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Wirtz's Political Party Measure Passes In Senate Land Office Fund Shortage Of \$32,797.29 Reported

Auditor's Report In Investigation Is Given Tuesday

Fees Assessment For Revaluation Of Public Lands Shows Shortage, Whitwell Declares In Hearing

Robison To Testify

Slack Records Of Office Pointed Out In Report To Investigation Group; Funds Unaccounted For

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—(P)—Of the \$72,863.43 collected by assessment of one cent an acre to pay expenses of revaluing public lands under the 1925-26 reapportionment act, \$32,797.29 is unaccounted for, according to an audit report introduced in evidence before the land office investigating committee today. The report was submitted by C. D. Whitwell of Dallas representing Ernst and Ernst, auditors.

The special account in a local bank devoted to the revaluation fund showed deposits of \$60,393.67, leaving \$12,471.78 of the money unaccounted for, and cancelled checks representing \$30,325.51 of the fund are missing, "there being no records to support the expenditures of this amount," the report said.

There is the sum of \$23,783.70 in refund checks endorsed by payees and returned to the land commissioner, the report said.

"Taking into consideration the checks endorsed by the payee amounting to \$6,783.30, which were returned to the commissioner and other checks known to be outstanding at the time of the audit, the auditor reported that the amount of \$2,000.00 was not accounted for.

"Since we cannot verify the excess of reapportionment paid out of this fund, we must accept the commissioner's figure of three million per acre being due purchases as refund. The only available record of the refund is a list furnished us by the commissioner, from which we obtained the refund data shown on our exhibit. In this connection we examined all available cancelled refund checks and check stubs in

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Wife's Infidelity Blamed For Crime

Amarillo Cafe Man Declares Another Man's Entrance Into Wife's Affections Drives Him To Kill

AMARILLO, Feb. 26.—(P)—Realization that for nine years another man had shared his wife's affections drove H. Troy Horton, to shoot Mrs. Mary Horton, to death at Coleman, Texas, in 1920. He declared the two had secret meetings at intervals from then until the time of her death.

Mrs. E. H. Gilles, mother of Mrs. Horton, said her daughter was shot four times after the two women had called at Horton's lunch stand and asked him for \$5 toward the support of Mrs. Horton's youngest child.

Old Warrior Is Fighting To End

PARIS, Feb. 26.—(P)—Marshal Ferdinand Foch tonight was said to be slowly sinking from an illness with lung, heart and kidney complications. The old warrior, who on a desperate day in 1918, declared "My right is crushed, my left is in retreat, I am attacking with my center," is at last apparently on the defense on all fronts with little hope of another victory.

His five physicians will consult again tomorrow afternoon. Two of them regard the case as virtually hopeless. The three others, remembering the Marshal's favorite aphorism "A battle is a battle which one loses before it is lost," said the odds of the game old fighter might carry the battle along for some time.

Coolidge Plans Rapid Fade-Out

WASHINGTON, February 26.—(P)—President Coolidge is preparing to withdraw from the inauguration day celebration as quickly as possible after his successor has been inducted into office. With Mrs. Coolidge, he plans to go directly from the inauguration ceremonies to the Union station and board a through train for Northampton, Mass., their old home.

To the members of his cabinet he will say farewell on Saturday night when they, with their wives, will be dinner guests at the White House. Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge will entertain President-elect Hoover, Mrs. Hoover, Vice-President-elect Curtis, and his sister, Mrs. Edward H. Gann, at dinner on Sunday evening.

The president is adhering rigidly to his announced intention of refraining from entering into any agreement with regard to his future activities while he is still the chief executive. He let it be known today that there have been no developments in this connection.

Mullican To Give Decision On Title For Building Site

Friendly Injunction Suit Is Placed In 99th Court Yesterday; Decision Is To Be Delayed

The question of whether or not Lubbock county may or may not give free title to the southeast corner of the courthouse square, as a site for Lubbock's new postoffice and federal building, rests upon the decision of Judge Clark M. Mullican, of the ninety-ninth district court.

The friendly injunction suit, brought by J. A. Hodges et al against the county of Lubbock, filed several weeks ago in the court, came to trial Tuesday before Judge Mullican. Following the hearing of testimony from a number of witnesses for both sides to the suit, the judge awaited giving a decision until he has had time to review the briefs in the case and to look up points of law involved.

Refusal Occasion Suit. Occasion for the suit came up when the government refused to accept the site, which was offered last fall by the county commissioners' court as a postoffice site, because a fee simple title could not then be given.

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Two-Month Search For Lad Is Ended

ROSWELL, N. M., Feb. 26.—(P)—Safe and happy, his face wreathed in smiles and his clothes in tatters 11 year old Richard Grant today coasted on his roller skates into the arms of police who for two months have sought him by air and by foot over the wide expanses of southwestern desert country.

The lad's alleged abductor, Harmon, one of another of Chicago's gang faction's were sought tonight for questioning in connection with the slaying 10 days ago of seven members of the Moran gang in a north side garage.

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Missouri-Pacific Asks To Lease Subsidiaries

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 26.—(P)—Application to lease the 22 subsidiaries of the Missouri Pacific to a single operating company has been filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission, L. W. Baldwin, president, announced today. He says it is one of the concluding moves in the Missouri Pacific plan to round out that railroad system under the provisions of the transportation act.

EAKER TESTS PLANE Pilot To Leave Today For Brownsville Flight

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 25.—(P)—Captain Ira Eaker, chief pilot of the Question Mark's 150 hour endurance flight, today accepted and tested the new Boeing army pursuit plane in which he will attempt a dawn to dusk good will flight from Brownsville, Texas, to Colon, Panama.

Death Claims J.B. Green, Pioneer Of City, Last Night

"Uncle Johnnie" Green Dies At 9:20; Had Lived In Lubbock For 39 Years; Aided City Organization

Funeral Thursday

Many Relatives Survive Aged Resident; Rev. Sanders To Preach Funeral Vices At Church Of Christ

J. B. "UNCLE JOHNNIE" GREEN, 83, Confederate veteran, and one of the city's oldest residents, died at 9:20 o'clock last night, at his home, 1406 Avenue M. He had been in ill health for several months but was only seriously ill for about three weeks.

Surviving him besides his widow are: two sons, E. B. and J. O. Green; a daughter, Mrs. I. L. Hunt; a brother, W. N. Green; several half-sisters and a stepmother; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren, all of this city and a half-brother, George Green, who lives on the Spade ranch. A host of other relatives in Lubbock and surrounding towns also survive.

Lived Here 39 Years. With the death of "Uncle Johnnie" another of the figures in early history of Lubbock passes on. He had lived in the city for 39 years, moving here from Parker county in November, 1890. He was in charge of the first hotel in the city, known then as the Nicolett Hotel, but later changed to the Broadway Hotel which is still a landmark. He later was in the grocery business here.

Mr. Green's life in the formation of Lubbock county and ably took part in the activities of the community in its early stages. He was a charter member of the Church of Christ here. He was widely known throughout the Plains section.

Funeral services are to be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Broadway Church of Christ. Rev. L. H. Sanders, pastor of the church, will officiate. Burial will follow in the Lubbock cemetery. The body is lying in state at the Rix Furniture and Undertaking company chapel.

BB Shot Kills Oklahoma Lad

PONCA CITY, Okla., Feb. 26.—(P)—Julius Mansfield, 11 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Mansfield, of Ponca City, was fatally shot by Kenneth Stagli, 10, his playmate today.

The boys were playing with a blank pistol, Kenneth, told Joe Cooper, sheriff, and decided to see what a "BB" shot, slipped into the barrel, would do.

The shot hit Julius just back of the ear, entering the brain.

SEVENTEEN SOUGHT Chicago Gangsters Wanted For Questioning

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History Repeats Itself As Pioneers Of West Texas Gather At Post City

Rotarians Are Hosts At Fourth Annual Banquet Program

BY JACK HAWKINS
Avalanche-Journal Staff

POST CITY, Feb. 26.—(Special)—Memories of long ago—reaching back to the days of Indian wars and the open range which followed—were recalled here tonight when the Post City Rotary club was host to the Fourth Annual Old Timers' convention. Approximately 125 persons attended the function which was in the form of a banquet and informal program in the Double-U ranch headquarters.

Casting away the cloak of time, pioneers who laid the foundation of civilization in West Texas were feted and responded to demands for oratory, song and dance in the same spirit which they displayed in the years gone by when they were called to trace the silver thread of progress across what is now the greatest undeveloped agricultural empire in the nation.

Great Section Represented. From Sweetwater on the east, Spur to the northeast, Kress to the north and Pecos to the west, the pioneers gathered to lend a hand in fitting reminiscences. Dr. B. C. Williams, president of the local Rotary club, started the evening off following a sumptuous repast and Ollie Weasley, banker, took charge of the program proper.

A one hundred percent "old timers" orchestra, featuring Tom McDonald at the washboard, gave selections varying from tunes of an ancient vintage to a more modern classification. All of the old favorites were heard, and the pep emanating from the old timers' corner soon climaxed with an old-fashioned square dance.

Many In Dance. Participating in the dance were O. B. Kelly, George Bradley, John Mason, George Boles of Lubbock, Mrs. Jim Powers, Mrs. O. B. Kelly, Mrs. B. C. Williams and Mrs. B. F. Pharr. Mr. Boles, renowned throughout the Plains country for his efficiency in the "caller" role, officiated in this phase of the dance. Following the square dance, a free-for-all jog was decreed. There

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Sooners To Allow Gas Exportation

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Feb. 26.—(P)—A bill which would end 21 years of restriction on the exportation of natural gas from Oklahoma tonight was ready for action of W. J. Holloway, acting governor, having been passed by both houses of the state legislature.

A similar measure was vetoed in 1927 by Governor Henry S. Johnston, now under suspension pending the disposition of impeachment charges against him. The acting governor said tonight that he had not read the bill and did not know what action he would take.

STORM IS ABATED Thorne Formally Announces Daughter's Marriage

PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 26.—(P)—The parental storm which pursued George Gillespie, "atmosphere cowboy," and his heiress sweetheart, Katherine Thorne, on their elopement from Castle Hot Springs to Phoenix, abated in reconciliation here today. Formal announcement by Robert J. Thorne, former president of Montgomery Ward company, father of the bride, that the couple had been married, and would live in the "west" followed.

HOME RULE ELIGIBLE Texas Cities May Levy Tax For Advertising

CORPUS CHRISTI, Feb. 26.—(P)—Home rule cities in Texas may levy taxes for municipal advertising, according to a ruling by H. G. Chandler, assistant attorney general, announced here today by Ray Lee, manager of the South Texas Chamber of Commerce.

FIREMAN GIVEN LIFE E. E. West Convicted For Death Of Housekeeper

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Feb. 26.—(P)—E. E. West, 52, of Denison, Texas, a railroad fireman, was convicted of murder and sentenced to life imprisonment by a jury in district court here today. He was charged in connection with the killing of Mrs. Elvira Tyson, 40, his former housekeeper. Dec. 26, 1928, her throat was slashed.

Jack Sharkey said: "So far as I am concerned, it is going to be just another fight. Naturally I think I will win. I am fit and have been so for a month. I expect to win by a knockout and then—I want another chance at Dempsey."

Lindy's Actions Still Watched

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 26.—(P)—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh and Miss Anne S. Morrow, unexpectedly appeared here at 5 o'clock this evening. They went immediately to the embassy residence, where half an hour before it had been said that it was not known when they would come to the capital. They drove here in an automobile from Cuernavaca in about two hours.

Mrs. Morrow and Anne's sister Elizabeth returned with them. Colonel Lindbergh drove the automobile himself for part of the distance. It was said that they had decided on the spur of the moment to return to Mexico City.

The young couple had had two days of virtually undisturbed quiet at the Morrow country residence at Cuernavaca. They had strolled about the picturesque town, motored through its environs, and sat discussing their wedding plans in the garden patio of the Morrow home.

Floods Menacing Cities In Ohio; Lives Imperiled

Rains Swell Rivers And Streams Driving People From Homes; Highways Impassable

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 26.—Cold weather tonight was expected to check the rampages of rain swelled rivers and streams that flooded several sections of the state today, driving thousands from their homes and imperiling the lives of many and causing considerable damage everywhere.

Scores of persons were rescued from precarious places where the flood had driven them. No loss of life was reported, although the total damage was believed to be very great, no estimate was available tonight.

Water Pours Into Cities. The thawing streams, augmented by rain fall and melting snow over flowed their banks and sent their waters pouring into a dozen cities and towns, highways were flooded, clear across the southern section of the state.

Springfield was hardest hit. The waters of Buck creek and Mad river crippled almost all that city's industries, flooded the business section, paralyzed traction and railroads.

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Huge Refinery To Be Built On Gulf

SAN ANGELO, Feb. 26.—(P)—The San Angelo Morning Times tomorrow will say that purchase of a 400 acre site at Texas City, for a 30,000 barrel refinery, to be supplied by a new pipe line from Yates field in Pecos county, is being consummated by the Transcontinental Oil Co. of Tulsa and the United Producers Pipeline Co.

The newspaper will say that H. D. McCracken of Fort Worth, vice president of United Producers, which is transcontinental's transportation branch, confirmed the story by long distance telephone and said that the program will cost about \$15,000,000.

VACUUM MAY BUY TP Acquisition Of Oil Company Is Rumored In Gotham

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—(P)—Wall Street heard today that the Vacuum Oil Company, which recently entered retail marketing of gasoline is negotiating for acquisition of the Texas Pacific Coal and Oil company. The latter has oil production in West Texas and Montana and a refinery at Fort Worth.

OIL WORKER KILLED I. S. Reddick Dies In Car Crash In Pampa

PAMPA, Feb. 26.—(P)—I. S. Reddick, oil company employee, was killed, and his wife was critically injured when they were struck by an automobile here last night. The driver of the car told police he was blinded by the lights of another machine.

LULING, Feb. 26.—(P)—J. D. Freeman, 73, was charged with murder here today in the fatal shooting of O. G. Talley, 35, of San Antonio last night. A quarrel was said to have preceded the shooting.

Passage Of Bill Increases Power Of Party Leaders

Executive Committee Given Right To Proscribe Its Voters And Candidates In Texas Elections

Opposition Bitter

Opponents Declare Move Is Made To Bar Bolting Democrats In 1930 Election; Love Wages Fight

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—The senate late today finally passed the Wirtz bill increasing powers of party executive committees in proscribing voters and candidates. The bill was said by its opponents to be a move to exclude from the 1930 primary all persons who failed to support the democratic presidential nominee in the November 6 general election.

The bill was passed by a vote of 16 to 8, after it had been engrossed, 17 to 8, and the rules suspended, to place it on final passage, 20 to 5.

Vote On Final Passage. The vote on final passage was as follows: For: Beck, Berkeley, Cunningham, Deberry, Gainer, Holbrook, Hornsby, Martin, Miller, Patton, Russek, Stevenson, Thomason, Williamson, Wirtz, and Whit; against: Greer, Hyer, Love, McFarlane, Pollard, Westbrook, Woodul and Woodward.

Senators Parr and Small for, were paired with Cousins and Parrish against. Moore, who voted for engrossment, was out of the chamber when the final roll call was taken.

The bill was passed without amendment. Amendments offered by Senator Julian P. Greer of Athens, Senator Walter Woodul of Houston and Senator Walter C. Woodward of Coleman were voted down in succession although the vote against the Woodward and Woodward changes was not as top-heavy as that for the bill.

Barred Bolters. The Woodul and Greer amendments would have precluded what was termed a retroactive action against those who followed Hoover while the Woodward amendment

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McCloskey Trial Argument Today

Congressman-Elect Denies Charges And Testifies To Strengthen Alibi; Case Goes To Jury Thursday

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—While his aged father and grown son hung upon his words, Congressman-elect Augustus J. McCloskey of San Antonio today denied every state allegation of wrongdoing as the final defense gesture in his trial on a charge that he stole the November 6 election from Congressman Harry M. Wurzbach.

The state presented only a brief rebuttal and tonight the lawyers wrangled over the instructions Judge J. D. Moore should present to the jury tomorrow morning. Thereafter, it was indicated, there would be eight hours of jury pleas, with each side assigned four hours.

The Weather

IF YOUR ARGUMENTS ARE WITH YOURSELF, YOU'RE BOUND TO WIN, AND SO IS EVERYBODY ELSE.



WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy, colder in southeast portion Wednesday; Thursday, generally fair. Local temperatures: maximum, 50; minimum, 24.

PRAYER MEETING TONIGHT

Legislature Goes Into Closing Two Weeks With One Outstanding Law Passed; Talk Of 1930 Race Starts

Marriage License Publicity Bill Passed; Miller, Bobbitt, Sterling, Satterwhite And Love Mentioned

By GORDON K. SHEARER
United Press Staff Correspondent
AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—The 41st legislature went into the closing two weeks of its regular session with only one outstanding law in effect—the marriage license publicity act.

Aimed at runaway and whiskey marriages, that bill requires three days notice before a marriage license can be issued. It requires beside that the man shall present a hygienic certificate of freedom from specified diseases.

It becomes effective in June. The exact day will depend on when the session ends. It will be 90 days after adjournment.

The question of adjournment and special session dates is causing much speculation. To an inquirer who suggested to the Governor he would like to know when the special session would be called, the Governor replied: "I would like to know, too."

A merry fight through the closing days of the regular session is in prospect. The home stretch was entered with the House behind a plan to centralize the prisons on land already owned and the Senate behind a plan to relocate.

That they could be brought together seemed doubtful. House and Senate were apart also on handling of University of Texas oil and gas lands. The Senate was on record for turning them over to the University regents and the House voted to turn them over to the Land Commissioner and two regents "not interested in oil."

The Senate had engrossed the resolution calling for submission of a road bond issue but the House had refused, up to this week, to act upon it.

Both had agreed to submit the proposal to have a Supreme Court of nine members and a salary for the Governor. But they are apart on the Governor's salary details. The House suggested \$10,000 and the Senate \$12,000. An agreement on the amount will result only a little trading. They are far apart, however, on when the amendment should be voted upon.

House members led by Rep. I. C. Petch, of Fredericksburg, want it submitted along with the Supreme Court amendment. The Senate resolution submits it to a vote on the same day as the 1930 July primary. Petch says that to submit it during the heat of a political campaign will be hurtful.

Eyes already are turning toward that campaign. Barry Miller, of Dallas, was informally announced for governor when the Senate lauded him last Saturday and members volunteered to support him. Tom Love, also a Dallas resident, has announced that the present session's election legislation apparently is a mandate for him to run.

The heads of two former speakers of the House of Representatives are also sticking above the horizon of those who are looking for candidates. Both bear the name of the South's revered leader. One is Robert Lee Bobbitt, of Laredo, and the other Lee Satterwhite, of Odessa.

Whether the boom for R. S. Sterling, of Houston, will be revived seems to depend largely on whether the pulmotor is successful in reviving the state road bond issue which Sterling advocated.

Mr. Sterling's testimony and the complete exoneration of the highway department in the legislative investigating committee probe greatly strengthened his position and revealed inefficiency in the department rather than inefficiency.

Rep. Elwin Geron, of Waxahatche, presenter of the charges, frankly stated so. Geron's frank statement that he considered the charges with-

out good foundation and his cheerful congratulation to the highway department made numerous friends for the "baby member" of the house.

TEXAS TOPICS

By Margaret Turner

PIN DESIGNS ARE UNACCEPTED

Pin designs submitted to the Engineering faculty for a probable choice were unacceptable and the field is still open for other drawings. Ten pin sketches were sent in, but none met with the approval of the judges. The design must embrace the characteristics of the school as well as being symmetrical. If a pin is finally accepted it will probably be standardized.

DECIDE ON CLASS GIFT

Tentative plans were made at a recent Senior class meeting for the farewell gift to the college to consist in a large oil painting of Dr. Paul W. Horn. Final arrangements have not been made as yet but it is thought that the artist will be Peter Plotkin, who has just finished a portrait of Dr. Standefer of Abilene. A finance committee is to be appointed by the class president, Scott Pikes and more definite arrangements will be announced soon.

ENGINEERS TO HOLD BANQUET

The third annual Engineering banquet is to be held at Our Cafeteria on Thursday evening. Several students are to make speeches and an attempt is being made to secure an out of town speaker. Prof. E. W. Camp is to preside, and music is to be furnished by Frank Stone's orchestra.

FISH VOTING CONTINUES TODAY

The voting for freshman queen is to continue throughout the day. A chalk circle drawn in front of the bulletin boards in the rotunda of the administration building marks off the polls. A large inverted bucket is used to hold the votes which are zealously guarded by Jimmie White-side and his assistants. The winner will be crowned at the dance to be given the evening of March 8th.

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East Texas Tomato Crop To Be Lower

Terrell Declares A 25 Per Cent Reduction Will Be Experienced This Season; Valley Increases

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—Reports from Jacksonville and Tyler, center of the industry, indicate a reduction of 25 per cent in the tomato acreage this season. George B. Terrell, commissioner of Agriculture, stated today.

"More than half of all early plants were killed by the freeze about two weeks ago," Terrell said. "Many growers have planted their seed beds again, but a good many will not plant over because of the lateness of the season."

The tomato acreage in the lower Rio Grande Valley has been slightly increased, but not enough to offset the reduction in East Texas, Terrell said.

ASK REFERENDUM

Modification Of Volstead Act Is Vote Topic

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 26. (AP)—The Wisconsin assembly today concurred to the joint resolution introduced by Senator Thomas M. Duncan, Milwaukee socialist, memorializing congress to provide for a nation-wide referendum on the question of modifying the Volstead act.

THOS. B. BELL
"For twelve years I suffered tortures with pains in my knees and hips. At times I couldn't walk without crutches."

"I also suffered with stomach trouble, constipation and biliousness. For months I lived almost entirely on soup and bread. I lost energy and my general condition became dreadfully rundown. I tried nearly every medicine I heard of, but nothing did me any real good. 'Now, I am like a different man. Every ache and pain is gone. I eat anything I want without a sign of trouble. The rheumatism has disappeared and my strength and energy have returned. A friend of mine who had seen me on the street a few months ago, saw me the other day. I was hustling along walking as good as anybody. He could hardly believe his own eyes and asked me 'What in the world have you done?' and I told him what Sargon had done for me."

"The Sargon Soft Mass Pills are the finest I ever used and they have entirely rid me of constipation. From now on my faith is pinned to the Sargon Treatment."

The above enthusiastic statement was made by Thos. B. Bell, well known retired farmer, residing at 415 West California St., Oklahoma City.

Sargon may be obtained in Lubbock at the City Drug Stores, and in Slaton at the City Drug, Adv.

DALLAS, Feb. 26. (AP)—National officials of the Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, gathered here today for their annual meeting to discuss matters concerning the order's 15 hospitals for crippled children.

HIS RHEUMATISM OVERCOME; GAINS SIXTEEN POUNDS

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Prisoner Hiding Pen Guards Can't Find Clayton

HUNTSVILLE, Feb. 26. (AP)—Jack Clayton is hiding somewhere in the Texas penitentiary. Warden E. F. Harrell said today. There's nothing irregular about his being within the walls—he was convicted at Greenville of robbery and given a life term—but officials are puzzled at their inability to find him since he failed to appear at "checking in" time Sunday evening.

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Two Boys Brought Back For Hearing

H. H. Nesbitt, Superintendent and Capt. Mayberry Arrive Here With Shireman and Anthony Boys

H. H. Nesbitt, superintendent of the state training school for boys, at Gatesville, and Capt. Mayberry, of that institution, arrived in Lubbock Tuesday morning with Floyd Shireman and Albert Anthony, Lubbock county youths, who are inmates of the school.

The two boys were brought here for the habeas corpus hearing to be held before Judge Clark M. Mullikin in the ninety-ninth district court this morning.

Several interesting points of law will more than likely be considered during the course of the hearing. Judge Mullikin believes, Benjamin Kueper and W. D. Benson, attorneys for the boys' parents, A. E. Shireman and Frank Anthony, contend that the county court that adjudged the two lads delinquent did not have jurisdiction in these matters. They contend that the Texas constitution provides for the district court having jurisdiction in juvenile matters.

Matters To Be Changed. Should this contention prove right, juvenile court matters in Texas would be changed considerably, as they are now tried in most counties by the county courts.

In the original petition for this habeas corpus hearing, the plaintiffs, who are Shireman and Anthony, further claim that the boys' parents were illegally deprived of custody of the boys. The proceedings name the superintendent of the state training school and County Judge Robert H. Bean as defendants.

Both boys were declared delinquents and sentenced to the training school on last December 3, the Shireman boy being tried under the name of Floyd Sherman.

SESSION LEGITIMATE

Judge Bean Declares Commissioners Acting Proper

"It is not against the law for the commissioners' court to hold sessions behind locked doors," declared County Judge Robert H. Bean Tuesday, when asked about the session held Monday by the court behind doors locked against intrusion of the public. "We held such a session Monday because we wanted it private. It will all be told in due time, if necessary. We were working for the county's best interests, doing some investigation that needed to be done."

The commissioners will meet again Friday morning, Judge Bean said, to continue work begun Monday.

UNDERWRITERS MEET

Dr. Horn Talks To Local Insurance Men

Members of the South Plains Underwriters' association met for their annual dinner and business meeting in a local cafeteria Monday night. It was learned last night, the principal speaker of the evening being Dr. Paul W. Horn, president of Texas Technological college.

Among those in attendance at the gathering were, Elmer Adams, A. M. Johnson, V. C. Evans, H. G. Stanley, Homer T. Crimm, J. H. Ritchie, Neil H. Wright, Charles Whitacre, W. L. Smith, R. H. Reeves, J. S. Hayes, W. F. Revell, W. J. Price, S. A. Henry, J. P. Middleton, R. E. Rye, Mrs. Olga Daniels and J. J. Smelser.

D. A. Davis, manager of the local Truist company, transacted business Tuesday in Dallas.

Dislikes Changes Norwegian Doesn't Like Texas Climate

HOUSTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—Captain A. Greve Jordan lives in Norway, but he prefers the cold Scandinavian winter to fickle Texas temperature.

Captain Jordan came to Houston recently on his steamer Matilda.

"I went uptown," he said. "It was hot—like summer. I went to the cotton exchange building. I stayed an hour. When I came out it was cold."

"Your port here is very good. Your people, I like them very much. But your weather—terrible."

The captain was relieved when the Matilda finally was loaded with 15,000 bales of cotton and departed for Lumberton on the icy shores of the arctic in Lapland.

"At least, I know what to expect there," he said.

Mrs. Mary Briggs Is Buried Tuesday

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Briggs, 26, who died in a local sanitarium Monday, were held from the First Methodist church at 3 p. m. Tuesday. Rev. R. T. Bredlove, of Tahoka, officiating. Burial was in the Lubbock cemetery, under direction of Bynum Brothers.

Mrs. Briggs was the wife of Joseph R. Briggs, teacher in the Woodrow school and is survived also by one daughter, Mary Jo, age two; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Knowles, of Stephenville; one brother, Guy M. Knowles, of Tulsa; and three sisters, Mrs. S. L. Wood, Abernathy; Mrs. M. M. Griggs, and Miss Anna Knowles, of Dallas. She had been a member of the Woodrow Methodist church.

MAY BUY EQUIPMENT

City Officials Pay Visit To Amarillo Tuesday

More equipment for the municipal swimming pool may be purchased soon, as the result of a business trip made to Amarillo yesterday by City Manager G. W. McCleary and Chief of Police John Lemond. The two officials went to Amarillo on other business, but intended while there to inspect some swimming paraphernalia needed for Lubbock's municipal pool.

DENVER FACES SUIT

Wichita Woman Asks \$50,000 Damages From Road

WICHITA FALLS, Feb. 26.—Because her husband was killed in a grade crossing accident near Henrietta on Oct. 5, 1928, Mrs. L. E. Riley has filed a suit for \$50,000 damages against the Fort Worth & Denver City railroad.

ONE PERMIT ISSUED

Four-room Residence Sends Building Up Notch

One small building permit was issued yesterday, to W. N. Johnson, 1314 Twenty-fifth street, for erection of a four-room frame residence, at a cost of \$2,000. Warren Johnson being named as contractor.

This \$2,000 permit brings the February total for Lubbock to \$472,912 and that of the year to \$734,640.

Huge Tri-Motored Plane In Lubbock

Officials Of Airways Company Surveying Transcontinental Route Are In City For Few Days

What is perhaps the largest airplane ever to have been seen in Lubbock, is the tri-motored, twelve-passenger Ford monoplane, which landed at the city's temporary landing field on the Plainview highway north of town just before noon Tuesday. The plane is owned by the Golden State Airways, and is to be here probably for the remainder of this week.

The plane is carrying a party of officials of the Airways company, who are making a survey of a proposed transcontinental airline from the Pacific coast to the Atlantic, seeking to locate suitable airports along the route. Lubbock's chances for one of the designated stops on the route is fairly good, the greatest obstacle in the way being the lack of a modern airport. This need will more than likely be met within a short while as it is understood the chamber of commerce airport committee has secured an option of a section of land suitable for such a port.

QUAIL RECEIVED

Amarillo Area Gets 500 Bob Whites In Shipment

AMARILLO, Feb. 26. (UP)—A shipment of 500 bob-white quail have been received here by Bob Ames, president of the Will H. Diggs league.

The quail came from "Snake" King's ranch in southern Texas, and will be released in natural covers in the Panhandle, to be protected by the law from hunters for the next two years.

This is the first shipment of game that the Diggs league has received here this year, but plans are being formed to stock the Panhandle with turkeys, pheasants and other game.

BERRY PICKING STARTS

"Tent City" Soon To Reopen Near Houston

HOUSTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—Harry K. Johnson's "tent city" soon will be reopened.

Johnson is one of Texas' largest strawberry growers. This year he will have about 1,500 acres to be picked at Highlands, near Houston. He estimates that it will require about 800 pickers to harvest the crop.

This year, at last, the pickers will be housed in tents on the farm.

ENGINEER MEET SCHEDULED

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 26. (UP)—Numerous experts on highway construction and other road building problems are scheduled to appear on the three day program of the fifth annual road course in highway engineering, to be held at the A. & M. College of Texas, March 27-29.

INDIANS TO ATTEND Oklahoma Redskins Plan Inaugural Trip

LAWTON, Okla., Feb. 26. (AP)—Several members of the Comanche and Kiowa tribes of Indians will accompany the special train from Lawton to Washington which will carry the Indian escorts for the inaugural ceremonies of Vice-President-Elect Curtis, it was announced here today.

The Indian agency at Anadarko has approved of the plan and has agreed to release funds to Indians financially able to make the trip. Indians from this section of Oklahoma have been especially invited to attend, because their costumes are more beautiful and picturesque than those of any other tribe in the state.

Wreck Is Narrow Escape For Driver

Although in the Lubbock sanitarium, suffering from several cuts about his face, H. L. Gentry, 35, miraculously escaped death here Monday, when the car he was in turned over after colliding with another car at the corner of Avenue E and Seventeenth street.

Gentry's car was almost completely demolished, from turning a flip, and another passenger with him was thrown through the top. The driver of the other car, a woman, was uninjured. Gentry was carried to the sanitarium in a Bynum Brothers ambulance and attending physicians yesterday reported that he would be up in about two weeks time.

Two Youths Are Given Jail Terms

Sentences of five months in the county jail and fines of \$1 and costs were given by County Judge Robert H. Bean Tuesday morning, when two Lubbock county youths, Price Gillitt and Willie Pierce, entered pleas of guilty to charges of stealing chickens.

The chicken thefts were alleged to have been done in the southwest part of the county. Gillitt and Pierce were arrested Sunday by the sheriff's department and formal complaints filed against them Monday.

Two other youths are in jail awaiting trial for chicken theft and several others are under suspicion for complicity in a series of raids said to have been made on poultry flocks in Lubbock, Hale and Crosby counties.

Slaton Minister Changes To Spur

(Special to the Avalanche)

SLATON, Feb. 26.—The Rev. F. J. Berry, pastor of the Church of Christ here for the past eighteen months, has resigned and has accepted the pastorate of the Church of Christ at Spur. He has already taken up his new duties there, and will move his family to Spur within a short time.

Hogg House Bill On Senate Floor

Senate Committee Votes To Pass Burden Of Voting On Oil Pipe Lines Onto Entire Group

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—The senate committee on mining, irrigation and drainage today voted to make the entire body shoulder the burden of passing on the merits of the Hogg house bill preventing the building of oil pipe lines into the Gulf of Mexico.

Although a favorable report was voted, several senators asserted they were not committing themselves when the bill reached the floor. Amendments were pushed aside until the floor fight started.

Rep. Mike Hogg of Houston defended the measure as one which would preclude the possibility of the Gulf ports losing millions of dollars.

Mayor W. A. Scrivener of Aransas Pass said he opposed the bill unless a clause was inserted permitting the building of lines for loading oil tankers at sea during emergency periods.

Sen. J. W. Stevenson of Victoria is the leader of the senate group opposing the Hogg bill.

QUARANTINE PASSES

States Given Right To Order Ban In Measure

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—A joint resolution to permit the states to prescribe quarantine against diseased cattle shipped from other states was passed today by the senate and sent to the house. Under existing law, only the secretary of agriculture is authorized to order quarantines.

TEXAN IS INJURED

Dr. Willis Allen, San Antonio, Hurt By Train

ELIZABETH, N. J., Feb. 26. (AP)—Dr. Willis Allen, 28 years old, of San Antonio, was seriously injured today when he either jumped or fell in front of a passenger train at the Broad street station of the Pennsylvania railroad. At the hospital in Philadelphia, his injuries are being treated.

MRS. SEALE RETIRES

Dallas' First And Only Woman Sheriff Quits

DALLAS, Feb. 26. (AP)—Finitis has been written after the public career of Mrs. Lila Seale in turning over to the Dallas county attorney \$4,799 for 1928 fees along with her final report.

Mrs. Seale was Dallas' first and only woman sheriff. She took office on the death of her husband, Allen Seale, last May, and continued in the position until succeeded Jan. 1 by Sheriff Hal Hood.

Hermleigh Girl Wins Scholarship

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 26. (AP)—Three annual college scholarships worth \$300 to 4-H club girls working under supervision of home demonstration agents of the Extension Service, A. and M. College of Texas, have been awarded this year to Farris Stevenson, Hermleigh, Scurry county; Alma Kindt, Wheelock, Brazos county; and Ardell Watkins, Atland, Cass county.

The first two named winners are recipients of scholarships given by the State Fair of Texas while the other award is given by the Texas Home Demonstration association.

ATTENDS BRADY FUNERAL

D. F. Eaton, Lubbock county agricultural agent, was called to Brady Monday to be in attendance at the funeral services of an old-time friend, Tom J. Beasley, who was a well known citizen of McCulloch county and who died last Saturday.

Mr. Beasley had served his section as a state representative a number of years and was a banker and farmer and a member of the Masonic lodge.

FINES TOTAL \$33

One automobile driver paid \$5 yesterday morning for the privilege of running his car too close to the fire trucks, while they were making a run, according to the records of the city police court. Three fines of \$15 each were paid for drunkenness and another motorist paid \$3 for making a U turn where none should have been made.



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Lindbergh May Not Carry First Mail

Postponement Of Opening Of Latin-American Route May Interfere With Long Eagle's Plans

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. — Hope that Col. Charles A. Lindbergh might inaugurate the new Latin-American mail routes to Mexico City and Santiago, Chile, was somewhat dispelled today by W. L. Glover, second assistant postmaster general. He said that the original intention had been for Lindbergh to inaugurate the former route, February 23, but that postponement of opening may interfere with Lindbergh's plans. The present date has been set for March 9.

Glover said that Lindbergh's participation in the new enterprise of Pan-American Airways was entirely dependent upon Lindbergh's personal desires and upon his ability to be in Brownsville, Texas, March 9.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to L. J. Sanders and Miss Frances Payne.

GOLF BALLS FOR DESERT WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP)—Golfers of Kelsey City are considering suggestions that they adopt a rule waiving penalties when alligators gulp down golf balls. Two sailors sun themselves regularly, one on the second tee and the other on the fifth.

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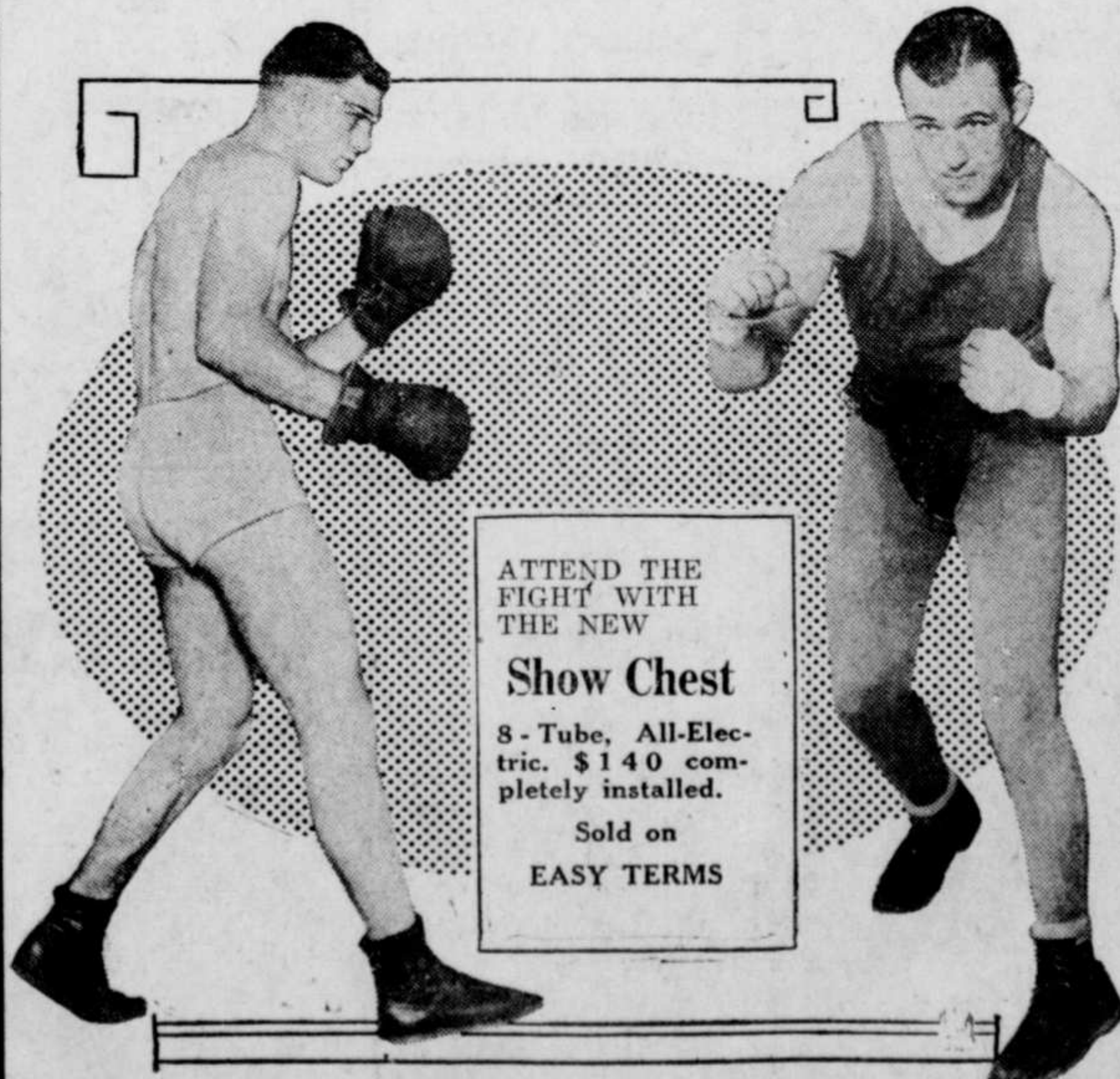
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Tuesday Sees Local Clubs Busy With Activities

Twentieth Century Club Endorses Mrs. W. B. Price As Candidate In Texas For Federation Office; Long In Club Work

Local Woman In Race For Recording Secretary Of Texas Federation Of Women's Clubs This Year

Mrs. W. B. Price of this city, who is past president of the seventh district of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, a member of the state club executive board and who has been prominently associated with club activities for several years, is a candidate for the office of recording secretary in the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs this year.

Her candidacy was endorsed yesterday afternoon by the Twentieth Century club, of which she is a member, and Mesdames C. M. Ballenger and T. B. Duggan were appointed to work in co-operation with Mrs. Meade P. Griffin of Plainview in promoting the campaign.

Dr. Allan L. Carter, of the Technological college English faculty, lectured on "The Way of All Flesh" yesterday afternoon when the Twentieth Century club met in regular session at the First Methodist church.

Mrs. Paul W. Horn was voted a member of the student loan fund committee of the club and the membership decided to entertain the Junior Twentieth Century and the Sorosis clubs on May 24. The Twentieth Century club sponsored these other two organizations here.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. J. F. Tom Compliments Daughter Monday

Nilah Tom, 11, was given a birthday party Monday afternoon by her mother, Mrs. J. F. Tom. The guests gathered at the hostess' home at 1615 16th street and were taken to Tumble N park for a picnic and water roast.

Guests included Mary Ross Edwards, Ansel Jones, Louise Wright, Percy Spencer, Josephine Roach, Earline Heddings, Alene Deshield, James and Owen Lattimore, Billy Bayless, Edward Simmons, John Lemond, James Gunn and George Wilson.

PLAY FORTY-TWO

Mrs. Wesley Branch Hostess To Jolly Dozen Club

Mrs. Wesley Branch was hostess yesterday afternoon to the Jolly Dozen club in the home of Mrs. H. L. Goad on 9th Street and forty-two was played.

Guests included Mrs. E. G. Gunn, Mrs. Lewis Kittrell, Mrs. C. J. Branch, Miss Dorothy Branch and Mrs. Fred A. Owens. Members attending were Mesdames J. G. Biffle, Harry Hall, J. M. Bishop, D. H. Mansell, A. H. Travis, Frazier McCrummen, W. H. Trice, R. L. Goad, and F. K. Mitchell. Delicious refreshments were passed.

MOVIES

PALACE
"Abie's Irish Rose" with singing and music, and two vitaphone features, "Hollywood Bound" and "Pullman Porters."

LYRIC
Owen Moore and Sena Owens in "His Last Call" Comedy and news.

REX
Virginia Brown Faire in "Hazardous Valley" and comedy.

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Mrs. V. Lorenz Ellis Is Complimented At Bridge Tea Given In Home Of Mrs. Charles O'Neill By Three Hostesses

BRIDGE, DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Thomas Hosts Monday Evening

Following a turkey dinner, bridge was played Monday evening when Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Thomas were hosts to a few friends in their home at 812 Avenue R.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bleeker, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Corruthers, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sherman and son, Tom, and Miss Thelma Bartlett.

A lovely affair of yesterday is another courtesy to recent bride, Mrs. V. L. Ellis.

A bride who has been extensively feted since her recent marriage was honored yesterday afternoon at another lovely affair. This is Mrs. V. Lorenz Ellis who was complimented with a bridge tea by Mesdames Charles F. O'Neill, A. V. Weaver and R. M. Chitwood in the home of the former hostess at 1623 Broadway.

Following bridge games, guests were invited into the dining room for a mint ice course which was dispensed from a beautifully laid table. A number of additional guests called during this hour.

Rosebuds Recreate
Decorations of rosebuds and fern were used for this affair appointments for the bridge table harmonized. High score in the games was made by Mrs. Robert Strong and Miss Anne Snyder scored low. The honoree was presented with some silver by the hostesses.

Bridge guests included Mesdames Ellis, C. W. English, D. K. Bondurant, M. L. Price, E. M. Lovelace, Kenneth I. Kimbro, Lawrence Bacon, Ross A. McWhorter, Earl Hunt, L. L. Thompson, Robert Strong, Misses Juanita Wiles, Virginia Conley, Jane Mast, Donna Vaughn, Helen Womack, D'Aunn Simmons, Lucile Moxley, Alma Spikes, Faye George, Mary and Anne Snyder, Geraldine Smith and Zona Stiles.

Others Call For Tea
Tea guests were Mesdames Mary Lou Bayless, Evelyn Knipp, Pearl Harrison, Frances Small, Margaret Weeks, Margaret McVabb, Frances Wilson, Anna Bell Collins, Mesdames Mary W. Doak, Clyde F. Elkins, W. G. Murray, Fred Spikes, D. N. Leaverton, R. D. Blake, Vaughn E. Wilson, J. S. Hemphill, R. D. Moxley, L. E. Grimes, C. E. Madgen, L. C. Ellis, J. S. Johnson, Claude Hurlbut.

Mrs. L. C. Ellis presided at the tea table and Mesdames E. L. Klett and C. E. Grimes assisted the hostesses in serving.

Mrs. Etta Brittain and daughter, Miss Ruth, accompanied by Mesdames Charlotte Holt and Geneva Adamson, have returned from a visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Adamson, of Plainview.

Percy Denton And Miss Walker Wed In Pecos Sunday

Newly Married Couple Will Arrive Today; Groom Has Lived In Lubbock Many Years; Now Of Wink

Percy Denton and Miss Salome Walker were married in Pecos Sunday, according to word received here and are to arrive in Lubbock today in order that Mrs. Denton may resume her studies in the Technological college until the end of this term. The couple is to live in Wink where the groom is employed by the American Maracaibo company.

Mr. Denton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Denton, 1406 Main Street, this city and he has spent the greater part of his life here. He attended the local high school and the Technological college and lived here until about four months ago when he went to Wink.

The bride's home is in Wink and she has been a student in Technological college for several months.

The Morning Avalanche Menu for the Day

BREAKFAST — Orange juice, cereal, cream, codfish balls, with tomato sauce, corn bread, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON — Surprise baked potatoes, steamed spinach, whole wheat bread, "food for the gods," milk, tea.

DINNER — Stuffed pork tenderloin, scalloped sweet potatoes and apples, cabbage, celery and nut sauce, peach bavarian cream, milk, coffee.

The recipe for "food for the gods" is given in reply to a request.

Food for the Gods
Six eggs (whites), 2 cups granulated sugar, 6 tablespoons cracker crumbs, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 1-2 pound nut meats, 1-2 pound stoned dates, few grains salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Chop nuts and dates. Mix and sift sugar and baking powder and salt. Add with cracker crumbs and vanilla to nuts and dates and mix thoroughly. Fold in whites of eggs beaten until stiff and dry on a platter with a wire whisk and bake one hour in a slow oven. Serve with whipped cream.

This rule will serve ten persons generously. Half the recipe can be used if a smaller amount is wanted. Be sure to use half of each ingredient required.

to go far to see the mother who has done housework all day until she is ready to drop, start another job at six getting dinner, and spend her evening putting babies to bed, sewing, washing the dishes, and finishing the ironing, while her husband, rests on the davenport.

Methodist Women Meet On Tuesday

Mrs. S. H. Scott Is Received As New Member In District Yesterday Afternoon In Meeting

Nine women in District 2 of the First Methodist, W. M. S. met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. R. C. Odum after the meeting had been postponed from Monday afternoon because of the Williamson funeral.

Mrs. S. H. Scott was received as a new member and Mrs. J. H. Rhea led the devotional lesson.

These women are collecting old papers to sell and the group is to meet on Thursday to bundle the lot. They are asking other women in the town to save old papers for them.

Reports made yesterday showed 44 visits to the sick and strangers, six garments distributed, eight trays and two flowers. A food sale last Saturday netted \$12.80.

Those attending yesterday were Mesdames W. D. Lawson, M. H. Sneed, D. M. Stalnaker, A. B. Ellis, J. W. Ross, R. A. Holland, J. H. Rhea and Scott.

YOUR CHILDREN

by Olive Roberts Barton
Op28 by NEA Service, Inc.

What are we doing? Training every other one of our girls for jobs in the business world, nothing less.

It is difficult to predict what will happen in ten or fifteen years, but a good guess might be that a very large percentage of these girls will be carrying the double burden of day work in the office and night work in the home, as indeed many thousands of women are doing now.

We won't go into economics nor discuss reasons here. Those who are all ready to sing out that women only work because they want fur coats and cars and dinner rings will have to save their argument for another time. But the fact remains that many a woman is working to earn money through the day, and splitting fifty-fifty on expense, and then physically tired and mentally jaded goes home and works all evening while her husband reads the paper and takes forty winks in the big arm chair.

Why all this dissertation about overworked woman and underworked man? Just because the country is so plainly and deliberately educating its girls for business—or whatever we call turning our brains into dollars and cents—at a time when it was initiating its boys into the mysteries of housekeeping. If she is to help him, why should he not help her?

Lessons In Understanding
At any rate why should not boys be taught the elements of housework? As a matter of principle they should learn to make a bed, sweep and dust a room, wash dishes, and cook.

If boys learn how tedious housework is, even though there may be no need for them to give first aid in future years, there is little doubt that they will be more appreciative of the problems their wives are up against in keeping the home together.

"We ought to keep girls in the home. Let them stay where they belong, and let the boys earn the living."

It sounds fine, but we must shake our aged head. Words don't make facts. We are not keeping girls home, that's clear. Even so, suppose we do. None of us have

Mrs. J. V. Connor Named Delegate

New Era Society Meets With Mrs. Crawford Tuesday Afternoon; State Meet To Be Asked Here

The New Era club yesterday voted to endorse an invitation to the State Federation of Women's Clubs to meet in Lubbock in 1930, the invitation to be extended at the meeting this year.

The meeting was with Mrs. A. H. Crawford and Mrs. Della Hawkins, was leader of the program on works of Tennyson.

Mrs. J. V. Connor was elected delegate to the seventh district club meeting in Snyder this year and Mrs. Hawkins was elected delegate.

Assisting Mrs. Hawkins with the program were Mesdames T. R. Bowles, Crawford, R. H. Martin, R. C. Harvey and E. L. Banks.

CLASS ENTERTAINS

Baptist Groups Enjoy Party Monday Evening

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mullins at 1205 Avenue R was the scene of a party Monday evening when the First Baptist Sunday school class of Miss Frances Stahl entertained the class of A. M. Cowan.

Games were played during the evening and hot chocolate, sandwiches, potato chips and minis were served to Chessie Belle Taylor, Hollis Carroll, Lorain Johnson, Norma Smith, James Carroll, Seymour Alford, Johnnie Mullins, Robert J. Wadley, Walter Baughman, Tol Terrell, Verline Furrow, E. V. Hicks, Glidewell Mullins, Bernadine Alford, Inez Mullins, Mary Virginia Mullins, Mrs. Ralph Simmons, Katherine Mullins, Mrs. A. G. Mullins, Mr. Cowan, Miss Stahl, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mullins and Miss Lora Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown, of Levelland, and daughter, Mrs. R. J. Preston, of Plainview, were shoppers Tuesday in Lubbock.

Mrs. E. L. Stovall and little daughter, Ruby Jeanne, accompanied by Mrs. A. B. Exum and son, Laverne, were Ralls visitors Tuesday in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howell and little son, Jim, and Mrs. T. I. Howell, of Smyer, were shoppers here Tuesday.

How to Achieve Beauty

BY MME. HELENA RUBINSTEIN

Do not be afraid of "make-up!" You need not be. The art of using good cosmetics correctly has its place in beauty's chain as a protection and as a clever supplement of the natural beauty of a healthy skin which, of course, should always be cultivated first.

The purpose of make-up is to heighten and accentuate your personality, not to conceal the lack of it nor to disguise your features into a poor imitation of someone else.

Select your rouge carefully. Cream rouge is better for the average skin than either a powder or a liquid rouge. Choose the shade which brings out to best advantage the lights in your eyes and the glint in your hair. Generally speaking, the light rouges or the bright rouges become more women than the darker shades do. If you would follow nature perfectly, pluck your cheek to stimulate the skin with a stimulating tonic until you can see clear; the color you would naturally have and what outlines it follows on your face.

The mode demands a sense of fitness, suitability, both to your special type and to the occasion for which you are making ready.

The first principle of make-up is the need of a healthy, wholesome background for it. No powder-rouge however skillfully applied, can conceal the presence of open pores, lines, sagging muscles, or other skin imperfections. Therefore, you must cultivate the health and beauty of the skin before expecting to use cosmetics with success.

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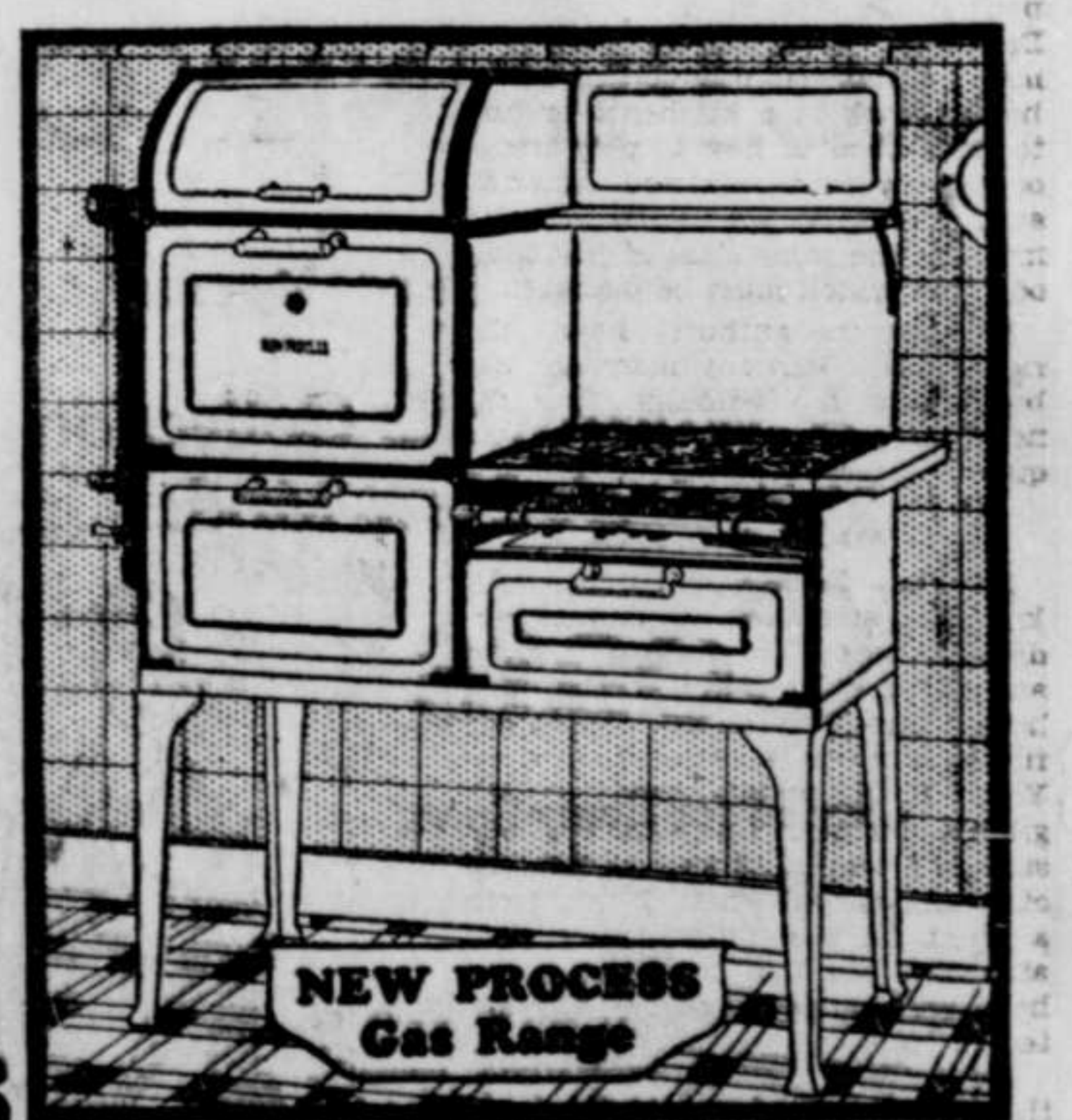
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Col. Penick Calls Farm Committee Executive Meet

Special Meeting Of Agriculture Committee of W. T. C. C. Set For Snyder's District Convention

(Special To The Avalanche)

STAMFORD, Feb. 26.—A call for an executive meeting of the Agricultural committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been issued by Col. R. L. Penick, chairman, to meet in Snyder on March 5, at the same time as the Central West Texas District convention of the organization will be held.

Invitation to attend this special meeting is extended to all West Texas citizens interested in furthering diversified agriculture on the farms of the section. Terracing, the dairy cow, poultry and other subjects are scheduled for discussion and special legislative aid, calculated to encourage farmers of West Texas to terrace their lands, through cooperation to a greater degree by the Extension Department, A. and M. College, is to be recommended.

Colonel Penick is scheduled to address the convention on the subject "Poultry and its Progress." He is recognized as one of the most ardent supporters of the poultry industry in this section. He has expended large sums in financing poultry development on his own private estate near Stamford and in several communities of the territory. He has now at his incubator in Stamford more than 4,000 baby chicks from a recent hatching.

The Woman's Day

By Allene Sumner.

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The pros and cons of a woman in the cabinet are beginning to break out in our magazines and press and be heard wherever politically-minded women get together. Women of both types, feminist and anti, are manifesting no little amount of conscience in this matter. They constantly remind themselves and everybody else that we must not demand a woman in the cabinet simply because she is a woman; that women do not have the necessary political experience yet for such a job; that we must be fair and rally to the support of a man more peculiarly fitted for the task, and so on.

MEN STARTED IT

I wonder if this isn't the outcropping of subtle masculine propaganda rather than of feminine origin solely. It sounds very idealistic and might be worth much or anything as an argument, if meticulous care had always been exercised to see that all male appointees to the cabinet had been peculiarly fitted for the job or were appointed, many times, for any other reason than that they deserved a political plum. When cabinet appointments are put on a general basis of the right job for the right person, then and then only, is there much sense in talking about woman's "lack of experience" as good and sound reason why she shouldn't have a cabinet folio.

MARRIAGE A LA MODE

"Marriage in the Modern Manner," by Dr. Ira S. Wile and Mary Day Winn, is in the same vein of many a modern practical book on how to cook in a kitchen or how to drive a car or how to play bridge or raise guinea pigs and canaries, and proceeds to put marriage pretty much in the same class of just little odd jobs which must be managed. Perhaps the authors have the right idea. Perhaps marriage has been taken too seriously. But the new viewpoint must be acquired like a taste for olives.

MRS. FOKKER

Mrs. Lola Fokker, wife of the well-known airplane manufacturer, dressed herself in a golden gown and slipped the other evening, and hurled herself to her death from her fifteenth floor apartment in New York. Her husband, prostrated with grief and almost following her in a suicide attempt, remarked among other things that when, drowsy from a flight, he had fallen asleep that afternoon, she had complained that he "never had time to pay any attention to her."

Dismissing Mrs. Fokker's act as that of a nervously diseased and irresponsible woman is not enough. There are hundreds of thousands of cases of domestic discord because the husband with a career has no time or energy left to amuse the wife at home. Read Sinclair Lewis' "Arrowsmith" for a vivid picture of this problem.

It rather looks as if "the modern woman" with her own interests "outside the home" might be a God-send to husbands doing such big work that they must necessarily be more than a wife amuser when at home.

SOCIETY WOMEN

Rather tying up with the above paragraph is a suggestion by Dr. Joseph Collins, famous neurologist, that every large city have a social service center for the express purpose of "rescuing" the smart social set from a life of boredom and vagrancy. He speaks of the society woman as "a grooping, pathetic figure living in a whirlpool of pleasure and a vacuum of sense."

Capital Beauty From Texas



Miss Janet Sheppard, daughter of United States Senator and Mrs. Morris Sheppard, of Texas, regarded as one of the prettiest girls in Washington's younger set.

Bits Of News And Personal Mention

Mrs. Roy Cooper accompanied by Mrs. Travis Richards and little daughter, Betty Marie, were visitors in Lubbock Tuesday from Abilene.

Mrs. Viola Hamrick will leave early next week for Shelby, N. C. where she goes on business.

Mrs. Calvin Moore and Mrs. Bob Brown were Ralls visitors Tuesday in this city.

Mrs. and Mrs. O. D. Stevens and little daughter, Patsy Fay, accompanied by Mrs. T. A. Tidwell were among the Ralls business visitors here Tuesday.

Mrs. E. J. Jennings and little daughter, Mary Joe, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dean all of the Stokes community were visitors in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles F. Murray and children, C. F. Ida Ruth, and Neal, accompanied by Mrs. J. E. Eckert and son, J. E. Jr., all of Slaton were visiting Tuesday in Lubbock and shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. White and little daughter, Joanne, of Quanah were business visitors Tuesday in this city.

Mrs. C. V. Roberts of Dallas has moved to Lubbock and is making her home at 1818 Avenue K.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Patton and son, Ralls, were visitors in this city Tuesday.

Jane Hess, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hess, is reported much improved after a three weeks illness.

Miss Beulah Smith has returned from New Home where she was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith.

Mitchell Named As Possibility

Solicitor General Of U. S. May Be Next Attorney General; Donovan May Be Secretary Of War

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—A new name was added today to the ever-growing list of Hoover cabinet likelihoods. Is that of William D. Mitchell, of St. Paul, Minnesota, solicitor general of the United States, who came to the front as a probable selection for the post of attorney general.

At the same time there was a tendency in some usually well-informed quarters to discard another name from the list of possibilities, that of William J. Donovan, now assistant to the attorney general, who was represented by some of his friends as being disinclined to accept the post of secretary of war.

Neither President-elect Hoover nor Mr. Donovan, who returned here yesterday, and has since had two conferences with the next president, had anything to say regarding the report, but there was a widespread belief in political circles that Mr. Mitchell would be attorney general.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Birdwell and little daughter, Arlene, of Ralls, were business visitors in this city Tuesday.

W. D. Daugherty was a business visitor Tuesday from Abilene.

Joe Cumble, district service manager for Frigidaire, has returned from a business visit to Fort Worth.

T. M. Harris of Slaton was transacting business Tuesday in Lubbock.

Melvin Lee Hartley, small son of Mrs. C. McSpadden of Amherst, is reported much improved after a major operation recently at a local hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Forbus and little daughter, Marie, were visitors here Tuesday from Abilene.

Mrs. Berch Scott was a visitor here Tuesday from Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Parkerson have returned to their home at Crystal City after a brief visit with the latter's sister, Mrs. McRae, on Seventeenth street.

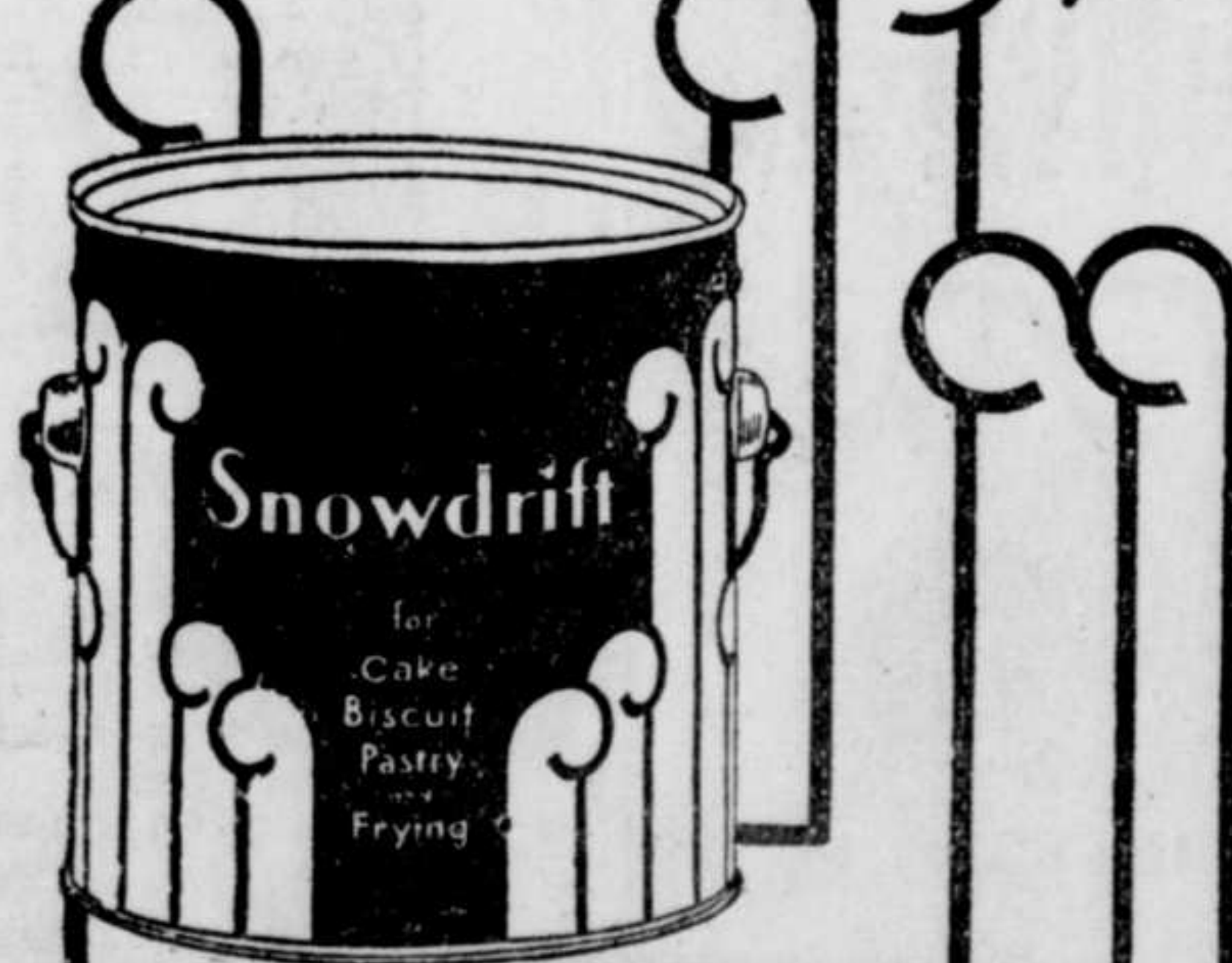
Miss Opal Storey of Monroe was a visitor Tuesday in Lubbock.

W. Barber, of Pyote, is expected to arrive in Lubbock today to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Viola Americk, 306 Avenue V.

Mrs. J. A. Forbes and daughter, Mrs. Dick Jones, and Mrs. Dupree Stevens, were visitors Tuesday in Lubbock from Ralls.

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Accurately Fitted
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Food sears quickly when you fry with Snowdrift



Why does food fried in Snowdrift look so tempting, so delicately brown? Why is it so tender and delicious inside? Why is it so wholesome and digestible?

Because you can allow Snowdrift to get so hot that it will sear the food almost at once—and yet there will be no smoking, no scorching . . . as the cooking experts say, Snowdrift does not "break down" at ordinary frying heat.

With Snowdrift you can prepare delicious piping hot French fried potatoes or croquettes, the outside lightly fried, the inside thoroughly cooked—and with reasonable care there'll be very little smoke in your kitchen. Snowdrift can be used over and over too, for it doesn't absorb odors.

The new three pound and six pound buckets are decidedly convenient, and easy to spoon from.

Snowdrift

Settings Made In 99th Court Term

Settings for the remaining six weeks of the present term of the Lubbock county district court have been made, it was learned from Judge Clark M. Mullican yesterday. Only one case was set for this week, it being a non-jury week, and that was the one styled, Benson versus Burt.

The week of March 4, and that of March 9, are both criminal settings, the next two weeks being jury weeks also, but the civil suits and are listed below:

Week of March 18 — Alexander versus Campbell, Ellis versus Hartford Insurance company, Axtell versus Gunn, McDonald versus Booker,

Higginbotham versus Whaley and Lewis, Champlin versus Clark, Colie versus Colie, Carwell versus Liano Oil Co.

Week of March 25—Grove versus Sharp, Jones versus Sides, Baldridge versus Railroad company, Miller versus Railroad company, McClatchey versus Worsham.

The twelfth week of the term, that of April 1, will be occupied with criminal cases.

City electricians of Jacksonville, Fla., alleged that 2,300 volts from the city lighting circuit ruined his radio set. The city refused to pay damages.

A wrought iron gateway bearing a bronze reproduction of the Robert E. Lee coat of arms is to be placed at Washington and Lee university.

Jackman's
Womens Wear Exclusively

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smart accessories

In these days accessories must be selected with the utmost care and their importance is reflected in the manner in which we have made our purchases of these items.

new blouses

Attractive wash blouses in white, lavender, blue, green and tan in the short vestee effect and longer style blouse. Priced at

\$1.95 TO \$3.50

pleated skirts

Sunburst and straight pleats in the solid colors and stripes feature this showing of smart new skirts. Priced at

\$3.95 AND \$5.85

silk undies

Good grade of rayon short bloomers with contrasting color applique finish at bottom, tailored and lace trimmed teds and stepins with contrasting color finish are included in this showing at

98c

new boutonnieres

Lovely new flowers in all the pretty spring shades for wear with the spring coat or dress gives a charming touch wholly desirable.

DOES IT PAY TO ADVERTISE?

Fred Spikes Says It Does

From one of our Classified Ads Mr. Spikes made a \$21,000.00 Sale, All Cash.

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spring dresses

Lovely new prints in all colors and solid color crepes with nifty cape effects, scarfs, godets, flares, ripples, drapes and tight fitting hips. Moderately priced at

\$9.85 TO \$19.50

smart frocks

These frocks for afternoon and general wear are unusually smart and desirable. Developed from georgette, chiffon and crepes with genuine hand made lace collars, capes, scarfs, throws, ruffles, drapes and smart hip lines. Priced at

\$22.50 TO \$49.50

new ensembles

All colors and all length coats are included in this showing of the smart ensemble. Smart wool coats with plain or printed dresses—rich silk coats with contrasting color dresses—sizes 14 to 42 and priced moderately at

\$16.85 TO \$69.50

sport coats

Manufacturers have used very attractive fabrics and new mixtures in their development of the sport coat for Spring. They have given us coats for all purposes and fashionwise women will appreciate these distinctively new coats. Priced at

\$12.75 TO \$59.50

dress coats

Broadcloths—new basket weaves—faillies—satins and Bengalines fashion these smart new dress coats. Wonderful quality furs are used to trim the collars. Smart scarfs, throws, and half capes give them an individual touch.

\$16.85 TO \$69.50

Sharkey, Stribling On Edge For Heavyweight Battle



Big fight party at the Avalanche-Journal offices tonight. A blow by blow report of the Sharkey-Stribling fust will be broadcast for the benefit of Lubbock boxing fans. A graphic description of the battle of the Everglades will come direct from the ringside at Miami Beach where the "pride of the South" meets the gabbing Gob from Beantown. Don't miss it! Be here at 8:30.

As usual, both fighters are confident of victory on the eve of their battle. While the majority of the fight experts have picked the terrible Sharkey man to take Stribling with little trouble, they are prone to add an "if." This "if" has to do with the Bostonian, who is generally known as an in and out fighter. Probably no heavyweight in the game shows such flashes of aggressiveness at times, and certainly none fall so miserably at other times. Sharkey is due for a great night, but none can tell what mood he will be in when the tussle starts.

Various and sundry ballyhoo has issued forth from the Florida resort during the preparations for the battle. Dempsey, in the role of promoter, has proven himself a master of the art. First it was intimated that Dempsey would be in the ring as a second or referee, then came the stuff concerning the injunction prohibiting Stribling from riding in his airplane or on a motorcycle. A long row ensued over the selection of a referee. An arbiter from Boston was selected and the Stribling family immediately sent up a howl because he was from Sharkey's home town. Lou Magnolia was finally agreed upon by both parties. The last named is a New Yorker.

The latest choice bit of live gossip manufactured by Dempsey is very interesting. According to the story the heavyweight champion gave newspaper reporters an as-sault entered his room and fired wildly at him. Jack believes he escaped possible kidnapping and perhaps injury because his alleged attacker was a poor marksman and had a faint heart. Strange part of the yarn is that no one else in the house seemed to hear the shot and Dempsey didn't report the incident to the police until several hours had passed.

"Pa" Stribling will have his alibi at the Georgia pugilist fails to stop Sharkey. A displaced rib several days ago in a bout with a sparring partner may prove the undoing of the Southland's pride. Even though the doctors have pronounced Willie fit and sound for the battle, the injury isn't considered as an asset. Wall Street betting had shifted 6 to 5 in favor of Stribling before the accident, but now has turned the other way. If the former school boy boxer is injured half as much as the press reports say he is, then Sharkey will be quite the favorite. Then the Striblings will have their alibi just as Sharkey had his after his battle with Dempsey.

BROCK LEADS LONGHORNS

HOUSTON, Feb. 26. (P)—A streak of greased lightning, wearing the orange and white of Texas University and bearing the name Holly Brock, Tuesday night carried Ford Walker's Longhorns to a 33 to 32 victory over the Rice Owls who fought furiously every second.

WILDCATS WIN

HUNTSVILLE, Feb. 26. (P)—Three baskets by Hendrick, substitute forward, in the final minutes of play gave Abilene Christian college a 31 to 27 basketball victory over the Sam Houston Normal Bearkats here tonight.

DON'T WANT A CAPTAIN

Syracuse students went on record recently as being opposed to the idea of having a regularly elected captain for the football team.

WANTS JOB IN BALTIMORE

Vic Keen, who bought his release from Houston after the St. Louis Cards sent him there to pitch wants to play at Baltimore next year.

Here's Where To Tune In Tonight

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (P)—The National Broadcasting company announced today that a coast to coast network would broadcast the Sharkey-Stribling fight tomorrow night.

Beginning at 9:30 p. m. Eastern Standard Time, the following stations will cut in on a ring-side account of the preliminaries: WJZ, WBZ, WHAM, WBAL, WLW, KDKA, WJR, KYW, WRN, WKW, and WIOD. Joining the chain at 10 o'clock Eastern Time, when the main event is scheduled to start, will be these stations: WEAF, WEEI, WVIC, WJAR, WTG, WCHS, WRC, WGY, WGR, WCAE, WTAM, WWJ, WGN, WLIT, WOC, KSDA, WJAF, WDAF, KSTP, WTMJ, WHAS, WSM, WMC, WBT, WSB, WJAX, KPRC, RFAA, WOAI, KOA, KSL, KPO, KGO, KFI, WHQ, KGW, KOMO, WEEB, WRVA, WKY, and WBAF.

Three College Basketball Teams Boast Spotless Records To Date

Boston Sailor And Georgia Flash Restlessly Await Gong That Will Send Them Together In Colorful Go

Principles In Elimination Bout Hold Spotlight On Eve of Civil War Between North And South

BY EDWARD J. NEIL

Associated Press Sports Writer

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 26. (P)—The buildup of the latest heavyweight crop, Jack Sharkey, and Young Stribling, a lean young greyhound of the rings, restlessly waited the gong tonight that will send them forth before 35,000 persons in Flamingo Park tomorrow night to determine which shall continue along the road that leads to the heavyweight title Gene Tunney left vacant.

For the first time since the match was made six weeks ago, the battlers themselves took over the spotlight with the host of celebrities and social leaders who throng the southland in the winter time, in addition to developments in the fight picture that often overshadowed the match itself.

But for tonight at least, the setting and surroundings were forgotten in contemplation of the battle. Tex Rickard planned before his death, a battle Dempsey undertook to promote to a success as a tribute to the man who made him a millionaire. Where the naming of a referee, the arguments over rules, a minor injury to Stribling and even a pistol shot at Dempsey taken in the dark once held the chief attention, tonight the fight was the thing.

From every side indications that the match financially and socially already was an assured success. During the day money rolled into the box office with the same regularity that special trains, motor caravans and other means of transportation loses new crowds on the already over-populated resort town.

William F. Carey, head of the enterprise as vice-president of the Madison Square Garden Corporation, announced late in the afternoon that the receipts to date were \$25,000 and might reach \$400,000 before principals entered the ring for the ten round fistic civil war of the North and South. On this basis, the profit on a venture that at first seemed doomed to failure, will range between \$75,000 and \$150,000.

The rules that will govern the fray were the subject of a conference today among Jack Dempsey, referee Lou Magnolia of New York, and the managers of Sharkey and Stribling. The chief seconds will be "Pa" Stribling, father of the Georgian, and Johnny Buckley, mentor of the Boston sailorman.

Most interesting of the regulations is that governing knockdowns. Dempsey, tragedian in the "long count" episode with Gene Tunney in Chicago, insisted that there be no misunderstanding. The referee is charged with responsibility of seeing that a fighter scoring a knockdown goes promptly to a neutral corner. If the fighter does not do so, the count will be halted to enforce this rule, and then pick up where the count was left off. In other words if the count has reached four and the fighter on his feet is not in a neutral corner, the referee will escort him there, then return to resume the count at "five."

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Big Fight Party Set For Tonight

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MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 26. (P)—The buildup of the latest heavyweight crop, Jack Sharkey, and Young Stribling, a lean young greyhound of the rings, restlessly waited the gong tonight that will send them forth before 35,000 persons in Flamingo Park tomorrow night to determine which shall continue along the road that leads to the heavyweight title Gene Tunney left vacant.

For the first time since the match was made six weeks ago, the battlers themselves took over the spotlight with the host of celebrities and social leaders who throng the southland in the winter time, in addition to developments in the fight picture that often overshadowed the match itself.

But for tonight at least, the setting and surroundings were forgotten in contemplation of the battle. Tex Rickard planned before his death, a battle Dempsey undertook to promote to a success as a tribute to the man who made him a millionaire. Where the naming of a referee, the arguments over rules, a minor injury to Stribling and even a pistol shot at Dempsey taken in the dark once held the chief attention, tonight the fight was the thing.

From every side indications that the match financially and socially already was an assured success. During the day money rolled into the box office with the same regularity that special trains, motor caravans and other means of transportation loses new crowds on the already over-populated resort town.

William F. Carey, head of the enterprise as vice-president of the Madison Square Garden Corporation, announced late in the afternoon that the receipts to date were \$25,000 and might reach \$400,000 before principals entered the ring for the ten round fistic civil war of the North and South. On this basis, the profit on a venture that at first seemed doomed to failure, will range between \$75,000 and \$150,000.

The rules that will govern the fray were the subject of a conference today among Jack Dempsey, referee Lou Magnolia of New York, and the managers of Sharkey and Stribling. The chief seconds will be "Pa" Stribling, father of the Georgian, and Johnny Buckley, mentor of the Boston sailorman.

Most interesting of the regulations is that governing knockdowns. Dempsey, tragedian in the "long count" episode with Gene Tunney in Chicago, insisted that there be no misunderstanding. The referee is charged with responsibility of seeing that a fighter scoring a knockdown goes promptly to a neutral corner. If the fighter does not do so, the count will be halted to enforce this rule, and then pick up where the count was left off. In other words if the count has reached four and the fighter on his feet is not in a neutral corner, the referee will escort him there, then return to resume the count at "five."

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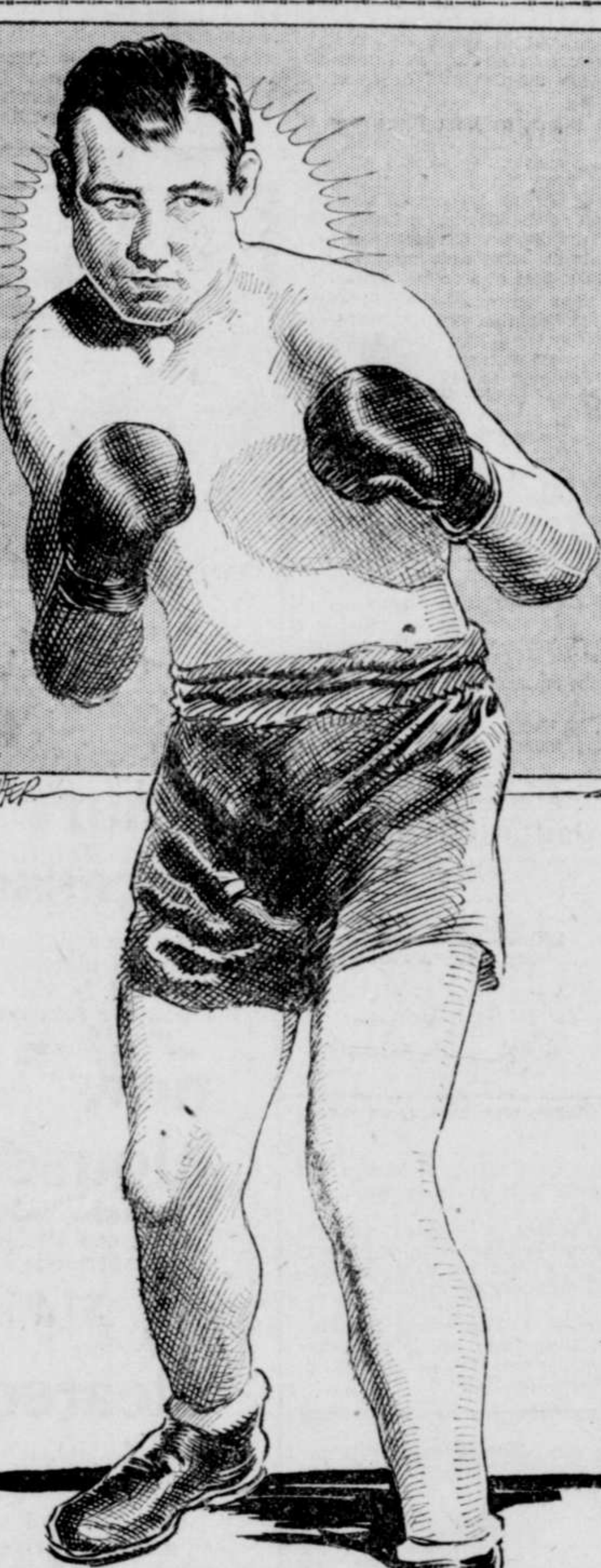
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Favorite In Miami Beach Fight



SHARKEY

Jack Sharkey, the Boston Sailor, pictured above, has been picked by the majority of boxing experts to beat W. L. (Young) Stribling in the 10-round heavyweight bout tonight in the Miami Beach arena. Those who have watched him in his recent workouts express the belief that his punches are more effective and that he is in better condition than the Southern pugilist. His inconsistency, however, has caused many to choose Stribling as the winner.

Championship Of Two Districts To Be Settled Here

Bi-District Meet Set For Thursday And Friday Nights At Tech Gymnasium; Teams Even

Basketball champions of District One and Two of the Interscholastic League will meet at the Tech gymnasium Thursday and Friday nights of this week in a three game series to decide the bi-district championship. Wilson, winner of District 1 and Perryton, District 2 champs, are the principles in the fracas.

According to arrangements worked out by league officials, one game will be played Thursday night and two Friday night if three contests are necessary to decide the title.

Perryton emerged the winner of the District One tournament after a bitter series, taking the final tilt from McLean. Amarillo and Canyon went down before the Perryton crew in preliminaries.

The Wilson aggregation entered the District Two tournament after last week's decision underdog, but the six-footers

Further Inquiry Into Patronage Is Senate Order

Probe Of Office Handling Likely To Be Sent Into North Also; Creager To Be Heard Soon

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. — Further inquiry into the disposition of federal patronage was ordered today by the senate chairman, Brookhart, of the investigating committee announced that New York would be undertaken by the committee during the approaching recess.

The committee now has power to examine into all patronage cases, in addition to postmasters and the chairman indicated that the inquiry might be turned from the South into some northern states.

Complaints have been received regarding the manner of disposing of patronage in some northern states, Senator Brookhart said, but he would not reveal either details of the charges or names of the states.

Confined to South. So far, the committee has confined its work to charges of selling postmaster positions in the southern states, by members of the republican organization. The committee now can inquire into all federal offices.

Before renewing the investigation on a broad scope the committee will hear R. B. Creager, republican national committeeman for Texas, on Thursday. Creager has asked opportunity to answer charges made before the committee that he protected hoteliers from dry raiders and that the republican organization of his state collected contributions from postmasters.

Brookhart already has placed the result of the committee's work before Herbert Hoover with a recommendation that the referee system of settling patronage questions, so generally used in the South, be abandoned.

PENNEY BUYS MORE STORES

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (P) — The J. C. Penney company, chain store operator, today announced acquisition of 117 additional stores, through purchase of the J. B. Byars company of Denver, and the J. N. McCracken company of Livingston, Mont. Bringing its total number of stores to 1,212.

Pink Tells 'Em Shines Restricted In Texas House

AUSTIN, Feb. 26. (P) — A Texas senator cannot get his shoes shined in the House of Representatives. He is accorded privileges of the floor and all other courtesies are extended to him, but if he happens to want a shine he is obliged to go back to his own end of the capitol.

The House has its shine boys, the Senate has its shine boys, and one of the "time honored" rules is that neither will encroach on the other's territory.

Senator Pink Parrish of Lubbock sauntered into the House the other day and decided that he could save time by having his shoes shined while he sat in conference with one of the members.

"Come over here, boy, and give me a shine," he called to one of the negro bootblacks.

"Sorry, sir, but it is against the rules for us to shine Senator's shoes," the official shoe-shiner replied.

"That's a pretty pass; placing any such restrictions on shine boys," the senator said in a tone loud enough to be heard by a third of the membership.

Sears-Roebuck To Build In Amarillo

AMARILLO, Feb. 26. (UP) — Announcement has been made public here of the contemplated erection of a six-story building by the Sears-Roebuck company, work to be commenced immediately.

Two locations are now under consideration, both of which are in the heart of the business district, but arrangements for the construction have already been completed.

The present home of the Sears-Roebuck company is small and seems to have been a try-out of the new field.

More than 20 cars of merchandise are here in storage, the company believing that Amarillo is the logical distributing point for the Panhandle district.

The five-ton griffins that watched over the old Chicago board of trade have lost their jobs. There is no place for griffins at the new building.

Motorists Obey Traffic Ordinance

Six automobiles were seen to immediately drive to the curb and stop, at about 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, when the trucks from Central fire station rolled out of the station to make a run. The fire was at the corner of Avenue C and Sixth street, an oil stove being said to have become unruly. No damage was reported.

On the way to the fire Chief W. E. Twitty reports the driver of a Ford roadster as failing to observe the trucks' sirens and drove alongside the trucks for several blocks. The Ford's license number was taken down by the chief and reported to the police. Another \$5 fine will be recorded, no doubt, Twitty remarked.

PLAN ANNUAL BANQUET

Amarillo Texas Exes Meet Friday Night

AMARILLO, Feb. 26. (UP) — Former students of the University of Texas are planning a big party for Friday night, March 1, when the annual get-together banquet will be held at the Amarillo hotel.

Judge S. A. L. Morgan, president of the Amarillo alumni organization has charge of arrangements and about 400 guests will be present.

DOCUMENT FALSE

Franco-Belgium Treaty Is Said To Be Forged

BRUSSELS, Feb. 26. (P) — The term "gross forgery" was used today in a semi-official statement issued here today regarding publication in Amsterdam of an alleged Franco-Belgium military agreement.

The statement said a glance at the purported text was sufficient to brand the document as false.

REVIVAL IS STARTED

Rev. Rogers Leads Services For Slaton Christians

(Special to the Avalanche) SLATON, Feb. 26. — A revival meeting began here Sunday at the First Christian church. Rev. Howard Rogers, of Clovis, N. M., is doing the preaching. The meetings will likely continue for one or two weeks.

Found: Honest Man Refuses Reward for Money Find

OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., Feb. 26. — Diogenes, if he were alive might well blow out his lantern and stop here in his search for an honest man. He has been found by J. B. Fowler.

Fowler's pocketbook, dropped from his coat pocket, an unidentified man trailed Fowler several blocks and handed him the wallet containing \$50 in cash and \$60 in checks, and would accept no reward.

OFFER NEW COURSE

Petroleum Study To Be Included In A. & M.

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 26. (P) — Addition to the curriculum of the A. & M. college of Texas of a course in petroleum production engineering has been announced by Dean F. C. Bolton of the school of engineering.

The new course will round out phases of instruction offered by the college to prepare young men for the petroleum industry, Dean Bolton said.

CODY IS NOMINATED

Detroit Man Named Head National Educators

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 26. (P) — Frank Cody, superintendent of schools at Detroit, today was nominated for president of the department of superintendence of the national education association, holding its annual convention here. The nomination was tantamount to election.

Demand it at your Grocers



Famed Driver To Visit In Lubbock

Ab Jenkins, famous transcontinental driver who twice broke the record for the fastest dash across the country, will be in this city on March 1st it was learned here yesterday. Jenkins, who has been breaking road records for the past four or five years, will be the guest of Gough Motors, local Studebaker-Erskine dealer. He is driving a President Eight Roadster which recently traveled 30,000 miles in 26-329 consecutive minutes on the Atlantic City Speedway; one of four Studebaker Presidents which covered the distance in less than 30,000 minutes. These records have never been equaled in the history of transportation.

Jenkins first sprang into national prominence back in 1926 when he drove a stock Studebaker Sheriff model from New York to San Francisco in 86 hours 20 minutes beating the time of the fastest train by more than six hours, and the former automobile record by an even greater margin. This feat, achieved under the most adverse weather conditions, stamped Jenkins as an intrepid road pilot. Later he crossed the country in 77 hours 40 minutes, breaking the standing record by more than two hours.

Ask any DRUGGIST about PERTUSSIN Safe for Every Cough

STOLE THE CHIEF'S CAR

CHARLOTTE, N. C. (P) — Motor cars belonging to police are just as convenient as other kinds for a getaway. A man who robbed a store here escaped in a car owned by the Carrollton chief of police.

WANT ALBINO ALLIGATOR

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (P) — The British Zoological society is dictating for an albino alligator owned by the Florida alligator farm here. The reptile is the only known alligator of its kind.

WHY WE LOOK FUNNY

ROANOKE, Va. (P) — Dr. T. W. Foreman of the University of Virginia believes our most remote ancestors had large eyebrows, no chins and meager brain capacity.

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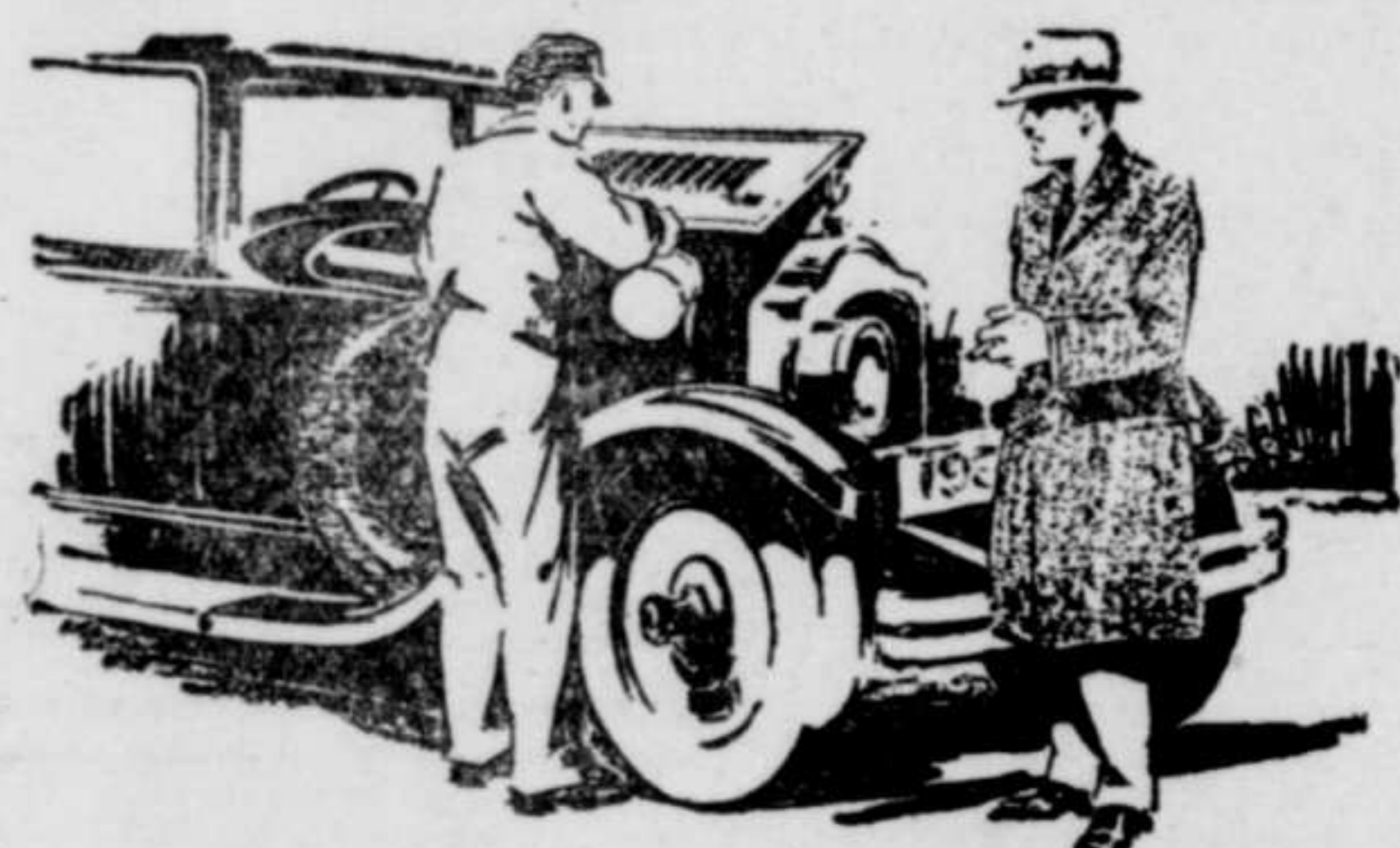
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SCRIPTURE—For the vile person will speak villany, and his heart will work iniquity, to practice hypocrisy, and to utter error and blasphemy, and to make empty the soul of the hungry, and he will cause the drink of the thirsty to fail.—Isaiah, xxxiii, 6.

CREATURES OF HABIT

It was Aristotle who said: "We are what we repeatedly do," hence it is important that we know ourselves and employ corrective measures with our faults. But unfortunately many of us are blind to our shortcomings and cognizant of the flaws in others and at times our own. We are creatures of habit, and it is our habit that we must change if we are to be better than we are.

These conditions reveal the fact that we need to be more introspective; to examine our own habits and attitude of mind and use remedial measures. A paramount fact is to be unconscious of our faults in ourselves; for unless we recognize our mistakes, they are going to persist until they grow malignant. But those who realize their shortcomings usually deplore their existence and set about their correction.

Every day offers us lessons in character building and if we accept the admonition and discipline, there will be consistent improvement. Various circumstances arise, troubles and complexities come—things that test our mettle; and by doing what we consider right instead of what our pleasure dictates, we eventually will find ourselves edified and strengthened.

A young woman said one day in a conversation with friends that after a struggle with personal selfishness she decided to subordinate her personality or wishes in the interest of others, expressing the belief that one is of no use in life unless one brings joy to others. Her words were lovely because they showed her determination to serve even at a sacrifice to herself. This attitude has brought her joy because though one has to discommodate himself in pleasing others he experiences a vicarious happiness in doing so. Then too, he disciplines the spirit and enriches his heart and soul.

Truly we are what we do repeatedly; we should be mindful of the fact that every day offers us new opportunity to improve that inward agency called character. If we ignore these advantages we deteriorate; if we accept them we progress toward a finished state of mental serenity and bodily poise. And once we have decided to set aside stubbornness and selfishness, to obliterate false pride and sham standards of joy, we will feel strongly uplifted and our growth will be assured.

We all are creatures of habit, therefore it is important that the habits we form are not baneful.

SENTER FOR GOVERNOR

At a meeting of the Texas Press Association Hon. E. G. Senter, of Dallas, member of the association, announced that in 1930 he would be a candidate for governor on a platform of court reform. Surely Mr. Senter has chosen a very compelling reason for his candidacy. Probably not other matter is of more vital interest to the people of this state and if the gentleman handles his predicament wisely and presents his campaign issues clearly he will have to be reckoned with in the gubernatorial battle.

Mr. Senter advocates the abolition of the Court of Civil Appeals and all court stenographers and he would have all appeals direct to the Supreme court, if the press has reported him correctly. The wisdom of his position would doubtless be hotly contested or questioned but if Mr. Senter can show the people a speedier method of handling criminal cases particularly and as well as civil cases, so as to bring swift justice to offenders against the law, he will attach himself to a very goodly company of Texas citizens.

The delays in trials of almost every name and order have cost the people of Texas countless millions of dollars and it is costing them today a disproportionate budget that pays for crime instead of punishing crime and making it pay for its own lawlessness. Mr. Senter is a man of ability. He has and long been before the public and has demonstrated his competent grasp upon popular issues. And the basis upon which he establishes his hopes as a candidate for governor are unquestionably of compelling importance to our people. Doubtless other men are pluming their feathers for a flight into the governor's chair and there is no telling at this time what future developments may arise as to opposing candidates or conflicting platforms. In any event Mr. Senter's proposed reforms will play an important part in the campaign.

The statement that a well-balanced man has for ages been held in thought as a worthy ideal needs no extensive argument to support it. One who is temperate, wise, self controlled and kindly has always been counted among "the salt of the earth," and such are usually considered as successful and noteworthy. The book of Job records the patriarch's ideal in these words: "Let me be weighed in an even balance, that God may know my integrity." Surely, one responding to such a weighing could not be a stranger to justice.

How true it is that men are poor indeed, if, with advancing years and accumulating material riches they have not learned the lessons of wisdom, by which they may control their tempers, tongues and dispositions. Happy is he who learns how to subdue material beliefs and mental interferences, so that patience and equanimity or mental balance characterize his relations with all mankind.

Senator James A. Reed of Missouri is closing a notable and useful career as a member of the upper branch of the American congress. It will be years before his equal in oratory, eloquence and scholarship is seated to take his place. His courage, honesty of purpose and brilliant rhetoric will leave a memory in those classic halls akin to those left by Hayne, Webster, Clay and Conkling.

HE LINGERED TOO LONG

"Is Mike Clancy here?" asked the visitor at the quarry just after the blast.

"No, sir," answered the foreman, "he's gone."

"For good?"

"Well, sor, he wint in that direction."

A Washington Bystander

GOVERNMENT RELIEVED BY SALE OF 13 SHIPS

BY CHARLES P. STEWART

Washington Correspondent for Central Press and The Avalanche

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26—Everybody who had any idea of the amount of trouble the government has had with its Atlantic fleet of passenger liners sighed with relief the other day, when it was announced that the shipping board was getting rid of the entire incubus of 13 vessels.

To be sure, Senator Kenneth McKellar demanded a congressional investigation, saying he did not think the government was getting all the boats worth, which he put at 30 to 40 million dollars.

However, congress was so tired of the whole subject that it hushed the Tennessee senator up in short order.

Senators who favored the deal pointed out that Uncle Sam does not want the ships anyway, and that Paul W. Chapman, Inc., of New York, the purchaser, actually is paying good money to take them off the government's hands—a million dollars in cash and an I. O. U. for an additional 12 millions.

Besides, Chapman agrees to build 56 million dollars' worth of new shipping, on which the government will have to loan only 42 millions.

According to McKellar's reckoning, this involves Uncle Samuel to the tune of 34 million dollars. He also declares it strange that Mr. Chapman appears never to have had any experience in the shipping business but the overwhelming trend of opinion on Capitol Hill was to the effect that an investigation would be too risky—it might queer the transaction somehow.

There really is plenty of honest doubt if an American merchant marine can be made a generally paying proposition, under existing conditions.

An American-built and American-manned ship must be operated on a high tariff basis, but she must compete for business—except in the coastal trade—outside the American tariff wall, on the free seas, with all the world's much more cheaply operated shipping bidding against her.

Furthermore, while she may be able to get full cargoes on her outward-bound voyages she experiences the utmost difficulty in securing freight to bring back with her for the simple reason that not many shipments are coming this way. Our tariffs are so high that imports can not get in so that consignments in our direction are scanty.

Shipping experts estimate American vessels' disadvantage in overseas trade at 6 to 10 per cent, in comparison with foreign bottoms—a handicap which is mighty hard to overcome, with present ocean freight rates.

There is likewise considerable question if bargain-counter buyers from the government can be depended on to keep purchases in repair—if our merchant marine will last long unless the government continues its fire-sale policy.

The best authorities agree that our passenger-carrying service ought, not theoretically, to be in such straits as our cargo lines.

We assuredly have enough tourists both going and coming.

Unfortunately, they show an inexplicable disinclination to patronize American lines—foreign boats are crowded, while ours have to hustle for customers.

Some say it is because Americans are not "ship-minded" and care little what flag they travel under. Some say it is prohibition under Old Glory.

Your Health

TRY TO BUILD CHILD'S RESISTANCE TO COLDS

BY DR. MORRIS FISHER

Editor Journal of the American Medical Association and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine

One of the chief problems of medicine today is to build up in bodies of children resistance against infectious disease, particularly respiratory diseases, such as coughs, colds, influenza and pneumonia.

In the Home for Hebrew Infants in New York physicians have been carrying on experiments with various methods. Attempts were made to build up resistance by the use of ultra violet rays alone, but the results were not so outstanding as to warrant the belief that this method creates specific resistance against such diseases.

Another method involved arrangements which lessened the number of contacts between the children. The most recent studies have concerned the relationship of the nutrition and body weight of the child to its resistance against respiratory infections and pneumonia in particular.

In order to evaluate their results properly the investigators had to establish normal weights for children of the type studied. These weights were compared with the weights of the children who developed pneumonia.

During a period of 12 years 505 cases of pneumonia occurred among 6,994 children under five years of age admitted to the institution. It was found that the children in the institution average in weight about the same as those elsewhere in the community and that any admitted below normal weight rapidly gained under institutional care so that they soon approximated the normal.

The significant fact was determined that the body weight of the child did not bear any relationship to the occurrence of pneumonia or to the frequency with which children developed this disease.

Neither did the body weight seem to bear any direct relationship to the number of deaths that occurred in the children who developed pneumonia, except for infants under six months of age.

Concerning A Certain "Warm Date"—



SO THINK WE

We think if the general public really knew just what the average newspaper man has to contend with in the matter of handling news, they would be more considerate in their criticism, and they might not rush in with a flow of language that would knock the average fellow over, by saying that there is no news in the paper, and wonder why the reporters do not get any more news than they do. We wonder that if the average citizen started out to get a batch of news that they would make a water haul, and if they got the great amount that they imagine they would, it would possibly not fill more than a half column after it was put into type. It is easy to criticize, but it is hard to produce.

We think the legislature works really on. Several times lately we have heard of a bill introduced in the House of Representatives, which would make it a crime for a child under six years of age to attend school free. That will place many children in school another year that would not have attended school under our present law. It will call for more books, more equipment, more room and more teachers. That will necessarily call for more money.

We think with each new term, the schools of Lubbock are becoming more and more crowded, and the citizens of this city should bend every effort toward the building of schools to accommodate the youngsters. There is no better investment than in the future citizens of our state.

We think about the best news we have heard lately is the introduction of the bill in the House to cut the automobile tax fifty percent. This would relieve the strain on the old wallet considerably along about the first of the year and no doubt would be welcomed by every car owner from the one-lunged flivvers to the straight-eights.

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The Way Of The World

BY GROVE PATTERSON

THE BUREAU COURTESY

It is always tempting to be an extremist. If you take an extreme, uncompromising position, you will attract more attention, you will get more fun out of life. For instance, heretofore, scientists tell us, is the primary thing that determines the difference between men. So one becomes an hereditary and goes about proclaiming that environment can't make any difference, that environment is too great to endure. If we know we face tragedy, an attitude of courage makes us happier. There is nothing quite so good and so satisfying in all this life as just going on in the sublime certainty that nothing is too great to endure. If it is too great to endure, it kills, and that, of course, is complete relief from the situation. Death at least provides an interesting change. And if we have, in the high road of our capacity, we have every reason to believe that death is a promotion.

WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

In eight generations the descendants of the 102 persons who came over on the Mayflower numbered many thousands. It has been said that at the present birth rate among the higher ranks, among those whom we credit as coming from the best stock in America, it will be possible in another generation to put all the descendants in one boat and send them home.

If anybody asks you where we are going, you may answer that some at least are going out. It is interesting to speculate as to who will be the leaders of this democracy in a few hundred years—if there is any democracy.

JESSE JONES IN NEW YORK CITY (Sherman Democrat)

New York City, accustomed to big operations, now finds something interesting in the greatest builder of the southwest, since he was called their attention when Houston secured the national democratic convention. When Jesse H. Jones of Houston goes to the nation's metropolis, he is not only listened to but is sought out by reporters of the daily press for interviews.

It is interesting to note that the New York Times, sometimes called the greatest newspaper in this country, carried an interview in a Sunday issue recently, quoting Mr. Jones

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PUBLIC OPINION

Editor Avalanche-Journal, Lubbock, Texas.

As one who has been through the work of assisting to get the appropriations for Texas Technological college passed by the Texas Legislature, and knowing the stiff fight that was necessary for us to get at least the major portion of money we need, I want to let the people of Lubbock and the South Plains know of valiant efforts in behalf of Tech, made by State Senator Pink L. Parrish and State Representative Carl Rountree.

Without the able support of these two Tech supporters, it is doubtful the college would have been granted as great an amount in emergency appropriations, as has been voted by both houses. Different members of the legislature have informed me that it was talks and speeches made by Parrish and Rountree that won them over to Tech needs.

The college has been voted \$25,000 for equipment in the Engineering building, \$25,000 for equipment in the Chemistry building, \$10,000 for the Home Economics building, \$25,000 for maintenance, \$15,933 for back pay due teachers in last year's summer school, an additional \$30,000 for this year's summer school and additional salaries for janitors, \$4,400.

It is to be remembered that these emergency appropriations have nothing to do with the regular appropriations for Tech. These will come up at the special session this spring. The above amounts were needed, and regardless of Tech's needs, they are forward as it should, so all honor to Senator Parrish and Representative Rountree. We appreciate their services.

HENRY T. KIMBRO.

at length on real estate and real estate values. It is singular that New York, the city of the greatest real estate development in the world, should listen to this man from a newly developed section on matters which no doubt many New Yorkers feel they are situated to know.

"Real estate is a thoroughly sound and simple business," Mr. Jones is quoted as saying. "Yet bankers, for the most part, have not understood it as well as they might. The more conservative bankers have not regarded real estate investments as sufficiently liquid, although good real estate securities will command money when many other kinds go begging. The reason is that the investor can see his security, and in no event can there be very much shrinkage in his income or principal."

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THE BLACK PIGEON

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THIS HAS HAPPENED
RUTH LESTER finds that her blond beauty interferes with her opportunities for becoming an expert secretary and consequently dons yellow spectacles, ill-fitting clothes and skins back her curls so she may go her way unannoyed by flirtatious employers.

The Black Pigeon

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the older woman. "Please sit down just a minute. Mrs. Borden. Here! In my chair. And lay your head on the desk. It's the heat—they keep these offices stifling. Let me get you a drink of water. There! Feeling better?" she asked, as she helped Harry Borden's wife to the little swivel chair.

Ruth darted to the water cooler in the corner near Benny's desk then discovered that the paper cup container was empty. But there was a tube of them in the bottom drawer of her desk. She ran, frightened a little, for Mrs. Borden looked terribly white and ill. The drawer stuck a bit, and the older woman was leaning downward to help, with trembling hands.

"Don't bother, dear Mrs. Borden," Ruth begged. "There! It often sticks. . . . Oh, she snatched her hand from the pulled-out drawer as if she had touched a snake. Then she laughed, shakily. "What a goose I am. Please, don't be frightened, Mrs. Borden. I keep forgetting that the gun is in there."

"Gun?" Mrs. Borden quavered, shrinking away from the drawer, her hand going to her throat.

Ruth laughed nervously. "Yes—an automatic pistol. Isn't it ridiculous—my having a pistol? But there were so many holdups in the building last month that a friend of mine—she could not yet toss off Jack Hayward's name nonchalantly—bought one for me, and for myself, too. He has offices in this building, and he was terribly in earnest about my keeping the thing here in case of another holdup. As if I'd touch it, I'm more afraid of it than I am of a bandit. Here are the cups. Sorry to so long."

Five minutes later—just four minutes after Mrs. Borden had left, looking so strange and ill that Ruth was genuinely frightened—the door of Harry Borden's private office opened and he emerged, or rather was pulled along, for Rita Dubois, in high good humor, was tugging at his hand.

"Don't worry, I'll be at the station on time," the dancer was reassuring him gaily. "I can do more shopping in a couple of hours than most girls could do in a day. And mind you don't call up the stores

and limit these charge accounts, old dear!"

"Mind you don't fail to keep your part of the bargain!" Harry Borden reminded her, as they reached the door. "I'll keep mine—all of it! But—no double-crossing, Rita."

Ruth glanced up, her spectacled eyes taking in the laughing but mutually suspicious couple. She saw Harry Borden wave goodbye to Rita, and many hours later she was to try to recall every detail of that picture, though now she only noted idly, that the man seemed to be waving a torn banknote, and that Rita's finger-tip kiss was for the torn bill rather than for Harry Borden.

(To Be Continued.)

In the next chapter—motive for a murder.

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Housekeeper wanted to live at home and care for home and two children school age. Phone 109-W.

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Salesman, for Lubbock. Must have reference and car. Write G. F. care Avalanche.

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Greer's Home Laundry. Will call for and deliver. Rough dry or finished work. 1809 Ave Q.

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WANTED—Practical nursing or housekeeping in motherless home. Call Fred Hines, Phone 14.

Man, wife and two children want work on farm. Do any kind of work. Anything considered. 416 Ave M. J. E. Buford.

Reliable experienced middle-aged man and wife want share crop or monthly work. S. A. Boazman, Phone 905.

Available A-1 bookkeeper open for a job. Phone 637 before 8 a. m. or after 6 p. m.

WANTED—Practical nursing, cooking, or employment of any kind. Mrs. Comstock, Phone 1831-W.

Widow lady with baby wishes housekeeping or obetetics work. Competent for both. Mrs. Val Morris, Abilene, Texas, Route 1.

6. HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—6 room house close in on pavement. 708 Ave M. Phone 441.

FOR RENT—Seven room brick Ellwood Place. Everything, also garden and cow house. \$45.00. Jno. L. Ratliff Co., No. 1 Brown Building.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished house at 2114, 23rd. Apply 1613 G.

FOR RENT—The Prof. M. H. Duncan home, corner 7th and Ave R. One block west K. Carter school, 7 room. All modern conveniences. \$40 per month. Phone 60. M. C. Crummen.

FOR RENT

Modern 5 room house. Excellently located on bus line and near Tech. Paved street. If you desire a real little home address Box 231-Q for further information.

7. HOUSES FOR RENT

Three room house on pavement and bus line, gas, lights, and water, also, bedroom for rent. 1623 16th street.

FOR RENT OR SALE—My home at 1629 Main. If you want close in come and see it. Can give immediate possession. Phone 59.

FOR RENT—7 room brick veneer, never occupied, 2317, 8th street. Four bedrooms, all modern and complete. \$50.00 per month. Sammons & Wilford. Phone 833.

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 1317 Ave N.
 Two room furnished apartment, gas lights and water furnished. 1811 18th street. Mrs. Ray B. McCorkle.

Furnished apartment, gas, Adults only. 1415 Ave L.

Two room furnished apartment. Also sleeping room. Modern. Reasonable. 612 15th street.

Lovely furnished two room apartment. Every convenience. All bills paid. Garage. Couple. 2110 13th St.

One room furnished apartment, gas. Phone 1114-W. 620 Ave M.

Furnished apartment for rent. 1201, 17th street.

Two room furnished apartment. Neat and clean. Adults. 1632 9th street. Phone 1133-W.

FOR RENT—Two room furnished apartment, gas, garage. 1318 Texas Ave. Phone 1464-W.

Furnished, modern three room apartment. 1411 Ave L. Phone 1804

FOR RENT—Furnished sub bedroom. Next to bath. To couple who work or two men. 1311 Ave Q.

FOR RENT—Bedrooms, at 1016 Ave R. or Main and R.

Bedrooms for rent, furnished and unfurnished. Shower and tub bath. Hot and cold water, in each room. 2318 9th street.

FOR RENT—Bedroom, private entrance. Hot and cold water, gas. 2110 19th street.

Nicely furnished front bedroom. Outside entrance. 1012 Ave R. Phone 1364-W.

Bedroom in new home. Private entrance. Adjoining bath, strictly modern, on pavement. \$15 including garage. 2011 Ave M.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom. 1815 8th street. Office hours 6:00 a. m. to 6:00 p. m.

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17. WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—Good 12-foot windmill wheel. See R. W. Bowley, 1218 18th St.

WANTED TO BUY—Some second-hand cars. Also money loaned on cars. See Reed, at O. K. Body & Pender Woods, 617 Broadway.

18. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES
 Small candy factory for sale. 702 Texas Ave or Phone 486.

Business location 62 1-2 by 78 on 14th street, between Avenue K and L. Will build to suit tenant. A good location at a reasonable price. Phone 1675. J. A. Rix.

BARBER'S OR Beauty Culture pays well. This clean, interesting work now within your grasp. State laws may bar you later. Write for booklet. Moier System, 912 Main St., Dallas.

19. WANTED REAL ESTATE
 Have a buyer for small town newspaper, county seat preferred. What have you? J. F. Gregory. 2414 13th street.

WANTED
 List your lots and other property with us for quick results. We have some all cash and some term buyers. Telephone 624-J. O. Smith with READ INVESTMENT COMPANY 1210 Ave J.

20. FOR SALE OR TRADE
 320 ACRE SALE
 Good 320 acre farm, 4 miles of Lorenzo, \$55.00 per acre.

150 acres, all good. 60 acres in farm, 1 mile of school and only 7 miles out. \$50 per acre.

78 by 125 foot lot and 5 room residence on Ave M. Paving paid. \$4,000. 1-4 block on 15th and Ave E. Good south east corner \$5,000.

Will accept one-half in good notes on other property on either of these and give easy terms on balance. All good investments, and money talks.

Phone 207

FRED SPIKES

FOR TRADE—For Lubbock property lower Rio Grande valley irrigated farm, near Harlingen, W. A. McGee, 1924 Ave O, 1192-J.

Three new brick veneer residence rented for \$145 per month. Will trade for vacant business lots or suburban acreage. What have you? Call owner at 365.

FOR SALE—Good Singer sewing machine. 512 Ave L.

ONE DAY ONLY
 Our landscaping artist from Fort Worth will be here today. Leave order at

BAKER BROS. YARD
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23. MISCELLANEOUS
 HAULING—ANY KIND TRUCK OR TEAM
 CALL T. J. BROCK
 Phone 746
 Garden Plotting & Fertilizing

HAMMER MILL GRINDING—506 Broadway. Phone 883. Acme Seed company.

24. FURNITURE FOR SALE
 FOR SALE—Furniture in ten room apartment house, doing good business. Good income on the investment. House for rent. 1612 15th street.

WE SWAP NEW FURNITURE FOR YOUR OLD FURNITURE
 LUBBOCK FURNITURE CO.
 NEW AND SECOND HAND
 1301 AVE H. PHONE 833

FOR SALE—Walnut living room suite, nicely upholstered. Also beautiful fumed oak dining room furniture, chairs, table and buffet. Will sell at real bargain. Phone 1231.

26. HOUSES FOR SALE
 APARTMENT HOUSE for sale. 1416 13th St. Phone 347.

FOR SALE—House on one acre land with windmill. See G. A. Pittman. Inquire Tech Tourist camp.

FOR SALE—Biggest bargain in Lubbock. 5 room brick and tile house. Something different. Phone 144. Stockton Henry.

FOR SALE—Brick duplex, 4 rooms and bath to each side. Complete in every way and garage. Would consider good lots for my equity. Write J. B. care Avalanche.

FOR SALE—6 room brick veneer, price is right. Owner 2209 10th street. Phone 1223-J.

6 room brick veneer, corner 19th street and Ave X. Paving on two sides, a beautiful home and modern in every way. Will take smaller house, car or lot, balance to suit purchaser. Phone 1675. J. A. Rix.

WILL SACRIFICE FOR IMMEDIATE SALE
 English type, brick veneer home with five large, livable rooms completely and attractively furnished. Modern throughout. All outside improvements made. Double garage. R. E. Strong, 2909 21st street, or phone 1895.

ELLWOOD ADDITION
 HERE IS A REAL HOME
 BARGAIN—WHY PAY RENT?
 Reasonable cash payment will handle, practically new, five rooms with front porch and service porch. Strictly modern with all built-in features. Other added features make this place attractive. Lot 50 by 150 feet. Close to bus line, stores and schools. Call owner, 1952-W.

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SPIKES BROS.
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22. FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—White Leghorn cockerels from M. Johnson's special matings. Also hatching eggs. Call 1826-W.

Three Chicago watchman's clocks for nightwatchman's system. Bargain. Apply 2016 Ave K. P. O. Box 420.

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 HAY DAVIDSON
 HAS
 "LIMITED" AMOUNT
 RHUBARB ROOTS

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FOR SALE—Small two-wheel trailer \$7.50. 1619 16th street.

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PLANT NOW
 Trees, shrubbery, roses and evergreens. See us for free yard plans.

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New Piano, nearly paid out. Balance \$5 down. \$2.50 per week. Best piano in Lubbock. Call at 1933 Ave J after 6 p. m.

FOR SALE—Portable Western Electric sewing machine. In good condition with all attachments. \$25. Call Mrs. Chas. H. Reed. 1606.

FOR SALE—Rhubarb roots, asparagus and geraniums. Mrs. Stanfill. 1614 Ave F.

WHY PLANT INFERIOR SEED? When you can plant good seed for 10c per acre. Jaynes maize is a dwarf variety and is considered the largest maize known. It matures from 10 to 15 days earlier than other varieties, and threshes 22 percent grain. Maize shipped anywhere in Texas prepaid at 8c per pound. J. A. JAYNES Route 1, Tahoka, Texas

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FOR SALE—Small house to be moved off lot, 1902 23rd street.

27. REAL ESTATE
 \$15 CASH \$10 MONTH

Best lot buy in Lubbock for the money. Very choice lots with all conveniences on 22nd street between Ave U and V. \$375 each. Look them over you will want one or more.

R. A. McKINNEY
 Owners Agent, Phone 686

CHOICE REAL ESTATE
 12 room solid brick house, close in a home and revenue to trade for good farm.

Clear land to trade for city property.

Clear lots to trade for nicely furnished home.

To trade—First vendor's lien note due in June.

Six room brick close in, a steal, ask about it.

We are headquarters for all kinds of swaps and exchanges.

Let's swap equities.

ALLEN & HOOKER
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In keeping with the march of progress we can now write Title Insurance policies, at a substantial savings. In addition to our regular abstract and title service.

WILSON ABSTRACT CO.
 904 Wilson Bldg. Phone 133

P. S.—If you want to be absolutely safe, let us write you a title insurance policy, in the Fidelity Union of Dallas, Texas, assets over \$1,000,000.

Have cash buyer for a good residence lot on Broadway.

Three good lots on 18th Street, north front. Worth the money.

Two clear sections of stock farm to trade for farm land in Lubbock territory.

Have good business in a small town, stock and building clear, to trade for small farm.

Have five room brick veneer house in new part of town, small down payment or will take car and balance terms.

W. G. Briley Real Estate
 Phone 1392
 Room 206 Leader Bldg. Lubbock, Tex.

LOT BARGAINS
 We have a few choice lots left on pavement on 16th Street that are below the market price for lots on this attractive street. No trade. Buy now while the price is low and the right location is available. Phone 824.

READ INVESTMENT COMPANY

We wonder if you would be interested in the best purchase of raw land on the Plains. If you will take the pains to go to Morton, then about two miles this side, on the north side of the highway, and lying broadside with it, you will see the best looking quarter section of land you ever saw. Big statement, you say? Yes it is, but every word true.

No soil any richer, notable any more level, no sand, no grubs, two miles from the school, court house and gin, an ideal location for a home.

We are authorized to sell this land for \$25 per acre, and when we say that do not get it confused with blow sand lands at \$20 and \$15, and that are not worth one-half this land.

Its special value is due to the high quality of its soil, its beauty, its location close to the school, court house and gin, a beautiful supply of the finest water. As a matter of fact if this land should sell for its value it would not be one cent less than \$35.00 per acre. Let us tell you more about it.

JNO. L. RATLIFF CO.
 No. 1 Brown Building

WE HAVE IT.
 Lots \$10 down, \$5 month.
 New brick home. Take car as cash payment, bal' \$50 month.
 Rooming house to trade.
 6 room brick, paving paid \$3600.
 5 room stucco paving paid \$3600.
 MEREDITH & MARTIN,
 Phone 1423

SEE HIGHLAND PARK
 These beautiful lots, 50x140 are excellent for homes or investment. All restricted to brick or stucco. Prices \$275 to \$450. Terms to suit. Ask any agent or A. H. Martin, Phone 235 or

CHAS. F. O'NEALL
 1215 Texas Ave

FOR RENT
 5 room brick

Prices Flutter About Nervously On Stock Market

Call Money Rate Rises To 9 Per Cent Again; Pools Send Issues Soaring To Higher Levels

By CLAUDE A. JAGGER.
(Associated Press Financial Writer)
NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—Prices fluttered about nervously on the stock market today, as call money again rose to 9 per cent, but were inclined to seek higher levels, under the leadership of a few high priced issues sent soaring by pools.

Heavy trading developed in U. S. Steel, in expectation of the recapitalization plan announced by directors after the close of the market. The stock rose to 190 7/8, within less than 2 points of its record price, but fell back to 186 7/8, a net loss of 2 1/2 points, as word was spread about Wall Street that action on the plan would be delayed.

The announcement gave no indication of the size of the "melon" to be cut, merely disclosing a plan of increasing the authorized common stock for the purpose of retiring funded debt, without giving the terms at which additional stock would be offered to stockholders.

Call money renewed at 8 per cent and rose to 9 as banks called \$40,000,000 in loans, the rate went higher at the loan desk, although money grew increasingly tight late in the day and was unavailable under 9 1/2 per cent in the outside market, presenting an unusual situation, as the outside rates rarely rise above the official rate. Time money and commercial paper were firmer.

During the next three days banks are expected to withdraw from \$150,000,000 to \$200,000,000 more, to meet month end requirements, and predictions of 12 per cent money, and even higher rates, were common. In the past, banks have usually increased their borrowings at the Federal Reserve to tide the market over settlement date strains, but are now under the restraint of the firm reserve policy of curtailing credit available for speculation.

The day's news included marking up of the export price of copper 1.4 of a cent to correspond with the increase in the domestic price yesterday. Trade reports stated that producers were reluctant to sell even at the current prices, and 19 cent copper was predicted for early March. Andes Copper placed its common stock on a \$3 annual basis, and Youngstown Sheet and Tube reported an increase of about 50 per cent in earnings during 1928.

President James A. Farrell of U. S. Steel said the trade outlook was satisfactory.

37. AUTOMOBILES

BETTER USED CARS
1927 Hupmobile 6 sedan.
1927 Hupmobile 8 roadster.
1928 Chrysler 62 sedan.
1928 Studebaker president 8 sedan.
1927 Essex sedan.
1926 Nash coupe.
1925 Buick touring.
WEST TEXAS MOTOR CO.
1312 Broadway. Phone 1191

USED CARS
1929 Nash advanced six "400" coupe.
1928 Nash advanced six sedan.
1927 Nash advanced six coupe.
2—1927 Nash special six coupe.
1926 Nash special six coupe.
1926 Master 6 sedan.
1927 Marmion model L sedan.
1927 Ford coupe.
1927 Hupmobile coupe.
1927 Buick standard six coupe.
RAGLAND MOTOR COMPANY
1007-9 Ave. J.

1927 Chrysler 70 coupe.
1927 Hupmobile coupe.
1926 Buick coupe.
1926 Chrysler 60 coupe.
1926 Chevrolet coupe.
1926 Chevrolet coach.
1925 Chevrolet coach.
1927 Ford four door sedan.
1926 Ford coupe.
1926 Ford touring.
1925 Ford touring.

JOE HILTON CO.
Phone 627 907 10th street

CHRYSLER
We are anxious to see these used cars in order to keep the "monkey-wrench" out of the machinery.
1928 Chevrolet roadster.
1928 Chevrolet coach.
1927 Chevrolet coupe.
1926 Chevrolet landau.
1927 Ford coupe.
1926 Ford roadster, slip-on body.

KUYKENDALL CHEVROLET CO.
13th St. and Ave. J Phone 1234

SHIPMENTS DECREASE
GALVESTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—Grain shipments for export from Galveston are expected to total 2,500,000 bushels for February. The January cargoes amounted to four million bushels, an unusually high figure.

DOG SLEEPS WITH CHICKEN
OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Feb. 26. (AP)—A bird dog that sleeps with a chicken is the possession of an Oklahoma City woman. The dog "Buddy" when it gets ready to retire has as a guest a stray chicken which comes to the kennel every night.

Early Advances Given Cotton On New York Market

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—Renewal of yesterday's buying movement, stimulated by indications that the first March notices were being stopped by trade interests, and relatively firm Liverpool cables, caused sharp advances in cotton today in the early trading.

May contracts sold up to 20.50, making a net advance of 18 points and new high ground for the movement. They attracted some southern selling as well as realizing at this level, reacted to 20.33, and closed at 20.36. The general market closed steady at net advances of 3 to 9 points.

The market opened very steady at an advance of 1 to 14 points on active covering by March shorts. There was trade and commission house buying of later deliveries apparently stimulated by the firm showing of Liverpool and favorable reports from the Manchester cloth market.

March notices, estimated at between 40,000 and 45,000 bales, were reported in circulation and caused a good deal of liquidation. It was readily absorbed by covering of speculative shorts or trade buying, against sales of later deliveries.

After some little irregularity, the market sold about 13 to 19 points net higher on active months, with March advancing to 20.48, July to 20.18 and the new October contract to 19.85.

Increased offerings were encountered at these figures, which seemed to include some southern selling or hedging as well as realizing by speculative loners. The market dropped back to nearly yesterday's closing figures during the middle of the afternoon. March sold off to 20.33 and the new October contract to 19.72.

The buying seemed to increase on the dip as it trades had been waiting for a reaction from the early advance. There were recoveries of 3 to 4 points from the lowest in the late trading. March ranged from 2 points above to about 4 points under May, and closed a point over May, compared with a discount of 3 points at yesterday's close.

Exports today 26,912, making 6-210,375 this season. Port receipts 20,413. U. S. port stocks 2,031,604.

LOAN MEN TO MEET

Texas League Convention At Greenville

DALLAS, Feb. 26. (AP)—The annual convention of the Texas League of Local Building and Loan associations will be at Greenville, March 21 and 22, it has been announced by W. C. Everett, Dallas, secretary.

Ralph H. Beaton, Dallas, is president of the organization, which includes 77 member associations.

AGED COUPLE MARRY

DEPEW, Okla., Feb. 26.—Ed Perry, 72, long a resident of Dewey, and Mary Crawford, 74, of Stillwell, Oklahoma, were married here recently before Judge M. E. Carroll.

Local Prices On Farm Products

POULTRY	
Heavy hens	20c
Light hens	17c
Leghorn broilers	17c
Colored springs	15c
Colored broilers	18c
Colored springs	15c
Roosters	6c
No. 1 tom turkeys	20c
Hen turkeys	15c
Old toms	10c
No. 2 turkeys	10c
EGGS	
Per dozen	27c

Daily Markets

LUBBOCK LIVESTOCK

The following report furnished by McDonald Packing Company:
Cattle: calves, choice white face 9.50@10.00; good medium 8.00@9.50; common and dogs 5.00@7.00; yearlings and heavy heifers, choice 8.50@9.50; good medium 7.00@8.25; common 5.00@7.00; cows, choice 6.50@7.00; good medium 5.00@6.50; common 4.00@5.00; canners 2.00@4.00; bulls, heavy butchers 6.50@7.25; heavy bolognas 5.00@6.50.
Hogs: choice butchers 8.25@9.50; choice light weights 6.50@7.50; Choice heavies 8.00@8.75; packing sows 6.00@8.00.

FORT WORTH GRAIN

FORT WORTH, Feb. 26. (AP)—A good demand for corn featured the cash grain market at Fort Worth today. Prices were 1 3/4 to 2c higher. Wheat was also strong. Estimated receipts: wheat 12 cars, corn 14, sorghums 12 and barley 4. What: one cent higher, premiums unchanged. Basis delivered, Texas common points, mills bid. No. 1 ordinary hard 1.31@1.32 1-2; 14 per cent 1.26 1-2@1.27 1-2; 15 per cent 1.40 1-2@1.41 1-2; 16 per cent 1.44 1-2@1.45 1-2. Red mixed delivered Gulf ports 1.33@1.34.
Corn: Better inquiry, exporters buying. Basis delivered T. C. P. No. 2 mixed 1.02 1-2@1.03 1-2; No. 2 white 1.04@1.05; No. 2 yellow 1.06 1-2@1.07 1-2.
Oats: Higher; trading dull. Basis delivered group one, No. 3 white 61 1-2; basis delivered group 3 62 1-2; basis delivered Texas common points No. 2 red 63@64.
Barley unchanged, no sales. Sorghums: delivered T. C. P. per 100 pounds No. 2 yellow 1.50@1.52; No. 2 white kafir 1.44@1.46; sorghum heads per ton, milo 22.50@27.00; kafir 22.00@25.00; cane seed, red top 1.55@1.60.

MID-WESTERN LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 26. (AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Moderate activity prevailed around the 11-market circuit on most classes of cattle. Fed steers and yearlings were unevenly steady to 25c higher, with demand broad for the upper thrust of weighty steers. At some points packers went slow on the in-between grades of steers indicating that any increase-

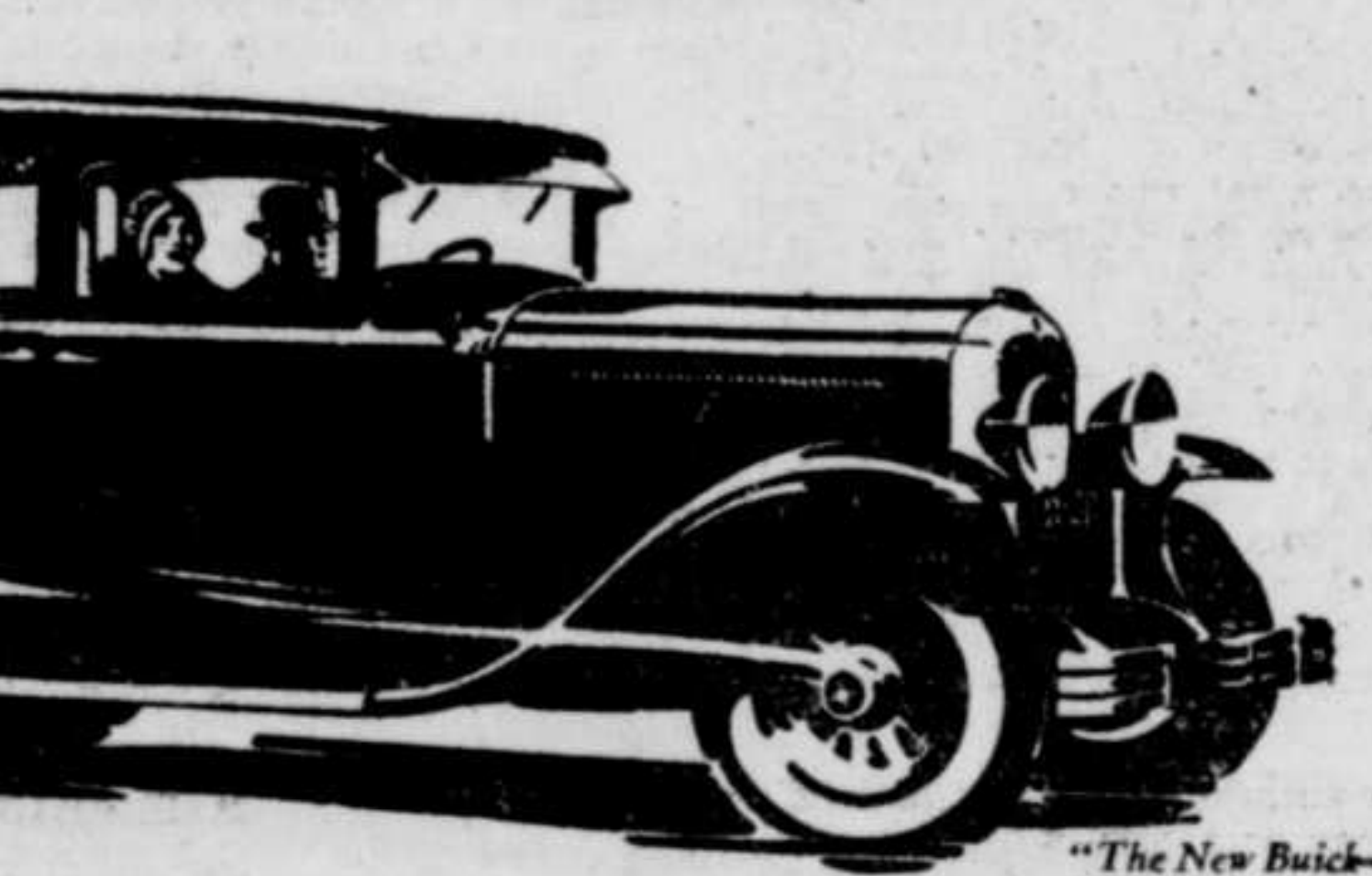
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Get behind the wheel and Get the facts!



Everybody says it --- now prove to your own satisfaction that Buick out-performs any other car Before you decide-Drive!

You want the finest—you want the best—you want your next car to meet your highest expectations... The only way to be sure is to drive before you decide... and driving will lead you to Buick as surely as this dynamic car incorporates an entirely new, a revolutionary, order of performance!

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—that it delivers fullest measure of all the qualities that motorists desire... and that this is the vital reason why more than twice as many people purchase Buicks as any other automobile listing over \$1200!

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Coupees, \$1195 to \$1875—Sedans, \$1220 to \$2145—Sport Cars, \$1225 to \$1550. These prices f. o. b. Buick Factory. Convenient terms can be arranged on the Liberal G. M. A. C. Time Payment Plan.

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WHEN BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BUILT... BUICK WILL BUILD THEM

Cotton Advances But Declines On Southern Market

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26. (AP)—After advancing practically \$1 a bale in early trading the cotton market encountered a wave of profit taking which nearly wiped out the gain. May contracts eased off from 19.89 to 19.73 but rallied a few points in final trading and closed at 19.77 or 7 points net up, the general market, closed steady at net advances of 4 to 8 points.

Liverpool cables were much better than expected and were reflected in an opening gain of 6 to 11 points here. Trading was very active after the start due to a heavy demand stimulated by the favorable cables, unfavorable weather in the belt and reports from New York of the prompt stoppage of tenders for 42,000 bales on March contracts.

Advices from the northern market reported on urgent demand of near months contracts with spot interest buying freely. This encouraged good trade buying and covering here and as a result March sold up to 19.69, May 19.89 and July 19.99 or 16 to 19 points above the previous close.

The improvement brought out considerable realizing after the early demand had been supplied and during the afternoon March sold as low as 19.54 May 19.73, and July 19.81 or 13 to 16 points under the highs of the morning but still 3 points above the previous close. There was a renewal of covering at the end and prices rallied a few points, March closing at 19.56 and July 19.84 or 5 to 6 points net up.

Receipts 12,469; for week, 51,550; for year, 8,337,578; last year, 7,414,222. Exports 26,200; for week, 62,600; for year, 6,005,463; last year, 5,009,501. Stocks 2,084,317; last year, 2,110,263. Stock on shipboard, 135,597; last year, 117,446. Spot sales 28,011; last year, 11,462.

HAS 300-FOOT FALL

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Better She Stock On Ft. Worth Board

FORT WORTH, Feb. 26. (AP)—Cattle of the cattle run at Fort Worth today was mostly plain and with the exception of the better grades of she stock, which ruled steady to 15 cents higher, values remained steady. A few loads of common to medium fat steers sold at 9.25@10.25. Choice heifers reported up to 12.00, bulk of the good heifers at 10.00@10.75. A few good beef cows sold up to 8.00, with bulk of the butcher cows at 7.50@7.85. Cutters and low-cutters sold usually at 5.25@5.75, with a few common cows at 6.00@7.00. Bulls were very scarce in today's receipts, a few odd head sold at 7.50@8.50.

Only a limited supply of calves offered for today's local trade and these moved at prices that were about in line with those paid yesterday. Heavy slaughter calves reported at 10.50@11.50.

Stockers and feeder steers sold at 8.00@9.50 and one load of stock cows at 7.00.

Hog trade today was steady to 10 cents higher, with most sales at a 10 cent advance. Carlot butchers sold up to 10.60 and best truck hogs brought 10.00. Bulk medium to choice 180-250 pound rail hogs 10.25@10.60, and most of the desirable 180-250 pound truck hogs sold at 9.25@10.00. Packing sows sold at 8.25@9.00; considered steady.

Sheep receipts moved at prices that were fully two decks fleshy wool fed lambs sold at 14.50; yearlings at 12.50. Two decks fresh short fat lambs cleared at 14.00 and full shorn fat yearlings at 13.50; full shorn fat wethers at 10.00.

Dizzy/

Start thorough bowel action when you feel dizzy, headachy, bilious. Take NATURE'S REMEDY—It's mild, safe, purely vegetable, and far better than ordinary laxatives. Keeps you feeling right. 25c.

Recommended and sold by All 12 Lubbock Druggists

STUBBS HEADS ATTORNEYS GALVESTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—

Charles J. Stubbs, veteran attorney, was elected president of the Galveston County Bar association at a recent reorganization meeting.

HE'S 84 AND A SPRINTER
"Dad" Hampton claims to be the 84-year-old sprint champion. He has challenged any man his age to beat his record of 32 seconds in the 100-yard dash.

Nearly 15,000 persons visited the Confederate museum at Richmond, Va., last year.

A youngster advertised in a southern newspaper: "Wanted more snow."

The Russian revolution separated Eugene Brasol of Daytona Beach, Fla., and his son Basil for 11 years.

A woman of Jacksonville, Fla., saw what she thought were alligators in a city sewer. Police arrived with ropes and axes to find two city employees working.

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If you over-weigh, the cause may not lie in over-eating or under-exercise. It may lie in a fault in nutrition which modern research has discovered. The method is embodied in Marmola's prescription tablets. People have used them for 20 years—millions of boxes of them. And many of the people you envy—with slender figures, new vivacity and health—will urge you to adopt this way.

The use of Marmola does not require abnormal exercise or diet. In every box you will find the formula, and the reasons for results. You will know just why your weight comes down and why every effort is helpful. Learn the facts, and do it now. Do so by asking your druggist today for a \$1 box of Marmola.

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SHREDDED WHEAT

12 ounces full-size biscuits

High in calories. Easy to digest. Plenty of bran for indoor health. Heat and serve with hot milk.

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RIVERSIDE TIRES

Guaranteed for 16,000 Miles

30 x 3 1/2 Oversize	\$5.38
29 x 4.40, 4 Ply	\$6.15
30 x 4.50, 4 Ply	\$6.95
31 x 5.25, 6 Ply	\$12.35
30 x 5.25, 6 Ply	\$11.75
32 x 6.00, 6 Ply	\$14.10

Also Radiators for larger cars at low prices

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GUARANTEED FOR 10,000 MILES

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29 x 4.40	\$5.50
31 x 4	\$7.60
32 x 4	\$7.90
30 x 4.50	\$5.80
30 x 4.75	\$6.95
30 x 5.25	\$8.45
31 x 5.25	\$8.60

RIVERSIDE TRUCK TIRES

30 x 5	\$21.20
8 Ply	\$17.30
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8 Ply	
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For Fords \$7.75 13 Plates

This battery may also be used in Chevrolets, Pontiacs, Stars, Overland 4's and other light cars. Other batteries for heavier cars at low prices. Try one for 60 days. If it is not satisfactory—return it to us.

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Spring Dresses
\$12.85

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New
Spring Shirts
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2 for \$2.65

New
Spring Hats
\$1.69

All Silk Pongee
79c
yard

Gingham and
Percalé
19c

Men's
Silk Hose
39c
3 for \$1.00

MAIL ORDERS FILLED

PRICE BILL IS DOWNED

Margin Of Four Votes Kills
Commodity Measure

AUSTIN, Feb. 26. (AP)—The narrow margin of four votes enabled opponents of a bill, seeking to regulate prices on all commodities marketed in the state to defeat the measure today after an afternoon of arguments in which two pictures of the state's economic future were painted with all the verbal artistry at the opposing sides' command.

"I FEEL LIKE A NEW MAN" SAYS IDALOU FARMER

Was Told Operation Only
Relief But Is Elated Over
Results Obtained From
Orgatone

Mr. W. W. Smith, a well known farmer, residing on rural route 1, Idalou, Texas, in a recent conversation with the Orgatone representative, makes the following statement:

"I am pleased to endorse Orgatone because it is one preparation that really does the work. Before I took Orgatone I was suffering from stomach trouble, I got to where I didn't have any appetite at all and when I did eat anything it soured on my stomach and I had a hot burning sensation from the gas that formed. I didn't get the right nourishment from my food and for the past six years my condition has gradually grown worse. I spent many a dollar for different kinds of medicines and treatments but nothing did me any good. Doctors told me I would never be well unless I would undergo an operation.

"Orgatone was so highly advertised I got a bottle and the results have certainly surprised me. I had no idea it could do so much in so short a time. I have just taken one bottle, and my stomach hasn't bothered me since I started on the treatment. The way my appetite has improved is remarkable. I eat anything I want and it agrees with me and I am not bothered with gas or bloating spells. I sleep well every night and feel better than I have in years. In fact, I feel like a new man and you can put me down as a friend of Orgatone. It has certainly relieved me of my troubles and I know that it will do anyone good and I'm glad to tell anybody about it."

Orgatone is a powerful reconstructive preparation entirely new from the usual kinds offered to the public as it contains no alcohol or other stimulating drugs and produces most gratifying results and is sold in Lubbock under the personal direction of a special Orgatone representative at Bowen's Drug Store. Out of town customers are being supplied by mail upon receipt of price \$1.25 for one bottle or 6 bottles for \$6.25. Adv.

Wirtz Bill

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would have forced the banishment of all bolters in the past ten years if any anti-bolting steps were taken.

After the senate had recessed until tonight the committee on penitentiaries voted to substitute the Holbrook prison bill, as engrossed by the senate, for the bill passed by the house. One of the chief differences of the bills was that the house measure would prevent relocation while the senate bill would not.

Senator A. J. Wirtz, author of the political party bill, concluded the argument for the measure. Senator Thomas B. Love of Dallas, who spent most time in opposition to it, made a final statement between the engrossment and final passage.

Hobble The Leaders
Wirtz said that if the state executive committee shared his views it would welcome back to the democratic party the rank and file of the Hoover forces but would "hobble" the leaders.

The senator from Seguin contended that the point at issue was question of what was right, of whether political parties should have the right to say who should participate in their primaries.

Saying that Love had drawn the name of Lieut. Governor Barry Miller into the discussion, Wirtz declared that he did not consult the Lieut. Governor concerning the bill.

"Miller would welcome Love as an antagonist if he should run for governor next year," Wirtz said. "He demonstrated that last year when he persuaded the state executive committee to place Love's name on the ticket against him in the second primary of the race for lieutenant governor."

Love—"Gone Goshin"
"Love is 'gone goshin' no matter what is done with this bill," Wirtz prophesied. "He spent the first hour yesterday telling what a smart man I was and then spent the second hour explaining what a 'damned fool' I was because the bill would help him. Do you think the senator from Dallas would spend four hours fighting a bill that would help him?"

After the rules had been suspended, one expressed his "appreciation" for the "orderly and effective manner in which the senate did this dastardly deed."

"You will have a hard time 'hobbling' the Hoover leaders," Love predicted. "Some one in the governor's race next year will go into the highways and byways and proclaim that no pledge can bind a voter's conscience."

Woodward Opposes Bill
Senator Walter C. Woodward of Coleman made a determined argument against the measure.

"The people will resent you giving this power to 31 men," Senator Woodward warned. "It's not the wording of this bill but it's the hidden axe waiting to fall into the executioner's hands that is objectionable," Senator Woodward asserted.

He said that the "sole object of this bill is to disqualify 300,000, Stalwart democrats simply because they wouldn't walk under the banner of Alfred E. Smith."

Just before the recess, Senator Edgar E. Witt of Waco sent up a resolution providing for adjournment Saturday, March 16. The resolution had 13 signatures.

McCloskey Trial

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and the case finally going to the jury Thursday.

Testifies For Alibi.
McCloskey, a Bexar county judge at the time of the election, testified in furtherance of the alibi for previously built up by the testimony of three men. At the time he was alleged to have been in an adjoining room with guilty knowledge that Dave Dewhurst, assistant Bexar county clerk, was showing his secretary Charles Ramirez how to steal the election. Judge McCloskey asserted he was more than twenty miles away with a bird hunter.

The bird hunter, the Rev. Robert W. Small, was recalled by the state and an effort made to impeach him. Before the defense could get in an objection, Mr. Small admitted that he had been convicted in Federal court of a prohibition law violation and fined \$25. That constituted merely a misdemeanor, however, and since it takes a felony to provide such a question of impeachment, the jury was told to disregard the question and answer.

Examined Returns
The congressman-elect testified that he had obtained the returns of two precinct presiding judges for examination and comparison, but that such a step did not constitute a violation of the law. He did not examine the documents he said but passed them to a man now dead.

He had heard numerous rumors that the Wurtzbach forces had committed thefts in various precincts, and named one San Antonio lawyer he had heard was bragging he had stolen 130 votes from the McCloskey column.

He narrated that he also had heard rumors that it did not make any difference how the votes were counted as things would be bailed up so badly that he never would be seated at Washington anyway.

Hunt Trial

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begin with completion of the jury tomorrow. Five witnesses from Tennessee, by which the prosecution hopes to prove Hunt of sound mind, were in the court room today. They are Dr. E. W. Coker, superintendent of the Tennessee State Hospital for Insane, to which Hunt was sent for observation shortly before Cole was slain; Tom J. Murray, attorney general of the twelfth Tennessee judicial district; deputy sheriffs Fred Exum and Tom Parrish of Jackson, Tenn.; and Gordon Moore, deputy county clerk at Jackson.

Hunt's counsel, will introduce a judgment showing Hunt to have been declared insane in Tennessee. Murray said this judgment was set aside. Dr. Coker will testify the accused man was committed to his hospital for observation only. "He is just faking—I know him of old," Dr. Coker said today.

Hunt is wanted in Tennessee on two charges of highway robbery. Attorney General Murray said. National guardsmen were called to subdue the man with tear gas when he was in a Tennessee jail, Murray said.

Jack Frederick, son of Mrs. Ray B. McCorkle, left Tuesday for a visit with friends in California.

Fund Shortage

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an attempt to verify the actual writing of refund checks. Many of these refunds were written on ordinary counter checks or bank drafts by the commissioner while out of the office, and no record made of them except a memorandum list, which cannot be verified as to accuracy.

Eight Thousand Still Due
"Our exhibit shows a total of \$12,133.54 in refund checks, leaving \$8,539.17 still due to purchasers, the bank overdraft of \$807.73 added to the amount still due purchasers, shows a fund shortage of \$9,346.90. Since we cannot ascertain the exact amount of checks written and outstanding, the shortage in this fund figure arrived at by the commission is correct. It should be established that a large portion of the expenditures from this fund was not properly chargeable to expense of revaluation. Then the shortage in this fund will be reduced."

The report stated that "there are no cash records in the Land office on this fund, the bonded receiving clerk has not handled any of this money; no records are available to verify the correctness of the expenditures made from this fund."

Smith and Representative A. P. C. Petsch had several clashes during the hearing. Smith accused Petsch of "sensationalism" and seeking "screaming headlines in the newspapers."

Petsch, representing proponents of the investigation, said he had concluded his testimony and Smith announced that commissioner Robinson would take the witness stand tomorrow.

Storms

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road service, menaced the water supply and left the town with intermittent light. The city returned to normal slowly tonight after a day in which almost all business was suspended and all but one of the town's schools were closed.

Storm-Swept Village Is
Mecca For Souvenir Hunters

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 26. (AP)—The village of Duncan, Miss., devastated yesterday by a tornado that took the lives of 17 of the 400 inhabitants, became a mecca for sightseers and souvenir hunters today.

While rescue workers were searching for victims of the storm that left 28 dead and 100 injured in its wake in Mississippi, Arkansas and Texas, crowds flocked to Duncan seeking souvenirs in the form of wreckage and snapshots. Several hundred negroes thus engaged were conscripted for relief work.

Disturbances Continue
Weather disturbances in the south continued today. At Troy, Ala., Emmett Slaughter, 18, was killed and Mrs. Sam Reese injured when struck by lightning during an electrical storm late today.

An official check of the dead at Duncan listed three white persons, two Chinese and ten negroes. Two negroes were killed on a platform near Marks and three on another plantation near Jonestown, Miss. Arkansas had two dead near Dewitt, and four persons were victims of the tornado in Texas.

Duncan was a scene of desolation today. The greater part of the business section lay in ruins and the stores that remained standing bore deep scars of the wind's fury. Many homes were leveled and odd bits of debris were scattered throughout the town, giving it a grotesque appearance. Pieces of tin roofs and scraps of bed clothing were wrapped around the three tops, and traffic through the streets was blocked by three limbs and wreckage from houses.

DIES UNDER TRAIN

Alabama Youth Is Killed At
Snyder Tuesday

SNYDER, Feb. 26. (AP)—Arthur Hudson, 19, Auburn, Ala., died in a hospital here today of injuries received when he was run over by a train. His chest was crushed and both legs cut off.

Discovers New



NEA Mexico City Bureau
Dr. Miguel Garcia of Mexico City, discoverer of a new anesthetic in the form of ethyl alcohol injected in the veins, made hundreds of experiments over a period of four years before he successfully used the anesthetic in men and women. He is said to have refused a fortune for his formula and wants the glory of the discovery to belong to Mexico. Medical organizations in Mexico claim his anesthetic is better than chloroform or ether.

Defies Injuries



NEA Los Angeles Bureau
Though Mrs. Alma Spreckels Rosekrans, popular California society girl and horsewoman, was injured in a fall while showing her horses recently, she planned to take part in both the riding and driving events of the Los Angeles horse show, including the hurdles in the hunting classes. Mrs. Rosekrans is shown with one of her famous string of show horses.

Title Case

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made to the property. Standing in the way of making a clear title to the ground was the stipulation contained in the dedicatory deed given the county by the original donors of the courthouse square, in which it was stated that the ground could be used by the county "for public use" and for so long a time as it was in use "by the public."

Witnesses for the plaintiffs included J. A. Hodges, Ira Wilson, R. C. Burns, J. A. Wilson, J. E. Garrison, Charles B. Metcalfe and W. D. Benson. For the defendants the witnesses were County Commissioner L. C. Denton, County Judge Robert H. Bean, R. C. Burns, W. S. Clark, P. F. Brown and Postmaster John L. Vaughan.

Try to Clear Title.

It was brought out in the plaintiff's testimony that the suit was filed by them, as taxpayers and citizens of Lubbock county, in an effort at proving why the site could not be given clear title.

In the defendant's testimony the fact was stated that the ground selected for the site had never been used "for public purposes"; that it was originally fenced in in 1891, when the county was organized, and that through the years since, it had never been used in any manner by the public. No public gatherings, it was said, had ever been held on the site, all such meetings having been held on the west side of the square. No walks ever had been built across the ground and the county has had, always sole and exclusive dominion since its organization.

Postmaster Vaughan testified that the government had appropriated \$335,000 for use in building a post-office and federal building in Lubbock, and that part of this appropriation was now available as soon as title to the site could be given.

Max Coleman represented the plaintiffs, as attorney, while Vickers and Campbell were attorneys for the defendants.

WORKER GOES WILD

Man Runs Amuck In N. Y.
Station With Knife

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. (AP)—A six foot iron worker, whom police said went suddenly insane, stabbed three men and a boy and threw hundreds of home-going workers into a panic in the crowded Times Square subway station tonight before he was knocked unconscious by a policeman.

PENSION MRS. WILSON

House Passes Bill Giving
War Leader's Widow Sum

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—Mrs. Edith Bolling Wilson, widow of President Woodrow Wilson, would be granted an annual pension of \$5,000 for the remainder of her life under a bill passed tonight by the house and sent to the senate.

A Clarinda, Iowa, couple paid for a marriage license with 300 pennies—saved during courtship, they said.

The bear is a shifty-eyed creature and will not look straight at a man, says Harold Tupper, a hunter of Hickley, Mo.

WAS FOUR-LETTER MAN

Bill Dietrick, obtained by Chattanooga from the Phillies to play shortstop this summer, was a four-letter winner at the University of Virginia.

New Arrivals

IN THE

Men's Dept.

Every day we are getting in new merchandise, every express shipment brings new goods to our door. Never before have we been as capable of supplying your needs as we are now, don't fail to come in soon and see all the season's newest styles in men's wear.

NEW DRESS PANTS

Good patterns and unexcelled wearing qualities.

MEN'S AND BOYS' RIDING BREECHES

Heavy, hard wearing riding pants for men and boys

MOLESKIN AND KHAKI WORK PANTS

The best work pants to be found anywhere, at prices no one can match.

MEN'S AND BOYS' WORK SHIRTS

Blue and grey chambray shirts for hard, out-of-door wear. All sizes.

NEW SPRING SUITS

Men's and Young Men's new suits for spring from the nationally known makers of fine clothing—"KUPPENHEIMER" and "HELDMAN".

THE SEASON'S NEWEST IN NECKWEAR

All the colors in the rainbow are shown in our unequalled selection of fine neckwear for men.

WATCH OUR WINDOWS FOR THE NEW ARRIVALS.

"If it's new, we have it"

Barrier Bros. Inc.

"Quality Stores Of West Texas"

Post Pioneers

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were jigs of all kinds—new and old fashioned—Doc Knock of Post starting, both from an endurance and from a novelty standpoint. Bill Kelly, Joe Mason and George Merriam, among the old timers, made the competition interesting for Mr. Knox, and Charles A. Guy of Lubbock, *Avalanche*-journal editor, responding to a special call from the floor, gave the crowd a demonstration of the more modern jig steps.

Wright Moor Talks

Mr. Wright Moor, of Snyder, who came to the Plains when herds of buffalo covered the Garza county hills and canyons and who chased the buffalo and the Indian over the then uncharted wastes of the Plains country, was the first speaker.

Mr. Moor dwelt in reminiscence for a few moments on the time when he first came to the Plains—in 1875. He was with a buffalo hunting expedition that time. He defended the pioneers who had exterminated the buffalo, saying that in the wake of the buffalo went the Indian and in the stead of the Indian came the present type of citizenship.

Mr. Boles, whose ranch near Lubbock is one of the show places of this part of the country, told of his first trip to the Plains.

Bill Elliott Called

"Scotch Bill" Elliott of Spur, made a short talk, introducing another old timer from the Spur community, Tom Hamilton, Hamilton, after much prompting, gave a solo, "Just Tell Them I Was There."

Gary White, with his harmonica and Tom McDonald with the wash-board next featured.

C. C. Hale of Spur, flashed a steel guitar and in a fashion reminiscent of the day when the troubadour-cowboy was his own orchestra, gave several selections.

Charles Clark, John Goggin, J. H. Renick and "Grandma" S. E. Harper also made short talks.

An improvised "style show," featuring Mrs. McWhirter in an Indian costume furnished by D. D. Caldwell, was a novelty of the program.

Tribute to the five 'old timers' who passed during the year was paid by M. C. Bishop who presented a resolution eulogizing Ken Elkins, who died during the year at the age of 95; John B. Slaughter, pioneer West Texas builder; A. W. Boucher; Norman Rogers, and C. L. Pickett.

MEDAL RECOMMENDED

House Passes Bill Giving
Honor to Rickenbacker

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—Captain Edward V. Rickenbacker, America's leading world war ace, who shot down 25 German aircraft would be awarded a congressional medal of honor under the Clancy bill passed tonight by the house and sent to the senate.

Spring Coats for Women \$18.75 to \$49.50

If you anticipate buying a spring coat, may we suggest that you will be delighted with what we show and to suggest that to get full benefits and pleasure from a spring coat you should buy early—this will give you added satisfaction—ours have every mark and indication of smartness.

New Dresses at
\$15.00 to \$39.75

Minter-Gamel Co.
That Friendly Store