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Mrs. Robertson Again Recounts How Elzie Died

Jury Obtained in Less Than First Day's Session In Collier Trial

TADLOCK LOCATED

Witness Who Caused Sensation in Former Trial Found at Lamesa

HASKELL, Texas, May 25.—Mrs. Hattie Robertson took the stand again today to recount to a jury the events of St. Valentine night February 14 when her 19-year-old son, Elzie, was shot to death in Wichita Falls by Frank Collier, former mayor of the city. She made an effective witness for the state when she was called this afternoon in the case against Mrs. Frank Collier, now on trial in the 39th district court here in connection with Robertson's death.

Re-Tells Killing Story.

Mrs. Robertson's tenure of the stand carried a part of the drama unfolded last March when she testified at the trial of Mr. Collier. Her own tears brought mist to the eyes of at least two Haskell county farmers on the jury, while the court room also was moved to more or less pity. Her testimony was practically the same as that given in Wichita Falls. Over strenuous objections of the defense she was allowed to tell in some detail of events transpiring at her home a short time before she and Buster left for their ill-fated trip to the Collier home to get Mary Francis. The climax of the day came when she repeated her charge that Mrs. Collier, while Buster's body lay bleeding on the ground in front of the Collier automobile, remarked to her husband "back up the car, Frank, so his mother can see he's dead."

The defense declined to cross examine Mrs. Robertson, although it was indicated she might be recalled later on in the trial.

The case proceeded with remarkable rapidity Monday and a near record was established in selection of a jury. The panel was completed at 2:15, less than an hour from the time court convened in the afternoon to choose the last seven men. Five were picked in the morning session.

Personnel of Jury.

The jury is composed of the following: O. L. Darden, Geo. B. Fields, A. B. Baker, Jess Bell, Adolph Guerrick, T. K. Keevil, H. H. Cook, J. A. Pinkerton, E. D. Allison, R. L. Foote, F. E. Gaunett, and C. M. Thompson. With the exception of Mr. Darden and Mr. Baker, all reside in or near Haskell. Darden is from Weinert and Baker from Sagerton. All of the men are farmers with the exception of Mr. Fields, who is a drayman and chief of the Haskell fire department; and Mr. Cook, who is a barber.

Forty-two veniremen out of a special panel of 440 were examined. The state used 16 and the defense nine of its peremptory challenges. Selection of the jurors was guided for the defense by Judge Murchison, a resident of this city who knew personally a number of the men called. He accepted several without even asking them a question. Tom Davis, district attorney of the 39th judicial district, and Clyde Grissom, county attorney of Haskell county, passed on the prospects for the state.

Aside from Mrs. Robertson, the only witness examined during the day was R. W. Windham, a special officer and night watchman at the Panhandle refinery who arrested Collier a few moments after the shooting. On direct examination he explained in detail the events of the night and by means of a chart chalked on a black board traced for the jury the movements of himself, Mr. and Mrs. Collier and Mrs. Robertson and Buster up until the time the boy was killed. His testimony was almost identical with that given at the trial of Mr. Collier. He was not cross examined by the defense.

Adjourned At 4 p. m.

Court was adjourned soon after 4:00 o'clock when the state announced the two witnesses it next desired to use, C. E. Bates, a deputy sheriff, and Arch Smith, undertaker, who took charge of Robertson's body were on their way from Wichita Falls. They will be the first witnesses called in the morning. The state is then expected to rest on direct testimony.

That Mrs. Collier will rely for a complete acquittal without the testimony of at least two persons who were important witnesses for her husband when he was tried in Wichita Falls last March seemed evident here today when her attorneys announced ready for trial despite the absence of E. W. Windham and Mrs. Nan Duncan. Both of these failed to respond when their names were called by the clerk, but C. I. Frances, defense attorney, informed the court after a

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"APPARENTLY UNMOVED"

"Mrs. Robertson's story brought tears to the eyes of two jurors. Mrs. Collier sat apparently unmoved. Her husband, who had been sworn as a witness, left the court room when Judge Bruce W. Bryant invoked the rule and ordered the witnesses segregated."

Excerpt from last night's Associated Press account of the Collier trial at Haskell.

THE WEATHER



Little Willie's room is his castle, and at the head of his bed he has tacked a sign in straggling capitals: HERE LIES WILLIE WILLIS.

Weather for Wichita Falls, Monday May 25, as reported by Wichita Falls Electric company follows: Maximum temperature, 85 degrees; minimum, 55; present, 71; trace precipitation; north breeze; clear; maximum wind velocity, 15 miles per hour; average wind velocity, 10 miles per hour; barometer, 29.18.

WEST TEXAS: Tuesday partly cloudy, warmer in north portion; Wednesday partly cloudy.

EAST TEXAS: Tuesday partly cloudy, scattered showers; warmer in north portion; Wednesday partly cloudy.

OKLAHOMA: Tuesday fair, warmer; Wednesday partly cloudy to cloudy.

TODAY IN WICHITA FALLS

STRAND—Laurette Taylor and Tom Moore in "One Night in Rome."

OLYMPIC—Blanche Sweet and Ronald Colman in "The Supreme Moment."

MISSION—Milton Sills and Doris Kenyon in "I Want My Man."

PALACE—Jolly Flappers musical comedy and big time vaudeville.

University club, noon luncheon at the Kemp hotel.

Advertising club, noon luncheon at the Kemp hotel.

Road Engineer In Wichita, Mapping Out Road to Coast

Harry Locke of the Locke Road Map company of Los Angeles, Cal., is in Wichita Falls mapping out a new route to the Pacific coast. Mr. Locke will leave this city Tuesday and go to Childress, where he will map the new highway from that city to Plainview and Lubbock. The counties of Childress, Motley, Cottle and Hall recently completed a bridge across the North Pease river, 25 miles southwest of Childress, which provides a short route to the South Plains country and eastern New Mexico. Mr. Locke is one of the most noted road men in America and visits Wichita Falls every year. He says this city has made wonderful progress during the past year and he believes it will not be many years until Wichita Falls can boast of a population of at least a hundred thousand.

DENVER OFFICIAL HERE

Assistant Superintendent to Accompany Maskat Train to Texline.

J. W. Mode, assistant superintendent for the Childress-Texline division of the Fort Worth and Denver City railway, arrived in Wichita Falls Monday afternoon. Superintendent Mode will accompany Maskat's special train from Wichita Falls to Texline. The special leaves Wichita Falls this afternoon.

Kemp Proffers Use Of Ball Room For C-C. Meet, June 11

The management of the Kemp hotel has tendered use of the ballroom for the officers and directors of the West Texas chamber of commerce, the meeting to be held here on Thursday, June 11. Some fifty or sixty delegates are expected to attend. Porter Whaley, general manager of the organization, has written the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce that many of the visitors would like to visit Lake Kemp and also go over the irrigated valley. Fred L. Haskett, assistant manager, is planning to see that the visitors are shown the big lake and the valley.

MA ASKS EXTRADITION.

Leavenworth Convict to Be Released Tuesday Wanted in Texas.

AUSTIN, May 25.—Requisition on the governor of Kansas for return of J. C. Cunningham, alias A. G. Leblanche, wanted in Jefferson county on charges of theft and burglary, was issued today by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson. Cunningham is now in custody in Leavenworth penitentiary and is to be released tomorrow.

NEW 20-STORY BUILDING PLANNED FOR HOUSTON

AUSTIN, May 25.—Plans for a new 20-story office building for Houston were disclosed here today when the Petroleum Building company, with capital stock of $200,000 was granted charter by the secretary of state. The incorporators are: T. P. Lee, Craig F. Cullinan and W. W. Moore.

"GOING WITH THE SHIP" SAYS E. F. GRISWOLD

Corporation official, Filing Bankruptcy, Makes Brief Statement

"ONE EXPLANATION"

Fate of Company Simple Story of Independent Refiner, He Says

A statement that "I am going with the ship" was made to The Record-News last night by Eugene F. Griswold, 1723 Huff avenue, of the Griswold Oil corporation which Monday afternoon filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court with Deputy District Clerk Roy E. Miller.

The petition listed liabilities as $605,088.58 and assets $718,666.85. Bills and promisory notes of $14,000; stock in trade of $37,000; machinery and tools $337,000; debts due on open accounts $38,450, and unliquidated claims of $3,000 are major items filed under the list of assets.

Mr. Griswold stated that a supplemental statement would be filed shortly with the United States district clerk.

Saw the Inevitable

"I have nothing else to say at this time," he stated, "other than that the situation will hit me very hard personally as I will also be involved in the bankruptcy. The situation in which the Griswold corporation finds itself is simply a story of the independent in the oil business; the story of the independent oil company. There was nothing about the business which hastened the action which we took today. We simply saw the inevitable coming and took the action we did.

"I believe a majority of the stockholders will find that they will have been fairly well taken care of when the legal matchinery now set in motion runs its course. I could add nothing to any statement in this connection at the present time."

Incorporated in 1919

The Griswold Oil corporation has been connected in many ways with North Texas oil development. The company was originally incorporated in 1919, numbering among its assets then several valuable leases in the South Electra area. Named among its directors was Eugene Christian of New York, a famous dietician and author.

The company expanded and soon purchased the Beacon refinery at Henrietta. To avoid pipeline charges from Henrietta to Electra, where their production was located, the plant was moved in its entirety to Electra in 1923 where it has remained ever since. A pipeline system to the various producing leases completed the expansion program.

It has operated since 1923 in Wichita Falls and the surrounding territory, carrying on a jobbing business in addition to actual producing, refining, and marketing of oil.

Grand Jury Returns Indictment Bill In Evolution Charges

DAYTON, Tenn., May 25.—(AP) Another revolution of the Tennessee legal wheel today threw the question of evolution fairly into the courts of the state. John Thomas Scopes was indicted by a grand jury on a charge of violating the Tennesse law against teaching in the public schools certain theories that deny the story of the Divine Creation of Man as taught by the Bible.

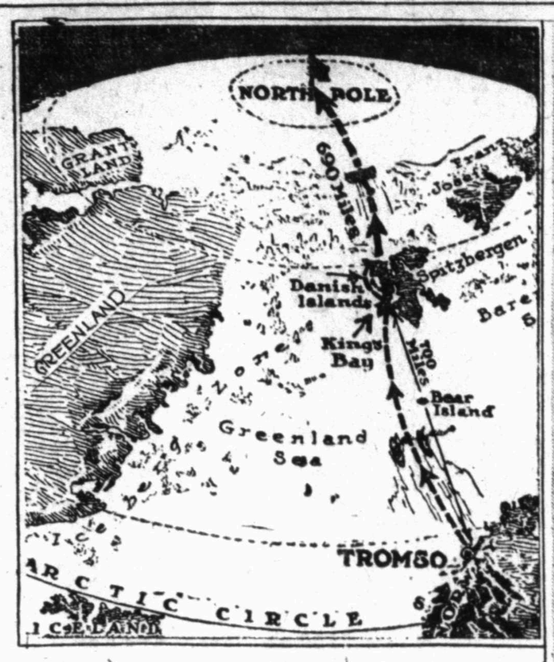
A special term of the circuit court was ordered to convene July 10, for trial of the school teacher.

TO ATTEND CHINESE MAT.

Chicago Lawyer Has Accepted Appointment to Customs Session.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Silas H. Strawn, Chicago lawyer, at the request of President Coolidge, has accepted appointment to go with Minister John Van A. McMurray to China as American commissioner, to attend the special conference on Chinese customs provided for in the nine-power treaty.

Latest Picture of Missing Amundsen, and His Route to North Pole



The course followed by Roald Amundsen in his dash to the North Pole is shown in the map. He and his party went through the Arctic ice to Kings Bay, Spitzbergen, by boat and then the two planes, carrying six men, jumped off for the goal. The explorer is seen on skis in his latest picture from the north.



CITY COUNCIL REVISES AUTO PARKING LAWS

Two-Hour Limit Returned Ofter One Hour Rule Proves Failure

City council ordinance effecting new traffic regulations will be found verbatim on page 12.

A revision of the traffic ordinance to permit parking of cars at an angle of 45 degrees on downtown streets within the red light zone and changing the time limit of such parking from one to two hours was passed by the city council at its meeting last night as an emergency measure, the ordinance to take effect Sunday morning, five days after its passage.

Agitation Outgrowth

The traffic ordinance revision was the outhgrowth of considerable agitation on the part of downtown merchants who complained that the ranking of cars and the short parking time limit was detrimental to downtown shopping. This agitation took the form last night of a petition presented by Claude Miller containing, as he said, the name of every merchant in the affected area.

The passage of the ordinance met with no opposition in the city council or from its citizens at the hearing. The motion for its passage was made first by Frank Queisser, police and fire commissioner, and seconded by J. H. Patton.

A galaxy of paving matters presented themselves at last night's session of the city council: the objection of citizens on Austin street from Seventh to Fourth to paving contemplated there was overruled and the paving ordered; Holliday street was ordered paved from Eleventh to the city limits, and the measure passed as an emergency ordinance; a contract for paving the alleyway between Ohio and Indiana between Sixth and Seventh streets was given to L. E. Whitman company as was also a contract for two blocks of paving on Thirteenth street, Holliday to Clark.

The petition of the Wichita Falls

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RELATED RETURNS

WASHINGTON, May 25.—(AP)—"Who's president?" The bureau of education of the department of interior, was asked today in a letter received today for school teachers, who are in the Alaskan service and had not heard the results of the November elections.

Panhandle Reports Heavy Rains Over Big Section Monday

CHILDRESS, Texas, May 25.—The Panhandle section received heavy rains Sunday night and Monday morning. Officials of the Fort Worth and Denver City Railway report an inch fall over most of their territory from Dalhart to Chillicothe, a distance of 236 miles. The rain fell here for several hours and the ground was thoroughly soaked. Although moisture was not needed the rain coming after three days of hot weather will prove beneficial to small grain crops. Farm lands were not washed but plenty of water was provided for the ranching interests. Prospects for bumper crops in the Panhandle were never brighter.

WINDS IN SAN ANTONIO

Telephone and Light Service Disrupted by Storm

SAN ANTONIO, May 25.—A high wind, reaching a velocity of 50 miles an hour, followed by a light rain, damaged telephone and electric light lines in San Antonio this morning. The storm followed the hottest spell experienced here in 13 years which reached a peak of 101 degrees Sunday afternoon.

DROUTH IN CALDWELL GOES

Heavy Rain in Lockhart Section Brings Much Needed Relief.

LOCKHARS, May 25.—From one-half to two inches of rain fell over Caldwell county today, breaking one of the worst drouths in 25 years. The rain was preceded by a wind-storm that blew down 40 derricks in the new oil field near here. Drilling pipe in the derricks was badly bent. Thermometers dropped 30 degrees below Sunday's reading.

Cotton in many sections of the county is dead and will be replanted. Corn is dead and little feed stuff has been planted.

PEKING BLAST KILLS 300

Mukden Arsenal Blows Up From Unknown Cause.

PEKING, May 26.—(AP)—Three hundred persons are reported to have been killed or wounded in an explosion at the Mukden Arsenal. The blast occurred in the middle of the night and demolished building a thousand yards from the arsenal. The cause is not known.

The Mukden arsenal, originally equipped with machinery manufactured in China, was recently brought up to date and the most modern plant installed the machines being imported from Denmark. Ether, sulphuric acid and smokeless powder were manufactured besides all descriptions of arms and munitions. Foreign instructors were engaged.

HAIL DAMAGES CROPS.

Lubbock Section Also Swept by Half-Inch Rain.

LUBBOCK, May 25.—Crops in some places over this section were destroyed by a light hail which fell with one-half inch of rain here last night. Newly planted fields were washed by the rain, making replanting necessary.

WICHITANS LOSE RELATIVE

Word was received in Wichita Falls yesterday that Lloyd Monroe had died Monday afternoon in Sayre, Okla. Grover, N. O. and J. R. Monroe have left for Sayre to attend funeral services which will be held at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

MURDER TRIAL INTERRUPTED BY A KILLING

Wife Shoots Husband In Dispute Over Child In El Paso Court

EL PASO, May 25.—(AP)—C. R. Jones, who came to El Paso a month ago from Los Angeles, was shot in the head late this afternoon by his wife in the 34th district court where both were among the spectators at a murder trial.

Room a Pandemonium.

Mrs. Jones, a slender young woman, blond, pretty and modishly dressed, dropped a small pistol and stood by the door, silent, while the court room was in pandemonium. Court attaches arrested her and rushed to the aid of her husband. A police surgeon found that the bullet had entered the man's left ear and came out by the right eye. While the wound is serious, he has a chance to live, physicians declare.

As he fell, Jones exclaimed, "Oh, my God, I'm shot. She did it. She followed me all the way from California."

Tells About Quarrel.

The woman was briefly questioned by the district attorney. She declared that following a quarrel with her husband, he came to El Paso a month ago from their home in Los Angeles and secured employment in construction work at the Masonic hospital. He took with him their child, Aileen, 5, who she claimed had been awarded to her custody by a Los Angeles court. She followed him to El Paso, arriving today and demanded the custody of the child, who he has been maintaining at the Salvation Army home.

Refused the Child.

Jones refused, and the couple by mutual agreement had come to court to make the custody of the child subject to court action when the shooting occurred. The couple had quietly entered the court room and taken a seat near the door about 20 minutes before the shot was fired.

Following her statement, Mrs. Janes refused to say more. She was held in the county jail.

Murder Trial At Wewoka to Jury

WEWOKA, Okla., May 25.—(AP) The case of Wiley Lynn, federal prohibition officer, charged with the murder of William "Bill" Tilghman, veteran peace officer at Cromwell, Okla., November 1, went to the jury at 5:33 p. m. to day.

The trial ended dramatically when S. P. Freeling, former attorney general of Oklahoma, and chief prosecuting attorney, spoke for more than an hour, describing Tilghman as one of the trail blazers of the west and a man who believed in enforcement of the law.

ANTI-MASK LAW UPHELD

Supreme Court Affirms Convictions Of Louisiana Men.

NEW ORLEANS, May 25—(AP) The new Louisiana anti-mask law was upheld today by the state supreme court which affirmed the conviction of Earl and Lee Craig, brothers of Rapidez parish, charged with violating the law.

The Craig brothers were sentenced to serve from three to five years. It was charged that wearing hoods they went to the home of a man in Rapidez parish and tried to flog him, but that his outcries aroused neighbros who saved him.

Amundsen

NEW YORK, May 25.—(AP) — The North American Newspaper Alliance announced through The Associated Press at 9 o'clock tonight that there was no news from the Amundsen-Ellsworth North Pole expedition.

More than four days have now elapsed since the two airplanes left King's Bay, Spitzbergen, for their pole flight, and nothing has been heard from them.

NEW YORK, May 25.—(AP) — Mingled expressions of pessimism and optimism are voiced by explorers and aviators here regarding the fate of the Amundsen-Ellsworth Polar expedition. The Norwegian explorer, his American backer and their four companions have not been heard from since they left Spitzbergen for the pole in two airplanes last Thursday afternoon.

COPENHAGEN, May 25.—(AP)— There is no confirmation here of the report printed in London by the Daily Mail that Captain Roald Amundsen had returned yesterday to his base at King's Bay, Spitzbergen, after his Polar flight.

LONDON, May 25.—(AP) — Not since the world waited for months in 1912 for news from the ill-fated expedition of Robert F. Scott, the British explorer, to the South Pole, has the fate of any Polar explorer excited so much speculation and interest in England as that of the Amundsen-Ellsworth expedition, now overdue at Spitzbergen.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., May 25.—(AP) —Hans Nansen of the First National bank of San Diego, a nephew of the noted explorer, Fritjof Nansen, announced here today that he was raising the funds to finance an expedition for the relief of Amundsen and was certain his plans would be successful.

COPENHAGEN, May 25.—(AP)— The newspaper Ekstrabladet today printed an interview with Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, the Norwegian Arctic explorer, in which he was quoted as saying "nobody in Norway is anxious regarding the fate of Amundsen. He is capable of handling himself under difficulties and hindrances of any kind. There is no reason to feel nervous about him."

OSLO, Norway, May 25.—(AP)— The only reports reaching Copenhagen from the north deal with weather conditions and these, in the opinion of some Arctic authorities, point to the probability that the Amundsen party has reached the pole and has landed, awaiting better atmospheric conditions before attempting the return journey.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., May 25.—(AP)—The zero hour for the relief of Roald Amundsen, Arctic explorer, missing since he started his North Pole flight from Spitzbergen last Thursday afternoon, will fall at dawn tomorrow in the opinion of Haakon H. Hammer, friend and former assistant of the Norwegian explorer, and leader of the expedition that went to the latter's relief in 1923.

OSLO, May 25.—(AP)—The shipping Gazette says that the Arctic regions are threatened with storms which it is thought will compel Captain Amundsen to return immediately if he is able.

The weather forecast is for snow and fog on Wednesday.

Man, Wife, Daughter Killed in Accident

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., May 25.—(AP)—Three people, husband, wife and daughter, were instantly killed at Rocky Hill, 15 miles north of here late today when their automobile was struck by the northbound Pan-American train on the Louisville & Nashville railroad.

The bodies were carried a hundred feet by the train but were not mangled. The machine was totally wrecked.

FLU BAIT OUT TO LABOR FOR POLITICAL AID NEXT ELECTION

Fitzwater, Farm Union Head, Extends Olive Branch To Organization

OFF OF POLITICS

He Tells Workers Convention They Should Quit "Fooling With Them"

AMARILLO, May 25.—(AP)—The Farm Labor union of Texas in the next gubernatorial campaign will support either a laboring man for governor or have their own candidate in the field, W. W. Fitzwater of Bonham, national president of the union, announced here today at the State Federation of Labor convention, which opened this morning.

The farm union supported T. W. Davidson of Marshall in the last campaign. It now has about 125,000 members in Texas and 300,000 in the territory organized. It is organized in Oklahoma, Mississippi, Alabama and Tennessee in addition to this state, Mr. Fitzwater said.

For United Effort.

Addressing the delegates in a plea for united effort, he declared that since their aims were one they should first organize on an economic basis and then enter the political field together.

"We ought to quit fooling with the

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Highway Commission Rejecting Petitions For Lack of Funds

AUSTIN, May 25.—The state highway commission can grant no further allotments of state nor make new designations, because of lack of funds, it was announced in a statement by Chairman Frank V. Lanham, Monday. Previous allotments will absorb revenues of the department "for some time to come," it was stated.

"The present highway commission inherits approximately $16,000,000 in allotments, which anticipates the revenues of the department for some time to come," Lanham said.

"We do not question the merits of these allotments of our predecessors, but the condition as above stated, nevertheless prevails.

"We hope," he added, "that in the course of a few months we may be able to comply with some of the many requests for designations and allotments, but such is not the case at this time."

RAIL HEARING ADVANCED.

T. P. and Santa Fe Dispute Set for November 2.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The supreme court today advanced to November 2 the hearing of the appeal of the Texas and Pacific Railway company challenging the right of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe to build a track from Hale, Dallas county, to industrial plants about eight miles distant without first obtaining the permission of the interstate commerce commission.

PRO FLEET IN GREAT LAKES.

Fifteen Rum Chasers to Patrol Lake Shore for Booze Smugglers.

CHICAGO, May 25.—The Chicago Daily News says today that the actual work of putting fifteen armed rum chasers into service on the Great Lakes under the command of James T. Breerton of Chicago has been completed and that the fleet will go into action along 110 miles of coast near Detroit.

Some armed boats may be sent here to try to catch bootleggers, it was said.

State Gas Tax In April Was $300,000

AUSTIN, May 25.—Tax on gasoline for April approximated $300,000, according to announcement of the comptroller's department. Five companies paid $275,000 of the total, the payments being: Gulf Refining company, $95,604; Pierce Petroleum company, $29,047; the Texas company, $61,440; Humble Oil and Refining company, $18,793; Magnolia Petroleum company, $7,180.

Visit Wichita Falls Will Be Old Home Week Slogan

WICHITA FALLS is making extensive preparation for Old Home Week, to be observed by proclamation of Mayor R. E. Shepherd May 31 to June 6. Leading merchants of the city are offering a wide range of tempting sales and buying events, and the city is to be thrown open to visitors from all sections of the surrounding territory who come "back home" at that time.



New to Merchants

The trade week is a new idea among the merchants, and will be observed for the the enthusiasm and wide preparation for the event, it promises to be an annual occurrance. Instead of merely an "Old Home Day," the week of six full shopping days is offered to give neighboring citizens the opportunity of visiting for one or more days or returning several times during the week to take advantage of any of the special events convenient to them.

Friendship Cause

Cordiality, and genuine spirit of friendliness and interest is behind the invitation extended to neighbors by Wichita Falls citizens, who desire to show them the service, the pleasures, and the conveniences a city can offer to the communities surrounding it. It is to instill the confident feeling that visitors to Wichita Falls are "at home" and among friends, that the week has been arranged.

Special days will be named during the week, centering attention and interest along specific lines, and their designation will be announced in Wednesday morning's Record News.

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JULY 4 WILL BE NATIONAL DEFENSE DAY

Coolidge Suggests Date As More Appropriate Than November

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The second national defense test will be held July 4.

President Coolidge today rejected the war department proposal that the muster be held on Armistice day, November 11, suggesting Independence day as "being a more appropriate date," and preparations were immediately begun to comply with his preference despite the limited time remaining in which to arrange the demonstration.

Extra Work.

Acceptance of the earlier date calls for extraordinary efforts to speed up the test machinery so that the muster will show the maximum results possible, and the preparation of plans and instructions already is under way.

In his letter to Acting Secretary Davis, the president did not explain his reason for rejecting the Armistice day suggestion, saying merely, "I do not approve your proposal that it be held on Armistice day."

The president's action opened the question whether the need for a test this year justified an effort to prepare for it by July 4. Mr. Davis and his military advisers have felt that such a limited period for preparation would be insufficient for laying the groundwork for a test as complete as it was intended to hold if the Armistice day date had been approved, but they decided immediately that the educational value of the demonstration in promoting public understanding of the new military policy which requires nation-wide civilian co-operation warranted efforts to hold a creditable muster July 4.

On Cal's Birthday.

Incidentally the president's suggestion of the July 4 date and its acceptance at the war department will result in the test being held on the fifty-third anniversary of his birth. The original muster last year was first planned as a mark of special honor to General Pershing and was scheduled to be held September 13, his sixty-fourth birthday anniversary and the date of his retirement from active service. By his direction, however, the date was changed to September 12, the anniversary of the battle of St. Mihiel.

Woman Worker From Dallas in Wichita

Mrs. Mamie Vaughn, deputy at large of the Woman's Benefit association from Dallas is in the city. She is arranging a campaign to get a large class for initiation on June 12. Mrs. Boltzer, state commander of Dallas, will be here at that time. Also several guard teams of Texas with visitors from Northwest Texas.

The local review will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. A. J. Connor. 2012 Pearl, 2 o'clock. All visitors in the city are especially invited to attend this meeting.

MRS. AVIS' MOTHER DIES

Wichita Couple Called to Sherman By Telegram Monday Afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Avis were called to Sherman late Monday afternoon on receipt of a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Avis' mother, Mrs. L. M. Bush, at that place. Mrs. Bush was 95 years old.

News of the Fields

Daniels-Rutis, Salmon

Daniels and Rutis were setting casing yesterday on eight feet of sand topped at 930 feet in their No. 2 Salmon, 291 feet east of the No. 1, gasser, which is located in the northwest corner of the Panhandle 77 acres, Chambliss survey, north Montague county, Nocona district. The sand was reported to show very good.

Magnolia, Waggoner

The Magnolia Petroleum company's No. 1, More-Waggoner, located in the northwest corner of the south half of the southeast quarter of section 59, block 4, H&TCRRCO survey, Wilbarger county, was reported yesterday drilling at 2,115 feet.

Ray-Massie, B-H-W

What be of great importance to South Vernon is seen in Ray and Massie's No. 1-B. Bond-Hawkins-Williams, located just west of the Stanley-Wynn thirty acres, northeast quarter of section 100, H&TCRRCO survey, block 14, Wilbarger county. The well has tawen about ten feet of a good looking oil sand just below 1,200 feet and is setting casing to test. The sand was topped considerably higher than was expected, it is understood and much hope for a good well is held out. The well is on a twenty-acre lease of Ray and Massie.

Consolidated, Smythe

Consolidated Oil company has abandoned its No. 1, Smythe, located in the northwest corner of block 4 Smythe sub-division, ETRRCO survey, west and a bit south of the Iowa Park pool, is a dry hole at a total depth of 2,010 feet, Wichita county.

Continental, Zipperle

The Consolidated Oil company has made a location for its No. 6, Zipperle, 300 feet east of the first location in the northwest corner of their south west forty acres of the northwest quarter of section 80, H&TCRRCO survey, block 14, east side of South Vernon, Wilbarger county.

Continental, Rogers

Continental Oil company and Gywnn have completed their No. 5, Rogers third location west from the northeast of the southwest of the north west of TE&LCO survey, block 2407, Harmel area, a dry hole at a total depth of about 1,414 feet, southwest Archer county.

Cranfill, Mills

Cranfill Brothers Oil company is rigging up on its No. 3, Mills, two locations west of the No. 2, producer from a 1,400-foot sand, just southwest of Megargel in TE&LCO survey 2413, southeast Baylor county.

Cranfill-Muse, Lowe

Cranfill Brothers Oil company and Muse are drilling on two wells, Nos. 5 and 6, one east of the No. 1, and the other south, on the Lowe farm block 3, Holeman survey, Crawford pasture sub-division, northwest of the Harmel area, south Archer county. One of the wells is reported down to about 500 feet.

Rowe, Hamilton

Rowe Drilling company-Norton et al No. 1, Doctor Hamilton in the north portion of block 1, Holeman survey, Crawford pasture sub-division, is a dry hole at a total depth of 1,253 feet, the low showing oil sand at 1,203-05 feet and water sand at 1,205 to 1,225 feet, south Archer county.

Consolidated, F. S. B. E.

The Consolidated Oil company is moving on for its No. 1, First State Bank of Electra fee, located 4,280 1-2 feet north and 150 feet east of the southwest corner of section 15, block 5, H&TCRRCO survey, southwest of Electra.

Consolidated, Kelley

The Consolidated Oil company has abandoned as dry its No. 1, Sam Kelley, in the northwest of the northeast of section 14, block 5, H&TC RRCO survey, southwest of Electra, total depth just below 2,000 feet.

Consolidated, Wilson

Consolidated Oil company and Larkin and White have a derrick up for their No. 1, Wilson, 2,490 feet south and 1,958.7 feet west of the northeast corner of block 76, ATNCL central Archer county, just east of the Burns-Maxson well.

Superior, Wilson

The Superior Oil Producing company has spudded and is drilling on its No. 1, Wilson, 450 feet north and 150 feet west of the southeast corner of block 62, ATNCL, north Archer county.

Dorrance-Batchelder

Dorrance and Batchelder have a derrick up and will spud in a day or so on their No. 1, F. L. Sorelle, in the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of block 2471, TE&LCO survey, Archer-Baylor line, northwest of Megargel.

Atlantic, Mitchell

The Atlantic Oil Producing company was reaming down to set casing yesterday afternoon on a sand at 1,499-1,501 feet in its No. 1, Mitchell, a northeast offset to the Howell discovery, southwest of Iowa Park, Wichita county.

Atlantic, Zipperle

The Atlantic Oil Producing company was drilling yesterday at about 800 feet in its No. 5, Zipperle, a location east of No. 2, northwest of the southwest of section 80, H&TCRRCO survey, block 14, east side of South Vernon, Wilbarger county.

Burton et al, Myers

Burton et al have finished up dry and abandoned without getting any showing worth the naming their No. 1 Myers, north Young county, 750 feet west and 450 feet north of the southeast corner of the 82½ acres, block 160, TE&LCO survey, total depth given as 1,254 feet.

Burton, Hankins

Burton et al No. 1, Hankins, located in the northeast corner of a 35 acre strip off the south end of the tract TE&LCO survey, block 410, Peter-Kemp general area, north Young county, was reported on a sand yesterday and setting casing, further details not known.

Wheeler County

Texhoma, Jackson.

Texhoma's No. 1, Jackson, near Shamrock, Wheeler county, is developing still more gas as more of the stratum is taken, a late guage showing 45,000,000 cubic feet from the pay at 2,186-2,245 feet. The gas is being cased off.

Whittington No. 3.

The Whittington No. 3 well in Wheeler county has set a liner and 6 5-8-inch casing at a total depth of 2,235 feet after giving the hole a shot with sand from 2,170-2,235 feet. The shot was 150 quarts and succeeded in making the well flow about 100 barrels in the first 24 hours. It is now making about 25 barrels a day.

Texhoma, Waggoner

Texhoma Oil and Refining company's No. 1, John and Jeff Waggoner, 450 feet north and 150 feet west of the southeast corner of block 16, section 11, south Wichita county, passed up an oil show early yesterday at a depth of 1,687-89 feet.

1926 Convention Of Geologists Is To Be at Dallas

Word is received from Tulsa that E. DeGolyer, vice-president and general manager of the Amerada Petroleum corporation, and president of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists has announced that the 1926 convention of the association would be held in Dallas next March. The 1925 convention was held at Wichita, Kan., and attended by many Texas geologists. It is believed currently that Wichita Falls will make an effort to bring the 1927 affair to Wichita Falls.

Texhoma, Flanicken

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company's No. 1, Flanicken, located in the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section 5, block 16, H&TC RRCO survey, a mile northeast of Tolbert, north Wilbarger county, was reported yesterday drilling below 2,004 feet.

Texhoma Montague

Howard Lease.

The Texhoma's No. 5, Howard, 75 feet north of the No. 1, Finis Robertson survey, north Montague county, was reported drilling yesterday at a depth of 1,086 feet.

Rowland Location.

Texhoma Oil and Refining company has made a location for its No. 1, J. W. Rowland, 150 feet north and east of the southwest corner of the Texhoma's Rowland forty acres, John Chambliss survey, north Montague county.

M-F, Wilson

Murchison and Fain are reported to have a small well, estimated at 30 barrels with a small water content from sand reported just below 1,078 feet in their No. 1, Wilson, northeast corner of the Wilson tract in the J. Poitevenet survey, abstract 222, northwest of Olney, north Young county.

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Oil Gossip

Harry Hines was in Wichita Falls yesterday afternoon after a few days spent in McKinney and Collin county.

John F. O'Donohoo and Orville Bullington are spending a few days in Denver and other western points on a business trip.

Roy I. Carter is a San Antonio visitor.

P. J. White is spending a few days in Kansas. He is expected back about the end of the week.

Sam Subersky and Dr. Edward Bylicka, former Wichita Falls operators, have come into some small production in a wildcat hole near Granite, Okla., at a depth of about 140 feet. The hole shows a heavy black oil, with apparently high lubricating value. The company, carried under the name H-S-H Oil company, is also drilling a well near Manitou, and are down 700 feet. A peculiar hard formation is continually encountered in this hole, so the story goes, that steel bits are so dulled that an average day's drilling is anywhere from six inches to two feet.

Virgil Whitworth of the geological department of the Royal Dutch Shell combine, is spending a day or so here preparatory to leaving with the Mask Shriners today on their pilgrimage to Los Angeles. Whitworth is stationed at Houston now.

W. T. (Bill) Flournoy, draftsman for the Texhoma Oil and Refining company, is leaving today on a two weeks' vacation for Los Angeles and other points in California.

Burton-Ruff Wggoner

Burton and Ruff were reported drilling yesterday at a depth of 2,450 feet on their No. 1, Waggoner, in the southeast quarter of section 9, H&TC RRCO survey, eastern Wilbarger county.

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Texhoma Buys Sanders-Taylor

Texhoma Oil and Refining company has purchased the assets of the Sanders-Taylor Drilling company for a sum of $142,391. The action was taken Monday morning at a meeting of the directors of the company.

SIX RUM SHIPS LEFT

Five More Vessels Pull Anchor And Leave.

NEW YORK, May 25.—(AP)—Captain W. V. E. Jacobs, New York commandant of the coast guard, said incoming patrols of the government's rum blockading fleet had informed him today that five large liquor laden ships had left the blockaded area over the week-end, leaving only six rum ships within thirty miles off shore from Nantucket Light to Atlantic City.

A week ago the various rum rows of the mid-Atlantic consisted of seven ships but by Saturday the number had grown to eleven.

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COTTON DELIVERIES INCREASE

46 Per Cent Increase Noted During Past Year

New York, May 25.—(AP)—An increase of 46% in the amount of cotton delivered on contract through dealings on the New York Cotton Exchange last year was reported in the annual review of operations, made public today. Deliveries for the fiscal year ended April 30, totaled 842,500 bales, a gain of 271,500 bales over the preceding period.

Under the administration of President Edward E. Bartlett, Jr., the year was one of the most progressive and successful in the history of the exchange, said the report. Memberships reached the record price of $35,000 and the volume of business showed steady expansion.

Among reforms in trading practice were listed the rule to suspend trading for five minutes before and 15 minutes after the issurance of government crop reports and the decision to stop trading in the current month on the tenth day of the month. Both changes, it was said, had proved satisfactory.

800 IS TOLL OF QUAKE

NEW YORK, May 25.—(AP)—A cablegram received today by the Japanese consulate general, states that the probable number of dead and wounded from the earthquake in Japan is 800. Toyo-Oka with 2,000 families, Knozaki with 700 and Kumahama with 500, are the principal towns that suffered, the message says. Toyo-Oka and Kinosaki were said to have been destroyed mainly by fire.

No further anxiety for the stricken region is felt, according to the cablegram. Railway communications were established the day after the quake, it says, and relief work is proceeding satisfactorily.



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A small and bright figure on a neutral background—with, perhaps, a touch of black, makes this material one of the Spring's most popular fabrics.

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It's really a printed cotton pongee, but its particular name is "Fasheen." It is reasonably priced, the yard, at

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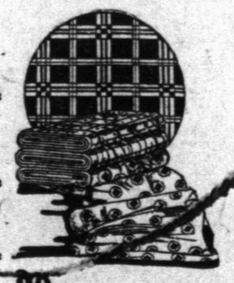
Summer time is gingham time! And here are ginghams for every Summer need. Gay ginghams and plain ginghams, for rompers, aprons, and dresses. Choose from them now at these low prices.

These Ginghams are serviceable for children's clothing and for house dresses. A wide variety of colorings in a number of patterns. Yard.....19c

32-in. H. C. S. Ginghams of superior quality, sold exclusively in the J. C. Penney Co. Stores; come in checks and plaids as well as plain shades. Also a range of dainty patterns in Amoskeag Chambray. Yard 23c

32-in. Amoskeag A. F. C. Ginghams of fine quality. Woven from selected yarns, in the best checks and plaids as well as plain colors. Yard..33c

32 and 35-in. Tissue Gingham in colorful checks and plaids, some with lustrous silk stripes. Excellent quality. Yard....49c



19c—29c

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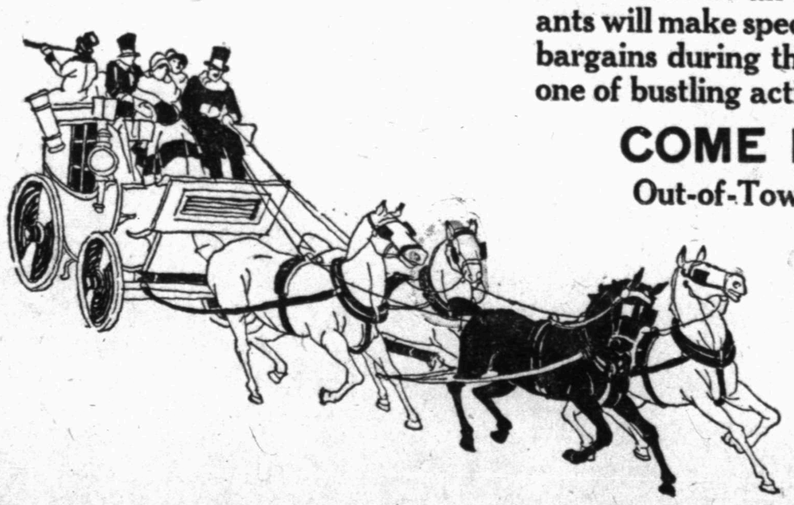
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For Announcements

PRINTED TAX LISTS UPHELD BY U. S. COURT

Newspapers May Publish Income Tax Lists, Court Decides

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Newspapers which published lists of income tax payers and the amounts they paid last fall were upheld in doing so today by the supreme court.

The court declared the newspapers were not guilty of a violation of the law in publishing income tax reports made available to public inspection in the offices of collectors of internal revenue.

COLLIER

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brief consultation with co-counsel that he was ready to proceed.

Windham was one of the star defense witnesses for Collier. It was Windham who, though a reluctant and hesitating witness, first told the jury in Wichita Falls of alleged carousals and immoral parties in the home of Mrs. Robertson, mother of the boy for whose death Mrs. Collier is now on trial. Process servers have sought him for weeks but have thus far been unable to locate him. His home was at Burkburnett.

The same is reported to be true of Mrs. Nan Duncan who also figured prominently in the trial of Colier. She it was who was alleged by the defense to have had clandestine meetings with men in the Robertson home and to have played a part in painting it the crimson sink of iniquity the defense maintained it was.

Get Tadlock.

It developed here this morning that W. A. Tadlock who the defense contends frequented the Robertson home for shady practices, had been found in Lamesa, Texas, last Saturday, and served with a witness subpoena. With Windham he was one of the leading defense witnesses and for a time it was feared he could not be found for service in the present trial. He was in court, however, when Mr. Francis sounded his jury list.

Several other defense witnesses, evidently regarded as important, were not in court when the case was called by Judge Bruce Bryan. Ed Michna, E. S. Richardson, Mrs. Mary Frohman and Mrs. Katherine Henricle failed to respond to the call. No action was taken on their absence, however.

The state took more drastic steps for two of its witnesses and asked Judge Bryan to issue bench warrants for Mrs. J. C. Hunt of Wichita Falls and Bouchie Wallace of Dallas. District Attorney James V. Allred informed the court he had reason to believe Mrs. Hunt was evading service and asked that an order be issued to insure her attendance. Judge Bryan acquiesced.

Bouchie Wallace, the other witness wanted by Mr. Allred was brought to Wichita Falls from Dallas when Collier was tried and told the jury he accompanied Buster Robertson and Mary Francis Collier to Walters, Okla., in June, 1924, when they were secretly married. He said he represented himself to the county clerk as Buster in order to obtain a license Wallace was in jail at Dallas on a charge of safe robbery when he was brought to Wichita Falls.

Same Procedure.

With these exceptions, it appeared the first day that the legal procedure of Mrs. Collier's trial would be about the same as that attending the trial of her husband. The state is not asking the death penalty and the defense has so far given no indication it will ask for a suspended sentence. This is taken to mean it will seek a full acquittal.

The state and defense made comparatively short examinations of all jurors. Three minutes was about the average time consumed with each man. The first question of the state has always been one on the venireman's attitude toward a woman defendant.

"Will the fact that the defendant in this case is a woman influence you in any way in arriving at a verdict," is the stock form. That and questions as to their knowledge and opinion of the case have constituted the state's examination.

The defense has been even more brief and one juror was accepted in the morning session without even being questioned at all. Judge W. H. Murchison, examining for the defense, has inquired about the family of each prospect, whether he has any girl and whether or not his mother is living or dead.

Judge Murchison has thus far taken the lead in Mrs. Collier's defense. He is a Haskell attorney of ripe experience. C. I. Frances and B. Y. Cummings of Wichita Falls complete the battery of attorneys for her. Fred Weeks, who was chief counsel for Mr. Collier, is not participating in the present trial. A break in health recently necessitated a rest for him, it is said.

Make Rapid Progress.

For the state District Attorney Allred of Wichita Falls, District Attorney Tom Davis of the 39th judicial district, Haskell, and County Attorney Clyde Grissom of Haskell county are handling the case.

More rapid progress than was expected toward selecting a jury in the [illegible] was made at the morning session [illegible] district court. Five jurors [illegible] accepted when court recessed of the [illegible] had been [illegible] floor of the little court at noon.

The lower [illegible] with members of the jury room was filled [illegible] summoned for jury special venire [illegible] was filled with service. The galle[illegible] with Mrs. Col[illegible] spectators. Collier sat [illegible] Mary Francis, lier, near the jury box. Ma[illegible] married their daughter, who was [illegible] in secretly to Elzie Robertson, [illegible] the court room for a brief time on[illegible]

"If the prosecution will concede that testimony of any absent witnesses would be the same as that offered at the trial of Mrs. Collier's husband in Wichita Falls on the same charge, the case will be tried immediately," Mr. Cummings said preliminary to the trial. "Of course, as the state develops its case we may see fit to change our plans, however. We think we can easily get a continuance, but as it stands now we do not want it."

Fifty-one witnesses have been summoned for the prosecution and 59 for the defense, and a special venire of 160 persons have been drawn.

All Principals There.

The principals are all here, Mr. and Mrs. Collier and their daughter, Mary Francis, arriving yesterday. Mrs. Hattie Robertson, mother of the slain youth, also came Sunday.

Just what part Mary Francis will play in the tragic drama is apparently uncertain. She was summoned at the trial of her father by both the prosecution and the defense, but did not testify. If she testifies in her mother's behalf she is expected to reveal some of the history of the events leading up to the killing, including her initial acquaintance with young Robertson.

It is conceded that Mrs. Collier did not fire any of the shots that killed Robertson. The pistol with which he was killed was in possession of a relative of the Collier family. Mrs. Collier was said to have procured it at the home of a relative where the couple had gone in search of their daughter. Collier was credited with having taken the weapon from his wife. Their search finally led them to the neighborhood of the Robertson dwelling, where the killing occurred.

Attorneys for the defense expect the case to be finished this week. Attorneys for the prosecution expressed the opinion it might require somewhat longer.

U. S. Withholds Approval On Danish "Salt of Gold" Remedy For Tuberculosis

WASHINGTON, May 25.—(AP)—The salt of gold and serum treatment for tuberculosis, originated in Denmark, has been given preliminary tests by the United States Public Health Service, which has announced that it must for the time being at least, withhold its approval.

Further tests are being conducted on the basis of new instructions from Denmark, but these have not reached a conclusive stage.

The salt of gold is known as sanocrysan. Until it receives government approval, it cannot be sold in the United States.

Dr. G. W. McCoy, director of experiments, described the treatment as very "heroic," asserting that Danish physicians had admitted "some deaths" had resulted in cases in which it had been given.

A report to the health service from the medical research council of Great Britain said scientists represented at the council were not yet ready to recommend the treatment in Great Britain.

Only calves were used in experiments in the United States, Dr. McCoy explained, although it was indicated human beings were treated in England.

"Our preliminary observations based on the experiments with calves," he said, "have failed to confirm the very optimistic reports sent out by Danish sources and until we find out why these reports are different, we do not feel justified in recommending the treatment for human beings."

LOSING BATTLE IS SEEN OVER GERMIST JURY

Twelve Men Locked Up In Chicago Case, Only Four Accepted

CHICAGO, May 25.—(AP)—Selection of a jury to try William Darling Shepherd for the alleged murder of his millionaire foster son, William Nelson McClintock, [illegible] administering subtle poisons and [illegible]oid germs developed into a sharp battle of wits today between Robert E. Crowe, states attorney and William Scott Stewart, chief of defense counsel, but was a losing battle so far as filling the jury box was concerned.

The 12 men locked up tonight included four jurors sworn in last Friday, one venireman tentatively passed by both sides, two veniremen questioned by the prosecution, and five who had not been examined by either side.

A detective from the state's attorney's office left tonight for Philadelphia, Pa., to assist the Philadelphia police in searching for Robert White, described by both prosecution and defense as a much desired witness. Joseph Savage, assistant state's attorney, today received a special delivery letter mailed in Philadelphia Saturday evening and purported to have been written by White in which the writer said he had "fled Chicago a nervous wreck in fear of his life." The latter said "Shepherd is guilty, I must admit and he knows I know it, and God help him when I get back. His bunch made a nervous wreck of me and also made me sign a statement against my will. "I am just commencing to fight Shepherd and his gang."

Defense Counsel Stewart stated when White's disappearance became known that White had voluntarily signed an affidavit withdrawing his accusations that Shepherd was seen at the National University of Sciences, where White formerly was known as a body-guard for Charles C. Faiman, proprietor.

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politicians," he said. "We ought to nominate men out of the shops and mines and from the farms, to make the laws we need. Politicians have promised me a lot of things they did not fulfill. When we start out again on the political route let's get together."

Mr. Fitzwater's talk was accepted by the labor leaders as an offer of combined political action in the next campaign in Texas. He said his organization had not selected a candidate but that they were studying the situation in the hope of finding a laboring man to run for governor.

Praise for Gompers.

He praised the late Samuel Gompers, former president of the American Federation of Labor, as one of the greatest characters America has had. He charged the packing companies were "robbing the cattle farmer" of his just profits.

Urges Mass Meetings

Mass meetings throughout the state between labor union people and consumers to acquaint the consumers with the alleged danger of prison made goods, were suggested by J. L. Wines of St. Joseph, Mo., representing the label trades department of the American Federation of Labor. He said the prisons of the country were teaching thousands of prisoners "a woman's trade," the making of aprons and dresses, without proper santary regulations and when the prisoners are set free he said, they are unable to get work in these trades.

Expenditure of $18,000,000 in four years by the International Typographical union to establish the 44-hour week in book and job plants, was but one cost of this movement, Seth R. Brown, first vice president of the International Typographical union declared. He announced the appointment of George W. Fisher of Fort Worth, as state representative of the International union and the opening of a campaign to gain back a number of houses which withdrew from union relationship because of the 44-hour week.

Palace Pleases With Jolly Flappers Show

The Jolly Flappers Musical Comedy company played to a large and pleasing audience last evening at the Palace theatre, affording plenty of laughter with their comedy jokes and songs during the entire performance. The entire bill furnished good clean, wholesome amusement from start to finish and one of the best bills presented this season. The feature attraction was Little Loraine Friendly, the five-year-old wonder, who displayed unusual talent in her little song hits which brough applause and encores from the entire house. The Martin Sisters, 8 and 12 years, was another feature attraction bringing pleasing expressions with their singing and dancing act.

An extra attraction was on the bill for the evening. Mr. Chas. "Irish" Buttomer sank "The Flapper Wife" and was greeted as one of the most popular song hits of the season.

This bill will be repeated this afternoon and night, with complete change of program Wednesday. It is the purpose of the manager of the Palace to offer nothing but good, clean, popular amusement at popular prices.



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'COTTON MILLS TO DOT TEXAS IN TEN YEARS'

Manufacturer Makes The Prophecy Before State Meet

DALLAS, May 25.—Texas will be dotted with cotton factories in the next decade, J. Perry Burrus, of Dallas, vice-president of the Texas State Manufacturers association, predicted today at the opening session of the annual convention of the organization here today. The volume of manufactured goods, he said, will surpass that of farm products.

26 Mills in State.

There are 26 cotton mills now in operation in Texas, but there will be hundreds scattered over the state during the next 20 years, he said. The "finishing-in-transit" rate which railroads of Texas have offered to inaugurate will aid this development, in the opinion of Mr. Burrus.

The convention was opened with addresses of welcome by Hugh S. Grady, Dallas, assistant city attorney, representing Mayor Louis Blaylock and T. M. Cullun, president of the Dallas chamber of commerce. Response was made by Julius H. Holmgren of San Antonio. Carl L. Pool of Sherman, president of the association, presided.

Consolidation Urged.

Consolidation of all manufacturing interest into a single organization was urged by Mr. Pool in his annual address. Departments devoted to such branches as cost accounting, labor training and finance should be formed in the major organization, Mr. Poole suggested. G. M. Knebel, San Antonio, general manager of the association in his annual report, urged support of Texas industrial enterprises to aid the development of factories to keep pace with expansion of agriculture and the growth of population.

Need of the proposed Texas industrial exposition to attract eastern manufacturers was emphasized by Mr. Knebel.

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The Finest Sheer Chiffon Hosiery with Lisle Tops. Product of Allen-A. $1.75

May White Sale

Monday was a busy day at our Annual May White Sale. Hundreds of women enjoyed the very attractive prices which we have placed on our white goods, and today promises to be just as bustling. Below you may be assured that each article is of genuine P. B. M. Company quality.

Madeira Embroidery Work

Vanity Sets, regular $5.50 and Buffet Sets, regular $4.98 values, $5.98 values, May White Sale $4.85

May White Sale $3.98

Chairback and Arm Sets, regular $8.50 values, May White Sale $6.85

36-in. Round Centers, regular $12.50 values, May White Sale $9.98

Madeira Towels, regular $1.98 values, May White Sale $1.45

12-in. Madeira Napkins, regular $3.98 values, May White Sale $7.85

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Appenzell Embroidery Work

Appenzell Embroidery Work made up in doilies, vanity sets, buffet sets, luncheon sets and scarfs.

6-in. round design, regular values $1.98, May White Sale $1.59

12-in. round design, regular value $3.98, May White Sale $2.98

18x34 scarfs, regular value $22.50, May White Sale $18.75

18x54 scarfs, regular value $24.50, May White Sale $19.85

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Brittany Lace

Brittany Lace made up in vanity sets, scarfs, pillows and doilies.

6-in. round design, regular price 75c, May White Sale 59c

8-in. round design, regular price 98c, May White Sale 79c

10-in. round designs, regular price $1.50, May White Sale $1.19

24-in. round design, regular price $7.50, May White Sale $5.85

6x12 oblong design, regular price $1.98, May White Sale $1.59

6x12 oblong design, regular price $2.50, May White Sale $1.98

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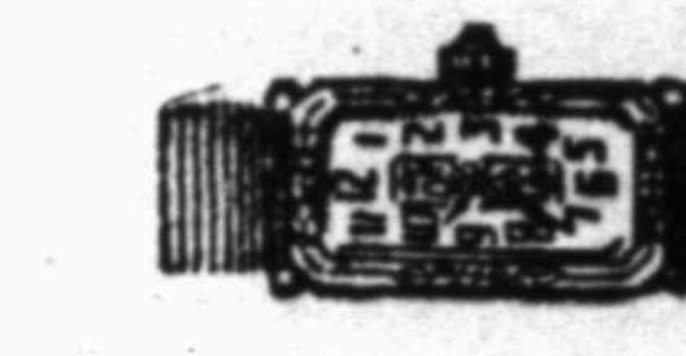
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"PRACTICAL AND POLITICAL."

Proposing a tax reduction of $400,000,000, Representative Bacharach of New Jersey declares that new revenue legislation must be approached from a "practical or political viewpoint, rather than from a theoretical or the so-called scientific viewpoint." Believers in scientific taxation may gasp at this bold assertion, but Bacharach ably supports it. Says he: "It is all right to talk of scientific tax reduction, and I believe that many of the changes suggested by Secretary Mellon and others along these lines ought to be put into effect. But I am basing my observation upon experience gained as a member of the ways and means committee, having fresh in mind what happened when we were considering the tax reduction last year and in 1922, and also keeping in mind the fact that before a new revenue bill can be passed by the house many members of that body will be in the midst of primary campaigns for renomination. They are going to pledge themselves to tax reduction along those lines which will meet the approval of their immediate constituencies, and not concern themselves so much about the country in general."

That last clause: "and not concern themselves so much about the country in general," is unfortunate. It places Mr. Bacharach in the attitude of half admitting that it is wrong for congressman to listen to their constituents on the subject of taxation. But there is no denying his main proposition. Congressmen will "pledge themselves to tax reduction along those lines which will meet the approval of their immediate constituencies," regardless of scientific schemes presented by experts. Indeed, they must do so. Those who are bold enough to follow the experts in defiance of popular sentiment will soon find themselves replaced by men who will act for the people in defiance of expert opinion. The people will have the last word on taxation, and therefore no tax scheme which cannot command their approval can justly be called business-like or efficient. As Mr. Bacharach suggests, the parctical view point on tax reform is necessarily political.

THE GREATEST ADVERTISING PROJECT.

Easily the most important resolution of a general nature adopted by the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World in convention at Houston was that endorsing the Texas centennial celebration. A spirit of generous feeling and unqualified approval breathes through the keynote declaration: "We heartily commend the citizenship of the state of Texas upon this meritorious and constructive undertaking." But there is much more than approbation in the resolution, which recites that the centennial idea first took definite shape in the 1923 annual convention of the Tenth District Associated Advertising Clubs of the World.

The centennial had its birth as an advertising project of the first magnitude. Its almost limitless possibilities appealed to veteran advertisers of the world. Now, nearer realization, those possibilities have a still stronger appeal. Texas has become known throughout the world as an industrial empire in the making. As a result of continued peace, the prospect of international participation in the centennial is far brighter than it was two years ago. The Texas Centennial association has perfected its organization and if its hopes are realized, a celebration will be staged in Texas which will rival or surpass the greatest of "world's fairs."

The other day a distinguished foreign visitor the most intolerant nation of peoples upon the earth, went home, shocked, to proclaim the United States And we who like to think of it as the Land of the Free, cannot be too sure there is not reason for his declaration.

Voltaire wrote that—"Toleration, in fine, never led to civil war; intolerance has covered the earth with carnage."

Toleration is recognition of the right of private judgment and allowance of that which is not wholly approved. This is all. Yet countless millions have died because of intolerance. No land has escaped.

Voltaire risked horrible tortures and death to roar his denunciations of religious intolerance in France, and he shook all Europe. In considering whether intolerance is of natural and human law, he observed:

"Natural law is that indicated to men by nature. You have reared a child; he owes you respect as a father, gratitude as a benefactor. You have a right to the products of the soul you have cultivated with your own hands. You have given and received a promise: it must be kept.

"Human law must in every case be based on natural law. All over the earth the great principle of both is: Do unto others what you would that they do unto you. Now, in virtue of this principle, one man, cannot say to another: 'Believe what I believe and what thou can'st not believe or thou shalt perish.

"In some countries they are now content to say: 'Believe or I detest thee: believe or I will do thee all the harm I can. Monster, thou sharest not my religion: thou shalt be a thing of horror to thy neighbors.'

"The supposed right of intolerance is absurd and barbaric. It is the right of the tiger; nay it is far worse, for tigers do but tear in order to have food.

"The ancient people of whom history h s given us some slight knowledge regarded their different religions as links that bound them together; it was an association of the human race. There was a kind of right to hospitality among the gods, as there was among men. When a stranger reached town, his first act was to worship the gods of the country; even the gods of enemies were strictly venerated."

We are pleased to consider ourselves advanced in civilization beyond the ancients. Yet history indicates that not one of the ancient civilized nations (B. C.) restricted the freedom of thought. Each of them had a religion, but it seems they used it in regard to men as they did in regard to th ir gods. All of them recognized a supreme God, but they associated with him a prodigious number of lesser divinities. They had only one cult, but they permitted numbers of special systems.

And I will be denounced for writing this.

By Dr. Frank Crane

ARE WE LIVING TOO FAST?

A bunch of German experts came over the other day on a steamer from Hamburg, and Professor Emil Kraepelin in an interview expressed himself as believing that people are living too fast in this country.

He said that young men are going ahead one hundred years here in the same time that they are advancing a quarter of a century in Europe.

He held that this would work havoc with the nervous system, and yet, after all, it might be a good thing.

It may be found out that speed in living, as we have here, is advantageous for race development instead of destructive. Those who have traveled in Europe have remarked upon the apparent slowness of life. People appear to have plenty of time—time to work, time to play, time to rest, and time to enjoy themselves. Here we are going fast all the time.

The trouble is that the American ideal is different from the European.

According to the American notion, a man is born to achieve something, while according to the European notion he is born to enjoy something.

In America enjoyment only comes through achievement. It is the reward of the doer.

Secretary Mellon, seventy years of age, is still a busy man. He has taken a job the salary for which he does not need, for he is a very rich man, and apparently taken it in order to be busy about something worth while. Every day is full of activity.

He is the type of the American man who is not happy unless he is doing something. With us a man who stops work stops life. More people are killed from resting than from any other cause, with us.

In Europe it is different. There orders of nobility, for instance, are all founded upon a leisure class. A man is noble in proportion as he can go far enough back to find an ancestor who worked for his salt.

There it is considered a disgrace to be in trade. With us if a man is doing nothing he is disgraced.

It is all in the way you look at it, and who knows whether our point of view is not sounder than the European?

At least our idea makes for progress, for unceasing activity and invention. We are not satisfied with things as they are ever, but we must be going on.

This explains perhaps American's predominancy in the world.

TEXAS ON THE MAP.

Texas occupies a large place on the map of the trading world. H. W. Wayne of London, a very important personage in the foreign advertising world, said to the delegates to the national ad convention, that the British returns to the gold standards will mean more to Texas than any other state in the American union. Why? Well read the words of Wayne:

"I say that because of the enormous trade of Texas in both cotton and petroleum with England. This state perhaps is the largest exporter to England in the United States. There should be a marked increase in the buying tendency of the British in the American cotton market with this standardization of the exchange."

Texas is the large producer of cotton of any American state. In some years it produces 40 per cent of the entire American crop. Texas consumes 2 per cent of the cotton crop in its own mills. Ninety-eight per cent of the crop is exported. John Bull is a very wise trader. He is never asleep at the switch. He knows where the raw materials of the world are produced. He knows when to buy and when to sell.

Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE.

Fighting.

"Peace hath her victories, no less renowned than war."

Incidentally, they must be fought for, with just about as much hardship and privation and danger.

Herbert Quick, who died very rencently, told in two interesting books about the fight that was necessary to subdue what has become one of the richest of the United States—Iowa.

It was thither that many of the original English stock went when they found the rocky surface of New England too sterile to support its population.

They migrated full of hope and energy—men used to poverty and hard work, innured to living on little and fighting for what they got.

They found a soil richer than any they had known.

But they knew nothing of the methods which have since made Iowa one of the most important agricultural districts in the world.

They were unused to living at great distances from each other. The rigors of the western winter, in a locality where there was nothing to prevent blizzards from sweeping down on them all the way from the Arctic, were more severe than any they had known in New York or in New England.

Fever and ague smothered them like pestilence.

Crop failure followed crop failure, because they did not know what to plant.

The pleague of locusts fell on them as it had fallen upon the children of Israel.

Yet calmly and bravely they continued to fight with their surroundings, and with the forces of nature.

They managed to take enough time from their farm work to build schools and educate their children.

They helped build each other's barns and houses, the barns being always the first to go up, and being always the most imposing after they were erected.

They brought ministers from the west and kept the Sabbath day holy, and worshiped God.

In time they established cities, though none of them were very large.

Des Moines, the capital and metropolis of Iowa, is to this day not as large as some of the manufacturing cities near London and New York.

Always this taming of the new state, and bringing it under cultivation and into civilization was a long uphill fight.

Many a devoted farmer's wife died from overwork, when a little past thirty.

Many a man wore himself out at an early age, and dropped by the way, as men go down in the trenches.

But there was never a falling back, or a cessation of hostilities. Steadily the fight went on, till at last it was won, and Iowa became one of the greatest granaries of the world.

It is thus that men fight, not always because they have to but they want to.

The fighting instinct is in them, and victory over something, man or nature, is their one desire. And it is this fighting that clears their minds and strengthens their sinews, and gives them a zest that makes it really worth while.

The Minute That Seems A Year. By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



Saws For The Goose

By VIOLA BROTHERS SHORE

1. Real love is like a man eatin' sharks. Everybody talks about it but you hardly ever meet anybody that's really seen it.
2. Tears dries quick and don't even leave a spot.
3. Real passion of any kind makes a good actress outa any woman except an actress.
4. Next to havin' a calm disposition, the best luck is bein' able to hide that you ain't.
5. Lots of times there's the noblest motives in back of a lie and nothin' but vanity in back of tellin' the truth.
6. Happiness or unhappiness depends much more on your disposition than on your fortune. But how many people sets to work acquirin' a disposition?
7. Love, in order to keep alive, has got to be fed with hope or fear.
8. A sprinklin' of masculine traits makes a better woman. Anything more than a sprinklin' makes a misfit.
9. All friendships that ain't founded on lovin' the other person more than yourself is on'y partnerships where each one hopes to gain some-m.
10. A misshaped apple might not stop a passin' automobile; but that aint' altogether a misfortune for the apple.

And Saws For The Gander

1. Bein' afraid or not bein' afraid is no more a man's fault or to his credit than likin' pineapples or not likin' 'em.
2. Love and hate is such close relations that the more a woman can make you feel the one, the more she can make you feel the other.
3. A guy that's got too many irons in the fire might find himself sooner or later among the irons.
4. A fool can't be made mad and a smart man won't.
5. The one sure way to get rich quick, but the one that people is the least interested in hearin' about, is earning a lotta money and spendin' none.
6. They say this'd be a great world if everything in it was to be done twice. But what'd become of rare roast beef.
7. Look at the difference in size between an oak and a grapefruit and then look at the difference in the size of their fruit.
8. The old pants is gen'rally made outa better stuff than the new patch.
9. There's no turn of luck so bad but what a smart man can squeeze some advantage outa it; and none so good but what a fool can't somehow manage to burn his fingers.
10. A good player ain't always the winner. But the winner is always a good player.

Irrigation

OUR HEAVY IRRIGATION TAXES

One of the commonest things you hear when people are objecting to the irrigation project is that it is probably all right but the taxes are out of sight. Too high, very much too high.

The taxes on each acre of land are $2.45 per acre per year and a further sum of $1.05 or a total of $3.50. The $2.45 is the amount it takes each year to pay off the bond issue of $35 in thirty-four years with interest at 6 per cent. The $1.05 is the amount that is supposed to be levied to pay for maintenance. By maintenance is meant the cost of cleaning and repairing canals, salaries and general overhead.

Twenty years ago there were some irrigation projects built where the cost for water was only $35 per acre. There have not been any built since then that we know of.

Every one with any knowledge of the cost of irrigation water knows that $35 per acre is very cheap indeed. In the days when water was sold for this amount payments were on an entirely different basis. Interest was the same but the period of payment was only ten years.

Let us see what a man had to pay in those days of cheap water. The first item was $3.50 on principle. After his first payment he still owed $31.50 and the interest on this was $1.89, or he had to pay a total amount per acre of $5.39. This makes $2.45 look pretty small.

On a new project maintenance was always fairly heavy. A dollar an acre was low. Two dollars didn't break anybody's heart. Just add another dollar to the $5.39 making $6.39 and then compare it to the total tax here of $3.50.

MATTERS OF HEALTH

A wishbone is a poor substitute for a backbone.

We watch our sneezes do we not? Yes, we do not.

To treat the infirmities that occur past forty, begin at twenty.

Whom the gods would destroy they first make eat.

Dairy made typhoid epidemics are sometimes dairy maid infections.

Ply the knife and save the cancer.

Avoidable exposure to measles is needlessly dangerous. The sequel as of measles carry a high mortality rate.

WHAT EDITORS ARE SAYING

Reports from Texas indicate it is never hard to find an excuse to pardon a convict if the governor is looking for one.—Frederick Leader.

The main trouble about Ford making airplanes is that it will make it necessary to have traffic regulations for skyways with myriads of air cops to enforce them.—Electra News.

Gone with the horse and buggy and the old-time tea kettle is the girl who thought a dress was not complete without sleeves.—Childress Index.

Texas is a big state and has to do a big business—even in its pardon business.—Iowa Park Herald.

Next thing to getting a world with a fence around it is a public utility corporation getting a franchise from the average municipality.—Ranger Times.

They used to say, "Life is what you make it." Now they say, "Life is what you make."—Munday Times.

If Hindy can stamp out communism in Germany, we are for him, regardless of his past.—Bowie Blade.

We award the year's prize for unadulterated nerve to the daily editor who runs features like "Advice to the Love Lorn," and then makes fun of the country weekly.—Chillicothe Valley News.

This is the season when mother tells father, how, when and where to drive the automobile.—Altus Plain Dealer.

Millinery sales remind dad of what "overhead" expense means. — Altus Times Democrat.

Silence is said to be golden and were it money, some people would go to a pauper's grave and we are excluding women. — Lawton News-Review.

POEMS THAT LIVE

REQUIEM.

Under the wide and starry sky,
Dig the grave and let me lie.
Glad did I live and gladly die,
And I laid me down with a will.

This be the verse you grave for me:
"Here he lies where he longed to be;
Home is the sailor, home from sea,
And the hunter home from the hill.

—Robert Louis Stevenson.

What Today Means to You

By MARY BLAKE.

Gemini.

You will undoubtedly experience, on awakening today, a feeling of lassitude and very little desire to put your shoulder to the wheel, and work persistently or perseveringly. This feeling will be accentuated as the day progresses, until you will be dissatisfied with your outlook in general, and become pessimistic. The planetary aspects indicate all this, and counsel that only duties that must receive attention should be carried out. They also indicate that poise must be maintained and self-control exercised, in order to avoid the saying or doing of those things that are often the natural outcome of a discontented state of mind.

Robust health and a fair measure of material success are presaged for the child born today. Physically, it will be lusty and give very little, if any evidence of sickness, either in infancy or thereafter. It does not promise to be endowed with any exceptional degree of intelligence. On the other hand, it will not be stupid, as its mind will be keen and alert. Common sense will be its chief asset. Practical application will always prevail as against theoretical supposition. Notwithstanding this, however, but as a result of it, this child, on attaining maturity, will be more successful in the handling of small affairs, than in the carrying out of big projects—in all of which imagination is a big factor.

Your disposition, if today is your birthday, is free from worry, merry, and light-hearted. You take life as it comes, and neither look upon the present nor the future with any very serious thought or vision. You may not have achieved material success, but this does not worry you, contented as you are with conditions, and surrounded on all hands by good friends and admirers.

You are not very energetic and more inclined to do as little as you can, rather than as much as you can. Play, recreation, and amusement enter more into your calculations than the satisfaction of any ambition to amass treasure or gain wealth.

Your temperament is affection, although you are not of the type to suffer from a broken heart. You easily make new friends and become quite enthusiastic about them. Although your emotions are generally under control, you are liable at times, to become excited and swayed with passion.

Successful people born on this date:
John Kingsbury, educator.
Henry K. Thatcher, rear-admiral.
Washington A. Roebling, civil engineer.
John A. Wyeth, surgeon.
Edgar Fawcett, author and poet.
Sara Jewett, actress.

HOW IT STARTED

"To Make Hay While Sun Shines"

To express foresight, taking advantage of the opportunity when it appears, one of the most commonly used sayings in our language is "making hay while the sun shines."

In the use of the phrase today "hay" is figurative for money or place or love or health or any other matter in which it is desirable to improve the shining hours. But in its origin "making hay while the sun shines" had a literal application.

It goes back to the time of Henry VIII in England when it became the substance of a legal statute. At the time great damage resulted from the practice of careless farmers who left their hay in the fields indefinitely after it was out and frequenty saw it ruined by rainstorms before they had it under shelter. To guard against such waste, the law was passed requiring farmers to take in their hay as soon as it was ready. It was from this statute that the expression "making hay while the sun shines" gained popularity in common speech.

More Truth Than Poetry

THE VOICE OF DUTY SPEAKING

If you should kill a mother fly
Ten thousand baby flies will die,

Ten thousand baby flies which soon
Might light upon your plate or spoon,

And leave there germs to give you chills
And many other sorts of ills,

The fly is weak, and you are strong?
To slay her while she sings her song

So low and buzzingly to you
May seem a brutal thing to do,

And you may think, with brimming eyes,
About those little baby flies

Which will not see the light of day
If their dear mother fly you slay;

But inasmuch as you are here
Upon this round and mundane sphere,

To do a tidy bit more good
Than flies by tens of millions could,

And maybe rise to wealth and fame—
You'd better swat her, just the same.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

THE BACHELOR WHO WANTS TO BE AN AUTHORITY ON WOMEN—SHOULDN'T HUBBY TEND BABY ONE NIGHT A WEEK?—WILL MARRIAGE REFORM THE WAYWARD GIRL?

Dear Miss Dix—I desire to be an authority on women, and I spend my evenings reading and studying about them, while my friend says that to know women you have to go to see them every night and associate with them.

I would like to marry, but I cannot decide between a number of girls I know, each one of whom would make a wonderful wife. If I only knew one attractive woman, I might fall in love with her, but I am confused between so many. What would you advise, so that this hunter of women could catch a dear? D. M.

Answer—I am afraid Mr. D. M., that you have set yourself rather a difficult task in seeking to become an authority on women. The only men that I know of who has ever done that is Booth Tarkington. To him God has vouchsafed the power to read the riddle of a woman's soul, but these things are hidden from the ordinary man.

Therefore, if you are going to study women from books, I recommend the novels of Mr. Tarkington, and in particular a story called "Alice Adams," which no woman can read without squirming, because it lays bare all the little pitful tricks and snares by which girls seek to catch husbands. Most of the women in books are just lay figures, automatons that novelists created, and whose strings they pull, making them do and say things that no woman would do or say under the circumstances, so I don't think you will get much profit out of spending your nights studying them.

I agree with your friend that if you want to become an authority on women you will have to conduct your research with living specimens of the species. Kipling tells of a man who became wise in feminine psychology and he cites a large number of ladies he has known, and in dealing with each says: "And I learned about women from her." For you see in that is the allure of the fair sex—not only are no two women alike, but no one woman is the same all the way through.

No matter how long you know a woman, you will always be running across something new and surprising in her, and finding out that she has characteristics that you never suspected her of having concealed about her disposition. Woman is a fascinating study, and I commend it to you. But it is a life work, and to really qualify as an expert you will have to get married. It is only wives who teach the post-graduate course in it.

It is too bad that you can't decide which one among your women acquaintances you like best, but it is quite understandable. That is the excuse that many men give for roaming, even after they are married. They love their wives, but oh, you flapper! They are fascinated by Gladys because she is so gay and full of pep, and by Mary, because she is so quiet and demure. They admire Susie because she is a blond, and Sallie because she is a brunette. They like sensible Ann to talk to and Mimi to jazz with. And they agree with the poet who said he "would be happy with either dear charmer, were t'other dear charmer away."

Probably Adam was the only man who never had any difficulty in making a choice of a wife. DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Dorothy Dix—The first two years of my married life were very happy, and my husband and I were congenial pals. Then came the first baby, a frail little thing, demanding much attention. But I managed to care for him and do all my work. It was then the rift started. My husband couldn't bother to wait for me to go with him, besides it was the woman's place to stay at home and take care of the baby, while the man went abroad to amuse himself. But I accepted it all cheerfully. Now my children are 4 and 5 years, and I feel that my husband should occasionally be willing to stay with them and let me go to the pictures or to see a friend. But when I do go, he gets in a rage and doesn't speak for days, although I have earned the money that I spend by doing work outside the home.

What do you think? R.

Answer—I think a man is unutterably selfish who isn't willing to do some part of the baby tending, and give his poor, tired, overworked wife a change and rest. The children are just as much his as hers.

Besides, it gives him a chance to get acquainted with the children, and if he has any sense of his duty as a father he must realize that if he doesn't win his children's love and confidence in the cradle he will never do it. It is the fathers who tell their children bedtime stories, and have pillow fights with them and play games with them, who have their children's confidence and are able to steer them along the right road when they go older.

Most children have too much mother and too little father, and every mother should make it a point to leave father in charge of the youngsters every now and then. It is the only way they can ever get together and have real heart-to-heart sessions.

It does every woman good to get away from her youngsters. It gets the kinks out of her nerves, and gives her something to think about. And, oh! how it does increase her husband's respect for her when he ascertains by actual experience that running a department store or a big trust is a piking job compared to running a baby, and that one 2-year-old can ask more questions in an hour than an encyclodepia could answer in a week!

So take your evening off every week. Any servant girl demands that, and make husband take his turn at looking after the kiddies. As for his rages and sulking, don't notice them. Hard words break no bones. DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Miss Dix—I am in love with a girl who I know is not a [illegible] girl. But she has promised to reform, and if I marry her to be [illegible] good and faithful wife to me. In your opinion, do such girls reform in [illegible] or is it only in story books that they turn over a new leaf? I [illegible] a true poor man, unable to provide this girl with theluxuries she now [illegible] real life, she be saitsfied? Your advice would be appreciated. D[illegible] am only a [illegible] enjoys. Would[illegible] DOUBTFUL.

Answer—This question is asked me very ofte[illegible] It I can only reply that it all depends on th[illegible] by men, and to There are girls who go wrong through [illegible] individual girl. or ignorance, or through love, or some[illegible] some blunder of youth who are not immoral at heart. T[illegible] sudden gust of passion, but bitterness and tears, and fight h[illegible] these girls repent their sins in Such a girl as this will [illegible] back to the right road. wives. She has had a terri[illegible] make the most faithful and loyal of going astray again. [illegible] ble lesson and there is no danger of her

But the girl who has sinned and who has continued in sin without making any effort to reform, will never be reformed by marriage. She is immoral by nature. Adventures will always lure her, and the bright lights beckon. She will always be wanting the thrill of affairs with other men.

It is particularly dangerous for a poor man to marry this sort of a woman, because she is luxury loving, and when she cannot have the finery and lazy life to which she is accustomed she will be very apt to go back to the old way of getting them. It is the women who are not willing to work, or deny themselves, who take the easiest way. There are plenty of women who have sold their souls for a yard of chiffon.

But why marry a woman of bad character whe nthere are so many women of good character in the world? Why pick not a rotten peach when there are so many sound ones on the tree?

DOROTHY DIX.

SOCIETY

POPPIES, beautiful red poppies, millions of poppies are being made throughout our land under the direction of the American Legion Auxiliary.

The women of the auxiliary of Wichita Falls according to the president, Mrs. O. T. Ailes have made many poppies to be sold on the street Wednesday. Each popy is beautifully made and will each tell its story.

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Some will tell the story of the doctor who had lost his power to concentrate, due to the effects of war strain, and had to give up his practice and go to a hospital for a complete rest and treatment.

Always in everything he tried to do, he was handicapped by this lack of power to concentrate. One day to help him pass the time, they brought him poppies to make, beautiful American Legion Auxiliary poppies, and as he learned to make these step by step, and then repeat—step by step and again repeat, he regained his power of concentration. Now he is home again once more able to take his place in the world of successful citizens.

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OTHERS will tell you of John, the disheartened. He had made beautiful raffia baskets in the soldiers' hospital—he had made a reed desk, a fernery, three lamps and they were for sale. Always when he went into the department to work, these greeted him—there had been no sales. Discouraged and disheartened because he had failed to make something that somebody wanted, he dropped out of the work. The days were long at the hospital, time dragged.

One day a comrade called to him—"Say John why don't you come over to the therapy department and make poppies?" Not for him; he had made enough things that nobody wanted. His comrade then told him of the American Legion Auxiliary poppy program which paid one and one-fourth cents for every poppy made, and assured him that it meant sure money.

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SKEPTICAL, but willing to be convinced that there was a paying industry being conducted in the therapy department, John went over, and for four months he averaged $50 a month making poppies. The days were then too short and his entire mental aspect changed for he had earned something, something somebody else wanted.

The poppies made by the little Virginia mother are begging to tell their story. She was stranded in Wisconsin. She had come north with her husband and two children in early fall and soon after January first her husband was sent to soldier's hospital mentally a wreck.

There was no compensation and she was lonesome for Virginia that cold Wisconsin winter. As she had true Virginia pride, she would not accept the proffered help of the American Legion, but when she was told she could make poppies for the American Legion Auxiliary and earn the money to take her home she was happy.

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SHE made 4,500 poppies and the check for $57.50 paid her by the auxiliary enabled her to go back to those she loved "in old Virginia."

And thus the little red poppy before and after the sale makes this world a happier place to live for the service men and women and deserves the honor of having been chosen the emblem of faith which is being kept with all who died through service to the living.

Wednesday morning early the members of the auxiliary will be on the streets with their poppies. Every one is asked and expected to buy one. The price will be ten cents and up. The women will be stationed at Perkins and Timberlak, P. B. M., Art Jewelry, McClurkan's, Renfro Drug, lobby of City National bank, First National bank, lobby of Waggoner building, Staley building, Saul's and at the union station.

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ALL over the world on this day the red flower will be worn. In every state and every city the women of he auxiliary are busy selling the poppies. Never again can this poppy be worn as an ordinary red tag, but it is hoped that all who buy the poppy get its message and wear it in the knowledge that someone for whom this American Legion Auxiliary program was a blessing made each flower. Only when the public has the true understanding of this little red flower can the poppy fulfill its real mission as a memorial emblem to be worn in tribute to all who died.

MRS. HAWKINS HONORS DAUGHTER WITH PARTY.

MRS. W. L. HAWKINS honored her daughter, Miss Eloise, with a pretty breakfast and bunco party Saturday morning at the Country club.

The prettily appointed breakfast was decorated in the spring colors, with spring flowers used to further the scheme. The guests were each presented a light colored hand painted fan as a favor.

After breakfast bunco was enjoyed for several hours. In the games Miss Virgie Mae Adams won high score and was presented a pretty vanity case. Miss Nataline Lebenson was consoled with a novelty bottle of perfume for making low score. The one at each table who had the highest score and the one with low score received gifts. The ones who held high were Misses Betsy Lee, Rose Marian Art, Clair Elizabeth Howell, Wilma Brown and Mary Virginia Barron. Each received a basket of spring flowers. Those holding low were Misses Imogene Willis, Clara Carter, Marian Proctor, Mary Agnes Riley and Nataline Lebenson. Novelty pencils were given each.

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EVANGELICAL LADIES MEET WITH MRS. G. E. GILBREATH.

MRS. G. E. GILBREATH was hostess Monday afternoon to the members of the Yale Evangelical church at her home, 2201 Austin.

In the social service report 19 sick calls were reported, 12 shut-ins, three lunches, 2 destitute families given help, and $4.10 given in money.

Mrs. Raines was appointed chairman of the sick and relief committee. Plans were made for an ice cream social to be given June first on the church lawn. Miss Birmah Arnold, Ruth Johnson and Eddie Alice Gilbreath will have charge of the musical program. Mrs. W. D. Cook was appointed to take care of the serving and Mesdames W. S. Martin and G. E. Gilbreath will have charge of the plans and arrangements.

Then members were present. The society will meet next Monday with Mrs. J. L. Arnold, 2217 Broad.

KATZ TO PRESENT HIS PUPILS THURSDAY EVENING.

ERNEST KATZ will present a group of his pipils in a recital Tuesday evening at the Junior college, 8:15 o'clock. The numbers that will be given at this recital will cover the entire work of the season. On Wednesday evening he will present a another group at the college, 8:15 o'clock. This recital closes his session of work and his classes will be closed until next fall. The public is cordially invited to attend both programs. Mr. Katz leaves sometime in June for Europe. He will not return until early fall.

Sub Rosa—Mimi

There are a great many young buds in the world who feel that the easiest and quickest way to win popularity is to agree with everybody they meet and to go through life enthusiastically praising everybody and everything they come in contact with.

To this end they develop a sort of set speech which they deliver on every and all occasions, no matter what the subject under discussion, no matter whom they're addressing: "My dear, I think you're absolutely marvelous. I don't see how you ever thought of such a thing. You have the cleverest ideas, and you always know just how to work them out. My dear, you're marvelous."

When a new dress is displayed to this popularity-seeker, she takes a long breath, gasps convulsively and simply shrieks: "That's the most stunning thing I've ever seen in my life. Where in the world did you get it? Isn't it just too darling. Oh, you have the most superb taste," and so on and so on.

Honestly I don't believe there are many half-wits left in the world who fall for that kind of "raving" as it is called.

And even with the few whom it does impress, there comes after a while a feeling of weariness at the persistent raver.

You see they never change their lines—they can't do anything to improve them except possibly to shriek a little louder.

And no matter how susceptible you are to flattery when a girl has assured you that each of your last six new dresses, in turn, was the "most stunning thing she's ever seen in her life", you rather tire of exactly the same wording, over and over again.

After a while the lady who raves and raves finds that her opinions on different subjects, on clothes and dances and boys, are not sought after quite as much as they once were.

"No use of asking Alice how she likes my new hat," Nellie will tell May. "She'll just rave her head off about it, the way she does about everything it, under the sun."

else until the boys come to the conclusion that Alice's admiration for them is not so flattering as it once appeared.

Especially do they reach this conclusion when they find that Alice has told at least four of them in turn that "of all the boys in the crowd you are the most perfect dancer. I don' see how you do it—think up all those new steps and everything. It's simply marvelous."

No, the boys decide, enough is enough and Alice piles on the sugar much too thick. It doesn't ring true somehow.

So in the end she who raves defeats her own purpose. Raving is an awfully fruitless indoor pastime.

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PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY HOST TO NEW WOMEN.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church entertained the guild, the Lucy Hansel chapter of the Westminster guild, and the new women of the church on Monday afternoon at the beautiful home of Mrs. Bernard Martin. Mesdames A. H. Carrigan, H. B. Patterson, G. D. Anderson, C. W. Beavers, A. E. Fowler and Bernard Martin were the hostesses of the afternoon.

Rev. Nat F. Grafton reveiwed "The Cathedral" by Hugh Walpole n a splendid manner. Miss Dorothy Burks, Mrs. Brownell, Mr. Law and Mr. Alva Wilgus sang "The Long Road" and graciously responded with several encores.

Rev. and Mrs. Grafton are expect- to leave for a tour of Europe s an expression of godspeed and ill they were presented with ich they might use on their

gifts wh was decorated with trip.

The hous and fruit ice was spring flowers served.

Mrs. C. H. Alexa nder of Childress, estate presbyte- afternoon. past president of the rial, was a guest of the Mesdames Among those present were N. N. F. Grafton, R. O. Harvey, Prothro, J. W. Smith, D. J. Wo C. C. Hagmann, Pitmann, T. A. Urich, F. L. Strief, J. D. Robinson, M. Gaffney, A. L. Warren, W. H. Appel, J. W. Meadows, W. N. White, O. R. Hart, W. H. Palmer, J. W. Crews, R. J. Webb, D. J. White, G. E. Kadane, E. A. Skalinder, C. C. Randle, Ed Howard, E. W. Nicholson, L. O. Brown, J. T. Butts, W. W. Robinson, J. W. Eastin, W. E. Cobb, S. J. Hervey, J. D. Harris, F. Q. Swanson, W. P. Bolding, A. Proctor, Burks, O. T. Gorsline, J. M. Bell, B. L. Fain, A. Southers, J. A. Stone, Goff, Samuels, Harriet McGee, L. R. Buchanan, S. McGregor, O. Bullington, Grubbs, J. A. Richolt, J. W. Culbertson, Jarrell, Kenning, C. Atchinson, E. T. Duff, McMinn, A. E. Mcnetcheon, C. C. Dooly, Rowe, Misses Kate Haynes. Jodie Haynes, Joyce Samuels, Linley, Jewel Kimberlin.

She Is Popular At Capital



Though Helene Heilmann, daughter of M. Heilmann, former first secretary of the French embassy in Washington, no longer resides in the capital, she still is immensely popular in the younger diplomatic set there. This is being attested by the affairs being staged in her honor while she is in the city as a visitor from San Francisco, where her father now is his country's consul.

Douglas Malloch One Of Most Honored American Poets Here Thursday

FEW literary men in America have been more honored by their fellows than has Douglas Malloch, "the poet who makes living a joy," who is making his second eagerly anticipated appearance before Wichitans Thursday evening, May 28, at the Junior college auditorium where he will be presented in concert by the local Musician's club.

Born in Michigan.

Malloch was born in Michigan, and when a new version of the state song was desired, the likeable poet was selected to write it. Now, every school child in Michigan knows the lines, for due to the State Federation of Women's clubs, who were overjoyed with the results, Malloch's version is used in the public schools of the state and at all public gatherings.

When Mr. Malloch moved to Chicago he immediately became a leader in the newspaper and literary life of that city. He held practically every office in the Press club of Chicago, and was then unanimously elected its president. Under his administration it attained a membership of 1,500 and became the largest press club in the world.

John M. Starl, the late Emerson Hough Hamlin Garland, Edna Ferber, Mr. Malloch and others organized the Society of Midland Authors, embracing in its membership the authors of the Middle West. Mr. Malloch was made the first secretary, the late James Whitcomb Riley heading the organization as honorary president. Mr. Malloch has since served it as vice-president for Illinois, but has been compelled to decline the presidency because of his speaking engagements.

He is, of course, a member of the Authors' League of America, and an honorary member of the Natonal Edtoral association, as well as of a large number of other large organizations throughout the country. He has been master of the Writers' Guild of Chicago, and is an honorary member of the Forty club, which to Chicago is what the Gridiron club is to Washington. He himself wrote two "gridiron" performances for the Press club which packed the Auditorium theatre in Chicago to capacity.

And, while more or less busy with these things, Malloch has managed to find time to publish five books, make over a thousand speeches, visit 47 of the 48 states, as well as Europe, and write a poem a day for a syndicate of American newspapers!

WICHITA GIRL MARRIES OLNEY YOUTH, SUNDAY.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hancock announce the marriage, on Sunday, May 24, of their daughter, Genevieve, to Mr. J. R. Knight of Olney, formerly of Wichita Falls. Mrs. Knight graduated from the local high school with the class of 1924, and for the past year has been attending the Junior college. The young couple will make their home in Olney, where Mr. Knight is in business.

Miss Pyrle Bradshaw of Big Springs has returned to her home after a visit with friends in Wichita Falls.

Picnic In Scotland Park Monday Opens Methodist Young People's Program

OVER 300 Methodist young people and their friends attended the picnic supper and frolic at Scotland park Monday evening which officially opened the Methodist Young People's Week from May 25 to June 2 which is being presented by the youth of the three Methodist churches of Wichita Falls under the general direction of C. C. Donaldson.

Upon arrival, guests registered, and were assigned to one of three game groups for the evening, the Red, White, and Blue groups, under the leadership of R. W. McCulloch, Will McClure, and Dr. T. H. Myers, respectively, with Misses Birdie Simmons, Pearl Breedon, and Lucil Doke, their respective assistants. A lively program of games, consisting of stunts was interrupted after a time for the presentation of campaign demonstrations for candidates for queen of the circus. Murrell Hooper, contest judge was presented with ballot boxes, accepting votes for the three leading candidates, and the campaign stunts were put on as follows:

Presented Skit.

Misses Lucille Ballard and Vera Cain presented a skit in support of Miss Alva Ruth Walker, candidate from the senior department of the Sunday school. Roy Carter and Alfred Cass, by a clever stunt, up held the glory of Miss Ora Lee Smith, queen candidate from senior Epworth league No. 1; and Wm. Kerr and Dr. T. H. Myers presented a stunt in support of Miss Hilda Ingraham, queen candidate for the Escalator Sunday school class. The campaigning caused much merriment and entertainment for the spectators, and was done in the interest of choosing the queen of the circus who is to be crowned with regal ceremonies at the opening performance Friday night, of the circus which crowns the activities of Young People's week. The contest for her choosing ends Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock and many votes were polled at the picnic grounds for the various beauties.

An abundance of pink lemonade was served to the guests as a refreshing accompaniment to their basket luncheon, brought individually.

Tuesday will be spent in rehearsal for the mammoth amateur circus to be held Friday and Saturday evenings in the lot by the First Methodist church, and Wednesday brings a young people's inspirational service and a musical program at the First Methodist church with Rev. Bill Wallace as the principal speaker.

Those who attended were:

Winston Moore, Sara Creath, Jewel Newman, Ford Chaum, Moselle Reve, Mrs. Bland, Mrs. Peterson, Harriett Peterson, Floyd Bland, Vernon Bullard, Marie Beaty, Ruby Norwood, Viola Griffith, Lucile Campbell, Winnie Foster, Phyllis Campbell, Mrs. Allbritton, Ona Saye, Marguerite Haynie, Eulah Shipley, Monte Hooper, Mrs. White, Mildred Bachman, W. F. Allbritton, J. W. Thorn Robert Godfrey, Joy Terrell, Ruth Hartman, W. C. Kerr, Hilda Ingram, Murrell Travathan, Lowell Cox, Edna Robinson, Lucile Ballard, Vera Cain, Andra Hammon, Mary Beth Martin, Juanita Wineblood, Hazel Hades, Hazel Champion, Maurine Scoggin, Isabel Sterling, Virgin Creath, Josephine Barrymon, Lee Trigus, Charles Foster, Billie Johnson, Velma Thomason, James Jennings, Jay Terrel, Vallie L. Lowry, Florence Redevine, Edith Crump, Nell Smith, Miriam Hughes, Dorothy Whitehead, Frances Black, Ruth Talley, Eunice Jenkins, Beulah Shipley, Eula Shipley, Jennieve Shaw, J. W. Thorne, Pete Allbritton, Louise Rhodes, Root Cannon, A. H. Drake, Lucille Campbell, Mildred Gilbert, Grace Haynie, Mrs. A. H. Drake, Teddie Boone, P. W. Cox, Gregory Rowe, Marie Dohlman, W. E. Dohlman, Wilma Thomas, Marguerite Gerhardt, James Williams, Nell Wayman, Ruth Frank, Eleanor Stovel, Juanita Bachman, Alta Saye, Louise Ramey, Robert Svarthan, James Patterson, Lucile Sunnert, John Kaufman, Lucile Morren, Merle Trigg, Tommye Coffman, Mrs. Dohlman, Nell June Smith, Zona Bachman, Ford Chauncey, Cecil Porter, T. H. Myers, W. B. Chauncey, Louise Key, Bulah Vaughn, Eloise Gafford, Alfred Ross, Mrs. Alice Whitehead, R. W. H. McCulloch, Roy Carter, Florence Smith, Mary Kay, Dr. W. J. Johnson, E. L. Gerhardt, R. B. Ross, Grace Haynie, Grady Hendricks, Edward Bell, Mrs. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Hooper, Miss Ada John, Gordon Caldwell, Gladys Faye Johnson, Thelma Howell, Ruth Sloan, Ruth Hampton, Grace Downing, Mr. Moore, Mattie Humphries, Mrs. Thume, Miss Mitcham, Leo Rite, M. G. Boone, Mrs. J. W. Thomas.

MISS KINSEY PRESENTS PUPILS IN A RECITAL.

MISS JUANITA KINSEY presented her expression pupils in an interesting and enjoyable program Monday evening at the Junior college. Many parents and friends of those taking part were present. The recital closes a successful year's work for the students.

Those taking part were Beverly N. Witherspoon, B. M. Hester, Virginia Clair, T. N. Blanton, Frances Tyson, Shirely Jenkins, Robert Collier, Joe Witherspoon, Jr., Charlotte Sutton, Reba Jo Curd, Abe Marauty, Gladys Faye Johnson, Aaron Kruger, Dorothy Reed, Jack Brothers, Imogene Willis and Bernice Sauer.

Mrs. John Schwend of Dallas is visiting with Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Terrell at their home, 2001 Elizabeth, and with other friends and relatives in the city.

MISSION
TODAY
Milton Sills and Doris Kenyon in
"I Want My Man"

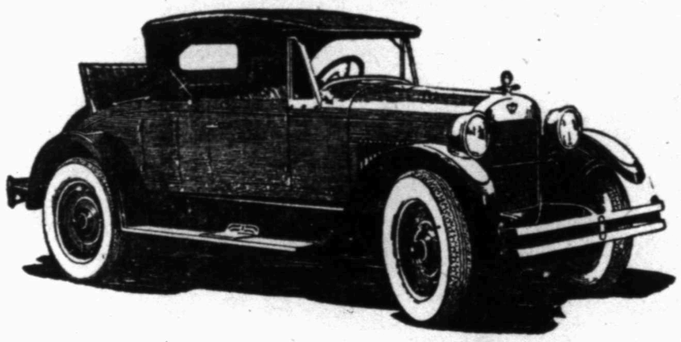
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RONALD COLEMAN
—in—
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QUANAH HEAT RECORD LOST TO SW. TEXAS

Previous May Record Of 111 Degrees Lost To Encinal

HOUSTON, May 25. — All high temperature records for May in Texas were broken yesterday, the local weather bureau reported today.

The little town of Encinal, in La Salle county, southwest Texas, reported a temperature of 115 degrees Sunday afternoon. This breaks all high temperature records for May in Texas. The previous record was 111 degrees at Quanah, Texas, May 29, 1916.

The highest temperature ever recorded in Texas was 119 degrees at Tilden, McMullen county, adjoining LaSalle county. This swelter day was July 2, 1910.

Good Rains to Help Crops in West Texas

FORT WORTH, May 25. — Good rains fell generally in parts of West Texas Sunday night and after a cessation of several hours, resumed Monday in some places. The rainfall will be of inestimable value to crops, especially wheat.

HIGH WIND IN AUSTIN

Considerable Damage Wrought By Wind and Rain.

AUSTIN, May 25. — Considerable damage was wrought by a high wind which swept over Austin Monday morning at 7 o'clock, proceeding a heavy rain which fell almost steadily for about three hours.

The heaviest damage reported was at the Woodward Body Works where the wind tore sections of the roof off three warehouses and slightly damaged the roof of the main factory building.

ABILENE WIND AND RAIN UPROOTS MANY TREES

ABILENE, Texas, May 25. — Smashing of a large plate glass window in a dry goods store and uprooting of a large number of trees constituted the damage done here early today in a wind storm. Rainfall amounting to .28 inches fell here.

NEGRO IS FRIGHTENED BY SHERMAN STORM

SHERMAN, Texas, May 25. — A negro woman, the wife of Henry Ball, negro farmer of near Whitewright, died from fright Sunday. She became unconscious early Sunday morning during a high wind and heavy rain and never recovered consciousness.

STORM DAMAGES DERRICKS

LOCKHART, Texas, May 25. — Some damage to oil field derricks, and trees was reported today as a result of wind accompanied by a dust storm today. A half-inch of rain followed the dust storm. No person was reported injured. The rain is of benefit to farmers.

INCH RAIN IN GEORGETOWN

GEORGETOWN, Texas, May 25.—Williamson county was covered by an average rainfall of one-inch today. The moisture was much needed by growing cotton and other crops. Farmers and livestock owners declared the rain to be very beneficial.

TAYLOR HAS DOWNPOUR

TAYLOR, Texas, May 25.—Nearly an inch of rain fell here today.

MURDER JURY HUNG.

Jurors Discharged After Discussion of Singer's Death.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 25.—The jury in the case of Olympia Magri, unwed mother, for the murder of John Bagnano, cabaret singer, reported today that it was unable to agree. The jury was discharged.

Swanson Defines Three Moral Sins Before Kiwanians

Intellectual hypocrisy, moral courage and intolerance, were defined by F. G. Swanson, local attorney, as the three moral sins of the age in an address on "Life's Fundamentals" before members of the Kiwanis club at the weekly noon luncheon at the Kemp hotel.

"Men in modern life often mask life's fundamentals with a veneer of pretense that hides the truth. Common sense, industry, and commerce often become but nonsense in politics as politicians conceal real facts from the people. I am an advocate of merciless publicity," Mr. Swanson told his hearers, "and I believe that democracy is a failure unless truth and actual facts about all its workings are available for all the people, all the time."

Dr. Fred T. Datson, manager of the Day Nursery campaign for funds to assist the Federated Missionary Societies of the city, was greeted heartily with a group of original verses sung by club members under the direction of Wm. E. Young with Myron Ellis at the piano, as he announced future plans for increasing the fund, and distributed to several Kiwanians cards containing names of four prospects to be visited during the coming week. Dr. Datson complimented club members on the $14,290 of the necessary $20,000 they had raised, with only 30 per cent of the prospects visited.

Miss Pearl Smithe, reader, was introduced by J. L. Jackson Jr., at the request of President J. T. Gant, and read two enjoyable selections.

EX-MINER HEAD GETS CONTINUANCE IN TRIAL

GIRARD, Kan., May 25.—Preliminary hearing of Alexander Howat, former head of the Kansas miners' union, charged with a statutory offense, was continued today until June. The continuance was granted on motion of the county attorney, who is engaged in district court cases.

MEXICO AND CUBA TO SIGN EXTRADITION TREATY

HAVANA, May 25.—An extradition treaty between Mexico and Cuba will be signed this afternoon. The state department announced that the treaty would cover all offenses against the laws of the two countries.

Experts Wondering What Effects "Natural Vision" Camera To Have On Films

CHICAGO, May 25.—What is the Berggren "natural vision" camera going to do to the movies? This question may be worrying film producers in a few months.

The first photographed with the new "three dimension" camera is now in production. It is an adaptation of "Price of the Prairie," by Margaret Hill McArter, a western story.

This new invention gives "depth" films. Actual scenery must be used instead of studio sets.

Everything Actual Size.

The most important feature of the films produced with the new camera is their large size. They must be projected on a 40-foot screen instead of a 20-foot screen, as at present. They are "natural vision," in that everything is shown exactly as it is, without distortion. You get the same effect in the front row as in the middle of the house, and a perfect picture from the end side seats. It eliminates close-ups, cutting from one face to another in love scenes; everything is seen perfectly from an angle.

The camera is the invention of John Berggren, aided by George K. Spoor, president of the old Essanay Film company, one of the pioneers in the business. They have been working on it since 1916.

The secret of the camera is the blending of light rays by various bits of lens.

Sees Film Revolution.

"It will revolutionize the photoplay," says Berggren.

"The flat picture on the small screen has gone as far as it can," avers Mr. Spoor. "Now we come to the three-ring circus in pictures.

The first "three dimension picture will be exhibited publicly for the first time in London, New York, Chicago and Los Angeles simultaneously, some time in August.

CHURCH FIGHTS STAGE OUT OF ENVY, IS CLAIM

Actor Says Church Fears Power of Present Day Theatre

NEW YORK, May 26.—Jealousy of the theatre has been the underlying motive of churches in seeking stage censorship, Otis Skinner, well known actor, said today in an address before 100 Methodist pastors. His statement drew protests from the audience.

"Ever since the inception of the drama in medieval England in the form of mystery plays, the church has recognized the theatre as a rival drawing power and has attempted to suppress it," said Mr. Skinner.

"Jealousy is apparent in the effort of certain churches and religious bodies to impose censorship in the theatre."

Denying that he intended to defend salacious plays, Mr. Skinner said it was impossible to combat evil by edicts.

The Rev. Dr. John W. Longdale, chairman of the meeting, answered:

"It is news to me that the Methodist church is envious of the theatre. The attitude of the Methodist church toward the theatre is prompted by two considerations: first, the danger of corrupting the morals of children who are unable to discriminate between good and bad plays, and second, the apparent impossibility of modifying the theatre so as to exclude bad plays."

His statement was applauded.

T. U. Favorite Will Attend N. Y. School

AUSTIN, Texas, May 25.—Rachel Dunaway, named this year as best all around girl in the University of Texas, will go to school in New York next year. Miss Dunaway will take English and social service courses in Columbia universit yand will also attend the New York Biblical seminary, where she has been awarded a scholarship.

Many honors have attended Miss Dunaway during her four years at the university. During the year 1923-24 she was national Y. W. C. A. secretary. She has been an assistant in English during the past year and has been prominent in the women's athletic activities of the university. Among honorary societies Miss Dunaway has been elected to Scribblers, Theta Sigma Phi, La Tertulia, and Phi Beta Kappa.

ADMIT PRINTING $250,000 OF COUNTERFEIT STAMPS

ST. LOUIS, May 25.—Confessions that they printed $250,000 worth of counterfeit Cuban revenue stamps seized in New Orleans Saturday were made today, police announced, by John A. Bowlman, lithographer, and Max Engineer, proprietor of a printing establishment here.

T. U. Examinations Begin on Saturday

AUSTIN, Texas, May 25.—Final examinations in all branches of the University of Texas except the Law school will begin on Saturday, May 30, and will continue through Friday, June 5. Students are already hard at work studying for the examinations of the final term of the session. In the Law school, the examinations will begin on May 26, and will continue through June 5. Saturday, June 6, will be alumni and class-day. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered on Sunday, June 7, and the commencement exercises will be held on the night of June 8 in the memorial stodium.

Finger Nails take a superior polish with SEA SHELL GLOSS.—Adv.

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If these are your troubles—
Be Sure You Get
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Prompt, pleasing relief from indigestion, gas pains, biliousness, and constipation.
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PAVED ROADS DOOM LITTLE TOWNS, CLAIM

Retail Head Says Small Towns Will Grow Smaller

AUSTIN, May 25.—Good roads and automobiles with the consequent east of getting into large trading centers has seriously hurt the small town merchants and will continue to hurt them, in the opinion of T. J. Walton of Corsicana, president of the Texas Retail Merchants' association, which opened its 25th annual convention here today. The board of directors held a preliminary meeting Sunday night.

Bound to Travel.

"It makes little difference what the home town offers his trade, either in the way of prices or selection; many people will drive out of his town and to the city nearby in order to do their shopping," Walton declared. There are several reasons for this, he said. "If a woman buys a dress in Corsicana, for instance, she knows that most of her friends have seen that same dress in a local store. have seen the price on it, and know all about it. Any of them could have bought it if they had wished. If she buys it she had the feeling that she is wearing something that other women friends of hers have passed up. If she gets in her car, goes to Dallas, she buys a dress that no one knows anything about. So she goes to Dallas."

Another thing that has worked against the small town merchant is the change in financing the farmer, said Walton. "The farmer used to go to a general store and there make arrangements to be 'carried' for the year. But he now goes to the bank and borrows money to run his farm. The result is that he scatters his trade between the merchants of his own town and nearby cities."

Secretary Agrees.

Adolph Grasso, secretary of the association, agreed with Walton in this particular and told of the wife of a San Antonio women's clothing merchant, who recently went to New York and bought $1,600 worth of clothing there.

"In spite of all, the city will continue to grow bigger and the small town get smaller," Walton declared.

Recommendations for unlimited newspaper advertising and for employment of only competent workers as a means of placing retail commerce on a basis with smaller risks, were made by W. H. Wray, Dallas furniture dealer, former president of the Texas Retail Merchants' association, and the Texas Furniture Dealers' association, in the afternoon session

SPOUSE KILLS COMPANION OF WIFE IN SHOW

Dallas Man Fires Five Shots in Foyer of Queen Theatre

DALLAS, May 25.—Roy Wilson 23, an employe of the Campbell Stone Baking company, was shot and killed in the foyer of the Queen theatre in the down town section just before 1 o'clock today. D. J. Rock 28, surrendered to the police and acknowledged he did the shooting.

"Wilson was shot five times with a small calibre pistol. Three shots pierced his heart.

Rock, after being taken to the municipal building said he had warned Wilson to desist in paying attentions to Mrs. Rock.

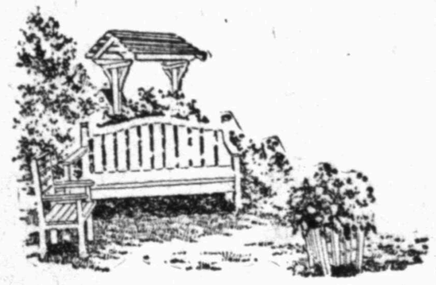
The motion picture theatre was crowded when a man walked down an aisle to where a man and woman were seated. The standing man took hold of the seated man and they walked out together. The shooting started as soon as they reached the front entrance. Women and children screamed and several rushed toward the entrances.

J. L. Brasher and C. E. Sellers said they took a pistol from Rock after the fifth shot was fired.

Rock was said by police to have told him he intercepted a telephone call in which Wilson made an engagement to meet Mrs. Rock at the theatre and he followed his wife. Wilson came in later and sat down at the side of Mrs. Rock.

ARMY OFFICERS MAY KEEP ALL EXCESS PAY

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The government can not compel army officers to return money received by them in excess of the salary of their legal rank, the supreme court decided today in disposing of a controversy which has long agitated army and navy circles.



What the Neighbors Are Doing

The Millers are still offering their bungalow at a reasonable price, but haven't sold it. Several persons have gone out to look at it, but have become interested in the Durant home next door. The two houses are much alike, except that the Durant's haven't improved their lawn with ornamental lawn furniture, Miller's bungalow is very nice inside but they haven't done much to embellish the exterior, so the first impression a buyer gets is not favorable. We sold the Durant's their lawn furniture and, of course, would do as much for the Millers if they would request it. We have several really handsome lawn furniture designs to select from, and the cost isn't much.

While names given are not actual the incident above related is based on experience at some of our lumber yards.

THE LONG BELL Lumber Company

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Receiver Asked For Contested Oil Wells In Frio River Bed

AUSTIN, May 25.—(AP)—Receiver to take charge of certain producing oil wells in the bed of the Frio river, owned by the Grubstake Investment association of San Antonio, was asked of the 53rd district court in a suit against the company, filed by the attorney general's department today.

Title to the land is now in litigation and the state is asking receiver until the suit is ifnally disposed of by the supreme court. The court of civil appeals recently held that the present owners hold title under a Mexican land grant. It is claimed also that an injunction has been issued by a San Antonio court restraining the Coyle-Concord Oil company, which holds a permit, from taking any oil from the land unless a system of accounting is provided.

KING RECEIVES HOUGHTON.

American Ambassador Formally Received by George.

LONDON, May 25.—(AP)—The American ambassador, Alanzon B Houghton, was formally presented to King George at a levee held in St. James palace this morning.

Although it was the third levee this year, it marked King George's first appearance at one of these events, the Prince of Wales having presided at the two previous ones during his father's absence on his Mediterranean cruise.

2 Unknown Bodies Found In Mo. River

KANSAS CITY, May 25.—Authorities today were seeking to identify bodies of two middle aged men found in the Missouri river here. One of the bodies was found yesterday and the other today. Both apparently had been in the water for two weeks

Police were furnished a clue today when Mrs. Grace Paris surrendered a note which she said she found on the banks of the river late in April. It read:

"Good bye, everybody. I am jumping into the Missouri river. My wife ran away with the ice man, so I have nothing left to live for."

MA SIGNS DIPLOMAS

High School Seniors of State Orphanage Get Odd Certificates.

AUSTIN, May 25.—(AP)—Twenty graduates of the high school of the state orphans' home at Corsicana today had their diplomas signed by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson, the only diplomas in the state which the governor officially approved. They were brought to the capitol by Rep. Ernest C. Cox, who is manager of boys at the home.

NEW YORK GAS UP.

Two Cent Increase Made in Tank Wagon Prices.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Gasoline prices in Greater New York were advanced two cents a gallon today by the Standard Oil company of New York and the Tidewater Oil company making the tank wagon price 20 cents. The Standard's tank wagon price was lowered two cents to 18 cents a gallon last Friday to meet the level of the Texas company, which had refused to follow the Standard's increase of two cents about ten days ago.

CHARGES AND DENIALS MARK TEXT HEARING

Arguments in Mandamus Suits to Finish Tuesday

AUSTIN, May 25.—(AP)—Claims that the order of the state text books commission for text books aggregating $18,500,000 selected at its December meeting, are valid contracts and are binding on the state, were made today to the supreme court by former Attorney General W. A. Keeling, as counsel for Charles Scribner Sons, one of eight text book companies asking mandamus to force recognition of contracts repudiated by the board of education.

Cited Decisions.

Mr. Keeling opened the argument at the afternoon session and cited decisions of the United States supreme court to uphold his contention that the board of education had no authority to repudiate the contracts.

He was followed by W. G. Love of Houston, special counsel for the board of education, appointed by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson. Mr. Love asserted the authority of the board of education was continuous, and under the law could repudiate the contracts one day, and on the next day hold them valid.

Arguments will be completed tomorrow. C. L. Black will close for the text book companies, while Attorney Dan Moody will close the argument for the state.

Eight Companies Sue.

Writs of mandamus, directed against State Superintendent of Public Instruction S. M. N. Marrs, to force him to include their text books on the requisition used by school official in ordering next text books are sought by the following companies: Charles Scribners Sons, McMillan company, Row Peterson and company, Johnson Publishing company, D. C. Heath and company, Silver Burdett and company, Laidlow Brothers, and W. H. Wheeler and company.

The text book companies complain of the action of the board of education at its April meeting in which the contracts were repudiated.

facts about Child-birth

It has been proven conclusively that much of the suffering, pain and dread experienced during *expectancy*, as well as at *child-birth* is entirely *unnecessary*.

An eminent physician, Dr. J. H. Holmes, expert in this science, first produced the great remedy "Mother's Friend," which aids the muscles and tissues to expand more easily, during the constant readjustment, month after month, right up to the climax of *child-birth*.



"Mother's Friend" is applied externally. Three generations of expectant mothers have used it. "Pains disappeared in two days after using 'Mother's Friend,'" writes a user. "I owe my life to 'Mother's Friend,'" declared another. Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did, start today and experience the wonderful comfort it will give you.

FREE BOOKLET

Write Bradfield Regulator Co., Dept. B-A 38, Atlanta, Ga., for *free* booklet giving many facts every expectant mother should know. "Mother's Friend" is sold at all good drug stores—everywhere.

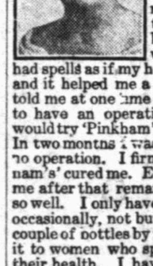
ST. LOUIS MAN ADMITS KILLING BOY, AGE 8

ST. LOUIS, May 25.—Herbert Anderson, 26, a laborer, confessed late today, police announced, that he had killed 6-year-old Joe Azar last Monday at the time of his disappearance.

AN OPERATION RECOMMENDED

Avoided by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Los Angeles, Cal.—"I cannot give too much praise to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for what it has done for me. My mother gave it to me when I was a girl 14 years old, and since then I have taken it when I feel run down or tired. I took it for three months before my two babies were born for I suffered with my back and had spells as if my heart was affected, and it helped me a lot. The doctors told me at one time that I would have to have an operation. I thought I would try 'Pinkham's,' as I call it, first. In two months I was all right and had no operation. I firmly believe 'Pinkham's' cured me. Every one who saw me after that remarked that I looked so well. I only have to take medicine occasionally, not but I always keep a couple of bottles by me. I recommend it to women who speak to me about their health. I have also used your Sanative Wash and like it very much." — Mrs. E. GOULD, 4000 East Side Boulevard, Los Angeles, Cal.



Many letters have been received from women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after operations have been advised.

State Highway Aid Sought at Meeting

AUSTIN, May 25.—Delegations from all parts of Texas today appeared before the state highway commission at its semi-monthly meeting to file applications for state designated highways for state and federal aid.

The applications were taken under advisement, with decisions to be announced later. As in earlier meetings of the commissions, many of the delegations were headed by state senators and representatives.

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EVERY man, woman and child wants to have strength and correct weight. It means the joy of living. To be minus strength and underweight often proves low fighting-power in the body. It often means you are minus nerve-power, minus red cells in your blood, minus health, minus vitality. It is serious to be minus, but the moment you increase the number of your red-blood-cells, you begin to become plus. That's why S.S.S., since 1826, has meant to thousands of underweight men and women a plus in their strength. Your body fills to the point of power, your flesh becomes firmer, the age lines that come from thinness disappear. You look younger, firmer, happier, and you feel it, too, all over your body.

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S.S.S. Makes You Feel Like Yourself Again

$50.00 For a Name

We will pay $50.00 in cash for a suitable name that is presented and we accept for the new restricted Million Dollar Addition to Wichita Falls. It contains 600 acres and lies south of Junior College and extends north to the new municipal park, and will be comparable to Highland Park in Dallas.

The Contest Opens Monday, May 25th and will close Wednesday, June 3rd

Mail Your Names to

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City National Bank Building Wichita Falls, Texas

The GILDED ROSE



By May Christie

Who's Who in the Story

Rosilyn Ridgeway learns on her wedding day from idle gossip that she has been married for her money. Before her enormous fortune was left her, she had been an overworked little drudge in her father's inn.

Landis Ridgeway her husband is a brilliant, fascinating man, who was forced into the marriage by his mother.

Florence Ridgeway, an aristocratic old lady, who saw poverty staring her in the face, and chose the easiest way out. Rosilyn loving her husband, knows that he is still in love with Lydia Harbrook, a beautiful, cold society-girl who is bent on marrying.

Stevie Van Vorst, a wealthy old roue, although she is really fond of Ridgeway. She is in Paris when the news reaches her of Landis' marriage, and she hastens back to the United States. With her goes Rupert Briscoe, a dissipated man of the world, who has seen Rosilyn but once, and yet is deeply interested in her. Lydia learns of this interest, and when the two reach New York, she suggests that they ask the young Ridgeways to dinner. She and Briscoe concoct a plot whereby through an apparent misunderstanding Rosilyn and Briscoe will be left alone together, while she will be with her beolved Landis.

Landis finding himself alone with Lydia falls under her spell once more. Some hours later that evening, Rosilyn who is bewildered to find herself spending the evening in the company of Rupert Briscoe, sees her husband dancing with Lydia—in his eyes a look of rapture. She believes he has seen her but is too rude—or ashamed — to speak. Briscoe asks her to go on to a night club, and in a mood of recklessness she consents.

In Paris meanwhile Van Vorst, realizing the reason for Lydia's sudden trip to America and hungering for her love, decides to use Marietta, a dancer and sweetheart of Briscoe's in connection with a plan. The two arrange to come to New York where Marietta is to vamp Landis away from Lydia, leaving a clear field for the elderly schemer.

Landis continues philandering with Lydia while Rosilyn to help forget the pangs of jealousy, allows Briscoe to pay her more flattering attention. The next day the latter drives her to the station where she is to meet her husband before they leave for their country home.

The car shot onwards, turning once more towards the sea. They skimmed along a road set near the edge of the cliffs, and the breezy tang of the sea enveloped them.

"We're almost there," said Landis, craning eagerly for the first glimpse of his old home. And then he added, shyly:

"It's been fine of you, Rosilyn, to do up the place. Mother and I appreciate all your—goodness—though we don't say much. It's put new life into her—knowing that the old home won't go out of the family. You've been an absolute dear and somehow I feel most awfully unworthy of it all."

For a moment his hand touched her gloved one. The contact sent a thrill that made her tingle.

But she drew her hand away, and in a voice that she forced to sound cool and detached, remarked, prosaically:

"We've talked the position all out before, and the benefits are equally divided. Please don't thank me. I gain as much as I give."

The man beside her winced at the word "benefits." Calling a spade a spade was doubtless commendable, in its way— and yet it jarred.

Aloud he said:

"We are unusually sensible people, you and I. The practical outlook is everything. And why should we pretend to be romantic when we are just like a million other modern married couples who have agreed that life holds a lot more besides sentiment, and that both parties must be free. The old fashioned jogging along in double harness is as extinct as the dodo, isn't it?"

She laughed with him, yet his words and laughter stung intolerably.

"You're perfectly right."

Then, suddenly, the rambling mansion that was Landis' old home appeared in view, set back from the cliffs in acres of old world gardens, in a deep hollow that shielded it from wind and storms.

"How beautiful!" said Rosilyn. And to her came the sure, swift knowledge that in this isolated, lovely spot both happiness and pain, both peace and turmoil awaited her!

CHAPTER XLIV

Before the long pier-glass in her hotel bedroom stood Miss Lydia Harbrook, twisting and turning to view herself the better in her lovely orchid gown.

She was going to a race-meeting. Landis Ridgeway was to be her escort.

Sartorially speaking, then, all records must be beaten. Having won back that "difficile" young man, she must leave no stone unturned to keep him hers.

It fitted in with all her plans that Steve Van Vorst remained in France. For Van Vorst and his money were terrifically important to her schemes. Lydia wasn't the stupid type to 'fall between two stools.'

He could be very jealous and disturbingly astute, at times, could old Van Vorst.

But he was far across the Atlantic, and today the sun shone, and Landis Ridgeway, in the new Rolls-Royce his wife had given him, would be calling for her—in all her amazing beauty—within half-an-hour.

Lydia pirouetted before the looking glass, conscious that nothing in the world could have been more utterly becoming than the slim, airy, orchid gown she wore. It was fashioned in two shades of ninon, with appliqued leaves of the same material trailing from the low girdle to the wide hem.

Down on her smartly shingled golden head was drawn a drooping 'picture' hat of pleated tulle, in the same orchid shade. A bow set at a chic angle gave the impression that a gauze butterfly had rested on the crown.

Delicate grey shoes of softest suede, with buckles that had cost twenty-five dollars, were matched by long grey gloves on Lydia's slender arms. She carried an absurdly pretty little parason of hand-painted chiffon done in sweetpea colourings, lined with pale pink tulle.

Around her neck was hung a chain of small, fine, amethysts on platinum. It had been a gift from Van Vorst, and gave the final touch to her toilette.

The telephone resounded.

"That you, Lydia? Landis speaking. Down below."

"I'll join you in two seconds." Her usually flinty heart gave a quick unaccustomed flutter. She darted to the dressing-table, flicking a swan's-down puff across her nose and cheeks and chin.

What a reassuring ally was her looking-glass! It gave back a really fascinating picture. Landis—when his weary eyes rested on that picture—would be doubly hers.

Catching up a long scarf made of flat ostrich feathers in shaded tints of lavender and mauve, Lydia adjusted it in the newest fashion, the ends falling to the back. She then drew on her gloves, and with a gold mesh purse containing some bills, plus all the 'aids to beauty' (without which this siren would not have stirred one step from cover) dangling from her wrist, she went downstars to meet her cavalier.

Landis—his dark eyes with the questioning look in them—was pacing moodily up and down the lobby.

Those eyes of his lightened when he saw the lovely apparition.

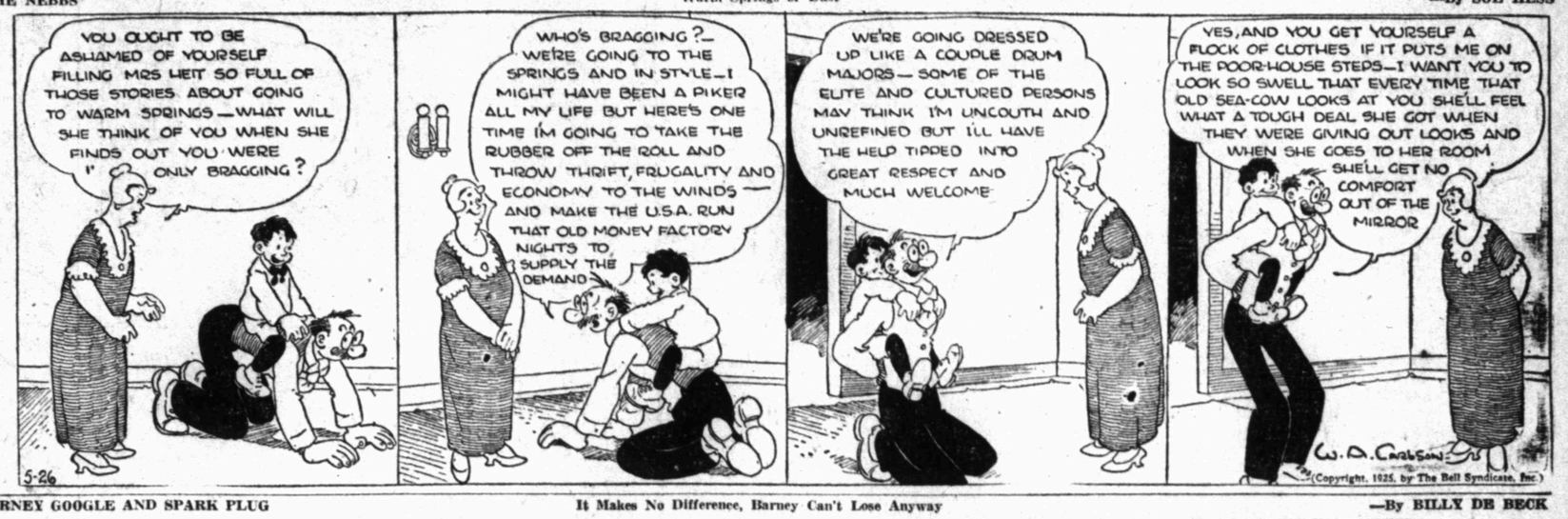
He strode forward to greet her, his teeth a flash of white in his dark face.

"Not angry with me for keeping you kicking your heels so long?" queried the young woman—gaiety, bedevilment and tenderness forming an intoxicating mixture in her glance.

"It was worth the waiting," came the meaning answer. Then, after he had handed her into the car:

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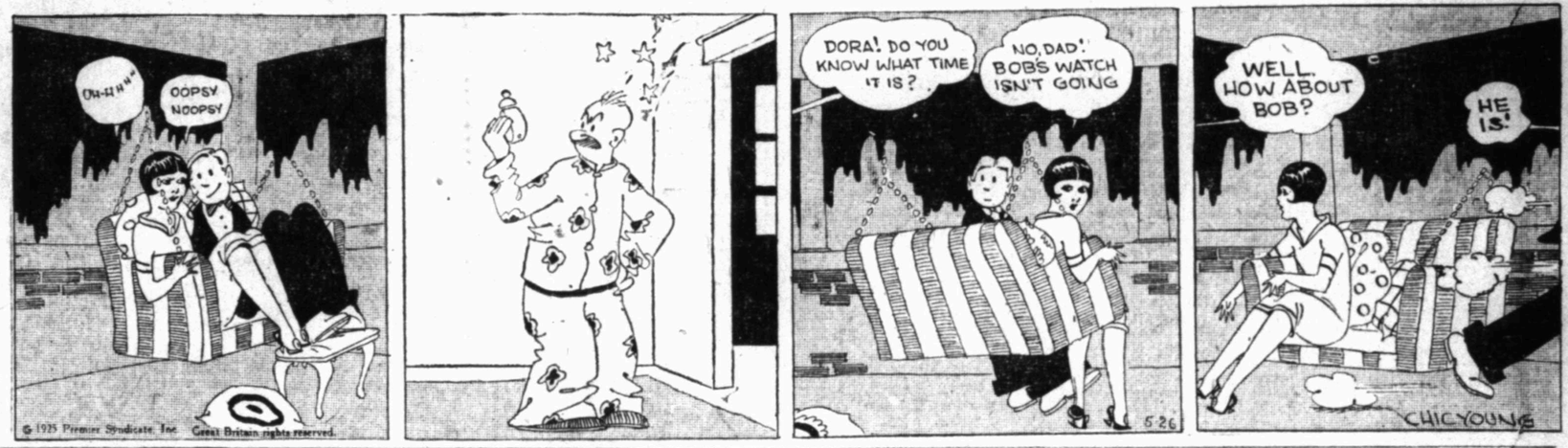
"THE NEBBS" Warm Springs or Bust —By SOL HESS



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DUMB DORA —By CHIC YOUNG

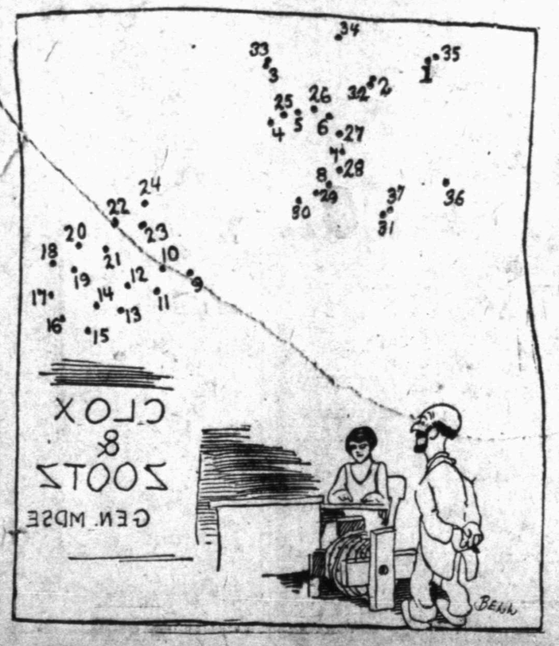


GIRLIGAGS



"I read here," says Pondering Pauline, "that scraps of pastry make nice cases for tarts. I've heard of allepaths, osteopaths, and homeopaths but what kind of doctors are tarts?"

Dot Puzzle's



"REG'LAR FELLERS" An Air Rifle Campaign "Shot" —By GENE BYRNES



"LARRY" Which Is Some Hard —By LARRY SEMON



Carl Williams Wins Eighth When Spudders Nose Buffs



TOP O' MORN STUFF

By BLONDY CROSS.

Spudders are doing no worse than holding their own on the present road jaunt.

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Tanner has accumulated one more game in the wi. column than in the lost.

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EVEN FOOLED JINX

Gang dropped a 1-0 verdict to Fort Worth as a starter. Then beat Dallas in one. They took two out of three from Pratt's frolicsome Waco Cubs even if Sport Scribe Jinx Tucker does believe Waco a fourth-place club and the Spudders a sixth positioner. Then they went into the Alamo City den and split a pair with the terrible Bears. Now they're even-stephen in the Houston series.

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Not so bad for a club that has been in the worst hitting slump ever seen in the Texas league when you take into consideration the real prowess of the various individuals on the roster.

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The off-game in Houston is slated this afternoon.

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Just who Tanner will send to the slab is more or less a question. Dick Morgan would have been due yesterday were it not for the fact he has been sick ever since his victory in Waco.

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It may be that Dick will be ready to go this afternoon. Otherwise it looks like Ripper Wheeler for the mound burden.

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BUD LIKES LINDSTROM

Skipper Tanner likes the looks of Lindstrom, right-hander obtained from Nashville, he tells the writer. The newcomer was touched up at a fair clip in the San Antonio game he worked, the box score will show you, but Tanner declares the Bears were mighty fortunate that day, and that a majority of the hits were very muchly of the scratch variety.

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JINX GETS WORSE

Jinx Tucker, better known among central Texas scribes, we are told, as "Jumpin' Jinx, the Leaping Wonder," because he jumps at conclusions so much, is still popping off, much to the merriment of all who read his murmurings.

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The easily excited Wacoan who, by the way, doesn't think even a little bit about stretching facts and distorting details until they are decidedly unrecognizable by their ferocious charge of an infant mouse when he discovered the other day that the writer was "foolish" enough to disagree with him on some points, namely the relative strength of the Spudders and Waco, also the rest of the Texas league.

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Jinx, balked for rock-bottom argument pro or con, resorted to personalities. Instead of attempting to prove the writer's mistake, if he made one, the benighted Wacoan devoted the greater portion of a column to berating Blondy, calling him unkind nouns and adjectives, and in general giving The Record News sport scribe and Wichita Falls fans the merry guffaw for being a bunch of goo s, or words to that effect.

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The Texas league percentage column still belies Jinx in all his wrath.

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Knowing Tucker as we do, we're not even miffed by his agitated yelps. It's the same old story; the hit purp that whines.

Pirates Jump On Chicago in First Game of Series

Cubs Drop Another in Only Big League Game Monday

PITTSBURGH, May 25. — Pittsburgh won the first game of the series with Chicago today, 5 to 3. Morrison was effective in every inning except the seventh, when the Cubs bunched four hits for three runs. The score:

CHICAGO—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Adams, 2b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Statz, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Freigau, 3b	4	1	1	2	0	0
Hartnett, c	4	0	0	6	1	0
Griffith, rf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Friberg, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Grimm, 1b	4	1	2	9	0	0
McAuley, ss	4	0	2	0	2	0
Bush, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
1Heathcote	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jacobs, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
2Gonzales	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brett, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
3Maranville	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	7	24	8	0

1Batted for Bush in sixth.
2Batted for Jacobs in seventh.
3Batted for Brett in ninth.

PITTSBURGH—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Carey, cf	4	0	0	8	0	0
Moore, 2b	3	1	1	1	1	0
Cuyler, rf	4	0	0	4	0	0
Barnhart, lf	4	1	2	4	0	0
Traynor, 3b	4	1	1	0	1	0
Wright, ss	2	0	0	1	1	0
Grantham, 1b	3	2	2	6	1	0
Smith, c	3	0	2	2	0	0
Morrison, p	3	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	30	5	8	27	7	0

Chicago	000 000 300—3
Pittsburgh	030 001 10x—5

Two-base hits—Barnhart, McAuley, Smith. Sacrifice hit—Wright. Double play—Hartnett to Adams. Left on bases—Chicago 6; Pittsburgh 5. Bases on balls—off Jacobs 2; off Morrison 2. Struck out—by Bush 3; by Morrison 2. Hits—off Bush 5 in 5 innings; off Jacobs 2 in 1 inning; off Brett 2 in 2 innings. Losing pitcher—Bush.

Two of England's "Big Three" Lose In Amateur Meet

One American Wins; One Loses in British Title Golf Tourney

WESTWARD, England, May 25. (AP)—The first day's play of the British amateur golf championship brought about the downfall of two of the "big three' stars favored above all others to capture the title and the trophy.

The reigning champion, Sir Ernest Holderness, was beaten on the 18th green by the Argentine hcampion, Robert A. Cruickshank, a native of Scotland, who for five years has lived in Buenos Aires. Roger Wethered, who held the amateur title two years ago, was vanquished by Douglas Grant, a former California champion and an American by birth, who for several years has had his home and business in England.

The margin of Grant's victory, achieved by golf that was sound and steady in every shot, was two up with one to play. The defeat of Wethered and Holderness leaves only Tolley remaining of the big three of Britain's amateur golfing world.

Of the Americans who crossed the Atlantic to play in this championship, only two were called on to show their wares today. One of them, J. F. Dailey of the Oak Hill club, Rochester, N. Y., got through with a victory over C. D. Maddon of the Temple Golf club, by two up and one to play. The other, L. V. Cochrane, of the Onwentsia club of Chicago, was conquered on the eighteenth green by last year's British boy champion, a 19-year-old Scotsman, Archibald Mathieson of Edinburgh.

TANNER CREW SNARES GAME BY 5-4 COUNT

Wichita Falls Hurler Starts Finishing Attack In Ninth

WICH. FALLS	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Distel, ss	3	2	2	5	2	0
Callaghan, rf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Bodie, lf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Fitzgerald, cf	4	1	2	6	0	0
Tanner, 3b	5	0	0	0	1	0
Golvin, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
White, 2b	2	0	0	0	7	0
Query, c	4	1	2	2	1	0
Williams, p	4	1	2	0	1	0
Totals	35	5	10	27	12	0

HOUSTON	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Kane, ss	5	2	2	4	3	0
Powell, cf	5	0	2	0	0	0
Hollohan, 3b	5	1	2	2	0	1
Gainer, 1b	4	1	2	12	1	0
Compton, lf	3	0	0	4	0	0
Peel, rf	4	0	4	1	1	0
Fuller, 2b	4	0	0	1	7	0
Burns, p	3	0	0	0	7	1
Barnes, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Goffx	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	4	12	27	16	3

xBatted for Barnes in 9th.

Wichita Falls	000 020 012—5
Houston	001 001 011—4

Summary: Three-base hit, Kane; stolen base, White; sacrifice hit, Distel; double plays, Fuller to Kane to Gainer (2), White to Distel to Golvin (2); bases on balls, off Burns 6, off Williams 4; struck out, by Burns 1, by Williams 2; innings pitched, by Burns 4 1-3; hits, off Burns 8 and 5 runs; losing pitcher, Burns; left on bases, Wichita Falls 8, Houston 9. Umpires, Estill and Coe. Time, 1:45.

HOUSTON, May 25. — The Buffs' winning streak on their home grounds which had reached 11 straight was broken today when Wichita Falls, with Carl Williams, pitching, won 5 to 4. Peel hit four successive singles, marking the 19th straight game in which he has hit safely.

Williams was hit hard, but Houston could not come through opportunely. The Spudder pitcher scattered 12 safeties through the nine innings. The only extra base blow clouted out on either side was a triple by Kane.

A hard batting rally in the ninth inning won the game for Wichita Falls. The Spudders scored two runs in the final round, but Houston came back with a heavy threat, scoring one.

Buffs Score First.

The Buffs counted in the third inning after there were two out. Kane hit his triple to the right field fence. Powell followed with a single past second to score him. The Spudders retired Hollohan, White to Golvin.

The Spudders took a momentary lead in the fifth, scoring two on three hits and an error. White flied out to right, but Query singled down the first base line. Williams hoisted out to left. Distel singled to center and Query advanced to second. Callaghan singled to center also, scoring Query and sending Ditel to third. Callaghan took second on the throw-in and Hollohan threw wild to the keystone, letting Distel score. Callaghan went on to third. Bodie grounded out to second.

Tied in Fifth.

Houston knotted the count in the sixth on single by Hollohan, a walk, an infield double play and Texas leaguer to left by Peel.

The Spudders scored one in the eighth on singles by Fitzgerald and Golvin, coupled with an error and infield out. But Houston again tied the score in this inning. After there were two out, Gainer singled back of second. Compton walked. Peel singled to left scoring Gainer. McCurdy flied out to center.

Carl Starts It.

After Query had grounded out, Williams himself started the Spudders' winning attack with a single to right. Distel singled over short, Williams advancing one base. Burns was pulled from the mound by Manager Goodwin, and Barnes was sent in. Callaghan flied out to left, but Bodie singled to center, scoring Williams. Distel was held at second. Fitzgerald singled to center, scoring Distel. Tanner grounded out to the box.

Houston came near to overcoming the lead in the last half of the ninth. Fuller flied out to right, but Williams passed Goff, who was hitting for Barnes. Kane forced Goff at second. Powell singled to right. Hollohan singled to left and Kane scored. Powell was held at second. Gainer closed the game by flying out to Fitzgerald in center field.

HUSTLE! HUSTLE! HUSTLE!

That's What Fans Want From Ball Players.

Hustle! Hustle! Hustle!

There you have one of the main secrets of a winning ball club, comments C. E. McBride in the Kansas City Star. Heads up all the time. Never give up. Never quit yelling encouragement and barking defiance at the foe. Run out every pop fly, every long fly to the outfield, run 'em out, you never can tell.

Nix on the type of ball player who hits a high fly and runs haltingly toward first all the while, half-heartedly watching the flight of the ball. That isn't hustling. The fans don't like it and it doesn't get the ball player anywhere.

Hustle all the time. In the field, at the bat, hustle. It's a big job to hustle, but hustling is the mainspring of successful baseball.

MUNY GOLF CLUB TOURNAMENT DOPE

Parings for the second round are as follows: Jarratt vs. Abern, Wilborn vs. Yeargin, Paull vs. Bolding, Trout vs. Smith, Kiersey vs. Sheldon, Westmoreland bye, Hale vs. Collier and Thimpson bye.

Results of first round matches were Jarratt defeated Jordan by default, Abern defeated Jones by default, Yeargin defeated Wade, 5 and 4; Paull defeated Whatley, 1 up, 19 holes; Bolding defeated Heath by default; Trout defeated Davis, 6 and 4; Smith defeated Rogers, 4 and 3; Wilborn defeated Veath by default; Kiersey defeated Allred, 4 and 3, Sheldon defeated Fisk by default; Westmoreland defeated Nicholson by default; Hale defeated Seevers, 1 up, and Thimpson defeated Green by default.

CLUB STANDINGS

TEXAS LEAGUE

Results Monday.

Wichita Falls 5; Houston 4.
Beaumont 7; Fort Worth 5.
Shreveport 3; San Antonio 0.
Dallas 7; Waco 3.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct
Fort Worth	35	25	10	.714
San Antonio	36	22	14	.611
Houston	38	23	15	.605
Wichita Falls	36	19	17	.528
Dallas	37	18	19	.486
Shreveport	37	15	22	.486
Waco	39	15	24	.385
Beaumont	40	12	28	.300

Games Tuesday.

Wichita Falls at Houston.
Fort Worth at Beaumont.
Shreveport at San Antonio.
Dallas at Waco.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Results Monday.

Pittsburgh 5; Chicago 3.
Other games postponed; wet grounds.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	32	24	8	.750
Brooklyn	34	19	15	.559
Philadelphia	33	17	16	.515
Cincinnati	32	16	16	.500
Pittsburgh	31	15	18	.484
Boston	31	13	18	.406
Chicago	35	14	21	.401
St. Louis	32	12	20	.375

Games Tuesday.

St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Chicago at Pittsburgh.
New York at Boston.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Results Monday.

No games scheduled.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	31	23	8	.742
Washington	38	21	12	.636
Chicago	34	20	14	.588
Cleveland	31	18	13	.581
St. Louis	37	16	21	.432
New York	31	12	19	.387
Detroit	37	13	24	.351
Boston	32	10	22	.513

Games Tuesday.

Cleveland at St. Louis.
Detroit at Chicago.
Boston at New York.
Only games scheduled.

TEXAS ASSOCIATION

Results Monday.

Corsicana 5; Terrell 2.
Mexia 2; Austin 1.
Palestine-Temple, postponed on account of wet grounds.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
Temple	33	21	12	.636
Mexia	34	21	13	.618
Corsicana	31	19	12	.613
Austin	32	16	16	.500
Terrell	31	11	20	.355
Palestine	33	9	24	.273

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Results Monday.

Little Rock 3; Atlanta 0.
Birmingham 4; Chattanooga 2.
Other games postponed.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
Atlanta	41	23	18	.561
New Orleans	38	21	17	.553
Nashville	38	20	18	.526
Memphis	42	22	20	.524
Birmingham	40	20	20	.500
Mobile	41	20	21	.488
Chattanooga	41	20	21	.488
Little Rock	41	15	26	.366

Games Tuesday.

Atlanta at Little Rock.
New Orleans at Chattanooga.
Mobile at Nashville.
Birmingham at Memphis.

WESTERN LEAGUE

Results Monday.

Oklahoma City 2; Wichita 0.
Denver 7; Lincoln 0.
Omaha 9; Des Moines 2.
Tulsa 6; St. Joseph 2.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
Denver	36	21	15	.583
St. Joseph	36	20	16	.556
Tulsa	38	18	15	.545
Oklahoma City	36	19	17	.528
Lincoln	35	18	17	.514
Des Moines	36	17	19	.472
Omaha	34	15	19	.441
Wichita	36	13	23	.361

Games Tuesday.

Wichita at Oklahoma City.
Denver at Lincoln.
Des Moines at Omaha.
St. Joseph at Tulsa.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Results Monday.

St. Paul 13; Milwaukee 8.
Kansas City 9; Minneapolis 5.
Other games postponed; cold.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Paul	36	21	15	.583
Indianapolis	35	20	15	.571
Minneapolis	38	20	18	.522
Louisville	34	17	17	.500
Milwaukee	36	17	19	.471
Toledo	34	16	18	.471
Columbus	32	14	18	.438
Kansas City	35	15	20	.312

Games Tuesday.

Louisville at Toledo.
Indianapolis at Columbus.
Kansas City at Minneapolis.
Milwaukee at St. Paul.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

No games played Monday.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
San Francisco	45	34	11	.618
Salt Lake City	45	26	19	.578
Los Angeles	48	27	21	.563
Portland	42	21	22	.488
Seattle	46	22	24	.478
Oakland	44	21	23	.477
Sacramento	46	18	28	.391
Vernon	48	14	34	.292

Games Tuesday.

San Francisco at Seattle.
Los Angeles at Portland.
Sacramento at Oakland.
Salt Lake City at Vernon.

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE

Results Monday.

Texarkana 6; Tyler 4.
Mount Pleasant 2; Paris 1.
Longview 3; Sulphur Springs 2.
Greenville 4; Marshall 1.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
Tyler	34	24	10	.706
Texarkana	32	22	10	.688
Paris	32	19	13	.594
Greenville	30	18	12	.594
Mount Pleasant	31	14	17	.452
Longview	32	11	21	.344
Marshall	30	10	20	.333
Sulphur Springs	33	9	24	.273

Many bargains appear daily in the real estate columns of the Record News want ads.

Cats Hit More But Exporters Take Game, 7-5

Champs go Down When Pate Weakens in Eighth Inning

BEAUMONT, May 25.—Beaumont hit when hits meant runs in a close game with the Fort Worth Cats here Monday afternoon, winning 7 to 5. Joe Pate, veteran left-hander of the Panthers, went the full route, but weakened in the eighth, presenting five men with their bases and allowing two hits for a total of three tallies. Jay Kirke, former Fort Worth first-sacker, got a little revenge on his mates in the third inning, when he poked one into deep center with two men on base, stretching it into a home run. The score:

FT. WORTH—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Davis, cf	5	1	2	2	0	0
Mullen, 3b	5	1	2	2	4	0
Sears, lf	4	0	3	3	0	0
Koney, 1b	5	0	0	6	0	0
Palmer, 2b	4	0	3	2	1	1
Edington, rf	4	1	0	3	0	0
Windle, ss	4	2	1	0	2	0
Smith, c	5	0	2	7	0	0
Pate, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
xMoore	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	41	5	13	24	8	1

xBatted for Windle in eighth.

BEAUMONT—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Osborne, rf	5	1	2	2	0	0
Woehrs, 3b	3	1	0	1	1	0
Leach, lf	3	2	1	0	0	1
Kirke, 1b	3	2	2	10	1	1
McCarty, cf	2	1	1	4	0	0
Deviveros, ss	4	0	1	1	6	1
Mitchell, 2b	4	0	0	4	5	1
Hale, c	3	0	1	4	0	0
McNeill, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Foreman, p	1	0	0	1	0	0
Filingim, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	7	8	27	13	4

Fort Worth	000 022 001—5
Beaumont	003 001 03x—7

Stolen bases—Koney, Palmer. Sacrifice hits—Kirke, McCarty. Two-base hits—Osborne 2, Windle, Davis, Leach, Palmer, Smith. Three-base hit—Mullen. Home run—Kidke. Double plays—Deviveros to Mitchell to Kirke; Windle to Palmer to Koney. Pitchers recrod—off McNeill 7 hits and 3 runs in 5 1-3 innings. Struck out—by Foreman 2; by McNeill 2; by Pate 6. Bases on balls—off McNeill 2; off Filingim 1; off Pate 5. Left on bases—Fort Worth 12; Beaumont 6. Time of game—1:55. Umpires—Fanning and Hill.

SPORTS GET BEARS

SAN ANTONIO, May 25.—Two home runs and an error gave Shreveport a 3 to 0 victory in the second game of the series here Monday. It was the firsts hutout registered on Bear field and it was likewise the fastest game of the season here. Th score:

SHREVEPORT—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
McGaffigan, 2b	4	0	1	4	3	3
Benton, ss	4	1	1	3	5	0
Ostergard, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
McDonald, 3b	4	1	0	1	2	0
Bonowitz, cf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Silva, lf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Luderus, 1b	4	1	1	8	1	0
Lynn, c	3	0	0	7	1	0
Prough, p	3	0	2	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	9	27	12	0

SANTONE—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Booe, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Gonzales, ss	3	0	0	7	1	1
Rosenthal, rf	4	0	1	2	2	0
Washburn, 2b	4	0	0	3	6	0
Clark, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Meyers, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Warwick, 1b	3	0	0	7	0	0
Coleman, c	3	0	1	4	1	0
Callard, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	30	0	5	27	13	1

Shreveport	000 000 210—3
San Antonio	000 000 000—0

Home runs—Luderus, Benton. Stolen base—Silva. Struck out—by Collard 4; by Prough 6. Bases on balls—off Frough 1. Left on bases—Shreveport 4; San Antonio 4. Double plays—Luderus to Benton Luderus; Coleman to Gonzales; Lynn to McGaffigan. Time of game—1:30. Umpires—Weir and Kane.

DALLAS BEATS BIRD

WACO, May 25.—Dallas hit Red Bird hard for an inning and two-thirds today and won the opening game here, 7 to 3. Lyle lass was ineffective. The score:

DALLAS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
O'Brien, cf	5	0	1	4	0	0
Bauman, 2b	4	2	1	1	2	0
Miller, rf	5	2	2	1	2	0
Williams, lf	4	0	3	2	0	0
Kearns, 1b	4	0	1	7	0	0
Segrist, 3b	4	1	0	2	3	0
Kahdot, ss	4	1	1	1	2	0
Billings, c	5	1	2	8	0	0
North, p	5	0	2	0	1	0
Totals	40	7	13	27	8	0

WACO—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Menze, rf	4	1	1	2	1	0
Foss, 3b	5	1	2	2	3	0
Brown, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Pratt, 2b	4	0	2	1	2	0
Galloway, 1b	3	0	2	9	0	0
Stumpf, ss	4	0	1	0	5	1
Wilson, cf	4	0	1	5	0	0
Morrow, c	4	0	0	6	1	0
Bird, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lyle, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
xBueller	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	3	10	27	13	1

xBatted for Lyle in ninth.

Dallas	130 101 010—7
Waco	002 000 010—3

Two-base hits—Williams 2, Foss. Home runs—Miller, Brown. Sacrifice hit—Bauman. Bases on balls—off Bird 3; off Lyle 1; off North 2. Struck out—by North 7; by Bird 2; by Lyle 4. Double play—Kahdot to Bauman to Kearns. Pitching record—4 runs 6 hits off Bird in 1 2-3 innings. Losing pitcher—Bird. Left on bases—Dallas 10; Waco 8. Time of game—2:00. Umpires—Daly and Osborne.

DOUGLAS GETS HIS CHANCE WITH REDS

CINCINNATI, Ohio, May 25.—The Cincinnati Nationals lost their second catcher for a period of at least three weeks today, when an X-ray by the club physician, showed a fractured finger on Ivy Wingo's throwing hand.

Wingo has been catching regularly since a similar injury took Bubbles Hargrave, the first string backstop, out of the game several weeks ago. Frank Bruggy, the old Philadelphia catcher, has been called upon to help out Astynax Douglas, the third string catcher and will report for duty tomorow.

A meeting of Red directors was held today to go over the available list of outfielders to bolster up the team. It was announced that nothing definite had been done except that telegrams had been sent asking about outfield prospects.

SPUDDER BLUDGEONS

THE ATTACK

Player—	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	Pct.
Distel,ss	143	30	47	9	2	1	.329
F'zgerald,cf	157	24	50	12	0	2	.319
Jonnard,c	62	5	18	5	0	0	.290
Turgeon,2b	31	3	9	2	0	1	.290
Bodie, lf	144	24	39	4	0	8	.271
Callaghan,rf	165	27	44	9	2	3	.267
Golvin,1b	120	14	30	7	0	3	.259
Dorman,3b	92	11	22	6	0	0	.239
Tanner,3b	47	6	10	3	0	1	.213
Query,c	68	6	14	1	0	0	.205
White,2b	138	11	27	4	1	4	.196

PITCHING

	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Osborn	10	6	2	.750
Williams	11	8	3	.727
Morgan	9	3	3	.500
Wheeler	5	1	4	.200
Reid	9	0	1	.000
Lindstrom	1	0	0	.000
Stone	1	0	0	.000

YOU KNOW ME AL —By Ring Lardner



First Methodist Club Jumps On Baptists, 8 to 2

Walker Allows Seven Hits In Same Number Of Innings

The First Methodist club of the Sunday School loop took the long end of an 8 to 2 win from the Baptists in a play-off game Monday afternoon on Texhoma diamond.

Ralph Walker held the Baptists to seven scattered bingles and fanned four men during the seven innings. Lesley was hit hard in the early part of the game, but steadied down and held the Methodists well in check the rest of the contest.

Ralph Walker collected a pair of two-baggers in three times at the plate. Buster Morgan annexed a pair of singles and a sacrifice in three trips up.

Highfill played a nice game at second base, accepting seven chances in the field without a bobble.

Dunn, a new man, appeared in the Methodist lineup at center field. He accepted a pair of fly balls in the outer garden with ease.

BAPTIST:	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Rosser, cf	3	0	1	1	0	1
Morgan, 1b	2	1	2	6	0	1
Owens, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Lesley, p	2	0	1	0	1	0
Ellis, 2b	2	0	0	2	0	0
Callahan, ss	3	0	1	0	2	1
Shell, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Beck, 3b	3	0	1	1	3	0
Davis, c	3	1	1	7	3	1
Duncan, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
x Spangler	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	24	2	7	18	9	4

x Batted for Duncan in the seventh.

ME'ODIST:	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Highfill, 2b	2	2	1	4	3	0
G. Boone, 3b	4	1	1	1	4	0
F. Boone, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cannon, rf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Gordon, ss	2	1	0	0	3	0
Rawls, lf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Ward, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	2
Dunn, cf	2	2	1	2	0	0
Doke, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Walker, p	3	0	2	1	0	0
Totals	28	8	9	21	10	2

Score by innings:

Baptist	000 110 0—2
Methodist	250 010 x—8

Two-base hits, Walker 2, Highfill; hit by pitcher, Highfill 2, Gordon; struck out by Lesley 5, Walker 4; stolen base, Walker; sacrifice hit, Morgan; bases on balls off Lesley 2, Walker 1; double play, G. Boone to Highfill to Ward.

Christians Give Presbies Game

The Presbyterian club of the Sunday School were presented their scheduled game Monday afternoon when their opponents, the First Christian nine, failed to appear. By a league ruling the game goes to the Presbyterians by a 9 to 0 count.

This was the second time in succession, that the Christian club has lost by a forfeiture.

At 6:15 Umpire Mosley called the game a forfeit and the Presbyterian nine took the opportunity to get in some practice and choose up sides for a friendly tilt, Coyal Francis bossing one and Jim Shipley the other.

Before the game the club took a good infield workout that went a long ways to get the kinks out.

SAND LOT SLANTS

SUNDAY SCHOOL LEAGUE

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
First Methodist	5	4	1	.800
Floral H. Methodist	4	3	1	.750
Grace Methodist	4	1	1	.750
First Presbyterians	6	3	3	.500
First Christians	5	1	4	.200
First Baptist	4	0	4	.000

TWILIGHT LEAGUE

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
American Refiners	5	4	1	.800
Texhoma	5	4	1	.800
Monroe's Travelers	5	3	2	.600
Security Nationals	5	2	3	.400
W. F. Electrics	5	1	4	.200
Ludlam and Riggs	3	0	3	.000

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The American Refinery is scheduled to meet the Wichita Falls Electric company nine this afternoon on the Twilight diamond at 5 o'clock. Skipper Medford will use Ronie Glidewell on the mound in an effort to hold pace with the Texhoma club. Norwood will use Blue.

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The Electrics has a new youngster to try for the club in the person of Cecil Allison. Allison has been working with several independent teams about Wichita Falls and is hoping to make the Twilight league grade. He was with the Nafziger Baking company nine this spring for a short while.

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Reese, Electric company first-sacker, looked pretty good out there on the bag Sunday afternoon. He could stretch off the base and meet a throw with ease. This method of snagging the peg will get many a runner in a tight play.

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Charley Brooks of the Grace Methodist club, has gathered a hard hitting aggregation through his diligent efforts to bring that nine up in the race. Anyone that doesn't believe this can just take a peek at them some time in action. The majority of the club is with the American Refinery nine and these lads are hitting at a fast clip. Both of these clubs have been hitting hard all year. Some of those that are with both clubs are: Ronie Glidewell, Bill Andree, Raymond Windham and Dudley Skeen.

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The American Refiners are still winning ball games with regularity. Sunday they went into the laid of the Newton Terrors and gave that club its first defeat of the year, winning 13 to 3. Lesley Erving hurled the game for the Americans and with the hard hitting of his mates behind him he won out with ease. Bill Andree collected with a single, triple, and a home run in four times at bat. Red Rounsaville pasted three out of three. Christian, new third-sacker of the Americans, put the game on ice early in the contest with a home run.

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Rabbit Gordon, Texhoma center gardener, looked mighty good when he went far back in center and speared Lee Courtney's long drive in the fifth inning of the first game. Gordon has a habit of making those difficult stabs in the outergarden.

Robinson Prexy Of Brooklyn Club

NEW YORK, May 25.—(AP)—Baseball today rewarded Wilbert Robinson for 40 years of service as a player and manager, by his election to the presidency of the Brooklyn National league club.

The election of the veteran manager to the post left vacant by the death of Charles H. Ebetts, will not take from the game one of its most popular leaders, however. After he had been chosen by the board of directors this afternoon, Robinson, who for 11 years had been pilot of the Brooklyn team announced he would continue to direct the club from the playing bench throughout the remainder of the season.

Robinson's decision gives him a distinctive position in major league baseball since he will be the game's only president-manager. It was announced, however, he will be partly relieved as pilot of the team by the appointment of Zach Wheat, as assistant manager. Wheat is the veteran player of the club. Jacques Fournier will succeed the slugging outfielder as captain.

FIGHT CARD POSTPONED

The Bruce Cobb Post, Iowa Park American Legion, fight program scheduled for Lake Wichita Monday night was postponed because of cold weather The card is to be staged next Tuesday, said the promoters.

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Benefit JOE DENTON
LEGION ARENA—ELEVENTH AND OHIO
Tuesday, May 26, 8:30 p. m.

CLYDE HULL, St. Paul	vs	SAM RILEY, Altus
DUKE TREMMEL, Wichita Falls	vs.	BILLY CLARK, Dallis
WILDCAT MONTE, Amarillo	vs.	JACK DENTON, Tahoka
RENATA TORRES, Mexico City	vs.	VINCENTE AGUILAR, Monterey, Mexico
TABBIE LEVIN, Wichita Falls	vs.	BLAS RODRIQUEY, Mexico City
YOUNG MURDOCK, Sulphur, Okla.	vs	BATTLING GILLAN, Vernon
KID NORFOLK	vs.	BATTLING NELSON

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THE CARD

All bouts scheduled four-rounders.
Clyde Hull, St. Paul, vs. Sammy Riley, Altus, welterweights.
Duke Trammel, Fort Worth, vs. Billy Clark, Dallas, welterweights.
Wildcate Monte, Amarillo, vs. Jack Denton, Tahoka, junior lightweights.
Tabby Levine, Wichita Falls, vs. Blas Rodriguez, Mexico City, featherweights.
Renato Torres, Mexico City, vs. Vincente Aguilar, Monterrey, welterweights.
Young Murdock, Sulphur, vs. Battling Gillan, Vernon, featherweights.
Kid Norford, Wichita Falls, vs. Battling Nelson, Wichita Fals, negro welterweights.

That Wichita Falls fight fandom will be repaid tonight with action aplenty and speed galore is almost an assured fact, believe promoters of the Joe Denton benefit fistic program slated for the American legion arena.

Four sets of welterweights, every one of them a tried and experienced battler, are billed to tangle in four-rounders. There are two featherweight bouts, and one junior lightweight meeting scheduled, also four-rounders.

That Sam Riley will give Clyde Hull a good fight, many fans believe who saw the St. Paul miller beat the Oklahoman last week in Vernon. Sammy is tough, fairly fast, willing, and may surprise the elusive Minnesotan in a bout of such short duration.

Billy Clark long has awaited the chance to get at Duke Trammel, Promoter Wofford declares, and the Dallas lad believes he can show Dukum a flock of leather. There should be real gore spilled in this battle.

Monte and Jack Denton are both well known in Wichita Falls, and there's little fear but this pair will stage a whale of a fight.

Torres has won a host of friends by his willingness and clean scrapping displayed in two bouts here to date. Aguilar is a newcomer.

They say Blas Rodriguez will show Levine more speed than the Wichita Falls boy has ever seen before. Blas ran circles around Murdock the past week in Vernon while giving the Sulphur youth an artistic lacing.

Norford and Nelson have never failed to put up a good mill.

The Vernon youngster after seeing him fight, believes he can beat Murdock.

PITCHING IN BROOKLYN NOT LIKE IN ST. LOUIS.

The other day the Cincinnati Reds ambled out of Brooklyn with the good wishes of the Dodger fans. The Reds had put an awful crimp in the plans of Uncle Wilbert's team.

And the ringleader in the fray wasn't Pete Donohue, Adolph Luque, Benton, Carl Mays, Jakie May or Tom Sheehan. He was Mr. Eppa Jephtha Rixey, the college yell pitchers who is old enough to write his memories of the early days of colleges and baseball.

Eppa just up and turned the Dodgers back at will.

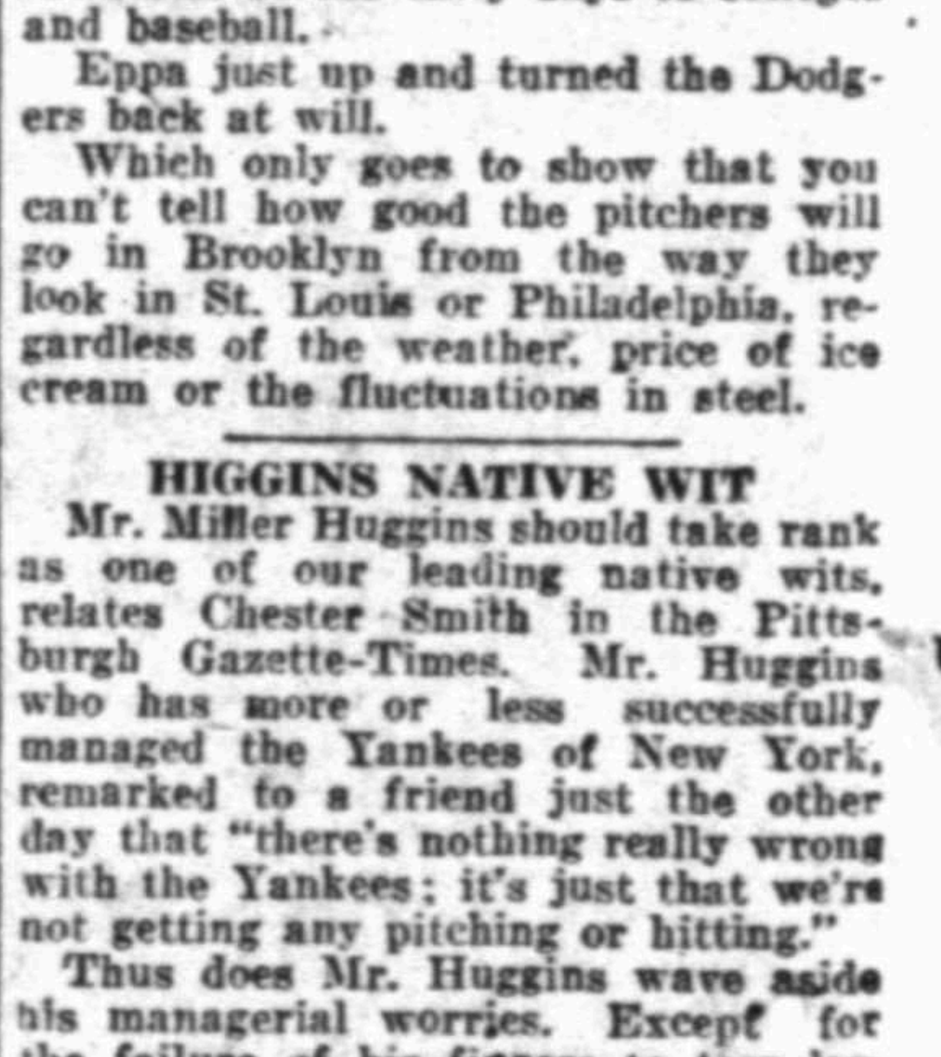
Which only goes to show that you can't tell how good the pitchers will go in Brooklyn from the way they look in St. Louis or Philadelphia, regardless of the weather, price of ice cream or the fluctuations in steel.

HIGGINS NATIVE WIT

Mr. Miller Huggins should take rank as one of our leading native wits, relates Chester Smith in the Pittsburgh Gazette-Times. Mr. Huggins who has more or less successfully managed the Yankees of New York, remarked to a friend just the other day that "there's nothing really wrong with the Yankees; it's just that we're not getting any pitching or hitting."

Thus does Mr. Huggins wave aside his managerial worries. Except for the failure of his fingers to toss 'em past alien bludgeons and the inability of his own batsmen to manufacture hits, the fortunes of the Yankees are bathed in gold.

Many a manager would spend sleepless nights and develop a corrugated brow if assailed by such trivial troubles. But not so Mr. Huggins who laughs and laughs and laughs.


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TEXAS PIONEER OF SEYMOUR DIES MONDAY

Banker of City Dead In Dallas After Serious Operation

SEYMOUR, May 25. — The never ending trial called Charles T. Porter of Seymour today as a fatal consequence to an operation at a sanitarium in Dallas necessitated by a year's serious illness. His death called from this city one of the men who helped make the west, his 44 years of residence in this community having run the course of cowboy as history recalls them to wealthy stockman a vice-president of the First National bank of Seymour.

The end came at 2:20 Monday morning, according to word received here today.

Charles Porter came to the Seymour section from Lebannon, Mo., at the age of 16 years and had lived in this country since that time. He is survived by his wife and five children, Thelma and Galen Porter of Seymour; Charles Thomas Jr., of Seymour; Mrs. John Croft of Megargel and Mrs. Harry McConnell of Frederick, Okla., and a number of brothers and sisters.

Funeral services will be held at the Methodist church of Seymour of which Mr. Porter was a steward at 3:30 o'clock Tuesday, officiated in by Rev. W. C. Hinds of Seymour and Rev. William Murrill of Chillicothe, the latter a life long friend of the deceased.

Childress Electric Man in Wichita Falls

Frank Houston, general manager of the Texas Central Electric company's properties in Northwest Texas, was in Wichita Falls business visitor Monday. Mr. Houston maintains headquarters in Childress and came down to confer with a local produce house that contemplates opening a branch house in Childress. The company is now building a new power plant, ice factory and cold storage plant in Childress at a cost of $250,000. Mr. Houston states business is good throughout the lower Panhandle section and promise for good crops could not be better. The building of the new railroad from Childress to Plainview, Lubbock, Dimmitt and Silverton is causing quite a building boom in Childress, says Mr. Houston.

"FRAZIER" IS DISCOUNTED

Case Involving Identity of Returned Soldier Still Progressing.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 25.—(AP)—That the initials "A. F." were not tattooed or scratched on the arm of Arthur Lopez-Frazier, as late as July 1, 1924, was the testimony presented by Arthur Huchow, identification expert of the South Dakota penitentiary, in federal court here today.

Witnesses for Lopez-Frazier, who seek to prove that he is Arthur Frazier, world war veteran, testified previously that Arthur Frazier had his initials scratched or tattooed on his arm when he was a student at the Flandreau Indian school before he went to war.

COTTON BILLS SIGNED

Acts in California to Regulate Growing and Sale of Cotton.

SACRAMENTO, Calif., May 25.—(AP) — Governor Richardson today signed two bills which are considered of vital importance to the cotton industry of the state. They regulate the growing and sale of cotton. In signing the bills the governor said:

"These bills are of vital interest to the cotton industry of California and will put it on a stable basis. One of these bills provides that only seed of Acala cotton can be used. This will afford a uniform staple and will be of great benefit to the industry."

TO CONTEST CITY ELECTION

Galveston Party Decides Action Against Recent Ballots.

GALVESTON, May 25.—Decision to contest the city election held on May 12 at the earliest possible date was reached at a meeting of the executive committee of the Galveston business party and ward workers held tonight. Attorneys have already been selected and legal papers will be filed immediately upon the return of Frank J. Mellina, business party candidate for the office of commissioner of waterworks and sewerage from New Orleans, where he has been attending an I. L. A. convention.

FUNDAMENTALISM KNIFED

Action of Presbyterians in General Session Strikes Blow.

COLUMBUS, Ohio., May 25.—(AP)—Militant fundamentalism was dealt another blow in the Presbyterian annual assembly today when a proposal which may result in eventual union of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America and the Congregational church was adopted.

The 1,000 commissioners thunderously voted "aye" in the face of a ous ent by Dr. Clarence Edward stat ney of Philadelphia, former MacAr that such a step would moderato Presbyterian church wide "split the open."

AUSTINIAN IS ELECTED

Achilles Named to Head Council of Merchants For New Year.

AUSTIN, May 25.—W. A. Achilles of Austin was elected to head the presidents Council of Merchants Monday night. He succeeded Phil F. Meyers of Palestine.

Meyers was the principal speaker at the presidents' banquet at the Driskill.

J. E. Denney of Port Arthur was chosen president, A. A. Billingsley, Fort Worth secretary; and D. L. Whittle, Dallas, A. E. Spann, Weatherford, W. W. Lankford, Denison, J. J. Scull, Sherman, and Phil Meyers, Palestine, directors.

ELECTRA CO. GETS CHARTER

AUSTIN, May 25.—(AP)—Charters today included: Electra Production company; Electra; oil and mineral production; capital stock $25,000. Incorporators: W. C. Forbess, Fort Worth; C. W. Coffey, George T. McGann, Electra.



Miss Constance Towner, daughter of Horace M. Towner, governor of Porto Rico, is being feted in Washington, where she was once one of the most popular members of the younger congressional social set.

HEAVY LOSSES OF RIFFS PUTS FRENCH AHEAD

Colonial Army Reorganized; Situation Reported To Be Serious

PARIS, May 25—(AP)—The heavy losses suffered by the Riffians at the hands of the French and the reorganization of the French army of 50,000 under General Daugan are looked upon here as indicating the seriousness of the situation in Morocco. Added to the military angle is the political controversy going on with regard to Morocco. The report declared when the chamber decided to postpone until Wednesday discussion of credits for the campaign in the protectorate, is only temporary. for it is considered highly improbable that the socialists and communists will abandon their opposition to appropriations for carrying on the war.

General Daugan has withdrawn his army to the southern side of the Ouergha river, abandoning five posts that were almost continually surrounded by the tribesmen and could be supplied with food only by airplane or after strong, difficult and probably costly drives to clear out the Riffians, who swept back as soon as the French again retired. This new policy leaves more forces available for the real fighting, which is expected to be renewed soon, since the Riffians are reported to be continuing their concentrations.

INFANT NURSE BILLED AGAIN

Indictment Charges Her With Willfully Killing Baby

NEW YORK, May 25.—(AP)—Mrs. Helene Auguste Geisin-Volk, former German Red Cross nurse and widow of a Prussian army officer, is accused of having "willfully and feloniously" killed William Winters, an infant, in the indictment charging her with first degree manslaughter which a grand jury filed today.

She will be arraigned tomorrow to plead to the indictment. She is in prison under $30,000 bail, awaiting trial on charges of bay substitution and violation of a city ordinance relative to the number of children she kept at her "baby-farm" at which 44 infants died, according to health department officials.

TRUCK RUNS OVER MAN

Dallas Resident Fatally Injured By Garbage Wagon.

DALLAS, May 25. — Walker Fincher, 35, was fatally injured here today when he fell beneath a garbage truck, one wheel passing over his body. He died a few minutes after reaching a local hospital. He was employed by the city garbage removal department.

RECEIVER FOR BURNETT FUND PAID $5,000

Litigation Over Fortune Is Finally Closed With This Payment

FORT WORTH, May 25.—Litigation in the contest over Mrs. Burk Burnett's gift to Texas Christian university came to an end Monday when Judge Bruce Young, in the 48th district court, allowed Frank Powell, appointed receiver for the estate, a fee of $5,000.

Following the death of Mrs. Burnett several relatives filed suit to have the trust fund, created by Mrs. Burnett during her lifetime for the benefit of the university, set aside on the plea that she was of unsound mind when it was created. The trust fund comprised practically the entire estate belonging to Mrs. Burnett.

The relatives filed the suit in Parker county. Three days later the trustees of the trust fund petitioned the district court of Tarrant county to appoint a receiver for the estate pending the litigation.

According to the settlement, the relatives received $600,000 and the balance of the estate estimated to be worth $3,000,000 remained in the possession of the university.

ALLEGED SLAYER ASKS BAIL

Believe Ft. Worth Man to Be Released On Bond.

FORT WORTH, May 25.—Efforts to obtain bond for the release of Edwin Burdick, charged with the murder of Aubrey Moss, from the county jail were being made tonight, and it is expected, according to his attorneys, that the efforts will be successful within the next twenty-four hours.

Cecil Odneal, jointly charged with Burdick for the slaying of Moss, was released several days ago on a $5,000 bond. Burdick's bail has been set at $2,500 by District Attorney Hanger.

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STANDARD GAS ADVANCED ONE CENT TUESDAY

Standard Company Raises Price in Louisiana Territory

SHREVEPORT, La., May 25.—Effective at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning price of gasoline in Standard oil company of Louisiana territory, Louisiana, Arkansas and Tennessee will be advanced 1 cent per gallon, making filling station prices 22 1-2 cents and tank wagon 20 1-7 cents.

Standard of Louisiana, will post the advance, all other refiners and distributors following suit immediately.

The raise restores prices in this territory to the level obtaining March 17.

General strengthening in the refined oil market is credited with responsibility for the increase, the recent advances in Smackover heavy oil having nothing whatever to do with the situation as that grade of crude oil is high priced—in view of the pool's huge production—because of its high quality as fuel oil at comparatively low price.

CITY COUNCIL

(Continued from page 1)

Gun club to use the south end of the Municipal park for their club was referred to Commissioner Patton.

Moving Bill Approved

A bill of Humphrey and Skelton of $450 for moving houses on Front street was approved, while a bill of $25 by C. L. Bradford for constabulary supervision of that moving was table for the consideration of the council.

Relief for the negro population of the city in the matter of their park was promised by the council, which approved a gateway to keep out cows and stock and an extension of the water and light system to the park.

A proposal to advertise for bids once more on sidewalks from Eighth to Seventh streets on Harrison was approved.

A sewage extension to the Highland addition between Grant and Santa Fe streets and Avenues M and Q to cost nearly $6,500 was approved and authorized.

A report of the fire chief, J. H. McClure, offering as suggestion for the betterment of Wichita Falls fire service the addition of another hook and ladder and aerial truck, and three 750-gallon pumpers to station equipment, an increase of the fighting force from 29 to 45 firemen. As Chief McClure brought out the extensions and additions were almost necessary in the light of the state and underwriters' requirements for a city of 45-000 population, a very conservative estimate of Wichita Falls' size.

Permission was granted the American legion to sell poppies on the street this week.

TICK WORK GOING ON

Dipping Is Postponed Where Cattl Are Too Weak From Drouth.

FORT WORTH, May 25.—Except for a group of Southwest Texas counties bordering the Rio Grande and Gulf of Mexico where drouth conditions have made cattle too weak to continue dipping, the tick eradication program is being carried on with full vigor, it was declared today by Le A. Callan, chairman of the state live stock sanitary commission. Mr. Callan came to headquarters of the commissioner here direct from a week's tour of the Rio Grande Valley and Gulf coast country.

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One sickly thin kid, age 9, gained 12 pounds in 7 months.

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The Old Home Town

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Shields, managers of the William Mary hotel, left Monday afternoon for Houston, where they were called by the serious illness of Mr. Shields' mother, Mrs. Mary L. Shields.

Hubert Harrison, manager of the local chamber of commerce, with Mrs. Harrison and the children has gone to Greenville for a visit with relatives and friends. Thursday, May 28, Mr. Harrison will leave his family in Greenville and go to Marlin for three days to attend the State Association of Commercial Executives, of which he is a past president.

KEMP—Earl W. Elliot, Dallas; E. F. Razell and wife, Dallas; G. F. Terry, Fort Worth; Frank D. Aguiar, Fort Worth; E. P. Cook, Dallas; E. F. Hurley, Shreveport; George H. Crosley, St. Louis; E. A. Rully, Fort Worth; W. W. Plownmer, Dallas; Wm. Crawford, Curtis; B Landaman, Fort Worth; Z. C. Thompson, Denton; Chas. F. Kreis, St. Louis; Earll O. Lehman, Toledo; Frank Parks, Rochester; S. J. Marcell, Olney; C. E. Sassaman, Ranger; T. M. Haught, Ellisville; W. H. Coons, Bakerfield, Calif.; V. H. Haysilp; Houston; Gillette Hill; Joe Robertson, Dallas; R. J. Elam and Wife, Enid; R. G. Giberson, Kansas City; R. A. Pitman, Dallas; Chas. S. Richardson, Olney; Wayne Kin, Olney; A. B. Richards and wife, Dallas; E. R. Stanfield, Oklahoma City; J. T. Darby, Muskogee; J. C. Hill, Tulsa; C. H. Wright, Ranger; Mrs. A. Ferguson, city; H. Lee Manion, Oklahoma City; Stephen H. Davis, Dallas; H. T. Quick, Dallas; T. E. Collier, Oklahoma City; A. Zundelwitz, city; J. E. Todd, Fort Worth; Daniel Murphy and wife, Dallas; J. W. Hughes, Terrell; R. W. Eggert, Chicago; T. S. Connely, Dallas; W. M. Burgess, Oklahoma City; Natt W. Bird, Dallas; Sam Meyers, Rochester; Frank Kelsey; Fort Worth; Paul L. Slonamker, Shreveport; Virgil Witworth, Houston, Texas; J. H. Jones, Amarillo.

TEXAN—J. A. Hicks, Dallas; A. Johnson, Fort Worth; W. E. Wilkinson, Dallas; Mrs. N. C. McIntyre, San Francisco; R. O. Peeny, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rainer, Altus; N. D. Tillotson, Chickasha; H. S. Omstreet and wife; Quitique, Texas; C. P. Mehaffy, Fort Worth; E. W. Pimond, Abilene; J. E. Pook, Fort Worth; R. K. Swiden, Dallas; C. H. Clinton, Las Vegas; B. M. Bussey, Las Vegas; F. W. Pope, St. Louis; S. Miller, Dallas; J. W. Thompson, R. C. Mason; R. J. Elam and wife, Enid; A. D. Fisher, Dallas; W. K. Greever, Vernon; J. L. Doschner, Graham; J. C. Lackeney, Dallas; E. B. Mieton, Santa Fe Railway; Jack Bell, Lawton; Dave Cook; Lawton; H. L. Harry and wife, Ft. Worth; W. H. Williams, Dallas; Dr. R. J. McCoy and wife, Megargel; S. B. Heard, Quanah; M. V. Poole, Quanah, E. V. Brown and wife Dallas; B. B. Baldwin, Dallas; E. P. Cook, Dallas; Wilbur E. Brown, Oklahoma City; L. E. Doheney, Oklahoma City; F. D. Fuller, College Station; C. E. Scruggs, Kansas City; Bill Moody, Holliday; C. O. Ermon, Dallas; S. A. Gilbert, Fort Worth; C. F. Shipp, Dallas; J. R. Buchanan, Stamford.

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No more convincing proof has ever been given as to the intrinsic merit of any pavement than that contained in the 1924 report of the California State Highway Commission to the effect that a 3½-inch asphaltic concrete base ("black base") and a 1½ inch asphaltic top are regarded as standard by the commission for state highway contruction. No other type of pavement among the standards adopted approaches this minimum. California has tried them all, the "black base" having had the most greatling tests over a period of 30 years. So completely have the asphalt pavements demonstrated their superiority that last year 72% of all pavements laid in the states of Nevada, California, Washington, Oregon, Arizona and Alaska were of asphalt and of these pavements 80% were of black base.

Texas Highway Bulletin, March, 1925

THREE CITIES BREAK RECORD FOR PAVEMENT DURABILITY

Pennsylvania avenue, Washington City, has asphalt pavement which has given service for 43 year. Omaha, it believed, has established a record for durability in street construction. A recent inspection of Omaha asphalt black base pavements laid in 1889 to 1893 show them to be in good condition and still giving excellent service. The city has a total of 102,178 square yards of 4½-inch black base pavements with a 1½-inch sheet asphalt top, of which 3,000 square yards were laid in 1889, 77,493 square yards were laid in 1890, 12,415 yards were laid in 1891 and 9,334 square yards were laid in 1893. The pavements, therefore, are all from 31 to 35 years old. In spite of their age, it has been necessary to resurface only 2 per cent of the total yardage originally laid, or 2,134 square yards, all of which was laid in 1905 on pavements constructed in 1891. City Hall Square, at Main and Asylum streets, Hartford, Conn., was paved with asphalt in 1806 and after twenty-eight years of service the pavement is still in good condition despite the fact that it is traversed by car tracks and is also subjected to heavy motor vehicle traffic.

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MAN WANTED FOR MURDER IS ARRESTED

Is Also Accused of Having Fired House After Fatal Shooting

NEWBURY PORT, Mass., May 25—(AP)—Harry A. Kirby, hunted in connection with the murder of Miss Aida Heyward, the shooting of Mrs. Emma M. Towns and the burning of their cottage in Winthrop, Maine, was arrested here today.

When taken into custody by local police at a boarding house Kirby admitted that he was the man sought by Maine authorities, but denied any connection with the killing of Miss Heyward. He said that he had found the woman's body in a cottage beside Lake Maranacook, near Winthrop, Maine, and moved it to the cottage of Miss Jane Gray of Watertown, Mass., which he was occupying. He gave no explanation of his reason for doing this.

When arrested Kirby was calm and made no resistance. He said he would make a statement later explaining his movements since last Tuesday night when Miss Heyward was carried away from home after her aunt, Mrs. Emma M. Towns, had been shot and the cottage set on fire.

Kirby said he was willing to return to Maine for hearing. It was expected that deputy marshals would arrive today to take Kirby to Augusta.

Nothing Heard of Oklahoma Heiress Missing Since Friday

MIAMI, Okla., May 25.—Nothing further was known this morning at the office of E. E. Simpson, Ottawa county sheriff, as to the whereabouts of Maude Lee Mudd, 16-year-old Indian heiress, who disappeared from her mother's home here last Friday. County officials reiterated today that they believed Mrs. Susan Bomberry, the mother, knew where the girl could be found. It is understood that the Quapaw Indian agency here is investigating the return of the Bomberry automobile last night after a prolonged absence.

GILMER MAN IS SHOT

Prominent Resident Had Arm Amputation Recently.

GILMER, Texas, May 25. — Joe Bishop, 70, prominent resident of Upshur county died yesterday from a pistol shot wound. He had been ill for some time and one arm was amputated some time ago in an effort to relieve his condition. He lived in what is known as the Concord settlement.

Eccentric Bequeaths Fortune to Lawyers, Relative to Contest

LOS ANGELES, May 25.—In a copyrighted story, published in the Los Angeles Examiner today, George W. Hazletine, aged eccentric, who died in a little shack here last March, after years spent collecting tin cans, match boxes and other rubbish, is revealed as a possessor of a half million dollar estate.

If the old man's will and its various codicils stand, his two attorneys, Dell A. Schweitzer and Frank S. Sutton, will receive the bulk of the fortune. However, the story continues, a grand neice of the aged man has appeared on the scene and her attorneys, who declare she is Hazletine's sole surviving relative, announce they will seek to have the will set aside. She is Mrs. Loraine Moody Mason Richmond, grand daughter of Mrs. Mary A. Drake, Hazletine's sister.

Pushcart Peddlers In New York Have $35,000,000 Business

WASHINGTON, May 25.—(AP)—The 7,860 push cart peddlers in New York City do an annual business of approximately $35,000,000 and supply about 1,500,000 persons with all or part of what they buy of fruits, vegetables, dried fruits, nuts and cheese.

Department of agriculture investigators cooperating with the port of New York authorities in a study of the city's push cart markets found that 90 per cent of the peddlers were foreign born and that the business covered a range of about 200 commodities from "apples to umbrellas."

A report by Earl R. French, department expert, made public today said the peddlers' weekly sales ranged from $126 for the fruit venders to $75 for the general merchandise handlers with the overhead operating cost averaging $9.22 a week or "practically one-third of that of the neighboring store dealer."

Produce

AUSTIN, May 25. — Steady to unchanged tones prevailed in the trade today for poultry. The market for butter and eggs were steady.

Hens, 17½18c; springs, 20@30c; old roosters, 9@10c; turkeys, No. 1's, 20c liveweight; geese, 75c; ducks, 50@60c; guineasfi 25c each.

Packing stock, country butter, 17@18c; creamery A 43c; B 42c.

Eggs, fresh gathered firsts with cases, $7.25.

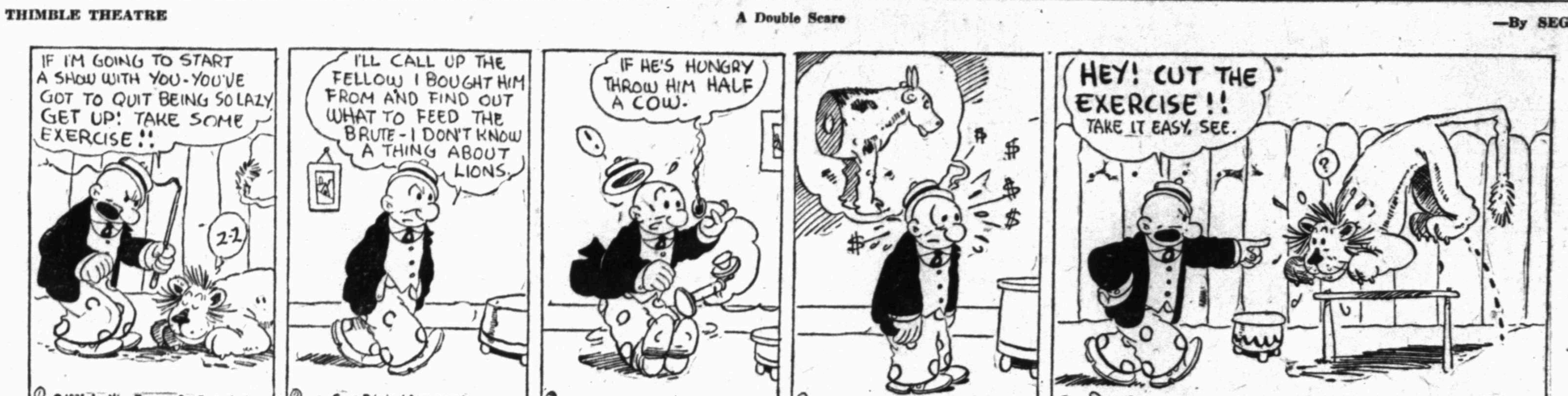
AUSTIN, May 25.—The general tone of potato markets today was firm, tomatoes dull to inactive and onions steady to unchanged. Arrivals were moderate.

AUSTIN, May 25.—Egg receipts, New York, 18,331 cases; Chicago, 40,737; Boston, 12,108; Philadelphia, 4,323. Storage gain, 32556 cases; on hand this morning New York 1,014,917 cases; Chicago, 1,003,324 cases; Boston, 292,134 cases; Philadelphia, 284,195 cases.

Dressed poultry receipts, New York, 177,683 pounds; Chicago, 10,997 pounds; Boston, 57,809 pounds; Philadelphia, 9,566 pounds.

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MARKETS

N. Y. Stocks

NEW YORK, May 25.—(AP) — Stock prices started upward at the opening of today's market, but turned reactionary later under a heavy volume of profit-taking and bear selling. Speculators for the advance succeeded, however, in lifting two score issues to new peak prices for the year. Trading showed a moderate contraction in volume although the day's sales ran well above one and one-half million shares.

Trade news was largely constructive in character. It included the announcement of an advance in gasoline prices in New York City and higher quotations for lead, zinc and scrap steel. Commodity markets also were higher with much of the buying in wheat and cotton influenced because adverse weather reports.

Professional traders were quick to take profit on first signs of weakness in the standard industrials. American Can broke 4 points to 187⅝, while decline of 1 to 2 points were recorded by such popular issues as United States Steel common, Baldwin, Allied Chemical, American Smelting, Coca Cola, Famous Players, Montgomery Ward, Texas Gulf Sulphur and Willys Overland preferred.

Chief speculative interest in the motor group centered in the unusually heavy demand for Studebaker, which crossed 48 to a new high on total transactions of about 100,000 shares. Paige-Detroit, Packard, Pierce Arrow prior preferred and Briggs Body, also touched new highs. Mack Trucks was heavy, dropping back more than 3 points to 17⅝.

A spirited demand was noted for several specialties in which recapitalization plans or favorable for several developments are believed to be pending. United States Industrial Alcohol was run up about 4 points to 94¼, the highest price in about five years, on unconfirmed rumors that the stock was to split up on a 2 to 1 basis with dividends on the new stock resumed at the equivalent of $8 annually on the present issue. International Paper, which recently announced the segregation of its water power properties, touched a new peak at 73⅝ and then fell back to 70¼ for a net loss of 2¼ points.

Union Bag and Paper jumped 4½ points to a new top at 60½ and then fell back to 58.

Other new highs included American Agricultural Chemical, American Tobacco B, Tobacco Products, Wright Aeronautical corporation, National Dairy Products, Montana Power, United Drug, Ward Baking B, St. Joseph Lead, Cuyamel Fruit and Otis Steel common and preferred, the buying of the last named issues being based on rumors of a merger of several independent steel companies of the Youngstown district. Corn Products refining sank to a new low level of 108.

The demand for rails centered largely in the eastern coalers. Lackawanna was bid up 4½ points to a new top at 147 but dropped back to 145½ and Reading moved up about 3 points to a new peak at 84½ and then cancelled half of its gain. Southern Pacific was heavy in reflection of a relatively poor April earnings report.

Cayl money opened at 3¾, advanced to4 after mid-day and thence to 4½, closing at the top. Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged with business in moderate volume.

With the exception of sterling, which held firm around $4.85¾, the foreign exchanges displayed a reactionary tone. French francs yielded 2 points to 5.00 cents, the lowest rate in about two months, and minor recessions also took place in the Italian, Belgian and most other important European countries.

	Sale	High	Low	Close
All Chem and Dye	51	90¾	89½	89¾
Allis Chalmers	27	81½	80½	80¼
Am Bosch Mag	12	31½	31½	31½
Amer Can	198	192¾	187½	187⅝
Am Locomo	11	123½	122	122½
Am Sm and Ref	17	99½	98½	98½
Am Sugar	10	63	63	62
Am Tel and Tel.	13	138¾	138⅝	138½
Am Tobac	24	96⅛	95⅝	95½
Am Woolen	14	39	39⅝	39¼
Anaconda Cop	9	214	218½	212½
A T and S F	35	121½	120	120⅝
Atl Bir and Atl.	15	5¾	5	5¼
Atl Coast Line.	16	164½	163½	163½
Baldwin Locomo	84	114¾	113	113⅝
Balt and Ohio	75	78½	77¼	77¼
Beth Steel	37	41	40⅝	40⅞
Calif Pet	62	69⅝	60⅛	60⅛
Cen Leath pfd.	35	61½	60⅛	60⅛
Cerro de Fasco	13	50	49¼	49⅞
Chandler Motor	12	35¼	34½	35¼
Ches and Ohio	33	97⅝	96	96½
C M and St P pfd	57	13¼	12½	12½
Chi and N W	55	59	57¼	57½
C R I and P	124	48	46⅝	47
Chile Copper	13	34	33⅝	33⅝
Coca Cola	28	112	110½	111
Consol Gas	205	89⅝	88	88½
Continen Can	24	66½	65⅝	65⅞
Corn Prod	152	34½	33⅝	33⅞
Crucible Steel	37	71	69⅝	70
Cu Cane Sug pfd	13	51¼	49⅝	50
Davison Chem	66	40½	37½	38
Dupont de Nem	9	164⅝	162⅝	162⅝
Erie	7	29	28⅝	28⅝
Fam Play-Lasky	56	106	103⅝	104½
Gen Asphalt	17	56½	54⅝	55½
Gen Electric	35	283½	280¼	280⅝
Gen Motors	235	78	76½	77½
Gt North pfd.	24	68¼	67½	67½
Gulf States Steel.	34	86½	85	85⅝
Houston Oil	3	70	69	69
Inter Harv	19	109⅝	109¼	109⅝
Inter Mer Mar pfd	10	38⅝	38⅛	38½
Inter Nickel	75	28⅞	28	28
Kelly Spring Tire.	10	17¼	17	17¼
Kennecott Cop	76	51	50¼	50½
Louis and Nash	3	112	111	111
Mack Truck	116	180½	176⅝	176⅝
Mariand Oil	159	44¼	43½	43½
Max Motor B	29	95⅛	94	95
M K and T	22	35½	34⅝	34⅝
Mo Pac pfd	13	80¼	79	79⅝
Montgom Ward	135	53⅝	52	52
N Y Central	49	118⅝	117⅝	118
N Y N H and H.	248	35	34⅝	34½
Nor and West	67	133⅝	133	133
North Pac	86	65⅝	64⅝	64⅝
Pacific Oil	110	59½	58⅝	58⅞
Pan-Am Pet B	401	80½	79	79½
Pennsylvania	42	44	43⅝	43⅞
Pa and Rdg C-I.	10	42	41½	41½
Phillips Pet	80	43⅝	42¼	42⅝
Pure Oil	36	29⅝	28⅞	28⅝
Reading	214	84½	81⅞	81¼
Rep Ir and Steel.	15	47⅛	46⅝	46⅞
Reyn Tob B	46	78⅝	77⅝	77⅝
St L and S F	30	81⅞	80⅝	80⅝
St L S W	80	49¼	48½	48½
Seab Air Line.	17	34¼	33⅝	34
Seab A L pfd.	11	45⅝	45	45
Sears Roebuck	6	171	169	169
Shell Union Oil.	28	25¼	25	25
Simms Pet	51	24⅝	24	24½
Sinclair Con Oil	57	22	21¼	21¼
South Pac	132	103⅝	102	102
Southern Ry	50	92⅝	92	92
Stand Oil Cal	21	59⅞	59¼	59¼
Stand Oil N J	48	44½	43⅝	43⅝
Stewart Warner	6	68⅝	68	68
Studebaker	995	48½	46	47⅛
Texas Co	42	49	49	49
Tex Gulf Sul	26	109⅝	108¼	108½
Tex and Pac	24	53⅝	52½	52⅝
T-P Coal and Oil	13	15⅞	14	14⅝
Tobac Prod	66	82	80⅞	80⅞
Transcon Oil	48	5¼	5⅛	5¼
Union Pac	21	141¼	140	140
U S Cast Ir Pipe.	3	152⅝	152	152
U S Ind Alcohol.	418	94¼	89½	93⅝
U S Rubber	51	45⅝	45¼	45¼
U S Steel	305	118⅝	117⅞	117⅝
Westing Elec	34	72¼	71½	71⅝
Willys Overland	280	22½	21⅝	21⅝
Woolworth Co	20	128¼	126½	126¼
Worthing Pump	9	40⅝	40	40

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Cotton

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, May 25.—Cotton futures closed steady at net 3 points down to 5 points up.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
July	23.80	23.30	23.46-50	23.49
Oct.	22.46	22.11	22.28-30	22.25
Dec.	22.53	22.20	22.39-40	22.34
Jan.	.....	.....	22.40	22.55
Mch	.....	.....	23.50	22.45

Opening: January, 21.51 bid; March, 22.61 bid; July, 23.67; October, 22.40; December, 22.50.

NEW ORLEANS, May 25.—The cotton market developed a fair degree of activity, but prices were erratic and fluctuated rather rapidly. Starting out 31 points higher on July with that month at 23.80 and new crop months 17 to 21 points, October trading at 22.46 and December 22.51, prices soon eased off to 23.30 for July, 22.11 for October and 22.00 for December. Although prices showed sharp fluctuations during the day there were no changes in the highs and lows until near the end when December advanced to 22.53 and October practically duplicated the early high. After a sharp reaction near the close on realizing final results showed a net loss for the day of 3 points on July and net gains of 3 to 5 points on new crop positions.

hTe early advance was due largely to the much higher Liverpool cables than due and the firmness of the spot situation coupled with more favorable dry goods reports. The market soon turned reactionary on private reports of good rains in northern Texas and at many points in central Texas, where rain was badly needed. There was considerable selling on this break, but the downward trend was checked by cold weather reports.

When frost was officially predicted for the greater part of the northern portion of the belt, the market stiffened on covering by early sellers and by shorts generally, and prices were eventually forced up practically to a level of the early highs. Despite the fact that many traders were skeptical as to frost developing at this late date, the prospect for colder weather that could not be construed as other than unfavorable proved a sufficient stimulant.

The final reaction was due mainly to realizing and it practically wiped out all of the gain for the day.

A prominent southern authority made the condition average 75.3 and the increase in acreage 4.3 per cent. Total exports today, 13,185 bales.

DALLAS SPOT COTTON

DALLAS, May 25.—Spots quiet, quotations unchanged. Sales, none.

Financial

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 25. — Foreign exchanges, irregular; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand, 4.85 13-16; cables, 4.86 3-16; 60-day bills on banks, 4.81 11-16. France demand, 5.08½; cables, 5.09; Italy demand, 4.01; cables, 4.01½. Belgium, 4.9; Germany, 23.80; Holland, 40.15; Norway, 16.51; Sweden, 26.72; Denmark, 18.77; Switzerland, 19.34; Spain 11.56; Greece, 1.73½; Poland 19¼; Czecho-Slovakia, 2.96; Jugo-Slavia, 1.66; Austria, .0014¼; Rumania, 46½; Argentina, 40.62; Brazil, 10.35; Tokio, 41⅝ Shanghai, 73⅝; Montreal, 100.

UNITED STATES BONDS

NEW YORK, May 25.—Liberty 3½'s, $101; first 4¼'s, $102.10; second 4¼'s, $101.10; third 4¼'s, $101.27; fourth 4¼'s, $102.17; U. S. treasury 4's, $102.11; U. S. treasury 4¼'s, $106.12.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, May 25.—Call money, firmer; high, 4½; low, 3¾; ruling rate, 3¾; closing bid, 4½; offered at 4¾; last loan, 4; call loans against acceptances, 3¼. Time loans, steady; 60-90 days, 3¾; four-six months, 3¾@4; prime commercial paper, 3¾@4.

Livestock

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, May 25.—Cattle: Receipts, 7,300, including 2,000 calves; steers, 1 to 15 cents lower; yearlings, 50 cents lower; other kinds steady; beeves, $3.50@9.50; stockers, $3.00@7.25; fat cows, $3.25@6.5; cutters, $2.00@2.75; canners: $1.75@2.00; heifers, $3.50@8.50; yearlings, $3.50@9.50; bulls, $3.00@3.50; calves, $3.00@9.50.

Hogs: Receipts, 1,200; market 30 to 40 cents lower; top, $12.00; bulk, $11.50@11.85; best medium weight, $11.85@12.00; good mixed, $11.75@11.85; good light, $11.50@11.75; fair mixed, $11.25@11.50; fair light, $10.50@11.25; common, $8.00@9.00; packing sows, $9.00@10.25; pigs, $8.00@10.00.

Sheep: Receipts, 2,000; market steady; lambs, $10.00@13.00; yearlings, $8.00@9.50; wethers, $6.00@8.00; ewes, $6.00@7.50; culls, $1.00@2.00; stockers, $3.00@5.00; goats, $1.75@3.50.

Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	$1.70	$1.73	$1.69	$1.71¾
July	1.56⅝	1.62	1.56⅝	1.61⅞
Sept.	1.49¾	1.55	1.49¾	1.54⅝
CORN—				
May	1.15⅝	1.18⅝	1.15⅝	1.18¼
July	1.16¼	1.20½	1.16¼	1.19⅝
Sept.	1.15	1.19½	1.15	1.19¼
OATS—				
May	.45⅝	.47⅝	.45⅝	.47½
July	.45¾	.45⅞	.45⅝	.47⅞
Sept.	.45½	.47⅝	.45⅝	.47⅝
RYE—				
May	1.18	1.20¼	1.18	1.18
July	1.14	1.18⅝	1.14	1.18¼
Sept.	1.07½	1.13½	1.07½	1.13½
LARD—				
May	15.00	15.90	15.90	15.90
July	15.80	16.00	17.77	16.00
Sept.	16.00	16.22	16.00	16.22
RIBS—				
May	17.35	17.35	17.35	17.35
July	17.45	17.45	17.45	17.45
Sept.	17.60	17.67	17.60	17.62
BELLIES—				
May	20.25	20.25	20.25	20.25
July	20.10	20.10	20.10	20.10
Sept.	20.20	20.20	20.20	20.20

FORT WORTH CASH GRAIN

FORT WORTH, May 25.—The following shows range of values on the Fort Worth cash grain market, basis delivered group 3 or Texas common points, based on bids, offers and sales of Fort Worth dealers, according to the Fort Worth grain and cotton exchange:

Wheat: No. 1 export, $1.81@1.83; No. 1 dark hard, $1.85@1.90; No. 1 ordinary hard, $1.83@1.85; No. 1, 75 per cent red, $1.83@1.85.

Corn: No. 2 white, $1.32@1.34; No. 3 white, $1.31@1.33; No. 2 mixed, $.26@1.28; No. 3 mixed, $1.25@1.27.

Oats: No. 2 red, 63@65c; No. 3 red, 62@64c; No. 3 white, 60@62c.

Snapped corn, $1.25@1.40; No. 3 barley, 95c@$1.05; No. 3 milo, $2.16@2.20; No. 3 kafir, $1.96@2.00; maize heads, $35.50@36.50; kafir heads, $32.00@33.50.

BODY OF LOST GIRL FOUND IN RIVER THAMES

London Woman Has Been Missing Since Last December

LONDON, May 25.—(AP)—The body of a young woman found in the River Thames near Wapping today was identified by relatives as that of the Hon. Gwyneth Erica Morgan, daughter of Lord Tredegar.

She disappeared about the middle of last December.

There has been no explanation of the mystery surrounding the disappearance of Miss Morgan. She had been recuperating from an attack of typhoid fever when she disappeared from her home. The opinion was expressed at the time that the illness had caused depression.

Lord Tredegar, who has had a distinguished military career and is well known as a sportsman, offered a large reward for the discovery of his daughter's whereabouts.

Miss Morgan, who was under medical supervision at the time, slipped from the house during a dense fog on the morning of December 11. She wore only pajamas and a woolen dressing gown. Detectives from Scotland yards conducted a most extensive search throughout England and the continent.

Miss Morgan was known to her friends as a "Bohemian" and had many friends in the artistic, literary and theatrical worlds.

Helen Kellar Proves She Can Feel Music Sent Over the Radio

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25—(AP)—Helen Kellar, noted blind-deaf woman, demonstrated to a large audience at the First Congregational church here yesterday that she could "feel" music from a radio by placing her fingers on a specially constructed diaphram connected with the receiving set.

Beating time with her hand so the congregation could see she was receiving the vibrations in the time of the piece, Miss Kellar apparently produced a profound sensation on those who watched her.

Beethoven's pastoral symphony was chosen for the test, not merely for its rounded periods, but because it was composed after Beethoven had lost his sight.

ST. LOUIS MAN NEW SENATOR OF MISSOURI

Governor Names Attorney To Succeed Dead Solon

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 25.—(AP)—Appointment of G. H. Williams of St. Louis to succeed the late United States Senator Selden P Spencer was announced today by Governor Samuel Baker.

Governor Baker kept the announcement secret until today in keeping with a declaration he made following the sudden death of Senator Spencer in Washington a week ago.

Williams is a prominent attorney and republican of St. Louis. His home is at Webster Groves, in St. Louis county. He is a former circuit judge of a district in St. Louis, being elected in 1906, and was a delegate at large to the Missouri constitutional convention which adjourned in 1923.

ENID SUFFERS FIRE LOSS OF OVER $200,000

Business Section Swept By Blaze Early Monday Morning

ENID, Okla., May 25.—Loss estimated at $200,000 was caused by fire which swept a portion of the business district at Cherokee, in Alfalfa county, early today.

According to reports reaching here, seven business houses were destroyed, together with the Masonic hall, American Legion hall, and the telephone exchange, which were located in the upper stories of one of the buildings razed. The fire is believed to have started in the rear of a cafe. Three stores and a theatre were destroyed. Communication with Cherokee has not been restored.

What's Doing Here and There In West Texas

In Seymour.

GRADUATING EXERCISES

Graduating exercises of the Seymour high school were held in the grade school auditorium on Friday evening, the hall being filled to capacity, with relatives and friends of the seniors. The program opened with the march of the graduates, then the march of the tiny flower girls bearing armfuls of flowers to their favored senior. Invocation was given by Rev. E. C. Cargill of the Presbyterian church, followed by the senior class song. The salutatory was given by Ross Cox. "Key of Knowledge" was presented by Bunyan Little, with response made by Ralph Howe for class of "26." The valedictory with the theme, "The Ideal American," was delivered by Earle Duckworth, with a piano duet by Misses Mary Katherine Martin and Mary Alma Hayley, following.

The main address of the evening was made by Prof. Looney of the North Texas State Teachers' college on the "Challenges of Life." Diplomas were presented by O. P. Caldwell, president school board, with presentation of scholarships to Earle Duckworth and Neil Smith by Professor I. F. Kemp. Benediction was said by Rev. W. C. Hinds.

The following composed the senior class of 1925: Misses Glenna Johnson, Mary Alma Hayley, Nell Smith, Mary Katherine Martin, Fleasie Carter, Lynette Smith, Margaret Buillon, Edith Melear, Eva Lee Gaither. Messrs: Sherrell Ballew, George Bowman, Houstno Briggs, Ross Cox, Temple Dickson, Earle Duckworth, Kenneth George, Loyd Jones, Barkley Keck, Bunyan Little, Nilse Little, Bailey Machen, Roy Praytor.

FRESHMAN CLASS PARTY

The freshman class of the Seymour high school enjoyed their class party on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Bradshaw last Wednesday evening, with B. W. Bradshaw Jr., as class host. Iced punch was served and all kinds of games were enjoyed on the lawn until a late hour, when cherry-nut ice cream and lovely home made cake was served, with "fish" favors. Those who enjoyed the evening were: Misses Elizabeth Johnson, La Verne Webb, Juanita Camp, Orville Cooper, Merlyn McGuire, Maxine Rickert, Kate Britton, Mildred Cooper, Marjorie Siddens, Mildred Donohue, Nellie Mae Bryan, Camille Arden, Bessie Word, Violet Wood, Irene Seals, Galen Porter; Masters Jack Moilliet, Glen McDaniel, Pat McDavid, Joe Tom Willoughby, Clive Lankford, Frank Svoboda, L. O. Wharton, Roy Morton, B. W. Bradshaw, Roy Lankford, Don Coy, Edward Lakey, Manly Farmer, Mrs. Ruth Willoughby and Mrs. O. McDaniel.

PIERIANS CLOSE YEAR

The Pierian club closed its year's work with a beautiful reception held in the city hall auditorium on Tuesday afternoon, honoring Mrs. W. R. Potter of Bowie, candidate for state president of the Women's Federated clubs, and members of federated clubs with a number of other friends as guests. Mrs. J. A. P. Dickson, president of Pierian club, Mrs. I. O. Newton, incoming president, headed the receiving line, followed by Mesdames G. S. Plants, Hutchinson of Bowie, Geo. McDonald, D. B. Daugherty, E. P. Smith, C. L. Martin, J. A. Britain, L. A. Pelley, Altus, Okla., David Warren and W. R. Potter of Bowie, Miss Mary Dickson.

The hall was beautiful with its decorations of greenery, baskets of spring flowers, with yellow daisies, the club flower, predominating. The program was opened with Mrs. Joe Dickson, presiding; Mrs. Newton led in prayer, followed by Lord's Prayer said by all present. Mrs. Dickson then spoke words of welcome and introduced the past presidents of the club who were seated on the platform, and who were: Mesdames J. A. Britain, S. W. Pistole, J. M. Roach, C. E. Rupe, O. McDaniel, Chas. Randal; W. T. Britton, R. R. Kellum. Vocal numbers by Mrs. David Warren of Bowie, daughter of Mrs. Potter, and Mrs. H. J. Houser of Seymour, were enjoyed, with Mrs. G. A. Buie at the piano.

Mrs. W. R. Potter was then introduced and gave the feature number of the program, her book review of Adam Bede, by George Elliott, which was the prize winning numbers in a contest held by the state clubs. This was given in a very concise, interesting manner, imbued with the charming personality of the speaker. Other numbers on the program enjoyed were the vocal numbers by Mrs. Hutchinson of Bowie, and Mrs. L. A. Pelley of Altus, Okla., who was formerly Miss Martha Kenan of this place, and readings given by Mrs. David Warren of Bowie.

At the conclusion of the program, brick ice cream in club colors of gold and white were served to over two hundred guests, being served by Misses Harriet Allison, Sarah Wheat, Margaret Jones, Aline Harris and Vera Allen.

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FOR RENT—Furnished one-half of new duplex, garage, use of telephone, one-half block of car line. 1606 Broad.

FOR RENT—Front south bedroom, phone 7845, 1002 Burnett.

ATTRACTIVE, private home close in on pavement offers a lovely bedroom adjoining bath; breakfast and dinner served. Phone 5589.

TWO unfurnished rooms for rent at 200 Bluff, $16 per month. Phone 3323.

FOR RENT — Two unfurnished rooms, $16 per month. Mr. Greaves, Lamar Street Grocery.

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HOUSES FOR RENT

FIVE-ROOM house for rent at 2127 Avenue E.

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FOR RENT — Furnished residence, five rooms, cool and comfortable, large yard, double garage, $85 per month. 907 Bluff street.

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Wichita Falls Council No. 140, R. & S. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m.
ED. BUNNENBERG, T. I. M.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.
Work in the Council Degrees Monday, May 25, 7:00 p. m.

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R. E. NOLEN, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M.—Stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
J. W. LYLE, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Sec.
Instructions in the E. A. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 25, 26 and 27, 7:00 p. m.
Instructions in the Fellow Craft Thursday, May 28, 7:00 p. m.
Instruction in the Masters Degree Friday, May 29, 7:00 p. m.
Work in the Fellow Craft Degree, Wednesday, May 27, 6:30 p. m.

Wichita Falls Council No. 1473 K. of C.—Meets every first and third Mondays at 8 p. m., 1509 Ninth St. C. K. WALSH, G. K., 212-14 Morgan Bldg. JOHN J. BLOCK, F. S., 2113 Grant.

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Marie La Salle Booth To Be In City, June 2



MARIE LE SALLE BOOTH.

DO you possess that ineffable thing called charm? Fat at 40? Double chin? Then it's your own fault says Marie La Salle Booth, beauty expert of Los Angeles, who is coming to Wichita Falls, June 2nd, under the auspices of The Wichita Falls Record News.

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SECRETS of feminine beauty and charm, effected by development of poise, power and personality, will be revealed by Mrs. Booth, noted lecturer on scientific breathing and body building, who will present a series of free lectures at the Olympic theatre, starting Tuesday morning, June 2 at 10 o'clock.

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ALL women of Wichita Falls are invited to be guests of The Record News and Olympic theatre for every lecture. Each lecture will be repeated for the convenience of business and professional women, in the evening, beginning at 8 o'clock, at the Y. W. C. A. and men are invited.

How to overcome panic and stage fright, how to be absolute master of one's self under all circumstances, will be explained by Mrs. Booth. Of French descent, she has all the vivacity and enthusiasm of the true Parisienne, and in addition, a subtle way of imparting these qualities to her hearers.

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AN authority on beauty and bodily development, Mrs. Booth is also a dramatic artist. Giving programs from coast to coast, she was so much in demand that her health failed. Physician after physician was consulted, but only temporary relief was obtained. Finally, she decided to try scientific breathing and body building, and conferred with the best known authorities, both of national and international reputation. The story of how she regained her health, with explanation of methods she employed, forms the subject of her lectures.

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WICHITA FALLS women desiring to communicate with Mrs. Roy Baker, Mrs. Booth's manager, can reach her at the Kemp hotel.

MASKAT PULLS THROTTLE FOR WEST AT 1 P.M.

135 Going to Imperial Council Meeting on Special Train

All aboard for Los Angeles and the Imperial Council meeting of Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine!

One-hundred - and - seventy - five people, it is estimated, will embark at 1 o'clock this afternoon on the biggest Shrine voyage ever made out of Wichita Falls, the Maskat Temple's pilgrimage to the Imperial Council session slated for Pacific coast city June 2, 3 and 4.

From 12 to 14 days will the Wichita Falls Shriners' jaunt extend. They depart in a special train which goes all the way through to Los Angeles as a special and is composed of five Pullmans, a diner, chair car, observation, and baggage car.

Stop-overs En Route.

Stop-overs are to be made en route at various points at invitation received from a number of temples, also Shrine clubs. Maskat Temple is to be entertained with luncheons, automobile sight-seeing tours, dances, swimming parties, and other amusements while en route. The principal stops will be Pueblo, Colo., Colorado Springs, Colo., Salt Lake City, Utah, Sacramento, Calif., Oakland, Calif., and San Francisco.

The party will also, be entertained on board train with concerts by the Shrine band, patrol musicians, and chanters, and with dances and playlets.

A daily newspaper will be published. This to be supplied with a budget of local news from Wichita Falls every night by The Record News.

Potentate W. W. Gardner will have charge of all arrangements of the trip assisted by C. A. Rogers, chairman of the On-to-Los-Angeles committee; James Chatham, Jr., in charge of traffic; Joe Ward, in charge of stunts; and Al Ellis, recorder. This group will see everything possible is done to make the trip a memorable one.

Reservations for any desiring to make the pilgrimage who have not as yet made arrangements will be held open until the last minute, declared Al Ellis Monday night. If necessary to take care of the newcomers, an extra Pullman will be added, said Ellis.

The train is to be decorated with Shrine ensignia, and is to be equipped with special whistles and sirens.

Those Going.

Following is the list of those making the trip, not yet completed, but carrying the names of those who had made reservations up to a late hour Monday night:

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Covington, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Sherrill, Mr. and Mrs. M. Muehlberger, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cohen, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Pond, Dr. A. H. Douglas, Dick Rowland, Joe Ward, D. V. York, W. T. Crews, George B. Mossee, G. W. Pond, E. S. Hamilton, K. E Bauch, J. W. McGuire, Barton Dunning, J. C. Pinson, J. S. Smith and child, J. P. McClintock, H. E. Humphries, E. H. Nicholson, Walter Bennett, C. J. Oheim, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Seannell, W. T. Flourney, Dr. W. L. Rhodes, W. S. Abbott, Virgil Whitworth, R. P. Brotherton, Ray Willhite, T. J. Waggoner, Jr., C. G. Williamson, G. W. Curd, T. S. Thompson, W. S. Pettitt, H. J. Strief, Charley Nolen, W. B. Richardson, W. A. Morrow, H. D. Hemphill, Jerry Moffett, Jack Hale, W. L. Holloway, Dr. J. D. Hall, J. E. Gill, Glen Groves, D. M. Burgan, J. H. Barnard, C. K. Dodge, L. L. Sellars, C. E. Baldwin and child, M. D. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. George Parks, Paul Von Allmen, Grover Bullington, R. Vaughn Ray, Ivan Murchison, J. S. Pitman, Elizabeth Young, Albert Ellis, Vivian Bailey, Ed Peterson, Lew McCarty, W. W. Gardner, D. O. Johnson, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Fletcher, Irene Taylor, Mrs. C. R. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilson, Mrs. Ed Gardner, F. P. Robinson, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Whittington, Mrs. Gertrude Green, O. M. Smith, A. C. Wilson, B. Y. Cummings, Jr., C. L. Still, C. A. Rogers, Jim Jennings, Mrs. Walter Salmm, D. M. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mode, George Merkle, Clifford Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Norman, Sr., J. W. Chatham, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Homer Karrenbrock, J. W. Stone, R. P. McLemore, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brown, Mrs. A. Clancy, Russell Heath, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Tucker, Judge Guy Rogers, W. H. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, Jr., M. M. Love, M. D. Rewe, Robert Basham, L. R. Stringer, Jack Marcell and Jim Ross.

New Traffic Ordinance Adopted

An ordinance amending section three of Ordinance No. 561 passed March 3, 1925 regulating vehicular and pedestrian traffic and providing for safety zones and prescribing certain rules and regulations controlling and covering traffic by pedestrians and vehicles in the city of Wichita Falls by electric devices, safety zones, limit lines, traffic officers and signals by hand and otherwise and fixing a penalty and providing for emergency.

Be it ordained by the board of aldermen, city of Wichita Falls, Texas:

Section One

That paragraph C of Section 3, Ordinance No. 561 shall be amended to read as follows, to-wit: "All vehicles shall be parked on the following named streets: Ohio avenue from Sixth street to Eleventh street, Indiana avenue from Sixth street to Eleventh street, Scott avenue from Sixth street to Eleventh stree."

The word "parking of automobiles" shall be held and construed to mean a standing vehicle with a front wheel against the curb at an angle of 45 degrees with the curb.

That drivers of vehicles may back out from the curb only on the red light signal, in the district where the signal system has been installed and must sound horn;

That limit lines for the parking of cars on Ohio avenue, Indiana avenue and Scott avenue on these streets will observe lines and park within the designated lines within an angle of 45 degrees;

That traffic on the above named streets shall be kept as near the center as possible.

Section Two

That paragraph "E" of Section 3, Ordiance No. 561 shall be changed to read as follows:

"That it shall hereafter be unlawful for any person between the hours of 8 a. m. and 6 p. m. to park any vehicle on Ohio avenue from Sixth street to Eleventh street, on Indiana avenue from Sixth street to Eleventh street, on Scott avenue from Sixth street to Eleventh street for a longer period of time than two hours, and that it shall be unlawful for any person between the hours of 8 a. m. and 6 p. m. to rank any automobile for a longer period of time than two hours upon Lamar avenue from Sixth street to Eleventh street, Sixth street from the Fort Worth and Denver railway tracks to Lamar avenue, Seventh street from Fort Worth and Denver railway tracks to Lamar avenue, Eighth street from the union station to Lamar avenue, Ninth street from the union station to Lamar avenue and Tenth street from the railway tracks to Lamar avenue.

Any person who shall violate any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars and each and every days' violation of this ordinance shall constitute a separate offense.

Whereas, the present crowded and congested condition of the traffic on the streets, highways and portions of streets and highways hereinbefore mentioned and the constantly increasing vehicular traffic in the city of Wichita Falls creates a dangerous condition and a menace to the life and property of the citizens of this city, thereby making it imperatively necessary to adopt and enforce the regulations herein prescribed and this ordinance is, and is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary in the ordinary course of the city's affairs and a measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the citizens of the city of Wichita Falls and shall be in force and effect from and after its passage and five days publication as required by law.

Passed and approved this 25th day of MAY, A. D. 1925.

Cherokee Telephone Service is Resumed

CHEROKEE, Okla., May 25.—Service with the outside world was re-established by Cherokee this afternoon when the telephone company, whose exchange was destroyed by fire Monday morning, installed a number of toll lines in the Alfalfa county courthouse and accepted incoming messages. Messenger boys paged persons called.

Several of the business firms burned out when a block of buildings were razed early this morning at a loss of $200,000 have announced their intention to rebuild as soon as the insurance is adjusted.

The fire is thought by officers to have started in the rear of a cafe.

$12,000,000 SUIT CONTINUED

Ford Hearing Continued for Sixty Days By Request of Counsel.

JACKSON, Miss., May 25.—The $12,000,000 penalty suit filed against the Ford Motor company by W. J. Miller, state revenue agent for alleged violation of the anti-trust laws of Mississippi and scheduled to come up in chancery court of Hinds county today, was continued for 60 days on agreement of both sides.

The extension was granted to give the parties upon whom writs of garnishment have been served additional time to complete their returns.

PRESENTS BRITAIN'S BUDGET

LONDON, May 25.—(AP)—In the house of commons tonight, Winston Churchill, chancellor of the exchequer, obtained the second reading of the finance bill, including the budget proposals. The bill passed its second reading after closure was applied and carried the Phillip Snowden's motion to reject the bill was defeated by 331 to 139.

PACKED HOUSE SEES LAST OF SEASAN PLAYS

Little Theatre Presents Last Offering Until Next Fall

A packed house viewed the crowning performance of the Little Theatre season, 1924-25, at the Wichita theatre Monday evening when Peter Ames Vincent, regisseur, presented a cast of twelve in Lenox Robinson's celebrated Irish comedy, "The White-Headed Boy." The one performance, given in the theatre took the place of the usual four or five showings of the plays in the Little Theatre Home, and served as a fitting close for the highly successful year's work achieved by the local organization. Miss Bezie Dee, in a short talk preceding the play, expressed the thanks of the organization to the board of governors for its careful work and direction during the season, and to Mrs. T. A. Hicks, president, for her interest and effort. She thanked Little Theatre patrons for their support, and urged their double interest next season in bigger achievements to come, under the continued direction of Peter Ames Vincent.

Delightful Entertainment.

"The White Headed Boy," furnished an evening of delightful entertainment as the audience followed the story of a clever, lovable, irresponsible, adored and hated Irish lad as he trampled over the hearts and lives of his large and long-suffering family, led by his foolish adoring old mother. Clifton Clay, in the title role, proved the handsome youngster who tried the patience of his brothers and sisters by taking all their money for his schooling, failing in his examinations, thwarting their plans for punishment, marrying his sweetheart Delia, played admirably by Miss Thelma Cain, and then winning their hearts and their help in the end.

Excellent work was done by J. S. Pitman as Delia's father, John Duffy His portrayal of the gruff old aristocrat was spontaneous and the Irish brogue notably fine. Mrs. Lloyd Young as Aunt Ellen played opposite Mr. Pitman, carrying off high honors. Paul Barnett appeared splendidly in the role of George, the harrassed older brother, and bore with the sweet old Irish mother, played by Mrs. Anna Barker, the troubles and worries caused by the lovable "White Headed Boy." Dorothy Nolen's interpretation of the old maid sister, Kate, work-worn and patient, was an interesting example of her dramatic versitality, and was truly played. Dorothy Ellis was pretty lovable and spoiled, as "Baby," the youngest girl who longed for Dublin and romance. Miss Marietta Hunt appeared as Jane, a sister who was prevented from marrying, as her brothers and sisters were prevented from carrying out their plans, by their young brother's actions. Mr. Gallegher, as Peter, played well, and Mrs. Nat Inge as Hannah, the Irish maid gave a bit of laughable character work.

Several Handicaps.

Due to the absence of Allan Montgomery who was called out of the city the director appeared on the stage to read the lines of Donough Brosnan, Jane's fiancee, whose role he was to have taken. For this reason, perhaps, and by many interruptions in preparation because of graduation activities, the play was not thought up to Little Theatre standard. Although splendid work was done by the large cast and able director, the evening did not rival the former brilliant success of other Little Theatre offerings of the past season, which has been, by far, the greatest in the history of local amateur dramatics. Members, who declare this season to be only the foundation for future work of higher artistic merit, are enthusiastic in their outlook for the Little Theatre season of 1926-27, and from the hearty support of last night's audience, the coming season will be eminently successful.



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Santa Fe Announces Galveston Excursion

E. B. Melton, traveling passenger agent for the Santa Fe, yesterday announced the first of his road's excursions of this summer to Galveston, reporting the very low rate of $7 for the round trip out of Fort Worth May 29 to 30, tickets on sale May 29 and 30 and limited May 31 for "two big days to frolic" as his advertisement reads.

The road assures plenty of first class equipment and that Galveston is the same enjoyable resort it always has been.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS DELAYED

Announcement was made last night night that the public installation of officers of the Rainbow Girls, Wichita Falls Assembly No. 17, planned for tonight had been indefinitely postponed due to the illness of Miss Katherine Martin, worth advisor elect. Announcement of date of the installation will be made later.

INFANT'S FUNERAL TODAY

Funeral services for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coffee, who died Monday morning, will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Merkle undertaking parlors.

ROUTING FOR HUGE PARADE IS ANNOUNCED

Mammoth Procession to Be Staged Decoration Day Is Plan

A mammoth Decoration day parade to include every military and veteran's organization in Wichita Falls and the surrounding territory is the plan of combined committees of the World war veterans, the Spanish war veterans and the Civil war veterans and their auxiliaries as formulated at a luncheon at the Wichita club yesterday noon.

Largest Attempted.

The event is to be on the largest scale ever attempted in a similar project in Wichita Falls, according to discussion yesterday, and in the words of W. R. Duke, representing the Spanish war veterans, is to be "a fitting tribute to those who died in the service of their country."

A battalion of the regular army, field artillery, is to be brought from Fort Sill, Okla., to follow immediately behind the city officials in the parade. Behind them will come a company of local milita, next veterans of the Civil war, next the Spanish war veterans, then the veterans of the World war, the Campfire girls and the Boy Scouts. The Salvation Army and the Red Cross are also expected to join in the affair.

A routing as arranged at yesterday's luncheon will take the procession over Indiana from the meeting place at Eleventh and Twelfth north to Sixth street, west to Scott, south down Scott to Eighth street, and west on Eighth to Bellevue park. At Bellevue park a short service is to be held after which the graves at the various cemeteries will be decorated.

Major I. E. Van Vleck is to be field marshal for the parade and will be in charge, according to announcement made at the luncheon.

The program for the service as tentatively arranged yesterday will include Leon H. Brown of Vernon as the speaker representing the American legion, song numbers by Rev. Leslie Miller, with mass singing led by R. E. Shepherd, invocation by Rev. Barnes, with benediction by Rev. Nat C. Grafton and introductory talks by W. S. Langford of the Spanish war veterans.

Civil War Vets to Ride

The Civil war veterans will be provided for by a number of cars that will carry them over the route of the parade, it was stated yesterday. Everyone having had previous military experience in any branch of the United States service is requested to report between Eleventh and Twifth on Indiana avenue at 9:30 Saturday morning, the parade to start from there about that time.

People with relatives buried in any of the cemeteries about Wichita Falls with service records are requested to report them to the American legion, so that no graves may be overlooked.

Those present at yesterday's luncheon were L. J. Lucey, T. R. Brunson, O. T. Willis, W. S. Langford, W. R. Duke, L. E. Van Vleck, J. C. Bradshaw, Mrs. W. P. Bolding, Mrs. Wm. P. Smith and Leon H. Brown of Vernon.

FAVOR JUNKING 200 SHIPS

Action By Board Favorable to Plans of Ford.

WASHINGTON, May 25. — The scrapping committee of the shipping board decided unanimously today to recommend to the board of sale for junking of 200 vessels of which 150 would be deep draft lakers and 50 would be miscellaneous obsolete ships.

It was indicated that the board would approve the program at its meeting tomorrow in which case bids will be invited and among those expected to tender offers is Henry Ford.

BABY FIGHTS RAT FEVER

FORT WORTH, May 25.—Jimmy Field, 16-months-old son of Mrs. N. S. Gunn, is fighting back the rat-bite fever that has racked his tiny body since he was attacked in his crib by a large gray rodent.

Jimmy was bitten on the night of April 15 as he slept with his parents in a room above the Texas Furniture store, of which his grandmother is part owner.

His physicians now virtually are assured of his recovery.

Sudden Fame of His Brother Gives I. R. Sheldon Mild Shock

What would you do if you picked up your morning paper some day and see your brother's picture in it and read where he had broken into print with a hitherto unknown scientific fact and become among the famous in his profession.

Be surprised, wouldn't you?

Well, just that happened yesterday to I. R. Sheldon, geologist for Texhoma, when he picked up The Record News. There on a picture page was the face of his brother. Dr. W. H. Sheldon, looking out at him, informing I. R. and the rest of the world that he was the University of Chicago psychologist who has undertaken to prove the theory that long-legged men, particularly red-haired ones have more mental power than others. In proving his statement, I. R.'s brother has measured 400 men at the university for an "anthropological index" and they will be graded for mental ability and the physical and mental indexes compared.

"He's some brother," declared I. R. yesterday.

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