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PRESIDENT DELIVERS MESSAGE

CAR STOLEN HERE USED IN ROBBERY AT FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH, April 12.—Police today found an abandoned automobile which may furnish a clue to the identity of the daylight bandits who robbed P. H. Feeney, cashier of the Texas and Pacific railroad of $4,000 on Main street Monday. The machine, which was standing directly in front of the spot where Feeney was held up and a fusillade of shots fired at the guard with him, disappeared simultaneously with the bandits. It was found this morning. The machine had been stolen the night before the holdup from Dr. J. M. Massie of Wichita Falls.

Dr. J. H. Massie's car was stolen at Fort Worth last Sunday night, while it was being used by his partner in that city, the doctor said Tuesday after being told of the above dispatch. The car was a seven-passenger Cadillac, and was taken from somewhere in Fort Worth's residence section.

JACOBE HELD WITHOUT BOND IN CONNECTION WITH ROBBERY

FORT WORTH, TEXAS, April 12.—Sam Jacobs was held without bond today in connection with the robbery in daylight on Main street yesterday of Patrick H. Feeney, cashier at the Texas & Pacific station, and a guard, bandits escaping with about $4,000 Feeney was carrying to a bank in a satchel.

Jacobs was arrested at a local hotel. Charges of robbery with fire arms were filed. Following his preliminary attempts to obtain his release on habeas corpus were unsuccessful. Two other men are sought.

Sam Jacobs, who is held by the Fort Worth police in connection with the robbery of $4,000 from a Texas & Pacific railway cashier in that city last Sunday, was in Wichita Falls Friday night, according to information obtained from local police Tuesday. He is well known to officials here, and is said to have been arrested, under an assumed name, on vagrancy charges.

Chief of Police Huff stated Tuesday that he was confident Jacobs was married to a local woman, who is now in the city, but no proof of this could be established, the woman, in fact, having denied any knowledge of Jacobs when questioned Tuesday afternoon.

The police are positive, however, in their declarations that Jacobs has been seen with her frequently and that he is a regular visitor to Wichita Falls. He is alleged to have been one of the party which figured in an automobile accident on Tenth street one night last week in which a woman was slightly injured.

COLOMBIA TREATY BEFORE THE SENATE; EIGHT DAYS DEBATE

SOON TO SEE TERMINATION OF FIGHT LASTING FOR FOUR YEARS.

PROPOSES PAYMENT OF TWENTY-FIVE MILLION

Supporters And Opponents Of Pact Jump Into Affray Early In The Consideration.

By L. C. MARTIN
United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Four years of senatorial debate, off and on, over the proposal to pay the republic of Colombia $25,000,000 in settlement of the dispute over the Panama Canal question today drew near its end. The senate took up the proposed treaty with Colombia, under an agreement to vote after eight days debate.

Supporters and opponents of the pact jumped into the fray today right at the start. Senator Lodge, chairman of the foreign relations committee, opened the discussion with a speech favoring ratification. Lodge's speech was largely an explanation of his change of position. Four years ago he signed a report in which the treaty was called "international blackmail."

Senator Kellogg, Minnesota, followed with a speech opposing ratification and took the position that the same reasons exist today as existed in Theodore Roosevelt's time for not acceding to Colombia's demand for payment.

Senators Pomerene, Ohio, and Knox, Pennsylvania, also are to speak on the treaty though it was considered doubtful whether either would get the floor today.

The treaty in its present form proposes to pay to Colombia in annual installments of $7,000,000 a total of $25,000,000 in settlement of all claims growing out of the dispute which arose when the now republic of Panama seceded from Colombia. The United States paid Panama $10,000,000 for the site of the canal. Previously negotiations had been going on for the purchase of this land from Colombia. The Colombian government wanted more money. When Panama seceded, the United States bought from it. Colombia blames the United States for Panama's secession and has been demanding money and an apology. The money senators were willing to give but republicans always fought the apology on the ground it was a slight on the late Theodore Roosevelt, during whose term as president the affair occurred.

UNITED STATES WINS DIPLOMATIC VICTORY

No American Property In Mexico Will Be Disturbed In Expropriating Land.

By A. L. BRADFORD
United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The United States has won an important diplomatic victory with the Obregon government of Mexico, according to state department advices today.

It was learned today that the department had protested to the Mexican government against steps to ex-propriate valuable American farming land in that country for division among Mexican peasants.

Secretary of State Hughes has been advised by American Charge D'Affaires Summerlin in Mexico City that Obregon had given assurances that no American or other foreign property will be disturbed in this proposed ex-propriation of land.

NATION-WIDE SEARCH FOR WILLIAMS BOYS

Three Sons Of Man Convicted In Georgia Indicted, But Cannot Be Found.

MONTICELLO, GA., April 12.—A nation wide search was instituted today for Huland, Marvin and Leroy Williams, sons of John S. Williams, proprietor of the Jasper county "death farm," following their indictment by the Jasper county grand jury in connection with the wholesale slaying of negroes on and near their father's plantation.

Governor Dorsey will be asked to offer a reward for their arrest, Solicitor General Campbell announced.

The three have been missing since the arrest of their father. They did not attend Williams' trial at Covington last week where he was convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment.

A total of 12 murder indictments was returned by the grand jury yesterday. Williams and Clyde Manning, negro "boss," whose confession resulted in the former's conviction, were jointly indicted for the death of eight negroes.

Huland Williams was indicted for the death of a negro known as "Blackstrap" in the fall of 1920.

Joint indictments were returned against Leroy and Marvin Williams, charging them with the murder of a negro named "Iron Jaw" in the summer of 1920. Marvin Williams also was indicted for the murder of John Singleton in April, 1918. This brings the total number of murders on and near Williams' place revealed to date to thirteen.

The grand jury today started investigation into alleged murders by other individuals.

CONGRESSMAN PARRISH MAKES EFFORT TO PRESERVE RIGHTS OF PERSONS IN DISPUTED DISTRICT

Special to The Times.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—An effort to preserve the rights of persons who heretofore held title to land in the disputed zone along the Red river and which the United States supreme court in its decision places under the jurisdiction of Oklahoma, is to be made by Representative Parrish. He has prepared a bill to be introduced today which will give such title holders preferential rights in filing under the federal oil leasing bill. This bill if passed by congress would be effective and afford the desired relief in the event the land in dispute, from the center of the stream to south bank, is declared under the decree to be federal government land. Should the decree, however, give this land to the state of Oklahoma, the only relief possible to present owners will be from the Oklahoma legislature. Representative Parrish points out that the exact status of this land cannot be definitely determined until the accepted form of decree is filed.

DATES FOR STATE REUNION OF CONFEDERATES CHANGED

WACO, TEXAS, April 12.—The state reunion of the United Confederate Veterans which had been scheduled for October 6 and 7 at Temple, will meet in that city September 15 and 16, according to a letter received by Adjutant J. Bradford Hancock of this city, from Commander E. W. Kirkpatrick of McKinney.

DISCUSS MARTIAL LAW FOR GREECE

ATHENS, April 12.—Establishment of martial law in Greece was discussed in the chamber of deputies here today.

Loma Conn Is Not Guilty; Verdict Cheered by Crowd

Loma Conn is not guilty.

At 2:55 o'clock Tuesday afternoon the jury which restired at 1:30 to consider their verdict, knocked at the jury door and they were ushered into the court room.

The verdict was handed to District Clerk A. F. Kerr, who read: "We the jury find the defendant Loma Conn not guilty as charged in the indictment."

The stillness that had prevailed from the time that the knock at the door was heard until the verdict was read was abruptly broken by loud cheering that broke forth. Judge Martin wrapped for order, but the order was momentarily disobeyed.

The judge ordered the court bailiff to arrest any person in the crowded court who disobeyed his instructions and bring them before him for contempt.

Defendant Thanks Jurors.

As soon as the verdict had been read the defendant kissed her sister, who had sat with her from early morning, and walked to the jury box and thanked each of the twelve men individually and grasped their hand. The sister and father followed in turn.

The crowd that had been in attendance since Monday morning surged back into the court room Tuesday afternoon as early as 12:15 and waited patiently for the knock at the jury room door. Fully two-thirds of the audience were women who had clamored for seats at the beginning of each session of the court.

History of the Case.

Loma Conn, the defendant, fired the shot that sent William Penrod, her former sweetheart, to his death on the night of January 17, 1921 in the Park theatre at Iowa Park.

She was arrested the same evening by officers at Iowa Park and brought to the county jail in this city. The following morning, January 18, the grand jury, then in session, returned a true bill charging her with murder. She was released under a bond of $5,000.

The defense sprung a surprise when it pleaded self defense throughout the trial. The nature of the defense in the matter had been adjudged entirely different by all court house attaches.

The trial was begun Monday morning and by noon the jury of twelve men had been chosen from the regular jury panel for the week.

Submission of testimony was begun at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon when Mrs. M. Penrod, mother of the deceased, was called to the stand as the first witness for the state. All the testimony was before the jury at 4:35 o'clock Monday evening.

Testimony in the case had been completed late Monday, and on Tuesday morning the jury heard Judge Martin's charge, and arguments by Assistant District Attorney Sam Holliday for the state, C. O. Taylor and R. E. Taylor for the defense and the district attorney.

A crowd that packed the court room heard the arguments of counsel Tuesday morning.

Arguments Presented.

The defendant walked into the crowded court room at a few minutes before nine o'clock Tuesday morning and took a seat near her counsel. The court called for the jury. The charge was read and the arguments of counsel began.

Judge Martin allowed one hour and fifteen minutes to the side for arguments. Sam Holliday, the assistant district attorney, opened the case and was followed by C. O. Taylor and R. E. Taylor, counsel for the defendant. District Attorney Fletcher S. Jones closed

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JAPANESE PLAN TO SEND A DELEGATE TO UNITED STATES

WOULD ACT IN CAPACITY SIMILAR TO THAT OF FORMER PREMIER VIVIANI.

TIME HAS ARRIVED TO REACH AN AGREEMENT

Action Is Result Of Recent Note Of Secretary Hughes With Reference To Mandates.

By Associated Press.

TOKIO, April 11.—Plans for sending to Washington a distinguished Japanese who would take up the entire range of the so-called Pacific problems, including mandates, California, China, Siberia, immigration and armaments, are understood to be in the process of formulation by the Japanese government.

Official announcement of the intention of this country to send such a delegate, who would act in a capacity similar to that of former Premier Viviani of France, who is at present in the United States, has as yet not been made, but it is said the subject is receiving serious attention.

The note from Charles E. Hughes, American secretary of state, to the allies, declaring that America does not abandon her rights in the peace settlement, especially concerning German overseas possessions, not only created a profound impression in Japan, but has served, in addition, to crystallize the conviction that the time has arrived to bring about a solution of all problems involving Japan and America before the relations of these countries reach a critical stage.

Authorities at the Japanese foreign office confine themselves to a statement to the Associated Press that the Hughes note is "so important that it is receiving the most serious consideration from the Japanese government, which is anxious to do everything possible to establish friendly co-operation with the new administration in Washington."

Requires Heroic Treatment.

It is learned from other influential sources that the opinion prevails among prominent Japanese, especially those familiar with the United States, that the general situation has gone so far that it requires heroic treatment to prevent the two nations from further drifting apart. There is there, an inclination to permit the problem involved in the disposition of the island of Yap to sink into comparative unimportance before a discussion of all the questions centering about the Pacific regarding which Japan and America have serious differences.

The plan to send a representative of the Japanese government to Washington is not unconnected with the international situation in this country.

It is understood an influential group is insisting that Japan's foreign policies be remodeled with the particular view to securing a settlement of Pacific problems and a general understanding, permanent in nature, with America. The basis of this understanding would be friendly co-operation.

Attainment of this program may involve a change in the Japanese ministry. Major General Giluchi Tanaka, minister of war, has already placed his resignation in the hands of Premier Hara.

Situation Is Complicated.

It is apparent the political situation in Japan is complicated by differences over purely internal questions, including the one relative to the betrothal of the crown prince, which came to light recently, and which seems not to have been settled in some important aspects. Everything here, however, tends to show that the highest circles of the empire are concentrating their attention to relations with America, which Japanese high officials openly declare "must be improved."

Leading newspapers, in their comment on the Hughes note, declare it is liable to place Japan in an embarrassing position, as the allies may find difficulty in supporting Japan's claims in the face of insistence upon American demands from Washington.

The Yomi-Uri Shimbun of this city, which is many times inspired in commenting on international questions, emphasizes the delicate nature of the problems discussed by the Hughes note. It expresses the opinion that the question of mandates is "certain to cause an increase of excitement, both in Japan and in America, until it becomes a matter of more intense interest than either the California or Shantung problems."

"It may," the newspaper continues, "force America and Japan to take blind action."

Suggest Two Remedies.

"There are two ways of preventing a possible collision," the article goes on. "First, to minimize the Yap problem as a technical matter regarding communications, and settle it by mutual concessions; second, to magnify it so that it will represent the Pacific problems of Japan and America in their entirety, and attempt to secure at once the solution of them all."

The Teikoku news agency quotes Admiral Sakamoto, a member of the house of peers, as saying that recent statements by Minister of Marine Kato, in which he said he would not insist upon the carrying out of the present Japanese naval program, came at a highly opportune time, "when the world regards Japan with suspicion."

"It may be feared," Admiral Sakamoto is said to have declared, "that the declaration, which was in the nature of a pledge to the powers, may restrict Japan's freedom of action in case America should propose curtailment of armaments."

SWIFT AND ARMOUR PLAN TO DISPOSE OF INTERESTS APPROVED

WASHINGTON, April 12.—A new plan under which Swift and company and Armour and company are to divest themselves of their interests in stock yards and stock yard terminal railroads was agreed to today by the department of justice, and immediately approved by Justice Stafford of the District of Columbia supreme court.

Under the plan the companies must deliver their stock in the yards and terminals to the Illinois Trust and Savings bank at Chicago within thirty days for administration by two trustees, Henry W. Anderson of Richmond, Va., and George Sutherland of Salt Lake City, Utah, until sold, which must be within a year.

"The legal principle, of course, was up to the department of justice," Justice Stafford said after he had signed the plan, "and when the department had approved the plan it was only incumbent upon me to see that the law was not violated by any of the particulars. I was glad to find that such was not the case, and therefore approved the plan."

Salaries of $10,000.

The trustees are to receive salaries of $10,000 a year each and will have power to interfere in the management of any stock yard or railroad if in the opinion of both either the Sherman act or the terms of the decree are being violated.

The plan sets forth that the defendants are to proceed to sell their stock with due diligence, with reports of all sales submitted to the court for its approval. These reports must contain the price and the name of the proposed purchaser and must be accompanied by affidavits that the proposed purchasers are in no way connected with the defendants.

In the event that any of the stock remains unsold at the end of the year, the defendants may obtain an extension of time upon a showing made to the court of diligence in their efforts to dispose of the stock at a fair and reasonable price.

Properties, stock in which are to be sold by the two companies, include Fort Worth Stockyards company, St. Louis National Stockyards and Fort Worth Belt Railway company.

TARIFF PROGRAM OF THE NEW CONGRESS IS WELL UNDER WAY

EMERGENCY BILL REPORTED AND WILL PASS HOUSE ON WEDNESDAY.

FARMERS ARE HAVING THE FIRST CONSIDERATION

Suggested Sales Tax Will Provoke Much Opposition From Farmers And Labor.

BY CLARENCE DUBOSE.
United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The farmers first" tariff program of the new congress got well under way today.

The emergency tariff bill protecting wheat, wool, meat and other agricultural products from foreign competition was reported from committee. It will pass the house Wednesday, Chairman Fordney of the ways and means committee, predicted. Republican Floor Leader Mondell named Thursday as the time limit.

Farmers, first to get what they want at this session, will soon be demanding defeat of other proposals with as much vigor as they sought tariff protection, it was believed here.

The suggested sales tax to be considered soon by the senate finance committee will provoke much opposition from farmers and labor interests, according to indications reaching congressmen.

With the emergency tariff disposed of in the house, the ways and means committee will pound out the regular tariff bill, which Chairman Fordney says may be ready in a month.

Meanwhile the senate finance committee will begin hearings on the sales tax and follow that by income and revenue tax revision hearings.

Senator Penrose, chairman of the finance committee, said that senate opposition to the emergency bill is not strong enough, probably, to make necessary a cloture rule to get it through. If necessary, however, that will be done. Penrose made it plain that the bill is going through.

As to the sales tax Penrose still has an "open mind" and said his position will be determined by the arguments and evidence yet to be presented to the committee.

It has been definitely settled, Penrose said, that tax revision must eliminate the profits taxes and reduce income taxes. These things are economically essential to the safety of the country, he declared.

Physicians Declare Only Ailment Beer Will Cure Is Thirst

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The only "ailment" that real beer will cure is "thirst" prominent physicians today advised Congressman A. J. Volstead, father of the famous dry regulation act bearing his name.

Manufacture of real beer as contemplated under the ruling of former Attorney General Palmer, is unnecessary, the physicians wrote Volstead.

MINERS REFUSE TO ACCEPT OFFER MADE BY PRIME MINISTER

LONDON, April 12.—The representatives of the striking miners wrote to the government this evening refusing to accept the proposals that had been made by Mr. Lloyd George, the prime minister, for the settlement of their dispute with the owners.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, April 12.—The railway men and the transport workers, members, with the miners, of the triple alliance, will continue to work, notwithstanding the strike order which had been issued for tonight. They were instructed this evening by their organizations to keep on with their labors, pending further instructions.

HELD AS A RESULT OF FATAL SHOOTING AT BRECKENRIDGE

BRECKENRIDGE, TEXAS, April 12.—D. J. Dolly is under arrest here today as a result of the fatal shooting last night of W. E. Best, brother-in-law of Jolly. Best and his wife had been having some trouble, police said, and the 18-year-old bride went to her brother's home. Best demanded her return and the shooting occurred at the Best home soon after.

REQUESTS CONGRESS TO DECLARE PEACE WITH GERMANY AT ONCE; AGAINST A LEAGUE OF NATIONS

HARDING HIGH LIGHTS.

By United Press.

Perishable foods cost too much. Congress should investigate.
Pass emergency tariff at once. Full revision later.
Pass immediate peace with Germany resolution.
Against league of nations.
Bring the cost of maintaining the government inside present revenue immediately.
Congress advised to investigate the railroad situation.
Federal aid to highways should be extended.
Soldier relief should be direct by a policy of generous gratitude.
Endorsed federal maternity bill and supported suggestion for creating department public welfare.
Prudence forbids rash disarmament bill.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Following a custom inaugurated by George Washington, abandoned by Thomas Jefferson and revived by Woodrow Wilson, President Harding delivered his first message to congress today in person. The two houses assembled in joint session in the house chamber to hear the executive outline his views with regard to many domestic and foreign problems pressing for solution.

By RAYMOND CLAPPER
United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Congress should adopt a resolution declaring peace with Germany without further delay, President Harding recommended in his first message to congress today. Such action, he said, could in no sense be construed as a desertion of the allies.

He made plain his belief that the league of nations is dead. Measures to lower taxes and lower retail prices were the outstanding features of his recommendation for dealing with domestic problems.

The peace resolution, Harding explained, should undertake to do more than declare a state of peace and must put no difficulty in the way of collection of repreparation of war torn Europe.

The message raised the question of a possible ratification of the Versailles treaty with the league covenant deleted. Harding did not state this explicitly but spoke for acceptance of the rights and interests provided under the existing treaty "assuming of course, that this can be satisfactorily accomplished by such explicit reservations and modifications as will secure our absolute freedom against inadvisable commitments and safeguard all our essential interests."

Turns Back on League.

Turning his back completely on the league of nations, the executive reaffirmed his allegiance to the ideal of a world association of nations.

But this problem must be deliberately considered, he added, and he promised to invite the advices of the senate when he feels it time to act.

"In the existing league of nations, world governing with its super-powers, this republic will have no part," he said. "There can be no misinterpretation and there will be no betrayal of the deliberate expression of the American people in the recent election."

"In rejecting the league covenant," he said, later in his address, "he make no surrender of our hope and aim for an association to promote peace in which we would most heartily join."

Turning to the question of immediate peace the president said that the United States alone of the allies and associated powers continues in a technical state of war.

Would Protect Rights.

"This anomalous condition ought not to be permitted to continue," he said. "To establish the state of technical peace without further delay, I should approve a declaratory resolution by congress, to that effect with the qualifications essential to protect all our rights."

President Harding argued against including in the resolution any declaration of future policy toward Europe. Such a declaration coming from congress would be an assumption of a function conferred on the executive.

President Harding laid emphasis upon domestic problems.

There is no more pressing problem, he said, than to restrict national expenses to national income and at the same time to lift the burdens of war taxation.

Economy is to be "the outstanding and ever impelling" purpose in both legislation and administration, he insisted.

Creation of a department of public welfare was declared for by Harding in accordance with a campaign pledge. He called for encouragement of the merchant marine, upbuilding of radio communications, co-operation with the state government in the maintenance as well as building of good roads, creation of a budget system, a protective tariff, encouragement of commercial as well as military aviation, an adequate navy, and steps to halt lynching.

REPUDIATION OF LEAGUE PROVOKES DEMONSTRATION

WASHINGTON, April 12.—President Harding's declaration in his first message to congress today that the United States would have no part in the present league of nations was received with a great demonstration.

Republican members of the senate and house, who, with members of the cabinet, crowded the house chamber to hear the president deliver his message in person, applauded vigorously. The demonstration quickly grew into cheering, the republican members standing. The galleries joined in the demonstration and it was several minutes before quiet was restored.

The democratic members, many with stolid faces and folded arms, did not join in the demonstration. Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, who led the long fight in the senate in favor of the league, smiled broadly, however.

The president's address contained about 6,500 words and 55 minutes was required for its reading.

Text of President's Message

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The text of President Harding's message to congress follows:

Members of the Congress:

You have been called into extraordinary session to give your consideration to national problems far too pressing to be long neglected.

We face our task of legislation and administration amid conditions as difficult as our government has ever contemplated.

Under our political system, the people of the United States have charged the new congress and the new administration with the solution—the readjustment, reconstruction and restoration which must follow in the wake of war.

It may be regretted that we were ill prepared for war's aftermath, so little made ready to return to the ways of peace, but we are not to be discouraged. Indeed, we must be the more firmly resolved to undertake our work with high hope, and invite every factor in our citizenship to join in the effort to find our normal, onward way again.

The American people have appraised the situation and with that tolerance and patience which go with understanding they will give to us the influence of deliberate public opinion which ultimately becomes the edict of any popular government. They are measuring some of the stern necessities and will join in the give-and-take which is so essential to firm re-establishment.

Domestic Problems.

First in mind must be the solution of our problems at home, even though some phases of them are inseparably linked with our foreign relations. The surest procedure in every government is to put its own house in order.

I know of no more pressing problem at home than to restrict our national expenditures within the limits of our national income, and at the same time measurably lift the burdens of war taxation from the shoulders of the American people.

One cannot be unmindful that economy is a much employed cry, most frequently stressed in pre-election appeals, but it is ours to make it an outstanding and ever impelling purpose in both legislation and administration. The unrestrained tendencies to heedless expenditures and the attending growth of public indebtedness, extending from federal authority to that of state and municipality and including the smallest political subdivision, constitute the most dangerous phase of government today.

The nation cannot except in its own activities, but it can be exemplar in a wholesome reversal.

Must Reduce Expenditures.

The staggering load of war debt must be cared for in orderly funding and gradual liquidation. We shall hasten the solution and aid effectively in lifting the tax burdens if we strike resolutely at expenditure. It is far more easily said than done. In the fever of war, our expenditures were so little questioned, the emergency was so impelling, appropriation was so unimpeded that we little noted millions and counted the treasury inexhaustible. It will strengthen our resolution if we ever keep in mind that a continuation of such a course means inevitable disaster. Our current expenditures are running at the rate of approximately five billions a year and the burden is unbearable. There are two agencies to be employed in correction: One is rigid resistance in appropriation and the other is the utmost economy in administration. Let us have both. I have already charged department heads with this necessity. I am sure congress will agree; and both congress and the administration may safely count on the support of all right minded citizens, because the burden is theirs. The pressure for expenditure, swelling the flow in one locality while draining another, is sure to defeat the impositions of just burdens and the effect of our citizenship protesting outlay will be wholesome and helpful.

Urges Economy and Thrift.

I wish it might find its reflex in economy and thrift among the people themselves, because therein lies quicker recovery and added security for the future.

The estimates of receipts and expenditure and the statement as to the condition of the treasury which the secretary of the treasury is prepared to present to you will indicate what revenue must be provided in order to carry out the government's business and meet its current requirements and fixed debt charges. Unless there are striking cuts in the important fields of expenditures, receipts from internal revenue taxes cannot safely be permitted to fall below $4,000,000,000 in the fiscal years 1922 and 1923. This would mean total internal tax collections of about one billion less than in 1920 and one-half billion less than in 1921.

The most substantial relief from the tax burden must come for the present from the readjustment of internal taxes, and the revision or repeal of those taxes which have become unproductive and are so artificial and burdensome as to defeat their own purpose.

A prompt and thorough-going revision of the internal tax laws, made with due regard to the protection of the revenues, is in my judgment a requisite to the revival of business activity in this country. It is earnestly hoped, therefore, that the congress will be able to enact without delay a

revision of the revenue laws and such emergency tariff measures as are necessary to protect American trade and industry.

Repeal Excess Profits Tax.

It is of less concern whether internal taxation or tariff revision shall come first than has been popularly imagined, because we must do both, but the practical course for earliest accomplishment will readily suggest itself to the congress. We are committed to the repeal of the excess profits tax and the abolition of inequities and unjustifiable exasperations in the present system.

The country does not expect and will not approve a shifting of burdens. It is more interested in wiping out the necessity for imposing them and eliminating confusion and cost in the collection.

The urgency for an instant tariff enactment, emergency in character and understood by our people that it is for the emergency only, cannot be too much emphasized.

I believe in the protection of American industry and it is our purpose to prosper America first. The privilege of the American market to the foreign producer are offered too cheaply today and the effect on much of our own productivity is the destruction of our self-reliance, which is the foundation of the independence and good fortune of our people. Moreover, imports should pay their fair share of our cost of government.

Foreign Commerce.

One who values American prosperity and maintains American standards of wages and living can have no sympathy with the proposal that easy entry and flood of imports will cheapen our costs of living. It is more likely to destroy our capacity to buy. Today American agriculture is menaced and its products are down to pre-war normals, yet we are endangering our fundamental industry through the high cost of transportation from farm to market and through the influx of foreign farm products, because we offer essentially unprotected the best market in the world. It would be better to err in protecting our basic food industry than paralyze our farm activities in the world struggle for restored exchanges. The maturer revision of our tariff laws should be based on the policy of protection, resisting that selfishness which turns to greed, but ever concerned with that productivity at home which is the source of all abiding good fortune. It is agreed that we cannot sell unless we buy, but ability to sell is based on home development and the fostering of home markets. There is little sentiment in the trade of the world. Trade can and ought to be honorable but it knows no sympathy. While the debating of the nations at war were debating peace terms at Paris and while we later debated our part in completing the peace, commercial agents of other nations were opening their lines and establishing their outposts with a forward look to the morrow's trade. It was wholly proper and has been advantageous to them. Tardy as we are it will be safer to hold our own markets secure and build thereon for our trade with the world.

Back to Business Basis.

A very important matter is the establishment of the government's business on a business basis. There was toleration of the easy going, unsystematic method of handling our fiscal affairs, when indirect taxation held the public unmindful of the federal burden. But there is contributing of the high cost of government today and the high cost of living is inseparably linked with high cost of government. There can be no complete correction of the high living cost until government's cost is notably reduced.

Urges Budget System.

Let me most heartily command the enactment of legislation providing for the national budget system. Congress has already recorded its belief in the budget. It will be a very great satisfaction to know of its early enactment, so that it may be employed in establishing the economics and business methods so essential to the minimum of expenditure.

I have said to the people, we meant to have less government in business as well as more business in government. It is well to have it understood that business has right to pursue its normal, legitimate and righteous way unimpeded and it ought have no call to meet government competition where all risk is borne by the public treasury.

There is no challenge to honest and lawful business success. But government approval of fortunate, untrammeled business does not mean toleration of restraint of trade or of maintained prices by unnatural methods. It is well to have legitimate business understand that a just government, mindful of the interests of all the people, has a right to expect the co-operation of that legitimate business in stamping out the practices which add to unrest and inspire restrictive legislation. Anxious as we are to restore the onward flow of business it is fair to combine assurance and warning in one utterance.

Deflation of Prices.

One condition in the business world today may well receive your inquiry. Deflation has been in progress but has failed to reach the mark of which it can be proclaimed to the great mass of consumers. Reduced cost of basic production has been recorded, but high cost of living has not yielded in like proportion. For example, the prices on grain and livestock have been deflated, but the cost of bread and meats is not adequately reflected therein. It is to be expected that non-perishable staples will be slow in yielding to lowered prices, but the maintained retail costs in perishable foods can not be justified.

I have asked the federal trade commission for a report of its observations and it attributes, in the main, the failure to adjust consumers cost to basic production costs to the exchange of information by "open price associations" which operates, evidently within the law, to the very great advantage of their members and equal disadvantage to the consuming public.

Without the spirit of hostility or haste in accusation of profiteering, some suitable inquiry by congress might speed the price re-adjustment to normal relationship, with helpfulness of both producer and consumer. A measuring rod of fair prices will satisfy the country and give us a business revival to end all depression and unemployment.

Transportation Problem.

The great interest of both the producer and consumer—indeed, all our industrial and commercial life, from agriculture to finance—in the problems of transportation cost into a helpful relationship rather than continue it as a hindrance to resume activities.

It is little to be wondered that all considered legislation, the war strain, government operation is heedlessness of cost and the conflicting programs, or the lack of them, for restoration have brought about a most difficult situation, made doubly difficult by the low tide of business. All are so intimately related that no improvement will be permanent until the railways are operated efficiently at a cost within that which the traffic can bear.

If we can have it understood that congress has no sanction for government ownership, that congress does not levy taxes upon the people to cover deficits in a service which should be self-sustaining, there will be an avowed foundation on which to rebuild.

Freight carrying charges have mounted higher and higher until commerce is halted and production discouraged.

Railway rates and costs of operation must be reduced.

Congress may well investigate and let the public understand wherein our system and the federal regulations are lacking in helpfulness or hindering in restrictions. The remaining obstacles which are the heritance of capitalistic exploitation must be removed and labor must join management in understanding that the public which pays is the public to be served and simple justice is the right and will continue to be the right of all the people.

Highway Improvement.

Transportation over the highways is little less important but the problems relate to construction and development and deserve your most earnest attention, because we are laying a foundation for a long time to come and the creation is very difficult to visualize in its great possibilities.

The highways are not only feeders to the railroads and afford relief from their local burdens, but they are actually lines of motor traffic in interstate commerce. They are the smaller arteries of the larger portion of our commerce and the motor car has become an indispensable instrument in our political, social and industrial life.

There is begun a new era in highway construction, the outlay for which runs far into hundreds of millions of dollars. Bond issues by road districts, counties and states mount to enormous figures, and the country is facing such an outlay that it is vital that every effort shall be directed against wasted effort and unjustifiable expenditure.

The federal government can place no inhibition on the expenditure in the several states; but since congress has embarked upon a policy of assisting the states, in highway improvement, wisely, I believe, it can assert a wholy becoming influence in shaping policy.

Wants Comprehensive Plan.

With the principle of federal participation acceptably established, probably never to be abandoned, it is important to exert federal influence in developing comprehensive plans looking to the promotion of commerce and apply our expenditures in the surest way to guarantee a public return for money expended.

Large federal outlay demands a federal voice in the program of expenditure. Congress can not justify a mere gift from the federal purse to the several states to be pro-rated among counties for road betterment. Such a course will invite abuses which it were better to guard against in the beginning.

The laws governing federal aid should be amended and strengthened. The federal agency of administration should be elevated to the importance and vested with authority comparable to the work before it. And congress ought to prescribe conditions to federal appropriations which will necessitate a consistent program of uniformity which will justify the federal outlay.

Millions Are Wasted.

I know of nothing more shocking than the millions of public funds wasted in improved highways, wasted because there is no policy of maintenance. The neglect is not universal but it is very near so. There is nothing the congress can do more effectively to end this shocking waste than condition all federal aid on provisions for maintenance.

Highways, no matter how generous the outlay for construction, cannot be maintained without patrol and constant repair. Such conditions insisted upon in the grant of federal aid will safeguard the public which pays and guards the federal government against political abuses, which tend to defeat the very purposes for which we authorize federal expenditure.

Linked with rail and highways is the problem of water transportation—inland, coastwise and trans-Atlantic. It is not possible on this occasion to suggest to congress the additional legislation needful to meet the aspirations of our people for a merchant marine. In the emergency of war we have constructed a tonnage of equalling our largest expectations. Its war cost must be discounted to the actual values of peace and the large difference charged to the war emergency and the pressing task is to turn our assets in tonnage to an agency of commerce.

Favors Merchant Marine.

It is not necessary to say it to congress, but I have thought this to be a befitting occasion to give notice that the United States means to establish and maintain a great merchant marine.

Our differences of opinion as to a policy of upbuilding have been removed by the outstanding fact that our having builded. If the intelligent and efficient administration under the existing laws makes established services impossible, the executive will promptly report to you. Manifestly if our laws governing American activities on the seas are such as to give advantage to those who compete with us for the carrying of our own cargoes and those which ought naturally to come in American bottoms through trade exchanges, then the spirit of American fair play will assert itself to give American carriers their equality of opportunity.

This republic can never realize its righteous aspirations in commerce, can never be worthy the traditions of the early days of the expanding republic until the millions of tons of shipping which we now possess are coordinated with our inland transportation and our shipping has government encouragement, not government operation, in carrying our cargoes, under our flag, over regularly operated routes to every market in the world, agreeable to American exchanges. It will strengthen American genius and management to have it understood that ours is an abiding determination, because carrying is second only to production in establishing and maintaining the flow of commerce to which we rightfully aspire.

Radio Communication.

It is proper to invite your attention to the importance of the question of radio communication and cables to meet strategic commercial and political needs, active encouragement should be given to the extension of American owned and operated cable and radio service. Between the United States and its possessions there should be ample communication facilities providing direct services at reasonable rates. Between the United States and other countries not only should there be adequate facilities, but these should be, so far as practicable, direct and free from foreign intermediation. Friendly co-operation should be extended to international efforts aimed at encouraging improvement of international communication facilities and designed to further the exchange of messages. Private monopolies tending to prevent the development of needed facilities should be prohibited. Government owned facilities, wherever possible without unduly interfering with private enterprise or government needs, should be made available for general uses. Particularly desirable is the provision of ample cable and radio services at reasonable rates for the transmission of press matter, so that the American reader may receive a wide range of news and the foreign reader receive full accounts of American activities. The daily press of all countries may well be put in position to contribute to international understandings by the publication of interesting foreign news.

Practical experience demonstrates the need for effective recognition of both domestic and international radio operation if this newer means of inter-communication is to be fully utilized. Especially needful is the provision of ample radio facilities for those services where radio only can be used, such as communication with ships at sea, with aircraft and with out of the way places. International communication by cable and radio requires co-operation between the powers concerned. Whatever the degree of control deemed advisable within the United States, government licensing of cable landings and of radio stations transmitting and receiving international traffic seems necessary for the protection of American interests and for the securing of satisfactory reciprocal privileges.

Would Encourage Aviation.

Aviation is inseperable from either the army or the navy and the government must, in the interests of national defense, encourage its development for military and civil purposes. The encouragement of the civil development of aeronautics is especially desirable as relieving the government largely of the expense of development and of maintenance of an industry, now almost entirely borne by the government through appropriations for the military, naval and postal air service. The air mail service is an important step in the direction of commercial aviation.

It has become a pressing duty of the federal government to provide for the regulation of air navigation; otherwise independent and conflicting legislation will be enacted by the various states which will hamper the development of aviation. The national advisory committee for aeronautics, in a special report on this subject, has recommended the establishment of a bureau of aeronautics in the department of commerce for the federal regulation of air navigation, which recommendation ought to have legislative approval.

I recommend the enactment of legislation establishing a bureau of aeronautics in the navy department to centralize the control of naval activities in aeronautics and removing the restrictions on the personnel detailed to aviation in the navy.

The army air service should be continued as a co-ordinate combatant of the army and its existing organization utilized in co-operation with other agencies of the government in the establishment of national trans-continental air ways, and in co-operation with the states in the establishment of local air drones and landing fields.

Disabled Soldiers.

The American people expect congress unfailingly to voice the gratitude of the republic in a generous and practical way to its defenders in the world war, who need the supporting arm of the government. Our very immediate concern is for the crippled soldiers and those deeply needing the helping hand of the government. Conscious of the generous intent of congress and the public concern for the crippled and dependent, I invited the services of a volunteer committee to inquire into the administration of the bureau of war risk insurance, the federal board for vocational training, and other agencies of government in caring for the ex-soldiers, sailors and marines of the world war. This committee promptly reported the chief difficulty to be the imperfect organization of governmental efficiency in many undertakings, less noticed because the need for prompt service is less appealing.

This committee has recommended, and I convey the recommendations to you with cordial approval, that all government agencies looking to the welfare of the ex-service man should be placed under one directing head, so that the welfare of these disabled saviours of our civilization and freedom may have the most efficient direction. It may be well to make such an offfcial the director general of service to war veterans and place under his direction all hospitalization, vocational training, war insurance, rehabilitation, and all pensions.

The immediate extension and utilization of the government's hospital facilities in the army and navy will bring relief to the acute conditions most complained of and the hospital building program may be worked out to meet the needs likely to be urgent at the time of possible completion.

The whole program requires the most thoughtful attention of congress, for we are embarking on the performance of a sacred obligation which involves the expenditure of billions in the half century before us. Congress must perfect the policy of generous gratitude and conscientious administration must stamp out abuses in the very beginning. We must strengthen rather than weaken the moral fibre of the beneficiaries and humanize all efforts so that rehabilitation shall be attended by respiritualization.

Department Public Welfare.

During the recent political canvass the proposal was made that a department of public welfare should be created. It was indorsed and commended so strongly that I venture to call it to your attention and to suggest favorable legislative consideration.

Government's obligation affirmatively to encourage development of the highest and most efficient type of citizenship is modernly accepted, almost universally. Government rests upon the body of citizenship; it cannot maintain itself on a level that keeps it out of touch and understanding with the community it serves. Enlightened governments recognize this and are giving their recognition to it in specific form.

Certain no government is more desirous than our own to reflect the human attitude, the purpose of making better citizens—physically, intellectually, spiritually. To this end I am convinced that such a department in the government would be of real value. It could be made to crystallize much of rather vague generalization about social justice into solid accomplishment. Events of recent years have profoundly impressed thinking people with the need to recognize new social forces and evolutions, to equip our citizens for dealing rightly with problems of life and social order.

Government Already Active.

In the realms of education, public health, sanitation, conditions of workers in industry, child welfare, proper amusement and recreation, the elimination of social vice, and many other subjects, the government has already undertaken a considerable range of activities. I assume the maternity bill, already strongly approved, will be enacted promptly, thus adding to our manifestation of human interest. But these undertakings have been scattered through many departments and bureaus without co-ordination and with much overlapping of functions which fritters energies and magnifies the cost. Many subjects of the greatest importance are handled by bureaus within government departments which logically have no apparent relation to them. Other subjects which might well have the earnest consideration of federal authority, have been neglected or inadequately provided for. To bring these various activities together in a single department, where the whole field could be surveyed and where their inter-relationships could be properly appraised, would make for increased effectiveness, economy and intelligence of direction.

In creating such a department it should be made plain that there is no purpose to invade fields which the states have occupied. In respect to education, for example, control and administration have rested with the states, yet the federal government has always aided them. National appropriations in aid of educational purposes the last fiscal year were no less than $65,000,000. There need be no fear of undue centralization or of creating a federal bureaucracy to dominate affairs better to be left in state control. We must, of course, avoid overlapping the activities by the several states and we must ever resist the growing demand on the federal treasury for the performance of service for which the state is obligated to its citizenship.

Discusses Race Question.

Somewhat related to the foregoing human problems is the race question. Congress ought to wipe the stain of barbaric lynching from the banners of a free and orderly, representative democracy. We face the fact that many millions of people of African descent are numbered among our population, and that in a number of states they constitute a very large proportion of the total population. It is unnecessary to recount the difficulties incident to this condition, nor to emphasize the fact that it is a condition which can not be removed. There have been suggested, however, that some of its difficulties might be ameliorated by a humane and enlightened consideration of it, a study of its many aspects and an effort to formulate, if not a policy, at least a national attitude of mind calculated to bring about the most satisfactory possible adjustment of relations between the races and of each race to the national life. One proposal is the creation of a commission embracing representatives of both races, to study and report on the entire subject. The proposal has real merit. I am convinced that through inter-dependence of the races and the maintenance of the rights of citizenship lies the road to righteous adjustment.

It is needless to call your attention to the unfinished business inherited from the preceding congress. The appropriation bills for army and navy will have your early consideration.

Army and Navy.

Neither branch of the government can be unmindful of the call for reduced expenditure for these departments of our national defense. The government is in accord with the wish to eliminate the burdens of heavy armament. The United States ever will be in harmony with such a movement toward the higher attainments of peace.

But we shall not entirely discard our agencies for defense until there is removed the need to defend. We are ready to co-operate with other nations to approximate disarmament, but merest purdence forbids that we disarm alone.

The naval program which had its beginning in what seemed the highest assurance of peace can carry no threat after the latest proof of our national unselfishness. The reasonable limitation of personnel may be combined with economies of administration to lift the burdens of excessive outlay.

The war department is reducing the personnel of the army from the maximum provided by law in June, 1920, to the minimum directed by congress in a subsequent enactment. When further reduction is compatible with national security, it may well have the sanction of congress, so that a system of voluntary military training may offer to our young manhood the advantage of physical development, discipline, and committment to service, and constitute the army reserve in return for the training.

Nearly two and a half years ago the world war came to and end, and yet we find ourselves in the technical state of war, though actually at peace, while Europe is at technical peace, far from tranquility, and little progressed toward the hoped for restoration.

No Part in League.

It ill-becomes us to express impatience that the European belligerents are not yet in full agreement when we ourselves have been unable to bring constituted authority into accord in our own relations to the formally proclaimed peace. Little avails in reciting the causes of delay in Europe or our own failure to agree. But there is no longer excuse for uncertainty respecting some phases of our foreign relationship.

In the existing league of nations, world governing and its superpowers, this republic will have no part. There can be no misinterpretation and there will be no betrayal of the deliberate expression of the American people in the recent election; and settled in our decision for ourselves, it is only fair to say to the world in general, and to our associates in war in particular, that the league covenant can have no sanction by us.

The aim to associate nations to prevent war, preserve peace, and to promote civilisation, our people most cordially applauded. We yearned for this new instrument of justice, but we can have no part in a commital to any agency of force is unknown contingencies; we can recognize no super authority.

Manifestly, the highest purpose of the league of nations was defeated in linking it with the treaty of peace and making it the enforcing agency of the victors of the war. International association for permanent peace must be conceived solely as an instrumentality of justice, unassociated with the passions of yesterday, and not so constituted as to attempt the dual functions of a political instrument of the conquerors and of an agency of peace. There can be no prosperity for the fundamental purposes sought to be achieved by any such association so long as it is an organ of any particular treaty, or committee to the attainment of the special aims of any nation or group of nations.

The American aspiration, indeed the world aspiration, was an association of nations, based upon the application of justice and respect, binding us in conference and co-operation for the prevention of war and pointing the way to a higher civilization and international fraternity in which all the world might share. In rejecting the league covenant and uttering that rejection to our own people and to the world, we make no surrender of our hope and aim for an association to promote peace in which we would most heartily join. We wish it to be conceived in peace and dedicated to peace, and will relinquish no effort to bring the nations of the world into such fellowship, not in the surrender of national sovereignty but rejoicing in a nobler exercise of it in the advancement of human activities, amid the compensations of peaceful achievement.

Pledged to Association.

In the national referendum to which I have alluded, we pledged our efforts towards such association, and the pledge will be faithfully kept. In the plight of policy and performance, we told the American people we meant to see the early establishment of peace. The United States alone among the allied and associated powers continues in a technical state of war against the central powers of Europe. This anomolous condition ought not be permitted to continue. To establish the state of technical peace without further delay, I should approve a declatory resolution by congress to that effect, with the qualifications essential to protect all our rights. Such action would be the simplest keeping of faith with ourselves, and could in no sense be construed as a desertion of those with whom we shared our sacrifices in war, for these powers are already at peace.

Should a resolution undertake to do no more than this—to declare the state of peace, which all America craves. It must add no difficulty in effecting, with just reparations, the restoration for which all Europe yearns, and upon which the world's recovery must be founded. Neither former enemy nor fied is expressed by Senator Johnson of California, and Borah of Idaho, irreconcilables, in formal statements today discussing the president's message to congress.

Both senators express hearty approval of the president's stand indefinitely rejecting the present League of Nations. Senator Johnson says two "great policies" are enumerated by the president:

"First, America remains America, and the policy of Washington of no entangling alliances is again in clarion tones proclaimed. Secondly, an immediate declaration of a state of peace, notwithstandin gthe immense amount of propaganda, is to be made."

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the republican leader and chairman of the foreign relations committee, was quoted as being "extremely pleased" over the message which he said "separates us from the league and approves passage of the Knox resolution."

Late News Briefs

LONDON.—Preparations are being made for assembling of the Zionists world congress toward the end of the coming summer.

OMAHA.—Craig Chesterfield, claiming to be the son of an English lord, was found guilty of forgery in district court at Fremont, Neb., and was sentenced to serve from one to twenty years in the penitentiary.

LINCOLN, NEB.—A drive by the non-partisan league to organize precinct and county committees in the state was announced.

WARSAW.—Differences which have arisen between the local administration of the joint distribution committee of the American Jewish relief and a number of its employes threaten to interfere seriously with relief work in the provinces.

LONDON.—Winston Churchill, secretary for the colonies, has returned to London from his visit to Egypt and Palestine.

ROME.—Archbishop Mannix of Australia will leave Rome for Paris today.

ROME.—One person was killed and four injured in Sunday fighting between socialist and fascisti at Arezzo. Fights also took place in other cities.

RIO JANEIRO.—More than 300,000 sacks of coffee have been purchased in this city and at Santos by the government since March 30, says the Correiro de Manha. The newspaper declares the government is thus carrying out its announced intention to intervene in the market for the purpose of raising the price of Brazil's leading product and improving foreign exchange.

PEKING.—Luis Pastor, Spanish minister to China and dean of the diplomatic corps in this city, died today as a result of cholera attack which he suffered 18 months ago.

ST. LOUIS.—Accompanied by a military guard and members of the family, the body of Brigadier General Harvey C. Clark of the Missouri national guard, former state adjutant general, who died here last night, will be taken to Butler, where the funeral is to be held tomorrow afternoon.

Ancient Romans had a perfected shorthand system.

Cricket is a favorite pastime among natives of Samoa.

The crystal tourmaline has remarkable optical properties.

Puff balls sometimes grow six inches in diameter in a night.

JOHNSON AND BORAH ARE PLEASED WITH MESSAGE

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The Adventure of the Dancing Man

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The story thus far:

Holmes shows Watson some drawings of tiny dancing men, like those a child would make, which a Mr. Hilton Cubitt of Riding Thorpe Manor has brought him. Cubitt says they are frightening his wife. He tells his story. He is a member of an old and proud family, whose honor he is anxious to uphold. A year before he had married Elsie Patrick, an American young woman, about whose past he knew nothing, but who asked him not to question her, as it was disagreeable, though not dishonorable. They were very happy and he stuck to his promise not to allude to her past. About a month before this she had received a letter from America, which she had burned after she had read it and turned deadly white. A week before he had found a line of dancing men chalked on the window sill. On seeing them his wife had fainted. Mr. Cubitt said he would spend his last copper to shield his wife from any danger threatening her.

PART TWO.

He was a fine creature, this man of the old English soil—simple, straight, and gentle, with his great, earnest blue eyes and broad, comely face. His love for his wife and his trust in her shone in his features. Holmes had listened to his story with the utmost attention, and now he sat for some time in silent thought.

"Don't you think, Mr. Cubitt," said he, at last, "that your best plan would be to make a direct appeal to your wife, and to ask her to share her secret with you?"

Hilton Cubitt shook his massive head.

"A promise is a promise, Mr. Holmes. If Elsie wished to tell me she would. If not, it is not for me to force her confidence. But I am justified in taking my own line—and I will."

"Then I will help you with all my heart. In the first place, have you heard of any strangers being seen in your neighborhood?"

"No."

"I presume that it is a very quiet place. Any fresh face would cause comment?"

"In the immediate neighborhood, yes. But we have several small watering places not very far away. And the farmers take in lodgers."

"These heiroglyphics have evidently a meaning. If it is a purely arbitrary one, it may be impossible for us to solve it. If, on the other hand, it is systematic, I have no doubt that we shall get to the bottom of it. But this particular sample is so short that I can do nothing, and the facts which you have brought me are so indefinite that we have no basis for an investigation. I would suggest that you return to Norfolk, that you keep a keen lookout, and that you take an exact copy of any fresh dancing men which may appear. It is a thousand pities that we have not a reproduction of those which were done in chalk upon the window sill. Make a discreet inquiry also as to any strangers in the neighborhood. When you have collected some fresh evidence, come to me again. That is the best advice which I can give you, Mr. Hilton Cubitt. If there are any pressing fresh developments, I shall be always ready to run down and see you in your Norfolk home."

The interview left Sherlock Holmes very thoughtful, and several times in the next few days I saw him take his slip of paper from his note-book and look long and earnestly at the curious figures inscribed upon it. He made no allusion to the affair, however, until one afternoon a fortnight or so later. I was going out when he called me back.

"You had better stay here, Watson."

"Why?"

"Because I had a wire from Hilton Cubitt this morning. You remember Hilton Cubitt, of the dancing men? He was to reach Liverpool street at one-twenty. He may be here at any moment. I gather from his wire that there have been some new incidents of importance."

We had not long to wait, for our Norfolk square came straight from the station as fast as a hansom could bring him. He was looking worried and depressed, with tired eyes and a lined forehead.

"It's getting on my nerves, this business, Mr. Holmes," said he, as he sank, like a wearied man, into an armchair. "It's bad enough to feel that you are surrounded by unseen, unknown folk, who have some kind of design upon you, but when, in addition to that, you know that it is just killing your wife by inches, then it becomes as much as flesh and blood can endure. She's wearing away under it—just wearing away before my eyes."

"Has she said anything yet?"

"No, Mr. Holmes, she has not. And yet there have been times when the poor girl has wanted to speak, and yet could not quite bring herself to take the plunge. I have tried to help her, but I dare say I did it clumsily, and scared her from it. She has spoken about my old family, and our reputation in the county, and our pride in our unsullied honor, and I always felt it was leading to the point, but somehow it turned off before we got there."

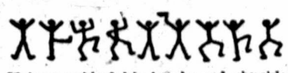
"But you have found out something for yourself?"

"A good deal, Mr. Holmes. I have several fresh dancing-men pictures for you to examine, and, what is more important, I have seen the fellow."

"Yes, I saw him at his work. But I will tell you everything in order. When I got back after my visit to you, the very first thing I saw next morning was a fresh crop of dancing men. They had been drawn in chalk upon the black wooden door of the toolhouse, which stands beside the lawn in full view of the front windows. I took an exact copy, and here it is." He unfolded a paper and laid it upon the table. Here is a copy of the heiroglyphics:

"Excellent!" said Holmes. "Excellent! Pray continue."

"When I had taken the copy, I rubbed out the marks, but, two mornings later, a fresh inscription had appeared. I have a copy of it here":



Holmes rubbed his hands and chuckled with delight.

"Our material is rapidly accumulating," said he.

"Three days later a message was left scrawled upon paper, and placed under a pebble upon the sun dial. Here it is. The characters are, as you see, exactly the same as the last one. After that I determined to lie in wait, so I got out my revolver and I sat up in my study, which overlooks the lawn and garden. About two in the morning I was seated by the window, all being dark save for the moonlight outside, when I heard steps behind me, and there was my wife in her dressing-gown. She implored me to come to bed. I told her frankly that I wished to see who it was who played such absurd tricks upon us. She answered that it was some senseless practical joke, and that I should not take any notice of it.

"'If it really annoys you, Hilton, we might go and travel, you and I, and so avoid this nuisance.'

"'What, be driven out of our own house by a practical joker?' said I. 'Why, we should have the whole county laughing at us.'

"'Well, come to bed,' said she, 'and we can discuss it in the morning.'

"Suddenly, as she spoke, I saw her white face grow whiter yet in the moonlight, and her hand tightened upon my shoulder. Something was moving in the shadow of the toolhouse. I saw a dark, creeping figure which crawled 'round the corner and squatted in front of the door. Seizing my pistol, I was rushing out, when my wife threw her arms 'round me and held me with convulsive strength. I tried to throw her off, but she clung to me most desperately. At last I got clear, but by the time I had opened the door and reached the house the creature was gone. He had left a trace of his presence, however, for there on the door was the very same arrangement of dancing men which had already twice appeared, and which I have copied on that paper. There was no other sign of the fellow anywhere, though I ran all over the grounds. And yet the amazing thing is that he must have been there all the time, for when I examined the door again in the morning he had scrawled some more of his pictures under the line which I had already seen."

"Have you that fresh drawing?"

"Yes, it is very short, but I made a copy of it, and here it is." Again he produced a paper. The new dance was in this form:

"Tell me," said Holmes—and I could see by his eyes that he was much excited—"was this a mere addition to the first, or did it appear to be entirely separate?"

"It was on a different panel of the door."

"Excellent! This is far the most important of all for our purpose. It fills me with hopes. Now, Mr. Hilton Cubitt, please continue your most interesting statement."

"I have nothing more to say, Mr. Holmes, except that I was angry with my wife that night for having held me back when I might have caught the skulking rascal. She said that she feared that I might come to harm. For an instant it had crossed my mind that perhaps what she really feared was that he might come to harm, for I could not doubt that she knew who this man was, and what he meant by these strange signals. But there is a tone in my wife's voice, Mr. Holmes, and a look in her eyes which forbid doubt, and I am sure that it was indeed my own safety that was in her mind. There's the whole case, and now I want your advice as to what I ought to do. My own inclination is to put half a dozen of my farm lads in the shrubbery, and when this fellow comes again to give him such a hiding that he will leave us in peace for the future."

"I fear it is too deep a case for such simple remedies," said Holmes. "How long can you stay in London?"

"I must go back today. I would not leave my wife alone at night for anything. She is very nervous, and begged me to come back."

"I dare say you are right. But if you could have stopped, I might possibly have been able to return with you in a day or two. Meanwhile you will leave me these papers and I think that it is very likely that I shall be able to pay you a visit shortly and to throw some light upon your case."

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Secure from your druggist 1 oz. Parmint (Double Strength.) Take this home and add to it a pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

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Use the Police to Satisfy a Grudge Against Neighbor

By United Press.

CHICAGO, April 12. — Chicago women's little game of calling out the police "murder squad" to raid the homes of women they have grudges against must cease.

Police Chief Fitzmorris said so today.

Ever since the notorious Tommy O'Connor killed a policeman and escaped two weeks ago, police have received several hurry up calls every day such as this:

"Hello, Police. Shush. Tommy O'Connor is hiding right next door to us."

Whereupon the "murder squad," with orders to shoot to kill when they found the elusive Tommy, would rush the house, break down doors and point shotguns at the frightened housewife until the place was searched.

Of course no Tommy was found.

Chief Fitzmorris discovered today that it wasn't that neighbor women wanted to co-operate with the department to bring a criminal to justice but merely gave the "bum steers" to spite persons they hold a grudge against.

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SPECTACULAR FOUNTAIN BEING ERECTED IN FRONT OF DALLAS UNION STATION

DALLAS, April 12.—A stream of water, spurting 75 feet in the air, beautifully illuminated by ever changing colored rays from four powerful incandescent searchlights hidden beneath plate glass at the base will be the outstanding feature of what promises to be America's most spectacular fountain now being erected in the sunken garden of Ferris plaza, facing the new union station at Dallas, Texas.

It will be known as the pan-chromatic illuminated fountain. The idea was original by W. D'A. Ryan, pioneer of illuminating engineers and director of the General Electric laboratory at Schnectady, N. Y. Colored flood lights have been used before in illuminating fountains but never before has the scheme of using 5,000,000 candle power incandescent searchlights with constantly changing colored screens been attempted. The chief advantage is that the searchlights will cast a beam of colored light to the very top of the stream, a distance of 75 feet, while variegated colors illuminate the falling waters.

The large basin is 50 feet across and the secondary or elevated inner basin is 14½ feet in diameter. In the outer water of the large basin are eight small jets, each illuminated by a colored flood light from beneath. In the small basin, spurting water toward the main stream, are eight dolphins. Underneath the inner basin, which has the plate glass ceiling, is a circular chamber 14 by 8 feet. This houses the four big searchlights and apparatus for operating the changeable color screens. Entrance to this is from a small passageway leading to a manhole on the outside of the larger basin. The entire system is automatic and needs no attendant, except in some emergency.

It is expected the fountain will be completed this summer and plans call for its illumination every night. The fountain itself is not elaborate and therefore within the financial means of any small city. Because of this, its spectacular effects and vivid impression it is sure to have on visitors to the city, it is believed the idea is one that will be widely duplicated, once the fountain in Dallas is given a practical test.

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64132—Gavotte in E Major—Fritz Kreisler.
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64199—Good-by, Sweetheart, Good-by—Evan Williams.
64267—Lo, Here the Gentle Lark—Alma Gluck.
64271—Alice, Where Art Thou—Evan Williams.
64281—Serenado—Maude Powell.
64295—Shepherd Show Me Where To Go—George Hamlin.
64302—At Dawning—John McCormack.
64306—Perfect Day—Evan Williams.
64317—Within the Garden of My Heart—McCormack.
64343—A Little Love, a Little Kiss—John McCormack.
64401—Sing to Me Only With Thine Eyes—Julia Culp.
64412—Little Grey Home in the West—Alma Gluck.
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64421—Allen au Bois (Snowflakes)—Alma Gluck.
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64480—Noche Serena (Calm Night)—Emilio de Gogorza.
64532—Sing! Sing! Birds on the Wing—John McCormack.
64543—Song Without Words (Mendelssohn)—Fritz Kreisler.
61544—Cavalleria Rusticana—Gievanna Martinelli.
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17142—My Maryland March.
General Mixup, U. S. A.—March.
17164—Hark! the Herald Angels Sing.
Silent Night, Hallowed Night.
17201—Let Me Like a Soldier Fall.
National Spirit; March.
17305—Massas' in De Cold, Cold Ground.
In The Evening by the Moonlight.
17357—Buffalo News; March.
Dance—California.
17579—The Star Sangled Banner.
Hail Columbia.
17580—America—Victor Military Band.
The Red, White and Blue.
17583—Yankee Doodle—Military Band.
Dixie—Military Band.
17634—It Was a Lover and His Lass.
Who Is Sylvia?
17674—Old Folks at Home.
Old Black Joe.
17711—For King and Country.
Your King and Country Want You.
17763—I Walk With the King.
Brighten the Corner Where You Are.
17781—Pasadena Day; March.
On, Wisconsin!—March.
17844—By the Brook.
Lullaby.
17854—Uncle Josh Buys an Automobile.
The Village Gossips.
17873—My Ain Folk.
A Perfect Day.
35009—Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean.
The Star Spangled Banner.
35001—Apple Blossoms.
Unrequitted Love; Waltz.
35173—Pagliacci—Part 1.
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35196—Love's Old Sweet Song.
Memories of Home.
35232—A Dream of Paradise.
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35250—Working on the Farm.
Kentucky Minstrels.
35262—Chicken Little.
Goldie Locks and the Three Bears.
35283—Lights Out; March.
Washington Post; March.
35290—A Man Who Fanned Casey.
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35324—In a Clock Store.
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35343—Gems From Pagliacci.
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35389—El Capitan; March.
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35410—Gems From The Quaker Girl.
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35418—Gingerbread Boy.
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35421—Oh, My Love.
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35488—Tranuquillo; Overture.
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35541—Wake Up, America.
Cumberland; One Step.
35498—Songs of the Past—Part 7.
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35492—Songs of the Past—Part 5.
Songs of the Past—Part 6.
35490—My Possum Hunt.
The Boy in the Bleachers.
74196—Liebesfreund; Violin Solo—Fritz Kreisler.
74197—Caprice Viennois; Violin Solo—Fritz Kreisler.
74198—Open the Gates of the Temple—Evan Williams.
74205—Answer—Evan Williams.
74226—Aida (The Fatal Stone.)
74243—An Evening Song.
74254—My Pretty Jane—Evan Williams.
74220—Elijah, Lord God of Abraham.
74241—Thais, Meditation; Violin Solo—Elman.
74442—Old Black Joe—Alma Gluck.
74465—Listen to the Mocking Bird—Alma Gluck.
74468—My Old Kentucky Home—Alma Gluck.
74477—Face to Face—Evan Williams.
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ORIGINAL "HOME SWEET HOME" IS JUST AS IT WAS 200 YEARS AGO

A glimpse at the little house at East Hampton, Long Island, that inspired John Howard Payne's famous song, and one can easily understand the longing for home that he felt. The sturdy colonial farmhouse with its friendly doorway typifies the home that one dreams of. Ancient vines have softened the severe walls of the house, weathered to a silvery gray, and the windows with their many panes seem to beckon the visitor to spacious rooms within, where mellowed mahogany and old pewter reflect the glow of open fires. Fortunately enough, the house is now owned by G. H. Buek, an antiquarian and collector of note, who has endeavored to preserve the place in its original simplicity. Unlike so many enthusiasts who restore old landmarks too extensively, Mr. Buek has done nothing to mar the homestead and the house today is just as it was more than two hundred years ago.

For the visitor who is fortunate enough to see the interior there is a rare treat in store. Wonderful collections of colonial treasures make the place a veritable museum. Each room with its huge fireplace and panelled walls, concealing secret cubby holes, contains a collection of almost priceless antiques, furniture, pewter ware and household implements in use when the house was new. Mahogany highboys and brass warming pans, old spinning wheels and pewter porringers vie with each other in claiming the visitor's attention. Perhaps most interesting of all is Mr. Buek's marvelous collection of silver lustre ware, the largest collection of its kind in the country outside a museum. Over one of the old fireplaces is a portrait of Payne painted by Willard.

A visit to the low ceilinged rooms above reveals four-posters of ancient lineage, each with its hand-woven coverlid. There are highboys and lowboys, rugged old chests with interesting pasts if they could but tell them, and all the Lares and Penates so dear to a colonial family. Between the gaily colored rag mats one has a glimpse of warped and time-worn floors hollowed by the tread of many generations. Throughout the house there is an air of friendliness and bygone hospitality which enables the visitor to slip back into the past and live for a moment with its pioneer builders.

It was here on June 9, 1791, that John Howard Payne was born. He was in London when he wrote his immortal ballad, and there is no question that before his mind's eye rose the straight facade and homely interior of this little old house in East Hampton as he set down in rythmic phrases the home thoughts that have come to millions of exiles in every clime and country since the world began.—April Motor.

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NEIGHBORHOOD MEETING AT HOME MRS. JOHN KAY WELL ATTENDED

The neighborhood meeting held at the home of Mrs. John Kay last week, constituting one of the dozens of neighborhood church organizations recently "set in motion" by the First Methodist church south, was one of exceptional interest and pleasure.

Present and proposed fellowship work of the church organization was discussed, a number of new members for the mission study societies reported, and an informal program carried out. Mrs. Parrish played two piano solos — "Asrabesque" and "Bounte En Train"—and Mesdames Hopkins and Parrish sang a duet—"Whispering Hope." Mrs. Kay gave two piano solos—"To a Water Lily" and Gruenwald's "Minuetto."

Late in the afternoon Mrs. Kay served refreshment to the following: Mesdames McFarland, Hopkins, Harris, Mann, Beer, Allen, Parrish, Hanks, Morrow and Bridgewater.

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M. E. BIBLE STUDY MEETING MONDAY; GOOD ATTENDANCE

The splendid attendance at the Bible study sessions of the mission circles of the First M. E. church south is still holding up, and Monday afternoon there were 38 members present.

Mrs. Huckabee led the lesson in the absence of Mrs. Haines. Mrs. C. B. Montgomery opened the study with a sketch of the life of Paul, the missionary, and Mrs. John Kay gave a sketch of the life of Martin Luther. Mrs. Huckabee summed up both sketches and discussed the similarities and differences in the missions of the two great religious leaders, making a most interesting comparison.

In the attendance contest Circle One recorded nine present, Circle Two thirteen and Circle Three sixteen.

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B. F. JOHNSON TO ADDRESS BUSINESS WOMEN'S CLUB

An address by B. F. Johnson, Wichita county representative in the state legislature, will feature the meeting of the Business Women's club Tuesday evening.

Mr. Johnson will make a short talk on bills before the legislature the past session, and bills to be submitted or resubmitted during the special session.

A full attendance is asked for at the meeting, as other business of importance is to come up, including details of the plans for the garden party and handkerchief sale.

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YES, THEY PASTE ON EYELASHES NOW!

"Say, girls, are my eyelashes on straight?" This question will, according to well informed stylists, shortly become as commonplace as "is there any powder on my nose?" In many cases, the ultra-fashionable girls say, Mother Nature failed to provide eyelashes long enough to furnish that mystic, alluring setting which milady covets for her big blue eyes. And so many beauty parlors are manufacturing eyelashes to make up for her deficiency. With a tiny speck of glue they can be affixed to the eyelid so that the long, velvety "lashes" of pin feathers interweave with those provided by Mother Nature. In the photograph a young lady is shown pasting on her "eyelashes."

By Way of the Transom

By L. M. D.

"I don't mind not having the things I want," Anne remarked thoughtfully, and out of a clear sky.

"What are you reading?" I sked, that being the shortest apparent cut to a psychological solution of her mood.

"A Christmas list. What's the answer?" she demanded teasingly, holding the page out for me to see. There were little captions—"For Father," "For Mother," "For the Older Sister," etc. They are like that every Christmas—as old and as new as the story of the Star. I thought a while.

"Christmas gifts; things you want; can't have 'em"—I tried to beat back along the path of Anne's wandering, but recognized the wall when I reached it, having been there berore.

"I could go on," I bluffed, "but I probably wouldn't get anywhere."

"I don't mind not having them, but I would mind not seeing them." Anne explained briefly. "I want to be able to see them, and touch them, and know them for what they are—you know."

"Window shopping," I supplied tardily. "I passed up your accent on 'having.'"

"Te-es." Anne was silent another minute. "I think maybe," she offered, "that I've lived enough years to know that possession is just a 50-50 gamble. Sometimes things wear off—though of course some are even more beautiful and genuine than they look, and you can't be happy unless you are saving the money to buy them. But mostly—if you can only see them in the windows, or touch them, you don't find the thin spots, and can keep the illusion."

"It's like people," she went on. "We window-shop with people, too. The things we can't do or be ourselves, we love to know in other people. I'm not unhappy because I haven't a wonderful voice, but I would be if I couldn't hear one occasionally. And I'm not cross with God for not making a great painter or poet of me—but I'd be cross with somebody if I couldn't see great pictures and read great poems.

"And I believe one proposition proves the other. If it's reasonable and right to want to find in other people the things we can't have or be ourselves, it must be reasonable and right to want to window-shop for—things. And if it's right to be contented with just window shopping for things sometimes and not worrying about possessing all of them, it must be right to be contented to just window-shop for the things we admire in people, and not have them ourselves."

"We get us," I said elegantly. "There are disillusionments and thin spots in the great voices and the facile brushes and the marvelous pens, and if we have a supply of our own, with our own talents, it's just as well not to take on any more for training. It's very satisfactory to window-shop, I should say."

"Did you see that beautiful set of Jane Austen's in Cody's window?" Anne asked.

"Yes," I said. "And wouldn't it look outraged in these shabby bookshelves."

"I'll bet," said Anne, suspiciously, "that you're remembering that story about Madame Farruso's temper!"

"Her voice is divine, anyway," I said. "You can't hear the thin spot."

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JEWISH COUNCIL MET MONDAY; SAN ANTONIO REPORTS HEARD

Reports from the San Antonio convention of the State Council of Jewish Women and the report of the nominating committee of the local council featured the meeting of the council Monday afternoon at Temple Israel. About forty members were present.

Mrs. Goldberg made the business report from the convention, and Mrs. Kaufman the social. The report of the nominating committee, comprising the recommendation of that committee for council officers is to be acted on in May, when other nominations will possibly be made from the floor. Mrs. Wolfsohn read a well prepared paper on "Religion and Religious Schools," covering the subject in a very informative way. The council discussed plans, which are now under way, for the Jewish community Seder, a celebration for the first evening of the Passover holidays, beginning April 22.

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CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CIRCLE ORGANIZES THE YOUNGER WOMEN

At the regular meeting of Circle One of the Central Presbyterian Mission society Monday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. C. C. White, an auxiliary organization of the younger women of the church was formed. The younger women were guests of the circle on this occasion, and selected as their own chairman Miss Vivian Bailey, with Mrs. C. A. Morris secretary and treasurer.

Monday afternoon of next week the younger organization will meet and complete organizations, map out the year's study and work, etc.

After the short business session Monday, Mrs. H. E. Wilson led an interesting lesson on home mission work among the negroes, and several informative talks were made.

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MRS. C. W. REID HOSTESS TO EPISCOPAL LADIES MONDAY

Mrs. C. W. Reid was hostess to the women of the Episcopal Guild Monday afternoon at her home on Huff Avenue, and the members occupied themselves during a very busy sewing session with hemming tray cloths and napkins for the convalescent home of the church in Dallas.

Mrs. L. A. Davis sang a very beautiful solo and responded to the applause with an encore number. She was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Evans, who also sang a much appreciated solo during the serving of refreshments. About forty members of the Guild were present.

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TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. RICHARD BAILEY

The Tuesday Bridge club meets this week with Mrs. Richard Bailey.

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WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB WITH MRS. DAVE PAUL

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club will meet this week with Mrs. Dave Paul at her home, 2512 Tenth street.

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Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Foster, who have resided here for the past fifteen years, are leaving for Neodesha, Kansas, to make their home. Mr. Foster is interested in the oil business in that section.

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Rev. W. R. Hall of Milford, Texas, who has been visiting the family of Rev. Guy Davis here, left for Denton, Texas, today to attend Dallas presbytery before returning home.

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Rev. Guy Davis and Judge Fleming of the Central Presbyterian church left Tuesday for Denton, Texas, to attend Dallas presbytery.

One of the places where my father licked me busted last night in bed and my shirt was stuck to it this morning, and it was stuck so high up that I had to pull it loose when I dressed myself so that I could tuck my shirt in, and that took so long that my father called me before I got done and that made me jump so that I pulled it looose all at once, and that is the best way after all.

That was the first time my father had spoke to me since he licked me, and then I went down and milked the cow and her dotter and sent a few squirts into Jubilee's mouth when he sot up and begged, and then I went in and was standing at the kitchen table straning the milk. My mother said, "What is that brown stain on the back of your shirt?" and I said, "That is blood where my father licked me. Are you going to make any pie today?" and she said, "What!" and pulled up my shirt and then she called my father.

He come out in the kitchen, and the way my mother hollered my grandfather and unkle and ant come out too, and she just held up my shirt and turned me around so that everyone could see my back and nobody said anything, and she took me in her bedroom and sot on the edge of her bed and held me in her arms and cried and that made me cry, and I guess my ant finished getting breakfast.

After awhile Annabell Lee began to beller and my mother went out to see what was the matter with her and everyone had et and gone, and my mother made me some hot pancakes and fried me two eggs, and kissed me goodbye, and then me and Jubilee went out and crawled out the manure hole and found the bunch. I took off my coat and showed them the blood on my shirt and none of them had ever got licked that hard.

It was kinda cold but I carried my coat under my arm when I went to school so that my blood would show. They all wanted to know if I hollered when I got licked and I told them that I did not holler as loud as I could, and they all thought that was pretty brave.

Banty went and told Youniss and Maggie and they told all the other girls and they all came to their fence and looked over at my shirt, and Youniss told Jonesy when we went in school that my back was bleeding, and Jonesy called me out in the hall and made me let her look at it, and then she took me in Missis Degiun's office and made her look at it, and Misses Degiun said she had had trouble with my father about me before, and she said that she was going to have my father arrested. Then I began to cry because I was afraid he would get hung, and Jonesy said men had lived through worse things in the Are Gone and maybe it would make me tough, so Missis Degiun said she would give my father a good talking to and mebbe she could scare him up.

I went to bed early because I was

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afraid she might come and jump on him when I was up, and then I would probly get a worse one. I wish schoolteachers would not always be getting a fella into trouble.

(To Be Continued.)

LATEST STYLE

By LENORE

Although satin novelties in coats have made a strong appeal to women of good taste, and in quilted or embroidered effects this new idea in outer apparel has taken a definite hold in the spring fashions, there seems little inclination to abandon the cape. Everywhere capes continue to be shown and worn, in practical twills or duvetyns but especially in the softer, clinging crepes and satins. Quilting

and krimmer collars are sometimes added, or two lengths of material may be gathered simply about the neck and finished with a full and gracefully draped shawl collar. Charmingly demure was a gray crepe cape on this order seen at the theatre recently.

A wrap which may serve nobly for many occasions all through the spring and summer is the type of cape shown in the sketch. This favors two tones of gray crepe, joined by rows of broad flat stitching in black silk suggesting braid. It has also been made in combinations of gray crepe and navy serge.

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Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin has been used by millions of mothers, for the prescription has been sold in drug stores for thirty years. It is the same prescription Dr. W. B. Caldwell, who is now in his 82nd year, used in his extensive practice for half a century. It is the largest selling liquid laxative in the world. Last year eight million bottles were bought in drug stores.

You can make no mistake in giving Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin to your baby.

TRY IT FREE

Send me your name and address and I will send you a free trial bottle of my Syrup Pepsin. Address me Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 513 Washington St., Monticello, Illinois. Everybody now and then needs a laxative, and it is well to know the best. WRITE ME TODAY.

Be photographed this year on your birthday

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Special Musical Feature AT WICHITA THEATER

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FRANK F. LOWE

in an original, diversified PIANOLOGUE

consisting of descriptive and popular selections. Turn Out to Hear Him!

TONIGHT ONLY!

Extraordinary Shoe Specials

—AT—

FINE'S

We have decided to close out our entire stock of Ladies' High-heel Pumps and Oxfords in White, Black, Brown and Patent Kid, full Louis heel. Values up to $15.00, your choice while they last for only—

$4.85

Fine's Dry Goods Store

Next to First National Bank

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Remnants Remnants Remnants

Wednesday 9 o'Clock

Special Price on All Silk Remnants

P. B. M. Co. DEPARTMENT STORE

"THE SATISFACTORY STORE"

RED RIVER DECISION TO HAVE NO EFFECT UPON RECEIVERSHIP

WILL CONTINUE INDEFINITELY UNLESS AGREEMENT REACHED WITHIN THIRTY DAYS.

TELEGRAM IS RECEIVED FROM DELANO MONDAY

Same Plan As Was Used In Greer County Case May Be Adopted In This.

The Red River receivership will continue indefinitely, unless the "interested parties" in the case can reach an agreement, within 30 days, as to where the south bank of the river is, it was indicated late Monday in a telegram from Frederic A. Delano, the receiver, to his office here. Mr. Delano wired from Washington as follows:

"The court order holds that the Greek county case decides conclusively that the boundary ling follows the south bank, without attempeting to define the location or meaning of the south bank. It also gives the interested parties 30 days for submission of a formal order. If the parties cannot agree on the definition of the south bank within that time, the receivership will continue indefinitely. No decision on the boundry has heretofore been submitted."

The telegram is taken to indicate that the same general procedure will be followed as in the Greer county case; that is, a commission on which the parties are equally represented will try to define the boundary. When this plan was followed, in the Greer case, the four Texas commissioners voted for the Texas contention, and the four federal commissioners voted for the government's contention, so that the matter had to go to the supreme court. In the present case, three parties—Oklahoma, Texas and the federal government—would be represented on the commission.

It is not believed here that there is more than a remote chance of an agreement being reached within 30 days; it is pointed out that Oklahoma would have nothing to lose, and possibly much to gain, by refusing to agree at this time, as she has a possibility of eventually getting everything she claims.

The expectation here is, as previously indicated, that the definition of the boundary will devolve upon geologists, zeologists and other technical men; who will seek to determine just where the south bank of Red River was at the time Texas was admitted, or at the time of the old Spanish treaty.

There are three possibilities; one is that the foot of the bluff will be found to be the line, in which case Oklahoma would get practically everything she contends for; a second possibility is that the line of vegetation would determine, which would give Oklahoma much more than Texas would like to see her get, but much less than if the first mentioned line were chosen; the third possibility is that the line of "mean low tide" will prevail. Just where that line is would be a difficult matter to determine, in view of Red River's rather temperamental disposition.

Monday's decision, in view of its peculiar nature, has been much understood locally, many gaining the impression that Oklahoma has already won a large slice of Wichita county. The decision holds that the south bank is the boundary, nothing more. The real issue in the case, so far as Texas is concerned, is, where is the south bank? And that is still to be determined.

GROCERY AND SHOE SHOP AT HASKELL ARE BURNED

HASKELL, TEXAS, April 12.—The Spot Cash Grocery and Progressive Shoe Shop in the Rike building on the east side were destroyed by fire Sunday night between 12 and 1 o'clock. Nothing was saved from the building. Quick work of the fire boys prevented further spread of the flames.

ONE "CAFE" SERVES HORSES AND HUMANS

Officers Put Stop To Unique Arrangement At One Local Eating Place.

If you have ever boarded at a livery stable and are desirous of partaking once more of straw and oats and of refreshing yourself with the delicate odors peculiar to every well appointed horse hotel, present yourself to Dr. Lucy at the city health department and be conducted straightway to the only stable in Texas doing business under the name of a public cafe. But make haste, for Doc has issued official edicts which decree that this hostelry shall be dismantled, or at least converted into either a human or equine eating establishment.

Dr. Lucy is something of a humorist and enjoys a good joke as well as anyone, but when it comes to feeding men and horses in the same room, he draws the line.

While in pursuit of his official duties Monday the doctor discovered the establishment. According to Dr. Lucy, the place is some fifty feet long by half as wide, in the front end of which is housed a cafe and soft drink stand. At the rear is the kitchen.

To the east of the kitchen and separated from it only by a beaver board partitions which extends to within six inches of the ceiling, and then stops, is a compartment ten by twelve feet in which two bays and a roan—three horses, to be exact—are housed at all hours of the day and night. The ventilation between the kitchen and the horse boudoir is perfect.

The net results of the doctor's visit was a summons for the proprietor of the cafe to appear in police court Tuesday, which he did, and paid a fine of $15. This was appealed, but court attaches are of the opinion that county officials, were they to visit the inspector's find, would uphold Judge Ogle's decision with interest.

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION IS INVITED TO HOLD ITS 1921 CONVENTION HERE

Secretary J. W. Chatham Jr. of the chamber of commerce returned Tuesday from Waco and Austin. At Waco he presented Wichita Falls' invitation to the Texas Press association to hold its state convention here this year. The convention was to have been held at McAllen, which notified the executive committee that the town would be unable to entertain the editors. The executive committee met at Waco to pick a new meeting place, but was later notified by the McAllen organization that, they still wanted the meeting, and the convention will probably go to the Rio Grande town.

At Austin Mr. Chatham attended a traffic meeting, at which the present rate situation was discussed.

B. F. JOHNSON TO BE PRINCIPAL SPEAKER AT AD LUNCHEON WEDNESDAY

B. Frank Johnson will be the principal speaker at Wednesday's meeting of the Wichita Falls Ad club, and will discuss especially the recently enacted honest advertising bill which is soon to become effective.

Mrs. Mabel Kavanagh, secretary of the club, has received from Frank Kell a reply to the offer of the organization to do all in its power to help in attaining the 100,000 mark set by Mr. Kell for Wichita Falls in 1930. In thanking the club for its offer of cooperation Mr. Kell wrote:

"It is the young men and women belonging to your club and other clubs in Wichita Falls that must accomplish this fact."

Ladies Let Cuticura Keep Your Skin Fresh and Young

Soap, Ointment, Talcum, 25c. everywhere. For samples address: Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. X, Malden, Mass.

Officer Circumvents Autoist Who Tries to Prevent Moving Car

Parking an automobile in the down town streets for three nights in succession, even if it be equipped with a "thief proof" steering wheel, is a sin warranted to get the goat of any cop in the city, especially that of Patrolman Vines.

This officer has been disturbed for the last three evenings by the presence on his beat of an automobile, with disconnected steering apparatus, and after efforts to locate the owner through watchful waiting and numerous tags had failed, Vines cranked up the machine and within 30 minutes had parked it in front of the police station.

The car's steering wheel was of the type which can be unlocked with a key, permitting it to whirl freely without effecting the wheels. Vines solved this difficulty by driving a few feet, getting out and straightening the front axle by sheer strength and then driving a few feet more. It took half an hour to negotiate four blocks, but the owner called at the hall for his car a few minutes later and the officer had the pleasure of seeing a good stiff fine assessed in city police court Tuesday morning.

START DEMOLISHING OLD CITY HALL TO MAKE ROOM FOR LEBENSON BUILDING

Work of demolishing the old city hall building at Seventh and Indiana began Monday, and within a short time the historic structure will be only a memory. It is being razed to make room for the new two-story building for which Saul Lebenson recently let a contract to F. M. Bialkowski. The building which is being destroyed was the oldest in Wichita Falls.

WILL CHECK UP OIL RUNS ON LEASES IN COUNTY AT CAPITOL

Everett Hughes, who has been in charge of abstracting leases in this county for the past half year will go to Austin, under orders of the county commissioner, to check up the oil runs on the various leases in Wichita county. He was ordered to the state capital at the meeting of the court Monday afternoon.

J. W. Meadors who has been continuously at work in the county assessor's office on delinquent taxes for the past two and a half years was granted vacation by the court Monday.

The regular number of weekly bills were allowed by the court before adjournment.

SEWELL FIELDS HELD ON ROBBERY CHARGE AFTER HEARING TUESDAY

Sewell Fields was placed under bond of $250 on a robbery charge and a similar case against H. T. Scott was dismissed. The complaint against the two was filed by Roy B. Clark, who alleged that he was robbed of $47 in a local hotel Sunday evening.

According to the story told by the complaining witness, all three had been drinking and that they engaged in a crap game in one of the rooms of the hotel and that while in the room one of the two went through his pockets.

The defendants told the story that Fields caught Clark with a pair of tops after a big wager had been made and that Fields discovered the crooked nice and picked up the pot that was being shot for.

DATE OF ARRIVAL OF BODY OF WILLIAM MANN NOT DEFINITELY KNOWN

No definite word has been received as to the time of arrival here of the body of William Mann, Wichita Falls youth who was killed in France. The announcement in the Times of Monday that the funeral would be held Wednesday was premature, according to information received Tuesday. The time of the funeral will be announced later.

The soldier was the son of S. T. Mann and the brother of C. M. Mann, both of whom live at 1819 Seventh street. William Mann was a member of company K, 106th Infantry.

Typhoid germs thrive on sweets.

Dr. Green, dentist, easy workman. Special prices on all work done now. 603½ Eighth street. 368-30tp

MADE IN THE CUP AT THE TABLE

Measure the cost by the *cup*--not by the size of the can

A can of G. Washington's Coffee is equivalent to ten times its weight in roasted bean coffee! All the woody fibre, chaff and by-product matter — has been removed by Mr. Washington's refining process. You get all the goodness, all the deliciousness, all the flavor, and all the strength of absolutely pure coffee. Dissolves instantly. No waste. Always delicious, healthful, economical. Recipe booklet free. Send 10c for special trial size.

G. Washington's COFFEE

ORIGINATED BY MR. WASHINGTON IN 1909

G. Washington Coffee Refining Co., 522 Fifth Avenue, New York City

Andersons'

New Merchandise at LOWER PRICES Is Keeping This Store Busy—

Have you noticed how busy this store always is. Newer Merchandise, Better Quality and Lower Prices are the inducements we offer our trade. Visit our store this week—you will appreciate the new merchandise at resaonable prices.

New Shipment of Summer Silk Dresses

Now on display in the Dress Section, new Silk Dresses for real Summer wear. These beautiful Summer Dresses are suitable for street or sport wear; others are desirable for afternoon and evening's demands. Shown in White, Tan, many shades of Blue, Rose, Grey, Jade and other pretty colors. Priced very reasonable from $25.00 to.....**$80.00**
(Betty Wales and other makes)

Special Sale of Table Linens

Ten pieces of 72-inch Table Linen in very pretty patterns and worth in a regular way to $2.50 per yard, now on sale, per yard.....**$1.59**

$3.00 quality of 72-inch Table Linen on sale **$3.15**

New Shipment Swiss and Organdy Dresses

Organdy and Dotted Swiss materials are destined to be the wanted material in cotton dresses for the season. New shipments just received and they are very pretty this season. Fluffy ruffles and laces are generously used and all pretty colors of Brown, Rose, Navy, Lavender, Green and other new colors. Priced from $20.00 to **$35.00**
(Betty Wales and other makes)

40-In. Silk Crepe de Chine, $1.49

Just as the Summer season demands Crepe de Chine for blouses, dresses, negligees and underwear, we place this $2.00 quality of Crepe de Chine on sale. New shades of Grey, Rose, Copen, Taupe, Brown and Cream. Special price, per yard.....**$1.49**

36-INCH DOTTED SWISS, PRICED 89c
Pretty Dotted Swisses in splendid assortment of new colors, 36 inches wide and regular $1.00 and $1.25 values, now priced special, yard..**89c**

NOVELTY PRINTED SILK CREPES, $2.15
Forty-inch Printed Silk Crepes in pretty shades of jade, rose and Copen; sold in a regular way for $3.00, and a new cloth for the summer season. Now priced, per yard, special.....**$2.15**

NEW SHIPMENT OF LORRAINE TISSUES
Pretty Plaids and Checks just received in Lorraine Tissues, all new shades of Pink, Blue, Green, Lavender, Brown and Tan. Priced, per yard **85c**

EXTRA VALUES IN BED SPREADS, $3.85
Full sized and splendid quality Bed Spreads with cut corners and scalloped. These are our regular $4.50 values, on sale special.....**$3.85**

NEW SHIPMENT WHITE AND COLORED ORGANDY
Permanent finish Imported Swiss Organdy in White and colors, 40 to 45 inches wide. Very special values, priced, per yard, from $1.00 to **$2.00**
Domestic Organdy in White and colors, 50c to.....**$1.00**

SPECIAL SALE OF BLOUSES, $2.95
Splendid $4.00 and $5.00 Values
Just as a special for our Blouse Section, we offer choice of five dozen new Georgette, Tricolette, Striped Crepe de Chine and Pongee Blouses that range in price from $4.00 to $5.00. The special.....**$2.95**

NEW GINGHAM DRESSES NOW ON DISPLAY
For home, street or outing wear, the pretty Gingham Dresses make the most desirable garments. New shipments just received offer a wide range for selection as to quality and style. All are well made and some of splendid quality of Domestic Gingham; others of imported French Gingham. All are new styles, and sizes range from 16 to 46 and shown in a gradual range in prices from $5.00 to **$32.50**
BETTY WALES AND OTHER MAKES.

ALL PURE SILK HOSE, $2.45
Splendid quality of Black All-Silk Hose in mill run of a regular $4.00 quality. These Hose are manufactured by one of the leading makers of women's finer Hose. Priced special.....**$2.45**

FINER BLOUSES ARE NOW ON DISPLAY
High colors, White, Flesh and Navy Blouses are now on display, and they are prettily trimmed with dainty laces, hand-embroidery, beads, etc., in Crepe de Chine, Georgette Crepe, Crepe Meteor and reasonably priced from $6.50 to.....**$20.00**

SPECIAL VALUES IN LADIES' HATS, $4.95
If you were expecting to pay $10.00 for your Hat, see these values at this special price. All new styles and colors shown in this assortment —and the price only **$4.95**

LADIES' BEAUTIFUL HATS, PRICED $9.95
Style and value are combined in this splendid selection of Ladies' Beautiful Hats at this special price. Hats are offered for Dress, Sport or Street wear. If you were expecting to pay $15.00 to $20.00 for your Hat, see these and we believe you can save from $5.00 to $10.00. Choice of the assortment on sale.....**$9.95**

Pictorial Review Patterns for May Now in Stock

Andersons' WICHITA FALLS QUALITY STORE

La Camile New Styles in Corsets Now in Stock

That Big B

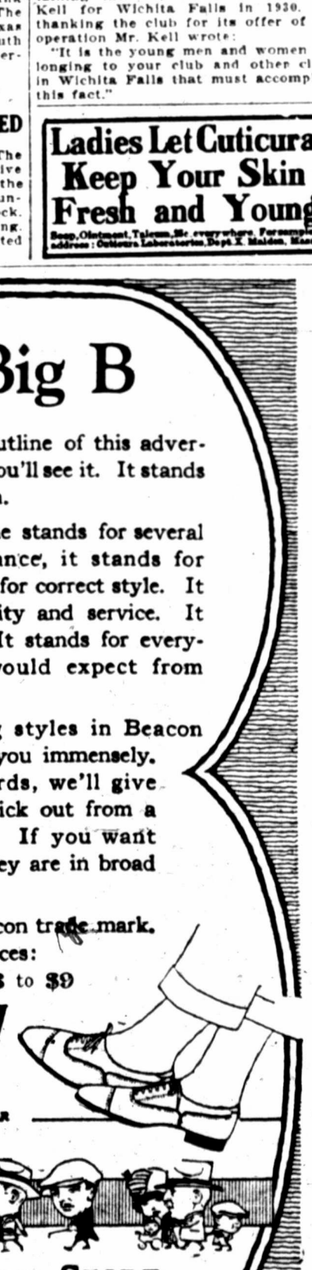
FOLLOW the outline of this advertisement and you'll see it. It stands for the B in Beacon.

The Beacon name stands for several things. For instance, it stands for quality. It stands for correct style. It stands for durability and service. It stands for value. It stands for everything that you would expect from good shoes.

The new spring styles in Beacon Shoes will please you immensely. If you want Oxfords, we'll give you a chance to pick out from a good assortment. If you want high shoes, here they are in broad variety.

All with the Beacon trade mark. All at moderate prices:

$6 to $9



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THERE ARE NO BETTER
FOR FIT FOR STYLE FOR WEAR

BEACON SHOE STORE
614 Eighth Street
Dallas 1306 Elm St. Houston 508 Main St. San Antonio 206 E. Houston St.
Fort Worth: 706 Main St. (Near 7th St.)

LOMA CONN NOT GUILTY IS VERDICT

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the case, which went to the jury at a few minutes before the noon recess.

Judge Martin's Charge.

The court's charge included the law governing murder, manslaughter and self defense. He charged that if they found from the evidence beyond a reasonable doubt and beyond a moral certainty that the homicide was committed with malice aforethought that they should find the defendant guilty of murder and assess her punishment at death or confinement in the state penitentiary at a term of years not less than five.

He charged further that if they found from the evidence that the homicide was committed as the result of sudden passion that she would be deemed guilty of the crime of manslaughter and that the punishment should be assessed at a term of confinement in the pententiary not more than five nor less than two years.

The law of self-defense was explained fully to the jury in the charge and the jury was instructed that if they found that the defendant fired the shot in view of apparent serious bodily injury that the law of self-defense would be applicable and that they should then return a verdict of not guilty.

Defense Rests Late Monday.

At 4:35 o'clock Monday afternoon the evidence was all in and Judge P. A. Martin dismissed the jury until 9 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The defense rested its case when the defendant left the stand. The state in rebuttal called many witnesses to rebut the testimony of the defendant in which she stated that the deceased was addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors and that she had seen him in an intoxicated condition at various times.

Relating that she had a button from a raincoat in her possession as evidence of the truth of her story, Loma Conn near the conclusion of her testimony Monday afternoon related an incident that occurred on Saturday night before the killing on Monday night.

Says She Was Threatened.

She said that the deceased entered her bedroom at her home at 11:30 o'clock that night without being invited, in a drunken and highly intoxicated condition. She said that he had a gun with him and threatened her life. She told that she tried to push him out of the room and that in the scuffle she tore a button from his raincoat.

The defendant told that her father was the only person in the house besides herself at the time and that her father was hard of hearing, all of which she said was within the knowledge of the deceased.

Next she told of the incident that occurred in the operating room in the moving picture show the night of the shooting.

"I had gone to the show with my sister and her friend. Penrod called to me three times. The first time he called I looked back and I saw a woman leave the room. I thought she went down stairs.

Scene in Operator's Booth.

"After he called the third time I went to the booth. I asked him what he wanted. He said "you know what I want."

"I saw a woman, whom I knew as Miss Brinn, sitting on his lap. She had her dresses to her knees. He reached back to his hip pocket. Then I shot him."

She said that the only reason she shot Penrod was because she thought her life was in danger in view of the threat he had made when he entered her bedroom on Saturday night. The defendant said that she had bought the pistol a year before the shooting and carried it merely as a protection.

When she had fired the shot that killed Penrod, the defendant testified that the Miss Brinn said to her: "My dear little girl, I am sorry that I caused you all this trouble." Loma said that she told the eye witness to the affair that she was not the cause of it.

Denies Forging Checks.

The witness denied that she had ever told anyone that she had gone to a man's room and slept with him, that she did not say "You darn coward" as she entered the booth on the night of the shooting and that she did not forge any checks as was brought out in testimony of a former witness. She further testified on direct examination that the officers at Iowa Park knew that she was carrying a gun.

On cross examination, the defendant broke down at one point and shed but a few tears. She regained self-control, however, at once and maintained it throughout the ordeal. During the cross examination she said:

"I thought he would kill me when he reached for his hip pocket that night. I never saw him without a gun."

She left the stand at 3:55 o'clock, after which the defense rested.

Seven Rebuttal Witnesses.

Upon rebuttal the state called seven witnesses, all of whom testified that they had known Penrod for various terms of time and all of them stated that they had never seen the deceased under the influence of intoxicating liquors.

Louis Lauderdale, the proprietor of the picture show, in addition to stating that he had never seen the deceased in a drunken condition, testified that the only piece of furniture in the operating room at the theatre was a 30-inch stool.

Sam Holliday, assistant district attorney, testified that the district attorney had issued process for he summoning of Miss Brinn on March 31 and that immediately after the shooting in Iowa Park she had promised to be present at the trial.

MAY BE ROME AMBASSADOR.

Henry Lane Wilson, former United States ambassador to Mexico, who is mentioned as a probable selection as United States ambassador to Rome. Mr. Wilson has been in the diplomatic service for seventeen years.

SEEK A BLONDE WOMAN WHO SHARED APARTMENTS WITH MAN FOUND DEAD

ST. LOUIS, MO., April 12.—Police today combed the city for the blonde woman who shared the apartments of "The Shamrock," notorious criminal who was found shot to death in his rooms last night.

"The Shamrock" went under many aliases. He was best known as Michael McNamara, a two-time ex-convict and alleged leader of a gang of safe blowers who operated throughout the United States.

The murder was believed by police to have been the outcome of a dispute over division of spoils of a recent haul. McNamara was shot four times. His assailants escaped in a motor car.

The woman in the case was described by neighbors as "a good looking blonde about 20 years old." She was last seen leaving the apartment stylishly dressed and carrying a white poodle dog. This was last Friday. Police believe she may be able to give some clue to the identity of the assailants.

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Entire Stock of
WOMEN'S SHORT KID GLOVES

Offered in a Sale Beginning Tomorrow at, Pair
$2.95
Featuring Gloves From
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Chanut & Simmons

This will prove a sensational sale as it has been a long time since Gloves of this character could be offered at such an exceedingly low price.

These Gloves are all imported French Kid. Novelties with fancy stitching and combination colors; also plain Kid. Colors, Black, White, Tan, Brown and Grey.

These Gloves are in sizes from 5 3-4 to 7 3-4, and are priced regular, $3.50, $4.50 and $4.95. Any short Kid Glove in our entire stock offered in this sale—

$2.95

See Indiana Avenue Window

Perkins-Timberlake Co. 9th and Indiana Perkins-Timberlake Co.

Ninth and Indiana — Perkins-Timberlake Co. ASSOCIATED STORES — Ninth and Indiana

A Timely Sale of Women's NEWEST Spring Suits
Offering the Season's Most Beautiful Tailleurs at Wonderful Reductions Just at the Beginning of Spring

Women's Suits at $49.50
Embracing Values up to $95.00

One mammoth collection of lovely Spring Suits in Poiret Twills, Tricotines and other fabrics, in models which show beautiful braidings and embroidery. These Suits formerly priced up to and including $95.00. now on sale—

$49.50

A Group of Fifteen "Beller" Suits on Sale

About fifteen lovely "Beller" Tailleurs of Tricotines, Piquetines and Poiret Twills, in Navy and Grey, in lovely models.

These are the newest Spring Suits and this showing is truly typical of the wonderful "Beller" garments.
These High-Grade Tailleurs are placed on sale in our Second Floor Apparel Section beginning tomorrow.

$100.00 Beller Suits, sale price..... $79.50
$110.00 Beller Suits, sale price..... $89.50
$125.00 Beller Suits, sale price..... $95.00
$135.00 Beller Suits, sale price..... $110.00
$150.00 Beller Suits, sale price..... $123.50
$165, $175 and $200 Beller Suits, sale price.. $139.50

BEAUTIFUL FANCY GINGHAM ON SALE WEDNESDAY

This is a much-wanted fabric as it can be used in combination with Taffetas, Organdies and other materials in making dresses.

32-Inch Silk Stripe Gingham. Colors, Tan with Brown, Pink with Rose, Rose with Grey, Green with Rose, Blue with Brown, and Blue with Navy stripes. On sale, priced, per yard ..... 69¢

32-Inch Silk Plaid Gingham. Colors, Tan and Brown, Grey and Black, Blue and Yellow, Pink and Rose, Green and Red, and Navy and Red. Priced, per yard ..... 69¢
(Main Floor)

Special Purchase
WOMEN'S SUITS
at
$29.50

One assortment Women's Spring Suits which represent a special purchase of lovely garments.

These Suits are shown in Navy Tricotine and other fabrics; excellent silk linings.

They're very specially priced, $29.50.

BABY WEEK

Featuring Many Wonderful Values in "Baby Shop"
(SECOND FLOOR)

Mothers will find it a pleasure to visit the "BABY SHOP" as you will find it the cosiest little place, and so conveniently arranged as to eliminate a great amount of shopping worry.

Little Tots' Dresses—Imported Models—Featured This Week at Half Price

These little Dresses are French importations, designed of Crepe de Chine, Imported Organdies and Hand-made Laces. Many of these were modeled at our recent Style Show. We offer these exquisite little Dresses during "Baby Week" at HALF PRICE."

Hand-Made Madeira Dresses

Infants' and Children's Dresses, nicely embroidered and trimmed. All these Dresses are offered in this sale durng "Baby Week" at the following reductions:
$1.00 Dresses, sale price..... 98¢
$1.25 Dresses, sale price..... 95¢
$1.50 Dresses, sase price..... $1.19
$1.75 Dresses, sale price..... $1.39
$2.25 Dresses, sale price..... $1.75
$3.00 Dresses, sale price..... $2.65
$3.25 Dresses, sale price..... $2.75
$3.50 Dresses, sale price..... $2.95
$3.95 Dresses, sale price..... $3.15
$4.00 Dresses, sale price..... $3.25
$4.50 Dresses, sale price..... $3.65
04.95 Dresses, sale price..... $3.95

INFANTS' LONG AND SHORT DRESSES
Little Dresses made of Batiste, Organdies and Voiles, embroidery and lace trimmed.
LITTLE BOYS' AND GIRLS' DRESSES
Plain and Fancy Piques and Galateas, pleated and belted styles;, ages, 1, 2, 3.

Special Prices in the Baby Shop This Week On:
—Children's Pique Coats.
—Children's Gingham Dresses and Rompers.
—Infants' Long and Short Flannel Skirts.
—Baby Buggy Robes of Madeira.

Economy Square
(Near Elevator)
Some Wonderful Bargains This Week
WOMEN'S APRONS
Made of good grade Percales in excellent colors, priced.. $1.00
Royal Society
FINISHED PIECES
Half Price
Big assortment of embroidered pieces, such as Sofa Pillows, Table Covers, Dresser Scarfs, Towels and other dainty things, placed in Economy Square..... ½ Price
MINERAVA
SHETLAND FLOSS
1-oz. balls in colors of Green, Red, Lavender, Yellow, White and good shades—in Economy Square. It is priced 25c
Visit the Beauty Parlor
(Second Floor)

Perkins-Timberlake Co. 9th and Indiana Perkins-Timberlake Co.

THREE ARE NAMED ON BUILDING COMMITTEE FOR HOSPITAL ANNEX

COMMITTEE WILL REPORT WITH NUMBER OF ARCHITECTS NEXT MONDAY.

ERECTION OR PURCHASE OF NURSES' HOME CONSIDERED

Plan For Space In Building For a Civic Health Center For Entire County.

Judge W. N. Bonner, Louis N. Jernigan and Al Richolt were named as members of the building committee for the new hospital building at a joint meeting of the county commissioners and members of the city council, held Tuesday morning at the court house.

The committee will begin work at once and will report at a joint meeting next Monday morning at 9 o'clock. The committee plans to consult with several architects in the city as well as with doctors and citizens interested in the hospital and will endeavor to have tentative plans to present at this joint gathering.

The erection or purchase of a nurses' home has also been placed in the province of the building committee. It was stated at the meeting Tuesday that there is sufficient space on the present site of the hospital for the erection of a home for the nurses.

May Include Health Center.

It was pointed out by Mayor Cline and Dr. Reed that Dr. Hargrave proposed the sale of his hospital, which is located just a half block from the general hospital to be used for a nurses' home. The committee will investigate the suitability to the building and the proposed purchase price and compare it with the cost of the erection of a new building for this purpose and will present their findings to the two bodies next Monday morning.

The proposal of a number of women of the city whofare interested in welfare work for the installation of a civic health center in the new annex was considered by the court and although no definite action was taken on the matter the building committee stated they would include this in the tentative plans.

It was stated by Mayor Cline that the dentists of the city had proposed to him through the Red Cross for the establishment of a dental clinic. It was pointed out that this could be installed in the same room where the free clinic would be placed.

Members of the commissioners court and the city council agreed that a nurses' home was a necessary adjunct to a hospital and that a portion of the $150,000 voted bonds could be utilized in this direction.

May Add Another Story.

The proposition of making the annex four stories high and putting an additional story on the present building was entertained and the committee named will include the additional story in the plans to be submitted next Monday morning.

The selection of the architect to draw the plans will be made by the council and court following the submission of tentative plans.

Several members of the council are of the belief that under present conditions and prices of material that the $150,000 will be of sufficient size to insure the erection of an additional building which will increase the present capacity of 40 patients to 125.

Mayor Cline instructed Judge Bonner to investigate whether it would be legal to close up Grace street which bounds the present site of the hospital on the east and utilize this additional space as a site for the building.

Is Self-Sustaining.

Reports made at the hearing Tuesday were evidence of the fact that the General hospital has been self-sustaining since its existence except for the fact that some $16,000 had been expended in the installation of new plumbing.

In view of experience gained in the construction of the present hospital building, those present at the joint meeting Tuesday agreed that it would be necessary to have an inspector, employed by the county and city on the job at all times during the erection of the annex. The appointment of such a person will be made after the contract was let.

It was the concensus of opinion of all those present that the plans should be carried through expediently so that work of construction can be begun as soon as possible.

THEATRES

Theaters Today.

Wichita: Potpourri vaudeville program.

Olympic: "The Dollar a Year Man," starring Fatty Arbuckle and Lila Lee.

Strand: "One Man in a Million," played with George Beban and a strong cast.

Empress: "The Faith Healer," George Melford's latest production.

Majestic: William S. Hart in "The Cradle of Courage."

Gem: Jack London's famous story, "The Mutiny of the Elsinore."

Plaza: Harry Carey in "Blue Streak McCoy."

Theaters Wednesday.

Wichita: Majestic vaudeville, 5 acts, Selznick News and Topics of the Day.

Olympic: Fatty Arbuckle and Lila Lee in "The Dollar a Year Man."

Strand: Sheldon Lewis in "The Silent Barrier."

Empress: A Maurice Tourneur production, "The Bait."

Majestic: Buck Jones in "The All Man Trail."

Gem: Robert Warwick in "Jack Straws."

Plaza: Eugene O'Brien in "The Wonderful Chance."

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AWARD IS MADE AT UNIVERSITY CLUB AND NOW AWAITS CLAIMANT.

DALLAS MAYOR SPEAKS ON COMMUNITY RELATIONS

Tells Of Similarity Between Wichita Falls And His Home City—Baseball Committee Named.

Five hundred and seven. That's the successful number. The person who took a ticket for Tom Bergin's Ford and now has that number in his or her possession will receive a brand new "flivver" providing he or she reports the fact to Mr. Bergin within the next 30 days. The car was donated by members of the Motor Supply Co. some time ago, and Mr. Bergin placed in charge of the ticket sale.

The successful number was selected by Judge Guy Rodgers, president of the University club, at the regular weekly luncheon of the club in the Kemp hotel Tuesday. It was decided beforehand that the holder of the fifth number would receive the car and the fifth was 507. If nobody claims the car within the specified time it will be sold at auction to the highest bidder and the money will be turned over to European children's relief fund.

Mayor Frank Woxencraft of Dallas was the speaker of the day and talked briefly on the similarity of the cities of Dallas and Wichita Falls and their close alliance along the lines of civic achievement, the necessity of a national guard backed by the business men and citizens of every community, and the need of closer co-operation between the larger and smaller communities throughout the state. He was introduced by Richard Bailey, chairman of the day.

His remarks were supplemented briefly by Mayor Walter D. Cline.

A committee was appointed by Judge Rogers to help in any manner it could in bringing the opening day attendance cup to Wichita Falls when the Spudders and Dallas cross bats at Athletic park.

Two vocal solos by Mrs. Paul W. Larkin were well received and music during the luncheon was furnished by Templeton's orchestra.

C. A. Kleinman, chairman of the weekly program committee, was congratulated on all sides for securing Mayor Woxencraft as speaker of the day and he announced that next week's speaker would be Hon. S. A. L. Morgan, candidate for congress.

BUICK ROADSTER STOLEN MONDAY NIGHT FROM IN FRONT OF OLYMPIC THEATER

A Buick roadster belonging to E. S. Coleman was stolen from in front of the Olmpic theatre Monday night. The machine bore a Texas state license number 481559, seal number 476067 and engine number 532644.

The theft of a small amount of harness from the residence of Gordon Mankin, near the Caskey store on Holiday creek was also reported to the police. Mankin lost a horse collar, several blinders, some breeching and a bridle, valued at less than $100. No clue as to the identity of the thieves has been obtained by the police.

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CHARLES RAY—OLYMPIC STARTING THURSDAY

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SAN JACINTO DAY DEFINITELY CHOSEN FOR GRAHAM TRIP

ASSURANCE GIVEN THAT ROAD WILL BE FINISHED BY END OF WEEK.

BOTH COMMUNITIES ARE MAKING EXTENSIVE PLANS

Young County Capital Is Preparing To Show Excursionists Royal Good Time.

April 21, San Jacinto day, has been definitely decided upon as the date for the excursion to Graham, signaling the inauguration of traffic over the Southern extension. The date had previously been tentatively selected, and with the receipt of assurances from Engineer McFarland that the steel would be laid into Graham by Saturday, it was decided to stage the excursion on the Texas holiday.

It is planned to leave Wichita Falls at about 8 a. m., reaching Graham at 12:30, and to leave on the return trip at 4:30 in the afternoon, arriving in Wichita Falls at 9 p. m.

Graham is understood to be making extensive plans for the occasion and expects to give the Wichitans a royal time. Committees from the chamber of commerce and Retail Merchants' association are already at work on plans for the trip.

The fare for the trip will be three dollars, with 18 cents war tax, and a guarantee of 125 tickets has been furnished.

A meeting of the chamber of commerce committee has been called for 9:30 a. m. Wednesday to perfect arrangements for the excursion. All members are urged to be present.

It is possible that the Spudder-Panther baseball game scheduled for that date will be transferred to Graham, though no definite action to this end has been taken as yet.

TEAMS OUT MONDAY RAISING FUNDS FOR BOY SCOUT BUDGET

Substantial progress had been made early Tuesday afternoon in the campaign for the $6,000 budget fund for the Boy Scouts, and it was hoped by committeemen that the total would be reached with one day's effort.

Practically all of the teams were at work Tuesday, and few met with any "turn-downs." The teams are as follows:

J. M. Bland and W. Daniel, Morgan building and entire block it is on; W. S. Curlee and G. C. Wood, Wood building and west half of that block; Press Lee and M. D. Rowe, First National Bank building and east half that block; Judge C. E. Spencer and M. J. Bashara, American National Bank building and east half that block; D. W. Tipton and Burton Stayton, west half American National Bank block; J. W. Brailley and W. P. Killingsworth, Perkins-Timberlake building and block and south side of Tenth street on same block; W. M. Priddy and C. E. Rogers, City National Bank and block it is on; W. N. Maer and M. Standiforth, Kemp hotel and entire block; W. W. Anderson and Sam Kruger, city hall and postoffice blocks; D. M. Perkins and J. M. McFall, east of Ohio street on Sixth to Peoples Ice company; C. W. Beavers, Wichita Mill; H. H. Bray and I. H. Roberts, lumber yards and ice plants and wholesale houses; Jack Sheas, oil well supply houses; B. J. Bean and W. S. Langford, north of Seventh and west of Ohio to court house; T. B. Smock and J. W. Culberson, factories.

City Briefs

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rowland, 1517 Tenth street, Saturday, April 9, a son.

Dr. F. E. Thornburgh left last week for Chicago, where he will attend clinic for special dental training.

Police officials are still on the trail of the slayers of John Whitman, who was shot and fatally wounded by two unknown gunmen last Friday night, but as yet they have made no arrests in the case. Officials reiterated their statements Tuesday morning that several good clues were in their possession, but what these will amount to is still in doubt.

VERY FEW CATTLE IN THIS SECTION FOUND TUBERCULAR

Reports received Tuesday by Dr. A. H. Douglas from the United States bureau of agriculture show that out of 700,000 dairy cattle inspected in the United States during the year 1920, 27,000 of these were infected with tuberculosis. This is an average of less than 4 per cent.

The percentage of infected cattle in Wichita and Archer counties, from which this city derives its milk supply, was .22 of 1 per cent, according to the sanitary director.

This very low rate in Texas is accounted for by the fact that specialization is not practiced to so great an extent in this locality as it is in the big dairy centers of the country. In Wisconsin, which is the leading dairy products state of the nation, cattle are raised and developed merely for the quantity of their milk, which weakens the resisting powers of other organs and render them more susceptible to infection.

Not only are the cattle themselves more healthy in this locality, says Dr. Douglas, but the milk is of a uniformly high grade, having a high food value and being free from impurities.

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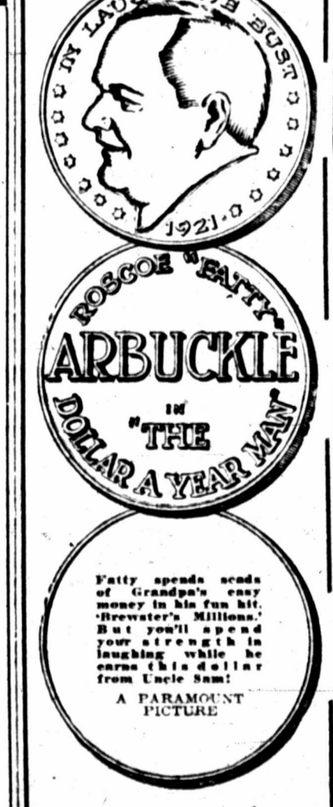

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THE FIGHT HAS JUST BEGUN.

As Representative Parrish was quoted in a Washington dispatch in Monday's Times on the boundary ruling of the supreme court "the fight has just begun" so far as Texas interests are concerned. It is giving away no secret to say that in the light of the famous Greer county decision it was generally expected here that the court would find that the south bank of Red river was the boundary between Texas and Oklahoma. Texas will make its big fight on the determination of just what is the south bank of the river. Oklahoma is claiming territory to the bluff far south of the stream line. Texas will claim the water's edge is the south line. In between lies property that is valued at many millions of dollars.

A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION.

The city council is to be commended for its decision to review the city's semi-monthly pay roll. It is not improbable that the council may find that the services of some of its employes may be dispensed with and it is possible that it may be found advisable to lower the pay of others. Anyway, a review of the pay roll will be a good thing. It is a step that prudent, conservative business everywhere is taking. In the city government there is need for the strictest economy to the end that the tax burden may be lightened, if possible.

UNEMPLOYMENT DECREASING.

The state labor commissioner of Oklahoma reports that unemployment has decreased 43 per cent since the first of the year. Figures for Texas are not available but it is believed they will show a considerable falling off in unemployment. Everywhere the unemployment situation is improving and this is a certain harbinger of better business conditions later on. Men who resume their earnings will soon resume their buying and this will start again a chain of commerce that will result in an improvement in business conditions generally.

Editorial Echoes

England's Ordeal.
(Denison Herald).

The integrity of the British empire was never before so unstable as now. Wars she has had—many of them—with France and Spain and the United States and Germany, and so on, but not one or all of these left her with such menacing problems and national dangers as those that confront the government at this time. Not even the internal revolution that broke up a kingly dynasty and placed the protectorate of Cromwell over all ever shook the foundations of the empire as do the threatening forces seething and erupting from sunrise to sunrise throughout the realm.

In India nothing less than an overawing military power can calm the myriads of distracted and distracting subjects. No scene in the suzerainty of Warren Hastings can compare with the rebellious war unrest that dares almost daily to defy the authority of England. In Egypt and in the Boer country the same spirit of disaffection prevails. Even Australia is not without its seasons of self assertion. From the days of Henry VIII Ireland has been nursing its wrath and chafing with the impatience of open insurrection until today its resentment of British rule seeks expression with fire and sword. A few islands are loyal, chiefly because of their isolation and territorial insignificance.

But these are not the graveat influences that menace the solidarity of the empire. England's internal affairs are in a chaotic state. Many dangers have gathered at the very foot of the throne. Conflicting policies espoused by contending parties have assumed menacing proportions far beyond ordinary political antagonisms. Her leading statesman, a composite of Pericles and Leonidas, has lost his prestige, not because he is weak or bad, but because, under his leadership, the government cannot furnish satisfaction to the vague and variable demands of its largest class of subjects at home. The principles which this great statesman advocated are in disfavor with a majority, not because they were vicious, but because the millions do not know what would satisfy their unrest, and they are persistently dissatisfied with what they get.

On the other hand society itself is disturbed, chiefly with the obvious fact that titles and semi-feudal lordships do not inspire with awe as they did in the days preceding the stupendous event at Runnymede that guaranteed the right of trial by jury. Again, the great mass of laboring people, organized in overwhelming numbers, are clamoring for redress of alleged wrongs with the doggedness that is fierce and with a slogan whose impelling witchery is revolution. Hosts of unemployed, goaded by the constant reminder of poverty, embittered at the unfed hunger of their little ones, and desperate over the hopelessness of the future, are moving with the treacherous power of an earthquake beneath the institutions of the country.

The psychology of kingly dynasties clinging to monarchy is in deadly conflict with the psychology of multitudes yearning for democracy. Other multitudes, widowed and orphaned by the world war, are in comradeship of sorrow with hosts of maimed and martyred soldiers who, though yet living, can never be themselves again. And all of these are in sympathetic discontent with a disbanded army and a curtailed navy. Everywhere, as an inevitable result of the war, there is a growing suspicion of the virtues of kingly power and a universal outreach for popular government. And while England is the most democratic monarchy in the history of human governments, it does not satisfy the natural and excusable jealousy of the average subject wishing more direct representation.

What the ultimate outcome may be no seer of the philosophy of history can forecast, but it is not difficult to discover cogent reasons for the prophesy that, within the next quarter of a century and perhaps within the coming decade, the strength of the British empire will be tested as it never was before.

WHY?—

Do We Call for "Three Cheers and a Tiger!"

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The connection between the word "tiger," as applied to the loud yell at the end of the conventional "three cheers," and the name of the animal itself, is not apparent until we dig back into the history of the custom and find that it originated in Massachusetts during the early part of the last century.

In 1822, the Boston Light Infantry, under Captain MacKintosh, visited Salem, Mass., and was encamped in Washington Square. During their stay, the men indulged in various kinds of sports, and on one occasion a spectator chanced to call out to one of the soldiers who was particularly rough, "You're a tiger!" The simile appealed to the men, became a catchward in the regiment, and, some months later, the "tiger growl" was adopted as the official cry of the organization.

In 1826 the Light Infantry visited New York, and while there, gave the "tiger growl" at one of the public festivities in which it took part. The peculiar form of yell pleased the fancy of those who were watching the drill, and it was not long before it was adopted by the schools throughout the city, and the expression "Three cheers and a "tiger" came into general use, though in later years it grew to mean any additional or more emphatic cheer.

Tomorrow—Why does a lump come in our throats when we cry?

Little Benny's Note Book
By Lee Pape

Yestidday in skool during joggriffy I rote a pome about Mary Watkins, this being it

I know a bewtiful maid age 8
And her name is Mary Watkins
She's so pritty she allways looks grate
And her name is Mary Watkins.

Me thinking, G, Ill give it to her on the way home from skool. Wich I started to do, catching up to her about half way home, saying, its lucky we both live in the same direction, aint it? And she sed, Wy? And I sed, I don't meen lucky, I meen pickuliar.

Well, it may be pickuliar, sed Mary Watkins. Sounding like less of a compliment, and we kepp on wawking, and after a wile I sed, Do you want something?

Meening the pome, and she sed, Yes, wat?

O, something, I sed. And I started to reetch in my inside pocket ware it was, thinking, G, she mite think its krazy, she mite laff like enything.

And I started to pertend to look in my other pockits as if I thawt I couldent find something, Mary Watkins saying, Wat is it, Benny, O I'm dreadfilly ixcited, wat are you going to give me?

O, jest a thing, I sed. And I started to take the diffrent things out of my pockits thinking maybe I mite have something elts I could give her and she mite think that was it, only all I had was a long peece of string with notts in it, a long pice of string plain, 4 diffrent size corks, 3 cancelled Mexico stamps, 6 marbles, 3 rubber bands and 2 cigar bands, thinking, Heck, gosh, G. And I sed, You dont save corks, do you.

Certeny not, my goodniss, is that wat you were going to give me, sed Mary Watkins looking proud, and I sed, No, I should say not, I jest asked you out of curiosity. And I kepp on pertending to look, saying, Holey smoaks I must of lost it, it was a artificial butterfly with red wings and glass eyes.

I dont beleeve it, sed Mary Watkins. And she wawked in her house hawty and I kepp on going home wishing I had gave her the pome.

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JUST FOLKS
By EDGAR A. GUEST.

Life Needs Us All.

There is so much that we can do,
A kind word spoken here and there
Will ease another's weight of care;
Life needs us all. The splendid few
Who rise to fame, with all their skill
Your post and mine can never fill.

If we who have not wealth or fame,
Should fail in all our little deeds,
The world would sink beneath its needs;
Not by the greatness of a name,
Nor by the splendor of success,
Are hearts restored to happiness.

About us are all those who need
The gifts which we have power to give;
We can be friendly while we live
And by some thoughtful, kindly deed
Can help another on his way—
And that is service, come what may.

What though we miss the heights of skill,
The splendor of the greater few,
There is so much that we can do,
There is a place which we can fill—
Always about us while we live,
Are those who need what we can give.

"Pussyfoot" Johnson Is Escorted Across Border of Canada

WINDSOR, ONTARIO, April 12.—Wm. "Pussyfoot" Johnson, American prohibition worker, abandoned an attempt to speak at the armory here last night where he was scheduled to talk in support of the prohibition question, soon to go before the Ontario voters, and was escorted across the border to Detroit by police officers.

When Johnson appeared on the platform he was greeted by jeers, singing and whistling and was unable to make himself heard.

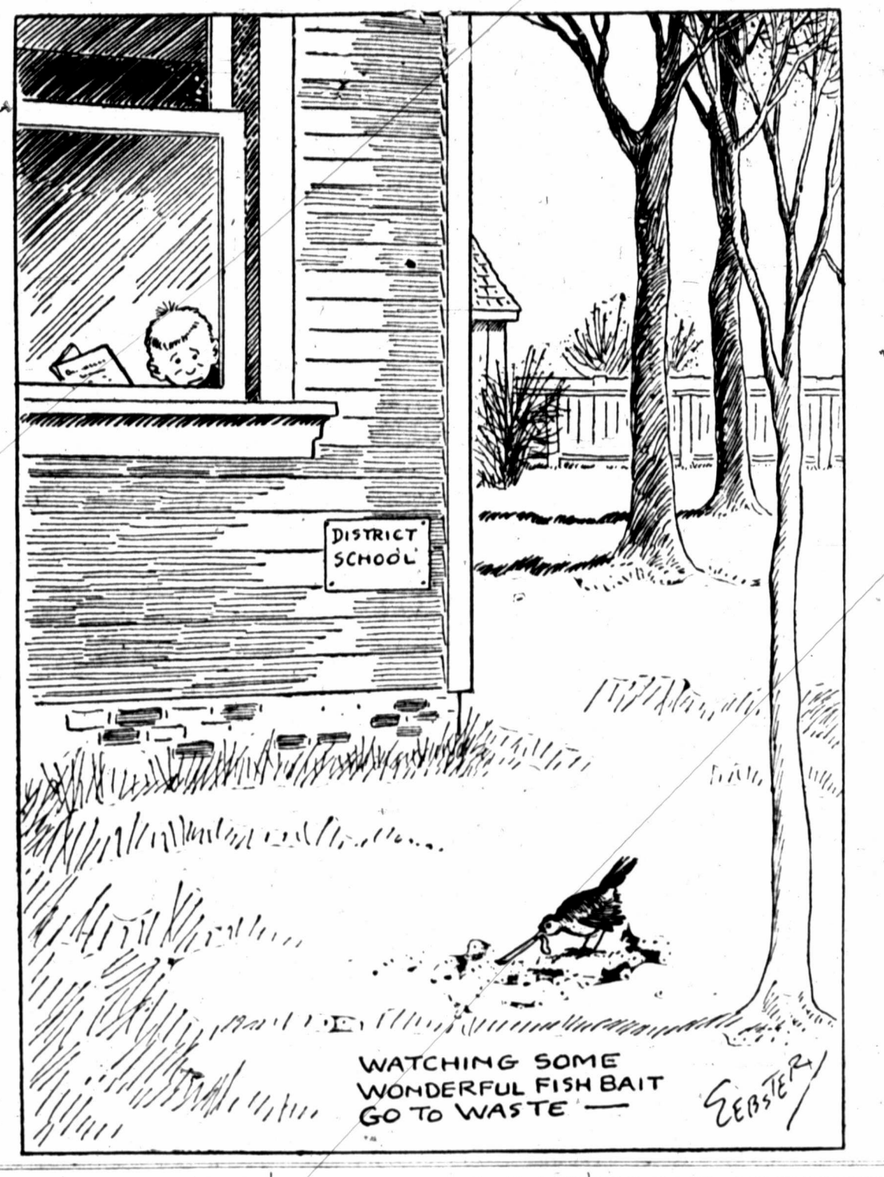
A number of ex-service men intervened, but were unable to quiet the crowd.

"They're making more dry votes than I could if I talked all night" Johnson observed as he left the hall.

Outside, a crowd followed the lecturer and his escort. Several missiles were thrown, it was said, but Johnson was unharmed.

Opposition to Johnson's appearance here first developed several weeks ago when he was denied use of the armory. This difficulty was overcome, however, and no disturbance had been expected.

LIFE'S DARKEST MOMENT



REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

N. B. Chenault to Mrs. Jettie Harrison, all north 46 2-3 feet lot 3, block 210, city, $10,500.

J. M. Bonner to Pete Anostopulos, lot 13, block 49, Floral Heights.

R. B. Robbins to Lester T. Burns, lot 13, block 81, Floral Heights, $1,400.

W. H. Matthews et ux to Thos. E. Hill, lot 14, block 111, Floral Heights.

S. T. Freeman to Z. E. Brown, lot 3, block 2, Sibley Taflor, $400.

George W. Lee et ux to Thos. E. Hill, lot 25, block 5, Sibley Taylor, $875.

F. M. Kell to Harry Krebs, lot 15, block 3, South Side addition.

J. W. Friedly et ux to J. W. Heidrick, lots 5-6, block 127, Electra.

A. A. Laden et ux to W. B. Perryman lot 1, block 101, Floral Heights.

W. P. Berryman to A. A. Laden, same as above.

P. B. M. company to Barnard Realty company, lot 5, block 154, city, $185,000.

H. G. Sanders to Eugene Putman, part of outer block 21, Burkburnett.

F. M. Kell to P. S. Funk, lots 16, 17, 18, block 3, South Side addition, $1700.

H. J. Naylor to Joe Marek, lot 20, block 2, Trueheart subdivision of Bellevue addition, city, $4,000.

W. W. Anderson et al to T. K. Day, lots 2, 3, 4, block B, R. F. Carter subdivision, block 5.

Otto Stehlik to H. J. Naylor, same as above.

G. E. Davis et ux to P. S. Funk, 147.3 acres block 28, league 4, Denton county school land.

A. R. Barker to A. R. Watland, lot 177, Henderson resurvey, block 230, city.

Mrs. C. E. Hildreth to Flourney J. A. Maley, et ux, lot 4, block 136, city.

J. H. Walker to Fred Carter, lot 10, block 228.

E. E. Richardson et ux to S. Heyser, lot 14, block 32, Floral Heights, $3,500.

Linn A. Boyd to Mrs. Mary L. Griffin, lot 16, block 96, Floral Heights.

E. J. Lawrence to N. W. Treadgill, lot 15, block 16, Scotland.

M. L. Wimblood to W. E. Carrington, lot 4, block 3, South Park addition, $2,500.

Fred Carter to J. H. Allen, north 20 feet lot 8, south 30 feet lot 9, block 3, Jalonick, $10,000.

M. D. Walker to J. C. Mytinger, lot 6, block 32, Jalonick, $4,000.

Mary M. Honkimp et junx to Jas. M. Morton, lot 9, block 3, Jackson & Roberts addition, city.

J. W. Porter to A. R. Skinner, lot 19, block 90, Electra.

Watren Hunt to J. W. Porter, same as above.

F. Huff to Wichita Royalty company, lots 13, 14, Orchard addition, Burkburnett.

W. A. Squires et al to W. A. Squires, Panhandle Townsite company stock, abstract 307.

August Michna et ux to Louis Kro, north 60 acres of 120 acres L. Powell survey, abstract 242.

M. G. Wright et ux to W. B. Crumby, lot 16, block 3, Floral Heights.

N. H. Beer to M. L. Winblood, lot 4, block 3, South Park addition.

J. C. Mytinger to M. D. Walker, one-half interest lot 6, block [illegible] Jalonick.

Ben N. Corder et ux to E. M. Freind, lot 17, block 21, Electra.

Carl B. Chesney et ux to Mrs. Mable Groves, lot 6, block 15, Electra.

N. W. Self to Mrs. Carey A. Self, lots 5, 6, block 62, Electra.

Bill Johnson Oil company to H. E. Crawford, lots 9, 10, 11, block 12, Woodriff Heights addition Electra.

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LLOYD GEORGE HEARS BOTH PARTIES TO THE BRITISH CONTROVERSY

MINE OWNERS CONFER WITH PREMIER BEFORE NOON; MINERS FOLLOW.

REPORT WILL BE MADE TO THE "TRIPLE ALLIANCE"

Prospects For Settlement Were Generally Held Out As Being Favorable.

LONDON, April 12—Both sides in the controversy between mine owners and coal diggers, which brought about the strike of British miners last month, were received by Premier Lloyd George today. The mine owners conferred with Mr. Lloyd George at 11 o'clock and the miners were ready to talk with the premier immediately after the conclusion of his conversation with the owners.

Representatives of the miners will report to the "triple alliance" of labor later in the day as to whether the prospects of a settlement are sufficiently favorable to justify the postponement of the strike of the national union of railway men and the national federation of transport workers, members of which are prepared to walk out at 12 o'clock tonight. It was declared here today that there would be no strike of these two organizations unless negotiations to be carried out today broke down.

Prospects were generally held out as favorable, although a number of the miners' executive committee said last night:

"We Have Not Come to Grips

"We have not come to grips as yet on counter proposals."

Yesterday's progress barely passed the preliminary stage of the statement of the respective cases of those directly involved in the miners' strike, and, says the London Times, "nothing emerged from them but a presentation of the problem in all its naked difficulty."

It was stated in various quarters today that the miners were preparing to accept a wage reduction by the establishment of a sliding scale schedule based on the cost of living. It was pointed out, that in event the most unfavorable circumstances, the transport strike can not begin until Friday, as seamen and firemen, whose union is affiliated with the transport workers' federation, insisted on a ballot before walking out. This vote began today and will take four days to be cast.

Operations to insure the safety of the mines from flooding are proceeding without hindrance in most of the coal fields in the United Kingdom. The only exception is found in Fifeshire, where only two of sixty-four pits are being pumped.

Sanitarium Will Take Place Juarez Gambling Houses

JUAREZ, MEXICO, April 12.—Threatened with having to close their gambling house here within 30 days, by order of the national government, Benjamin Ravilla and Manuel Lopez, owners of the gambling concession, have announced formation of a company to build and operate a sanitarium for tubercular's in Juarez. Already tents are being pitched on the old race track property for the care of patients. Men now employed in the gambling concessions will be retained in hospital work, the promoters of the plan said.

DEATH SENTENCE FOR CARL PARKER CHARGED WITH HOUSTON MURDER

HOUSTON, April 12.—Carl Parker, alleged admitted slayer of Mordie A. Conroy, 22 year old rent car driver, was given the death sentence here today by the jury after five hours' deliberations.

Parker was tried for killing the chauffeur the night of February 12. Conroy was shot to death while taking Parker, Flora Moore, "bobbed haired woman," and Walter Ussery to the Goose Creek oil fields for work. After being killed he was thrown by the side of the road and his car taken.

DENISON MAN BECOMES PRESIDENT GRAHAM BANK

GRAHAM, TEXAS, April 12.—Claude Lovelace for four years cashier of the Denison Bank & Trust Company, has severed his connection with that institution and has located in Graham where he becomes president of the Guaranty State Bank of this city. Tom Rodgers and O. R. Nicholson of the Denison Bank & Trust Company are interested with Mr. Lovelace in his new venture.

SANTA FE PROPOSES A REDUCTION IN WAGES

TOPEKA, KAN., April 12.—A proposed twenty per cent cut in wages of practically all employes of the Santa Fe will be discussed at a conference here beginning April 26.

DEMOCRATS SHOW FIGHT IN CONGRESS EARLY IN SESSION

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The democratic minority in congress was showing fight today although hopelessly outnumbered.

In both house and senate, protests against republican methods of organizing for business were made. They were promptly overridden of course, but democratic leaders said they "had gone on record" and were current.

Democratic senators made strong objections against the republican proposal to amend senate rules to permit committees to have 16 instead of 15 members. The additional member in each case would be a new republican senator for whom committee places have to be made.

Democrats claim this is a despotic use of partisan advantage and that it puts them at an unfair disadvantage in the framing of important legislation.

Senator Hitchcock, acting democratic leader, said he would fight the rule as hard as possible, though the republican margin of 22 votes means defeat for the democrats.

In the house the fight was waged late yesterday on the provision to allow suspension of the rules by a two-thirds vote. Under suspension of the rules a bill can be rushed through after forty minutes debate without any opportunity for amendment.

Representative Pou, North Carolina, pointed out that the republicans have more than two-thirds of the house membership, that they can bring in party measures, suspend the rules, rush them to a vote and pass them without the opposition being heard. He proposed making a three-fourths vote necessary to suspension but was beaten.

Wealthy Farmer Beaten to Death And Left in Barn

BELLEVILLE, ILL., April 12.—With his hands and legs tied, a gag in his mouth and a gunny sack over his head, the body of Leonard Kolter, 66, wealthy bachelor farmer, was found beaten to death in the barn at his home near here last night by deputy sheriffs.

Neighbors with whom Kolter had been sleeping since two other murderous attacks were made on him, had notified the sheriffs office of the man's disappearance. Robbery was evidently the motive, the man's house having been ransacked.

REMEDIES ARE SUGGESTED BY BOARD OF AGRICULTURE

TOPEKA, KAN., April 12.—Lower freight rates on agricultural products and livestock, a tariff to protect the farmer, federal co-operative marketing laws and reduced railroad rates for harvest hands were urged in resolutions adopted by the quarterly session of the state board of agriculture yesterday.

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REPUBLIC OF PANAMA CONCENTRATES ARMY ALONG THE FRONTIER

SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA, April 12.—Troops of the Republic of Panama are being concentrated in the Coto and Almirante districts along the Costa Rican frontier and are being closely watched by military leaders in this country. Military preparations for the purpose of countering any blow struck by Panama are not being made, as the government and people of Cota Rica are confident the United States will follow out the program laid down by Charles Evans Hughes in his note to Costa Rica and Panama. It is stated the Costa Rican government is holding the Panaman steamer Belen Quisada as a result of Panama's refusal to return several launches captured near Coto at the time when war seemed imminent a few weeks ago.

FUNERAL SERVICE FOR MISS ANNA PACE AND BODY GOES TO TEMPLE

NEW YORK, April 12.—Funeral services were held here today for Miss Anna Pace, after which the body was prepared for shipment to her former home in Temple, Texas.

Miss Mary Allan Stuart, with whom Miss Pace lived and associated in literary work, accompanied the body.

Miss Pace was born in Temple July 29, 1880, graduated from Baylor University and did graduate work at Chicago and Yale Universities. She was a member of the New York American Sunday staff when she died. She was a member of the socialist party and had made investigations of working conditions.

BOTH PARTIES HAVE TICKET IN EL PASO CITY ELECTION

EL PASO, April 12.—For the first time in the history of El Paso voters today were balloting for city officials with a complete republican ticket opposing a full democratic slate. The pre-election campaign was one of the liveliest ever staged here. Both sides were predicting victory, the republicans basing their claim that for the first time they carried the city on the gubernatorial and presidential ticket last November. Democrats asserted that with only local issues to be met, they would win with the usual majority. Mayoralty candidates are Charles Davis, democrat, for re-election, and Scott White, republican.

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Statement To This Effect Is Made In Connection With Decision Rendered Monday.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Oklahoma won in the supreme court the first big point in her suit with Texas for jurisdiction over valuable Red river oil fields.

In an opinion which was unanimous, except that Associate Justice Clarke took no part, the court held that the south bank of the Red river must be taken as the true boundary between Texas and Oklahoma, from the southeastern corner of the latter state to the point where the river crosses the 100th meridian of longitude. More than 1,000 miles of boundary were permanently fixed by the decision.

The court bases its findings specifically on terms of the treaty signed in 1819 between the United States and Spain which "consummated the Louisiana purchase." That document, it held, affirming its own decision in the case of the United States versus Texas, set the south bank of the river as the true boundary.

The limitation of the exact location of the "south bank" was postponed until entering of the formal decree which will be promulgated, it was announced today, within the next thirty days.

Not Well Founded.

"The contention that the evidence and arguments in the Greer county case (United States versus Texas) raised no controversy as to whether the boundary followed the mid-channel or the south bank, is not well founded," Associate Justice Pitney, who read the court's decision said. "The treaty of 1819, and a mass of historical data bearing upon its proper interpretation were before the court. From excerpts between the secretary of state, John Quincy Adams, and the Spanish minister, it appeared that the question whether the boundary should follow the middle of the Sabine and Red rivers or the westerly bank of the former and the southerly bank of the latter, was one of the points under discussion, the Spanish minister proposing the middle lines, Mr. Adams the banks."

The opinion that recited that among Adams' memoirs was found a statement that the objection of Spain to making the banks, instead of the center of the stream, the boundary, "was finally abandoned."

Soon after the suit in equity was instituted by the state of Oklahoma, attention of the supreme court was called to "serious conflicts" which had occurred between county officials from both sides of the Red river over disputed jurisdiction and between claimants to oil and gas rights under laws of the two states as opposed to other claims based on the contention that the oil deposits under the river were vested in the federal government.

Receiver Appointed.

Recognizing "the danger of armed conflict," even, the court said, it proceeded to appoint a federal receiver to take charge of all property within the disputed territory. Frederic A. DeLano, who was appointed, has continued to develop the oil properties, and to pay over a proportion of the proceeds to the owners, holding the balance against a decision of the court.

A new element was injected in the case last Saturday when John M. Taylor, claiming to represent certain Indians, filed a petition for leave to intervene. He presented a patent covering much of the disputed territory, said to have been issued by President Van Buren to the Cherokees. Taylor explained today that he did not represent the Cherokee nation, but that branch known as "the eastern emigrant Cherokees," an offshot of the principal national body and including some 28,000 members.

Monday's decision will not affect the suit instituted by his principals, Taylor insisted.

Authorities Find Parents Are Giving Ether to Children

WESTFIELD, MASS., April 12.—Efforts of the school authorities to stop ether drinking by school children resulted today in the threat of one mother to drown her children if the investigation was continued.

The school authorities found that parents, chiefly foreigners, were giving ether to their children to satisfy their appetites for food and to make them quiet when they became noisy.

Although the practice of ether drinking was discovered several weeks ago, children continue coming to school suffering from its effects. Several new cases of ether "drowsiness" were found in the schools yesterday.

CAMP MABRY RIFLE MATCHES WEEK OF JUNE 27 TO JULY 2

AUSTIN, April 12.—The week of June 27 to July 2 has been designated for the state rifle matches to be held at Camp Mabry, according to an announcement by Adjutant General Barton. The matches follow immediately upon the close of the state national guard encampment.

Third Millionaire Husband of 'Peggy' Wants a Divorce

By United Press.

CHICAGO, April 12.—The third millionaire husband of Peggy Hopkins, beautiful show girl, has asked for his freedom today.

J. Stanley Joyce, multi-millionaire lumberman, in a suit filed asked that his marriage to Peggy be annulled and that she refund close to a million dollars of his property.

The list of co-respondents that Joyce names looks like a social register. They follow:

Barton French, said to be a New York millionaire; Henri Letellier, Parisian journalist; Maurice, a dancer whose first name is unknown, and Evans Spaulding, official of the American Woolen Mills.

Blonde, slight and blue-eyed, Peggy started her matrimonial adventures when she was 17. She was Marguerite Upton of Norfolk, Virginia, and ran away with Everett Archer of Denver, Colorado. The marriage was annulled in six months. Later she married Sherburne Hopkins, Washington attorney.

Peggy later declared she was "off of" millionaires and went to New York where she starred in several Broadway successes.

She was divorced by Hopkins and married Joyce two days later.

Joyce asks annulment on the ground that she was still legally married to Hopkins when he married her, because the laws of Texas do not permit remarriage within such a short time.

ONE PERSON WAS KILLED AND EIGHT INJURED IN EXPLOSION AT AKRON, O.

AKRON, OHIO, April 12.—One person was killed and eight injured in an explosion at the Miller Rubber company today.

A boiler exploded in the power house to the rear of the main building, caving in the entire structure. All the ambulances in the city were called to the plant and the list of casualties is expected to be increased as relief workers search the wreckage.

FAMILY FORMER EMPRESS GATHERS FOR THE FUNERAL

DOORN, April 12.—The German flag flew at half mast over Doorn castle today as members of the Hohenzollern family gathered for the funeral of the ex-empress, Augusta Victoria.

The crown prince reached here from his asylum at Wierengen. His arrival differed from his usual dash into the quiet Dutch town in a roaring automobile. The entry was quiet, and Friederich Wilhelm brought with him black-clad officials of the Dutch government to condole with his father. The gates to the former kaiser's residence were under double guard. Within the gates all was quiet. Only glimpses of occasional groups sauntering over the grounds could be sought.

The ex-emperor remained indoors. He was said to have isolated himself and to be showing signs of the deepest grief. His attendant was Prince Adelbert, in whose arms the empress died.

Dr. Dysander, former court chaplain, was another arrival today. He will have charge of the private services in the litle chapel today or tomorrow. He will have the assistance of clergymen from Haarlem and Doorn.

Plans were laid today for the removal of the body early in the morning after the services here. It will be taken to the railway station in a specially built automobile. At the boundary line the kaiser and crown prince will be halted, while the remains of the empress go on to Berlin to be paid the honors of royalty.

GRAHAM NEGRO KILLED HIS WIFE IS ARRESTED

GRAHAM, TEXAS, April 12.—Tom Allen, negro porter for the Rock Island, was stabbed to death by his wife, Viola, shortly before noon Sunday following an alleged drunken brawl. The affair took place in the house just below the cemetery, or what has been characterized as "Little Africa." The woman was placed under arrest and landed in jail.

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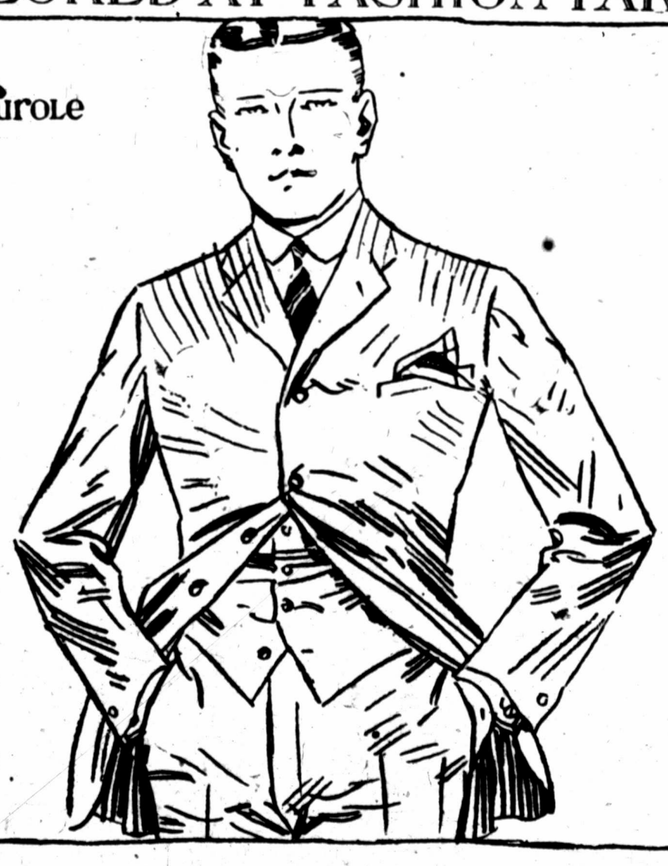

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Big League Teams All Set For Opening Gong

Farrell Says Big Question Is, Whether Baseball Will "Come Back" After the Scandal of Last Year

Big League Clubs Said to Be After Galveston Players

GALVESTON, TEXAS, April 12.—Attempts of big league clubs to purchase stars of the rejuvenated Galveston team of the Texas league have proved futile, according to an announcement by Bob Tarleton, business manager of the Sandcrabs. The new management of the locals, he added, is determined to give the island city fans the best talent that can be assembled.

Jim Jolly, a Lockhart, Texas, southpaw, who recently planked Tris Speaker's Cleveland Indians, is wanted by at least three teams, according to Manager Tarleton. Speaker asked for an option on Jolly immediately after the Lockhart boy had held his world's champions impotent for nine innings, while Fred Mitchell, manager of the Boston Braves, also had attempted to obtain Jolly's services. The other bidder for Jolly was the New York Giants, according to Tarleton.

Slim McGrew, Dutch Schleiber and Bittle are other Galveston players for whom offers have been received.

SPORT BRIEFS

The Boston Americans in the opening game of the season at Washington tomorrow probably will play with their $250,000 infield, it was announced today. Second Baseman Derrill Pratt was expected to join the team in time for the game. First Baseman McInnis already is with the club, and Third Baseman Vitt and Shortstop Scott are reported to be recovered from their injuries and able to play. Manager Duffy, it was reported, has selected Sam Jones and Muddy Ruel as the Sox battery.

The New York Nationals will meet Fordham university's team in the final exhibition game of the training season today, while the Yankees rest for their opening game at New York tomorrow with the Athletics. After the Fordham game the Giants will leave for Philadelphia to open the season with the Phillies. Phil Douglas or Rube Benton probably will do mound duty for the Giants at Philadelphia. Carl Mays is slated for the call against the Athletics.

Tom Gibbons of St. Paul will engage Larry Williams, Bridgeport, Conn., heavyweight, in a 15 round bout at New York tonight. In a recent bout in Gotham, Gibbons knocked out Paul Sampson in less than two rounds.

Harry Greb knocked out Soldier Jones in the fourth round at Toronto last night.

Johnny Ray and Johnny Dundee fought a 10-round draw at Pittsburgh.

Joseph Kirkwood, Australian open golf champion, was a passenger aboard the steamship Atlantic sailing today for England. While abroad he will participate in the English open championship and the French open tournament, after which he will return to the United States for the national open event.

The Detroit Tigers have released Ernie Boland, veteran pitcher, who injured his pitching arm last year and has since been unable to get into shape.

Suspension of Infielder Roy Grimes for refusal to report to the Toledo club of the American association after being released by the New York Giants, was announced at Toledo today in a message to Roger Bresnahan. Grimes, according to Bresnahan's message, demanded a bonus of $1,500 before making the trip to the minor league. This was refused.

RISBERG EXPECTED TO FURNISH BOND TODAY

CHICAGO, April 12.—Swede Risberg, former White Sox shortstop, under indictment in connection with the baseball scandal, was expected to furnish $8,000 bond today.

Ben Franklin of St. Louis, one of the alleged gamblers indicted in the scandal, gave $8,000 bail yesterday.

Cubs Back Home.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Manager Johnny Evers and his Cubs arrived in Chicago today.

The team will work out today preparatory to opening the season tomorrow against St. Louis.

The Cubs wound up their spring training trip at Rock Island yesterday by beating the Rock Island club 17 to 1.

Tumble In.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Two heats, two semi-finals and a half mile final will be run the opening of the world's amateur championship roller skating races here tonight.

The races will continue until April 16.

Forty-two speeders are entered in the various events.

Jersey Suits Carpentier.

MADRID, April 12.—Georges Carpentier is pleased with the selection of New Jersey as the site for his meeting with Jack Dempsey for the world's championship, he said here today. He has booked passage for America on May 7.

HOPE THEY DON'T ENFORCE THIS AT ATHLETIC PARK

CHICAGO, April 12.—Players in the American association using profanity on the baseball field will be banished immediately from the grounds, President Hickey said today in instructing his umpires in regard to the ruling for the opening of the season tomorrow. Pitchers will be forbidden to use any foreign substance in their delivery, which means that the emery and spit balls and other freak deliveries will be prohibited.

WHERE THEY WILL PLAY TOMORROW.

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

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

By HENRY L. FARRELL.
United Press Staff Correspondent.

NEW YORK, APRIL 12.—Spring planting in baseball starts tomorrow.

Sixteen major league managers will drop a pennant seed with crossed fingers and the hope that its plant will bloom in October with a world's series crop of coin.

The 1921 season starts with the usual assortment of predictions and hopes for success.

Last year at this time the issue was —"Will baseball come back after the war?"

This year it is—"Will baseball come back after the scandal?"

Executive heads of the leagues and the club owners believe it will since organized baseball has shown its desire to keep the game clean by banishing the players which drew national suspicion on the game.

"Baseball had its best and most prosperous season last year. I can see not reason why it should not repeat this year," John A. Heydler, president of the National league, said today.

Politically the season starts with an improved organization presided over by Judge Landis. Technically, both leagues look stronger, with improved clubs that should furnish the hottest race of recent years for the championship honors.

Very few critics look to see the honors won by the same teams. Cleveland is considered a repeater in the American league, but the New York Giants are favored to beat out the Brooklyn Robins for the privilege of defending the National league flag in the series battles.

The National league has two greatly improved clubs in the Giants and the Pittsburgh Pirates, which look to have the prize between them.

The Giants found in Goldie Rapp, former St. Paul third baseman, an infielder who promises to fill a hole through which the pennant slipped last years. Manager McGraw was also fortunate in picking up two fine pitching prospects in Bill Ryan and Pat Shea.

Rabbit Maranville will put new life and strength in the Pittsburgh Pirate, filling a want that also kept the Pirates down in the race last year.

The Cincinnati Reds are much weaker than they were last year and Brooklyn seems no better than last year, when the Robins slipped in on a fluke.

Cleveland, New York and St. Louis will battle it out in the American league with the bare chance that Washington and the Athletics will slip in and associate with the "upper classes."

Tris Speaker has the same club, with a much stronger pitching staff to go through the season. The Yanks have a powerful club, but slow and unwieldy, while the Browns lack pitchers to get by the Indians.

The White Sox perhaps will be watched closer than any team in the big leagues. Kid Gleason has a monumental task to build a club from the remnants of the wreck that survived last fall's expose. Chicago fans are discouraged and think they are shooting high when they hope for a first division club.

Ty Cobb's accomplishment as manager of the Detroit Tigers also will be watched with the greatest interest by the fans who are anxious to know if the game's greatest player can become the greatest manager. The "Georgia Peach" seems to have won the support of the players and had great results during the training season.

There are other new managers whose work will also add to the interest in the pennant races. Johnny Evers is back with his "old love," the Chicago Cubs; Bill Donovan is going to try what no one else has been able to do for the Phils and Fred Mitchell will handle the Boston Braves.

Half of the clubs in the American League will be in new hands. Like Ty Cobb, George McBride is making his managerial debut at Washington. Hugh Duffy will handle what is left of the Boston Red Sox after one of Harry Frazee's characteristic winters of trading and Lee Fohl will take Jimmy Burke's place with the St. Louis Browns.

As usual, Babe Ruth will be one of the big features of the season. If the Bambino can get away at an early start, it is almost a sure best that he will break the 54 home run record that he made last season.

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SPORT SHOTS

By Paul W. Larkin

They're All Doin' It.

It's the custom this season of the year for sport writers and fans all over the country to try and pick the order in which the major league clubs will wind up the race next September. We all come about as close as the kaiser did to Paris, and one guess is as good as another. We wouldn't advise anyone to lay much money (if there is much in circulation) on our selection, but after reading the dope of the various baseball chroniclers in the big league cities on the merits of their clubs, we feel as qualified to express an opinion as the next man.

Look 'Em Over.

In the American league our selection would run this way: New York, Cleveland, Washington, St. Louis, Philadelphia, Detroit, Boston, Chicago. In the National league we would pick the teams to finish in the following order: New York, Pittsburgh, Brooklyn, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia. We may be the only one in our fair city who picks 'em that way and may be the only one in the country. If such is the case, you'll have to admit that we're original anyway. There are probably many reasons why the clubs shouldn't finish in the order named, but we know of several why we think they should. However, we'll paste the selection up in front of us and will tell you how close we came next fall.

Passing the Buck.

As stated yesterday, Walter Saim made a hurried trip to Dallas and also sneaked over to Corsicana. We knew of no reason yesterday morning for his sudden decision to leave town, but we think we've got a clue now. The Boss was scheduled to bring his clan up to the Kiwanis dinner and he knew he would be called upon to make a brief talk. Walter admits that as a public speaker he's a wonderful manager. This may not be the reason, but you can not blame a man for thinking. The fact remains that he ducked and passed the buck to Will Gray.

Marines Land First Baseman.

The Marines have been just as hard put to it for a first sacker as the Spudders, but think they have filled the hole at last. A boy named Maynard Felix, former University of Montana star, has been purchased from the Cincinnati Reds and the boy is touted as a wonder. However, the lineup which Jim Galloway will use here Friday is still in doubt. The Spudders took three out of four from them for a starter last year and should take at least two out of three this series.

Umpires Already Here.

Umpires Kane and Goss who will work in the opening contest here, came along with Walter Saim from Dallas and will get their lamps tuned up a bit by officiating in the Abilene games today and tomorrow. Goss has been working in the Shreveport exhibition series and has all kinds of nice things to say about Roy Storey's work. The former Spudder must be hitting a merry clip. The sport scribes in that town are all lauding him to the skies and now comes words of praise from a disinterested person.

Aunt Charlie Rose.

Bill Ruggles, writing in the Dallas News, thinks Saim has an ace in the hole in Charlie Rose, the diminutive southpaw who has been working out daily with the boys. Charlie was the most consistent southpaw in the Texas league from 1908 through 1915, writes Ruggles, and if he can come back to his old form he'll be one of the most valuable men on the staff. He and Frank Kitchens were old battery mates with the Houston club several years ago.

Don't Forget Friday.

Don't forget, boys, we've got to win that attendance cup Friday. Even if you have to dig up last winter's overcoats and the wife has to get the furs out of the cedar chest, be on deck and show the boys you are with them. Wichita Falls was the greatest baseball town in the circuit last year and there's no reason why it shouldn't be this year. There are over 5,000 real baseball fans in this city and everyone should be out at Athletic park at 4 o'clock Friday. The merchants have done their parts by closing the stores. It's up to the general public now.

City League Surprises.

More than one surprise was sprung in the opening city league clashes and many weaknesses not heretofore noticed cropped out. The champion Wichita Motors accepted defeat as did the Gulf, which was supposed to have a whirlwind club. The Railroaders also muffed one while the supposedly weak Texhomas played as good ball as any club in the circuit. The cold weather was the most popular alibi, but the defeated clubs are doing some hustling to avoid a repetition of Saturday's calamities. Over-confidence has lost many a pastime.

Moist air heats more quickly than dry air.

FASTEST HUMAN SNAPPED AT TAPE AS HE EQUALLED 100-YARD RECORD

This truly remarkable photograph shows the finish of the 100-yard dash in California recently in which Charles Paddock, the University of Southern California sprinter, equalled the world's record of nine and three-fifths seconds. Paddock is shown leaping in the air, literally hurling himself at the tape. Morris Kirksey, captain of the Stanford university track team, and himself one of the greatest sprinters in the country, is shown at the left, his foot just touching the finish line. Paddock is probably the "fastest human" on earth, having broken the world's record for 220 yards and twice equalling the 100-yard record within one week.

The SPORTLIGHT by Grantland Rice

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THE FANATIC REPORTS.

There's a stir and a whirr and a tremble and quiver,
A ripping and rearing and volcanic roar;
A crash and a smash with a shake and a shiver,
A mixture of spasm and frenzy galore.
A cross between tidal wave, cyclone and earthquake,
Flame, wind and water all out on a lark,
With echoes titanic that sound like a panic
Plus ten tons of dynamite hitched to a spark.
With his red eyes aflame
In the glow of the game,
As red as a beacon that burns,
With a leap and a run
To his place in the sun
The rabid Fanatic returns.

The dead year is past and the live one beginning,
As on to the frolic he moves in a stream;
For spring brings the revelry back to its inning
Where pallid existence moves out from its dream;
The bustle and tussle—the rustle and hustle,
The Let-er-go-Gallagher toe-hold and tooth,
The swing and the sweep of the [illegible]
With "damned be the pitcher who passes 'Babe' Ruth!"
With his pulses a-jump
And his neck in a hump
While cheering for Speaker or [illegible]
With a leap and a run
To his place in the sun,
The pop-eyed Fanatic returns.

That wan ghost you see fading from the scene today is the Dope, which at last gives way to the Box Score and the Standing of the Clubs. In the face of this keen competition you know what chance the succulent Dope has at catchweights.

ASKING A WHY.

There are occasions when a smart pitcher will ease "Babe" Ruth along to first base, using an intentional pass for this ruthless purpose.

But why all the wholesale passing which developed last year?

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He scored about as many runs from his passes as he did from his four-base blows. Which may be keen, inside strategy. But, we doubt it.

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TIT VS. TAT.

Great Britain has bagged one of our amateur golf championships and we have bagged one of hers, where Hilton and Travis were the winners.

So the count is now in the precise neighborhood of 50-50. The battle to put a second winner over the bunkered huidies has been raging merrily, off and on, ever since. If your eminent Uncle Sam can't turn the trick next month with a team that features "Chick" Evans, Francis Ouimet and Bobby Jones, the deadlock will remain quite a spell. These are the best we have among our amateurs.

If they are not enough, we don't see what any one can do about it, temporarily at least.

George Sisler, of Nimisilla, Ohio, and St. Louis, Mo., starts his first year as league leader at the conservative age of twenty-eight. He is five years younger than Tris Speaker and seven years younger than Ty Cobb, his main rivals. Unless these two veterans can stop him, he seems to have a clear road again as the leading scholar in the School of Swat. "Babe" Ruth is about the only other possibility. Sisler has a big advantage over Cobb and Speaker in the extra speed that belongs to youth—the speed that nets a half stride on an infield tap, one of the main features in Cobb's astonishing leadership for twelve out of thirteen years.

Sisler, of Nimisilla, Ohio; Cobb, of Royston, Ga.; Speaker, of Hubbard City, Texas. Total population of all three towns under 10,000. New York, Chicago, Boston and Philadelphia kindly take notice.

The spring season arrived just as the fiscal quarrels between Benny Leonard and "Rocky" Kansas, and between Ed Lewis and S. Zbyszko, had almost reached the impassioned stage. As it is, these two unhappy estrangements provide a running start when the next dish is ready to be served—at the prevailing tax.

GIANTS ARE RAPIDLY ROUNDING INTO FORM

Hospital List Diminishing And McGraw Should Have Sensational Club.

By FRANK GRAHAM
(New York Sun.)

(Written for the United Press.)

NEW YORK, April 12.—With the lame and halt in uniform again and not quite as lame and halting as they were a week ago, the Giants are picking up about where they left off when they ran into their series of mishaps.

The Giant infield is composed of young, seasoned players and it ought to be the best infield the Giants have had in a number of years. George Kelly at first base, is one of the most improved players in the league. Frank Frisch should be the best second baseman in the league. Dave Bancroft removes all worry about shortstop and at thirdbase, Goldie Rapp promises to be a sensation.

The outfield will be composed of George Burns in left field, Young in right, and either Walker or Brown in center. Burns is still the best left fielders in baseball. Young constantly is getting better, and in either Walker or Brown the Giants have a capable substitute for Benny Kauff, or at least the Benny Kauff of last year. Both can hit the ball and each is a wonderful fielder.

The pitching staff probably will consist of nine men, a rather bulky staff, but McGraw has always been partial to large staffs.

Earl Smith and Frank Synder will bear the brunt of the catching with Gonzales and either Gaston or Henline to help out.

RICKARD TOURING JERSEY LOOKING OVER SITES

NEW YORK, April 12.—Tex Rickard went on a tour of New Jersey today looking over the sites that Newark and Jersey City have to offer for the Dempsey-Carpentier battle.

Sox on Way to Detroit.

CHICAGO, April 12.—The White Sox squad left here today for Detroit where they will open the American League season tomorrow.

Manager Gleason gave his tribe a stiff work out yesterday and announced his men were in the pink of condition.

Panthers vs. Cleburne.

CLEBURNE, TEXAS, April 12.—The Fort Worth club of the Texas league and Cleburne of the Texas-Oklahoma league will open the inter-league series here today.

Iceland has numerous hot springs.

BRENNAN SAYS FOUR ROUNDS ARE ENOUGH

Heavyweight Aspirant Thinks Jack Will Put Frenchman To Sleep In Jig Time.

By HENRY L. FARRELL.
United Press Staff Correspondent.

NEW YORK, April 12.—"Four rounds will be enough and a decision will not be needed for the winner." So says Bill Brennan, the big Chicago heavyweight, about the Dempsey-Carpentier fight.

Brennan met Dempsey twice. Six rounds the first time and twelve rounds the second. He thinks he ought to know something about the champion. "Carpentier is fast enough to keep away from Dempsey for about three rounds but he'll get it no later than the fourth," Brennan said here today.

"The Frenchman is a wonderful boxer but he's not rugged enough to take the wallops that Dempsey is bound to get over on him. Carpentier is not a lot heavier than when he was taking a lacing from all the American middleweights.

"Yes, Carpentier can punch but I don't believe he can hit a whole lot harder than I can. In our last fight I hit Dempsey square on the jaw three times with every ounce of strength I had and he didn't go down. I had him groggy in the third round but he came right back."

Logan Defeats Montes.

MEMPHIS, TENN., April 12.—Shifty Logan, local lightweight, decisively defeated Mercy Montes, San Antonio, Texas, here last night in eight fast rounds.

Frannon Defeats Moran.

NEW ORLEANS, April 12.—Frankie Frannon, California, outfought and won a 15-round decision over Pal Moran, New Orleans, here last night.

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JUDGE JONES TRIAL PASSED TO FRIDAY

Willie Shelton, Negro, Will Be Tried On Charge of Murder, Beginning Wednesday.

By agreement between counsel the case against Judge J. P. Jones which had been set for trial for Wednesday morning was passed on for trial beginning Friday morning at nine o'clock in the 89th district court.

The trial of Willie Shelton, negro, charged with the murder of Thomas Abecher, the aged night watchman of the Bob Waggoner building, will be begun Wednesday morning. The jury will be selected from the regular jury for the week.

When it became apparent that the Loma Conn murder trial would be concluded at noon Tuesday, witnesses in the Judge Jones case were summoned to appear Tuesday noon. Judge Martin excused them until Friday morning.

CASE IN WHICH STATE ASKS AN INJUNCTION IS ARGUED

The case of Henry J. Scott vs. the Southwestern Railway Co., in which the state of Texas is intervenor, seeking an injunction, is being argued in the federal court. The state is asking for an order restraining the receiver from junking the road which runs from Henrietta to Archer City. The road has not been operated for some months.

CONFISCATES ANOTHER STILL AT VERNON

United States Deputy Marshal J. M. Allen confiscated another still at Vernon Monday night. J. C. Crim was placed under arrest charged with operating the still. A quantity of finished product was destroyed.

Suits Filed in 30th District Court.

Marie Gravitt vs. Phineas Gravitt, divorce.

May Cordes vs. Louis Cordes, divorce.

C. H. Redway vs. Lina C. Redway, divorce.

Rankin & Heflin vs. Burk Louisiana Oil Co. et al., debt.

Bradford Supply Co. vs. U. S. Oil corporation et al, debt.

C. E. Litchfield vs. H. C. Powell et al, debt and damages.

Suits Filed in 89th District Court.

Rebecca Nicholson vs. R. F. Nicholson, divorce.

E. O. Brakehill vs. Aggers Production company, debt and foreclosure.

Suits Filed in County Court of Law.

W. S. Langford vs. John M. Martin, debt.

Marriage Licenses.

Luciano Rodigras and Tules Botello.

Jake Davis and Mazie Reed, both of Vernon.

William L. Darbell and Merle B. Fowler of Bridgetown.

Jack Gaber of Childress and Lura Flake.

Fred Blackwell and Ruth Durham of Burkburnett.

J. A. McEyles and Mrs. Mollie A. Gaskin.

Charles G. Lockett and Mabel Rowe.

E. P. Warren and Pearle Shields, both of Byers.

W. B. Addington of White Flat, Texas, and Bertie Kennedy.

William Bridges and Minnie W. Taylor, colored.

Oscar Jackson and Mary Albright, colored.

John Vara and Martha Tobin.

C. J. Guidros and Edna Johnson.

Jim Newsome and Johnnie Shorters.

P. J. Conkwright and Agnes Ledbetter of Oklahoma City.

J. F. Smith and Bonnie Brougton of Joplin.

Frank Wilson and Cora Chapman, colored.

Leases and Assignments.

Condo Petroleum company to W. M. Priddy part of north one-third of lot 2, Tidwell subdivision of block 98, Red river valley lands.

E. R. Pain to George Berg, north one-half of west one-half of block 25, South Side Farm, abstract 241.

J. D. Robertson to Levi Gamble et al, lots 4, 5, block 151, city.

Jas. E. Dunn to Meridan Petroleum corporation one-fourth acre of east one-half of west one-half of north one acres of south 2½ acres of west 5 acres of east 15 acres of 20 acres of west 80 acres, block 85, Red river valley lands.

Early Bird Oil company to Jas. E. Dunn, north 7½ acres of 15 acres of 125 acres, block 142, Red river valley lands.

Foster P. Jennings to D. F. Rhodes, east 13.5 acres of Denton county school lands in blocks 1, 2, league 4.

N. H. Martin to Empire Texas Oil company, west 5 acres of south 10 acres of north 60 acres of W. F. George 125 acres, abstract 292.

Abernathy Oil and Gas company to Roy I. Carter, 5 acres of Doneghy subdivision of block 9, Red river valley lands.

Rex McReynolds to J. A. Colter, south 2 4-5 acres of 5 acres, Doneghy subdivision of block 9, Red river valley lands.

W. J. Goodwin to Mrs. W. Lloyd Goodwin, east one acres of north 1½ acres of 5 acres, block 74, Red river valley lands.

A. L. Peter to Calf Burk Oil company, south 21 acres of east 41 acres of east 81 acres of block 46, Red river valley lands.

Keller Bros. Oil company to W. T. Tarkenton, east 40 acres of west 60 of north 80 of 229.7 acres, C. Winters survey, abstract 322.

PARK BUREAU MEETING WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON TO CONSIDER TENNIS PLANS

A meeting of the park bureau of the chamber of commerce has been called for Wednesday afternoon at 3:30, when the work that has been done in the parks will be reviewed, and additional plans made.

Dr. J. F. Reed of the city council, in whose department the park work comes, will be at the meeting.

The bureau will also consider arrangements for the tennis tournament shortly to be staged here, with a view to using as many as possible of the park courts for the contest.

Work in the various parks has been going steadily forward, and some material improvement has been effected. It will be some weeks before the present work is finished.

City Briefs

Thursday is the last day of grace for local residents who were granted an extension of time on their 1920 income tax reports, according to word from the internal revenue office Tuesday, and those who were granted such extensions must have their reports filed not later than Thursday night.

C. W. Clark went to Dallas Tuesday morning.

Paul Davis and Miss Mary Lea Guthrie, Wichita Falls students at the state University, won places on the honor roll for the winter term, according to advices received here. Only 60 students in the University made grades sufficiently high to attain this honor.

Word has been received that John Tingrad Jr., of 1117 Ellsworth, has been promoted to the rank of corporal in the cadet corps at Kemper Military Institute.

TIMES DAILY MARKETS

New York Stocks—Grain and Provisions—Cotton—Livestock

COTTON MARKET.

New York Cotton.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The cotton market was very quiet again early today, the tendency to await developments being promoted by private cable advices on British strike negotiations. After opening 5 points lower to 5 points higher, prices here held steady with May selling around 12.00 and July 12.54.

New Orleans Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, April 12.—Uncertainty ruled in the early trading in cotton today because of the critical stage of strike negotiations in England. Cold weather in the belt, with much frost in the eastern half, was regarded unfavorably and around the opening the trading months were 1 to 10 points up. Later the market sagged and at the end of the first half hour of trading prices were 5 to 6 points under the last close. May traded up to 11.80 and fell back to 11.65.

Cotton closed steady at an advance of 17 to 29 points.

	High	Low	Close
May	12.00	11.67	11.89
July	12.45	12.07	12.23
October	12.90	12.56	12.80
December	13.05	12.90	13.05
January			13.20

New York Spot Cotton.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Spot cotton quiet; middling, 12.40.

Liverpool Cotton.

LIVERPOOL, April 12.—Cotton spot: Moderate business; prices steady. Good middling, 8.62; fully middling, 8.07; middling, 7.43; low middling, 6.31; good ordinary, 6.12; ordinary, 4.37. Sales, 5,000 bales, including 600 American. Receipts, 4,000 bales, including 2,000 American. Futures closed quiet and steady; April, 7.87; May, 8.02; July, 8.23; October, 8.44; December, 8.53; January, 8.56; March, 8.62.

New Orleans Spot Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, April 12.—Spot cotton steady; 13 points higher. Sales on the spot 443 bales; to arrive none; low middling 8.63; middling 11.38; good middling 13.13; receipts 3,546; stock 402,044.

Texas Spot Cotton.

DALLAS, April 12.—Cotton middling 10.10; steady. At Houston, 11.95; steady. At Galveston, 11.60; firm.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Lowest prices yet this season were reached in the wheat market today, and in rye, corn and provisions as well. Numerous holders of wheat appeared to have lost confidence and there was an apparent scarcity of buyers. Opening quotations, which ranged from 1c to 2c lower, with May $1.26½ to $1.27 and July $1.09 to $1.09¾, were followed by something of a rally, but then by declines lower than before.

Corn sympathized with wheat weakness. After opening 2c to 1½c off, including July at 61¾ to 61½c, the market continued to sag.

Oats were depressed by the action of other cereals, starting at 1c decline to 1c advance, July 38c to 38¼c, and later showing losses all around.

Provisions went down with hogs, which like grain dropped to a new low level for the season.

WHEAT—				
May	1.26⅝	1.27⅜	1.25	1.26⅜
July	1.09	1.10⅛	1.08¾	1.10⅛
CORN—				
May	57⅜	57⅞	56⅝	56⅞
July	61⅛	61⅝	59⅞	60⅜
OATS—				
May	36⅜	36¾	35¾	36⅛
July	38	38	37⅛	37⅛
PORK—				
May	15.25	15.35	15.20	15.25
July	15.50	15.65	15.50	15.65
LARD—				
May	9.75	9.85	9.65	9.82
July	10.17	10.27	10.07	10.27
RIBS—				
May	8.70	8.92	8.70	8.92
July	9.20	9.35	9.15	9.35

Chicago Produce.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Butter higher; creamery extras, 46@46½c. Eggs unsettled; receipts, 46,128 cases; firsts, 24c. Poultry alive unchanged.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

KANSAS CITY, April 12.—Cash wheat: No. 1 hard, $1.27@1.28; No. 1 red, $1.26@1.27.

Corn: No. 2 mixed, 51c; No. 2 white, 51@51½c; No. 2 yellow, 52c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 36½c; No. 2 mixed, 32½c.

Rye, $1.20.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The usual mixture of gains and losses, the former predominating, marked the opening of today's stock market session. Dealings were very light, dealers evidently holding back in anticipation of the publication of the president's message to congress. Utilities were the strongest features but heaviness was shown by the minor steels. Cuban-American sugar and food products also were lower.

Liberty Bond Quotations.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s 90.96; first 4s 87.50; second 4s 87.30 bid; first 4½s 87.62; second 4½s 87.52; third 4½s 90.66; fourth 4½s 87.62; victory 3¾s 97.58; victory 4¾s 97.58.

Money and Exchange.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Prime mercantile paper 7@8. Exchange easy; sterling 60-day bills and commercial 60-day bills on banks 3.87½; commercial 60-day bills 3.86½; demand 3.91¾; cables 3.92½; francs demand 7.10; cables 7.12. Belgian francs demand 7.29; cables 7.41. Guilders demand 34.60; cables 34.82; lire demand 4.65; cables 4.67. Marks demand 1.62; cables 2.63. Greece demand 7.23. Argentine demand 23.75. Brazilian demand 13.37. Montreal 11 9-16 per cent discount.

Government bonds steady; railroad bonds easy.

Time loans firm; 60 days, 90 days and six months 6@7 per cent.

Call money firmer; high 7; low 7; closing bid 6; offered at 7; bank acceptances 6.

Missing Two Weeks, Find Girl Asleep on Porch in Waukegan

WAUKEGAN, ILL., April 12.—Caryl Pattison, 20, a co-ed at the University of Illinois and daughter of Harry Pattison, rich real estate dealer of Peoria, who has been missing for two weeks, was found sleeping on the front porch of the home of John Mackin, wealthy lumberman, here today.

The door bell at the Mackin home rang numerous times last night, but Mrs. Mackin, fearing it was burglars, did not respond to the calls. As Mackin was going to work this morning, he noticed a girl asleep on the porch. He awoke her and asked the girl what her name was. She said she did not know. Mackin asked her what she was doing in Waukegan. She replied she came from the Evanston hospital, but refused to talk further.

Waukegan police immediately telephoned her father in Peoria. She is held pending his arrival.

LAST NIGHT'S DREAMS; WHAT THEY MEAN

Did You Dream of Portraits?

MOST of the mystic oracles agree that to dream of a portrait means bliss for the one whose face the portrait represents. But many say that it is an unfavorable omen to the dreamer, as well as to the person represented in the portrait, to dream of destroying the pictured face. Some of the mystic authorities assert that one who dreams of seeing his own portrait will have much happiness in married life. If he, or she, is not already married, he, or she, will soon enter into the wedded state, and that most happily. In short to dream of your own portrait is a sure sign of domestic, wedded bliss.

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some of the interpreters assert that an "unlimited amount" of flies seen in dream is a warning that your enemies are trying to destroy you, and that you should take good care of your health.

Some of the mystics dismiss the matter of flies in a dream by ignoring their significance entirely unless one dreams that he is bitten by them. In that case the dream has a significance which is that of persecutions on a small scale originating in envy and bringing annoyance and vexations to the dreamer. It will be seen that while a dream of flies is not the most fortunate one that can be imagined, yet it is no very serious portent for evil, and if you can "swat" a dream fly it is an omen of much success.

EGG OF A PASSENGER PIGEON WORTH $1,000

URBANA, ILL., April 12.—How would you like to buy a dozen eggs, guaranteed 'stale, for $12,000? With prices of ordinary "hen fruit" fluttering back to near reasonable levels, $1,000 seems high for any egg, but that is the estimated value of a single egg in the Natural History Museum of the University fo Illinois here. It is the egg of a passenger pigeon, an American bird now extinct. The egg was given to the University by T. E. Musselman, a former student.

The last known passenger pigeon died in the Cincinnati Zoological Gardens about five years ago. Following the bird's death, the American Ornithologists Union offered $7,000 to anyone proving the existence of a nesting pair, but none of the original species was ever discovered.

Passenger pigeons were once so numerous in the Mississippi valley that their migrations darkened the sky.

The only fungus used in medicine is the ergot of rye.

To-Day's Lucky Jewel Color Flower

By MILDRED MARSHALL

RUBY

THIS day belongs to the ruby, since it is both the talismanic stone and the natal gem. The ancients believed that it protected the bodily and mental health of its wearer, made him immune to sentiment, and ensured him protection against contagious disease.

For those involved in legal disputes, the ruby is a very lucky stone; it also brings wealth and high position to its wearers, according to Sir John Mandeville.

The Orientals believed that one should wear black on this day, thereby gaining courage and fortitude.

GOT $16,000 FOR RESCUE OF AGED CHICAGO WOMAN

TOULON, ILL., April 12.—A fairy godmother in the form of a little old lady whom he only saw once has made George Fogelsong happy with a gift of $16,000.

Fogelsong has been informed recently that Mrs. Marie Lee of Chicago has died and left him a legacy of $16,000.

While in the nearby town of Galva, about three years ago, Fogelsong rushed into the middle of a street and carried Mrs. Lee to safety when she became confused at the approach of an automobile. In saving the aged woman from possible death, Gogelsong barely escaped injury himself.

Mrs. Le ehad stopped in Galva on her way home to Chicago to change trains. She fainted from the excitemen tof the narrow escape and Fogelsong assisted her to her train. Just as the train started she asked his name, but did not get his address.

Administrators of Mrs. Lee's will searched for Fogelsong around Galva. He was finally found through an advertisement in a Chicago paper. He had almost forgotten the incident when he ltarned he was to receive the $16,000 bequest for his bravery.

The three children of Mrs. Lee were to share lthe estate equally with Fogelsong under the terms of the will. They offered him $16,000 for his claim and he has decided to accept it.

FISH DUCKS WILL MAKE NIAGARA RIVER FISHLESS

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., April 12.—Fish in the Niagara river will soon be a thing of the past and the famous river will be known as fishless.

Fish-eating ducks are devouring thousands of fish daily. The shell drake or cowens will kill more fish in a day than an expert fisherman. Ducks killed in the spring are always found with their crops filled with fish.

Sportsmen are advocating an open season for ducks in the spring on the Niagara in order to protect the fishing. Fish- eating ducks are like rubber and are not especially good game for eating.

More than fifty species of fuschia are known.

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SHIP COLONEL BOWIE FOUNDERED IN GULF, 19 OF MEN MISSING

BEAUMONT, TEXAS, April 12.—The Bowie line ship Colonel Bowie with 22 men on board foundered in the gulf of Mexico Monday night, according to wireless advices received by the home office here. Three men were picked up by the British steamer Cissy. Nineteen men are still missing.

Texas News Briefs

The parent-teachers' associations of El Paso, Texas, have started movements to serve hot luncheo in all the city's schools and obtain an ordinance prohibiting sales of confections near the school grounds. A. M. Hughey, city superintendent of schools, has endorsed the latter movement, saying that for the most part confections sold to the school children are injurious.

Brownwood, Texas, has been harassed recently by bicycle thefts and an effort is being made to capture the thieves. A considerable number of bicycles have been stolen, sometimes as many as three in one day.

A memorial tree to First Lieutenant William Guwton Smith, who lost his life in the world war, has been dedicated at Galveston, Texas.

Mrs. J. C. Muse of Rockdale, Texas, president of the Texas division, Daughters of the Confederacy, has appealed to chapters of the organization to unite in a movement started in Dallas for women of the state to assist in the revival of the cotton industry by "wearing cotton clothing, buying cotton goods and to otherwise assist in making cotton the chief wealth of the south."

The city council of Brownwood, Texas, is ready to act finally on an ordinance creating a city welfare commission to censor all picture shows and other entertainments of a public nature.

B. F. Forbes of Chillicothe, Texas, has donated to that city a tourist park on the Colorado to Gulf highway, to be known as Forbes park. The park is equipped with braziers and wood piles and will have fresh water, roasting pits, tables, benches and tent sites.

Galveston, Texas, exceeded its quota of $5,000 for Irish relief, according to an announcement of the local committee, a total of $7,500 being subscribed for aid of the civil war torn sections of Ireland.

Because no large city has invited the 1921 convention, the United Confederate Veterans may not meet this year, according to K. M. Van Zandt, commander in chief, of Fort Worth, Texas. In the event there is no meeting, he said, it will be the first time since the civil war that the soldiers of the south did not convene.

Uniform college entrance examinations will be held in Texas on May 9 to 12, the state department of education, at Austin, announced. Two thousand students are expected to take the examinations, the announcement said.

COST TRIANGLE HOLDING UP BUILDING OPERATIONS

CHICAGO, April 12.—An economic triangle, with contractors, material, men and labor at the corners has tied up $100,000,000 worth of building in Chicago, according to architects.

"The material man must reduce his price; the contractor effect harmony out of a chaotic condition and the workman must accept something reasonable," declared Ernest R. Graham, architect.

Graham said there will be little building in the United States until the three elemnts get together.

INTRODUCE A NUMBER OF IMPORTANT MEASURES

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Bills introduced in the house Monday include:

Creation of a federal department of education, appropriating $15,000,000 to aid states in training teachers and $7,500,000 for alien Americanization.

Establishing the metric system as the standard for the federal government for customs, excise, postal and revenue purposes, after ten years.

Permitting manufacturers of trade marked goods to fix uniform re-sales prices.

Extending "dry law" enforcement to the Philippines.

Regulating stock yards, meat packing and transportation of livestock, by Hauge, republican, Iowa.

Taxing future sales of grain 10 per cent of value involved by Dickinson, republican, Iowa.

Forbidding strikes which hamper interstate commerce. This bill was introduced by Blanton of Texas.

Attention

BOY SCOUTS

Every Boy Scout who is in good standing with the organization is eligible to enter our bird house building contest, which offers for the three best built bird houses a Boy Scout Ax and Sheath, Scout Knife and Official Baseball.

You may build a bird house (not a cage) any way you choose, large or small, suitable for robins, wrens, red birds, or any kind of a bird you wish to please. You may use box lumber, bark of trees, hollow logs, willow, tin, sheet iron or any kind of material you wish to use.

A very simple bird house may be made by sawing a short piece of tree, leaving the bark for a natural effect and using a round piece of bark for the roof and bore a large hole into the side. You can also remove the bark and use it to build a house in many different styles.

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WOMEN ARE AFTER THE MACHINE POLITICIANS

These With Ward Heelers Are To Be Driven Out, According To The Program.

By United Press.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, April 12.—Woman, the newly enfranchised is going to drive politicians and ward heelers out of the American political system.

This was the keynote of the annual report of Mrs. Maud Wood Park, chairman, delivered before the second annual convention of the National League of Women Voters in session here.

The committee on uniform laws is to present the following recommendations:

An equal interest of husband and wife in each other's real estate.

The removal of all common law disabilities of married women.

Wife and child abandonment should be made criminal offenses.

Common law marriages should be abolished.

The state should require health certificates before issuing marriage licenses.

There should be uniform state legislation on marriage and divorce and statutes prohibiting the evasion of marriage laws.

TABLOIDS

They Swapped Machines.

NEW YORK.—Nathan Simon mistook John Litsinger's flivver for his own but was half way to Boston before he discovered it. Telephoning disclosed both machines worked better for their new masters. They swapped.

Meanest Cop in New York.

NEW YORK.—Pinched for the second time within a few hours, John Stengler, bartender who had just "set one up" for Patrolman John Hennessey, declared: "The meanest cop in New York, that's you."

Military Order Cooties.

CHICAGO. — American soldiers who served overseas have launched the "Military Order of Cooties." The first scratch will be held soon.

Snoring Was Expensive.

DETROIT. — Walter Byron's snores cost him $15. He went home late at night, got in the wrong house and went to sleep. The landlady heard him and had him arrested. The judge made him pay for his lodging.

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The final boundaries have not yet been defined. The same currency has been adopted as in Tanganyiki, but Belgian franc notes are accepted.

TWO BANK MESSENGERS ARE ROBBED OF $15,000

DENVER, COLO., April 12.—Two messengers for the Stockyards National Bank were held up and robbed of approximately $15,000 by three bandits in automobiles here today.

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C. M. DODGEN, Sec.
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Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202 R. A. M. Stated convocations second Friday night in each month.—W. S. WILLIS, H. P.
W. M. COOK, Secy.
Work in the Chapter tomorrow, Wednesday, April 13.

Wichita Falls Commandery, No. 59.—Work in the Commandery every Thursday at 5 o'clock, p. m.; banquet at 6:30.
C. R. HARTSOOK, Commander
W. J. WEBB, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237. Meetings first and third Tuesday nights in each month. Mrs. Della Young, W. M.
Miss Cora Karrenbrock, Sec.

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Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F., every Monday night. Hall 603 Scott avenue.
W. O. HUDGINS, N. G.
SAM JUDAH, Sec'y.

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C. B. M'CONNELL, C. P.
J. W. BUSSEY, Scribe.

Rebekah Lodge No. 236.—Meets second and fourth Thursdays at 2:30 and first and third Saturday nights at Swartz-Woods Bldg., 605 Scott avenue.—Elizabeth Hayes, N. G.; Mertie Dellis, Sec.

Durland Grove 1487.—Meets every Friday at the Swartz-Wood Bldg., at 2 o'clock p. m.—Callie Talley, Guardian; Ruby Hart, clerk.

Maskat Temple U. D. A. A. O. N. M. S. — Meets second Tuesday of each month at Masonic Temple, Tenth and Scott, second floor. All visiting Nobles cordially invited to attend.
W. D. CLINE, Potentate.
C. O. FRITZ, Recorder.
Weekly luncheons at Kemp hotel every Saturday at 1:00 p. m.

NOTICE.—Maskat Arab Patrol meets every Monday night, 7 o'clock, for drill. Members requested to be present.—HORACE ROBBINS, Captain.

The Brotherhood of American Yeomen meets Wednesday nights at the Swartz-Woods Building, 605 Scott. Mrs. Frances E. Shuler, Cors'p., 704 Scott.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Wichita Falls Council No. 1473

Meets every Monday evening, 1509 Ninth street. Visiting Knights welcome.

SPECIAL NOTICES

MATTRESSES renovated. Have us bring samples of ticking to your home to select from. We will call for and deliver same day. Bell Mattress Co., phone 2412. 328-tfc.

1106½ OHIO, maker of razors and strops that perform safety blades, shears, clippers reground. 305-30tp

HOUSE MOVING contractors; thorough equipment; raising, shoring, leveling done satisfactorily. Pearce & McClure. Phone 2155. 307-30tp

IF YOU want a carpenter phone 6271. 311-30tp

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED
Is incorrect; the edge has nothing to do with it. If the outward edge of every blade is an equal distance from the center, your mower will perform nicely. 1106½ Ohio will turn and adjust your mower to an exact nicety. 315-30tp

FOR crating and packing, furniture and piano moving, see White's Transfer. Phone 5265-5258. 312-30tp

PAPER hanging, painting; reasonable prices; prompt service; work guaranteed. Lee. Phone 5276. 317-30tp

SAND suitable for building purposes, brick work, plastering, cement work, fixing walks, flowers and lawns. Get a load for the children to play in. $1.50 per load. 1400 Third-st., at the derrick. New Sand Plant. 328-7tp

FOR Moving, crating and packing, call Stanfill Bros. Transfer. Phone 3863. 328-30tp

WHEN leaving town have your furniture crated by men who know how and give best reference. We do refinishing, upholstering, furniture repairs and resilver mirrors. Furniture Hospital, 607 Burnett, phone 2473. 327-30tp

GILBERT Whitfield, fuel oil contractor. 801½ Ohio. Phone 3078. 321-30tp

AWNINGS, tents, paulins, piano covers, chair covers, flags, play tents bunting; all kinds of canvass goods. Phone 5258. White Transfer, or leave call at 1210 Ninth-st. R. W. Cross. 331-7tp

WANTED—Stock to pasture; plenty of grass and water; close to town. Phone 3865. 329-7tp

CARPENTER work of all kinds. Call N. Harrell. Phone 5276. 331-4tp

WE CONTRACT painting and paper hanging. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone for estimates and samples. Austin-Johnson Painting Co.; phones—office 6358, residence 5871. 332-3tp

PAINTING and paper hanging, reasonable price; prompt service; work guaranteed. Call for Rogers. Phone 2859. 333-7tp

PAINTING and paper hanging promptly and neatly done. All work guaranteed. Call for Martin Bros., phone 2518. 329-7tp

SPECIAL NOTICES

PRACTICAL house moving, raising and leveling. Jack Humphrey, phone 5994. 327-30tp

SLINKER BROS. Auto Livery—One or four passengers any part of city, $1. Short trips, 50c. Call Field and Lake Wichita, $2. 506 Eighth; phone 5811. 329-7tp

THE Just Wright Shoe Shop at 615 Seventh has reduced the prices on all shoe repairs. To the railroad men we furnish a good supply of Kurry Krown leather (green) which gives long wear and good service. 332-14tc

NOTICE.
When you need a plumber don't forget to get my prices on plumbing, gas fitting, repair work. All work guaranteed satisfactory. Call C. M. Mann, the plumber, office phone 5720, residence 6943. 333-7tc

SPIRITUALIST — For appointments phone 6095. 332-7tc

FOR painting and paper hanging, phone 3860, Wells. 333-7tp

CAN YOU raise from $60 up next 60 days? Can show you well over 100 per cent profits if you act now. Santa Fe Townsite, Texas general agents, 812½ Ohio-ave. 333-4tp

PERSONAL

SPECIAL investigations, secret information, high-class detective service, private and corporate. All cases strictly confidential. For appointment and interview, write P. O. box 204. 333-7tp

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Silver mesh bag, engraved Georgia Rice; finder please keep money and return bag to Mrs. Dudley Goulding, Kemp Kort; phone 5472. 331-3tp

LOST—A cameo pin Saturday afternoon. Reward. Leave at Times office. 331-3tc

LOST—Female Airdale puppy four months old. Answers to name of Dixie. Call 6659. 331-3tc

LOST—Take-down model shot gun stock, lost between court house and Burnett bridge; liberal reward. 208 Bluff. 331-3tp

FOUND—Lady's purse. Finder can have same by calling 2013 Fillmore and describing. 332-3tp

LOST—Belt of lady's brown mink fur coat. Reward for return to the Bon Marche. Phone 6740. 332-3tp

FOUND—Bicycle on Avenue G and Polk. Owner can have same by calling at 1709 Polk and paying for ad. Expect small reward. 332-3tp

FOUND—On Seventh and Ohio, a gold Knights of Columbus case containing certificate. Owner can have same by calling at Times office, describing same and paying for ad. 333-1tc

LOST—10-year-old girls' coat, blue broad cloth, plaited crepe, at Floral Heights Tabernacle, Sunday, April 3. Finder return to 2144 Avenue F and receive reward. 333-4tp

LOST—Sunday morning on factory car, silver case and rosary. Please return to 2613 Grant; reward. 333-3tp

LOST—Lady's Panama hat in Piggly Wiggly bag. Call Upstairs Garment Shop. 333-2tp

SITUATIONS WANTED

EXPERIENCED stenographer desires position. Call 6224. 329-5tp

EXPERIENCED practical nurse. Phone 5242. 331-3tp

LOST—34x4½ auto cord tire between Henrietta and Wichita Falls Saturday. Return to 301 Travis. Reward. 331-3tp

SITUATION wanted: Girl wants to do housework for refined aged couple. Apply 2115 Buchanan-st. 321-3tp

PUBLIC stenographer. Notary public, addressing, multigraphing; also one or more hours per day stenographic work you; office or mine, monthly rate. 102 First National Bank Bldg. Phone 2797. 331-8tp

WANTED—Young lady stenographer who is familiar with office work. Answer to box 5, care Times, giving age, salary expected, amount of experience and where last employed. 331-3tp

WANTED—Position doing housework; experienced. Phone 5845. 331-3tc

COMPETENT stenographer, many years experience; all classes commercial work; desires position with responsible concern. Phone 2853 or address box 186, care Times. 332-2tp

MAN and wife want job on farm or to care for dairy. Phone 2533. 333-3tp

ACCOUNTANT desires to connect with reliable concern; ten years experience, three year manufacture experience; can give best of references. Box 195 care Times. 333-5tp

COMPETENT stenographer, with good education and years of experience in office, wants to change positions April 15th; best of references. Phone 3799 after 6 p. m. 333-3tp

COMPETENT young man stenographer and bookkeeper desires position. Will take stenographic position without bookeeking or any kind of office work. Can give good reference. Phone 2449. 333-2tc

SALESMEN WANTED

AGENTS wanted to sell guaranteed toilet goods; 50-50 proposition. Call 1502 Lamar. 331-3tc

WANTED—Representative in each city 3,000 population or more, distribute advertising and take orders, office supply line; permanent to hustlers. Duplico Mfg. Co., 120½ No. Robinson, Oklahoma City, Okla. 333-1tp

HELP WANTED MALE

NEAT appearing young man wanted to work on train. Apply Union News Co., 511 Seventh-st. 332-7tp

HELP WANTED FEMALE

WANTED — Experienced multigraph operator. Phone 3286 or address P. O. box 1053. 331-3tp

WANTED TO BUY

COTTON RAGS.
Wanted at Daily Times pressroom, if they are clean and white. 294-tf

WANTED—To buy second-hand furniture; also specialize on refinishing high class furniture. Micks Furniture, 908 Indiana; phone 5528. 308-30tc

OWN a vacant lot? I have a proposition that has interested others—it may interest you. See me. J. Wilkie Talbert, 220 American National Bank-bldg. Phone 5529. 319-14tc

WANTED—To buy a small home close in; must be reasonable. Address P. O. Box 921. H. Sanders. 327-7tp

WANTED—Will pay cash for bedroom suite. Must be a bargain and in good shape. Box 96, care Times. 330-5tp

WILL PAY cash for pipe, engines, boilers, power plants, rigs or other supplies. Crazy, just buy because they are cheap. R. E. Fleming, 610 American National Bank. 331-21tc

BRING your clothing to the second-hand man. J. C. A. Marshall, 209 Scott. 331-7tp

MISCELLANEOUS

IF your razor drags, or your shears chew, they need grinding—at 1106½ Ohio. 305-30tp

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED — May 1, by man and wife, with three-year-old baby girl, two or three room apartment or housekeeping rooms, in private home; either furnished or unfurnished; must be modern and reasonable; references. Box 31, care Times. 328-6tp

FIVE or six room house, suitable for two families, by responsible party. Prefer Southland addition. Phone 3608. 333-2tc

WANTED—Three or four-room apartment with two bedrooms or bedroom and sleeping porch; must be clean and well located. Box 201, Times. 333-3tp

BEDROOMS FOR RENT

LARGE room for rent—600 Scott-ave. 327-7tp

FOR RENT—Three bed rooms, south front, hot and cold water in each room. Phone 2818. 328-7tp

NICELY furnished upstairs bedroom, close in for gentlemen. 1109 Travis. Phone 5597. 330-7tp

LAGE bedroom, all modern conveniences, adjoining bath; suitable for two or four gentlemen. Phone 6472. 902 Austin. 330-4tc

FOR RENT—Modern bedroom in private family. All conveniences; two blocks from court house. Reasonable rates. 408 Travis; phone 2047. 220-4tp

NICELY furnished bedroom; south front; all conveniences; next to bath; private home. 1004 Tenth-st. 331-5tp

FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom, gentlemen only. 1402 Austin. Phone 5317. 331-3tc

FOR RENT—Nice bedroom close in—909 Seventh. 331-3tc

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front bedrooms, south exposure and adjoining bath; an extra cool room in private home. 1307 Marshall. 331-7tp

FOR RENT—Nice front bedroom adjoining bath—2001 Eleventh-st.; phone 5460. 331-3tp

FOR RENT to Men Only—Nice south bedroom adjoining bath. Apply at 1400 Austin-st. 331-5tc

ROOMS for Rent—Modern, hot and cold water—$5 and $10 month. 511 Lamar. 331-3tp

NEW, clean rooms with bath, $3 up, board if desired. 105 Dallas-st. 331-3tp

NICE front bedroom, adjoining bath, in private home; meals if desired. Phone 2184. 1406 Thirteenth-st. 331-3tp

FRONT and south bedroom reasonable and close in. 704 Travis. 331-3tp

FOR RENT—Front bedroom; also two or three-room apartment and garage. 1906 Tenth. Phone 6659. 331-3tc

NICELY furnished rooms with baths, close in and very desirable; garage if desired. Phone 6048. 706 Travis. 331-3tp

FOR RENT—Nice, clean bed room; convenient to bath; summer rate. 513 Lee-st. 332-7tc

FOR RENT—Southeast front bed room, all modern. 1404 Lamar. Phone 6084. 332-3tp

FOR RENT—Sleeping room, in connection with sun parlor, privilege of garage. 1402 Tenth. 332-6tc

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front bed room in new home on car line and pavement. Call at 1633 Collins-st. 332-2tp

LARGE southeast bedroom; hot and cold water in room; adjoining bath. Private entrance. Garage. 1701 Huff; phone 6428. 332-3tp

FOR RENT—Front bedroom; telephone in room—309 Lamar, phone 2064. 332-2tp

FOR RENT—Front sleeping room, 1204 Eighth-st. 333-7tp

FOR RENT—Two nice, cool bedrooms, cheap rent. 1006 Seventh-st. 333-3tp

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms in private home, one adjoining bath. Ideal for summer. Close in. Also two garages. 1409 Austin. Phone 2224. 333-14tc

FOR RENT—Nice clean bedrooms for men, $3.50 per week. 1006 Lamar. Phone 6112. 332-3tp

FOR RENT—Lovely room in modern home; bath, telephone; on car line; seven minute walk of city; kitchen privilege probably considered. 1210 Thirteenth. Phone 5309. 332-3tc

NICE south front bed room for rent, at 1706 Eleventh-st. Phone 2585. 333-1tp

FOR RENT—Large front bedroom joining bath, hot water; also one light housekeeping room; all expenses paid; $8 per week. 1003 Twelfth-st. 333-6tp

NICELY furnished bedroom for rent at 1006 Lamar. Phone 6113. 332-7tp

FOR RENT—Larger front bedroom, room for two beds if desired; plenty of hot and cold water; use of piano and phone; also small bed room, $3.00 a week; about four blocks of business district. 804 Burnett. Phone 6060. 333-11tp

NEW MELBA
Newly furnished sleeping rooms, modern. 705 Bluff. 332-6tc

ROOM WITH BOARD

THE MIDWAY, 904 Scott-ave. Room and board, $12.50 per week. 328-30tp

UNDER NEW management — Clean rooms with board, $10.50 per week. Walking distance. 910 Eighth-st. 328-7tp

GOOD table board, home cooking, $5 per week. 1201 Lamar. 331-3tp

ROOM and Board—1501 Travis. 331-7tp

ROOM and board for four or five, 861 Austin. Reasonable rates. Phone 2742 331-3tc

ROOM and board for two or three men at 908 Fifth-st. Private home. 331-3tp

WANTED—Board and room, in private family, for man, wife and girl of 10; references exchanged. P. O. box 1303. 332-3tp

ROOMS and board at the Wichita Hotel at 504 Scott. 332-3tc

WANTED—Two men boarders. Board and room, everything modern, $10 per week. Phone 3734. 333-3tp

HOTELS AND ROOMING HOUSES.

ROOMING house for rent. 12 rooms completely furnished, full every night; located 13 miles from Graham at Lake City, in heart of oil field. Answer box 164, care Times. 333-3tp

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FRONT rooms, everything furnished, 704 Burnett. 326-7tp

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms, reduced rates, close in; bath and phone. 707 Austin-st. 328-6tp

FLAT of two rooms and kitchenette; modern. 409 Scott. 330-4tp

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms to couple. 803 Fourth-st. 331-3tp

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished light housekeeping rooms to parties without children. Phone 3742. 1627 Lucille. 331-3tc

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 2733. 1212 Eleventh-st. 331-3tc

FOR RENT—Two nice large partly furnished housekeeping rooms. 410 Austin-st. 331-3tp

EXTRA nice housekeeping rooms, with electric washer. Phone 5242. 331-3tc

FOR RENT—Two modern light housekeeping rooms; everything furnished; rent reduced. 2200 Eighth-st. 331-3tp

FOR RENT—Two-room apartment for housekeeping, completely furnished, adjoining bath; front and back entrance. 1803 Ninth-st. 331-3tp

TWO well furnished housekeeping rooms; sink; private entrance; gas, lights and water; furnished—$50. 1006 Twelfth-st. 331-4tc

ONE furnished housekeeping room—403 Scott. 331-3tp

FOR RENT—Two newly finished rooms, furnished or unfurnished—202 Lamar. 331-3tp

FOR RENT—Two furnished light housekeeping rooms over garage; near car line and pavement; water, gas and lights furnished; $30 per month. Apply 1903 Buchanan. 331-3tp

TWO housekeeping rooms close in and reasonable; also south bedroom. 704 Travis. 331-3tp

FOR RENT—One, two and three-room apartments, reduced rent, close in. 1011 Seventh. Phone 6356. 331-3tc

TWO or three-room apartment, nicely furnished with all convenience, three private entrances; garage; good location; walking distance. 1408 Eighth-st. Phone 5093. 331-5tp

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms, newly papered, with garden. 1312 Fifteenth-st. Phone 6005. 331-3tc

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

TWO upstairs rooms in modern home, everything furnished for employed couple, $35 per month. 1619 Elizabeth. 331-3tp

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished modern three-room apartment, 1310 Eighth-st., also modern furnished 7-room house with garage. Phone 6689. 331-4tp

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms to couple without children, 507 Adams-st. 331-3tp

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartments with private bath at reduced rates. Apply Hoffman & Co., Tenth and Lamar. Phone 5236. 322-12tc

FOUR-ROOM apartment, well furnished, close in; has piano. 410 Burnett. 322-2tp

ONE large modern basement housekeeping room; garage if desired—$5 per week. Everything furnished. 305 Scott. 332-2tp

TWO rooms and kitchenette for rent—1402 Scott-ave. 332-3tp

MODERN light housekeeping rooms, hot and cold water; everything furnished—$40 and $50 per month. Call at Star Hotel, 820½ Ohio-ave., or phone 5089. 332-7tp

FOR RENT—Two front housekeeping rooms; private entrance; connecting bath; everything furnished—$60 per month. 309 Lamar, phone 2064. 332-3tp

FOR RENT—Three rooms furnished for light housekeeping, $10 per week. Close in. Apply 1401 Scott-ave. Miss Dodson. 332-3tp

TWO furnished rooms for housekeeping; close in, one block car line. Phone 2453. 1105 Holliday. 332-3tc

FOR RENT—Two large rooms, close in, well furnished for light housekeeping. Phone 2457. 332-3tp

FOR RENT—Two well furnished housekeeping rooms, $9 per week; one extra large room, $6. 512 Travis. Phone 5940. 332-3tc

FOR RENT—Large front room; housekeeping to couple without children; modern conveniences. 606 Travis. 333-3tp

BRIDE and groom, why pay rent, when you can have a lovely bungalow, three rooms and bath, gas, lights and water; chicken yard and house and garden. Will take Ford or Dodge touring car for my equity; the rest like rent. 1419 Twenty-fourth-st. 332-3tp

FOR RENT—Furnished two-room cottage in rear to white people. 1503 Burnett. Phone 2580. 333-3tc

FOR RENT—Two well furnished house keeping rooms upstairs, everything furnished. Phone 6066. 333-3tc

LIGHT housekeeping or bedroom at 808 Sixth-st. 333-3tp

NICE 3-room garage apartment for rent. 1706 Eleventh. Phone 2585. 333-11p

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms to couple, $10 week. Apply rear 400 Scott. 333-3tp

FOUR-ROOM apartment, modern, everything furnished. 1623 Elizabeth. Call after 6. 333-7tp

FOR RENT MISCELLANEOUS

GARAGE space for rent between Ninth and Tenth-sts on Austin. Phone 2788 for particulars. 326-7tc

WANTED—Stock to pasture; plenty of grass and water; close to town. Phone 2865. 329-7tp

GARAGE for rent, centrally located, size 50x82 ft., 1008 Travis-st. Phone 6036; also one furnished housekeeping room. 333-7tp

GARAGE for rent, 1202 Travis. 333-7tp

UNFURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT

TWO unfurnished rooms for rent, 102 Galveston. Phone 2821. 330-4tp

FOR RENT—Three room unfurnished apartment; breakfast nook; sink in kitchen. 2143 Avenue D. 331-2tp

TWO modern rooms, unfurnished for rent. 1503 Taylor-st. 331-3tp

FOR RENT—Three large unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; sink in kitchen. 2404 Eighth-st. 331-3tp

FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished rooms with sink in kitchen; reasonable rent. 1407 Seventeenth. 331-3tc

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished housekeeping rooms, modern. 514 Burnett; Phone 6594. 331-3tc

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms cheap. 2414 Buchanan.

FOR RENT—One unfurnished 2-room apartment, close in, good location. Price $15 per week. Also small 3-room house, $15 per week. Phone 5812. J. Lucius. 333-3tp

FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished rooms, newly papered, connecting bath; private front and back entrance; southeast exposure; close to school. 1412 Twelfth-st. Phone 2731. 333-3tp

FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished rooms, 905 Bluff. 333-3tp

BUSINESS HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Garage building, a good place for automobile repair business. See Morgan, 1100 Ohio. 331-4tc

DWELLINGS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished bungalow in Sibley-Taylor addition. Phone 2788. 328-7tp

FOR RENT—Two-room house, 1708 Collins. Phone 6371. 329-6tp

FOUR-ROOM house, newly papered; modern. 309 Austin. Phone 5439. 330-4tp

FOUR-ROOM house for rent furnished; modern—at 1606 Bluff. 331-3tc

THREE-ROOM house unfurnished for rent. Call 5532. 332-3tp

FOR RENT—Five-room modern house in good shape—1107 Travis. See owner, 1412 Twelfth-st. 331-3tp

FOR RENT—Two modern homes and garage, close in, 1218 Twelfth-st. 1107 Broad-st. Phone 5467. P. S. Tullis, 1105 Broad-st. 331-5tp

SIX-ROOM modern apartment; garage; rent reasonable to party buying high-class furniture at bargain. Come and look it over. 1920 Tenth-st. 331-3tp

FOR RENT—Neat little two-room house close in, corner Seventeenth and Travis. Inquire next door or phone 5906. 321-3tc

FOR RENT—Modern 7-room house at 1201 Travis; can be used very nicely by two families. $80 per month. House at 907 Twelfth-st. $25 monthly. Helgerson Bros., basement City Nat'l Bank. Office phone 2573; residence phone 2476. 332-3tc

FOR RENT—New 5-room house, everything modern. Phone 2694. 332-4tp

TWO-ROOM nicely furnished house for rent. Apply at 309 Scott. 332-3tp

FOR RENT—Two-room house to whites—1408 Thirteenth. 332-4tp

FOUR-ROOM house for rent, 1920 Holliday. Phone 2689. 333-3tp

FOR RENT—Five-room house, 1722 Ninth. On car line and has garage; possession 15th inst.; $75 per month. J. J. DeBerry. Phone 5197. 333-4tc

FOR RENT—Six-room house furnished, arranged for two families; on car line. 1924 Ninth-st. Apply at 1922 Ninth-st. 333-3tp

FOR RENT—Five-room house, $75; close in. W. B. Chenault. Office phone 3024. Res. phone 2748. 333-3tp

THREE-ROOM house furnished and 4-room house furnished; suitable for two families. Four-room house unfurnished. Store room, never occupied, suitable for grocery store, with 3 living rooms, corner Holliday and Myrtle. Call J. B. George, 5594. 333-6tp

NEW 5-room modern house and garage to adults or couple without children, $65.00 per month. Phone 5678 or 2672. 333-1tp

FOR RENT—3-room servant house, nicely furnished, to reliable colored couple with no children; must have good reference; work in exchange. Phone 3886. 333-3tp

FOR RENT—Six rooms, all modern, close in; partly furnished. Talk to Fitts, 511 Eighth-st. Phone 5062. 333-3tc

FOR RENT—Three-room house, 202 Seymour, $20 per month; 2-room house East Ninth-st., Scotland, $15 per month. Call owner, 712 Seventh-st. Phone 2337. 333-6tc

FOR RENT—Four-room modern house, 1401 Seventh-st. and four-room house, 206 Burnett. See M. Levine, 204 Travis-st. 333-3tp

LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Spring wagon and team. Ninth and Ohio. J. M. Chan. 330-5tp

FOR SALE—Jersey cow giving 4½ gallons per day. 1316 Twenty-first-st. 331-3tc

FOR SALE—Good milk cow, 311 Chester-st. 331-3tp

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Big tent 65x95. Inquire M. O. O'Riley, 714½ Ninth-st. Phone 2021. 327-20tc

HANSON grinds all makes of safety blades, razors, shears, clippers and all fine edge tools, to an exact nicety at 1106½ Ohio. 305-30tp

FOR SALE—Several thousand feet of second hand lumber. Phone 2788. 328-7tp

FOR SALE—Piano—1804 Ninth-st. 329-7tp

DIRT for sale at Seventh and Indiana. Delivered cheap. Phone 2392. J. H. Warren. 331-6tp

FOR SALE—One nearly new Underwood typewriter and desk, bargain. If interested call 1502 Eighth-st. 5:30 p. m. or phone 3161 and call for F. P. Smith. 331-3tp

WANTED—Pasturage for cow or will either sell or trade; pasture must be near town. A. O. Bacher, phone 5731. 331-3tp

FOR SALE—Three show cases, one mirrow, 4 ft. by 8½ ft. 717 Seventh. Phone 2912. 332-3tp

DAISIES and violet plants, wholesale while they last. Phone 6716. 332-3tp

DEMONSTRATION electric washing machine for sale at reduced price. Ever Ready Electric Co., 1106 Tenth. Phone 6200. 332-3tc

FOR SALE—16 by 16 house; ground rent $3 month. Your own price. Rear 200 Bluff-st. 332-3tp

PARTLY furnished tent. First $100 takes it. 1203½ Lamar. No. 7. 332-3tp

FOR SALE—Fertilizer for your yard. Phone 3269. 333-6tp

FOR SALE—Nearly new electric Vacuum sweeper. 2410 Eighth-st. Phone 2568. 333-3tc

TWO pet squirrels in cage for sale. 1517 Tenth. 333-3tp

FOR SALE very cheap: One Premier vacuum cleaner, good as new. Randal Auto Supply Co. Phone 6989. 333-4tp

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Nice furniture three-room apartment; apartment can be leased $60 month. Owner leaving city. Call at apartment 4, at 612½ Scott-st., between 5:00 and 7:00 p. m. 328-7tc

WE HAVE a nice nine-piece Queen Anne dining room set that is new, walnut finish. We will sell it at cost, cash trade or time. Dunn Furniture Co., 612 Ohio; phone 3894. 331-6tp

FOR SALE—Globe Werneke four-section bookcase, buffet, dining table and other pieces of furniture. 2404 Eighth. 331-3tp

FOR SALE—Five golden oak Globe-Wernicke book sections, top and sanitary base. Also comforts and goose feather bed pillows. Phone 6419. 331-3tp

FOR SALE—Piano. Cheap. 1416 Eleventh. 331-3tp

SIX rooms practically new furniture at bargain. Might sell separately. Can rent place reasonable if you desire. 1920 Tenth. 331-3tp

FOR SALE—at a bargain—Complete furnishings of a six-room house. House is located on a paved street, rent reasonably low. Phone 5925. 332-3tp

FOR SALE—Furniture of one-room house for $165; also house for rent to working couple; also nice round oak dining table and chairs, bed complete, center table. Must be sold today. A bargain for some one. 402 Scott. 332-2tp

FURNITURE for sale, consisting of dressers, wash stands, dining table and chairs, trunk, refrigerator and kitchen cabinet; library table and two chairs, and telephone—209 Lamar, phone 2064. 332-3tp

FOR SALE—Two stoves, one range, cook stove, one heater; one bedstead, one doufold, one library table. 411 Adams. Mrs. Tom Foster. 333-2tp

FOR SALE—Mahogany dining room table and chairs. Phone 3782. 1607 Lucille. 333-3tp

$1,500 WORTH of good furniture in use one year, all good as new; must sell this week; leaving town. Will have to hurry or the second-hand man will get it. 1002 Seventh-st. 333-2tp

FOR SALE—Furniture for half of 6-room modern duplex bungalow, with privilege of renting house; must be seen to be appreciated. This furniture is all good as new. 510 Denver. 333-3tp

FOR SALE—Five-rooms of furniture, will sell all or part, cheap. 709 Holliday. Phone 5669, mornings. 333-11p

FOR SALE—One davenport, 2 tables, round and square chairs, 2 rockers, stoves, gas and oil, bed and springs, kitchen cabinet, 2 tents, lumber, ice box, one-room house equipped with wiok, one-gallon gas and wire. 611 Lee-st., rear. Yall for J. P. Wiott. 333-2tp

FURNITURE for sale: Beds, springs and mattress, slightly used to sell for cash, cheap. 1105 Lamar. Phone 6767 after 5 o'clock. 333-3tp

FURNITURE for sale. Piano, four chairs, library table, Victrola, white iron bed, new oil stove, shades. 1604 Taylor. 333-4tc

DRESSMAKING

FANCY dressmaking, remodeling and tailoring, 911 Eleventh-st. Phone 2136. 303-30tc

DESIGNING, dressmaking, tatting, aprons, bonnets, underwear. Call 2006 Mrs. Wheeler and Mrs. Tolbert, 2301 Eighth-st. 214-20tp

HEMSTITCHING—10c straight. 803 Austin-st. Phone 2813. 320-15tc

SEWING wanted. 504 Scott. Phone 5842. 328-7tp

WE HAVE success in designing evening dresses made from your measurement. Mrs. Frazier and Mrs. Duckett, 2004 Kemp-blvd.; phone 3337. 330-7tc

FOR SALE, TRADE OR LEASE

HAVE nice resident lot to trade for good team, wagon and harness. Call 1805 Eleventh-st. Phone 6783. 324-14tp

TRADE lot south of city with sewer and water for Dodge or Buick car. Phone 3644 329-7tc

FOR SALE or Trade—Seventy-eight acres of land three miles northeast Bonita, five miles from Pure Oil company 4,000-feet-deep test, two-room house, good well, tank, 35 acres in cultivation. Price $1,200. Will take part trade—car or cattle; balance to suit. Talk to Fitts, 511 Eighth, phone 5062. 333-3tc

HOUSE for sale, will take good automobile as first payment. Inquire W. R. B., Machine Tool Co., just across river. 333-3tp

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COUNCIL PERMITS CONTEST QUESTION TO GO TO COURTS

CANVASS RETURNS AFTER HEARING REQUEST THAT LIST OF VOTERS BE CHECKED.

DR. REED TO CONTINUE PRESENT PARK COMMITTEE

Says Arrange Will Not Be Disturbed. Mayor Requests Department Reports And Budgets.

Recently elected councilmen were sworn in Monday night for their respective terms, in the face of a request by counsel for George L. Hodgins that the list of voters be checked against the poll tax list so as to determine if any illegal votes were cast.

Without ever acting directly on the request for a check of the lists, the council canvassed the returns, declared Messrs. Bralley, Reed and Shepherd elected, and swore them in.

The next move in the matter is up to Mr. Hodgins, whose counsel, B. D. Sartin, has plainly indicated that the matter will be taken into the courts.

Members of the council pointed out that, as there are several classes of voters whose names might not appear on the poll list, a check of the list would establish nothing at all. Mr. Sartin suggested that such a check would be the best means of putting a stop to rumors regarding the election.

Continue Present Park Board.

Out of deference to Dr. J. F. Reed, the council held up all pending measures until the new member of the council would familiarize himself with them; the only exception being on the Fifteenth street paving question, on which the council ordered bids advertised for.

Dr. Reed sprang something of a surprise on the council by announcing that he had no intention of disturbing the present park arrangement, under which a committee headed by R. O. Harvey is in charge of the park improvement program.

"I am entirely satisfied with Mr. Harvey," Dr. Reed said.

An intimation that some changes in the city's official family, and some readjustments in pay, might be in order, was given by Mayor Cline in requesting each of the councilmen to submit, by the next meeting, an outline of the needs, plans, and personnel of his respective department. Mr. Cline also asked that departmental budgets be submitted as soon as possible.

Books to Be Audited.

In this connection the employment of a regular auditor for city finances was discussed, without action being taken. Councilman Shepherd was authorized to employ an auditor to go over the city's finances for the past year and make a report. Mr. Shepherd indicated that J. S. Harris would be employed, if satisfactory terms could be agreed upon.

The council also discussed city finances for the coming year, following a report from H. J. Anderson, city tax collector, that 86½ per cent of collections had been made, and that assessments for 1921 were being taken on an average of 50 per cent; the view was expressed that with the large amount of additional territory taken in last year, there should be a substantial increase in property valuations.

When the council convened, several citizens had water troubles to bring before it. The complaints were all from North and East Wichita, and practically all were from neighborhoods where pipe is already strung, waiting until the ditcher can reach it.

Want "Squatters" Moved.

L. F. Scott and R. T. Moore of North Wichita presented an earnest request for relief from "squatters" who are locating in that section, to the detriment of neighboring property. Members of the council did not see what could be done, but Dr. Douglass suggested that if sanitary regulations were being violated, the offenders could be reached on that score. The council promised to see if something could be done.

Frank Kiddy of 110 Lee street said that about 30 houses in that section wanted water connections, and that there was no indication of any in the near future. The matter was referred to F. N. Lawton.

L. N. Jernigan, county farm superintendent, asked and was given a quantity of sewer tile for use in the irrigation plant which is being installed at the farm. A request for a fire alarm box in North Wichita was referred to Chief McClure.

B. D. Sartin, counsel for George Hodgins, then presented his request.

Sartin Makes Request.

"The law provides," he said, "that the council shall canvass the returns and officially declare the result. There have been numerous street rumors about illegal votes in the election, and even some affidavits have been brought to me, to the effect that a great number participated in the election without poll tax receipts.

"There is no question of the correctness of the count of the votes, but we believe that the council could detect any errors by checking up the list of voters with the poll tax list. By doing that, if there are any illegal votes, the check would show if the result would have been changed."

"How would it show that?" Mr. Cline asked.

"Well, suppose that the check showed that 100 or so votes at the court house box—"

"Why the court house box? Why not the city hall box?" Mr. Cline interrupted.

"Well, if we found 100, or 200, illegal votes at the city hall box, that would give sufficient grounds for an investigation, if it was desired to go ahead with a regular contest."

"Don't you desire it now?" Mr. Cline asked, "haven't you already said that there would be a contest?"

Said Would Settle Rumors.

"What we want is simply a check to see if there have been any irregularities," Mr. Sartin replied.

"If you found that people had voted without being on the poll tax list, it wouldn't show anything necessarily illegal," Councilman Bonner said, "a man over age wouldn't show on the poll tax list, nor would a man who paid his poll tax in another Texas county, but who had lived six months in this county. There are four exceptions that I can think of now."

"By making this check, the council can settle many street rumors that are going around, and there would be no need for any further action," Mr. Sartin continued.

"You are employed by Mr. Hodgins?" the mayor asked. Mr. Sartin said he was.

Without further parley, the council proceeded to canvass the returns and adopt a formal resolution declaring the result. The certificate showing the total number of votes cast was missing from the city hall box, and one of the court house box certificates was unsigned.

Hopes for Harmony.

The new members were then sworn in, and Mayor Cline made his requests for reports and budgets.

"I want to say just at this time," he said, "that I can't see any reason why the council can't go ahead in the same harmonious spirit that it has in the past. It has been our rule, and I hope it will continue that way, for each councilman to run his own department, subject to the approval of the council as a whole."

In stating his position as to the park board, Dr. Reed said he wanted a separate board for the cemetery work, and he suggested B. J. Bean, Mesdames Carrigan, Kell and Richolt as members, saying he would have definite recommendations later.

Want Beautiful Sparkling Eyes? Take Good Weep

By United Press.

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KANSAS OIL MEN WANT FEDERAL TARIFF ON OIL BROUGHT FROM MEXICO

INDEPENDENCE, KAN., April 12.—The Kansas Gas and Oil Producers association, the announced object of which will be to obtain a federal tariff on oil brought into this country from Mexico, was formed here Monday at a meeting attended by more than 100 oil and gas producers of this part of the country. W. C. Sproul of Sedan, Kansas, was elected president and Independence was chosen as headquarters of the organization. A resolution was adopted urging congress to impose a tariff on Mexico oil. Speakers at the meeting declared that Mexico oil is now coming into the country at a rate of 500,000 barrels a day and that the importations have been responsible for reductions in the price of crude in the midcontinent field.

Chief among those voicing opposition to the tariff movement was W. S. Fitzpatrick, vice-president of the Prairie Oil and Gas company, who stated that his attitude was based on the grounds of patriotism. He declared his company was caring for the independent producer first.

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