go look for Sprague."

"And how long was he gone from the porch?" Dundee asked. "Less than no time," Penny assured him. "He was back before Polly had finished playing the hand. He said he'd gone to the hall closet, where Whitson, the butler, would have put Sprague's hat and stick, and that he had found they were gone. Tracey said he supposed Sprague had ordered his taxi and had decided to walk down the hill

to meet it, and he added that that was exactly the kind of courtesy you could expect from a cad and a bounder like Sprague—walking—uninvited, making Karen cry, then walking out, without a word, leaving the game while he was dummy. Flora spoke up then and said it was no wonder! Dexter had left without saying goodby, considering how he'd been treated. Then Tracey said something ugly and sarcastic about Flora's being disappointed because Sprague had decided not to spend the whole evening."

"A first-class row, eh?" Dundee interrupted, with keen interest. "Rather! Flora almost cried, said Tracey knew good and well that she had only been playing up to

Sprague before Nita's death, in the hope of getting the lead in the Hamilton movie, if Sprague got the job of directing it, and Tracey said, 'So you call it playing-up, do you? It looked like high-powered flirting to me—or maybe it was more than a flirtation! . . . Then Flora told him he hadn't acted jealous at the time, and that he knew he'd have been glad if she'd got the lead. . . Well, just then along came Janet."

"Janet Raymond?" Dundee ejaculated. "I thought you said she had refused the invitation when Mrs. Miles phoned her."

"So she had, but she said she changed her mind, had been blue all evening and needed cheering up."

"How did she get in?"

"She walked over from her house, which isn't very far from the Miles', and simply came up the path to the porch," Penny explained. "Tracey asked her if she had seen Sprague on the road—it's the same road Dexter would have had to take going down the hill to the main road—and she acted awfully queer."

"How?" Dundee demanded.

"Exactly as she would act, since she was in love with him," Penny retorted. "She turned very red and asked if Sprague had inquired for her, and Flora quite sharply told her he hadn't. Then Janet said she was very much surprised that he

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Children's Hose **\$1**

Pure Rayon Silk. A value that is seldom duplicated. Dollar days—3 pairs for

Ribbed Unions **\$1**

Boys'. Sizes range from 6 to 16. You'll save by buying now 3 pairs for

Slipover Sweaters **\$1**

Ladies' and Children's. Fancy patterns well woven, a sensational value at

House Frocks **\$1**

Beautiful new frocks suitable for porch and street wear. Every dress is guaranteed fast color. Complete range of sizes from 14 to 50. These \$1.95 values are always the choice of women who demand the best. . . now you'll appreciate them all the more for—

Manufacturers Concession

50 NEW SILK DRESSES

These dresses were sent direct from the factory and have just been unpacked . . . and are they stunning numbers? Dresses that would dominate a group of the kind that sell for many, many dollars more.

But leave it to Levine's for sensational bargains! As long as these dresses last, take your unlimited choice for—

\$1

Just leave it to Levine's for values such as this!

Piece Goods

BROADCLOTH PRINTS, Fast color, 4 yards **\$1**

RAYON PRINTS and SHANTUNGS, All colors, 2 yards for **\$1**

BEAUTIFUL SILKS, new shades, values to \$2.95, Big Table, choice, yard **\$1**

CURTAIN SETS, 5-piece sets, 2 pairs for **\$1**

2-PANEL CURTAINS, New Materials **\$1**

CRETONNES, Beautiful patterns, 5 yards **\$1**

NEW PRINTS, Fast color, 10 yards **\$1**

UNBLEACHED DOMESTIC, 12 yards for **\$1**

BLEACHED DOMESTIC, 10 yards for **\$1**

GOOD SHEETING, Bleached or unbleached, 2 1/2 yards **\$1**

FANCY PRINTS, Fast color, 7 yards for **\$1**

CAMBRIC PRINTS, Fast color, 5 yards for **\$1**

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Tiger Car Robes **\$1**

Every family can use one or more of these for the car.

Turkish Towels **\$1**

Here is an item that will mean savings to many who will buy right now. Good towels. 5 for

Coveralls **\$1**

Children's. We've passed all records in Pampa for the sale of these popular hickory stripe coveralls. These dollar days will pass all. Come early! 2 for

Coat Sweaters **\$1**

A good part wool sweater that will be appreciated for its quality.

Dress Caps **\$1**

Unbreakable veils, adjustable sizes. Dollar Days, Choice

Dress Shirts **\$1**

Men's. Neat new patterns that harmonize with the best of clothes. Values to \$1.95. Your choice these four days for

Pajamas **\$1**

New patterns in good quality broadcloth. Buy 'em now for

Dress Socks **\$1**

Men's. Plain and fancy patterns. You don't have to pay more at Levine's. You always pay less. 3 pairs for

Leather Palm Gauntlets **\$1**

Men! Here is value! Buy your cigars with the difference! 3 pairs for

DOLLAR DAY

Come! Come! Everybody's Coming!

In our store Thursday you will find Thousands of Dollar Day Bargains, such as you have never found before in Pampa. Come! It will cost you nothing to look. Here are a few of them:

English Prints	36-inches wide, regular 25c values, fast colors, 6 yards	\$1.00
Men's Fancy Hose	Regular 35c values, 5 pair	\$1.00
Bath Towels	Large Size, 8 for	\$1.00
Suit Cases	36-inch, Your choice	\$1.00
Work Pants	Khaki, Gray and Stripes, Pair	\$1.00
Ladies' Pajamas	Rayon, all colors, 2 pair	\$1.00
House Dresses	New Shipment, all sizes and colors, \$1.98 values, each	\$1.00
Rayon Bloomers	All Sizes and Colors, 75c values, 2 for	\$1.00
Men's Caps	All Late Spring Styles, Your Choice	\$1.00
Men's Dress Shirts	7 button front, late styles	\$1.00
Garza Sheets	81x90 and one pillow case 42x36, all for	\$1.00
Children's Underwear	Hanes, Heavy, sizes 4 to 10, 2 pair for	\$1.00
Ladies' Hose	Full Fashioned, all colors, \$1.49 values, special, per pair	\$1.00
Boys' Dress Shirts	Sizes 6 to 14, 2 for	\$1.00

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MURDER BRIDGE

by ANNE AUSTIN

THE BACK OF THE MURDER
PARROT CAGES
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had been there, and that she could not understand why he had behaved so strangely. Then Lila said she might as well go fetch Peter from the library, since Sprague was no longer there to contaminate the atmosphere. She came back—

"After how long a time?"
"Oh, about five minutes, I suppose," Penny answered. "He came in, her arm linked with Peter's, and laughing. She had found him reading a 'Deadwood Dick' thriller. . . . One of 'Tracey's' hobbles—she broke up to explain—

"Is collecting old fashioned thrillers, like the Nick Carter, Buffalo Bill and Deadwood Dick paperbacks. Of course he didn't take up that hobby until a lot of other rich men had done it first. He was never anybody less original than poor Tracey. . . . Well, Flora gave up her place to Janet, and again played anagrams with Johnny. Peter taking his original place at the table. Suddenly Polly thrust down her cards—she's been having rotten luck and seemed out of sorts—and said she didn't want to play bridge any more. So poor Flora had to be the perfect hostess, and switch from anagrams to bridge."

"And Polly played anagrams with Drake?" Dundee prompted.
"No. She said she thought anagrams were silly, and wandered off the porch and down the path, calling over her shoulder that she was going to take a walk. Tracey asked Johnny if he'd mind making the highballs and bringing out the sandwiches. Said Whitson had left a thermos bucket of ice cubes on the sideboard, some bottles of ginger ale, and a tray of glasses and sandwiches. Told him he'd find duplicates of Scotch and rye, and to bring out both."

"So Drake left the room too!" Dundee mused. "Oh Lord! I knew I'd find that every last one of the six had a chance to kill Sprague, as well as Nita! . . . How long was Polly Beale gone on this walk of hers?"

"She came in with a pink water lily—said she's been down to the lily ponds, and that Flora had enough to spare her one," Penny answered. "She couldn't have been away more than 10 minutes, because Johnny was just mixing the highballs, and getting the Scotch and rye. After we'd had our drinks and the sandwiches, we went on with bridge. Polly and Johnny just wandered about the porch or watched the game at the two tables. And about five minutes after 11 Elvira Hammond arrived, coming up the path to the porch, just as Janet had. After he came, there was no more bridge, but we sat around on the porch and talked until midnight. Elvira said he was too tired to play bridge—that he'd been struggling all evening with a knotty problem."

"I can sympathize with him," Dundee said grimly, as he rose. "I've got my own knotty problem awaiting me. . . . When that call comes through from Chicago, tell Sandyson the bad news, and say I'll telephone later."

(To be continued.)

**Kansas' Pioneer
Publisher Is Dead**
HOLTON, Kans., Feb. 4. (P)—M. M. Beck, 92, dean of Kansas newspapermen and for 55 years publisher of the Holton Recorder, died last night.

The oldest Kansas newspaperman, Beck continued active in his profession until death. He founded The Recorder in 1875. Six years after settling in Jackson county with his wife and son—Edward C. Beck, who later became managing editor of the Chicago Tribune.

Although he transferred active management of the newspaper to another son, Will T. Beck and daughter, Miss Martha Beck, in 1918, he maintained his hours at the office, writing a column of current comments.

CAPITALIST DIES
GREENVILLE, Feb. 4. (P)—Funeral rites were set for this afternoon for Charles B. Jones, 65, prominent Greenville banker and capitalist who died last night.

He was vice-president of the Greenville National Exchange bank, president of the Greenville Building and Loan association and a stockholder and director in most of the larger industries in Greenville, in addition to having large real estate holdings.

THE LEVITY TAILOR SHOP
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The American Cleaners
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All want ads are cash in advance. They must be paid before they will be inserted. Want Ads may be telephoned to the office before 12 o'clock on the day of insertion and a collector will call.
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Out of town advertising cash with order.
The News-Post reserves the right to classify all Want Ads under appropriate headings and to revise or withhold from publication any copy determined objectionable or misleading.
Notice of any error must be given in time for correction before second insertion.

Personals

JUNE'S AND MARIE'S Beauty
Shoppes now giving permanent waves complete with shampoo and finger wave for \$2.50. 1004 East Francis.

MADAM DE LANE, Spiritual medium, gives advice on business or law suits, is in Pampa at Maynard Hotel. For appointment phone 924. 2-12

For Rent

FOR RENT—Half duplex, modern, bills paid. One block east Red Ball grocery. W. H. Wemple. Phone 1067.

FOR RENT—Three-room efficiency apartment. Strickland apartments, 400 North Somerville. Call 556W.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, three rooms, private bath, garage, on pavement. 717 West Frances. Phone 260J.

FOR RENT—2 room completely furnished house, bath, bills paid, one door south of Frey hotel. Call at 303 S. Cuyler.

FOR RENT—Bedroom in modern home. 403 North West. Phone 396W.

FOR RENT—Four room furnished house, lights, water. Inquire 507 N. Hazel.

FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment, bills paid. 307 E. Kingsmill.

FOR RENT—East Ward grocery and lunch room; see me at 820 East Browning. Mrs. W. B. Barta. 5

FOR RENT—New four room house, modern, reasonable rates to right party. Phone 877M.

FOR RENT—Sleeping room, adjoining bath; garage. Phone 496W.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping room, bills paid, \$25. Pavement. Adults 927 East Frances. Phone 967W.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front bedroom in modern home, close in on pavement; men only. Phone 1176.

FOR RENT—3 room duplex and garage, modern. Call 46. 419 N. Grace.

FOR RENT—Two newly papered light housekeeping units, two rooms each. \$25. Phone 167.

FOR RENT—Two room furnished apartment. Apply after 6 p. m. 809 N. Somerville. Phone 637J.

FOR RENT—One-room apartment furnished, bills paid. 1000 East Browning. Phone 461R.

FOR RENT—Two-room furnished efficiency apartment, close in. Call 114 or 232.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished three-room modern house. Call 193R.

FOR RENT—Small furnished house close to school. All bills paid. Phone 92.

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Wanted

WE ARE just opening a home laundry at 708 East Francis. All work guaranteed.

RELIABLE settled colored woman wants half day's work; prefer evening. Call Baptist Parsonage. p4

WANTED—Practical nursing, seven years experience. Mrs. Calhoun. Mooney Court, Craven Ave. house 4.

WANTED—Desire companion for trip to Minnesota, driving through latter part of week. Call 1200. 5

BOARD AND ROOM wanted, with private family by gentlemen; give rates, reference if wanted. Address S. A. News. 14

For Sale

FOR SALE—532 acre improved farm, six miles from Gruver, at \$40 per acre. Will consider some Pampa property in trade, or a building to move off for boarding house. Balance cash on easy terms. Write owner, Box 63, Gruver, Texas. 4

FOR SALE—One automobile radio, automobile tools. Call Clark at 48.

FOR SALE—Auto trunk and carrier, \$10. Inquire S. & S. grocery, South Barnes street. 31c

FOR TRADE—Good lot to trade for car or equity. 625 North Grace. Phone 527J.

FOR SALE—Lots near Wynnelea addition and Wilcox addition, easy terms. Mr. Murray, Levine's Store. 251c

FOR SALE—Laying pullets, milk cow. Two and one-half miles south pavement. 7

FARM AND RANCH
FOUR sections, Ochiltree county, on Canadian and Perryton proposed hard surface hi-way, fairly improved, good fences, plenty good corn and alfalfa land, living water, 2 wells 20 feet, splendid oil territory, natural gas piped to improvements; no mineral reservations; possession. Price \$11, terms; NUP SAID. W. L. Parton, with

E. L. COGGIN & CO.
104-5 Oliver Eakle Bldg. Phone 4506 Amarillo, Texas

FOR SALE—Seed barley, oats and bright bundle hogs, for sale. Call 19. C. B. Barnard. 8

Good Used Cars

1930 Chrysler 70 4-door sedan
1930 Plymouth 4-door Sedan
1930 Ford Tudor Sedan
1930 Plymouth Bus, Coupe
1929 Ford 4-door Sedan
1929 Ford Panel Delivery.
1929 Ford Roadster, Pick-up.

CLAUSON MOTOR CO.
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Production Has Sharp Decline

NEW YORK, Feb. 4. (P)—The daily average gross crude oil production in the United States decreased 24,650 barrels for the week ended January 31, totalling 2,085,950 barrels, according to the weekly summary of the American Petroleum Institute. The daily average production East of California was 1,559,950 barrels, a decrease of 15,450 barrels.

Refineries representing 97.5 per cent of the estimated daily potential refining capacity, operating at 92.1 per cent of their capacity, reported daily average run of crude oil to stills as 2,217,400 barrels. Daily average the previous week was 2,291,800 barrels for refineries representing 95.7 per cent of potential capacity operating at 92.5 per cent of their capacity.

Daily average production Differ.
Oklahoma 444,050 Dec. 22,850
Kansas 104,050 Dec. 2,850
Pamlico Tex 59,250 Inc. 1,400
N. Texas 63,000 Inc. 300
W. C. Texas 25,500
W. Texas 250,350 Inc. 500
E. C. Texas 44,200 Dec. 400
S. W. Texas 79,400 Inc. 1,800
N. Louisiana 41,950 Inc. 1,550
Arkansas 50,550 Dec. 100
Coastal Tex 162,900 Inc. 3,000
Coastal La. 26,500 Inc. 1,300
Eastern (not including Mich.) 101,250 Inc. 1,750
Michigan 9,250
Wyoming 45,250 Dec. 150
Montana 7,150 Inc. 300
Colorado 4,700 Inc. 200
N. Mexico 38,600 Dec. 600
California 529,000 Dec. 9,200
Total 2,085,950 Dec. 24,650
Daily average imports of petrol-

POPULAR Piano taught. Rates reasonable. Sld Merton. 115 South Wynne. Apt. 2.

FOR SALE—Small cafe, doing good business, owner leaving town. Box 24, News-Post.

FOR SALE—One thousand "55 gallon" oil drums, in good condition; will sacrifice. Call 719 or 930W. c4

FOR SALE—Registered Boston screwtail, 2 years old, is pet. Apartment 38, Frey hotel. 6

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Four room house, take car as part payment, see owner in garage apartment, rear of 332 N. Doyle, one block west, three north of Hill Top Grocery. H. M. Wilson. 7

FOR SALE—R. C. A. Radiola 44, bargain for cash. O. B. Wood, Jr., Rex Theater. 5

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—15-jewel wrist watch, silver bracelet, on main street. Reward. Mrs. A. C. Lovell, 502 North Stark-weather. Phone 261W. c6

MONEY! **MONEY!**
To Loan On
AUTOMOBILES
Let us make you a loan or reduce your payments.
Quick Service Reasonable Rates
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THIS IS MONEY
This ad has a cash value if used by February 13th on the purchase of a
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Daily average receipts of California oil at Atlantic and Gulf coast ports for the week ended January 31 were 83,571 barrels compared with 22,000 barrels for the previous week, and 65,571 barrels for the four weeks ended January 31.

Refinery Operation
Week ended Crude run to stills

	Total Daily	Average
Jan. 31	15,522,000	2,217,400
Jan. 24	15,623,000	2,231,000
Gasoline Stocks Jan & Fuel		
Stocks	41,657,000	131,712,000
41,495,000	132,062,000	

A full sized reproduction of famous Kenilworth castle is to be built as a branch of the Metropolitan Museum of art on land donated by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., in New York.

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IN CONGRESS

Wednesday

Senate:
Continues consideration of independent offices appropriation bill. Takes up conference report on interior appropriation bill.

House:
Continues debate on District of Columbia annual appropriation. Ways and means committee resumes hearings on veterans compensation payment plans.

Banking and currency committee
considers bill to clarify state taxation of national banks.

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Senator Caraway Strikes Back At House Member

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4. (AP)—Senator Caraway, democrat, Arkansas, said today he had telephoned to Representative Cramton, republican, Michigan, and challenged the house member to repeat to him personally his accusation on the floor yesterday that anyone who said he was seeking a federal job was "an unadulterated liar."

The Arkansas senator, relating the incident off the floor, said he had called the Michigan member and that Cramton had gone three times hung up the telephone on him.

The row, which has gone far beyond usual congressional controversies, in its character, was begun when Caraway in the senate condemned Cramton for leading the fight against the \$35,000,000 Red Cross fund and accused him of fixing up a job for himself after his retirement from congress with the George Washington bicentennial commission.

Cramton in the house said he was forbidden by house rules from mentioning Caraway's name. Senator Caraway in the senate today said he had extended a public invitation to two members of the house to repeat to him the statements they made about him in the house yesterday.

The Arkansas senator continued that "whether they give him the opportunity to tell them what I think."

In a speech on the drought situation Monday, Caraway assailed Cramton, Representative Treadway, republican, Massachusetts, and Representative Tilson, connecticut, the house floor leader.

Death Toll In Quake Now 400

WELLINGTON, N. Z., Feb. 4. (AP)—Preliminary estimates of the death toll at Napier and Hastings jumped to 400 today when survivors of the damage caused by yesterday's earthquake and fire had only begun to be counted.

Eye witnesses reported it was impossible to give any accurate figure at present, but agreed there were at least 300 dead in Napier and 100 in Hastings. The number of injured at Napier was estimated at 1,000. No figure on injuries at Hastings was reported but the number was believed to run into the hundreds.

Pears prompted by scattered reports from the stricken area were more than realized in information collected from refugees arriving here today.

Survivors said the quake wrecked nearly all the stone buildings in Napier and that the fire, fanned by a breeze coming in from the sea, swept inland, destroying everything in its path.

AUCKLAND, N. Z., Feb. 4. (AP)—The earthquake-stricken cities of Napier and Hastings today began combing their ruins and counting the dead, with the expectation that the casualties would reach far beyond the more than 100 fatalities and 1,000 injuries shown in first reports.

Rescuers tore into the ruins in search of the bodies of unidentified number of persons believed to have been entombed when tall stone buildings and frame structures collapsed like so many houses of cards under the destructive force of yesterday's earth shocks.

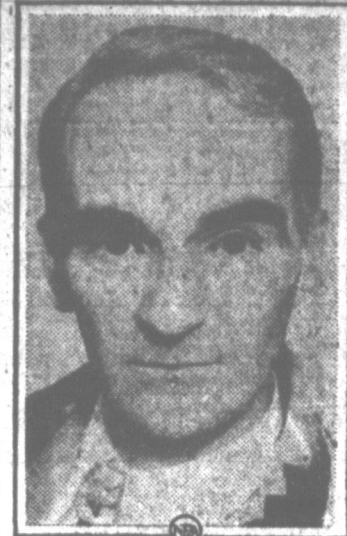
Some of the victims were taken out alive but severely injured. Thousands of homeless were taken care of at emergency relief stations set up outside the fire-swept ruins.

Flames Still Raging
Flames still crept through the twisted business districts of both Napier and Hastings, hampering the efforts of searchers. To halt the many fires was virtually impossible. Shattered mains crippled the water supplies and cracked gas pipes caused the hungry flames to leap skyward.

Material loss was expected to run into millions of pounds sterling. Survivors of the disaster silently walked the forlorn streets of towns in the affected area. There was no panic. They seemed dazed. Many of them had lost everything, their homes, their businesses, and some their families.

Eye witnesses brought out tragic

Scientist Stars In Fiction, Too



NEA Los Angeles Bureau
Dr. Eric T. Bell, above, is professor of higher mathematics at the California Institute of Technology, and a widely known scientist; however he is also a novelist of repute, specializing in fantastic thrillers after the manner of Jules Verne. Writing during his vacation periods under the nom de plume of John Taine, Dr. Bell has had seven of his novels printed.

accounts of the quake. Whole rows of buildings in Napier collapsed, said S. Lewis of Sydney. He told of one street in which the buildings on either side toppled simultaneously, burying a whole row of taxicabs and their drivers.

Blue-jackets patrolled the streets of the larger cities today while doctors and nurses, rushed from nearby cities, sought to make the injured more comfortable.

Buildings Collapsed
The quake began shortly after 8 a. m. yesterday. Public buildings, hospitals, stores and houses, crashed upon their unsuspecting occupants. A great pall of dust and smoke soon spread like a huge blanket across the peaceful countryside.

Bluff Hill, near Napier, collapsed, carrying with it dozens of homes. Oil tanks on the edge of the town exploded with the roar of an artillery barrage, pouring streams of fire through the city's streets. The bed of Hawke Bay, Napier's harbor, was thrust up 18 feet and shipping was forced to move out. Men, women, children, ran for the safety of the shore or the open country.

Hastings, 12 miles from Napier, suffered severely. Huge earth fissures appeared both in Hastings and Napier today, some of them 70 feet long.

Besides the two larger cities, the towns of Waikato, Waipukurua, and Waipara were rased by the quake. Few details came from them today.

Open Forum Is Held At Rotary

An open forum held at the Rotary club meeting today brought out a number of suggestions for the bettering of the activity of the club and cleared in the minds of members many other points.

Paul Shepherd, F. M. Foster, Mc Davis, M. D. Oden, Lynn Boyd, the Rev. C. E. Lancaster, and Frank Klein made short talks before the club. Mr. Klein explained the results of the form: a of the "Knot-hole Gang" among boys of the grade schools. Approximately 75 boys are now members and are living up to the high type of reformation for membership.

C. T. Funkhouser announced a Rotary Ann night meeting of the club for Friday, Feb. 13. Presidents and secretaries of various clubs will be guests and most of the newly-formed Clarendon club will be present.

Visitors today included A. Hodick, A. J. Irwin, and Rotarians A. E. Connell and I. N. Edwards of Amarillo.

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Law Requiring Uniform Is Held To Be Illegal

AUSTIN, Feb. 4. (AP)—The court of criminal appeals today held unconstitutional the law passed by the last legislature forbidding an officer from making an arrest in a traffic violation case unless he was wearing a certain uniform.

The decision was by O. S. Lattimore in the appeal of J. C. Scoggin from McCullough county, sentenced to one year's imprisonment for transportation of whiskey. The whiskey agent, Scoggin, after being arrested, had been arrested on a speeding charge. The case was affirmed.

The appellant contended the officer did not have the right to search his car for intoxicants because the officer did not have probable cause until after the arrest for speeding, and the speeding arrest was illegal because the officer was not in uniform.

Judge Lattimore ridiculed the traffic officer's uniform law. He said: "If the sheriff of Alpine sees some speed fiend coming 75 miles an hour down the street toward their beautiful new high school, though on the campus and surrounding streets contiguous thereto where he hundreds of children, if such officer happens to be wearing his customary comfortable smock, he can not interpose the law's protective and arresting arm, but must rush home or to his office and get his badge and cap and don his coat and trousers of blue and dark grey, no matter how many children may be killed or how plain and patent his duty must be in the premises. Even so of the sheriffs at Amarillo and El Paso and other places, and this too without exception for emergency or any other regard."

The law prescribes that an officer making a traffic arrest must wear a diamond shaped badge and cap and blue or dark grey coat and trousers. Lattimore said such a law was an unwarranted interference of the legislative branch of government with the executive. He wanted to know what right the legislature had to make poorly paid peace officers buy two suits of a prescribed nature, one for summer, and one for winter.

Men Vanish When Given Work To Do

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 4. (AP)—Nearly 100 men vanished, some via an open window and the roof from the Salvation Army transient home here this morning when the city's central relief committee sent them in carrying out its "work or starve" order.

Rather than work cleaning streets in payment for the food furnished them, the men, who slept in free beds last night, slipped away in the dawn, W. S. Key, committee head, said.

Yesterday only 62 of an anticipated 500 reported for work when told they must join the "brooms and shovel brigade" or be given no food.

Will Rogers has raised \$22,000 in Texas for the relief of drought and unemployment sufferers.

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States Battle Over Divorces

PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 4. (AP)—A battle for "divorce business" between the states of Nevada, Wyoming and Arizona became a two-state affair yesterday when Arizona withdrew from the contest.

Arizona's legislature quickly voted down a bill proposing a 90-day residence for divorce seekers. Senator Crenshaw introduced the bill with the remark it was a "business proposition" for some of the divorce grant turned out by Nevada. An uproar followed and when the oratory ended the bill was defeated nine to eight votes, and Arizona's divorce residence requirements remained at one year.

At Cheyenne a bill was introduced by Rep. W. C. Delaney amid much merriment. The bill would require only 60 days residence for divorces. The bill, however, was conceded a chance for passage, despite the fact Speaker Charles Mann referred it to the bridges and highways committee. And from Reno came immediate

reaction to the efforts of its quick divorce rivals. John S. Smal, president of the Washoe County Bar association, toasted Arizona's slaying of the easy divorce bill as follows: "Gentlemen, I suggest we give the little senate of Arizona big hand." And the Reno lawyers laughed and clapped their hands.

Markets

COTTON OPENS CALM

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 4. (AP)—Although Liverpool was lower than due, cotton here opened steady, first trades showing gains of two to three points. The market eased off slightly after the start, but rallied again, owing to moderate trade buying and short covering, May advancing to 10.75 and October to 11.10, or four to five points above yesterday's close.

At the end of the first hour, the market was steady and at or near the highs.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK
KANSAS CITY, Feb. 4. (U. S. D. A.)—Hogs, 6,000; steady to 10 lower; top, \$7.55; packing sows, \$3.40-\$6.15; stock pigs, \$2.00-\$7.75. Cattle, 3,500; calves, 2,000; killing classes opening fully steady; steers, good and choice, \$4.50-\$6.50; vealers (milk-fed) medium to choice, \$5.50-\$10.00; stocker and feeder steers, good and choice, \$6.50-\$9.25. Sheep, 7,000; lambs steady to weak; sheep, weak. Lambs, good and choice, 90 lbs. down, \$7.50-\$8.40; ewes medium to choice, 150 lbs. down, \$3.00-\$4.35.

WHEAT IS STRONGER
CHICAGO, Feb. 4. (AP)—Official confirmation of need of moisture throughout the entire winter wheat area led to fresh upturns in grain prices today. Government reports suggested danger that a sharp fall in temperature would cause crop damage.

Opening at 1-40 off to 3-40 up, wheat afterward showed general gains. Corn started 1-40 11-8c higher and subsequently held near to the initial range.



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DISREGARD DECISION
MORRISTOWN, N. J., Feb. 4. (AP)—Federal Judge William A. Clark's decision that the eighteenth amendment is invalid was disregarded today in what is believed the first test case brought under it in a state court.

Judge Albert H. Holland of the common pleas court of Morris county held that George Snyder was not entitled to compensation for injuries received while working in a saloon because he was "engaged in an illegal enterprise, the sale of liquor."

Counsel for the appellant argued that he was entitled to a compensation since, under Judge Clark's decision, he was engaged in a lawful business.

Insurance for the unemployed is being considered by the Canadian government.

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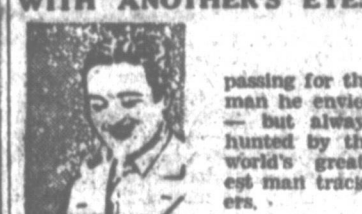
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