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"WHITE CARGO" ENJOINED BY FEDERAL COURT

Producers Pirated It From "Hell's Playground" Is Claim

JUST SHOWN HERE

Judicial Opinion Holds Its Earnings Go To Woman Author

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A woman playright gave to the theatrical world the powerful play it now appears. This play has been presented in many Texas cities and the reformer and the newspaper critics have been largely in evidence in the public prints wherever the play has been given.

This play was written by Leon Gordon and first produced in the city of New York by Earl Carroll, in the theatre that bears his name, and rumor says that the money necessary for the construction of the theatre was furnished by W. R. Edrington, in other years a Texas banker in the city of Fort Worth.

It is said that the play has netted Gordon and Carroll more than $500,000 since its first presentation. Now Federal Judge John C. Knox of New York has granted an injunction directed against Gordon and Carroll restraining further production of "The White Cargo."

Play Was Pirated.

Judge Knox held that Leon Gordon pirated the play from the novel of Ida Vera Simmonton.

"Hell's Playground" is the title of the noveel.

Miss Simmonton alleges that she visited the leading producers of play in New York City, endeavoring to sell to one of their numbers the dramatic rights of "Hell's Playground." All the producers turned her down. She left copies of the play in their hands. They refused to do business with the authors of "Hell's Playground." She gave up in despair.

Two or three years afterwards Leon Gordon and Earl Carroll presented the production known as "White Cargo." Miss Simminton was amaized. She

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Colder, With Rain or Snow Is Forecasted

Just when Wichita Falls was wondering when it was to have more cold weather, if any, it was driven to shelter by a howling norther that has at least made a good start toward bringing in another cold wave.

Late yesterday afternoon the north wind struck. It carried with it a hefty cloud of dust for a starter and then settled down to a steady gale that increased in severity throughout the night.

Cloudy skies covered northwest Texas late last night and lent support to belief rain or snow might fall here within 12 hours.

Colder, with rain or snow in the north part of the state covered the weather predictions for Friday.

A SUIT OVER SIGNALS

Dallas Defendant In Patent Infringement Action Over Lights.

DALLAS, Feb. 26.—Lawyers representing Dallas were instructed today to go to Washington to take depositions for use in the case in the United States courts in which the Universal Traffic Signal Corporation has sued Dallas for alleged infringement of patents. The suit involves use of the traffic signal light and bell system used here.

Broadcasting Plant For City Discussed

Wichita Falls will have its own radio broadcasting station in the near future if present plans of the Texhoma Oil and Refining company officials and the chamber of commerce materialize. These at present have reached the stage where it is probable they will be placed before the Texhoma directors at their next meeting for approval or rejection.

The chamber of commerce has obligated itself to take charge of the programs, and has indicated a willingness to assume the responsibility for this part of the operation of such a plant providing its installation is finally decided upon.

VERNON TO HAVE HOTEL

Structure Will Be Built Through Popular Subscription.

VERNON, Feb. 26.—Much interest is being shown in the proposed hundred room modern hotel to be erected here in the near future. Subscriptions from Vernon citizens will be asked in the next week and efforts will be made to obtain money to construct the building.

THE WEATHER

The weather as observed by the Wichita Falls Electric company for Thursday was as follows: Maximum 75; minimum 39; 5 p. m. 59; precipitation 0; northeast breeze; clear; average wind velocity 3 miles per hour; fastest 25 miles per hour; barometer 29.03.

WEST TEXAS: Friday partly cloudy, colder, cold wave in southwest portion; Saturday probably fair, rising temperature in north portion.

EAST TEXAS: Friday probably rain except rain or snow in north portion, cold wave, probably freezing to coast Friday night and lower temperatures in the interior; Saturday probably fair, rising temperature in northwest portion.

Wichitan Claims Wife A Bigamist

Warrant Out For Bride Allegedly Thrice Unwedded

IT was a case of two too many, he told officers, when he found out that his wife had a couple of other husbands.

He didn't kick so much when she didn't live with him; he could endure that.

He managed to survive the matrimonial spats without which no home is complete; his hardy constitution saw to that.

But when he found he was No. 3 in her affections and that she had taken him for better or for worse without the formality of a legal separation from either of the other two—he rebelled.

Accordingly, he thought he had grounds for action. He asked the law if it wasn't so, and the law agreed.

As a result of it all, a woman will be returned here today by a local deputy sheriff who left last night for Ardmore to bring her back. She was arrested Thursday noon at a small town in Oklahoma and locked up in Ardmore to await the coming of the Wichita Falls authorities. Officers here got on her trail after her husband had told his story and declared he had proof to show the existence of hubbies 1 and 2.

Formal charges of bigamy will probably be lodged against her when she is arraigned in local courts.

TRADE TRIP FOR CITY BOOSTERS TO BE PLANNED

Business Council Looks Forward To West Texas Chamber Convention

Plans for a big Good-will tour with one day at Mineral Wells for the West Texas chamber of commerce will be discussed at the regular meeting of the business council today according to Jack Barnard, chairman of the council.

A meeting of the trade extension committee of which Burton Stayton is chairman will be held at the chamber of commerce this morning at 10 o'clock it is announced.. at which time the schedule for the several trips to be made this season will be outlined.

A report from C. H. Clark, chairman of the highway committee will also be heard, which will deal particularly with the Archer county road proposition. The committee is endeavoring to use its good offices, it is stated, to settle the matter amicably for all concerned.

All members of the business council are urged to call the chamber of commerce this morning and make reservations for the luncheon today. Cards were mailed Wednesday advising members that calls will not be made from the chamber's offices as has been the case in the past but that members will be expected to call.

34 Lives Sold for $412 Each, Charge

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The house air craft committee, resuming investigation today as though it had not been abruptly halted Saturday, examined Rear Admiral Hilary P. Jones, head of the naval general board, and Clifford A. Tinker, author of the recent magazine article charging congress with selling 34 American lives for $412 each in pursuit of economy and requested Secretary Weeks to re-appear for examination.

Mr. Tinker told the committee the information for his magazine article came from what he considered reliable sources. It charged congress with selling American lives by failing to appropriate $14,000 to transport helium gas from Fort Worth, Texas, for inflation of the dirigible Roma which later blew up while filled with hydrogene.

REALTY BILL IS KILLED

House Passes Motion to Strike Out The Enacting Clause.

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—(AP) — The Stuart hill licensing real estate brokers, favored by Texas real estate board and others, was killed in short order this afternoon when the house reached the senate calendar.

The bill had come to the floor of the house on a committee majority report that it do "not" pass, and a minority report that it do pass. After a bitter argument Representative F. A. Dale of Bonham offered a resolution striking out the enacting clause which was adopted.

PATIENT KEPT IN TUB

Pain from Bed Sores Called for Unusual Procedure

EL PASO, Feb. 26.—John Porter, 22, confined for the past four months to a bath tub filled with water because he would not lay in any other position due to pain from bed sores, has been relieved from his agony.

Porter died today at William Beaumont hospital on the military reservation after months of suffering. An autopsy is being performed to determine the exact cause of death.

DESIRE TO LIVE FOREMOST

All Our Problems Due to That Yearning, Professor Says.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Feb. 26. — (AP)—The desire for the fullest possible life, the fact that "everybody wants to live and not just exist is at the back of all our problems in the modern situation," Dr. Alexander G. Purdy, professor of practical theology in Hartford seminary, Hartford, Conn., said today before the first general session of the convention of the National Association of Deans of Women, National Education association.

MAXWELL'S INCORPORATE

Charter for $600,000 Capital Stock Issued Wichita Falls Firm

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—Chartered: Maxwell Hardware company, Wichita Falls; capital stock $600,000. Purpose, wholesale hardware. Incorporators, J. L. Maxwell, C. H. Maxwell, Mrs. J. L. Maxwell.

TANKS AT INAUGURAL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Plans for the inaugural parade next Wednesday, made public today, show that every branch of the armed forces of the nation will be represented even including a battalion of tanks which will rumble down Peunsylvania avenue.

X-Words In Legislature Bring Howl

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—(AP)—Cross word puzzles reached the floor of the house today.

Representative Tomme obtained recognition on a point of order, and he announced that Representatives McDougald and Robinson were working one of the brain teasers.

Before the speaker could consider the ruling, McDougald made the point of order that Representative Tomme had obtained recognition away from his seat.

"The point of order is sustained," the speaker said, and business was resumed.

Rediscount Rate Is Raised to 3 1-2 pc't.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Directors of the Federal Reserve bank of New York today formally recognized the rising tendency of money rates, resulting from recent business expansion and the greater demand for funds in expanded securities trading by raising the re-discount rate from 3 to 3 1-2 per cent. The three per cent rate which was the lowest in the history of the federal reserve system as well as the lowest bank rate in the world has been in effect since August 8, 1924. The new rate becomes effctiv tomorrow.

VERNON PIONEER DIES

T. H. Shive Buried Sunday Before Large Number of Friends.

VERNON, Feb. 26.—Funeral services for T. H. Shive, pioneer citizen of Wilbarger county and resident of Vernon for the past 35 years, who died Wednesday morning following a long illness, were held Sunday afternoon. Interment followed in a local cemetery.

The funeral was the most impressive ever held in this city. Approximately 700 friends of the deceased man attended the services.

Burkburnett Gets Fire Record Credit

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—The state fire insurance commission yesterday allowed 29 towns a credit for good fire record of from 3 to 15 per cent.

They are: Canyon, 15 per cent; El Paso 15; Denison 3; Bloomington 15; Burkburnett 15; Chillicothe 15; Crockett 15; Donna 12; Flatonia 15; Fort Stockton 15; Grandview 12; Jourdantown 15; Kemp 12; Livingston 15; Lexington 15; Merkel 15; Mount Pleasant 15; Mineral Wells 9; McMullen 15; Roaring Springs 15; Rosenberg 15; Rotan 15; Runge 15; Seguin 15; Santa Anna 15; Shamrock 6; Taylor 15; Valley Mills 15; Weimer 15.

MAN LOSES FINGERS

Vernon Oil Worker Painfully Hurt In Derrick Machinery.

VERNON, Feb. 26. — Raymond White, employee in the South Vernon oil field, who was painfully injured last week when three fingers on his right hand were amputated when his hand caught in a roller in the oil machinery on which he was working, was reported this morning to be progressing nicely.

FALL IS FATAL TO MAN

VERNON, Texas, Feb. 26.—Harry Fallen of Breckenridge, died today of concussion of the brain. He was injured when he fell down stairs yesterday. The body will be taken to Breckenridge. He is survived by his widow.

GERMAN PRESIDENT ILL

BERLIN, Feb. 26. — President Ebert, who underwent an operation Tuesday morning for appendicitis, developed peritonitis last night. He was somewhat better this morning, but his condition was still serious.

NOBLE'S WELL FLOWING FROM SAND AT 2,305

Rankest Of Wilbarger Wildcats Reported In Producer Class

Reports from Wilbarger county late last night were to the effect that the Noble Oil company's No. 1, Waggoner, in section 42, block 4, H&HC-RR survey, located in the red clay hills between Electra and Lake Kemp, five miles from anywhere, made a flow to the top of the crown block yesterday afternoon when bailing of a hole full of water had just got started good.

Sand had been encountered several days ago at 2,305 feet and barely scratched. Five inch casing was being carried and this had been lowered to within 70 feet of the bottom of the hole to a seat. The water in the hole was from above. Bailing had started, it is reported, when the well made its first flow. The control head had been fastened, and the well was immediately shut in, although the oil boiled up for some time through the leaky control.

The find is of the utmost importance. The well is a rank wildcat, and has been drilling over a long period.

It was being drilled by Dan Whatley.

Indiana Democrats Win; Return Home

DAYTON, Ohio, Feb. 26.—(AP)—Indiana democratic senators won their point tonight and started a triumphant trip back to Indianapolis. They were given to understand the bill which caused them to bolt the Indiana general assembly will not pass.

The fourteen men also understood, they said, that all other controversial points in connection with the runaway would be smoothed over.

Considerable anxiety had been exhibited by republicans over the possibility of failure of passage of the annual appropriation bill, due to a continued absence of quorum and it was reported this may have led to concessions on their part.

GRANFIELD YOUTH HURT.

Nine-Year-Old Youth Seriously Injured When Kicked by Horse.

GRANDFIELD, Okla., Feb. 26.—Alfred Caldwell, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Caldwell of this city, was reported in a serious condition today following an accident Monday afternoon when the lad was found in the horse lot with a bad bruise on his head, evidently from the horse's hoof. The injured youth has been unconscious since the accident.

VETERAN'S CHECKS READY

70,000 Drafts For $50 or Less Will Be Sent to Ex-Soldiers.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. — Approximately 70,000 treasury checks for $50 or less, representing the cash payments to be made immediately to war veterans under the compensation act, will be mailed March 1 by the veterans bureau.

The aggregate value of the checks is about $2,250,000. Nearly 300,000 such payments will be made, officials said, going to veterans who served only a short time.

TEXAN IS HELD

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 26.—Fred Broussard, cement worker was arrested here today on advices from Sheriff T. H. Garner of Beaumont, Texas, charging him with murder. Broussard admitted that he had been in several shooting affrays in Texas, but denied he was guilty of murder.

FOR ARMY TRAINING PLANT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Establishment of an army air training "plant" at San Antonio was proposed in a bill introduced today by Senator Morris Sheppard, democrat, Texas.

VERY LATEST NEWS

SAN FRANCISCO—The revalation of an attempt to murder Mrs. Frederick Hotaling, wife of a wealthy San Franciscoan, and possibly her husband and mother-in-law, Mrs. Lavina J. Hotaling, are to be presented to the grand jury for investigation when it meets next Monday night, it was announced today by the police.

MUNFORDVILLE, Ky.—The Union Trust company, of Glasgow today was appointed administrator of the estate of Floyd Collins by County Judge C. E. Nicholas following filing of petitions in the Hart county court allering that Lee Collins, father of Floyd Collins, who met death when trapped by a bolder in Sand cave near here was mentally incompetent to administer his son's estate.

PARIS—(AP)—Several steamers are aground from Dunkirk on the Straight of Dover to Biarritz on the Bay of Biscay, and many others today were sending out wireless calls for assistance in the terrific westerly gales which have been raging from the English channel, along the Atlantic to the Bay of Biscay for the past four days. Tonight the gales were showing no signs of abating.

SHERIDAN—Quardruplets were born last night to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stephens. They were named John, Jean, Jane and June. The boy weighed three pounds while two of the girls weighed 3½ pounds, each of the other 3½ pounds. The father is a plumber and they have seven other children. Mother and babies are doing well.

BAYONNE, France—Roger Bonserall, known as "the avenger of Feround," and a famous war ace himself, was killed today during an exhibition flight at Monte de Marsan, near here. Since the armistice Bonserall had been employed by a circus to make flights over towns and cities, performing stunts and dropping hand bills.

LOS ANGELES—The argument of two screen comedians over a particular costume worn before the camera resulted today in Charles Spencer Chaplin mounting the witness stand again, this time as a defense witness in his suit against Charles Amador. Amador's counsel questioned Chaplin regarding a picture that is under production, asking him if it was not true that the women's club of southern California had protested against it being shown at a Los Angeles play house because of its character portrayal, causing cancellation of engagement. "It's a lie," the comedian exclaimed.

RUSSELL CASE TO U. S. COURTS LATEST THREAT

Middlesex County, Massachusetts, Official Promises Action

HE BLAMES JIM

Case Never Got To Miriam He Tells The Attorney General

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Feb. 26.—The case of Albert P. Russell of Wichita Falls, Texas, whom Governor M. A. Ferguson of Texas, has refused to turn over to Massachusetts authorities on charges of wife desertion, will be taken to the supreme court of the United States if necessary, District Attorney Arthur K. Reading of Middlesex county, announced today.

Charles E. Mullahan, a special agent sent to Texas with extradition papers for Russell who was indicted by the Middlesex grand jury, returned without his prisoner, and reported that James Ferguson, husband of the Texas governor, presided at the extradition hearing and decided agafust the Massachusetts request.

District Attorney Reading today advised the attorney general's department that "Russell should be brought back even though it should be necessary to carry the case to the highest court in the land."

His letter to Assistant Attorney General Goldberg read: "In the first instance, while of course it is not of controlling importance, the request of Governor Fuller of Massachusetts was not heard by Governor Ferguson at all but by her husband and was decided by him without the agent, Charles Mullahan, having once seen Governor Ferguson—"

Congress Approves Postal Pay Raise

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. — The postal pay and rate increase bill received final congressional approval today and now goes to the president. The conference report, practically substituting the house bill for that passed by the senate, was accepted by the senate after short debate.

The measure provides for an average increase of about $300 annually in postal employees salaries, effective as of January 1, this year and increases postal rates effective April 15 next, to raise about $60,000,000 of the $68,000,000 required for the pay advances.

SPEAKERSHIP IN DOUBT

Longworth's Campaign Managers Claim 140 Votes.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—With the speakership contest definitely narrowed down to Nicholas Longworth of Ohio and Martin B. Madden of Illinois, conflicting claims were made today as to the strength each would develop on the show down tomorrow night at the caucus of republican members elect of the house.

Representative Begg of Ohio directing the Longworth campaign, predicted his candidate would poll close to 140 votes and Madden less than 100.

Public Hearings On Pen Probe Planned

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—(AP) — The Texas prison system, just released from the close inspection of a joint legislative committee, must go on the block of public inspection again to substantiate the recommendations of the joint committee that "for the good of the system," twenty-three officials and employes should be discharged, the senate decided today when it adopted a resolution by Senator T. G. Pollard of Tyler, providing for public hearings beginning next Thursday night.

INCREASES ON ROCK ISLAND

Locomotive Engineers And Firemen's Wages Advanced.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26. — The Rock Island railroad today increased the pay to its locomotive engineers and firemen which the company estimates will amount to a total increase in wages of $432,000 per year.

The increases per day of eight hours or 100 miles, amount to 24 cents for passenger service, 36 cents for freight service and 32 cents for work in the yards.

"SNOW BIRDS" WELCOME JAIL

Drug Addict Says He Gained 10 Pounds During Incarceration.

WACO, Feb. 26. — Judge C. A. Boynton in the federal court here today sent ten men to the penitentiary for violating the federal narcotic act. All pleaded guilty and most of them intimated that they were glad to receive the sentence as a possible cure for the drug habit with which all were alleged to be afflicted. One of the men sentenced has already shown the beneficial effects of being kept in jail away from drugs by gaining ten pounds in weight.

STAMFORD GETS TEXAS BAND.

STAMFORD, Feb. 26.—The University of Texas Longhorn Band will appear here in a one day engagement March 21, it was learned today. The contract was signed by merchants of the city who raised through subscription enough money to bring the band here.

WRECK KILLS THREE

ELGIN, Ills. Feb. 26. — Three persons were killed today when a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul limited train struck an automobile on the state street crossing at Hampshire, near her

Forbidden to Leave, She Jumps



When Miss Naomi Baker, 23, artists' model, often referred to as "the most beautiful girl in Chicago," was forbidden by her stepfather to stay out late at night, she leaped from the window of the apartment and fell three floors. She is expected to die.

LAUGH IT OFF, SAYS SHEP, AND HENRIETTA DOES

Annual Banquet Thursday Night Proves To Be a Big Success

HENRIETTA, Feb. 26.—"Laugh it off" sang Mayor R. E. Shepherd of Wichita Falls tonight to the 300 Henrietta citizens, who had met here in the second annual chamber of commerce banquet.

Laugh it off they did, amid songs, laughter, good natured parley and sarcastic humor. The dinner proved to be a far greater success than even the most optimistic had predicted.

In the end, though, they came to the serious side of the meeting, for they had met for that purpose, and the members planned a greater Henrietta and northwest Texas. The program for 1925 was mapped out, the principal feature of the plans being the actual construction of a cement highway through Clay county.

Whaley Speaks.

"The chamber of commerce in its ultimate analysis is a great educational institution for the purpose of educating the people as to the advantages of their particular community," stated Porter A. Whaley, of Stamford, manager of the West Texas chamber of commerce, speaker of the evening, in introducing his talk, "West Texas Progress Through Co-operation."

The speaker reiterated the fact that west Texas had in the past few years shown marked progress, principally because of the unusual publicity that had been given its towns throughout the state. He gave the chamber of commerce the credit for this work.

He claimed that several years ago the institution had started working with an eye to the future, that it had projected its plans into the future, and that the efforts were only now begging to bear fruits.

Luther Hoffman, prominent Wichita Falls attorney, spoke on the average citizen in ordinary life. He said there were really but three types of people in the community; the small group who actually oppose every project advanced; the large group who take active interest in municipal affairs; and the small group who are continually working for the good of the community.

W. Bridges, secretary of the local commerce association, spoke briefly on the past activities and accomplishments of the chamber of commerce in Henrietta. Among the many things he named that had been accomplished during the past year were the successful culmination of the road bond litigation, and many other important achievements.

W. W. King outlined the program for 1925. The principal feature of this work will be the erection of a new hotel here and the paving of Clay county roads.

Frank Bunting, acting as chairman in place of W. H. Chilson, president of the local organization, who was ill, presented the high scchool football team with awards won during the past fall.

Judge L. Williams made a short explanattion of the new street improvement amendment to the city charter that will come up for a vote of the people. Judge Williams explained the necessity of the amendment passing if Henrietta is to have improved streets in the future.

The musical program was ably cared for by Mayor R. E. Shepherd, who led the members in songs and who also sang several solos. He was accompanied by Mrs. Shepherd.

Many favorable comments were heard on the excellent dinner that was served. The ladies of the First Christian church where the banquet was held prepared and served the menu.

SCULPTOR FOR MEMORIAL IS STILL FUGITIVE

Gutzen Borglum And His Aid Sought In Four States

ATLANTA, Feb. 26.—Police of four states, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia and Georgia joined forces today in the search for Gutzen Borglum and J. G. Tucker, charged with malicious mischief following the destruction of models and plans for the gigantic monument to the southern Confederacy at Stone Mountain, Georgia, late yesterday afternoon.

The two have been variously reported as having boarded a train for Cincinnati, and identified as occupants of an automobile which stopped at Grayson, Ga., last evening for gasoline, according to information received by Dekalb county authorities.

Plans were devised today for the resumption of work on the mountain, Hollins N. Randolph, president of the association, announced tonight in a statement which promised a steady continuance of the work and appealed for the continued cooperation of the people of the country and particularly those of the south.

Destruction of the models followed closely upon the dismassal of Borglum as sculptor for the memorial by the executive committee of the association Wednesday afterncon. The resolution cancelling the sculptor's contract stated that the work on the monument was "not proceeding proportionatly with payments made or to the satisfaction of the association."

Texas Girl Is Prey Of Convict, Belief

MADISONVILLE, Texas, Feb. 26. —Fear that Miss Eunice Parten, popular 17-year-old school girl living at Midway, 12 miles from here, was kidnapped Wednesday night by an ex-convict, was expressed by her friends Thursday, and peace officers over the state have been asked to aid in locating her.

The girl was last seen at a boarding house in Huntsville, at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday. She had gone to Huntsville with the Midway basket ball team, which played the Huntsville normal team.

WILLIAMS GETS 25 YEARS

Sentence Served On Negro Youth Indicted For Ashmore Slaying

Formal sentence which will send him to the penitentiary for 25 years was pronounced Thursday morning on M. T. Williams, negro, when he appeared before Judge H. R. Wilson of the 30th district court for sentence on a charge of robbery with a deadly weapon. Williams was convicted last week in connection with an attempted robbery and an attack in August, 1924, on Mike Pearce, store clerk here.

The negro is also under indictment and is scheduled for trial in district court at Denton in connection with the slaying last summer of Wesley Ashmore.

SENATOR'S COUSIN DIES

OLATHE, Kan., Feb. 26.—Within an hour after the announcement of the death in Washington of Senator Medill McCormick, his cousin, Miss Nannie Nelms Clarke, 89, died here yesterday at the home of her nephew, Hugh C. Clarke.

MARY FRANCES VISITS FATHER IN JAIL CELL

First Meeting Since Deatl Of Buster Comes Late Thursday

EX-MAYOR INDICTED

He Is Denied Bail And Awaits Habeas Corpus Hearing Saturday

Mary Frances Collier, 18-year-old daughter of former Mayor Frank Collier who is now under indictment for the murder of Elsie "Buster" Robertson, visited her father for a short time late Thursday afternoon.

The meeting—the first since the night of February 14 when young Robertson was shot to death — was held in the county jail where Mr. Collier is now detained pending the outcome of efforts of his attorneys to gain his release on bond. It lasted but a short time, and after it was over the girl returned to the home of Mrs. Hattie Robertson, 1301 Eighteenth where last night she and the older woman were again on the verge of hysterics.

Climaxes The Day.

The visit came as the climax of a day that brought formal indictment of Mr. Collier and his remandment to jail without bond. In a report made to Judge H. R. Wilson of the 30th district court Thursday morning, the grand jury that has spent the week in inveitgation of the case returned a true bill. Mr. Collier was immediately taken in custody by Deputy Sheriff Moore and entered the jail after bond had been denied him. He cannot gain his liberty before Saturday morning when a hearing will be held on habeas corpus proceedings started yesterday by his attorneys.

District Attorney James V. Allred, after the indictment was returned in open court, recommended to Judge Wilson that Mr. Collier be held without bail. He based his recommendation on the statute which provides that bail shall not be granted in any capitol case in which a death penalty may be inflicted. Judge Wilson listened to arguments on the matter and announced that he would approve Mr. Allred's recommendations. He later set 9 o'clock Saturday morning as the hour for a hearing on the writ of habeas corpus sued out by W. F. Weeks and C. I. Francis, Mr. Collier's attorneys, thus closing other developments in the case until that time.

Mr. Allred later in the day declared he would continue to contest bond for the former mayor.

Visit A Secret.

What transpired in the brief jail-cell meeting of Mr. Collier and the daughter who, since the death of her husband, has steadfastly refused to see her parents, is not known. Sheriff's deputies and jailers at the county lock-up were pledged to silence and refused, even, to conform or deny the visit. It was admitted, however, that a special permit was given the girl to visit the jail. Thursday is not a regular visiting day and only on rare occassions is any one outside of officers and court attaches allowed inside. Sheriff Fred K. Smith, however stretched a point when the permit was sought.

Mary Francis was taken to the court house by Jimmy Elliott, a warm friend of the Collier family who called for her at the Robertson home where she is now living. The couple returned immediately after the brief visit.

At the Robertson home Thursday night the girl and Mrs. Robertson, mother of the boy for whose murder Mr. Collier stands indicted, were both in tears. Members of the family told visitors they were unable to learn anything definite from Mary Francis regarding the meeting with her father. They said she had returned, sobbing hysterically and that her grief had evidently unnerved her mother-in-law. The two women were prostrated by the tragic events connected with young Robertson's death on Valentine's night. The shock and ordeal of the funeral weighed heavily upon them, but during the past week both had regained their composure. A constant companion of her youthful daughter-in-law, Mrs. Robertson, members of her family believe, was unable to control herself when Mary Francis broke down once more. Both were denied to visitors.

Await Saturday.

With Mr. Collier now indicted as it was expected he would be, principal developments in the case turn to the Saturday morning hearing through which he will seek to gain his freedom. Whether or not he is successful can be only a matter of conjecture and one which will not be decided until the hearing is concluded. Should the habeas corpus writ be granted by Judge Wilson, Mr. Collier will be allowed to perfect a new bond to take the place of the $20,000 one perfected after the shooting. If it is denied he will be remanded to jail to await the outcome of his trial.

Court attaches yesterday speculated on the probable setting of the case, with the general opinion being that it would be called for trial late in March or early in April. A reasonable time, of course, must be allowed both sides for preparation. It was felt that both the state and defense would favor as speedy disposition of the affair as possible and for this reason the legal battle already in process of formation may be looked for sometime in the spring.

The grand jury report yesterday came as no surprise. It was indicated Wednesday night that a partial report might be forthcoming sometime Thursday, although it also indicated the findings of the inquisitorial body might not be made known until Friday. Members of the grand jury reported for duty as usual at 9 o'clock

Yesterday and before 10 sent word to Judge Wilson that they wished to submit a partial report. The one bill of indictment against Mr. Collier was the only one presented at the time, and immediately afterward a capias for Mr. Collier's arrest was issued.

Comes With Attorney.

He came to the court house with a deputy sheriff and Fred Weeks, one of his attorneys.

The grand jury returned to work as soon as the formalities of the report had been dispensed with. They spent the balance of the day in an investigation of other matters and adjourned at 5 o'clock. District Attorney Allred indicated last night that a final report might come today, but might not be ready until sometime Saturday. There seems to be but little doubt that work will be finished this week. Only a few more criminal matters remain to be investigated, it has been indicated.

Conditional Pardon Given Roy Taylor

A conditional pardon has been granted by Governor Miriam Ferguson to Roy A. Taylor, former hotel operator of this city, who was convicted in the state courts and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary for violation of the liquor laws. He is now at his home here, having returned several days ago after serving but a few weeks of his sentence.

The pardon was recommended by Senator J. D. Parnell, Representative J. A. Avis, Lieut. Gov. Barry Miller and the pardon board.

Taylor was convicted on the strength of evidence obtained when a party of state, county and city officers raided the Westland hotel, now the Texan, which Mr. Taylor was then operating. A large quantity of whiskey, empty bottles, caps, labels and other equipment was taken from the hostelery, it was testified.

After a long legal fight the defendant was convicted and the appellate courts eventually upheld the findings of the lower court.

MAN RECEIVES BOMB

Package Explodes When Unwrapped But No Damage Results.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Feb. 26.—A bomb was received through the mail today by Matthew J. Fowler, a member of the citizens' committee, now engaged in an effort to bring about settlement of problems in the local shoe industry.

A part of the contents of the bomb exploded when the covering was removed by A. B. Shedd, an employee of Mr. Fowler, but no damage was done.

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* * *

Snow-White looked about the little house into which she had run for shelter from the dark forest. Everything seemed very small, but quite neat and dainty. In the middle stood a little table with a white cover over it, and seven little plates and seven little mugs upon it. Against the wall were seven little beds ranged in a row.

Suddenly she heard steps outside and through the window she caught a glimpse of some one coming. At once she trembled with fright, and ran to hide behind a closet door.

(Here's the strange looking dwarf Snow-White glimpsed through the window. Color his suit and cap brown and his little jacket bright green, with a red and green scarf and black beard. What will become of little Snow-White? You'll find out tomorrow.)

WHITE CARGO

(Conttinued from page 1)

said the play had been pirated from her novel, "Hell's Playground" and she appealed to the federal courts for the restoration of her property rights. Her suit was instituted last fall.

There were many experts called as witnesses. Judge Knox made a careful reading of the novel, "Hell's Playground." At the conclusion of the hearing he issued a most sweeping injunction. Now Gordon and Carroll have appealed the case but the newspapers of New York City are of the opinion that an accounting will be made in the near future and that a very large sum of money will fall into the lap of Miss Simminton.

Profits $500,000.

As the profits of the play had exceeded $500,000 and as there are several road companies playing to large business it would seem that the authors of "Hell's Playground" is coming into her own in the near future. This comment of the court may interest the readers of this news paper.

Anyone who may take the trouble to read what I have attempted will, I am sure, be impressed by the fact that neither the book nor the play is elevating. Both are unnecessarily coarse and highly sensual. They nevertheless purport to deal with actual conditions as they are known to exist in tropical countries."

Miss Simminton did not draw upon her imagination when she gathered the material for "Hell's Playground." She visited South Africa and many of the tropical islands of the southern seas and she protrayed conditions as she found them. Her novel had a large sale. Her play as given to the world by Leon Gordon became a great money maker.

Now she is coming into her own. What will the reformers of Texas say when told that a woman and not a man is responsible for the play which they have so freely denounced. "Hell's Playground" is certain to continue to be a money maker in the cities and towns of America for years to come.

MOTHERS



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DALLAS MAN LOSES HAND

DALLAS, Feb. 26.—J. D. Hayes, 33, had a hand cut off today in the shop of a local lumber company. His hand slipped from a board and onto the saw, it was said.

Vernon Man Dies Following Stair Fall

VERNON, Feb. 26.—Harry F. Allen, 30 died last night at a local hospital from injuries received causing concussion of the brain when he fell down a flight of stairs at a rooming house on North Main. The accident occurred about 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

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The Carey pool went another location east yesterday afternoon in completions by White Brothers and the Sun Oil company on the W. J. Kunkel farm, S. G. Hardaway survey, abstract 164, two miles north of Olney.

White Brothers No. 3 made the best well reckoned at better than 1,500 barrels a day from sand at 1,134-1,155 feet. The well last night was flowing by 11 minute heads, and showing for as good or a better well than its west offset, No. 1, which showed an initial day's production of somewhere around 1,700 barrels.

Two locations south of the White Brothers well Sun Oil company had a 500 barrel well or better from sand at 1,140-50 feet, approximately. The two completions extend the Carey district another location east, with no sign of a let up.

Interest now is centered in the Petroleum Producers and Harvey and Andrade lease still further east, nearly half a mile ahead of production, starting up again yesterday at 940 feet. Completion here for a well will give the Carey district a solid stretch of wells almost a mile and a half in length.

Between the Sun and White wells Shaw and Ratke and Petroleum Producers yesterday were drilling at 850 feet in lime after being shut down for water, and due to complete within a day or two.

The White well had been turned into the tanks at dark last night.

Rummage sale at 809 Ohio, Friday and Saturday. —Adv.

News of the Fields

Young-Looney, Mathews

Young and Looney's No. 1 Mathews in the Jose Ostane survey, just northwest of Archer City was drilling yesterday at about 800 feet. The well is located near the northwest corner of the lower half of the survey, better than a mile and one-half from Archer City.

Dawson, Powell

Dawson and others are drilling below 550 feet on their No. 1, Powell, located northwest of Archer City, and south of the Oil Investment company's pool.

Burton-Ruff, Waggoner

Burton and Ruff were running ten-inch pipe yesterday to a seat at 1,120 feet in their No. 1, Waggoner, located in section 49, H&TCRR survey, north of the Gulf's Waggoner well, Wilbarger county.

Shaw-Rathke, Kunkel

Shaw-Rathke and Petroleum Producers yesterday were drilling at about 850 feet in lime in their No. 2, Kunkel, the second location east from the west line of their 10½-acre Kunkel lease between the White Brothers and Sun company's leases.

Texhoma, Harbison

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company's No. 7, Harbison, Swastika, was placed on the swab yesterday and was reported showing for a 200-barrel well, sand at 1,301-11 feet. The well is an offset to Christie and Graham's No. 1, Farmers State Bank, Swastika extension well.

East Carey Test

Petroleum Producers and Andrade had water late yesterday and expected to start up at once on their test in the southeast corner of their 51-acre Kunkel tract, east of the Carey district, shut down for the past few days at 940 feet.

Andrade, Cockrell

Andrade and McGregor were drilling yesterday below a last reported depth of 1,275 feet on their No. 1, Cockrell, TE&LCO survey, block 2404, in the southeast corner of Baylor county.

Texas Company, Hill

The Texas company is drilling below a last reported depth of 1,312 feet in its No. 2, Hill, in the southeast corner of its Hill lease, block 2408, TE&LCO survey, north of the Harmel pool. The well was expected to be on the sand sometime late yesterday or last night.

Andrade and Verschoyle were drilling yesterday past a last reported depth of 750 feet in their No. 1, Haley, TE&LCO survey, block 309, due south of Spring Creek in Young county.

Sun Company, Kunkel

The Sun company yesterday morning completed its No. 2, W. J. Kunkel, second location east from the northwest corner of its Kunkel lease, east end of the Carey pool, and had what looked like a 500-barrel well or better from sand at 1,140-50 feet, approximately. The well had every appearance of being a better producer than the No. 1 to the west, which is still flowing, although rigged up to pump, about 180 barrels a day.

The No. 3, a location south of No. 1, is drilling at about 700 feet, while the No. 4, still another location south, is shut down for water at about 150 feet.

Shaw-Rathke, Hayter

Shaw and Rathke have completed and are placing on the pump their No. 3, Hayter B, a north offset to the Atlantic No. 1, Hayter, block 1598, west Harmel area, for a 100-barrel well, sand below 1,300 feet.

The No. 2 in the northwest corner is a dry hole. No. 5 is a twenty-barrel well from the usual sand.

White Brothers, Kunkel

Looking in an incomplete stage as if might equal the old No. 1, Kunkel, the best well of the Carey district, White Brothers No. 3, a location east was showing yesterday afternoon at four o'clock for an excellent producer, sand record given at 1,134-49 feet, with the last two feet a hard break, and the real pay beneath barely penetrated.

The well showed for somewhere around 200 or 300 barrels in the upper stratum. It started flowing from the second pay before the drill pipe was hardly started out of the hole to exchange bits. At four o'clock the operators were going back in to drill several more feet of the sand.

The No. 2, a location north of the No. 1, was drilling yesterday at 1,017 feet, with the No. 4 to the north of that a rig, and the No. 5, a location east of No. 3, building a slushpit.

Throckmorton Gasser

The Panhandle Refining company and Larkin and White have a 20,000,000 cubic foot gasser in their No. 1, Mrs. T. S. Richards, block 23, A. J. Morgan survey, approximately twelve miles south of the town of Throckmorton, Throckmorton county.

The gas is coming from a twelve-inch hole. Ten-inch casing will be lowered to a seat above the sand and the well capped to permit its use for fuel. Sand record was given last night as 1,264-67 feet.

Panhandle-Ray

Panhandle Refining company and G. B. Ray are moving timber on for a derrick on the Van Himmett farm, TE&LCO survey 352, test located about five miles north and west of the town of Newcastle, north Young county.

Last Reports

United Central No. 5, Rogers, spudded and drilling.

Turman et al, No. 1, Greenway, southwest Archer, shut down after spudding.

Comac No. 1, Seay, block 110, derrick, Harris sub-division of Club ranch.

Comac No. 1, Seay, block 69, Harris sub-division of Club ranch, derrick and rig moving on.

Hill-Hayes No. 1, Stewart, near Farmer, north Young county, location.

Roberts-Hill-Howell, No. 1, Wilson, dg below 1,400 feet, north Archer county.

Magnolia, Waggoner No. 1, east Wilbarger county, location.

S. E. Company, Face, dg at 1,100 feet.

McKnight-Gwynn, No. 1, O'Donell, southwest Archer, location.

Moores et al, No. 1, Kunkel, north Young county, derrick building.

Reed et al, Claud, central Young county, location, rig on ground.

Panhandle-Knight-Hines No. 1, Street, near Jean, north Young county, dg at 860 feet.

Atlantic No. 1, Hayter, southwest Archer county, dg at 700 feet.

Levy-Kane, No. 1, Wagoner, section 58, block 4, Wilbarger county, ready to start up cable tools.

Golding et al, No. 1, Hamilton, south Archer, location.

Burns-Maxson No. 1, Mothes, north Young county, ready to spud.

Atlantic-Jones No. 1, Finch, north Young county, dg below 625 feet.

Petroleum Producers No. 1, Howard, dg at 2,190 feet.

S. E. Company, No. 1, Dunn, Clay county ed for water at 1,425 feet.

Consolidated No. 1, Bellmay, Young county, Froffit district, sd at 1,000 feet.

Consolidated No. 1, Waggoner, block 4, Wilbarger county, spudding.

Burns No. 1, fee, north Young county, sd at 700 feet, reerecting derrick.

Daniels-Rutis-Petroleum Producers No. 1, Howard, Montague county, dg at 850 feet.

Texas company, Grahem sd at 1,335, north Young county.

Texas company, Hill No. 2, SW Archer, dg at 1,102 feet.

Mariand No. 1, Ward, spudded and drilling.

Sanders No. 1, Lawson, Knox county, dg below 700 feet.

Duke-McKee, Dipprey, Se Baylor county, spudded and dg.

Southern Exploration company, No. 1, Stevens, Throckmorton county, location.

Atlantic No. 1, Parker, south Wilbarger dg past 1,575 feet.

Rayzor et al, No. 1 Porter, south Archer county, location.

McQuaid, Schramm No. 1, east Gaylor county, location.

Mills Bennett, No. 1, Serelle, west Archer county, location.

Shell-Boggs, No. 1, Wilson, location, Archer county.

Dawson et al, Wilson No. 1, north Young, standing full of oil and water.

Daniels and Rutis No. 1, Keith, north Young, sd at 460.

Texhoma-Holmes, Flanicken, location north Wilbarger county.

Waxwell-Weekly, No. 1, Morris, north Wilbarger, derrick.

Mulligan No. 1, Waggoner, Wilbarger county, fishing below 1,100 feet.

SOUTH LIBERTY HAS FIELD.

HOUSTON, Feb. 26.—The new constal heavy oil field three miles south of Liberty, county seat of Liberty county, and known as the Liberty field is off to a flying start, three tests completed and all three producers, according to the Houston Chronicle today which adds:

"The latest addition to the new field is the Oxford No. 1 Harrison, just completed for 1,200 barrels, 22.8 gravity pipe line oil at a temperature of 80 degrees. Depth of hole approximately 3,400 feet.

"The new well is on a offset to the Winfree-Pickett discovery well brought in New Year's day for 600 barrels and the Mills Bennett No. 1, Pickett, the latter completed last week for 1,000 barrels production.

"Twenty-five derricks are up in the new field, most of them rigged and weather conditions are favorable to an intensive and wide spread drilling campaign. The new South Liberty field bids fair to rank all other coastal fields in development the present year."

Royalty Owners Appear At Austin In Interest Of Carbon-Black Bill; Masterson Heads Large Delegation

AUSTIN, Feb. 26. — Col. R. B. Masterson, one of the large ranch owners of the Panhandle, is the head of a big delegation in the capitol city pushing the carbon black bill. Col. Masterson says there are 40 or 50 gas wells in the Amarillo territory with no market for the gas.

This is the reason he says that the law makers are asked to put over the pending bill which would authorize the railroad commission to issue permits to persons who are ready to build large plants for the manufacture of carbon black in this section of Texas.

He says the land owners are poor, there is no market for the natural gas, that these wells are on the private property of the backers of the carbon black bill and that while it is alright to talk about posterity and its rights he feels that something should be done for the men who have fought — bled and died for many years to make the Panhandle country what it is today.

This Panhandle gas belt, he says, covers a territory 125 miles by 60 and the huge gas well on his ranch had an initial flow of one hundred and seven million cubic feet and ran wild for three or four weeks before it was capped. Furthermore there is no market for the gas supply furnished by the big gasser and forty or fifty lesser wells than the city of Amarillo.

This works a hardship upon the owners of the wells and because there is no market for the supply Colonel Masterson and those who think as he thinks insists that the carbon black bill would not work a hardship upon posterity but would place money in the pockets of the owners of ranches and stock farms who are of the opinion that people now on earth are just as deserving of sympathy as the people who will be on earth fifty years hence.

He admits that there is a division among the people of his section and that there is decided opposition to the natural gas of that section being used by the manufacture of carbon black.

There is a large delegation here from Amarillo, composed of its leading citizens who are fighting the enactment of the carbon black bill and they are telling the law makers the reason why.

Lee Bivins, a leading citizen of Potter county, is interested with Col. Masterson in gas properties but as Mr. Bivins is a candidate for mayor of Amarillo he isn't taking sides in the carbon black controversy, as Amarillo is a hot bed of opposition to the carbon black proposition which has the backing of Col. Masterson and his friends.

1924 Gas Output Exceeds Records

Past Refinery Performance Belittled By Figures

WASRINGTON, Feb. 26.—Gasoline production in the United States in 1924 amounted to 8,958,680,220 gallons by far the greatest annual output in the industry's history, according to interior department stastics made public today. The figure exceeded by 1,403,735,077 gallons the previous high mark set in 1923.

Daily average production was more than 24,480,000 gallons, or 18.25 per cent above that of the preceding year. Imports dropped 24.20 per cent under 1923.

A new consumption record also was set, the use of 7,780,625,030 gallons exceeding that of the 1923 high mark by more than 1,095,000,000 gallons. The daily average domestic demand was 16.07 per cent higher than in 1923. There was an increase of gasoline stocks on hand during 1924, of 104,603,535 gallons of 9.73 per cent more than in 1923. Kerosene production in 1924 was 2,521,108,564 gallons or 7.04 per cent higher than in 1923. Gas and fuel oils produced totalled 13,459,968,845 gallons, representing 11.17 per cent more than the 1923 output.

REAGAN FIELD EXTENDED.

Shot Puts 2,100 Feet of Oil in Hole Of New Well.

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Feb. 26.—Extension of the Reagan county oil field on university land a quarter mile southeast resulted today when Texon Group Number One oil corporation's No. 4 well in the northeast quarter of section 1, block 8, filled to 2,000 feet in oil, after being shot Wednesday around 3,127 feet.

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A. P. I. Report Shows Output Up

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The daily average gross crude oil production of the United States increased 12,500 barrels for the week ending February 21, according to the weekly summary of the American Petroleum Institute. Daily average production east of California was a 1,545,800 barrels, increased 8,800; California 601,800, increase 3,700.

Oklahoma shows a daily average production of 484,200 barrels, an increase of 950; Kansas 85,800, increase 1,950; North Texas 88,050, increase 650; east central Texas 169,000, increase 1,900; west central Texas 54,650, increase 750; north Louisiana 50,050, increase 650; Arkansas 104,600, increase 600; gulf coast and southwest Texas 122,950, decrease 400; eastern 98,000, unchanged; Wyoming, Montana and Colorado 89,100, increase 1,750.

Daily average imports of petroleum at principal ports for the week were 163,000 barrels, compared with 191,714 the previous week.

There were no changes reported in crude oil prices for the major districts, midcontinent being quoted $1.35 to $2.35 a barrel; Pennsylvania, Bradford district, remains at $3.85, all other grades $3.75; gulf coast grade "A" $2.00, grade "B" $1.75, and California crude $1.25 to $2.40.

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CHEAP MONEY FOR TEXAS.

An up state daily newspaper carried an editorial appeal for the repeal of the Robertson law. Its chief argument was and is that the Robertson law keeps cheap money out of Texas and that Texans need all the cheap money that they can get.

Is it true that the Robertson law keeps cheap money out of Texas? Those who know the provisions of the Robertson law know that it does nothing of the kind. All the life insurance companies of the world are permitted to loan money in Texas. All that a foreign life insurance company has to do is to take out a permit and the permit only costs fifty dollars per annum.

Those who have witnessed the workings of the Robertson law in Texas know that it keeps cheap money in Texas—the money of Texans who are engaged in all the pursuits or vocations from tilling the soil to the running of the biggest bank in the commonwealth.

The compulsory feature of the Robertson law compels a foreign life insurance company to invest a certain amount of its premium money in Texas each year. Thus keeping it in Texas and providing Texans who need money with cheap money.

A case in point:

Since the Wirtz bill was introduced in the senate, the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance company has invaded Texas. Not to write life insurance, but to loan money to the people of Texas who are in need of money and who have the collateral on which to borrow the same.

Now the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance company is one of the oldest in America. It has admitted assets of $168,000,000. It has insurance in force of $1,000,000,000. It did not invade Texas as has been stated to write life insurance.

It did invade Texas as a profitable field for the investment of money and all that the permit issued cost this New England company in fees is approximately $75.00 a year.

This company did not ask for the repeal of the Robertson law. It did not ask that the Robertson law should be modified or amended. It knew the legal requirements here and now its agents are here or will be here in the near future to make loans to the people of the Lone Star state.

Now why should the Robertson law be repealed? Why should the compulsory investment feature be destroyed? Why should not the law apply to all alike. Why should the big three be permitted to destroy the law?

If their presidents or managers wish to invade Texas for the purpose of loaning thousands or millions of dollars to the people, all that they have to do is to follow in the wake of the Massachusetts Mutal Life Insurance company, said to be one of the oldest and strongest in America.

Texas is a rich field for investment. Texas will grow richer as an investment field as the years roll by. It was wise to keep Texas money in Texas years and years ago. It is wise today.

Why not build up Texas instead of New York. Why not make Texas the empire state of America in reality as well as in name?

CANADA AND TEXAS

Canada has a population of 9,000,000 and a recent survey shows 622,560 motor vehicles in the dominion. Texas has a population of 5,000,000. It is said that Texas has 800,000 motor vehicles.

Henry Ford has many new worlds to conquer before the point of saturation has been reached by his immortal lizzie known as the flivver. He has a big plant in Canada and the plant in getting results. He is turning out tractors in Russia and later along he may establish a motor vehicle and tractor plant in the republic of Mexico.

Wonderful man, this Michigan billionaire, who has a checking account of $200,000,000 in the banks of Detroit and is the second largest income tax payer in the world. Twenty-six years ago he was an ambitious mechanic taking home a pay check of $25.00 per week. Look at him now.

He has all the bonanza kings of the dead ages reduced to pikers and all the Napoleons of the living age made third raters with the sole exception of Deacon John D. Rockefeller, the elder, and John D. Junior.

As a money maker, Wizard Henry is alone in his class. He is the man who made life worth the living in the country and is responsible for the concrete highways of America.

ANOTHER PROSPERITY STRAW.

All the returns are in and the federal department has made the interesting announcement that the 1924 income taxes fell off only $23,607,372, as the receipts in the calendar year were $1,803,367,666 despite the 25 per cent reduction generously accorded income tax payers by the American congress.

Other revenues, however, showed a slump, the revenue from miscellaneous taxes having fallen $67,000,000 in the last half of the year 1924. New York, in the payment of income taxes led the list of states, having paid $241,000,000 in income tax alone.

Jones the income taxpayer would welcome another 25 per cent reduction but he is not going to get it this year.

TAXATION BILLS SMOTHERED.

How will it be possible to obtain additional revenues for the upkeep and maintenance of all departments or institutions of the state if no attempt is being made to raise additional revenue. Texas is growing all the time. Departments of government are growing. Population is increasing all the time.

From every quarter comes the demand that the state university shall be made first, that other institutions of higher learning shall be made first, that the rural schools of Texas shall be made equal to those of any other commonwealth and that the public schools in the rural district shall be of the same high standard of those of the larger cities and towns.

There is a demand from every quarter that the insane shall not be confined in jails or poor houses. There is a demand from every quarter that the public highways of Texas shall be equal to those of the advanced and forward moving commonwealth of the republic.

There is a demand on the part of all men and women who read and think that the blight of illiteracy shall be banished and that the educational opportunities of the sons and daughters of Texas shall be of the most modern as well as of the most sensible that the mind of man has devised.

Those early fathers of the Texas republic believed that the wealth of a nation should be taxed for the education of the children of the people. They believe that the wealth of the nation should be taxed for all the public improvements that civilization demanded.

And when those early fathers of a republic became the fathers of an American state and drafted their first constitution they declared in that document that the wealth of the commonwealth should be taxed for the education of the people. Furthermore, they declared that taxation should be equal and uniform.

Law makers of today should bear these facts in mind. If additional revenue is needed for the support of governmental agencies and institutions then wealth, in many of its branches, should be taxed wisely and equally in order that the additional revenue or rather the necessary revenue may be obtained.

A tax was proposed on manufactured cigars and cigarettes. This would have produced a revenue of four million dollars to meet the building program necessary for institutions of learning. This tax proposal was smothered.

Then the gasoline tax proposal was roughhoused to death in committee room, but its friends hope that a resurrection and final triumph awaits the measure. It is useless to dodge the issue. Really the people are willing to be taxed if the money they pay into the treasury out of their pockets is economically handled and wisely spent.

Texans believe in public schools of the best and education of the highest. They believe in public highways of the best and that after completion these highways shall not be permitted to go the way of all things perishable for the want of the proper attention.

They believed that the unfortunate insane should be housed and cared for with the best of scientific attention at all times. Law makers should think these things over.

FIFTY-FIFTY LEGISLATION.

Texas law makers enacted a measure permitting state banks to be bonded or to accept the benefits of the guarantee system. Now the bank guarantee law instead of being compulsory is optional.

Then along came certain real estate agents with a bill which would have compelled all sellers of dirt to take out state license. Again the obliging law makers made it optional. A dirt seller has the privilege of taking out a state license or doing business without one.

This should make it satisfactory all around.

Germany may run ships without sails, but that's nothing. America can run them without cargoes.

By Dr. Frank Crane

PAY AS YOU ENTER.

By Dr. Frank Crane.

On some street cars there is the sign "Pay as you enter." It would be a good thing if that sign were pasted over every career in life.

For you get only what you pay for, and pay for in advance.

Things do not come to you, allow you to enjoy them, and then have you pay for them, but you have to pay for them first whether you enjoy them or not.

Many people would like to be great pianists. They would enjoy the applause, the fame and the praise. But the only person who will be a great pianist is the one who first pays the price, the price of devotion, study and hard work. After the price is paid they may be famous or they may not be, but in any case they pay before they get on.

In any calling of life the money, of study, or pains, or whatever it is, must first be paid before the emoluments come. If a man is to be a business success it means hard years of work before that is attained.

If a doctor wishes to succeed in his profession he must labor through years of preparation.

Perhaps this is the reason why the Master said, "If any man shall come after Me let him first take up his cross."

Even in the matter of eternal life you pay as you enter.

It would seem that you should be allowed to see the prize you have, to enjoy the goods you have bought first and ascertain whether they are of value or not before you pay for them. Such is not the case. You must pay for them first whether you enjoy them or not.

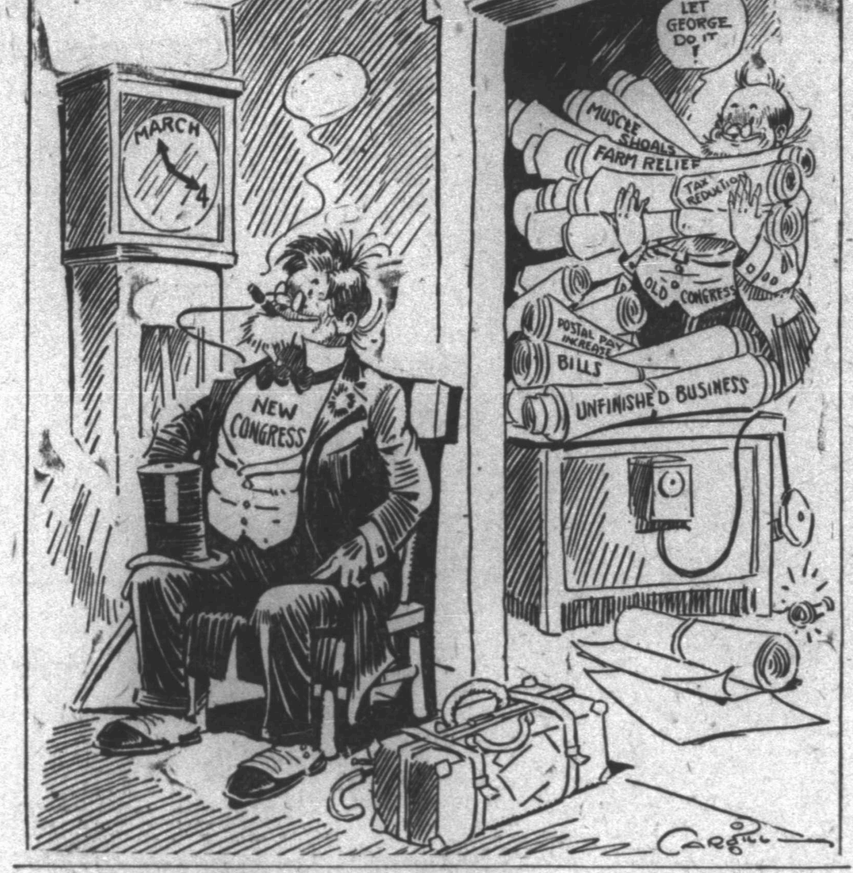
You pay for everything in this world and the cheapest things are those that you pay for in advance. All arrangements for deferred payments in time simply mean payment of a larger sum.

You must buy your ticket before you get on the train. You must get a little piece of pasteboard before you can see the show. You must pay a cover charge before you can sit down in the jazz palace and eat the food.

So in regard to spiritual things. A good many people do not believe in the Golden Rule, which is "Do unto others as you would that they should do unto you." They claim that it does not work out. The Golden Rule only works out with those people who do their part first. If you wait till the other fellow does his you will still be waiting. Many an individual, as well as all the nations of the earth, are waiting for the other fellow to do it first.

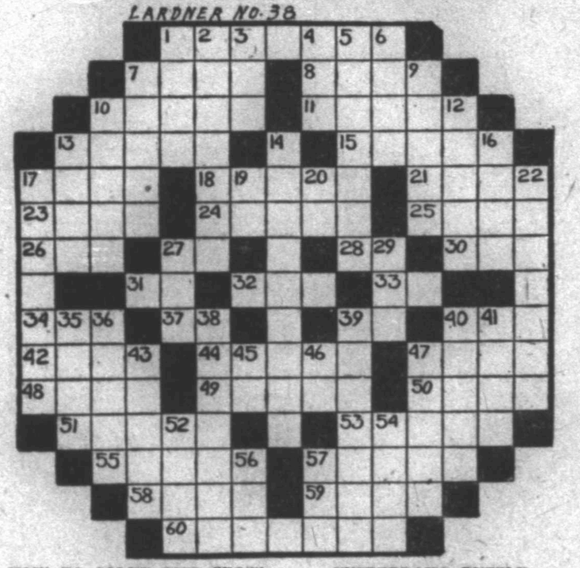
In the matter of international peace, therefore, as well as of individual benefit, we must pay as we enter.

Everything Comes To Him Who Waits



Cross-Word Puzzle

LARDNER NO. 38



HOW TO SOLVE THE CROSS WORD PUZZLE

Every number in the form represents the beginning of a word, reading either shorizontally or vertically. If there is a black square to the left of the number, the word is horizontal, if above it, the word is vertical. The same number may of course begin both a horizontal and a vertical. The definitions for the correct words to fill the form are found below, with numbers corresponding to those on the form. Run through the definitions till you find one that you recognize, and put it in its proper place on the form one letter for each white square. This will furnish several cross-clues to the words linking with it at right angles. Continue in this manner till the form is completely filled. If you have solved the puzzle correctly it should read both horizontally and vertically with words corresponding to the definitions.

Horizontal.

1. Situated in the middle.
7. Any club used as an offensive weapon.
8. Goddess of discord (Greek myth).
10. To run atilt.
11. A characteristic.
13. Capability.
15. Furnished with weapons of offense or defense.
17. A delicate fiber obtained from peacock feathers used in making artificial flies.
18. Tremulous.
21. A precious stone.
23. A Hebrew prophet of the 8th century, B. C.
24. To sway or oscillate.
25. A number.
26. Through or by means of.
27. Belonging to me.
28. A printer's measure.
30. A lair.
31. A plural pronoun.
32. A negative.
33. Partake of existence.
34. Belonging to it.
37. A preposition.
39. Within.
40. A prefix denoting "priority."
42. Immature insects.
44. The offspring of animals.
47. A period of time.
48. A valise (colloq).
49. Resplendent or glittering.
50. Inspires with reverence.
51. To make into a law.
53. Rowed
55. Weary.
57. More skillful.
58. A Roman emperor.
59. A bivalve mollusk.
60. The property that a person possesses (plural).

Vertical.

1. A form by which veneers are pressed in gluing them on.
2. Rapture.
3. Meshed twine.
4. To rot or injure by exposure.
5. To put in proper order.
6. One who fabricates.
7. Works hard, sometimes in the mire or wet.
9. Peter's other name (Biblical).
10. One of a number of men sworn to deliver a verdict as a body.
12. Lukewarm.
13. Plucky.
14. Conclusions.
16. One of a Scandinavian people.
17. Planning in detail, as a journey.
19. A point of the compass.
19. A point of the compass.
20. Half the width of an em.
22. Those who make loans.
27. Came together.
29. A masculine being.
35. An automobile accessory.
36. To restrict to a scant allowance.
38. Marine bivalve mollusks.
39. Dishonorable or disgraceful.
40. Might.
41. Regretted.
43. A European country.
45. An exclamation of surprise
46. A point of the compass.
47. The portion of a house allotted to females in Mohammedan residences.
52. An Indian of a hunting tribe.
54. An interjection of dismay.
56. A small spot.
57. Part of a play.

This puzzle took twelve minutes to solve. See how long it will take you to solve it.

YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE ANSWERED.

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Irrigation

Something About Rights of Way.

A gentleman here wants to know about getting water for a tract of land through a canal built by another man. The water is to be obtained from the district canals, but to get water to the land in question it must be conducted across the property of another man. This other man has already constructed a ditch to irrigate his land along the very route that would have to be followed to irrigate the tract in question. The owner wants to know if he can compell the other man to allow him to use his ditch providing he pays for it.

This is strictly a legal question and should be answered by an attorney. Our guess is that he cannot. It is also our guess that the above question is going to be asked a good many times before our project is settled up.

Our understanding is that in this state the law is that a ditch or road or similar thing cannot be constructed across private property for the private use of another individual. A county, city, railroad company(or an irrigation district can cross private property as they see fit providing the owner is compensated for it. The private individual has no such rights.

On most of the western irrigation projects every land owner has the right to cross any other owners land with either his supply or waste ditches after paying for the right of way and incidental damages. If necessary the same ditches may be used by two or more men. Of course the first builder of the ditch must be paid and his use of the canal in no way hindered or hampered.

We do not believe any such principle of law applies in this state. Just how certain tracts are going to be irrigated on this project unless the canals are built by the district is somewhat of a question. Maybe the lawyers know.

HOW IT STARTED

Calling Them "Scapegoats"

A very common word familiar to everybody, to describe a person who is made to suffer or to carry blame for offenses for which others are at least partly responsible is "scapegoat." The term had its beginning in a practice observed in Jewish antiquity.

The difference between the original scapegoat, however, and its modern counterpart is that the former escaped, whereas by the time today's scapegoat has earned the appellation he has usually been made to pay for the iniquity that has been heaped upon him!

The original "scapegoat" was a real goat, on whose head the ancient Hebrews, on their day of atonement, symbolically placed their sins. After all had been relieved of their burdens of conscience and the transfer had been made to the goat, the animal would be released and permitted to escape into the wilderness! Hence our "scapegoat!"

BUGLE SONG.

The splendor falls on castle walls
And snowy summits old in story:
The long light shakes across the lakes
And the wild cataract leaps in glory.
Blow, bugle, blow, set the wild echoes flying,
Blow, bugle; answer, echoes, dying, dying dying.

O hark, O hear! how thin and clear,
And thinner, clearer, farther going!
O sweet and far from cliff and scar
The horns of Elfland faintly blowing!
Blow, let us hear the purple glens replying:
Blow, bugle; answer, echoes, dying, dying, dying.

O love, they die in yon rich sky,
They faint on hill lor, field or river:
Our echoes roll from soul to soul,
And grow for ever and for ever.
Blow, bugle, blow, set the wild echoes flying,
And answer, echoes, answer, dying, dying, dying.

—Tennyson.

Man is useful even when he loses his memory and wanders off. He makes work for an auditor.

More Truth Than Poetry

STANDARDS OF COMPARISON

When I look back on, now and then,
My various and sundry errors,
In other days were holy terrors.
I read in tales of long ago,
I like to think that other men
Of men preverse and temperamental,
Well pleased, because they go to show
That I'm comparatively gentle.

Take Bluebeard now; I would not do
The dark and awful things that he did,
What time my life I've journeyed through,
One wife was all I ever needed.
A most unkindly way he had
Of murdering a dame per diem,
And somehow I am always glad
That he was so much worse than I am.

But now historians come along
And say we do this poor old fellow,
A very great and monstrous wrong,
For he was really mild and mellow.
And all the villains of the past,
Whose crimes in crimson have been painted,
Will likely be revealed at last
As men who ought to have been sainted.

I wish they'd stop this sort of thing—
Of turning evil to perfection—
We all perhaps have had out fling
But there is joy in the reflection
That other men beneath the sun
Have been amazingly unlawful,
Which makes the things which we have done
Seem after all not quite so awful.

SURPRISING IGNORANCE.

The captain of the Yale football team has been put out of the college because he did not pass his examination. These faculties are getting a curious notion of what colleges are for.

HE'LL BE BORN AGAIN.

Balto, the husky, may have died, but that will not prevent Balto, the husky, from appearing in vaudeville, this summer.

NO GOOD.

"Do it now" is the slogan of the end-the-war campaign. But the late kaiser tried that and somehow or other he failed to get away with it.

CHILDREN'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

How to Solve Puzzle

The words start in the numbered squares and run either across or down. Only one letter is placed in each white square. If the proper words are found each combination of letters in the white squares will form words. The key to the puzzle—the first word—is given in the drawing. Below are keys to the other words.

Running Across.

Word 1. They can be seen in the picture above.
Word 5. The missing word in this sentence "The boys ——— with each other for athletic honors."
Word 6. Bills which must be paid.
Word 8. The name of the man who invented the telegraph code.
Word 11. The same as "have eaten."
Word 12. The man who has run for president three times; is called "The Great Commoner."

Running Down.

Word 2. The first woman.
Word 3. That for which our forefathers fought in the Revolutionary war.
Word 4. A synonym for the word in capitals in this sign: "House to RENT."
Word 6. Not bright.
Word 7. What your eyes are for.
Word 9. Used in rowing a boat.
Word 10. A large body of water.

YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE ANSWERED.



What Today Means To You

By MARY BLAKE.

Feb. 27th—Pisces.

Today's planetary aspects favor all business and professional lines of endeavor, although they are especially propitious for enterprises involving manufacturing and construction. During the day there is one brief interregnum at about noon that is slightly adverse. It is, however, of so short duration as not to warrant any halting of work or deferring of plans. The occasion is such an auspicious one as to call for the putting forth of one's best efforts, if great and lasting results are to be achieved, and ultimate success attained. The vibrations are very stimulating, and will engender confidence and give birth to hope, whilst there are no disturbing signs to cause either trepidation or discouragement.

A child born today will not, at birth, inspire much confidence in its ability to resist sickness. Appearances, however, will be quite misleading, and this child will more readily yield to proper treatment, especially careful nutrition, than others whose physical state causes no misgivings. Its disposition will be, unless radical disciplinary measures are taken to eradicate it, very selfish, and this will antagonize, rather than attract, friends. It will, in all probability, develop great intellectuality, and its ability will be recognized by all, especially along abstruse lines and work involving research.

If its talents be carefully nurtured, and its inherent selfishness curbed and replaced with consideration for others, this child will eventually exercise a remarkable influence on those with whom it is brought into contact.

If today is your birthday, you are very ambitious, but are contented with very little, provided you can receive affection and love. You set small store on either learning or worldly possessions; you are willing to sacrifice everything that the world considers worth while for love. This state of mind, is of course, not open to criticism, and will only evoke perfect happiness if you find a mate with the same propensities in the same intense degree. Such a relationship, although to be envied by all, is rarely attainable, and many wiseacres deem it imprudent to put all their eggs in one basket.

Nothing however, can or will change your outlook on life. You are fated, therefore, to enjoy more happiness than is destined to the average human being, or to spend your life hunting a chimera.

Successful people born on this date are:

Henry W. Longfellow, poet, "poet of sympathetic gentleness and universal poet of women and young people."
John G. Gilbert, actor.
William B. Franklin, soldier.
Horatio R. Storer, surgeon.
Arthur L. Perry, political economist.
Russell A. Alger, soldier and governor.

MATTERS OF HEALTH

Seek ye not these sneezing crowds
Where grippal microbes rise in clouds.

Man pollutes his water supply and thereby takes the fever.

And another nation that proteets its subjects is vaccination.

When your hair falls out
The cause of that
Is often found in
A tight, hot hat.

Isolation with smallpox is a mighty poor substitute for vaccination that prevents it.

What Editors Are Saying

Making love is like learning to drive an automobile. You never will learn by watching someone else.—Abilene Reporter.

Courtesy and gall are two products to keep in stock. Be courteous at all times and gally when needed.—Olney Enterprise.

Looney gas has been banned in some towns, but a few looney drivers are still at large.—Sunset Signal.

In the old days there were filling stations at every corner, but the filler was different.—Sunset Signal.

The farmers who talk lopdest about getting the farmers together are often the hardest to work with.—Munds Times.

Humanity is full of ingenuity. By the time we wild-eyed reformers have blocked one pathway to destruction, the devil opens up at least seven new avenues to hell.—Olney Enterprise.

The fashion writer needs only to stick to bare facts.—Walters Herald.

None of those who oppose the Volstead Act should carry their feelings so far as to regard the use of water as harmful.—Burkburnett Star.

In these days of paint and powder, a rose is not the only thing that is born to blush unseen.—Bowie Blade.

If the pessimists were all as bad as they think they are, this would be a fine old world.—Frederick Leader.

Playing with Fire
The Story of a Social Climber
by Lucille Van Slyke

"Chet knows his own mind, all right" Jean was omniously quiet. "Just you remember that last year when you were acting like a little fool Chet kept right on with what he had to do and didn't let you rictate to him! Chet's quiet but he has lots of spunk!"

Rosalie laughed. She picked up her week monkey and talked to it.

"Gwendolen! Just listen to the woman telling me about old Chet"

"I could tell you a great many things about Chet that you don't know," Jean growing angrier. "Among other things he thinks you act like a perfect fool about that monkey. And he told me that the other day over at the Springs you acted about sixteen years old, leaping around in that old swing and giggling and—"

Chet himself interrupted their argument by calling up the stairs.

"You folks know it's stopped raining. This house smells like the very old trunket. Put on your coats and come on out for a while. Do you good to get a breath of fresh air."

Aunt Sarah had gone to prayer meeting. Jean put her hat on methodically and said:

"I'll be down in a minute," and turned to her sister with a brief, "I guess we won't be long."

Rosalies eyes danced with mischief.

"He asked me too,' she said coolly. "I think I'll go along, I do need a breath of air," and then, just to show that she didn't care two cents about what Chet thought, she put Gwendolen's silly little coat on the shivering pet and strode down the stairs crying: "Chet, you're a life saver! We're bored sick with this messy house and each other and squabbling like perfect kids"

The air was sweet after the rain, Rosalie stopped to pick tiny white violets from a sheltered corner by the porch. Very audaciously she tucked the monkey into Chet's arms and stood tiptoe to fasten the flowers in Chet's buttonhole. She was so angry with ean that she simply didn't care what she did.

Chet, much embarrassed by her attentions, thrust the monkey back at her and turned to his miancee.

"They got the hot water boiler all set up today," he informed her woodenly. "The plumber said he thought he'd be out of the way by next week."

Rosalie's silvery laughter taunted them.

"In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of faucets!" she teased, "Oh, Chet, I never did think that's what you would get to talking about on spring nights!"

Jean pretended to ignore her.

"I stopped there this noon," she said sedately, "So I knew they'd be about through with it. But i don't believe they'll ever get that sink up by Monday. They haven't touched it yet."

"Chet," said Rosalie softly, "lets walk down by Grace Street bridge. That's the first place we hear the weensy little peepers singing," she slid her arm through his. She smiled demurely in the darkness as she felt him trembde.

"I don't care!" she thought hotly. "I've got to show Jean she can't talk that way to me—about Quim's being old—and Chets not liking the way I act!

Grace Street bridge! On a heavenly night last spring she and Chet had loitered there. Chet laughing at Rosalie's funny imitation of the cheepers and the bullfrogs! He didn't answer her. He talked soberly with Jean, who walked stiffly on the other side, but when Rosalie daringly let her hand slip into his, his fingers closed over hers.

Tomorrow—Soapstones and Kisses.

CHAPTER 64

Soapstones and Kisses.

In the glorious spring days that followed poor Chet Ferguson tried his best to be true to his sweet, sedate Jean. He tried not to see her provocation younger sister and he told himself, sternly, that he'd had enough of "that little imp."

But Rosalie herself, piqued by Jean's defiant attitude toward her, and bored by the stupidity of the long days, simply could not resist practising her wiles on the defenseless Chet.

Quim finally sent her a brief letter evidently dictated, that merely said,

"My dear Rosalie: I find I will be detained another week or ten days . Dee writes me that Mrs. Perry is taking Nannette to Lakewood for a short visit. She says that she went out to the Briarcliff house and finds that the repairs will take at least two weeks more. I hope you are enjoying your visit with your relatives and that you found them well. I will wire you in ample time for you to reach New York when I do. Think the best plan would be for you to meet me at Dee's apartment. Yours hastily, Quim."

A horrid letter she thought it as she took the envelope hoping another check would fall out. Quim hadn't sent any money, and the check he had given her the day she had come upstate was nearly gone. Of course Quim hadn't known that she owed her sister several hundred dollars nor had he assumed that she would be spending money for wall paper and paint and plumbing. She fond herself wondering if she dare write to Drick asking him to send her some money.

Her brief flurry of generosity was over and she was beginning to wonder why she had been so silly. The workmen were gone, Aunt Sarah was as cross as could be as she put the tiny cottage to rights.

Yet it did look sweet with its new paint and paper and the comfortable chairs that Rosalie had bought at the auctions made the funny old parlour a livable spot at least.

Chet said so the night that he and Jean and Rosalie finished hanging the freshly laundered curtains that Aunt Sarah had toiled over all day.

"Gee, you certainly have made things look slick, Rose," he commented admiringly, "you always did have good taste and living in New York has taught you a whole new bag of tricks. I—" he blundered, "Jean—why don't you have Rose pick out the rest of the paper for the bungalow?"

"I guess I can pick out what will do," said Jean slowly.

She was tired and deathly sallow, poor girl, they had been taking inventory at the store where she worked and she ached from head to foot. Hhe'd gotten a sniffly cold besides, which made her eyes and nose red and her spirits blue. Aunt Sarah eyed her grimly and suddenly ordered Chet to go home.

"Jean needs a hot bath and some hot lemonade and a good sleep," she said bluntly. "Rose, you go get the soap stones out of the attic and put them in the owen."

Jean went, protesting, rather frigidly saying:

"I'll get the soapstones myself, Rose. You said you had letters to write."

"I'll be glad when that job of yours is over," Rose heard him say, "it's wearing you out."

But his sympathy was somewhat perfunctory and he looked back, rather longingly through the doorway to the old desk where Rosalie was fumbling with the stopper on the ink bottle.

"Well, goodnight Rose," he said.

Aunt Sarah was already bustling about the tiny kitchen making the lemonade.

"I suppose you couldn't wait just a minute," said Rosalie softly, "and mail this for me. It's to Quim's sister, I'd like it to go tonight."

Chet waited, fussing about the room, staring at pictures he had seen half his life, fiddling with an old paper knife, perking at a lamp shade

"Oh, do sit down," she murmured, looking over her shoulder, "I can't write when you wander around like that!"

He sat down, folding his arms and sighing.

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THE NEBBS — Parting Is Such Sweet Sorrow — —By Sol Hess



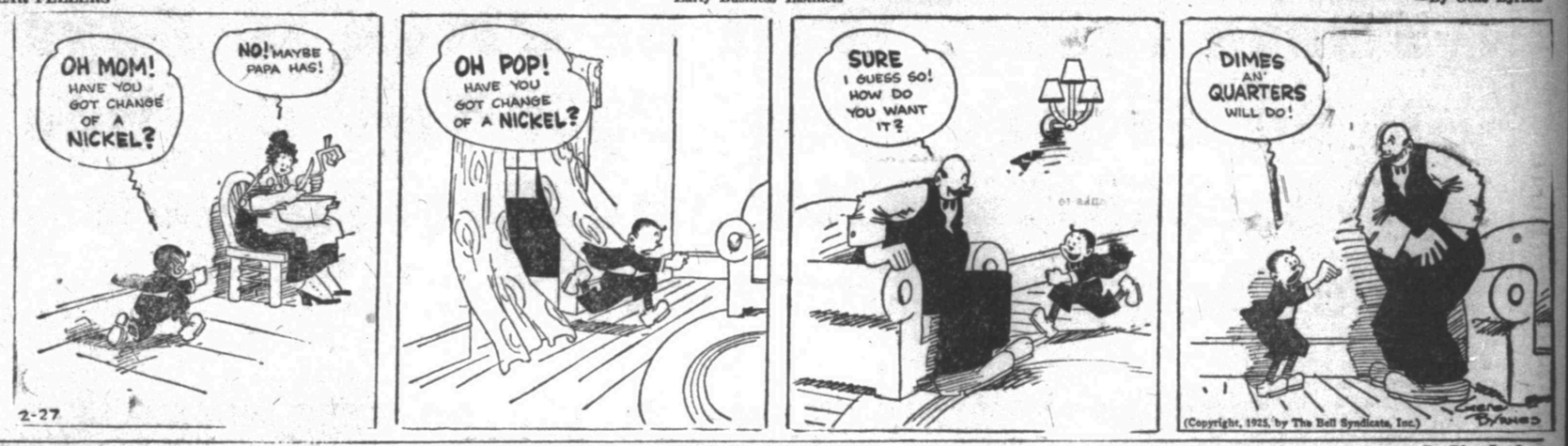
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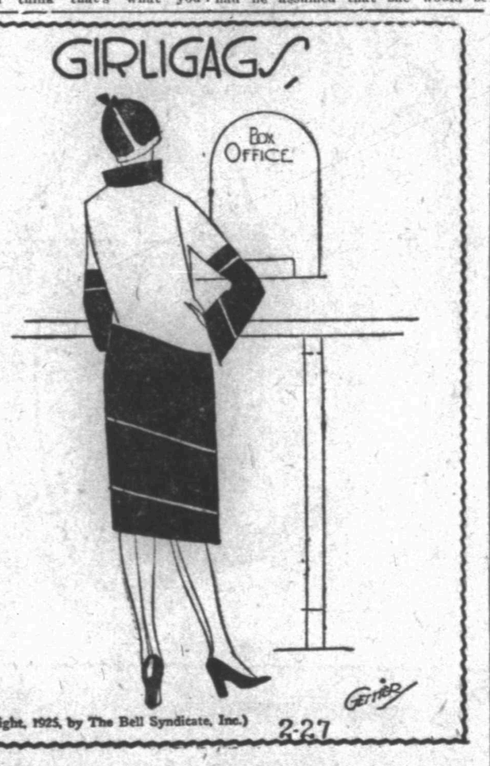


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LARRY— — He's An Expert At That — —By Larry Semon



GIRLIGAGS



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"Of course," says Betsy, "it will be a great moral victory when the Turks succeed in abolishing polygamy, but the writers of musical comedies will suffer."

Dots Puzzle



The Day In Washington

The house passed the last deficiency appropriation bill carrying $56,000,000.

Funeral services were held for Senator Medill McCormick of Illinois.

Final congressional approval was given the postal pay act and rate increase bill.

The national soldiers' league continued its defense before a house committee.

Interior department figures showed gasoline production and consumption made new records last year.

The republican insurgents in the house warned the majority they had rectificates of election as republicans.

The house aircraft committee heard testimony of Real Admiral Hilary P. Jones and voted to recall Secretary Weeks.

President Coolidge was requested by the senate to transmit the federal trade commission's report on the gasoline inquiry.

The house passed the Dickinson co-operative marketing bill as a substitute for the Haugen bill reported by the argricultural committee.

HOUSTON MAN A SUICIDE

Ends Life By Drowning; Attaches Cane to Wrist For Buoy.

TEXARKANA, Ark., Feb. 26. — D. M. Haynes, registered at a hotel here as from Houston, Texas, found drowned in a bayou near Texarkana last night, ended his life by leaping into the bayou after attaching one end of a string to his wrist and the other to a cane to act as a buoy to designate location of the body, officials who investigated the finding of the body reported today.

The Day In Austin

Renewed investigation of the Texas prison system was ordered today by the senate and public hearings will begin next Thursday night before the senate as a committee of the whole.

The house highway investigation committee continued its hearings.

A bill repealing all laws prohibiting railroads from granting free transportation was introduced in the house.

The Laird bill providing for gradual introduction of text books, to prevent burning of discarded books, passed the senate.

The house passed the school aid bill appropriating $4,000,000 for the biennium.

INSPECT RURAL SCHOOLS

Miss Georgia Walker Here To Pass On Applications For State Aid.

An inspection of several Wichita county rural schools was made Thursday afternoon by Miss Georgie Walker, rural school supervisor from the state department of education who arrived in Wichita Falls yesterday. With County Superintendent Burl Bryant she visited the Cooper, Deep Creek and County Line schools.

The three institutions visited are the only ones in the county which have applied for state financial aid.

RESUME RED RIVER HEARING

Master In Chancery Sits For Impounded Oil Discussion Again.

Hearings were resumed here Thursday before Special Master Joseph M. Hill of Fort Smith, Ark., who is sitting as master in chancery in the litigation of ol mpounded from Red rover wells during the river bed dispute. A number of contested claims for a large quantity of oil impounded have been filed and it is to iron these out that the hearings are being held.

EX-PUGILIST GIVEN LIFE

Sentenced On Guilty Plea For Murder Of Waiter.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26.—Paul "Battling" Barrere, former pugilist, was sentenced to life imprisonment today upon his pleas of guilty in connection with the death of Valois Williamors, a waiter.

TEXAS BANKS ARE CLOSED

SULPHUR SPRINGS, Texas, Feb. 26.—The Guaranty State Bank and Trust company of Sulphur Springs remained closed today by order of John Wightman, state bank examiner. The institution is ten years old with a capital and surplus of $60,000.

WAR RELIC TO U. S.

Cab That Carried Troops In German Advance Arrives For Museum.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—One of the taxicabs that in the days of the first German advance into France in 1914 carried French troops from Paris to the Marne arrived on the steamship France yesterday on its way to a museum.

A detachment of marines escorted the cab off the ship and it was driven up Fifth Avenue by Miss Hattie Baker, who piloted an ambulance in Flanders.

TIPTON NEGRO ARRESTED.

Man Wanted for Grand Larceny Returned to Frederick.

TIPTON, Okla., Feb. 26.—Jesse Nolen, negro, was captured here Monday morning by deputy Sheriff Walter Lynch and taken back to Frederick where charges of grand larceny were filed against him.

FRENCH STUDENT EXPELLED

Classmates In Dress Suits Cheer Youth As He Sails For Home.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Feb. 26. — Inability to master the German language sufficiently caused Henri de Castellane, nephew of Count Boni de Castellane, to be dropped from the list of Harvard undergraduates it became known today. He sailed for France yesterday from Providence on the steamship Britannia, classmates in dress suits cheering him at the dock.

PIONEER FAMILY UNITE.

VERNON, Feb. 26.—Rufus Simmons and Miss Willie Pearl Ladd, both members of pioneer families of this city were married here Sunday afternoon.

CHATAUQUA TO STAMFORD

STAMFORD, Feb. 26.—Announcement has been made that the Radcliff Chautauqua will appear here for a three day series of programs in the latter part of May.

OLD HOME TOWN

Only one marrage license was issued Thurday by the county clerk, it going to Frank Sears and Miss Blanche Ballander, both of Walters, Okla.

Six cases were called for trial Thursday morning in corporation court, half of them being for alleged violations of the traffic ordinances. Bonds were forfeited in all the complaints.

R. H. Fordman left Thursday for Dallas on a short business trip. He will return Saturday.

A truck and a small sedan collide Thursday afternoon at the corn of Eleventh and Lamar, with slig damage to both. Some bent fend and shattered glass made up th bulk of the loss. No one was in jured.

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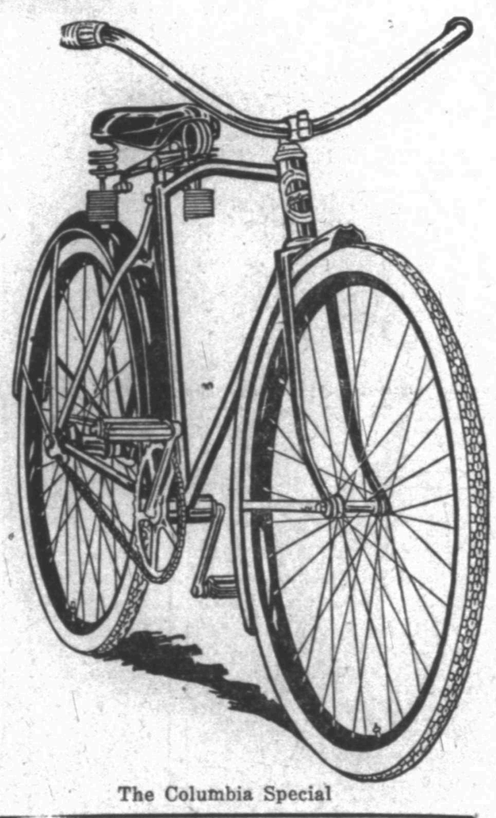
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These Prizes Will Be Given to Boys Who Secure New, Paid-In-Advance Subscriptions to The Record News, It's Easy, It's Lot's of Fun!

GRAND PRIZE—A SPLENDID NEW COLUMBIA BICYCLE—THE BEST MADE—PURCHASED FROM AND ON DISPLAY AT THE GROVER BULLINGTON CO. ON TENTH ST. ALSO AT RECORD NEWS OFFICE



The Columbia Special

2ND Prize	3RD Prize	4TH Prize	Cash Commission
Handsome Boys' Watch—Jeweled Movement. A Real Beauty.	Boys' Watch, Black and White Inlaid Metal Case, Fancy Shape.	Boys' Watch. Fancy Cushion Shape, Jeweled Movement.	Every boy who works regularly on the campaign and does not receive one of these prizes will be given a cash commission.



5th Prize—the Kne-Coaster (all season sled) built long, low and narrow for speed and safety. A dandy lot of fun for the boy who wins it.

—RULES—

—All subscriptions must be new subscriptions. A new subscriber is one who has not been taking the paper for at least a month.

—Cash must accompany each subscription. At least two subscriptions must be turned in each week. The contest closes March 20th and no orders received after that time.

—Prizes will be awarded as follows: Each new subscription counts one point. To the boy receiving the most points the first prize will be given. To the boy receiving the second number of points, the second prize will be given and so on until all prizes are distributed. In case of a tie, prizes will be duplicated.

BOYS—Come On—Let's Go!

Start Now. Call At Record News Office for Full Particulars

Dallas Starts 1925 Pennant Scramble With Brand-New Club

Top O' Morn Stuff

NO THRILL FOR HIM.

To most players the arrival of the spring training season with the big league and faster minor league clubs means, among other things, a long train ride from the frozen north or the far west to the sunny clime of the spring camp.

The New York Yankees, however, will try out a young pitcher, Henry Johnson, who will miss that thrill.

Johnson's home is in Bradentown, two hours run by boat from St. Petersburg, the Yankee's training town. He pitched for the Bradentown team of the Florida State league last season and showed considerable promise.

Greene, a young pitcher tried out by the Dodgers last spring, is another Florida boy who was right on the job when the Dodgers blew into camp.

There are several other youngsters who played with the Florida State league last season and grabbed off jobs for themselves over the winter after they found they were to be given tryouts by the big league or minor league outfits unlimbering in the training state.

On the other hand, there are some of the boys like Ray Francis of the Yankees, who resides in Mercer, Cal., who had to start right after the holidays, so to speak, to be on time for the first breakfast.

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Boxing fans learned with regret of the death of Sam Berger, ancient ring mate of Corbett and Jeffries. Sam once gained fame by winning the heavyweight championship of the St. Louis world fair.

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Jack Silver, boxer, who is not a descendant of old John Treasure Island fame, seems to have covered thoroughly the cash end of the boxing game.

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Any man who can spell dough with his fist and last name should get some place in that racket.

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THE HEADLINE: "BUSINESS MEN PLAN EXCLUSIVE GOLF COURSE." IS ENTRANCING. IF THERE IS ANYTHING MORE EXCLUSIVE THAN AN EXCLUSIVE BUSINESS MEN'S GOLF CLUB IT MUST BE A POLITICAL RALLY.

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YALE OFFICIALS RIGHT.

Yale officials no doubt acted with the best of motives and in the interests of the school when they enforced scholastic regulations and forced "Shep" Bingham, football captain-elect, to resign the captaincy and leave school because of his failure to pass examinations.

But the more the matter is discussed the more general becomes the feeling that said officials might have acted a little more gracefully and tactfully in the matter. There is enough personal humiliation in such a misfortune. Public announcement of the move brought Bingham added humiliation.

It seems as though in justice to Bingham and in consideration of his services to the school in an athletic way, some course might have been found to explain his depature that would not have drawn so much unpleasant publicity.

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JUDGE TAZEWELL OF PORTLAND RULES THAT THE PUBLIC GOLF COURSE IS A PUBLIC UTILITY. SOME WIVES, HOWEVER, RULE THAT IT IS A PUBLIC NUISANCE.

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L. McGrane has suggested the eighth wonder of the world. It is: "I wonder what became of Sally?"

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QUITE DIFFERENT NOW.

Now comes word that Jack Dempsey and Tommy Gibbons have been asked to consider terms for a title battel in the "Rose Bowl" at Pasadena, Cal., scene of the holiday intersectional football games and other big events.

It's a wonderful place for athletic exhibitions but the old time fighters must get a rude jolt when they read the headlines "Jack and Tom to meet in Rose Bowl."

The old boys used to meet out behind somebody's barn—and get away a jump ahead of the sheeriff.

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Gunnar Kasson and his dog team are in the movies. Floyd Collins' brother is on the stage. What can we do for Mike Romano?

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Second the motion.

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The snitchers now are telling us that Washington did not smoke and that Lincoln kept slaves.

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OLD VERSUS NEW.

While Pittsburgh and other big league clubs are busily engaged in getting in trim for the coming season Barney Dreyfuss, owner of the Pirates, is laying plans for a baseball affair that will be novel, interesting and instructive—as the circus side show posters tell it.

Dreyfuss plans to do his part in observing the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the National league by staging a game June 6, between the present Pirate team and the men who comprised the team which Dreyfuss formed 24 years ago when he consolidated the Pittsburgh and Louisville clubs, which won three pennants in a row.

The names of the men he hopes to have in the field are bound to interest fans.

The old pitchers are Deacon Phillippe, Jess Tannehill, Leever and Jack Chesbro.

"Chief" Zimmer and O'Connor were the catchers and both are counted on to perform.

Other members sought are Bransfield, first; Ritchey, second; Leach, third; Hans Wagner, short; Fred Clarke, left field; Beaumont, centerfield, and McCreery, right field.

And to add zest to the affair Dreyfuss hopes to outfit these old timers in the uniforms they wore in those days—or ones just like them.

POLO MATCHES GO TO OKLA.-TEX. TEAMS

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 26.—Fort Bliss and San Antonio won in the high goal event of the Southwestern Polo tournament at Breckenridge park this afternoon. The latter defeated the Eighth Corps Area Headquarter 13 to 7, while San Antonio won over the Fifteenth Field Artillery by 20 to 11. This was Fort Bliss' fourth victory without a defeat.

Middleton Wins At Pinehurst.

PINEHURST, N. C., Feb. 26.—(AP)—J. A. Middleton, Chicago, today won the annual seniors golf tournament here, defeating John M. Jamison, Greensboro, Pa., 1 up in a match which had to go 20 holes to decide the winner.

STEERS' STRENGTH WILL LIE IN POWERFUL INNER DEFENSE AND FAIRLY HEALTHY MOUND CORPS

Trio of Heavy Hitters Slated For Berths in Outer Garden—Catching Staff Doesn't Rate Much

This is the sixth of a series of articles, data collected by The Record News sports editor, on Texas league clubs. The stories are being released in the order the teams finished the 1924 pennant race.

Brand new ball park, a brand new playing manager and almost a new team!

That's what the Dallas Steers have to offer to the home fans for the season of 1925.

All the fans of Dallas request now is a brand new pennant to hoist on their brand new flag pole.

Larry Gardner, for years a regular with the Cleveland American league club, makes his bow to Texas league fans as a player and manager when the 1925 season is ushered in. Gardner is to work the utility role in addition to directing the team, and while this is his first trial at the pilot job the critics are giving him a better than even chance to make good because he is regarded as a very smart student of the game.

Texas league history, though, is against him for the majority of successful managers in this circuit have come from the ranks of the fellows who have had seasoning in the minors as players after dropping from the big show.

Re-constructed Club.

Of the squad that went to the post for Dallas at the start of the 1924 race, pitchers excepted, only "Cowboy" Segrist and Catcher Jack Adams remain. Paddy Bauman, second baseman, who was taken on in the middle of the 1924 race when Tom Connelly was transferred to the Shreveport Gassers, will be back.

At present the make-up of the Steers looks very favorable in all departments but the catching staff. Injuries have slowed down the veteran, Jack Adams, and he is not being counted upon very strongly as a regular. In an effort to bolster up the receiving department Catchers "Bud" Hungling and Wheat, both with Des Moines in 1924, have been brought in. Hungling's fielding average in 1924 was .978, and he batted only .256. He was out of the game due to injuries a grater part of the season. Wheat's chances to remain depends on his work in the spring games.

Infield A Power.

The infield of the Steers offers two new-comers in Emil Huhn, obtained from Mobile of the Southern association, and Gagnon, from the Kansas City club. Both changes give the Steers a higher rating than 1924. E. Barnes, with the Steers in 1924, was considered a fair first station guardian and fielded for .989, but Huhn, in class A company in the Southern, bettered this mark by three points, fielding .991. On the offense Huhn is a big improvement over Barnes. The new-comer batted for a percentage of .292, while Barnes' swat average was .267. Bauman will furnish the real power of the infielders with the bat. His 1924 average was .336. He fielded for .971. Shortstop position should be capably filled by Gagnon. In the American association Gagnon fielded .933 and batted .265. "Cowboy" Segrist needs little introduction. He has been in the league long enough to be classed as one of its veterans. His fielding average last season was .933 and his batting average was .295. The infield is in th ebands of experienced men and appear like the veritable stonewall.

New Outer Garden.

An entirely new outfield is to be constructed by the Steers, Vache, Griffin and Donohue having departed. That trio represented a good combination. Dallas is to draw its outer gardeners from Miller, of St. Joseph; Lovelace, who saw service last season with San Antonio Bears, and with Corsicana; Rhino Williams, from Mobile; O'Brien, of Kalamazoo Mint league, and Shaner, from Kansis City.

Miller, Lovelace and Williams seem to be favored. The latter was with the Mobile Southern league team in 1924 and batted .332. He fielded .965. Miller was the sensation in the Western league, batting .385, and fielding .80. Lovelace has been in and out of the Texas league for a couple of seasons; O'Brien hit .361, and fielded .970. Before going to Kansas City Shaner was with Terre Haute and batted .320 and fielded .963. From the figures of last season it appears that Manager Gardner has been surrounded with a bunch of fence busters.

Fair Chunking Staff.

The pitching staff of the Steers is headed by the veteran southpaw, "Slim" Love. "Slim" holds the record of being the wildest man in the league and also holds the honor of being the strike-out king. He will have company from the 1924 fold in Eberhard, Schuman, North, Conley, Mitchell, Roberts and Thormahlen. New-comers are Pitcher McColl, from St. Joseph; Lindsey, from Kansas City; Zeigler, from Terre Haute and Kansas City; Jim Lindsey won three and lost four games for Kansas City; Alex McColl was the star of the St. Joseph club, with 20 victories and nine defeats. Zeidler did relief work with Kansas City.

Additional talent to be found in the Steer camp this spring is: Fidler, a young college catcher; Holman, who was rated very highly as third baseman for Texarkana in the East Texas league; and Chatham, shortstop with Greenville.

Two things seem certain in the Dallas make-up—a classy infield and a fair chunking staff.

The new park at Dallas is said to be a thing of beauty and will take care of 10,000 people. There is a separate stand for the bleachers, also a negro grand stand. The main stand will seat 8,500. The bleachers will care for 800 and the negro grand stand will accommodate 650. The park is constructed in a bowl-shape and better by far than the old structure. The diamond should be fast and left center will be the sun field.

COCHRAN DEFEATS SUZUKI

CHICAGO, Feb. 26—(AP)—Welker Cochran of Hollywood, Calif., defeated Kamakich Suzuki, Japanese player, in the sixth match of the international 18.2 balk line billiard championship tournament here today 400 to 113 in four innings. Cochran made a high run of 308 in his third inning, the third largest high run ever made in an international tournament. This was the high run of the present tournament and his average of 100 was the highest yet made.

Who're Five Best Players In City Basketball Loop?

Metzger, Allen, Faichney, Coffey And Rice! That Correct?

Although there is one more double header scheduled in the Wichita Falls commercial cage league before the season closes the race is over.

In view of the fact Hudson-Essex has sewed up the championship, winning both halves of the league race with ease, there is doubt expressed among the players that the final pair of games will be run off.

Selection of a mythical all-star quint, taken from players on the four teams, is now in order.

Ichabod Turner, enterprising youngster who has covered the majority of the league contests for The Record News during the last half of the split race has chosen his five. If you don't believe he has made a correct, fair and unbiased selection just sit down and figure out your own and send it in to The Record News sports editor.

Ichabod's selection:

FIRST TEAM	POS.	SECOND TEAM
Metzger, L.-H.	R. F.	Van Horn, L. F.
Allen, H.-E.	L. F.	MacKechney, H.-E.
Faichney, H.-E.	C.	Daniel H.-E.
Coffey, K. C.	R. G.	Hill, L. F.
Rice, L.-H.	L. G.	Thomas, L. F.

TCU Ruins SMU 43 To 20 As A Season Finale

Seconds Used In Last Half; Frogs Take Second In Race

FORT WORTH, Feb. 26.—Texas Christian university closed its season with a bang here tonight, when they handed the lowly Southern Methodist university quintet a severe 43 to 20 defeat. It was the final game of the year for Texas Christian university, and earned them second place in the conference standing, regardless of the outcome of all other games. Big George one of the strongest candidates for high point honors of the loop registered ten field goals and one free throw for 21 points, for individual honors of the night. The first half, which was marked by the superiority of the T. C. U. passing and floor game, ended 2 8to 6 in favor of T. C. U.

Coach Bell used his second string men in the second half, letting practically every man of the squad get into action for a time.

Jake Schaefer In 400 Run, Spotted, Beats Hagenlacher

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Jake Schaefer, former world's 18.2 balk line billiard champion, broke all world's billiard records tonight when he ran 400 from spot tonight in his match with Erich Hagenlacher, German cue artist, winning the seventh match of the international 18.2 balk line billiard championship tournament without giving Hagenlacher an opportunity to play.

Never before in an international tournament has a player ran out from spot. The German player did not have a chance to touch the ball with his cue. Schafer made the run in 70 minutes.

In addition to breaking the record for winning a match from spot, Schafer established a new world's record for a high run, breaking Welker Cochran's former record of 384 made in the 1921 tournament here.

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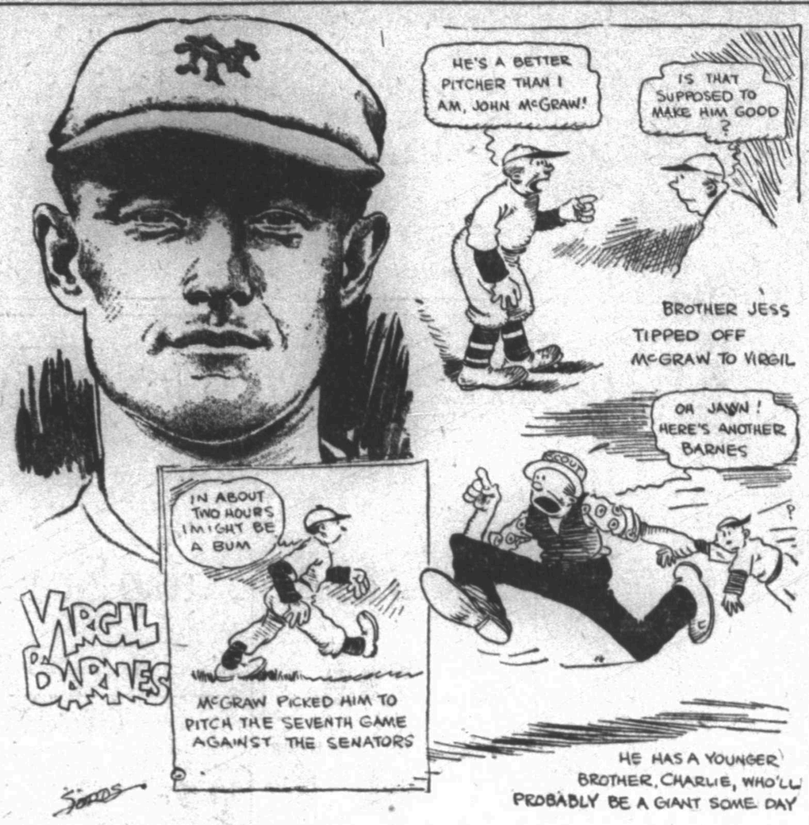
Wisconsin Assembly Rejects Bill Requiring Physical Examinations.

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 26.—The attempt of Miss Mildred Barber, Marathon county assembly woman, to widen the scope of the Wisconsin engenics law was defeated by the assembly, 66 to 29 today. That body voted the measure, which would have required physical and mental examinations of women as well as men before issuance of marriage licenses to indefinite postponement.

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MIDDLE MEMBER OF PITCHING BARNESES

Has Two Main Desires As He Limbers Up Hurling Arm



Virgil Barnes, middle member of the famed trio of pitching Barneses awaits the coming baseball season with a double desire.

He hopes to be able to help pitch the Giants to their fifth straight championship.

And he hopes to have another crack at the Washington Senators in the fall series.

And possessing the popularity he does in New York town these days Virgil has the fans back of him in both his desires.

To Barnes the finish of the last world's series was a tragic one.

The teams entered the seventh game even up after the Giants had lost a chance to end it earlier. McGraw looked over his pitching staff to select the man to turn back the Senators for what he hoped would be the last time.

Barnes had been hurled against the American League "upstarts" in the fourth game and had been yanked after the Senators scored three runs on him in the fifth inning, taking the lead.

McGraw however, believed that Jess Barnes' younger brother could hold the Nats if given another trial and so selected him to do so.

Barnes seemed destined to uphold McGraw's faith in him. For seven innings he had the A. L. team eating out of his hand. They obtained but three hits in those seven innings.

Then the eighth began. Bluege filed to Gowdy for the first out. Liebold batted for the young infielder, Taylor, and doubled. Muddy Ruel singled. Tate was rushed in to bat for Marberry and walked. The crowd was in an uproar.

The New York crowd was divided between pulling for Barnes and calling to McGraw to take him out. McGraw kept his faith in his hurler.

Earl McNeely came to bat. Barnes forced him to fly out to Emil Meusel and Meusel's fast fielding and return prevented any scoring. The New York stands breathed easier, despite the fact the bases were full. There were two down.

Then Fate Frowned.

Stan Harris came up. Barnes knuckled down to his task manfully but Dame Fate frowned on him. Harris picked one he liked and lifted it just over third for a single that scored two runs.

The score was tied. Sam Rice was at bat. McGraw could take no more chances. He sent Art Nehf in to replace the youngster.

It is history how the Nats finally won out in the twelfth inning, thanks to Walt Johnson's hurling and Earl Neely's swat.

Barnes took the defeat to heart. He had a right to. Harris' hit was one of the "breaks" in the game and that break had gone against Barnes.

But this is another year, avers Virgil.

And he hopes to get another crack at the Senators before the baseball sun goes down.

Back in 1919 Virgil's older brother Jess, then the only member of the family in the big show, told McGraw that Virgil, if he recovered from gas inhaled in France, would become a better pitcher than Jess himself.

McGraw listened but gave the matter little thought for a time.

When Virgil returned from France Jess landed him a job with Kansas City. Virgil was still shy strength, however, and couldn't make the grade. He was sent to Sioux City in the Western League. It was there that he found himself. By the end of the season Giant scouts had verified part of Virgil's predictions regarding Barnes' ability. McGraw grabbed him. He farmed him out to Rochester one year and Milwaukee the next to let him acquire more seasoning.

Virgil Does His Stuff.

McGraw could have sold him after that year in Milwaukee for a pretty penny. Barnes showed his stuff when he pitched two one-hit games in succession. He turned in three or four other games of three or four hits.

McGraw called him in at the end of the season and he has been with the club ever since.

He was used mainly for relief purposes in 1923. He broke into 22 games but was credited with winning but two and losing three.

Last year he won 16 games for McGraw in the regular season. He lost 10.

Brother Jess is now with the Braves, which club he joined last season after working in 12 games for the Giant crew. Jess figured in the world's series doings for McGraw before he departed.

The two brothers have a younger brother, Charles, who hopes some day to emulate his older brothers. McGraw may give him a look-over before the coming season starts.

YANKS WILL LEAVE FOR FLORIDA TODAY

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 26.—Members of the New York American league team doing preliminary training here for the past two weeks will leave tomorrow for the Yankee training camp at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Babe Ruth, who, with Wally Schang and Sam Jones, has remained longer than other members of the team, is much pleased with his condition. He is down, he states, to within about 12 pounds of playing condition and does not anticipate much trouble in getting that off in the warmer Florida climate.

LEGION BOXING IS APPROVED IN KANSAS

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 26.—The house in committee of the whole this afternoon approved the American Legion boxing bill which would permit 10-round no-decision bouts in Kansas, under supervision of a state boxing commission. So overwhelming was the viva voce vote in its favor that sponsors of the bill predicted it will be passed readily upon third reading tomorrow. It already has been passed by the senate.

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SARTIN-HARRISON LEAVE

Two to Washington on Business; to Be Gone 10 Days

County Judge B. D. Sartin and Hubert M. Harrison, general manager of the chamber of commrece, will leave today for Washington to take up some official business matters there. They will be gone probably a week or 10 days.

A special meeting of the county commissioners court was called Thursday morning, at which time authorization was given for Judge Sartin's immediate departure.

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TWO MORE CHALLENGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Two additional challenges, for the 1925 Davis cup contest one from Austria and the other from Mexico, were received by the United States Lawn Tennis association today. This brings the total number of challenges up to 15, of which 11 are in the European zone and four in the American zone.

STRIBLING VS. DELANEY

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 26.—Jimmy Delaney of St. Paul and Young Stribling of Macon, Ga., light heavyweights meet here tomorrow night in a 10 round no decision bout. Both completed their workouts today.

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MRS. LUKE M'CRORY WINS ON TENTH GREEN IN WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION FLAG TOURNAMENT

Miss Adele Marcus Victor of Class B Competition—Lots of Golf Planned For Next Week

There was plenty of stiff competition yesterday morning in the women's golf association flag tournament at the Country club, but Mrs. Luke McCrory by flashing an exceptional brand of golf pulled through on the tenth green to win the class A competition while Miss Adele Marcus led the field by a narrow margin to win in class B. Prizes were awarded the victors by Mesdames Julien Bobo and W. W. Silk. Each winner received a silver sandwich tray.

That winning though was no easy snap for Mrs. McCrory and Miss Marcus is shown by the fact that Mrs. G. H. Hampshire, who finished second in class A, and Mrs. C. S. Wyatt who was runner-up in class B each landed on No. 10 green, also.

Lotsa Pep Next Week.

The weekly putting tourney was called off in lieu of a heavy but peppery business session which was held following luncheon. Agreement was reached whereby the association will stage another flag tourney next Thursday morning with Mesdames J. B. Hatchett and W. S. Abbott putting up the prizes.

It'll be a busy squad of feminine linksmen next week, and more interest and pep is expected to be displayed at that time than was the case yesterday which means that this organization, already admittedly the livest women's association in the city, will have to stretch a notch or two in order to manifest any more enthusiasm than usual. For there is to be an innovation, sprung yesterday by Mrs. Finley Weldon, in play of the association next week. Judge Welden has announced intention to put up a prize for the inauguration of a blind bogey, what ever that is, the trophy to go to the winning golfer. A great amount of interest was manifested by the women, and quite a large number of players are expected to be out Thursday to participate.

After New Members.

An added incentive was given the members to build up the roster yesterday by Mrs. Hampshire, president of the organization, who declared she would arrange a third section in the tournament for class C golfers and give a prize to the winner of that group if the association would bring as many, no less, as six members to the organization next week. Members yesterday expressed little doubt but that the required number of new golf enthusiasts would be present all righ by the day of the tournament.

Tournament scores yesterday minus the names of several players who dropped out before finishing, were:

Class A.

Mesdames G. H. Hampshire (handicap 5) 47; J. H. Fletcher (handicap 7) 50; E. W. Marriott (12) 54; W. W. Silk (9) 53; J. B. Hatchett (9) 53; Julien Bobo (6) 56; A. W. Fisher (5) 53; W. C. Witcher (9) 66; Leslie Stringer (9) 52; Luke McCrory (7) 46.

Class B.

Mrs. J. A. Fisher (3) 63; Miss Adele Marcus (2) 62; Mrs. J. S. Wyatt (11) 62; Mrs. Fred Kingery (6) 64.

DELANEY IN K. O. OVER TIGER FLOWERS

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Jack Delaney, Bridgeport, Conn., light heavyweight, knocked out Tiger Flowers, of Atlanta, Ga., in the fourth round at Madison Square Garden tonight. It was Delaney's second knockout victory over the negro within two months.

A right uppercut, the same blow which gave Delaney the previous victory over Flowers in two rounds on January 16 dropped the negro for the count. The knockout came after Flowers had gone to the floor without a count and danced into a neutral corner as Delaney resumed the attack.

Delaney weighed 164 1-2 and Flowers 166 1-4. The fight was to have gone 12 rounds.

BASKET BALL RESULTS.

At Fort Worth: Texas Christian university, 43; Southern Methodist university, 20.

Rummage sale at 809 Ohio, Friday and Saturday. —Adv.

DEFENDING BILLIARD CHAMP DEFEATED

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Edgar T. Appleby of New York, defending champion, met his first defeat in the national amateur class A 18-2 balk line billiard tournament today when he bowed to the accurate stroking of John A. Clinton, Jr., of Pittsburgh, 300 to 191.

In another match today Percy N. Collins of Chicago, defeated Emil A. Renner of Youngstown, Ohio, 300 to 179 in 14 innings.



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One Chevrolet Coupe $500
One Studebaker Coupe $750
Buick Roadster $300
Buick Touring $250
Nash Coupe $500
One Essex Coach $750
One Rickenbacker Touring $850

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REAL ESTATE

TO WHOM it may concern: I am this day withdrawing from sale all real estate property heretofore placed in the hands of real estate firms, Harry Jaffe.

Duplex Steal

Beautiful new duplex on best paved street. Rented now for $120 per month. Price $6,500 and on easy terms, too. Call me today.
MRS. F. C. LYON
Realtor.
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A BEAUTIFUL DUPLEX
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BRAND NEW

Five-room home, Junior college district, well contructed, edge grain floors, solid foundation, drive and garage. There is no better built house for the money.
N. G. BLACKLOCK
Phones 9957; Res. 5993.
Basement First Nat'l. Bank Bldg.

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE

One of the best furnished homes in restricted district, including $1,500 Baby Grand piano.

Ten-room home on Burnett, well arranged for apartments.

Two rooming houses for rent; furniture for sale. Well located.

Eleven acres, best location on Iowa Park road, for $5,000.

Two lots, one a corner; east front on Tilden, $2,000.

H. WILLIS
412 First National Bank Bldg.
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Six Rooms, Close In

Large six-room house on Bluff street between Eighth and Ninth. Well arranged for two families or the renting of rooms and is located where land values are rapidly advancing. This is owned by a corporation and we are instructed to sell it. The price is right and you can almost name your own terms. See us at once about this. Phone 6268.

J. M. Bland Realty Co.
"Exclusive Agents"

HOUSES FOR SALE: Plenty of houses 4 to 12-room stuff. Prices from $2,500 to $5,750. Payments as low as $250. Phone 9107.

DUPLEX
Eight rooms, two baths, double garage, college district, $500 cash, balance like rent. N. G. Blacklock. Phones 9957; res. 5993. Basement First Nat'l. Bank.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Faith Chapter, No 713 O. E. S.—Meets Second and Fourth Thursday evenings in each month, 7:30 p. m., 813 Scott. MRS. PEARL VEROS, W M., 1307 Polk street, phone 4830. LILLIE MAE EDMONDS, Secretary, 2504 Tenth, phone 7673. Faith Study Club will meet every first and third Thursday of each month.

Wichita Falls Council No. 140 R. & S. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m. Ed. Bunnenberg, T. I. M.
W. J. Webb, Rec.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59—Stated conclave first and third Thursdays of each month.
R. E. NOLEN, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 636, A. F. & A. M.—Stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
J. W. LYLE, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Secy.
Instruction in the E. A. Friday, Feb. 27th, 7:00 a. m.
Work in the masters degree Friday, Feb. 27th, 6:30 p. m.

Wichita Falls Council No. 1473 K. of C.—Meets every first and third Mondays at 8 p. m., 1509 9th St.
C. K. WALSH, G. K.
212-14 Morgan Bldg.
John J. Block, 2113 Grant.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 209, R. A. M.—Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y

Faith Lodge No. 1156, A. F. & A. M.—Stated meeting the first and third Tuesday nights of each month. Visitors cordially invited to attend. 813 Scott street.
Will confer the masters degree Friday evening, Feb. 27th, 7:30 o'clock.
W. H. Caldwell, senior warden, in charge.
Stated meeting and examinations Tuesday evening, March 3, 7:30 o'clock.
Instruction of E. A. candidates each Monday evening. Call secretary in regard to other instruction.
THOS. R. WYNN, W. M.
G. W. CURD, Sec'y.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 337 of the Eastern Star meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month.
MRS. MARGARET BRADLEY, Phone 5706, W. M.
MRS. NENA FRITZ McGLNN, Sec'y. Phone 2629.

Wichita Falls Assembly No. 17, Order of the Rainbow for girls, sponsored by the Wichita Falls Chapter No. 337, meets second and fourth Tuesday at 7 p. m. in Masonic Temple. Miss Mary Louise Cox, worthy advisor; Miss Mary C. Meredith, secretary.

Pat Carrigan Post No. 120, American Legion — Meets every second and fourth Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Legion Hall, 812½ Ohio Ave.
—O. T. AILES, P. C.
Post Commander; R. J. CLAYPOOL, Adjutant.

Maskat Temple A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Monday each month at Faith Lodge rooms in Chenault Bldg., 813 Scott. All visiting Nobles invited to attend.
Recorder's office 813 Scott street. Phone 3884.
W. W. GARDNER, Potentate.
AL ELLIS, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1105 B. P. O. E. meets first and third Monday at Elks club corner Eighth and Scott Sts. Visiting members invited to attend.
O. K. JOHNSON, Exalted Ruler.
H. G. ENGLISH, Sec'y.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 3001 — Regular meeting first and third Wednesday nights. Labor Temple.
R. C. Carr, Consul Commander.
R. J. CLAYPOOL, Clerk.
Office 3337. Res. 6471. 713 7th.

REAL ESTATE

DO YOU WANT A NICE LITTLE HOME THAT YOU CAN OWN BELOW ITS VALUE?

And you can pay for this on easiest terms. It has five rooms and is modern, with all the built-in features. Sidewalks, driveway and garage. Price $4,200.

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Near Junior college, consisting of large living room, bedroom, bath, breakfast room on each side, beautifully decorated. This house is extra well constructed and will make a good investment. Price for immediate sale, $5,850 with $650 cash, balance no more than rent.

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NEW FOUR-ROOM modern home with breakfast room, nice floors and light fixtures, $3,200 with $400 cash; balance $35 per month and interest. J. F. Friberg. 808½ Ohio-ave. Phone 9059.

VERY ATTRACTIVE HOME

Corner lot 200-foot, paving paid. This home has seven rooms and a very convenient floor plan. All floors are highly finished and are oak. The interior decorations are good. It has a pretty mantel, 2 double sets of French doors, and all the latest built-in features. Price is $8,700. You can own this home with a very reasonable cash payment, balance arranged conveniently.

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HOUSE FOR SALE: This house is a choice location. Rents for $45. Will sell for $3,250. $350 cash, balance easy. Phone 9107.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE

Have modern 5-room home valued at $5,000. Located corner lot 55x180 feet in east Dallas residence section, to trade for well located lots or new 5 or 6-room home in Wichita Falls. J. L. McElreath. Phone 9929.

FARMS AND RANCHES

FOR SALE—Five acres with three room house. Horse, one cow, 45 leghorn hens, wagon and garden tools. Under the old ditch, one fourth mile south of paved highway east side Holliday creek. Price is right.

LOTS AND ACREAGE

SHALLOW PRODUCTION

One hundred acre shallow lease located south of Burkburnett. Five wells production from three different sands. Power plant, air tight storage tanks; off-set on three sides by good production. Lease capable of being developed indefinitely.

Will sell worth the money and on good terms.

WILLIAM BALDRIDGE
Ground Floor Morgan Bldg.

FOR SALE—Forty acres one mile west of Henrietta court house. Will be on concrete pavement. Beautiful location. See Al Smith there or at Shady Park or write Henrietta.

OIL WELL SUPPLIES

IF YOU have anything to sell, anything to rent, or if you want to sell something, just try a Record News want ad. They bring quick results. Phone 4121.

For the best results use the want ads columns of the Wichita Falls Record News.

Gloria Signs for A New Lasky Contrac

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 26.—According to the Los Angeles Examiner today, competition among motion picture producers for the services of Gloria Swanson, screen star, has resulted in the signing of a new contract with Famous Players-Lasky by which Miss Swanson will receive a weekly salary of $17,500. The salary which the star will receive under the terms of her new contract is said to be the highest ever paid to a motion picture performer as a direct salary where no percentage is involved.

The screen actress has been getting $7,500 a week under her old contract the Eexaminer says.

COMFORT BANK LOOTED

Four Men Take $10,000 After Burning Way Into Bank.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 26. — Ten thousand dollars was looted from the Comfort State Bank, at Comfort, before dawn Thursday.

Four men believed to be from San Antonio, invaded Comfort in a motor car with elaborate apparatus for robbing the safe in the bank. They were fully equipped with acetylene tanks, tar paper, and water, and burned their way through the back of one of the most modern burglar-proof safes.

They got $6,000 in gold and $4,000 in other denominations of paper and silver.

CONDEMNED LEAVE DALLAS

Two, Sentenced to Die, Start For Huntsville; To Be Executed Apr. 3

DALLAS, Feb. 26. — Pete Welk, white, and Levannie Twitty, negro, under death sentences to be carried out April 3 at the state penitentiary, started to Huntsville today in the custody of Sheriff Schuyler Marshall and deputies.

The trip was made in an automobile. Mrs. Welk was permitted to remain all night at the jail. The Welks have five children. Mrs. Welk is attempting to have the sentence commuted to life imprisonment.

SCHOLASTIC BILL PASSED

15 Per Capita Appointment for Texas Schools Assured.

AUSTIN, Feb. 26—A 15 per capita scholastic apportionment for public schools was virtually assured today when the house passed the Wallace bill appropriating $1,000,000 to aid all public schools for the year beginning Sept. 1, 1925, and $3,000,000 for the next year of the current biennium.

Weak eyes of children are strengthened by Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water. All druggists 25c.—Adv

MONEY AT WORK

Brief but Important Lessons in Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds and Investments.

In order to make their currencies stop playing hop, skip and jump, two courses are open to the nations of the world that have these unstable currencies.

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Most currency authorities, including Edwin Walter Kemmerer of Princeton university, are agreed that the two methods by which the depreciated and fluctuating currencies of the world may be stabilized are by deflation and revaluation.

For countries like Great Britain, which has approximately a 7 per cent falling off from its gold standard, deflation is a workable plan, though this will cause "tight" money conditions and "hard times."

For countries like France, which have had their currencies slide greatly below their former standard, revaluation is the only workable plan for stabilization. For example, France might make the gold franc represent 5 cents (its present actual worth) instead of 19.3 cents. Germany revaluated its currency under the workings of the Dawes plan and now has the lowest price level of any of the major countries of the world.

Both deflation and revaluation would be painful, but so are many necessary surgical operations.

WALL STREET BRIEFS

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Economies being introduced in the management of the central leather company will have a beneficial effect on the current year's business, according to Hiram Brown, president, who informed stockholders that $250,000 had been cut from the pay roll and that scrapping of the tanning plants would mean an annual savings of $150,000 in maintenance.

A preliminary report of the Atlantic, Gulf & West Indies Steamship lines for 1924 shows a net income from steamship operations of $1,362,250 equal to $9.91 a share on the preferred. After allowing for preferred dividends balance is equivalent to $4.51 a share on the common in contrast to net loss of $1,628,580 in 1923.

The financial district expects that Tidewater Oil will be the next important company in that group to re-arrange its capital structure either at the annual meeting in May or sooner with probably a reduction in he par value of the present stock from $100 to $25 on an exchange basis of four shares of the new for one of the old. Standard Oil company of New Jersey is the largest holder of Tidewater stock, controlling about 40 per cent.

The Van Raalte Co., reports net loss of $408,855 for 1924 after the depreciation and charges, compared with net income of $120,930 or $3.02 a share in 1923. Deficit after first preferred dividends was $744,305 against $158,720 the year before.

The Baltimore & Ohio increased its January net operation income to $2,008,077, compared with $1,474,461 in January 1924, although gross revenues declined about $371,000 to $18,077,973.

Monaco Orchestra A Headliner At Wichita

Hughie Clark and his company of comedians with Tommy Monaco and his "red hot" orchestra are a feature at the Wichita Theatre today and Saturday. Tommy Monaco's orchestra keeps the road well oiled for the avalanche of fun and songs which Hurgie Clark and his company put out. Mr. Clark first came into prominence shortly after the war when he scored an emphatic hit with Irving Berlin's soldier show "Yip Yip Yaphankers."

Bennett Twins Here.

The Bennett twins, singing and dancing commediennes present "See My New Dress," a very popular amusement number. Miss Gladys is the violinist and Miss Katherine Bennett dispenses the comedy. They term themselves the flapperkins.

"My Daddy," is the title of a snappy little skit played by "Broomstick" Elliot and Babe La Tour.

"Why Birds Sing" Is Lecture Subject

"Why Birds Sing," was the subject of the program given last night at the First Methodist church by Charles Bowman Hutchins, "the bird man."

The wind and dust storm did not keep the crowd away and the auditorium was full for the third time this week.

Mr. Hutchins drew his inspiration for the program from a question asked him years ago by a little boy in California.

The question was "Why do birds sing?"

Mrs. Hutchins sang, "His Eye Is on the Sparrow" and "The Blue Bird."

Friday night will be the feature program o fthe whole series and the last adult entertainment given in Wichita Falls. The subject will be "Birds Trees and Flowers of Texas."

BAPTIST TO HOLD REVIVAL

Kentucky Minister Will Conduct Vernon Meeting in April.

VERNON, Feb. 26. — Announcement has been made that Rev. Arthur Fox, well known Baptist minister of Mayfield, Kentucky, will conduct a revival here at the First Baptist in either the latter part of April or the first part of May.

FREDERICK S. A. ASKS AID.

Will Request Help in Carrying On Relief Work.

FREDERICK, Okla., Feb. 26.—The Salvation Army board of this city met here Wednesday to lay plans for its annual appeal for aid from the county. Approximately $750 will be asked by the organization with which to carry on its yearly relief work.

DALLAS FIREMAN BURNED

DALLAS, Feb. 26.—V. E. Hale, city fireman, was burned about the upper part of his body early today when fighting a blaze in a vacant residence in East Dallas. A year ago he was injured in a collision of fire fighting appartus.

The new improved Automatic Electric Washer will make you independent of wash day troubles. Wichita Falls Electric Company.

TEXAS TO AID CONFEDERACY'S D. OF C. STATUE

Miriam Ferguson Joins Move For Stone Mountain Fund

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—(AP) — Governor Miriam A. Ferguson today joined in the movement among southern states to collect a fund for completion of the Confederate Memorial at Stone Mountain, Georgia. She promised to request patriotic societies of Texas to lend their aid in a campaign for this cause.

Mrs. Ferguson dispatched the following telegram to Governor Thomas G. McLeod of South Carolina, who urged action in Texas:

"In response to your courteous telegram I am glad to join with you in making an appeal to the Daughters of the Confederacy of Texas and all other southern states to conduct a campaign for funds to complete the Confederate Memorial at Stone Mountain and also to request the good women of the Confederacy to take charge of the sale of the memorial half dollars when they are released so as to apply the premium gained therefrom to this worthy cause. I shall make request of all southern patriotic organizations in Texas to lend their aid in this campaign in a cause so meritorious and so close to the traditions of our dear southland."

Okla. Gov. Offers Aid for Stone Mt.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Feb. 26.—In a telegram to Governor Thomas G. McLeod of South Carolina, Governor M. E. Trapp today declared that he was willing to co-operate in any effort to complete the Stone mountain memorials.

HIGHWAY NEARLY COMPLETE

Cisco-Mineral Wells Road paving Is Practically Finished.

CISCO, Feb. 26.—Work on the Cisco-Mineral Wells highway is practically finished, only a few more miles of brick lacking to complete the new road. It is thought that the highway will be ready for use by the openig of the West Texas chamber of commerce meeting to be held in May.

NO ARRESTS IN ROBBERY

No New Clues In Stamford Daylight Theft

STAMFORD, Feb. 26.—Police report that no arrests have yet been made in connection wtih the daylight robbery here last week of Brannon's cafe in which $68 was taken from the cash drawer while Clint Brannon, the proprietor was absent from the store.

Collins Bros. File Against Father

MUNFORDVILLE, Ky., Feb. 26. Three brothers of Floyd Collins, who lost his life when pinned by a boulder while exploring the recesses of Sand Cave near Cave City, have filed petitions in the Hart county court to have their father, Lee Collins, disqualified as administrator of the victims' estate. The case will be heard today.

The estate consists principally of Floyd's half interest in Crystal Cave, owned jointly by Lee Collins, as it was discovered on the Collins farm by the cave victim.

The brothers, Homer, Marshall and Andy Lee, allege in their petition that their father is "non compos mentis."

GRANDFIELD AGAINST BILL.

Proposed Road Law Meets Much Opposition Near Oklahoma Town.

GRANDFIELD, Okla., Feb. 26.—Definite action has been taken here in the past week against the new road bill to be introduced into the state legislature next week. It is believed that the bill would take the majority of the funds now used on county roads and spend it on about five per cent of the roads in the state.

FREDERICK THIEVES ACTIVE

Filling Station Suffer Most From Petty Robbers.

FREDERICK, Okla., Feb. 26.—Petty thieves have been active in the city for the past two weeks, an unusual number of complaints coming in from filling stations. No arrests have been made in connection with the thefts.

BRIDGE PLANS FAIL.

Frederick Merchants Abandon Efforts To Secure Free Red River Bridge.

FREDERICK, Okla., Feb. 26.—Frederick merchants abandoned their efforts Tuesday to secure a new free bridge across Red river near Davidson, when the parley between the contractors and the county commission fell through with.

FREDERICK MAN HURT.

Garage Mechanic Reported Improved From Injuries in Car Accident.

FREDERICK, Okla., Feb. 26.—Grover Cecil, garage mechanic of this city, is reported to be slightly improved at the Tillman County hospital where he was taken Tuesday evening following an automobile accident in which he suffered painful cuts and bruises to his head and body.

TWO PIONEERS BURIED

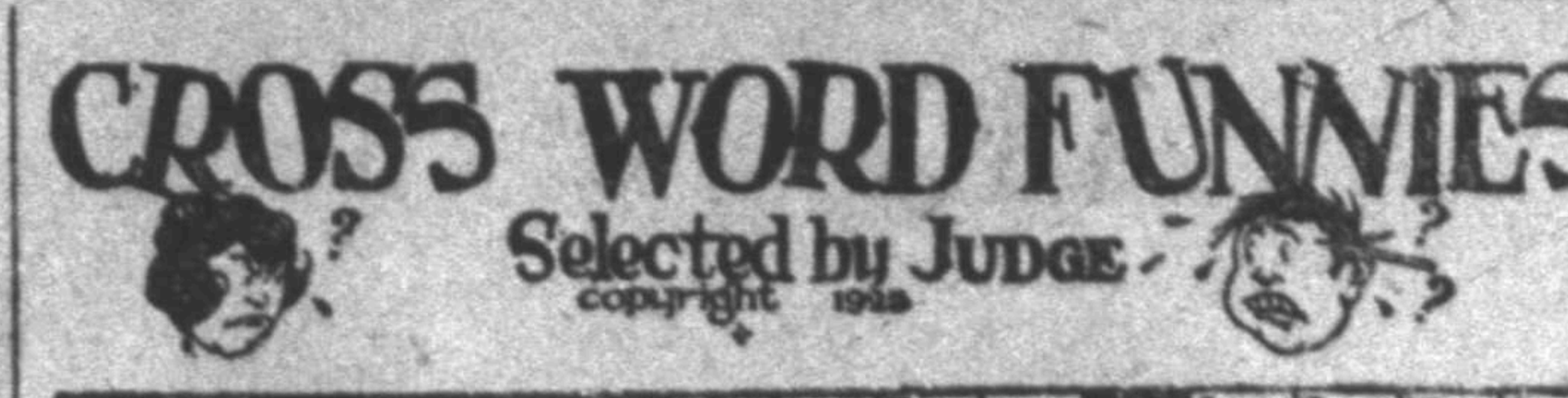
Sico Loses Two Aged Citizens On The Same Day.

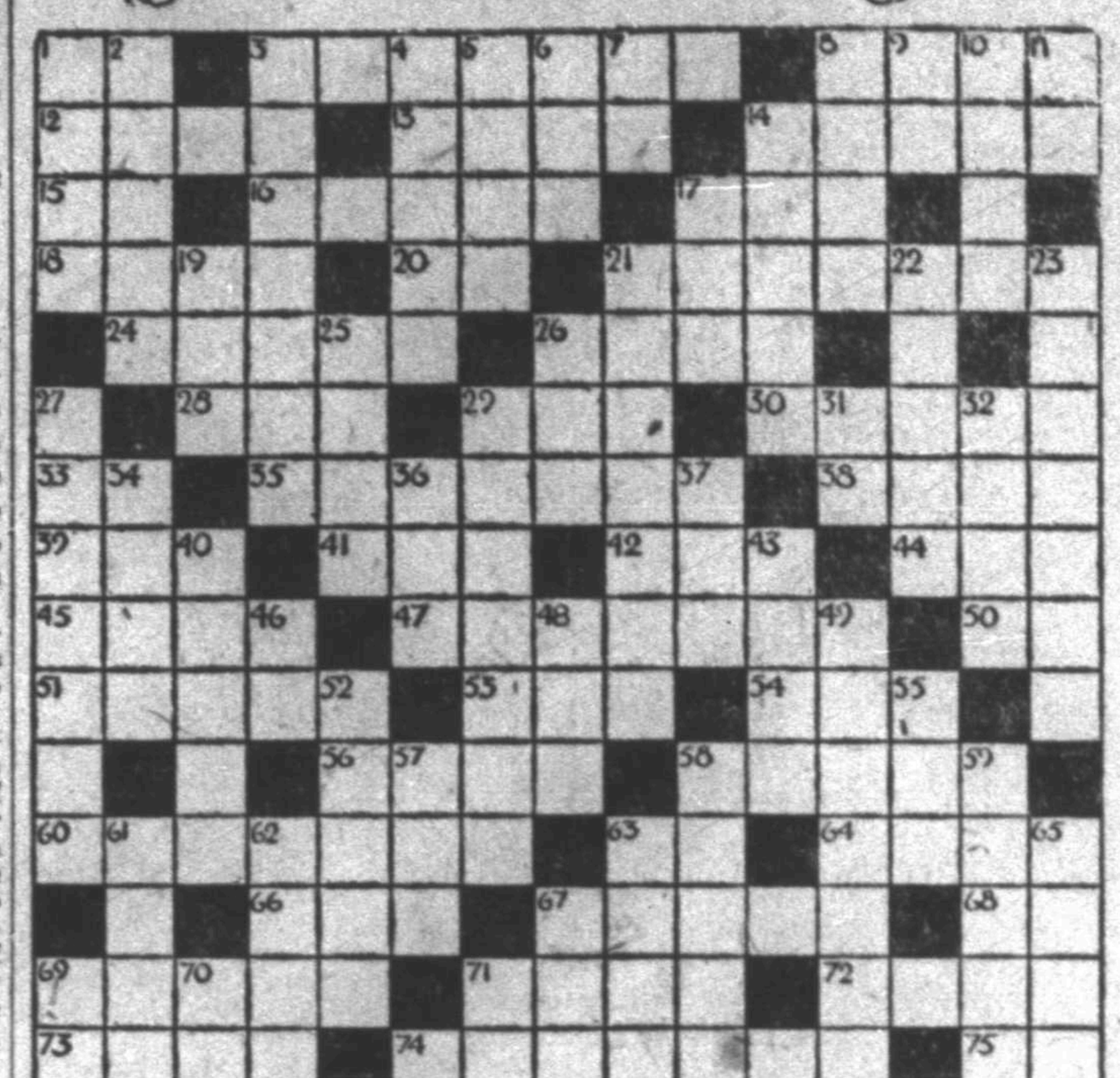
CISCO, Feb. 26.—Sico buried two of her pioneers on the same day Sunday when funeral services were held for John J. Winston and Mrs. Mary E. Gude, both of whom died after short illnesses. Both of the deceased were well known in this part of Texas having spent the greater part of their lives here.

T. P. PRESIDENT WILL SPEAK

O. B. Webb To Speak To Eastland Chamber Of Commerce

EASTLAND, Feb. 26.—Ollie B Webb, president of the Texas and Pacific railroad will be the principal speaker at the annual chamber of commerce banquet to be held here tonight.





Horizontal

1—What Junior's old man puts after his name
3—What garters are made of
8—The sheep's husbands
12—Instrument played by fish peddlers
13—A good fruit which is sometimes disguised by being dried and puckered up
14—Substance of which thin dimes, railroad tracks, etc., are made
15—What lots of people think they are (pronoun)
16—A place where bums get warm, fellows meet girls and cars stop
17—What some people claim politicians and officials do to us
18—A South American country
20—Lake water (abbr.)
21—Stables for horseless carriages
24—That sweet little thing that held your hand when you were sick
26—Your wife will crown you if you truck mud on there
28—Many eat onions (abbr.)
29—Why did Pop clean his glasses when a crowd of short skirts went by
30—The kind of paper you rush out to buy and then find out that it hasn't any more in it than you already know
33—A college degree
35—To imagine
38—Something that nearly every man is out scouting for but can only get near
39—What they called the fellows who hung out in the gin mills (abbr.)
41—Vegetable that you have to juggle in order to eat with a knife
42—Three crooked letters. (Easy for people who stutter)
44—A night of the bath (abbr.)
45—A fish
47—What your girl's old man always does when you offer him cigars?
50—A prefix
51—A place where they hold foot races, slugging matches, etc.
53—That yellow stuff you put on yourself when you get hurt (abbr.)
54—Single
56—The famous American and African indoor sport
58—To be separated from your sweetie
60—What the mine ran out of that caused it to fail
63—H. X. (We don't know what it means either)
64—Why is the baby bigger now than when he was born?
66—What did they do on the bridge at midnight?
67—Any living thing
68—Association of ball players, boxers and men who run around in B. V. D.'s (abbr.)
69—The kind of ivory that heads are made of
71—The name of a castle the "Yanks" took from the "Spick" during the Spanish-American War
72—The place where you look to see if the sun is coming up when you're getting in from a party
73—Insect that pesters dead fish and swarms in clouds under lights
74—Flowers have done this time and again
75—English translation (abbr.)

Vertical

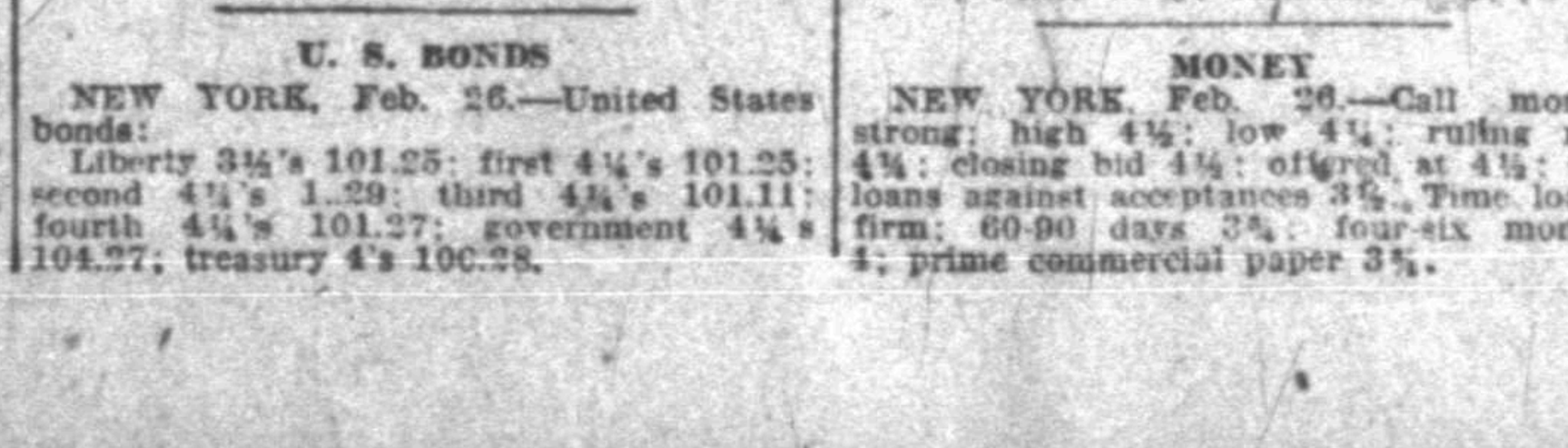
1—What people go back to the old country on
2—What's the matter with bananas when you let them lie around
3—Stands for a lot of guff and abuse
4—The fruit that got Adam and Eve in trouble
5—The way you are supposed to drive but don't
6—The king who became famous after a few thousand years
7—English for "him"
8—A girl's name
9—Preposition
10—Any animal's better half
11—Solicitor at law (abbr.)
14—The guy who invented a telegraph code
17—What Ma calls any piece of clothing that she has worn a couple of times
19—The stuff that puts a man on his ear
21—Thought at random
22—Things to keep people from beating trains across tracks
23—How does Willie have to get his car before he can ride?
25—Food that you shouldn't fan with your hat to cool
26—Red Eagles' Order (initials)
27—Fresh and cutting expressions. Like those your wife likes to hand out
29—Pertaining to space
31—X'tra brew (abbr.)
32—To look at rows of little black things on paper
34—A husky animal which reminds you of taking a bath
36—The vegetable of 41 across was so good we had to call for seconds
37—Especially (abbr.)
40—A color.
43—Traffic cop's favorite yell
46—Pretty nice (abbr.)
48—A policeman
49—What fish hooks get
52—Landed property, like the place where the farmer ties his bull
55—To make a mistake. (Very few people ever do that)
57—What any old tom cat likes to hunt
58—The whole truth and nothing but the truth
59—What do all little boys like to do
61—Something "chinks" press shirts with
62—To hand out an order or decree
63—What "Dearie" called "Hon" when he jumped overboard to save her dog
65—The name of the fellow who discovered the unit of power of Radios and Elec. apparatus before they were invented
67—This is what some one yelled at Rastus that made him leave the cemetery so fast
69—So good (abbr.)
70—French feminine definite article
71—Morning light (abbr.)

The solution will appear tomorrow

Solution of yesterday's puzzle.



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REFER MANAGER PLAN

Grandfield Will Try To Have Vote Taken on City Government April 7

GRANDFIELD, Okla., Feb. 26.—Considerable interest is being shown in the effort that is being made here to have the managerial form of government in this city brought to referendum vote at the city election, April 7. A petition is being circulated and accorded to sponsors the bill only a few more names remain to be obtained.

U. S. BONDS

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—United States bonds:

Liberty 3½'s 101.25; first 4¼'s 101.25; second 4¼'s 1..29; third 4¼'s 101.11; fourth 4¼'s 101.27; government 4¼'s 104.27; treasury 4's 100.28.

Financial

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Febb. 26.—Foreign exchanges, steady; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.75½; cables 4.75@; 60-day bills on banks 4.72⅝. France demand 5.16½; cables 5.17; Italy 4.05½ and 4.06; Belgium 5.03½ and 5.04; Germany demand 23.80; Holland 40.02; Norway 15.20; Sweden 26.93; Denmark 17.82; Switzerland 19.21; Spain 14.15; Greece 1.59; Poland 19¼; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96½; Jugo-Slavia 1.60½; Austria .0014¼; Rumania 49; Argentina 39.87; Brazil 10.94; Tokio 39⅜; Montreal 99 29-32.

MONEY

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Call money, strong; high 4½; low 4¼; ruling rate 4¼; closing bid 4¼; offered at 4½; call loans against acceptances 3½. Time loans, firm; 60-90 days 3¾; four-six months 4; prime commercial paper 3¾.

MARKETS

Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	1.90⅝	1.95	1.90⅝	1.94⅝
July	1.59¼	1.66½	1.59⅛	1.66¼
Sept.	1.46	1.50	1.46	1.49⅞
Corn—				
May	1.31⅛	1.33⅛	1.31¼	1.33
July	1.33⅛	1.35	1.33	1.34⅛
Sept.	1.31½	1.33⅜	1.31¼	1.33⅜
Oats—				
May	.54⅛	.55½	.54⅜	.55⅜
July	.55⅝	.56⅛	.55⅝	.56⅝
Sept.	.54⅝	.54⅞	.54⅛	.54⅞
Rye—				
May	1.64	1.67	1.64	1.66⅞
July	1.39	1.42⅛	1.38⅛	1.42
Sept.	1.23⅛	1.25⅛	1.22⅛	1.25⅛
Lard—				
July	16.60	16.82	16.60	16.80
Sept.	17.00	17.17	16.97	17.12
Ribs—				
May	17.05	17.12	17.05	17.10
July	17.25	17.30	17.25	17.30
Bellies—				
May	18.65	18.87	18.65	18.87
July	.....	.....	.....	19.05

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Wheat: No. 2 hard 1.91⅝; No. 3 hard 1.90.

Corn: No. 3 mixed 1.20⅝; No. 3 yellow 1.24@1.25⅜; No. 2 white 1.28.

Oats: No. 2 white 56½@57¼c; No. 3 white 52@53½c; No. 4 white 48@52½c.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 26.—Wheat: No. 2 hard 1.82@2.00; No. 2 red 1.95@2.02. Close: May 1.84¼@1.84⅛ bid; July 1.56 split bid@1.56⅛; September 1.42⅜@1.42¼ asked.

Oats: No. 2 white 55@56c; No. 3 white 53¼@54c.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 26.—The following shows range of values on the Fort Worth cash grain market, basis delivered group 3 or Texas common points, based on bids, offers, and sales of Fort Worth dealers, according to the Fort Worth grain and cotton exchange.

Wheat: No. 1 export 2.01½; No. 1 ordinary hard 2.02½@2.03½; No. 1, 75 per cent red 2.06@2.08; No. 1 dark hard milling 2.03½@2.04½; durham 1.96@2.00.

Corn: No. 2 white 1.34@1.37; No. 3 white 1.32@1.35; No. 2 mixed 1.29@1.31; No. 3 mixed 1.28@1.30; No. 2 yellow 1.34@1.37; No. 3 yellow 1.32@1.35.

Oats: No. 2 red 67½@69½c; No. 3 red 66½@68½c; No. 3 white 65½@68c.

Snapped corn, 1.10@1.25; No. 3 barley 95@98; No. 3 milo 2.09@2.12; No. 3 kaffir 1.93@1.98; maize heads 33.50@36.00; kaffir heads 30.50@32.50; red top cane seed 1.87@1.93.

HAY

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—The hay market is dull and lower with demand slack. Mild weather is restricting consumption. Lower grades are not wanted and prices on this kind of hay are disappointing to shippers. No. 1 alfalfa Kansas City 19.00; Omaha 16.50; Denver 17.50; Memphis 27.00; Atlanta 24.00; No. 1 prairie Kansas City 9.00; Omaha 11.00; Chicago 16.00; St. Louis 17.00; Minneapolis 16.00.

No. 1 timothy Boston 26.50; New York 26.00; Pittsburgh 20.50; Cincinnati 17.50; Chicago 23.00; St. Louis 21.50; Kansas City 15.00; Memphis 20.50; Denver 18.00; Atlanta 24.00.

Produce

PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Butter, higher; creamery etras 41½c; standards 41½; extra firsts 39¼@40½c; firsts 37@38½; seconds 32@35c.

Eggs, higher; receipts 19,007 cases; firsts 31@31½c; ordinary firsts 29@30c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Poultry alive, lower; fowls 24@25½c; springs 38c; roosters 18c; turkeys 25c; ducks 27c; geese 14c.

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—Eggs continue weak at Texas points although trading on the Chicago board this morning was on a 2 to 2½c advance, with fresh gathered firsts bringing 21c according to the cooperative state-federal market news service. Poultry is mostly unchanged and better steady.

Poultry, hens 19@20c; springs 38@40c; old roosters 9c; turkeys 25c pound live weight; geese 1.00; ducks 75c; gineas 25c each.

Eggs, fresh gathered firsts per case of 30 dozen 6.50 to 7.00.

Butter: Packing stock country 15 to 16c pound; creamery "A" 43c; creamery "B" 41c pound.

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—Spinach topped the list of carlot movement yesterday, 64 cars rolling from this state for 20 from South Carolina, 3 from Louisiana and 2 from Virginia. This makes the Texas movement to date 1,495 cars, compared with 1,416 a year ago. On account of the cutting restriction being exercised by lower valley growers of cabbage, but 27 cars moved from that section for 30 from Florida, 16 from New York and 8 from Wisconsin of a total of 89 cars rolled.

Other vegetable shipments for the day in which Texas was represented were as follows: Lettuce, Texas express 2, total 114; grape fruit, Texas 4, total 147; carrots, Texas 6, others unreported; beets, Texas 2, others unreported; mixed vegetables, Texas 51, others 16.

There was little feature to the spinach market yesterday, trade being unsettled at 45 to 50c bushel on carlot cash track to grower basis. Beets and carrots at lower valley points were unchanged, but cabbage showed a distinct up trend. Wagon loads brought growers from 10 to 15 a ton. This compared with 8 at the opening of the week. Cash track cars brought loaders 15 ton mostly and sales on wire orders to the outside were made at 17 to 18 with mixed cars containing cabbage bringing 20 a ton.

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—New York received 40,971 cases of eggs yesterday, Chicago 19,007, Boston 8,278 and Philadelphia 7,653 cases. This made total deliveries for the four markets for the period from January 1 to date of 1,503,176 cases, almost identically the same as one year ago but 255,699 cases less than this day of 1923. Of the receipts but 776 cases New York and 75 cases Boston went to the coolers for 513 cases in the former and 62 cases in the latter market with drawn. Stocks on hand at the opening of today's business were 1,127 cases New York, 190 Boston, 21 Philadelphia and 19 Chicago.

Dressed poultry receipts totalled 795,804 pounds or 291,222 pounds less than a year ago on the same day, 379,965 pounds went to the coolers for 619,937 pounds withdrawn, which left stocks on hand this morning; Chicago 40,705,044 pounds, Boston 11,013,202 pounds, Philadelphia 4,543,295 pounds and New York 33,056,886 pounds, 241,255,601 pounds more than a year ago, but only 8,747,068 pounds more than on this day of 1923.

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—Spinach markets were barely changed today, 13 jobbing centers averaging 90c and 1.05 for Texas bushels compared with yesterday's 95c@1.0.9, according to the cooperative state federal market service. Track supplies on the other hand decreased 114 to 101 cars and this notwithstanding the fact that receipts were seven cars heavier today, the 13 markets reporting 66 Texas and 21 other arrivals for the 24 hours period. St. Louis in the day moved through 38 cars, 13 of which were for Jersey City. Jobbing markets follow:

Kansas City no arrivals, 3 track, dull, 1.00.

Chicago, 2 Texas arrivals, 28 track, steady, viroftay 75c@1.00.

St. Louis 11 Texas arrived, 15 track, weak, mostly 75 cents.

Cincinnati 2, Texas arrived, 5 track, steady, 75c@1.00.

Cleveland, 2 Texas, 2 other arrivals, 6 track, steady 1.25.

Detroit, 2 Texas arrived, 8 track, dull, 90c@1.00.

Denver, 3 Texas arrived, 4 track, weak, mostly 1.00.

New York, 23 Texas, 14 other arrivals, dull, 85c@1.00.

Boston, 6 Texas, 1 other arrivals, 8 track, steady, 1.10@1.25.

Philadelphia, 11 Texas, 2 other arrivals, 17 track, weak, 75c@1.00.

Pittsburgh, 3 Texas arrived, steady 1.00@1.15.

Baltimore, 1 Texas, 2 other arrivals, 7 track, dull, mostly 1.00.

The cabbage trade showed some slight firmness. Baton Rouge reported but 9 Texas cars through for the day, St. Louis cleared 10 cars and Fort Worth 4. Jobbing markets follow:

Kansas City no Texas, one other arrival; 6 track, dull, 2.00 cwt bulk.

Chicago, 11 Texas, 4 other arrivals; 73 track, steady, 40@$45 a ton.

St. Louis no Texas, 12 other arrivals; 20 track, weak, 40@$45 a ton.

Cincinnati, no Texas, three other arrivals; 29 track, dull, 40@$45 a ton.

Detroit, 2, Texas, 1 other arrival; 7 track, steady, 2.75 cwt.

Denver, 1 Texas arrived; 4 track, steady unchanged.

Pittsburgh, 1 Texas arrived, steady, 2.75@3.00 cwt bulk.

N. Y. Stocks

STOCKS

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Stock prices gave an impressive demonstration of strength in today's active market, net gains of 1 to 3½ points being quite common at the close. Some profit taking place in the final dealig when the call money rate was advanced to 4½ per cent but the offerings were well absorbed.

Announcement that the New York federal reserve bank had increased its rediscount rate from 3 to 3½ per cent was not made until after the market closed. Rumors of an increase were circulated throughout the financial district during the day as they have been on every Thursday for the last two months, but apparently were disregarded. On several previous occasions such rumors have caused the heavy selling of stocks on the theory that a higher rediscount rate would curb speculative activity in the securities market.

Buying orders in today's market were well distributed with the best exhibitions of group strength being shown by the motor, sugar, public utility, oil and merchandize shares.

The sudden outburst of activity in the automotive issues was based on reports of a sharp increase in sales during the last two weeks by the principal motor car distributors. Jordan touched a new high at 54¼ closing just below the top for a net gain of 3½ points and new peak prices also were attained by Willys Overland common and preferred, Gardner Motors and the Maxwell and Packard issues.

Lacled Gas was the outstanding strong spot in the public utilities group, soaring 12 points to a record top at 145. Columbia Gas and Electric touched a new maximum at 51½ and Peoples Gas and Electric and Brooklyn Union Gas closed at net gains of 1½ and 1 point respectively.

With the exception of American Can which closed 2¼ points higher at 175¼, the so-called pivotal industrials showed little change on the day. U. S. Steel common fluctuated within a range of one point closing ¼ higher at 124⅜. Baldwin closed unchanged at 143½ and Studebaker sold off ⅛ to 44⅝.

Heavy accumulation of the oil shares took place despite the increase shown in crude oil production for the week ended February 21. The Pan-American issues led the advance, each closing more than two points higher.

Associated Drygoods soared 12¼ points to a record top at 192½ and then cancelled 3 points of its gain. Other outstanding strong spots included American Locomotive, Atlantic Gulf and West Indies, Savage Arms, Sears Roebuck, United States Industrial Alcohol, U. S. Cast Iron Pipe, Allis Chalmers, American Car and Foundry, the Commercial Solvents issues, Crucible Steel, Mathieson Alkali, Remington Typewriter and Tidewater Oil, all of which closed from 2 to 6½ points higher.

Rails failed to participate in the advance as extensively as the industrials but exceptionally good buying was noted in New York, Ontario and Western which closed more than 2 points higher at 25. St. Paul issues rallied about a point each on publication of an unusually favorable January earnings report.

Call money opened at 4¼ per cent and then advanced to 4½. Time money rates were somewhat firmer with little money offered below 4 per cent.

Foreign exchange rates held relatively steady until latel n the day when the raising of the rediscount rate brought about heavy selling of sterling which dropped more than a cent to below $4.74½. French francs were quoted around 5.17 cents and the other continental currencies showed only nominal changes.

	Sales in Hds.	High	Low	Close
Allied Chem & Dye	94	89½	87	89½
Allis Chalmers	23	77½	75⅜	77½
Am Bosch Mag	10	40⅜	40	40⅜
Am Can	209	176	174	174¼
Am Loco	198	136¼	134⅜	135⅜
Am Smelt & Ref	14	99⅜	99¼	99⅜
Am Sugar	154	69½	67¼	68½
Am Tel & Tel	7	134¼	134	134¼
Am Tobacco	6	87⅞	87⅜	87⅜
Am Woolen	75	51½	50⅝	51½
Anaconda Cop	19	43	42⅝	42⅝
A T & S Fe	678	125¼	123⅜	124¼
Atl Bir & Atl	8	4	3⅞	3⅞
Atl Coast Line	19	154⅝	153⅜	154⅛
Baldwin Loco	384	146	143½	143½
B & O	63	80	79	79⅝
Bethlehem Steel	44	48	46⅝	47⅞
Calif Pet	105	28	26⅞	28
Cen Leather pfd	25	63½	62½	62½
Cerro de Pasco	12	51⅞	51½	51⅞
Chandler Motor	45	35	34⅜	34⅜
C & O	17	96⅜	95½	96
C M & St P pfd	305	23½	20½	23
Chic & Nwestern	6	69⅝	68⅞	69⅝
C R I & Pac	76	51⅝	51⅛	51⅝
Chile Cop	7	35⅞	35⅝	35⅝
Coca Cola	6	91	90⅝	91
Consol Gas	27	76	76	76
Consol Ttile	6	4½	4⅛	4½
Conti Can	45	65⅛	65	65⅛
Corn Prod	50	41½	40⅝	40⅝
Cosden Oil		34⅞	33½	34⅜
Crucible Steel	138	76⅛	73	76⅛
Cuba Sugar pfd	166	62⅜	61	61⅞
Davison Chem	51	45½	44⅜	45
Dupont de Nem	6	150	148½	149
Erie	9	33⅜	33⅛	33⅜
Famous Players	213	99½	98½	98⅞
Gen Asphalt	21	58⅝	57½	57⅞
Gen Elec	43	240	237	237½
Gen Motors	119	74⅜	73⅞	74⅜
Gt Northern pfd	8	69¼	68⅞	69¼
Gulf St Steel	35	91¼	90	91¼
Houston Oil	13	80⅛	79⅛	80⅛
Inter Harv	6	105⅜	106	106
Inter M M pfd	106	48⅜	48	48½
Inter Nickel	24	27½	27¼	27⅜
Kelly Springfield	41	17¼	16	17⅛
Kennecott Cop	38	53⅞	53⅜	53⅞
L & N	40	111⅛	109⅜	111
Mack Truck	13	140⅜	138⅜	139⅜
Marland Oil	212	42⅜	41	42⅛
Maxwell Motor B	108	45⅜	44⅜	44⅞
M K & T	109	38¼	37	37⅞
Mo Pac pfd	37	81½	80⅜	81⅛
Montgomery Ward	79	50⅜	49⅛	49⅞
N Y Central	43	122⅛	121⅜	121⅜
N Y N H & H	273	35⅜	35½	35⅝
Nfolk & Wtern	128	131⅜	129⅜	131⅛
Northern Pal	4	69½	68⅞	69⅜
Pac Oil	86	62	60⅜	60⅞
Pan-Am Pet B	616	78⅜	75⅝	78⅛
Penn	15	47⅛	47	47⅛
Phila & Ddg C & I	19	48½	47¼	47⅛
Phillips Pet	80	43	42	43
Pure Oil	66	31	30¼	30½
Radio Corp	246	66⅜	64⅝	65⅛
Reading	77	78⅜	77⅝	78⅜
Republic I & Steel	52	56¼	54⅜	55
Reynolds Tob B	7	76½	76⅛	76½
St L & S F NNN	45	71⅛	70½	70½
St L Swestern	15	52⅛	51⅞	52
Seaboard Air Line	40	25¼	25⅜	24⅞
Seaboard A L pfd	5	42⅜	42⅜	42⅜
Sears Roebuck	99	161⅜	158	160⅛
Shell Union Oil	96	26½	25⅜	26⅛
Simms Pet	21	22⅜	22½	22⅜
Sinclair Oil	53	22½	21⅛	21⅞
Southern Pac	160	106⅜	105	106⅛
Southern Ry	99	91⅜	90⅝	91
Stand O of Cal	50	63⅞	63	63⅜
Stand O of N J	98	44⅝	43½	44½
Stewart Warner	43	71⅛	70½	70⅞
Studebaker Corp	142	44⅞	44⅛	55⅜
Texas Co	30	47⅜	47	47⅜
Tex Gulf Sulphur	35	102⅜	101	101⅞
T & P	58	56⅛	55¼	56
T & P Coal & Oil	92	29	18⅜	19½
Tobacco Prod	44	78⅜	77⅝	77⅞
Trans Oil	48	4⅝	4½	4⅝
Union Pac	45	152⅜	151¼	152⅛
U S C I P	21	226½	223	224½
U S Ind Alcohol	146	84⅝	82	84⅜
U S Rubber	36	43	41⅜	42½
U S Steel	298	125¼	124⅜	124⅜
Whouse Elec	26	73⅜	72½	72⅞
Willys Oland	645	10⅝	10⅜	10⅜
Woolworth & Co	18	118⅜	116	116½
Worthington Pump	115	74⅛	72¾	2⅛

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26.—Cotton futures closed easy at net 12 points down to 11 points up.

	High	Low	Close	P.Close
Mar	25.42	25.00	25.22	25.11
May	25.72	25.30	25.42-47	25.42
July	25.93	25.35	25.65-67	25.67
Oct.	25.24	24.95	24.98-04	25.10
Dec.	25.22	25.02	24.99-01	25.11

Opening: March 25.11; May 25.44; July 25.68; October 25.12; December 25.14.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26.—The cotton market was very active today, in fact it was the liviliest session experienced in some time. Prices were erratic and fluctuated in a fairly wide range. Following an early gain of 6 to 8 points, prices reacted, declining 18 to 22 points below the early high levels before the decline was checked. During the afternoon the market rallied sharply advancing 38 to 42 points from the lows of the morning and finally losing practically all of the gain and more on new crop months. October closing 12 points down compared with the close of yesterday.

At the start Liverpool was slightly lower than due but all months save March showed opening gains of 6 to 8 points. March opened unchanged, being held in check by the circulation of notices for 30,000 bales of March deliveries. The near month soon rallied with the other months when it became known the notices had all been stopped. Following the early gain the market eased off on an official forecast for rain or snow in the western belt and March traded down to 25.00, May 25.30, July 25.55 and October 24.95 or 17 to 22 points below the previous close. The rally of the afternoon carried March to 25.42, July 25.93 and October 25.24 or 29 to 42 points up from the lows of the morning. Nearly all of this gain lost in the late trading and the market closed 11 points net higher for March but unchanged to 12 points net lower on later months.

The notices for March issued this morning added to notices issued earlier total 75,000 bales that have been so far tendered on March contracts in the local market. That all these notices were promptly stopped by spot interests accounts for the relative firmness of the March position.

The sharp rally of 40 points or $2 a bale in the afternoon was due to the urgent demand for spots reported from the interior markets. Southern markets sold yesterday 39,597 bales, the largest day sales in several months. The late reaction was due to profit taking, partly owing to fears of probable rain in the west and partly to rumors that President Ebert of Germany was dying.

Exports for the day were moderate, 7,961 bales.

GALVESTON, Feb. 26.—The spot market closed unchanged. Sales 3,795 bales. Low ordinary narrow 18.70; ordinary 20.20; good ordinary 21.70; low middling 24.20; middling 25.70; good middling 26.35; middling fair 26.70.

HOUSTON, Feb. 26.—The spot market closed steady, unchanged. Sales 9,411 bales. Low ordinary 19.25; ordinary 20.55¼ good ordinary 21.80; strict good ordinary 23.05; low middling 24.30; strict low middling 25.20; middling 25.80; strict middling 26.15; good middling 26.30; strict good middling 26.55; middling fair 26.80.

DALLAS, Feb. 26.—Spots closed steady, 5 points higher, sales 6,129. Middling fair 26.25; strict good middling 26.10; good middling 25.93; strict middling 25.68; middling 25.30; strict low middling 24.68; low middling 23.70; strict good ordinary 22.95; good ordinary 21.25.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Feb. 26.—Consignments of fat cattle sold to a fairly good call Thursday. As on other days recently, steers were the last to find an outlet, and prices were only steady at best. Fat cows gained about 10c and on canners the market looked steady. Heifers, yearlings and bulls were purchased at rates that were quotably unchanged. The stocker trade was about steady. Receipts were estimated at 2,500 head of cattle and 500 calves.

Not many beef steers were here, but the scarcity did not inject any enthusiasm among buyers and the supply sold slowly. Prices, however, were steady with the week's decline of 25c. The most desirable cattle here were scheduled to clear around 7.40 or 7.50.

Fat cows met with a broad demand and when sales were made they looked strong to 10c up. Heifers and yearlings went scaleward with comparative freedom, but the market was no higher. Quality was not as desirable on the bulk as it was Wednesday. A few sales, however, ranged around 8.00 to 8.60. Bull values were steady.

Calves moved scaleward with considerable freedom, and the market was steady to strong on all kinds. Most of the supply was of an inferior grade.

Stocker prices were in line with recent quotations. Hogs advanced another notch 12.15 being pair for one car of good quality but not choice. Strictly toppy hogs were quotable at 12.25. The market unevenly 10 tol 5c higher, most sales with 1,500 here ranged from 11.75 to 12.10.

Pigs and packing sows remained in line with recent levels, the best pigs going at 9.00 to 9.25 while sows of good quality went at 10.00 to 10.50.

Receipts in the sheep house consisting of 4,800 head, consisted exclusively of consignments on through billing.

Cattle, 3,100 including 500 calves; market steady; beeves 3.50@7.50; stockers 3.25@7.50; fat cows 3.00@5.50; cutters 2.25@2.75; canners 1.75@2.00; heifers 3.25@7.50; yearlings 3.50@8.50; bulls 2.50@4.50; calves 2.50@8.50.

Hogs 1,500; market 10@20c higher; nothing choice here; top 12.15; bulk 11.75@12.10; best medium weight 12.00@12.15; good mixed 11.75@12.00; good light 11.50@11.75; fair mixed 11.25@11.50; fair light 10.50@11.25; common 6.50@[illegible]50; packing sows 9.50@10.50. pigs 4.50@9.25.

Sheep, 4,800; mostly through; market unchanged; lambs 13.50@16.50; feeders 12.00@15.00; yearlings 10.00 to 11.50; wethers 9.00@10.50; ewes 8.50@9.50; culls 1.50@2.50; stockers 2.50@3.50; goats 1.50@3.00.

HOMICIDE CHARGED BOY

Examining Trial Reveals Abuse Of Mother and Sister By Youth.

TEXAS CITY, Texas, Feb. 26. — George Booth, Jr., 18 years old, was released last night on a charge of homicide following the death of his father, George Albert Booth, at their home here early in the evening. The elder Booth was shot twice with a shot gun.

At the examining trial it was brought out that abuse of the mother and sister of young Booth brought about the killing. Booth made $300 bond.

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Society

JUNIOR COLLEGE MOTHERS CLUB

The Junior College Mothers' club met Thursday afternoon at the school with Mrs. J. W. Akin presiding.

A business session was held in which Mrs. John Kay made a report on the sale of the cook book and Mrs. Roy Daniel made a report on the furniture that the Mothers' club is buying for the domestic art department. Mrs. Akin appointed the following committee to look after the selling of tickets of "Am I Intruding," the play which the college is putting on.

Following the business Mrs. H. B. Patterson made a talk to the club. Mrs. J. W. Akin also made a talk. Miss Thelma Cain gave several musical numbers, accompanied by Miss Vera Cain and Miss Glenore Fisk spoke to the group on "Camp Fire Work."

Refreshments were served to Mesdames L. R. Buchanan, John Ulmer, O. W. Harvey, Fred Daulmer, G. T. Drinkard, W. A. McGee, R. Tittle, John C. Kay, J. W. Cantwell, E. V. Leslie Jr., Gregory Rowe, Claude Peters, John Tanered, G. S. Aynes, T. W. Caskey, W. W. McGinnis, G. W. Lavough, Calhoun, A. K. Presson, L. T. Granberry, W. H. Corn, Bert Shaw, M. J. Michalias, T. T. T. Reese, G. D. Smedley, M. M. Addickes, Ira L. Cain, H. B. Patterson, G. D. Anderson, J. W. Akin, V. W. Cain, W. W. Silk, J. C. A. Guest, P. A. Welty and Misses Glenore Fisk, Mamie Raborn, Frances Clay, Mattie Lee Underwood, Ella Mae Underwood, Hilda Masters, Sadie Frasier, Eva Weber, Lena McKee, Varna Sellers, Juanita Kinsey and J. W. Cantwell, S. H. Rider and J. C. Mathis.

BIBLE SCHOOL CONFERENCE MEET

The Bible school workers' conference of the First Baptist church will meet in the church basement for its regular monthly business meeting Friday evening, from 6:30 to 8:30. Lunch will be served promptly at 6:30 for all workers, including census team-captains and the census committee composed of the Baptist pastors and Sunday school superintendents.

Five three-minute discussions will be offered as follows:

"Five Things We Can Do That Will Make Our School More Attractive"—Mrs. J. B. Ward.

"Distracting Influence in Our Bible School and How to Remove Them"—Mrs. J. M. Schaefer.

"How to Reach the Unconverted in Our Bible School"—E. B. Fuller.

"Why Study the Normal Courses"—Mrs. I. A. Farris.

"How I Completed the Normal and Post Graduate Courses in Three Months"—Mrs. E. B. Reeves.

"The Census"—Le Roy Moore.

"The Meeting"—Dr. O. L. Powers.

Following the business session of the conferences the workers will retire to the department assembly rooms for departmental conferences presided over by the superintendents of the various departments. The 1925 program adopted by the conference follows:

Take thorough religious census and strive to enlist all available prospects.

Register 2,000 in attendance by Sunday, May 3.

Follow up every absentee each week.

Earn 1,000 training awards, with 100 gold seals—"Every Teacher a Trained Teacher."

Win the unsaved in the Bible school to accept Christ as their saviour.

Observe the special denominational days designated by the Sunday school board.

Build up a church and Bible school library with at least 900 volumes.

Strive for the advanced standard of excellence. (Our school has already met six of the 10 requirements).

B. B. OF L. CLUB WITH MRS. FRITZ.

Several hours of conversation and sewing was enjoyed by the women of the B. B. of L. club at the home of Mrs. F. W. R. Fritz on Monroe street.

Cherry pie a la mode and coffee was served to Mesdames A. W. West, Alta Simmons, Victoria Friberg, G. W. Whiten, L. W. Karrenbrock, Ana Friberg, H. E. Bradley, J. W. Webb, Anto McCormick, Charles Milliron, Lena McGlynn, F. I. Kelso of Burkburnett and the hostess.

CALENDAR.

Stitch and Chatter Club, Mrs. M. H. Seale, 1603 Kemp boulevard, afternoon.

Travel Club, library, afternoon.

Bible Study Club, W. R. Little, 1913 Eighth, afternoon.

New Century Club, Mrs. C. J. Barnard, at her home on Grant, afternoon.

Mrs. P. P. Langford will be hostess to the Unity Club, at her home on Tilden.

JUNIOR TRAVEL CLUB STUDIES NEW POETRY.

Continuing the study of new poetry, the Junior Travel club enjoyed an interesting lesson program at the meeting held Wednesday under the leadership of Mrs. F. T. Datson. Mrs. Datson gave a review of contemporary American imagists, characterizing them as belonging to the new school of poetry, comprising rather a rebirth in beauty of poetry rather than a following of the free verse. She also sketched the life of two imagist poets, Hilda Doolittle and John Gould Fletcher, giving poems from each.

Mrs. J. Truman Stevens gave contemporary American lyricists and sketched the lives of Robert Frost, Sara Teasdale and Joyce Kilmer. She concluded by reading an original poem demonstrating the use of imaginery.

Those present included Mesdames O. T. Alles, T. R. Brunson, O. W. Wilson, Sam Holliday, Thelbert Martin, F. T. Datson, W. J. Morgareidge, Elmer de Montel, E. T. Duff, R. L. Morgan, J. J. Fennessy, George Wilson, W. E. Hunter, Albert Lane, R. A. Walker, Wayne Somerville, J. Truman Stevens, George H. Watson and Miss Iva Willis.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY IN SESSION.

Members of the Central Presbyterian Auxiliary, meeting with Mrs. E. S. Goodner in study class yesterday, featured conclusion of their session with a prayer for Presbyterian schools and colleges, which was similarly observed throughout the United States at the same time.

Review of the Ming Quong was the chief feature of the occasion, the six chapters of the book being reviewed by members of the auxiliary before the twenty or more who attended the study class. The review was participated in by Mesdames J. N. Scott, R. C. Anderson, J. E. H. Bailey, D. B. Read, McFadyen, Burk Taylor, Goolsbee, George Fleming, Goodner and F. R. Johnson and the Misses Edmiston and Bertice Gibson.

Mrs. McFadyen was joint hostess.

It was an all-day session, lasting from 10 o'clock in the morning until 5 in the afternoon. Mrs. Anderson led the devotional in the forenoon; Mrs. J. G. Fain in the afternoon, the latter being secretary of the Spiritual Life section.

The offering for foreign missions totaled $28 for the meeting.

PHOTOPLAYS A CLUB SUBJECT.

"Photoplays and Their Market," furnished the subject of an interesting paper read before members of the Pen Women's club at the library Thursday afternoon by Mrs. J. M. P. Gill, the leader.

Roll call was answered by reading original work in the form of drama or photo drama and those present were Mesdames J. S. Pitman, J. M. P. Gill, M. E. McGee, E. A. Skalinder, Claude Williamson, W. H. Sanford, H. R. Van Emden, Eugene Sherrod and Miss Laelie Sherrod.

MRS. BEBB FOR PIERIA CLUB.

Mrs. Edwin Bebb led an interesting lesson on "Texas Laws and Government" for the Pieria club at the home of Mrs. Frank Hoover on Filmore, Wednesday afternoon. A round table discussion followed after which refreshments were served to Mesdames A. C. Parks, Edwin Bebb, John Pruitt, Earl Jameson, J. E. H. Bailey, Ernest Westmoreland and Miss Clara Schultz.

ATHENIAN CLUB MEET THURSDAY.

With Mrs. Charles Pridgen leader for the afternoon, the Athenian club members enjoyed an interesting lesson Thursday on Washington City. Roll call was answered with current events and Mrs. L. P. Amason gave a description of the Mount Vernon, the home of George Washington. Mrs. Frank Creighton told the story of the preservation of Mount Vernon and the latest memorial to George Washington—its plan and progress, was told by Mrs. Paul Barnett.

During the brief business session the study course for next year was discussed but nothing decided upon definitely.

Those present were Mesdames Dave Shepherd, Charles Pridgen, L. P. Amason, Paul Barnett, C. W. Rountree, B. B. Craft and J. J. Deberry.

THURSDAY BRIDGE WITH MRS. QUINN

Members of the Thursday Afternoon Bridge club were entertained with a lovely bridge party at the home of Mrs. J. G. Quinn at her home on Tilden.

In the games Mrs. T. D. King won high score, Mrs. I. I. Elliot next to high and Mrs. D. G. Gray won high for the guests. All were presented with lovely remembrances.

Late in the afternoon a salad course was served to Mesdames T. O. Shappell, Fred Woolsey, E. O. Sturm, T. D. King, A. H. Spencer, J. T. Groves, O. E. Naylor, W. V. Steimel, I. I. Elliott, T. L. Cadel, members and Mesdames D. G. Gray, N. L. Shackelford, R. B. Parker, W. S. Thompson, I. W. Reynolds, members and Mesdames D. G. Gray, N. L. Shackelford, J. A. McCarty, Clyde Heath, Bernhard and Farist.

Merle Brashear, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brashear of 1907 Holliday, is seriously ill at his home with the pneumonia. He was injured internally the first of the school year in a football game and had never fully recovered. He was able to be up for a little while at a time when he took the pneumonia and is again confined to his bed.

Mrs. A. E. Hull and daughter, Mary Lou, are spending the week-end at Houston and will be guests of Mrs. Hull's mother, Mrs. F. W. McClain, and sister, Mrs. George Howland.

Miss Faye Hubbard of Mineral Wells, who has been a popular house guest of Mrs. Renne Allred, Jr., for the past 10 days, has returned to her home. While here, Miss Hubbard was inspiration for many delightful social affairs.

Mrs. Frank Ramsey has returned from Cooper where she attended the North Texas association of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs. Mrs. Ramsey also visited friends at Paris.

Mrs. A. B. Smith of Tulsa, who has been the guest of Mrs. A. H. Britain for the past two weeks, is returning home today.

Mrs. E. L. Fulton and small son, Robert, who have been ill with severe attacks of influenza, are reported improving.

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Fritz Employes In Monthly Meet At Wichita Club

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The Fritz Motor company held the regular monthly banquet at the Wichita club Thursday with C. O. Fritz, acting as toastmaster and outlining some of the plans for this year. The slogan, "100 Marmons for 1925" and Reos all the Time" has been adopted. "Last year, we would have laughed at the idea of selling 50 Marmons," said Mr. Fritz, "but this year 22 Marmon automobiles have already been unloaded.

"We expect to have double the number of employees in 12 months time," said D. L. Fritz. A large two story building will be built at Eleventh and Scott and this will be the new home of the Marmon and Reo. Fritz Motor company No. 1 and No. 2 will be united under one roof and many new improvements will be added."

The building will be ready for occupation in approximately four months time, according to Mr. Fritz.

Each member of the organization was called upon to make a short talk. The next meeting will be held on March 26, and Mr. Williams was appointed toastmaster. The following members of the organization and guests were present: James L. Post, E. F. Newman, Record News, Jerry W. Moffatt, Daily Times. D. L. Fritz, C. O. Fritz, C. H. Williams, H. C. Nott, L. Cygon, Miss Nell Martin, Miss Thelma Maxwell, Miss Ova Nelson, W. F. Lampe, Jerry Reagan, F. P. Flanigan, J. O. McNeil, H. H. Russell, Joe Pistocco, Tom McClung, Virgil Ward, W. E. Hudson, R. E. Penick, Roy Stubblefield, Richard Tribble, Anton Hoff.

"Most Enthusiastic Crazy American, Noted Singer Calls Self Before Senate

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—Describing herself as "the most enthusiastic crazy American," though born in Austria, Madame Schumann-Heink, singer, today told the Texas legislature, "why the United States is the greatest country on top of the world."

In the presence of Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson, her husband, James E. Ferguson, state commanders and past commanders of the American Legion, the great singer told of the American spirit as well as the American "cuss words" she had learned in the training camps, where she sang for the men training for the World war. She spoke at the special invitation of the legislature.

"I learned English in the American camps and I can swear as well as any American soldier," she said. "This morning I cannot sing because my heart is in my throat and to sing one needs breath, but I am out of breath, so touched am I by this honor.

"I do not need to tell the boys of the American Legion why this is and will remain the greatest country in the world. If you had visited the camps and hospitals as I did, and had seen and felt the spirit of these wonderful boys, you would know why it is the greatest country."

Madame Schumann-Heink claimed her heart is in the west, whether Texas or California, she said it didn't matter.

"When I go east they ask me why I don't stay west if I liked it there so much," she said. "And I answer that I go east to get their money to spend it in the west."

Adj. Gen. Mark McGee, state commander of the legion, in introducing the speaker, said "no woman is more deeply loved by the ex-service men than Mother Schumann-Heink."

Dr. M. C. Sherwood, Temple, past state legion commander presented her with the official service cap of the Texas Legion. Removing her own hat, she donned the cap and stood at rigid attention while the legislators applauded.

Mrs. Ferguson sat beside the speaker on the platform. Adjutant General McGee introduced Wayne Davis, San Antonio, John C. Townes, Houston, and Dr. Sherwood as past commanders of the legion.

CIVIC LEAGUE LUNCHEON TUESDAY.

Every woman in Wichita Falls is reminded of the annual Civic League luncheon to be given at the Kemp hotel Tuesday. Mrs. Cato Sells of Ft. Worth will be the principal speaker and will talk on the subject, "Women and Citizenship." All Civic League members and women of the Forum are expected to bring guests. Phone reservations to Mrs. S. M. Gose, 9904.

DEENAN NAMED SENATOR

CHICAGO, Fb. 26.—(AP)—Governor Len Small tonight announced the appointment of Senator-elect Charles S. Deneen to fill the vacancy in the United States senate caused by the death of Senator Medill McCormick.

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The standard of living they will adopt after their marriage will be set by his comparatively small salary instead of by her parents' millions, it was learned last night with the announcement of their bethrothal.

NEW TEXAS SONG TO BE BROADCASTED.

W. S. Marsh, the author of the song, "Texas My Texas," will broadcast a program of his own composition Friday evening from the Harmony club of Fort Worth, 9:30 o'clock, according to announcement received Thursday. All music lovers of the city are invited to "listen in."

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