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HOUSTON ELKS, ON VISIT HERE, PRAISE CISCO HIGHLY

PARTY OF 14 ON WAY TO CONVENTION

Other Groups Going to Breckenridge Arriving Here.

Unstinted praise for the hospitality and accommodations afforded them in Cisco was given this morning by a party of 14 Houston Elks who stopped over here last night on their way to Breckenridge to attend the annual convention of the State Elks association opening today. Thomas W. Hopkins, exalted ruler of the Houston Elks lodge, declared that the accommodations provided for him and his party here were as good as they had expected to find anywhere but that it was the hospitality of Cisco people and the courteous treatment accorded them at the Laguna, where they spent the night, that pleased them most. He indicated that they will probably reserve rooms in Cisco and remain here each night, driving to and from Breckenridge to attend the convention.

Mr. Hopkins, quite naturally took occasion to sing the praises of Houston, his own city, a weakness in which he is eminently justified, considering the progressive character of that city of ship canals and railroads. "Say a good word for Houston, young man," he said. "We've got Dallas on the run."

Which goes to show that inter-city rivalry is not solely characteristic of the cities of the oil belt.

Mr. Hopkins and his party were met at the station when they arrived on the 12:45 Texas and Pacific passenger early this morning by a committee of Cisco Elks, among them Hugh White, exalted ruler, and C. H. Fleming, secretary. They were taken to the hotel for the night. This morning at 10 they left for Breckenridge and the convention.

Among those in the party were: Thomas W. Hopkins, Tom F. Rowell, C. Hutchinson, A. L. Vollmer, W. J. Quinlin, James H. Gibson, B. W. O'Brien, Ed W. Knesek, W. Mitchell, W. B. Nolan and A. L. Brierley.

Parties of convention delegates from numerous other Elks lodges in the state are due to arrive here throughout the day. They will be taken care of in the same fashion, every possible courtesy being shown them during their stay here.

Meanwhile plans for entertaining the entire convention here Sunday afternoon at Lake Cisco are being made. This entertainment will consist of a barbecue, swimming, boating, fishing, music and other features to be provided by the Cisco Elks.

Awards Given Cisco Scouts at Court of Honor Session Held at Presbyterian Church on Tuesday

A Court of Honor was held in Cisco Tuesday night at the First Presbyterian church with Judge Eugene Lankford, chairman of the court, presiding. H. C. Henderson and Homer Slicker, members of the court, were also present with a number of visitors including Rev. B. C. Boney, Mr. Murray, Prof. Williams and others. Scoutmaster J. T. Maddux, E. E. Lennon, O. J. Russell, and Milton Connally were present with their troops.

DAMAGE SUIT FILED AGAINST GAS COMPANY

Asking for damages for alleged personal injuries to herself and for damages sustained by her husband because of incapacity to act as housewife, Mrs. Herman Roberts and her husband have brought suit in the 91st district court of Eastland county against the Lone Star Gas company for \$112,500.

Plaintiffs allege in their petition that on September 15, 1928, Mrs. Roberts was on the highway just west of Ranger in her car when her car was struck by a car driven by A. M. Jameson, an employee of the defendant, and that this resulted in the injuries of which the plaintiff complains.



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Cisco Student Is Named Assistant

AUSTIN, May 23. — Student assistants for the summer session have been announced in the various departments at the University of Texas, according to Dr. Frederick Eby, director of the summer school. The assistants are selected on a scholastic basis; their duties vary from filing work in the offices of the various members of the faculty to stenographic and clerical work and directing laboratory classes.

The following students have been named assistants for this summer: Geology, Leroy Pish; of Bluff, zoology, Antoinette Bracher of Fredericksburg; business administration, Mrs. Pearl Kerr of Austin; chemistry (first term), W. E. Floyd of Paris, J. T. Murchison of Haskell, Katie Hart of Cisco, J. L. Franklin of Dallas and C. T. Ashby of McLean; chemistry (second term), J. A. Boone of Harlingen, Ruth Evans of Plainview, A. B. Cairns of Austin and J. L. Franklin; law (assistants in library), Thurman Adkins of Lafayette and Robert Eikel of Sherman, law (quizzes), Robert Reeves of Sherman, Leslie Byrd of San Antonio and Charles Russell of Fort Worth.

12 STOWAWAYS.

GALVESTON, May 23. — Twelve Honduran stowaways were discovered on the Norwegian steamer Juan when it arrived here Tuesday from Port Castilla, Honduras, with its cargo of bananas for the United States Fruit company. The men were discovered by customs officials while inspecting the ship.

GUN-TOTING PASSE, SAYS "OLD TACK"

AMARILLO, May 23. — Gun-toting no longer is considered good form in Amarillo, according to Gene Howe, editor of the Amarillo Globe-News, whose pen name is the "Tactless Texan."

Howe called upon business men of the town to set an example to others and sign a pledge agreeing not to carry fire-arms for at least one year.

"I will be very glad to sign the pledge myself," Howe declared in an article yesterday. "Already I have started to break myself of the habit as today I am carrying but one gun where I usually carry two."

Because of recent killings here, Howe said, Amarillo is being exploited by the press as the "Chicago of the Plains."

"This will never do. The pistols do smoke occasionally or quite frequently in Amarillo and it is necessary that something be done about it."

Howe said when he signs the pledge he will add a proviso that he has the right to carry a gun when he is out of town as he plans to visit Chicago soon. In Chicago, he said, he would add a Mexican hunting knife to his equipment.

Haste May Have Wrecked 2 Bills

AUSTIN, May 23. — Hasty action in the closing hours of the special session of the Texas legislature may have wrecked two bills. In the rush the legislators failed to amend captions of the two bills to conform to changes that had been made in the body. The bills thus threatened create a state board of education and permit women nurses and supervisors in charity hospitals to work more than nine consecutive hours. The bills may be corrected at the second called session of the legislature which is to convene on June 3.

MALLON CALLED BEFORE SENATE PROBING BODY

WASHINGTON, May 23. — The senate rules committee Wednesday called Paul R. Mallon, chief of the capital staff of the United Press association, before it in a secret hearing Monday, opening its investigation of senators suspected of having divulged the executive roll call on the nomination of former Senator Lenroot to be judge of the court of customs appeals.

The committee decided the United Press correspondent should be deprived of privileges of the senate floor for having obtained the roll call for publication.

The decision was announced by Chairman George Moses of the committee, who said he did not know what course the investigation would take. He said Mallon would be subpoenaed to answer before the executive session of the committee in an effort to compel him to divulge names of senators who gave him the information.

No proceedings are contemplated at this time against other newspaper men who published the roll, Moses added.

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OIL NEWS OF SOUTHWEST

PLYOTE, May 23.—Sale of the Independent Oil & Gas company pipe line extending from the Winkler county field to Plyote was announced here by the Atlantic Pipe Line company, purchasers. The new line will extend the line to the new oil field recently opened in the southeast part of the county near Grand Falls.

WICHITA FALLS, May 23.—Completion of the Pandem Oil corporation No. 1 Burch, a wildcat well, means the opening up of another large oil area near here. The well, located in the center of the southwest 20 acres of block 477, T. 25 N., E. 1 E., survey, south Young county, is flowing into the pit by heads every three hours. The sand will be drilled deeper.

DENISON, May 23.—Held up by 11 inches of rain in the past week, drilling operations over this area took a renewed activity this week. With three producing wells already connected to pipe lines, rigs were being set up hurriedly for further drilling. Pipe line crews were also busy.

HOUSTON, May 23.—It now appears that Barber's Hill shortly will be found to be productive all the way around. From present indications, it is not unreasonable to expect production on the north as the Mills Bennett Production company's No. 1-E Watter on this portion of the structure has drilled through lime from 5,257 to 5,332 feet and is now in shale around 5,460 feet. This indicates a normal section as found in the other three fields.

Development so far on the three producing fields has found the lime at various depths followed by from 100 to 150 feet of shale before reaching up the pay. Humble company has obtained another good producer on the DeWah structure in Fort Bend county in their No. 7 Sugarland completed Monday, flowing 1,000 barrels pipe line oil from a depth of 3,670 feet. Completion of this well gives the field an output of around 12,000 barrels daily.

Houston Gulf Gas company's No. 7 Shelly, in the north central portion of the Refugio field, which came in last week at 3,712 feet and pumped up, has been cleaned out and is good for 245 barrels daily. Texas company's No. 5 Wheat Big Creek has been completed with an initial flow of 600 barrels of heavy oil from a depth of 3,250 feet.

The average daily output, under operation of Pecos county last week was 97,400 barrels as against the

previous week's 89,950 barrels. Howard and Glasscock counties 43,000 barrels, previous week 44,100 barrels; Winkler county 145,600 barrels, previous week 139,750 barrels.

Texas company's discovery well in the Mansfield district near Fort Neches, completed more than a week ago with an initial production of 1,900 barrels from a depth of 3,165 feet, is declining rapidly, having dropped to around 600 barrels showing 2½ per cent salt water and 12½ per cent basic sediment. The rapid decline of production, which is unusual in the first well drilled on new coastal structures, does not necessarily condemn this field.

SEMINOLE, Okla., May 23.—Running full blast with curtailment lifted, nine pools of the great Seminole oil field produced 393,646 barrels from 1,926 wells, according to gauges Monday. This is an increase of 1,921 barrels over Sunday's production. The St. Louis pool produced 93,670 barrels from 333 wells.

TULSA, Okla., May 23.—Completion of a big gusher and a hike in the price of crude oil has given impetus to a rush for oil in the Asher district, Oklahoma's most promising pool.

No. 1 Laver of T. B. Slick and the Prairie Oil & Gas company in northwest section of the Asher section was turned into the tanks for a flow of 122 barrels an hour. At 3 o'clock Monday afternoon the well was yielding 100 barrels an hour. Drills topped the pay formation at 3,640 feet.

There were 36 active operations in the Asher district Monday.

TULSA, Okla., May 23.—Daily crude oil average in Oklahoma increased 1,120 barrels to 672,170 barrels last week, when production in the Seminole field was stopped, according to the Oil & Gas Journal Tuesday.

National daily average production was 2,632,103 barrels, a general decrease of 4,765 barrels. Light oil, however, increased 5,073 barrels.

Midcontinent daily average was 146,650 barrels, an increase of 5,329 barrels. Kansas increased from 113,000 to 114,000 barrels. California showed a decrease from 761,999 to 753,000 barrels.

WICHITA, Kan., May 23.—Further play for the new field in Trego county opened Monday, was assured Wednesday when oil scouts for the major companies at Tulsa pronounced the sand in the new wildcat well to be the true Wilcox. This is the first Wilcox found in the western part of the county.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., May 23.—No. 1-A Cook of the I-T-I-C near Coalgate, Okla., in Coal county is the deepest well in the state. The well is drilling around 7,183

feet through shale and lime in an 8-inch hole. The wildcat has been drilled with a rotary.

Stocks of crude oil in storage in Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas on May 1, were estimated at 131,018,941 barrels. This is an increase of 2,990,553 barrels over the amount on hand April 1.

Oklahoma leads in the number of gasoline plants, according to an annual survey of the Oil & Gas Journal of Tulsa. There are 298 plants in the state. On May 1, the Oil & Gas Journal shows there were 1,124 plants scattered throughout the nation's oil producing states. The present actual production of natural gasoline is nearly 6,000,000 gallons daily, according to government data.

Houston, May 23.—While there is overproduction of crude in spots throughout the country there is an apparent underproduction in others. The latter condition exists in West Texas and will be further complicated within the next few months when all the pipe lines running to the gulf coast are in full operation.

The question already has arisen as to how the several pipe line companies will obtain sufficient crude to meet the demands of their lines and their refinery requirements. Some producers are of the opinion that the situation can be met in but one way, absorption of several of the independent production companies by some of the major pipe lines. Others see a wild scramble by the pipe line companies for new connections and the possibility of heavy premiums being paid to obtain an adequate supply of crude.

The Gulf has sufficient production to maintain a full pipe line from West Texas and in addition has the McElroy and the O'Brien ranch properties consisting of thousands of acres of proven production neither of which has been developed. This assures Gulf ample supply for years. The Magnolia, through extensions, has sufficient contracts to keep its lines full for several months.

When the Shell's and the Texas Pipe Line companies are in operation from West Texas to the coast the total capacity of the pipe lines will be approximately 338,000 barrels daily.

WICHITA FALLS, May 23.—Flowing natural 300 barrels per hour, the Texas company's No. 2-S. Faulkner, located 330 feet north and 330 feet east of southwest corner of section 29, block B-2 H and G N RR survey, one and one half miles west of Lefors, Gray county, goes on record as the biggest well brought in for some time in this county.

The granite wash was encountered at 2,855 feet and drilled in to 10 feet.

TULSA—Sound equipment installed at Grand theater.

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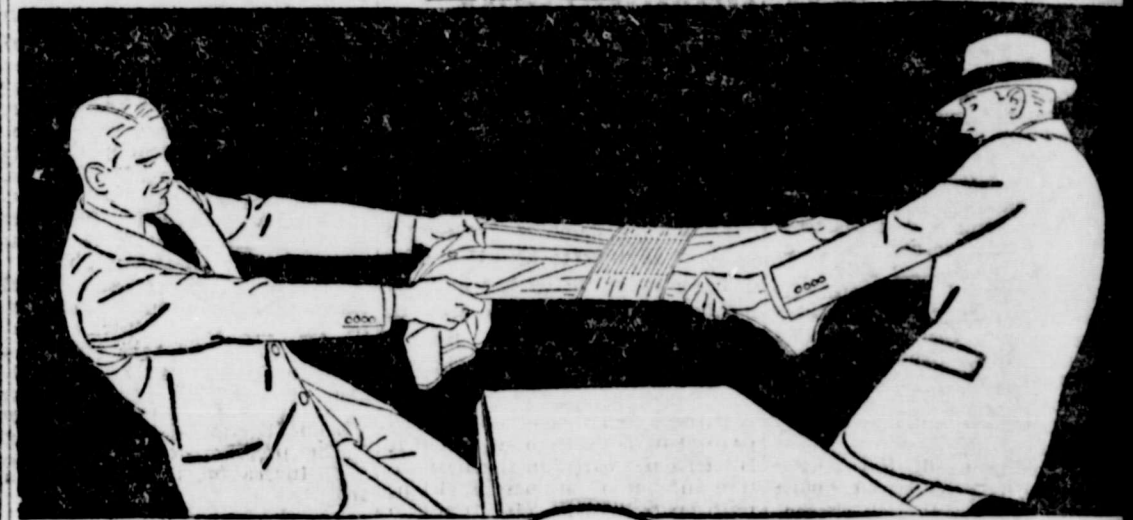
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Late News From Nineteen Towns and Communities

WHO'S WHO AND WHAT'S WHAT IN AND AROUND PUTNAM

As Told to Mrs. J. S. Yeager.

R. R. Thames of the Bluff branch community, had business in Putnam Wednesday.

Mrs. W. E. Pruett has returned from a visit of a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Hick Burnam and family, at White Flat.

Mrs. Jim Crawford and daughter, Miss Aquilla, were shopping in Cisco Wednesday.

Mrs. S. E. Winfrey of Sipe Springs spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Jones.

T. E. Brown of Cisco was a business visitor in Putnam Thursday.

Clyde King has returned from Southland where he spent several days attending to business interests.

Mrs. Lorenza McCluskey of South Bend, has been visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pratt, this week.

Wyle Clements of Stanton was in Putnam Saturday looking after business interests and visiting relatives.

Mrs. John Cook spent the week end in Abilene the guest of relatives and friends.

Mrs. John Thorpe of the Hart community was the guest of Mrs. W. O. Lawson Monday.

Alvin Heslop is visiting in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Warren, of the Hart community this week.

High Smith of Cisco, congenial manager of the Cisco-Putnam Oil company, was in Putnam Thursday looking after business.

Short, field manager of the Godley interests in the North Putnam oil fields, and Mrs. Short made a business trip to Cisco Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Yeager of Reno, Claude, of Bluff Branch were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yeager Tuesday.

M. W. Cowan, former resident of this place, but now of Abilene, was circulating among friends and visiting relatives here Wednesday.

J. H. Burnam of Stanton was the guest of his brother, J. S. Burnam and Mrs. Burnam this week.

C. B. Diver of the Hart community was a visitor in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Lawson and Jimmie Jones Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart of Abilene, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hart Sunday.

Mrs. T. L. Hamlin was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Young and family, in Cross Plains this week.

Mrs. W. J. Kennedy of Fort Worth is here the guest of her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. M. Kennedy and family.

James Jones, prosperous oil man of the Hart community, made a business trip to Breckenridge Saturday.

W. T. Guernsey, Jr., of Moran, was looking after business interests in Putnam Saturday.

Miss Roma Baker of McMurrayville, spent the week end in the home of her parents, Rev. J. B. Baker and Mrs. Baker.

Mrs. Dan Lawley of Big Spring was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Teague Sunday.

Miss Josie Robertson was a visitor at Baird Saturday.

W. L. Johnson, father of Mrs. E. E. Clark, spent the week end in Cisco the guest of relatives.

Rev. Jesse Hudson of Merkel was the guest of Miss Lillian Teague Sunday.

Mrs. Luke Cathey of Stanton is a visitor in the home of Mrs. Luke Cathey, Sr. here this week.

Wiley Clements and son, Billy Y., of Stanton stopped over for a short visit with relatives here the last of the week. They were enroute to Temple, where Billy Y. will go through the clinic. They were accompanied to Temple by Mrs. Bess McCool.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scott and son of Cross Plains spent Sunday in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Cecil Cook and Mr. Cook.

Miss Thelma Brown of Putnam and Charles K. Odum of Fort Worth were married in Abilene on Wednesday, Justice P. B. Ford officiating. The couple will reside in Abilene.

The playette put on at the Baptist church on Sunday evening by the B. Y. P. U. was very pretty, indeed, and those taking part in the program went through with it without mistake although the director, Miss Faye Pratt, was unable to be at her post on account of illness.

Mrs. L. C. McClellan of Burkett, formerly of Putnam, was a visitor in our town on Saturday.

Mrs. McClellan is a constant reader of this paper, thereby keeps up with what is going on in the old home town.

The Senior Epworth League of the Methodist church enjoyed an evening spent at Lake Abilene this week. They were accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Baker and Mrs. L. B. Mitchell. Those in the party were Misses Artie Cook, Bertha Buchanan, Roma Yarbrough, Dorothy Hampton, Bessie King, Lillian Teague, Messrs. George Buchanan, Carl Brock, Wesley Stamps, L. D. Harper, Willard Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pruett and little son visited in the home of Mrs. Pruett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Jones, at Pueblo Sunday, returning Monday.

Current rumor has it that the price of oil is likely to advance 25 to 50 cents per barrel in the near future and the oil business is picking up around Putnam. The Texas Co. has two rigs running steadily and have recently drilled in several producers in the Hatchett field, bringing their production up to 1,000 to 1,200 barrels per day.

It is reported the Lone Star Gas company is contemplating the drilling of several gas wells in the near future. This company has just completed two of these on the Alford lease and Bob Tollett, local man, has also drilled in a good gas well on the Williams lease and is expecting another one in on Monday.

Denny and Andrews have completed on their lease north of Putnam three wells, making about eight or ten barrels each and are expecting to drill several more.

Richards and Cupps have started their machine on their lease north of town cleaning out wells and contemplating drilling three or four wells in the near future.

The Reiter, Foster Oil corporation, of Tulsa, Okla., expect to start drilling on the Ramsey lease, eight miles north of town, as soon as titles are passed, and have contracted to drill four or five wells. Bob Tollett will move his rigs at once to this lease in readiness to begin the work.

T. L. Owens, of Abilene, was a business visitor in Putnam Friday. Mr. Owens will be remembered as a former resident of this place, removing to Clyde about twelve years ago and from there to Abilene. He stated that his daughter, Miss Beatrice, who was a small girl at the time of their residence here, has accepted a position as teacher in the high school at Abilene for the term of 29 and 30. She received the greater part of her education in the public schools of her home town and Abilene is to be commended in the selection of home talent, qualifications considered, as teachers in the schools, as the resident people in any town or community are the ones who are really interested in the upbuilding of their school and other enterprises and will put forth stronger effort, as a rule, to build up the community where they live. They deposit their money in the home bank and spend it with home merchants, to say nothing of the yearly taxes they pay to keep things going. It takes cooperation all around to make a good town.

The Mission hotel, under the able management of Mrs. Mary Guyton, who is also the owner, has had some valuable additions made to the already commodious building of late. The building is situated on the west side of the square and has all conveniences available in a city. It is built of brick with stucco finish and has a filling station, barber shop and cafe, equipped with electric dishwasher in the connection. The hotel has about thirty-five rooms, hot and cold baths available, convenient lobby in the front. A large dining room has been arranged in the rear for the accommodation of one hundred to one hundred and fifty guests.

Mrs. Guyton has labored unceasingly and spent money lavishly for the upbuilding of the hotel for the good of the town and the public appreciates her efforts.

Mrs. W. O. Lawson and little son, Eugene, spent Sunday in the

home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wiley of the Hart community. Mrs. Lawson expresses the sentiment of the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley when she says, "It is always a pleasure to go into this hospitable Christian home. Greeted with a hearty welcome the guests are very soon made to feel perfectly at ease. No need to ask how they spend their time, as there is a beautiful garden, a yard full of yellow legged chickens just the right size to fry, a cellar filled with all sorts of fruits, preserves, pickles and other good things to tickle the palate. A large bunch of turkeys were also in evidence, the property of the daughter, Miss Katie Lee, who tends them with splendid care. These dear old people are prosperous, so far as worldly goods are concerned, but they never forget the Bible injunction to remember the poor and stretch forth a hand to help the needy."

Mrs. F. Cunningham entertained the "Night Hawk" bridge club in her home on Thursday evening, May 16. The Japanese motif was skillfully carried out in the tallies and table covers, while a miniature Japanese fan completed the plate favors. Miss Willie Kennedy won high score and was presented a beautiful Japanese tea set and the guest prize went to Mrs. N. Williams. A delicious refreshment service was served to the following: Mesdames L. B. Williams, W. A. Harder, W. R. Hamlin, E. P. Shackelford, J. N. Williams, A. J. Frazier, C. R. Cook, S. B. Miller, Misses Ted Moore, Willie, Crystal and Lois Kennedy.

The Junior-Senior banquet of the Putnam high school, was held in the spacious hall of the Mission hotel on Friday evening, May 17, 1929. The hall was artistically decorated for the occasion, the color scheme of blue and white, predominating. Guests for the evening were the trustees and faculty. Girls from the freshmen class put forth their best efforts for the comfort and welfare of their superiors. The graduating class for this year are the following: Eva Everett, Harold Bray, Vernon Yeager, Leona Miller, Thelma Everett and Loyd Jobe.

The program follows:

- 1-Invocation, Supt. D. E. Renfro.
- 2-Speech by each senior.
- 3-Prophecy, Lawrence Brock (Junior).
- 4-Will, Leona Miller.
- 5-History, Eva Everett (Senior).
- 6-Song, Juniors.
- 7-Response, Seniors.

Loyd Jobe was toastmaster and served well in this capacity. Mrs. D. E. Renfro, sponsor.

L. E. Brock, W. A. Buchanan and G. P. Gaskin, trustees, made talks in praise of the advancement of the school during the year.

The evening was one of genuine pleasure and satisfaction and it was decided to make the banquet an annual affair.

Herman Hart, fourteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hart, of the Hart community, died on Thursday afternoon, after an illness of about two weeks.

The funeral was held on the following day at Baird. His Sunday school superintendent, at Herman's request, read the scripture, followed by a short service led by Rev. J. B. Baker, assisted by Rev. Carl Wright, of Baird.

The pall bearers were six boys of the pep squad from the Union high school at Colony, of which he was a member.

He is survived by his parents, two brothers and one sister, besides other relatives.

His family in their bereavement, C. C. Seale, Jr., one of Callahan county's most popular young men, and a soldier of note in the late World war, died in El Paso on Tuesday, May 14.

He was born in Callahan county October 13, 1894 and lived the greater part of his life here. Mr. Seale was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Seale, Sr., pioneer residents of this county.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. P. Gerhart, of the Episcopal church. Interment was in the Belle Plaine cemetery beside the graves of his parents, who preceded their son in death several years ago.

He is survived by his young wife, three sisters and other relatives. Our sympathy is extended to the bereaved, who are left to mourn the going of this fine young man.

CORINTH

Rev. Tennyson filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mrs. Ghormly and daughter, Eva, from Rising Star, was here Saturday visiting Mrs. Ghormley's mother, Mrs. Baldere, and her sister, Mrs. J. M. Tennyson.

Rev. Taylor was to hold services here Saturday as it was decoration day, but for some cause he failed to get here. Rev. Baldere of Abilene took his place. The people did not get as much work done as they wished on account of the rain Friday and Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lins of Cisco were out to church Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Tennyson was the Sunday guest of Rev. Tennyson.

Quite a few of the people of this community attended church at Grapevine Sunday night.

John Hart is on a business trip to Austin this week.

HASKELL

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Shock and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. O'Brien of Eastland, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Baird of Cisco, spent Saturday night with their father and sister, John Allen and Mrs. Lillie Perdue.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Maddox and children were the Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Maddox.

John Allen, Mrs. Lillie Perdue and Carrie Bell visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Perdue Monday morning.

Miss Elcie Sharp and Miss Alice Notgrass visited in the Perdue home Sunday.

Miss Kittie Perdue was the Sunday evening guest of Elcie Sharp. Jim Poplin was in Nimrod Saturday.

Miss Thelma Perdue shopped in Cisco Saturday.

SCRANTON

A large crowd attended the senior play Saturday night.

Miss Lela Brown of Cisco is spending her vacation here visiting relatives.

Miss Grace Bradshaw of Randolph college was the week end guest of her mother.

Mrs. J. D. Pittman has been ill the past few days.

Grandmother McCarver of Dayton has been visiting Mrs. A. C. McCarver.

Melvin Stewart and Orval Reese were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Granville Jones of Pueblo.

The home makers demonstration club met Thursday. There were eleven women present. On our next regular meeting day we will finish drying rags for a rug.

The junior class of Scranton high school entertained the seniors last Thursday morning with a sunrise breakfast. Those present were: B. B. Brummett, sponsor of the senior class; Miss Verda Gilbert, sponsor of the junior class; Misses Ruth Sprawls, Mildred Morgan, Thelma Bailey, Amy Johnson, Nina Morgan, Lillian West, Maurine Bailey, Eunice Brashaw, Johnnie Speegles, Mahlon Stutville, Louis Horn, Orville Baily and Mrs. B. Brummett.

The senior class will give their play "When Ted Drops In" Thursday evening at the Union school house.

CENTRAL

We are enjoying the spring rains and cold weather. Gardens and crops are growing fine.

Mrs. Hensen was a Cisco visitor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Nicholas had as their guests Sunday Mrs. Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boone of Mangum.

Let's everyone meet at Central cemetery Thursday, June 6. Every one come that can. The graves are in very bad condition. The church house has been moved away so be there.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans motored to Cisco Wednesday.

There was a home gathering at Mr. and Mrs. Henson and the children and friends old time dinner spread on tables in the shades of trees. There were 32 present. Health in the community is fine.

SABANNO

Everybody are all smiles since the nice rains that fell last week. The farmers are busy getting their crops planted and worked out.

Among those attended the senior play at Scranton Saturday night were R. Q. Hicks and Roman Erwin.

Miss Grace Jarnagin who has been visiting Mrs. O. L. Maddox the past two weeks returned to her home in Hamlin Sunday.

Health in the community is very good at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Rich Holder of Scranton visited Mr. Holder's mother, Mrs. S. B. Webb Monday.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. L. King and family spent the day Sunday with Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. T. Matthews of Cisco and reports that her brother, Walter West, was badly injured in car wreck with E. M. Little, is able to be home from the sanitarium and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Webb was visiting in this community Wednesday night with Misses Jessie and Geneva King.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Greene were the Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zed Greene.

Among those who visited Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Greene Sunday were Mrs. W. R. Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kellough and family of Pueblo.

Mrs. Red Green was a Tuesday evening caller in the home of Mrs. J. L. King.

Mrs. Lee Woods and daughter, Trudie of Moran visited in this community the past week.

BEDFORD

Miss Ruby Latson was a visitor in the Misses Matthews' home Monday afternoon.

The church layman's program given at Bedford Sunday was sure to get here a large crowd. The subjects discussed were: "The Stewards to the Church," by Rev. M. H. Spoon, and "The Benevolence of the Church," by Rev. Armstrong of Cisco. Rev. Ed-

monson was in charge of the program, another preacher, Rev. Davis gave a talk on the different "denominations." Other numbers on the program were several special songs and prayers. We enjoyed them very much and invite the folks back again.

Let's don't forget the Bedford folks, that next Sunday is "Sunday School Institute day" at Twelfth street church Cisco, and we are expected to be there 100 per cent strong. Let's all go and be there at 10 o'clock Sunday a. m. to join in the Sunday school.

A good number of Grapevine folks attended church here Sunday, among them were: Mr. and Mrs. Carsley, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mitchell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Robert Walker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kemp, Lucy Callaway, and Rev. Roy O'Brien. We are truly glad to have them come and invite them back every Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stanford of Cisco, visited her father, Mr. Taylor Sunday.

Mrs. Alma Rice and children of Ranger visited her mother, Mrs. Walter Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson King from Sabanno spent Sunday with her mother.

Mr. Johnson Smith is in Brownwood working.

Walter West visited his sister, Mrs. Fambrough, at Breckenridge Saturday.

Mrs. Williams, principal of Bedford school, has been back in the community visiting this week.

Wade Dulin and Herbert Lewis spent Sunday in Gorman.

The housewives of the farmer's are quite busy doing their spring canning now. Beans, peas, berries, beets and turnip greens and spinach, are most of the products that are being canned now.

CEDAR BLUFF

We had a nice rain here Friday evening.

Mrs. Hmye Dodson and little son, Nookie, of Abilene spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams.

Mrs. Grace Smith and little daughter, Jackie Belle, of Cross Plains visited home folks, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gary.

Glen Purvis of Atwell who has been ill with pneumonia, is reported better this week.

Mr. Ed Nigar of Adminal was seen in Cottonwood Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Graham of Cottonwood, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Henry of Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. Verbal Ellison of Colony, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nigar of Adminal Sunday.

Loy Williams, Alice Tinney, of Adminal, Mrs. Amye Dodson of Abilene, were among those who attended the play at Scranton Saturday night.

W. A. Gary of Adminal made a business trip to Abilene.

Willie Wilcoxon of Putnam was visiting in the Atwell community Sunday evening.

Jim Tinney of Adminal spent Saturday night and Sunday with home folks, E. L. Tinney and family, near Cottonwood.

Miss Marie Fielder, Mrs. Cooper and son Burnie, of Baird, were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Payne and family of Putnam spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Tinney of Cottonwood.

Staley Buchanan was visiting home folks near Cottonwood Tuesday night.

Miss Alice Tinney was visiting friends in Putnam this week.

PLEASANT HILL

Rev. Baldere of Simmons university at Abilene, filled his appointments at our church Saturday night and Sunday. Both Saturday and Sunday services were well attended by people of surrounding communities.

Rev. A. H. Hardin and family of Abilene visited with relatives and friends here the past week.

L. L. Lasater and wife of Nimrod, attended church here Sunday and were dinner guests in the Ike Ramsey home.

We are glad to report the sick of this community at the Blackwell sanitarium of Gorman doing nicely at this time. Joel Sims underwent an operation Tuesday for appendicitis. Friday at 10 a. m. Mrs. Bella Tucker had a serious operation. Her many friends are extremely glad that she is doing so well.

We were glad to have our ex-teacher, Miss Vergie McGaha, with us again Sunday.

Lawrence Trott and family of Loraine is visiting with their father, B. F. Trott and other relatives and friends here at this time.

We are glad to report Mrs. A. A. Abbott is able to be out again. She has been confined to her home for some time on account of sickness.

W. J. Poe and family, Edgar Alton and son Garner, Altie Hardin and Lawrence Trott spent the day last Wednesday fishing at Lake Cisco. They reported a nice catch of fish.

Mrs. Garland Lasater visited with her mother, Mrs. N. L. Kinard, Sunday.

E. J. Kinard, wife and son, Lorry, of Humbletown attended church here Sunday and visited with her sister, Mrs. Parks Poe during the afternoon.

CROSS CUT.

D. C. Jones returned home Thursday from a month's stay in Savannah Mission hospital. He is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Stonecipher who moved to Pioneer a few weeks ago are the proud parents of a boy, Bobby Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson have been transferred to Baird.

George Wright, Miss Coy Ellison and Eldon Gregg visited Miss Ileta Drinkard of Blake Sunday.

Tuesday the Cross Cut baseball boys went to May. The game was very interesting.

Wednesday the Cross Cut girls gave the baseball boys a reception. We had a very peppy chapel program.

Wednesday afternoon the Byrd's school baseball team came up to play Cross Cut. The score was seven to two in favor of Cross Cut.

Judson Hooper has left for the plains, where he is planning of working.

The Cross Cut baseball team went to play Williams high school Friday. They just arrived there when it began to rain. The game was called off. The boys were very disappointed.

The "Passion Play" picturing the life of Christ was presented at high school Friday morning.

Saturday was clear off day at the cemetery. Dunes being served on the grounds.

Claude Dunlap and Bill Looney went to May with the boys Tuesday.

The Elm school presented a play "Borrowed Husbands, Thursday night here.

Miss Margaret St. Clair is visiting her mother in Brownwood this week end.

We are very proud of our school record in baseball this season, having played eight games, winning six and tying two.

Mr. and Mrs. Less Byrd and family went shopping in Brownwood Thursday.

Messrs. Jack Arledge, Ruel Garford, Clois Clark, George Wright, Edmond Gaines, Eldon Gregg, Johnnie Teague, Alton Clark, Lawrence Byrd, and Misses Nelda Greig, Coy Ellison, Geneva Dunlap, Mary Bell Dunlap, Leta Byrd, Bernice Steffen, Jeraldine Gaines and Lavona Clark went to the skating rink at Cross Plains Thursday night to witness the broom ball game between Putnam and Cross Plains. It was a very close game, the score being 5 to 4 in favor of Putnam.

Miss Chloe Edmonson entertained her friends Saturday night with a party. Many games were played. Those present were: Herland Pitman, Coy Williams, Eldon Gregg, Claude and Clois Clark, Walter Clark, Bernard Griffin, Ruel Garford, Overly Pitman, Tom Bauman, Johnnie Teague, Alton Clark, Glenn Edmonson, Leon Griffin and Misses Maddie Keller, Flossie Keller, Coy Ellison, Nelda Greig, Ila Gayle Jones, Inez Bauman, Loyda Griffin, Oleta Newton, Treasie Newton, and the hostess Chloe Edmonson. All reported a very nice time.

Eldon Gregg and Coy Williams left Sunday for Comanche, where they will work.

REICH

Farmers are now enjoying a fine spell of weather.

People are repairing their old binders and getting ready to start the grain harvest, which is very light in this community.

Rev. Roy Shaban of Abilene, and pastor of Mitchell church, accompanied by his family and Lucinda Parks took supper at the J. L. Bisbee home Sunday night.

Mrs. Rhudolph Reich has been ill for some time, caused by a severe attack of flu.

Rev. Wright of Scranton will fill his regular appointment at Reich Sunday afternoon.

GRAPEVINE

Everybody was proud of the nice rain that came on Friday afternoon and night, even though it did interfere with our program to be given Friday.

We had a wonderful day on Friday, the closing day of school. A large number of the parents brought their lunch. E. H. Varnell, his wife and baby of Cisco, and Miss Beulah Speer of Eastland were our distinguished guests. Mr. Varnell gave us a splendid talk on the development of agriculture in recent years. Everybody was glad to have him and enjoyed his talk. Miss Speer gave us a splendid talk on education in the afternoon. Certainly enjoyed by all.

There was plenty of lunch for everybody and enough left for dinner. You missed something by not being here.

HEROISM OF NEGRO WARDS OFF INDIANS

By LEONARD PASSMORE.
A few years ago, I was sitting in a hotel lobby at Brownwood, in conversation with a number of men, who had once been cow-punchers, and early pioneers of Brown county. They were at first talking of all developments around Brownwood and other places nearby, when an old man, who gave his name as Ben Guthrie, became reminiscent and spoke somewhat as follows:
"My father settled four miles northeast of Williams' ranch near Trigger Mountain, in the year 1876. It was a broken country, full of hills, and little valleys, and deer and buffalo were in great abundance. There were no game laws to restrict us in our sport, and the work we got in with our old citizen rifles was enough to do credit to any frontier man. It was great in those days to go hunting, but we did not kill in waste. We relied upon the wild game largely for food, and killed just what was needed for that purpose.
"There were no wire fences at that time to interfere with our travels in any way. When we started anywhere, we got our direction, and bearings, and mounting our ponies we started out. The fear of Indians, was the only thing

that gave us any concern. They gave us a great deal of trouble, especially on moonlight nights. But things have greatly changed. I sometimes wonder at the wonderful progress that Texas has made. Land that sold for \$1.50 an acre is now selling for \$75 an acre. That part of the country is now all in small farms and ranches. They are now making oil tests near the town of Mullen. The country does not look like it did when I was a boy. Wonderful change."
"You mentioned about the Indians, Mr. Guthrie," I said. "Tell us something about their depredations."
"Well," he replied, "I will tell you about a raid they made, and of the bravery of an old negro. The name of the negro was Albert Chandler. He was a close friend to George, Bill and Jim Williams, the founders of the Williams ranch. This ranch is now situated in Mills county, but at that time it was in Brown county. Mills county not then being organized.
"Old Albert Chandler was a slave at this time. His brother, old Wash Chandler, an ex-slave, is now living in Brownwood.
"In the early sixties, old Albert Chandler was out with one of the Williams boys cutting poles. Nearly all the fencing in an early day was done by laying rails, or poles, one upon another a zig-zag shape, and then after a height of about five feet or six rails was reached, the fence was staked and chained. In this way pens and corrals were built, and sometimes fields and small pastures.
"Mr. Williams and the negro slave were in the bottom working

vigorously cutting poles, when suddenly they were charged by a band of Indians. Williams expected the negro to be cowardly, as most negroes are on such occasions, but to his surprise the negro laid down his axe, and picked up his gun. Looking at Williams with a broad smile all over his black face, and his ivory teeth shining like ivory, he said, 'Boss, dis is one time you gotta be cool.'
Williams and the negro kept backing towards the cabin, the Indians holding his gun leveled on the Indians. When at last they crowded a little too much, old Albert fired, and an Indian fell. In a very cool manner the slave reloaded his gun, and again pointed it at the Indians. All the time, he and Williams were slowly backing toward the cabin. I do not know how many times the negro fired the gun, but I have heard old-timers say that every time old Albert fired an Indian departed to the Happy Hunting Ground. This implies that he killed several, while he and Williams finally reached the cabin and safety. I feel this to show the remarkable bravery of the old negro slave.
There were other stories I would have been glad to have gotten from Mr. Guthrie, but an old man who had lost his watch came in about that time and raised such a commotion, that the conversation of the old-timers passed from that of early days to things transpiring in the present.
The old time pioneers are passing away, and we should get the stories of their early experiences while we can do so. They were brave and upright fathers, and

THREE WELLS BEING WATCHED WITH INTEREST

EASTLAND, May 23.—Three wells in the Eastland field that should strike the oil and gas sands within the next day or two are being watched with great interest.

Ed V. Parsons is drilling two of the wells. His Stubblefield well, southeast of the famous Gray-Hightower shallow pool, is seeking the sand around 3,200 feet from which the Webb well produced for some four or five years.
Parsons' well on the Allen ranch, several miles southeast of Cheaney, is about ready to drill in. This well is unique in that it was drilled for 3,000 feet without pipe.
The Simmons No. 3 of J. F. Champion and Conway Bros., is expected in at once. This well is on the shallow lease that was recently purchased by these Ranger operators.
Another well that may prove important is the Goodwin & White on the Hazard, north of Staff, drilling this morning below 3,500 feet. It is planned to drill to 3,725 feet.
All these activities are in addition to wells whose completion last week gave great stimulus to oil activities.
Nearly 20 wells are starting, or

Bishop Moore to Dedicate Church
RANGER, May 23.—Bishop John M. Moore of the Methodist church will dedicate the Strawn Methodist church Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The bishop will come to Ranger and will be met by Rev. P. T. Stanford and the presiding elder. The Ranger people who are interested are invited to attend the dedication.
A large crowd heard the message last night at the First Methodist church on "Modern Amusements." At the close of the service, a great number came down pledging their faith in the fundamental principles of Christianity.

PLAN CONVENTION.
AMARILLO, May 23.—A meeting will be held here soon to plan for the convention of Panhandle chamber of commerce secretaries. In Ranger June 11, John Boswell, Dallas, manager of the Southwest Development Service, will be the main speaker at the Borger convention.
CARRY RAGS.
CLEBURNE, May 23.—All American Legion members here arrived at their last meeting with pockets stuffed full of rags. A gun-cleaning bee closed the meeting.

SECURE RIGHT OF WAY.

BORGER, May 23.—With the tentative survey of the Borger-Pampa road, highway 41, completed, securing of the right of way is soon to be made. The route passes through Roxana and Slatytown.

SPANISH TEACHER.

RANGER, May 23.—Miss Gloria Lazano of Monterey, Mexico, will teach Spanish in Ranger high school next fall, it is announced. She is a graduate of Baylor and is a member of the Baptist church. She is teaching in Archer City this year.

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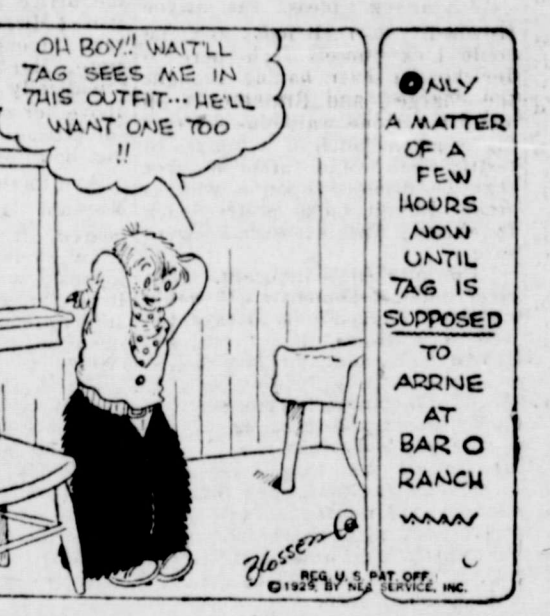
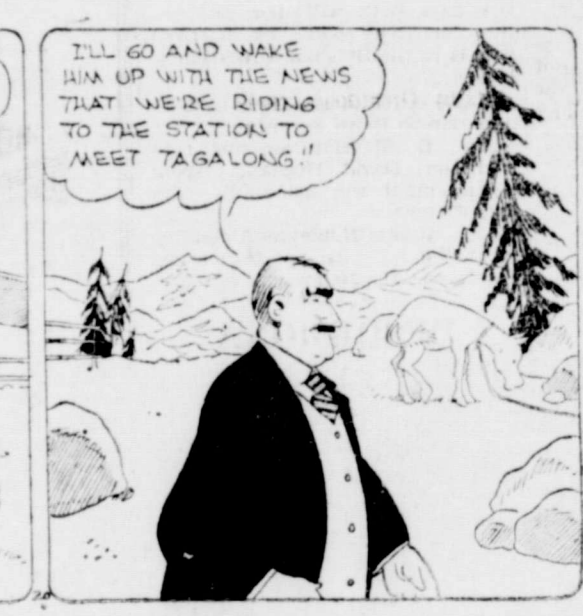
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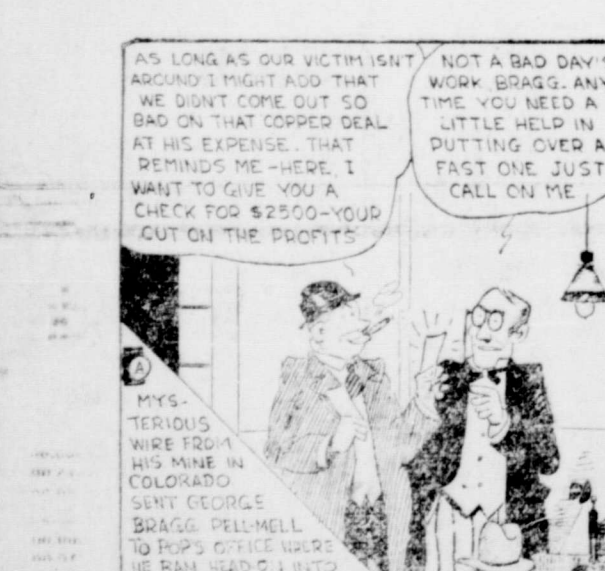
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Nan Carroll

CHAPTER I

At 3 o'clock of a sunny, crisp November day Nan Carroll was happy. Not just content, or happy in a pallid, negative sort of way, but happy with that upwelling of the spirit which is akin to ecstasy. And yet no man, opening the outer door of the suite of three offices—a door bearing the dignified sign, "John Curtis Morgan, Attorney-at-law"—and peeping in and a busy one at that, he might upon her could have discovered any outstanding reason for her happiness. Just a pretty young stenographer or private secretary. But if it had been a girl who had peeped in and seen Nan's flushed, pretty face, she would have deduced instantly that Nan's happiness was born of the consciousness that she looked extremely well in her new fall dress of russet silk crepe, a simple little slip of a dress whose short skirt dipped demurely just over the curve of rounded, slim knees. Certainly Nan had reason for happiness over the fact that the russet silk crepe was almost exactly the color of her bobbed brown hair, that the velvet of her narrow brown pumps was subtly matched in the velvet of her round brown eyes. Such harmonies are not accidental, but with Nan they were instinctive, and not sufficient reason for the joy that had suddenly flooded over her so that her small body almost visibly vibrated with it as she sat erect in the narrow-backed chair before her typewriter.

Her ringless hands played rapidly over the keyboard of the machine, as if endowed with a consciousness and intelligence of their own, for certainly there was nothing in the legal document she was typing from shorthand notes to bring that high luster into her brown-velvet eyes and that joy-flush into her cheeks.

"Three o'clock!" She glanced at her tiny, octagonal white-gold watch as she reached the end of her shorthand notes. With an expectant twist of her wrist she took the crackling sheets of legal-sized bond paper and carbons from the machine, sorted them swiftly, combined them with the other pages of the brief, scanned their flawless typing proudly, then added clips from a little box that had its place in the meticulous order of her top desk drawer.

And as always, whenever she touched it, her finger tips caressed the exquisite little box, which John Curtis Morgan, attorney-at-law, and her employer for three years, had given her as a Christmas present the first year she had worked for him. He had laughed at her for using it as a clip box, reminding her that he had expected her to add it to her pressing table knickknacks, and she had defended herself lamely, unable to tell him that she kept it here in the office because her heart was here, rather than in the furnished room she rented by the week.

"He said three o'clock, but that means any time before half past," Nan reflected indulgently, as she added the original copy to the brief in the stack of letters she had typed earlier in the day. "Court had adjourned early. That means that the prosecution 'rested' before Mr. Morgan expected them to. He'll be dreadfully tired and all keyed-up. Maybe—" and oddly enough her eyes sparkled and her flush deepened at the thought—"he'll want me to work tonight. So much to do—last minute stuff; witnesses to subpoena; his notes to be written up—"

Entering the office—marked "Mr. Morgan"—the other office of the suite was shared by the middle-aged clerk and the young lawyer who worked for Mr. Morgan on salary—Nan deposited her tray of finished work on the desk, made even straighter a neat stack of unfolded letters received that day; cast a measuring glance at the heavy onyx ink well; blew a few grains of dust from the shining surface beyond the spotless new green blotter; adjusted the window shade so that the slanting rays of the November sun should not strike into the eyes of the man who would soon sit at that desk, held a spread palm over the concealed radiator to make sure that heat was coming up—

She was interrupted by the sound of the outer door's opening and closing. In a flash her small body was across the room, her hand upon the knob of the dividing door.

"Hello, Nan! Blake back yet? Did Preston call?"

The very tall, very thin man tossed his hat upon a knob of the "tree" and shrugged out of his gray tweed topcoat. His black hair, winging upward in a natural pompadour from an extremely high and broad forehead, was silver-tinged with threads of silver. Nan never saw a silver-tinged hair without thinking with a sharp contraction of the heart, of that silver-flecked mane of John Curtis Morgan's. His black eyes shone now with the brilliance of fatigue and excitement. Nan Carroll thought—and had thought since the day she first saw him—that he was the most distinguished-looking man she had ever seen.

"Mr. Blake isn't here yet," Nan answered eagerly, her eyes sweep-



"Oh, Nan, Nan! If I've gone a little further than I had any right to, it's been because I've had the breaks, and—the best secretary in the country."

ing over him and noting every sign of fatigue. "He telephoned from the sheriff's office, where he's waiting for Buck. I telephoned Mr. Preston when I had not heard from him by 12 o'clock, and made an appointment for you for half past four—here," she added triumphantly, "I knew you'd be tired."

A humorous smile zigzagged across Morgan's thin face, twitching the wide, sensitive mouth, and settling in his deepest eyes. There was tender, teasing friendliness in his deep voice as he answered: "Go girl! I don't know how you do it. I honestly believe you'd make Cal Coolidge come here if I happened to want to consult him about something. A busy, important man like Preston—Oh, this is splendid. Nan! I didn't think you'd have time to finish this brief before I got back. That clears the desks for us to work on this mass of stuff I brought from court. Brainerd sprang two surprise witnesses on us this afternoon, and didn't call three I thought he was banking on. Rested at half past two and caught me not ready to open—"

Nan followed him into his private office, her small round face alight with excitement. "I'll bet he didn't call Barker and that Fleming woman. I told you he wouldn't! He didn't dare! Of course you're going to subpoena the Fleming woman yourself and make her talk—"

"Am I?" Morgan laughed, but his tired eyes shot her a glance of respect. "I suppose I'll have to, if you say so. Tell Blake to attend to it, when he comes in, won't you? Now, to get down to work," he sighed, a long, thin, sensitive hand reaching automatically for the stack of new mail on his desk.

"Not quite yet," Nan corrected him briskly. "You just sit there and rest for a minute. Shut your eyes and don't dare think of a thing until I get back."

She paused at the door, to make sure that her commands were obeyed. The long figure relaxed in the big swivel chair; with a deep sigh, as if he were expelling the poison of fatigue, John Curtis Morgan closed his eyes, but his wide mouth twitched humorously.

In less than a minute Nan was back, stepping softly, and carrying a tall glass of milk on an octagonal plate of pale green glass, which also bore a stack of crisp raisin biscuits.

"Drink every drop and eat every crumb," she commanded, with a greater show of assurance than she felt. "I'll bet my next week's salary you didn't eat a bite of lunch. It's a crime the way you neglect your health."

John Curtis Morgan stared at her blankly for a moment, then broke into series of delightful chuckles.

His deep voice recounting in detail the story of the day in court. He was defending a young girl, formerly the switchboard operator of a fashionable country club, indicted on a charge of "black-mailing" members of the club. The board of directors, believing in the girl's innocence, had retained Morgan to defend her and, incidentally, to vindicate the management of the club in the eyes of the public.

"It's an ugly mess," the lawyer frowned. "Cornell looks as if he could kick himself from here to Jericho for ever having brought the charges, and Brainerd is up against a stone wall himself, trying to get a bunch of witnesses to testify that would rather he shot than be dragged upon a witness stand. But it looks pretty black for Grace, Nan. I wish I were sure—"

"I'm sure she's innocent," Nan interrupted vehemently. "I would not have begged you to take the case if I hadn't been positive. There's something big behind this scandal, Mr. Morgan! That Fleming woman—listen! When you get her on the stand, ask her—"

She was off then, reviewing the evidence from memory, her pencil tapping out her points excitedly, her eyes glistening with zeal, her cheeks carnation-bright, and the man on the other side of the pulled-out leaf of the desk listened with flattering concentration, his own pencil making an occasional note.

When she paused for breath, Morgan nodded slowly. "I believe you're right. Of course I wouldn't have taken the case if I hadn't believed, beyond a reasonable doubt, that she was innocent. I've never yet defended a crook; and I'd rather starve than begin."

The afternoon papers are going to say that Brainerd's got the case sewed up in a sack but I'll be damned if he has! That Fleming woman, as you say—"

"You'll bust his case wide open!" Nan boasted staunchly. "Remember, the jury half believes in her innocence to begin with, just because John Curtis Morgan is defending her. Every voter in the county knows that you turned down a hundred-thousand-dollar fee to defend those pavement contractors just because you knew they were a gang of crooks and that you told Havemeyer that all his millions couldn't buy your services when he was trying to keep his son out of the pen. You know what, John Curtis Morgan?" she challenged him.

"What?" he teased her, obviously pleased but trying to pretend a vast preoccupation with the notes on his desk.

"When you've won this case—as you're going to do!—the papers are going to begin calling you the greatest criminal lawyer in the state, and that's a pretty big honor for a man only 36 years old to have won! Why, most men your age are still fiddling around hoping for a junior partnership in an established firm!"

"Oh, Nan, Nan!" he admonished her humorously, shaking his head. "You're seeing me too big, bigger than I am! And if I don't watch out you're going to give me such a swelled head that I'll be laughed out of court. But, seriously, Nan, and his voice changed, became simple, direct and sincere, while his eyes held hers unwaveringly. "If I have gone a little further than I had any right to, it's been because I've had the breaks, and—the best secretary in the country. I'm not such an egotistical ass that I can't see how much you've helped—"

Above the pounding of blood in her ears Nan Carroll heard a quick, imperious tattoo upon her door. That particular knock had a peculiar magic of its own, for instantly the two people within the private office were transformed. Happiness, which had glowed in Nan's eyes like twin candles on an altar, was snuffed out, leaving her round, childish face pale and taut. In that instant she became the model secretary, or, rather, the model secretary-familiar with the comraderies of the office pictures her. She became "Miss Carroll," a little prim, very impersonal, sub-servient, remote. Her back stiffened and automatically she poised her pencil above her notebook in the respectful attitude of a secretary awaiting dictation.

And in that instant John Curtis Morgan, attorney-at-law, disappeared. It was the eager voice of a lover-husband who called out joyously, welcomingly: "Come in!" It was an ardent boy, in spite of 36 years and a silver-fox peit, who sprang to his feet, forgetting Nan Carroll, forgetting Grace Cox, forgetting his fatigue, thinking only of the woman who had knocked imperiously upon his door.

"Come in, darling! Oh, hello, Sonny-Boy! Out shopping with Mother? It's great to see you both—"

Nan's enormous brown eyes, apparently as unseeing and blank as circles of brown velvet, took in every detail of the family scene that was being enacted as if she were not present. She saw Morgan kiss his wife, flinch a little as she noted Iris Morgan's casual arrogant acceptance of that mark of her husband's adoration, felt a throb of pity for her employer as she saw the 6-year-old boy refuse petulantly to be kissed. Then she braced herself for Iris Morgan's greeting.

"How do you do, Nan? Gorgeous day, isn't it? I'm simply mad for new clothes. Be prepared to pay out every penny Jack has in the bank when this month's bills come in! And, oh, by the way, draw me a check for a hundred, won't you?" she added in a tone she might have used to a servant. "I hate to be limited to the shops where I have charge accounts, when I'm on a buying orgy, as I am today. Some of the cunningest shoes at Martin's, Jack's, she turned explanatorily to her husband. "And bags at the Petite Paris Shoppe!"

Nan, forced to listen as she obediently wrote the check which Iris Morgan demanded, heard her employer answer eagerly, like a boy flattered at being noticed and anxious to please:

"That so, sweetheart? I hope you find just what you want. I wish I had time to go with you, but I'd be so busy looking at you that I'd not be a very good judge of shoes or bags."

As Iris Morgan rested picturesquely in the high-backed chair her 6-year-old son leaned, just as picturesquely, against her knee, as if he were subconsciously obeying his mother's command to fit into the picture. Nan thought, with fiery contempt, that Iris Morgan would never bother to be seen with her son if he were not the handsomest of all the ornaments with which she decked her beauty. But since little Curtis Morgan was, in his way, as beautiful as his mother, she had worn him from his babyhood until now, as another woman might wear a corsage of orchids, or lead a prize-winning Pekinese upon a leash.

The child's eyes were large, black, fringed with such lashes as a chorus girl would sell her soul for, and curiously mournful, even when he was being his most devilish. Nan had watched him develop from a fragile baby of three to fragile little boyhood, and she loved him, in spite of the faults which his mother seemed to delight in encouraging loved him because there was so much more of John Curtis Morgan in him than of Iris Morgan. Loved him, too, because Morgan adored him and, because Iris, for all her lazy indulgence of his constant irritable demands, did not truly love him, was merely proud of him because he was an ornament to her beauty.

The child was trying a demand upon his mother in a low whining singsong: "I wanna see the dog in the picture show, Moth-ER. I wanna police dog just like the movie dog, Moth-ER! I wanna—"

Iris' blue-green eyes swept him with amused indifference. "Moth's going shopping, lover. Curt's going to stay with Nana, like a good boy. He loves staying with Nana Carroll, doesn't he?" And she ruffled the silky black crest of his hair—so like his father's—and smiled lazily at Nan.

(To Be Continued)

Iris Morgan let her tall, graceful body sink languidly into the chair which her husband had hastened to draw up to the desk for her. And Nan was not too

LATE NEWS FROM NINETEEN TOWNS AND COMMUNITIES

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Bertha McGary back at church again. Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Cole and son were the Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pence.

Rev. R. H. Yeager spent a few days the past week with his brother, Will Yeager.

Bill Shores, Bud Coats and Doyal Mason were Sunday guests of Bill and Edgar Pence. Several of the Moran people attended church here Sunday night. The Baptist Workers' conference, which met with us Thursday, was well attended. Rev. H. D. Blair, our missionary, said more people attended than had in some time. We all enjoyed the day, especially the talk which was given by a missionary from China. We hope they will meet with us again.

COLONY

The farmers are jubilant over the rains of the past week and are very busy planting.

Mr. and Mrs. Burette Ramsey and babies spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Wood.

Mrs. Aubrey Hatley underwent an operation at the Payne & Carter hospital at Eastland Thursday of last week, and at the last report was doing nicely.

Mrs. Josie Reed and baby, Billie Joe, are spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. D. T. Haralson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hardwick visited Mrs. Aubrey Hatley at the hospital Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Day and little son, Owen, visited her father, Jim Owens, Sunday.

Mrs. Bud Booth came home for a few days' visit with her children. She has been with her husband, who is in the St. Paul sanitarium at Dallas.

Gathie Greathouse made a business trip to Baird Saturday.

Mrs. D. T. Haralson and little grandson, David Duggan, spent Friday night with his aunt, Mrs. Earl Conner.

Mrs. Margie Nunley and children spent Sunday with her father and family, L. H. Nelms.

DESDEMONA

W. B. May left Saturday for a business trip to San Antonio.

Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Landrum attended the Methodist Missionary meeting at Ranger Thursday.

T. E. Worden of Shamrock was here on business Saturday.

Latest reports from Mrs. M. R. Nicholson, who is in a sanitarium in Dallas, state that she is improving.

Mrs. E. R. Sheffield and daughter, Catharon, returned Wednesday from Brownwood, where they had been visiting several days.

Mrs. John Cate returned Wednesday from Odessa, where she had been visiting her sister for two weeks.

Mrs. Jewel Casey, one of our popular teachers last year, left for her home at Temple last Tuesday after having visited Mrs. Roy Rushing and Mrs. T. N. Williams for a few days as she was returning from Stanton, where she taught the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McGee of Graham left Thursday for Houston, where they will visit several days before returning to their home.

Joe Fair and family and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fair, drove to Dublin on business Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall and daughter, Alla Ray, drove to Ranger last Tuesday evening. Dr. Kuykendall went to attend a banquet given for the Eastland County Medical Association.

Leroy Ivey left Wednesday for Breckenridge, where he was transferred by the Magnolia company.

C. E. Love, John Alvis and J. A. Goforth went to the Llano fishing on Tuesday evening and returned Thursday night.

Bring Suit to Reclaim Property

LAREDO, May 23.—Heirs of the late Thomas J. Handy have filed suit in federal court at Brownsville to recover title to 2,300 acres of valuable land in Hidalgo county. The land lies in the heart of the citrus fruit region of the valley and is valued at more than one million dollars.

Title passed from Handy's hands through foreclosure action after he had mortgaged the property. Present claimants claim the mortgage was executed while Handy was of unsound mind. He had been adjudged insane on two different occasions and was under guardianship at the time of his death.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lav very delightfully entertained the members of the Night Bridge club and a few other guests last Thursday evening. Cut flowers were used in the decorations. Four tables of players enjoyed the games but no prizes were given, according to a ruling of the club some time ago. The hostess served tempting refreshments of fruit salad, white cake and punch. Those present were Messrs and Mmes. Earl Cheever, Elmer Simpson, Robert Weir, P. M. Kuykendall, Woods J. Shanklin, Roy Rushing, Bill Parks, Mrs. N. D. Gallagher, Otto Kountze, the host and hostess.

Human Beings Lived in New Mexico 25,000 to 100,000 Years Ago, Finds Made by El Paso Scientist Reveal

EL PASO, May 23. — That New Mexico was inhabited by human beings 25,000 to 100,000 years ago is declared to have been established definitely with new bone discoveries in the Organ mountains near Mesilla Park by an El Pasoan.

Reverend P. Conklin, statistician of the American Smelting & Refining Co., and an amateur archaeologist, revealed the find which has been pronounced as one of the most important prehistoric discoveries in America.

Bones discovered include the thigh bones of a human being, spinal column, and a crushed skull. They were unearthed in a cave in Bishop's Glen, a promontory of the Organ about five miles east of Mesilla Park.

Conklin first found bones at a depth of about six feet during excavation work. Digging deeper, he found bones of the cave bear and camel, and a human skull.

At 18 feet, a layer of hard sand was encountered. The seal of this was broken. Beneath were found the human thigh bones, spinal column, and skull.

Dr. William A. Bryan of the Los Angeles museum who examined the

find pronounced it one of great scientific importance and declared the body of a human being could not have been buried artificially beneath the sand stone layer.

Conklin has photographed his discovery and has prepared an article for the Scientific Press, to be published in the near future.

The excavation now extends to 30 feet below the surface with indications that it will go further. Practically the complete skeleton of a ground sloth was uncovered midway between the two human skulls. Bones of extinct horses, cave bears, camels, and sloth have been excavated in such numbers to fill large table-type museum exhibition cases. A bushel or more of small animal or bird bones have been recovered.

It is believed that the cavern for countless centuries had been used as a den for wild animals and his early comrademan.

Except for a slight amount of surface material and entire falling from the roof, the entire cavern bottom was filled uniformly with a fine reddish wind-blown sand, indicating a slow accumulation.

Ranger Baptists Begin Revival

RANGER, May 23.—A good audience greeted Rev. Hulen Hoffman at the opening service of the meeting. His message was one of helpfulness to saint and sinner alike. Sorrow comes to every life, but out of sorrow strong characters are molded.

At the evening session the singing was helped in a wonderful way by the work of Rev. W. H. Rucker and Miss Satterwhite at the piano. Mr. Satterwhite played two pieces

on the hand-saw, a common but melodious instrument when in the hands of a master.

The sermon subject for the evening was "The Atoning Blood of Jesus." A powerful, pungent, plain message. Conversions and additions at both services. Hear this trio of workers today at 8 p. m.

Alleging that her husband contracted the habit of going to his mother's home, staying all night and leaving her all by herself, a Dallas woman has sued him for divorce.

BIBLES IN 618 TONGUES

LONDON, May 23.—The British and Foreign Bible Society is this year issuing Bibles published in 618 languages.

The first shipment of Wise county cream ever sent north was the carload recently shipped by the Tennessee Dairies from Decatur to Philadelphia. The cream tested 40

per cent butterfat and it was shipped in a refrigerated express car. Skim milk is being processed into powdered and condensed products at the Decatur plant, which is now

handling 35,000 pounds of milk daily.

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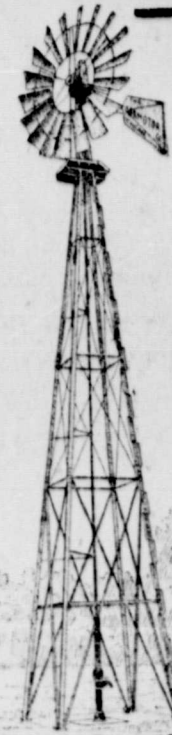
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Vocational Boys at Ranger Dairies

RANGER, May 23. — The agricultural class of the Ranger high school—accompanied by Ben Whitehouse, the vocational agriculturist made a tour of a number of Ranger dairies this morning.

Dairies visited included those of M. H. Richardson, John Clemmer, S. O. Montgomery, R. M. Duncan, W. G. Ramsey, Henry Hamilton, and the G. & H. Dairy.

At the Oakwood dairy, Mr. Montgomery gave the boys all the Bulgarian buttermilk and sweetmilk that they could drink.

The plants visited were found in good shape to produce clean milk, Mr. Whitehouse stated, and

the boys enjoyed the tour greatly. Business men plan to make a similar tour this week or next week.

UNUSUAL WEAPON.

DALLAS, May 23. — A sewer drain-cap was the instrument used by one prisoner to crack another prisoner over the eye with in a dispute at the Dallas jail. The recipient of the blow was sent to a hospital.

It has just about gotten so in this country that when a man has cold feet he thinks he's got high blood pressure.

The French have changed. They pulled down a German airship instead of shooting it down.

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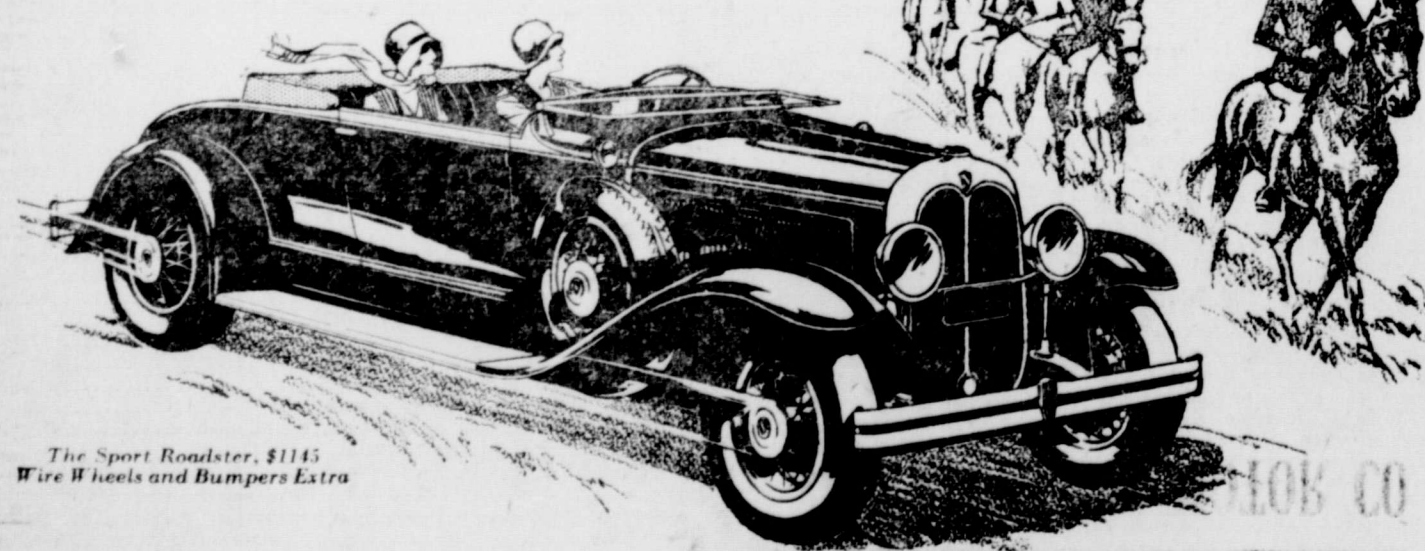
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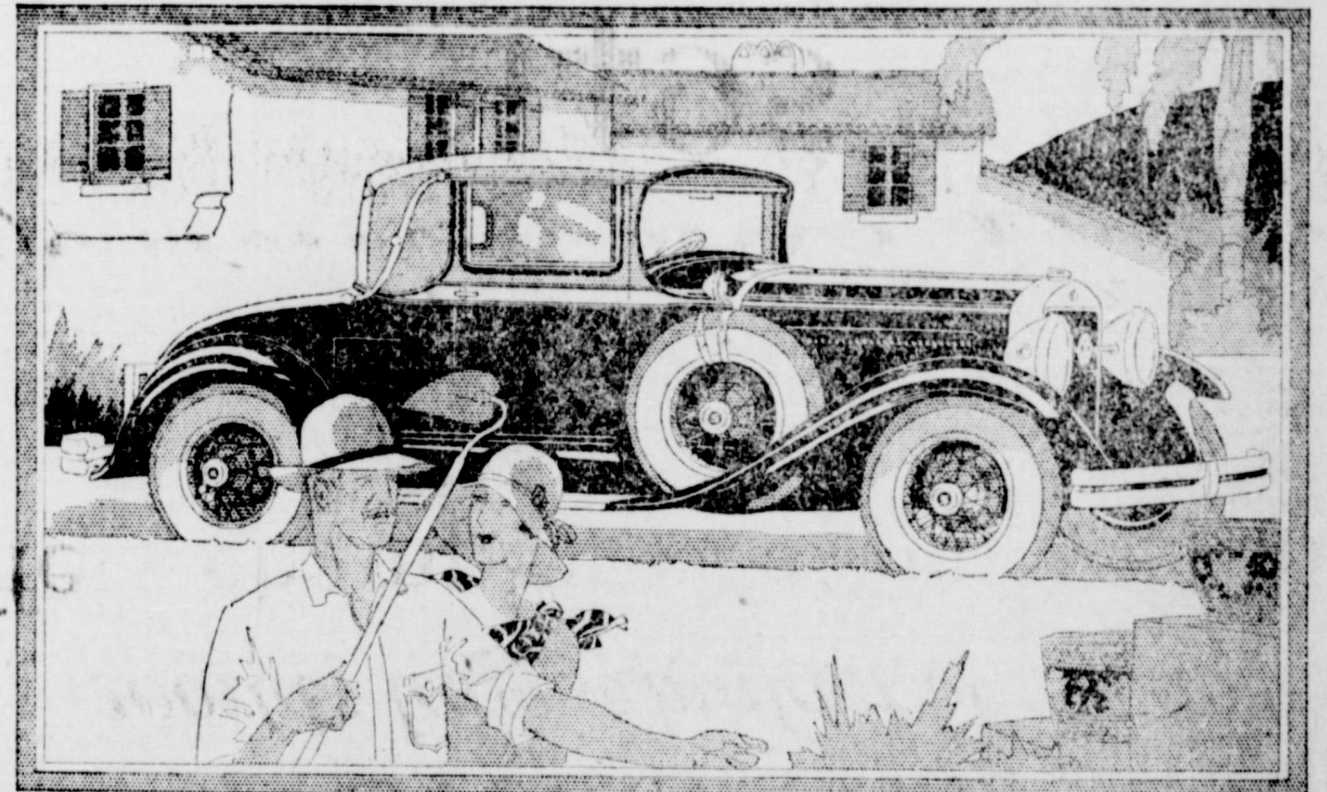
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WOOL AND MOHAIR PRODUCERS SPEAK OUT

Texas wool and mohair producers have an organization. A meeting of the executive committee of the organization held a session in El Dorado. This committee denounced the harsh and arbitrary manner in which federal authorities are enforcing the immigration laws on the Mexican border. They deplored the lack of organized effort on the part of Southwest Texas communities against the Box bill.

They reaffirmed the belief of the association in a protective tariff; the truth in fabric bill; enforced the labor agency bill of Rep. A. P. Johnson of Carrizo Springs and demanded a tariff on hides.

A bulletin issued by the federal department of agriculture announced the greatest concentration of Angora goats in America "is on the Edwards plateau of West Texas." Furthermore the statement was made that the six leading Angora goat states—Texas, Arizona, New Mexico, Oregon, California and Missouri—now have 3,000,000 goats and mohair clipped in 1928 amounted to 14,000,000 pounds as compared with 13,500,000 pounds in 1926.

A very thriving and fast growing industry under the skies of Texas is that of mohair production. Texas leads all other states in the number of Angoras and the output of the fleece.

TERRELL CLAMPS DOWN THE LID

State Commr. George B. Terrell has ordered a state wide quarantine against importation into Texas of any carrier of disease, insects and pests injurious to the Texas citrus fruit industry. He was requested to put on the quarantine by 50 representatives of the industry. In other words he has quarantined against the importation into Texas of fruits and nursery crops and all insect pests including the Mediterranean fruit fly now devastating the citrus groves of Florida.

Texas citrus growers approved the quarantine bill now pending under the big dome. They advised that commissioner of agriculture apply to the appropriations committee of the legislature for the inspection and pest control of citrus fruit in this state.

It is said that the quarantine now on will bar shipments of Florida fruit. Self preservation is the first law of nature. It should be the first law of man. There is a tremendous investment in the well said by one of the foremost citrus growers that the industry is a large potential source of revenue to Texas.

If that expedition ever finds the

THE LAST STRAW.



remains of the Ark on Mt. Ararat, as hoped, we'd be for putting certain of the animals back.—Detroit News.

Probably Harry Sinclair will conclude that it is not always well to be on the inside.—Narfolk Ledger-Dispatch.

Mos of our western Indians have settled down and are getting rich in oil, leaving the scalping to promoters.—Bangor Daily Commercial.

POT SHOTS AT POLITICS

—AT—
Col. Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald.
—BY—
AUSTIN

Robison Should Resign
Land Commr. J. T. Robison is on the rack. A legislative investigating committee has turned in a stinging report as to his transactions as a public official; that the manner in which Robison handled the One Cent Per Acre fund, collected from purchasers of state land to defray expenses of administering the reappropriation act of 1925 was "unexcusable, unwarranted and unjustified; that the same involves an unsound public policy and should not be countenanced by any public official in the discharge of the duties of his office."

Important recommendations are made to the lawmakers by the committee. First, that the land laws should be rewritten and safeguards thrown around the sale and leasing of public lands "as will fully protect the public school funds and university funds in the future." Second, the passage of a law creating the office of state auditor, "whose duty it would be to make investigations and audit the accounts of all the departments, institutions, boards and bureaus of the state government."

Yes, the land commissioner should resign. The two recommendations made by the committee should be crystallized into laws in order that the school lands and school funds should be fully protected at all times.

Long of Louisiana
Gov. Huey P. Long of Louisiana, escaped impeachment and ouster from office by one vote. There are 39 senators. Fifteen are Long supporters. The 15 declared that the house impeachment procedure trial was unconstitutional for the reason that it had been ordered at a special session of the Louisiana legislature, and was not included in the legislative program set forth by the governor in making his call.

Not a word of testimony was taken. The 15 senators held the whip hand. It requires a two-thirds vote to convict and oust from office and the 15 Long supporters declared they would vote to acquit the governor regardless of the testimony "as they considered the impeachment proceedings illegal and unconstitutional."

Long escaped by the skin of his teeth and the constitution was the last refuge and alibi of his 15 followers. It is all over now but the young governor of the Pelican state would do well in the future to watch his step.

Squirrels are reported numerous in the Marysee section north of Liberty, with almost as many hunters in the woods as the hunted.

Bachelors Swarm to Ecaussines at Call of Forlorn Maidens Who Are Tired of Solitary Existence

ECAUSSINES, Belgium, May 22.—Sighing and the sound of soft kisses mingled with the May breezes that blew over Ecaussines Monday night as forlorn maidens and freedom-wearied bachelors met, embraced, and swore to be married.

The bachelors came by train loads in answer to an advertisement broadcast through Europe announcing that the maidens of Ecaussines, outnumbering the youths by 8 to 5, were tired of remaining single and wanted husbands.

The advertisement invited bachelors who believed that a wife was an asset instead of a liability to come to the little Belgian village near the French border where merry-making and feasting would be only a prelude to proposing and marriage.

The turnout was stupendous, but each bachelor, from the most timid country fellow to the most sophisticated laborer from the city, was welcomed with a friendly handshake by the president of the Ecaussines Matrimonial association and led immediately to the throng of young women who blushed readily when they saw the crowds that answered their call. Each greeted her bachelor with a kiss.

The maidens of Ecaussines found it easy to make the men feel at home, and in the intervals of the fixed program the village green, the bridge of sighs, the tower, tunnel, and other beauty spots were cluttered with couples who saw only themselves.

In the evening the bachelors sat down to a huge feast which the maidens had prepared with their own hands, and afterwards there was dancing, with an interval "for proposing."

Most of the bachelors had anticipated that, however, and they prepared to return to their homes with their brides.

Appeal reinstated, reversed and dismissed: Ros Weaver from Del.

Appeal reinstated, judgment affirmed: Bob McNeal from Donley and John Noble from Hall.

Appeal dismissed: Curtis Weaver from Wichita, T. H. Armstrong from Ector, J. F. Mathis from Ector, Rosie Baker from Mitchell.

Imposition of Porto Rican frogs is being considered at Beaumont, as the amphibians are deadly enemies of the mole cricket, which has been doing rich damage to Jefferson county vegetables.

Another charge was that the students were lodged in cheap native hotels in Tokio, Penang and other places visited in the east.

In Berlin, the students claimed, the management secured lodgings for them in the heart of an undesirable district in order to reduce expenses. As a result the girl students were afraid to leave the hotel, while the boys also suffered great inconveniences due to the location of their hotel.

The statement, which was signed by James Oliver Curwood, Jr., son of the late author, said they

often were obliged to travel third class on the railways and that on their trip from Batavia to Singapore they were shipped on a boat loaded with hogs, with the temperature far above 100 degrees.

At Penang, the statement said, the girls were openly accosted by opium vendors, whereupon it was discovered that the students were lodged in a notorious opium smoking dive.

Greenbie while admitting that half the students refused to study, contended that the other complaints were greatly exaggerated.

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ELKS ARRIVE FOR MEET AT BRECKENRIDGE

BRECKENRIDGE, May 23. — Delegates from 65 Texas lodges as well as Elks from other states began arriving Thursday for the annual convention of Texas B. P. O. E. The convention will be entertained by the Breckenridge lodge, No. 1480, assisted by the organizations at Eastland, Cisco and Ranger, neighbors to the south and easily reached over paved highways in less than one hour.

The state is divided into seven districts and are as follows:

Texas—Central: Temple, Waco, Austin, Hillsboro, Brownwood, Graham, San Angelo, Belton and Taylor.

Texas—North Central: Fort Worth, El Paso, Waxahatchie, Gainesville, Cleburne, McKinney and Weatherford.

Texas—North: Dallas, Denison, Terrell, Sherman, Marshall, Greenville, Paris, Palestine, Bonham, Lancaster, Sulphur Springs and Seagraves.

Texas—Northwest: Amarillo, Wichita Falls, Childress, Haskell, Dalhart, Plainview, Quanah, Lubbock, Vernon, Burkburnett.

Texas—South: Galveston, Houston, Orange, Beaumont, Bryan, Jacinto, Lufkin and Port Arthur.

Texas—Southwest: San Antonio, Austin, Del Rio, Laredo, Corpus Christi, Brownsville, Yoakum, San Marcos, Seguin, McAllen and Mercedes.

Texas—West: El Paso, Abilene, Amarillo, Eastland, Ranger, Reno, Big Spring and Breckenridge.

HAUGLAND IS READY START RECORD FLIGHT

RANGER, May 23.—Owen Haugland, former flyer at the Ranger airport, is ready to set out in his effort to break the world's record for an endurance flight.

He will hop off at Wichita, Kan., Monday, it is expected, and will fly to Ranger, where he will remain several times. This means that he will fly over this section for a week and a half or longer.

Haugland's flight will be different from other endurance attempts in that he will fly to widely separated places and not spend the time hovering in the vicinity of the point where the flight is to start and to end. In addition to flying from Wichita to Ranger, Haugland will fly over Minneapolis in the course of his trip, he plans.

Naturaline, produced by Chestnut & Smith corporation, will be used in the attempt to break the endurance record now held by an army plane, the Question Mark. Haugland's plane is "Miss Ranger."

Vern Nelson is expected in Ranger Tuesday with the re-fueling plane and will have everything in readiness when Haugland arrives.

Following is the letter received Monday morning from Haugland by Wayne C. Hickey, Ranger Chamber of Commerce secretary:

"We are here at Wichita now, getting our two planes 'groomed' for that endurance flight.

"We expect to take the air from Wichita here Tuesday morning and come directly to Ranger, where we will re-fuel three or four times. (We re-fuel every 12 hours.)

"Vern Nelson will either pilot or help on the re-fueling plane and Gene Shank of Robinsdale, Minn., will, no doubt, be my co-pilot.

"Vern will be there Tuesday with the re-fueling plane and he may bother you for a little help in some things and I will surely appreciate anything you might do.

"Things sure have been discouraging as to getting any financial help in this flight but I have to go bankrupt to do it.

"The Chestnut & Smith corporation has kindly offered to give fuel with this fuel at Ranger and Minneapolis, Minn.

"The plane is 'Miss Ranger' and I like that name, especially for a flight of this kind because she sure will be ranging.

"Am only sorry that I cannot land at Ranger and say 'hello' to the bunch but in a flight of this kind we must land where we take off in order to make it an official flight of the National Aeronautic association. Wichita has a well lighted airport and the finest country to fly over so we figure it's the safest place to start from.

Nelson's letter, also from Wichita, was dated May 17—a day earlier than Haugland's—and it is as follows:

"We are now in Wichita getting the planes ready for the endurance flight. Hope to be in Ranger some time during the beginning of the week. Will let you know later just when to expect us.

"Greet all the different friends we knew down there."

HE KEPT ON GOING DOWN AND GAVE OUT

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A medicine that will get a man's feet and put him in condition where he can go to work again in a few weeks' time is certainly worth talking about and I'm sure for the whole world to know this is what Orgatone has done for me." was the characteristic statement made by M. L. D. Denman, living at 802 Graham street, El Paso, Texas.

"Up to about three years ago," continued Mr. Denman, "my health was always good, but my stomach was in such a bad shape that my food would sour and I commenced having bilious spells and indigestion. I finally got in such condition that I had to quit work about four months ago owing to the fact that it was so weak it was almost impossible for me to get about. And for the past two months, that is up to the time I got started on Orgatone, I had been living on bread and milk, my stomach was in that terrible condition. I had numbers of treatments and every kind of medicines I read or heard about, but kept getting worse the time.

"When I took my first dose of Orgatone I was in a pretty serious condition and had lost in weight and strength until my friends only recognized me and when I started my first bottle I had commenced to pick up and gain weight so well generally that I am going to start at work again next Monday and in my opinion there's nothing equal to Orgatone."

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Gone to Washington on Toll Bridge Case

AUSTIN, May 23.—Attorney General Claude Pollard and Assistant Attorney General R. M. Tilley will leave for Washington on Friday to hold a conference with the attorney general of the United States on tolls charged for crossing bridges over the Red river between Oklahoma and Texas. Suits to reduce the charges already have been started in Texas.

General Pollard will also present a motion in the supreme court Monday asking refund of an overpayment of \$7,898 made by Texas as its share of cost in determining the true boundary between the states along the Red river.

No Opposition to School House Bonds

BAIRD, May 23. — Another of Callahan county's rural school districts has voted to improve its school by building a new school house. At an election held Saturday in the Lanham district, No. 46, for the purpose of issuing \$2,500 worth of bonds for the erection of a modern two room building, not a dissenting vote was cast. The transcript is being prepared for the attorney general's approval after which construction of the building will begin.

EARTH TREMORS. BUENOS AIRES, May 23. —

Strong earth tremors at Mendoza, Province of Mendoza, were reported in telephonic communications received here early today.

No details were given.

RINAL ARGUMENTS. WASHINGTON, May 23.—FIFTH

arguments in the contested Vawter-Wilson contest for election to the United States senate from Pennsylvania opened before the senate privileges and elections subcommittee today.

El Paso's post office to be improved shortly.

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EARLY TIMES ABOUT CISCO

In 1879 the Eastland county commissioners court decided the county needed a jail. They issued bonds and built one which was the first public building to be erected in the county. It was built on the square. The jail was a small affair but it looked big to us as we were short of funds and had built it on credit. The contractors were Martin Johnson and Bass of Comanche. The jail was built of stone and was a good building for that day. But it looked lonesome with the upper story unoccupied. The offices of the county clerk and the sheriff were placed in the lower story.

At one time one of our prominent citizens got sick and concluded his neighbor had poisoned him. He accused this neighbor and had him placed in the jail for the deed. When the case came to trial the druggist testified that he had sold but one party some poison and that was the man who had been poisoned. But the jail had one occupant that year anyway.

It did not take so long to get a case through the court as it does now. There was less "red tape." The lawyers depended on their clients to furnish their own evidence, while such a thing as insanity was unheard of in pleadings.

When cow stealing was made a felony one of our justices of the peace who had been trying cow thieves believed that he still had jurisdiction and sentenced a man to the pen. His constable started the next day to the penitentiary with the man. But when he got to Stephenville and wanted the sheriff to jail the prisoner, the Stephenville sheriff, knowing district court was not in session in Eastland county, asked to see his commitment papers. The sheriff refused to take the prisoner into his jail and told the officer that he had better take him back where he got him. The justice of the peace said he was going by the law that had been passed and could not understand why the man was not put in the pen as had been directed.

Eastland county has always furnished her part of the state's officers. Some of her citizens have filled prominent places in the state political scheme. She furnished a state senator for the first legislature under the present constitution in the person of J. H. Davenport, uncle of our present district judge. J. H. Calhoun also represented the district in the upper house. The county furnished a lieutenant governor in the person of T. B. Wheeler. Another distinguished citizen of the county is Judge Truman Conner, chief justice of one of the courts of civil appeals. There were many other citizens of the county noted for their political achievements.

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John Boles, the Texan who has the leading role in "The Desert Song," the Warner Bros. Vitaphone operetta which will appear Sunday at the Palace theater, hesitated between an athletic and a musical career.

But for the intervention of his father, J. M. Boles of Greenville, he probably would be a big league baseball star instead of a successful stage and screen artist.

During his high school days in Greenville, Boles was the star pitcher. His interests centered around athletics and he took music lessons only under strenuous protests.

Just before his graduation from high school big league scouts consulted with his father in regard to signing Boles up. The elder Boles objected to having a professional ball player in the family and let the contract go by unsigned. It was not until several years later that the young Boles knew he might have played ball in the major leagues.

Attends University
In the meantime he entered the University of Texas where he main-

tained his keen interest in sports until he became affiliated with the Glee club. After his freshman year Boles was made a soloist in the Glee club and occupied that place during the remainder of his college career.

The club was booked for a chauntiqua tour with Boles as soloist. After graduating from the university Boles began an intensive study of music. This was interlarded with his career but after his return from France he took up where he had left off.

Success as a musical comedy star in New York was followed by an offer from the then silent movies. He attracted the attention of Gloria Swanson, who was in New York on a vacation and happened to attend the show in which Boles was appearing.

Given Screen Test
A screen test and contract followed with the result that Boles left New York for Hollywood. His first screen role was with Gloria Swanson in "The Loves of Sunya."

The advent of talkies was another lucky streak for Boles as his voice gave him an edge over actors who were prepared only for the silent drama. The part of the "Red Shadow," which was considered one of the plums of the year, was given Boles by Warner Bros. for their production of "The Desert Song."

The role of Margot is played by Carlotta King in the screen version of the operetta. Myrna Loy plays Azuri, the native girl. A chorus of

more than 100 voices is used in singing sequences.

Producers of "The Desert Song" claim that the picture demonstrates the superiority of the audible screen over the stage. The art of a stage production with the additional possibilities of the camera are said to be demonstrated in the picturized operetta. Some of the scenes are in technicolor.

"The Desert Song," which was originally booked for the Palace, will begin an engagement at the Palace theater Sunday, May 26.

TO ATTEND MEETING.
Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Shepard are going to San Angelo tomorrow to attend the quarterly meeting of superintendents of West Texas Utility company districts in West Texas.

Sixteen registered Jersey calves were distributed to members of the 4-H clubs of Howard county at Big Spring recently.

WILL TRY TO FIX VALUE AT \$150,000,000

AUSTIN, May 23.—An attempt to place a valuation of \$150,000,000 (one hundred and fifty million) on the property of the Texas Gulf Sulphur company in Wharton county will be assisted Monday by the attorney general's department.

Assistant Attorney Generals Paul Page and Dewey Lawrence have been designated to meet with the Wharton county commissioners court when it convenes then as a board of tax equalization.

Present valuation of the property is \$3,000,000.

An alleged representation to the

Interstate Commerce commission that there is a billion dollars worth of sulphur in the land led to the attempted tax raise. This representation is said to have been given when application was made for a permit for railroad extension into the territory.

Preparations are under way to open a travertine quarry near Leander, Williamson county, following discovery of that stone in large quantities. The stone is said to be found at present only in Italy.

NEW CHARTERS

AUSTIN, May 23.—Charters for Grissom Robertson Stores, Inc., Abilene, capital stock, \$35,000, incorporators, Hardy Grissom, J. Grissom and A. H. Pruitt.

Southern Foundation company, Inc., Dallas, capital stock, \$15,000, incorporators, J. H. Murphy, E. Ebersole and C. J. Dennis.

Carter Stone, Inc., Amarillo, capital stock, \$10,000, incorporators, Lester Stone, C. E. Carter and E. M. Carter, Jr.

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BAIRD COYOTES TO PLAY BRECK TEAM SUNDAY

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BAIRD, May 23. — The Baird Coyotes will play their opening game of the season Sunday, May 26, when they meet the Breckenridge Magnolia team in their fifth game of the season. The Breckenridge team has not been defeated this year and much preparation has been made for this game. The grand stand has been remodeled and considerable improvement has been made on the grounds which are now in good condition. The Coyotes have been working out considerably for the last three weeks and will meet their opponent with perfect confidence of victory. Much new material has been added to the lineup this year with Frank McGraw as the new captain. Charles Fielder, veteran coach, will be on the side lines. H. M. Dudley has been elected business manager of the team and a very successful year is predicted. Those who will wear the Coyote uniforms this year are: R. Ray, L. Ray, H. Roy, Hall, Wristen, Cotulla, Kehrer, Finley, Meadows, Hammonds, Cross and Strickland.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE MAY 23

By United Press
National:
Boston at New York, clear 3:15 P.
Chicago at St. Louis, clear 3:15 P.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, clear 3:30 P.
Only games today.
American:
Washington at Philadelphia, clear, 2 games 1:30 and 3:30 P.
New York at Boston, clear, 3:15 P.
Detroit at Chicago, cloudy 3 P.
St. Louis at Cleveland, clear, 2 games 1:30 and 3:30 P.
HAPPY—Construction of elevator for Farmers Grain & Elevator company progressing rapidly.

Texas League Leaders

BATTING LEADERS:					
Player and Team	G	AB	R	H	Ave.
Stapleton, Wichita Falls	29	67	15	26	.388
Wetzel, San Antonio	38	146	29	56	.384
Hansen, Beaumont	33	74	11	28	.378
L. Cox, Fort Worth	39	154	30	57	.370
Snyder, Houston	30	97	13	35	.361

SECOND ROUND OF DAVIS CUP PLAY TODAY

By KENNETH G. CRAWFORD
United Press Staff Correspondent.

CHEVY CHASE, Md., May 23.—The second round of American zone Davis cup play between the American and Japanese contenders will start this afternoon, weather permitting, on the courts of the Chevy Chase country club. John Hennessey is matched with Tamio Abe and John Van Ryan against Yoshiro Ohta for the opening matches. Pairings for the doubles tomorrow are to be announced today.

Wilmer Allison, the third member of the youthful American team, is expected to take part in the doubles matches. A large and distinguished gallery is expected for the Davis cup eliminations, the first ever played in or near Washington. President Hoover hopes to attend tomorrow or Saturday and Mrs. Hoover may be in the gallery today.

Today's play is the first for the Japanese, who drew a bye in the opening round of zone play. The Americans won easily from the Canadian team in the first round and they are favorites to repeat in this one.

The winner of the Japanese-American match will meet the Cuban team at Detroit in the American zone finals.

FORT WORTH.—One of the biggest battles ever, signed for Texas was the one announced by Dick Griffin, promoter, here yesterday.—W. L. "Young" Strubling, Georgia contender for the world heavyweight crown, vs. Jack McAniff, Detroit. The two will meet June 4 in the Fort Worth ball park.

TEXAS LEAGUE CLASS LOWER SAYS MANAGER

FORT WORTH, May 23.—Frank (Panche) Snyder, helthy skipper of the Houston Buffs, 1928 Texas league champions, sees this year's campaign as a struggle between much weaker clubs than participated in the drive last season for Texas "big" league title.

"It's a bush league this year compared to 1928," Snyder declared today. He is in Fort Worth with his Buffs for a three-game series.

"I haven't near the ball club I want. My Houston outfit can't be but certain it isn't of Class A out a blush. I'm not admitting I have a pitifully weak aggregation, but certain it isn't at class A championship caliber."

"By real class a pennant-winning ability, I mean a club that could hold its own with the second division major league teams. That was the case with the Texas league leaders in 1928, but it's a different story now."

The United Press learned from Snyder that he believed the race is between Wichita Falls, Dallas, Waco and his own team.

"Everybody's bunched now and many are crying it's a horse race, but that's not my idea—the chase is close because all the clubs are equally weak."

Snyder complimented the umpires President Deak Roberts has

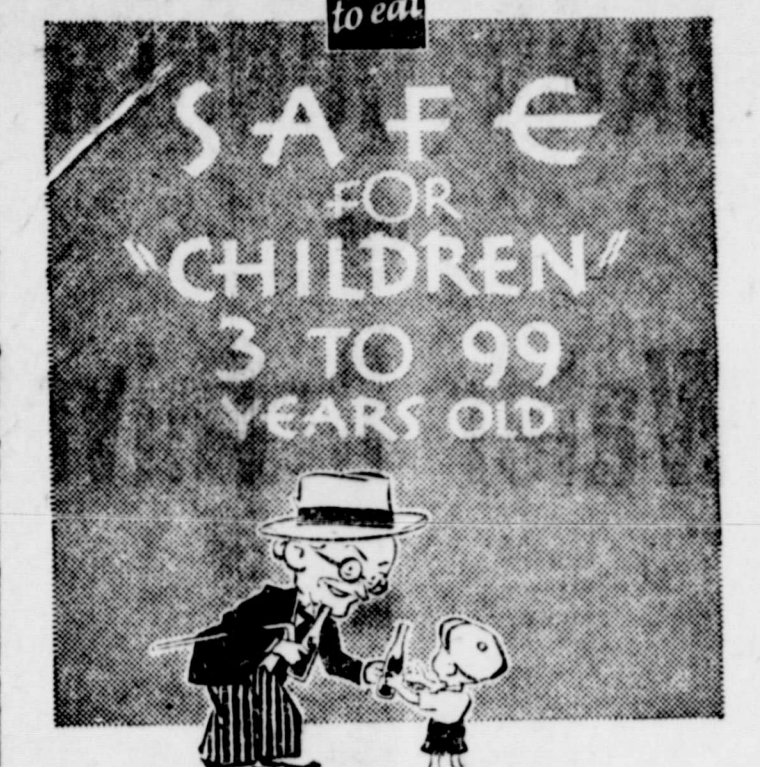
on his Texas league staff for 1929. He said the umpires' work has greatly improved since last season and mentioned in particular the fine start made by Ziggy Sears, for 10 years a star of the local club, in the officiating end.

GAMES IN THE WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.
San Angelo 11; Abilene 1.
Ballinger 4; Midland 3.
Big Spring 8; Coleman 3.

AUSTIN.—Texas will meet St. Edwards and Simmons College teams the same day as result of contracts signed yesterday completing the 1929 schedule. The double contests to be played with half the squad at each of the smaller institutions were set for Sept. 28 to open the schedule.

Plainview has passed an ordinance regulating the use of loud-speakers placed in stores and pointed outward so as to broadcast over business streets.

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'ROUND ABOUT THE TOWN

TELEPHONE 164

Tonight at 8:15 o'clock at the high school auditorium, Miss Leatha Maude Eager will be presented in a senior expression recital by Mrs. Paul M. Woods. Miss Eager is a talented reader and shows unusual ability. Tonight she will read two one act plays: "The Siring of the Samisen," by Rata. Wellman and "The Finger of God," by Percival Wilde. "The Siring of the Samisen," a Japanese play, will be given in costume, amid Japanese setting. The public is cordially invited to attend.

T. D. Freeman, postmaster at Remney was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Zed Kilborn is leaving today for Dallas to spend a few days with Mr. Kilborn.

R. A. St. John is improving after a long illness.

Mrs. Yancy McCrea of Coleman is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. E. Chesley.

Miss Beatrice Webb of Cisco has just returned from a short visit in Gorman.

Jeff Duncan will be presented in a senior voice recital this evening at the First Baptist church at 8:15 o'clock.

Mrs. J. O. Sue entertained the K. K. K. club Thursday afternoon at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Gary and Mrs. C. C. Thompson of Colorado City were recent guests of Mrs. T. J. Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fee and son of Colorado City are visiting Mrs. C. H. Fee.

Mrs. J. H. Dunn of Dallas is a guest of Mrs. H. B. Hackleman.

Mrs. C. H. Guber left Thursday to be with her father who is in a Dallas hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Graham left Wednesday for a tour of the east.

Mrs. T. R. Warnick and daughter are visiting Mrs. W. B. Royer in Abilene.

R. P. Fitzpatrick of Brady has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. F. A. Blankenbecker.

Mrs. William V. Hoyt is spending the day in Abilene, Thursday.

Mrs. C. E. Yates and son, Charles, spent Wednesday in Ranger.

Miss Rita Troxell is spending the week end in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashton Neubig and son, Ashton, Jr., and Mrs. Mary Neubig of Louisiana visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Clifton.

Miss Ray Holland was a recent visitor to Breckenridge.

A. H. Becker is home from a trip to Fort Worth where he attended the Scout convention.

Harry V. Price who recently underwent an appendicitis operation at the Graham sanitarium, has been removed to this home in Moran.

Mrs. Mike McGannon and Fred Mc Mahon were shopping in Abilene Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Hanrahan and children have returned from a visit to

Houston. They were accompanied by Mrs. C. E. Moore and young son, Dick.

Mrs. George Nicklaw has returned to the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Fred McMahon after a short visit in Baird.

Mrs. J. E. T. Peters spent the day in Ranger Wednesday.

Joe Adams of Houston was in Cisco en route to the Scout convention.

Mrs. Reggie Henderson has returned from a trip to Fort Worth.

Mrs. Gus Schmidt of Fort Worth

formerly of Cisco, recently underwent an appendicitis operation.

Mr. Chisholm, scoutmaster, is in Graham sanitarium with a broken arm.

OUTING PARTY AT LAKE.
Six business men from Hico are encamped at Lake Cisco on a outing trip. They were due to be joined today by two guests travelling by airplane from Waco. Frank Perkins, manager of the Lake Cisco Amusement company, said.

There will be no censorship at Dallas swimming pools unless presumably, some somnambulist should go in in his pajamas.

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Distinction Between "Normal Laws and Governmental Commandments" Says Child in Letter to Comm'n

NEW YORK, May 23.—Richard Washburn Child, acting chairman of the National Crime commission and former United States ambassador to Italy Wednesday addressed an open letter to George W. Wickersham, chairman of President Hoover's national law enforcement commission, asking that the commission in its deliberations distinguish between "normal laws and governmental commandments."

As a private citizen, Child called attention to the "deplorable result of failure to distinguish with broad vision, rather than with technical pettiness, between laws and commandments, and between law in the engrossed words and law of the social will."

"If the mind of the multitude make this distinction," he wrote, "and therefore maintain the germ of respect for law, how great would be the disaster if your commission served not to uphold this distinction, if it is valid, but instead broke it down."

Child asserted he has never contended that the "eighteenth amendment" and its resulting congressional commandments "can not be enforced but that he does say that 'few persons in the nation wet or dry will fail to distinguish between this law and normal laws.'"

"If the ardent dry sees a burglar entering the house of his friend and neighbor, he telephones the

police; if he sees a bootlegger entering the house of his friend and neighbor, he may telephone the police, but it is generally recognized that in such a case he would be considered a cad," Child wrote. "The president who appointed your commission has had much experience in the value of social will as distinguished from written law," Child continued. "By invoking a social will as to limitation of the use of meat, sugar and gasoline during the war, he obtained a unity of action and a rigor of enforcement which no police force could ever obtain."

MASONS TO MEET.
Cisco Lodge No. 556, A. F. & A. M. will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the Masonic hall. All members are asked to be present for this session.

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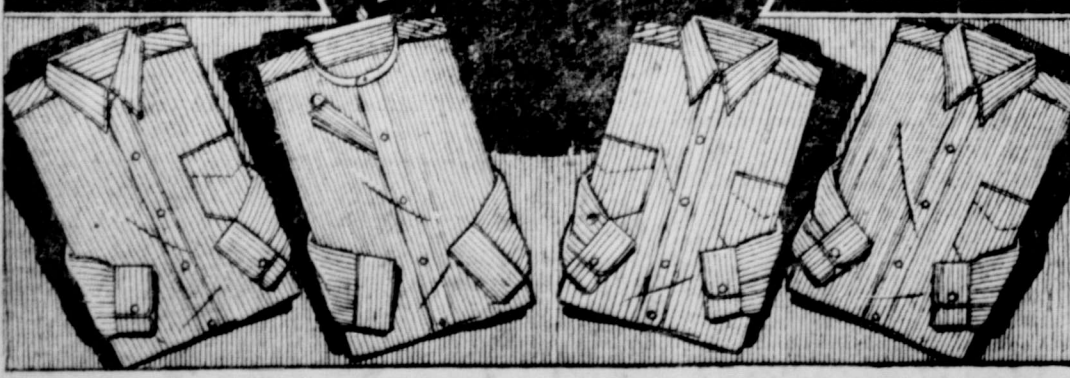
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