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NOCONA BRIDGE FALLS; FOUR HURT

Forum Opens Club House Drive Today

CAPTAINS AND WORKERS MEET THIS MORNING

Hope to Raise $50,000 Fund By Thursday At Latest

WHOLE CITY WORKED

Will Be Place of Beauty And Utility For All Women of City

Team captains and corps workers for the drive to raise $50,000 for the Woman's Forum home in Wichita Falls will meet at the Y. W. C. A. Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock to receive final instructions for starting the campaign, according to announcement last night. Mrs. G. D. Anderson is chairman of the drive and will outline the complete plans to the women.

The work will be handled under captains and their teams, and each will be given a district of the city in which to work.

23 Clubs Involved.

The proposed building for the Woman's Forum will be a home for the women's civic and literary clubs of Wichita Falls, a place devoted to the activities of women. Twenty-two clubs have federated and are joining efforts into bringing the Woman's Forum building to a reality.

Complete plans have not yet been made for the building and will not be until the campaign is finished, and that is expected by Thursday night.

Ground Donated.

The grounds for the club home has been donated to the Forum by the Hamilton-Martin Investment company and is located in the County Club Estates.

"We feel confident that the drive will go over in a short time," Mrs. Ola G. Hamlin, president of the Forum, said last night. "We have met with encouragement from the civic clubs of the city and have their support in the campaign," she said.

Oklahoma Girl Is Killed By Train

DAVENPORT, Okla., April 25.—(AP)—Despite efforts of four men to extract the foot of Vera Mae Arterburg, seven-year-old Davenport girl from a cattle guard on the tracks of the St. Louis-San Francisco railroad tracks, a passenger train struck the child near here this afternoon, crushing her to death.

The girl, with her sister, walked down the tracks, carrying a lunch to their father who was working on an oil well near the tracks. The little girl skipped as she went and as she reached the cattle guard her foot suddenly caught.

Efforts of the older sister to extract the foot were futile and as it was time for the passenger train to pass, the sister screamed for help. Four men working nearby came to the scene. While three attempted to pull the foot from the guard the fourth ran down the tracks, pulled off his shirt and attempted to wave down the oncoming train. The train rushed by and struck the child before it could be brought to a stop.

Spanish Gentleman Bullfighter Dies

MADRID, April 26—(AP)—Luis Mazantini, bull fighter and member of parliament here, died today.

At the heighth of his bull fighting career he was known as the gentleman bull fighter for his graceful conduct in the bull ring and his neat dispatch of the animals.

A man of vast culture and thrifty, he became prosperous, retired from the arena and entered politics and was elected to the Cortes, the Spanish parliament. He was the only representative of the world of blood and sand in the Spanish chamber of deputies. King Alfonso was a great friend and admirer of Mazantini.

BRICK FOR CHURCH

Carload Arrives For New Baptist Building in Vernon

VERNON, April 25.—The first car load of brick to be used in the $150,000 Baptist church has arrived in Vernon and is being unloaded, according to J. V. Owens, member of the executive committee.

Mr. Owens states that the house will be moved off the building site for the church at the corner of Paradise and Pease streets next week and actual construction work will start soon afterward. Moving of the houses has been delayed two weeks because of the inclement weather.

HAMMEKEN BURIED

Mexican Highway Construction Chief Dies in Crash

LAREDO, April 25.—(AP)—The body of Charles H. Hammeken, superintendent of construction for the Byrne Brothers Construction company, building the Monterery section of the Mexican national highway, who was fatally injured Saturday when his motor car overturned three miles north of Cotulla, was sent to Mexico City Sunday for burial.

QUEEN ILL



Although a slight improvement in her condition is reported the illness of Queen Victoria of Sweden is still serious enough, according to dispatches, to cause the king to cut short his vacation to join her at the island of Capri.

Comedian Carries On Despite Broken Neck During Act

CHICAGO, April 25.—(AP)—His neck broken in the final of a comic vaudeville skit while the unsuspecting audience laughed its approval, Ralph Mackenzie, an "old timer" before the footlights, died here today.

Mackenzie played the part of an old professor who was hazed by a group of college students and finally tossed in a blanket.

While presenting the act Friday night, Mackenzie struck the taut blanket headlong. Other members of the company sensed his injury when Mackenzie became limp and they stopped the performance.

Smiling while the house rang with laughter, Mackenzie slipped off stage and was taken at once to a hospital. The actor was for years a stage manager in New York City, recently organizing his own vaudeville troupe.

CATHOLIC TRAIN

Texas Delegates to Congress Will Charter Special Cars

GALVESTON, Texas, April 25.—(AP)—Catholics of the diocese of Galveston plan to charter a special train to attend the international Eucharistic congress to be held in Chicago in June, John L. Darrouzzet and Joseph Smith will visitparishes in Houston and Beaumont in interest of the church, Bishop Byrne announced today. It is thought that at least 150 pilgrims will attend.

CAPTURE SCUEIDA

BEIRUT, Syria, April 25.—(AP) The French troops today captured Scueida, the principal stronghold of the insurgents in the Djebel Druse district after a six-hour action.

THE WEATHER

Weather conditions in Wichita Falls for the past 24 hours, as reported by the observation station of the Wichita Falls Electric company were as follows: Maximum 74; minimum 48; at 5 p. m., 73; precipitation 0; east breeze; partly cloudy; average wind velocity 10 miles per hour; maximum wind velocity 15 miles per hour; barometer 29.13.

OKLAHOMA AND WEST TEXAS: Monday fair, warmer; Tuesday partly cloudy.

EAST TEXAS: Monday fair, warmer; Tuesday partly cloudy, light to moderate northerly to easterly winds on the coast.

THE DAY IN WICHITA FALLS.

The Olympic, "The Barrier."
The Strand, "Soul Mates."
The Mission, "The Still Alarm."
The Palace, Shaver's Dancing Dolls; "Turned Up."
The Garden, "With Sitting Bull at Spirit Lake Massacre."
The Queen, "Horse Sense."
The Gem, "East Lynne."
The Kiwanis club, noon, Kemp hotel.

2,000 HELP IN 'BETTER HOMES' OPENING HERE

Week Is Officially Started In Wichita Falls With Big Observance

MAYOR TURNS KEY

Building at 2303 Bullington Street Thrown Wide To The Public

A steady stream of Wichita Falls home owners—past, present or prospective, thronged through spic and span new building here Sunday afternoon as an official inaugural of this city's observance of better houses week in America. The residence, located at 2303 Bullington street, was visited by approximately 2,000 in two and one-half hours time when the official hostesses and other representatives from the civic, business and social walks of Wichita Falls were on hand.

Mayor Turns Key.

Mayor R. E Shepherd turned the key to open the home and later made a brief address in which he heartily endorsed the better homes idea. He commended those who fostered the idea and stated that nothing was more conducive to substantial and well-regulated Americanism than an attractive and inviting home life.

Violin music was given during the afternoon by Miss Vivian Railey.

In the receiving line for the day were Mesdames Ola G. Hamlin, Chas. Staley, C. E. Naylor, R. C. Coffey, A. E. McArthur, Grady Taylor, Klag Davis, W. B. Gent, Guy Raley, W. F. Killingsworth, A. R. Bleakley, G. L. Shappard, D. A. Lundien, J. D Bright and C. S. Morgan.

Open All Day.

The home will be open each day this week from 9 a. m. until 10 p. m., but only from 2:30 to 5 in the afternoon will hostesses be on hand to explain all details of the building and furnishings. Monday afternoon Mesdames O. E. Steere, M. E. Peters, G. D. Allday, Dan Lundien and C. S. Morgan will act as hostesses. The new home is one of several erected in Talunar Place by Talbert, Lundien and Arnhold.

Rioting Continues Between Hindus And Moslems In India

CALCUTTA, British India, April 25—(AP)—Sporadic rioting continued today and the native sections of the city presented a gloomy and deserted appearance. A funeral party conveying the bodies of two Mohammedans was attacked by Hindus. Shots were exchanged and two Mohammedans were wounded.

A Hindu in Mirzapore Street was stabbed by a Mohammedan, and this led to a regular fight, the participants in which ceased only when the police fired on the rioters, wounding many.

Isolated cases of shop looting continued to be reported, and today thirty were admitted to the hospitals suffering from wounds of varying severity, nine of them were gun shot wounds.

Four of those injured in yesterday's rioting died today and the total death toll in the present series of riots is twenty-three, the injured number at least two hundred.

Coolidge Farmer Relief Is Attacked

CHICAGO, April 25—(AP)—The Coolidge administration's farm relief plan as embodied in the Tincher bill was branded tonight by Sam H. Thompson, president of the American farm bureau federation as an "empty proposal devoid of any real promise to agriculture."

Expressing contempt for "palliatives and half measures," Thompson scored congressmen who, seeking to defeat farm relief measures have adopted a "give-them-a-federal-board attitude". He indicated the Tincher measure, said to have the support of the administration fails in the most important feature of such a bill that of providing "an equalization fee or an equalization fund. It provides a revolving fund but makes no provisions for replenishing it."

PEACE TREATY

OUJDA, French Morocco, April 25, (AP)—The French, Spanish and Riffian delegations will meet at Oujda tomorrow for the official opening of the peace conference. The policy of preliminary meetings has been abandoned. Spain is understood to have agreed to waive the formalities of the signing of an armistice.

JULES MASETTI KILLED

CERDA, Sicily, April 25.—(AP) Jules Masetti, Italy's foremost automobile racing driver, was killed today when his car overturned near here. Piloting a Delaga machine Masetti was competing in the Targia Florio race. He had traversed about 15 miles of the first lap when the accident occurred.

Lowered Earnings Not to Bring Cut In Rail Valuation

AUSTIN, Texas, April 25—(AP)—Lowered earnings of railroads in the drouth section in 1925, will not result in a cut in the intangible tax valuations of these lines, Tax Commissioner Edward Edwards announced.

The intangible valuations will probably remain the same as last year for all roads, with prospect of a slight total increase by adding West Texas lines to those assessed for the first time for intangibles, based on their earnings. There will be no increase on those heretofore assessed, Mr. Edwards said

He has set hearings for May 3, 4 and 5 on applications of several roads for cuts because of lowered revenues last year. The valuations are made on average earnings over a five-year period, and Mr. Edwards declared the results of one year's business would not be immediately reflected in the valuations for tax purposes.

He declared this conforms to the custom of continuing the same assessment valuations on farm property, regardless of a crop failure in any particular year.

MOTOR FAILS, PLANE DROPS

No One Hurt When Plane Tips Over at Call Field

A plane operated by the Texas Airways Inc., at Call Field was slightly damaged at 4:30 Sunday afternoon and two passengers got an unexpected thrill when the motor died as the machine was taking off for a flight and dropped it into a nearby cornfield where it turned over.

Murrel Brock, chief pilot for the Airways company, was just leaving the ground with F. M. G. Jones, 106 Houston street; and D. P. Robinson, 406 Wichita street, as passengers when the accident happened. The plane was not more than 30 feet off the ground when the motor went dead and Brock was forced to speedily hunt a nearby corn patch into which he dropped.

The soft ground allowed the wheels to settle unevenly and the plane tipped over.

No one was hurt and a few minutes later Brock, Jones and Robinson climbed into another machine and finished their flight over the city.

Two new planes will be received Wednesday by the Texas Airways station here, it was announced Sunday.

Mayfield Sees No Dry Law Changes In Congress at Present

SAN ANTONIO, April 25—(AP)—Any legislation passed in congress concerning the Volstead act will be for strengthening prohibition enforcement and adding teeth to the prohibition laws rather than weakening them, Senator Earle B. Mayfield declared in a letter to Mrs J. W. Glass, president of the W. T. C. U., here. The senator was replying to a telegram recently sent Mayfield by the local organization expressing opposition to legislation which would let down the bars of prohibition.

A measure favoring light wines and beer would not receive more than a dozen votes out of 96 in the senate today, Mayfield said in the letter.

ONE CANDIDATE

VERNON, April 25.—With Saturday reported as the last day on which candidates may file petitions for a place on the ballot the special election to be held here Tuesday for the purpose of choosing a city commissioner to fill an unexpired term, only one petition has been filed, according to S. H. Hall, city secretary. Lon Byars is the lone candidate.

CLAY COUNTY'S BIGGEST BOOZE STILL CAUGHT

Sheriff and Deputies Take 1,500 Gallon Boiler 7 Miles Out

NO ARRESTS ARE MADE

Operators Believed to Have Made Get-Away Just Before Raid

Special to The Record News.

HENRIETTA, April 25—What was declared to be the largest whiskey still ever captured in Clay county was taken here Sunday afternoon when Sheriff Cunningham and two deputies raided a wooded glenn seven miles northeast of the city.

A huge copper still of 1,500-gallon capacity was taken, together with about 200 gallons of whiskey, a quantity of mash and a large amount of paraphernalia. Bottles, capping machines, corks, kegs and other pieces of equipment were seized by the officers.

The operators of the still, it is believed, learned of the impending visit of the officers and made their escape just before Sheriff Cunningham and his men arrived. No arrests were made.

The still was dismantled and brought to Henrietta.

Ellen Key, Famous Swedish Author Dies

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, April 25. (AP)—Ellen Key, who has had a powerful influence on Swedish literature, died today at the age of 76 years.

She was a lecturer of great fervor and in her writings were noted for originality. Because of her intellect and moral teachings she was known as the "Pallas of Sweden." She was the daughter of Emil Key and Countess Sophia Hosse and was unmarried. She lived in her own house, built on a small piece of ground owned by the state, and in 1880, when her father lost his fortune, she began her work of teaching and lecturing among the laboring classes.

Her "century of childhood" published in 1901 comprises a philosophical survey of the progress of elementary education in the nineteenth century.

Austin Woman Held On Murder Charge

AUSTIN, April 25.—(AP)—Mrs. Ethel Overstreet, Austin woman, who was arrested in Austin Saturday night following the filing of a murder complaint against her, was taken to San Antonio early Sunday morning where she will answer charges following the fatal shooting of Mrs. Thelma Williams of Beaumont.

Mrs. Overstreet is alleged to have shot Mrs. Williams Tuesday at San Antonio and a charge of assault to murder was filed at against her at that time. She was subsequently released on bond.

RAIL CHIEF DIES.

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 25.—(AP)—Malcolm T. Wright, 65, general superintendent of the Michigan Central railroad, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James J. Findlay, here late last night.

Wright had been visiting in Oklahoma in an effort to regain his health.

OIL EARNINGS

NEW YORK, April 25—(AP)—Wall Street hears that net earnings of the North Central Texas Oil Company for 1925, after depletion and federal taxes were $207,788, or 98 cents a share. Net average settled production is now running at the rate of 1,300 barrels daily.

HELLO GUYS! WELCOME TO U. S.



American theatre goers are now getting a glimpse of Mademoiselles Christiane (left) and Mary Guy, the famous "Guy Sisters" who have been winning fame in Paris with their dancing. The sisters have come to the U. S. for a lengthy engagement.

Attendance Marks Go Up At Kay Class As 439 Turn Out Sunday

Attendance records went up considerably Sunday morning at the Kay Bible class when 439 persons turned out to hear the weekly sermon by Judge John O. Kay who talked on the famous Biblical story of Cain and Abel.

His address in full was as follows:

I am glad to have you here this morning. When I see this group of men before me it makes me feel my weakness, my insignificance, my shortcomings. I am not a man of the type of H. G Wells, who understands everything in the world and fattens on his own conceit. The very little that I understand, I can just walk along the shore and pick up a shell once in a while, and wonder about it, and walk along.

Story Is Short.

Now, the story this morning, about Cain and Abel, in the Bible, is very short. That is one of the great beauties of the Bible, that it throws the picture right on the screen and goes on. When Luke is telling about the Master raising the widow's son, he didn't tell how poor they were, and how hard the times were, and how high the house rent was, and how this widow had to wash, like you would have told it. He didn't tell any of these things, but he just makes one shot, and said: 'He was her only son and she was a widow,' and that was enough. So, the story of Cain is a very brief story.

You have to go back through the clouds, and the mists, and the battles, and the governments, and the philosophies, a long, long road, to watch this, the first curtain that ever was raised upon the doings of humanity. I think

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CITY ENJOYS PERFECT DAY

Thousands Were Out Sunday To Enjoy Warm Weather

Wichita Falls and all north Texas enjoyed a balmy, spring-like day Sunday when a partly cloudy sky and a beaming sun balanced each other to a nicety. The thermometer climbed to 74 degrees for a maximum temperature, while the minimum for the 24 hour period ending at 5 p. m. was 48. No rain fell at any time during the day.

Motorists took full advantage of the weather and crowded country highways throughout the afternoon and early evening hours. Country fields, splashed with the crimson, indigo and saffron of early spring flowers, drew hundreds of youngsters who came back to town with sizable bouquets of all styles and hues.

Veteran Editor Is Claimed By Death

WACO, April 25.—(AP)—T. A. Fowler, 83, who worked on the Waco Tribune 30 years ago, and who was also a veteran of the Houston Post and Galveston News, died Sunday afternoon at Baptist sanitarium after an illness of two weeks. He came to Texas in 1853. A 32nd degree Mason, he became a charter member of Holland lodge, S. A. F. and A. M., Houston; of the Houston Typographical local number 85; and of Dick Dowling Camp, Confederate Veterans, Houston. He had made his home in Eddy, Texas, for the past 14 years.

Four children survive, all in New Orleans: James B., William M., and R. D. Fowler, and Mrs. R. C. Biersall. The body is being held pending arrival of relatives.

NEGRO IS HELD AFTER SHOOTING

Culmination Of Family Dispute Ends In City Jail

Charges of assault with intent to murder will be filed Monday morning in the district court naming Will Jones, negro, an employe of a local garage, following a shooting early Sunday morning in the flats in which Turner Bell, another negro, received a severe bullet wound in his left shoulder and serious cuts and bruises about the head. His wife was also badly beaten about the head; her wounds, however, being described as not serious.

The trouble developed late Saturday night following a complaint to police that jones had beaten his wife in a domestic altercation. Attempts to arrest him failed when he could not be found and for safety's sake the wife went to the home of her brother, Turner Bell, at 111 Humphries for the rest of the night.

It was here that Jones found them Sunday morning. According to the story told police, he entered the house brandishing a large calibre pistol, and threatening to kill both. Four shots were fired at Bell, only the last taking effect; the gun snapped on a fifth, following which Jones turned it into a club to beat his wife and brother-in-law about the head.

Bell, who is about 21 years old, was immediately taken to the General hospital. Jones is in the custody of the police at the city jail, but will be turned over to the county this morning.

BAPTISTS BEAUTIFY GROUNDS

GRAHAM, April 25—The Baptist church is having the grounds surrounding the church sodded. Trees and flowers are being planted. The appearance of the church and grounds are vastly improved by this work.

F. H. Baptists Hold Services In Semi-Completed Church Sunday; Injunction Hearing Is Pending

A statement that every effort would be made to finish the temporary tabernacle of the Floral Heights Baptist church at Avenue F and Buchanan street prior to the injunction hearing set for Thursday afternoon was made Sunday night by Solon R. Featherston, on whom a citation to appear in behalf of the church as a trustee at the hearing was served.

Services were held both Sunday morning and evening at the tabernacle, which had been put in a state of semi-completion Saturday following the filing of the injunction suit. More than 20 carpenters were employed at the church Saturday afternoon to get the building ready for occupancy Sunday, and a large number of these will be re-employed today to put the finishing touches to the structure.

Rev. C. S. McClung preached at the morning service Sunday on the "Conquering Church," declaring that the church had overcome obstacles throughout the past just as it would overcome the one that now confronted the unit known as the Floral Heights Baptist.

In commenting on the citations received in connection with the injunction hearing for Thursday in connection with the building, one of the three served stated that of the three named in the citations as trustees only one actually held such a position, Thomas R. Wynn, Solon Featherston and L. H. Franks were served.

The injunction suit was brought by owners of property in the neighborhood who claim that the area is restricted to residences only.

AUTO PLUNGES 20 FEET WHEN SPAN BREAKS

St. Jo People Are Injured When Plunged Into Ravine

NONE SERIOUS

Machine Crossing Creek When Timber Gives Way

NOCONA, April 25.—(AP)—A bridge nearly twenty feet high, six miles from St. Jo, fell Sunday afternoon as an automobile with six passengers were crossing, injuring four of the occupants more or less severely. The arm of Mrs. R. L. Williams was broken and she also sustained serious internal injuries.

Taylor Davis, his wife and baby suffered painful cuts and bruises. Davis' arm may be broken, physicians said tonight.

The victims of the accident were taken to their homes in St. Jo for treatment.

Parachute Jumper Falls 800 Feet And Then Pulls Rip Cord

SALT LAKE CITY, April 25.—(AP)—Art Smertz, sergeant 329th observation squadron, United States air reserve dropped 800 feet from an airplane speeding at an altitude of 4,000 feet before opening his parachute. Smertz landed safely. A crowd of approximately 35,000 person witnessed the feat.

Smertz expressed disappointment that he had failed to set a world's record drop of two thousand feet. The "stunt" was also performed to test the parachute which Smertz and Alexander Thompson, lieutenant in the 329th observation squadron had invented.

Churchmen Attack Dances By Legion

OSSIAN, Ind., April 25.—(AP)—The ecclesiatical hand was lifted here today against the modern dance. While church members were hearing the dangers of dancing, officers of the Earl W. Scheerer post of the American Legion went ahead with plans for another dance on Wednesday, May 5.

Methodist and Episcopalian ministers warned their congregations against the "alarming, contaminating influence." The Rev. Preston Pothamus of the Methodist church said, "the basis of dancing is sex, and sex is like electricity. There is a real danger in electricity, not in having it in our homes, but in what might happen from it.

"So it is with dancing, the harm is in what might happen. You will find that if the new dances are permitted to continue, this community will regret to its last day that it allowed them."

T. D. SMITH DIES

Pioneer Railroad Builder and Banker Passes Away.

SAN ANTONIO, April 25—(AP) Temple D. Smith, aged 79, Fredericksburg banker who died here yesterday, will be buried at Fredericksburg tomorrow. Funeral services will be held in San Antonio.

Smith, as head of the committee that successfully negotiated for railroad connections drove the last spike in the line in 1913. He was known in banking circles throughout the state.

SOCIETY ELECTS

AUSTIN, Texas, April 25—(AP)—Prof. Gates Thomas, of Southwest Texas Teachers College, San Marcos, was elected president of the Texas Folk-Lore Society for the 1926-27 session at the business meeting of the organization here Saturday. Miss Adina De Zavala and Col M. L. Crimmins of San Antonio and Mrs. A. B. Lozzan of Houston, vice presidents.

HURT IN AUTO WRECK

Burkburnett Couple In Local Hospital as Result of Crash

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pearlman of Burkburnett are in the Hargrave-Walker hospital suffering from injuries received Sunday when the car in which they were riding overturned. Details of the accident were not available last night.

Their condition is not serious.

CELEBRATE

National Better Homes Week by purchasing your home! You'll find many attractive homes advertised in the Real Estate columns of today's Record News. Read the ads—get in touch with the real estate firms advertising in

WICHITA FALLS RECORD NEWS

"The Paper With the Real Estate Ads"

"HER MAN"

--By Beatrice Burton--

READ THE FIRST:

SYLVIA STARR has been engaged to RANDALL PHELPS for a year when he asks her to free him because he has fallen in love with her chum, FAY SHIRLEY.

Heart-broken, Sylvia gives him up, much to the satisfaction of her AUNT AGONY, the shrewd old maid who reared her. Aunt Agony predicts that Ranny will never be true to any one woman.

Her opinion of him seems to be correct, too, for suddenly he drops Fay and marries Sylvia after all, on the spur of the moment. When they are settled down in a tiny flat that they call The Nest, he begins to play cards with his former cronies several times a week, and makes no secret of the fact that married life bores him. Then he has a second love affair with Fay, but when Sylvia breaks the news that she is going to have a baby, he sees no more of Fay and behaves himself for a time. Fay promptly marries her old beau, EDDIE CARTER.

Shortly after the birth of little JUNIOR, the baby, Ranny returns to his old cronies and his old habits, and spends much money on his own pleasure that Sylvia has to give music lessons to keep the house going. Then she writes a popular song that makes a hit, and brings her $2,000 in royalties. Sylvia puts it aside to save enough to buy a house with a yard where the baby can run, for the family doctor says that Junior is extremely frail and needs plenty of sun and air.

Ranny has one love affair after another but Sylvia makes up her mind she'll play a waiting game, and that presently he'll return to her. Then he meets ELSIE LEOPOLD, who's going to have a gift shop in the town, and falls wildly in love with her. One night when he asks Sylvia down town to dine with him, she finds him with Elsie, and, happening upon Peter Wilk in the crowded restaurant, she asks him to dine with them. Peter does, and during the meal Elsie confesses that Aunt Agony saw her and Ranny together that afternoon. She realizes that Ranny asked her to join them that night, so that it would appear to Aunt Agony that she and Elsie were friends.

Whom does Ranny Take home from the Tangerine garden dinner? Sylvia reaches home only to make a most grieving discovery. Aunt Agony rushes to her.

(NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY)

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Several couples near the table were staring curiously at Elsie, now, as she leaned close to Ranny, blowing cigaret smoke playfully into his eyes. He kept blowing it back at her, his mouth all but touching hers every now and then.

Sylvia thought she had never seen anything so disgusting in her life, never!

Aunt Agony had taught her to always behave in a public place, and her face grew hot with shame, as she looked around her at the people watching Elsie and Ranny.

Suddenly she pushed her chair back from the table.

"Let's go, Peter," she said to him. "I can't stay here any longer. I shouldn't have come! Above all, I shouldn't have asked you to sit here with us!" She was all apology.

Peter's hands tightened and he turned his head away so that she would not see the look that was in his eyes. It was a look that he had for no one in the world but her—faithful Dobbin that he was.

He stood up and helped her out of her chair.

"Where do you think you're going—you two?" Ranny's voice stopped them.

"Peter's going to take me home. I'm getting a little nervous about the baby," Sylvia tried to smile as she spoke. She really was nervous about leaving the baby so long with old Mrs. Pigeon.

"You sit down!" Ranny said, with command in his voice. "Wilk can beat it if he wants to! But you stay here 'til I go, see? So just drop your anchor."

It wasn't until then that Sylvia saw that he had been drinking, but she saw it plainly now—saw it in the flush that had risen to his lean cheek and in the sullen glitter of his blue eyes.

She sat down quitely. It was the only thing to do.

Peter looked at her for a minute. Then he dropped into his chair beside her.

"I think I'll stay if you don't mind," he said pleasantly. He smiled as he took out his cigaret case.

"Have one?" he asked Sylvia.

He knew that she never smoked, but he wanted to say something to startle her out of her somber thoughts. He could see that she was on the verge of tears.

Against the pearly pallor of her face, her mouth, that was like some passionate flower of the south, quivered with its pain. Her eyes were big and soft and wet.

But at Peter's words she laughed faintly. "You know I don't smoke!" she said to him. "What made you ask me to have a cigaret?"

Smoking, she added, was all rlight for men, she added.

"But not for women," she said. "We're the mothers of the race, after all, and it's up to us to keep ourselves as sweet as we can, no matter what you men do."

Peter didn't answer her, but once more his fingers gripped each other as he looked first at her and then at Ranny and the other woman across the table.

An hour later Sylvia and Peter stood on the sidewalk outside the Tangerine Gardens and watched Ranny's roadster carry Ranny and Elsie Leopold away into the lamp-starred darkness of the town.

When even its tail-light had vanished, Sylvia climbed wearily into Peter's car and sat beside him without saying a word all the way back to The Nest.

He left her at her door with a short "goodnight."

He drove first to Buchanan Park, dark and desterd under the moon, and sat there for hours staring out at the black water on the lake—sat, staring and wondering why the only woman he had ever wanted, out of all the women in the world, had been denied him.

Above all, why had she been given to a man who didn't want her? To Ranny, who had grown tired so soon, of her and her loviness?

"I won't see her again if I can help it," Peter groaned.

For a full year he kept that promise.

Sylvia forgot all about Peter the minute she left him.

Wrapped in her own dark thoughts about Ranny, she ran up the stairs to The Nest.

Mrs. Pigeon, with a faded red shawl around her shoulders, met her at the door. Her plump old face was creased with worry.

"The baby's been real sick since you left, Miss Phelps," she said, and Sylvia's heart seemed to stop.

She gave the old woman one wild look and rushed into the tiny room where the baby slept, his little face, always so waxen white, was flushed now with a high fever. His breath was coming short and quick.

Sylvia flew to the telephone and called first Dr. Buzzard and then Aunt Agony. She rushed into the bathroom and turned on the hot water in the tub. She took a pair of woolen blankets from the linen closet and laid them over the sizzling radiator.

When Dr. Buzzard arrived at The Nest, 30 minutes later, she had given Junior a steaming bath, and his fever was not so high as it had been. But he was out of his head and he whimpered in a voice like a sick little animal's cry. The very sound of it was torture to Sylvia.

She blamed herself for going away and leaving him for three hours. Queer, that feeling she had had, that she shouldn't leave him.

"Nonsense!" Dr. Buzzard snapped out at her when she began to reproach herself for leaving the baby. "Children get these fevers in a minute and get over them just as quickly. A tooth may cause a fever, but in Junior's case I think it's just a cold on his chest. Not much of a cold either," hat He closed his bag, picked his hat up from the chair and started for the door, but Sylvia wouldn't let him go.

She clung to him and begged him to stay until Aunt Agony got there, for Mrs. Pigeon had gone downstairs to her basement, and Sylvia was afraid to be left alone with the sick baby. The loud, rough sound of his breathing frightened her and she watched his heaving little chest with wide, terrified eyes.

"I know he's going to die, I know my little baby's going to die," she moaned, burying her face in the old doctor's sleeve.

He patted her shoulder and told her as if he were trying to soothe a frightened child.

When Aunt Agony finally arrived she brought a whole caravan load of sick-room supplies with her. The taxi driver came toiling upstairs, carrying a quilt, a large rubber sheet, two hot water bottles, a first-aid kit, and an old "doctor book" that had belonged to Grandma Starr.

Sylvia vividly remembered that doctor book. It had been one of the horrors of her childhood. Whenever she had an ache or a pain, Aunt Agony had taken down the "doctor book" and then administered castor oil in large quantities.

"Now, Agony, don't start giving that child medicine," said Doctor Buzzard, eyeing the "doctor book" with a distrust. He had known Agony Starr for 30 years and he knew her failings.

"Have you given him any castor oil?" demanded Aunt Agony, with a war-like look. She tossed her head so that all the little jet flowers on her hat danced wildly.

"No, and he doesn't need any either." Dr. Buzzard came back at her. "He needs just what he's getting—good sleep."

Aunt Agony opened her black silk bag with a smart click and took out the bottle of castor oil she had just bought at an all-night drug store. She shook it in Dr. Buzzard's surprised face.

"I raised Sylvia on this," she said grimly. "I raised her on it, and look at her! Look at her!"

The old doctor did look at Sylvia then, and he winked, too. "Sylvia, I depend upon you to see that your aunt doesn't give the baby a drop of anything tonight. I think he'll be all right in the morning, he said. "Anyway, I'll drop around and see."

He picked up his bag and started away with a cheerful "goodnight to you!"

At the door he bumped into Ranny, who was stupidly trying to find the key-hole.

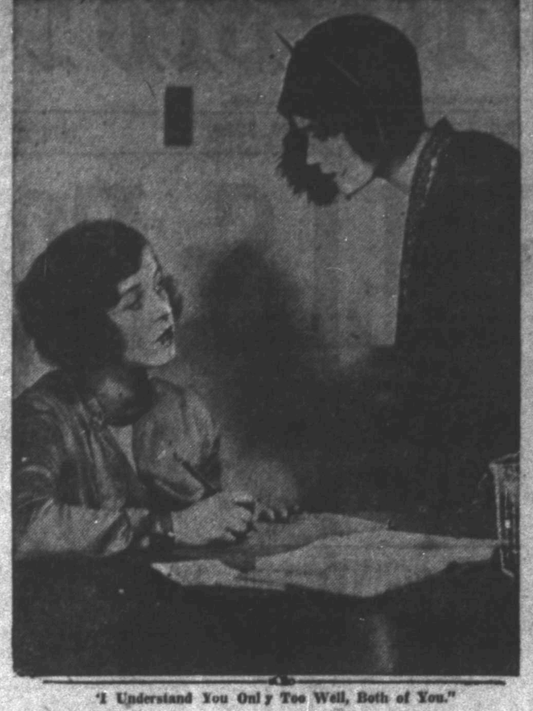
As the doctor passed him, he straightened up and opened his mouth to speak to him.

But the odctor went straight down the stairs without so much as a look at him. He had no earthly use for Randal Phelps since the night Junior was born—the night when Ranny did not come home until dawn.

"What's the matter? Baby sick?" Ranny asked, as he took off his coat in the tiny hallway and hung it up. His voice was thick and it seemed hard for him to talk clearly.

Sylvia wished that there were some way of getting him off to bed without letting Aunt Agony see him in this state.

But Aunt Agony was all primed for him, and the instant he set foot in the living room she fairly pounced upon him as a clever cat might pounce upon a hapless mouse.



"I Understand You Only Too Well, Both of You."

"Hah," she snorted, "so you're here! Better late than never, eh? Well, you're a fine one, aren't you?"

She llooked him up and down with a blighting look. "A fine time you were having with that trollop hanging to your arm this afternoon while your wife was home nursing a sick baby! What do you mean by such actions, eh?"

Ranny looked at her and then lounged across the room for a cigaret from the mantle shelf. He struck a match to it lazily before he answered her.

"I don't know what you're talking about," he said then, without looking at her. "If you mean that I was with Miss Leopold this afternoon, I admit that I was with her. Sylvia and I had dinner with her downtown tonight, and you might tell your friend, Sarah Wilk, that her brother was along, too."

Aunt Agony's eyebrows almost vanished in her hair with surprise.

"Is that true, Sylvia?" she asked. She didn't take Ranny's word on anything.

Sylvia nbdded.

"She's a great friend of Sylvia's," Ranny added, stretching the truth almost to the breaking point. But Sylvia let him tell his lie.

Suddenly she didn't care whether Ranny was in love with Elsie Leopold or not. She didn't care whether he told the truth to Aunt Agony or to anybody else.

Nothing mattered very much to her just now but the little baby that lay, breathing so loudly in his tiny room—the little baby that was her flesh and Ranny's, her spirit and Ranny's.

"Oh, you don't think he's going to die?" she asked piteously of Aunt Agony, and threw herself on the narrow, virginal breast with a half-smothered sob.

But it was Ranny who answered her.

"Of course, he's not going to die. Control yourself, Sylvia," he said, gruffly. "You're just nervous, that's all. Better come to bed."

He went there himself.

Presently Aunt Agony stretched her thin body on the davenport and dosed too.

But Sylvia sat all night on the edge of the baby's small bed with one of his little hot hands in hers. Toward morning she fell asleep.

When she woke up it was light.

The baby was not so feverish as he had been and he was in what Aunt Agony called "a beautiful sleep" when she tiptoed in to look at him.

"Your husband just left for the office," she added bitterly. "I suppose he didn't want to see me again this morning! Well, it doesn't hurt my feelings a bit to have him out of the house, not a bit!"

At 9 o'clock Ranny telephoned. I left my watch and a lot of important papers on my chiffonier," he told Sylvia. "Get a cab, and bring 'em right down to the office, will you?"

Sylvia tore herself away from the baby and went. To leave the tiny thing was almost like leaving part of herself behind her in the house, he seemed so much a part of her. And his sick little voice said nothing but "Mother—Mother," over and over.

She found Ranny in his father's old office.

He looked very fine and important sitting behind the broad mahogany desk, when she went in. He was talking over the telephone, and he put one hand over the mouthpiece and whispered to her to sit down.

Sylvia sank into the chair beside his desk, and it was then that she noticed for the first time that a girl sat at another desk in the corner.

She looked up and grinned at Sylvia with teeth that were startlingly white in her brown face—the brown gypsyish face of Elsie Leopold.

Why, whatever are you doing here?" Sylvia found herself asking, before she knew that the words were out of her mouth.

For Elsie seemede very much at home, here in Ranny's office! Her hat and coat hung on the hook behind her, and there was a potted flower on her desk.

She laughed outright at Sylvia's question. "Now, looky here, don't you start to be jealous of me!" she said in an impudent, brazen way. Your husband is simply letting me use this desk an hour or so every day until I get my own shop so don't misunderstand the thing!"

Sylvia gave her a long, still look from those deep eyes of hers. It was a look that made the girl at the desk feel guilty and common and cheap, all at once—a look that made her blush under her thick layers of make-up.

"No, I don't misunderstand anything," said Sylvia, turning away. "I think I understand some things too well."

She laid Ranny's watch and papers on the desk. As she went through the door of the office he called to her to wait, but perhaps she didn't hear him for she went straight on. The door closed slowly behind her and clicked shut.

(To Be oCntinued.)

LIONS ELECT DELEGATE

VERNON, April 25.—L. P. Kramer was elected to the state convention of the Lions Club, which will be held in Houston May 10-14, at the regular weekly luncheon Friday.

The committee appointed to interview Mayor H. D. Hockersmith on traffic regulations reported that they were courteously received and that the Dr. J. D. Hoover was elected a member of the club.

ARREST NEGRO WOMAN

VARNON, April 25.—Five charges of theft were filed against a negro woman Thursday afternoon in justice court following her arrest Wednesday afternoon on several shop-lifting charges. Dress goods amounting to approximately $500 have been recovered following the arrest, and officers are still tracing down stolen articles alleged to have been sold by the negress.

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ATTENDANCE

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I can see Adam and Eve, in the summer time and in the moonlight, sitting out in the yard, with the wind sighing softly through the exotic trees, with the crickets chirping, and the awful stillness of the summer night. And, they get to talking and, like every woman who ever had to move, Eve gets to talking about her old home in Eden, and how good it was there, and what a trouble it was to move, and, then, they get to talking about sin, and the reason that they had to move, and Adam says: 'Do you reckon, wife, that there is a force in the world that is called Evil?' Is man and woman, you and I, and all those who shall come after us, are they all disposed to do wrong, to break the law, to sin, to eat the forbidden fruit, and to suffer for erring?' Eve makes no answer. And, finally, Adam says: 'What do you think about the boys? How are they getting along?' This was a family talk. I am afraid there are not enough family talks. I am afraid that you and your wife fail, sometimes, to sit down and take an inventory and an appraisement of the children, and their doings, and how they are getting along in the world. But, Eve says: 'I don't like the way Cain looks. He is sour. He comes home with a scowl on his brow. He is dissatisfied! And, Adam says: 'He is not sick, is he?' 'No, he is well enough and strong enough, but the only thing that is the matter with him is that there is, somewhere in him, an evil spirit working.' This is what I can imagine happened in that family.

Always Had a Heart.

Now it is remarkable, whatever the scientists say or believe, or teach, or prove, that when we seek out man's history, as men have sought it out on the walls of the caves, on the carvings on the bones, on the things that he buried, we find that man, wherever we find him, always had a heart in him, always had sympathy, always and ever had a soul, because, even when we trace him back to the naked savage, we find that he always cared for his wounded, and he always buried his dead.

So, we find these two young men, each with an altar raised, so in that far off time, with a little pile of stones, and on that altar, the smoke of the sacrifice of early man to his Maker. Have you got an altar? Have you got a place to go, a holy of holies, in which you can enter? Do you make a sacrifice in recognition of God? Now, one of these was a sensible man, and one was a farmer. It looks like they both did pretty well. Abel brought his sacrifice of the sheep, or the animals, whatever he brought. Cain brought up the fruits, the products of the field. Abel's was accepted, but the Lord got to talking to Cain about his. Now, he wasn't condemned there. Cain did a thing, there that you and I do so much. He made up his mind too quickly. He decided that he was utterly rejected and despised before his case was ever tried. He felt like he wasn't getting an even break with his brother. Do you get that way? Do you get to where you feel like somebody else in town is doing better than you are doing, and you say: 'Here, I have worked my fingers off. I have sweat.' (I suppose it would be nicer to say 'perspired' to a modern audience. I understand the women have got so they don't even perspire, they merely glow.) But, you say, I have worked, and I have sweat, and I have been honest, I have heard fellows say that, 'and yet, I am not doing any good, I am not getting any where. How is it that this fellow over here, who is a much worse citizen than I am, flourishes like a green bay tree, when I can hardly get a sack of flour!' That question is as old as the world, and very few men in this audience haven't made that complaint. I know I have. I wouldn't ask you to hold up your hands, because I never hold an election down here. I run this down on the cuar principle, and not on the democratic principle. I do all the voting.

Wanted to Know.

So, Cain wanted to know about these things. He had built his altar. He had made his sacrifice. He had brought his first fruits up there. He had come further than most of us do. Where is the answer to it all, or is there an answer after all? There is an answer but it may not be made to you in this world. That's your trouble and mine, that we want to know everything right now. That is the reason some of you can't keep from working out a crossword puzzle when you ought to be working at something else. You are just dying of curiosity to find out, right now, what it all means. Heaven has said to you that you were to be glad off in this world. God has said that 'I will exact justice,' but He has never said that the final judgment, and the everlasting settlement would be made in this life. And it is enough to drive a man crazy to know that somewhere, in that far off Eden, to which we hope to come back, that justice then and there will be exacted with mercy and that an eternal settlement will be made, and a balance struck. So we complain, like Cain, that we are getting along. How do you know that you are not! Every people in every age have made that complaint. The big people know that they are getting along. It is the little ones that feel like they are not. 'Oh, but I have to walk, when other people are riding,' you say. Let me tell you something little man. You know what the cabinet is in this country, Mr. Mellon, secretary of the treasury, and all that group that they call the cabinet? Over in England, which is a democratic country, the cabinet members haven't got an automobile among them all, little insignificant fellows like Lord Grey, a fellow that liked to have grabbed all the land in the world in the peace conference. Maybe if they walked more, we would get farther. If anybody wants to give me a good car, now, this don't go.'

The Duke of Norfolk died, the most aristocratic family in the world. The English king is a mere upstart by the side of the Howard family, which is the Duke of Norfolk's family. Big funeral! Not as big as you fellows would have. They met them at the train at Norfolk with a fancy wagon, with two old horses hitched to the wagon, and carried him out to the graveyard and buried him from that wagon. The most illustrious family, the most noble, the most aristocratic in the world, and the richest man in the world. I am talking about this coarse kind of business, money, now. He had that, too, more than anybody on earth, but you know, Cain and I, we would have said: 'No, we have got to have a better funeral than that.' You know we want a lot of things we don't need, and we spend a lot of things that we don't want. It will take your a little while to wear that out, some of you, but I want you to do it.

Killed His Brother.

So, Cain went out and killed his brother. Now, he wasn't mad at his brother. He was mad, and sour, and sore because he didn't think he was getting along in the world like he ought. It is the most dangerous of all feelings. And, then, when he was asked about it, he said: "Am I my brother's keeper?" That was a Christian question, because thousands of years after that, another great one was going to write that 'no man liveth unto himself and no man dieth unto himself.' Cain's question was right, from his standpoint. If the materialist is right, if there is no hereafter, if there is no great, white throne and no Judge, if there is no Divinity that shapes our ends, then the Kaiser was right, for might is right, and he ought to take, who has the power, and he ought to keep, who can. If there isn't any hereafter nor any God. If there isn't any responsibility, why, then, the thief, and the robber, and the assasin are justified, and there is no reason why a man shouldn't sin. Then, what is the reason why he shouldn't? It lies in the answer to Cain's question, that we owe duties to other men, that we owe duty to our neighbor, to our friend to the stranger, to everybody; that a man's business here in life is and to serve himself, but to serve the world, that he is his brother's keeper and responsible for his brother's welfare.

I want you to think about these things, about responsibility for your brother, about responsibility to God, and it all means responsibility to ourselves.

A Stern Old Judge.

You know, there is just one thing that I want to satisfy and that is that harsh judge that sits in here, that nobody can corrupt; that judge that sits within my bosom and makes a cold, exact judgment, meeting out through the spirit of my conscience, dealing fairly, but justly, coolly with me. Cain didn't have the approval of his conscience.

An old man said to me: 'There is nothing so pitiful in the world as a vicious old man,' an old man said to me. 'Well, I guess I have lived. But that my sons have always lived, that the sun has taught me to live.' He hadn't made a very good scald on it either. Just between us, that sounds like a pretty good philosophy. If you live just like your brains, tells you to live, it is a good philosophy. The trouble is, the old man was lying about it. He hadn't lived like his head and his heart told him to live, and we all know that.

Now, if you are going to make that your platform, if you are going to live as the brain and the heart,—the instructed brain and the instructed heart,—teaches you to live, you will do well enough, but, have you done it? will you do it?

HO HUM, ANOTHER LEAGUE

Corpus Christi, Beeville, Victoria and Kingsville Form Loop.

CORPUS CHRISTI, April 25.—(AP)—Organization of the Gulf Coast league, to be represented by the towns of Corpus Christi, Victoria, Beeville and Kingsville, was perfected at a meeting of representatives of each town present here today.

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DALLAS, April 25.—(AP)—A training school for farm bureau workers is scheduled to be held here Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week at Hotel Hilton. E. F. Taylor of Chicago and E. A. Miller of Richmond, s., will have charge of the courses.

Messrs. Taylor and Miller are connected with the American Farm Bureau federation. They will be assisted by W. D. Ennis, president of the Texas Farm Bureau federation; L. R. Campbell, secretary of the Texas organization; M. E. Mays, field service director of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton association, and O. M. Lowry, editor of the Farm Bureau News.

Special addresses will be made by prominent state leaders in educational, religious and social work during the school. The course of training will be taken by farm bureau members and extension service workers of counties interested in undertaking organization campaigns in the near future.

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By BLONDY CROSS

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The veteran Spudder right-hander held the plate inviolate through six sturdily heaved chukkers, but in the seventh and eighth wavered on the brink of an unpleasant demise as a hysterical Herd heroically hammered his varied delivery to all sectors, blasting passage through a mountain-like seven-run barrier to but a scant one tally from the Utopia they so lustily sought.

Long Jim Roberts, the proficient fire-ball thrower, took over the chunking duties at the start of the ninth frame. Long Jim's only inconvenience was a base on balls to Tate. Our proud Spudders, saved again, lugged away the spoils, 7-6, a victory won by the epidermis of your molars, a victory nevertheless.

Tom Estell, the Dallas spitter and change of pace exponent, spun with no little display of flinging finesse through three more or less latent stansas. There were more quirks and detours in his slobber ball than in the path of the inebriated gent who has made his drinks too long and too close together, then for some reason starts out on a still hunt for a city cop at 3 a. m. His slow ball had you guessing away off ahead of him, but not correctly

Good For a While

That was how good Thomas appeared for a trio of couplets. Then disaster overtook him. The hapless Dallas heaver strode to the hurling knob in the fourth and straightway stumbled into a hurricane of base bumps. None other than Gorgeous George Distel led away with a vituperative slam to right center for three bases. Fitzgerald shattered the welkin with a snorting sock to straight right for two cushions. It isn't necessary to report that George checked in. Skipper Fred, hitting late, biffed one off the end of his bat, and made the best of it. She was a perfect, albeit accidental place hit. The ball trickled in the general direction of the second baseman's defensive station, possibly a little toward first base, too fast for the pitcher to dally with, too slow for anybody else to come in and make the play before Brainard arrived at the bag. Fitz drew up at third. Washburn was sent to first via the hit-by-pitcher route. Four high and wide ones to Bodie forced Fitz home. Ping was cut down at second on infield bounder combed by Turgeon, but Braidard tabulated. Metzler drove a long and lofty one to left center. Woeber enacted a flossy running stab to slice the drive from the two-base hit variety to a sacrifice tap. Washburn counted from third after the catch. That was four runs for the domestics.

Our boy friend Williams, evidently suspicioning that seething, but unapparent volcano of cushion clouts stored in the Steer bludgeons, took matters in his own hands long enough during the Wichita Falls' share of the fifth round to rift a liner to the uncultivated regions back of the port wall. Carl's four-bagger found the runways spotless, but with two out in the same canto Brainard and Washburn connived sufficiently to stab the plate for another score. The boss whipped a turf slasher through short and ran like an ostrich down to first base. A few short seconds later with Mule at the pan, the top Spudder overserved pitcher and catcher indulging in semaphoric communication, so copped a sneak and hoofed it on to appropriate the keystone by the margin of an adroit slide. The advance clinched the run, for Wash followed through with a ringing two-baser to left center.

Infield Bingles

Woeber and Miller touched Carl for infield bingles at the start of the seventh. Riley accepted a four-ball donation, loading the hassocks with none out. O'Brien slewed a double to left, scoring Web and Hack. Turgeon held Riley to third while throwing out Tate on infield bouncer. Billings went out, short to first, but Riley managed to come home this time. The attack subsided with aviation to Metzler in left by Estell.

Fitzgerald mauled one of Estell's offerings for a ride far over the right field advertising annoyance in the latter half of the seventh. Spudders were absent from the paths for the second time when a non-stop wallop was manufactured.

Riley Hits for Circuit

The situation was reversed in the first of the eighth. Gross and Woeber got on with singles. Riley hoisted an altitudious drive to identically the same regions in which Fitz had deposited his poke. One blow was three times as valuable as the other, but that wasn't enough. Williams whiffed O'Brien for the third out. Roberts walked Tate to begin the ninth. Billings went out, second to first, on sacrifice effort. Conley, subbing at the pan for Estell, struck out ignominously, also furiously. Bauman rolled out to Turgeon.

Both clubs fielded flawlessly. Woeber is docked with an error, but the miscue was one of finger other than of hand or foot. He started to launch a throw to the infield after having enacted a surprising bit of robbery in the fourth on drive by Metzler, when the ball slipped from his clutches and bounded gaily across the Bermuda 20 or 30 feet toward the foul line. The slip was not costly.

Alex himself came in for several fluffy catches. Washburn worked perfectly, also courageously at first before a melange of low-thrown, high and wide heaves. Distel at short fielded fluently. His performance was sharp throughout. He handled eight difficult chances without a scratch.

DALLAS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bauman 2b	5	0	0	2	1	0
Gross ss	4	1	1	2	5	0
Woeber lf	4	2	2	3	0	1
Miller rf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Riley 1b	3	2	2	8	0	0
O'Brien cf	3	0	1	2	1	0
Tate 3b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Billings c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Estell p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Conley	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	6	8	24	11	1

Conley batted for Estell in the ninth.

SPUDDERS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Distel ss	3	1	1	0	8	0
Fitzgerald cf	4	2	2	1	0	0
Brainard 3b	4	2	2	1	2	0
Washburn 1b	3	1	1	13	1	0
Bodie rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Turgeon 2b	3	0	1	2	2	0
Metzler lf	2	0	0	4	0	0
Lapan c	3	0	0	4	1	0
Williams p	3	1	1	0	0	0
Roberts p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	7	8	27	14	0

DALLAS—		
Runs	000 000 330—6	
Hits	010 001 330—8	
Wichita Falls—		
Runs	000 420 10x—7	
Hits	010 330 10x—8	

Home runs, Williams, Fitzgerald, Riley; three-base hit, Distel; two-base hits, Riley, Fitzgerald, Washburn, O'Brien; sacrifice hits, Billings, Metzler; stolen bases, Turgeon, Brainard; earned runs, Dallas 6, Wichita Falls 7; left on bases, Dallas 4, Wichita Falls 2; runs batted in, Fitzgerald 2, Bodie 1, Turgeon 1, Williams 1, Washburn 1, O'Brien 2, Billings 1, Riley 3; double plays, O'Brien to Gross, Lapan to Brainard; struck out, by Estell 4 (Metzler, Distel, Washburn, Bodie), by Williams 3 (Woeber, Tate, O'Brien), by Roberts 1 (Conley); bases on balls, off Estell 2 (Bodie, Turgeon), off Williams 2 (O'Brien, Riley), off Roberts 1 (Tate); hit batsmen, Distel, Washburn by Estell; hits and runs off Williams 8 and 6 in 8 innings; winning pitcher, Williams; time, 1:40; umpires, Held and Daly.

REFINERS WIN

Panhandle Longhorns Defeat Crack Team From Newcastle.

The Panhandle Refinery Longhorns defeated the Newcastle All Stars on the Newcastle diamond Sunday afternoon by the score of 6 to 5. The Panhandle heaver was right and the Newcastle hitters could do nothing with him.

Collins, of Newcastle, led the hitters with three hits in five trips to the plate.

Score:

Panhandle	005	000	001—6
Newcastle	100	000	310—5

Hatton, McDuffy, Randolph and Hicks; Henning, Alberts and Jones.

SPUDDERS AND STEERS AGAIN

Paddy Martin Probably On Tap For Chunking Chores

Spudders and Steers lock again this afternoon on the home lot. The league leadership is at stake. Should Wichita Falls win the domestics will forge to the top of the ladder. Incidently, today's game is the rubber contest of the series. Each team has won a game. The Fort Worth Cats are here tomorrow for a span.

Manager Fred Brainard refuses to make it a custom to announce his starting pitchers until game time. However, it's a good guess that if Paddy Martin, the verteran southpaw is feeling hale and hearty this afternoon and hasn't the tooth ache or something similar, will do the heaving for Wichita Falls.

Shippers Win

WACO, April 25.—(AP)—Due to Hudlin's wildness here today, the Beaumont Exporters took the first of a three-game series from the Waco Cubs by the score of 11 to 3. Hansen pitched a good game for the Exporters and contributed three hits to help the cause. Galloway hit two home runs, one coming with two on. McNamara hit a home run for the Cubs. Henson did not allow but one hit until the seventh inning, McNamara's homer coming in the fourth with none on. Ragged fielding got Hudlin in trouble in the first inning. Score:

WACO	A.	H.	PO.	A.	BEAUMONT	A.	H.	PO.	A.
M'Na'ra rf	4	1	0	1	Oliver cf	6	2	2	0
Wilson cf	4	0	4	0	C'nolly 2b	5	0	3	8
Davis lf	4	1	2	0	Y D'vis rf	5	2	0	1
Pratt 2b	3	1	3	1	G'lo'ay 1b	4	3	15	0
Cohen ss	4	1	5	3	D'eros ss	5	2	3	2
M'eller 1b	3	1	7	2	D'ning lf	5	0	3	0
G'zales 3b	4	1	3	1	Re'gan 3b	4	1	0	2
W'amot c	4	1	2	1	E'tson c	3	2	1	1
Hudlin p	1	0	1	0	Hansen p	3	3	0	4
Lyle p	0	0	0	0					
Glass a	1	0	0	0					
Aguilar p	1	0	0	0					
Totals	33	7	27	9	Totals	40	15	27	18

aHit for Lyle in 7th.

Beaumont	301	302	101—11
Waco	000	100	200— 3

Runs, Oliver 2, Connolly, Y. Davis, Galloway 3, Reagan 2, Robertson, Hansen, McNamara, Mueller, Gonzales. Errors, Connolly, Galloway, Deviveros, Davis, Pratt, Wolmagot. Two-base hits, Oliver 2, Hansen, Reagan, Mueller. Home runs, Galloway 2, McNamara. Double plays, Deviveros to Connolly to Galloway; Reagan to Connolly to Galloway. Sacrifice hits, Hansen. Bases on balls, off Hudlin 2; off Hansen 3; off Lyle 1; off Aguilar 1. Struck out, by Hansen 1; by Aguilar 1. Pitchers' records 7 runs, 9 hits, off Hudlin in 4; 3 runs, 4 hits off Lyle in 3. Left on bases, Waco 8; Beaumont 9. Time 2:15. Umpires Fanning and Donohue.

CHICAGO CUBS WHIP PIRATES IN FIRST GAME

Perfectly Executed Squeeze Play Puts Over Winning Run

CHICAGO, April 25.—(AP)—A perfectly executed squeeze play with the score tied in the 8th enabled Chicago to defeat the world champion Pittsburgh Pirates today in their first appearance here this year, 4 to 3. Wilson opened the inning with a double, was sacrificed to third and Grimm, then grounded out to score Wilson with the deciding run. Jones held the Pirates to four hits, one of which was a double which, after the Cub pitcher walked three in a row in the 7th, brought in three runs and tied the score. Bush then replaced Jones and pitched airtight ball the rest of the way. Score:

PITTSBURGH	ab.	h.	po.	a.	CHICAGO	ab.	h.	po.	a.
Moore, 2b	3	0	4	5	Adams, 2b	3	1	7	3
Carey, cf	3	0	1	0	Scott, lf	2	1	1	0
Cuyler, rf	2	1	0	0	Brooks, rf	4	0	1	0
B'hart, lf	2	0	2	0	Wilson, cf	3	2	2	0
aWaner	1	0	0	0	F'gau, 3b	3	1	2	0
Bigbee, lf	0	0	0	0	Grimm, 1b	3	0	8	1
Tynor, 3b	3	0	2	3	Cooney, ss	3	0	1	3
Rhyne, ss	3	2	3	1	H'tnett, c	3	1	5	1
M'in'is 1b	3	0	10	1	Jones, p	2	0	0	0
bG'tham,	1	0	0	0	Bush, p	0	0	0	0
Smith, c	4	1	2	2					
Yde, p	3	0	0	4					
cGooch	1	0	0						
Totals	28	4	24	15	Totals	26	6	27	13

aBatted for Barnhart in 8th.
bBatted for McInnis in 8th.
cBatted for Yde in 9th.

Pittsburgh	000 000 300—3
Chicago	020 001 01x—4

Summary: Runs, Cuyler, Barnhart, Traynor, Wilson 3, Freigau; errors, Smith 2; two-base hits, Freigau, Scott, Rhyne, Wilson; stolen bases, Moore, Wilson 2, Grimm, Waner; base on balls, off Jones 4; off Yde 5; off Bush 3; struck out, by Jones 4, by Yde 2, by Bush 1. hits, off Jones 4 in 6 (none out in 7th), off Bush none in three. Winning pitcher Bush.

Reds Blank Cards

CINCINNATI, April 25.—(AP)—Lucas blanked St. Louis today while the Reds landed on Sherdel and Haines for seven safeties and four runs. In the 7th inning Pinelio hit a two-bagger to the score board, scoring Hargraves, Lucas and Crits. Score:

ST. LOUIS	ab.	h.	po.	a.	CINCINNATI	ab.	h.	po.	a.
Blades, lf	4	2	3	3	Crits, 2b	3	1	3	3
Mu'ler, cf	4	1	3	0	Pineli, 3b	4	1	1	1
H'nsby, 2b	3	1	4	2	Roush, cf	4	0	3	0
B'mley, 1b	4	0	5	1	B'sler, lf	2	1	1	0
Harey, rf	4	0	1	0	C'tensen, lf	1	1	1	0
Bell, 3b	3	0	0	2	Pipp, 1b	3	1	12	0
O'F'rell c	3	2	2	3	Emmer, ss	3	0	1	6
Th'now, ss	2	1	4	2	Walker, rf	4	1	3	0
Sherdel, p	3	0	1	1	H'grave, c	1	0	2	2
aToporcer	1	1	0	0	Lucas, p	3	1	0	3
Haines, p	0	0	0	0					
Totals	30	8	24	13	Totals	28	7	27	15

aBatted for Shredel in 8th.

St. Louis	000 000 000—0
Cincinnati	000 010 30x—4

Summary: Runs, Crits, Hargrave, Lucas 2; two-base hits, Crits, Walker, Pinelli; stolen base, Christensen; sacrifices, Thevenow, Hornsby; bases on balls, off Sherdel 4; struck out, by Sherdel 2, by Lucas 2; hits, off Sherdel 6 in 7 innings, Hanies 1 in 1; hit by pitcher, by Sherdel 2 (Pitt and Hargrave); losing pitcher, Sherdel.

Dodgers 8; Giants 6

BROOKLYN, April 25.—(AP)—Brooklyn evened the series of four games with the New York Giants today, winning 8 to 6. New York used four pitchers while Jess Barnes went the route for Brooklyn. In the sixth Snyder took exception to a remark by O'Neil and threatened the fiery Robin backstop with his bat, but Rigler stepped between them. Score:

NEW YORK	AB.	H.	PO.	A.	BROOKLYN	AB.	H.	PO.	A.
L'stro' 3b	4	1	1	2	Cox rf	3	1	3	0
Frisch 2b	5	2	4	2	M'riott 3b	4	1	0	3
Young rf	5	2	3	1	Wheat lf	4	3	3	0
Meusel lf	5	1	5	0	F'nier 1b	4	2	11	0
Kelly 1b	5	4	8	0	Felix cf	4	1	3	0
Moore a	0	0	0	0	Butler 2b	3	0	0	4
S'worth cf	5	0	1	0	M'nville ss	2	1	4	2
F'rell ss	3	1	1	2	O'Neil c	3	1	3	0
Snyder c	4	1	4	2	Barnes p	4	1	0	1
McQ'lin p	1	0	0	0					
G'field p	1	0	0	1					
Nehf, p	1	0	0	0					
Wisner p	0	0	0	0					
Groh b	1	0	0	0					
Totals	40	14	24	10	Totals	31	11	27	10

aRan for Kelly in 9th.
bBatted for Wisner in 8th.

New York	013 000 002—6
Brooklyn	310 022 00x—8

Summary: Runs, Lindstrom, Frisch 2, Meusel, Kelly 2, Cox, Marriott, Wheat 2, Fournier, Maranville 2, O'Neil; errors, McQuillan, Wheat; two-base hits, Meusel, Kelly, Marriott; three-base hit, Maranville; home runs, Kelly, Fournier; stolen base, Wheat; sacrifices, Maranville, Fournier; struck out, by McQuillan 1, by Greenfield 2, by Wisner 1, by Barnes 3; hits, off McQuillan 4 in 2, off Greenfield 4 in 2 1-3, Nehf 3 in 2-3 (none out in 6th), off Wisner 1 in 3; losing pitcher, Greenfield.

Yanks Win Another

New York, April 25.—(AP)—The New York Americans won their opening game of their series with Philadelphia here today, 7 to 2, Waite Hoyt won his third game of the season while the Yankees pounded Sam Gray. Score.

PHILADELPHIA	AB.	H.	PO.	A.	NEW YORK	AB.	H.	PO.	A.
Bishop 2b	4	1	1	2	Koenig ss	5	1	2	4
Hale 3b	5	0	1	1	Combs cf	5	2	3	0
Lamar lf	5	2	1	0	Gehrig 1b	2	1	10	0
Hauser 1b	4	0	8	2	Ruth rf	3	2	1	1
S'mons cf	3	2	4	0	Meusel lf	4	2	2	0
Welch rf	2	1	1	0	La'zeri 2b	4	1	2	3
C'rane c	3	0	6	1	Dugan 3b	4	0	1	1
G'oway ss	3	0	2	2	Collins c	4	1	6	0
French x	1	0	0	0	Hoyt p	3	2	0	2
Gray p	2	0	0	4					
Miller xx	1	1	0	0					
Totals	33	7	24	12	Totals	34	12	27	11

xBatted for Galloway in 9th.
xxBatted for Gray in 9th.

Philadelphia	010	000	001—2
New York	400	000	21x—7

Runs, Simmons, Miller, Combs 2, Gehrig 2, Ruth, Meusel, Hoyt. Errors, Gray, Koenig, Ruth. Two-base hits, Meusel, Combs, Simmons. Three-base hits, Gehrig, Koenig. Stolen bases, Combs, Meusel. Sacrifices, Hoyt, Welch. Base on balls, off Hoyt 5; off Gray 3. Struck out, by Gray 5; by Hoyt 2.

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE.

GREENVILLE, April 25.—(AP)—Overcoming an eight-run lead which the Trojans had piled up during the first three innings, the Hunters unleashed a fugfest which continued throughout the game, winning by a score of 17 to 10. Burlesons, who started for Hunters, was relieved in the third by Emmeons.

Greenville	005 600 33x—17	16	1
Tyler	206 000 101—10	11	6

PARIS, April 25.—(AP)—Lefty Haines held the Cannibals to seven hits and did not allow an earned run and the Bear Cats won today by a score of 7 to 2. The Bear Cats batted the offerings of Robertson and Phillips for 17 hits. Lowrance and Sowers each hit safely four of five times up.

Paris	121 012 000—7	17	2
Longview	010 000 100—2	7	0

VALLEY LEAGUE.

Edingburg 4; Brownsville 1.
Harlingen 0; San Benito 2.

Mantell Meets Mahmouth In Finish Mat Match On Majestic Stage Tonight

THE CARD

Dutch Mantell vs. Young Mahmouth. Two falls to a finish, welterweights.

Harry Demetral vs. Bob Lester. One fall to a finish, middleweights.

Place, Majestic theatre.

Time, tonight, 8:15.

Mantell and Lester arrived in Wichita Falls Sunday, each declaring himself fit and ready for action. Mahmouth and Demetral have been in the city for several days.

The Dutch-Turko bids to prove one of the toughest and roughest mat tilts ever staged in this city. Both grapplers are the roughhouse type of athletes, and each is just iron-headed enough to kick the tar out of the other if the breaks don't run just right, or it be necessary to gain a victory by such a method.

Mantell lost to Matsuda here two weeks back in an exceptionally tame match, tame by comparison to the usual run of battles the Dutchman puts on. He intends to make this evening's melee the first lap of a vindication drive, so he says. Mantell was a sick man the night of that Matsuda bout. An attack of acute indigestion nearly floored him. But as Dutch puts it, what's the use to make an alibi? You don't need to make an excuse to your friends. And your enemies won't believe it anyway.

All Wrong

As an aside, it may be in order to remark that quite a number of wiseacres, the so-called smart guys, declared after the match that Mantell had "thrown" the affair to Matsuda, didn't try to win.

As usual, the cocksure bozos are wrong.

There isn't any doubt a..... that. The Record News sports editor lost hours the day of the match doping up the Dutchman, trying to cure him of his malady. The Columbus grappler believes to this day that he was framed, that something was put in his food in order to make him sick and easy for Matsuda to beat.

But that's neither here nor there. Dutch was under the weather in the Matsuda match, but he doesn't expect to be that way tonight. At least, he was in fine fettle Sunday afternoon and rearing to get at the Turkish person.

Wrong Again

Mantell spent most of the afternoon at Spudder park, cheering Brainard's bludgeoners. He's an ardent baseball fan, is Dutch.

Demetral hopes to [illegible] it on Lester! Matchmaker Ross has promised the Greek a match with Johnny Meyers, middleweight champion, if he makes an impressive showing with the New Orleans wrestler.

Demetral is a middleweight, one of the cleverest in the game today, and contrary to published report Sunday morning in a Wichita Falls newspaper, has absolutely no designs on Matty Matsuda, the welterweight. Says Harry: "...at for would I want to be wrestling the Jap? He's just a little fellow. That sports writer who said I was hunting a match with Matsuda doesn't know much about his business. Why, I'm away too big and strong to be thinking about picking on Matty. That's foolishness."

League Standings

TEXAS LEAGUE.
Sunday's Scores.

WICHITA FALLS 7; Dallas 6.
Beaumont 11, Waco 3.
Fort Worth 4; Shreveport 1.
Houston 3; San Antonio 2.

Standings.

CLUBS—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Dallas	10	7	3	.700
WICHITA FALLS	10	6	4	.600
Waco	12	7	5	.583
Houston	11	6	5	.545
San Antonio	11	5	6	.455
Beaumont	10	4	6	.400
Shreveport	11	4	7	.364
Fort Worth	9	3	6	.333

Monday's Schedule.
Dallas at WICHITA FALLS
Shreveport at Fort Worth.
Houston at San Antonio.
Beaumont at Waco.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Sunday's Scores.

Chicago 4; Pittsburgh 3.
Cincinnati 4; St. Louis 0.
Brooklyn 8; New York 6.
Only three games scheduled.

Standings.

CLUBS—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	10	7	3	.700
Chicago	10	6	4	.600
Cincinnati	10	6	4	.600
St. Louis	12	7	5	.583
Philadelphia	11	6	5	.545
Brooklyn	10	5	5	.500
Boston	11	3	8	.273
Pittsburgh	12	3	9	.250

Monday's Schedule.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.
New York at Philadelphia.
Brooklyn at Boston.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Sunday's Scores.

Boston 8; Washington 6. (10 innings).
New York 7; Philadelphia 2.
Chicago 4; Detroit 2.
St. Louis 11; Cleveland 5.

Standings.

CLUBS—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	11	8	3	.727
Cleveland	10	7	3	.700
Chicago	12	7	5	.583
Washington	12	6	6	.500
Boston	11	5	6	.455
Detroit	10	4	6	.400
Philadelphia	12	4	8	.333
St. Louis	12	4	8	.333

Monday's Schedule.
Philadelphia at New York.
Boston at Washington.
Chicago at Detroit.
Cleveland at St. Louis.

WESTERN LEAGUE
Sunday's Scores.

Lincoln 7; Wichita 5.
Omaha 16; Tulsa 8.
Oklahoma City 6; Denver 4.
St. Joseph 8-2; Des Moines 5-8.

Standings.

CLUBS—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Joseph	12	9	3	.750
Des Moines	12	8	4	.667
Tulsa	11	6	5	.545
Oklahoma City	11	6	5	.545
Omaha	11	5	6	.455
Denver	11	4	7	.364
Lincoln	12	4	8	.333
Wichita	12	4	8	.333

Monday's Schedule.
No games scheduled.

TEXAS ASSOCIATION
Sunday's Scores.

Corsicana 12; Austin 10.
Terrell 8; Mexia 7.
Palestine 5; Temple 4.

Standings.

CLUBS—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Terrell	3	3	0	1,000
Corsicana	3	2	1	.667
Palestine	3	1	2	.333
Temple	3	1	2	.333
Mexia	3	1	2	.333
Austin	3	1	2	.333

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Sunday's Scores.

Kansas City 7; Columbus 1.
Toledo 9; Milwaukee 5.
Louisville 7; Minneapolis 6.
Indianapolis 11; St. Paul 5.

Standings.

CLUB—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Louisville	11	9	2	.818
Indianapolis	12	8	4	.667
Minneapolis	13	8	5	.616
Toledo	10	5	5	.500
St. Paul	11	5	6	.455
Milwaukee	11	5	6	.455
Kansas City	10	4	6	.400
Columbus	12	1	11	.083

Monday's Schedule
Toledo at Milwaukee
Columbus at Kansas City.
Indianapolis at St. Paul.
Louisville at Minneapolis.

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE
Sunday's Scores.

Texarkana 3; Marshall 2.
Paris 7; Longview 2.
Greenville 17; Tyler 10.

Standings.

CLUBS—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Greenville	4	3	1	.750
Paris	4	2	2	.500
Tyler	4	2	2	.500
Texarkana	4	2	2	.500
Marshall	4	2	2	.500
Longview	4	1	3	.250

Monday's Schedule
Texarkana at Marshall.
Longview at Paris.
Tyler at Greenville.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
Sunday's Scores.

Birmingham 0-1; Mobile 5-7.
Nashville 7; Little Rock 6.
New Orleans 1-3; Atlanta 4-1.
Memphis 10; Chattanooga 5.

Standings.

CLUBS—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Memphis	11	8	3	.727
Nashville	12	8	4	.667
New Orleans	12	8	4	.667
Birmingham	11	6	5	.545
Chattanooga	11	6	5	.545
Mobile	11	5	6	.455
Atlanta	12	4	8	.333
Little Rock	12	1	11	.083

Monday's Schedule.
Mobile at Atlanta.
New Orleans at Birmingham.
Nashville at Memphis.
Chatanooga at Little Rock.

PACIFIC COAST

San Francisco 0-2; Oakland 3-1.
Portland 2-8; Missions 11-7.
Seattle 5-4; Hollywood 9-3.
Los Angeles 0-7; Sacramento 1-4.

FREIBERG NIPS CYCLERS, 9-7

Cecil Allison had one bad inning at Freiberg Sunday afternoon and eight runs were scored before the opposition could be retired. After that Allison and Prince held Freiberg to one run while the Munden Cycler sharp shooters were scoring seven runs, but could not get over the other two. Freiberg won, 9-7.

Balderee, a new man with the Cyclers, poled three hits in five trips to the plate to lead the hitting attack. Ten players collected two hits. The ten were, Thorn, Dieterman, Thomas, Buss, Lawson, Allison, of Munden Cyclers and Ferris, F. Lamb, Roberts and Bell, of Freiberg.

The two hits by Heinie Buss were for extra bases, one a double, and the other a triple.

Score:

Freiberg	800	001	000—9
Cyclers	301	100	101—7

Geyer and Roberts; Allison, Prince and Buss.

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RED SOX TAKE SENATORS INTO CAMP, 8 TO 6

Washington Forces Bean Eaters Into Extra Inning

WASHINGTON, April 25.—(AP)—Four runs in the 10th inning while Washington was scoring two gave Boston a victory over the Senators today in their first encounter. Rosenthal put his team in the lead in the 8th with a home run, scoring a man ahead of him, but Washington tied the count at 4-all in the 9th. In the extra-inning Boston used two doubles, a triple, a hit batsman and a walk for the winning margin. Score:

BOSTON.	AB.	H.	PO.	A.	WASHINGTON.	AB.	H.	PO.	A.
F'stead cf	6	2	6	1	Rice cf rf	4	2	2	0
Haney 3b	4	0	1	1	S H'ris 2b	5	1	4	4
C'yle rf	5	4	0	0	Goslin lf	4	3	0	0
Todt 1b	4	1	15	1	J H'ris rf	3	1	0	0
R'thal lf	4	1	0	0	McN'ly cf	0	0	1	0
J'kins lf	0	0	1	0	J'nes cf	0	0	0	0
R'ney ss	3	1	1	5	Bush rf	1	0	1	0
H'rera 2b	4	3	5	8	Judge 1b	3	0	14	1
B'hoff c	5	2	1	0	B'ege 3b	3	2	2	5
W'field p	5	1	0	2	Myer ss	4	1	3	4
R'fing p	0	0	0	0	Ruel c	4	0	3	3
					C'leskie p	2	0	0	1
					M'erry p	0	0	0	0
					F'son p	0	0	0	1
					[illegible] z	1	0	0	0
					Ruether zz	1	0	0	0
					Tate zzz	1	1	0	0
Totals	40	15	30	18	Totals	35	12	30	19

zBatted for Marberry in 8th.
zzBatted for Jeanes in 9th.
zzzBatted for Ferguson in 10th.

Boston	010	001	020	4—8
Washington	000	100	201	2—6

Runs, Carlyle 3, Todt, Rosenthal, Rigney, Herrera 2, Rice, S. Harris, Goslin, McNeely, Tate. Errors, Haney. Two-base hits, Goslin 3, Carlyle 2, Herrera. Three-base hits, S. Harris, Carlyle, Todt, Flagstead, Bischoff. Home run, Rosenthal. Sacrifices, Haney, Goslin, Bluege, Judge, Jenkins. Base on balls, off Wingfield 2 off Coveleskie 1; off Marberry 1; off Ferguson 1. Struck out, by Wingfield 1; by Coveleskie 2. Hits, off Coveleskie 10 in 7 1-3 innings; off Ferguson 4 in 2; off Wingfield, 12 in 9 2-3; off Marberry 1 in 2-3; off Ruffing, none in 1-3. Hit by pitcher, by Ferguson (Todt). Winning pitcher, Wingfield; losing pitcher Ferguson.

Sox Beat Tygers

DETROIT, April 25.—(AP)—Urban Faber was too good for Detroit and 50,000 courageous fans who braved the cold saw Chicago win today 4 to 2. In the 9th only did Faber wobble, walking four men and forcing in one run. With Wingo at bat and the bases filled, Thurston relieved Faber and the game ended a moment later when Wingo flied out. Mostil's hitting was an important factor, each of his three blows producing a run. Score:

CHICAGO.	ab.	h.	po.	a.	DETROIT	ab.	h.	po.	a.
Mostil cf	5	3	2	0	Neun, 1b	4	1	6	0
Harris, rf	4	0	2	0	O'R'ke, 3b	4	1	1	3
Collins, 2b	4	1	0	3	Wingo, lf	4	1	4	0
Sheely, 1b	3	1	12	0	F'gill, cf	4	1	5	0
Falk, lf	4	2	3	0	H'mann, rf	4	1	2	0
Kamm, 3b	4	1	1	1	Warner, 3b	1	0	3	2
Schalk, c	3	1	5	2	T'ven'r, ss	3	0	2	2
Scott, ss	4	0	1	5	Manion, c	3	0	4	1
Faber, p	3	0	0	2	Johns p	2	0	0	1
Th'ton, p	0	0	0	0	Barfoot, p	0	0	0	1
					aBassler	1	0	0	0
					bManush	1	0	0	0
					cCobb	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	8	27	13	Totals	31	5	27	10

aBatted for Johns in 7th.
bBatted for Manion in 9th.
cBatted for Barfoot in 9th.

Chicago	100 010 200—4
Detroit	000 010 001—2

Summary: Runs, Mostil 3, Sheeley, O'Rourke, Warner; two-base hits, Falk, Kamm, Mostil 2, Neun, O'Rourke; stolen bases, Mostil, Collins, Sheely; sacrifice, Schalk; base on balls, off Faber 8, off Johns 4, off Barfoot 1; struck out, by Faber 5, by Johns 3; hits, off Faber 5 in 8 1-3, Thurston, 0 in 1-3, Johns 8 in 7, Barfoot 1 in 2; winning pitcher, Faber, losing pitcher, Johns.

Buffs Paw Bears

SAN ANTONIO, April 25.—(AP)—Although Hal Haid walked eight batters, the Bears lacking a punch, were unable to do better than tie the Buffs after the latter had taken a two-run lead in the opening round and scored again in the fifth on a couple of two-baggers to win the second game of the series Sunday 3 to 2. Three successive singles by Powell, Peel and Gainer after Frank Watt had walked DeMaggio, gave the Buffs two runs the first time up. After that Watt kept his hits scattered until the fifth when a couple of two-baggers by DeMaggio and Gainer gave the visitors the winning run.

The Bears scored in the opening round when Gonzales walked, went to third on Klein's hit to right and came in on Golvin's line drive that made Haid do a low-bridge to save himself. The Bears tied the score in the fourth when Wirts walked, advanced on Flashkamper's hit past second and scored on a double steal when Burns threw high in an effort to catch Flashkamper going to second. Score:

HOUSTON	ab.	h.	po.	a	SAN ANTONIO	ab.	h.	po.	a.
Bailey 2b	5	1	2	5	Rabbitt, cf	4	0	0	1
D'gio, lf	3	2	2	0	G'zales, 2b	2	0	2	2
Powell, cf	4	1	2	0	Klein, rf	2	2	1	0
Peel, rf	4	1	3	0	S'grist, 3b	3	0	3	2
Gainer, 1b	4	2	12	1	Golvin, 1b	3	1	12	0
Burns, c	4	0	1	2	Wirts c	2	0	5	1
Roper, 3b	4	0	0	1	F'hk'er ss	4	2	2	7
Kane, ss	4	1	4	3	Rose, lf	1	0	1	0
Haid, p	3	0	1	5	Watt, p	3	0	1	3
					aHenzes	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	8	27	17	Totals	25	5	27	16

aBatted for Watt in 9th.

Houston	200 010 000—3
San Antonio	100 100 000—2

Summary: Runs, DeMaggio 2, Powell, Gonzales, Wirts; errors, Haid, Klein, Flashkamper; runs batted in, Peel, Gainer 2, Golvin; two-base hits, DeMaggio 2, Gainer; sacrifice hits, Rose, Gonzales, Segrist; struck out, by Watts 5, by Haid 1; bases on balls, off Watts 4, off Haid 8; left on bases, Houston 9, San Antonio 8 double plays, Wirts to Gonzales, Bailey to Kane, Gainer to Kane to Bailey to Gainer. Time 2 hours. Umpire, Osborne.

ATZ AND CATS WIN ANOTHER

Feline Crew Scratches Way To Victory Over Shreveport

FORT WORTH, April 25.—(AP)—Red Bird hurled the Fort Worth Cats to a 4 to 1 victory over the Shreveport Sports Sunday afternoon at Panther Park. The Panthers clouted the ball in the pinches for the victory. Thompson started for the Sports but was replaced in the sixth inning by Cantrell, after the Cats had scored three runs. Cantrell held the Cats in check the remainder of the contest.

SHREVEPORT	AB.	H.	PO.	A.	FORT WORTH	AB.	H.	PO.	A.
Lennox, ss	4	0	0	3	E.M're, cf	4	1	5	0
Benton, 3b	4	1	1	1	Foss, 3b	3	0	2	2
Taylor, lf	4	0	2	0	Sears, lf	2	0	2	0
Kirke, 1b	4	2	8	0	Koney, 1b	4	2	11	0
H'man, 2b	4	0	2	0	E'gton, rf	4	1	1	0
B'abee rf	3	1	2	0	Palmer, 2b	4	3	3	3
B'witz, cf	4	1	2	0	Wendle, ss	4	1	1	1
Wilder, c	3	1	7	0	H.M're, c	3	0	2	0
T'pson, p	1	0	0	2	Bird, p	3	0	0	1
C'trell, p	1	0	0	3					
aDonovan	0	0	0	0					
bPhelps	1	1	0	0					
Totals	33	7	24	9	Totals	32	8	27	7

aRan for Kirke in 9th.
bBatted for Barnabee in 9th.

Shreveport	010 000 000—1
Fort Worth	001 030 00x—4

Summary: Runs, Kirke, E. Moore, Sears, Edington, Palmer; errors, Hoffman, Wendle; innings pitcher, Thompson 4 2-3, 4 runs, 8 hits; two-base hits, Palmer 2, Benton; struck out, by Thompson 4, by Cantrell 1, by Bird 2; bases on balls, off Thompson 2; sacrifices, Foss, Thompson; stolen base, Bonowitz. Time, 1:30. Umpires, Ervin and Hill.

American Refiners Run Over Texhoma Nine By 11-0 Score

BY MACK TURNER

Ronie Glidewell was right Sunday and with his mates taking advantage of an infield blowup by Texhoma in the seventh inning, captured the first game of the year for the American Refinery Eagles, 11 to 0. Glidewell allowed Texhoma but five scattered hits through the nine stanzas.

The hard hitting by Ping Martindale was the feature of the game. The Americans rocked along with a 3 to 0 lead until the seventh when they added eight more, and all three of these runs driven in by the willow of Ping Martindale.

In the first inning Martindale tripled with two men on the bases, and in the third inning he doubled with another man on the paths. On his third trip up he gave the ball a healthy drive and the left fielder Paul Enloe, had to go a far piece to capture the fly. His fourth time to face Frank Howell he was passed on four bad ones. Johnnie Beasley then capped his big day by whiffing him on his last trip up.

With Glidewell pitching shutout ball the fans were overlooking the fact that Frank Howell was pitching great baseball until the infield blew up behind him and some began to loaf It was then that the Americans ran wild and it was of very little fault of the pitchers. None of the eight runs were earned runs and the side should have been retired without a run being scored.

Doc and Speck Field.

Doc Allen of Texhoma and Speck Roberts of the Americans turned in the fielding features of the game. Robert's catch of Gerard Boone's line drive over second was a spectacular leaping stab and a cinch for a two ply killing.

The hitting of the game was divided among five of the Eagle batsmen, McMahon, Farquhar, Martindale, Windham and Francis each poling out two safe blows. Every man on the team except Christian and Medford hit safely and all but Francis scored runs.

The Americans broke off to a two-run lead in the first inning and cinched the game at the start. Roberts opened the attack with a walk. Johnnie McMahon whiffed for the first out. Farquhar also drew a pass to first base. Roberts then broke loose and pilifered third base. Ping Martindale came through after Christian had flew to left, and lined a long drive over Enloe's head. When the left fielder had ran the ball down, Martindale was resting on third and two men had crossed the plate.

One in Third.

A perfect peg from centerfield to the plate by Rabbit Gordon cut off another run in the scond inning, but in the third the Eagles shoved over a third counter.

Farquhar drove a single through the box. Christian fanned, but again Ping Martindale delivered with a long drive to left center for two bases. Farquhar scored with ease.

The game rocked along at 3 to 0 until the seventh when the fireworks were started. Ronie Glidewell opened the inning with a single to left. Roberts attempted to sacrifice but popped out to Taylor. McMahon hit to Allen and both men were safe on Allen's bobble. Farquhar hit to short and beat it out when the ball took a bad hop. Christian hit to Allen who threw wild to G. Boone and all hands were safe, Glidewell and McMahon scoring. Martindale walked again filling the bases. Medford hit to the pitcher who heaved wild at the plate and Dub Davis loaftde on the recovery of the ball and Farquhar and Christian scored. A moment later Medford was trapped flat-footed off first base and Martindale made a break for the plate. Gerard Boone then heaved high and wild to the plate and Ping scored with ease. Medford halted at second. Windham scored. Glidewell hit to Taylor, and Francis was forced at second by a toss to Boone. Roberts hit one to Allen and both men beat the throw to the mid station. McMahon smacked a single to left field that sent Glidewell over the pan. Allen then made a nice running catch of a pop foul by Farquhar, retiring the side.

Johnnie Beasley took up the hill work in the eighth inning and in the next two innings only six men faced him, and three of these struck out.

ROOKIE HURT

Watching for infield hits to come scooting across the diamond, Bob Tanner, Spudder rookie infielder, failed to see a line drive intended for the outfield, and as a result he will be suffering with a broken nose for several weeks. The accident occurred during the Spudder warm up Sunday afternoon preceding the game with Dallas.

Sutherland was fungo hitting to the outfield, but one of his drives was a liner and smashed Tanner square on the beak, flattening it out.

Americans	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Roberts, 2b	3	1	1	7	3	0
McMahon, cf.	5	1	2	4	0	0
Farquhar, rf	4	3	2	0	0	0
Christian, lf.	5	1	0	1	0	0
Martindale, c.	4	1	2	5	0	0
Medford, 1b.	5	1	0	9	0	0
Windham, ss.	5	1	2	0	2	0
Francis, 3b.	4	0	2	1	0	0
Glidewell, p.	5	2	1	0	4	0
Totals	40	11	12	27	9	0

Texhoma	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Gordon, cf.	4	0	1	1	1	0
G. Boone, 2b.	4	0	0	2	2	1
Davis, c.	4	0	1	7	0	0
Allen, ss.	4	0	0	2	5	2
Taylor, 3b.	4	0	0	3	2	0
Enloe, lf.	3	0	1	2	0	0
F. Boone, 1b.	3	0	0	10	0	0
Thurman, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Atkins, rf.	1	0	1	0	0	0
Howell, p.	2	0	1	0	2	0
Beasley, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	0	5	27	12	3

Americans.			
Runs—201	000	800—11	
Hits—122	001	600—12	
Texhoma.			
Runs—000	000	000—0	
Hits—101	001	110—5	

Three base hits, Martindale, Windham; Two base hit, Martindale; Hit by pitcher, Francis; Stolen bases, Roberts, Davis, Enloe; Runs batted in, Martindale 4, Francis 1, Medford 3, Christian 2, McMahon 1; Double plays, Allen to F. Boone, Roberts to Medford; Wild pitch, Howell; Struck out by Glidewell 5 (Allen, Enloe, Taylor, F. Boone, G. Boone) Howell 3 (McMahon, Christian 2) Beasley 3 (Martindale, Medford, Francis); Bases on balls off Howell 4 (Roberts 2, Farquhar, Martindale) Glidewell 1 (Thurman); Umpire, Cox.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Syracuse 4; Reading 2.
Rochester 16; Newark 14. (10 innings).
Toronto 2-8; Jersey City 3-2.
Buffalo 1-19; Baltimore 2-6.

Browns Take Slugfest

ST. LOUIS, April 25.—(AP)—The St. Louis Browns staged a slugfest here today against the Cleveland Indians, hammering a trio of Indian hurlers for 16 hits to win 11 to 5. Ken Williams, Browns' left fielder, led the attack with two circuit clouts. McManus, Zachary and Rice also hit home runs for the locals, while Speaker registered a four-bagger for the Indians. Score:

CLEVELAND.	A.	H.	PO.	A.	ST. LOUIS.	A.	H.	PO.	A.
J'ieson lf	4	0	1	1	Rice rf	4	2	4	0
S'geon 2b	4	3	1	1	La'ott ss	4	1	2	3
Speaker cf	4	1	0	0	Sisler 1b	5	2	11	1
G S'w'll ss	4	1	2	4	W'ams lf	5	3	1	0
Burns 1b	4	0	10	0	M'M'nus 2	5	1	3	5
Summa rf	4	1	4	1	J'bson cf	4	1	2	0
Lutzke 3b	4	2	1	4	Dixon c	4	1	3	1
L S'w'll c	3	1	5	0	Melillo 3b	4	2	1	3
Smith p	2	0	0	1	Z'hary p	3	3	0	3
Karr p	0	0	0	0					
Uhle a	1	0	0	0					
Speece p	0	0	0	2					
Paggett b	1	0	0	0					
Totals	34	9	24	14	Totals	37	16	27	16

aBatted for Karr in 7th.
bBatted for Speece in 9th.

Cleveland	004 010 000— 5
St. Louis	010 451 00x—11

Summary: Runs, Spurgeon, Speaker, Lutzke, L. Sewell, Smith, Rice, Williams 3, McManus, Jacobson 2, Dixon, Melillo, Zachary; errors, Lutzke, Lamotte, McManus; two-base hits, L. Sewell, Dixon, Jacobson, Summa, Spurgeon; home runs, Williams 2, Speaker, McManus, Zachary, Rice; base on balls, off Smith 1, off Karr 1, off Speece 1, off Zachary 3; struck out, by Karr 3, by Zachary 2; hits, off Smith 9 in 4 innings, off Karr 6 in 2; off Speece 1 in 2, losing pitcher, Karr.

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WHY BARNACLES?

MAYOR LOUIS BLAYLOCK of Dallas is 77. He has been a successful printer and publisher in Texas for almost 60 years, and he worked as a journeyman printer in the city of Austin more than 50 years ago. He has been mayor of Dallas for several years. He is a blunt old chap and never hesitates to talk out in meetings. Now his pruning knife is busy. He is making the budget, and in making the budget, he has declared that the Dallas city departments money request must fit the city revenue. He has made another demand—that the city commissioners scrape from the hull of the Dallas ship of government of all barnacles.

It appears that they have barnacles attached to the Dallas government. This is the ultimatum of the Dallas mayor who has made a success of his own business and seems to be determined to make a success of the city business. "The barnacles and drones in city employ must go. Those employes who are not earning their pay and who have been proven time killers, will be pared from the payroll. Every request for money from all departments will be examined closely by the mayor."

Now who will win, the mayor or city commissioners or heads of departments who are responsible for the barnacles and the drones who are not earning their pay and who have been proven time killers? Dallas needs a city manager. All American municapilities need city managers. A real city manager never keeps barnacles and drones on the public payroll. He never keeps servants on the payroll who refuses to earn their pay. He eliminates time killers.

Business is business, but the methods employed by successful business men in their own enterprises do not appeal to practical politicians who are office chasers or office holders and who insist that it is their prerogative to place their inefficient henchmen on the jobs.

Mayor Blaylock used his pruning knife to the extent of $500,000 last year. That is, he shaved down the city department request for appropriations when the request for appropriations for the budget was made. Now there are overdrafts to be met. There are deficits in certain departments to be faced. Again, who will win? The business mayor or the practical politicians?

AWRY

Some permanent waves look as if they had a lot of static mixed in with them.

IT MIGHT HELP

Why not make Mussolini general manager of the league of nations?

ENFORCING THE PRO LAW

MRS. MABEL WILLEBRAND is an assistant attorney general of the United States in charge of liquor law violation. She is a most pronounced dry and insists that year by year the dry cause is gaining, and she proves it by the figures on convictions in the federal court. This is the record submitted by this brilliant prosecutor from far away California:

1922—20,000 convictions and $4,000,000 in fines.

1923—34,000 convictions and $5,800,000 in fines.

1924—37,000 convictions and $7,487,000 in fines.

1925—38,000 convictions and $7,681,000 in fines.

Jail sentences in 1923 averaged 21 days. In 1924 the average was 34 days, and in 1925—43 days.

All this reminds the writer that in the city of New York alone last year, there were 80,000 cases of liquor law violation laid before the police commissioner of the metropolis, and District Attorney Emory C. Buckner is on record as having said that it would require $1,000,000 and an army of new federal judges to bring about anything like a drastic enforcement of the laws in the state of New York alone. Mrs. Mabel Willebrand is of the opinion that in a few short years the backbone of the liquor traffic will be broken and violations of the law, like the visit of angels, will be few and far between. She has faith as well as conviction.

DEMAND FOR GASOLINE

GASOLINE consumption in 33 states increased 20 percent in January and February of this year. This is another hint to the wildcatter to get busy, as the prophets are predicting that the consumption this year will be the greatest in history or since the first motor vehicle, gas driven, was introduced to the public.

SHE ALWAYS HAS ONE

China has evidently secured a book of blank war permits from the league of nations.

A PROMISING RECRUIT

Now wood alcohol has joined the back to nature movement.

THE PAGEANT OF NATURE

IT IS customary to decry the age as material and ungodly. The age-old beliefs are being questioned and discarded. Men and Women yearn for more than the material things of life and care less for spiritual values.

And with all the modern contrivances to keep us from boredom we are not happy.

Few are they who know the accumulation of things—no matter how good in themselves—brings no lasting joy. That it is the things that may be had without money and without price that truly give us joy.

Emerson said: "Give me health and a day and I will make the pomp of emperors ridiculous."

And at this season of the year—with the "sap rising from the earth through a million tubes, the alchemic power of light entering the solid oak, and see! it bursts forth in countless leaves," surely we must be impressed with the thought that the best of this earth we can all, rich and poor, share alike—the "pageant of nature."

This pageant is not new like the automobile, the radio, the airplane, "The sun rises on the green grasses and green hedges,' says Richard Jefferies in his, "The Pageant of Summer." There is the same blue sky, but did we ever have enough of them? No, not in a hundred years. There seems always to be a depth somewhere, unexplored, a thicket that has not been seen through, a corner full of ferns, a quaint old hollow tree, which may give us something."

"When I look in the mirror," he continues, "I see that every line in my face means pessimism; but in spite of my face—that is my experience—I remain an optimist. Time with an unsteady hand has eched thin crooked lines, and, deepening the hollows, has cast the original expression into shadow. Pain and sorrow flow over us with little ceasing, as the seahoofs beat on the beach. Let us not look at ourselves but onwards, and take strength from the leaf and the signs of the field. He is indeed despicable who cannot look onwards to the ideal life of man. Not to do so is to deny our birthright of mind.

"The hours when the mind is absorbed by beauty are only hours when we really live—These are the only hours that are not wasted—these hours that absorb the soul and fill it with beauty. This is a real life, and all else is illusion, or more endurance."

Such hours give us strength and courage—make our worry and fears, envies, petty strivings—seem very small and insignificant.

"To be beautiful and to be calm, without mental fear, is the ideal of nature. If I cannot achieve it, at least I can think it," Jefferies avers.

SAFETY TEST

A modern drinker should beware of the stuff he buys if he finds it is eating its way out of the flask.

DIVIDED USE

This country's paint bill is $1,000,000 a year. But some of the paint is for houses.

MARRIED WOMEN TEACHERS

IT IS absolutely nobodys business whether a teacher is married or single, according to Dr. R. L. Marquis, president of the North Texas Teacher's college, in a recent address.

He said it is an injustice and causes a great loss to any city "in eliminating a certain considerable percentage of women who are probably the best teachers in the city." It appears there is discrimination against those women school teachers in Fort Worth who happen to be married by the school board of that city.

Dr. Marquis declared teaching should not be taken up as a temporary occupation. Furthermore, he said, in speaking of teachers, the profession occupies perhaps more women than any other at the present and there are six women teachers for every male teacher in the United States.

He grilled the members of the Fort Worth school board and his grilling won the applause of his audience. Now it is up to members of Fort Worth board of education to rescind their order and retreat to the tall timber country. They stirred up a hornet's nest when they barred from teaching in the public schools of the city married women.

OMINOUS

We should not be surprised to hear of a revolt against British rule north of the Tweed. The rubber monopoly has made it necessary to spend even more time hunting for lost golf balls.

PROBABILITIES

People who predict that 1927 will be wet are not set down as mere cranks any more.

NOTHING TO FEAR

In England American apples are regarded as dangerous. But it wasn't the American variety that made all that trouble for Adam.

High Spots in the Life of Little Stanley, the Great Explorer



DOROTHY DIX

Questions From the World of Love Answered by a Noted Authority

Cheer up, you parents who complain you have nothing to give your children—you can give them love and a brave heart; can teach them the joys of reading and the thrill of seeing things—these are worth more than a fortune.

The bitterest cry of poor people is that they have nothing to give their children.

The fathers and mothers who cannot buy imported finery for their girls or sports-model cars for their boys and send them off to expensive colleges and fill their pockets with money feel that they come empty handed to their children and have nothing to give them.

Yet the poorest man and woman who bend above a cradle have it in their power to bestow upon their babe treasures so great that their worth cannot be computed in dollars and cents, and that will bring the child more pleasure and happiness in life than they could purchase with all the wealth of the Rothschilds.

For there is no price tag on the most precious things in the world. They are equally free to prince and pauper, and more often the beggar gets them than the millionaire does.

For example, there is love, a close, intimate, personal association, and tenderness, and understanding. Poor parents can more easily give to their children than the wealthy can. And the child that has them is rich beyond the dreams of avarice, and the child that has them not is poverty stricken although it has all else besides.

The mother who rocks her babe to sleep on her breast; whose tender arms are always outstretched to gather her youngsters to her heart; who is never too tired or too busy to listen to childish confidences; who surrounds her little ones with a brooding atmosphere of affection, gives to her children far more than does the rich mother who gives her children nurses and governesses and pony carts and fine clothes and costly playthings, but who does not give them her self; who bestows on them everything but the things that a child wants most and needs most—mother love and tenderness; the real mother touch.

Not long ago a very rich man figured in a disgraceful scandal and the one excuse offered in his defense was that his mother was dead and his father had never given him anything except money. He had never had any affection bestowed upon him. He had had no parental guidance. When a little lad he had been put in a school and kept there without even being visited by any one who loved him, without even going home for vacations. He had been just a pitiful little millionaire waife for whom nobody cared.

The lot of such a child is infinitely worse than that of the one whose parents are in such humble circumstances that they can give it perhaps only the plainest of food and clothes, but who give it a real home that is full of close, warm, family life.

The fathers and mothers to whom children are grateful and whose memories they revere are not those who bequeath them great fortunes, but those who leave them the memory of a love and understanding that never failed, and of a childhood that was made sweet by their parents cherishing.

No matter how poor you are, you can give your children love and companionship and the privilege of growing up in a peaceful and cheerful home, and that is something that few rich parents can give their children.

LAME DUCKS

BY JOSEPHINE DASKAM BACON

It was in April, a late spring, with only the tinies: little buds on the horsechestnuts, and an edge in the air, once you were out of the elusive Paris sunlight. But it was also the Parc Monceau, which cannot help being charming in any month of any year in the calendar.

On a park chair, strategically planted in a square of sunlight just at the edge of a bubbling whirlpool of children, there sat a woman, alone and very quiet. She was so motionless, indeed, that the pigeons walked carelessly about her skirts, searching for crumbs and the tiny French people paid no attention whatever to her, but spooned up the gravel at her feet and bounced their aimless balls over her shoulder. It would have been difficult to give her an definite age, for although clothes do not make a woman, really, they modify her to a great extent, and only an out-and-out beauty could have emerged triumphant from the shapeless and untidy garments of this woman

An interesting, but not an attractive girl. Allowing for possible ill health, or trouble, you would put her somewhere on the treacherous slope of the early thirties; and only great beauty, perfect physical soundness, unusual intelligence or profound care of the person can soften this rapid decent into a smooth, indefinite plateau. This girl was obviously not interested in such processes.

A rubber ball rolled suddenly under her skirt, and its owner, alarmed, raised a shrill cry of, "Miss! Miss!" A severe English governess answered instantly. "Well, then, Gabrielle, ask the lady to allow you to fetch it out. And in English, mind—she is English.' "May I fetch my ball, if you please? I am sorry," pronounced the mite in faultless English, adding, "I thank you very much—merci infiniment. maidness," as the girl, with an absent-minded French phrase, reached down and handed back the toy.

"But all the same, she's not English," muttered the man whose chair rested in the farthest corner of the patch of sun, peering through the heavy black glasses that almost masked his face. "She's dressed like one, the Lord knows, but she's an American, left-handed, too, like me I'll bet she returns a nasty back-hand ball with that big paw of hers! Sport-fiend, probably. But she's certainly no beauty."

The children near his chair, who had grown used to the occasional soliloquise of the tall, pale American in the black goggles, smiled at one another and jostled his chair carelessly. They were quite accustomed to him, and he had sat there often, in the morning, new, for hours

As the girl in the wrinkled sport-suit rose abruptly from her chair and dropped her leather handbag, he moved instentively to pick it from the ground. It was a worn bag, bulging uncomfortably, with a loosened catch, and as he seized it awkwardly, it fell apart, and a mass of letters, newspaper clippings and unassorted odds and ends fell from it and fluttered about. They collected the debris swiftly and in silence; neither was sufficiently embarrassed or, it seemed, sufficiently interested to speak. Suddenly he pulled out from under his chair a picture postcard and glanced at it unconsciously while holding it out to her.

It was a sufficiently harmless picture, even banal and represented four men and a woman, packed flat like sardines in a box on a huge bobsled, careening down a glistening mountain slope of snow and ice. "Happiness at St. Moritz!" was its legend, and a second inscription, "Society at its favorite winter spot," was printed below the written message. But harmless and banal as it was it had a curious effect on the man, for with a kind of snorting sob, he threw it violently from him, as if it had been a poisonous snake, and glared through his disfiguring black glasses at the girl, who stared back at him surprised and confused.

"I'm awfully sorry," he apologized abruptly, capturing the postcard in three long, easy strides and advancing toward her, a brick-red flush on his thin cheeks. "I don't mean to be such an idiot. But unfortunately the darned thing got on my nerves—it was just a bit too much Here it is."

"A bit too much?" she repeated vaguely. "Thank you: I'm afraid I——"

"Well it happens that 'Happiness at St. Moritz' is a pretty ironic remark, from my point of view, that's all. And it sort of came over me. I didn't mean to frighten you."

"You didn't frighten me at all," she answered composedly. "You don't care for St. Moritz, then ?"

"I owe these to it," he said dryly, tapping the black goggles with his long nervous hand. "I went nearly blind there."

"Oh," she murmured, in her vague, indifferent voice, not looking at him, "really" snow-glare, I suppose you mean. But that passes, doesn't it?"

Her very calmness had a greater effect on his confidence than any easy sympathy. He would have shrunk from that, but her lack of it seemed to spur him.

"Unfortunately, in my case, it won't," he said briefly "The optic nerve, they tell me, has been injured. I had strained my eyes pretty badly, etching, and this settled it."

"Oh, you're an artist, then?"

"I was," he said, and clenched his hands. "That's hard," she murmured a little more gently, "that's very hard. I don't blame you for hating the card. I—I loathe St. Morits, myself."

"Oh, you've been there "

"I was there six weeks," she said, staring ahead of her with that empty, absent stare, "six weeks—Oh, God, why did I go?"

The sudden, uncontrolled passion of her voice was startling: it was as if a jagged, blood-red streak shot across a stretch of gray.

Now it was his turn to stare a little doubtfully for after all, a woman whom you never seen before in your life, an unattractive, lone woman—She bit her lips together and flushed deeply.

"Oh, I'm not a lunatic," she said, "though you might think so! But you're not the only one that St. Moritz did for—look at that!"

She held out her two wrists side by side, turned downward, and he saw that the right one was slightly enlarged(and swollen out of line—not slim and flexible, like the other.

"You broke it?" he asked, wondering a little, and she nodded.

"But—really, it hardly shows," he began, not knowing what he was expected to say "No one could be likely to notice it——"

"The audience would be likely to notice it, I assure you," she said roughly. "If I ever attempted to play with it again."

"O-o-oh," he whistled slowly. "So that's it; You—you're a musician Violin?"

"Piano," she answered brusquely. "I had just made my debut—I was going back home."

"That's pretty tough," he said, gently. "pretty darn tough. But can't anything be done? Won't it knit?"

"That's the trouble," she answered. "It has knit. It was set wrong. Eight weeks ago. It's no good—I've been to everybody, and it's no good."

"But who set it? Was it on one of those damnable bobsleds?"

"Yes," she said, and sat suddenly on her chair. He drew his own beside it

"Mayer had my contract all signed for the States," she began. "I felt pretty good so I took a little Swiss vacation with a good friend of mine, a girl. Well I went on one bobsled ride too many. We spilled and I fell with my wrist against the steering wheel, and I know something had hapened to it. It hurt, of course, but not so frightfully. They all told me to let the hotel doctor fix it up for the moment, till I could get to London or Paris, and so I did. He said it was very simple, and I'd better let it alone, when he was through. It healed in five days, and I had it X-rayed in Lausanne, and they said it would be all right, and to keep it in the cast. So I did. I hadn't any pain, and it seemed to grow stronger all the time. I stayed a month

(Continued Tomorrow.)

Lyrics of Life

By Douglas Malloch

MAYBE YOU'D LIKE

Maybe you'd like to wear a waist
When all the others kids had vests,
Maybe you'd like to cut and paste
When other kids could hunt for nests
And fish and camp and swim, by jing,
And—well, could just do ev'rything.

Maybe you'd like to always wear
Your shoes and stockings all the time,
Mabe you'd like to comb your hair
And save your clothes and never climb.
Maybe you'd like to never do
A single thing the whole day through.

Maybe you'd like to tell a pup
To keep away, because they shed,
Maybe you'd like to all dress up
And always do what someone said.
Maybe you'd like to wear a tie
And tell the truth, I hope to die.

Maybe I ought to act the way,
The way you want, the way I should,
To please my father, as you say,
Because my father is so good.
But I am coming right out flat
And ask him, though—was he like that?

Tomorrow:—
THE THING TO THINK ABOUT

WILLIE WILLIS



"That show man that told what kind of a boy you was by the bumps on your head got mixed up on me account of that rock Skinny threw."

What Do You Know About It?

Daily Science Six

1. What are the primary colors?
2. What are the colors of the spectrum?
3. What are the colors of the sides' sunlight exist in nature?
4. What are the colors of the aurora borealis?
5. What lends the green color to plants?
6. What makes the "Red Sea" red?

Answers to these questions in tomorrow's Record News.

Breaking Up Colors.

We often hear astronomers assert confidently that this or that gas is found in the sun, and we wonder how they can know this when the sun is billions of miles away. Quite an exact knowledge of some of the sun's elements has been obtained however by the use of the spectroscope, the marvelous color machine which breaks up the compound colors, thrown off by any substance when it is alight, into a band of colors such as one sees from prism. It has been found that each chemical has its individual spectorscopic color pattern, some of the colors being broad bands, others narrow. To the practiced eye of a spectroscopist a narrow band of vermilion means sodium, and so each chemical element may be recognized. If a bit of iron or copper be held in the flame of Bunsen Burner it will glow incandescently and throw off a characteristic spectrum which enables us to recognize the same spectrum when observed in the sun's light, and thus we know those elements are present in the sun.

Now what do you know about that?

Answers to Saturday's Questions:

1. Marble is found chiefly in Tennessee and Vermont.
2. Glass is a form of aluminum silicate, that is a preparation of quarts sand.
3. Limestone makes up the caves of Laurey and the Mammoth Cave.
4. Feldspar rock is used as a source of the valuable fertiliser, potash.
5. Carrara is a fine translucent Italian marble.
6. A lithograph is a picture made by cutting the original plate in a very fine-grained stone found chiefly in central Germany.

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WHAT TODAY MEANS TO YOU

BY MARY BLAKE TAURIS

Today's planentary aspects are not encouraging, altho' they cannot be be diagnosed as distinctly adverse. It would not be expedient to attempt to initiate any fresh enterprise, or to effect any radical changes. A conscientious discharge of ordinary daily duties and customary obligations will lead to the best results for the day. In the evening, and after usual working hours, there will be noticeable a marked improvement in conditions and there will be sensed a strong feeling of optimism and good cheer. This can be used to advantage in social or family amenities. Today cannot be considered a very propitious opportunity for travel nor should any financial commitments be made.

Children born today will, according to sex, vary in physical conditions. Where a boy promises to be lusty and strong in infancy, a girl will be weak and ailing. Most of the girl's difficulties can be overcome by careful nutrition and an abundance of fresh air. She will not, at any time, however, enjoy the same exuberant health as the boy. In character and disposition, they will both be very similar. They will be initiative to an exceptional degree; quick to learn, but not anxious to do so. They will possess retentive memories and if their reading be directed along the right channels, this will make up, in some measure, for their indifference to specialised studies.

If today is your birthday, you are mentally well equipped and possess many strong characteristics. Your forcefulness is not altogether a blessing, as you are just as aggressive when you are in the wrong, as when you are in the right. You are very impatient of criticism and are not disposed, at any time, to heed the advice or counsel of others. You want, and generally get, your own way in everything. If you possessed clearer vision and keener judgment, this would be of great advantage to you. As it is, you frequently have cause to regret your actions and often give others the opportunities of saying "I told you so."

Your friends are few, as not many are willing to stand for your domineering mannerisms. Those friends that you have, however, are loyal and sincere.

Successful people born this date are:

Benjamin F. Tracy, lawyer.
Charles F. Browne, ("Artemus Ward") humorist.
James P. Kimball, geologist.
Erminnie A. Smith, scientist.
Harvey Fisk, financier.
Henry Morgantheau, ambassador to Turkey.

The Fun Shop

By Maxon Foxhall Judell

Our Crime Prevention Hint.

Too many bandits! Too many gunmen!
Not enough humor! Not enough fun, men!
Can't make folks better by law, it is true,
But the more jokes they crack the less shooting they'll do!

Not So Bad.

Traveling Man: "Those doughnuts you served for breakfast were positively the oldest and stalest I ever tried!"
Country Hotel Keeper: "They're not very old yet. After they're three months old we use them for napkin rings."

JINGLE SNAPS.

Will somebody kindly tell me
Just what is the reason why
Maidens in a constant never fly; flutter.

—Alonzo L. Rice.

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"Use your needle!" my boss shouted,
And it made my spirits droop;
Tell me, folks, where shall I use it?
In the soup?

—Martin Lehman.

* * *

In my youth I used to wonder,
(Though of late years I have ceased)
If, when people raise the dickens,
They use yeast!

—Albert Macey.

* * *

Long ago I gave up trying!
Will you please explain, dear folks,
Why a woman always dyeing
Never crooks?

—Esther Hagadorn.

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Why do some folks pass for artists
When the best thing they can draw
Is a glass of ice cream soda
Through a straw?

—Mildred Hamm.

The Boomerang.

Glenn: "Woman you think up the most original alibis in the world for spending money!"
Mrs. Glenn: "Not at all my dear. I've just been reading some old letters you wrote your father while in college."

—J. Sutton Steffan.

Children often cause trouble by telling what they know; older people cause more trouble by telling what they don't know.

IN DARKTOWN.

By Martha MacDonald.

Professor Dunhill walked down the street towards home, hesitated several times and went on again Things looked queer to him. He surely couldn't be lost—he had traveled this street a hundred times—and yet—

He passed a crowd of negroes, then met several more. A little negro child raced across the pavement after a little black dog. Three colored men flashed by in motor cars—on every hand were negroes. This COULDN'T be the street on which he lived! Still, the landmarks were familiar. It was puzzling, and he walked on in a daze.

"Hello, Professor," a voice hailed him.

He turned and saw a well-dressed negro, who was waving at him in a careless, friendly way.

"You have the advantage of me," said Dunhill, stiffly. "Your face seems vaguely familiar, but I'm sure I don't know you. Good afternoon!"

He walked on, and at last, with a sigh of relief, saw his home in the next block. Hurrying a little, for he was still strangely uneasy, he opened the door and let himself in. To his horror, a woman rushed forward to meet him—a negro woman!!

"My husband" she cried, and kissed him. "What ails you, dear? Why—why—what's the matter?"

"Go way! Go way!" quavered the professor, who was trying to wrench himself away. His trembling hands went to his face—to his eyes Then understanding dawned on him.

"Well, I'll be jiggered," he said in astonishment I had them on!"

IN KLASS AT KRAZY KOLLEGE

(Conducted By M. F. J.)

Teacher: "Rosie, stop wiggling so much and give us something not too unrefined with 'infancy.'"

Rosie Lippe:

"Pretty flapper passed by Abie;
Abie said, "Hello there, baby;'
Flapper socked him; then said soe,
'Listen, I'm no infancy!'"

KRAZY KINDERGARTEN.

(Conducted By Gertrude Jr.)

Teetcher: "Sixa deer, how's little Cristopher—and throw in a dash of 'coffee' please,'

Sixa Klock:

"My little brother's feeling mutch, mutch better,
He's got the croop—not measles like we feered
His leg is only broke in jest 2 places,
And the coffee had has almost disappeered."

—Alma Oesterreich.

Co-operative Gin Planned at Rayland

VERNON, April 25.—Plans were perfected for the construction of a co-operative gin at Rayland at a cost of $35,000, and permanent officers for the Farmers Co-operative society of Rayland were elected at a meeting Friday of 100 farmers.

The co-operative society was formally organized with 85 charter members. H. D. Lawson was elected president and J. T. Kay secretary. A board of 20 directors was elected.

Definite steps were taken toward the construction of the gin, and a committee was named to go to Dallas next week and purchase the machinery. The gin is expected to be completed within 90 days. It will be located just across the street from the other Rayland gin.

More Truth Than Poetry

DANGEROUS

Time was, when a gallant of France
Could be plunged in a murderous pet
By a taunt or an arrogant glance
From a person who moved in his set.
And nothing whatever would serve to efface
The hurt of an insult so cruel—
But for both to adjourn to some nice quiet place
And settle the row with a duel.

They would thrust with their steel for a while,
Taking care not to shed any gore—
And then with a generous smile
They would kiss and be brothers once more.
And the man who had given the arrogant glare
And the man it had mortally nettled,
As they sipped their divine eau de vie, would declare
That all question of honor was settled.

But now when a meeting takes place,
The person insulted insists
On punching the other chap's face
In the old fashioned style, with his fists.
They rope off a ring and appoint referees,
The timekeeper fishes his clock out—
And honor is never put quite at her ease
Till one party has landed a knockout.

Today were I hurried through France
By Raymond and Whitcomb and Cook,
I never would take a chance
Of giving a man a mean look.
There wasn't much harm in the old fashioned way
The natives conducted a duel,
But the system of fence that's prevailing today
Is apt to be bloody and cruel!

VERNON SCHOOL CENSUS GAINS

Increase of 600 Noted In Compilation Just Made

VERNON, April 25.—Wilbarger county's scholastic census recently compiled shows an increase of approximately 600 scholastics over last year's figures, according to a report issued Wednesday by County Superintendent L. A. Hollar. The scholastics this year totaled 5905, as compared with 5,332 reported in the county at this time last year. However, the duplicates have not been stricken from this year's totals, and about 50 duplicates are expected, according to school officials.

All independent districts in the county showed a substantial increase in scholastics. Oklaunion reports 320 this year as compared with 186 reported last year. Odell reports 211 this year, while 189 scholastics were reported last year. Harrold reports 198 this year as compared with 192 reported last year. Vernon reports 1,996 this year, as compared with 1,769 reported last year.

Detailed scholastic reports for the rural schools follow: West Vernon, 282; Bourland, 176; Kincheloe, 108; Jackson Springs, 90; Doans, 107; Hinds, 129; Cuyer, 72; Mack, 25; Lockett, 181; Antelope, 132; Haney, 112; Fargo, 191; Crescent Cove, 55; Wildcat, 63; Paradise, 48; Midway, 71; Ronda, 8; Sherwood, 47; Tolbert, 151; Plainview, 46; Thompson, 64; Elliott, 117; East Vernon, 102; Parsley, 50; Guggisberg, 47; Elreno, 70; Grapevine, 9; Haulk Hill, 105; Red Valley, 64; Wells Valley, 137; Baker, 315.

Club Estates Go apidly as Many Make Purchases

Sales in the Country Club Estates, new sub-division being developed south of the city by the Hamilton-Martin Investment company, were especially active during the past week, according to reports made by Walter S. Curlee, general sales agent for the territory.

The following sales were reported during the week: W. L. Robertson, lot 11, block 3; Roscoe Davis, lot 2, block 4; J. J. Perkins, lot 5, block 6; L. H. Cullum, lot 4, block 6; W. P. Ferguson, lot 1, block 9; J. M. Baldridge, lot 2, block 15; A. W. Burnside, lot 5, block 21; C. H. Watkins, lot 6, block 24; R. Vaughn Ray, lot 1, block 26; Frank W. Jones, lot 8, block 4.

Architectural plans are now being drawn and erection of homes will start immediately on the sites acquired by the above men, Mr. Curlee stated. Over 40 lots have been disposed of during the 20-day period of the pre-development sale and prospects are that an equal number will be disposed of within the next 15 days.

DRUG STORE CHANGES HANDS

GRAHAM, April 25.—The Corner Drug Store, one of the leading drug stores of Graham has changed hands. C. L. Wood of Amarillo has bought the interest of L. M. Davis in this business and the business is now being conducted under the name of the C. L. Wood Drug Co.

JUST HUMANS — By GENE CARR — ©McClure Newspaper Syndicate



"Wot's on Y'mind, Mel?"
"Oh, Just Spring!"

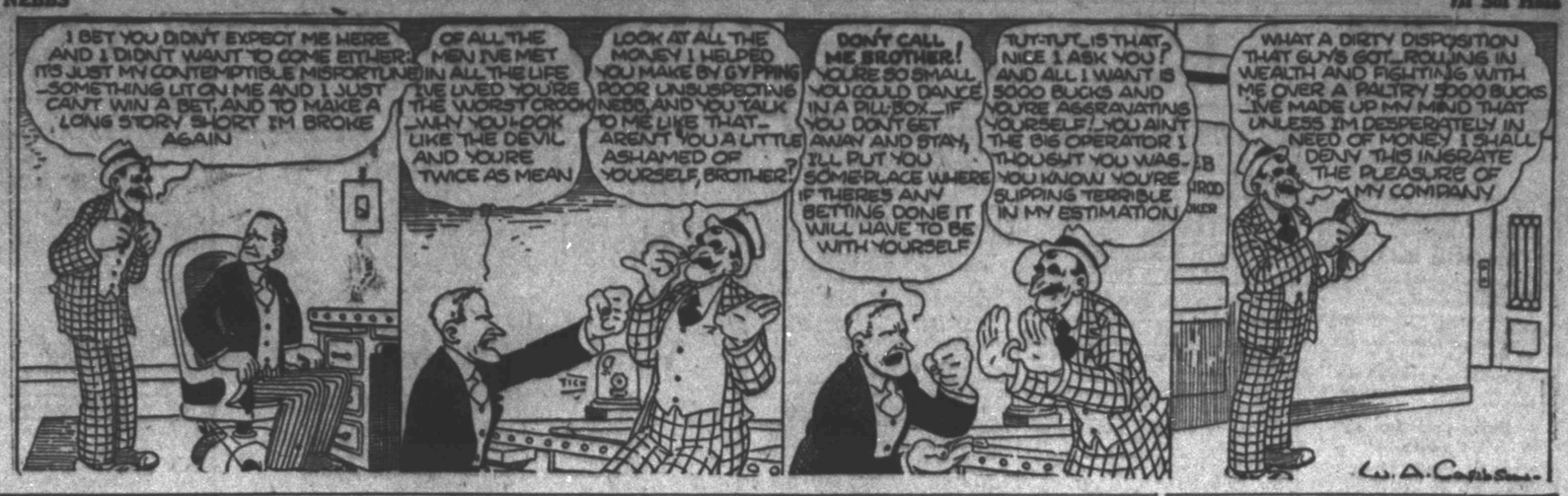
GIRLIGAGS



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"When the gossip next door begins to knit her brows," says observing Ollyie, "it's a sure sign she's going to unwind her yarn."

THE NEBBS — By Sol Hess



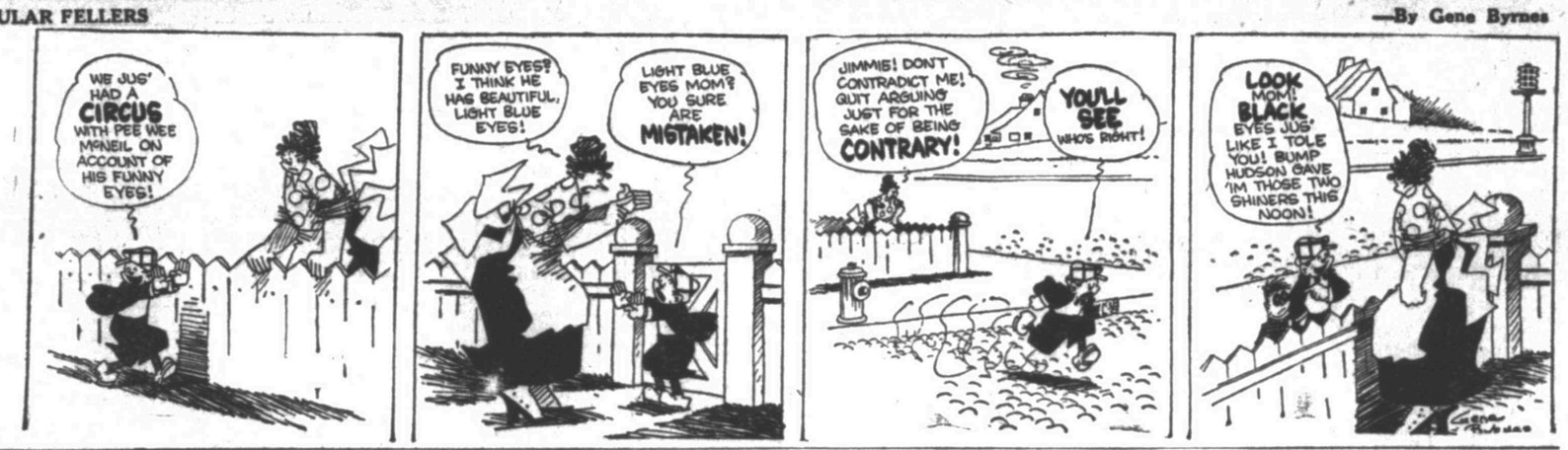
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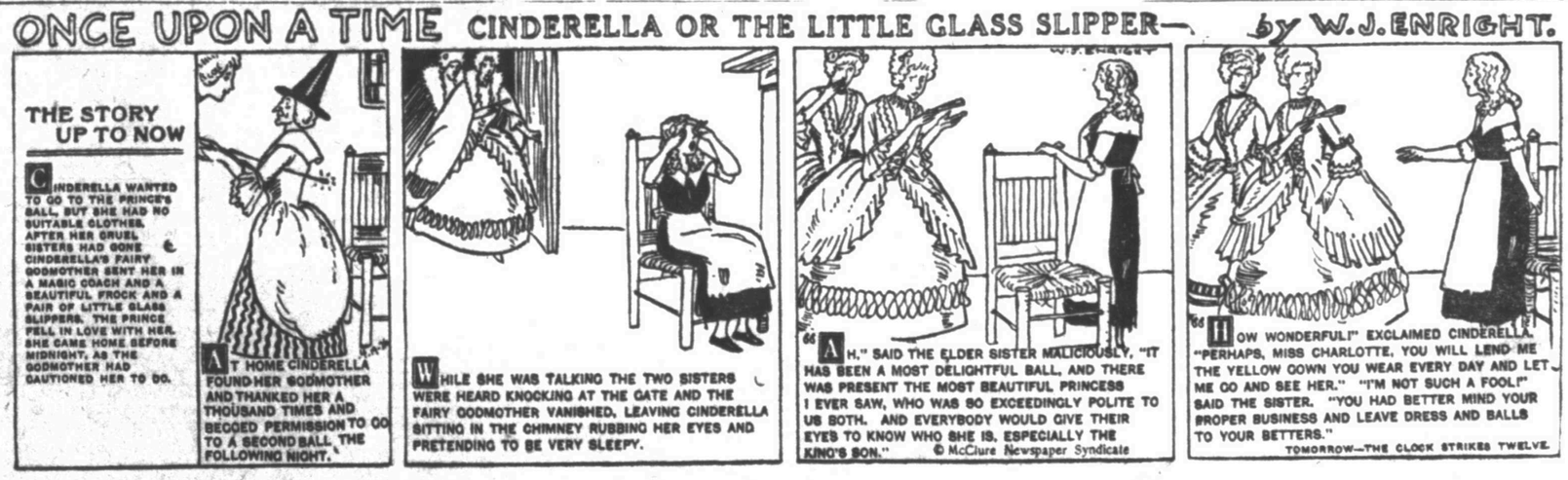
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WHY BARNACLES?

MAYOR LOUIS BLAYLOCK of Dallas is 77. He has been a successful printer and publisher in Texas for almost 60 years, and he worked as a journeyman printer in the city of Austin more than 50 years ago. He has been mayor of Dallas for several years. He is a blunt old chap and never hesitates to talk out in meetings. Now his pruning knife is busy. He is making the budget, and in making the budget, he has declared that the Dallas city departments money request must fit the city revenue. He has made another demand—that the city commissioners scrape from the hull of the Dallas ship of government of all barnacles.

It appears that they have barnacles attached to the Dallas government. This is the ultimatum of the Dallas mayor who has made a success of his own business and seems to be determined to make a success of the city business. "The barnacles and drones in city employ must go. Those employes who are not earning their pay and who have been proven time killers, will be pared from the payroll. Every request for money from all departments will be examined closely by the mayor."

Now who will win, the mayor or city commissioners or heads of departments who are responsible for the barnacles and the drones who are not earning their pay and who have been proven time killers? Dallas needs a city manager. All American municapilities need city managers. A real city manager never keeps barnacles and drones on the public payroll. He never keeps servants on the payroll who refuses to earn their pay. He eliminates time killers.

Business is business, but the methods employed by successful business men in their own enterprises do not appeal to practical politicians who are office chasers or office holders and who insist that it is their prerogative to place their inefficient henchmen on the jobs.

Mayor Blaylock used his pruning knife to the extent of $500,000 last year. That is, he shaved down the city department request for appropriations when the request for appropriations for the budget was made. Now there are overdrafts to be met. There are deficits in certain departments to be faced. Again, who will win? The business mayor or the practical politicians?

AWRY

Some permanent waves look as if they had a lot of static mixed in with them.

IT MIGHT HELP

Why not make Mussolini general manager of the league of nations?

ENFORCING THE PRO LAW

MRS. MABEL WILLEBRAND is an assistant attorney general of the United States in charge of liquor law violation. She is a most pronounced dry and insists that year by year the dry cause is gaining, and she proves it by the figures on convictions in the federal court. This is the record submitted by this brilliant prosecutor from far away California:

1922—20,000 convictions and $4,000,000 in fines.

1923—34,000 convictions and $5,800,000 in fines.

1924—37,000 convictions and $7,487,000 in fines.

1925—38,000 convictions and $7,681,000 in fines.

Jail sentences in 1923 averaged 21 days. In 1924 the average was 34 days, and in 1925—43 days.

All this reminds the writer that in the city of New York alone last year, there were 80,000 cases of liquor law violation laid before the police commissioner of the metropolis, and District Attorney Emory C. Buckner is on record as having said that it would require $1,000,000 and an army of new federal judges to bring about anything like a drastic enforcement of the laws in the state of New York alone. Mrs. Mabel Willebrand is of the opinion that in a few short years the backbone of the liquor traffic will be broken and violations of the law, like the visit of angels, will be few and far between. She has faith as well as conviction.

DEMAND FOR GASOLINE

GASOLINE consumption in 33 states increased 20 percent in January and February of this year. This is another hint to the wildcatter to get busy, as the prophets are predicting that the consumption this year will be the greatest in history or since the first motor vehicle, gas driven, was introduced to the public.

SHE ALWAYS HAS ONE

China has evidently secured a book of blank war permits from the league of nations.

A PROMISING RECRUIT

Now wood alcohol has joined the back to nature movement.

THE PAGEANT OF NATURE

IT IS customary to decry the age as material and ungodly. The age-old beliefs are being questioned and discarded. Men and Women yearn for more than the material things of life and care less for spiritual values.

And with all the modern contrivances to keep us from boredom we are not happy.

Few are they who know the accumulation of things—no matter how good in themselves—brings no lasting joy. That it is the things that may be had without money and without price that truly give us joy.

Emerson said: "Give me health and a day and I will make the pomp of emperors ridiculous."

And at this season of the year—with the "sap rising from the earth through a million tubes, the alchemic power of light entering the solid oak, and see! it bursts forth in countless leaves," surely we must be impressed with the thought that the best of this earth we can all, rich and poor, share alike—the "pageant of nature."

This pageant is not new like the automobile, the radio, the airplane, "The sun rises on the green grasses and green hedges,' says Richard Jefferies in his, "The Pageant of Summer." There is the same blue sky, but did we ever have enough of them? No, not in a hundred years. There seems always to be a depth somewhere, unexplored, a thicket that has not been seen through, a corner full of ferns, a quaint old hollow tree, which may give us something."

"When I look in the mirror," he continues, "I see that every line in my face means pessimism; but in spite of my face—that is my experience—I remain an optimist. Time with an unsteady hand has eched thin crooked lines, and, deepening the hollows, has cast the original expression into shadow. Pain and sorrow flow over us with little ceasing, as the seahoofs beat on the beach. Let us not look at ourselves but onwards, and take strength from the leaf and the signs of the field. He is indeed despicable who cannot look onwards to the ideal life of man. Not to do so is to deny our birthright of mind.

"The hours when the mind is absorbed by beauty are only hours when we really live—These are the only hours that are not wasted—these hours that absorb the soul and fill it with beauty. This is a real life, and all else is illusion, or more endurance."

Such hours give us strength and courage—make our worry and fears, envies, petty strivings—seem very small and insignificant.

"To be beautiful and to be calm, without mental fear, is the ideal of nature. If I cannot achieve it, at least I can think it," Jefferies avers.

SAFETY TEST

A modern drinker should beware of the stuff he buys if he finds it is eating its way out of the flask.

DIVIDED USE

This country's paint bill is $1,000,000 a year. But some of the paint is for houses.

MARRIED WOMEN TEACHERS

IT IS absolutely nobodys business whether a teacher is married or single, according to Dr. R. L. Marquis, president of the North Texas Teacher's college, in a recent address.

He said it is an injustice and causes a great loss to any city "in eliminating a certain considerable percentage of women who are probably the best teachers in the city." It appears there is discrimination against those women school teachers in Fort Worth who happen to be married by the school board of that city.

Dr. Marquis declared teaching should not be taken up as a temporary occupation. Furthermore, he said, in speaking of teachers, the profession occupies perhaps more women than any other at the present and there are six women teachers for every male teacher in the United States.

He grilled the members of the Fort Worth school board and his grilling won the applause of his audience. Now it is up to members of Fort Worth board of education to rescind their order and retreat to the tall timber country. They stirred up a hornet's nest when they barred from teaching in the public schools of the city married women.

OMINOUS

We should not be surprised to hear of a revolt against British rule north of the Tweed. The rubber monopoly has made it necessary to spend even more time hunting for lost golf balls.

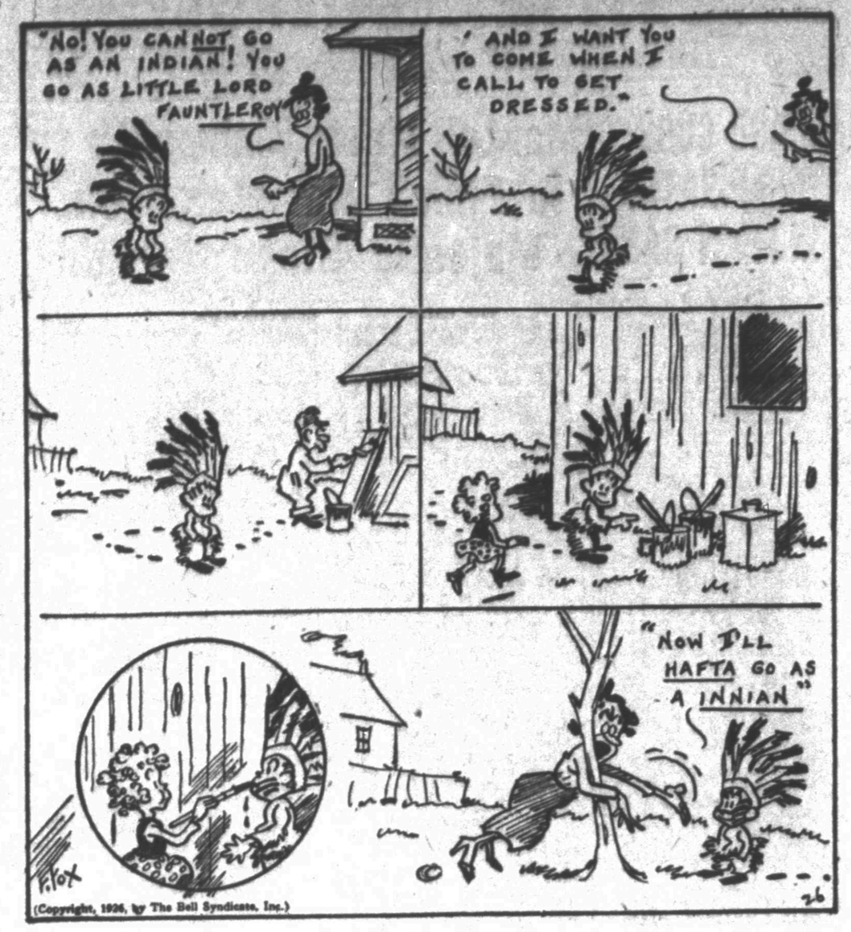
PROBABILITIES

People who predict that 1927 will be wet are not set down as mere cranks any more.

NOTHING TO FEAR

In England American apples are regarded as dangerous. But it wasn't the American variety that made all that trouble for Adam.

High Spots in the Life of Little Stanley, the Great Explorer



DOROTHY DIX

Questions From the World of Love Answered by a Noted Authority

Cheer up, you parents who complain you have nothing to give your children—you can give them love and a brave heart; can teach them the joys of reading and the thrill of seeing things—these are worth more than a fortune.

The bitterest cry of poor people is that they have nothing to give their children.

The fathers and mothers who cannot buy imported finery for their girls or sports-model cars for their boys and send them off to expensive colleges and fill their pockets with money feel that they come empty handed to their children and have nothing to give them.

Yet the poorest man and woman who bend above a cradle have it in their power to bestow upon their babe treasures so great that their worth cannot be computed in dollars and cents, and that will bring the child more pleasure and happiness in life than they could purchase with all the wealth of the Rothschilds.

For there is no price tag on the most precious things in the world. They are equally free to prince and pauper, and more often the beggar gets them than the millionaire does.

For example, there is love, a close, intimate, personal association, and tenderness, and understanding. Poor parents can more easily give to their children than the wealthy can. And the child that has them is rich beyond the dreams of avarice, and the child that has them not is poverty stricken although it has all else besides.

The mother who rocks her babe to sleep on her breast; whose tender arms are always outstretched to gather her youngsters to her heart; who is never too tired or too busy to listen to childish confidences who surrounds her little ones with a brooding atmosphere of affection, gives to her children far more than does the rich mother who gives her children nurses and governesses and pony carts and fine clothes and costly playthings, but who does not give them her self; who bestows on them everything but the things that a child wants most and needs most—mother love and tenderness; the real mother touch.

Not long ago a very rich man figured in a disgraceful scandal and the one excuse offered in his defense was that his mother was dead and his father had never given him anything except money. He had never had any affection bestowed upon him. He had had no parental guidance. When a little lad he had been put in a school and kept there without even being visited by any one who loved him, without even going home for vacations. He had been just a pitiful little millionaire waife for whom nobody cared.

The lot of such a child is infinitely worse than that of the one whose parents are in such humble circumstances that they can give it perhaps only the plainest of food and clothes, but who give it a real home that is full of close, warm, family life.

The fathers and mothers to whom children are grateful and whose memories they revere are not those who bequeath them great fortunes, but those who leave them the memory of a love and understanding that never failed, and of a childhood that was made sweet by their parents cherishing.

No matter how poor you are, you can give your children love and companionship and the privilege of growing up in a peaceful and cheerful home, and that is something that few rich parents can give their children.

LAME DUCKS

BY JOSEPHINE DASKAM BACON

It was in April, a late spring, with only the tiniest little buds on the horse-chestnuts, and an edge in the air, once you were out of the elusive Paris sunlight. But it was also the Parc Monceau, which cannot help being charming in any month of any year in the calendar.

On a park chair, strategically planted in a square of sunlight just at the edge of a bubbling whirlpool of children, there sat a woman, alone and very quiet. She was so motionless, indeed, that the pigeons walked carelessly about her skirts, searching for crumbs and the tiny French people paid no attention whatever to her, but spooned up the gravel at her feet and bounced their aimless balls over her shoulder. It would have been difficult to give her any definite age, for although clothes do not make a woman, really, they modify her to a great extent, and only an out-and-out beauty could have emerged triumphant from the shapeless and untidy garments of this woman

An interesting, but not an attractive girl. Allowing for possible ill health, or trouble, you would put her somewhere on the treacherous slope of the early thirties; and only great beauty, perfect physical soundness, unusual intelligence or profound care of the person can soften this rapid decent into a smooth, indefinite plateau. This girl was obviously not interested in such processes.

A rubber ball rolled suddenly under her skirt, and its owner, alarmed, raised a shrill cry of, "Miss! Miss!" A severe English governess answered instantly. "Well, then, Gabrielle, ask the lady to allow you to fetch it out. And in English, mind—she is English!" "May I fetch my ball, if you please? I am sorry," pronounced the mite in faultless English, adding, "I thank you very much—merci infiniment. madness," as the girl, with an absent-minded French phrase, reached down and handed back the toy.

"But all the same, she's not English," muttered the man whose chair reated in the farthest corner of the patch of sun, peering through the heavy black glasses that almost masked his face. "She's dressed like one, the Lord knows, but she's an American, left-handed, too, like me I'll bet she returns a nasty back-hand ball with that big paw of hers! Sport-fiend, probably. But she's certainly no beauty."

The children near his chair, who had grown used to the occasional soliloquise of the tall, pale American in the black goggles, smiled at one another and jostled his chair carelessly. They were quite accustomed to him, and he had sat there often, in the morning, now, for hours.

As the girl in the wrinkled sport-suit rose abruptly from her chair and dropped her leather handbag, he moved inatentively to pick it from the ground. It was a worn bag, bulging uncomfortably, with a loosened catch, and as he seized it awkwardly, it fell apart, and a mass of letters, newspaper clippings and unassorted odds and ends fell from it and fluttered about. They collected the debris swiftly and in silence; neither was sufficiently embarrassed or, it seemed, sufficiently interested to speak. Suddenly he pulled out from under his chair a picture postcard and glanced at it unconsciously while holding it out to her.

It was a sufficiently harmless picture, even banal and represented four men and a woman, packed flat like sardines in a box on a huge bobsled, careening down a glistening mountain slope of snow and ice. "Happiness at St. Moritz!" was its legend, and a second inscription, "Society at its favorite winter spot," was printed below the written message. But harmless and banal as it was it had a curious effect on the man, for with a kind of snorting sob, he threw it violently from him, as if it had been a poisonous snake, and glared through his disfiguring black glasses at the girl, who stared back at him surprised and confused.

"I'm awfully sorry," he apologized abruptly, capturing the postcard in three long, easy strides and advancing toward her, a brick-red flush on his thin cheeks. "I don't mean to be such an idiot. But unfortunately the darned thing got on my nerves—it was just a bit too much Here it is."

"A bit too much?" she repeated vaguely. "Thank you: I'm afraid I——"

"Well it happens that 'Happiness at St. Moritz' is a pretty ironic remark, from my point of view, that's all. And it sort of came over me. I didn't mean to frighten you."

"You didn't frighten me at all," she answered composedly. "You don't care for St. Moritz, then "

"I owe these to it," he said dryly, tapping the black goggles with his long nervous hand. "I went nearly blind there."

"Oh," she murmured, in her vague, indifferent voice, not looking at him, "really" snow-glare, I suppose you mean. But that passes, doesn't it?"

Her very calmness had a greater effect on his confidence than any easy sympathy. He would have shrunk from that, but her lack of it seemed to spur him.

"Unfortunately, in my case, it won't," he said briefly "The optic nerve, they tell me, has been injured. I had strained my eyes pretty badly, etching, and this settled it."

"Oh, you're an artist, then?"

"I was," he said, and clenched his hands.

"That's hard," she murmured a little more gently, "that's very hard. I don't blame you for hating the card. I—I loathe St. Moritz, myself."

"Oh, you've been there "

"I was there six weeks," she said, staring ahead of her with that empty, absent stare, "six weeks—Oh, God, why did I go?"

The sudden, uncontrolled passion of her voice was startling: it was as if a jagged, blood-red streak shot across a stretch of gray.

Now it was his turn to stare a little doubtfully for after all, a woman whom you never seen before in your life, an unattractive, lone woman—She bit her lips together and flushed deeply.

"Oh, I'm not a lunatic," she said, "though you might think so! But you're not the only one that St. Moritz did for—look at that!"

She held out her two wrists side by side, turned downward, and he saw that the right one was slightly enlarged(and swollen out of line—not slim and flexible, like the other.

"You broke it?" he asked, wondering a little, and she nodded.

"But—really, it hardly shows," he began, not knowing what he was expected to say "No one could be likely to notice it——"

"The audience would be likely to notice it, I assure you," she said roughly. "If I ever attempted to play with it again."

"O-o-oh," he whistled slowly. "So that's it; You—you're a musician Violin?"

"Piano," she answered brusquely. "I had just made my debut—I was going back home."

"That's pretty tough," he said, gently. "pretty darn tough. But can't anything be done? Won't it knit?"

"That's the trouble," she answered. "It has knit. It was set wrong. Eight weeks ago It's no good—I've been to everybody, and it's no good."

"But who set it? Was it on one of those damnable bobsleds?"

"Yes," she said, and sat suddenly on her chair. He drew his own beside it

"Mayer had my contract all signed for the States," she began. "I felt pretty good so I took a little Swiss vacation with a good friend of mine, a girl. Well I went on one bobsled ride too many. We spilled and I fell with my wrist against the steering wheel, and I know something had hapened to it. It hurt, of course, but not so frightfully. They all told me to let the hotel doctor fix it up for the moment, till I could get to London or Paris, and so I did. He said it was very simple, and I'd better let it alone, when he was through. It healed in five days, and I had it X-rayed in Lausanne, and they said it would be all right, and to keep it in the cast. So I did. I hadn't any pain, and it seemed to grow stronger all the time. I stayed a month.

(Continued Tomorrow.)

Lyrics of Life

By Douglas Malloch

MAYBE YOU'D LIKE

Maybe you'd like to wear a waist
When all the others kids had vests,
Maybe you'd like to cut and paste
When other kids could hunt for nests
And fish and camp and swim, by jing,
And—well, could just do ev'rything.
Maybe you'd like to always wear
Your shoes and stockings all the time,
Mabe you'd like to comb your hair
And save your clothes and never climb.
Maybe you'd like to never do
A single thing the whole day through.
Maybe you'd like to tell a pup
To keep away, because they shed,
Maybe you'd like to all dress up
And always do what someone said.
Maybe you'd like to wear a tie
And tell the truth, I hope to die.
Maybe I ought to act the way
The way you want, the way I should,
To please my father, as you say,
Because my father is so good.
But I am coming right out flat
And ask him, though—was he like that?
Tomorrow:—
THE THING TO THINK ABOUT

WILLIE WILLIS



"That show man that told what kind of a boy you was by the bumps on your head got mixed up on me account of that rock Skinny threw."

What Do You Know About It?

Daily Science Six

1. What are the primary colors?
2. What are the colors of the spectrum?
2. What are the colors of the sides sunlight exist in nature?
4. What are the colors of the aurora borealis?
5. What lends the green color to plants?
6. What makes the "Red Sea" red?

Answers to these questions in tomorrow's Record News.

Breaking Up Colors.

We often hear astronomers assert confidently that this or that gas is found in the sun, and we wonder how they can know this when the sun is billions of miles away. Quite an exact knowledge of some of the sun's elements has been obtained however by the use of the spectroscope, the marvelous color machine which breaks up the compound colors, thrown off by any substance when it is alight, into a band of colors such as one sees from prism. It has been found that each chemical has its individual spectorscopic color pattern, some of the colors being broad bands, others narrow. To the practiced eye of a spectroscopist a narrow band of vermilion means sodium, and so each chemical element may be recognized. If a bit of iron or copper be held in the flame of Bunsen Burner it will glow incandescently and throw off a characteristic spectrum which enables us to recognize the same spectrum when observed in the sun's light, and thus we know those elements are present in the sun.

Now what do you know about that?

Answers to Saturday's Questions:

1. Marble is found chiefly in Tennessee and Vermont.
2. Glass is a form of aluminum silicate, that is a preparation of quarts sand.
3. Limestone makes up the caves of Laury and the Mammoth Cave.
4. Feldspar rock is used as a source of the valuable fertiliser, potash.
5. Carrara is a fine translucent Italian marble.
6. A lithograph is a picture made by cutting the original plate in a very fine-grained stone found chiefly in central Germany.

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WHAT TODAY MEANS TO YOU

BY MARY BLAKE TAURIS

Today's planentary aspects are not encouraging, altho' they cannot be be diagnosed as distinctly adverse. It would not be expedient to attempt to initiate any fresh enterprise, or to effect any radical changes. A conscientious discharge of ordinary daily duties and customary obligations will lead to the best results for the day. In the evening, and after usual working hours, there will be noticeable a marked improvement in conditions and there will be sensed a strong feeling of optimism and good cheer. This can be used to advantage in social or family amenities. Today cannot be considered a very propitious opportunity for travel nor should any financial commitments be made.

Children born today will, according to sex, vary in physical conditions. Where a boy promises to be lusty and strong in infancy, a girl will be weak and ailing. Most of the girl's difficulties can be overcome by careful nutrition and an abundance of fresh air. She will not, at any time, however, enjoy the same exuberant health as the boy. In character and disposition, they will both be very similar. They will be initiative to an exceptional degree; quick to learn, but not anxious to do so. They will possess retentive memories and if their reading be directed along the right channels, this will make up, in some measure, for their indifference to specialised studies.

If today is your birthday, you are mentally well equipped and possess many strong characteristics. Your forcefulness is not altogether a blessing, as you are just as aggressive when you are in the wrong, as when you are in the right. You are very impatient of criticism and are not disposed, at any time, to heed the advice or counsel of others. You want, and generally get, your own way in everything. If you possessed clearer vision and keener judgment, this would be of great advantage to you. As it is, you frequently have cause to regret your actions and often give others the opportunities of saying "I told you so".

Your friends are few, as not many are willing to stand for your domineering mannerisms. Those friends that you have, however, are loyal and sincere.

Successful people born this date are:

Benjamin F. Tracy, lawyer.
Charles F. Browne, ("Artemus Ward") humorist.
James P. Kimball, geologist.
Erminnie A. Smith, scientist.
Harvey Fisk, financier.
Henry Morgantheau, ambassador to Turkey.

The Fun Shop

By Maxon Foxhall Judell

Our Crime Prevention Hint.

Too many bandits! Too many gunmen!
Not enough humor! Not enough fun, men!
Can't make folks better by law, it is true,
But the more jokes they crack the less shooting they'll do!

Not So Bad.

Traveling Man: "Those doughnuts you served for breakfast were positively the oldest and stalest I ever tried!"
Country Hotel Keeper: "They're not very old yet. After they're three months old we use them for napkin rings."

JINGLE SNAPS.

Will somebody kindly tell me
Just what is the reason why
Maidens in a constant never fly; flutter.
—Alonzo L. Rice.

* * *

"Use your needle!" my boss shouted,
And it made my spirits droop;
Tell me, folks, where shall I use it?
In the soup?
—Martin Lehman.

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In my youth I used to wonder,
(Though of late years I have ceased)
If, when people raise the dickens,
They use yeast!
—Albert Macey.

* * *

Long ago I gave up trying!
Will you please explain, dear folks,
Why a woman always dyeing
Never crocks?
—Esther Hagadorn.

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Why do some folks pass for artists
When the best thing they can draw
Is a glass of ice cream soda
Through a straw?
—Mildred Hamm.

The Boomerang.

Glenn: "Woman you think up the most original alibis in the world for spending money!"
Mrs. Glenn: "Not at all, my dear. I've just been reading some old letters you wrote your father while in college."
—J. Sutton Steffan.

Children often cause trouble by telling what they know; older people cause more trouble by telling what they don't know.

IN DARKTOWN.
By Martha MacDonald.

Professor Dunhill walked down the street towards home, hesitated several times and went on again Things looked queer to him. He surely couldn't be lost—he had traveled this street a hundred times—and yet—

He passed a crowd of negroes, then met several more. A little negro child raced across the pavement after a little black dog. Three colored men flashed by in motor cars—on every hand were negroes. This COULDN'T be the street on which he lived! Still, the landmarks were familiar. It was puzzling, and he walked on in a daze.

"Hello, Professor," a voice hailed him.

He turned and saw a well-dressed negro, who was waving at him in a careless, friendly way.

"You have the advantage of me," said Dunhill, stiffly. "Your face seems vaguely familiar, but I'm sure I don't know you. Good afternoon!"

He walked on, and at last, with a sigh of relief, saw his home in the next block. Hurrying a little, for he was still strangely uneasy, he opened the door and let himself in. To his horror, a woman rushed forward to meet him—a negro woman!!

"My husband" she cried, and kissed him. "What ails you, dear? Why—why—what's the matter?"

"Go way! Go way!" quavered the professor, who was trying to wrench himself away. His trembling hands went to his face—to his eyes Then understanding dawned on him.

"Well, I'll be jiggered," he said in astonishment I had them on!"

IN KLASS AT KRAZY KOLLEGE
(Conducted By M. F. J.)

Teacher: "Rosie, stop wiggling so much and give us something not too unrefined with 'infancy.'"
Rosie Lippe:
"Pretty flapper passed by Able;
Able said, "Hello there, baby;
Flapper socked him; then said see,
'Listen, I'm no infancy!'"

KRAZY KINDERGARTEN.
(Conducted By Gertrude Jr.)

Teetcher: "Sixa deer, how's little Cristopher—and throw in a dash of 'coffee' please,"
Sixa Klock:
"My little brother's feeling mutch, mutch better,
He's got the croop—not meezles like we feered
His leg is only broke in jest 2 places,
And the coffe had has almost disappeered."
—Alma Oesterelch.

Co-operative Gin Planned at Rayland

VERNON, April 25—Plans were perfected for the construction of a co-operative gin at Rayland at a cost of $35,000, and permanent officers for the Farmers Co-operative society of Rayland were elected at a meeting Friday of 100 farmers.

The co-operative society was formally organized with 85 charter members. H. D. Lowson was elected president and J. T. Kay secretary. A board of 20 directors was elected.

Definite steps were taken toward the construction of the gin, and a committee was named to go to Dallas next week and purchase the machinery. The gin is expected to be completed within 90 days. It will be located just across the street from the other Rayland gin.

More Truth Than Poetry

DANGEROUS

Time was, when a gallant of France
Could be plunged in a murderous pet
By a taunt or an arrogant glance
From a person who moved in his set.
And nothing whatever would serve to efface
The hurt of so insult so cruel—
But for both to adjourn to some nice quiet place
And settle the row with a duel.

They would thrust with their steel for a while,
Taking care not to shed any gore—
And then with a generous smile
They would kiss and be brothers once more.
And the man who had given the arrogant glare
And the man it had mortally nettled,
As they sipped their divine eau de vie, would declare
That all question of honor was settled.

But now when a meeting takes place,
The person insulted insists
On punching the other chap's face
In the old fashioned style, with his fists.
They rope off a ring and appoint referees,
The timekeeper flashes his clock out—
And honor is never put quite at her ease
Till one party has landed a knockout.

Today were I hurried through France
By Raymond and Whitcomb and Cook,
I never would take a chance
Of giving a man a mean look,
There wasn't much harm in the old fashioned way
The natives conducted a duel,
But the system of fence that's prevailing today
Is apt to be bloody and cruel!

VERNON SCHOOL CENSUS GAINS

Increase of 600 Noted In Compilation Just Made

VERNON, April 25.—Wilbarger county's scholastic census recently complied shows an increase of approximately 600 scholastics over last year's figures, according to a report issued Wednesday by County Superintendent L. A. Hollar. The scholastics this year totaled 5905, as compared with 5,332 reported in the county at this time last year. However, the duplicates have not been stricken from this year's totals, and about 50 duplicates are expected, according to school officials.

All independent districts in the county showed a substantial increase in scholastics. Oklaunion reports 320 this year as compared with 186 reported last year. Odell reports 211 this year, while 189 scholastics were reported last year. Harrold reports 198 this year as compared with 192 reported last year. Vernon reports 1,996 this year, as compared with 1,769 reported last year.

Detailed scholastic reports for the rural schools follow: West Vernon, 282; Bourland, 176; Kincheloe, 108; Jackson Springs, 90; Doans, 107; Hinds, 129; Cuyer, 72; Mack, 25; Lockett, 181; Antelope, 132; Haney, 112; Fargo, 191; Crescent Cove, 55; Wildcat, 63; Paradise, 48; Midway, 71; Ronda, 8; Sherwood, 47; Tolbert, 151; Plainview, 46; Thompson, 64; Elliott, 117; East Vernon, 102; Parsley, 50; Guggisberg, 47; Elreno, 70; Grapevine, 9; Haulk Hill, 105; Red Valley, 64; Wells Valley, 137; Baker, 315.

Club Estates Go apidly as Many Make Purchases

Sales in the Country Club Estates, new sub-division being developed south of the city by the Hamilton-Martin Investment company, were especially active during the past week, according to reports made by Walter S. Curlee, general sales agent for the territory.

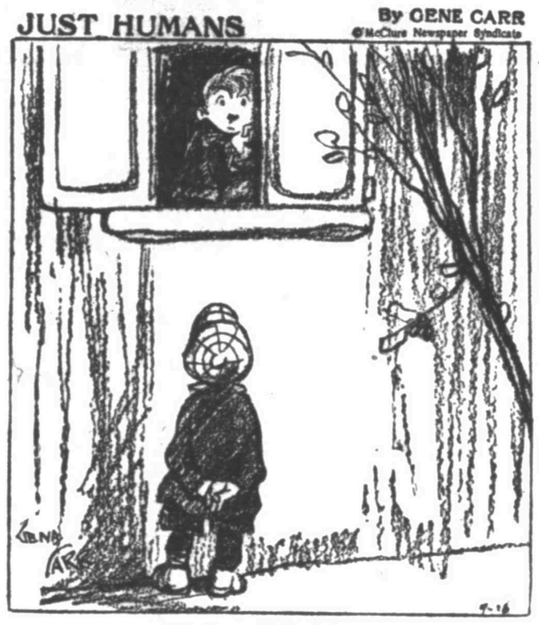
The following sales were reported during the week: W. L. Robertson, lot 11, block 3; Roscoe Davis, lot 2, block 4; J. J. Perkins, lot 5, block 6; L. H. Callum, lot 4, block 6; W. P. Ferguson, lot 1, block 9; J. M. Baldridge, lot 2, block 15; A. W. Burnside, lot 5, block 21; C. H. Watkins, lot 6, block 24; R. Vaughn Ray, lot 1, block 26; Frank W. Jones, lot 8, block 4.

Architectural plans are now being drawn and erection of homes will start immediately on the sites acquired by the above men, Mr. Curlee stated. Over 40 lots have been disposed of during the 20-day period of the pre-development sale and prospects are that an equal number will be disposed of within the next 15 days.

DRUG STORE CHANGES HANDS

GRAHAM, April 25.—The Corner Drug Store, one of the leading drug stores of Graham has changed hands. C. L. Wood of Amarillo has bought the interest of L. M. Davis in this business and the business is now being conducted under the name of the C. L. Wood Drug Co.

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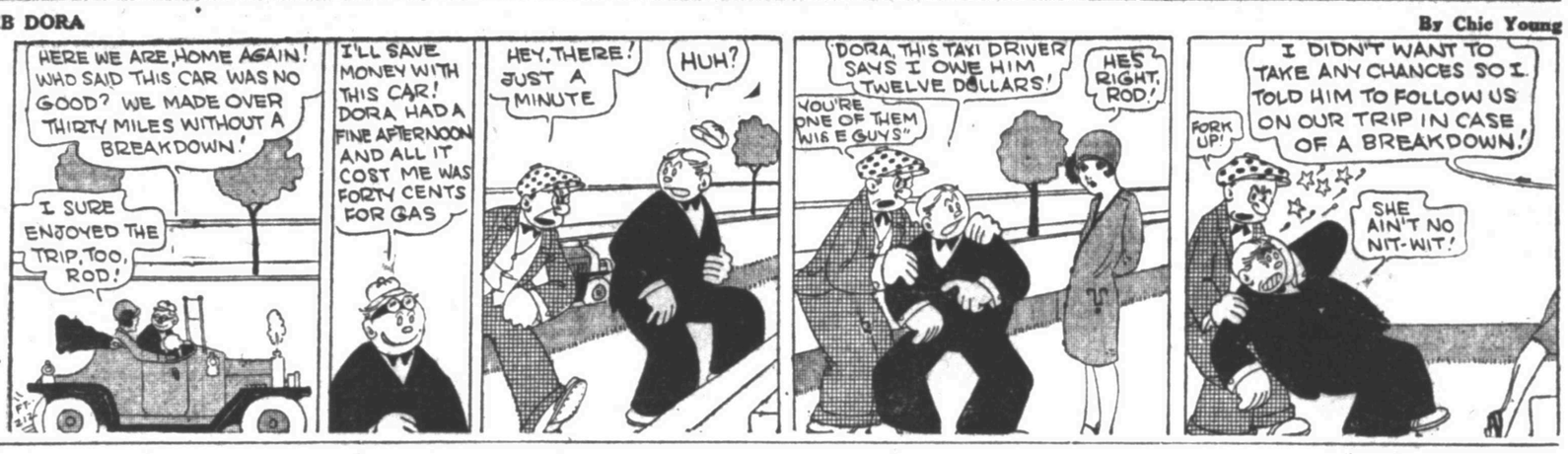
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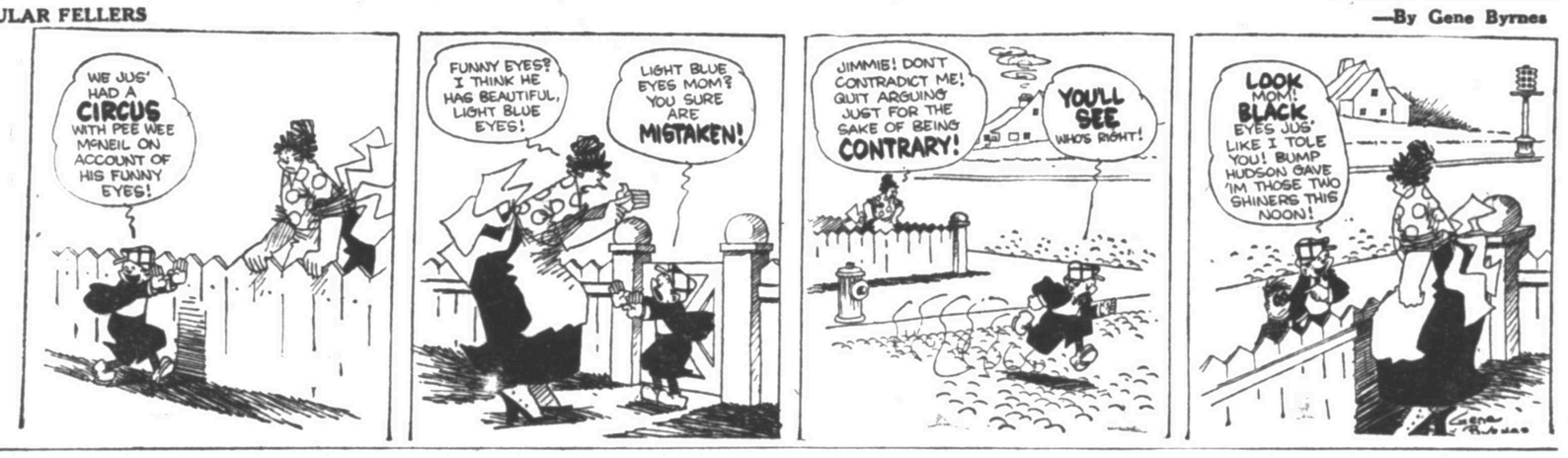
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Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays, 813 Scott. Walter H. Caldwell, W. M.; G. W. Curd, secy.

Order of DeMolay, Hope Chapter—Meets on second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Temple. Patrol meets every Wednesday night. Ted Brown, M. C.; Jerry Vinson, scribe.

Faith Chapter No. 713, O. E. S.—Meets the second and fourth Monday nights of each month at 813 Scott. Mrs. Eva M. Rutledge, W. M.; Mrs. Lillie Mae Edmonds, secy.

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County Tax Collector

MAX SHUMAKE
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BEN P. ALLRED
For District Attorney

W. W. COOK
78th Judicial District.

For Sheriff
W. G. BRALLEY

For Sheriff
TOM ROARK

Sheriff
FRED K. SMITH

R. L. (BOB) McFALL
For Sheriff.

J. V. HOWELL, state representative District 1111, Place No. 2.

Congress, 13th Cong. Dist.—
B. D. SARTIN.

J. P. JACKSON,
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Precinct No. 1.

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FOR SALE—Boy's bicycle in good condition. Call at 2104 Buchanan street.

HERMAN MUNDEN—Bicycles and supplies, lawn mower sharpening, light welding and brazing, repair work of any kind. Work called for and delivered. Phone 6942. 713 Tenth St.

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Situations Wanted—Female 37

WANTED—Place to earn room and board by young lady attending school. Phone Draughon's College, 5656.

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FIVE rooms furniture for sale. All or by the piece. Very cheap; must sell at once. Phone 4708.

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PIANO for rent, $5 per month. Call at 1812 Eighth street.

CALL Ripley-Jones for piano tuning and player repairing. Residence phone 7663.

Dogs, Cats and Pets 54

Thouroughbred register pointer pups for sale eight weeks old. Phone 3336.

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ROOM and board, prices reasonable. 1207 11th Street.

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ROOM AND BOARD for two men or working couple in private home. Phone 5705.

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FOR RENT—Nice southeast bedroom. 409 Lee Street. Phone 6825.

BEDROOM with three large windows, hot and cold water. Phone 6814.

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BEDROOM for rent. 1509 Travis Street.

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LARGE, cool sleeping room, $6 per week. 1606 Tenth street.

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ROOMS, 702 Austin street. Phone 21528.

BEDROOM to gentleman; single bed. 904 Austin street.

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FOR RENT—Nice southeast bedroom in private home on pavement, gentlemen only. Phone 7176.

FOR RENT—South bedroom, with garage; also front bedroom. 1509 Thirteenth Street.

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FOR RENT—New furnished front bedroom, gentlemen only. 906 Austin. Phone 5315.

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Apartments and Flats 65

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TWO-ROOM south apartment, adjoining bath, on paved street, private side entrance; couple. 710 Wofford. Phone 8158.

NEATLY FURNISHED two-room apartment, private entrance, adjoining bath, close to carline and pavement. 1416 Sixteenth street.

ONE-HALF of new eight room duplex. Shades, linoleum and refrigerator furnished. 2135 1-2 Avenue I. Phone 6573.

Houses for Rent 66

FOR RENT—Two 4-room houses. Call 4240.

FOR RENT—Four-room house in rear. 810 Bluff. Phone 5474.

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FOR RENT—One 4-room house, modern. 1300 Clark street Phone 4378. Dave Sheperd.

FOR RENT—Four-room modern house, with garage, $35 per month. Call 9318.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished six-room duplex house. 1503 Austin. Phone 5281.

WANTED TO RENT—Modern six-room house on pavement, Junior college district. Phone 5071.

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Office and Desk Room 67

FOR RENT—Office space. Ground floor, 804 Ohio. Phone 4918.

Farms and Lands for Rent. 69

FOR RENT—One who has team sufficient to cultivate 50 acres of cotton, close to town. Call 4240.

FOR SALE—Four acres on Iowa Park road, short distance from city, with new 4-room house. Price reasonable. Terms. Call owner, 21101 any time after 8 a. m. Monday.

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Miscellaneous for Rent 70

GARAGE for rent. 906 Fourth St.

Wanted—To Rent 73

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FOR BUSINESS, factory or machine shop sites call S. Y. Ferguson, Brown Bldg. Phone 9084.

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7:45 WOI (270) Ames—East High School Orchestra and Glee Club of Des Moines, Iowa.
8:15 WEMC (286) Berrien Springs—The Dulciano String Trio.
10:00 KSD (546) St. Louis—American Institute of Banking, St. Louis Chapter—Glee Club Program.
10:45 KTHS (375) Hot Springs—The Hot Springs Harmony Twins Program.

EVENING CONCERTS
6:00 P. M.
WTAM (390) Cleveland. Concerts.
6:30 P. M.
WLW (423) Cincl. Theatrical Feature.
7:00 P. M.
WSB (428) Atlanta. Musical.
WSUI (484) Iowa City. Musical.
KFNF (266) Shenandoah. Concert.
WWJ (353) Detroit. Orchestra News
WEAF (492) N. Y. A. & P. Gypsies, also from WCAP, WEEI, WJAR, WOO, WWJ.
WKRC (423) Cincl. Popular Song Hour.
7:30 P. M.
WDAD (266) Nashville. Musical.
WHO (526) Des Moines. Musical.
WSMB (319) New Orleans. Musicale
8:00 P. M.
WHAD (275) Milwaukee. Marquette U. Program.
WCCO (417) Mlps.-St. Paul. Minnesota U.
WRR (246) Dallas. Times-Herald Artists' Concerts.
WSM (283) Nashville. Studio Program.
WKRC (423) Cincl. American Legion Musical Program.
8:30 P. M.
WFAA (476) Dallas. Vocal.
WOAI (395) San Antonio. Trio.
WOS (441) Jefferson City. Musical.
9:00 P. M.
KMA (252) Shenandoah. How-do-you-do Boys.
WHAZ (380) Troy. Radio Vaudeville.
WOOD (242) Grand Rapids. Classical Concert.
WEAF (492) N. Y. Grand Opera, also from WCAE, WCAP, WJAR, WOO, WTAG, WSAI, WTIC, KSD.
9:10 P. M.
KTHS (375) Hot Springs. Request Night.
WSAI (326) Cincinnati. Community Program.
WLW (423) Cincl. Cincl. Times-Star Program.
10:00 P. M.
KSD (546) St. Louis. American Institute of Banking Glee Club.
WSM (283) Nashville. Ward-Belmont College.
10:40 P. M.
KOA (322) Denver. "A Step on the Stairs,"—Radio Mystery Serial.
10:45 P. M.
KTHS (375) Hot Springs. Hot Springs Harmony Twins.
11:00 P. M.
KGW (492) Portland. Concert.
KLX (509) Oakland. Lake Merrit Ducks.
WAFD (275) Port Huron. Studio Program.
WRR (246) Dallas. Vaudeville Hour
WKRC (423) Cincl. Kodel Midnight Frolic, Popular Music and Songs.
11:10 P. M.
WANT TO DANCE? (Name of orchestra is given)
7:00 P. M.
WWJ (517) Detroit. News.
7:30 P. M.
CFCF (411) Montreal. Mt. Royal.
8:30 P. M.
WMC (500) Memphis. Hotel Gayoso.
9:00 P. M.
KPO (420) San Francisco. Fairmount.
10:00 P. M.
KFVE (240) St. Louis. Romaine.
WTAM (390) Cleveland. Royal Canadians.
WHN (361) N. Y. Owl Revue.
11:00 P. M.
WHO (526) Des Moines. Corn Sugar
WTAM (390) Cleveland. Royal Canadians.
WAHG (316) Richmond Hill. Zimmerman.
WKRC (423) Cincl. Dance.
11:45 P. M.
WDAF (366) Kansas City. Nighthawks.
CFCT (410) Victoria. Crystal Garden.
12:00 Mid.
KPO (420) San Francisco. Cabrians.

Pershing to Halt Battlefield Sale

WASHINGTON, April 25.—(AP)—Steps to prevent indiscriminate marking of World war battle fields in France and Belgium with American memorials were announced today by General Pershing as head of the American battle monuments commission.

Under a resolution adopted by the commission and approved by President Coolidge no decorative memorials will be approved for erection in the two countries except such as are in the nature of public improvements of use to the inhabitants. The French and Belgian governments have agreed not to permit any markers to be placed except when approved by the commission.

Telephone Wires Burn Kansas Pair

WICHITA, Kan., April 25.—(AP)—Tom Meeks, 77, and Merle Ward, 18, are in a local hospital and several other residents of Haysville are suffering from burns sustained when they attempted to fight 1,100 volts of electricity which invaded their homes through the telephone wires.

The electric short circuit on the telephone line occurred during a storm when a pole carrying electric lines was blown over, permitting the 1,100 volt circuit to come in contact with the telephone lines. The phone boxes started belching smoke and fire.

Those who attempted to pull the boxes from the walls, or put out the fires suffered burns and shock. Several homes caught on fire, but no serious damage resulted.

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Whittemore, Payroll Bandit, Directs His Trial for Murder; Acquittal Means He Must Face New Trial for Another



Richard Reese Whittemore, on trial in Buffalo, N. Y., for the murder of Charles W. Clifford and Louis M. Yarington, Marine Trust Co. guards, during a $93,000 payroll robbery, is calmly directing his own trial. He has been conferring constantly with Attorneys Melvin Greene and W. Bartlett Sumner, appointed by the court to defend him. Whittemore insists he was 600 miles away from the scene of the murders when they occurred. He has eight alibi witnesses, including two church officers. If Whittemore is acquitted he must stand trial for murdering a guard in Maryland penitentiary a year ago. Photos show Richard Reese and Deputy Sheriff Alvin Dahlquist, (side views) at the trial table; Melvine Greene and R. V. Whittemore, the accused man's father, conferring; Judge Thomas Noonan, before whom the case is being tried; and Guy B. Moore, prosecuting attorney.

Three Are Injured In Dallas Crashes

DALLAS, April 25.—(AP)—A youth is dead and two men are in a hospital following traffic accidents in and near Dallas. Murray Sharp, 16, of Gainesville, Cooke county, died from injuries sustained when an automobile turned over on the Hutchins road, south of Dallas, Saturday night.

Three others were injured in the same wreck. What may be a fractured skull was sustained by H. W. Wilson, 38, when struck by a street car today.

Juan Daniel, 19, was injured when struck by an automobile Sunday afternoon.

IOWA PARK

LADIES LUNCHEON

The ladies of the Civic Improvement club adopted the weekly luncheon as a means of getting out a large attendance and putting more interest into the organization.

The initial luncheon was held at the Shuler hotel Thursday noon. Mrs Mamie Dale Brown was elected toastmistress. One hour will be taken at the luncheon every Thursday meeting at 12:30. Mrs. C. C. Hudson is president of the Civic club and a look out committee was appointed to bring up matters for the club's attention.

Committees from the league are securing bids now on the cost of construction of the ornamental arches over the highway at the east and west approaches to the city.

PERSONALS

Miss Emma Alexander who has been very sick in the General hospital at Wichita Falls has been brought to Mrs. R. E. Brewsters where she will still be under the care of Dr. Gordon Clark until she is able to return home.

Miss Hazel Pruitt of Archer City, is visiting Miss Morrison this week end.

Miss Dewey Bolch of Petrolia, visited her sisters Mrs. W. R. Bradford and Mrs. J. F. Golby Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. A. A. Jackson, who has been seriously ill for the past few weeks at the Clinic Hospital in Wichita Falls, is improving rapidly and was able to be brought home last Thursday.

Mrs W. C. Edwards and little daughter left for their home in Beaumont after several weeks' visit here with Mrs. Edward's mother, Mrs. Florence Enloe.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Dennis of Forney, spent the past week end here visiting friends and attending the dedication of the Methodist church. Rev. Dennis is a former pastor of the Methodist church of this place.

Mrs. Earnest Birk and Mrs. O. J. Kidwell are in Ennis this week attending the Presbytery.

Miss Bertha Wittenburg, teacher in the local school visited friends in Wichita Falls Saturday.

Woman Is Burned To Death In Home

NACOGDOCHES, April 25.—(AP)—Miss Floreace Whitton, 35, business woman of this city, lost her life Sunday night in a fire which destroyed the apartment house in which she was living with her sister, Miss Kate Whitton. The latter was rescued and is in a hospital dangerously injured.

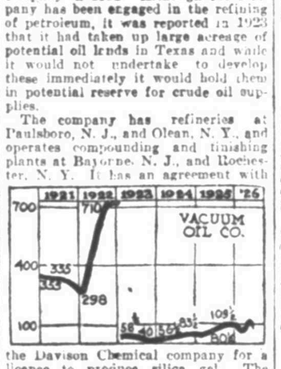
The two sisters were trapped after the fire had been discovered between them and the stairway. A squad of men yelled to the sisters to jump from the porch. Miss Kate Whitton the younger, jumped, her clothing afire at the time. She struck the ground and was seriously injured. The charred body of the other woman was found in the ruins after the fire.

STOCK-A-DAY



The Vacuum Oil company specializes in the manufacture and sale of high grade lubricants for all types of machinery. The company was one of the original Standard Oil subsidiaries which were segregated from the parent company in 1911. Although the company has been engaged in the refining of petroleum, it was reported in 1923 that it had taken up large acreage of potential oil lands in Texas and said it would not undertake to develop these immediately it would hold them in potential reserve for crude oil supplies.

The company has refineries at Paulsboro, N. J., and Olean, N. Y., and operates compounding and finishing plants at Bayonne, N. J., and Rochester, N. Y. It has an agreement with the Davison Chemical company for a license to produce silica gel. The company owns and operates its own fleet of nine tankers and does a large foreign business either direct or through subsidiaries, some of which also operate refineries.



Capital stock outstanding consists of $61,919,950 in shares of $25 par value. Funded debt consists of $16,100,000 in 7 per cent bonds due in 1936. For the 10-year period ended with 1924, net income was equal to an annual average of 36.32 per cent on the average outstanding stock. In 1924, these earnings were 28.16 per cent.

As of Jan. 1, 1926, current assets were $91,615,535 and current liabilities $8,541,692. There were no bank loans and profit and loss surplus was $44,109,335. Dividends have been paid without interruption since 1911 at rates from 6 to 16 per cent. The present rate is 8 per cent with extras. In 1925 extra disbursements amounted to $3 a share and an extra payment of 50 cents a share was paid March 20, 1926. In 1925 the company earned a net profit of $24,250,091 or equivalent to $9.73 a share on the outstanding capital stock. Of this amount $12,424,615 was paid in dividends and $11,805,476 carried to surplus.

Longhorns vs. Eagles Today

The American Refinery Eagles and Panhandle Longhorns are carded this afternoon at the Twilight diamond in play-off of a postponed game.

Connally will work for the Americans on the hill. Cabaniss picks his pitching selection from McDuffy, Hatton, Cannon and Randolph, all of whom have been going good.

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Find Dallas Woman Dead In Her Home

DALLAS, April 25.—(AP)—Mrs. W. M. James, 42, was found dead in her home here Sunday by her husband, who had returned home from Fort Worth Saturday night. He said he found his wife's door locked and thought perhaps she was ill. He slept in another room.

When he could not arouse her this morning the husband, assisted by other roomers, knocked the door down. The woman's body was found, two small empty bottles beside it.

MUNDAY

STUDY CLUB MEETS

The Study club met with Mrs. H. A. Pendleton on last Friday afternoon. The president, Mrs. H. F. Barnes, being out of town, Mrs. H. A. Pendleton presided at the business session. After the business hour a delightful program was given on "The Cowboy in Texas," with Mrs. Elizabeth Martin as leader.

"John A. Lomax and His Work for the Cowboy," Mrs. R. L. Briggs; song, "The Dying Cowboy," Prentiss Mills; "The Cowboy and Mustang Pony," Mrs. W. A. Wilson; reading, "The Cowboys' Christmas Ball," Mrs. W. A. Wilson; "The Cowboy on Capitol Grounds," Mrs. J. E. Reeves; critic, Mrs. Chester Borden.

LONE STAR CLUB

Members of the Lone Star Demonstration club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robt. H. Horn. The subject studied was house linen. Tests were given for linen, silk and wool. An exhibit of good and bad designs in dresser scarfs and pillow cases was given. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and lemonade were served to Mrs. Lon Shipman, Mrs. Gines Strobie, Mrs. Earl Hunt, Mrs. Lola Scott and Miss Mamie Maxwell. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Albritton.

GILLESPIE CLUB MEETS

The Gillespie Home Demonstration club had an interesting meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Shannon. "Table Service" was the subject discussed and an informal dinner was served. In the "Kitchen Apron" contest Mrs. Roscoe Partridge won first place. Mrs. T. M. Busby gave head lettuce seed to each member present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Robert Myers, the subject being "Alteration of Commercial Patterns" and "Decorative Stitches."

BIRTHDAY PARTY

On Monday afternoon, from four to six o'clock, Mrs. J. C. Campbell was hostess to some 46 little boys and girls, honoring the birthday of her little daughters, Dorothy and Doloris. Various games were enjoyed by the youngsters, after which delicious refreshments of cream and cake were served. Many beautiful presents were presented to the young ladies on the occasion.

THURSDAY LUNCHEON CLUB

The Thursday Luncheon club was entertained on last Thursday at the lovely home of Mrs. Fred S. Broach, at which time a most enjoyable social meeting was held. The spacious reception suite was beautifully decorated with ferns and spring flowers and a most enjoyable time was spent playing "42." There were 12 members and the following guests present: Mesdames F. E. Akers, P. R. Baker and J. C. Campbell, and Miss Irene Stevenson of Weslaco.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church met on last Monday afternoon at the church with Mrs. Lizzie Martin as leader of devotional services. For their study the members took up the book of Exodus and several musical numbers were rendered. The society will meet again on next Monday at 3 o'clock, at which time the book of numbers will be studied with Mrs. H. T. Maples as leader.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore visited Mrs. Moore's mother, Mrs. J. H. Propps of Gilliland last Sunday.

Judge and Mrs. Clem Calhoun of Hamlin were here this week for a visit with Mrs. Calhoun's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Haymes.

Mrs. J. Horace Bass has returned from a visit to Cleburne.

Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Williams and Miss Opal Maples motored to Vernon Sunday, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kelton Greever.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Blacklock have returned from a visit with relatives and friends in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reeves visited in the home of Victor Reeves at Goree last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Covey who are teaching in the Howard school were here for the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Burnett.

Mrs. J. D. Kethley has returned from Vernon where she represented the Munday Study club at a meeting of the Woman's Federated clubs.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stodghill and children of Wichita Falls were here Sunday visiting in the home of Mr and Mrs. E. H. Stodghill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hill of Burkburnett have returned home after a visit with Mr. Hill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hill.

Mrs. Jack Ladd and daughter, Lucille of Lamesa are visiting Mrs Ladd's mother, Mrs. J. W. Murphy and sister Mrs. J. H. Hogan.

Mrs. Carroll Hopkins has returned to her home in Floydada after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Haymes.

W. C. Newsome has returned from a visit to friends in Abilene.

Tom Rigsby and son, Thomas Jr., and Phil Lowrey have returned from a visit to Sanitorium.

Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Smith and little son, Arthur Jr., and Mrs. J. R Smith and daughter, Virginia, have returned from a visit to Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Burnett have returned from a visit to Wichita Falls.

W. E. Maddox has moved to Crowell, where he is employed by the West Texas Utilities company.

Mrs. Charles Tye has returned from a visit to Durant, Okla.

J. A. Fisher was here this week from Banjamin, visiting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Isbell and daughter, Irene have returned from Sayre, Okla., where they were called to the bedside of Mrs. Isbell's father, J. S. Cowan.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Blacklock were visitors this week in Rochester, being accompanied home by Miss Stella Broughton, Mrs. Blacklock's sister.

Prof. O. W. Haynes of Goree was a business visitor one day this week.

Dr. E. J. Burns has returned from Giddings, Texas, where he was called to the bedside of his mother.

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Bern Air Service Jumper Gets A Kick Himself When He Falls 900 Feet Before Parachute Functions

He Gives Big Sunday Crowd a Real Thrill When He Makes 7,000 Foot Leap Sunday Afternoon; Laredo Planes Leave City for Amarillo

George Saunders, one of the Bern Air Service men now in the city with the Laredo chamber of commerce booster planes, gave several thousand Wichitans an unalloyed thrill late Sunday afternoon when, as one of the parting bows of the service, he dropped 7,000 feet in a parachute, with the first 900 feet at a bullet speed while his 'chute was deciding to open up.

A drop of 100 or 150 feet is usually sufficient to open a parachute with a man leaping from a plane. A tangled cord on the parachute hampered it for a few moments, though, and by the time the big expanse of canvass spread out above him, Saunders had hurtled pretty close to 1,000 feet.

The close packed throngs on the ground below held their breath until the silvery umbrella snapped open with a machine gun bark and brought the airman down at a more rational gait. Then, to add further zest to the affair, it landed Saunders squarely in the middle of a cateus patch about a mile from the Henrietta road flying field.

His fall, men in position to know stated, probably was not a record since longer drops have been made intentionally before the 'chutes are allowed to open. A plunge of 900 feet, however, is not an every-day occurrance.

The Laredo planes, under the direction of Edward Bern, leave Monday morning for Amarillo on the next lap of their long tour through the middle west in which the advantages of Laredo and the Rio Grande valley are being advertised. They have been in Wichita Falls for the past two weeks.

Attractive Bill Now Shown This Week At Mission

One of the most active pictures ever produced is now being shown at the Mission theatre in "The Still Alarm," a big Edward Laemmle production featuring William Russell and Helene Chadwick.

All the thrill of a big fire is closepacked in this production which is replete with daring. The kiss of the flames, a rescue of a child from a top floor just as the walls crash—and with it all the romance such pictures usually have combine to make a thoroughly entertaining offering.

As an extra added attraction at the Mission this week is Riding Bob Roberts, cowboy actor extraordinary who is giving some novelty rope twisting stunts and some anecdotes of his personal appearances in the movies.

All in all it is one of the most entertaining movie programs ever offered here.

WAURIKA

PERSONALS

Elmer Mount returned to his home in Paducah, Texas, Saturday after spending a couple of days with relatives at this place. He drove to Waurika Thursday, accompanied by his sister, Mrs Aima Clymer, and her little daughter, LeWanna, who had spent two weeks at the Mount home.

Mrs. I. H. Lewis was a Duncan visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Bernard and their small daughter, were week-end guests of Mrs. Bernard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bernard at El Reno. On their return home Sunday night they were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bernard who will be their houseguests for a few days.

Dr. J. I. Deer, Dr. C. L. Maupin and Dr. D. B. Collins were in Dallas Monday and Tuesday attending the American Medical association convention.

Dr. V. M. Browning stayed home until Wednesday at which time some of the former doctors returned to look after any illness in the city. Dr. Browning spent the last half of the week in attendance at the association.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hollinger and their son, Billie, of Wichita Falls, spent the week-end in Waurika as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Turnage.

Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Wade and family were Spnday dinner guests at the Will Archer home.

Earl Deal and Miss Ruth Black spent the week-end in Polville, Texas, as the guests of Mr. Deal's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Clough of Ringling were in Waurika as Sunday guests of the latter's brother, Earl Morris, and family.

Miss Nena Gibbons, who is attending college at Lawton, spent the last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gibbons.

Mrs. Ed McMurtry and the two boys, Jessie and Carl, spent the last week-end with friends in Lawton.

Charles McMurtry of Clemscott, spent Sunday and Monday in Waurika the guest of his brother, Ed McMurtry, and family and of his little son, Carl.

Mrs. C. W. Figg, who has been an inmate of the hospital at El Reno for the past several weeks where she has been taking treatment for sinus trouble, came home Saturday very much improved in health.

Mrs. E. G. Ray went to Bowie, Texas, Tuesday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cole spent Sunday in Tuttle the guests of Mrs. Cole's parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. Lyle Smith.

Mrs. Romie Davis and her little son, Romie, of Healdton spent the last week-end with Mrs. Davis' sister, Mrs. aGil Durham and family. Saturday Mrs. Davis and her two children, Katherine and Romie, Jr., Mrs. Gail Durham and her daughter, Mary Wade, Mrs. W. H. Lemons and Mrs. Ruby Dinkin drove to Wichita Falls to spend the day. The trip was made in Mrs. Davis' new Buick coach.

Mrs. M. J. Taber has been very ill all this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Seaman Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker and their little son, Clifford, of Iemscott, Okla., spent Sunday in Waurika as the guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Smith Spradling, and Mr. Spradling.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bowers and their little daughter, Betty Noreen, spent Sunday at the Stanfield ranch near Ringgold, Texas, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Tate.

Mrs. Elmo Melton and her little son, Elmo, Jr., of Bonham, Texas, returned home Saturday after a visit with relatives at oCmanche and with Mrs. Melton's sister, Mrs. J. C. Neal, and family in Waurika.

R. J. Laird of Marlow has come to Waurika to make his future home.

Jack McLeake who has been in Miami, Fla., for the past six months, came home Monday night.

Mrs. S. E. Grundy of Lawton is the guest of her son, Arthur Grundy, and family. Sunday, they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Grundy of the Hastings community.

Hugh Cotner of Wichita Falls spent Monday night and Tuesday with Mrs. Cotner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bodenhammer.

TWO DIE IN CRASH

TACOMA, Wash., April 25.—(AP) John Williams, 17, and Cliff Beaumont, 27, were killed when an automobile in which they were riding with five other persons plunged into Puget Sound from a wharf at Lisabeula on Vashon Island today. The others, including two children were rescued in row boats.

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BERN AIR SERVICE

VERNON GIRLS IN STYLE SHOW

Domestic Science Classes Of High Schools Enter Dresses

VERNON, April 25.—A spring style show will be staged at the high school auditorium Monday night by the girls of the clothes classes of the domestic arts department of Vernon high school. An entertainment program has been prepared. Proceeds of the show will be used to send five representatives of the local clothes class to Beaumont to enter the state clothing contest Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week.

Dresses worn in the style review will include those made in class, and several from local stores. Everything from the latest spring frocks to the most conservative house dresses is promised.

The five girls who will represent Vernon at the state contest will be chosen following the style show. Vernon representatives at the clothing contest have won honors in practically every contest entered in the past few years.

The high school Domestic Science club is one of the most active organizations on the campus. They raised finances for the state contest trip early in the year, but later used their finances to plant trees on the high school campus.

The Old Home Town

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Robertson have gone to El Paso where they will visit their daughter, Miss Virginia Robertson who is there for her health.

The revival meeting opened Sunday morning at the First Baptist church with Dr. G. L. Yates of Amarillo in the pluplt. Sixteen additions were made to the church at the first service, and a successful evangelistic campaign is looked forward to by the congregation.

QUANAH

DINNER BRIDGE CLUB

The dinner bridge club met Thursday evening with Mrs. R. C. Willingham. Guests for the evening were Mrs. W. B. Burks of Oklahoma City, sister of Mrs. Willingham, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McAdams, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, Jr., Mrs. A. F. Sommer, Mr. Spencer Marrow, Mr. J. D. Hughes and Mrs. Simmons. Favors went to Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and Mr. Marrow and Mrs. Burk.

SILVER TEA

The Women's Missionary of the Methodist church gave a silver tea Friday from four to six o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. G. A. Vestal. The house was beautiful with cut flowers and growing plants. A good program of music and readings was enjoyed The following ladies assisted Mrs. Vestal in receiving, Mesdames J. H. Wilson, Ben Hardy, Dellinger, W. B. Fletcher, L. H. Maloy, O. B. Simpson, Clarence Sparks, W. E. Lovell, W. B. Hampton, Cogdell, J. H. McDonald, Frank McKee, Frank Hook, Henery.

1904 CLUB

The 1904 club met with Mrs. T. D. Frizzell as hostess at her home Friday afternoon. The regular lesson was omitted, and the report of the delegate to the Childrens convention was given. The club will have an exhibit of Texas Artists. The pictures will be on display Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, at the chamber of commerce. This is free to the public. A lecturer will be on hand during the time. Next meeting will be with Mrs. A. B. Thompson as hostess May 12. This meeting will close the club year.

DISCUSS SCOUTMASTER

QUANAH, April 25—A scoutmaster for Quanah was discussed at the last meeting of the Rotarians, Thursday. It was decided to employ a man for a salary of $2,400 a year. The school board will pay half of this amount, the rest to be met by the Rotary Club and other organizations of the town. The new scoutmaster is to look after all phases of boys work, athletics and play grounds.

RECONVENE GRAND JURY

VERNON, April 25.—The grand jury for the 46th district court will reconvene Monday at the order of Judge Robert Cole.

Business has been light in the court this week, and the jury has been dismissed for the remainder of the week. A fairly heavy docket is expected next week, the last week of this session. The criminal docket will be called again.

Auto Auction To Be Held In City By Birch Company

A Wichita Falls audience will for the first time Wednesday hear the fastest auctioneer in the world when W. R. Stone head of the Stone Auction company of Kansas City and Jefferson City, Missouri, sells 50 used automobiles of all types to the highest bidders at the Birch Motor company used car lot between Eighth and Ninth on Travis.

Other auctioneers have startled audiences with their lines, but Mr. Stone is recognized as leader of the profession in getting the most said in the shortest length of time. His speeches are filled with humorous stories told during the sale. An entertainment is provided by the auctioneer at the same time business is being transacted in the offering of 50 automobiles to the highest bidders regardless of price.

All Must Be Sold

The cars have been taken in by Birch Motor company on recent deals and are being offered to the public in order to secure rapid sales. The dealers are taking a chance of losing money if bids are not high enough to pay the cost of the car and the sale.

The used cars will bep laced in two rows along the used car lot in the morning in order to allow prospective purchasers to inspect them. Promptly at 1:30 o'clock, Mr. Stone will mount a truck in the aisle between the cars for sale and will start the auction. The motor of the car to be sold will be started, the car will be demonstrated to the audience then the highest bidder will receive the car. The sale will start promptly at 1:30 p. m. o'clock, rain or shine, Mr. Stone said.

Orchestra And Director Return

Twenty members of the Wichita Falls high school orchestra and the director, Miss Winnifred Alvis, returned Sunday afternoon from Belton where they went to take part in the state music contest. San Antonio won first place. "The orchestra played well," Miss Alvis said in speaking of the local boys and girls. "They made a good showing and received many compliments." This is the first time the local high school orchestra has taken part in the state contest.

DEATHS

SAM BARKLEY

The body of Sam Barkley of Houston who was found dead in his room Saturday morning in a local hotel will be forwarded at noon today by the Hines Mortuary to Houston for burial.

A brother-in-law, Charles B. Thompson, arrived in Wichita Falls Sunday and will accompany the body to Houston.

MANUEL FULLER

The body of Manuel Fuller of Holliday who died late Saturday night at the General hospital of injuries received Friday evening in an oil field near Holliday, will be taken overland Monday to Vera by the Burris-Dalton undertakers. The funeral services will be held at Vera at 3 o'clock Monday.

He is survived by his widow, several small children, and several brothers and sisters.

VERNON

VERNON CONCERTS

Two musical concerts will be given in Vernon in an effort to raise funds to send the Vernon Concert Band to the annual convention of the West Texas chamber of Commerce at Amarillo. Plans for the concerts were outlined at a business meeting of the band Thursday night. May 14 and June 6 were set as tentative dates for the concerts.

The concerts will be staged by local talent and will include everything from the very latest popular music to classics. The Vernon band will be assisted by several local musicians, including soloists, violinists and the South Sea Synccopators, high school orchestra. Two young Charleston artists will give an interpretation of the latest dance.

The following program committee was appointed at the meeting Thursday evening: Mr. R. L. Lutz, chairman, A. L. Ludgren, J. E. Lutz, Jr., and Charles White.

PASTOR OF CHURCH RESIGNS

GRAHAM, April 25.—Rev. C. C. Klingman, who has been the pastor of the First Christian church here for the past two years has resigned to accept the pastorate of the Christian church at Electra. His resignation will become effective June 1.

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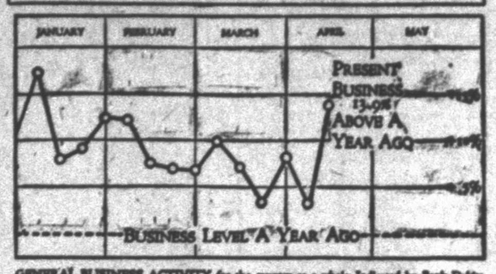
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Check Transactions compared with the corresponding week of last year

Boston	New York	Phila.	Cleveland	Richmond	Atlanta
+27.3%	+29.0%	+6.8%	+11.2%	+6.5%	+32.3%
Chicago	**St. Louis**	**Minneapolis**	**Kansas City**	**Dallas**	**San Fran.**
+12.7%	+6.0%	−7.3%	+6.0%	+3.8%	+19.1%

LEADING BAROMETERS
Showing trend of important factors

	Present Trend	% Change from Year Ago
Business in Dollars [Checks Cashed]	Steady	+13.9
Employment [Dept. of Labor]	Increasing	+ 6.5
Wages [Dept. of Labor]	Steady	+ 8.3
Cost of Living [Ind. Conf. Board]	Steady	+ 2.8
Wholesale Prices [Fisher's Index]	Declining	— 4.6
Agricultural Prices [Dept. of Agri.]	Steady	— 7.5
Movement of Goods [Car Loadings]	Steady	+ 3.7
Retail Trade [Fed. Res. Board]	Steady	+ 7.2
Wholesale Trade [Fed. Res. Board]	Declining	0.0
Failures [Dun's]	Steady	— 8.0
Bond Prices [Annalist]	Steady	+ 4.7
Stock Prices [Annalist]	Declining	+ 9.4
Stock Mkt. Vol. [Shares Traded]	Steady	+29.2

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BUILDING PERMITS

Total For Week Bring Year's Figure To $2,734,588

A large number of building permits for construction work in the city proper barely forced the week's total above $100,000 during the past seven days, but $107,448 being issued as against $135,800 city and suburban the week before.

The week's total brought the figure for the year to $2,734,588. The list shows 48 items, all for work in the city proper, no suburban permits having been started during the week.

The list follows:

J. B. Whitman, addition to storage space, 1400 Sibley avenue, $400.

Miles O'Reilly, repair business house at 1010 Ohio avenue, $500.

W. J. Nolen, servant's house at 1630 Eleventh street, $500.

W. J. Nolen, servant's house at 1623 Tenth street, $500.

Mrs. A. N. Walker, repair residence at 155 Holliday, $400.

Louis Reuel, repair residence at 1301 North Ninth, $350.

Morse, Feeler and Vernon, business house at 1914 Polk, $3,000.

A. L. Whisnant, residence at 3100 Avenue S, $3,000.

F. A. Smith, residence at 2101 Yale, $3,000.

W. F. Smith, residence at 2103 Yale, $3,000.

F. A. Smith, residence at 2105 Yale $3,000.

Charles J. Tucker, repair residence at 900 Burnett, $500.

W. J. Barrett, residence on Rose avenue, $1,798.

W. S. Ellis, repair business house at 1911-A Van Buren, $200.

F. B. Brefout, residence on North Travis, $400.

Mrs. R. E. Montgomery, residence at 11 Lee, $400.

W. C. Flemings, garage at 1300 Twenty-first, $1,000.

Floral Heights Baptist church, temporary church at 606 Avenue F, $1,500.

Howell Brothers, business house at 1112 Lamar avenue, $3,000.

F. A. Wilson, residence on Avondale avenue, $10,000.

A. R. and O. T. Watland, business house on Front street, $4,000.

R. J. Claypool, residence at 2312 Broad, $1,500.

R. S. Bryan, business house at 1105 Tenth street, $4 000.

Bert King, repair residence at 1201 Alma, $1,000.

J. B. Boyd, repair residence at 2602 Pennsylvania, $500.

W. B. Skelton, residence at 2515 Lawrence, $2,000.

C. B. Johnson, residence at 2115 Holliday, $2,500.

C. E. Paynor, residence at 504 North Lamar, $2,000.

Panhandle Refining company, filling station at 1630 Harrison, $2,600.

Mytinger and Walker, residence at 2007 Brook, $3,000.

Mytinger and Walker, residence at 808 Wood, $2,000.

Mytinger and Walker, residence at 1671 Keeler, $3,500.

Mytinger and Walker, residence at 800 Roosevelt, $2,000.

Mytinger and Walker, residence at 1652 Wilson, $3,000.

Mytinger and Walker, residence at 2122 Birdwell, $2,500

Mytinger and Walker, residence at 2124 Birdwell, $2,000.

Mytinger and Walker, residence at 2119 Alma, $2,000.

Mytinger and Walker, residence at 2121 Alma, $2,000

Mytinger and Walker, residence at 1630 Wilson, $2,000.

T. J. Mahoney, residence at 1519 Seventh, $2,500.

A. L. Holt, alter residence at 1809 Polk, $450.

L. C. Conwright, residence at 610 Flood, $1,000.

John Dormier, residence at 1310 Taylor, $4,000.

R. E. Botson, residence at 1309 Third, $500.

W. H. Allen, residence at 3216 Hollywood, $6,000.

W. H. Allen residence at 3104 Hollywood, $4,500.

Home Building company, residence at 1901 Hays, $7,500.

Petrolia Supply company, business house on Michigan street, $450.

GRAHAM SHIPS CATTLE

GRAHAM, April 25.—Mr. D. G. Vick this week shipped thirty-four car loads of cattle from Graham. He has shipped about three thousand head this spring.

Bank Clearings

Rainy Weather And One Holiday Is Blamed For Decline

Rainy weather and a holiday Wednesday probably were responsible for a decrease in bank clearings of the local banks which showed a total of $3,228,650.24 for the week ending April 24, a decrease of more than half a million dollars in comparison with the clearings for the week ending April the 17th.

The statement issued by the Wichita Falls Clearing House association Saturday follows:

Monday	$ 671,764.82
Tuesday	683,788.80
Wednesday, holiday.	
Thursday	760,282.00
Sriday	724,717.87
Saturday	488,096.66
Total	$3,228,650.24
Last week	3,735,897.20
Decrease	507,246.96

"LAUGH THIS OFF"

Agitation for public ownership of industry in this nation is constant in political circles.

At the present time it is being urged for hydroelectric development and automobile liability insurance. It has already been established in government printing and sale of envelopes, and in state compensation insurance. Naturally the desire of supporters of socialistic movements is to extend the system of official and bauraucratic government.

The following statement of Darwin P. Kingsley, president of the New York Life Insurance company, appeared in the Eastern Underwriter of January 15, 1926. It is a good illustration of what happens to private property when the program of socialism is successful.

In accordance with Russian laws foreign life insurance companies maintained on deposit in Russia cash and securities to cover all insurance contracts held by Russian subjects. Such was the situation when the 1917 revolution occurred.

When the soviet government succeeded to power within Russia, it began promptly to put into force its theories that banking, insurance, etc., were exclusively functions of the state and should not be in private hands. In 1917, the soviet government issued its decree taking over all private banking institutions. Formal action was not taken with reference to life insurance, until Dec. 1, 1918, when a decree was promulgated by the central one paragraph which reads:

"All kinds of insurance, such as fire insurance, transport insurance, life insurance, accident insurance, hail insurance, cattle insurance, crop insurance, etc., are declared to be a state monopoly."

Commenting on the foregoing situation Mr. Kingsley said: "Thus, without a word of warning, foreign life insurance companies which had done business in Russia for 40 years and had complied with all the laws, found that the business they had created had been taken over by the soviet government as a government monopoly. We executive committee of all Ruussia, were not allowed to discuss the question. Our money was simply stolen. Evidently the soviet government found that the taking over of assets was more profitable and agreeable than discharging the correspondending liabilities, for after it had taken over the entire assets of the ofreign companies in Russia, and after it had been receiving premiums for about nine months, the government decided to abolish all of the corresponding insurance liabilities.

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