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"Desist" Gist Of C-C Message To Senator Parnell

DISAPPROVAL OF HIS UTILITY BILL IS VOICED

Legislature Committee Meets With Bar Association Committee

ENDORSE THE COURT

Expense Fund Rated to Aid Lobby On Proposed Bench

A committee from the local bar association met with the legislative committee of the chamber of commerce Wednesday and asked for cooperation in securing a court of civil appeals for Wichita Falls.

The chamber's committee agreed to finance the effort to the sum of $500, to be spent for necessary expenses such as telephone and telegraph bills, travelling expenses and so on.

Judge Sartin, District Attorney James V. Allred and the general manager of the chamber of commerce, Hubert M. Harrison, were appointed a committee to go to Austin to work on the matter and left Wednesday afternoon.

Judge R. E. Huff is chairman of the advisory legislative committee of the chamber, the committee being composed of past presidents N. H. Martin, T. B. Noble, G. Clint Wood and Walted D. Cline.

The committee, after having thoroughly investigated and studied the Parnell municipal utilities bill voted to request Senator Parnell to desist from his efforts to pass this measure and immediately sent a statement expressing disapproval of the bill.

Others Interested.

Telegrams protesting against the bill will be sent today by several Wichitans to members of the senate committee which Thursday night will conduct public hearings on the Parnell bill regulating operation of municipality owned utilities. This city, in company with many others of Texas, will conduct a vigorous fight on the measure, which they regard as troublesome and unfair.

Mayor Frank Collier will be in Austin to appear before the committee with representatives of the other protesting communities, but their work will be backed up today by telegrams to be sent each member of the committee.

Lions Endorsing Safety Council

Work of the newly organized Safety Council for Wichita Falls was heartily endorsed by the Lions club at their Wednesday luncheon at the Kemp hotel, and the support and assistance of club members was pledged in the work attempted by that organization following a talk by J. D. Bright of the Oklahoma Oil and Refining company, member of the council.

Misses Adele and Juel Ray sang two numbers for the Lions which were highly appreciated. Miss Annette Walsh accompanied them at the piano. The meeting claimed the best percentage of membership in over a year, only two members being absent. It was voted that the next meeting be held at the Episcopal Parish house.

CAN IT DISPOSE OF FUND

Legislators Undecided What To Do About $200,000 Trust Fund.

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—There is still a deal of uncertainty about the method of administering the $200,00 trust fund created by the bill for sale of the American Legion hospital at Kerrville.

The house bill, passed by Representative J. Roy Daniel of Wichita Falls, would turn over the sum in excess of the $1,500,000 legislative appropriation, to the American Legion state officers, for handling in interest of the disabled soldier.

Katy Scores Record In Saving of Fuel

C. I. Evans, chief fuel supervisor of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas lines, was present at a fuel conservation meeting of local M-K-T officials and employes in Division Superintendent D. C. Dobbins' office yesterday, and congratulated those present for their co-operation in what he termed "cutting the second biggest bill of a railroad to its minimum."

According to Mr. Evans the Katy system during the past year maintained a higher average of ton miles per gallon of fuel oil or its equivelant in coal than any of the 50 leading roads of the country with whom it is grouped.

THE WEATHER

As observed by the Wichita Falls Electric company for Wednesday was as follows: Maximum 81; minimum 38; at 5 p. m. 80; precipitation 0; south breeze; forecast clear; average wind velocity 8 miles per hour; fastest 12 miles per hour; Barometer 29.10.

OKLAHOMA: Thursday and Friday fair, no material change in temperature.

EAST TEXAS: Thursday and Friday generally fair.

WEST TEXAS: Thursday and Friday generally fair, no material change in temperature.

Cotton Acreage In County to Hold Up

A cotton acreage fully as great as that which last year produced a record crop of more than 16,000 bales is in store for Wichita county in 1925. A survey made the last few days by County Agricultural Agent Guy R. Jones has revealed that farmers in this territory, encouraged by the 1924 crop, are preparing to seed liberally again with the hope of surpassing the mark just set.

MAJOR'S ACCOUNTS ARE OK

Military Court Martial Exonerates McCammon For $27,000 Shortage.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—A military court martial of the District of Washington today exonerated Major Furmen E. McCammon of charges of being $27,000 short in his accounts as military attache of the American embassy at Santiago, Chile.

MUSIC IN ALL IT'S CHARM IS CLUB PROMISE

Wichita Falls Organization Plans Benefit For Junior College

It will be cause of delight to all lovers of music to hear that the Musicians' club has arranged an excellent program for the special concert Tuesday evening, February 10 at 8 o'clock, in the auditorium of the Junior college. The proceeds will be devoted to paying the remaining indebtedness on the grand piano presented to the Junior college by the Musicians' club.

Plans of the affair were announced yesterday. The best local talent available has volunteered its services, it was stated, and the program will include numbers by the following local artists.

Those on the Program.

The Shrine quartet will sing a group of catchy and frolicsome songs. In this quartette are the tenor, Ivan

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HE LEADS IN NEW ORLEANS.

Martin Behrman Has 3,150 Votes Over Maloney for Mayor.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 4.—With only one precinct out, Martin Behrman had a lead of 3,150 over Paul Maloney in the election held yesterday for mayor of New Orleans, Andrew McShane, incumbent, was far in the rear. Tabulations by the New Orleans Item gave Behrman 36,319; Maloney, 33,169; McShane, 4,436.

$612,240 Is Allowed For Insane Asylum

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—(AP)—More than $135,000 has been trimmed from the board of control budget for state elemosynary intstitutions by the house appropriations committee.

The institutions estimated that they needed $8,708,710 for the next biennium. The board of control cut it to $7,888,200 and the house committee pared it to $7,725,710.

Individual appropriations for the next two years as adopted by the committee include northwest Texas hospital for the insane $612,240.

LIQUOR CHARGES FILED

Two Men Arrested After Whiskey Is Hidden Under Floor.

Charges of possession of liquor for the purpose of sale were filed in the district courts here Wednesday morning against L. Heiniman and Charles Bird, following their arrest Tuesday night by the sheriff's department. Both men were later released after $1,000 bond had been perfected by each.

A quantity of liquor was found hidden beneath the floor of an Ohio avenue office.

PICK FAIR AMUSEMENTS

Executive Committee to Meet With Representatives of Big Circuits

Amusement and other attractions for the Texas-Oklahoma fair next fall may be contracted for Thursday when the executive committee of the fair association meets with representatives from many of the large amusement circuits of the country.

Graham Solon In Protest On Taxes

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—(AP) — Ten years additional remission of taxes was voted the city of Galveston today, when Speaker Lee Satterwhite reversed his ruling of last week and held that a two-thirds majority was not necessary.

Representative W. D. McFarlane of Graham, launched an attack on the ground that there would be unlimited calls for further tax remissions should the state grant the Galveston appeal. He charged a "Galveston lobbs" was working for the bill.

'IT'S A FINE IDEA, BUT ---' H. S. GIRLS SAY

Standard Dress For All of Them Proposed By Mothers Council

MANY FAVORING IT

And Others Think It Would Destroy Individuality In Feminine Garb

"A Standard Dress for High School Girls" will be discussed by the Mothers' council this afternoon at their meeting at the Junior high school building. The council is composed of representatives from every mothers' club in the city and the topic has aroused wide interest among the high school girls, their teachers, mothers and friends.

Some of them have expressed views on the matter, among them Miss Verna Sellars, who holds the chair of English in Junior college.

Favors the Idea.

"I am heartily in favor of the idea," Miss Sellars stated. "I think it would be one of the finest things for the school for the girls to dress in some sort of middy suit or dress with the Wichita Falls high school insignia worked in. Of course the Junior college students, if they adopted the plan, could adapt their own insignia and color scheme.

"When one considers the immense popularity of school sweaters or colors of any kind, it is easily seen that the costume would display school spirit and go a long way toward identifying high school and college girls everywhere.

"I think a uniform, attractively made, would be lovely on all the girls," is the opinion of Miss Alma Willis, high school student. "Lots of us wear sweaters and skirts anyway, and I think we'd like the plan."

Mrs. P. P. Lankford also endorses the idea.

Works Well Elsewhere.

"I am very much in favor of uniform dress," she declared. "I have seen the plan tried out in many places and it works wonderfully. The girls are more comfortable, neater and more on a democratic level with other girls. The idea ends the ceaseless struggle among the girls to outdress each other and keeps the parent from having to refuse a child pretty clothes that are not really sensible, but that other girls in school wear.

Many Want Pretty Clothes.

"I like the idea of a uniform," said Miss Marguerite McDonald, another

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Galligan and Len Talk Things Over

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Feb. 4.—(AP)—Sheriff George Galligan of Williamson county arrived in Springfield this afternoon and went into conference with Governor Small with regard to his request for martial law at Herrin.

Galligan reiterated his former statement that he has no intention to resign.

N. KOONSMAN IN CITY

Ranger, Formerly Stationed, Here Comes In For Stop of Few Days

N. Koonsman, formerly a Texas Ranger stationed in Wichita Falls and who since then has been in service in practically every section of the state, is in the city for a few days. He came here from Del Rio. Koonsman was stationed at the site of the storage dam when construction work on the irrigation project was hampered a time or so by labor difficulties and preserved order there until the troubles were smoother out. He also played a considerable part in the so-called oil field clean-ups that came here after the boom days.

JUMBO ON LAND AGAIN

Elephant Arrives At Beaumont Consigned to Christie Brothers.

BEAUMONT, Feb. 4. — A 1,200 pound elephant arrived here today aboard the transmarine motorship Syphonic, consigned to the Christy Brothers shows. The elephant came from Hamburg, Germany, being reshipped at New York.

STANDARD FLIRTS SOVIET

It Is Reported Company Would Buy Caucasian Oil

PARIS, Feb. 4.—Premier Rykoff of soviet Russia and quoted by the Moscow correspondent of the Petite Parisien as declaring that the Standard Oil company has offered to buy Russia's oil output.

Daredevil Appeals To Wichita Falls Folks To Help Him Aid Day Nursery

To the People of Wichita Falls:

I, as an able bodied man of the world, earnestly and eagerly appeal to the people of Wichita Falls to assist me in raising funds for the Wichita Falls Day Nursery. I am promoting a life risking stunt at 5 o'clock this afternoon as an emblem of gratitude to the unlucky ones who are not in the position to enjoy life such as you and I.

Today I visited the Wichita Falls day nursery, there I saw little tots, infants, children whose parents were not financially able to support them. I saw with my own eyes the noble work which this nursery is doing. I saw sunshiny rooms, snow white cots, walls and floors fairly glistening with cleanliness. I saw their food prepared. I listened keenly as the erect, sincere service attendant eagerly told me of their plans to do more and more as soon as finances would permit. How they soon honed to have the necessary money to enlarge their work.

I visited the wards.

I searched the faces of all those youngsters. I watched a tear trickle down the face of one little motherless fellow—heartsick. I studied the congested condition of their quarters and then and there I knew that I owed my services to these children.

We, of perfect health and bodies, go on restlessly from day to day grasping more, wanting more. We have our health, our families, our homes for our children.

They have nothing.

But it is only by the grace of God that the little motherless fellow, the pain racked boy or girl is not yours or mine.

People of Wichita Falls: I love these children, they are all worthy of our love and care. I appeal to you in the name of those who are not able to go out in this world and help themselves as you and I.

(Signed) Daredevil Lockwood.

LOCKWOOD HANGS AT 5 P. M. FROM WAGGONER BUILDING TO AID WICHITA'S DAY NURSERY

This evening at 5 o'clock the people of Wichita Falls will be given an opportunity to show that their hearts are for a cause that is in great need of their assistance.

"Daredevil" Lockwood is still in town and "Daredevil" Lockwood, through the courtesy of D. L. Fritz of the Fritz Motor Company, local Marmon, Reo and Rollins dealers who is responsible for bringing the daredevil to this city, is going to take his life in his hands to help the little tots who can not help themselves.

The famous hero of the air, movie actor and stunt driver is going to allow himself to be encased in a straight-jacket, forty five strands of rope, to be securely tied about his body and then to be drawn, feet first, to the top of the Bob Waggoner building and remain in that position until a reasonable amount of collections have been made among the spectators for the benefit of the Wichita Falls Day Nursery.

At a signal from someone below the Daredevil will then endeavor to release himself from his imprisoned position and make his way back to the ground in less than seven minutes.

Lockwood will award prizes to newsboys at 4 o'clock this afternoon and bid them farewell from in front of the P. B. M. store. The Daredevil plans to give all newsies a chance to be in movies at the P. B. M. Clothing store to contribute suits of clothes to newsboys who won Daredevil Lockwood's prize to newsies. After awarding the prizes the Daredevil will line all the boys up in front of the store and have them pose for their pictures to be shown in the movies. Then he will give them a farewell speech.

INJURY FATAL TO BURK MAN

F. E. Pyatte Passes Away Following a Paralytic Stroke

BURKBURNETT, Feb. 4.—F. E. Pyatte, age 71, died at the home of his son, L. E. Pyatte, south of the city at three o'clock this afternoon.

The funeral will take place Thursday morning in the Texhoma church and burial will follow in the Burkburnett cemetery, under the direction of the Collier Brothers Undertaking company.

Mr. Pyatte was run down by a passing automobile on West Main street on January 11, and sustained a broken leg. He was taken to the Wichita Falls hospital for two weeks and later returned to his son's home where he seemed to improve until last Sunday, when he suffered a stroke of paralysis ending fatally today.

Surviving relatives are the wife and two sons, L. E. and J. S. Pyatte of this city.

23 New Ones; 22 Old In Wichita

New cases of contagious diseases in Wichita Falls exceeded by one the number of such cases released during January, the health department report compiled yesterday by Dr. A. H. Douglas, shows. Twenty-three cases were quarantined and 22 released.

Chicken-pox led the list with 14 cases reported and 13 released; scarlet fever stood six and six, diphtheria one and one, and whooping cough two and two.

ANOTHER WOMAN'S PLUM

Rumored Ma May Put Mrs. Armstrong on Board of Optometry

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—Mrs. Ferguson, first woman governor, is about to name another woman to a high official post, it is being rumored. She is to place Mrs. R. W. Armstrong of Brownwood, as the first woman on license board, on the state board of optometry examiners, it is predicted. Mrs. Armstrong, the mother of Wright Armstrong of "Old Gray Mare" band renown is president of the state association of optometrists.

WARRANTS UP TO 37,950

AUSTIN, Feb. 4. — Warrants against the general revenue fund up to number 37,950 for a total of $100,514 will be paid upon presentation, state Treasurer Hatcher announced today.

CORRIDON DIES AT IOWA PARK

"Uncle Tom" Succumbs To Illness Brought On By His Advanced Age

Uncle Tom Corridon, one of the first settlers of north Texas, and father of the first child born in Iowa Park, died Wednesday night in his Iowa Park home at the age of 89 years. Funeral services and interment will be in the Highland cemetery at Iowa Park this afternoon at 3 o'clock. He had been ill only a few days with the flu, but his advanced years told on him, as he was nearing the 90 year mark.

Uncle Tom Corrigon was born in Lauhill on Shannon, Ireland, County Limerick, on May the 11, 1836. He came to Quebec, Canada, when 17 years of age, shortly after coming to the United States and settling in Wisconsin, where for a number of years he served as a lumber jack. Uncle Tom was among the very first settlers of Iowa Park and Wichita county, coming here in 1888, where he has resided continuously since.

Not long after he settled in Iowa Park he became the father of the first child born there, Tom Corridon Jr., who is now cashier of the First National bank, Iowa Park. For many years he has been a familiar figure in Iowa Park, and he was loved and revered by young and old alike for his gunny jovial adisposition, and his ever ready Irish wit. Uncle Tom was with the Fort Worth and Denver railroad for many years as section foreman, and later for many years operated a hotel in this city. Few men were more widely known among the traveling fraternity than he.

Those Who Survive.

Uncle Tom is survived by his wife, who is 86 years of age, three daughters, Mrs. E. S. Simms of Dallas, Mrs. Mollie Slate of Oklahoma and Mrs. Charles Lawless of Rushville, Mo., two sons, Pete Corridon of California, and Tom Corridon Jr., well known banker of Iowa Park. He is also survived by 29 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren. He was a grandfather of the late J. C. Ralston who met death in a gunshot accident in this city in December.

Active pallbearers at his funeral today will be John Hirschi, T. L. Burnett, Boone Smith, A. J. Hester and W. F. George; honorary B. N. Ferguson, A. C. Henson, G. Heisermann, Albert Johnson, J. E. Johnson, N. L. Lowrance, W. T. McKinney, all of Iowa Park, and Bert Bean of Wichita Falls.

Miners Digging In To Rescue Collins

SAND CAVE, CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 24.—Four hours more of actual work will be required to clear a passageway to Floyd Collins, imprisoned in Sand Cave since Friday morning, it was estimated tonight after a relief crew came out of the cavern.

Experienced miners have been digging incessantly at the latest obstacle dumped into the passageway, between the surface and where Collins is trapped, by a cave-in this morning, but still have much earth to remove before a passage is opened.

Without a rumble to forecast its coming, a section of tile side wall and roof of Sand Cave fell today and sealed Collins in his underground prison just as rescuers felt they were about to effect his release.

PRAYERS FOR COLLINS GIVEN AT UNION SERVICE

GLASGOW, Ky., Feb. 4.—Prayers were offered today by every woman attending a union prayer service held for Floyd Collins, 35-year-old cave explorer, trapped in Sand Cave, near here

Solon Charges Codification Board Took Liberties In Code Changes; Irrigation Law Changed, Is Claim

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—(AP) — Somebody apparently has been taking liberties with the civil code.

It was brought to the attention of the senate today by Senator Carl C. Hardin of Stephenville, and an investigation was urged by Senator L. D. Fairchild of Lufkin, but after a statement by Senator Lloyd E. Price of Daingerfield, that the code was 95 per cent sound and that the other possibly defective five per cent could be cured by legislation, the senate decided to let the matter take its course in the house. The code has already been passed by the senate.

Senator Hardin introduced a resolution which would recall the senate bill covering the code "to see that the laws are not changed as they seem to be."

Senator Fairchild supported the resolution. He asserted that in some instances he found the code changed considerably from the old laws and he thought a committee of three ought to be appointed to look into it. He said that the codification board had made the changes.

"Its function, I take it," he said, "was to take the old laws and submit those which seemed suitable and not to write the law itself."

Senator Price thought it would be a calamity to hold up adoption of the code and suggested that the legislature could amend those that might have been changed as occasion might arise.

Senator Fairchild called attention to a specific instance where the irrigation law had been changed.

"The omission of references to an 'underflow' simply ruins them down in the valley," he said.

On a record vote the resolution was lost 13 to 14

ANDRADE'S IS RECORD WELL AT 1,100 FEET

New Producer Probably Never Duplicated At Depth

ARCHER'S BEST, TOO

Acreage Was Regarded As Condemned Short Time Ago

Andrade-Harvey et al's No. 1, Kunkel, on the east end of the Carey district in south Archer county will rank probably as the best well ever completed in Archer county, according to an opinion expressed generally yesterday, and, it is believed, will stand alone in the history of oil as the largest well ever completed from the shallow depth of 1,100 feet in the history of the world.

The first day's gauge on the well as nearly as it can be ascertained eleven 250 barrel tanks only partially filled showed around 2,000 barrels actual production from the well, flowing since twelve o'clock Tuesday, at first steady through a four inch flowline, and then settling to three or four minute heads at a rate of about one every six minutes.

The well has had a varied history. The Kunkel farm, along with its western neighbor, the Hausler tract, was blocked up last summer following the Ragle discovery by operators here, who saw in the locality a potential extension to the Knight-Hines pool to the southeast.

J. I. Harvey, Taylor, Shaw and Rathke, and others combined to drill a well on the Kunkel farm north and east of the present big well. It was a dry hole, and seemingly condemned territory around it, although at the time it was claimed that a location further west it would have made a good well.

E. S. Carey completed his No. 1, Hausler, a mile to the west for a 150 barrel well about this time, and the acreage which Roxanana, White Brothers, Harvey and Andrade, Gulf, Shaw and Rathke, and even Petroleum Producers now own, seemed too far east to ever amount to anything.

Acreage a Donation.

Gulf donated J. I. Harvey a five-acre strip off the south of its lease in return for a well. With C. Andrade III, of Fort Worth, Dr. A. F. Leach and F. H. Goss and Leo Sellars, seemingly doomed to failure at first, although as each test carried production further east looking much more likely.

The rig burned when the well was down 800 feet or so, and two weeks were spent in rebuilding.

Ten days ago, when Roxana's offset, No. 2, Kunkel, was seemingly a dry hole at the usual depth its owners would have sold their interest in the well for a song. A day or so later when Roxana completed their well in a deeper sand as a 950 barrel producer, it could not have been purchased so cheaply, but it was not until White Brothers, about 500 feet to the east finished up their well for the largest to then in the Carey pool that its real potentiality was seen. Its completion followed the White Brothers well by about 30 hours. For approximately six hours after it started it flowed an almost steady stream into the slushpit through a four-inch flowline, at a rate of better than 2,000 barrels a day, settling afterwards to regular heads.

Bottom of Hole 1,150 Ft.

The size of the well would be reckoned as small in the big days at Wortham, where they dug them to 2,000 and 3,000 feet to get their oil, and spent tens of thousands in lease money, at Tonkawa it would have been pronounced a moderate producer from a depth of 4,500 feet, but it is doubtful if any shallow field in the world, south Electra included, has ever produced so large a well from so shallow a depth, with such a body of sand to produce from, with the shallow depth minimizing drilling costs and the thirty-three feet of sand insuring a long life to production.

Senate Unanimous On Railroad Passes

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—The senate was a unit today on the adoption of the bill by Senator Archie Parr of Benavides, and others permitting railroads and sleeping car companies to issue free transportation to members of the legislature and their families.

Invited To Reconciliation, Youth Is Killed By Mother-in-Law As His Eloping Bride Looks On At Walters

WALTERS, Okla., Feb. 4.—Returning here today with his 16-year-old wife to receive her parents' forgiveness for a runaway marriage nearly three months ago, George Hicks, 19, was shot five times and instantly killed by Mrs. E. B. Forrest, his mother-in-law. Mrs. Forrest and her husband were immediately arrested and placed in jail, but no charges had been preferred against them tonight pending the conclusion of a court of inquiry conducted by Toby Morris, county attorney.

Forrest said he believed his wife's mind had been unbalanced by the marriage and a subsequent trial of Hicks on a perjury charge brought in connection with the marriage.

The young couple, who had been spending a honeymoon at the home of Hicks' parents at Atoka, Okla., arrived here today, presumably in response to an invitation from the Forrests. They received a friendly welcome, the young widow said later in describing the tragedy. Soon after they entered the house, however, she said, her parents consulted in low tones and her father withdrew from the living room. The girl followed her father, leaving Hicks and the elder woman alone in the room. The shooting followed.

A search for Arthur Hicks, brother of George Hicks, was started in Wichita Falls last night with the arrival here of Mrs. Arthur Hicks, Floyd Frenck and C. E. Jenkins, all of Walters. Arthur Hicks and George Morris, his bother-in-law, were known to have been in the city Tuesday morning. They indicated that they would make the rounds of the oil fields to obtain employment.

It is asked that in case Mr. Hicks should learn of his brother's death, he communicate at once with police at the city hall here or go directly to his home in Walters.

Ridicule Greets Claim World Ends Friday

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Another blast aimed at those members or former members of the denomination who have been predicting the end of the world on February 6 was delivered here today from headquarters of the Seventh Day Adventist organization.

Prophecies Unfulfilled.

Several prophesies are yet to be fulfilled before the coming of Christ the organization adventists hold and Mrs. Margaret W. Bowen, leader of those who have fixed the date for next Friday, has been denounced by the church leaders.

Before the end of the world, a church statement said, "the seven last plagues must fall, and as far as we can see, not one has yet fallen. Think of men being afflicted with grievous sores, of the sea becoming as the blood of a dead man; of rivers and fountains turning into blood; of the sun having power to scorch men; of men gnawing their tongues with pain and you have an idea of some of these plagues. None of them has yet appeared.

Armageddon First.

The great battle of Armageddon must be fought during the sixth plague, the statement said, and the seventh plague will bring hailstones weighing one talent each.

"We also believe," it was added, "that America will figure prominently in the closing events of earth's history. The Sunday law reformers will yet have their innings to the extent of doing their utmost to force their tyrannical doctrines concerning Sunday sacredness upon dissenters. The hand of oppression awaits liberty lovers and the scenes of the dark ages will be re-enacted before the end comes."

Odem Bank Suicide Is Austin Report

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.— (AP)—The state banking department announced receipt of a telegram from Odem, Texas, saying that A. B. Butler, cashier of the Odem State bank had killed himself today during the progress of an examination of the bank by State Bank Examiner O. B. Chappington.

QUADRUPLETS ARE BORN

Tennessee Couple Given a Surprise; One Child Dead

ST. BETHLEHEM, Tenn., Feb. 4.—(AP)—Quadruplets were born at the home of George Heflin here yesterday. The three first born were two girls and a boy and will live, the physician said. The fourth, a boy, was born dead. The four weighed 20 pounds when born.

PROMINENT CITIZENS ACT.

Well Known Denton Men Go Bond for Two Who Surrendered.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 4.—Yancy Storey and W. A. Martin, who surrendered yesterday to Ranger Captain Tom Hickman at Denton, after holding a small army of officers at bay for 24 hours, are free today on bond. Prominent citizens of Denton signed sureties for the pair.

Bar and Public To Confer On Court

A meeting of the Wichita County Bar association which will be turned into an open forum for consideration of further steps by which Wichita Falls can secure a court of civil appeals will be held at 9 o'clock Thursday morning in the 30th district court room. All members of the bar are urged to be present and an invitation is extended to all citizens interested in the matter says Leslie Humphrey, president of the association.

NOW A RUSH OF MAIL

Tax Collectors Office Digging Out From Hundreds of Letters

The Christmas rush at the post office has found a duplicate in miniature at the county tax collector's office here, since the first of the week, approximately 650 letters including tax remittances have been opened.

Payments totalling $80,006 were acknowledged from the stack of mail handled.

Fayette Mob is Feared

Officers Spirit Away Boy Who Killed Girl, Wounded Sister

A RUNNING FIGHT

Killer Is Wounded In Shoulder Trying To Escape The Offirecs

LA GRANGE, Feb. 4.—W. H. Langhorne, Jr., 25, truck driver, son of Dr. W. H. Langhorne of Chappell Hill is being held at on unknown place on charges of murder, assault to murder and criminal assault in connection with the killing of Velera Zapalac, 17, and injuries to Minnie Zapalac, 15, sisters, near here last night. Feeling is running high among citizens of La Grange. Mob violence is feared.

High School Students.

The girls, high school students and daughters of Henry Zapalac, prominent resident, went riding with Langhorne, whom they had known for some time. Langhorne is alleged to have attacked the younger girl and Valera went to her rescue. She was shot three times and Minnie's throat was slashed, but she escaped when Langhorne turned his attention to Valera. She ran to a farmer's home and notified Sheriff Will Loessin. After a running gun fight Sheriff Loessin and Dan Reiss were challenged by Langhorne from his automobile. In attempting to escape Langhorne ran his machine into a gate, deserted it and took refuge behind a barn, where he later surrendered. He was wounded by a pistol shot in his shoulder.

Thrown To Road.

The girl's body was brought to La Grange from where it had been thrown on the highway. The younger girl is in a hospital in a critical condition.

In order to avoid a possible outbreak, Sheriff Loessin removed Langhorne from the Fayette county jail here shortly after the prisoner had made his statement in writing. Presumably, Langhorne was removed to another county.

District Attorney Blundell announced late this afternoon he had communicated with Judge Jeffery who is holding court at New Braunfels and that a special term of district court here would be called for next Monday morning.

Dr. Langhorne, father of the young man, Attorney Teague of Brenham and the sheriff of Washington county were here shortly before the prisoner was removed to another place.

Texas Constable Is Shot By Assassin

ATHENS, Texas, Feb. 4. — Constable T. B. Patton of the Athens precinct, was shot by an assassin last night at 11 o'clock at his home here, and died this morning at 4 o'clock without regaining consciousness. Constable Patton was putting his automobile in his garage, when he was shot twice at close range. Two charges of buck-shot, either of which would have proved fatal, entered his face, which was badly disfigured. Two empty shells were found near the body.

Edward Corbett, a concrete mixer, is being detained by officers in connection with the shooting. He was found asleep at his home early this morning.

The grand jury is in session and will investigate the case today.

OIL RIG IS DESTROYED

Fire In Tonkawa Field Causes $15,000 Loss, Defies Efforts to Control.

BLACKWELL, Okla., Feb. 4. — Fire that started this morning and destroyed the rig over the Comar Oil Co., Blubaugh No. SW well in the Tonkawa oil field late this afternoon and defied efforts to extinguish it. The estimated damage was $15,000.

HE DENIES CONFESSION.

Lincoln, Held for Cement Murders, Says He Didn't Do It.

GENEVA, Ills., Feb. 4.—Warren Lincoln, the lawyer-florist of Aurora, took the witness stand today in his trial for the murder of his wife, Lina, and her brother, Byron Shoup, and denied flatly the confession he once made that he killed the two January 10, 1923, and burned their bodies, piece by piece, in the furnace of his hot house except for the heads, which he cut off and sealed in cement.

Copeland Trial Is Devoid of Thrills

WACO, Feb. 4.—Following a long drawnout questioning of witnesses which cluttered the court room with words, one thing stood clear out at the end of the third day of the trial of the Rev. A. Reilly Copeland, charged with criminally libelling Miss Adelaide Hague, city health nurse. That is that the spectators have so far failed to get their expected thrills.

Today at the end of a weary session, County Attorney Farmer, who is prosecuting the case for the state took the witness stand and told what he knew about the grand jury proceedings at which the Rev. Mr. Copeland was indicted. Mr. Farmer was cross-examined by the defense and questioned at length by the court regarding his presence before the jury.

Ten members of the grand jury were called by the defense and questioned at length in an effort to prove Mr. Farmer and W. H. Granberry, court reporter, were present when the jurors were deliberating on whether or not to return a bill against the minister.

Society and Club News of Wichita Falls

Geo. Washington At Silver Tea

By DESSA KEY
Woman's Department Editor.

DAINTY women in pretty, white wigs, gallant men in satin breeches are all brought to mind as the ladies of the Christian church discuss plans for their George Washington tea to be given at the beautiful new home of Rev. and Mrs. Milo Atkinson Tuesday afternoon and evening of the 17th.

George to Be There.

It is really going to take everyone back to the days of our first president. You know I felt just like he was going to be at the party when I talked to Mrs. W. R. Ferguson, who is helping make the plans for the party, and before we got through talking she told me that he was going to be there and with him will be dainty and adorable Martha. Isn't that thrilling to think of being able to see them in 1925, when knee breeches and powdered wigs are no longer the vogue, bashful girls no longer wear ruffled pantaloons and lovers have ceased to make their way timidly to a maiden's parents to ask for her hand.

One woman said to me, "Have you heard about the lovely tea that is to be at the parsonage?" I told her that I had heard a little about it and she said, "Oh my dear, do get the details. It is really the prettiest thing that I have ever heard planned. The decorations are lovely. Pretty hearts and oh I don't know how to tell you but just everything that is pretty."

They Are All Enthused.

She was so enthused over it that I could hardly get away from her and I was due to call Mrs. Ferguson at that time.

Mrs. Ferguson tells me that all members of the church and their friends are invited to come.

The affair will start at two in the afternoon and continue until five. Then from eight in the evening to ten o'clock. Honor guests will be Mesdames A. A. Young, H. U. Young and Mrs. Hyatt. Mesdames Milo Atkinson, J. Lem Kestil, Ola G. Hamlin, P. T. T. Reese and W. R. Ferguson will be in the receiving line. Mesdames J. L. Downing and T. W. Caskey will pour tea at a prettily appointed tea table and Mesdames T. A. Bradley, R. D. Ford, J. E. Liggett, G. G. Rigsby, A. G. Patillo, J. M. Sheers and R. E. Shepherd will also be in the house party and will be at other places in the house.

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French romantic drama and especially Rostand's "Cyrano de Bergerac" held the attention of members of the Pierian club who enjoyed a lesson Wednesday afternoon under the capable leadership of Miss Clara Schuls.

Mrs. John Prewit, honorary member of the club, entertained at her home, 1306 Austin, and the lesson was developed under the three topics of "Cyrano de Bergerac, the Man," Cyrano's Effects on His Companions" and "The Character of Roxanne and Minor Persons."

Mrs. Asbury Parks read a paper on "The Genius of Rostand, which was followed by a general discussion.

At the close of the social hour which followed, the hostess served a salad course to Mesdames Edwin Bebb, Otho T. Gorsline, Alex Hallman, Frank Hoover, Earl Jameson, Asbury Parks, Chester Pugh, Clayton Richardson, Ernest Westmoreland, J. E. H. Bailey and Miss Schuls.

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Edith Wharton and her works, "The Other Two" and "The Mission of Jane," were the topic of an interesting lesson conducted by Mrs. W. E. Timblin Wednesday afternoon before the Sorosis club which met at the home of Mrs. E. E. Scannell.

The two stories were compared as to structure by Mrs. R. E. Hilburn and Mrs. Timblin gave an estimate of another of Wharton's stories, "The House of Mirth."

Discussion covered the talks given and comments on other stories by the author.

Mrs. Scannell served a salad course to the following members: Mesdames A. W. Burnside, O. R. Haynie, R. E. Hilburn, I. W. Karreinbrock, Stanley McGregor, V. R. Martin, Burke Taylor, W. E. Timblin and Ernest Archambeau.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Modern Priscilla club, Mrs. A. D. Lewis, 1308 Clark.

T. E. L. class, Lamar Baptist church, business and social meeting. Mrs. W. J. Merrison, 207 Travis.

Catholic Daughters of America benefit party, church hall, 8 o'clock.

Pen Women's club, library, 2 o'clock.

Wesley Girls of the First Methodist church, Thursday, 3 o'clock.

D. O. D. class, First M. E. church, social and business meeting. Mrs. A. C. Walker, 1634 Collins.

Athenian club, library, afternoon.

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In the absence of Mrs. J. W. Akin, president of the Health and Efficiency club, the meeting Wednesday was conducted by the vice-president, Mrs. A. C. Walker, at the home of Mrs. C. A. Steelsmith at 1616 Eleventh street.

The importance of vitamines as required by the body was revealed in a comprehensive talk by Mrs. E. E. Friend, who quoted from Dr. Eugene Christian, health specialist.

Mrs. A. C. Wilson talked on constipation cures, showing the necessity for complete mastication and chewing the food. She explained the value of correct breathing to digestion, details of the digestive process and of elimination in the body.

Members present were Mesdames Ed Waggoner, Geo. Dobson, E. E. Friend, R. D. Guthrie, A. P. Terril, A. C. Wilcox, W. P. Crews, A. H. Fell, A. C. Walker, P. L. Myers, Mc Guigan and Miss Jodie Haynes.

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The Girls Auxiliary and the Royal Ambassadors of the South Side Baptist church were entertained Tuesday evening with a surprise banquet at the church.

The society colors of green and white and blue and white were carried out effectively. The place cards were small dolls dressed in the colored dresses. The boys and girls marched down a path which was roped off with the club colors, to the large bouquet table.

A four course dinner was served to Misses Leatha Banks, Jewell Seals, Opal Skelton, Mable Williams, Lucille Smith, Elizabeth McSpadden, Jessie Mae Howell, Mable Albert, Mozell Smith, Pauline Holden, Grace Evans, Gertrude Craige, Maydell Anderson, Daisy Anderson, Ruth Gatlin, and Marvin Baggett, Joe Myers, Eugene Serribl, Weldon Howell, Boyce Albert, J. D. Raymond Donegan, Tidwell Onstott, John Croucher, Tracy Zimmerman, Truitt Cone, Otwald White, Carrol Anderson, Otis Daughter, Lewis Howell, Loel Skelton, Jewell Cunningham, D. B. Parker and Mesdames A. C. Turner, H. J. Ballew and Messrs. and Mesdames J. F. Dishiell.

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Mrs. Louise Bunningburg was presented with a beautiful silver engraved pitcher Tuesday by Mrs. C. R. Wofford, assistant district deputy grand matron, in behalf of the Wichita Falls chapter number 237, Order of Eastern Star. It came as a token of thanks and appreciation for the splendid services she has given as mother adviser of the Order of the Rainbow Girls, since its organization two years ago. Mrs. Bunningburg responded in a pleasing manner.

Travel studies of the most interesting sort have been the pursuit of the Tuesday College Women's Club, and this week's lesson on France, taking up French art and the historical background of France was no exception. The club met at the library, combining two programs, one from last week having been postponed.

"Origin, Racial Characteristics, and Home Life of the French People," was given by Miss Mamie Raborn. In her discussion, she brought out very clear distinctions and characteristics with an interesting comparison of the French life today and yesterday.

A most informing paper was given on the subject of "Leaders of France" by Miss Palker. Beginning with Caesar, the pagent of historical leaders passed by, including among others Charlemagne, Napoleon, Louis XVI, and of more recent mention, Clemenceau and Foch.

"French Chateaus" were discussed by Mrs. Mathis, "Art Galleries, Museums and Palaces of France" were discussed by Miss Vassar and an interesting outline of "French Art" was given by Miss Lotspiech.

The club which heretofore has been meeting bi-monthly at the Kemp Library, will now meet every Tuesday evening.

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Mrs. A. R. Bleakley was the principal speaker at the meeting of the Coterie club Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. B. Bailey when she gave a review and criticism of Victor Hugo's "Les Miserables." The lesson hour was devoted entirely to her address.

A refreshment course was served at the close of the enjoyable talk to Mesdames J. H. Massey, John Waggoner, Pat Simmons, C. D. Shamburger, J. M. Martin, W. B. Jarrell, Hubert Harrison, S. M. Goss, John Friley, C. W. Boller, T. P. Burton, A. R. Bleakey and E. B. Bailey.

Tots Of WeeAge Praised

FORTY little girls and boys between the age of 3 and 12, under the careful attention of Mrs. Roy Wilson are working hard to do something really worth while. Something that will help others. These little children are members of the Sunbeam band of the Lamar Avenue Baptist church. Every Sunday morning bright and early they are at the Sunday school. Their mother's don't have to say "now Willie if you will go to Sunday school this morning I will buy you a new ball or you better go or I shall have your father punish you."

No, indeed!

If they are unable to go they cry and beg to go anyway. That is the way they are for they have something really to go for. A sweet, kind teacher who is teaching them the right step to take and the kind things to do for others that will make them happy.

When Mrs. Wilson was asked if they were interested she said "interested! My goodness they are enthused to death. They can hardly wait from one Sunday until the next. I am trying so hard to make it really worth while. I teach them mission work two Sundays a month and the other two Sundays we study Bible stories and object lessons. Why I just wish you could see their little bright faces when we begin talking about good things. They are really Sunbeams."

Mrs. Wilson told that one Sunday a month she took all of the band to see some sick person. They have a nice little program, sing songs and make the sick person feel better. One Saturday afternoon a month they visit the day nursery and give a little program for the little folks. She is teaching them while they are young to do good things and preparing for the big things ahead of them.

The division is only three months old. Mrs. Wilson started with only a few and has forty enrolled now. Now members come every Sunday to join the band of Sunbeamers.

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The first half of the year's work, Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night," has been completed by the Wednesday Study Club, under the direction of Mrs. Charles William Wallace, the last lesson in the course having been finished Wednesday afternoon.

Browning's Poems will be taken up for the spring work at the next meeting, outlines and questions having been made out by Dr. Charles William Wallace.

A business session and a parliamentary drill by Mrs. Mark Moore were held at the close of Wednesday's study hour, and the following members were present at the Kemp Library: Mesdames C. N. Alexander, T. E. Allday, Bert Bean, A. H. Britain, Sidney Cochrane, E. L. Fain, Lillian Fain, W. S. Langford, Bernard Martin, Mark Moore, O. E. Nichols, J. J. Perkins, C. W. Wallace and Marvin Smith.

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The J. U. G. club met with Mrs. W. L. Keys, 702 Lamar, Tuesday evening, and organized, with officers as follows: Mrs. L. S. Marlow, president; Mrs. W. L. Keys, vice-president; Miss Eunice Payne, secretary-treasurer; Miss Pearl Ridley, assistant secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Arthur Stipe, reporter. Members present were as follows: Mesdames E. A. Underwood, J. B. Scarbrough, C. S. Burnett, M. P. Albritton, Myrtle Montgomery, L. A. Childs, H. J. Paris, Barnhill, Scoffield, Albritz and Misses Minnie Mae Perton, Theresa Barnhill, Thelma McCulley, Clara Scoffield.

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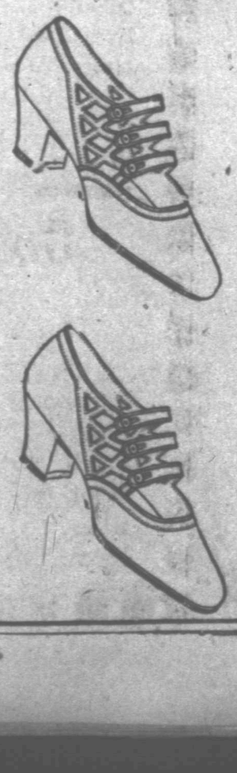
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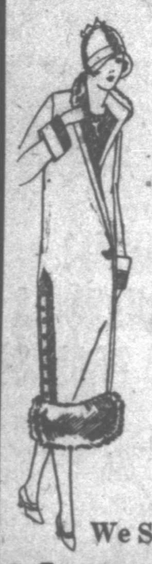
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What Women of Wichita Falls Are Doing

What Impels Us To Go to Church?

By DESSA KEY,
Woman's Department Editor.

I wonder just how many people in this city would be willing to tell anyone that should ask them, just why they go to church. The majority of people would become indignant and say "what would you suppose I go to church for?" If you asked why then of course they would say "for the reason of learning." But do you really think that is why they go to church? No! Some might, but many don't.

Mrs. B. M. Bullard talked before the Missionary Society of the Floral Heights Methodist church Monday afternoon on this subject and the observance of the Sabbath. I heard so much favorable comments on her talk that I decided to call her and see what she would tell me.

Everyone Restless.

Mrs. Bullard said the reason she talked upon this subject at the meeting was that the Sunday morning before she got to thinking. She said she was sitting in her window Sunday and saw the young people passing to and fro in a restless pace. Going—coming—never being still for one minute. And she just wondered what they had on their minds that pretty Sabbath morning. Were they happy because it was Sunday and they were going to Sunday school or —were they even going to Sunday school?

Same Way Down Town.

She said she drove down town and the same restlessness was in the air. People coming fast, going fast not looking out for the person next to them. Hurry! Hurry! But where were they hurrying to? Were they going to church? No, some of them were going in a different direction from church. And this is where she got her subject for the talk next day "Do People Observe the Sabbath As They Should."

Mrs. Bullard took me back to the time of the children of Israel and to Jesus' time. The way they observed their Sabbath. Why they couldn't even cook a meal on Sunday. She reminded me of the scripture which says "Remember the Sabbath Day to Keep it Holy." She pointed out that the days of Christ were busy ones. He went before a crowd of people one day and talked. In the midst was a man with an unclean spirit. He cast out the unclean spirit. He was so talked about for his wonderful work that Simon Peter took him home with him where his wife's mother was almost dead with the fever. He healed the woman and she arose and ministered unto them a meal. He was such a wonderful man and so talked of for his wonderful work that the people of the city who were sick gathered together at Simon Peter's door and he healed them. He spent the night with Peter and the next morning he arose early and went away. When Peter arose he went to find Jesus and he found Him in a secluded place in the mountains, where he was praying. Peter tried to get Him to go back with him, Mrs. Bullard stated, but Jesus told him that He must go on and do all the good that He could.

Is It To Learn?

When she finished that story she said: "Do you think that all people now are doing something good all of the time? When they go to church are they going to see what taste Mrs. Jones or Mrs. Smith displayed in buying the new spring bonnet that she must wear for two seasons, to find out how much money Mrs. So and So spent on her new draperies for her home or are they going to learn more, to be able to help those that can't help themselves?"

I said, "Mrs. Bullard do you think that the observance should be as strict as in Christ's days?" She said: "No indeed I do not. They were too strict then, but there is a thing of being strict enough. There is a restlessness among the boys and girls especially that I can't account for, They are never contented with what they have, they are always wanting more."

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Mrs. Kate Vigus, teacher of the low third grade at Alamo school, seeing the need of some activity among the little girls of her grade outside of school hours to make up for the baseball and similar organizations of the boys, formed a little sewing club which the small members have named "Busy Bee."

Meetings are held every Tuesday and Thursday after school, the girls bringing embroidery, sewing and fancy work in their work boxes and bags while Miss Vigus teaches them the stitches and the way to make many pretty things.

Thirty-one little girls, all the girls in the room, compose the membership list, and Ruth Johnson has been elected president, while Gladys Stevenson was chosen secretary.

Additional news of interest to women on page 10.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

THE "GOOD" FATHER WHO IS A MODEL IN PUBLIC BUT BROWBEATS HIS FAMILY AT HOME—THE HUSBAND WHO MARRIED A MARBLE GODDESS. WHAT CAN GIRLS DO TO AMUSE THEMSELVES?

Dear Mixx Dix—What is wrong with a husband and father who is good morally, who claims to be a good Christian, always attends church, spends his evenings at home and provides for his family, but who never has a kind word for his family? This man has a furious temper, and gets angry at his wife every time she fails to think just as he does, and he is hard and cruel to his children, but he is so pleasant to outsiders that he is held up as a model in the community. Is there any way to make him be more considerate to his own family? L. T.

Answer:

I think everything is wrong with the man who is an angel outside of the home and a devil within it. He is the meanest sort of a contemptable coward because he takes advantage of his wife and children being dependent on him to browbeat and bully them.

Unfortunately, there are many men of this kind. I have known men celebrated for their generosity and whose name headed every subscription list, who were so niggardly at home that their wives had to corkscrew every penny out of them. I have known men who wore the smile that never came off in public, and the grouch that never ended at home. I have known men noted for their gallantry and chivalry to women who beat and swore at their own wives. I have known temperance leaders who went on debauches of rage at home. I have known men who lived up to the letter of the moral law, who broke their wives' hearts with the coldness and neglect, and who were worse husbands than any drunkard, or gambler, or rouse who had a little kindness or tenderness in his soul.

The only way to change a man of this sort is to make him see what a hypocrite he is, and this is hard to do because he is blinded with his own self-righteousness. He doesn't realize that it is just as dishonest to defraud his family of happiness as it would be to rob some one of money; that it is just as cruel to refuse to bestow a little kindness on his wife and children as it would be to turn away from a starving beggar, and that when he blights his children's youth and kills his wife's joy in living he has committed murder just as much as if his hands were wet with the blood o fa fellow creature.

The greatest of all the virtues is love. If a man has not this the others avail him little. DOROTHY DIX.

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Dear Miss Dix—Don't you think a man gets tired of wasting his affection on a wife who shows him none in return?

Don't you think a husband and wife should be affectionate to each other, even if there are grown children in the family? Don't you think a wife should show appreciation when her husband takes her to a show or a place of amusement?

Should a husband, after he has fixed his own breakfast, arouse his wife, and take her her breakfast, and kiss her good-by? R. I. A.

Answer:

Certainly, Mr. R. I. A., I should think that a man would get good and tired, and that very soon, of wasting his affection on a wife who shows him none in return. The marble-goddess business doesn't go far. We must have something human and responsive on which to bestow our love. Otherwise it dies of coldness and neglect.

Certainly a husband and wife should be affectionate to each other, no matter how old they are. There is nothing so beautiful as middle-aged love. The cold love of young people is a poor thing compared to the affection of a man and woman who have worked, and played, and enjoyed and suffered together, and who have grown closer to each other as the years went by.

There is no happiness equal to that of a married couple who have come to be all-in-all to each other, and who have a comradeship that makes them independent of the balance of the world.

Whether a man who has had to get up and cook his own breakfast, and prepare his wife's and take it to her, should kiss her or not depends entirely upon his inclination.

I should think that he would be so mad with her that he would feel more like biting her than kissing her. DOROTHY DIX.

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Dear Dorothy Dix—We are a couple of young girls 16 years old. Will you please give us a few suggestions about how to pass the evening, as we do not care for either sewing or reading and do not go out? ANXIOUS.

Answer:

Well, my dears, there is conversation left to you. That's the favorite indoor sport of women. And there are cards, a knowledge of which Talleyrand advised every one to acquire in their youth in order that they might not pass a bored old age. And there are puzzle games, particularly the cross-word puzzle, which is making all of us sit up of nights just now.

But if you do not sew or read you are deprived of the two great resources of your sex, and my earnest advice to you is to cultivate a fondness for both. If you like to sew and like to read you can never really be bored, because you have always something interesting to do, something new and wonderful to think about.

Every girl should learn to sew, because if she can make pretty things herself she can have ten times as many good clothes as she can if she has to have them made; because, if she marries, she will need to know how to sew to take care of her children; and because, if the worst comes to the worst, she can always make her living with her needle.

Every girl should acquire a fondness for reading, because she is a dumb-bell if she doesn't read, and because of the many times that will come to her in life when she will be sick, or sad, or lonely, and she will find her only refuge is in books. They will carry her over the rough places.

So, Anxious little girls, I urge you to get some one to teach you how to sew. Form a little club of girls who sew of evenings together, and while you are sewing have one of your number read aloud to you some thrilling story of adventure. In that way you will learn to love both sewing and reading.

DOROTHY DIX.

BETTER THAN WHISKEY FOR COLDS AND FLU

The sensation of the drug trade is Aspironal, the two-minute cold and cough reliever, authoritatively guaranteed by the laboratories; tested, approved and most enthusiastically endorsed by the highest authorities, and proclaimed by the people as ten times as quick and effective as whiskey, rock and rye, or any other cold and cough remedy they have ever tried.

All drug stores are supplied with the wonderful elixir, so all you have to do is to step into the nearest drug store, hand the clerk half a dollar for a bottle of Aspironal and tell him to serve you two teaspoonsful. With your watch in your hand, take the drink at one swallow and call for your money back in two minutes if you cannot feel the distressing symptoms of your cold fading away like a dream, within the time limit. Don't be bashful, for all druggists invite you and expect you to try it. Everybody's doing it.

Take the remainder of the bottle home to your wife and children, for Aspironal is by far the safest and most effective, the easiest to take and the most agreeable cold and cough remedy for children as well as adults. Quickest relief for catarrhal croup and children's choking up at night —Adv

RUB THE SPINE

If you believe the spine is the seat of most of your physical ills and more people are thinking so every day, just give it a gentle massage every night with Joint-Ease and watch the helpful results.

It limbers up the spinal column and makes old folks feel younger. Many people are getting it daily from all druggists and good pharmacists.

The name is Joint-Ease and it's the one big discovery for stiff, swollen, inflamed joints—and a tube for only 60 cents.

Always remember, when Joint-Ease gets in joint misery gets out.—quick.—Adv.

TAKE SALTS IF RHEUMATISM IS BOTHERING YOU

Tells Rheumatism Sufferers To Take Salts to Get Rid of Toxic Acid.

Rheumatism is no respecter of age, sex, color or rank. If not the most dangerous of human afflictions it is one of the most painful. Those subject to rheumatism should eat no sweets for a while, dress as warmly as possible, avoid any undue exposure and above all, drink lots of pure water.

Rheumatism is caused by uric acid or body waste matter, and is often generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this poison from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed forcing the kidneys to do double work; they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this toxic acid, which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles, causing stiffness, soreness and pain, called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a teaspoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is helpful to neutralize acidity, remove waste and stimulate the kidneys, thus helping to rid the blood of these rheumatic poisons.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism.—Adv.

MOTHER!

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Tell your druggist you want only the genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother, you must say "California." Refuse any imitation.—Adv.

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Tan, Cerise
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WHEN GASTON GOT HIS.

Gaston B. Means and Colonel Thomas Felder were convicted of conuspiracy by a jury in a federal court in the city of New York and the punishment fitted the crime. Gaston was given two years in the federal penitentiary and a fine of $10,000.

Gaston B. Means in the days of his power and insolence, was fond of boasting that he had been indicted for nearly every crime in the catalogue, but never had been convicted of a single offense. Now his boasting day is over. He must wear stripes.

He was one of the coterie of special agents on the staff of Harry M. Daugherty of Ohio when that individual was the attorney general of the United States. Atlanta in the state of Georgia will be his home for the two years to come. Georgia is not far from North Carolina, where Gaston B. Means was born and educated, the ambitious son of an aristocratic old family.

Colonel Felder is a Georgian who transplanted himself to New York some years since. Felder and Means are the cunning manipulators who convinced William Howard Taft, while president of the United States, that Charles S. Morse, a famous Napoleon of finance, was dying in the Atlanta penitentiary and that a pardon alone would permit him to spend his last days in the bosom of his family.

It created a great scandal at the time. Morse was pardoned. He recovered his health and made history during and after the World war on account of his bold operations in the shipping business. He is hale and hearty, so much so that he hasn't abandoned active business or found himself some vast wilderness under a foreign flag.

In the indictment it was alleged that Means and Felder conspired to evade the provisions of the Volstead Act. A fellow conspirator, who turned informer and became a government witness, said there was a little matter of $65,000 involved in the turning of the trick. Uncle Sma like justice, may travel with a leaden heel but he gets there just the same.

WHERE DO THE RANGERS GO FROM HERE?

Adj. Gen. Mark McGee has made the interesting announcement that the state ranger force is to be cut one-half. Another interesting announcement from a higher up than the adjutant general makes it plain that the sheriff must appeal for the rangers before they will be sent to a city or county.

Then there are the law makers and their bills concerning them. There is the senate bill, fathered by Messrs. Parr, Wirts and Bowers, providing for a ranger force under command of the governor; defining purposes for which rangers may be used and making acts, except in this proposed statute, illegal and void. These three senators are said to reflect the majority sentiment of the upper house.

And there is a house bill, fathered by Representative Petch, permitting rangers to be used in counties when requested by the sheriff, or the mayor of any incorporated town, authorizing the governor to station rangers in counties, cities or towns touching or bordering on the Rio Grande river or Mexican border, without such requests and prescribing and limiting the powers and duties of members of the ranger force.

All this in the wake of the injunction issued by a district judge of Bexar county, which appears to have knocked into a cocked hat the so-called ranger law. Representative Petch is a former service man. He wore the uniform of a soldier on the other side during the great conflict.

It is a trite question to ask, where will the rangers go from here or where will they light after the law makers and the courts get through with them.

AND THE BATTLE IS ON.

New York law makers will relegate ratification or rejection of child labor to the qualified voters of their state. California lower house law makers ratified the amendment by a handsome majority and sent it to the California senate.

Texas law makers are up in the air with the woman welfare organization and the labor organizations battling for the amendment and a vast number of farmers and business men arrayed against it.

Governor John G. Winant of New Hampshire is a multi-millionaire mill owner, a former service man and the leader of the progressive republicans of his state. His message to the legislature called for the enactment of a forty-eight hour week law for women and minors in factories, vigorous enforcement of the prohibition law and ratification of the federal child labor amendment.

Southern cotton factory managers say there are a greater number of children under fourteen years of age employed in one New England factory village than can be found in all the milling centers of the south.

Now just what are the Texas law makers going to do about it? Texas law makers ratified the eighteenth amendment. They ratified the nineteenth amendment. Political wiseacres are predicting the defeat of the amendment under the big dome in the city of Austin.

This is one time that the labor organizations and the farm organizations appear to be far apart.

THANKS TO COTTON.

Thanks to cotton, exports of the United States in 1924 exceeded imports by more than a billion dollars. Is this the way that protection protects?

CAUGHT IN THE DRAGNET.

A jury in the federal court in the city of Chicago returned a verdict of guilty against Colonel Charles R. Forbes and John W. Thompson. This was the finish to a trial that lasted three months and was first page stuff the most of the time.

John W. Thompson is a Missourian. He is well known throughout Texas. He is one of the largest contractors in the west or the south. He built Camp Bowie after the United States became active as an ally of Great Britain and France and Italy and Belgium. He had many government contracts in addition to this.

Prior to the coming of the World war, he built the famous Union station in the city of Dallas, and for years and years was the chief contractor for the Texas and Pacific railroad in railroad construction work as wel las building work. He had large contracts in New Orleans and elsewhere in Louisiana and was reputed to be worth a large fortune.

Long before the coming of the conflagration which set Europe afire and finally singed America.

He has a beautiful home on King's Highway on the fringe of the city of St. Louis and in other years was active in democratic political circles at home and abroad. Those who know him say that his defense in the trial which terminated in a verdict of guilty must have cost him a fortune. There was an informer or an alleged informer in this case and his evidence convicted the former soldier as well as the man who has handled many of the largest contracts in this history of this state, omitting at all times the state capitol job which stands alone as a monument to its builders.

The conspiracy charge involved the sale of supplies handled by Colonel Forbes, as the head of the Veterans bureau and veterans hospital system. A notice of appeal was given. Now the case will drag its weary lengths along until the supreme court makes final disposition.

And from the last word of the supreme court there is no appeal but to the God on high. This serves to make the suspense doubly burdensome to a defendant while he is waiting for the last word from this greatest tribunal in the civilized world.

GLORIA CAPTURES A NOBLEMAN.

Gloria Swanson has captured a nobleman for her third. She was born Gloria Burns. Burns may be a proud old name, but Gloria changed it when she became a movie actress. She is one of the big money makers of the screen, one of the favorites and her beauty has been acknowledged by the critics of two continents.

Her first and second husbands were divorced. She is temperamental; the husbands while rich and ambitious were practical plodders who devoured corn beef and cabbage just like ordinary folk.

Her latest conquest whom she led to the heavenly altar before a French magistrate is a count, a nephew of Jean Hennesey, a French Irishman who accumulated a great fortune in distilling the stuff that made him famous as wel as rich.

As the count is a temperamental person, as he holds a high position in the ultra exclusive circles of Paris and is a high roller when it comes to spending money, Gloria may have found happiness at last.

If she doesn't and a separation follows just think of the experience and the publicity that her latest acquisition has won for her. Publicity is the thing; Printers ink does the work.

A PROSPERITY MAKER.

There is a rumor in cotton circles that two wealthy capitalists identified with the mills of North Carolina and Georgia purchased large blocks of stock in a Texas concern that was launched last year. It looks so good to the local people that they politely requested the North Carolinan and the Georgian to withdraw from the concern, paying them dollar for dollar on their investment.

This did happen in the city of El Paso. The new cotton mill in El Paso has 5,016 spindles and will have at least 250 employes working day and night shrifts. The cost of the mill is around $500,000 and the capital was provided by El Paso business men.

Post City in Garza county has a successful cotton mill. Garza county cotton crop last year exceeded 12,000 bales as compared with 10,000 bales in 1923. Not many years ago Garza was a wilderness. Now cotton growers are numerous in the section and the cotton mills at Post are said to be earning large dividends.

By Dr. Frank Crane

COPPER.

The extent to which copper is used was demonstrated the other day by Thomas D. Brophy, of the Anaconda Copper Mining company, in a speech before the Rotary club of New York.

"There is scarcely a basic industry that is not reliant, in greater or less degree, upon the services of copper or its alloys."

"In 1923 there were 2,800,000,000 pounds of copper produced in all the world. The largest single consumer of copper is the electrical industry, which means the telegraph and telephone systems, electric urban and interurban lines and light and power systems."

The world's telegraph and telephone systems have already consumed 1,300,000,000 pounds of copper and are now using it at the rate of 200,000,000 pounds a year.

The world is girdled by 20,000,000,000 pounds of copper in submarine cables.

In the locomotive there are about 3,000 pounds of copper used.

The average automobile has twenty-five places where copper is employed. One day's output at Ford's at the Highland Park plant alone, requires 254 miles of copper tubing for radiators and 67 tons of brass for various parts and appliances.

The Leviathan contains more than a million pounds of copper and copper-bearing materials.

A modern superdreadnaught contains two million pounds of copper.

The Grand Central station in New York contains over 2,500,000 pounds of copper and the Equitable Building has a total of nearly 2,000,000 pounds.

The ordinary street-car contains about 2,500 pounds of copper. Into our American street railway systems has gone 675,000,000 pounds of the material.

The annual average consumption of copper for each man, woman and child in the United States is almost fifteen pounds.

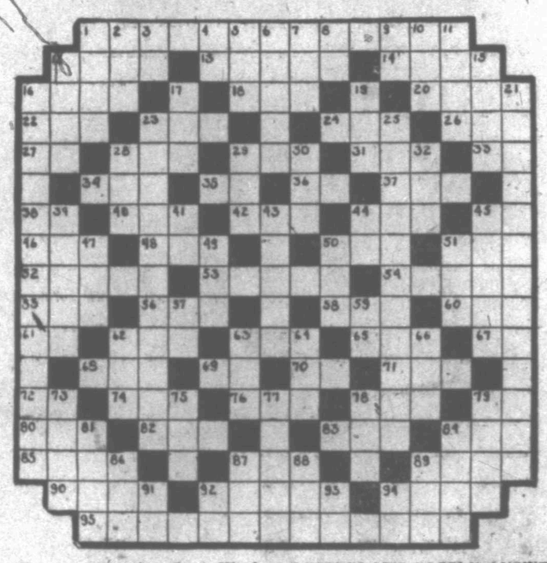
The United States is the greatest copper-using country in the world. Almost one-half of the world's total production of Copper is consumed in the United States.

The recent great increase in the use of copper and its alloys in this country may be attributed largely to the work of the Copper and Brass Research Associati

Something On The Hip



Cross-Word Puzzle



How to Solve The Cross Word Puzzle.

Every number in the form represents the beginning of a word, reading either horizontally 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 definition 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 linked 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.

Can you imagine Juliet saying "A rose by any other name would smell as sweet?" in this day and generation, when "another name" means hours of hunting through the dictionery? What's "the ripened false fruit of the rose bush?" Horizontal number 62—"Gee," says Juliet as she comes to in the tomb of the Capulets" that's a tough baby. "I renege on that former statement." Because we are feeling fairly kind-hearted this morning we'll tell you the answer is "hop". Terrible, isn't it?

Horizontal.

1. Opposerd to algebracally.
12. A hurt.
13. A small forest.
14. A little perforated ball.
16. A sharp irregular rock.
18. A climbing shrub.
20. To seize.
22. That man.
23. An end.
24. Man's headgear.
26. A stain.
27. A part of the verb "to be."
28. Corroded.
29. A fit of weeping.
31. To snare.
33. Tin (symbol).
34. A paroxysm.
35. A parent.
36. A preposition.
37. To free.
38. Towards.
40. A remnant.
42. To strike against violently.
44. A viper.
45. Belonging to.
46. A man's name.
48. A policeman (slang).
50. Silk made by the Assam silk-worm.
51. 151 (Roman numerals).
52. A woman's name.
53. Over.
54. One indifferent to pain or pleasure.
55. And so forth.
56. Wet earth.
58. A fruit.
60. Sixteen. (Roman numerals.)
61. Objective form of "I."
62. The ripened false fruit of the rose bush (variant).
63. A number of tennis games.
65. To stitch.
67. Each (abbr.)
68. To study carefully.
69. An exclamation.
80. A preposition.
71. Modern.
72. A negative.
74. A Siamese coin.
76. To flow back.
78. A frozen dessert.
79. Nickel symbol).
80. Twitching.
82. A male descendant.
83. A beverage.
84. An insect.
85. To hit.
87. A tavern.
89. To pitch.
90. A river in France.
92. Persons opposed to a policy or movement (slang).
94. A fortified wine of rich taste and aroma.
95. The series of network into which a portion of the earth is divided in a trigonometric survey.

Vertical.

1. The largest of the Mariana Islands.
2. The unit of work or energy in the C. G. S. system.
3. A preposition.
4. For example.
5. A prefix meaning "threefold".
6. A casual mark at an uncertain distance (archery).
7. The mountain laurel (Southern U. S.)
8. Civil engineer (init.)
9. A certain weight abbr.)
10. The course and distance made by a vessel on one tack to windward.
11. A linear measure.
12. The edge or margin.
15. Periods of time.
16. Discipline (plural).
17. An article of food.
19. To search for placer gold.
21. Persons designated to receive the income of a trust estate.
23. A blinding passion or affection (plural).
25. Endurance.
28. To ventilate.
29. A vehicle.
30. A vegetable ued in southen regions.
32. The end.
39. To make a speech.
41. To proceed.
43. Solitary.
44. A measure of area.
45. A fruit.
47. Part of a circle.
49. A cushion.
50. Night (poetic contraction).
51. A lightweight steersman (slang).
57. Above.
59. You and me.
62. Stop.
63. That girl.
64. Tiberius (abbr.)
66. Small.
73. Slippery.
75. To dress.
77. A member of a South African negroid tribe.
78. Sick.
79. Any snug comfortable shelter.
81. To throw.
84. Came into being.
86. Through.
87. The suffix of the past participle.
88. Nothing.
89. Also.
91. A new England state.
92. An indefinite article.
93. A continent.
94. Jumbled type.

YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE ANSWER

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Irrigation

Rainfall and Alkali

"The irrigators here need not worry so much about salts being brought to the surface since rainfall on the more open soils at least, will assure a satisfactory percolation of water in the soil sufficient to take off surplus salts." The above is quoted from Dr. Youngbloods address to the chamber of commerce.

Of course only time can tell, but from observations which govern the surface concentration of alkaline salts, we feel that this statement may be taken too optimistically.

The concentrating of alkali on the surface of the soil is caused by irrigation or other waters dissolving out of alkali below the surface. This water with its alkali content is then pulled to the surface through capillary attraction. The water is evaporated by the sun and the wind and the salts are left behind.

On porous soils with the ground water at considerable depths below the surface there is do doubt but that deleterious salts would be carried down by rain water. They would also be carried down by irrigation water. The main point is that under the conditions given above there would be but little chance of any considerable amount of salts ever concentrating on the surface.

Where ground water exists at a depth of five feet or less, or is in other words in reach of capillary attraction then any washing of the salts downward is of but little use as capillarity would immediately bring it back to the surface.

In the west, flooding alkalied land to wash off the alkali is some times attempted, but generally with but little success, unless underground drainage has been provided before hand. We feel that raigfall here will in most cases prove but a little use in removing alkali. Any how we have but little alkali to worry about.

HOW IT STARTED

By JEAN NEWTON.

"The Great White Way."

Though Broadway and "The Great White Way" have long been synonymous, the former is a great deal older than the latter. Broadway existed long before its characterization as "The Great White Way." Indeed, it is barely half a century since it became in fact a great white way.

The first electric illumination of New York streets was installed forty-three years ago when the first trial was given to the new system of lighting. With the comparatively crude apparatus then in use the effect was far from dazzling and on all sides the opinion was expressed that the electric light could never take the place of gas as an effective and efficient method of lighting streets.

The "Great White Way," however, in its dim beginning must have glimpsed visions of its future glory. For it held on to electric light—and was repaid with the modern spectacle of nightly splendor which would have dazzled out of his wits the Broadway rounder of fifty years ago.

The little things count. Frequently they count better than the men they caddy for.

More Truth Than Poetry

WHY?

The present generation is being killed by worry—a Psychologist.
When the Puritan anchored his frail little bark
Off a strange unidentified region,
And saw through the trees, in the gathering d-
A savage and feather-clad legion;
When to keep any vestige of hair on his head,
He had through the forest to hurry,
Pursued by the wild and original Red
He had some real reason for worry.

When the pioneer trapper went forth on the trail,
And a grizzly espied and pursued him,
So swiftly it seemed but of little avail
To seek to escape or elude him,
The fear that he soon would be mangled and maimed,
And supply Mr. Bruin with victual,
Was such that the man could not really be blamed
If perhaps he was worried a little.

When the men of the prairies, who went to the shed,
To bed down their underfed cattle,
Were never quite certain just when they might tread
On a snake with sharp fangs and a rattle;
When their crops withered up and the rivers ran dry
As they did every third or fourth season,
If they some times gave vent to a worrying sigh,
They doubtless had adequate reason.

But we with our autos and radio sets,
And transcontinental expresses—
A pampered and soft generation of pets
Which nature and science caresses,
Who read by the lamps that the lightning has lit,
And harness out trains to the thunder,
As safe in our well-guarded houses we sit;
Just why should we worry, I wonder?

NO MONEY IN IT

The reason the Scots did not discover America is that there was no Volstead law in 1492.

NOT SO BAD.

We do not believe that jazz causes crime, unless the occasional beating up of a saxophone player may be regarded as crime.

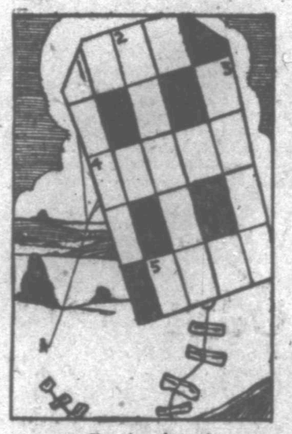
WORTH WHILE

An inventor is working on a method of broadcasting refrigeration by radio. But what most of us need is a method of broadcasting coal.

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.



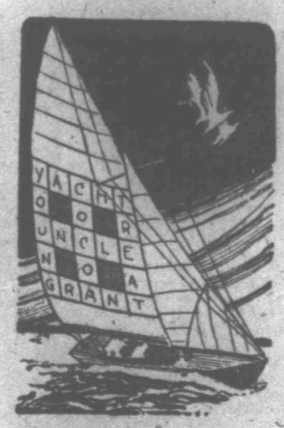
(Running Across)

Word 1. In the picture.
Word 4. A hard object that bad boys sometimes throw at birds.
Word 5. To stand still.

(Running Down)

Word 1. How you greet your mother after you have been parted a long time.
Word 2. A beautiful fish, generally speckled, which is popular with anglers.
Word 3. Aid; assist.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE



What Today Means To You

By MARY BLAKE.

Aquarius.

The planetary aspects of today are distinctly adverse and the vibrations reveal a degree of uncertainty that may be provocative of discord and lack of harmony. No new ventures should be attempted nor anything of a radical nature essayed. It is advisable, when such conditions prevail, to give attention only to duties of a routine character. It will also be necessary to exercise more than ordinary self restraint in both speech and action as the indications very clearly denote that when such conditions prevail, there is always a proneness to say those things which had better be left unsaid and to do those things which had better be left undone.

A child born today will give the impression at birth of being both weak and sickly, but it will possess an amount of latent strength that will endow it with great recuperative force. It will of course need careful nutrition and much care. The character will be meek and it will appeal to all those with whom it comes into contact. Although meek it will be by no means weak and it will possess very decided ideas as to what is right and what is wrong and in nearly all cases will be guided by its conscience. It will probably in very early life display some sort of artistic ability and this should be developed to the nth degree as it is along these lines that its greatest success will be achieved.

If today is your birthday you are, both mentally and physically, strong, and the will power you possess has given you a certain degree of arrogance which is sometimes described by your friends as cocksureness but your judgment is nearly always sound and your decisions, although quickly given are invariably right. The one element of success that you lack is persistency. You make a plan and start it going and then trust to others to make a success of it. This often ends in failure and a little more attention to detail would insure greater probabilities of achievement.

Successful people born on this date are:

Ole B. Bull, violinist.
Edward M. Gallaudet, educator.
Dwight L. Moody, evangelist.
Leffert L. Buck, civil engineer.
Hiram S. Maxim, inventor.
G. Gatti-Casazza, operatic impresario.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

One of the most comfortable places to live is just inside of your income.

They don't tell that kind of stories in the smoker now; they read them in the chair car.

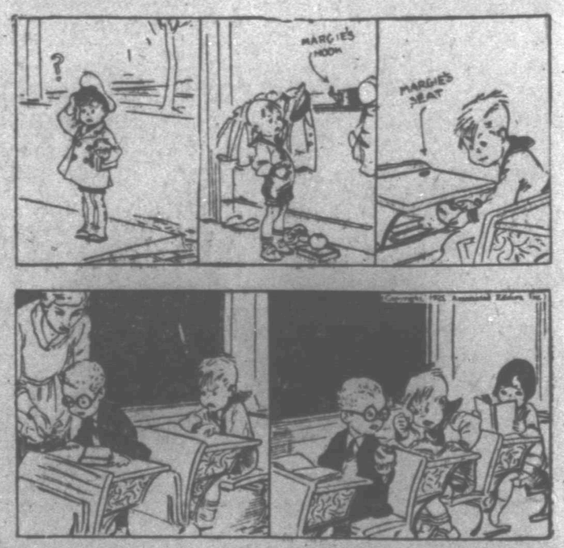
The "crazy" member of the family seems to be the one that reaches the shotgun first.

Few activities are more expensive than trying to live up to a good residence street.

It's queer. Years ago predatory animals roamed the district where Wall street now is.

The easiest way to spite a neighbor is to buy your wife swell things his wife will bake him buy.

Pantomime —By J. H. Striebel





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Top O' Morn Stuff

Somebody tried to play a joke on "Big Ed" Konetchy, erstwhile major loop circuit walloper, lately of the Virginia league but now signed by Fort Worth's Panthers, when they informed him he was to manage the annual Texas league scourge—meaning boss the Champion Cats.

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Either that, or "Big Ed" was kidding the correspondent who sent a wire from Petersburg, Va., yesterday that Konetchy had attached his signature to a contract whereby he would manage the Fort Worth team.

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Jakie Musta Died.

Jakie Atz leave the Cats! That's preposterous.

Why, you'd have to kill off all Fort Worth to get rid of Jacob.

Have somebody else teach those Kittens their stuff? That's plain ribaldry.

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Nope, Konetchy will not lead the Panthers, as reported. He will play first base, nothing more. That's Paul LaGrave's final effort to fill Big Boy Kraft's home run boots.

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Mr. John Jacob Atz, as usual—unless he falls in a river and drowns, gets run over by a freight train, or something similar, will lead the Cats in the 1925 foray.

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We ran across another amusing story yesterday while casting an eye over an Austin paper. Seems Spudder Boss K. O. Harvey has tossed his coin away for nothing, and admits it, too. Bad business, bad business.

Poor Old Ping.

Here's joke number 2:

"WICHITA FALLS, Jan. 31.—A famous ball player, who has performed with world's championship teams, with New York Yankees, Chicago White Sox, Boston Red Sox and Philadelphia Athletics in the majors, several different Coast league clubs and the Western league is Ping Bodie, a rotund fielder, who the Spudders have acquired. Bodie, however, is on the down grade and will hardly make the Texas league grade, Spudder bosses believe."

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That last line was a good one. Poor old Ping will sadly make the Texas league grade, Spudder bosses believe.

Who is the author? Where did it come from? We don't know, nor do "Spudder bosses."

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Just another scribe gone off his nut. Barring the unforeseen, Bodie will lead the Texas league this year in non-stop nunches or give somebody a mighty hard battle for the honors, declares Skipper Tanner.

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The squad of Spudder pre-spring trainers, composed of Bud Tanner and Al White, were out en masse yesterday at Athletic park.

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It was Bud's third day of battle with Demon Fat, and Al's second. White, however, is but five pounds overweight. Bud's just as wide as he is long.

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A bit of indoor catch, rope skipping and medicine ball chunking composed the workout.

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—Fine spring day yesterday afternoon, almost like the front end of a July week with the Cats billed for a quartet of squabbles, and already on hand, waiting to be led to the slaughter—not meaning a cat annihilation of Spudders, but one of the many Spud slaughters of the Panthers slated for this year.

Trammel and McMullen Enter Ring Tonight Catch Weights

Who Wears Crown As King of All Lightweights?

By NORMAN E. BROWN.

If we accept Benn Leonard's statement that he is through with the ring forevvah! where shall we place him in the light weight hall of fame?

In classing fighters one must consider these factors:

Hitting power.
Boxing ubility.
Ring science and generalship.
And staying powers.

The last element has become somewhat of a forgotten trait in these days of 10 round dances but it must be considered. It should be an attribute of every champ.

Champions had to have it in the old days to win fights—and popularity. If we ignore the qualification now we handicap the old timers. Considering all of these things, where does Leonard stand?

There are three men in the history of the division who can dispute the title of "king" with Leonard.

The first is Jack McAuliffe. And in my opinion he ranks ahead of them all.

McAuliffe has all the attributes of a reat champion—the hitting power the boxing science, the ring generalship and the endurance.

Eight Years a Busy Champ.

Through a period of eight years he defended his lightweight title in a way it has never been defended since. McAuliffe fought in the day of long fights. Could Leonard step into the ring and fight 74 rounds as did Jack against Jem Carney of England on Nov. 16, 1887. That was but one of the long fights in which McAuliffe showed himself master. A sixty-four round draw with Billy Myer two years later again proved his stamina.

Was Champion Benny Leonard



BENNY LEONARD

That he emerged from these fights—and eight years as title holder, with features little marred and no signs of being "punch drunk" proves better than the records his skill as a boxer. He fought in the day when science was young and most of his opponents counted on brute strength. A blow carried dynamite with it Flesh cracked before it.

Ring fans of his day realized when he retired undefeated that there was not a man then living who could accuse him of being scared out. His popularity increased rather than decreased with the years.

Bat Nelson ranks as one of the four greatest because he stands alone as a born fighter. Nelson had a fighting heart that has never been checked.

Nelson Fighting Demon.

His gameness was foolhardy. He was a natural hitter. His defense was the natural one—a nerve-breaking offense. He had but one style of fighting—to bore in and wear the other man down at no matter what cost. His opponent, heavy hitter or skilful boxer, found himself fighting a tiger after he had signed to fight a human being. The harder "Bat" was hit the harder he hit. Joe Gans and Ad Wolgast, both of fighting hearts, drummed tattoos of death on his battered head and only made him smile.

In addition to his hitting power and gameness Nelson had ring generalship—the generalship of a born fighter. His craftiness was the cunning of a tiger attacking his prey.

Kid Lavigne is the third of the "greats."

Greater Than "Bat" Nelson



"BAT" NELSON

Lavigne claimed the lightweight title laid down by McAuliffe.

What better proof of the Kid's greatness can be offered than that he licked Joe Wolcott twice. Wolcott, old timers will recall, fought as a welterweight and eagerly sought bouts with the bigger men.

Lavigne was a hitter, a crafty general and game. His early fights went from 55 to 75 rounds—and were fought in the lumber camps of Michigan.

Leonard's Case.

As for Leonard.

He is by far the best of the lightweights of the present day. Wolgast, Ritchie, Welsh—these men do not rank with him. Welsh was, however, a flashier fighter. Wolgast was a harder hitter. Ritchie was a weak sister as a champion. Lack of formidable opponents has aided Leonard's prestige. He has made it clear against those he met that he was a wonderful boxer, an accurate, hard hitter, and a great ring general. His generalship saved him in two or three fights. Lew Tendler, great little southpaw, had Leonard's title in his grasp one night only to let Leonard kid him out of it while the champion played for time to let his head clear.

But Leonard did not win the nation-wide popularity McAuliffe, Nelson and Lavigne did. For one thing his biggest fights were confined to the east.

And the public has nothing on which to estimate Leonard's powers of endurance. The longest and hardest fights he ever engaged in were the one against Tendler two years ago and one with Rocky Kansas. Both went 15 rounds.

Or Wise Old Jack McAuliffe?



JACK McAULIFFE

Duke Agrees To Allow Elmer To Forego Weighing

Both Battlers On Hand And Rearing to Get Into Action

FIVE FOUR-ROUNDERS

Story And Clark Hook Up In Semi-Final Of Six Rounds

Duke Trammel and Elmer McMullen are ready for their ten-round scrap tonight in the legion main event, it was announced yesterday. Both boys are on hand and each is in the best of condition.

This bout should be the greatest staged in Wichita Falls since the forays last summer in the legion open air arena. Wichita Falls fandom seems to agree with this idea, for last night there were but few seats left. The ticket sale has been heavier than any over the past six or eight months.

Won't Weigh In.

Those fight bugs who have been champing for a chance to see the two principals on the scales are out of luck. At first it was agreed that each boxer would make 147 pounds, both putting up cash forfeits. But yesterday on his arrival, Trammel declared that he would not hold McMullen to the contract because the Kansas battler has not had sufficient time in which to make the weight. McMullen, according to Promoter Wofford, is well over the 147-pound mark at present, and could not possibly come down to that weight in the short space of time allotted. The two will step into the ring tonight at catch weights.

Fast Semi-Windup.

The semi-windup event between George Storey of Oklahoma City and Benny Clark of Dallas is expected to do the man evept more than justee. These boys are both hard hitting customers, willing mixers and should soon prove just as good drawing cards, when the fans become better acquainted with them, as Trammel or McMullen, believes the promoter. The bout is to be six rounds.

Five four-round prelims will be run off in quick order, according to Wofford. No announcement was made yesterday as to who the ten preliminary boys are.

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Feminine Golfers Qualify For Cup Play This Morn

Initial Round of Tourney To Be Over By Next Thursday

Golf and plenty of it is scheduled for the Country club links this morning when members of the women's golf association sally forth in the qualifying rounds of tournament play for a handsome sup trophy to be given by Mrs. A. W. Fisher.

Play is to begin at 9:30 o'clock, according to Mrs. G. H. Hampshire. More than 30 feminine golfers are expected to participate.

Following the qualifying rounds, brackets for the tournament will be arranged, and first-round play will be in order. The initial round is to be finished before next Thursday, stated Mrs. Hampshire.

After the golf this morning at noon there will be the weekly association luncheon, and business meeting.

RUTH WEIGHS 245 1-2.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 4.—(AP—The weight of George Herman Ruth, an all important topic during baseball training season, is 245 1-2 pounds, it was reluctantly admitted by the famous babe today as he set about a daily routine of 36 holes of golf which he hopes will get him down to fighting trim.

Jones Hasn't Signed With Trojans

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4.—Howard H. Jones, football coach, who was announced by the University of Southern California yesterday to have been selected to succeed Elmer C. Henderson, declared today that as yet he has not signed a contract with the Trojan institution.

FEDERAL RECEIVERS AND LANDON-HILL TONIGHT

Chubby Neal will lead his Landon-Hill quint into the Federal Receivers' lair Thursday night. About a month ago the Receivers took the Hudson-Essex into camp by the score of 19 to 17, an extra five minute period being needed to decide the issue. Neal expects to succeed where the Hudson-Essex failed.

AUSTRALIA WOMAN NET STAR MAY INVADE U. S.

LONDON, Feb. 4.—The Australian lawn tennis women champion, Miss Daphne Akhurst, may play in America in 1925, according to the Sydney correspondent o fthe Daily Mail. He says that many persons there believe she is the equal of any woman player in the world except Suzanne Lenglen.

Cincinnati-New York Exchange Rumors Revived

Roush Candidate For Shift To Gotham, So It's Said

DONOHUE SPOKEN OF

Jawn Spurns Luque, But Desires Rixey Or Pete

By DAVIS J. WALSH,
I. N. S. Sports Editor.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—The choice morsel of backstairs baseball gossip today is that the apparently defunct Cincinnati-New York deal, involving as many as five talkplayers, is about to be or has been revived. Protracted conferences between John J. McGraw and Jack Hendricks during the two-day meeting of the National league, brought to a close yesterday, have lent color to the story and at least one practical baseball man has assured the writer that the business is on the fire and coming to a boil with commendable rapidity.

Donohue Spoken Of.

Eddie Reush, perennial candidate for a New York transfer, according to the local viewpoint, is one individual who has provided exercise for idle tonkues. Edward, it is whispered, was the subject of our Mr. McGraw's lengthy dissertation. Another report had it that Eppa Rixey and Pete Donahue, pitchers, furnished the topic of conversation.

Hendricks, of course, has a single interest in a first baseman at the moment and according to best advices, discoursed learnedly and at some length on the subject of George Kelly. It is not admitted in the local camp that Kelly is on the market, but it is significant that rumors were in the air following the last world's series that McGraw had soured on the lengthy one for reasons not altogether clear. Just what other players he could afford to offer, in addition to Kelly, no one seemed to fathom.

Muggsy Spurns Luque.

Cincinnati would want plenty for Roush and McGraw has none too much to give but with either Rixey or Donohue, he could step out with the ingredients of a reasonable trade, Kelly among others, and the tip today was that the deal was progressing on that basis, if any. At least one Cincinnati player has been mentioned in connection with the business, but beyond the fact that he is a pitcher of more than ordinary ability, nobody appears to have a true line on its identity.

When the deal was first broached early in the winter, it is understood the Reds offered Adolfo Luque, the Cuban, to the Giants but McGraw spurned him haughtily. Perhaps, however, he would be willing to take Adolfo on as an adjunct to a trade, if such there be.

WALT STILL SEEKS CLUB

Johnson Dickering With Vernon Mag For Coast Team.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 4.—Walter Johnson continued today his efforts to break into ownership of a baseball club in the Pacific coast league.

Johnson was reported to be arranging details for the purpose of purchasing the Vernon club, Los Angeles, with William G. McAdoo, Myes F. Lasker, manager of a New York newspaper syndicate, and George Weiss of New Haven, Conn., as his associates.

It was reported Ed R. Maier, owner of the Vernon franchise was ready to sell.

ALTUS BULLDOGS SQUEEZE OUT MAROON AND BLACK FIVE, 14-13

Coyotes Fail to Score in First Half, But Nearly Down Visitors in Final Quarter

Altus' Bulldogs hooked into McCallum's Coyotes Wednesday night on the Junior college court, got away to a flying start, then lost the lead, but battled back in the final quarter of a hectic contest to nose out the Wichita Falls five by a 14-13 score.

The Coyotes were the underdogs throughout three-quarters, but forged ahead momentarily in the final period when Francis, jumping at center, took the tip-off himself, dribbled down the court, tossed a goal tying the count at 10-10, and Jenkins followed through a few seconds later with a perfect free throw on foul by Kimble.

Neither team tabulated in the first quarter, but Altus came back in the second and blanked the Maroon and Black, 5 to 0, for the half. Fourteen minutes had elapsed before a goal was shot, Kimble making the toss. Somerall pitched the second field basket and slipped a free throw through the loop for the remainder of the first half scoring.

The third quarter wound up with the Coyotes snapping at the heels of the Bulldogs, holding the short end of a 10-8 score. Field goals by Francis, Andree and Jenkins accounted for six points. Francis and O. Powell each pitched a foul basket, bringing the total to eight.

With the score 11 to 10 for the Coyotes in the final period, English returned to the game and shot a goal, making the count 12 to 10 Altus. Ellis tossed another, putting the visitors out front, 14 to 10. Robertson of the Coyotes connected with a basket with half the Altus team hanging onto him, but the contest ended before either club could score again.

ALTUS	fg	ft	tp	Wichita F	fg	ft	pt
Angiund, f.	0	0	0	Jenkins, f.	1	1	3
Ellis, f.	2	0	0	Andee, f.	1	1	3
Somerall, c.	1	2	4	Francis, c.	2	0	4
Smith, g.	0	0	0	E. Powell, g	0	0	0
Kimble, g.	1	0	2	O. Powell, g	0	1	1
English, f.	2	1	5	Deems, f.	0	0	0
Remolds, f.	0	0	0	Robertson f	1	0	2
Totals	6	2	14	Totals	5	3	13

Murchison Retains Supremacy.

NEWARK, N. J. Feb. 4.—(AP)—Loren Murchison, of the Newark A. C. retained his indoor dash supremacy in the annual games of his home club tonight, by winning easily in the 70-yard invitation. Larry Rawlings of the New York A. C., was second and Jackson Scholz, of the New York A. C. third. Murchison's time was 7 3-5 seconds.

MARTIN MEETS TREMAINE

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 4.—Eddie "Cannon Ball" Martin, bantamweight champion will meet Carl Tremaine of Cleveland in a 10-round bout here February 14, it was announced here tonight. Articles signed by both men provide they weigh 120 pounds at 2 o'clock on the day of the bout.

PAAVO STILL BREAKS 'EM

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 4.—(AP)—Paavo Nurmi contending for two and one half miles against Ilmar Prim, Gunnar Nilson and August Fager of the Finnish-American A. C. at Newark, A. C. meet tonight shattered the 4,000-yard record held by Alfred Shrubb of England by accomplishing the distance in ten minutes, 55 seconds. His time for the full run was 11:59 4-5, 14 seconds slower than the record made by Willie Ritola last night in New York.

DES MOINES GETS MORRIS.

DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 4.—(AP)—Joe Morris, right hand pitcher, who helped Tulsa win the Western league pennant a few years ago, has been engaged for the Des Moines team whose management closed a deal with Fort Worth of the Texas league.

Muny Course Now Full 18

Muny club golfers for the first time since the new year this morning will find a full 18-hole course at their disposal, announces Charley Bunnenberg, city park superintendent.

Finishing touches were put on the final half of the course Wednesday afternoon. Temporary sand greens have been installed on all 18 holes for the present, but these are to be replaced by turf later.

Junior College Plays Gainesville Friday Night

Coach Buds Mosley's Junior college eagers will take on their first matcn game in nearly two weeks tomorrow night with the Gainesville college quint. The contest will be played on the home court.

This tilt comes as the culmination of more than a week's effort by the Junior college mentor to line up competition for his squad. It seems that following the Wichita Falls team's six-day tour nearly two weeks ago on which the Indians disported themselves merrily to the chargin of several teams that now most of clubs in the junior college class are afraid to play the locals. Several contests have been tentatively scheduled merely to have the opposing clubs since that road jaunt think again, and then dodge the Indians as a bad crew to mix it with.

COOPER IN TRIPLE FOR SOUTH CENTRAL TOURNAMENT LEAD

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 4.—(AP)—A demand that youth be served was met with a suggestion from age that youth must not be precipitate this afternoon in the south-central open golf tournament. Harry Cooper, 20-year-old professional, of the Oak Grove Golf club, Dallas, Texas, followed up a 72 in the morning round with a 71 in the afternoon to discover that John Black, Wichita, Kansas, nearer 50 than 20 years old, had combined a sensational 68 in the afternoon with a 75 in the forenoon to tie the youngster's mark for the day. In the meantime, Al Watrous, Grand Rapids, Mich., pro, also brought home a day's total of 143 to make it a tripple tie. Watrous had seventy four in the morning and 69 in the afternoon.

S. M. U. BEATS AGGIES

At Dallas, S. M. U. 35, Texas A. & A. 24.

Trio Of Giants Exonerated In Baseball Probe

Frisch, Young, And Kelly Not Implicated, Says Attorney

DOLAN STATUS SAME

Brothers Contends No Stain On Cozy's Record, However

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—(AP)—Three New York Giant players—Frankie Frisch, Ross Young and George L. Kelly—named by Jimmy O'Connell as implicated in his attempt to bribe Heinie Sand, Philadelphia National league shortstop, were completely exonorated by Assistant District Atorney George N. Brothers, in a report made to District Attorney Banton today after the state's investigation of the scandal.

The assistant district attorney contends that O'Connell may be guilty of a violation of the penal law governing such cases, by virtue of his own testimony and the testimony of Sand, but that the question of indicting O'Connell would await the return of Commissioner Landis from Panama.

Dolan Status Unchanged.

Mr. Brothers also contended that O'Connell's testimony does not place a stain on the record of Cozy Dolan, also named by O'Connell as being the instigator in the bribe, but that Dolan's status remains unchanged due to the indecisiveness of his answers during the hearing before Landis and his own investigation.

HAGEN UNOFFICIAL WORLD GOLF CHAMP

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 4. (AP)—Walter Hagen, British open champion, today won the unofficial world's golf championship over the Pasadena links when he defeated Cyril Walker, American open champion, 11 up and 15 in their 72-hold match played at Miami and St. Petersburg.

FISHER QUITS HARVARD.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Feb. 4.(AP) The resignation of "Bob" Fisher as head football coach at Harvard university is in the hands of the Harvard athletic committee and will be acted upon by that body tonight, persons close to Fisher said today. It was said that a successor to Fisher had been selected by the graduate advisory committee at a meeting late Sunday.

RAY CHALLENGES NURMI FOR MILE

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Joie Ray of Chicago who failed by two fifths of a second to break the mile record held by Paavo Nurmi of Finland, last night at the Western Union A. A. meet today requested that his entry in the 3,000 meter special at the Wilco A. C. games Saturday night, in which Nurmi is to compete, be withdrawn. He challenged the Olympic champion to a mile race.

PHILS SIGN GEORGE BURNS.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 4.—George Burns, former New York Giants and Cincinnati Reds outfielder, who was released by Cincinnati last year, has been signed up by the Philadelphia National league team its president, William B. Aker announced today.

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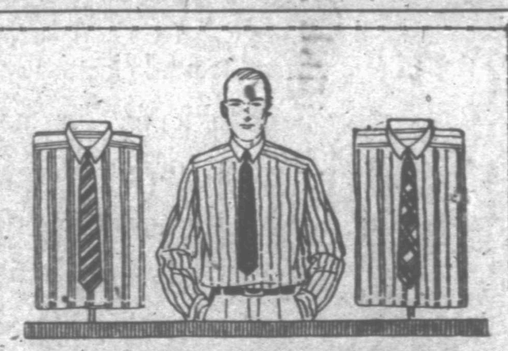
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MUSIC

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Murchison and Messrs. Vaughan Ray, Paul Von Allmen and Grover Bullington, with Mr. Pittman at the piano.

Mlle Delphine Balluewa has created some new dances for this occasion.

Rev. Leslie Miller will sing two songs entitled "Ashes of Roses" and "An English Song," which were composed especially for this concert by Mrs. Harwood Stacy, president of the Musicians' club, who will accompany him.

The ensemble players, consisting of Mrs. Jonette Bonner, Mrs. O. E. Nicholls, Mrs. Alfred Miller and Mrs. Ray Eyssen, accompanied by Mrs. Harwood Stacy, will render several selections.

The Misses Juel and Adele Ray, who have recently come to this city, will sing solos and a duet.

Tickets on Sale.

Mr. Stanley Raub will render a violin solo. The young Mr. Floyd Ard will give an instrumental piano solo. Mesdames Bruce Greenwood, Lucile Huff and Mr. Ellis will play a trio.

Tickets at $1 each are now on sale at McConnell Brothers. Those who have already purchased tickets may exchange them for reserved seats on Saturday, February 7, and on Monday and Tuesday of next week.

Students of the Junior college and high schools may obtain tickets for 50 cents.

Over 500 tickets have already been sold, and it is hoped that everyone interested in music will secure their tickets as soon as possible and assist the club in making this concert a great success, says an announcement from the club program committee.

HIGH SCHOOL

(Continued from page 1)

high school student, "but I'm afraid there are too many of the girls in school who are crazy about wearing pretty clothes for the plan to go over."

"Modified dress that makes for comfort, health and economy is certainly a fine thing for school girls," stated S. H. Rider, principal of the high school, who heartily endorsed such measures. "I doubt if you could ever force the girls of the high school and junior college into a regulation requiring a uniform, but I am very much in favor of sensible dress."

Mrs. T. A. Hicks, who for five years directed the work of the Girl Reserves of the Y. W. C. A. among school girls, is very much "for" the measure.

"It would be a wonderful thing for the girls, their mothers and for the school. I know two girls in the city who quit high school this year because they could not dress like their chums.

"The girls, and what they think about it will undoubtedly decide whether or not universal dress is adopted, but girls nowadays have more sense than girls have ever had. They are not radical. They are as fair minded and progressive as they can be. I have always found them reasonable, wide awake on subjects of this kind and more sensible than many women I know.

"The dress question is a vital one in the school life of the city and must be faced. Now is a good time to start," Mrs. Hicks concluded.

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The Story of a Social Climber

by Lucille Van Slyke

He hailed Mrs. Adams with a gaiety he was far from feeling. She was on her knees weeding the chrysanthemum bed. Her boyish hand shot out toward his.

But she was frankly troubled as she talked with him.

"Of course, Mr. Quimby," she murmured, "nobody but the old cat is awfully fussy in this free age but after all, school ma'ams are supposed to be fairly circumspect and you know it. I sort of like this girl—poor little thing. I don't believe she slept a wink last night—just cried her eyes out. I didn't tell her that you'd sent me. Spud and I blew around there while the kids were still having their after dinner dance and when I told old Hartwell I'd come for her erring sheep the old soul nearly passed out. I got rather saucy, I do admit. That sort of thing makes me so tired, but as Spud said after we were back here, if we did have a little girl we wouldn't want her in a school where the pretty little school ma'ams were out dancing with chaps like Dicko in places like Joey's restaurant."

"But you were there yourself—" he reminded her.

She flushed.

"Yes, I did. And I don't like that sort of place," she added defiantly. "But 'Spud' does like it and wherever Spud goes, you can jolly well bet I do."

He laughed at her earnestness.

"Well, what will we do about Miss Blanchard?" he asked almost diffidently.

"I don't know," she confessed. Hartwell won't give her any sort of reference, the girl doesn't know a thing but school teaching and she hasn't a penny in the world and as nearly as I can find out her family are about as badly off."

ROSALIE herself stopped their discussion of her by coming into the autumnal garden looking as dewy eyed as the morning itself.

She ran toward him like an unhappy child, putting out both her hands to him.

"Telephone, Miss Adams," yelled a frowsy maid.

"I'm in disgrace!" she told him—her low sweet voice did have cooing notes like a dove's. He smiled at her.

"And frightened—" she added. "I haven't any references—"

"I don't require any," he made a sudden decision. "Rosy Lee, do you? I mean—" he blundered like a boy, "would you consider taking me—and Nannie—to teach? I—of course, I'm ages too old for you. But Nannie adores you and I'd be very good to you—I'm very fond of you. And if you'd marry me it would stop all this infernal talk—"

She stared at him, doubting her own ears.

CHAPTER XXXVII

Rosalie Begins to Get Even

ROSALIE'S feelings, as she realized that Nannette's father was actually proposing to her, were a curious mingling of exultation and humility.

"Now I'll be even with Dick!" she thought childishly. "—and Mrs. Hartwell and Mrs. Perry and Chet's cousin and all the rest of them who have been so just snippety with me!" Her youthful shyness was not assumed. She really stood in much awe of this man who was offering himself to her. Yet so busy was she with her thoughts that she did not answer him, but looked across the Adams' autumn shabby garden, her eyes wide with amazement.

Her silence rather bewildered him. "Unless there's somebody else that you love—who loves you," he added.

Bitter thoughts of Chet added themselves to the sum of her emotions. She shook her head.

"I—oh, Mr. Quimby," she caught his hand and looked up at him. "You don't really mean that you do want to marry me?"

It sounded so stilted that she herself flushed as she said it. Which made her seem all the more desirable to the man who was smiling down at her.

"That's what I've been trying to say," his eyes were smiling, "handicapping myself while I said it by reminding you that I'm old and that Nannie is rather a handful."

"She's a darling!" Rosalie said huskily. "And—and I'll always be good to her—"

His hand closed over hers as young Mrs. Adams came out from the house, looking rather troubled.

"Miss Ferguson at Pendleton Hall—she wants to speak to Miss Blanchard," she said, hestitatingly.

"Shall we tell her?" Rosalie's eyes were dancing with mischief.

Quimby was the one who was flushed now. Suddenly—he didn't know why—he began to feel a trifle ridiculous.

"Miss Blanchard has done me the honor to consent to be my wife," he said rather stiffly.

Mrs. Adams let out a tiny scream of surprise.

"Oh, my dear! How—how lovely!" she said but as Rosalie ran down the path to answer the telephone she looked up at Harrison Quimby with puzzled eyes. "This is so sudden!" she murmured whimsically.

"Rather!" he laughed boyishly.

Miss Ferguson, over the telephone, in crisp, clear syllables, was saying. "As I told you yesterday I would see that you had your transportation back to Emsville, but your hurried departure last night left our arrangements rather in the air. I had meant that you should take this morning's train and—"

"But I'm not going back to Emsville, thank you," a lilt of triumph rippled into Rosalie's [illegible] I won't need to have anything from you, I—I—" the tone faltered a little. She was wondering if she would dare announce her engagement! She wanted to stun Miss Ferguson! But she restrained herself and merely added, "I'll straighten out my new plans very soon. The only thing I'm sure of is that I'm not going back to Emsville."

But she went back to the pair in the garden rather shyly. What to do or say next she did not know.

"Suppose you girls put on your [illegible] we have a luncheon party to celebrate."

Mrs. Adams made a droll curtsey.

"Thank you kindly, sir," she said. "But the useless chaperone begs to be excused. Run along and have your party, children," she looked up audaciously at his silvered temples, "I have to have a thousand things to talk about."

She fairly flew to the telephone after they had departed.

"Spud, darling!" she breathed to her husband," if you guessed a thousand years you couldn't guess what has happened! Harrison Quimby is going to marry the expelled school ma'am!"

His long whistle was followed by his quick,

"Not exactly December and May but—well, September and June, eh! When is it coming off?"

"Don't know. It just happened—they're getting engaged, I mean, and they've gone off for a ride and I—"

"Don't mix yourself up in it, sweetie," Spud warned her. "There'll be the deuce to pay once it happens. Good heavens, the school ma'am has no background, no family—and Old Harrison has all that and buckets of money and," his chuckle came over the wires, "a mother-in-law. What becomes of Mrs. Perry, huh?"

"Isn't it too funny?" his wife giggled, "I'm thrilled to my toes! I can't help it, Spud. Everybody but us has been plain horrid to this pretty Rosalie and there's a whole lot of people who will have to eat humble pie."

"Only they won't," her husband warned her. "They will get their little hammers out and the anvil chorus will drown out the bridal march."

He wasn't wrong about the hammers but he was wrong about their drowning any bridal march. There was no bridal march!

For twenty-four hours the youthful Adams remained Rosalie's hosts and held their tongues as Quimby asked them to do. Then, at noon on the following day, in a modest parsonage at the county seat, Rosalie was married to Harrison Quimby. She wore her little grey frock. Her sleek, dark head was smoothly coiffed and hatless for Mrs. Adams said impulsively: "You're much prettier that way."

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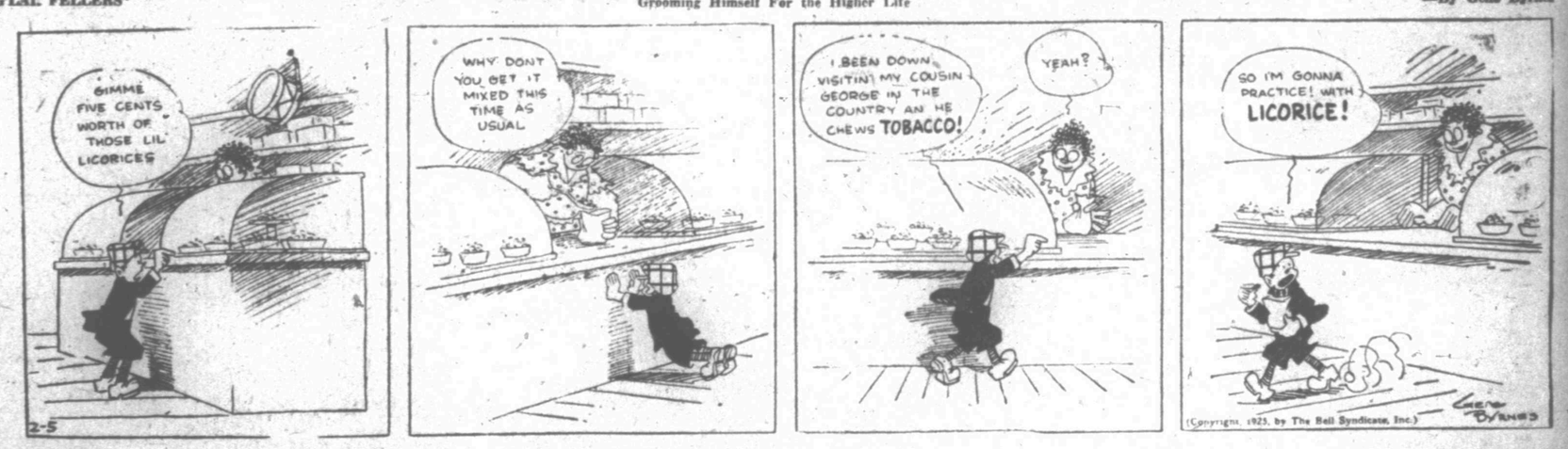
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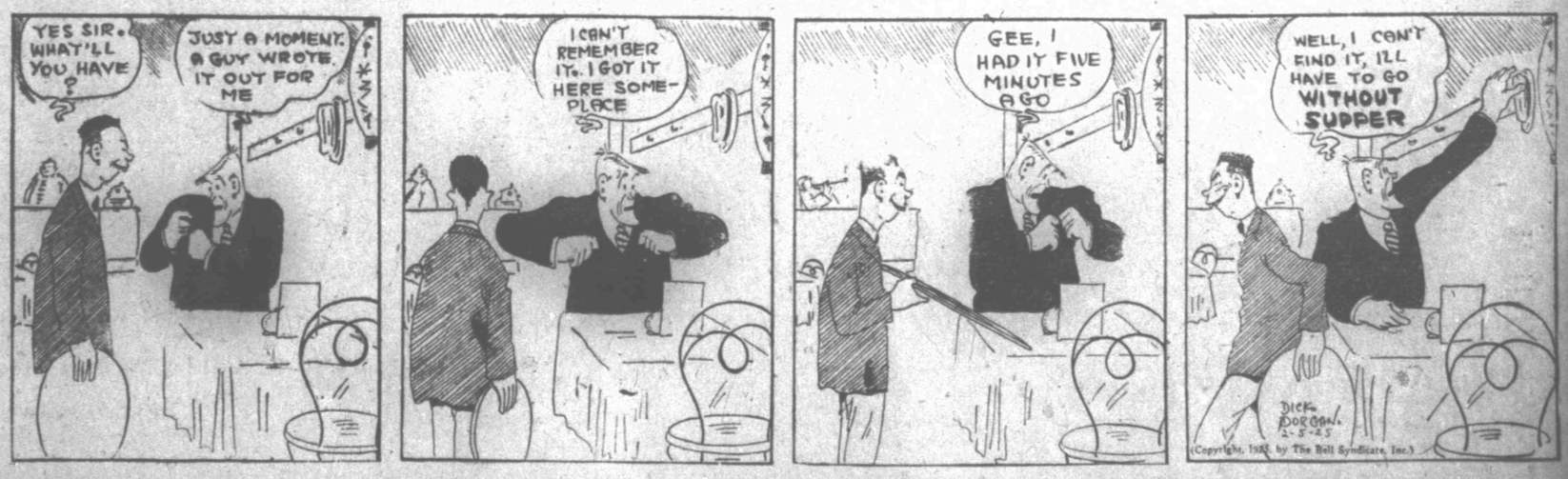
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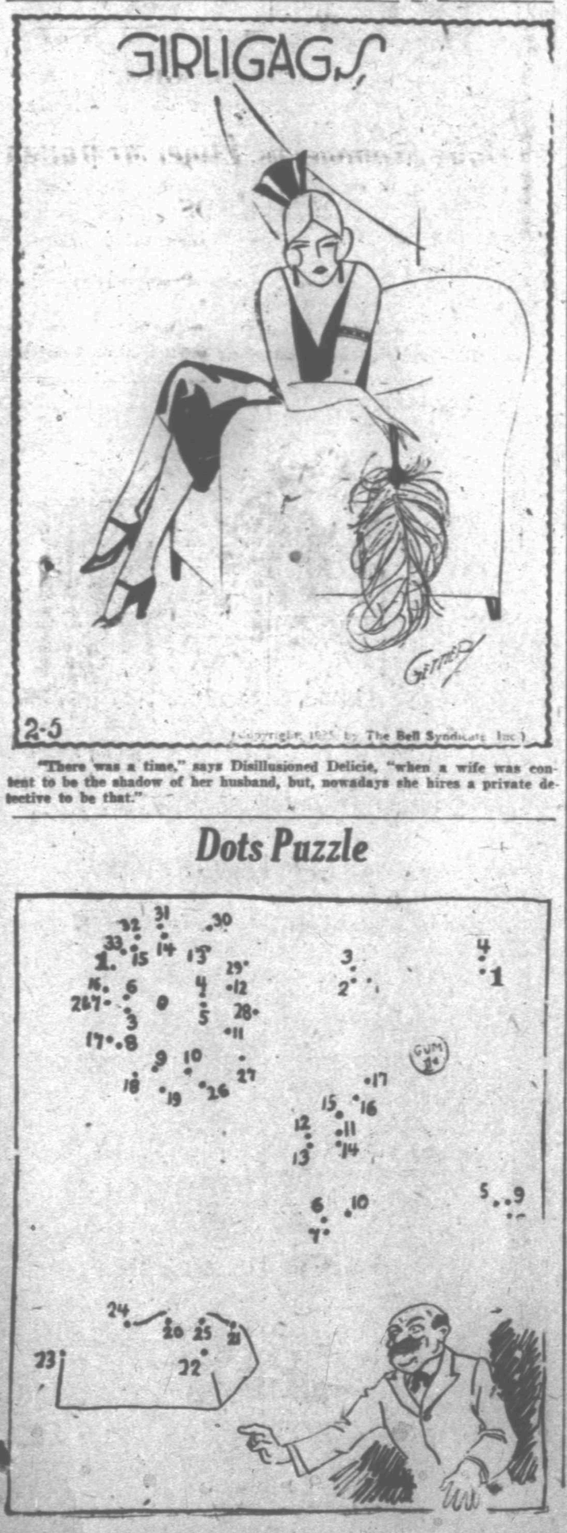


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LODGE DIRECTORY

Faith Chapter, No. 713 O. E. S.—Meets second and fourth Monday 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 7675. 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. 635, 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. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, Feb. 2, 3 and 5, 7 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.
CLEM GALLAGHER, 800 Harrison, F. S.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M.—Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
W. J. WEBB, Secy
W. J. WEBB, Secy

Faith Lodge No. 1158, 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 Entered Apprentice degree Friday, Feb. 6, 7:30 p. m., T. R. Wynn, master in charge.

Will confer the Fellowcraft degree Tuesday evening, Feb. 10, beginning 7:30, W. H. Caldwell, senior warden in charge.

Faith chapter O. E. S. invites membership Faith lodge, families and sweethearts, to meet with them Thursday, Feb. 12, 8 p. m. and assures each who attend an enjoyable evening.

Will confer the Master's degree Friday evening, Feb. 13, beginning at 7:30, W. B. Baldwin, junior warden, in charge.

Instruction of E. A. candidates each Monday evening. Call secretary in regard to other instruction.

Stated meeting and examinations Tuesday, Feb. 17, 7:30 p. m.
THOS. R. WYNN, W. M.,
G. W. CURD, Secy.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 257 of the Eastern Star meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. MARGARET BRADLEY, Phone 5766. W. M.
MRS. NENA FRITZ, M'GILVN, Secy. Phone 2620.

Wichita Falls Assembly No. 17, Order of the Rainbow for girls, sponsored by the Wichita Falls Chapter No. 257, meets second and fourth Tuesday at 7 p. m. in Masonic Temple. Miss Margaret Coleman, worthy advisor; Miss Dorothy Coleman, 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, Secy.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 3001 — Regular meeting first and third Wednesday nights. Lab Temple.
J. T. James, Council Commander.
R. J. CLAYPOOL, Clerk.
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Texhoma's Morrits Phillips Definitely Opens New South Archer Pool

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Sold two new duplexes this week. We are just finishing up two more. Will make the terms so the rent will pay 'em out.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Citation by Publication
THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the sheriff or any constable of Wichita county: greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Tommie Ashley by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th district court of Wichita county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Wichita Falls, on the 1st Monday in March A. D. 1925 the same being the 2nd day of March A. D. 1925 then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 6th day of January A. D. 1925 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 16472-B wherein Lora Cromeans Ashley is plaintiff, and Tommie Ashley is defendant, and said petition alleging, that plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married on or about 5th day of October, 1923, and lived together as husband and wife until on or about the 12th of April, 1924, when by reason of harsh and cruel treatment and improper conduct on the part of the defendant toward plaintiff, she was forced and compelled to permanently abandon defendant.

That about three weeks after they were married, and up until their separation, defendant treated plaintiff very unkindly, harshly and cruelly, and made tyranical threats toward her, which continued until plaintiff was forced and compelled to abandon defendant, as aforesaid; that the defendant would often come home drunk and while under the influence of intoxicants, cursed and abused plaintiff, and called her vile names, without cause or provocation whatever on the part of plaintiff.

That said marriage relation between plaintiff and defendant stil exists. Wherefore plaintiff pray for judgment dissolving said marriage relation, costs of suit, etc.

Herein fail not, but have before said court at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 9th day of January A. D. 1925.

A. F. KERR, Clerk,
District Court, Wichita County Texas.
By Eunice Jackson, Deputy.
(SEAL)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.
THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the sheriff or any constable of Wichita county, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon William Ray Schrib by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th district court of Wichita county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in March A. D. 1925, the same being the second day of March A. D. 1925, then and there to answer an answer and cross petition filed in said court on the 9th day of December A. D. 1924 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 15020-B wherein Mrs. Louis Schrib is plaintiff and Modern Woodmen of America is defendant, said defendant interpleading William Ray Schrib, Ernest David Schrib and Carl H. Schrib, as parties defendant in this suit, and said petition alleging the defendant in its answer and cross action admits its liability in the sum of $1,000 on benefit certificate No. 1504867, issued to Willie T. Schrib on October 21, 1908, payable to "my surviving children" as beneficiaries. Defendant alleges that this benefit certificate was the only benefit certificate ever issued by defendant to Willie T. Schrib. That Willie T. Schrib is dead, having died in Burkburnett, Texas, on June 15, 1923. That defendant is unable to pay said sum of $1,000, because plaintiff herein, Mrs. Louise Schrib, is insisting upon payment of the said $1,000 to her, and defendant is unable to determine to whom and in what proportions said benefit should be paid. That Willie T. Schrib left surviving him the following children: William Ray Schrib, born April 25, 1895, whose present address is unknown; Ernest David Schrib, born September 22, 1903, and Carl H. Schrib, born March 23, 1906, both of whom reside at Burkburnett, Texas. That defendant is ready and willing to make payment of said $1,000 benefit, in such manner as the court shall direct and defendant alleges that it should be determined by this court in this suit to whom and in what proportion the said $1,000 is payable. Defendant prays that said William Ray Schrib, Ernest David Schrib and Carl H. Schrib each be made parties defendant to this suit, and be required to appear and set forth their respective claims to said $1,000, for citation, for an order authorizing and directing this defendant to make payment of said $1,000 into court, to the clerk of this court, to be held subject to the court's order concerning the distribution of said $1,000, and upon such payment that this defendant be fully released and relieved from any further liability to the plaintiff herein, and to the said William Ray Schrib, Ernest David Schrib and Carl H. Schrib; for costs of suit and general and special relief.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 4th day of February A. D. 1925.

A. F. KERR, Clerk
District Court, Wichita Co., Texas.
(Seal) By Eunice Jackson, Deputy.

Well Runs Over Top; Drilled In Only Partially

Preparations Made to Swab Last Night, Sand 1,166-72 Feet

SW OF CAREY SECTOR

New Well Located About Two Miles North Of Olney

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company's No. 1, Morrits Phillips, BBB&CRR survey, abstract 825, southwest of the Carey pool, yesterday became definitely a pool opener when further coring of sand caused oil to rise to the top of the hole and run over in small quantities all day. Sand record then was given as 1,166-72 feet with only the last four feet regarded as in the real pay.

The boiler was being moved back yesterday afternoon and preparations made to swab it last night before drilling further. No estimates were offered on the well yesterday but in its present stage it is reckoned as at least a 150 barrel producer with the probability of making a much better well when drilled in further.

It is distinctly separated from the Carey district, the nearest production by dry holes of the Texas company, and Texhoma on the Jeske and Hausler.

Crude Output Is Down 42,845 Bbls.

HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 4.—Daily average production of oil in the United States during the week ending January 31 was 1,041,549 barrels, a decrease of 42,845 barrels from the average established the week before, according to the Oil Weekly Wednesday.

Although the eastern states and California registered losses in the daily average production of 500 and 4,000 barrels, respectively, the drop in United States production is attributed mainly to the north Texas region which showed a decline above 49,000 barrels. Wortham was responsible for the north Texas slump production in that pool falling from 132,000 barrels a day the previous week to 82,500 barrels the week of January 31, figures of the Oil Weekly show.

Kansas, Oklahoma, the Wyoming-Montana-Colorado district and Arkansas production took an upward turn during the past week, daily averages in those states making gains aggregating 10,770 barrels. Production of daily averages by states for the week of January 31 follows:

Texas 411,705; Kansas 80,720; Oklahoma 486,370; Louisiana 57,160; eastern states 103,500; Wyoming-Montana-Colorado district 86,855; California 598,000; Arkansas 106,205.

GASOLINE PRICES VARY IN HOUSTON

HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 3.—Four large oil distributing companies today charged different retail prices for gasoline.

The Magnolia Petroleum Co. topped the list with their advance price of 19 cents per gallon. Officials stated the rate would hold tomorrow.

The Mexican Gulf Co reported their product retailing at 18 cents; Texas Co. gasoline sold for 17 cents and the Humble Co quoted 16 cents per gallon.

Kerosene is now retailing at 10 cents per gallon but indications are that it will go to 11 cents tomorrow.

News of the Fields

Texas Company, Hill

The Texas company was drilling yesterday below a last reported depth of 1,313 feet on their No. 1, Hill, located just north of the Stampfli-Roberts wells, in TE&LCO survey, block 2408, southwest Archer county. No. 2 yesterday was shut down at 876 feet.

Plains, Wise

The Plains Production company was expecting to finish out to 1,500 feet yesterday on their No. 1, Wise, M. Dailey survey, abstract 101, just south of Spring Creek in Throckmorton county. The well was to be abandoned at that depth.

Texas Company, Graham

The Texas company was setting casing yesterday at a depth of 1,115 feet on their No. 1, Graham, in block 193, abstract 440, just southwest of Olney about three miles. Sand had been penetrated three feet.

Plains, Erwin

Plains Production company has made a location for a test on the fourth or west side of Spring Creek, in Throckmorton, R. E. Erwin farm, Frederick Giebenrath survey, ab stract 231. The rig will be moved from their Wise well, to have been finisher last night, to the Erwin location and the test started up at once. The well will be located in the southeast corner of the west 40 acres of the northwest quarter of the farm and will be the fourth Spring Creek test.

Texhoma, Harbison

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company is setting casing at 1,333 feet on their No. 5, Harbison, the lease recently acquired from Lowery and Cavin.

Location has been made for No. 6, an offset to the Christie well, and 450 feet north and 150 feet east of the southwest corner of the lease.

Barkley-Meadows

Barkley and Meadows are fishing for a core barrel at a depth of 2,226 feet in their No. 1, Stephens, southwest corner of the northwest 40 acres of the northeast quarter of sectoin 83, H&TCRR survey, block 14, South Vernon. The well is standing three feet in a sand picked up at 2,223 feet, some 15 feet lower, surface elevation taken into consideration, than the 2,200-foot well of Bridwell and Heydrick.

Dee Bros., Sadou

Dee Brothers have spudded and are drilling on their No. 1, Sadou, G. W. Stell survey, abstract 382, about four miles northeast of Swastika, south Archer county.

Texhoma, Burnett

Texhoma Oil and Refining company have placed their No. 7, Burnett, Fowlkes Station district, SA& MGRR survey, abstract 271, Wichita county, on the pump for a 50 to 60 barrel well from sand at 1,811-19 feet.

O'Neil, Clay County

John O'Neil is drilling below a last reported depth of 1,000 feet on his No. 1, Eslava, in Clay county.

Oil Inv't Company

The Oil Investment company has skidded the derrick over for their No 6, fee, John Richards survey, northwest of Archer City, the well to be 390 feet south of the No. 4, the farthest south test on the farm.

North Wilbarger

Texhoma-Covert.

Texhoma Oil and Refining company is drilling below a last reported depth of 720 feet on their No. 1, Covert, located in section 8, block 15, H&TC-RR survey, four miles north of Tolbert.

Kester Test.

Hamilton-Shadbolt-Smith were drilling yesterday at about 1,800 feet on their No. 1, Kester, in section 7, block 11, H&TCRR survey, east of Odell, north Wilbarger county.

Neal Location.

A derrick and rotary rig have been erected on the section 34, block 11, H&TCRR survey, north Wilbarger, northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of the section by Hamilton-Shadbolt-Smith et al. The well will be drilled by Stidham and Thrasher.

Garza County

Blackwell and Phelps, now the Armada Oil company, well in Garza county, near Justiceburg, was supposed to go on the pump yesterday after several delays, and expected to make at least a 50-barrel well from its 2,400 foot sand. Approximately a mile and one-half north the same parties are moving in a 28 star machine for their second test in the county, to be located in section 107.

The Sloan Oil company, having extensive holdings in the Mitchell county fields, is expected to start a well before the middle of this month in section 118, nearby.

Christie-Graham, FSB

Christie and Graham's No. 1, Farmers State bank, northeast corner of block 10, south Anderson ranch subdivision, Swastika, is swabbing between 430 and 450 barrels a day from the usual Swastika sand topped rather high at about 1,290 feet. Reports yesterday were that the well would be drilled still further into the sand, exact record not available.

Perkins, Powell

J. J. Perkins has erected a derirck in the northeast corner of the west half of block 1586, northwest Young county, for a test, Mrs. S. Powell farm, but will not move a rig on or get started further until the water situation eases up some.

Carson County

Increasing attention is being paid now to Carson county, Panhandle district, since the completion of the American Refining company's No. 3, Burnett there, for better than 2,500 barrels a day. Reports from there yesterday indicated that the well was maintaining its flow with the swab and other tools in the hole.

Marland Oil company of Texas has what is practically an offset to this well, 600 or 700 feet away, now standardizing with still a few feet of the lime to penetrate before drilling in, and looked up as possibly a second well of the first's calibre.

Magnolia, Lauster

The Magnolia Petroleum company was drilling yesterday below a last reported depth of 1,265 feet on their No. 1, Lauster, located in the EL&RR company survey, abstract 799, block 2, north of Swastika, south Archer county.

Marland, Ward

The Marland Oil company of Texas has a derrick up for their No. 1, Ward, with a rig going on, block 1888, TE&LCO survey, due north ow Anarene, between the Ragle and the Benson pools.

Murchison-Fain, Hayter

Murchison and Fain have spudded and are drilling on their No. 1, Hayter, wildcat, justs outheast of Megargel, center of the east line of block 2423, TE&LCO survey, southwest Archer county.

Atlantic et al, Parker

The Atlantic Oil Producing company et al have set their ten-inch casing at 1,325 feet in their No. 1, Parker, section 6, H&TCRR block 3, south Wilbarger county, and are drilling below that depth.

Atlantic, Blewett

The Atlantic Oil Producing company was shut down again yesterday on its No. 1, Blewett, block 45 Meade L. M. Pasture subdivision, west of the Bell county school lands subdivision, after starting up at 1,212 feet a day or so ago. It was figured that the well is possibly 70 feet off the sand level.

Murchison-Fain, Weichman

Murchison and Fain have spudded and are drilling on their No. 1, Weichman, in the southwest corner of the block 173, TE&LCO survey, just west of Olney and southeast of the Murchison and Fain pool on the Gambrell land, north Young county.

The Atlantic Oil Producing company and Donohoe intended to set casing yesterday on their No. 2, Ward, Tomlinson survey, abstract 452, south of Anarene. The well will probably be hailed today.

Magnolia Pipeline To South Archer Co.

The Magnolia Petroleum company is maying preparations to build south Archer county's fifth pipeline. The prospective carrier will be of four-inch pipe, and extend from the Roberts and Hill pool south to the Parrish-White district, and thence to the Comanche pool and Harmel area where Magnolia is building two 55,000 barrel tanks, and should have some production shortly.

Some Americans have the grand manner, but they lose it when dad stops the allowance.

A hick town is a place where the man with a manicure is a traveling salesman.

Baz-Thin sold at Smith's Drug Store No. 1.—Adv.

MARKETS

Livestock

TEXAS LIVESTOCK.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 4.—Mid-week receipts of cattle and calves were small, the total amounting to but 3,000 head. Of that number, 500 were calves. Yearlings sold with no more freedom than on Tuesday, but the quota was not so liberal, and the yards were cleared before the noon hour. Prices for all kinds presented a steady appearance.

Beef steer sales did not indicate any strength, to a certainty, but the market was hardly quotably lower. Receipts were limited to three or four loads of a fairly decent type; that cleared at $6.00 to 6.50.

Low priced stock constituted the bulk of the day's receipts, canners and cutters being in the majority. Trading made good progress. Canners sold mostly at $1.85 to 2.10, but some grades moved at $1.75. Medium to good cokws brought $3.000 to 3.75 and a few scattering sales of small lots ranged from $4.00 to 4.50. Most of the heifer and yearling supply cleared at a spread of $5.000 to 6.50. Bulls brought $3.50 to 4.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 3,000, including 500 calves; market steady; beves $3.50@7.50; stockers $3.25@7.00; cows $3.00@5.50; cutters $2.25@2.75; canners $1.75@2.10; heifers $3.25@7.50; yearlings $3.50@8.50; bulls $2.50@4.50; calves $3.50@8.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,000; market 10 to 15c higher; pigs 25c higher; top $11.30; bulk $10.50@11.15; best medium weight $11.15@11.30; good mixed $10.85@11.15; good light $10.65@11.00; fair mixed $10.25@10.65; fair light $9.75@10.25; common $6.50@8.50; packing sows $8.00@10.00; pigs $5.00@8.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 500; market steady; lambs $13.50@17.50; feeders $12.50@15.75; yearlings $11.00@12.00; wethers $8.50@11.00; ewes $8.50@10.50; culls $1.50@3.50; stockers $3.50@5.50; goats $1.50@3.50.

Financial

U. S. BONDS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—United States bonds:

Liberty 3½'s 101.14; first 4¼'s 101.27; second 4¼'s 101.1; third 4¼'s 101.14; fourth 4¼'s 101; government 4¼'s 104.28; treasury 4's 100.26.

MONEY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Call money, easier; high 3½; low 3; ruling rate 3½; closing bid 3; offered at 3½; last loan 3, call loans against acceptances 3. Time loans, steady; 60-90 days 3½@3¾; four-six months 4; prime commercial paper 3¾.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Foreign exchanges, steady; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 478¾; cables 478¾; 60-day bills on banks 475¾. France demand 5.43; cables 5.41½; Italy 4.16 and 4.16¼. Belgium 5.16¼ and 5.17; German ydemand 23.80; Holland 40.26; Norway 15.30; Sweden 26.93; Denmark 17.83; Switzerland 19.29; Spain 14.31; Greece 1.64¾; Poland 18½; Czecho-Slovakia 2.95¼; Jugo-Slavia 1.02; Austria .0014¼; Rumania .52; Argentina 40.12; Brazil 11.55; Tokio 38.11-16; Montreal 99.20-32.

Produce

TEXAS PRODUCE.

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—Liberal receipts continue to hold hay markets easy with lower grades possible to move only on serious discounts. Number 1 prairie, Kansas City $10.75; Omaha, $11.75; Chicago, $17.00; St. Louis $15.00; Minneapolis $18.00.

No. 1 alfalfa, Kansas City, $21.00; Omaha, $16.00; Denver, $17.75; Memphis, $28.00.

No. 1 timothy, Boston, $26.00; New York, $25.50; Pittsburgh, $20.50; Cincinnati, $17.50; Chicago, $23.00; Kansas City, $17.00; Memphis, $22.00; Denver, $18.00.

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—Texas yesterday rolled 37 cars of spinach, 17 of cabbage, 21 of mixed vegetables, one of tomatoes, four grapefruit and one express car of lettuce. The cabbage movement, all but one car from Laredo, was out of the lower Rio Grande Valley, which section also shipped two cars of carrots. The spinach shipments consisted of 11 Laredo cars, 25 Wintergarden district cars, and one lower valley car.

show uneasy tones. Usual terms cars of

Shipping point markets continued to spinach at Laredo brought $1.15 to $1.25 and cash track cars 90c to $1, against $1.25 straight forthe former and $1.05 to 1.15 for the latter at Wintergarden points. Cabbage was extremely dull at San Benito and nearby points, the outside trade securing its needs at $25 ton, with load cars mostly bringing $17 to $18 ton at track. Beets were unchanged at $1.25 per bushel and carrots at $1.00 a bushel for usual terms cars at valley points.

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—With exchange business in Chicago decidedly weak, a 3¼ to 4c drop being indicated this morning in the movement of two cars of fresh gathered fruits for 41c, business at Texas points appeared more stable, yesterday's prices of $10 to $11 per case of 30 dozen to producers being this morning's trading basis. Receipts were moderate and local demand very satisfactory at the prices quoted.

Buptter was steady to slightly easier on the exchanges and about steady at Texas points, packing stock country bringing 17@18c against 43c for creamery "A" and 41c for "B." Recent firmness in poultry markets has lost this morning under the liberal receipts.

Hens brought mostly 19c, where of good size and 15@16c for smaller.. Springs were worth 30c live weight, turkeys 25@26c; old roosters 8@9c; geese $1 each; ducks 60@75c each and guineas 25@30c each.

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Poultry alive, lower fowls 23@25c; springs 28c; roosters 19c; taurkeys 25c; ducks 30c; geese 20@21c.

Butter, lower; creamery extras 38¼c; standards 38½; extra firsts 37@37½c; firsts 35@36c; seconds 32@34c.

Eggs, lower; receipts 8,853 cases; firsts 40c; ordinary firsts 36@38c.

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—Notwithstanding a movement from Texas loading stations yesterday of thirty-seven cars and a clearance through St. Louis of thirty-nine cars, thirteen of which were billed Jersey City, spinach markets today were generally steady on a range of $1.50 to 1.75 for Texas bushels. Cabbage was dull but mostly unchanged around $3.25 to 3.50 per cwt.

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—New York yesterday received 20,808, against 8,853 for Chicago, 4,152 for Philadelphia and 3,076 for Boston.

New York stocks 22,959 cases, Chicago 4,592 cases, Philadelphia 5,473 and Boston 8,073 cases.

Dressed poultry checked into the four markets for the day totalled 319,626 pounds of which 378,563 pounds were for New York, and 97,247 Chicago.

Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	1.99¼	2.00⅝	1.98⅝	1.99
July	1.68⅝	1.69	1.67	1.67¼
Sept.	1.53⅛	1.54⅛	1.52⅜	1.54⅜
CORN—				
May	1.36⅝	1.37⅛	1.35⅝	1.37¼
July	1.38	1.38½	1.37¼	1.38¼
Sept.	1.38	1.38¼	1.37¼	1.37⅝
OATS—				
May	.63¼	.63¼	.62⅝	.62⅝
July	.64⅝	.64⅝	.63¾	.63⅜
Sept.	.60⅝	.61	.60¼	.60¼
RYE—				
May	1.75⅛	1.77½	1.75⅝	1.75¼
July	1.54	1.54⅝	1.53	1.53½
Sept.	1.32	1.32	1.30⅝	1.30⅝
RIBS—				
May	16.00	16.12	16.00	16.10
BELLIES—				
May	.....	.....	.....	17.85
July	.....	.....	.....	18.00

Cotton

Spot cotton, after five days continual climbing, suffered a slight reaction Wednesday, with bids ranging from 23.00 to 23.75 in northwest Texas for middling staple.

SPOT NEWS.

WACO, Feb. 4.—Waco spots steady, ½ down; middling 23.85. No sales reported.

DALLAS, Feb. 4.—Spots closed steady, 5 points lower; sales, 7,721.

Middling fair 24.90; strictly good middling 24.70; good middling 24.58; strict middling 24.33; middling 23.95; strict low middling 23.22; low middling 22.35; strict good ordinary 21.60; good ordinary 19.95

HOUSTON, Feb. 4.—The spot market closed steady, 10 down. Sales 6,985 bales. Low ordinary 17.90; ordinary 19.15; good ordinary 20.40; low middling 22.90; strict low middling 23.80; middling 24.40; strict middling 24.75; good middling 24.90; strict good middling 25.15; middling fair 25.40.

GALVESTON, Feb. 4.—The spot market closed steady, 10 down. Sales 4,869 bales. Low ordinary 17.35; ordinary 18.85; good ordinary 20.35; low middling 22.85; good middling 25.00; middling fair 25.35.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 4.—Cotton futures closed barely steady at net decline of 9 to 11 points.

	High	Low	Close	P. Close
March	24.53	24.24	24.29-33	24.38
May	24.79	24.53	24.50-52	24.59
July	25.03	24.76	24.84-87	24.94
Oct.	24.53	24.30	24.35-40	24.40
Dec.	24.53	24.30	24.39-39½-40	24.56

Opening: March 24.24; May 24.58; July 24.85; October 24.32; December 24.32.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 4.—The cotton market was rather irregular today and although the spread of fluctuations was not very wide, price changes were frequent in both directions. After a slightly higher opening prices eased off during the morning mainly on realizing by longs who were disappointed at the failure of outside speculation to take hold in the way expected. There was a good rally from the low points in the early afternoon which led to the recovery of most of the earlier loss almost to the early highs and October even made a new high. On this bulge prices reached a level four to seven points above the previous close but near the close the market eased off again to within four to eight points ofthe lows of the morning. Final results showed net losses of 10 points on May and 11 points on October.

At the start Liverpool was better than due and sales in that market were reported as 10,000 bales which was the largest day's transactions in some time. The market here opened with brisk trading first sale showing gains of four to 13 points. Prices again eased off on realising helped by the weekly weather report claiming farm work was making progress in the west gulf section. At the lowest March traded at 24.24, May 24.53, and October 24.30 or 14 to 19 points below the previous close.

The market rallied in the early afternoon on a good spot inquiry and reports of a better trade in the cotton goods markets, it being reported a big motor magnate had bought five million yards of cloth. This rally carried March up to 24.25, May to 24.74 and October 24.53 or 19 to 23 points above the lows but not quite up to the opening highs except in the case of October which made a new high. A fresh reaction occurred in the late trading on realising and the close showed net losses for the day of 9 to 11 points.

A feature of the day was the large spot sales in southern markets the total reaching 36,349 bales, the largest sales in a couple of months. Exports for the day totalled 14,507 bales.

FOR SELECT FARMERS ONLY

Texas Farm Bureau May Restrict Its Membership Henceforth.

DALLAS, Feb. 4. — Restriction of future membership in the Texas Farm Bureau Association to a so-called "select" list of farmers and requirement of all new members to sign a five year contract to deliver the entire cotton crop to the association, were two new rules embodied in the new policy of the association, as announced here by J. W. L. Hall, director of field service, for the cotton association.

Farmers Warned Of Grasshopper Yield

A warning to farmers that the cold weather gripping north Texas the past few months has probably had but little effect on eggs deposited last summer by hordes of grasshoppers and that accordingly it cannot be accepted as fact that no recurrance of the hopper invasion will be suffered here again has been sounded in a letter from department of entomology of A. & M. college, a copy of which has been received here. The information it contains completely bears out predicitions made several weeks ago by County Agriculturhal Agent Guy R. Jones, who declared that low temperature alone would not injure the eggs.

Farmers are charged to be prepared for another campaign with poison mash in case the pests appear again and threaten crops. There is a possibility, of course, that factors other than the weather may contribute to destruction of the eggs and consequent relief from the hopper swarms. It is urged, however, that no false assurance be felt by reason of the fact that a severe winter has been experienced here.

Snow Storm A Blessing.

January's snow storms were undisguised blessings for Wichita county farmers who, faced with possibly a total loss of the winter wheat crop, have now found that the moisture produced by the 10-inch falls of January 17 and 18 has revived much of the grain feared lost because of lack of moisture and the severe cold waves. Many farmers have reported the past few days that wheat is sprouting rapidly and gives promise of at least fair yield.

WEALTHY MAN A SUICIDE.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 4.—Maurice L. Engass, wealthy real estate operator, was found dead in Swope park this afternoon with a bullet through his heart. A note on the body indicated he had committed suicide.

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Town Talk

JOHN YOUNG and George Hodgins ought to patent their traffic lights on the basis of obesity cures.

With all due respect to the energy of Wichitans in general and the more corpulent contingent in particular, it is a well known fact that most of them prefer to step on the starter and ride rather than strike out and walk, even if their destination be but for a few blocks.

Many of them now, however, prefer the ankle route rather than the circuitous drives imposed by the left hand turn prohibition, the brief waits at the corners and the difficulty of finding a parking space.

As a means of reducing, the medics say, ample walking is without a peer; and with all due respect to the city's excellent traffic control system, walking, when only a matter of a block or two, is to be preferred to the angling around of an automobile that must get outside the traffic zone before it can turn to the left.

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R. V. GWINN and O. L. Gibbs can rest easy on this, because it isn't on them. A justice of the peace not far away, however, is involved.

It seems that a man was arrested on a county highway a few days ago and charged with speeding. He refused to plead guilty and demanded a jury trial, which, under the law, may be had if the defendant so insists.

The case came up, all evidence was introduced and arguments of counsel made. The jury, after hearing the charge, filed out, deliberated a few minutes and came in with the following verdict: "We the jury find the defendant guilty as charged and assess his punishment at nothing."

"That is all, gentlemen, you are excused," hizzonor told them—and by the time the state's prosecutor, who had left the court room for a few minutes returned and recovered from the shock the jurors had disappeared.

The Day In Austin

The Galveston aid bill passed the house when the speaker held that a two-thirds majority was not necessary.

The senate adopted a concurrent resolution demanding the repeal of the Esch-Cummings and transportation acts.

The senate engrossed the Pollard bill making issuance of a worthless check a felony, but giving thirty days for restitution.

The house defeated the senate bill making erroneous statements to obtain credit a felony.

The major part of the house afternoon session was devoted to discussion of the Dale and Donnell bill reducing tax rate on automobiles and trucks.

Attorney General Dan Moody again held that he would pass upon any definite plan submitted by the Ferguson impeachment bar removal committee.

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In justice to yourself, come in and see these experts. Remember, they will be here only two days, then your opportunity will be gone. Grasp it NOW. It may prove to be the wisest thing you ever did, and anyway, it costs you nothing to find out.

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The dates are Friday and Saturday, Feb. 6 and 7.

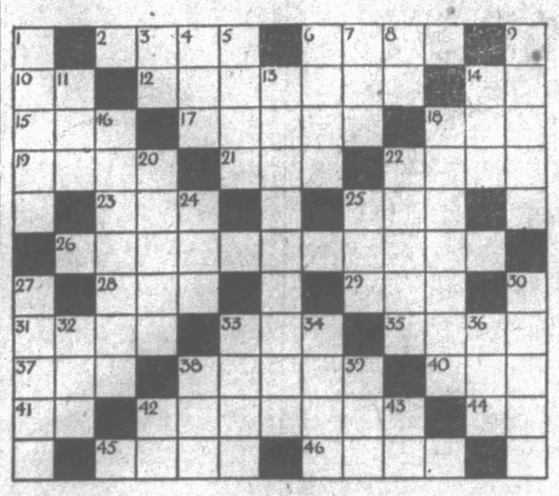
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—Adv.

CROSS WORD FUNNIES

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Horizontal

2—State "where the tall corn grows"
6—Raised platform
10—Where you were looking when you stumbled
12—The embankment surrounding a fort
14—Most misused word in a maid's vocabulary
15—What little Jimmie said after taking a dose of castor oil
17—The watery portion of the blood
18—What a blind person would like to do
19—What the newlywed did when he got home at three a. m.
21—Nebraska (abbr.)
22—What Lady MacBeth tried to get out
23—What landlords do to you
25—Association for Protection of Autoists (Init)
26—Popular and highly respected criminals
27—One of Satan's aids
29—If you are one you can always find an oasis in the driest of towns
31—What a commuter does on the way to the station
32—A grape. (This is a mean one)
35—Cymric god of the sun
37—Minister's total o' one and one
38—The way you felt the morning after. (And where your money was)
40—To do this is human
41—Adverb. (In the same degree)
42—They fall and never make a sound
44—Grand Secretary (abbr.)
45—Kiddies' delight (pl.)
46—Something that falls due

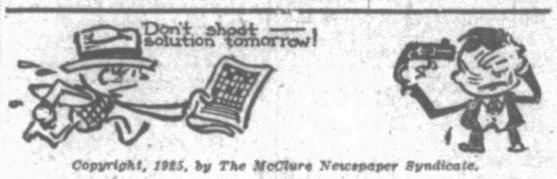
Vertical

1—Worthless money in Iceland
3—This makes "ten" musical
4—A sad verb
5—The last word in sermons
6—Smear
7—A factor in the game of love
8—Pronoun
9—Mental beauty dispensers
11—Protective Association of Idiots (Init)
13—What you will be if you don't quit drinking hooch
14—Prefix meaning new
16—Girl who marries a man for love nowadays
18—All that do this are not diamonds
20—A day of terror
22—What most stenographers are unable to do
24—Three consonants. (That's a big help)
25—Woman's pet secret
27—What the professor did when he thoughtlessly sat on a cactus
30—You can't make one out of sow's ear. (At least not a silk one)
32—Three-fourths of the wife of Jupiter
33—Poisonous, milky juice, used as an arrow poison
34—In a little while
36—Unit of energy
38—Type of maiden not commonly found in America
39—Something that comes before three in the morning
42—Therefore
43—Pedestrians' danger zone. (abbr.)

The solution will appear tomorrow.

Solution of yesterday's puzzle.

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She Uses Phone To Keep Kiddies In Sunday School

"THE Sunday school teacher must be a frequent visitor in the homes of her class if she is to make a success of Bible school work," Mrs. W. H. Davis stated when questioned as to the method of securing home co-operation in the primary department of the First Baptist church of which she is superintendent. Mrs. Davis spoke on "Home Co-operation in the Bible School" at a recent Baptist worker's council.

"Many members make the mistake child, and this is sewing seed on stony ground. A teacher must know the child, know him intimately, know his mother and his home life, if she would teach him in order that he will learn.

"The sympathy and help of the mother can only be secured by personal visits into the home. The personal touch is what counts.

"I insist in my department on a careful check on all absentees, and visiting is the best way of finding out about them. I tell my teachers there is no use bring the children in the front door when the back door is open.

"Telephoning on the very Sunday they are absent between the hours of 12 and 1 helps greatly—and a word with the daddies often gets the kiddie to school next Sunday morning as much as a talk with the mother.

"Parents who otherwise would be careless about keeping their children in Sunday school will respond to the personal visit plan," Mrs. Davis concluded.

Up until a few months ago unless a girl was 12 years old she couldn't belong to the Camp Fire organization, much to the regret of most little girls. Little sisters of Camp Fire Girls wanted to belong so badly. They wished that they would hurry up and be 12 years old then they felt as if their dreams would be realized, and who should come to their rescue before they were of that age but Mrs. M. E. Ratican.

She felt so sorry for the poor little girls that wanted so badly to be a Camp Fire Girl that she organized the Blue Bird organization. This was about three months ago and now there are several groups over the city.

The little girls are so enthused they don't know what to do. They work hard and they like their work so much that big things are going to be accomplished by them. Mrs. Ratican is preparing the little girls to be ready for the Camp Fire. She is teaching them according to their age and ideas. They are learning to cook, swim, walk, run and just most anything that most girls do not learn until they are grown and—for their willingness Mrs. Ratican is going to do something nice for them. This nice thing will be in the form of a Valentine party for the nest of birds, at the Catholic church hall, on the afternoon of February 14.

Those in the nest are Little Misses Mary Genieve Ossenbeck, Florence Cook, Eleanor Case, Helen Long, Mary Ellen Logan, Minnie Mantucket, Estelle Gainer, Frances Buff, Mary Pastueck, Barbara Reese, Berniece Litican, Mary Markey, Catherine Vale, Rose Mary Cates, Bezie Logan, Gene Walsh, Margaret Davis, Catherine Bonneau, Pauline Chubin, Marjorie Nichols, Lavetta Nichols, Alma Chubin, Marjorie Ossenbeck, Mary Willenburg and Margaret Cook.

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The daily vacation Bible school, rather an innovation in local church circles, may be established in several denominations in Wichita Falls at the close of the public school terms this spring if plans of various church officials carry.

Le Roy Moore, director of religious education for the First Baptist church, laid the plan before the workers' council of that church Friday evening, and a report from the committee to which the matter has been referred will be a feature of the coming meeting of the council, Friday, February 6.

To Study School.

Raybon Porter, director of religious education for the First Methodist church, south, leaves soon for Chicago to attend the international convention of the Religious Educational Directors' association, where he will make a special study of the daily vacation Bible school with a view to installing the system in the First M. E. church this spring.

Other churches of the city have discussed the matter, but none have as yet taken definite action.

The plan of the daily vacation Bible school provides for classes between the approximate hours of 8:30 to 11:30 every morning of the week for six or eight weeks during the vacation months. Students are composed mostly of children between the ages of 5 and 14 years, though in some cities, adolescent and adult classes are meeting with great success.

Like a School.

The schedule runs very much like a day school and subjects depend on the age of the child. For the tiny ones there are Bible stories, music, games, hand craft, basketry, paper work and drawing. Older pupils study Bible work, music and Sunday school organization work. The field of religious training is practically endless, and the few hours in the cool of the morning which otherwise would only add to a long, idle day are in this way utilized profitably, especially in the case of the small children whose mothers are more than grateful for the plan.

From a business standpoint, the church building and equipment is utilized during the idle mornings, thus paying greater dividends on a great investment.

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The Fowler Bible Class Jr., was entertained by Mrs. W. A. Ehlert at the home of Mrs. H. F. Ehlert on Marshall street, Tuesday afternoon. The house was beautifully decorated in Valentine motifs. After the business meeting Mrs. S. G. Henry led the lesson on "How Can I Know the Best Bible Stories to Tell My Child." A paper on "Hero Tales" was read by Mrs. McGregor and one on "Simple Goodnight Talks," in original verse was given by Mrs. Henry. After the lesson Mrs. Wilcox gave a splendid talk on child psychology followed by a round table discussion.

Papers and clothpins were passed around and lovely little dolls were made. A delicious two course luncheon carried out in honor of St. Valentine was served and then little Zona Marie, daughter of Mrs. H. F. Ehlert, gave a very beautiful solo dance. Those present were: Mesdames Strief, Cobb, Hoyt, Dawson, Hill, Bradstreet, Kimberlin, Hoper, McCutcheon, Horning, Henry Reid, Moren, Fagan, Crowl, Naylor, Carrigan, Wilcox, Newmon, Kairby, McGregor, W. A. Ehlert and H. F. Ehlert.

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Mrs. Fred Allen was the honoree Wednesday afternoon of a lovely shower given by Mesdames O. R. Jefferies and J. M. Allen at the Allen home on Lamar.

A social hour wass pent, after which little Miss Virginia Allen and Sonny Jefferies brought in a large basket filled with lovely presents for Mrs. Allen.

Refreshments of fruit salad, angel food cake and coffee were served to Mesdames E. M. Ash, A. E. Kenny, W. R. Diggs, W. E. Lindley, J. M. Martin, T. M. McDaniel, Milton, J. W. Lyle, E. H. Allen, P. C. Watkins, R. Starkman, J. M. Allen, O. R. Jefferies and Misses Susie Snow, Irene Diggs and Henrietta Allen.

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Members of the Congenial Bridge club were entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Clyde Heath at her home on Taylor. Everything was effectively carried out in the valentine motif. In the games Mrs. John L. Swanner won high and received a silver tray. Mrs. Lane Rosebery held next to high and received a bud vase.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames T. O. Shappell, J. G. Quinn, Claude Red, Lane Rosebery, J. L. Swanner, R. O. Sanford, A. A. Spencer, Paul Pearson, L. E. Junelle, J. E. Shipley, W. A. Newell, Clyde Heath and Miss Ryan.

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The Wichita Falls business and professional women have reported that they will have, sometime during the month of February, a benefit costume ball. Miss Kathleen Coffield and Mesdames Mildred Packer and W. E. Millican are working on the plans and something more definite will be announced later.

Personals

Mrs. A. C. Dulaney is visiting her mother in Abilene for a week.

Mrs. S. T. Hobson is reported to be quite ill at her home, 1311 Monroe.

Mrs. A. W. Spaulding of Paris, Tennessee, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. R. Diggs.

Mrs. Leonard Grayson is in Oklahoma City at the bedside of her brother, Lloyd Van Vacter who has been quite ill. Mrs. Grayson expects to return home the latter part of the week if her brother continues to improve.

Mrs. T. A. Fagan of Los Angeles, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Stanley McGregor, and mother, Mrs. F. L. Crowl.

There will be a musical given Friday evening at the Carrigan school at 8 o'clock for the benefit of the school. The price will be 15 and 25 cents. The public is cordially invited.

Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water relieves sore eyes fromdust and gnats. Red folding box. All druggists.—Adv.

The Day In Washington

A new postal pay and rate increase bill was reported to the house.

Additional government agents appeared before the federal grand jury in the Wheeler case.

Investigation of the wheat, flour and bread industry was asked by Senator Cameron of Arizona.

A delegation of women urged the equal rights constitutional amendment before a house committee.

The naval bill, containing a request for a disarmament conference, was sent to the White House.

Senator Johnson of California told the senate that for 2 1-4 per cent of "speculative reparations" America had risked the good will of Europe.

Republican senate leaders assured President Coolidge that earnest effort would be made to press legislation recommended by the agricultural commission.

The senate voted after a wrangle to consider in open executive session tomorrow the nomination of Attorney General Stone to be a supreme court justice.

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The Old Home Town

Non-jury civil cases have been set for trial before Judge C. M. McFarland of the county court at law during the week of Feebruary 16.

Mayor Frank Collier left Wednesday afternoon for Austin where he will represent Wichita Falls' interests Thursday evening in a senate committee hearing on the Parnell public utilities bill. The city council Monday night was unanimously agreed that the city should be represented at the hearing and Mayor Collier was asked to go.

Marriage licenses issued Wednesday by the county clerk were as follows: Fred Roling, Wichita Falls, and Miss Susie Burke, Wichita Falls; A. A. Peters, Wichita Falls, and Miss Henrietta Allen, Wichita Falls.

A Ford touring car suffered a badly bent rear fender and a truck of the same brand was somewhat battered around the radiator early Wednesday afternoon when a head-end-read-end collision took place on Eighth street at the side of the First National bank building. The touring car was standing still when the truck plowed into it from the rear.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Tellman left Wednesday on an extended trip to northern and eastern points. They expect to be gone about three weeks.

Seven cases comprised the Wednesday morning grist for the city police court mill. Four of them were on disturbing the peace allegations and the others on traffic violation charges.

Frank M. Morgan of Atlanta, Ia., has recently joined the sales force of the Keim Motor company. Mr. Morgan is an experienced automobile salesman.

PRISON PROBE DELAYED

Protracted Discussion Over Subpoenaing Witnesses Is Heard.

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—(AP)—After a protracted discussion as to the proper procedure to follow in subpoenaing witnesses, the prison investigation authorized by the legislature was postponed until tomorrow pending the arrival of former Commissioner H. L. McKnight. One witness was examined, E. T. Brooks of Abilene, who defended James Cade of Kent county in a trial in which Cade was sentenced to five years on a verdict of manslaughter.



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DYNAMITE KILLS FOUR.

FRESNO, Calif. Feb. 4.—Four men were killed and another badly injured by a premature explosion of dynamite at Camp Sixty-Three of the Southern California Edison company, in the Sierras 100 miles from this city today.

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