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WILBARGER CO. FACES FIGHT ON BRIDGE DEAL

DAWSON NAMED WAURIKA C. C. HEAD FOR '26

Annual Banquet Held Monday Night With Busy Year Past

BROWN V-PRESIDENT

New Gas Franchise Is First Objective of Incoming Board

Special to the Record News.

WAURIKA, Okla., Jan 18.—T. W. Dawson was elected president of the Waurika chamber of commerce for 1926 at the annual banquet held there Monday night. E. E. Brown was named vice president and C. G. Morris temporary secretary-treasurer. The board of directors was elected as follows: P. F. Dawson, W. H. Gresham, Earl Morris, W. H. Divers, C. S. Storms, E. E. Brown, Tom Sims, A. B. Kerr, P. W. Denny, Donald Stuart and E. B. Ellis. Mr. Dawson succeeds Mr. Ellis as president.

Good Progress Made

The banquet, held in the Stuart dining rooms, was well attended by Waurika business men who heard reports of pronounced accomplishment by the chamber during the past 12 months. Excellent progress was made in all civic lines, it was pointed out, despite the fact that 1925 was a year of more or less economic retrenchment in southern Oklahoma.

To the credit of the Waurika chamber of commerce the past year has gone the formation of a county good roads association; work for the establishment of a better cotton market for southern Oklahoma farmers; a series of dairy conferences with A. & M. specialists from Stillwater here to conduct the schools; promotion of an excellent poultry show and a number of other civic improvements that are still in process of projectment.

Need Gas Franchise

The incoming board of directors faces as probably its most important task the obtaining of a gas franchise, something the city stands in need of. It is planned to make this an issue of paramount importance at once.

Speakers at the dinner tonight were unanimous in their belief that a fruitful and prosperous year is ahead for Waurika and its tributary territory. They urged wholehearted cooperation with the chamber of commerce in its efforts for civic development and improvement.

Convicted Local Man Files Appeal

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—James L. Marshall, convicted in Wichita county of murder and sentenced 25 years in connection with the slaying of J. E. Swayzee, July 26, 1925, filed appeal in the court of criminal appeals today.

HOOVER IS NOT ASKING HILLS FOR COAL RELIEF

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—While members of both houses of congress continued today to advance proposals for the relief of the coal situation, Secretary Hoover, made the laconic announcement that neither he nor the commerce department had prepared or recommended any coal legislation.

THE WEATHER



"I forgot to pray about that window light I busted last night, but it was so cold I didn't get out of bed to do it over."

Local weather conditions for the past 24-hour period as recorded by the Wichita Falls Electric company bureau: Maximum temperature, 64 degrees; minimum, 32; at 5 p. m. Monday, 62; no precipitation; southeast breeze; clear; average wind velocity, 12 miles per hour; maximum, 18 miles per hour; barometer, 28.99.

OKLAHOMA: Tuesday and Wednesday part cloudy to cloudy, probably rain; colder Wednesday.

EAST TEXAS: Tuesday increasing cloudiness, rain at night; Wednesday probably rain, colder except in southeast portion. Moderate to fresh southerly to westerly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Tuesday and Wednesday partly cloudy to cloudy, probably rain or snow in north portion; colder Tuesday night.

THE DAY IN WICHITA FALLS

The Strand, "Stage Struck."
The Olympic, "Beautiful City."
The Majestic, Edna Park Players.
The Mission, Rin Tin Tin in the "Clash of the Wolves."
The Palace, "Hutch of the U. S. A." Mullen's Musical Maids; Artie Collins' orchestra.
The Garden, "Perils of the Wild."
The Gem, Feature picture.
Ad Men's club, noon, Kemp hotel.
Wichita Falls Real Estate Board, noon, Kemp hotel.
Technical club, 6:45 p. m., Wichita club.

'The Charleston' Is Big Feature At Revival Meeting

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Three girls danced last night at the revival being conducted in the old Robey cafe, now used as a mission. Miss Sarah Riesinger performed the Charleston to the satisfaction of the congregation.

Malcolm Fitch, evangelist, said he found nothing in the Bible to ban harmless dancing.

DAN IS SILENT ABOUT PLANS

Primaries More Than a Year Off; He Refuses To Talk

HOUSTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Dan Moody, attorney general, declined to talk about his political fortunes to newspapermen who tried to interview him on his visit here Sunday, when he spoke at a mass meeting on law enforcement.

"Are you a candidate, or are you going to be a candidate for governor?" he was asked at his hotel.

"Well, there is plenty of time for that with the primaries more than a year off—haven't decided and why talk about it," was the substance of his reply.

"Will you be a candidate if Mrs. Ferguson announces for re-election?"

"That's an unfair question," he replied. "It wouldnt sound nice for me to answer that either way, would it?" and he laughed.

Former Governor Ferguson was in Houston over Sunday, but their paths didn't cross. The former governor staying at another hotel.

Mine Operators Balked at Audit

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The anthracite scale committee of the United Mine Workers today issued a statement saying that the anthracite operators had bluntly refused to submit their books to determine their profits when asked to do so by union leaders before the break of the recent joint conference. The statement was issued by the miners through Ellis Searles, editor of the mine worker's Journal.

SHERIFF NOT TO GIVE OVER OSAGE MEN TO STATE

GUTHRIE, Okla., Jan. 18.—(AP) Sheriff Tom Boggs declared here today that he would not turn W. K. Hale and Ernest Burkhart over to Sheriff Frens of Pawhuska on the order of Judge Jesse Worten.

Boggs declared he had orders to hol dthe men for the federal authorities and would continue to do so until receiving further orders from the federal authorities.

AIRCRAFT BILL IN HOUSE IN LINE WITH CAL'S PLANS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Preparatory to the opening by the house military committee tomorrow of a new inquiry into the aircraft situation Chairman Morin today introduced a bill designed to carry out recommendations of the president's air board.

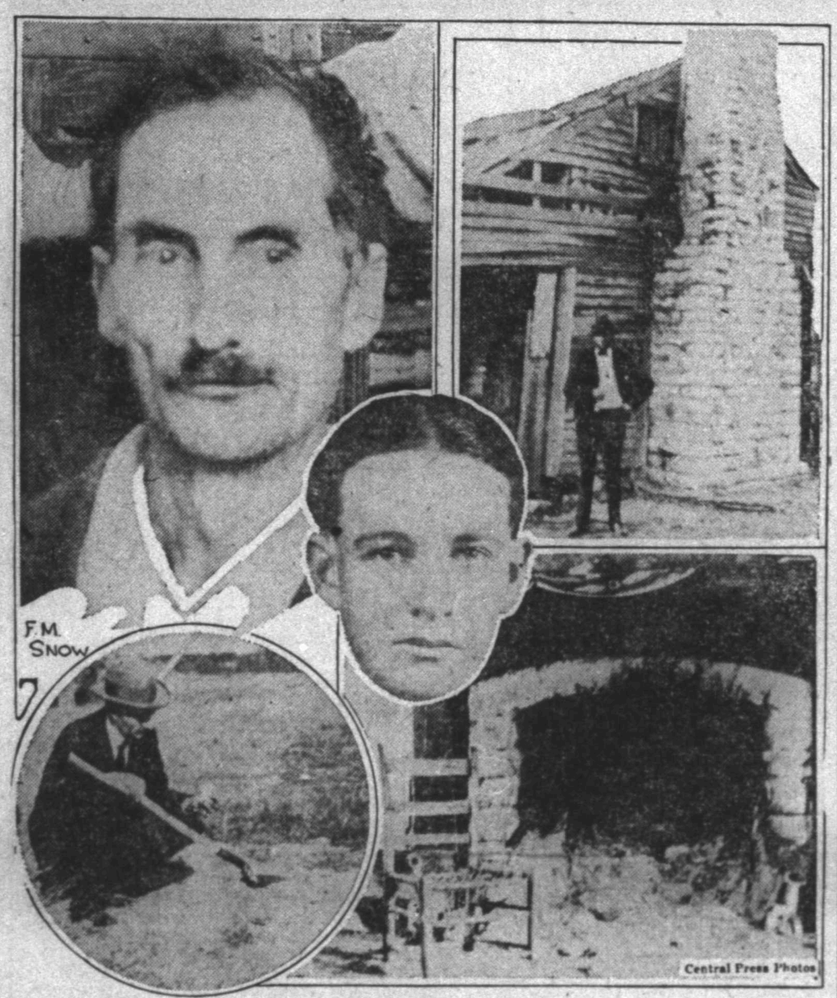
Amundsen to Visit Dr. Cook in Prison

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Captain Raold Amundsen, discoverer of the South Pole and hero of a recent airplane dash to the North Pole, will come to Leavenworth tomorrow to visit Dr. Frederick Cook, Arctic explorer, who claimed to have discovered the North Pole.

Dr. Cook is an attendant in the hospital at the federal penitentiary, where he is serving a term for using the mails to defraud in connection with oil stock sales.

Snow, Slayer of Three, Will Plead Insanity, Lawyer Says

Slayer, One of His Three Victims and Scene of Killing



The photographs show two of the principals in the Snow triple-murder case at Stephenville, Tex., and the fireplace in which the bodies of Snow's wife and mother-in-law were burned. At the top left is F. M. Snow, the slayer; at the right, is the house in the hills where Snow lived; in the center is Bernie Connally, the son of Snow's wife by a former husband, and a victim of Snow's mad attack, at the lower left is shown an officer seeking human bones in a pile of ashes.

DEFENSE LOSES FIRST INNING AS DELAY IS DENIED

Change of Venue for West Texas Wood Cutter Also Refused by Court

SCORES CROWD CITY

Stephenville's Streets Assume County Fair Day; Court Room Packed

STEPHENVILLE, Jan. 18.—(AP) Efforts of the defense to obtain a continuance or a change of venue having proven vain, examination of venire for a jury to try F. M. Snow for the slaying of his step son, wife and mother-in-law was begun here this afternoon. Indications were that a bitter fight over talesmen could be expected, the immediate prospect that another special venire would be necessary.

Streets Resemble Fair Day.

Interest in the trial is intense. Crowds have packed the court room all day, while the streets resemble a county fair day. More strangers are in Stephenville than ever were known to gather here for any reason. Families have come in tents prepared to stay throughout the trial, all available accommodations at hotels being taken up.

Snow's counsel will maintain that he was insane even prior to the day he shot his step son, according to his confession beheaded the body after taking it to the top of Cedar Mountain and hid the head in a ruined cellar. After confessing the killing of the boy, Bernie Connally, Snow was taken by officers to the mountain top where the body was found and there confessed the slaying of the two women and the burning of their bodies.

Say Fair Trial Impossible.

Counsel for the defense asked a continuance first to permit Snow to be examined by a sanity commission and then to permit his attorneys to prepare their case. A change of venue was sought on the ground that he could not obtain a fair trial in Erath county. All motions were overruled.

Petroleum Men Open Meet Today

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Jan. 18.—(AP)—This city, the center of one of the largest oil producing areas in the United States, tonight was the gathering point of the leading figures in the oil industry. Several hundred have arrived and other hundreds are arriving for the opening tomorrow of the sixth annual convention of the American Petroleum institute.

Those oil magnates arriving today went immediately into the preliminary sessions of the convention. Special committee meetings were held throughout the afternoon.

One of the principal topics to be taken up at the convention is the standardization of equipment and methods in the oil industry. Another subject to receive prominent discussion is the more efficient utilization of petroleum and petroleum products.

SHOT GUN, WIRED TO POST, ENDS TEXAN'S LIFE

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 18.—(AP) The body of George Haberman, 63, -year-old farmer, living between Selma and Converse, Texas, was found back of his table this morning with a charge from a shotgun through the left chest.

The shotgun was found wired to a fence post and the body was found lying a few feet in front of it.

HEAVY FOG PLAYS HAVOC WITH TRAFFIC IN GOTHAM

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP—A dark, impenetrable fog, clinging to familiar land marks and blurring tall buildings, settled on New York and the harbor today, demoralizing both land and water traffic.

MRS. VANDERBILT ILL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Mrs. Grace Vanderbilt, wife of Brigadier General Cornelius Vanderbilt, was reported ill at her home on Fifth avenue today of inflammation of the gall bladder. Tonight it was said that she was "slightly better."

Singer Asks For $25,000 In Story About His Nose

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Summons in a $25,000 libel suit by John W. Steel, lyric tenor and former musical comedy star, against Variety, a theatrical publication, for printing alleged derogatory remarks about the singer's nose, was served today on Sime Silverman, president of the publication. The article published early this month, referred to Steel's "pretty nose" and stated that he had it beautified on the insistence of his bride, Mabel Stapleton, who is now with him in Winnipeg as accompanist on a concert tour.

Mr. Steel's lawyer said that the operation was not to beautify it, but to remove a bone growth which interfered with his singing.

2 BEER BARONS SOUGHT FOR TAX

U. S. Demands Revenue On $3,000,000 Business By Chicago Firm

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The Chicago Daily News today says documentary proof that Terry Druggan and Frankie Lake personally collected $3,000,000 for out of town beer shipments in 1923 and 1924 and that they split with three Chicago politicians, two of them in public office has been obtained by the internal revenue bureau.

"The evidence indicates that the two hoodlum brewers did a gross business of $15,000,000 in these years, it is said, and that their political backers received a 'divvy' on all of it," says the Daily News.

The internal revenue bureau dug up the evidence while checking up on the income tax returns of Druggan and Lake, regarded as millionaires, says the story, and on the strength of it, is preparing a tax bill of several hundred thousand dollars.

Police orders to bring in Druggan and Lake who returned yesterday from Florida, had not been obeyed today.

They are wanted for questioning in connection with the slaying of Harry Schneider aged "school master" of the bad lands of West Side Chicago.

POLICE KILL 1 BANDIT IN BATTLE; 2 ARE CAPTURED

SACRAMENTO, Calif., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Three bandits who early this afternoon held up the Railroad National Bank at Roseville and escaped with approximately $35,000 in currency, were captured later and one of the trio killed in a battle with policemen according to a report to the sheriff's office here.

Detective Sergeant E. L. Roberts, and Detective Walter Nelson captured the bandits in Sutter county after shooting them down.

TREMENDOUS GROWTH IN BANK'S STRENGTH SHOWN

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—A compilation of the resources of the larger banks of the country by the Financial Age, shows that of the 28,000 banks and trust companies, 362 have deposits of $15,000,000 and above. Today deposits of these banks at the close of 1925 aggregated $22,849,470,000, compared with $21,340,385,000 the year before and $14,493,470,000 in 1920. This was a gain of about $1,500,000,000 in the past year and $8,400,000,000 in five years.

Thirteen banks in as many cities had deposits ranging from 82 to 99 millions each and 22 ranging from 60 to 78 millions each.

CHAMPION BIBLE READER AND CIVIL WAR VET DEAD

MOUNT CARMEL, Ill., Jan. 18.—(AP)—W. P. Habberton, 79, civil war veteran and business and church man, who had read the Bible through once each year for the last 49 years, died today.

MONSIGNOR O'FARRELL OF VIRGINIA IS DEAD

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 18.—(AP)—The Right Rev. Monsignor J. T. O'Farrell, vicar general of the Virginia diocese of the Catholic church, died late today at a local hospital.

FORT WORTH MAN SHOT

FORT WORTH, Jan. 18.—(AP)—W. H. McNeil, 50, painter, was shot four times and killed here this evening by Hugh E. Eagle, 35, carpenter. Eagle said he shot McNeil because the latter insisted on paying attentions to Eagle's wife after being warned to stop.

INJUNCTION IS FILED TO STOP NEGOTIATIONS

Suit Urges That Commissioners be Enjoined From Buying or Building

W. F. MEN INVOLVED

J. I. And J. A. Staley, Local Contractors, Are Owners Of Structure

VERNON, Jan. 18.—An injunction suit has been filed in the 46th district court to enjoin Wilbarger county officials from further proceeding with the purchase or construction of the bridge across the Red river on the Lee highway between Vernon and Davidson, Okla. The suit will be heard in district court Friday.

The action may prevent the bridge from becoming a free passway, according to county officials, as J. I. and J. A. Staley, Wichita Falls contractors who constructed the bridge for toll purposes and then agreed to sell it, may refuse to await the action of the court.

Plaintiffs C. C. Hawley, R. L. Castlebury, H. D. Tennyson, A. M. Hiatt, Jr., N. P. Reed, O. K. Storey and Lon Byars ask for the injunction, alleging that it is not the purpose of the defendants to construct a bridge, but it is their intention to purchase a bridge already constructed, and such action prevents the awarding of the contract to the lowest bidder, as required by law, that the defendants have agreed to pay $30,000 more than the actual cost of the bridge, and that the bridge is being purchased or constructed under a specialactpas sed by the last legislature which is void and unconstitutional.

Cardinal Mercier Grows Feebler

BRUSSELS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Cardinal Mercier's strong natural constitution is gradually succumbing to the gastric attacks which almost daily followed the operation he underwent December 29 for a lesion of the stomach. He is becoming feebler; he suffers distressing weakness but his resistance has been remarkable.

Tonight the attending physicians after a consultation announced that artificial feeding had been resorted to but that the patients failure to assimilate nourishment rendered his condition serious.

67 FURNITURE MEN DENY TRUST CHARGES

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Sixty seven individual furniture manufacturers and 80 furniture corporations pleaded not guilty today to indictments charging conspiracy to violate the Sherman anti-trust act. Their trial was set for April 5. Judge Adam C. Cliffe fixed the individuals' bonds at $1,000 each. The names of two individuals were stricken because of death.

JARDINE TO TALK ABOUT SURPLUS CROP CONDITION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP) Secretary Jardine will pay particular attention to the surplus crop question in his speech Thursday at Champaign, Ills., before the Illinois Agricultural association. This address will be the last the secretary will make outside of Washington until early in March when he will speak before the Texas Cattle Raisers' association at Fort Worth.

Bus Travel Forces 2 Trains to Stop

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Texas railroad commission today granted the application of the Southern Pacific Lines for permission to discontinue operation of trains 53 and 54 between Waco and Rockdale, effective at convenience of carrier. Motor bus travel caused the discontinuance, Chairman C. E. Gilmore said.

PLAINS BRANCH IS UP TO I. C. C.

Texas Railroad Commission Will Make Recommendations, However

AUSTIN, Jan. 18—Although the Texas railroad commission will make a recommendation for the application of the Texas, Panhandle and Gulf railway to build from Fort Worth to Tucumcari, N. M., it will leave the deciding to be done by the interstate commerce commission at Washington, it was indicated today. The Texas commission wired the interstate commerce commission that within the next few days it will message a recommendation, that the permit should or should not be granted, but that the nature of the recommendation should be given out by the I. C. C. u that body desires.

Application was heard last week by the Texas commission.

THE DAY IN WASHINGTON

Secretary Hoover again gave his view on the rubber problem.

Senator Borah suggested February 10 for a vote on the world court.

The senate interstate commerce commission heard opponents of the Goodling long and short haul bill.

The house authorized an appropriation for American participation in the preliminary disarmament conference.

LATE

HOUSTON—Phillip M. Heltzel, 69, merchant, formerly of Kansas City, died at a hospital at 10 p. m., Monday as the result of an unprovoked slugging in the rear of his store earlier in the evening.

AUSTIN—A. C. Champion, aged 83 years, resident of Travis county for more than fifty years, died at a local hospital this afternoon after an illness of one week.

OKLAHOMA CITY—Flood control plans affecting the North Canadian river are meeting with strong opposition in the national drainage congress which opened here today.

AUSTIN—Three hundred members of Austin civic clubs and other central Texas Lions clubs will welcome Judge Ben F. Jones, the first president of International Lions clubs to visit in Austin, here Tuesday.

WASHINGTON—The right of states to specify the time which gifts shall be considered as having been made in anticipation of death and therefore subject to inheritance tax was argued today before the supreme court.

WASHINGTON—A statement expressing appreciation of the action of Daniel Guggenheim in behalf of aviation research was issued today by Secretary Hoover. Mr. Guggenheim gave $2,500,000 to establish a foundation for scientific research into problems of aviation.

CHICAGO—Information charging radio station WJAZ operated by the Zenith Radio corporation with "piracy" of wave lengths will be filed in federal court tomorrow, John Elliott Byrne, assistant United States district attorney announced tonight.

KANSAS CITY—The agricultural states of the middle west and south are bearing the brunt of a post-war reversal of trade balances between the United States and Europe, H. A. Wallace, Des Moines, Iowa, editor of a farm publication testified here today before the interstate commerce commission freight rate hearing.

AUSTIN—People of the various nations hate war but they go into it because they haven't the intelligence to be willing to pay the price of peace. That was the keynote of an address on "war and its consequences" delivered by Kirby Page of New York, native Texan, to members of the Kiwanis club here today.

OKLAHOMA CITY—The way was cleared here late today for the trial of W. K. Hale, alleged leader of the Osage "death ring" in the federal court. George Short, state's attorney general, dismissed murder charges against Hale in the district court of Osage county after a conference with Roy Lewis, United States district attorney.

SANTA FE, N. M.—E. D. Swope, former chairman of the New Mexico democratic central committee, today issued a statement denying that George A. Davison president of the Hoffman Construction company or the Hoffman Construction company ever gave one cent to the democratic central committee as a campaign

TAX BILL DUE TO STIR FIGHT

Repeal of Inheritance Tax And Publicity Clauses Opposed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—A fight against some provisions of the tax reduction bill ordered unanimously reported to the senate by its finance committee appears certain despite the compromise agreement between republicans and democrats.

The provisions for repeal of the inheritance tax and the publicity of income tax returns are almost certain to be made the basis of the contest by some western senators of both parties.

The compromise, however, has apparently assured overwhelming support for the bill and its enactment in time to become effective by March 15 seems assured.

Secretary Mellon withheld definite approval of the bill today, pending a study by experts to determine the full extent of the reduction it will provide. He had warned the finance committee to hold the total of reduction to the $330,000,000 limit approved by the house, bt Chairman Smoot of the senate committee estimated today the bill probably would provide for at least $360,000,000 in reductions.

Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, in a brief discussion of the bill in the senate today, expressed doubt that the "farmers will be consoled by the agreement of the two great parties to slash our tax rates and repeal inheritance taxes."

Texas to Exhibit At Philadelphia

STAMFORD, Jan. 18.—(AP)—A Texas exhibit will be sent to the sesquicentennial exposition, Philadelphia. This became certain with the favorable vote of the directors of the West Texas chamber of commerce meeting here Monday. A special committee was named by the directors to raise the $20,000 to be set aside for this purpose.

ASSOCIATED PRESS MAN HAS LUNCHEON WITH COOLIDGE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Kent Cooper, general manager of the Associated Press was a luncheon guest of President Coolidge today at the White House.

RUBBER PRICES DROP

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Crude rubber prices dropped 8 cents today. Spot smoked ribbed sheets were offered at 74 3-8 cents against 82 3-4 cents at the close of business on Saturday.

Chamber of Commerce Drive For $100,000 Brings Endorsement From J. A. Kemp Who Urges Its Support

It's an Investment Every One Ought to Make, He Declares; Follow-up Committee Goes To Work Monday Morning

J. A. Kemp, business and civic leader of Wichita Falls, added his endorsement Monday to those of others who are active in support of the local chamber of commerce and issued an appeal to the citizenship for wholehearted and enthusiastic cooperation in the campaign now under way to raise a budget of $100,000.

"I feel a very keen interest in the chamber of commerce campaign for $100,000 for 1926," Mr. Kemp declared. "I want to urge every sincere well-wisher of Wichita Falls to take an active interest in this movement and to invest to the fullest extent of his ability in this program.

It's An Investment.

Continuing Mr. Kemp said: "a subscription to the chamber of commerce program should be regarded as a business investment and not a donation. It is my sincere belief that with $100,000 expended through the careful and efficient efforts of our officers and directors along the lines outlined to the members at our recent annual dinner, and in statements in the press, will result in tremendous industrial and agricultural development for Wichita Falls and Wichita valley.

"I appeal to our citizens generally to support this movement to their fullest ability. Any business man who is making a living in Wichita Falls should feel that he owes a duty to invest some of his time, thought and money in this program."

Plans For Campaign.

Plans were made Monday morning at a meeting of the directors and a special committee to conduct an aggressive follow-up campaign to raise the balance of the $100,000 budget set for 1926. It is hoped that this can be completed by Wednesday and that officials of the chamber can then turn their attention to the business of prosecuting the program outlined for the year's work.

No doubt remains, an official of the chamber said yesterday, but that the full $100,000 for which the chamber has asked will be raised.

Burglar Stole Radio Outfit, Tuned In On Pastor's Sermon, And Then Broke In House to Return His Loot

Tells Oakland, California, Pastor About Incident In Anonymous Letter; Promises to Hear Him Preach Next Sunday

OAKLAND, Calif., Jan. 18.—(AP) A burglar entered a fashionable home here a few days ago and stole a $300 radio outfit. The first thing he tuned in on was a sermon by Dr. Frank M. Silzley, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, on reasons why all transgressors against the moral law, burglars included, should seek the path of righteousness and virtue.

After the sermon, the burglar tucked the radio outfit under his arm, returned to the house where he had stolen it again broke into the place and placed the set neatly on its stand. Then he fixed the ground wire, closed the window after him and disappeared.

At least he admits all this in a letter received by Dr. Silzley today signed only "Ex-convict."

"Your sermon touched me," he concluded. "I am going to hear you again next Sunday, but not over a stolen radio."

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BRITAIN-ITALY TO FUND DEBTS

Volpi and Churchill On First Conference Over War Charges

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LONDON, Jan. 18.—Count Volpi and Winston Churchill have begun negotiations in regard to the Italian war debt to Great Britain. Count Volpi expresses the hope that he will secure terms on the basis of the American agreement and also the return to Italy of the $22,000,000 pounds sterling gold deposited in the British treasury as security on account of the loans.

Mr. Churchill not accept the American precedent in view of the fact that Great Britain already is paying the United States annual tribute in respect to debts incurred on behalf of Italy and France. The basic minimum demand of the Great Britain is that European nations must pay in proportion to the debts to the British treasury to cover repayment of American borrowings on their account.

Recovers Nothing.

This means that the British taxpayer recovers nothing in respect to British loans to the allies. It is estimated that these terms involve payment of 11,000,000 pounds sterling annually by Italy. It is extremely improbable that Mr. Churchill will consent to hand over the gold deposit in the British treasury until repayments have extinguished the major portion of the obligation.

Meanwhile, Mr. Churchill awaits evidence that France means to fulfill the undertaking entered into with Joseph Caillaux in regard to repayment of a proportion of the French debt. The practice of the French in deposing any minister who proposes to pay does not extinguish the claim of the debtor and this prolonged process of evasion is as unprofitable to France as it is unjust to those who for years have been bearing the burden of her debts.

M. Caillaux advocated cancellation of all war debts as the only remedy. Really Great Britain's neighbor pass all belief in money matters. Great Britain was prepared for an all around policy of cancellation after the war, but she has no intention of submitting to a one-sided cancellation now, and France must make up her mind she has got to pay not what she owes but what we are paying America on her behalf. If she prefers repudiation she will pay in other ways.

CANYON MAN IS NAMED ON ON TEXAS LEGION BOARD

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Three new members of the executive committee, Texas department American Legion, were announced today by S. M. Hankins, state adjutant. They are John H. Jones of Canyon, who succeeds Dr. A. J. Caldwell of Amarillo in the 18th district; L. R. Burns of Athens, who succeeds A. W. Culberson of Athens in the third district, and C. O. Steward of Paris, who filled the vacancy in the first district.

Exactly 5,190 memberships have been paid in for 1926, Hankins reported.

TREASURY HAS EYE ON BOOTLEG DRUGGISTS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP) Assistant Secretary Andrews has ordered his prohibition administrators to watch more closely for bootleg druggists.

In a letter to the administrators he said they should not hesitate to revoke a druggist's permit if he was handling any whiskey not bottled in bond.

The administrators are responsible for making tests of drug store whiskey. Mr. Andrews sees no reason why a druggist should be allowed to dilute whiskey and thus make exorbitant profits.

RICH CHICAGOANS ENTER TEXAS REAL ESTATE FIELD

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 18.—(AP) Six multi-millionaires of Chicago and the Great Lakes region will establish headquarters in San Antonio from which they will invest $1,500,000 in South Texas real estate.

The six men met recently in Chicago and formed a pool into which they each placed $250,000 cash for the purpose of purchasing and developing Texas land.

ONE MAN DETAINED AS WACO MURDER SUSPECT

WACO, Jan. 18.—One white man is being detained as a suspect in connection with the murder of T. F. Watson, 57 years old, who was found by officers near the river bank Saturday night where he conducted a lunch and confectionery stand with a bullet hole through his head. He died twelve hours later in a local sanitarium.

DEPOSED ROAD BUILDER IS VISITOR IN AUSTIN

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—L. A. Kemp of Des Moines, Iowa, who was deposed as executive of the Texas Municipal and Highway Contruction association when he made an attack on the state highway commission last August, was in Austin today.

He was not here in connection with highway matters, he said, but called on Attorney General Dan Moody and other state officials.

RAILROAD LINE SOLD.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—A controlling interest in the Cincinnati Indianapolis & Western railroad has been solod to the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, subject to approval of the interstate commerce commission and to consent of holders of 95 percent of the total stock outstanding.

SHIP BUILDING CASE TO BE REVIEWED BY COURT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The supreme court today agreed to review the Skinner and Eddy ship building case growing out of cancellation of war time ship building contracts on the Pacific coast.

SHERMAN COTTON MAN IS BADLY INJURED IN WRECK

SHERMAN, Texas, Jan. 18.—(AP) W. S. Buster, well known Sherman cotton broker, is in a local hospital in a serious condition as a result of injuries received Sunday evening when he was struck by an automobile as he was leaving the First Baptist church. Six ribs were broken.

CANARY ISLAND IS HARD HIT BY STORM

LAS PALMAS, Canary Island, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Great damage to crops and the death of one woman were the results of a storm which struck this vicinity last night after four days of torrential rains. The outlying sections of the city are flooded.

Radio Programs

TUESDAY, JAN. 19.
International Radio Programs
ETHER'S WHITE-CAPS.

7:00 WBZ (333) Springfield—Professional Hockey—Boston Bruins vs. Montreal.
9:00 WSAI (326) Cincinnati—Bridge played by Radio.
9:00 KJR (384) Seattle—Cornish—School Artistic Ensemble Musical program.
9:00 WMBB (250) Chicago—Dell Lampe's Trianon Dance orchestra.

EVENING CONCERTS.
5:30 P. M.

KDKA (309) E. Pitts. "K. D. K. A."
WGY (380) Schenectady. Dinner program.

7:00 P. M.

WBBM (226) Chicago. Broadmoor.
WEAR (390) Cleveland. Program from WEAF.
CKCL (357) Toronto. Concert program.
KFNF (266) Shenandoah. Program.

7:15 P. M.

WII (509) Phila. "Shakespeare in Music."

7:30 P. M.

WDAD (266) Nashville. Variety program.
WHO (526) Des Moines, Raleigh quartet.
WRC (469) Washington. Edison hour.
WEAF (492) N. Y. Gold Dust Twins, also KSD, WCAE, WCCO, WEAR, WEEI, WFI, WGR, WJAR, WLIB, WOC, WWJ.
WGY (380) Schenectady. Edison hour, also WJZ, WRC.
KDKA (309) E. Pitts. Temburitza orchestra.
WPG (300) Atlantic City. Chalfonte.
WGY (380) Schenectady. Vocal.
WEAF (492) N. Y. Eveready Hour, also WCAL, WCCO, WEAR, WEEI, WFI, WGR, WOC, WSAI, TAG, WWJ, WJAR.
WCBD (345) Zion. Studio Musical.
WRNY (259) N. Y. Old Musical Comedies.

8:15 P. M.

WCAU (277) Philadelphia. Vocal.

8:30 P. M.

WGN (302) Chicago. Studio.
WOAI (395) San Antonio. Concert.
WGY (380) Schenectady. Phantom Dinner program by Mass. Tech. Alumni, also WJZ, WBZ, KDKA, KYW, WRC.

9:00 P. M.

WOAW (526) Omaha. DeLuxe program.
WFAA (476) Dallas. Bridge.
WEAF (492) N. Y. Bridge, also WCCO, WEEI, WFI, WGR, WOC, WCAL, WWJ.
KTHS (375) Hot Springs. Classical.
WEAR (390) Cleveland. Studio program.

9:20 P. M.

WMAQ (448) Chicago, Ill. Fed. of Women's Clubs.

9:30 P. M.

KYW (536) Chicago, "Evening at Home."
WEAR (390) Cleveland. Studio.
WBAP (476) Fort Worth. Concert.
WSAI (326) Cincinnati. WSAI.
WHT (400) Chicago. Studio program.

10:00 P. M.

KNX (337) Hollywood. Concert.
WBBM (226) Chicago. Studio program.
KPO (420) San Francisco. Studio program.
KGO (361) Oakland. Eveready hour.
WRNY (259) N. Y. Town in Review.

10:10 P. M.

WKRC (326) Cincinnati. Popular Songs.
WRNY (259) N. Y. Up and Down Bdwy.

10:30 P. M.

WGN (302) Chicago. Jazz Skamper.
WRC (469) Washington. WRC Foolish Entertainers.
KDKA (309) E. Pitts. Grand theatre.
KJR (385) Seattle. Studio Features.

11:00 P. M.

WMC (500) Memphis. Organ.
KGW (492) Portland. Concert.
WKRC (326) Cincinnati. Popular Songs.
KGO (361) Oakland. Rickety-Rackety Radio Minstrels.

WANT TO DANCE?

7:00 P. M.

WJR (517) Detroit. Serenaders.

8:00 P. M.

WBBM (226) Chicago. Moulin Rouge.

8:30 P. M.

WHN (360) N. Y. Palisades.
WORD (275) Batavia, Ill., Parkway.

9:00 P. M.

WLW (423) Cincinnati. Formics.
KTCL (306) Seattle. Dance.
KPO (423) San Francisco. Fairmont.
WMBB (250) Chicago. Chicago.
KTHS (375) Hot Springs. Special dance.

Religious Census May Be Made Here

Discussion of a religious census for Wichita Falls was taken up by the ministers at the regular meeting of the Ministerial Alliance Monday. No action was taken for only five of the members were present; including the following ministers: R. G. Percival; Walter J. Johnson, W. D. Cook, J. P. Ingle, Leslie Miller.

FACTORY ACCIDENTS CAN BE AVOIDED, HE SAYS

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Accidents can be prevented in industrial occupations generally considered by insurance companies as hazardous, George Hodge of the International Harvester company, said in an address to the fourth annual midwest safety conference of the American Society of Safety Engineers and the Chicago Safety Council.

"There has not been an accident in the works of the International Harvester company at Chatham, Ont., Canada, for two years," said Mr. Hodge.

NO SECRET CLAUSES IN MEXICO-U. S. PEACE PLAN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP) The state department today denied there were any secret clauses in connection with the agreement under which the United States recognized Mexico on August 31, 1923.

Senator LaFollette asked the senate on Saturday to obtain information on the question.

$350,000 LOSS IN FIRE

BRAZIL, Ind., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Fire of unknown origin today destroyed the four story factory building of the American Vitrified Products company here, causing a loss estimated at $350,000.

PHYSICIANS TO MEET

MARSHALL, Texas, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Marshall will be host to Louisiana, Arkansas and Texas physicians at the 21st annual meeting of the Tri-State Medical society Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

HOUSE AUTHORIZES TWO BRIDGES FOR RIO GRANDE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP) Authorization for construction of two bridges across the Rio Grande between Texas and Mexico was granted in bills passed today by the house.

HEALTH ASSOCIATION SECRETARY DIES IN AUSTIN

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Dwight E. Breed, 41, executive secretary of the Texas Health assocition since 1916, died here last night. Burial will be held at Eaton Rapids, Mich.

STATE SCHOOL LEADER ENDORSES FARM MEET

AUSTN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent of public instruction, today endorsed the call issued by George B. Terrell, commissioner of agriculture for a state-wide meeting in Dallas, Jan. 23, in interest of crop diversification.

PALESTINE STORE ROBBED

PALESTINE, Texas, Jan. 18.—Merchandise valued at about $2,000 was stolen from Moore Wholesale Grocery company here last night by robbers who hauled away their loot in two automobile trucks.

SHOT WOUNDS FATAL.

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 18.—Joe Knight, 17-year-old Elmendorf youth who was accidentally shot through the jaw at midnight, Jan. 5, when Adolfo Saucedo, was shot and killed by a young farmer, died last night.

FRANCHISE TAX REVENUE SHOWS GOOD INCREASE

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Franchise tax collections during the past year will exceed previous years by more than $200,000, Mrs. Emma Grigsby Fehrg, secretary of state, said today.

9 DEAD AFTER WORKMAN'S CIGAR IGNITES GAS TANK

BERLIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—A disaster resulted in the Moabit district today when a workman's cigar ignited a tank of gasoline. Nine persons were killed and 30 injured. There was great damage to property.

GIRL'S DEATH BELIEVED ACCIDENT, COPS SAY

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—The death of Elizabeth Holmes, 16, shot through the heart yesterday at the home of James Hurley, was probably due to an accident, police said today.

BAR LENIN ON STAMPS.

MOSCOW, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The portrait of the late Nikolai Lenin has disappeared from Russian postage stamps.

Little Brown Church In The Vale Has Big Year for Marriages

NASSAU, Iowa, Jan. 18—(AP) The little brown church in the vale has again broken its yearly record with 290 weddings in 1925. From all parts of the United States couples have come to this mecca of matrimony. Some brought their own misiter, but the Rev. George Hanna, pastor of the famous church, performed most of the ceremonies.

Street Car Wreck Ends Lives of 4

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 18.—(AP)—The death toll resulting from the fall of a street car from a bridge into the Ohio river here last night was increased to four today with the recovery of the body of Gilbert J. Schll conductor of the ill-fated trolley. The body was found in the river a short distance from the scene of the accident.

CABARETS FOR WORKMEN ESTABLISHED IN LONDON

LONDON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Cabarets for working men where tea, coffee and beer cost a few pence instead of pounds as at the West End establishments have been started in various parts of London.

Giant Airship Is Planned by Ford

DETROIT, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Plans for a new and larger airplane experimental laboratory were being worked out today by Henry Ford to replace the one destroyed by fire Sunday. While the plans were not complete, it was understood that several times the loss, from $250,000 to $500,000 would be invested in the new structure.

$50,000 In Alcohol Taken by Thieves

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Working leisurely through the night with electric drills and crow bars, eight robbers cut through the fortress-like walls of the Burlington Industrial Alcohol corporation's warehouse in Greenwich street and escaped with alcohol valued at $50,000 early today. The alcohol, stored in drums, was taken away on automobile trucks.

QUAKE SHAKES ITALY.

FLORENCE, Italy, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The region around Monte Amiata, in the Tuscan sub-Apennines, which was the center of a sharp earthquake early this month, was visited by seismic disturbances again last night and early this morning. Many towns report feeling the quake. The inhabitants are highly disturbed.

GRAIN EXPORTS GAIN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP) United States grain exports last week were 2,643,000 bushels as compared with 2,404,000 bushels the previous week.

RITCHIE'S ADDRESS AT LAST GOES INTO "RECORD"

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP) The recent address of Governor Ritchie of Maryland at Chicago was inserted in the Congressional Record today after five unsuccessful attempts had been made in the house.

Senator Bruce, democrat, Maryland, obtained unanimous consent in the senate for the action. Objections in the house were based on the prohibition discussion contained in the speech.

34 PERSONS INJURED IN MANHATTAN TRAIN WRECK

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Thirty-four persons were injured today in a collision between two Brooklyn Manhattan trains on the Williamsburg bridge in a heavy fog. Twenty of these were removed to hospitals.

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SOCIETY

Mission Societies Merge Monday At Christian Church; Council Formed

Perfection of the organization of the Woman's Council of the First Christian church was accomplished at a mass meeting of the women of the church held Monday afternoon, when the Ladies' Aid and the Woman's Home Missionary society was combined.

Mrs. W. C. Duncan acted as chairman during the session and Mrs. R. G. Ellis, secretary.

Officers elected for the new organization are: Mrs. J. Lem Keevil, president; Mrs. Ellis, vice-president; Mrs. Duncan, second vice-president; Mrs. O. H. Karr, secretary; Mrs. Trout, treasurer; Mrs. I. L. Cain, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. S. P. Jones, literary secretary.

At previous meetings held by the executive boards of both the Ladies' Aid and the Missionary society, plans were made for the combination of the two societies into the Woman's Council, and when these plans were put before the mass meeting Monday afternoon the recommendation for the combination was unanimously carried.

A committee was appointed to draft the constitution and by-laws for the new organization, and it was decided to hold an executive meeting on Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

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Circle One Meets With Mrs. Martin

Circle One of the First Methodist Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. N. H. Martin Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Williams led the devotionals after which officers for the new year were appointed and introduced to the circle as follows: Mrs. C. B. Haynie, chaplain; Mrs. W. W. Cook, assistant leader; Mrs. Bert Adrain, treasurer and Mrs. H. M. Evans, secretary: Mrs. G. A. Remmington, welfare secretary and Mesdames Wilson and Harrison, literary committee. Mesdames Stokes, Reed, Haygood and Basham, are included on the phone committee, and Mesdames Lawson, Jenkins, Dashner, Basham, Eddleman, car committee.

Every member present pledged their loyal and untiring support to the new officers.

Miss Annie Laurie Long gave a lovely talk on "Our Pardnership With the Lord," which was well received and the calendars for 1926 were distributed and discussed. Three new members were introduced and roll call was responded to with verses of scripture.

During the business session the yearly pledges were taken and $144.75 collected.

Refreshments were served during the social half hour.

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Circle Two With Mrs. J. J. Perkins

Circle Two of the First Methodist church, south, met at the home of Mrs. J. J. Perkins, Monday afternoon in an enjoyable session with the following program given: Devotional, by Mrs. J. A. Shepherd; Mrs. J. L. Mercer gave a talk on the pledge; Mrs. Mack Thomas read a poper on stewardship; news from the bulletin was given by Mrs. E. P. Hardy. Readings were given by Kenneth Joe Bailey and Elizabeth Perkins.

Those present included Mesdames Oral Jones, Joel H. MacGregor, O. P. Darsey, A. W. Barker, Mack Thomas, J. D. Bright, H. B. White, J. J. Perkins, J. C. Hanks, V. E. Ashford, J. A. Shepherd, J. S. Bridwell, Frances Rabl, W. W. Mann, F. L. Mercer, A. L. Sullins, Grover Bullington, A. A. Spencer, Calhoun, Horace Robbins, Sullens.

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Circle Six Meets With Mrs. Cline

Mrs. W. D. Cline, assisted by Mrs. R. F. Calvert and Mrs. Frank Pappas, was hostess to Circle Six of the First Methodist Missionary society Monday afternoon in an interesting meeting.

Mrs. J. W. Akin, Sr., led the devotional taken from Matthew 18:19 20, 25:31-40. Mrs. C. W. Snider talked on the pledge service. Mrs. Calvert discussed the notes from the bulletin. Miss Eloise Hawkins entertained with a reading.

The members answering roll call were: Mesdames R. F. Calvert, C. W. Snider, C. W. Boller, leader of the circle; W. L. Fisher, Everett McCullouch, M. R. Garrison, N. B. Chenault, J. W. Akin, Sr., Frank Pappas, W. J. McAllister, M. D. Rowe, Fred Mercer, W. L. Karns, R. V. Quinn, W. H. Downing.

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The Travis P. T. A. will meet at the school Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Today's Calendar

The W. R. Scurry Chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy will hold a party at the home of Mrs. P. P. Langford, 1300 Tilden, evening.

The Junior High Mothers club will meet at the school this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The South Side Civic league will meet at the home of Mrs. W. D. Cook, afternoon. Election of officers.

Mrs. R. B. Parker, 1807 Taylor, will be hostess to the Kill Kare club at her home, 1807 Taylor, afternoon.

Mrs. J. M. Dooley will be hostess to the Jolly Matrons, afternoon.

The Music department of the Woman's Forum is presenting the Music Study club in original compositions this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Wichita club.

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Circle Three, F. H. M. E. With Mrs. Gose

Circle 3 of the Floral Heights Methodist Missionary society met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. M. Gose on Grant street, with Mrs. Gose, Mrs. Milton Johnson and Mrs. R. E Fleming as hostesses. Mrs. Fleming served as leader of the meeting.

It was reported that $103 worth of old clothing and $31 in cash had been distributed by the circle to the poor during the past month and that 113 visits were made by members of the circle.

The program included an installation of newly elected officers, a talk by Mrs. A. L. Lane and a talk by Mrs. W. B. Chauncey. A plate salad course was served 45 ladies at the conclusion of the meeting.

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Circle Three With Mrs. J. H. Johnson

Mrs. J. H. Johnson on Alma street hostess, assisted by Mesdames R. L. Underwood and A. C. Walker, member of Circle Three of the First Methodist Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. Johnson Monday afternoon when an interesting program included passages from the New Bulletin given by Mrs. V. W. Cain; three lovely poems, "Little Boy Blue," by O'Brien, "My Ship" by Wilcox and "Old Sweetheart of Mine," by James Whitcomb Riley, read by Mrs. Ben G. O'Neal. Mrs. G. D. Hall led the devotionals, taking for her subject, "If Jesus Comes Today, Where Would You Look For Him."

Mrs. E. B. Garsline talked on "My Pledge for the Year," and $50.20 was collected on pledges.

Officers for the ensuing year elected were Mrs. J. Truman Stevens, secretary; Mrs. Frank Timberlake, treasurer and Mrs. Hugh Weaver, voice agent.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames A. C. Dulaney, S. E. Deberry, G. D. Hall, Cal Monteeth, W. C. Cole, V. W. Cain, Hugh Weaver, Bert Bean, C. H. Clark, Walter Dougherty, E. B. Gorsline, A. K. Presson, Martha Hurley, Ben G. O'Neal, C. M. Doke, D. H. Allday, E. H. Bohmfalk, G. W. Cooper, Jason Walker, C. C. Collier and J. Truman Stevens.

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Stine-Jones Nuptials Announced

Announcement is made of the marriage of Lester Stine to Miss Anna May Jones, the ceremony being read Saturday evening at 10 o'clock at the First Methodist parsonage, by the pastor, the Rev. Walter J. Johnson. A few intimate friends were present. Mrs. Stine is connected with Perkins-Timberlake in the alteration department.

The young people will be at home in this city.

Wife of Cowboy, Made Rich by Oil, Spends Half Million for Paintings



For nearly 50 years Ike Clubb, cowboy, and Mrs. Ike Clubb labored to "make a living of it" around Kaw City, Oklahoma. Clubb owned land but was land poor. An oil boom struck Kaw City in 1920 and has since made the Clubbs rich. Now Mrs. Clubb, once a country school teacher, is realizing a life long ambition to enjoy art. She has purchased $500,000 worth of prized paintings and exhibits them in a $150,000 hotel which the Clubbs erected in Kaw city and in which they live.

Bill Fitzgerald Host At Dance

Members of the school set enjoyed a delightful social event in the dance given Saturday evening at the Knights of Columbus hall when Bill Fitzgerald, son of Judge and Mrs. W. E. Fitzgerald, was host. The event was in celebration of young Fitzgerald's thirteenth birthday and the hall was prettily decorated for the occasion in pink and white.

Music was furnished by an orchestra, and at a late hour refreshments were served to Misses Joline Woods, Rose Marion Art, Catherine Weeks, Elizabeth Langford, Camille Avis, Corinne Tucker, Imogene Willis, Margaret Norwood, Peggy Durkin, Helen Brookins, Nathaline Lebenson, Vilma Brown, Hallie Broody, Elizabeth Smith, Yvonne Moulder, Mary Collier, Mary Virginia Barron, Gwendolyn Garrett, Mary Agnes Riley, Nell Duffy, Maxine Duffy, Cheville Whitehill, Addie Lee and Margaret Biedenharn, Dorothy Jamison, Evelyn Trimble and Reagan Tucker, Harry Costley, Eugene Costley, Rarrell Daniel, Douglas Thompson, Loran Walker, Kemp Maer, Arch Greenwood, Mark Walker, Billie Hood, Harry Grover Lewis, George Bays, D. C. Shamburger, Herbert and Charles Wilson, Harold Simmons, Ray Clay, Jim Martin, Ardith Curlee, Durwood Curlee, Ed Moran, Richard McBride, John Kennedy, Paul Robinson, Melvin Lewis, Robert Dillard, Jimmie Mytinger, Clint Broody, John Whitlinger, Jack McKafie, Ed and George Napier, Howard Martin and Jack McAuliff.

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Confederate Daughters Hold Party Tonight

A patriotic meeting celebrating the 119th birthday of General Robert E. Lee January 19 and of General Stonewall Jackson, whose birthday comes January 21 will be held this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Langford on Tilden street by members of the W. R. Scurry chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

An interesting program has been prepared, and Captain W. S. Langford, chairman of the Stone Mountain Memorial drive in Wichita Falls, will speak briefly on the drive in this city which begins Wednesday.

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Doke-Johnson Marriage Announced

Announcement is made of the marriage of Marshal J. Doke to Miss Mary Jane Johnston at 8:30 Saturday evening, the Rev. Walter J. Johnson, pastor of the First Methodist church reading the ceremony.

TEXAS UNIVERSITY ORATOR ON DELEGATION TO SWEDEN

RANGER, Jan. 18.—Sterling Holoway, son of Prof. R. F. Holoway, of Ranger, a student at the University of Texas, has been named among ten students of universities in America, to represent the Y. M. C. A. movement at a conference to be held in Stockholm, Sweden, in August. Holoway appears to be a natural orator. His grandfather, the Rev. Randolph Clark, founded the Texas Christian university and the Christian college at Cisco.

WOMAN SUES AUTO PARTY FOR "SCARE" UPON HIGHWAY

RANGER, Jan. 18.—Mrs. J. A. Winston and her husband who live o the paved highway near the edge of Ragner, have brought suit for $5,500 damages against a party of auto riders who staged a lively fight in front of their home. Mrs. Winston was at home alone at the time and her health was delicate. The fright is said to have injured her.

FIRE RECORD HEARINGS FOR CITIES TO START TUESDAY

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Hearings on good and bad fire records in Texas cities will begin before the Texas fire insurance commission here Tuesday. Under a recent ruling of the attorney general, the commission will raise or lower the fire insurance rates in individual cities, if it is determined such should be the action. Representatives from several cities arrived here today to prepare for the hearings.

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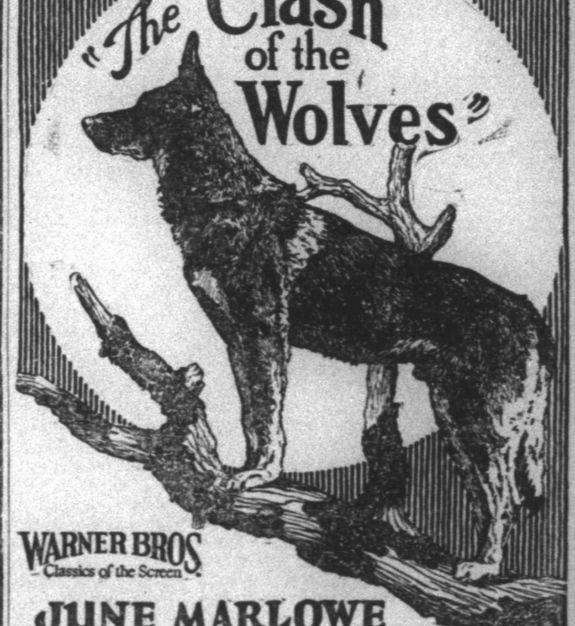


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Also Second Episode of "THE GREEN ARCHER"

Mrs. Waggoner Hostess To Circle Five

Members of Circle Five of the Floral Heights Methodist Missionary society met with Mrs. T. J. Waggoner Monday afternoon with Mesdames Lester Jones and M. J. Michaelias joint hostesses. Devotionals were led by Mrs. Waggoner and twenty-four answered roll call with splendid social service reports.

For the past month cash paid out to the poor by this circle amounted to $162.50; for groceries for the poor $40; hours of social service work reported amounted to 102; flowers for the sick, 21 bouquets; visits, 82; trays, 26 and $130 worth of clothing to the poor. Pledges for the year amounted to $561.00 and $136 was collected on pledges.

An entertaining program included a paper by Mrs. W. B. Guthrie on "Is Stewardship Fundamental in the Life of a Christian." Mrs. J. B. Patrick gave news from the Bulletin; Miss Hazel Champion gave a vocal number and Miss Mary Beth Martin a piano solo.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Charles Reagan, P. B. Cox, Michaelias, D. L. Albritton, J. N. Alexander, C. B. Bailey, John Ballenger, D. T. Beatty, Ben Corder, Charles Green, W. B. Guthrie, J. M. Hendricks, J. L. Ike Jr., P. A. Martin, R. B. Malet, J. B. Nail, J. B. Hatchitt, R. E. Percival, Frank Richardson, B. T. Stone, K. C. Spell and Fanny Cotner.

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Mesdames Carrie Joline, J. A. Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jackson, Sr., and Nat Henderson have gone to Dallas where they will join a Frank Reedy party for trip through old Mexico.

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ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

January 19, 1925

Goodnight ranch near Clarendon, Consisting of 12,000 acres, purchased by J. I. Staley.

Wichita Falls Ministerial Alliance organized; Rev. Milo Atkinson, president; Rev. S. A. Barnes, vice-president; Le Roy Moore, secretary.

THE SUBWAY AGAIN

SOMEONE will speak up before long and inveigh at length and with volume on the perversity of railroads that persist in blocking heavy traveled grade crossings. Local railways have been the target of considerable invective because of the effectiveness with which they sometimes tie up automobiles, and if memory serves correctly, official and semi-official agencies in Wichita Falls have proposed various remedies. Nothing has ever been done about it, though, which leads to the assumption that the subject will be discussionable material again before long.

Regardless of what has been said or what may be said, the city is tolerating a serious condition in north Wichita. The Iowa Park-Electra road is so situated as to be inaccessible except over one of two grade crossings. The Katy rails cut through the approach from the Burkburnett road, and the Denver main line and sidings do the same at the Burnett street entrance.

One day late last week both these crossings were blocked for 20 minutes by a switching crew and freight train that happened along at the same time. The Katy was shunting tank cars back and forth into the north side yards, while an inbound Denver freight stalled in such a position as to completely halt use of the road. This all happened about 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Railroads must run their trains and they must switch cars back and forth. It sometimes happens, too, that they must do this running and switching at hours and in places which bring them in close contact with vehicular traffic on the public roads. They cannot be expected to stop their trains, but on the other hand they should, in co-operation with others, make viaduct or subway provisions at points where traffic blockades commonly occur.

Wichita Falls has not been as aggressive as it should have been in insisting that these blockades be eliminated. The only solution is a viaduct at this important sector and it is a thing recommended for attention to the proper authorities.

A GROWER OF COTTON

A GROWER of cotton in east Texas, a plain farmer man, last year planted four acres and determined to see just what he could do. He made a marvelous record. First he plowed deeply. Then he terraced his acres. Then he cultivated the growing cotton and kept down the rank weeds and grasses. Then he picked and ginned his cotton and stored it away under a sheltering roof.

When the work was over he had gathered fifteen bales from the four acres. There must be something in intensified farming. There must be something in scientific farming, which is another name for intensified farming.

This cotton grower in old east Texas where the soil has been cultivated for 75 years made a record for himself as a successful farmer and demonstrated just what can be done under Texas skies. There are farmers in Texas who produce fifteen bales from fifty acres by slipshod methods and then they growl about their ill luck.

IF YOU THINK YOU CAN'T, YOU WON'T

MAHOMET was a little over-confident when he tried to summon the mountain to him.

But it was that confidence which made him a great leader, and a great force among many millions of people.

We cannot all do what we think we can do.

But it does no harm to try. If we fail we can always compromise on what can be done, as Mahomet did.

Of one thing we are sure, and that is we will never attempt to do anything if we think we can't do it.

It is therefore far more useful to think we can always compromise on what can be done, as Mahomet did.

Of one thing we are sure, and that is we will never attempt to do anything if we think we can't do it.

It is therefore far more useful to think we can, and keep on thinking we can till a long series of experiences teaches us to the contrary.

If the men we read about in the newspapers, and envy for their success, would tell you about their careers, most of them would tell you that they had got farther than they expected to get.

But they did expect to get somewhere, and they kept on working toward a definite place, convinced that they would at least arrive somewhere in its vicinity.

A comparatively young man was recently put at the head of a great American railroad system.

He began walking the tracks to see if they were in condition for the trains to pass safely.

He did not know at that time that he would ever be president of the road. He did not even hope to be. But he did know that he could become the road master, which was the chief position in his department, and he bent all his efforts to qualify for it.

It is a hard job for a young man whose duties consist of walking a track to show the men over him that he has unusual capacity.

But this youth managed to do it. Whenever he had the opportunity he called the attention of his immediate boss to the number of reports he had made, and of the possible wrecks he had averted.

When he became road master, he took care to keep the man just above him informed of the fact that he was an exceptionally good road master. That was not merely a boast. He proved all his asserttions by the conditions of the right of way.

He was in the operating department when he was talked of for the presidency.

Because he knew little of finance he might have been justified in refusing the place. But he told himself that he could fill it, with a little experience, and by getting the advice of the financial man in the organization.

Under him the road is more successful than it has been in its history.

Had this man ever thought that he could not rise to a high position he would never have attempted to. He might today be no more than the boss of a section.

But he was sure that he could do big things, and he did them.

Sometimes confidence outruns ability. But it is always a valuable asset. And the lack of it will keep you back far more certainly than will an over supply.

It may not make you great or renowned, or even fabulously wealthy. But it will take you a great deal farther along the road than will timid shrinking from any job that you may have a chance to get.

What T-O Editors Are Saying

A beauty shop convention is offering to make the "ugliest woman in New York beautiful." An offer made in vain. There is not in all Gotham the woman who thinks she is the candidate for the place.—Blackwell Morning Tribune.

What ever became of the old-fashioned novel that kept man up until 4 a. m?—Okmulgee Daily Democrat.

A quake in Italy sent people rushing to the streets and plunged them into prayer. How thrilling such a thing would be for Oklahoma City.—McAlester News-Capital.

The Congressional Record may not be the best reading in the world, but thank God it is not illustrated with pictures of bathing "beauties" and artist models.—McAlester News-Capital.

Henry Ford has invited an uncle of President Coolidge to come to Detroit to fiddle for him. Maybe he figures that if he can make the uncle fiddle, he may be able to study out a way to make the nephew dance.—Blackwell Morning Tribune.

Jim Nance, in the Walters Herald, is not hesitating to tell the highway commission just how he feels about the commission's failure to designate the Waurika-Walters road as a state project. He is absolutely right in his contention and the commission owes it to the section of country involved to take over the road and maintain it.—Waurika News-Democrat.

Henry Renfro is fast gaining the rep of being the laziest barber in town. It is said he tells his customers scary tales so their hair will stand on end, making it easier for him to cut.

And Q. S. Barrett tells us he has found the meanest man in town—but won't disclose his identity—Says this bird sets mouse traps and puts them in his pocket at night to keep his wife from swiping his change—Childress Post.

One of the sad things about that $325,000,000 federal tax cut is that the fellows who have been dodging their rincome taxes won't gain anything by it.—Cisco News.

Early to bed and early to rise and you'll meet no prominent people, say the wisecrackers. Still you may be some day one yourself if you do.—Star-Telegram.

The Electra correspondent of the Wichita Falls Record News, in reporting the meeting of the county Baptist association held there this week, reported Iowa Park's preachers are all big league guns and those not personally acquainted with the facts are not blamed for assigning them to larger cities. Iowa Park keeps these good and able men because of the fine church membership and spirit in the city. We say it again, we have a wonderful town.—Iowa Park Herald.

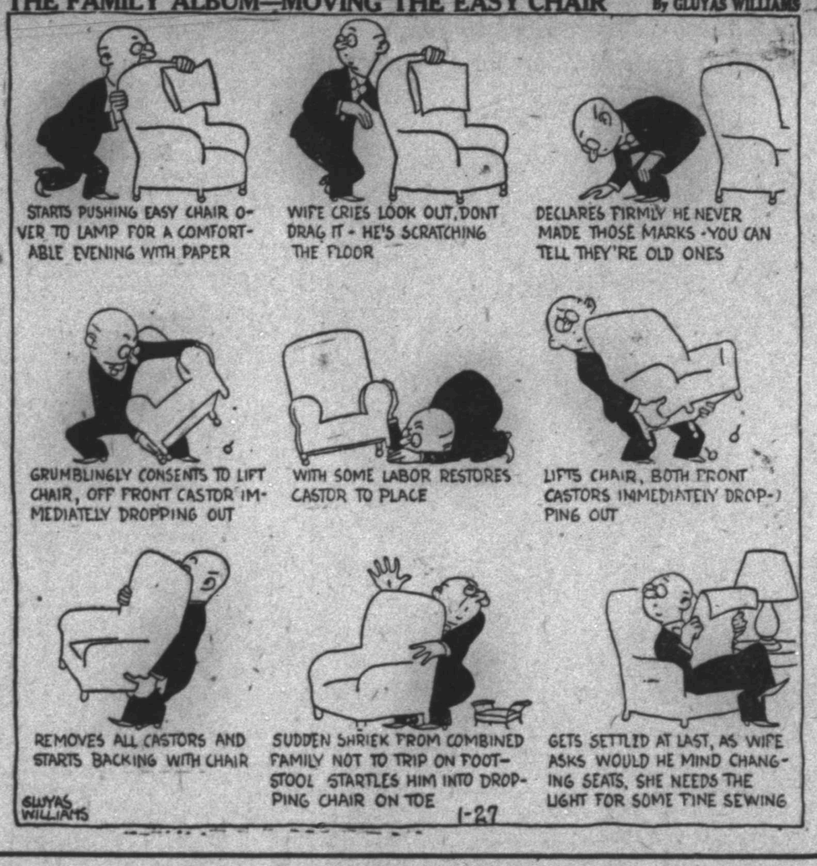
Another way to use mercury to make gold is to be a coal dealer when the mercury is down.—Bristow Record.

We are a united people, but that doesn't lessen our amusement over some other state's senator.—Muskogee Phoenix.

It is better to nurse a good prejudice than to fight for a mistaken principle. Hobart Democrat-Chief.

THE FAMILY ALBUM—MOVING THE EASY CHAIR

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



"Love Bound In Wichita Falls"

By the Author of 'The Flapper Wife'

READ THIS FIRST:

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

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

Flossie, a born vamp, does a very poor job of keeping the office files. Mary Rose discovers she is carrying on a flirtation with the president of the company, HILARY DEXTER, although she's going to marry his secretary, SAM JESSUP. She accepts gifts of jewelry from Dexter, a married man, and goes joy riding with him until all hours. The girl's mother, MRS. MIDDLETON, can do nothing with her:

John Manners falls in love with Mary Rose, as he never has been in love with Doris Hinig, and tells her so. That night the two sisters have a quarrel, and to get even with Mary Rose, Flossie tells John that she is "just stringing him along" and really is in love with Tom and intends to marry him. Manners believes her convincing lie, and Mary Rose is hurt and puzzled by his sudden coldness. She finally tells him that she is going to leave, so soon as he can get some one to take her place.

MRS. DEXTER finds out about her husband's affair with Flossie. When she comes to his office to tell him she's going to divorce him, she mistakes Mary Rose for Flossie, and loudly accues her of "vamping" Dexter. Every one in the office hears her, and all the girls begin to snub Mary Rose.

Flossie, the real culprit, begs her sister not to let any one know that it was really she who ran around with Dexter, because she's afraid Sam won't marry her if her finds it out. So Mary Rose, who hopes that Flossie will marry Sam and settle down, takes the blame on her shoulders. One night Dexter lets Flossie know what a married man thinks of a girl who will let him make love to her. Flossie quits her job and disappears. The next day she phones and tells her mother she's with Sam Jessup in the neighboring state. Then she is cut off, and later, when Mary Rose is at home, phones again.

(Now go on with the story)

"Dear, don't cry. You'll see they'll be awfully happy—" she began, but Mrs. Middleton cut her off with a sobbing torrent of words.

"Happy?" She'll never be happy with that pitwit of a Sam!" she cried, choking back her tears. "He'll never make enough money to keep her properly! All he's good for is to smoke cigarettes—and dance like a jumping jack. A dancing fool—that's what he is—"

She paused for breath and spoke her mind further on the subject of her new son-in-law:

"And he needn't get it into that silly head of his that he's going to come back here and live with us, for I shan't have him in the house! He can just rustle around and find a home of his own! And I'll tell him so if he dares to set foot in here—"

"Mother, I wouldn't get so upset!" Mary Rose tried to soothe her. "I'm sure Sam expects to support Flossie. He makes $50 a week. That's more than enough money for two young people to live on very, very well."

"Not when one of them is Flossie!" Mrs. Middleton answered crisply. "She's a beauty, and she knows it. She wants pretty things and expensive things, and she'll have them whether there's anything to eat in the house or not! You know Flossie! When she finds out that her wonderful husband can't buy them for her, she'll go back to work and earn them. And first thing you know there'll be a divorce in the family—" She got up, nodding her head emphatically and started up the stairs.

"You mark my words, before six months are up, she'll be back working for this Dexter, who's in love with her!" she predicted. "And you just put a pretty discontented young wife in the same office with a rich, married man who is attracted by her—and see what happens."

Mary Rose looked at her with her grave blue eyes. "The one thing that never must happen is for Flossie to go back to work for the Dexter Company," she answered. "Never, never, never!"

"What's the use of saying that? You know she'll do just as she pleases!" her mother snapped her work-worn fingers. "Nobody's ever been able to stop Flossie from doing anything that she's wanted to do since she was that high!" she measured a tiny length from the floor with her hand.

"I suppose I'd better run right over and tell Henny Blair that Flossie's decently married—or heaven alone knows what wild story she'll be telling up and down the street!" she decided when she was halfway up the stairs and came down again, but just then Aunt Henny herself came up the front steps.

"Any more news of the eloping bride?" she asked eagerly. "Did she telephone again?" She lumbered in and sat down on the very edge of a hall chair, breathless for news.

Mary Rose smiled at her brilliantly. "Yes, she and Sam are honeymooning up at this little town of Ridalmont on the state highway," she said glibly. "And they phoned to tell us how happy they are."

She looked at her mother, imploring her with her eyes to back her up in her story, but Mrs. Middleton had collapsed again in her chair.

"To think that my daughter would run away and be married by a justice of the peace, as if she were common trash!" she cried and Aunt Henny nodded and purred in pretended sympathy. "Here, I've been keeping my own wedding veil and dress upstairs in a trunk for twenty-four years looking ahead to the time when my own girls would use them—" her voice was choked with sobs.

Aunt Henny shook her large head. "I don't believe either of them ever will use it, Mrs. Middleton," she sighed. "Mary Rose has the look of an old maid already."

She turned her great rolling body toward the girl. "That young doctor that used to come to see you so much—he's dropped you, too, hasn't he?" she asked sharply. "Seems I never see his car standing out in front any more."

Mary Rose winced. "If you mean Tom Fitzroy," she answered, knowing perfectly well that Aunt Henny knew Tom's name as well as she knew her own. "If you mean him, I'd hardly say that he'd dropped me! We see each other rather often."

Aunt Henny raised her thin eyebrows and shook her head. It was plain that she did not believe Mary Rose.

"I never see him," she sniffed. "If he comes he must fly here! I'm sure that I miss very few of the comings and goings on this street!"

"I'm sure of it, too," Mary Rose answered under her breath.

She devoutly wished that Aunt Henny would take herself and her remarks off home, so that she could telephone the cashier at the Dexter Company and have him send Sam's salary to him.

She didn't dare to do it before Aunt Henny. Wouldn't that be a choice bit of gossip for her to broadcast from one end of Beckwith street to the other—that Flossie Middleton's young snip of a husband didn't have the price of a honeymoon in his jeans! Oh, but wouldn't it—just!"

"I don't know how my Leonard is going to take this elopment of Flossie's, I'm sure," Aunt Henny was saying now, as she traced the pattern in the old Brussels carpet with a meditative toe. "I never could see what he could see in her except her pretty face, but he's never looked at another girl since she stopped going with him. The men are all alike. They'll pass right by a nice, good girl like you, Mary Rose, and go just plain foolish over a hank of yellow hair and a pair of pink cheeks. I never did see it fail."

Listening to her, Mary Rose found herself wishing, for the first time in her life, for beauty like Flossie's—the kind that men went "just plain foolish" over. The heart-stopping, breath-taking kind that was the God's gift to Flossie.

"Then," she thought, "John Manners never would have got tired of me the way he did. He'd still be wild about me."

She looked at herself in the dimly silvered mirror that hung above the telephone table—at her smooth hair, her deep, grave eyes and quiet mouth.

"Aunt Henny's right—I'm beginning to look like an old maid already!" she thought suddenly. And holding her hands tightly against her breath as if it hurt her she rushed upstairs, threw herself down on Flossie's bed and cried and cried.

She was glad that Flossie was safely married. Of course, she was glad! That was the only place for Flossie—married to a man who loved her as Sam did, working for him, helping him make both ends meet.

She was thankful from the bottom of her soul that the Dexter affair had ended like this—and she knew that she ought to rejoice in Flossie's happiness.

But somehow or other, it seemed so terribly unfair that Flossie should have everything—and that she should have nothing, nothing, nothing! Nothing to look forward to but hard work day in and day out, for years to come! No love, no husband, no little children.

"An old maid—" she sat up, brushed the tears from her lashes and said the cruel, ugly phrase aloud. It echoed drearily in the little room.

Downstairs she heard the front door slam and knew that Aunt Henny had gone at last.

"I'm going to call up the office and have them send Sam his week's salary," she explained to her mother, when she had given the number.

"You'll have to get Mr. Dexter's ok on it before I mail Mr. Jessup his check," the cashier told her when she asked him to send Sam the advance salary. "No salaries are ever paid in advance without his say so."

So Mary Rose called Mr. Dexter.

"Have you had a telegram from Sam Jessup this morning?" she asked him. He hadn't.

"Well, he's up at the Jungfrau Inn at Ridalmont, and he'd like his week's salary in advance," she said awkwardly.

"What's he doing up there?" he asked. "What does he mean by taking leave of absence without letting any one know about it—" Then a sudden thought seemed to strike him. "I see! He's with Flossie! Is that it?"

"He's married to Flossie," Mary Rose told him and was answered by another silence, longer than the first one.

"All right, I'll see that he gets it. I'll speak to Bisbee." Mr. Dexter hung up, evidently forgetting to say good bye.

He was still staring at the telephone ten minutes later when Miss Minnick laid a yellow envelope down on his desk.

It was a telegram from San Jessup: "Mighty sorry I couldn't get word to you last night that I wouldn't be at work today. Married Miss Middleton yesterday. Will it be all right with you if I take a week's vacation? Best regards, Sam Jessup."

He sat there for a long time looking at that piece of yellow paper with its typewritten message. And he tried to think of Flossie Middleton as the wife of Sam Jessup. But he couldn't.

He tried to think of her as a girl young enough to be his daughter—a wild, gay little thing like his own daughter, Elisabeth. But he couldn't do that, either.

(To be continued)

Tom Fitzroy frightens Mary Rose by the interest he takes in Flossie's wedding. In love with Manners and—but read tomorrow's installment.

Lyrics of Life

By Douglas Malloch

LYRICS OF LIFE.
By Douglas Malloch,
The Very Poor.

How poor the poor in mind!—
Within one's purse to find
No shining coin of beauty
That makes a joy of duty,
To never thrill to line
Or color or design,
To purple on the mountains
To music in the fountains
How poor the poor, indeed,
When these, are things they need.

How poor the poor in spirit,
Who know death but to fear it,
Who have not in their grief
One farthing of belief
And, when they have a sorrow,
Have nowhere they can borrow
Although their purse may hold
All of the world's red gold,
In their gethsemanes
How very poor are these.

How poor the poor in heart,
Who live their lives apart
Unknown among their fellows,
Whom friendship never mellows
And kindness never warms
Who face the lonely storms
And, when they need love's penny
Find that they haven't any,
What fortunes may endure,
Those were the very poor.

PETER'S ADVENTURES in ANIMAL LAND

By MRS FLORENCE SMITH VINCENT

A RACE OF COWARDS

Traveling had made Polar a very wise Bear. He had learned that asking questions was a good way and almost the only sure way to find out just what he wanted to know. At last he could stand it no longer. He must hear from Hyena's own mouth why that fellow was acting like a crazy creature. He rattled his bars to make Hyena pay attention to him.

"What are you laughing at, neighbor?" growled he. "Be a good fellow and tell us the joke. Brown Bear and I would like to make merry, too."

"Hr, hr, ha! Ho, ho, ho! Hee, hee, hee! I have a good reason to laugh. You were hungry and you saw a fat sheep and you fell upon it. I was not hungry, for I had just eaten. But like yourself, I saw a fat sheep and I, too, fell upon it. And here we are prisoners, side by side—you a thief in spite of yourself and I a thief just for the fun of it. What difference does it make now whether you were right and I was wrong? I get as much to eat as you do. I have a cage as good as yours. You've been boasting how brave and strong you are—how when you fight, you fight in the open. I being a Hyena think it much more sensible to strike in the dark and when your enemy isn't looking. 'Tis so much easier to make an end of him, and then, too, one doesn't run so much risk of being hurt oneself."

"Coward! Bah, you make me sick!" growled Polar and shook his head.

"Coward, yes!" admitted Brown Bear. "But at least he is not ashamed to admit it, and that is something in his favor!"

"And why shouldn't I be a coward, pray tell? All my relatives before me have been too proud to fight unless they knew they would win!" Hyena, not a bit cross at being talked over by his neighbors, continued:

"But, coward or no coward, I am dangerous when I am angry. I am not a Tiger Wolf for nothing. Remember that and don't make me mad. By the way, did they throw mud in your face?"

Next: "Lizard Magic."

Boy's Life Saved After Breathing Cut Off by Peanut

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 18.—(AP)—An operation performed after four-year-old Robert Link had stopped breathing as the result of a peanut becoming lodged in his right lung was performed here Saturday without an anaesthetic by two hospital surgeons. He was recovering today. The child became unconscious during an X-ray examination. Heroic measures were decided on to save his life. One surgeon cut a hole in the boy's windpipe and the other probed the lung through a tube removing the nut. The operation required an hour and twenty minutes.

HIGH PRODUCTION COSTS FOR WOOL WILL REMAIN

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 18.—(AP)—High costs in wool and mutton production has come to stay and the wool man must meet that cost with efficiency of management, higher quantity of product and cooperation with the government on grazing questions, Frank J. Hagenbarth of Spencer, Idaho, president of the National Wool Growers' association, told the members at the opening session of the organization's 61st annual meeting here today.

Greek Debt Funding Plan Strikes Snag

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP) The Greek debt commission informed the American debt commission today that it had no authority to negotiate a funding of Greece's $15,000,000 obligation to the United States, unless the American government exended a further loan of $33,000,000.

The Americans replied that the treasury had no authority to make further advances under the credit of $48,000,000 established during the war by Secertary McAdoo and of which the $15,000,000 was a part. The Greeks announced they would cable Athens for further instructions.

HELD IN PLOT TO KILL, HE DIVES TO HIS DEATH

MONTREAL, Ont., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Held in Bordeaux jail on a charge of attempting to murder his wife with an axe, Fred Jebelenko today dashed past a guard who had opened his cell door and dived head first over the gallery railing. His skull was fractured on the cement floor, 15 feet below. Death was instantaneous.

Bill Will Ask For Indians' Relief

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—After a conference today with President Coolidge, Senator Oddie, republican, Nevada, announced that a resolution will be offered soon to stop the federal government from dispossessing white settlers on Indian lands in a number of western states.

The Fun Shop

By Maxon Foxhall Judell

Investments? Here's A Good One, Folks!

We invest our dollars in that and this,
Sometimes we hit—sometimes we miss
But every hour that's spent for fun
By way of investment's a durned good one!

Serious Trouble.

Managing Editor: "Hear about the Editor of The Fun Shop being arrested for violating the prohibition law."

Publisher: "You don't say! How was that?"

Managing Editor: "A reader sent him an article on grapes, and he boiled it down."

IT MUST BE LOVE.
A Confession to Heartrouble, Jr.
By You-Beteha-She-Know's-Who.

It must be love, it must be love
Wats got a hold of me,
I simply cant imagine
Wat elts it can posserbly be.

My meels dont tempt me any more,
I dont know wat I eat,
And enyways wen I think of you
How can meer dizzert seem sweet?

Ive got 3 picktures of you
Pinned up ware all can see,
3 of them are fotograffs,
And ones a drawing by me.

O it must be love, I know its love,
Id be willing to bet 5 cents,
Becawse every other thing there is
I bin vaccinated aggence!

Unconscious Habit

Stanley: "Why did you pinch me when I asked you for a kiss? Most girls usual—er—slap me."

Marie: "It's heredity. My father used to be a policeman."

—Mrs. Hulda Hurstel.

After all, the awful load a woman says she has on her shoulders may be only the shabby fur coat she's been wearing for many seasons.

His Father's Son.

Three young ladies were walking down our "main street" when a little boy ran out in front of them and held a big, long worm, tied on the end of a stick, right in front of their faces.

The girls screamed, and one of them nearly fainted.

When I asked the little boy what he meant by scaring the girls so, he tearfully answered: "My Daddy told me that chickens liked worms."

—James B. Moncur.

THE FUN SHOP RADIO STATION

Announcer—Hello, folks! This is Station MFJ, broadcasting from The Fun Shop by remote control. I now have the honor to introduce the world famous Fun Shop Minstrels.

Tambo—Yaussah, here we is folks. I will now play dat consumptive solo on my banjoshephine, entiled "Ole Lung Sign."

Interlocutor—You don't mean "Old Lung Sign," Tambo, you mean "Auld Lang Syne." I don't believe you know what lungs are.

Tambo—All I know is dat dere very ecomical.

Interlocutor—Well, Tambo. Why are lungs economical?

Tambo—Dere upkeep ain't as expensive as stomachs! Now, Mistah Interlockmanal, I is goin' to tell you another question.

Interlocutor—What is it, Tambo? I'll let Florain answer it for you.

Tambo—Florian, does you knok how a jeweler keeps his diamonds from being stolen?

Florain—How's dat

Tambo—He continually keeps a watch on 'em. Ha, ha, ha!

Florain—Dat's nothing. Does you know why dere ain't any bell on a jeweler's telephonical?

Interlocutor—That sounds interesting, Florain. Why isn't there any bell on a jeweler's telephone?

Florain—'Cause de diamond rings.

Interlocutor—Mr. Julius Jefferson Caesar Jones will now sing that mournful lyric, entitled: "I'd Feather My Nest, but I Can't find a Chicken."

Grr-r-r! zzz-z-z-z- Buz-z! (Static).

Announcer—Got a bunch of telegrams here. One from Mrs. U. Tellum Kidd, of Imform, Missouri, who says the program's coming in fine. Another from Mr. O. G. O'Gosh, of Downin, Florida, who says the program is wonderful and is being enjoyed by grandpa and the kiddies. Now, folks, we intend to give the children a bed-time story tonight, but our bed-time story lady has sprained her voice. However, if you will kindly hold the kiddies up close to your loud-speaker, I'll pour some chloroform in our cicrophone. That will put 'em to sleep as quick as a bedtime story. Goodnight, everybody! This is station MFJ signing off at exactly—exactly—at exactly—darn it! I've forgotten my watch!

Garage Man Buries Huge Magnet To Stall Cars In Front of His Shop.

No Cause For Alarm

Bell Hop (excitedly): "The gentlemaan in room 109 has just killed himself."

Hotel Manager (calmly): "That's all right. I've got another fellow who'll take the room."

—Peter Giati.

U. S.-CUBA PLANE TRIP IS DELAYED BY WEATHER

NORFOLK, Va. Jan. 17.—(AP)—Because of rain here and predicted bad weather along the route, the flight of 25 navy seaplanes from Hampton Roads to Cuba, which was to have begun tomorrow morning, has been postponed until Tuesday or later.

RAIL CONDUCTORS MEET.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The semi-annual meeting of the board of directors of the Order of Railroad conductors opened here today.



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Railroad Denies Refusal To Pay Taxes, Voided In Archer Case

LEVY FOR ROAD DISTRICTS WERE RULED INVALID

Victoria County Judge Urges G. H. and S. A. to "Pay" Just Debts"

HOUSTON, Jan. 18.—Railroads in Texas apparently are taking cognizance of the supreme court decision in the Archer county case holding tax levies for district road purposes void.

Reports from Victoria, however, that the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio railway had refused to pay road district taxes in Victoria county, are errornous, according to J. H. Tallichet, of Houston, general attorney for the road. It simply wanted to know of the proper authorities in that county what arrangements could be made regarding payment in legal tender pending the company's decision as to what policy it will adopt regarding such payments," Mr. Tallichet said here today.

Consider Effect.

He said the matter had been discussed in other counties besides Victoria, that no decision had been reached but that the company was considering the effect of the recent decision of the supreme court holding such tax void.

A telegram from Victoria Saturday night said the company had refused to pay the taxes and had sought to have the county tax collector accept its voucher in payment for taxes due, less the amount due the road districts. A letter was quoted from Judge P. P. Pitney of that county expressing surprise at the attitude of the G. H. and S. A. and added: "I would be glad if your company after mature deliberation would make unanimous, insofar as Victoria county is concerned, that we pay our just debts."

A letter from the tax collector said to grant the G. H. and S. A. request would disrupt payments.

Willing to "Donate" Taxes

It was Mr. Tallichet's opinion that the letters showed undue excitement on the matter in view of the fact that even though the company stands on its legal rights, a "donation" of the amounts asked by the road districts might be made.

Fawn Gray, Dancer, Drunk When Wed, Asks Annulment

BALTIMORE, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Fawn Gray, dancer, filed suit for annulment of marriage to Theodore MacFarland, a Philadelphia newspaper man, in the circuit court of Baltimore today.

The papers were placed on record by her attorney, J. Charles Fagan, who said the dancer was expected here within a month for the taking of testimony.

The annulment papers give the dancer's real name as Gladys Marie Brown, daughter of a New York cartoonist, her age as 20 and that of MacFarland as 27. The marriage, it is stated, took place two months ago after a party beginning in Philadelphia and ending in New York. The papers alleged that all members of the party were under the influence of liquor when the marriage ceremony was performed. Miss Gray states that she had no recollection of the ceremony and asks annulment on the grounds of fraud, misrepresentation and deceit.

Fawn Gray loomed largely in the limelight several months ago when she won the favor of Harry K. Thaw during one of the latter's visits to New York and more recently when she took a bouquet of roses to Evelyn Nesbet Thaw, recovering from self-administered poison, to be tucked away from the door of her Chicago hospital room.

It Was Business, Says Ganna Walska

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The Chicago Herald and Examiner today received a radiogram from Ganna Walska McCormick, repeating the explanation of her husband, Harold F. McCormick, as to why he did not accompany her to Europe.

"Private important reasons prevented Mr. McCormick from sailing Saturday but he is sailing next week," read the message from the liner Paris, from which Mr. McCormick had his luggage removed a few minutes before the steamer sailed from New York.

Inherited $12,000; Dies in Alms House

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Although for a month a $12,000 estate has been awaiting her, Miss Ellen Wallace, 93, died yesterday at the Good Samaritan home without knowing it.

A month ago, Miss Wallace's niece, Mrs. Emma Billingtons, of Harrington, died and willed her small fortune to the aunt. They had been devoted to each other and for fear that the news of her niece's death would prove a fatal shock the aged woman was not told, nor was it possible to break the news of the legacy. The estate probably will go to a nephew who lives in Vermont.

Mrs. Christy Wedded 7 Times, Cops Told

EAST LIVERPOOL, Ohio, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Another touch of mystery was added today to the thirty-year matrimonial career of Mrs. Laura Christy, 48, held in the county jail at Lisbon, charged with the first degree murder of Rev. William Christy, her husband of nine days.

Charles Whippler, brother of Mrs. Christy, told officers she had married a Steubenville, Ohio, man who died two years ago, making a total of seven spouses, six of whom, police say, are dead.

CHICAGO SUBURBAN BANK IS HELD UP FOR $14,800

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Four robbers held up the State Bank of Franklin Park, a suburb, early today and escaped with about $14,800, the bulk of it in gold. Two tellers,

ELECTRA

Young Ladies' Society.

The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Methodist church met Saturday afternoon with Mrs. C. C. Wynn on West Harrison avenue. It was decided to hold a candy sale on next Saturday. One new member was added to the society, and a short program was rendered. Miss Violet Myers read a paper on "A Letter to the Young People from the Council Superintendent." Miss Willie Lou Byrd read, "Letters from Chinese Friends in America," and Miss Thelma Coffey read "A Letter from Miss Mary Alice Lamar in Brazil." The meeting was closed by the Lord's Prayer. Those present were: Misses Thelma Coffey, Mary Cooper, Eloise Gafford, Violet Myers, Lillian Story, Helen Johns, Willie Lou Byrd and Mrs. Wynn.

Southfield B. Y. P. U. Organized

On Friday evening, Rev. E. M. Francis and Mrs. Francis and Leo N. Hevrin went to the Southfield Baptist Mission church where a new B. Y. P. U. was organized, to meet each Friday evening. The new organization was started with 12 members and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Mat Connally; vice-president, Leo N. Hevrin; secretary-treasurer and corresponding secretary, Miss Dovie Dennis; Misses Lillian Streety and Ward, group captains, and Mrs. Martin, pianist.

Local Couple Wed.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Tinnin, on East Harrison avenue, was the scene of a pretty home wedding on Sunday morning when their daughter, Christine, became the bride of Louis George, son of Mrs. R. G. Hoffman. Rev. E. V. Cole of the Methodist church read the ring ceremony in the presence of the immediate family and a few friends.

Both young people are well known in Electra, the bride having graduated from the local high school in 1925. The groom is employed by the Carter Oil company. They leave soon for Marlow, Okla., where they will make their home.

Luncheon for Bride.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Tinnin were hosts to a high noon luncheon at their home on East Harrison avenue on Sunday honoring their daughter, Christine, who became the bride of Louis George Sunday morning. A chicken dinner was served to Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Tinnin and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Tinnin and family, Mesdames Joe Humphries and children, and I. C. Tinnin, grandmother of the bride, Misses Dorma Tinnin and Grace Head, and La Verne Gilger, Bert George, Harold George, Pat Tidrow, and Jake Tinnin.

Burk Man Weds Local Girl.

Miss Marie Wolf of the County Line community became the bride of Perry Rutherford of Burkburnett at the home of Rev. W. N. Vernon Saturday evening. The young people will make their home in Burkburnett where Mr. Rutherford is employed. The bride is well known in Electra and the County Line community where she has resided several years.

Young People's Society.

The Federated Young People's Society met Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist church. The meeting opened with song, followed by a prayer by Olen Smith, Joe Hardy Miller, the president, had charge, and after a short speech, little Miss Mary Helen McKelvey read "Twenty Little Froggies," and Master Alvin Futch McCormick read "Where I Live." A business meeting was taken up and the election of new officers was the main feature. The officers are as follows: Joe Hardy Miller, president; Thelma Coffey, vice-president; Olen Smith, secretary; and Grace Brown, reporter. A captain from each church is to be selected later. Plans are being made for a party to be given in the basement of the First Baptist church next Friday night, for the members and all the young people of the city. The next meeting of the organization will be February 14, and the place to be decided upon later. The closing song was, "I'll Go Where You Want Me to Go," and Mrs. Jack Mozley dismissed in prayer.

Program at School.

Mid-year seventh grade graduating exercises of the Thompson ward school were held in a unique way. They were in the form of a radio concert. In the center of the platform was a radio, and Paul Roberts, a member of the seventh grade, acted as announcer from the station, SAP. The following is the 'radio" program given: Opening prayer, Rev. E. V. Cole; Remarks, Professor C. M. Harvey, principal of the Thompson ward school; Valedictory address, Sidney Lipskey; salutatory address, Mary Ruth Tubb; Piano selection, Sidney Lipskey; Presentation of diplomas, C. M. Harvey; benediction. There were fifteen graduates who will begin their new terms in high school.

Waggoner Graduation.

Thirty-five seventh grade students received their diplomas Saturday evening at the Waggoner ward school, when a very nice program was given. March by Miss Mary Scott; Invocation, by Rev. E. M. Francis; Piano solo, by Sam McSpadden; Reading by Mollie Novit; Salutatory address by LaVena Taylor; Valedictory address, by Helen Robertson; Talk by J. V. Harrison, principal; Presentation of diplomas, and class song. Benediction by Rev. E. M. Francis.

Personals.

Mr. Mayhall, with Gate-Garrett Players, is recovering in the hospital from a severe case of "flu."

Miss Ida Ward of Wichita Falls spent the week end at the Ike Parnell home.

Mrs. W. M. Walker of north Waggoner street is seriously ill with flu.

C. A. Ryenausons was a visitor in Wichita Falls Friday.

John Davis of Vernon was in Electra Saturday on business.

B. M. Hyde who works near Wichita Falls, spent Saturday evening with his family in Electra.

Mrs. M. V. Holcomb of Wichita Falls is a guest of her son and family, E. V. Halcomb of West Harrison avenue.

Ed Hoffman of Sandusky, Ohio, is in the city attending the funeral services of his brother, R. G. Hoffman, who died after a case of pneumonia.

C. V. Hevrin and son, Leo N. Hevrin, were business visitors in Wichita Falls Saturday.

Mrs. E. E. Dill, mother of Mrs. S. E. Nelson of East Harrison avenue, is reported slightly improved after a severe illness of several weeks.

Rev. W. N. Vernon of this city filled his regular appointment as pastor of the Methodist church at Barwise Sunday.

Miss Maggie Harris of Barwise community has been a guest in Electra.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bernard and children left last week for Littlefield, Texas, to go into business in that city. Mr. Bernard was the bookkeeper for the McDavid Bros. Dry Goods store.

George Russell of Wichita Falls was a visitor in Electra on Friday.

VERNON

Entertains Bridge Club.

Mrs. Joe Summer was hostess, Friday afternoon to members of the Friday Bridge club and other guests at her charming apartment on Paradise street.

Mrs. D. Norwood, winner of high score for members was given a pair of candle sticks. Miss Esther Swartwood won low and received a maderia handkerchief. High guest was won by Miss Adele Sumner and the prize was a flower basket.

A dainty salad plate was served to Miss Bernice Lloyd, Mrs. E. L. McCarter, Mrs. Dee Norwood, Miss Harriet Thomas, Mrs. E. O. Youngblood, Mrs. John A. Storey, Mrs. E. M. Haney, Miss Esther Swartwood, Miss Johnnie Mallow, Miss Adele Sumner, Mrs. Harry Mason, Mrs. A. D. Skinner.

J. B. Martin, manager of the Cameron Lumber company attended a convention of lumbermen at Altus, Okla., Friday.

Last year was an active one in the Lions club of Vernon, according to the annual report and survey of the year's activities by Leon H. Brown, immediate past president. During the year, the club took in 18 new members, sent a delegation to the international convention, provided interesting programs throughout the year, and co-operated in staging inter-club programs with Wichita Falls, Burkburnett, Electra and Vernon.

Miss Lois McGaughey of this city has been selected as one of the class favorites whose picture will appear in the yearbook of the College of Industrial Arts of Denton, where she is attending school. Miss McGaughey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McGaughey of this city. She is a senior in the Denton institution this year.

County Farm Agent G. C. McGowan Home Demonstration Agent Miss Emma Gunter will attend the district conference of county agents which is to be held in Dallas Jan. 20-23, they have announced. Districts No. 1, 2, 3, 8, and 9 of this section of the state are to be represented in the four day conference.

CHILDRESS GARAGE IS SOLD FOR $33,000

CHILDRESS, Jan. 18.—The Nash garage recently leased to the Baughn-Smith Motor company, Ford agents, has been sold to J. D. Milton for the sum of $33,000—It will continue to be used as Ford agency.

LABOR REUNION APRIL 20

HOUSTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Old time members and friends of organized labor hold a reunion in Houston at the city auditorium on April 20, it has been announced by officials of the Houston labor and trades council.

Have you lost something? Have you

ARKANSAS PARDON CASE HEARING IS DELAYED

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Hearing on the requisition of Governor Tom J. Terrall of Arkansas for the extradition of A. J. Gurley, former Miller county sheriff, pardoned by Lieutenant Governor S. B. McCall, has been postponed indefinitely by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson. Hearing was postponed until Friday because the interested parties could not get together, it was reported at the governor's office.

BRIDE OF FOUR HOURS IS HURT IN AUTO WRECK

WACO, Jan. 18.—Mrs. Floyd Norton, bride of little more than four hours, was injured in an automobile accident here Sunday afternoon when the car in which she and her husband were riding collided with another car. She was rushed to a sanitarium. Physicians later said she was not seriously injured.

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McLean, Tex., Man Credited With New And Popular Novel

There has been much guessing as to who wrote the new novel "Wind," which has had quite a wide circulation. It is said that the book was written by Robert Robinson, formerly of McLean, Texas, and that he sent a copy to an old friend in McLean who let the secret out. Robinson is said to be working on a New York paper at the present time.

CROSBYTON MAN HEADS BIG CHILDRESS STORE

CHILDRESS, Jan. 18.—Henry C. Sherwood of Brosbyton, has been elected president of the Norris Hardware company, one of the largest concerns in Childress. Mr. Sherwood lived in Childress some years ago and was connected with the Norris Hardware company, but removed to Crosbyton and went into business. On the death of Dr. V. Norris, who was president of the company, he was chosen to take his place. The other officers of the company are: Guy Norris, vice president and R. H. Norris, secretary-treasurer.

Plainview Flour Mill Destroyed

PLAINVIEW, Jan. 18.—The Harvest Queen flour mill here, owned by A. G. Hinn, was destroyed by fire early today. The loss is estimated between $80,000 and $100,000. Grain and flour valued at $20,000 was stored in the mill when it burned.

The Santa Fe railway sustained a loss of about $7,000 when six empty freight cars and two carloads of grain burned. Fourteen cars were moved out of the path of the flames. The origin of the fire is undetermined, although it is believed to have been caused by defective wiring.

WACO CITY MANAGER'S JOB AT STAKE IN ELECTION

WACO, Jan. 18.—Much interest is being manifested in the charter change election in Waco Tuesday. Proposed changes provide for a return to the aldermanic form of government with an alderman elected from each of the ten wards. The city manager form of government is in operation here now.

Electra Man May Succumb to Burns

ELECTRA, Jan. 18.— E. E. Hamm, who was severely burned recently when his home caught fire, is reported in a very critical condition. Little hope is held out for his recovery.

Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water refreshes and strengthens weak and tired eyes. All druggists 25c.—Adv.



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IOWA PARK

Personals.

Rev. H. C. Hand has returned from Lewisville where he was called to conduct the funeral services of an old friend.

C. Burk recently was elected president of the First National Bank of this place for the twenty-fif.h year.

Mrs. Bonnie McCracken, Western Union operator, left Friday for Fort Worth. She is succeeded here by E. Eddleman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McClure are spending the next two weeks in Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Glenn Lancaster and Mrs. W. Dickson are reported quite sick this week.

J. N. George who has been serious ill with pneumonia is decidedly better.

C. C. Burrows is improving nicely after an operation last Sunday night.

A. C. Golden who spent several days in San Antonio on business has returned home.

Mesdames John Holcomb, Lillie McNealy and Miss Mary Butcher of Wichita Falls attended Mrs. Deakens funeral here Monday.

Mrs H. A. Wigley has returned from a visit to her daughter Mrs. J. C. Hines of Amarillo.

Mesdames Robert Richey and King Abernathy were hostesses to a linen shower at the home of Mrs. Robert Abernathy honoring Miss Beth Lawrence whose marriage to Gale Parks takes place next week.

At the close of the games little Miss Dorothy Abernathy entered, carrying a large pink parasol from which was suspended a vertiable shower of dainty packages while Jona Rathrice Abernathy entered with a well filled basket these were presented to the bride-to-be. Dainty refreshments of fruit and ice cream and angel food cake and mints were served to Mesdames A. C. Golden, C. E. Clark, G. C. Richards, Curtis Sewell, C. E. Burk, M. L. Hines, Scott Ralston, Tom Corridon, Lock Lawrence, Gale Lawrence, E. J. Wilson, Alice Trice, T. M. Clark, A. H. Estes, H. T. Dawner Jr., Dale Harbour, John Matthews, Robert E. Van Horn, Robert Abernathy, Richy Abernathy, King Abernathy, Misses Clara Lawrence, Francis Burk, Lella Grace Cornforth, and Miss Beth Lawrence.

Mrs. Roy Harriman and daughter, Miss Margarite are visiting relatives in Brownwood.

Childress Wheat Crop Looks Good

CHILDRESS, Jan. 18.—A larger acreage than usual was planted in wheat this winter and since the recent rains and snow these fields are looking much better.

CHILDRESS STILL SEEKS MISSING COUNTY OFFICIAL

CHILDRESS, Jan. 18.—There are still no tidings of the whereabouts of Henry C. Burnett, missing county clerk of Childress county. A reward of $250 has been offered for him. It is said that his shortage will amount to about $15,000. His wife and children are still at Childress.

BUSINESS BUILDING AT CHILDRESS REMODELED

CHILDRESS, Jan. 18.—J. O. McMinn has purchased the building of the Singer Sewing Machine and is having it remodeled for a furniture store and undertaking establishment. On the top he is having an apartment of five rooms and bath arranged.

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What are the warnings that nature gives you of the approach of indigestion? The medical books tell us: 1. Gas, which means that your food is fermenting instead of digesting. 2. A feeling of fullness or oppression in the region of the stomach after eating. This means that the gas has ballooned your stomach and is pressing up against your heart and lungs. 3. A dull lazy feeling, which means that you are not getting nourishment from what you are eating. 4. Restlessness, un-refreshing sleep, which means that the poisons of indigestion are disturbing your brain and nerves. 5. Sometimes, pain and fluttering around the heart, though this symptom may come later.

Don't take chances with indigestion—you are too apt to lose. If you have had any of the symptoms mentioned above, get your digestive organs to work at once with Ferraline. Nature's great stomach treatment that has given relief to thousands. Ferraline immediately aids and assists every one of your digestive organs, including your stomach, liver and bowels. Ferraline makes your digestion "perfect and complete." You feel its helpful effect from the very first dose. Get a bottle of Ferraline today at any drug store Ferraline is so much supeior to any other remedy for indigestion that the owners have instructed every druggist to refund the purchase price. One Dollar, if you do not get relief, so it costs you nothing if you are not delighted with results. Delay might be dangerous. Get Ferraline today from

Childress to Get 12 Brick Homes

CHILDRESS, Jan. 18.—There are to be twelve new brick houses built in Childress early this year.

DENISON STORE ROBBED

DENISON, Jan. 18.—Burglars entered a grocery store here last night and took $30 worth of goods. Five store robberies have occurred here within ten days.

AUTO INJURIES FATAL TO GRAND PRAIRIE FARMER

DALLAS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—J. M. Heddins, 50, farmer living near Grand Prairie, died at a hospital here Sunday as a result of injuries received when struck by an automobile on the Fort Worth-Dallas highway Saturday.

BULL FIGHT ARENA BURNS

BROWNSVILLE, Jan. 18.—Plaza de Toros, the scene of bull fights in Matamoros, across the Rio Grande from Brownsville, was destroyed by fire at 2 a. m. today.

Better Than Whiskey For Colds and Flu

The sensation of the drug trade is Aspironal, the two-minute cold and cough reliever, authoritatively guaranteed by the laboratories; tested, approved and most enthusiastically endorsed by the highest authorities, and proclaimed by the people as ten times as quick and effective as whiskey, rock and rye, or any other cold and cough remedy they have ever tried.

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

Take the remainder of the bottle home to your wife and children, for Aspironal is by far the safest and most effective, the easiest to take and the most agreeable cold and cough remedy for children as well as adults. Quickest relief for catarrhal croup and children's choking up at night.—Adv.

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Gay Prints FROM THE Spring Silks

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Pussywillows

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Crepe Roma, sheer and frosty is rivalled only by the heavier Crepe Romain, and both hold an important grip on feminine hearts this spring. The dusty bright shades are prominent.

40 in. Romain $3.98
40 in. Roma $3.50

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Over 100 Youngsters Take Part In Music Memory Contest

RESULTS TO BE KNOWN TUESDAY

First Baptist Church Auditorium Crowded To Capacity

More than one hundred children of the public schools of Wichita Falls took part in the final music memory contest held at the First Baptist church Monday night under the rules of the Interscholastic league. Representatives were present from the following schools, and the church auditorium was packed with spectators: Almo, Austin, Barwise, Bowie, Carrigan, Fannin, Sam Houston, San Jacinto, Travis, Junior High Annex and Junior high school.

The following program was presented and the children in the contest answered by giving the name of the song, the composer and his nationality:

Overture to William Tell, (Rossini)—Mrs. F. R. Collard.

Funeral March of a Marionette, (Gounod)—Mrs. F. R. Collard.

The Erl King, (Schubert)—Mrs. Lois Parker.

Polichinelle, (Rachmaninoff)— Floyd Ard Jr.

Maiden's Wish. (Chopin-Liszt)— Floyd Ard Jr.

America, the Beautiful, (Ward)—Mrs. C. Y. Tully.

A Little Bit O' Honey, (Carrie Jacobs-Bond)—Mrs. C. Y. Tully.

Cradle Song, (Brahms)—Mrs. C. Y. Tully.

Narcissus, (Nevin)—Mrs. F. R. Collard.

Marche Militaire, (Schubert)—Mrs. F. R. Collard.

Souvenir, (Drdla)—Eithel Allen Nelson.

To a Wild Rose, (MacDowell)—Eithel Allen Nelson.

Minuet, (Boccherini)— Eithel Allen Nelson.

Morning—"Peer Gynt Suite" (Grieg)—Mrs. O. B. Kiel.

Melody in F, (Rubinstein)—Mrs. O. B. Kiel.

Minute Waltz, (Chopin)—Mrs. O. B. Kiel.

Come Thou Almighty King, (Giardini)—A. R. Wilgus.

Swing Low, Sweet Chariot, (Negro Spiritual)—A. R. Wilgus.

Song of the Volga Boatmen, ((Russian Folk Song)—A. R. Wilgus.

Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes. (English Folk Song)—A. R. Wilgus.

The accompanists for the evening were Mrs. Lucille Brooks Huff, Mrs. Bentley Nelson, Mrs. A. R. Willgus.

Miss Erma Nala Voss, supervisor of music in the public schools superintendent the contest which was held for the betterment of music, for teaching children the more popular classical songs and airs, and instilling in them a love for good music. Cooperating with her were the music teachers in the various schools of the city: Misses Gertrude Robinson, Margaret Barrier, Minnie T. Baker, Ila Cook, Frances Smith, Mattilyn Wilson, Ruth Hill, Nannie Mae Scott, Gladys McLeod, Ruth Poteet.

Grade Papers Today

Grading of the papers in the contest will be begun at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, and it expected the winners will be announced sometime during the day. The judges are Mrs. F. E. Van Wormer, president of the Music Study club; Mrs. A. H. Britain, president of the Musician's Club, these two organizations sponsoring the contest: Mrs. Lucile Brooks Huff, Mrs. Harwood Stacy, Miss Vivian Ralley, Ernest Katz and Stanley Raub.

The Old Home Town

Mrs. A. C. Foster and James Buchanan of Whitesboro were Wichita Wichita Falls visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Clark of Vernon were in Wichita Falls Monday.

J. M. Spoonts and E. C. Pinson of Megargel were in Wichita Falls Monday on business.

Mrs. Herbert S. Griffin of Dundee was in Wichita Falls Monday.

J. C. Wright of Chickasha, Okla., was in Wichita Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Carmichael of Snyder, Texas, are in Wichita Falls for a few days.

Miss Margaret Murrin, chief supervisor of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company, is ill at her home on Austin street.

Mack Turner left this morning for Dallas where he visited with his friend Carroiol Bryant there.

Mrs. A. A. Phillips has returned home from a six weeks' visit in Orange, Calif., where she has been at the bedside of her father, Thomas Beard, whom she left much improved in health. While there she was also the guest of a son and a sister.

Dr. S. A. Barnes, pastor of the Floral Heights Methodist church, who has been ill for the past ten days, is reported to be improved.

Dr. Nat F. Grafton, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, and Mrs. Grafton, who are in Mineral Wells for Dr. Grafton's health, are expected to return home Wednesday.

C. E. Thames, formerly of this city and now residing in Dallas, was in Wichita Falls Monday on business.

Announcement is made of the birth of an 8-pound son to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cook at 2209 Broad, January 17. The child is named R. E. Jr.

Seven boys became second-class scouts and two became first-class scouts when they passed the board of review held last night at the office of Frank B. Creighton, scout executive.

At 5:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at scout headquarters a court of honor will be held before which Gordon Cook will make application for an Eagle Scout bade.

M. T. Junker of this city is in Olney where he attended the funeral Monday of his father, Charles Junker, pioneer citizen of Olney, who died Sunday morning. He is survived by his wife and several children.

Melba Ruth Stehlik, who was operated on Sunday afternoon for appendicitis late Monday was resting well in the General hospital. Miss Stehlik is able to receive visitors.

Leon Keeble, former Texas Christian university student and now in the

Mexican Asks Deportation and Then Salutes Judge Wilson As He Starts A Trek to Two-Year Term In Prison

He Marches Out With Militaristic Tread After Jury Finds Him Guilty of Theft; Tells City Cop He's Wrong in Prints

He was a homeless, friendless Mexican man—was Manual Lonzales. He was broke in a foreign country and he had the penitentiary staring him in the face. He had no lawyer and wanted none. All he wanted was deportation—treatment accorded foreigners in his own land, he told Judge Wilson in the 30th district court Monday. A Chinaman, Frenchman or American was never sent to the pen in Mexico, he said. Would the court please deport him?

Judge Wilson denied the motion and evidence was introduced to show that on th night of November 19, last, he had taken some tires and a typewriter from the American Refining company's filling station at Barwise and Ohio.

He Denies Charges

Vehemenently he denied the charge. It was a frame-up, he said. Some fellow countrymen, other Mexicans, had hired him to haul those casings and things away. He hadn't even been near the station.

The city's finger print expert, O. T. Vinson took the stand and testified that finger prints on a window glass at the filling station were the same as those of the defendant, Gonzales.

Gonzales knew that was wrong. "No, senor, no senor; I have on gloves!"

He begged the jury for mercy. He had been a soldier in the Mexican army, and to prove it he bared a bullet scarred breast. Bursts of Spanish indignation interrupted the testimony, the argument, and Jimmy Gonzales, city officer, was called in as interpretor.

Goes to Jury

Finally the case went to the jury. Gonzales stood in the corner until it returned, never so much as winking an eye. The twelve men filed in, and Judge Wilson read their verdict aloud, "Guilty—two years in the penitentiary." Still no movement. A deputy sheriff walked up and motioned him to follow.

Gonzales took a step or so, walking to a point in front of Judge Wilson and raised his right hand to his forehead in a military salute. The judge responded—just a gesture, but that didn't satisfy the Mexican. He held his salute—even a jerk from the sheriff's deputy failed to move it. Then Judge Wilson returned it in full.

The Meixcan's hand dropped, his heels clicked, he did a right face as well as a West Point cadet could have done it and walked out of the court room on the first lap of his trip to the penitentiary.

WICHITANS TO I. PARK MEET

Officials of Chamber Of Commerce to Attend Friday Session

Officers of the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce will go to Iowa Park next Friday night when a community gathering in the nature of an annual chamber of commerce meeting will be held by all business men of that city. The thing is being staged under the auspices of the Wichita Falls chamber and its Iowa Park branch, which is under jurisdiction of the local chamber but which functions for Iowa Park as an individual unit.

A United Gathering.

The meeting will bring together a united and representative gathering of Iowa Park business men who are unanimous in their support and endorsement of the plan whereby the Iowa Park chamber of commerce has been established as a branch of the larger organization in Wichita Falls. The interests of the two communities in the development of the Wichita valley are identical, and for that reason the two cities have effected a working agreement whereby their concerted efforts are being directed toward the same goals.

As many business men of Iowa Park as possibly arrange to do it will be in attendance, and a large number of Wichitans, it is expected, will go up.

Cupid Back On His Batting Stride

Cupid's batting average was back to par again, so to speak, over the past week end when a total of ten marriage licenses was issued to north Texas and southwestern Oklahoma couples. The ten brought the month's total to 70, an average of nearly four a day.

The licenses were issued to: Newell Level and Ruth Kenner of Burkburnett; Arch Rinard and Velma Brumbelow of Dundee; Perry Rutherford of Burkburnett and Marie Wolf of Electra; V. M. Sanders and Georgia Nelson; R. W. Day and Hester Simmons; Chas. A. Roodgers and Theta M. Garrett; Jesse Manor and Sadie Olwer, of Oklahoma City; L. C. Laxon, city, and Mrs. Rena Dunn, Pauls Valley, Okla; Gayle Park and Mary Elizabeth Lawrence, Iowa Park; Arnold John Hatzen and Erne Clara Obenhaus, Burkburnett.

CLASS MAKES PROGRESS

Progress is reported from the union Sunday school recently organized at the ku klux klan hall with 46 members taking part in the second meeting Sunday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock, according to the superintendent, C. G. Carpenter. Other officers of the new school are Rev. Reuben S. McIver, assistant superintendent; Miss Smiley, secretary-treasurer; Mr. McIver, teacher of the adults; Mrs. O. G. Scott, intermediates; Lee McClain, juniors; Mrs. J. L. H. Jones, primary.

Scouts Moving

Boy Scouts are celebrating moving week, according to the executive, Frank B. Creighton. The building in which the scout headquarters have been located for the past year is soon to be remodeled, and the scouts are leaving.

The headquarters will be temporarily established in the basement of the First Christian church. The telephone will be in the new office by Wednesday, Mr. Creighton stated yesterday.

BRIDGE AWARD TO DALLAS FIRM

Austin Brothers to Be Given Contract For Building Of Span

The state highway commission of Oklahoma, acting in accordance with its own wishes and in agreement with a resolution from the county commissioners of Wichita county will probably award the contract for the proposed free bridge across Red river to the Austin Brothers Bridge company for a sum of approximately $239,000 Judge B. D. Sartin stated last night. Bids of the Austin Brothers Bridge company and of Davis and Pace, both of Dallas, were opened simultaneously at Oklahoma City and at the county commissioners meeting at Wichita Falls Monday, and the steel girder type bridge considered in the bid of the first named contractor in either instance endorsed.

Adopted Here.

Endorsement at the meeting here reached the form of a formal resolution, which was handed to the Oklahoma state bridge engineer, W. C. Burnham, who announced following a long distance conversation to Oklahoma City Monday afternoon that a similar action would be taken by the highway commission of his state some time Tuesday.

Two Bids Received.

But two bids were received on the bridge, one for a steel bridge at $239,000, and the other for a concrete bridge at $243,000, the latter being the type considered in the bid of Davis and Pace. The Mackay interests of Denver, to whom the first contract was let some time ago, did not enter a bid at all.

With definite approval of the steel type bridge and letting of a contract for the work, progress will be at a standstill, pending the outcome of litigation at Austin, where the state highway commission is under an injunction prohibiting the grant of state aid to the amount of $163,000 to the construction of the bridge.

Start Directory Campaign Soon

A start is to be made in a short time on compiling figures and data for the 1926 city directory, it was announced Monday by J. F. Dillard of the Worley Directory company, which has been publishing the local directories for a number of years.

Several canvassers will be needed for the work, Mr. Dillard stated, and applicants for such posts may apply to him in Room 14 of the Bradford building.

MERKLE GETS CITY WORK

Merkle Undertaking company was given the right to the city of Wichita Falls' ambulance business during the next year at the meeting of the city council Monday night. Bids for the business from three firms of the city were received, each offering to do the work, answer calls, etc., free of charge. The names of the three bidders were put in a hat and one drawn forth, that being Merkle's, as it happened.

NEW STREET LIGHTS

Street lights are to be installed as soon as possible at ten corners of the city, it was decided at last night's meeting of the city council. The corners affected by the resolution are Avenues J and Taft, K and Taft, L and Taft, M and Taft; Holliday and Sibley, Holliday and McGregor, Holliday and Wilson, Holliday and Keller, Holliday and 23rd; Holliday and Blonde.

Four Girls Chosen As H. S. Beauty Candidates

At a meeting of the spring graduating class of the Wichita Falls high school Monday morning, nominations were made of the girls for the beauty contest for the annual published by the school. Misses Frances Boyd, Evelyn Frances Lyle, Dorothy Dale and Mary Brown were chosen for the contest.

Votting will begin Tuesday at a penny per vote, it was announced by Fred Couper, president of the class, following the meeting.

The seniors planned a weiner roast to be given Wednesday evening for the mid-year graduates. The class will meet at the college at 6 o'clock, the third week in February when they will give Booth Tarkington's "Seventeen."

Juniors Meet.

A meeting was held of the junior class of the high school and plans were laid also for their contest of the prize beauty of the class. The following girls were nominated: Rega Rae Brown, Margaret Hines, Geraldine Monroe, Faye Ryan and Katherine Weeks.

Colors of purple and gold were selected for the class.

The juniors will entertain with a party and dance sometime within the next month, according to a decision made in the meeting. Jack Kedane

RUSSELL GIVEN 7-YEAR TERM

He Enters Plea of Guilty To Charges of Robbery With Firearms

A sentence of seven years in the penitentiary was assessed against R. J. Russell on the first of three indictments charging highway robbery when his case came for trial in the 30th District court Wednesday afternoon. Russell entered a plea of guilty, and the trial itself occupied but a few minutes. Despite this, however, the jury required something more than two hours to determine the extent of the sentence to be imposed.

Two Other Charges

Russell will face trial on two additional indictments this morning, it being understood that a plea of guilty will be entered in each case.

Russell was arrested last fall following a series of hold-ups in the neighborhood of the library park and a hold-up of the Lamar Avenue Pharmacy near there. He has been kept in jail since then, appearing in court Monday with his wife and baby.

1st M. E. South In Excellent Progress, First Report Shows

The first quarterly conference for 1925-6 of the First Methodist church, south, Monday night with Rev. Frank M. Richardson, presiding elder, in charge, was enthusiastic and reports various officers of the church showed remarkable progress during the past three months.

Sixty-one members have been added to the church during this quarter, according to the report given by the pastor, Rev. Walter J. Johnson.

Bohmfalk Reports.

E. F. Bohmfalk, religious education director, reported the actual enrollment of the Sunday school to be 1757; since December 1, the cradle roll department has grown to 147 members; 91 officers and teachers are enlisted in the work; and during this time, $2,450.91 has been collected for all purposes; five Sunday school pupils have united with the church; and 56 are taking teacher's training courses.

Mrs. B. P. Williams told of the work of the missionary society with 221 on roll, and a collection of $7,000 on the $10,000 pledge to the church budget.

Social Service Busy.

Mrs. E. B. Gorsline, social service chairman, showed that $659.50 had been spent for relief to the poor.

A total of $20,000 for various purposes of the church has been raised during the quarter.

Other reports were given by Joel H. MacGregor, chorus director and financial secretary; Annie Laurie Long, church visitor, Miss Margeurite Haynie, church secretary; Henry David Akin, secretary of the junior board of stewards.

Dr. Johnson announced that Bishop Mouzon would speak at the next meeting of the Men's club.

Akin Speaks To Kiwanians Monday

Judge J. W. Akin, talking in behalf of the newly organized Wichita Falls chapter of the Izaac Walton league, was the principal speaker at the Kiwanis club weekly luncheon Monday noon. Judge Akin outlined briefly the present plans of the organization locally and urged every Kiwanian to become a member.

Chapter 100 of the Izaac Walton league, the Wichita Falls organization plans conservation and general game and fish improvement in north Texas, said Akin. A warden is to be placed at the diversion lake and close care is to be taken of Lake Wichita. The old North Texas game and fish association which merged with the Izaac Walton chapter has already placed a warden at Lake Kemp.

Spice was added to the session by music and reading entertainment furnished by Mrs. Vesta Hastings Bryan and Mrs. O. Abernathy. Mrs. Bryan rendered piano solos, "Valse Brilliante" by Manazucca, and "Valse" by Chopin. These selections received hearty applause. Mrs. Abernathy read "Somebody Else," by Edgar Guest, and "Mother's Gone A Visiting."

J. B. Fletcher was welcomed into the club as a new member.

3 Convictions In Court Here Monday

There convictions and sentences aggregating eleven years were given by juries in the 30th district court Monday.

Manuel Gonzales was found guilty of burglary and theft and given a sentence of two years in the penitentiary; R. J. Russell plead guilty to a highway robbery charge and received a sentence of seven years; Barkley Thomas, colored, of Electra, plead guilty to automobile theft and received a sentence of two years.

Continuances were granted in two cases, that of D. L. Tipton, charged with failure to stop and render aid, and of A. C. Lewis, held on a highway robbery charge, both of these cases to be tried next week.

Cases called for today in the Thirtieth district court include trial on the two indictments pending against R. J. Russell, on indictments against R. E. Garrett and Henry Knight, charging violation of the liquor laws.

SMITH ON TRIAL AGAIN.

O. Conteen Smith will go to trial for the second time within a week Friday on an indictment of criminal assault pending against him, according to an announcement made Monday morning by Judge P. A. Marttin of the 89th district court, who ordered a special venire of 100 men to report at 9 o'clock on that day. Smith's first trial over Friday and Saturday of the past week resulted in a hung jury, the 12 men reporting at noon Sunday that they were hopelessly hung up and would probably never reach an agreement.

The alleged assault occurred last August.

MUNY DIRECTORS TO MEET

There will be a meeting of the directors of the Municipal Golf club at the council chamber in the basement of the City National Bank building tonight at 7:30 according to announcement Monday by W. E. George, vice-president of the organization. Vari-

Plans Ready For Stone Mountain Memorial Drive Here Wednesday

Plans for launching the Stone Mountain Memorial drive in Wichita Falls Wednesday are under way, and already a good start on the $5,000 quota for the city has been obtained. Captain W. S. Langford, chairman of the Wichita Falls committee, has purchased $500 in the memorial coins, and it is expected that several other will follow his example.

Captain Langford with his assistants, Judge Edgar Scurry and Major Luther Hoffman are organizing a committee of business men of Wichita Falls to take part in the campaign.

Among the members of the committee are Mayor R. E. Shepherd, A. M. Miller, R. Vaughn Ray, C. C. Cabintes, Lester Jones, O. T. Ailes, W. R. Duke, Rev. Milo Atkinson, Mrs. W. P. Smith, Mrs. A. H. Carrigan.

C. J. Blanchard, field representative of the Memorial association of Atlanta, Ga., was in Wichita Falls Monday in the interest of the association, and to make a report of the progress of the work in Wichita Falls. "The purpose of the campaign in this city is to sell the quota of Wichita Falls, 5,000 coins will be the contribution to defray the expense of putting on Stone Mountain the statues of five of the great Texas leaders of the Confederacy.

"The coin is the first silver coin ever issued which is legal tender in gold. It is the first coin ever issued by any nation in the history of the world commemorating the valor of a conquered foe. The coin sells for $1, fifty cents of which goes to the association to sculpture the monument and construct the memorial hall which is to be a tribute to the devotion and sacrifice of the southern womanhood.

SHEPHERD ISSUES PROCLAMATION

In anticipation of the drive for the sale of Stone Mountain Memorial coins which begins in Wichita Falls Wednesday, Mayor R. E. Shepherd has issued the following proclamation:

A PROCLAMATION

Whereas, the general government has generously agreed to co-operate in the erection of a memorial to the valor of the Confederate soldier and to perpetuate the memory of the fortitude and courage of the men who wore the gray by the issuing of special memorial coins for the purpose, and

Whereas, it is true that "A people that forget the greatness of its past will one day have a past not worth remembering," and

Whereas, the offer of the general government to issue these coins is in a large sense the forgetting of the bitterness of the struggle between the sections, and an acknowledgment of a great and united country, and a willingness to aid in the perpetuation of the courage and the manhood and the fortitude and the valor and the character of the men who suffered and sacrificed for a principle they believed, at the time, to be just and right, by the erection of a great memorial at Stone Mountain carved in life size, on the everlasting rocks. The late lamented President Harding said this memorial is the "Eighth wonder of the world," and

Whereas, in order to accomplish the completion of this memorial it is incumbent upon the states to sell a certain number of the memorial coins, and

Whereas, Texas has not yet sold her quota and the time in which to sell them is near at an end.

Now, therefore, I, R. E. Shepherd, as mayor of Wichita Falls, do hereby call upon the citizenship of Wichita Falls to buy these Stone Mountain Memorial coins and for each citizen who purchases these coins, to ask some other citizen to do likewise. Wichita Falls has never yet failed to do her patriotic duty when called upon. Let us go over the top this time and say to the world again, Wichita Falls never fails.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the town of Wichita Falls this 18th day of January, 1926.

R. E. SHEPHERD, Mayor.

DOG TAGS HERE, MUST BE USED

1926 Decorations Arrive For Canine Population Says McBroom

More decorations for Wichita Falls dogs is the decree for 1926. Dogs in general and dogs in particular, of high and low degree, big ones and little ones, are effected by this order, according to W. E. McBroom, city clerk. All canines, in order to escape the dog catcher, must wear two tags.

The rabies ordinance effective January 1, requires an additional tax of $1.50 for vaccination, along with the regular tax of $2.50. Before owners can get the 1926 tag, they must have a certificate from a licensed veterinarian, and show it to the desk sergeant in corporation court at the city hall to get the vaccination and regular dog tag.

The vaccination tag is brass numbered from 1 to 1,000 while the regular tag is of aluminum.

Dog owners will have until the latter part of the month to get 1926 tags.

SEWAGE PLANS DELAYED.

Plans and specifications for the city's proposed new sewage disposal plant were not presented the city council at its meeting Monday night. There were several details to be worked out as yet between City Engineer Rugely and the consulting engineers, Montgomery and Ward, it was understood, and it will probably be next Monday night before they are definitely approved.

CHANGE STREET NAME

The names of two of Wichita Falls' streets are to be changed as a result of an ordinance passed on its first reading at the city council meeting Monday night. Avenue P from Wenonah to Grant will be known henceforth as York street, while Fairview street, between the Wichita Valley tracks and Avenue P will be known as Wenonah Avenue.

Protests Made On New Salad Factory

There will be a special session of the city council Thursday afternoon at the council chamber for the purpose of hearing protests on the proposed construction of the Maidwell Salad Dressing factory at the corner of Bridwell and McGregor streets. Work on this building has already started, despite the fact that no building permit has been taken out as yet. Protests were presented the council last night from residents of the district, who stated that the area was a restricted residential district.

D. L. TIPTON ON TRIAL JAN. 27

His Cases Set Before Judge A. P. Martin Monday Morning

D. L. Tipton, former Wichita Falls druggist, under indictment on counts of driving an automobile while intoxicated and failing to stop and render aid, will come to trial for both offenses on Wednesday, January 27, according to settings for the 30th district court announced Monday afternoon by Ben P. Allred, district attorney. Tipton was scheduled for trial on a failure to render aid indictment Monday morning, but when the case was called before Judge Wilson, it was continued to Wednesday of next week by mutual consent of the attorneys in the case.

On Tuesday of next week E. E. Brooks and C. R. Fulfs, formerly of the Dixie Lowe company, charged with forgery of a number of small checks last November, will be brought to trial. There are seven indictments against Brooks, and two against Fulfs.

Other settings announced for next week are D. J. Cose, theft; B. W. Rhymes, theft; Ed Williams, theft (two counts); A. C. Lewis, highway robbery, all for Monday, January 25. J. T. Moore, incest; James Williams, theft; Wednesday, January 27; W. R. Barnett, theft, two counts, Thursday, January 28.

The list of settings will probably be amended during the week according to District attorney Allred.

City Buys More Machines for Parks

The city of Wichita Falls is the owner of the two motion picture machines now. The purchase was consummated Monday night at the weekly city council meeting upon the recommendation of Park Superintendent C. C. Runnenberg. The machines will be used in the showing of moving pictures at the city parks during the coming summer; $300 was paid Al Ellis for two secondhand machines.

PAVING COMPLETED.

The Plains Paving company reported to the city council at its meeting Monday night that paving on the following streets had been completed and was ready for use: Giddings street, Avenue G to H; Taft street, Avenue J to L; Avenue H, Giddings to Harrison.

COFFEE DEMONSTRATION GIVEN BY MAXWELL HARDWARE COMPANY

A coffee demonstration is being conducted in the China Shop of the Maxwell and Son Hardware company under the supervision of Mrs. R. D. Chase of the Check-Neal Coffee company.

The demonstration will last through the week and Mrs. Chase extends an invitation to the public to visit the booth and partake of this savory beverage.

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Instead of soda hereafter take a little "Phillips Milk of Magnesia" in water any time for indigestion or sour, acid, gassy stomach, and relief will come instantly.

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For fifty years genuine "Phillips Milk of Magnesia" has been prescribed by physicians because it overcomes three times as much acid in the stomach as a saturated solution of bicarbonate of soda, leaving the stomach sweet and free from all gases. Besides, it neutralizes acid fermentations in the bowels and gently urges this souring waste from the system without purging. It is far more pleasant to take than soda.

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CONSULTATION EXAMINATION FREE

SCHOOL HEADS TO WASHINGTON

Superintendent, Principals To Attend Education Conference

At a meeting of the school board held last night at the secretary's office, the members recommended that the superintendent of the city schools and three of the principals attend a meeting of the national education association to be held in Washington, D. C., in February.

The board paproved the action of the purchasing committee in buying the desks and shades for the Huey and Crockett schools. The secretary, W. W. Brown, was authorized to purchase such shrubs and trees as needed for the beautification of the grounds in general.

Tax Matter Referred

A group of representatives of the faculty of Junior college and a body from the Junior college appeared before the board asking consideration of a question, but action was deferred until a later date.

A question of tax matters which the board had expected to discuss at the meeting was also deferred until another meeting. Routine matters were disposed of during the evening. Judge W. B. Chauncey, president of the board, presided.

Waggoner Case A Test for Texas' Community Taxes

Efforts of the treasury department of the United States government to invalidate the Texas community tax law will be centered against a case in which R. M. Waggoner, wealthy business man of this city, is a litigant, it was announced Monday in Washington. The legality of the law, which involves all community tax payments in the state, is questioned by the treasury department and the Waggoner case has been selected as a typical one for the courts to consider. The decision reached by the supreme court on this matter—for it will eventually reach the supreme court, will govern similar action on all other such contested cases in Texas and will probably also extend to the other six states which have a community tax law.

Harry C. Weeks, local attorney for Mr. Waggoner, is now in Washington on the matter. The specific matter in which Mr. Waggoner is interested involves a tax item of approximately $37,000 which would be arised to about $115,000 if the tax law is held invalid. It arose in an oil deal with the Charles F. Noble Oil and Gas company in 1919.

Holland Will Be Tech Club Speaker

C. J. Holland, assistant to the president of the American Refining company, will speak at the regular meeting of the Technical club Tuesday night on the subject, "Wichita Falls As a Permanent Refining Center." Mr. Holland has had broad experience in many parts of the world, and is said to be well qualified to discuss the topic.

The meeting will begin with a dinner at 6:45 p. m.

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Shoe Styles Via Radio, Latest Step

Styles in women's shoes will be the topic of a series of 10-minute talks to be broadcast for the next 24 weeks from station WMCA, Hotel McAlpin, according to word received here Monday by the Perkins-Timberlake company from J. & T. Cousins, shoemakers of Brooklyn.

The first talk will be made ta 11:01 a. m. today, it is announced, and on Jan. 29, another talk will be made at same hour.

Authenttic information relative to shoe styles will be sent out via the microphone.

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More Truth Than Poetry

ME AND HER

I do not fear the fiercest mouse
That ever stalked about my house.
But would I cross a crowded street
Where chauffeurs savagely compete
To catch pedestrians off their guard,
And land them in a neighboring yard
Or in a vacant building plot?
No, gentle reader, I would not.
But let this be well understood.
She would.

I would not fear to leave my flat
If I had on a last year's hat.
But would I walk for hours together
In winter's windiest, coldest weather
With nothing much upon my form
Save thin, sheer silk to keep me warm,
And only slippers on my feet
To keep me off the icy street?
No I would not, but believe, Bill—
She will!

If I should meet a cow some day
I would not scream and run away.
But could I sit up all night long
And sing a gentle soothing song
To make a kid lit calm and still
And never know that he is ill,
And keep serene and self possessed
Without a single hour of rest?
No, I could not, but, well, old man,
She can!

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The Wanderlust

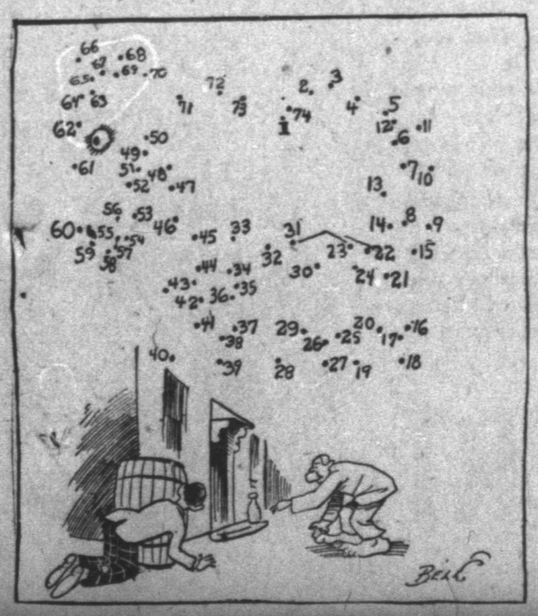
GIRLIGAGS



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"It's a strange thing," says Observing Olivia, "but you'll usually find the man who raises a rumpus about women using perfume smokes nickel cigars."

Dot Puzzle's



THE NEBBS — By Sol Hess



THIMBLE THEATRE — By Segar



YOU KNOW ME AL — By Ring Lardner

Dear Al:

Well Al big Barney curtainly pulled a bird when he sined up the champeen of the canarys Is. to fight me this wk. I belief Al that is where all them little yeller birds comes from and when I get threw with this guy he'll be seeing a lot more birds than he ever did on his home grds. belief me. Joe Whelan is helping I to train and says I should ought to knock this guy x-eyed in 3 innins. Joe dont know nothing much but he knows a good fighter when he sees one, eh Al.



REGULAR FELLERS — —By Gene Byrnes



DUMB DORA — By Chic Young



MINUTE MOVIES — By Wheelan



Joe Kirkwood to Perform On Wichita Falls Golf Club Links



TOP O' MORN STUFF
By Blondy Cross.

CRACKS FROM CUSTOMERS.

We have at hand today a number of epistles which may be termed as letters from customers, as it were. First, Bill Walsh writes in to say that he played with Lee Alanis, Mexican infielder Collins is grooming for shortstop with the Sox next summer and about whom this column commented lightly the other day. Bill said he was with Alanis three or four years on the Mission team. Friend Walsh takes us to task declaring "His name is not Lee Alanis but Leo Najo." Yeah, we understand, he was with Santone a stretch. Bob Coleman had him because of the drawing power Leo boasted with the Mexican clientele. Bill explains further that Alanis did not play with Austin in the Texas association, and that it was with Tyler and he hit the ball at a heavy clip. Right you are there to an extent, Bill. Alanis tried out with Austin in the spring of 1923, performed in several games and then was given the air because he wasn't hitting 10 cents worth. It was later he took a fling with the Bears and then Tyler.

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Atta boy, William. You stay right in there and check up on these ham sports writers. They're liable to pop off most any minute with something amazingly farfetched and incorrect. Put the statistical scissors hold on 'em and don't let 'em get away with anything they don't know their stuff about. The only thing is, Bill, we both agree that Alanis is not ready for the big time yet. Now what're we going to do if he goes over big next summer? It'll make us look mighty bad as baseball dopesters.

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Next we have a suggestion from O. V. R., who signs himself an enthusiastic baseball fan. It's a matter we'll have to take into heavy consideration either with the big boss, O. V. R., or President Gardner who hasn't come back from California yet. We spoke to J. Will Gray about it yesterday, but didn't give him very many details. Will says he'll have to go into the matter deeper before he can give an answer. Anyway we turn it's going to cost somebody a chunk of the long green, and this particular person needs a new pair of boots right now as it is. The suggestion's a good one, however. If the rest of the fans want to play we'll have to make some arrangement even if Gardner has to sell another Al White or Ira Morgan to break even on the expense of the thing.

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A GOOD IDEA AT THAT.

O. V. R.'s suggestion:

Dear Blondy:

How about a little game that will put some more pep in your business, and at the same time furnish the fans something to do until the ball season opens? Have seen this tried in other cities anad the fun was great. If you have never tried it before, am sure that you will be surprised at the number of fans who will take part in it.

Here is what it is all about. You give the name of some Spudder player in your paper each day, and then in two days announce the winner of the ticket. Give the winner each day a reserved seat ticket to the opening game, and thus; you will have a Blondy Cross party, of about 25 or 30 real fans, and besides you will introduce to the public, (in a way they will not forget) the Spudders.

The following are examples.

Gardner Is the Name.
Gardner
And
BrainaRd
Depend
UpoN
Every
SpuddeR
(Gardner and Brainard depend upon every Spudder.)

Another—Winters Is the Name.
Who
wIll
wiN
The
pEnnant?
GaRdner's
Spudders.
(Who will win the pennant? Gardner's Spudders.)

P. S.—If you wish any further information as to the above you may see me at 1020 Tenth street.

An Enthusiastic Fan,
O. V. R.

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THAT SULLY-GODFREY TIFF.

There's been quite a bit said and written about that battle between Sully Montgomery and George Godfrey out on the coast recently. Incidently, Sully intends to head this way soon and wants a Wichita Falls bout. Monday morning's mail brought a letter from Sully which sheds quite a bit of light on that fight. It may be of interest to a few of you ring worms. The missive in part:

Friend Blondy:

Am powerful tired tonight, but I figured that I might drop you a line for old times sake.

How's tricks any way? I guess you started the new year off with a bang, a bunch of new resolutions and everything. Am I right? Well, here is hoping everything is fine for you in Wichita Falls. As for myself, I can't say so much. I have been ailing, as you Texans would say, since the battle on the 0th. I will get to that battle just a little later.

Blondy, I wrote to the promoter there and I received an answer, but I lost it some place. I am figuring on coming through there in about three weeks and I would like to get something lined up. I promised the promoter in my letter, to let him know as much in advance as I could. I box Tiny Herman in Portland, Jan. 26, then I will be on over to Texas. It will be about three weeks or a month from now. I will appreciate it if you will tell him and ask him to drop me a line as soon as possible.

Now about the Godfrey fight: Blondy, it was just a case of who could be the roughest and when I got caught I was giving him plenty of hell, too. He is a big, strong fellow that bulls you all around the joint. He lays on you and everything that would make you sore. I thought that I would be just as rough and it was hell from then on. He butted me in the forehead, five stitches worth, and then I tried to butt his brains out and I didn't miss it far either, but it was so deliberate looking that they stopped it and gave Godfrey the fight on a foul in the eighth round. They suspended me in California and fined me $1650. Laugh that one off. I think that is why I have been sick ever since the fight. Why Blondy, that is more the case to court and I think I have a good case of it.

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ABOUT STEWART.

Next on the line of fire, so to speak, appears a missive out of Austin, written by a member of the varsity athletic council anent that, as he puts it, "supposed Stewart situation." The letter in part:

Dear Blondy:

I read with interest your column in the Record News of January 10th, in regard to the supposed Stewart situation. I am not prepared at this time to acquaint you with any official action taken by our authorities, but want you to know that Mr. Stewart commands my respect and sympathy, and this will continue to be my position until facts are brought to my attention which prove conclusively that he is a poor coach or a disreputable individual.

Doc Stewart's contract does not expire until the first of June. The council has not met since early in December, and will probably not meet again for several weeks. So far as I know, there is no organized effort here in the student body or among the members of the council to do anything but re-engage the services of Stewart. I am personally convinced that at the proper time the constituted authorities of our institution will publish the news of his retention as coach in football and basketball for another year.

If any of your friends know of any good reason why he should not be retained, I shall be more than glad to have it in writing, properly signed. I appeal to you, therefore, to be more lenient in your column toward an individual who commands our respect, and who will probably remain with us for many years to come.

* * *

And, of course, the blustering Mr. Mickey Shay, that pork and bean prizefighter, had to send a letter, also. This loud-speaking bimbo, as usual boasts of his fistic prowess and warns the writer that if he (the writer) doesn't watch out and quit saying unkind things about him dire vengeance or something similar will be wreaked.

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Ho, hum, counting in all the usual

TRICK ARTIST PLAYS MATCH AND EXHIBITS

Strachan, Cochran, Golding To Make Foursome Thursday

Joe Kirkwood, Australian golf champion and trick shot artist, will perform in Wichita Falls Thursday afternoon, announces Bill Strachan, Wichita Falls Golf and Country club golf professional, who returned Monday from participation in the Texas open tournament at San Antonio.

Kirkwood is one of the greatest exponents of the Ancient and Royal, golfing critics over the world agree. And his wizardry with the club and ball in trick and fancy shooting is nothing short of uncanny.

Kirkwood is well known in Texas golf circles. He's played in several Texas cities and two years ago won the Texas open. He took part in the 1925 open play just finished in the Alamo City.

Kirkwood's exhibition is scheduled for 1:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Country club, said Strachan. He will give a 30-minute golfing lesson to the gallery, according to Strachan, and then put on an exhibition of trick maneuvers with the club and ball.

The show is to be topped off with an 18-hole match foursome. Kirkwood and Strachan will pair off against Tom Cochran, Texas amateur champ, and Dudley Golding, one of Wichita Falls' and north Texas' leading amateurs, it is planned.

The gallery is to be charged gate fee of $1.50 a head.

Cochran is expected in Wichita Falls today from San Antonio where he took part in the Texas open tourney.

ANOTHER GAME TONIGHT.

Meridian college and Wichita Falls Junior college cagers are scheduled to hook up tonight in the second game of a two-game series which started on the Indians' court Monday night.

Tonight is regular Commercial league night. However, the city leaguers will postpone their play to Wednesday night at 7:30 when the loop stages a double header. Texhomas play Landon-Hill and Dixie-Stephens meets Draughon tomorrow night.

Electra All-Stars Play Clara Quint

ELECTRA, Jan. 18.—The Electra All-Stars are to tackle the Clara high school cagers Tuesday night on the Iowa Park high school court, according to an announcement made by Olen Smith, business manager of the All-Stars Monday.

Smith announces that Red Hayes and Babe Gonce will likely perform for the locals and with these two 225 Tiger stars in the lineup, the Stars promise to give Coach Belcher's outfit a stiff battle although the Clara crew is conceded as one of the fastest cage teams in this part of the country.

The All-Stars will likely take on the Clara Nighthawks later in the week. The Nighthawks have decisively defeated the Stars this year and the locals will go into this game seeking revenge and promise to give this crew a fight.

COYOTES TAKE TRIP

Wichita Falls high school basketeers are off today for a five-day trip through west Texas as a conditioning jaunt in preparation for the district title scramble. The majority of the squad will be taken with Coach Bud McCallum. Games will be played at Cisco, Stamford, Ranger and Breckenridge.

Cooper Wins But Loses in Open Play

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 18.—(AP) Harry Cooper of Dallas, although winning $400 in the Texas open golf tourney which closed here yesterday came out with a net loss.

Cooper who won the Los Angeles open last week, tied for third place in the local meet with Jack Burke of Houston and Abe Espinosa of San Francisco and divided $1,200, but he had bet $500 he would finish ahead of MacDonald Smith of Great Neck, L. I.

And Mac Smith won the championship.

INDIANS BEAT MERIDIAN FIVE BY 43 TO 24

Pack Wallops Landon-Hill Club in Practice Conflict

Wichita Falls Junior College Indians defeated Meridian college cagers in the first of a two-game series Monday night on the college court, 43 to 24. The second game is to be played tonight.

Bud McCallum's Wichita Falls high school quint stepped on Landon-Hill in a practice affari, 39 to 19. Both teams used many substitutes.

Rawls was the leading light in the college encounter, securing seven field goals. He played a good floor game, too.

Roberts, Tribe forward, waged a wonderful game both offensively and defensively. He chunked foud field baskets.

Hallmark and Ringer were the outstanding performers with the invading Meridian team. Hallmark totaled nine points, Ringer eight.

FIRST GAME

Indians	FG	FT	TP
Harvey f	1	0	2
Robertson f	4	0	8
Timmons c	1	0	2
Kelm g	2	1	5
Stephenson g	0	0	0
Snodgrass f	0	0	0
Rawls f	7	0	14
Thurman f	1	0	2
Crites c	3	0	6
Deems g	0	3	3
Beaty g	0	1	1
Totals	19	5	43
Meridian	**FG**	**FT**	**TP**
Hallmark f	3	3	9
Griffin f	0	0	0
Puckett f	0	0	0
Ranger c	4	0	8
Ballew g	1	0	2
Moorman g	3	0	0
Gray g	0	1	1
Totals	10	4	25

Referee, Foster.

SECOND GAME.

Landon-Hill—	FG	FT	TP
Beck, f	2	0	4
Neal, f	3	1	7
McMinn, f	0	0	0
Van Horn, c	2	0	4
Hursh, c	0	0	0
Rice, g	1	0	2
Caskey, g	0	0	0
Clary, g	0	0	0
Totals	9	1	19
Coyotes—	FG	FT	TP
Ray, f	6	0	12
Sisk, f	0	0	0
Penny, f	1	0	2
Howard, f	3	0	6
Flippin, f	0	0	0
Francis, c	5	1	11
Miller, c	2	0	4
Mills, g	1	0	2
Wainscott, g	0	0	0
Powell, g	1	0	2
Coffey, g	0	0	0
Totals	19	1	39

Referee—Snodgrass.

GRACE OUTFIT NIPS FIZZLES QUINT, 31-23

Grace Methodist cagers defeated Fizzles, 31 to 23, last night on the Grace Methodist court in Wichita Falls independent league play.

Thornberry was the outstanding performer with Grace, while Disoway did all the heavy work for Fizzles. Both played center and each scored nine field goals, tying for high point honors.

The Owls defeated the Reed Drug five, 29 to 28 in a practice encounter. Fritz Taylor was the big gun with the drug five, chunking six field goals. McLarry of the Owls tipped four baskets.

The next games will be played Monday night on the same court. The Owls will meet the Fizzles in the opener and the Methodists hook up with Reed Drugs in the nightcap.

FIRST GAME

GRACE ME.	FG	FT	TP
Arnold, f	3	1	7
Chafin, f	4	0	8
Thornberry, c	8	0	16
Barns, g	0	0	0
Watson, g	0	0	0
Vance, g	0	0	0
	15	1	31
FIZZLE'S	FG	FT	TP
Goude, f	1	0	2
Robertson, f	1	0	2
Dissoway, c	9	0	10
McConnel, g	0	0	0
Haley, g	0	1	1
	11	1	23

Referee, Neal.
Scorer, Ross.

SECOND GAME

OWLS—	FG	FT	TP
Cason, f	2	1	5
Herring f	2	0	4
McLarry, c	4	0	8
Stevens, g	3	0	6
Moore, g	3	0	6
	14	1	29
REED DRUG CO.	FG	FT	TP
Adams, f	4	0	8
Taylor, f	6	0	12
Thurman, c	1	2	4
Havern, g	0	0	0
Reed, g	2	0	0
Williams, g	0	0	0

SPORTS DONE BROWN

There is a standing baseball joke to the effect that if you look for a ball player on a rainy day you'll find him reading the baseball scores.

Which causes us to wonder whether or not Jack Dempsey keeps "up" on fight affairs while devoting most of his hours to his business and family.



Were Dempsey to persue the histories of the heavyweights who have gone before him he might find much food for thought—and some reason to be hesitant about stepping into the ring again.

For these histories would show Jacques of the lovely nose that he has lived the idle span that has been enough to end the careers of his predecessors.

Jess Willard had been out of the ring just three years when he stepped into it that day in 1919 to be beaten to a silly, bruised, mumbling hunk by Dempsey.

Jack Johnson, great heavy in his day, had not entered the ring for two years when he faced Willard in the sun blistered arena in Havana. His last bout had been a farce with one Jim Johnson in Paris in 1913. And Willard beat Johnson down in 23 rounds.

Jim Jeffries had been out of the game eight years when the call of his race sent him into the ring at Reno, Nev., against Jack Johnson. But Jeff had won the title from Bob Fitzsimmons when that aged fighter decided that he was still the husky one's master, although out of the game from 1897 to 1899, the year he met and lost to Jim.

Jim Corbett became king of the heavies in 1892. A three-round victory over Charlie Mitchell in 1894, a six-round affair with Peter Courtney that same year and then a four1round battle with Tom Sharkey in 1896 was all the tuning up he had before he met Fitz in 1897 and fell before the wily Cornishman.

Corbett won the title from Sullivan when that willing old battler entered the ring after three years of rough living and no fights outside of arguments at the bar and in exhibitions.

All of which proves that three years of idleness on the part of a heavyweight champion is fatal.

Dempsey's last fight against Luis Firpo, Sept. 14, 1923.

In that fight the public witnessed the amazing spectacle of seeing the still newly crowned "superman of the ring," knocked out of the aforesaid ring by a foreigner of little experience, as ring experience goes.

Now Dempsey is in his third year of idleness. And unless he signs within a few weeks for some kind of a battle such an affair will not be staged until Labor day. For Dempsey is wise enough to know that he needs months of training and a preliminary bout or two to put him in shape for the defense of his title.

And September, 1926, will be the end of his third year!

Wonder if Jack is up on his history?

HELEN WILLS DRAWS BYE

American Tennis Queen To Complete In Metropole Tourney.

CANNES, France, Jan. 18.—(AP) Miss Helen Wills drew a bye today in the singles of the Metropole Lawn tennis tournament in which she is entered, but got in a few hours of hard practice with Major F. J. Rendell, an English player. Major Rendell was enthusiastic about the work of the American champion.

"She seems to have greater strength since the last Olympics," he said, afte rthe practice. "I don't know whether she will beat Mlle. Lenglen, but she certainly will defeat any other players she is likely to meet on the Riviera."

HOUSE APPROVES $50,000 FOR GENEVA CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—By a vote of 359 to 1, the house today approved a resolution to authorize the appropriation of $50,000 to defray expenses of American delegates to the preliminary disarmament conference at Geneva arranged by the League of Nations.

Pro Ball Dims Grange's Star

LONG BEACH, Cal., Jan. 18.—(AP)—The "Red" Grange who played for cash at Los Angeles Saturday is the same Grange who rose to flashing heights at Illinois university for glory alone, but the famous star's brilliancy has been dimmed because the professional game as played by the Chicago Bears is not so conductive to the bringing out in full measure of the Grange talents.

This is the opinion of "Bob" Zuppke, Illinois football mentor, expressed today after watching Grange in a professional's togs. The game was the first professional one Zuppke ever attended.

"The Bears would beat the average college team," Zuppke said, "however, the Chicago team lacked the team play of the skilled college eleven. There was no real blocking in the game and proper blocking is vitally important in football."

Connie Nearly Won By Tonsil So Clubs At Boston Follow

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP) The theory that healthy tonsils are essential to successful ball playing seems to be gaining ground.

Last year Connie Mack had several of the stars of his athletics undergo operations for removal of their tonsils and credited it with being responsible for their improvement. Now the Boston Braves and Red Sox have gone even further and issued instructions to their athletes to have their tonsils, as well as their teeth examined before reporting for spring training.

Officials of both the New York Giants and Yankees, on the other hand, attach no special importance to the matter and say that their regular contract requirements for players to report in good condition, covers the situation.

The theory of clubs taking special action, however, is that rheumatism, sore arms, and similar ailments have their origin in diseased tonsils or infected teeth.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

At Chicago: Indiana 39; Northwestern 31.

At Ann Arbor: Illinois 31; Michigan 29.

WHITE TAGS IT ON OWENS IN HECTIC TEN ROUNDS, WINNING NEARLY ALL WAY BY INFIGHT

Jimmy Wages Game Scrap, But Is Guilty Of Holding—Peoples Wins Over Ercanbrack

By BLONDY CROSS

They've got to step out further than Texas and Oklahoma to bring in a welterweight mittster to beat Tommy White, it begins to appear.

Jimmy Owens, the swift little Oklahoma City scrapper, proved no match for White last night in a ten-round embroglio, the main event of the American legion weekly fisticuff show.

The mill satisfied the customers all right, judging from the cheers and howls of approval throughout. But it wasn't much of a scrap. It was more of a tugging and hauling contest than anything else. Jimmy had a raft of friends on hand and they don't see it that way, but the Oklahoma City walloper was guilty of holding and wrestling throughout. White came back a few times and gave Jimmy a bit of his own medicine, but on the whole Owens was driven to cover in a majority of rounds, beaten at the long range scrapping and whipped at the infighting until he clinched and hung on desperately. Owens clinched White time and again and rushed the Texas City fighter backwards across the ring. The Oklahoma lad managed invariably to get White's right mitt under his left arm and hunz on like a leach. Several times he swung Tommy around with this hold, and on one occasion heaved him to the canvas with a strained waist.

Try It Some Time

The maneuver is against all rules of boxing. Try it on a friend some time just to satisfy your curiosity. Get that friend to shove his right arm under you left about six inches above the hip. You clamp your left down hard and then swing your body suddenly to the right. If your opponent doesn't jump around with you mighty fast he's going down with a jerked ligament in the wrist or a wrenched elbow.

White won a majority of the ten frames simply by making Jimmy miss and then peppering him away in the clinches. Owens caught White off balance in the seventh and put him down for a second. It hardly could be called a legitimate knock down. Nevertheless, there was sting behind the punch.

Regardless of how the fight ran most of the way, Jimmy was groggy and all in under a barrage of short rights and lefts in the tenth. He was very much on the run and very much the worse for wear.

Jim Game

Although outpointed clearly and generaly out maneuvered, you have to hand it to Owens for waging a game scrap and staying right in there all the way.

Sailor Murphy won on a foul over Mickey Shay in the third round of a scheduled eight-rounder. If these two noble athletes are fighters then yours truly is a minister of the gospel. Furthermore, we don't believe either of them are Irish. Any two Irish laborers could lay down their hods and put up a better battle.

George Hodgins stopped the Jack Ercanbrack-Buckshot Peoples four-rounder after the first round to save Jack from further punishment. Ercanbrack had received a bad cut under the eye. Jack wished to continue the mill but was not allowed to do so.

Curley Robinson and K. O. Kelly, paperweights, went fast four rounds to a draw.

The Six Second Smith-Sam Mitchell negro heavyweight fight was called off because one of the black boys failed to show up.

THUNBERG RUNS POOR THIRD

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Clas Thunberg of Finland, Olympic speed skating champion, met defeat for the second time in this country in a three cornered match tonight against Joe Moore of New York and Charles Gorman of Canada. The Finn finished a poor third in a race of one and one-half miles. Moore led Gorman over the finish in a sensational sprint by two yards.

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Knight of Columbus—Council No. 1473 meets every Monday at 1509 Ninth Street. Jas. L. Duffy, G. K.; Jno. J. Hines, F. S.
Knights of Pythias—Pioneer Lodge No. 42 meets every Tuesday at 812½ Ninth. A. R. Westfall, C. C.; F. L. Myers, K. of R. & S.
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Masonic Temple, northeast corner Tenth and Scott.
Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M. —Meets second Fridays. Geo. V. Harpin, H. P.; Geo. W. Lawler, secy.
Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59—Meets first and third Thursdays. R. E. Nolen, E. C.; Geo. W. Lawler, acting secy.
Wichita Falls Council No. 140, R. & S. M.—Meets first Monday. Otto Stehlik, T. I. M.; Geo. W. Lawler, secy.
Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M.—Meets the first and third Fridays. Joe E. Ward, W. M.; Geo. W. Lawler, acting secy.
Squire Walkup Chapter No. 427, R. A. M. —Meets first Wednesday night each month. Otto Stehlik, H. P.; W. B. Baldwin, secy.
Shrine, Maskat Temple—Meets first Thursday of each month at 813 Scott. R. E. Shepherd, potentate; Albert Ellis, secy.
Wichita Falls Chapter No. 227, Order of Eastern Star—Meets Masonic Temple on first and third Tuesdays. Edna Vogt, W. M.; Mrs. Margaret Bradley, secy.
Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays, 813 Scott. Walter H. Caldwell, W. M.; G. W. Curd, secy.
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Rainbow Assembly No. 17—Meets the second and fourth Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple. Mary L. Cox, M. A.; Mary Meredith, secy.
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Lone Star Camp No. 4105, Royal Neighbors—Meets the first and third Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. Mrs. Eula Islar, O.; Mrs. Susie Boone, secy.
Wichita Falls Camp No. 1206, Modern Woodmen of America—Meets every first and third Friday night at I. O. O. F. Hall. C. B. McConnelel, consul; E. E. Cook, clerk.
Odd Fellows.
Wichita Canton No. 16, P. M.—Meets the second and fourth Tuesdays at I. O. O. F. Hall. C. B. McConnell, consul; Dunn, capt.; J. W. Bussey, clerk.
Wichita Encampment No. 6, I. O. O. F.—Meets on second and fourth Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. J. T. Martin, C. P.; J. W. Bussey, scribe.
Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday at 810½ Ninth. A. L. Ayer, N. G.; J. W. Bussey, secy.
Rebekah Degree No. 236—Meets second and fourth Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. Miss Maud Souls, N. G.; Mrs. Ada Ramsey, secy.
Woodmen of the World.
Wichita Camp No. 8001, W. O. W.—Meets on first and third Wednesdays at 705 Travis. R. C. Carr, C. C.; R. J. Claypool, clerk.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Under this heading will be published the names of the candidates for public office. The fees for announcement will be as follows:
For judicial district offices....$25.00
For county offices.....$25.00
For justice of peace.....$25.00
For precinct offices.....$25.00
For city offices.....$20.00

For county offices subject to the decision of the Democratic primary:
Constable, Precinct No. 1:
L. P. LILE

GUY C. RALEY.
Tax Collector.

For District Attorney,
30th Judicial District.
JOE B. CARRIGAN.

For District Attorney,
30th Judicial District.
JOE B. CARRIGAN.

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NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any purchases not made by me in person or on my written order. B. G. Ramey.

ARTIFICIAL waxed flowers; large bouquets mixed flowers, $1.50; large roses, and buds, carnations, tulips, chrysanthemums, $2.00 per dozen. Sweet peas, 30c per dozen; marigolds, $1.50 dozen. I am an invalid haven't walked in five years and study flowermaking; will appreciate orders from anywhere. Personal check or money order accepted. Mrs. J. L. Pearce, Box 191, Thrift, Texas.

Strayed and Found 10

STRAYED—A white male Spitz dog strayed away from home at 1801 Tenth street. Please return for reward. Phone 5703.

LOST—Bunch of keys in Wichita Falls, downtown section. Reward. Phone 5533.

STRAYED or stolen, black and white spotted English setter dog, male, answers to the name of "Rodney," disappeared from my residence on Lucille street, Saturday, two weeks ago. Liberal reward for his return to Walter Robbins, care of the Robbins company.

AUTOMOTIVE

Automobiles for Sale 1

MARMON touring, good condition; sell, or trade on smaller car, real estate, or what have you? Dial 4050.

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GOOD houses built cheap. Hartford. Phone 3495.

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DRESSMAKING with satisfied customers and reasonable prices. Bring your sewing to 2003 Ninth or phone 5954.

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

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ALTERATIONS on dresses, coats and hats has been pleasing the most fastidious clientele. We'd like for you to give us a trial. Fashion Studio, 714 Ninth. Phone 3010.

Heating, Plumbing, Roofing 22

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

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SCOTLAND PLUMBING CO.—Kahler and Crane plumbing fixtures. Display room, 607 North Broadway. Phone 8348.

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L. B. VENABLE, plumbing. Phone 8180.

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PRACTICAL house moving, raising and leveling. Jack Humphrey. Residence phone 7665.

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JONES, paper hanger and painter; work guaranteed. Phone 7458.

WILL furnish good paper and paper two rooms for $20.00, and guarantee satisfaction. Phone 5024, Mr. Tidwell.

Repairing and Refinishing 29

THE HOME OF GOOD MATTRESSES WHERE YOUR DOLLAR BUYS THE MOST
We make your old mattresses like new; samples of ticking submitted and work returned same day. Our trucks will call for and deliver mattresses and furniture in surrounding towns and oil fields. Try our Kapok mattresses, fully guaranteed.
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MATTRESSES RENOVATED.
Prices reasonable. Wichita Mattress Co. Phone 4052.

PHONE 3021—Let us do your building.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female 32

WANTED—Young lady who can operate Remington typewriter and to assist in office work. Sherwin-Williams, 818 Scott.

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AGENTS for Two Republic Life Insurance Company. Liberal commission. Apply W. B. Jarrell, general agent, Texan hotel.

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EXPERIENCED bookkeeper desires employment. Will also do general clerical work. Box B-159, Record News.

WAITRESS—Short order or second cook in small cafe. Can do any kind of work. Write Cora Howell, Gen. Del.

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FOR SALE—Suburban grocery and market. Now doing a good business. If interested Dial 7506.

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For Sure, Quick Results, try an Ad in the Classified Columns of The Record News. They are result getters.

FINANCIAL

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CITY LOANS—six to eight per cent
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PERSONAL loans made in a refined and business like manner, legal interest, 10 monthly payments. Wichita Falls Finance Co. Inc. 806 Eighth St. Kemp Hotel Bldg.

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CANARIES—Fine singers, mated pairs. Extra females. Mrs. Skaggs. 1406 13th.

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BOAT FOR SALE
New 20-foot high powered gasoline launch; a real V-type speed boat (the fastest in the country). Bargain. See it on Lake Wichita. H. K. Roberts. Phone 7758 for demonstration.

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FOR SALE—Cheap. Used Burrough adding machine. Box No. 159.

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

CASH for your used furniture. Our bid will make you money. Home Furniture Co., 613 Seventh. Phone 2223.

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

MR. MACKECHNEY
North Texas Agency
Phone 9879

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WANTED to buy, men's and women's used clothing. Discarded Clothing Co., Phone 9579.

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

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ROOM and board, nice rooms, clean beds, home cooked meals. 1500 Austin. Phone 21202.

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

ROOM AND BOARD, nicely furnished, adjoining bath, on carline. Private home. Meals. Phone 9187, 2406 Ninth.

Rooms Without Board 68

One upstairs bedroom; to gentlemen only. 1301 Twelfth. Phone 5471.

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

TWO unfurnished rooms for rent; modern; or 1 large room. 113 Waco street.

Rooms for Housekeeping 69

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping. 1502 Eighth. Phone 7150.

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50 Modern Rooms.
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ONE extra nice light housekeeping room, 2300 8th street.

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FURNISHED apartment for rent. 911 Ninth.

APARTMENT for rent, two blocks from Kemp Hotel. 706 Travis.

FURNISHED apartment for rent. Phone 4502.

FOR RENT—To adults, unfurnished three room apartment on pavement, garage. Inquire 1908 Eighth. Phone 8488.

TWO NICELY furnished apartments adjoining bath. Telephone. Private entrance. 1206 Twelfth.

FURNISHED four-room apartment, breakfast room and bath, garage; on pavement. Phone 9545.

TWO nice large rooms, unfurnished, sink in kitchen, connecting bath. 1611 Thirteenth.

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FOR LEASE, trade or terms, a moneymaking, large new apartment house. Postoffice Box 1112.

REAL ESTATE---RENT

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FIVE room house at 1208 Bluff St. Modern. $60 per month. Phone 5932.

FOR RENT—February 1, modern five-room bungalow; Pittsburgh automatic water heater; close to Almo school. Call 8632.

Office and Desk Room 78

FOR RENT—Offices in Brown Bldg., corner Ninth and Lamar; janitor service; steam heat, etc.; Mrs. E. M. Brown, Room 216 Brown Bldg; residence Phone 5608.

Wanted—to Rent 81

WANTED—Three of four room house near city barns on Holliday. Immediate possession. Box B-169, Record News.

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

REAL ESTATE---SALE

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FOR SALE—Building, stock and fixtures for confectionary, groceries and hamburger located on one of the best corners in the city. Price $500 cash. Apply 621 Indiana.

Farms and Land for Sale 83

FOR RENT—4-acre truck farm, irrigated. See owner, 2703 Holliday.

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FOR SALE—Or trade, five-rooms, garage and servant's house at Electra, Texas; modern, on pavement, paving paid, yard fenced. One-half cash or trade balance monthly payments. Box B-66, Recorod News.

FOR SALE—Three room house, chicken yards and houses. Hillcrest addition—the coming residential part of Wichita Falls. Box B-66 Record News.

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NEW five-room house; east front, all built-in features, two blocks south of Junior college. Price $5,000; $500 down, balance $45 month. 2108 Joline. Phone 5378-8076.

Lots for Sale 87

FOR SALE—By owner, two lots on Rose avenue, one lot on Grant and one lot in Fairview addition. Phone 9369.

ONE ONLY Lot. No bottom and no top. 1517 Britain. Easy to handle. See L. A. Walker, 720 Ohio. Phone 3105.

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To Exchange—Real Estate 88

WE have a client with $1,800 worth of vendor lien notes. Trade as first payment on duplex. Must be a bargain. Phone 9641, 9607.

WILL sell farm near Grandfield, Oklahoma or exchange for clear city property or small hotel. Phone owner 6351.

FOR TRADE—Five-room house and three lots in Devol, Okla. Want property in or near Wichita Falls. Phone owner, 7500.

Wanted—Real Estate 89

FOUR to six-room residence close in; must be a bargain. Give description and price. Address P. O. Box 255, City.

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OIL LEASE—40 acres, Archer county, 2,000 feet from production, six months to run. Your own price. Bracey Medicine Co., 1105 Lamar.

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TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING ON THIRTEENTH STREET FROM EAST CURB LINE OF BROAD STREET TO THE EAST LINE OF HOLLIDAY STREET AND ALL OTHERS INTERESTED.
Notice is hereby given of the intention of the city to proceed with the improvement of Thirteenth street from the east curb line of road street to the east property line of Holliday street by raising, grading and filling same and installing concrete curb and gutter and paving with reinforced concrete and all lots and land benefitted by means of said improvements, and such assessments when levied, shall be first and prior lien upon the lots and land assessed and a personal claim and a charge against the owners thereof.
On the 1st day of Feb. A. D. 1926 in the council chamber in the City National Bank building in the city of Wichita Falls, at 7:30 p. m. o'clock, all such owners and their agents will be fully heard by the board of aldermen and any protests, objections, or claims will be fully and fairly heard. The benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each lot or parcel of land and the owners thereof will be determined and an assessment therefor will be levied.
Plans and specifications for the improvement, and form of contract and report of engineer showing estimated cost thereof, are on file in the office of the city clerk and open to inspection.
The estimated cost of the said improvement is $10,622.84.
The estimated amount to be assessed against property owners is $9,837.80.
The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.40 per linal foot of curb; and
The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavation is $9.63852 per front foot.
All persons, firms, corporations, or estates, their agents or attorneys, desiring to be heard in any matter or thing in any wise connected with said improvements, the assessment therefor, the benefits thereof, the damage resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before said board at said time and place.
Done in accordance with the resolution of the board of aldermen of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 21st day of Sept. A. D. 1925.
W. E. McBROOM,
City Clerk,

"TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING ON SIXTEENTH STREET FROM WEST PROPERTY LINE OF BURNETT TO EAST PROPERTY LINE OF HOLLIDAY STREET AND TO ALL OTHERS INTERESTED."
Notice is hereby given of the intention of the City to proceed with the improvement of Sixteenth street from the west property line of Burnett to the east property line of Holliday street by raising, grading and filling same and installing concrete curb, and gutter and paving with reinforced concrete and all lots and land benefited by means of the said improvement, and such assessments when levied shall be a first and prior lien upon the lots and land assessed and a personal claim and a charge against the owners thereof.
On the first day of February, A. D. 1926 in the Council chamber in the City National Bank building in the City of Wichita Falls, at 7:30 p. m. o'clock, all such owners and their agents will be fully heard by the Board of Aldermen, and any protests, objections, or claims will be fully and fairly heard. The benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each such lot or parcel of land and the owners thereof will be determined and an assessment therefor will be levied.
Plans and specifications for the improvement, and form of contract and report of Engineer showing estimated cost thereof, are on file in the office of the City Clerk and open to inspection.
The estimated cost of the said improvement is $20,965.60.
The estimated amount to be assessed against property owners is $19,494.98.
The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.40 per linal foot of curb and
The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavation is $6.82032 per front foot.
All persons, firms, corporations, or estates, their agents or attorneys, desiring to be heard in any matter or thing in any wise connected with said improvements, the assessment therefor, the benefits thereof, the damages resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before said Board at said time and place.
Done in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 14th day of September, A. D. 1925.
W. E. McBROOM,
City Clerk.

TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING ON WEST PROPERTY LINE OF TRAVIS ST., TO THE EAST PROPERTY LINE OF AUSTIN AND TO ALL OTHERS INTERESTED:
Notice is hereby given of the intention of the city to proceed with the improvement of Sixteenth street from the west property line of Travis to the east property line of Austin street by raising, grading, and filling same and installing concrete curbs and gutters and paving with reinforced concrete and all lots and land benefited by means of the said improvement, and such assessments when levied, shall be a first and prior lien upon the lots and land assessed, and a personal claim and a charge against the owners thereof.
On the 1st day of February, A. D. 1926, in the council chamber in the City National bank building in the city of Wichita Falls, at 7:30 p. m. o'clock, all such owners and their agents will be fully heard by the board of aldermen, and any protests, objections, or claims will be fully and fairly heard. The benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each such lot or parcel of land and the owners thereof will be determined and an assessment therefor will be levied.
Plans and specifications for the improvement, and form of contract and report of engineer showing estimated cost thereof, are on file in the office of the city clerk and open to inspection.
The estimated cost of the said improvement is $5,407.08.
The estimated amount to be assessed against property owners is $4,996.08.
The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.40 per linal foot of curb; and
The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavation is $7.92683 per front foot.
All persons, firms, corporations, or estates, their agents or attorneys, desiring to be heard in any matter or thing in any wise connected with said improvements, the assessment therefor, the benefits thereof, the damages resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before the said Board at said time and place.
Done in accordance with the resolution of the board of aldermen of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 21st day of September, A. D. 1925.
W. E. McBROOM, City Clerk.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Sealed proposals for the improvement of a portion of the Grace and Harrison street will be received at the office of the City Clerk until 7:30 p. m., January 25th, 1926 and then publicly opened. Bids will be received on brick, concrete, warrenite-bitulithic and sheet asphalt (Willite Process) pavement with necessary appurtenances. Further information can be obtained at the office of the City Engineer where plans and specifications are on file. Certified check for five per cent of the amount required with proposal. Usual rights reserved.
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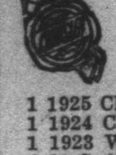
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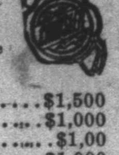
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Plans were made by the Ladies Aid of the Yale Avenue Evangelical church in their meeting held Monday afternoon at the parsonage to sell the quilts which they have completed to increase the funds to carry on the work, and to hold a pie sale in the near future. Reports showed that 35 sick calls had been made during the month and four trays given.

Those present included Mesdames R. L. Mansell, M. C. Sherman, A. H. Haley, E. A. Garlington, W. F. Cook, F. J. Angel, Frances Worstell, and the pastor, Rev. W. D. Cook.

PROPOSES AN INCREASE IN TIME ON RESERVE PAPER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP) Chairman McFadden of the house banking committee introduced today a bill to increase from 15 to 90 days the maximum maturity of advances made by federal reserve banks to member banks on promissory notes.

NEW YORK—The rough riders who fought with Roosevelt are to answer roll call. Herman Hagedorn, director of the Roosevelt memorial association left today on a trip through the southwest to round up veterans of the regiment and to get material from them for a motion picture of "Teddy's" fighting days.

REAL ESTATE

New Bungalow

This is a pretty little home, contains five rooms, is all modern, nice built-in features and is well finished throughout; garage, sidewalk and driveway; only $375 cash, balance $35 per month. Price $3,750.

Duplex—on the pavement (paid) two complete apartments, all modern features, a splendid location, good double garage and driveway. Price $4,850. Very reasonable cash payment, balance $40 per month.

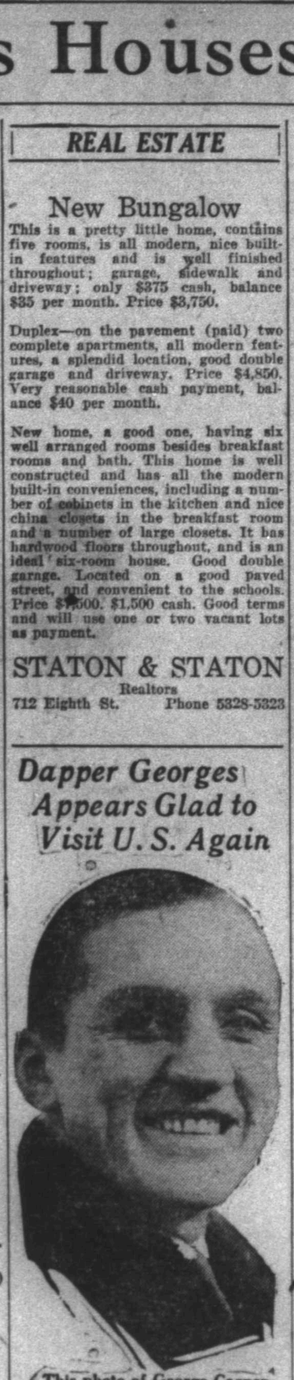
New home, a good one, having six well arranged rooms besides breakfast rooms and bath. This home is well constructed and has all the modern built-in conveniences, including a number of cabinets in the kitchen and nice china closets in the breakfast room and a number of large closets. It has hardwood floors throughout, and is an ideal six-room house. Good double garage. Located on a good paved street, and convenient to the schools. Price $5,500. $1,500 cash. Good terms and will use one or two vacant lots as payment.

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Dapper Georges Appears Glad to Visit U. S. Again



This photo of George Carpentier, once challenger for Jack Dempsey's title and long the fistic idol of France, was taken since his arrival here a few days ago. He's here on business, which will consist of helping manage some foreign fighters and fighting, if offered the proper inducements.

Britain's Richest Duke U. S. Bound



Duke of Norfolk, 17, Britain's richest noble, is preparing to visit the U. S. to see the sights. He outranks all other non-royal dukes of England.

Canadian House Has New Speaker

Rudolphe Lemieux of Ottawa, is the new speaker of the Canadian house of commons.

Liberty From Foreign Domination Looms for China







Amendment of the extraterritorial principle which makes nationals of the treaty powers immune to Chinese legal processes, long a source of agitation against foreigners, appears probable as envoys of the powers meet in Peking for a conference on the question. Map shows where powers have concessions or extraterritorial rights in China. Upper photo shows Hong Kong, British leasehold. Other picture gives a view of Hankow, another important foreign foothold.

Briand Now Fights Most Bitter Of His Many Political Battles—Not For Personal Glory But For France

Man Who Has Been Seven Times Premier of France and Never Overthrown by His Opponents, In Real Tussle Now

BY WILLIAM BIRD.

Special Radio Dispatch to The Record News

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PARIS, Jan. 18.—Without thought of personal ambitions, without hope of selfish advantage, Aristide Briand has determined to fight the battle of his life to maintain his cabinet in power.

M. Briand is convinced that the salvation of France, and perhaps the peace of all Europe, demand that for the first time in his political career he should battle against odds to retain office.

Although he has been premier of France seven times previously, M. Briand has never been overthrown by parliament. He always resigned when threatening opposition developed, preferring to retire than cling laboriously to office. Today he is persuaded that he is the only possible leader of French politics who can defend both republican institutions and the national sovereignty. If despite this determination M. Briand is over thrown in the vote on finance Minister Doumer's financial program, chaos may result. No solution apparently remains except to call the socialist to power or to form a cabinet under nominal radical leadership but with the socialists holding the majority of portfolios, because no other terms, according to the recent vote of the socialist convention will the socialists consent to enter the government.

M. Briand has maneuvered with consumate political skill so that the first vote will come, not on M. Doumer's program but on the cartel's counter project, which is almost certain to be rejected. This may compel acceptance of the Doumer program as the only obvious alternative.

Furthermore M. Briand holds a club over the majority of the chamber of deputies in the shape of a new election bill which provides for a return to the old system of electing deputies by districts instead of the present system of so-called proportional representation.

Practically all parties favor this plan but Briand has kept it in abeyance as a bargaining instrument and will introduce it only after the inancial question has been settled.

Proportional representation as practiced here has failed. It has brought about electoral coalitions such as the Cartel des Gauches which after winning the elections, have failed to cohere, thus throwing parliament into the turmoil of petty groups.

Politicians believe a system similar to the American system will result in equally satisfactory representation while insuring a solid majority and hence a more stable government.

As regards Europe, it is feared that if M. Briand should be overthrown, ratification of the Locarno treaties would be seriously compromised. M. Briand negotiated them and he is the logical man to defend them in the chamber.

Failure to ratify the Locarno agreement would mean failure of the disarmament program, and might gnain drive France to isolation with the attendant necessity of arming strongly for self preservation.

AIR LINES

With the development of radio photo transmission David Sarnoff predicts that a business man will be able to "sign the dotted line" by radio. This will be performed, Mr. Sarnoff says, by the transmission of fac simile letters, contracts or other papers.

American amateurs have been enjoying English broadcasts for some time, it is reported. Through 2NM of Caterham, Surrey, programs from the British Broadcasting company have been rebroadcast on 50 meters. Reception on the low wave is said to be unusually clear.

Halifax, Nova Scotia, sent its Christmas greetings in a new way. They were transmitted by amateurs and were delivered in many parts of this continent and in other foreign countries.

A "musical news reel" is being broadcast by WLW every Wednesday. It consists of organ music by Johanna Grosse with descriptive comments on events of the day.

One of radio's jazz kings has advanced the idea of "moonlight saving" time. He believes that the clocks should be set ahead to allow more hours of best radio reception for the average man instead of moving them back to allow more hours of daylight during the summer.

One of KFI's staff believes that it would be possible to chart the weather by the amount of mail received by the station. It is reported that a falling barometer means a rising tide of letters.

WJAZ has started a series of weekly talks for engineers during the "School of the Air" programs, starting at 6 o'clock Saturday nights.

A school of agriculture is being conducted by WLS. Farmers are asked to enroll just as they would in a regular school. Lessons will be broadcast from 6 to 7 o'clock each night except Saturday and Sunday.

Station WOC was on the air 1,937 hours and 22 minutes during the period from Jan. 1 to Nov. 30, 1925. Technical trouble with its transmitter caused it to remain silent four hours and two minutes, and of this time, two hours and five minutes of the delay was due to trouble in a station of the power company.

One factory has solved the problem of how to test sets by having its own broadcasting station operating on five wave bands. It broadcasts factory music, but is very small so that its signals are not heard outside the plant. The "station" is kept going all day, during the period when regular stations are likely to be silent.

RADIO PROGRAM OVERSEAS.

OTTAWA, Canada, Jan. 16.—Station CNRO of the Canadian National Railways has announced a special program for the benefit of overseas listeners on Thursday, Jan. 28, in the hours, 9 to 10 p. m. Central time, when all broadcasters in England and on the Continent will be silent for the benefit of American stations.

LIFE OF TUBES SAME.

The double duty performed by tubes used in reflex and regenerative circuits has no effect on their life as the tube life depends only on the filament which is operated at the same temperature in every type of circuit.

Parent-Teacher Course Is Novel Plan of Educator



Miss Chloe C. Baldridge, director of rural education at the State Teachers' College at Peru, Neb., has conceived the idea of a parent-teachers' course by correspondence. The idea has been endorsed by National Parent-Teachers' Association.

Static Isn't Only Cause of Trouble

In general there are just two kinds of radio noises; the ones that can't be avoided and ones that can. In the first class are all of the natural ones that result from electrical disturbances in the ether, through which all radio waves travel. It must be remembered that these waves follow the same laws and behaves in exactly the same manner as the waves created "to order" by man-made machinery.

The second class of noises is the result of faulty wiring, or in many cases imperfect or improperly constructed batteries. Wires must be tight. It is for this reason that so many who built radio sets take special care to solder all joints even though binding posts provide a seemingly tight grip on the wires.

To a great many people a battery is just a battery and need only be considered from a standpoint of voltage and ampere-hour capacity. It is true that these things are of prime importance, but there are other features of construction deserving of more attention than is commonly given them.

An important feature of the "B" or high voltage battery for example, is that it must be able to hold its charge for long periods not only because of economy, but because electrical leakage from cell to cell or from positive to negative posts of any particular cell is distinctly a noise producer. It is to prevent this disturbing effect that the Willard Storage Battery company has developed a form of "B" battery in which cell is a glass jar capped with a special screw top and separated from its neighbors by comparment partitions. It is said that the leakage and consequently the possibility of "B" battery noises is practically eliminated.

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10 APPOINTED ON AIR BOARD

Outstanding Men in Various Lines are Guggenheim Trustees

NEW YORK, Jan. 18—(AP)—Ten leaders in aviation, engineering, law and finance have accepted positions as directors of the Daniel Guggenheim fund for the promotion of aeronautics, to which Mr. Guggenheim will contribute $2,500,000 during the next ten years.

Those who have accepted to date are: Orville Wright of Dayton, Ohio, who with his brother, Wilbur was the first to fly a heavier-than-air machine; Dwight W. Morrow, of J. P. Morgan and company, chairman of the president's aircraft board; Gen. George W. Goethals, chief engineer of the Panama canal; Rear Admiral H. I. Cone, U. S. N., aviation forces, foreign services; Elihu Root, former secretary of state and international jurist; Prof. A. A. Michelson, head of the department of physics of the University of Chicago and Nobel prize winner in physics in 1907; John D. Ryan, chairman of the board of the Anaconda Copper company, director of air service in 1918; Harry F. Guggenheim, former naval aviator; W. Trubee Davison, chairman of the national crime commission and naval aviator during the war; Dr. William F. Duran, professor of mechanical engineering at Leland Stanford university and member of the national advisory committee for aeronautics.

Under the terms of Mr. Guggenheim's gifts the directors will have full power to disburse the principal and interest of the fund as their unrestricted judgment may consider best.

Dusky Prince Is In Bad Position

WICHITA, Kan., Jan. 18.—(AP)—The Prince of Madagascar, the Rev. Boler C. Rannavulona, is in bad straits.

First, dropped as pastor of the negro Calvary Baptist church here, now he has been suspended from office as secretary of the Wichita Ministerial League, also a negro organization.

The "prince" has had a varied career, Wichita negros recount. Born, they say, in the palace of Tanavarivo, capital of Madagascar, he was rescued from French soldiers by a negro American counsel and brought to America where he was educated.

His mother, the queen, was overthrown by the French and died in an Algerian prison, the story runs.

In Wichita Rannavalona was active in church circles—until a warrant signed by H. Ernest Taveder charged him with stealing hotel furnture. Then the "prince" disappeared. He did not even wait to resign as deputy state hotel inspector.

U. S. to Tune in On London Program

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—After negotiating for cooperation of land radio stations, ships at sea and finally even of rum runners, plans for the international radio broadcasting tests next week seemed completed tonight with announcement of the London program.

The London program announced will include a baritone singer and cornet solos. The cornetist will be Charles Leggett and the baritone Clay Thomas. Both will be accompanied by radio quartets.

Code signals from the rum runners are now seen as the only likely flaw in the testing conditions, the radio week committee said today. Efforts are being made, however, to reach operators and ask them not to flash code messages during the hours of the test.

Nocona Man Is Mysteriously Ill

NOCONA, Texas, Jan. 18—(AP)—Physicians here were unable to determine today the cause of continued unconsciousness of Jim Elliot, 30, who was found by a roadside near here Sunday evening. No signs of an accident were evident, nor was the man apparently injured in any way. A portion of his money is said to be missing.

Elliott is married and lives on the Oscar Seay ranch, 144 miles from here.

ANTI-OLEOMARGARINE BILL IN WISCONSIN IS INVALID

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 18.—The Wisconsin anti-oleomargarine law was declared unconstitutional here today by Circuit Judge August C. Hoppmann.

He granted manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers of oleomargarine a permanent injunction restraining the state from enforcing the law. The court held that the law was unreasonable and discriminatory.

Lake Gives Up Body of Texas Man

FORT WORTH, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Lake Worth, this city's 12-mile square municipal reservoir, today gave up the body of J. A. Beardon, 65, resident of the Lakeshore, who was drowned December 3, to J. T. Coleman, a frend of the drowned man, who had labored continuously to recover the body.

After daily dragging of the [illegible] of Beardon's disappearance for [illegible] weeks, Coleman brought up the body three quarters of a mile from where it was last seen. Burial was set for this afternoon.

BARNUM'S LIFE AS SHOWMAN WILL BE MOVIE OFFERING

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The life of P. T. Barnum, famous show man and circus owner, will be brought to the screen by the Famous Players-Laskey corporation, it was announced today. The "greatest show on earth" will be the title of the picture with Wallace Beery expected to play the part of Barnum.

PRINCESS IS THROWN FROM HORSE ON FAIRBANKS FARM

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 18.—(AP) Princess Bibesco, wife of the Rumanian minister at Washington and daughter of Herbert H. Asquith was completely recovered today from the effects of a fall from her horse yesterday on the Douglas Fairbanks estate in Beverly Hills.

The Record News Review of Markets and Finance

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK.—Stocks, strong; Norfolk and Western at year's high.
Bonds, firm; Serbian rates rise on loan reports.
Foreign exchanges, steady; sterling firm.
Cotton, barely steady; firm spot markets.
Sugar, steady; Cuban buying.
CHICAGO.—Wheat, firm; better export demand.
Corn, higher; unfavorable weather.
Cattle, steady.
Hogs, higher; good demand for lightweights.

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net 17 points up to 5 points down.

	High	Low	Close	Prev.
Jan.	20.59	20.32	20.52-53	20.35
Mar.	20.00	19.70	19.90-93	19.82
May	19.40	19.16	19.33-36	19.26
July	18.85	18.70	18.79	18.75
Oct.	17.88	17.70	17.75-76	17.80

Opening: January 20.26 bid; March 19.74; May 19.19; July 18.71; October 17.72.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The cotton market was more active today and the undertone was generally firmer. Following an early recession of 10 to 11 points owing largely to rather easier cables than due, prices turned upward on covering by near month shorts and despite slight reactions from time to time prices eventually gained 23 to 28 points from the early lows. The October position which had been relatively easy made a new low in the afternoon. The close showed net gains of 17 points on January, four to eight points on other old crops. October showed a net loss of five points.

Prices eased off a little more after the opening call, March trading down to 19.70 May to 19.16 and July 18.70, or five to 12 points below the previous close. These were the lows of the day.

The market soon turned upward on a renewal of covering by near month shorts and before the rally was checked March traded up to 20.00, May to 19.40 and July to 18.85 or 15 to 30 points up from the early lows. A good demand for spots and the large exports for the day helped the advance.

Prices eased off somewhat in the late trading on realizing and about seven to 10 points of the gain was lost, while October made a new low at 17.70 but rallied five points at the end.

Exports for the day totaled 102,854 bales, of which Galveston contributed 62,938 bales, Houston 16,832 and Savannah 17,410.

NEW YORK FUTURES

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net 8 points up to 8 points down.

	High	Low	Close	Prev.
Mar.	20.50	20.33	20.52-55	20.46
May	20.00	19.75	19.96-97	19.88
July	19.30	19.04	19.25-27	19.17
Oct.	18.02	18.00	18.23-24	18.13
Dec.	18.12	18.00	18.03-04	18.10

Opening: March 20.35; May 19.75; July 19.05; October 18.23; December 18.05.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The cotton market was influenced today by continued reports of improving business in cotton goods and more favorable advices from the southern spot markets.

These features failed to inspire any general or aggressive buying, but near months made new high ground for the present movement on covering. March advancing to 20.59 or 13 points net higher, the highest price touched since it broke below the 18½ cent level toward the end of last October. March closed at 20.52, the general market closing steady net eight points higher to eight points lower. New crop onths were relative easy during the day under selling against near months purchases. October closing at 18.23 or 229 points below March compared with a difference of 215 points at the close of Saturday.

The market opened easy at a decline of five to 12 points on the belief that rains reported in the south would favor the new crop outlook, and some southern selling. These early offerings were absorbed on a net decline of 10 to 13 points during the first hour, however, and the market later turned upward on reports of improved spot demand with a firmer basis in the south. May sold up to 20.00 on the afternoon advance or 12 points net higher while the best price touched by October was 18.32, or only a point above Saturday's closing quotation.

As indicated by the widening of the differences much of the demand for near months was accompanied by selling of later deliveries presumably by transfer of short hedges, while the favorable view of weather conditions probably held fresh buying of October and December in check.

Private cables reported some hedge selling and realizing in Liverpool but encouraging business in cloth with China and a healthy general demand.

Exports today 102,613, making 5,111,731 so far this season against 5,066,067 last year. Port receipts 37,815. U. S. port stocks 1,564,037.

CHICAGO COTTON

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed: January 20.18; March 20.15-18; May 19.55; July 18.90; October 17.82.

SPOT MARKETS

DALLAS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The spot market closed steady, 10 up; sales 5,855 bales.

Middling fair 21.65; strict good middling 20.90; middling 20.15; strict low middling 18.90; low middling 17.40; strict good ordinary 15.65; good ordinary 14.15.

HOUSTON, Jan. 18.—The spot arket closed steady, 5 up; sales 924 bales. low ordinary 11.95; ordinary 13.40; good ordinary 14.95; strict good ordinary 16.45; low middling 17.95; strict low middling 19.45; middling 20.95; strict middling 21.70; good middling 21.95; strict good middling 22.20; middling fair 22.45.

GALVESTON, Jan. 18.—The spot market closed, steady, unchanged. Sales 1,487.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Spot cotton steady, 18 points up. Sales 4,814; low middling 17.78; middling 20.78; good middling 22.03; receipts 5,202; stock 496,322.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Cotton spot moderate business; prices steady. American strictly good middling 11.80; good middling 11.55; strictly middling 11.35; middling 10.90; strictly low middling 10.30; low middling 9.75; strictly good ordinary 9.30; good ordinary 8.65. Sales 7,000 bales, including 5,200 American; receipts 1,100 bales, all American. Futures closed quiet and steady: January 10.42; March 10.38; May 10.26; July 10.10; October 9.70; December 9.60.

Financial

U. S. BONDS

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—United States bonds: Liberty 3½s 100; first 4s 100.4; first 4¼s 101.22; second 4¼s 100.21; third 4¼s 100.29; fourth 4¼s 102; treasury 4s 103.2; do 4¼s 106.19.

EXCHANGE RATES

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Foreign exchanges steady; quotations in cents:

Great Britain demand 4.85¾; cables 4.86⅛; 60-day bills on banks 4.81⅛. France demand 3.76; cables 3.76⅛. Italy demand 4.03⅛; cables 4.03⅝. Demand Belgium 4.53½; Germany 23.80; Holland 40.16; Norway 20.34; Sweden 26.76; Denmark 24.83; Switzerland 19.31½; Spain 14.15⅛; Greece 1.37; Poland 14.50; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96; Jugo-Slavia 1.77; Austria 14; Rumania 4.05⅛; Argentina 41.44; Brazil 14.94; Tokyo 44⅛; Shanghai 76; Montreal 99 25-32.

MONEY RATES

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)— Call money, steady; high, low, ruling rate, last loan 4½; closing bid 4½; offered at 4¾; call loans against acceptances 3½. Time loans, steady; 60-90 days 4⅛; 4-6 months 4⅛; prime mercantile paper 4¼@4½.

MORE COTTON SEED CRUSHED IN FALL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Cotton seed crushed in the five-month period August 1 to December 31 totaled 3,014,072 tons, compared with 2,548,100 tons for the same period a year ago, the census bureau today announced. Cotton seed on hand at mills December 31 totaled 1,417,

N. Y. Stocks

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Am. Tel & Tel	14	143	143	143
Am. Woolen	6	40⅝	40½	40⅝
California Pet.	43	41⅞	41½	41⅞
Dodge Bros pfd	3	86	85⅝	86
Freeport-Tex. Co	111	24⅞	23	24¼
Gen Electric	36	338	335	335⅝
Gen Motors	42	188⅞	117	118⅞
Gen Petroleum	97	56½	55⅝	56
Ind Oil & Gas	54	27¼	26	26½
Marland Oil	157	56	55	55⅝
Mid-Cont Pet	34	34⅝	34⅛	34½
Mo Kans & Tex	46	42½	41½	41½
North Am. Co	103	66⅝	65	66
Pacific Oil	21	76¼	76¼	76⅝
Pan-Am Pet "B"	67	71⅛	69⅛	70⅛
Phillips Pet	53	44⅝	43⅝	44
Pure Oil	28	29⅝	29¼	29⅝
Shell Union Oil	22	26¼	25⅞	26
Simms Pet	32	25¼	24⅝	25⅛
Sinclair Con Oil	62	22	21⅝	21⅞
Stan Oil of Cal	19	57⅛	57¼	57⅛
Stan Oil of N J	50	44¼	44⅜	44
Texas Co	24	51⅞	51⅛	51⅛
Tex & Pac C & O	23	17⅝	17¼	17⅛
Transcont'l Oil	13	4½	4	4
U S Steel	419	135¼	133⅝	134⅛
Willys-Over	227	29⅞	28¼	29⅝

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)— Stock prices made irregular recovery from recent weakness in today's market. Closing quotations disclosed a long list of net gains ranging from fractions to three points in the active issues. The volume of trading was the lightest of any full session this year, total sales falling below 1,400,000 shares.

The rally, like the reaction which preceded it, was not associated with any news developments. It received its impetus from short covering operations, presumably based on the theory that last week's sharp decline had temporarily corrected the weakened transactional position of the market. Commission houses reported that trading was largely of a professional nature, public buying being restricted by the uncertainty over the forthcoming steel meetings and the trend of spring business.

U. S. Steel common rallied two points to 135¼ and then half its gain, some of the buying being influenced by unconfirmed reports that directors would raise the extra dividend from 50 to 75 cents at the meeting next week. Sloss Sheffield jumped five points to 125 and Republic closed a point higher, but the other steels showed only fractional changes.

Heavy accumulation of Norfolk and Western which advanced 4¼ points to a new high record of 156¼, revived rumors of an early lease of that property to the Pennsylvania, trading in the other rails was featureless although moderate gains were recorded by Chesapeake and Ohio, Lackawanna and Frisco common and preferred.

Buoyancy again developed in a number of specialties, California Packing soared over seven points to 138¾, the highest price ever recorded, and net gains of three to five points were recorded by Baldwin, American Brake Shoe and Foundry, Continental Insurance, Foundation company, Oppenheim Collins and U. S. Cast Iron Pipe.

The retirement of short contracts was particularly noticeable in the motor group. Pierce Arrow rallied over four points to 106¾ and then eased to 106. General Motors closed three points higher at 118⅝, and Chrysler, Willys Overland, Jordan, Pierce Arrow common and Hudson showed net gains of one to two points.

Despite the large surplus in reserve shown in last Saturday's clearing house statement, call money held steady at 4½ per cent, although a shading of that figure was again reported in the outside market. Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged.

Foreign exchanges held steady in quiet trading. Demand sterling ruled around $4.85⅝ and French francs at 3.76 cents.

Livestock

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Jan. 18.—Slow selling characterized the movement of the cattle trade on the first market day of the week. Delivery to noon small considering extent of arrivals, 6,300 cattle and calves, latter 1,300. Week ago cattle 6,628; calves 966. Year ago, cattle 3,100; calves 969.

Slowness of cattle trade detracted little from general level of values. Canners and cutters steady, bulls strong.

Several cars beef steers early at $8.50. Good cows $5.50 to 5.75, six car string of Brahmas, fat around $5.50.

Yearlings and heifers generally medium, $5 to 7.00.

Bulls $3.75@4.60, showing strength.

Calf trade hesitated but assumed steady trend, best heavy $8.50; bulk $6.50 to 7.50. Late Saturday 386 heifer calves $7.50, averaging 349.

Hogs up to $12.90 top on car very desirable sort. Others $12.65, $12.60@12.40. Butcher grades $30 to 40c higher. Figs and packing sows showed gain of around 25c, former $11, latter $10.50 to $11.75.

Sheep arrivals $7.00. Market showed strength to a quarter higher on leading lambs, yearlings $10.25, breeding ewes $7.50 and feeder wethers a killer top of $8. Two decks of lambs from Mexico unsold at noon.

Cattle 6,300 including 1,300 calves; market steady but slow; beeves $5.50@9.00; stockers $4.50@7.50; fat cows $4.00@5.75; yearlings $5.50@11.00; heifers $4.50@10.00; canners $2.75@3.00 cutters $3.00@3.25; bulls $4.50@4.60; calves $5.00@8.50.

Hogs 900, including 300 direct; market 30 to 40c higher; best medium weight $12.85@12.90; good mixed $12.75@12.85; good light $12.60@12.65; fair mixed $12.50@12.60; fair light $12.40@12.50; common $6.00@9.00; packing sows $10.50@11.75; pigs $10.50@11.00.

Sheep 800; market steady to strong; slaughter lambs $13.50@15.50; feeder lambs $12.00@13.50; yearlings $10.50@12.00; wethers $8.00@8.50; ewes $7.00@8.00; culls $1.00@4.00; stockers $6.00@7.50; goats $1.00@3.50.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—(AP)— Cattle 25,000; feed steers mostly steady, only moderately active; buyers selective; yearlings scarce in broadest demand; some strong weight heavies held over several at 10.50@11.00; latter price paid for portion matured steers; best long yearlings 11.10; bulk fat steers 8.75@10.50; practically everything in killer flesh; stockers and feeders firm; mostly 7.00@8.25; she stock steady to strong; bulls steady to 15c lower; vealers about steady at 13.00@13.50.

Hogs 53,000; opened mostly 25c higher; closed dull; big packers bought meagerly; bulk desirable 250 to 280 pound weights 12.75@13.00; 140 to 150 pound selections largely 13.00@13.25; top 130 pounds up 13.25; 160 pounds up 13.00; majority better 190 to 225 pound average 12.35@12.60; bulk good and choice 240 to 300 pound butchers 12.00@12.30; bulk packing sows 10.40@10.85; desirable killing pigs 13.00@13.50; shippers took 13,000; estimated holdover 24,000.

Sheep 22,000; fat lambs active; feeding lambs mostly weak to 25c lower spots on better grade fat lambs around steady; top 15.50; bulk better grades 14.75@15.25; feeding lambs upward to 15.25; best yearling wethers 13.25; fat sheep steady; bulk desirable fat ewes 8.50@9.25.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 18.—Cattle: 16,000; slow; light steers and yearlings 8.00@8.50; butcher cows 4.75@6.00; fed heifers 7.00@8.50; canners and cutters 3.50@4.50; bologna bulls 5.50@5.75; top veals 11.50; stockers and feeders 7.50@8.50.

Hogs: 7,000; active; bulk of sales 12.15@12.50; packing sows 10.75@11.35.

Sheep: 6,000; lower; fed lambs 14.60@14.90; yearling wethers 12.50; top ewes 8.65.

STEAL $2,500 FROM HOTEL

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Five robbers held up the Hayes Hotel of-

Grain

FORT WORTH CASH GRAIN

FORT WORTH, Jan. 18.—The following shows range of values on the Fort Worth cash grain market, basis delivered group three or Texas common points, based on bids, offers and sales of Fort Worth dealers, according to the Fort Worth grain and cotton exchange:

Wheat, No. 1 dark hard $1.97@2.00; No. 1 ordinary hard $1.96@1.99; No. 1 red $2.08@2.12; No. 1, 75 per cent red $2.03@2.06.

Corn, No. 2 white $1.00@1.02; No. 3 white 94@96c; No. 2 mixed 94@96c; No. 3 mixed 93@95c.

Oats, No. 2 red 62@64c; No. 3 red 61@62c; No. 3 white 55@56c.

Snapped corn $1.00@1.10; No. 3 barley 82@85c; No. 3 milo $1.40@1.43; No. 3 kaffir $1.35@1.38; maize heads $24.00@26.00; kaffir heads $21.00@23.00; red top cane seed $2.00@2.05.

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 hard 1.74@1.83; No. 2 red 1.86@1.88; May 1.68¼; July 1.44.

Corn: No. 2 white 73@74½; No. 2 yellow 76½@77½; No. 2 mixed 75½@76½; May 80½; July 83.

Oats: No. 2 white 42½@43; No. 3 white 42@42½.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 red 1.88; No. 2 hard 1.79.

Corn: No. 3 mixed 75; No. 3 yellow 75½@77½.

Oats: No. 2 white 42¼@42¾; No. 3 white 41½@42½.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT:				
May a	1.72⅝	1.75¼	1.72⅝	1.72⅝
May c	1.70¼	1.72⅝	1.70¼	1.72⅝
July	1.50¼	1.51⅝	1.50	1.51⅝
Sept.	1.42⅝	1.44¼	1.42⅝	1.44⅛
CORN:				
May	.83¼	.84⅝	.83¼	.84⅛
July	.85⅛	.86¼	.85⅝	.86⅝
Sept.	.87⅝	.87⅞	.87⅛	.87¼
OATS:				
May	.44⅝	.45	.44⅝	.44⅞
July	.45¼	.45⅝	.44⅞	.45¼
RYE:				
May	1.08½	1.10¼	1.08½	1.10
July	1.07½	1.09½	1.07¼	1.09½
LARD:				
Jan.	15.12	15.42	15.22	15.37
May	15.55	15.77	15.55	15.70
RIBS:				
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	15.87
May	16.32	16.35	16.32	16.35
BELLIES:				
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	17.00
May	17.15	17.25	17.15	17.25

CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Persistent buying that swallowed up all surplus speculative offerings gave a lift to wheat values at the last today, despite earlier declines. A substantial decrease of the United States visible supply of wheat was a stimulating factor and so too was prospective cold weather likely to catch part of the winter wheat crop without protection. Closing prices on wheat were firm, one cent to 1½c net higher, May 1.74⅝ to 1.74¾ and July 1.51⅝ to 1.51¾. Corn finished at ⅛c to ¼c advance, oats ¼c off to ½c up and provisions showing 22c to 30c gain. Unfavorable weather conditions in the corn area made the corn market firm from the outset. Oats swayed with wheat, house with eastern connections buying oats on declines.

Provisions rose with corn and hogs.

Produce

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Poultry alive, steady; prices unchanged; receipts 5 cars; fowls 23@26; springs 27½; turkeys 35; roosters 20; ducks 25@30; geese 21.

Butter, steady; receipts 8,857 tubs; creamery extras 41⅝@42; standards 42; extra firsts 41@41½c; firsts 40@40¼; seconds 39@39½.

Eggs, higher; receipts 13,361 cases; firsts 44¼; ordinary firsts 32.

TEXAS PRODUCE

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 18.—Poultry is steady; eggs unsettled due to irregularity of receipts; butter is dull.

San Antonio, hens 18c; fryers 30@32c; roosters 8@10c; turkeys No. 1's 30c; 2s 20c pound liveweight basis. Eggs: fresh gathered firsts $70.50@11.00 per 30 dozen case. Few higher.

Fort Worth: Hens 20c; springs 32c; old roosters 9@10c; turkeys very light receipts, offerings 30@32c pound liveweight basis. Geese $1.25; ducks 75c; guineas 30@35c each. Eggs; fresh gathered firsts $10.00@10.50 per thirty dozen case to producers. Butter; packing stock country butter 24@26c; creamery A 46c; B 44@45c.

MARKET GOSSIP

Booth and Burmeister, Brokers, basement Waggoner building, today received the following from the New York, New Orleans and Chicago correspondents:

Grains

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—Wheat— Prices averaged lower with a relatively light trade closing on strong rally due to short covering. In view of the recent reports of an aggressive milling demand for cash wheat the decrease of only 305,000 bushels in the visible supply was distinctly disappointing to the bulls. The market appears to be getting into a rut and both sides are disposed to go slow at the moment. Export demand shows no improvement, however, and sooner or later the effect of the pressure of the new southern hemisphere surplus will have its effect on the world's price level. Feel that the selling side should be taken on all sharp bulges. There is a vast quantity of cash wheat accumulating at Canadian points, and the weight of this grain when released by the opening of lake navigation in the spring will probably come at about the time crest of the new Argentine and Australian wheat arrives abroad.

Coarse grains—A somewhat oversold condition developed in the corn market and a strong rally followed an early break. Cash corn remains weak with the basis unchanged to 2½ cents lower as compared with May with number six grades selling as much as 22 cents under the May, a new low for the season as compared with the future. Supply and demand situation cannot be construed as other than bearish despite the unusually profitable feeding difference between corn and hogs. With hog supplies about the smallest in over 20 years cannot see how there will be the normal farm consumption this season, and look for a liberal movement of cash corn to terminals. Oats market is marking time, waiting for some new development.

Rye is cheapest bread grain and low compared to wheat.

Lard in strong position and likely sell much higher.

Cotton

The market continued very steady during the early afternoon session, the near month positions registering new high levels on this upward movement. After a fairly good demand for near months had been filled, the market immediately showed a much easier tone with trading being principally of a local character.

While we do not see any definite trend to the market at the moment, we cannot but believe that the nearby positions will continue to gradually increase their present premiums above the distants until the trade completes filling their forward commitment's against which long hedges are being held by them in the near months.

We understand that some of the co-operative associations are gradually beginning to liquidate some of their holdings on this recent advance.

Canyon Man Denies Part in Killing

LUBBOCK, Texas, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Retracting previous alleged statements and handing them false, Perry "Jack" Wilson, 21, Canyon, is still being held here for questioning in connection with the slaying of Fred Conner, Tulia automobile man, on the Tulia-Plainview highway, July 16.

Wilson can account for his movements from the time that he was discharged from the army up until a few days before Conner's death, and from a few days after the slaying until the present time, but is apparently lost concerning what to tell officers about his loss of memory.

FAMED ACTOR DEAD.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Edwin Booth Tilton, 66, widely known

Bridwell and Heydrick Have Oil Well South Of Harmel District

Hole on Street Land Standing Partially Full Of Oil

SAND AT 1,281-86 FEET

Well Should Result in New Activity West Of Olney

Bridwell and Heydrick apparently have an oil well in their No. 1, Anna B. Street, in the northwest corner of the east half of the TE&LCO survey, block 2444, south of the Harmel pool in northwest Young County.

The well was reported standing partially full of oil Monday after bailing sand at 1,281-86 feet. It had every appearance of making a nice producer.

It is located some distance from production in any direction, and should result in other drilling nearby.

398 New Wells In Texas Since Jan. 1

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—During the first 15 days of January 398 producing oil wells have been brought in, establishing a record for a like period, the oil and gas division of the Texas railroad commission reported today.

PHILLIPS FIRM ASKS FOR CARBON BLACK PERMIT

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Application of the Phillips Petroleum company of Bartlesville, Okla., for permit to establish a carbon black plant near Amarillo to use the residue from casing head gasoline plants in Hutchinson and Carson counties, was heard today by the Texas railroad commission. The company seeks to construct a $750,000 plant 17 miles north of Amarillo. It proposes to burn a minimum of 50,000,000 cubic feet of residue a day, with the maximum not to exceed 50,000,000.

HUMBLE OIL CO. BUYS ACREAGE ALONG COAST

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Texas dispatches received in Wall Street say Humble Oil and Refining company has bought 1,500 acres at Ingleside on Corpus Christi bay and on the ship channel from Port Aransas to Corpus Christi. The company is surveying a pipe line from Noleda in Duval county where a new salt dome pool has been discovered to Ingleside. It is planned also, it is said, to build either a tank farm or a refinery.

COSDEN OIL CO. BRINGS IN GOOD WELL AT CROSS CUT

CISCO, Jan. 18.—The Cosden Oil company has brought in a well making 400 barrels, on the Prater tract in the Cross Cut field, according to reports reaching here. The sand was found below 1300 feet.

Dismisses 2 Held For Bank Robbery

BELTON, Texas, Jan. 18.—(AP) Charges against Cal Wilkierson and Slew Collier, in connection with the daylight robbery of the First National bank of Holland, July 15, last year, were dismissed on motion of District Attorney F. Brewster this morning. The case against Jess Sewell, under the same charge, was then called for trial but continued until Tuesday morning because Noah Roark, counsel for Sewell, would not arrive until tonight.

DEFENSE LAWYER CLAIMS 9 VOTED FOR ACQUITTAL

FORT WORTH, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Denial was made today by Marvin Simpson, counsel for defense in the trial of W. A. Martin, charged with robbery of the Krum bank last June, that the jury stood eight to four for conviction at the time it was discharged Saturday night, as unofficially reported by court attaches. He said the stand was nine to three for acquittal.

RAIN FILLS UP RESERVOIR AND GIVES CROPS A BOOST

CISCO, Jan. 18.—The rain of Saturday and Sunday in this ditsrict brought great benefit to the growing crops, also placed several inches more water in the city reservoir. Water is flowing over the spillway for the first time in several months.

SHE GROWS POTATO IN SMALL FRUIT JAR

LAWTON, Jan. 18.—Miss Bertha Pruett, deputy in the county clerk's office, is growing a sweet potato in a quart fruit jar, in the clerk's office. The potato was painted about a month ago and has been growing rapidly. It is close to a radiator.

Expectorating In Public Is Banned

The plebian art of expectorating in public, to put it bluntly—just spitting, is to come under the official ban of the municipality and if plans of the council carry through, it may cost promiscuous indulgers the sum of $25.

This thing of spitting on the walks and in the streets, a city official said Monday, is getting to be a nuisance. Accordingly, an ancient law has been resurrected which officially relegates public expectoration into the non-essential class. A fine of from $1 to $25 is provided for each violation and the police department is to get instructions to haul in any and every violator.

$100,000,000 INCREASE IN POWER STOCK PLANNED

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—A proposed increase of $100,000,000 in the authorized amount of preferred stock of the Northern States Power company of Delaware will be

News Of The Fields

Kellogg, Elsing and Campbell are reported to have found a pay oil well estimated at 50 barrels in their No. 4 on the Prideaux land, two locations west of the original Dalman well, and 2,600 feet west of the discovery producer. This is on the John Dorsey survey, abstract 121, Archer county. With the Kellogg et al No. 4, it gives a total of six producers in the pool. The new completion is said to have made several flows, being the first in the pool to flow.

Roy I. Carter spudded in the No. 1 well on the L. F. Wilson land, in the J. O. Reiley survey, in Archer county, Monday. The well is on the southeast of the west 50 acres and lies near the McCarty pool. The test is for the 900-foot sand.

John Abernathy has completed a dry hole in block 59, abstract 1658, AINCL, Archer county. He is moving the rig to another location in block 48 of the same survey and will drill again.

John Abernathy has plugged a well at 3,560 feet with cable tools on a 7,000-acre block located two miles east of Eldorado, Okla., where he has been drilling for over a year. The block had good geology and several of the big companies owned acreage.

John Abernathy has made a location 1 1-2 miles from production, in the Elgin, Okla., field, where a well was brought in several weeks ago. The first oil was found at 1,000 feet. Another well some distance from the discovery well, is said to have found a sand at 1,432 feet. A number of dry holes, also, are reported in the district. Abernathy says he plans to test out both of the shallow sands, also that he will go deeper, if necessary. He announces, also, that he is starting a rank wildcat mid-way between Lawton and Anadarko, near the town of Apache.

The Atlantic Oil Co. No. 2, on the Falls county land, lot 63, Archer county, is drilling below 1,176 feet and is looking for the sand.

The Commercial Petroleum Co., spudded in its wildcat on the Christian Kafer lease, two miles southwest of the Petrolia oil production, in Clay county, Monday. A rotary test 1,900 feet deep will be made, but it is hoped to pick up a producing sand at the regular 1,700-foot Petrolia depth. The company has 1,900 acres in the block.

The Conyers No. 1, located seven miles north of St. Jo, in Montague county, has spudded in and is down below 120 feet and will set 12 1-2 inch casing at 300 feet, to avoid a gas blowout. The Commercial Petroleum Co. is drilling this test on a block of 4,500 acres. A double-hole is being made with rotary tools.

J. P. McCoy, of Bryson, Jack county, was in Wichita Falls Monday just fresh from the new oil field which he says is opening up as result of the oil strike of the Buttram Petroleum Co. of Oklahoma City, on the J. Preston farm, abstract 1003. He has lived within six miles of the farm where the new well is located for the last forty years, he says. Not since the days of the famous Jacksboro massacre, has there been so much excitement in the town as at present, says McCoy. The farmers already are talking of "paying off" as result of the increase in value of their farms. According to McCoy, royalty is selling at $1,000 for 1-64th royalty on 80 acres and that leases are bringing from $10 to $50 an acre. One lease brought $100 per acre, close up, he says.

Jack county has had shallow oil. 12 miles north of Jacksboro, for at least 35 years. It is found at from 60 to 125 feet and the production is from a few quarts to a barrel a day. The first big well was the Roxanna drilled to a depth of 4,486 feet, over two years ago. It still is reported to be flowing. The Roxanna well is about five miles from the new Buttram well which found the sand below 2,000 feet. The Buttram well, according to McCoy, swabbed 75 barrel Saturday. It has not been drilled in.

Wichita Falls operators who are intersted in acreage in the Elgin, Okla. field, were watching a wildcat test located southeast of the town of Elgin, which is claimed to have been cemented several days ago after picking up a producing sand. The well is scheduled to be drilling in early Tuesday.

John Abernathy, who has been drilling oil wells—and also a lot of dusters—for several years in Texas and Oklahoma, claims the distinction of putting down one of the deepest tests in the Lone Star state, at Teague in Freestone county. This hole was 4,886 feet deep. Abernathy put down this well during the days of the Mexia oil boom. He started work in 1922 and was over a year on the job.

To old timers in Wichita Falls and across the river in Oklahoma, Abernathy was known as "Wolf Abernathy, the man who catches 'em alive with his bare hands."

Back in 1903, when President Theodore Roosevelt visited Wichita Falls and other Texas towns on his way to the "big pasture" in what now is Tillman county, Abernathy was guide for the wolf hunt and he entertained the president in the art of "catching 'em alive." His art made so big a hit with the president, that Abernathy was rewarded with appointment of United States marshal, after Oklahoma become a state. Abernathy won nation-wide fame as a wolf-catcher.

Bonnie Richard Cafe
1403-A Tenth Street

MOODY BITTER IN ATTACKING ROAD BUILDERS

Contracts are Such as "No Honest Man Would Offer," He Tells Court

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—State highway contracts, assailed by the state in its $421,000 suit against the Hoffman Construction company, are such as no honest man would offer or honest man accept, Attorney General Dan Moody today told 24 men empaneled for jury service.

Examination of prospective jurors started after Judge George Calhoun had ruled against the state in holding the defendants were entitled to separate trial on their pleas of privilege. They contend the case should be transferred to Eastland county, where the company has its main office and where three of the four individual defendants live.

Allege Excess Profit.

"The state alleges the contracts were obtained through long friendship of Joe Burkett, former highway commissioner, with Ray Stearns, a director of the company, who had helped Burkett get his job," Moody said. "The state further alleges profit of $633,000 was made on expenditures of $379,000; and that all the work was performed by sub-contractors, who also made substantial profits. Suit of the state is based on allegation of fraud."

Twenty-nine men composed the panel sworn in early today; but five negroes were dismissed by agreement. In a two hour examination by Moody, J. F. Davis was excused because he said he had formed an opinion that would influence his verdict. Moody challenged for cause Andy Wolf, who said he has a sister working in the highway department, and that his verdict "might be influenced by an opinion he would carry into the jury box." The judge did not act on the challenge.

Since each side has six peremptory challenges, it is expected more jurymen will be impaneled Tuesday. Indications are the trial will consume several days, with no certainty the case will go to trial immediately on its merits, should pleas of privileges be over-ruled by the jury.

Asks About Ferguson Forum.

The Ferguson Forum, published by James E. Ferguson, former governor, husband and chief adviser of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, who has consistently defended contracts let by the first highway commission appointed by his wife, lingered in Moody's examination. All who read the Forum were asked to raise their hands. One man responded.

"Do you subscribe for it, or does he send it to you free?" Moody asked. The man said a fellow worker received the weekly paper.

BOILER FOR STEAM HEAT IS RESENTED TO COLLEGE

CISCO, Jan. 18.—The West Texas Utilities commission has presented the Randolph college with a tubular boiler, which will be used for heating the building. The school was piped for steam heat but the boiler rusted out. All that is needed now is to connect the boiler.

BAPTIST SEMINARY IS WINNER IN RAIL SUIT

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The Southwestern Baptist Theological seminary, near Fort Worth, will recover $962.90 from the G. C. and S. F. railroad as a result of a decision of the Texas railroad commission today. Reparation was awarded for overcharge on 38 cars of fuel oil, gas oil and distillates shipped from Fort Worth to Seminary Hill.

Don't Neglect That Stubborn Hacking Cough

It is not only dangerous but entirely unnecessary to let a persistent, hacking cough rob you of sleep and strength. For through a very simple treatment you can get almost instant relief, and very often break the most stubborn cough completely in 24 hours.

This treatment is based on the famous prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs. You simply take one teaspoonful at bed-time and hold it in your throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing it. The prescription has a double action. It not only soothes and heals soreness and irritation, but it quickly removes the phlegm and congestion which are the *real cause* of night coughing. So the coughing quickly ceases and you sleep right through undisturbed.

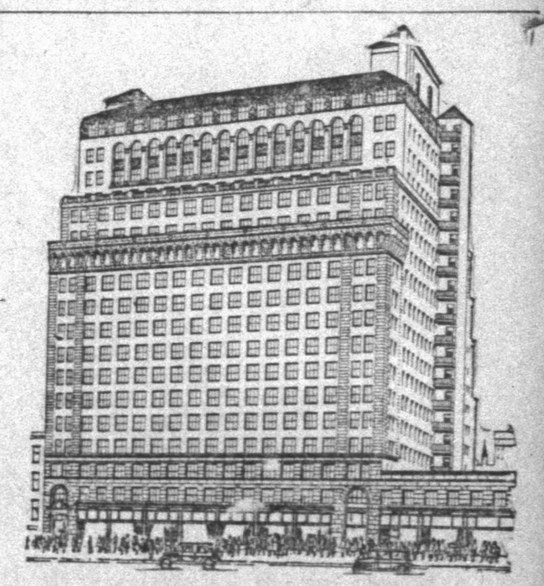
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IS NAMED SPECIAL JUDGE

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—G. B. Cunningham of Big Spring was appointed special judge today by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson to preside at the case of Roy Wilcox vs. Roy Irich, in Howard county. County Judge H. R. Debenport disqualified himself.



J. C. PENNEY CO.'S NEW BUILDING IN NEW YORK A MODERN STRUCTURE

A handsome structural testimonial to the many-sided efficacy of the chain store system of buying and selling was realized when on January second, the J. C. Penney Company moved its home offices and warehouses under the one roof of its new $3,750,000 building at 330 West 34th Street, New York.

The onward course of this chain has been minutely observed because of the fact that it is organized on a basis that is unique in the annals of mercantile pursuit. In occupying its new, modern, 18-story building in the heart of New York, it reaches an event in its history of signal and lasting importance.

The remarkable growth of the organization particularly during the last five years, has demanded larger, better and more centralized offices and warehouse. This new building fulfills those requirements.

It is fireproof throughout and equipped with the latest facilities for handling the enormous quantities of goods which will be distributed from the building to the 676 stores of the institution.

SAFETY SERVICE
REAL ESTATE LOANS
And investment shares may be obtained at any time from this strong financial institution, the largest in West Texas. Assets exceeding

TEXAS CONVICT ASKS U.S.COURT TO RELEASE HIM

Cites Law to Show Judge's Instructions to Jury Were Illegal

HOUSTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Attacking both the Texas indeterminate sentence law and the right of a trial judge in a district cour to instruct a jury to assess punishment on a prisoner before the court who has peladed guilty to indictments pending against him, H. B. Hudges, convict on the Fergusoa state farm in Madison county, has filed application for a writ of habeas corpus in federal court in Houston.

Federal Judge Hutcheson has issued an order for the prison commissioners of Texas to appear before him in Galveston on Monday, February 6, to show cause why the writ should not be granted.

Hodges filed the suit by mail, together with a letter to Judge Hutcheson. The petition covers 25 typewritten pages, and is replete with citations from previous law cases upholding the convict's contention that a jury had no right to assess punishments against him when he had had no trial.

Hodges attaches copies of the charges against him, on which he is now in the Texas penitentiary. He pleaded guilty to four indictments in McLennan county, and two in Collin county charging burglary from small country railway stations.

He says that in each instance the court "without warrant or authority" instructed the jury to assess the number of years he must serve in the penitentiary.

LOVE ME, LOVE MY DOGS, SHE TELLS SHIP CAPTAIN

PARIS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Because the United States lines would not accord her eight dogs deluxe cabin accommodations Mlle. Raquel Mallor, the Spanish vaudeville and moving picture star, declined to sail on the Leviathian tomorrow despite Captain Hartley's assurance that her pets would be cared for in the dogs' quarters, just as well as Rudolph Valentino would be looked after in the quarters above decks.

Valentino will be accompanied by his brother, Guglielmo, and his brother's family.

DALLAS POLICE ARRESTS 35 SUSPECTS FOR ROBBERIES

DALLAS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Thirty-five suspects, one of whom has already been identified in connection with holdups and robberies in Dallas, were taken by police in raids last night and early today.

Film Company In California Saves Town From Blaze



RIN-TIN-TIN
In "The Clash of the Wolves." A Warner Picture

Fire which threatened to wipe out the entire town of Victorville, Calif., was checked and finally extinguished through the efforts of the Rin-Tin-Tin comopanny on location for the Warner Bros. production of "The Clash of the Wolves," which will open at the Mission today for a run.

The fire was traced to an overheated iron in a tailoring shop next to the hotel where the troupe of about 50 which included Director Noel Smith, the stars, Rin-Tin-Tin, June Marlowe and Charles Farrell, and technical men and cowpunchers, were staying. The company was just finishing the evening meal in the hotel dining room when they were disturbed by the barking of "Rinty," who had been locked in his master's, Lee Duncan's room, next to the tailoring shop until after supper.

As the barking became more and more furious, Mr. Duncan investigated and found some smoke creeping in through the open window. Looking out, he beheld the roof of the one-storoy tailoring shop next door a mass of flames and the side of the hotel beginning to burn. He gave the alarm at once.

AVERT VOTE ON WORLD COURT

Senator's Filibuster Comes In Nick of Time to Prel vent Ballot

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP) For just about a split second today it appeared that the senate would vote on the world court.

Friends of the court intervened, however, long enough to allow the opposition to catch its breath and throw Senator Blease, democrat, South Carolina into the breach for a third time within a week.

After debate had proceeded for nearly three hours, and with none of the opponents apparently prepared to continue it there were cries of "vote," "vote," and "put the question" coming from both sides of the chamber. The spectators who crowded the galleries leaned forward in expectation of action.

Vice President Dawes was in the act of ordering a roll call when Senator Lenroot, republican, Wisconsin, demanded the reading of the court statute which technically is not before the senate. Meanwhile, Senator Blease had entered the chamber and launched into what he himself denominated as a filibuster.

MAXON, SHOT, WILL RECOVER

Father of Wichita Falls Man Is Attacked At Galveston

GALVESTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—W. E. Maxson, 65 years old, assistant general manager of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe railway, is expected to recover from a bullet wound inflicted today by Walter F. Briscoe, former conductor. Physicians declared tonight that the bullet missed the vital spots as it ranged through the chest and down below the left shoulder blade. Briscoe shot the railway official, turned the gun on himself and ended his life.

Briscoe had called on Mr. Maxson in the general offices of the Santa Fe shortly after noon today to ask for re-instatement to his former position as passenger conductor. He had been discharged by the company about three months ago.

W. E. Maxon, Jr., oil operator of this city, left Monday afternoon for Galveston to be at the bedside of his father. A telegram received here last night by Mrs. Maxson stated that the wounds of the elder man would not prove as serious as was at first thought and that he was already believed to be out of danger.

Offset Poison By Use of Hypnotism, Claim Scientists

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 18.—(AP)—By means of hypnotic suggestion, which made subjects believe that poisons administered to them were nothing but water, Dr. Henry Marcus and Dr. Ernst Sahlgren, Stockholm scientists, have been able to offset to a marked degree the effects of the poisons on the human system. This was done in a series of experiments at the Karolinska medical institute to determine the effect of hypotism on organic diseases.

The scientists put three subjects into hynotic sleep and then administered drugs, carefully recording the effects on blood pressure and pulse both with and without "suggestion."

When a drug which acts to increase blood pressure was administered without "suggestion" the blood pressure readings range between 100 and 130 and pulse reading from 54 to 100. With "suggestion," the blood pressures were from 107 to 116 and pulse readings all were lss sthan 67.

NEBRASKA'S OLDEST RESIDENT IS DEAD AT 133

ALBION, Neb., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Mrs. Rose Garvey, 133, Nebraska's undisputed oldest inhabitant, died at her farm home near here Sunday morning.

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Messiah To Make Appearance In Modern Sodom Sometime in 1926, Say Rumors Around Hollywood

Predictions That Occult Disciples Would Give up Their Views go Wide of Mark as a New Belief Runs Rampant in California

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LOS ANGELES, Jan. 18.—Californians who predicted the end of the occult predictions following the failure just a year ago of Mrs. Margaret W. Rowen's forecast of doomsday, which led hundreds of her adventist followers to give up their earthly belongings and prepare for the end of the world have found their own guess as wide of the mark as Mrs. Rowen's.

The golden state, and particularly that section of it centering around Hollywood, is being swept today by predictions of the coming of a Messiah who is expected to make his appearance in Hollywood during the current year. The Messiah, according to members of the Theosophist Order of the Star in the East, already is hovering over the corporal figure of J. Krishnamurti, 28 year old Hindu lecturer and editor, and will take possession of the young philosopher's body as he addresses a vast gathering of the faithful in the environs of Hollywood.

A Mountain Home.

Krishnamurti, editor of "At the Feet of the Master," which is regarded as an inspired book by a large section of Theosophists, has a mountain home at Ojai, near Santa Barbara, Cal., and —possessed by the spirit of Christ or not—he is expected to be among California tourists this year.

As Hollywood is national headquarters of the Order of the Star in the East as it is the center of many beliefs strange and weird to the average citizen, it is believed that Krishnamurti will find his largest audience here. And it is when he appears before a vast audience, his followers say that the spirit of Christ will enter into his body.

"There is no doubt in our minds that Krishnamurti is to be the mouthpiece of the great world teacher, the physical body in which the spirit of Christ will manifest itself," the writer has been told by a prominent member of the order here. The informant, however, characterized the report of a few days ago that Christ's spirit already was taking possession of the body of Krishnamurti, as "truth, but distorted truth." The real event has been saved for California. "We believe that the spirit of Christ is hovering over the body of Krishnamurti," this person stated, "and possibly has partly taken possession for brief moments. But Krishna's human body probably could not stand the full force of sudden possession by the great spirit. We are not disappointed that the momentous announcement did not come during the holiday season when many expected it for we have not been led to expect the great event to take place at any certain time.

To Make Address.

"He will address a vast throng and we believe that while he is making his address in California, his body will be 'Christed' or possessed fully with the Christ spirit.

"Then it can be announced that the spirit of the great teacher is again on earth in human form, to deliver the world from its troubles."

"What Must I Do To Be Saved?" Packard Asks At Christian Revival

"What Must I Do To Be Saved?" was the subject on which Dr. Paul Henry Packard, evangelist at the Highland Heights Christian church, spoke last night in the beginning of the third week of the Packard revival which shows continued enthusiasm and large attendance.

"The question of the Phillipian idlers was a big word. God has always made the road to safety clean. So much so, that all men can see it if they want to see it, Dr. Packard told the audience.

A Continual Cry

"That question is a continual cry, for a living God—what must I do to receive the Lord Jesus Christ? Some men have an idea that religion is something sentimental or emotional. But religion demands action on man's part, or what you do implies a part for you to do, thus it is not emotion that saves, but obedience to the revealed will of Christ. The answer to our great question is by doing the things the Lord tells us to do.

All To Do Something

"Every man that was healed by Jesus when he was on earth was told to do something—he did what he was told to do, the healing followed. The armies of Israel took Jerico by doing the things the Lord asked them to do. Naman, the leper, was healed because he did the things the Master asked him to do. A man is not a married man because he feels like one, but because he has complied with the statutory provision that makes him a married man. Likewise a wise man is not a Christian because he feels like one, but because he has done the one thing that makes a man a Christian.

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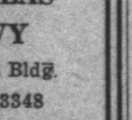
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BUSY DAYS FOR H.S. GRADUATES

Round of Activities Started Here; Morning Breakfast At Lake Today

Commencement week for the seniors of the mid-winter class of the Wichita Falls high school has started with a round of activities and a series of busy hours are outlined from now until the closing minute of graduation Friday night at the Junior college.

The thirty-eight members of the senior class go for a sunrise breakfast Tuesday morning, leaving at 6 o'clock for Lake Wichita.

Weiner Roast

On Wednesday evening the spring seniors are entertaining the mid-year graduates with a weiner roast at Pecan Grove, near Iowa Park.

Class night exercises which were announced for Thursday night at Junior college have been changed, and instead of a regular party, a farewell party for the seniors will be held at the home of Miss Frances Clay, sponsor of the class, at her home, 1308 Monroe.

Theatre Party

For Thursday afternoon the class will be entertained with a theatre party at the Majestic when all the boxes of the house, decorated in class colors will be reserved for the seniors.

The regular commencement exercises will be held Friday evening at Junior college, with the commencement address by Judge J. S. Dickey. The diplomas will be presented by Judge W. B. Chauncey, president of the board. From the college building the students will go to the Wichita club for a banquet, and the evening will close with a dance at the club.

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