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368 are Saved from Burning Vessel New Orleans Has Heavy Fire Loss

(By Associated Press)

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 18.—Fire starting just before midnight last night swept seven blocks of the Mississippi River wharves here before it was brought under control today. The damage wrought by the flames was estimated at \$3,000,000, with a possibility, it was said by police and fire departments officials, that this may be greatly increased as the check proceeds.

The Poydras and Giord streets docks were practically new structures and cost more than one million dollars. These great sheds fell before the rush of the flames as did scores of freight cars.

NAVAL COURT GRINDS AGAIN

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Mrs. Geo. Steele Jr., testified today before the Shenandoah court of inquiry that Mrs. Margaret Lansdowne understood fully the statement sent her by Capt. Paul Foley, and that the court was merely making memorandum suggestions, and not a direct statement of the testimony that Mrs. Lansdowne was to give on the witness stand.

It was Mrs. Steele who took to Mrs. Lansdowne the memorandum which has become the basis for the charges that Captain Foley as judge advocate of the court sought to induce the widow of the Shenandoah's commander to give false testimony.

"I distinctly told her that it was offered only for her assistance in preparing her own statement for the court," Mrs. Steele testified.

TRANSFUSION OPERATIONS ON SICK TREES PROVING SUCCESSFUL

(By Associated Press)

AUBURN, Calif., Nov. 18.—Transfusion operations on sick trees, with a solution of ferrous sulphate assuming the character of arboreal blood, are being made successfully in California. Diseased trees have been brought into prolific bearers.

Dr. C. B. Lipman, professor of plant physiology at the University of California, said when here that the treatment promised to eliminate such plant scourges as aphids and the blight.

The tree is treated as gently as a human. A hole is bored about three-quarters of the way thru the trunk, and a glass tube inserted and sealed in with specially prepared wax. A bottle reservoir is placed at the height of the tree top and is connected with the glass tube by a hose. Thus the solution flows gently into the tree and is absorbed.

M. C. Atkins left Wednesday afternoon for Brownwood, where he went to attend a meeting of the managers and employees of the West Texas Telephone Co.

We have seen well dressed people at fine dinners so hungry they actually ate the salad.

M.E. CONFERENCE WILL VOTE TODAY

(By Associated Press)

WAXAHACHIE, Tex., Nov. 18.—The Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South which opened here today, on motion by Thomas Barcus of Hillsboro, a vote on unification of the Southern church with the Northern church will be taken today.

FAMOUS DOCTOR BURNS TO DEATH

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Dr. Edward Bronson, age 80, a retired consultant, who was graduated from Yale University in 1865, was burned to death today in a fire that swept his home here.

Miss Mary Sullivan, a servant, died from burns shortly after being taken from the house by firemen. Miss Sibyl Skipton, the physician's secretary, was severely burned.

An oil burning furnace exploded in the basement of the house, was the cause of the blaze.

MODERN WATERWORKS FOR BORDER TOWN

(By Associated Press)

LAREDO, Tex., Nov. 18.—After being without dependable water service for more than 11 years, or since the conflagration of April 24, 1914, when the water service of the city was impaired by the departing Huertistas, the city of Nuevo Laredo, across the Rio Grande from this place, soon will have a modern waterworks plant. During the 11 years, the city has been without adequate fire protection because many of the large mains and fire hydrants were dynamited or otherwise destroyed at the time of the conflagration.

The waterworks system under construction is being financed by the Mexican federal government, with a local committee headed by General Estaban Calderon, collector of customs at Nuevo Laredo, handling many of the details. Other members of the committee are Dr. Adolfo Puga, Donaciano Eschavarria and O. L. Longoria. Estimated cost of the plant is 700,000 pesos.

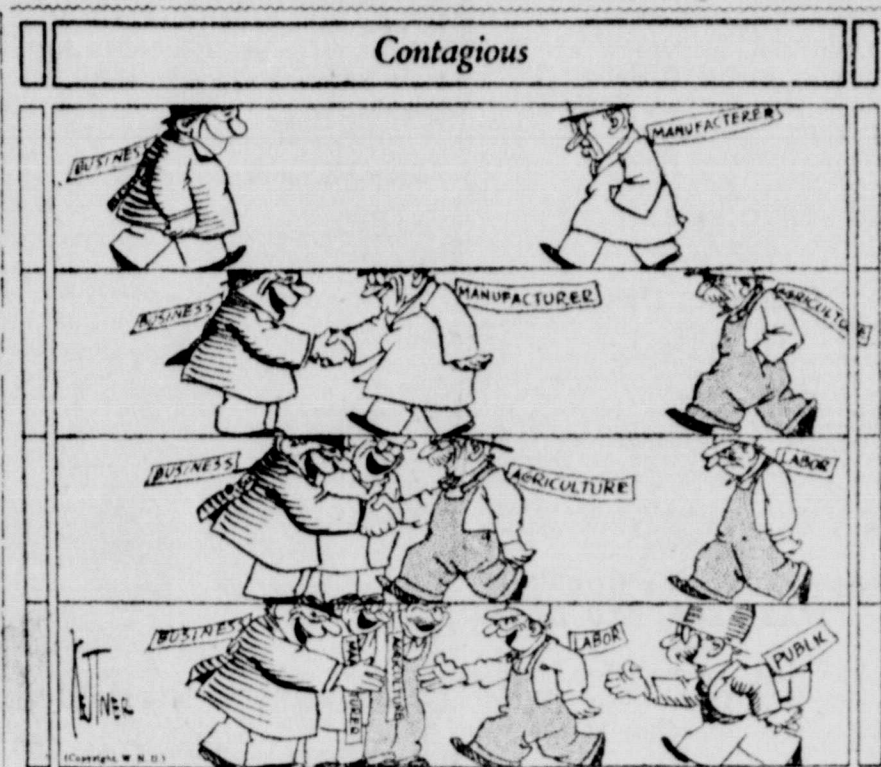
Machinery ordered from the United States, with the exception of Diesel engines from Germany, has been installed in the new water plant; settling tanks and filters have been constructed and are ready for service; and bids were opened November 16 for construction of mains, individual lines, fire hydrants, etc.

The plant will be one of the most modern in Northern Mexico. It will be known as "Junta de Mejores Materiales."

For the past 30 years, Nuevo Laredo, with its population ranging from 10,000 to 14,000, has been served by an old water plant with obsolete equipment. The water, even at best, was limited in volume, as the water was pumped directly into the mains. The plant not boasting a settling tank of any description. The new plant will have a large reservoir and settling tank, insuring a plentiful supply at all times.

Don't worry about your big feet. When you buy shoes you get more for your money.

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FIRST WITNESS CALLED IN HIGHWAY HEARING

CHANGES ON SANTA FE TO HELP SERVICE

Changes effective in the schedule of the Santa Fe here and at other points in West Texas on Sunday, November 29th, will add greatly to the passenger service of that railroad and will allow a daylight trip to any part of the state. With the new schedule in effect any points East or West of Ballinger can be made with a full day of daylight riding.

No. 92 will arrive at Brownwood under the new schedule at 8:45 a. m. instead of 7:33 p. m. This train has been changed to a morning train instead of an evening train and will greatly improve the service of the entire road in this section of the state.

No. 91 will leave Brownwood at 8:55 a. m. instead of 8:40 a. m. and will arrive at Sweetwater at 12:30 p. m. This will put the train into Coleman at 9:45 a. m. All trains arriving at Ballinger will have changes in their schedules to suit the changes made on the main line and to make connections with other trains in every direction.

No. 76 (at present No. 70) which has been arriving here at about 8:00 a. m. will arrive here after Nov. 29th at 5:00 a. m., making connection at Coleman with No. 91 for any points West and with No. 92 at Brownwood for points East. This East bound train, No. 92, will arrive at Temple at 1:50 p. m., making connections there for Ft. Worth and arriving at Fort Worth at 9:10 p. m.

No. 78 will arrive here at 5:00 p. m. in the afternoon instead of about 4:30 p. m.

No. 75 (at present No. 77) West bound, will arrive here at 11:45 a. m. instead of 11:25 a. m. No. 77 (at present No. 75) will arrive here at 11:45 p. m. instead of 11:30 p. m.

The most important change in the schedules to the people of Ballinger and this section will be in that of the early morning train East bound, and the changing of No. 92 on the California line from an afternoon train to a morning train. Leaving Ballinger at 5:45 a. m. connections can be made to any part of the plains at Coleman.

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Nov. 18.—Eugene Smith, secretary of the State Highway Commission, was the first witness called by the state in its case against the American Road Company here today.

Smith identified the proposals made by the American Road Company for the maintenance of the state highways in Dallas and Tarrant counties. He also identified letters from Frank Lanham, chairman of the commission, notifying the American Road Company that its bid for the laying of asphaltic surfacing in certain counties and for maintaining the Dallas and Tarrant county highways had been accepted.

Smith, when questioned by Attorney General Dan Moody, testified that the American Road Company obtained the contracts without competitive bidding.

If you say unkind things about other people you are a thief, because you are stealing their reputations.

With No. 91, leaving there for points Northwest at 9:45 a. m. and arriving at Sweetwater at 12:30 p. m. Connection will also be made at Brownwood on No. 92 leaving there at 8:45 a. m. for points East, and arriving at Temple at 1:50 p. m. From Temple connections can be made to South and East Texas on several different lines running into Houston and San Antonio.

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(By Associated Press)

LEWES, Delaware, Nov. 18.—After winning a race with death 368 passengers and members of the crew aboard the blazing Clyde liner Lenape were landed safely here at daybreak today. There were only a few casualties, most of which consisted of minor burns.

The fire started last night while the ship was off from Atlantic City and after the blaze was discovered on the vessel it was headed for the Delaware breakwater on the Delaware side of the mouth of Delaware Bay. The passengers and crew were taken off by boats that went out to meet the Lenape.

ALCOHOL PERMITS REVOKED

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—The cancellation of all basic permits under the prohibition act, and effective December 31st, was decided upon today by Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews.

At the same time, James Jones, prohibition director, ordered the searching and investigation of all holders of permits for distillation of alcohol, so that the government might know the record of each before issuing permits for next year.

MEXICO REDUCES AUTO IMPORT DUTIES HALF

(By Associated Press)

TAMICO, Mexico, Nov. 18.—Import duties on unassembled automobile parts through Mexico ports are to be reduced 50 per cent on November 16th, provided the parts are for assembling purposes only. This information is contained in a decree published in the Diario Oficial.

The old rate of duty on parts was 20 per cent and on assembled cars 10 per cent. The reduction will put the parts for assembly on a parity with assembled cars.

Love's blind, but that shouldn't make a girl kiss everybody.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Following the removal of all passengers the steamer Lenape was scuttled inside the Delaware breakwater, Clyde Line officials announced this afternoon.

Officials here estimated that the damage to the cargo and vessel would amount to \$3,000,000.

LEWES, Del., Nov. 18.—At least one person lost his life in the burning of the liner Lenape late this morning.

Fishermen picked up a body off the coast of Lewes which was later identified as that of Robert Leverton. His coat bore the label of a Holyoke, Massachusetts tailor.

BOY RUN OVER BY WAGON AND IS SERIOUSLY HURT

The 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Whitworth came near being killed Tuesday afternoon when he fell from a wagon on which he was riding on Eighth Street and both wheels passed over his body. The Whitworths live on Eighth Street near the Chas. Castor residence. The boy had climbed on a wagon coming down the street and was riding on the front dash board when he fell to the ground, the front wheel passing over his hips and the rear wheel across the middle of his back.

The wagon was loaded with cotton seed and the boy was badly hurt, according to the attending physician. It has not been ascertained who was driving the wagon.

Love at first sight would be all right if you could keep from looking at anybody else later on.

Be wise and adventurous

PROGRAM

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church

8:15 Thursday Evening, November 19th, 1925

Verne Leonard,
Violinist

Parks Goodey,
Pianist

Miss Louise Doss,
Soprano

Violin:

Liebesfrud
Prelude in E Minor (Unaccompanied)
Romanza Andalusia

Kreider
Bach
Sarasate

Piano:

Hark! Hark! The Lark!
Romance
Hopak (Russian Dance)

Schubert-Liszt
Sibelius
Moussorgsky

Voice:

Felice
Love is the Wind

Lieurance
MacFadden

Violin:

Canzonetta
Spanish Serenade
By the Brook
Shonrosmarin

D'Ambrosio
Chaminade-Kreider
Boisdeffre
Kreider

Piano:

Etude
On Wings of Song
Concert Study

Arensky
Mendelssohn-Liszt
MacDowell

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It's time to begin thinking about that turkey dinner next week. Just one week now and many gobblers will cease to gobble.

The deer and turkey season is attracting many hunters just now. Several Ballinger sportsmen are out after the big game now and many others plan to leave about Thanksgiving to get a few days outing and a taste of venison.

It is also time to think about the many things for which we have to be thankful. We have been blessed with an abundant crop, and prosperity has visited us this year, and there are many other things for which we should give thanks to the Giver of all things.

Nearly every town in West Texas reported accidents from traffic troubles and reckless driving during the last week-end. Some reported persons killed, some injured, cars smashed up, and one town nearby reported arrests that were made and reckless drivers placed in jail. This is a big problem for every town. Ballinger had several more smash-ups Saturday but fortunately none were hurt.

It seems that the Simmons-Howard Payne football game at Abilene Thanksgiving Day will draw a considerable number of Ballinger people. Seats for this game were placed on sale at Abilene Wednesday and already many reservations have been made for Ballingerites. It will be one of the most important games in the state on that date and between two teams that are very evenly matched.

There are people who never lose an opportunity to enjoy being miserable.

No matter what you have to worry about, it is about half over if you can talk it over.

We have our ups and downs. The man who goes the highest is the one who bounces when he hits the bottom.

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SOCIETY

Informal Seated Tea

On Friday afternoon of last week, Mrs. Leslie Baker was hostess at an informal seated tea when the members of her bridge club were her guests at her home on Eighth Street.

Mmes. George Holman and E. L. Harwell presided over the attractively appointed tea table with its beautiful silver service, and silver candle holders holding yellow tapers. A color scheme of yellow and pink was employed by the hostess in all details of the tea, the centerpiece of pink roses and yellow chrysanthemums being especially lovely and effective. Pink candies and the salad served in yellow shells on autumn leaves further carried out her chosen theme.

The bridge accessories for the games which followed were suggestive of the Thanksgiving season.

The hostess' invitation list included: Mmes. Bruce Creasy, Will Doose, Frank Pearce, Chas. Northington, R. L. Harwell, Geo. Holman, E. A. Giesecke, Ralph Erwin, Alex McGregor, Malcolm McGregor, Garland Parks, Estes Lynn, Victor Miller, H. H. Thomson, Joe Simmons, R. J. Wheeler, D. Reeder, Floyd Carr, Ross Murchison, Homer Carsey, R. W. Earnshaw, Sim Cottelle, M. S. Karmany, Claude Stone, John Williams, Kathleen Drake, J. J. Erwin Jr. of Sweetwater, Misses Louise Orgain, Winnie Trail, Nell Alexander and Mildred Herring.

Entertain Bridge Club

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McGregor entertained with a pretty party on last Thursday evening—including in their personnel of guests the members of their bridge club and additional friends.

The beauty of the game rooms was enhanced by the addition of gorgeous roses and chrysanthemums in profusion in every conceivable place in artistic arrangement. Place cards embossed with turkeys marked the places for the five tables of guests and the bridge games held high interest for some time.

A delicious refreshment plate containing oysters a la King in petties shells, toasted crackers, olives, potato chips, doughnuts, candies and coffee was served.

The complete guest list follows: Messrs. W. R. Bogle, Sim Cottelle, Victor Miller, M. S. Karmany, Joe Simmons, R. L. Harwell, Malcolm McGregor, D. Reeder, Frank Pearce, Geo. Holman, H. H. Thomson, Ira Sims, Will Doose, Dan Moser, Jno. A. Weeks, Estes Lynn, Miss Louise Orgain and Mr. Roy Reeder.

Mrs. McGregor was again hostess on Saturday afternoon with the members of her bridge club and substitutes for absentees finding their places at the usual three tables.

Mrs. McGregor was assisted by her mother, Mrs. J. R. Lusk, in serving a delicious buffet luncheon consisting of grape fruit salad, brown bread sandwiches, potato chips, olives, Denver rolls, doughnuts, home-made candies and mints with coffee or tea.

Those included were: Mmes. C. W. Cheatham, Homer Carsey, O. C. Williams of Winters, R. W. Earnshaw, Estes Lynn, Floyd Carr, Troy Simpson, Ross Murchison, R. V. Northington, John Williams, Cecil Thorp, R. L. Stephenson, Laurent Webb, W. B. Woody, Archie O'Kelly, C. R. Stone, Harry Lynn, Louis Tigner, Malcolm McGregor, Jack McGregor, Misses Mildred Herring, Winnie Trail, Anna Jean Sharp and Nell Alexander.

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FIRST AUTO ACCIDENT WAS RECORDED IN 1802

The first automobile accident occurred in 1802 when Richard Trevethick, speeding at the rate of 10 miles an hour, lost control of his steam carriage and wrecked a fence along the road.

This accident caused the people to demand that no steam carriages should be allowed to run at large, and so the beginning of a system for putting cars on rails was made.

England in 1896 had a law prohibiting any power propelled vehicle to travel over the highway at a higher speed than four miles an hour and further required that the vehicle be preceded by a man carrying a red flag.—Detroit News.



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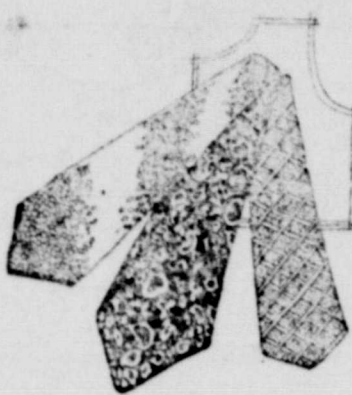
DELAINE SHEEP PROFITABLE FOR TALPA MAN

(By Associated Press)

COLEMAN, Nov. 18.—Will Hale of Talpa, has 18 head of fine Delaine sheep that have paid their board in advance for the winter months. During the fair season just closed the sheep have been exhibited at many places and have won for the owner \$976.50 in cash prizes.

As soon as the fair season was over the 18 head, with four more, sheared 477 pounds of wool, an average of 21 pounds to the sheep. Talpa is one of the best sheep sections in Coleman county and the industry is yet in its infancy. The wool warehouse there is a big industry and contributes large sums annually to the channels of trade in the thrifty little town between Coleman and Ballinger.

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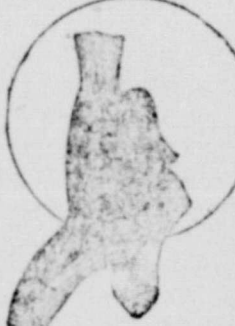


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RAYMONDVILLE PLANS TO ESTABLISH ONION MARKET

(By Associated Press)

RAYMONDVILLE, Tex., Nov. 18.—Plans to establish an onion market here have just been announced by the chamber of commerce. Approximately 2,000 acres will be planted in onions this year, and the yield is expected to be about 150 carloads. If onion growers decide to enter

the organization, it is planned to bring buyers here to meet them. Willacy county onions are ready for the market from two to four weeks earlier than those of any other section of Texas, it is said.

LAST DANCE AT OLFEN

On Saturday night, Nov. 21st. Music by Rainbow Dance Orchestra. Everybody welcome. Committee. 18-1d-1tw.*

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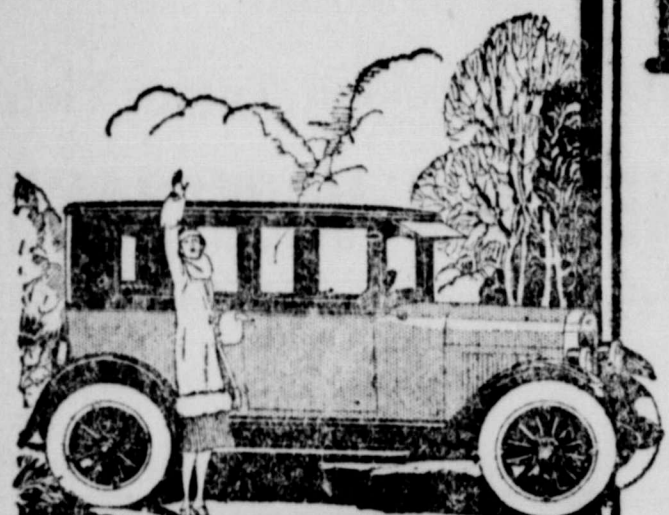
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Milton Sills in "The Making of O'Malley"

"Give Me Action Drama," Says Sills, Star of Film at Queen
Good, old fashioned melodrama has a staunch supporter in one of moviedom's greatest portrayers of "he-man" roles—Milton Sills, star of "The Making of O'Malley," the current First National attraction at the Queen Theatre. This film is here for a two-day run.

Milton Sills doesn't like ordinary drawing room drama. He likes melodrama. He likes pictures and plays in which the lounge-lizard type of man is relegated to the background. He admits it, with a note of pride.

"I get a real thrill out of old-time melodrama," says he. "Others may like the psychological studies, the problems plays, the

drawing room plays and all that. I don't."

"Give me a picture or a play in which there is objective action, melodrama, well motivated—a picture in which there is display of primitive emotions, fear, rage, revenge, passion and hatred. And, of course, there must be romance. You can't have adventure without romance, and to my mind romanticism is far more attractive than realism. Realism is too drab. Romanticism is colorful. It makes you forget the drabness of our everyday existence."

Dorothy Mackaill leads the brilliant supporting cast in this picture, which is adapted from the Red Book Magazine story of the same name by Gerald Beaumont. Lambert Hillyer directed the picture under the supervision of Earl Hudson, who supervised "The Lost World."

W. E. Hull, teacher of Guitar, Mandolin and Ukelele. Inquire at Owl Lunch Room. 16-61d

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Apples

Just received one car Apples and Sweet Potatoes at Economy Mills. 17-3d

Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw left Tuesday afternoon for Dallas, where she will visit friends for several days.

Ledger want ads pay.

COUNTY CHURCHES HEAR ENDOWMENT LECTURER

The Rev. R. E. Milam, a director in the Howard Payne College \$250,000 Endowment Campaign in Rummels Association, has been busy in his itinerary of the Baptist churches for the past two weeks. He reports that everywhere he is met with a great deal of interest as his messages are of a nature to stimulate Christian education everywhere.

This last week he has spoken to the following churches: Norton, New Joy, Poe's Chapel, Wilmet, New Hope and Drasco. Rev. Milam is pointing out that a failure in this campaign will mean ruin to a school that means much to all this great section of country. He says that Rummels Association is now enjoying the benefit of many Howard Payne

students and ex-students as leading preachers, teachers, and business men and women.

FIREMEN STAGING BANQUET TONIGHT

The Ballinger Volunteer Fire Department, following their business meeting tonight, will go to the American Cafe, where they will enjoy an oyster supper. This feed was announced at the last regular meeting and the boys are expected a 100 per cent attendance tonight to attend to the business of the organization and to enjoy the spread at the restaurant.

Giving something to charity makes a man feel better simply because he is better.

Ledger want ads pay

TICKETS SELLING FAST FOR LEGION BANQUET

Tickets to the American Legion banquet were placed on sale Tuesday afternoon and within less than one hour over 50 plates were sold. The committee will have a hard time getting around to see all Legionnaires and Auxiliary members so if you want to attend this affair it would be well to see C. W. Thorp and arrange for the tickets before Thursday afternoon. There will be no tickets sold after that date as the hotel must be notified at that time how many to prepare for.

The arrangements committee announces that a good feed will be served, consisting of baked turkey, dressing, pickles, olives, cranberry sauce, creamed potatoes, English peas, Waldorf salad, mince pie, hot rolls, coffee, mints, cigarettes and cigars. This dinner will be served by twelve young ladies in special costumes, and the tables will be decorated with serpentine paper, balloons, and other adornment. A good program will also be rendered during the evening's festivities.

CHORAL CLUB CHANGES TO LADIES GLEE CLUB

The recently organized Ballinger Choral Club voted at the meeting held Tuesday night to change the name of the organization to the Ladies Glee Club. It was reported that it was impossible to get male singers of the city interested, and many ladies were taking an active part.

The next rehearsal will be held on Tuesday, December 2nd, and any lady interested is requested to notify Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh, president of the club.

A Christmas program will be rehearsed by the glee club, presentation of which will be made some time during the holiday season. Music has already been purchased. Ladies with low voices are particularly urged to line up with the organization as there is a scarcity of this type of singers.

Rehearsals will be held every two weeks and will only last one hour.

UNKNOWN SOLDIER MAY BE A MAN FROM BANGS

The News is indebted to J. L. Rice of Winchell, for a copy of Capper's Weekly containing a picture of Seth S. Shaw, who lived at Bangs, and who probably was America's "Unknown Soldier." The picture was accompanied by the following explanation:

The spot in France from which the body of the "Unknown Soldier" was taken, later buried in Arlington Cemetery with imposing ceremonies, is said to tally exactly with the burial place of Seth S. Shaw of Bangs, Texas, killed in the Meuse-Argonne offensive. If true, the picture shows that the finest type of American manhood was selected for this high honor.—Brownwood News.

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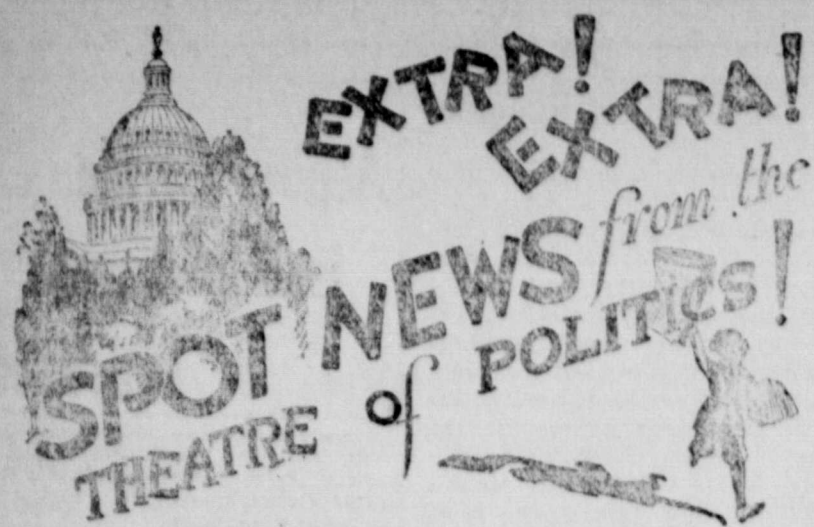
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C. OF C. PLANS LAUNCH DRIVE

All standing committees of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday night in a special called session to make plans for the finishing of the year's activities and the commencing of the new year. A short report of activities for 1925 was heard from the president and secretary of the organization which included many items of importance, some of which are yet to be completed.

The budget committee was instructed to make up the budget for 1926 at once and report same to the next directors' meeting for approval. The membership committee will commence the 1926 membership drive on December 10th and will have this work completed for the incoming committee on January 1st. The membership committee is composed of M. C. Atkins, Tom Caudle and A. McGregor, and they will draft other workers from the personnel of the chamber to assist them in interviewing every citizen of Ballinger and getting them on the dotted line for the next year.

The budget committee will also inaugurate and complete their drive before Christmas and have that part of the work ready so that the first of the year will find the chamber financed.

The annual chamber of commerce banquet will be held during the first week in January at which time the annual report will be read to the membership, and directors elected for the ensuing year. The directorship of the organization has always been composed of fifteen regular directors and fifteen associate directors, but according to an undercurrent report from retiring directors it is probable that an amendment will be offered to the membership at the annual meeting to amend the constitution and make the directorate be composed of twenty-one directors and do away with the associate board. The associate board has no power of vote and in its present state is of very little use to the organization, it is stated, except that vacancies on the regular board are filled from its ranks. More directors, it is pointed out, are needed on the board to help carry on the numerous and growing activities and a quorum would be more certain at regular meetings.

The hotel situation in Ballinger was discussed by the committee men present Tuesday night, and many plans were offered, but no definite conclusions were reached. There was said to be a strong demand in the city that a modern hotel be erected here, but the plan for financing has not been decided. Committees will continue to study the situation and some scheme may be devised soon for starting the construction. Other matters were discussed at length at the called meeting, and the directors were in session for more than two hours.

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