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NEGROES CONFESS TO MURDERS

Bonus Finance "Buck" Passed Back To Sub-Committee

FOUR WOUNDED IN AFFRAY AT ARDMORE

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

BY H. N. F.

A new era of soaring prices during 1922 is the prophecy made by William Maxwell, first vice-president of Thomas A. Edison, Inc. Extraordinary expenditures by states and municipalities for public works, probably similar expenditures by the federal government and the soldier bonus plan, if adopted, would combine to bring about a secondary period of inflation he declared. He didn't think it would be a good thing but remarked it seemingly is inevitable. He expected the prices of practically all comodities to strengthen materially and shall not be surprised to see $1.50 wheat, 75-cent corn and 20-cent cotton by July first. Moreover, he predicts increased business activity will tend to check the liquidation of labor. And why shouldn't Maxwell be an optimist? Wheat has gained from 25 cents to 35 cents a bushel from the low prices of the season last November. Corn risen 15 cents to 20 cents a bushel since the beginning of the movement of the new crop. Hogs are returning good profits at the prices that have prevailed in the past six months for pork and corn. Sheep have doubled in value. Incidentally the same may be said of cotton. There is a positive assurance of an upturn in agriculture.

Roger W. Babson is touring the South. He says the South is lazy in some respects; that the South will have to send some of its negro population North and import selected foreign labor. This is his viewpoint: "Take cotton for instance. Cotton is a weed. It grows whether you pay any attention to it or not, but the boll weevil is smarter than the cotton farmer. He gets there first. I have seen northern farmers raising good cotton in the South and I notice they are able to beat the boll weevil at his own game. That same question of pep." Roger W. would ship the negroes to the northern states and ship selected foreign-born farmers to the South. This is a free country. If the negroes prefer the North to the South, they have the permission of H. N. F. to begin an exodus without delay. Wherever you find foreign-born farmers in Texas or elsewhere, they are thrifty, they are industrious, they are wealth-makers, they are taxpayers and they are prosperity-makers. They always dig out. If there is a doubting Thomas, let him visit the German or Bohemian farmering communities within a radius of one hundred and fifty miles of Wichita Falls. It is the worker that is the winner.

Petroleum production in the United States has reached its peak and probably will begin to decline within three years, Dr. Ralph McKee, professor of Chemical Engineering at Columbia University, declared in an address tonight before the Buffalo Engineering society. There was no likelihood of the discovery of new petroleum fields in this country, Dr. McKee asserted, but rich oil shale deposits, as yet practically

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The Weather

West Texas: Tuesday and Wednesday, generally fair; colder in the west portion Wednesday.

'RAIL TRAVEL IN MEXICO HAS NO REAL THRILLS'

"The Price Asked for Venison Steak and Accessories, However, Might Overcome Cafe Owners."

"Mexican Travelers Eat at Every Station—the More Stations There Are the More They Eat."

BY HERBERT COREY.
(Article No. 3.)

GUAYMAS, SONORA, MEXICO, Feb. 20.—Crossing the line into Mexico has its immediate compensations. The first came when we entered the dining car on leaving Nogales. Strictly speaking, it was but half of a dining car, for the forward end had been partitioned off with mosquito netting and was used by first-class passengers. The mosquito netting was in deference to the habit of the Mexican climate of warming up in the summer time.

"The best way to travel here during the warm season," said the conductor, "is to hire a drawing-room and sit in your underwear with the windows wide open."

The first compensation was a venison steak. Down here game is everywhere. Across the Gulf of California and on the peninsula of that name is undoubtedly the best hunting ground for mountain sheep in the world. It is hard to get to, the natives never hunt them, and only an occasional party crosses over from the mainland. Heads showing horns which make a complete circle and a half are not at all uncommon.

See Deer From Car Windows.

Deer are often seen from the train windows here and hardly a man comes into a Sonoran town from the hills without a tale of seeing game crossing the road. There is a rumor that there is a Mexican game law, but it is totally unsubstantiated. Those who want deer simply pick up the old gun and go out and kill 'em. Just as simple as that.

"We have some nice venison," said the dining car conductor.

We thoroughly understood that it was to be expensive, but unless one can be extravagant now and then life isn't worth living. So we ordered the steak. It came on, tender, delicious, seared to retain all the juices, a morsel for epicures and poets. There was hardly anything with it except some bread and butter and fried potatoes and green peas and tomatoes and a sprig or two of tender green onions. For all this 60 cents American money was exacted. This is no country for a New York restaurant man to visit if there is anything wrong with his arteries. The end might come suddenly.

The second compensation was equipped with a sort of a delayed fuse. We did not get the full delights of it for several days afterward. In crossing the border we had undergone the search in gaze of an American customs officer, who first asked us if we carried any artillery and then, not satisfied with the fervor of our disclaimer, desired us not to imperil our immortal souls by de-

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MOTION IS DENIED FOR CONTINUANCE IN SESSIONS TRIAL

By Associated Press.

FAIRFIELD, Texas, Feb. 20.—Judge A. M. Blackmon today denied a motion by the state for continuance of the case of the J. R. Sessions, charged with murder in connection with the deaths of C. F. Miller and Elliott Miller, Dallas business men, who were shot in an office at Wortham, December 19, 1921. The state sought continuance because of absence of witnesses. The jury was completed late today and testimony will begin tomorrow morning.

The Miller brothers were shot as the result of an alleged dispute over an oil lease.

IMMIGRATION MEN WILL BE EXTENDED PAYLESS VACATION

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—A vacation without pay was assured the 500 members of the immigration service here today when commissioner Robert E. Tod announced receipt of instructions from the department of commerce and labor ordering that they be laid off for a month between March 1 and July 1. Lack of federal appropriations for the immigration department made the lay-off order imperative according to Byron Uhle, assistant commissioner of immigration.

COUNCIL MAY FORM BOARD OF CENSORSHIP

Indicated Matter May Come Before Meeting Today in Connection With Showing of Clara Hamon Picture.

Committee Reviewing Picture Monday Reports Failure to Get "Kick" but Against Showing.

An emergency ordinance providing for a municipal board of censorship may be enacted by the city council at an adjourned meeting today in order to review and decide whether the Clara Smith Hamon picture, "Fate," be allowed to finish the week's engagement, it was indicated at the city council meeting Monday night. The action would probably have come before Monday night meeting of the council had there been a full council present. Mayor Cline was detained at home due to sickness in his family.

This step was taken after efforts to secure the voluntary supression of the picture on the report of a committee invited to inspect it had recommended that it be not shown. There seemed a difference of opinion between some of the members of the committee and the exhibitors of the picture as to the agreement whether it would be shown or not in case the committee disapproved.

In voicing their disapproval of the picture, the members of the committee did not take issue in any scene in the picture itself. In fact the whole committee, in its deliberation after the show, agreed with the opinion expressed by one member of the committee that "there was nothing bad about the picture but the acting."

Those who saw the picture Monday and who expected any sensational

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WILL SUBMIT NEW OFFER ON SHOALS TODAY

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Announcement by Secretary Weeks today that he would submit to congress tomorrow the Alabama Power company's offer to purchase and lease the Muscle Shoals, Alabama, nitrate and water power projects submitted to him last Tuesday, added to the possibilities of further delay in congress of consideration of Henry Ford's offer. The Alabama company's offer, it was said, would be addressed tomorrow to the speaker of the house and president of the senate and be referred by them probably to the military affairs committee of the house, and agricultural committee of the senate, both of which are investigating the Ford proposal.

Chairman Kahn announced tonight that the house body would conclude its study of Ford's offer before undertaking hearings on the new proposal, but would not report them separately to the house.

The plan in recommending acceptance or rejection of the offers to the house, the chairman said, would be to prepare a joint report on all proposals. Thus, it was explained, the Ford offer would remain in the committee's hands, preventing action by the house until all proposals the war secretary might submit were thoroughly investigated.

Mr. Kahn said he expected to conclude the hearings on Mr. Ford's offer this week and would immediately begin an examination of that from the Alabama Power company, which Secretary Weeks indicated today was considered a "better offer" than Ford's in some respects. The secretary's comments on the merits of each offer he transmits will be made known to congress by letters of transmission accepting the proposals. He began work tonight on the letter he will forward with the offer tomorrow and announced that he had no additional remarks to make public.

The house committee today interrogated J. O. Hammitt, vice-president of the Air Nitrates corporation, a subsidiary of the American Cyanamid company of Maine, who defended the rights of the former concern to purchase nitrate plant No. 2 at Muscle Shoals, upon as favorable terms as the government might accept from other private interests.

He submitted a contract submitted by the corporation and war department officials, dated June 8, 1918, when it was agreed to build the plant and which contained a section extending optional privileges to the Air Nitrates subsidy to buy the property.

FORMER OFFICERS OF COUNTY ARE NUMBERED AMONG THOSE INJURED

Trouble Began With Fight Between Buck Garrett' Temporary Successor and County Official ; Authorities Unable to Determine Who Fired the First Shot.

By The Associated Press.

ARDMORE, Okla., Feb. 20.—John L. Hodge, assistant county attorney, tonight was investigating the cause of the shooting affray which took place in the courthouse here late today. Four men were slightly wounded and a fifth escaped with a bullet hole in his coat sleeve. Because of the conflicting stories told by persons, said to be eye witnesses, officers have been reluctant in advancing their ideas as to the cause of the affray.

All the wounded men were able to leave the hospital tonight and were taken to their respective homes. They are:

Former Deputy Sheriff Bud Ballew, wounded in the right thigh and leg. Former Deputy Bill Whitson, wounded twice in the abdomen and once in the left arm; Deputy Sheriff E. J. Coles, shot through the left leg and foot and Former Jailer Bud Bird, shot through the left hand. A shot passed through the coat sleeve of Robert Short, deputy sheriff.

The encounter took place in the county attorney's office shortly after a meeting of county commissioners, with several hundred persons present, drawn by interest in the permanent appointment to be made to the office of the sheriff to succeed Buck Garrett, who was ousted last Friday on charges of the state of disorderly conduct.

When the state filed the ouster proceedings some time ago Ewing C. London, commander of the local post of the American Legion, was appointed temporary sheriff. Garrett at the time, was suspended temporarily and his entire force of deputies and under officers resigned.

According to the account told the police, "Skeet" Martin, tick eradication expert of Carter county, met Temporary Sheriff London in the corridor of the jail and asked him to step inside the county attorney's office. Martin is a distant relative of London's.

"Have you got your gun on you?" Martin is said to have asked London as soon as the two were inside the office, the police reported.

"No," was London's reply.

"Well," Martin is alleged to have said, "I'm going to give you a good licking."

The two men clashed and Bud Ballew is said to have stepped in to separate them. Deputies in the sheriff's office, just adjoining, heard the noise and went to investigate. Finding the door locked, Deputy Cowles is said to have kicked in the glass in the upper half of the door.

Hodges and Ballew were already in the room when the shooting started. Police have not yet learned who fired the first shot. About 12 shots were said to have been fired, although marks about the room account for only five.

Assistant County Attorney Hodges tonight stated evidence does not show who fired the first shot, nor can it be ascertained who did the shooting. About twelve shots were fired in all, he declared.

The county commissioners room is just around the corridor from the county attorney's office.

Excitement over the shooting in the building resulted in abrupt ending of today's procedure in the trial of Dick Highnight, chief of police of Ardmore, against whom the state has filed ouster proceedings for alleged violation of prohibitory laws. Action on the appointment of a sheriff was postponed.

DROP TWO COUNTS AGAINST ARDMORE CHIEF OF POLICE

By Associated Press.

ARDMORE, Okla., Feb. 20.—Two counts, charging failure to enforce the gambling laws and failure to enforce the laws against operation of houses of ill repute, against Chief of Police Dick Highnight of Ardmore, were dismissed on motion of the state today when his trial in ouster proceedings was called in district court before special Judge B. C. Logsdon.

After a jury had been selected, taking of testimony began on the remaining count which alleges that Highnight failed to enforce prohibitory laws. Indications are that the trial will be of short duration.

CASE AGAINST ATTORNEY ENDS VERY ABRUPTLY

State's Attorneys Ask Dismissal Following Sheriff's Testimony; Agree to Instructed Verdict.

Sheilds Heyser, local attorney, charged with conspiracy to bribe and offer of bribe to Sheriff Fred Smith, was given an instructed verdict of not guilty by Judge Ed Napier of the 78th district court late Monday. The trial of the case which opened Monday at 1:30 p. m. was brought to an abrupt ending at the request of state attorneys during the examination of Sheriff Smith, who was the first witness called by the state.

Plainly showing his anger E. L. Fulton, county attorney, stopped the trial of the case after examining Sheriff Smith on the stand a short time. After the witness had repeatedly said that he did not remember certain events supposed to have occurred in connection with the charge against the accused Mr. Fulton asked for a brief recess of the court in order to confer with Sam Holliday, acting district attorney. Coming back into the court room Mr. Fulton then asked that the case be dismissed.

In making the request Mr. Fulton said that the evidence given by the officer, the state's chief witness, was a surprise to him. Mr. Holliday also said he was surprised by the testimony and he thought the case should be dismissed, due to a lack of testimony.

W. E. Fitzgerald, who headed an array of defense counsel, then moved for an instructed verdict of not guilty for the defendant which Judge Napier granted with the consent of state attorneys. The jury reached the verdict without leaving the box.

Heyser was charged with conspiring with another party referred to as "Big Dick" to offer Sheriff Smith a bribe for certain protection. Heyser from the time the indictment was announced declared his innocence. It was at his request that state attorneys set the case for early trial. In addition to Judge Fitzgerald, T. R. (Dan) Boone, T. F. Hunter and Judge Harvey Harris represented the defense.

Following the return of the verdict Mr. Heyser asked that his thanks be expressed to his friends, including practically all members of the local bar, who had hastened to express their confidence in him and to proffer their assistance in the case following the return of the indictment against him.

REAR ADMIRAL BLEEKER IS BURIED WITH HONORS

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 20.—Funeral services for the late Rear Admiral Bleeker, who died here late Saturday night, were held today. Marines from the Algiers naval station acted as escort for the body to the railway station. Interment will be at Morristown, N. J. Rear Admiral Bleeker saw 43 years service with the navy before his retirement in 1905.

PROBLEM WILL BE ATTACKED AGAIN TODAY

Tax Plan in Accordance With Harding's Suggestion Will Be Drafted, Is General Opinion.

Republican Opponents of Wholesalers' and Manufacturers' Tax Are Active With Petitions.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The question of financing the soldiers bonus was referred back today to the special tax sub-committee by the majority members of the house ways and means committee and it was announced that the sub-committee would attack the problem again late tomorrow.

The trend of thought was that some sort of a manufacturers or wholesalers tax plan would be drafted in accordance with President Harding's suggestion. Whether approval of such a tax by the entire committee could be obtained appeared to be a moot question.

In an effort to block the sales tax within the committee, 22 Republican opponents of this kind of a levy met and framed petitions which were freely circulated and signed before the house adjourned today. Representative Dickinson of Iowa, who called them together, said it was the hope to obtain sufficient signatures to convince the majority committee members that it would be impossible to put a sales tax provision through the house.

The petition declared in favor of adjusted compensation, but in opposition to the financing of it by a sales or manufacturers tax and sets forth that its signers "will oppose any rule for the adjusted compensation that does not permit a separate vote on any sales or manufacturers tax provision therein."

While the ways and means committee was discussing the bonus question, it was made known at the White House that President Harding had received many communications opposing enactment of the bonus legislation for the present. At the same time the American Legion's legislative committee made public a telegram from Hanford MacNider, the Legion's national commander, opposing any further delay.

It was said that the communications reaching Mr. Harding in opposition to immediate enactment outnumbered those favorable, but it was added that many of those opposing the bill showed a similarity.

T. P. CONVERSE EXPECTED SOON AT HAZELHURST

HAZELHURST, Miss., Feb. 20.—Thomas P. Converse, oil geologist of Wichita Falls, Texas, said to have been the third husband of the woman whose charred body was found on the lonely Vicksburg road near here last week, is expected by authorities to reach here today or early tomorrow.

Walter, twenty-year-old son, has identified the body as that of his mother, a magazine solicitor, whom he said he last saw at Selma, Alabama, December 28. He declared in his opinion the motive of the murder wa robbery, as she wore jewels valued at about $1,000 and had $300 in cash.

An automobile, which bore the magazine party of five has been identified as being the property of C. Adams of Mexia, Texas, and a warrant has been issued for his arrest, officers say.

CONVICTED WOMAN LOCKS UP DEPUTIES AND MAKES ESCAPE

By Associated Press.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 20.—Gladys Howard, 28, who confessed to stealing an $850 diamond from a local jewelry store, and was under sentence of one year, walked out of an anteroom in the court house here today, locked two deputy sheriffs in the room and made her escape. The girl was recently arrested in St. Louis and brought to Atlanta for trial.

CONFESSIONS CLEAR UP MYSTERY SURROUNDING TRAGEDY AT CONCORD

Prisoners Are Hurriedly Taken to Unknown Place of Imprisonment, Presumably the Dallas County Jail; Robbery Is Assigned As Only Motive for Fiendish Crime.

By The Associted Press.

WACO, Texas, Feb. 20.—Confessions to the brutal murders of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barker and 13-year old Homer Turk at the Barker home in McLennan county, Saturday night Feb. 11, were secured at noon Monday from two negroes, who gave their names as Leslie Johnson and Cooper Young.

Their formal statements admitting the crimes are in the hands of Assistant County Attorney H. O. Dabney. The prisoners themselves are incarcerated in an unknown jail, presumably in Dallas.

Constable Leslie Stegall of Waco gets the credit for their arrest and offer of confession.

Dave Wilkerson, who is proprietor of a gin at Concorn, is to be congratulated, say officers, for "playing a hunch" and is directly responsible for what is declared to have cleared up the mystery surrounding one of the most fiendish crimes ever committed in this vicinity. And what adds a chapter of interest to the case, the juvenile narrative of a four-year-old girl has been substantiated. It was little Willie Lou Barker, daughter of the murdered couple, whose child-like answers to questioning one week ago Sunday, gave authorities the only substantial clue upon which they could work. The signed statements of the prisoners bears out even to a detail the fragmentary story she told at that time as an eye witness to the slaying of her mother.

Clearing up of the mystery came Monday morning with as much of a suddenness as news of the crimes broke over McLennan county a week ago Sunday morning. Wilkerson was enroute to his home at Concord along the Corsicana road when he encountered two strange negroes, as he later telephoned to Constable Stegall. Stegall succeeded in locating the pair at the Waco city square, and his suspicions grew after he placed them under arrest. Both broke down in the constable's office within a half hour later, and told the entire story of thet murders.

Robbery, they insist, was their only motive. For their crime they secured but $10, they say.

"CHURCH CAN'T SANCTION MOB RULE"—KAY

Address to Downtown Bible Class Directly Opposes Doctrine Advocated by Dr. Knickerbocker.

Differing squarely with the doctrine announced for Dr. Knickerbocker's Sunday night sermon, the doctrine of "Tar and Feathers," Judge John C. Kay delivered a masterly defense of the written law in his Sunday talk to the Kay-Knickerbocker down town Bible class meeting in the Olympic theater.

"The Savior was mobbed, the greatest tragedy in all history," said Judge Kay in scoring the rule of the mob, adding to this the stoning of Stephen, the crucifixion of Peter, and the mobbing of a great host of other early martyrs of the church in this connection.

"So, of all the organiastions on earth that ought to condemn an unfair trial, it is the church," he said, "because of the wounds that she bears and the sufferings that she can show. She can never advocate such a odctrine!"

Extols Written Law

The constitutions and the written laws that we live under, the speaker extolled as the accumulated wisdom of all the ages, wisdom beginning long before the fates of those now living were fixed. The criticism of the law, he said, were the cries of the incompetent judge, prosecutor or sheriff.

"You get competent men in office and they can enforce the law—that is if there are enough righteous men in the community to uphold them," he declared in this connection.

Asking his hearers to suppose that they were concerned in a tar and feather "party" and some one was killed, he reminded his hearers that then they would want a written indictment, a fair trial, and all the safeguards given by the law at their trial.

Talk Applauded

Judge Kay's address was liberally applauded by the members of the class, applause which Dr. Knickerbocker mentioned in his Sunday night "tar and feather sermon," when at a climax he called on some who applauded at the Sunday school to applaud now.

The talk opened on the visit of Naaman with his affliction to the prophet and the command of the prophet to dip himself in the waters of the Jordan. Naaman's indecision as to the following of the directions given him by the prophet, or to dip himself into some of the seemingly more beautiful and attractive rivers of his native land instead, was discussed by Judge Kay in this connection.

"Anything except to follow the commandment, the law, the interpretation of civilized life," he said in discussing Namaan's debate. Now the prophet and Naaman are both dead; it does not matter about them, but the message is for living men.

What is the matter with you and with me we say the law is insufficient, when we say the courts are insufficient, when we say the officers are inefficient? It is all the law we have. It represents the accumulated wisdom of all the ages. The courts are all the courts we have, and whatever they are they represent the best that we can do, and the officers are the best that our kind of civilization is capable of electing. The law is not to be sneered at. It had its beginning before your fate and my fate was ever fixed. It was the voice of the conscience of wise men before they lifted the curtain of written history. Are we to turn it aside in a moment

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FAMILY KILLED WHEN CAR GOES IN GAS POCKET

By Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 20.—W. P. Kelly and wife and their six year old daughter, were fatally burned near Desdemona last night when their automobile struck a gas pocket, an explosion and fire enveloping the automobile, following. Two other children, though badly burned, will recover. Kelly was a lease foreman for an oil company and came to Texas from Illinois.

The automobile, plunging into the holes where the gas had accumulated, caused an explosion, the latter igniting the automobile, the occupants and even the surrounding weeds. The latter burned fiercely all night. The accident happened in the heart of an old oil field, which accounts for the gas accumulation.

TULANE ADMINISTRATORS ARE SUED FOR $1,000,000.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 20.—Suit for $1,000,000 was filed today in civil district court against the board of administrators of Tulane University by A. J. Thomas. Mr. Thomas declares that sum is due him because the will of the late A. C. Hutchinson, his brother-in-law, directed the university to build, with the residue of his estate a hospital. This he claims has not been done after twenty years.

GOVERNOR WILL LEARN OF CALIFORNIA SCOOLS

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 20.—Governor Neff announced today appointment of H. T. Musselman of Dallas to go to California as his representative to study the school system of that state. He will report to the governor anything he finds in the California system that would aid the Texas school system if installed in this state. He will leave within a few weeks.

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and say some new way, some other way, some other river is clearer and better than Jordan?

About Wichita Falls.

There is a great deal said about Wichita Falls and I am going to talk about it a little while this morning. I do not think it a wicked place, and I have never thought it. I believe there are as good churches and as good church members and as much religion, and as much charity, and as much decency, and as much education, and as much civilization, and as many law abiding people here, in proportion to the population, as any town in America.

I am speaking to you this morning from the depths of my heart. I am not like a bird that would befoul his own nest, and if I thought this was not a fit place to live in, I would leave here. I do not want to go and adopt some other method, and dip in some other river except the river of the law and of civilization and of the courts of justice. Of course there is crime here; it is everywhere. We have about eighty thousand people in this county, if I remember the census correctly. We have had a great floating element here, camp followers, who hang about the skirts of every army, and it is these who have made our trouble, not our citizenship, nor our own people. I do not know a place in the world, and these sleeping cars have carried me to a great many places, I do not know a place, as I say, where there are more good men in proportion to the size of the town than there are here, and I have never put my foot in a town where the people would give away as much for charity, for righteousness and for the helpless as they do here, and I say it is a privilege from God to live here.

"Tar and Feathers"

Now what can you do with that kind of a law with a "Tar and Feather" committee? How can you get witnesses in a court like that? Who is going to listen in a court like that? Who cares for and rules of evidence in a court like that? That way lies danger, and death and disaster, and if there is no other voice in Wichita Falls, let it be said always that my voice was raised up for law and order by orderly methods. Whoever will may go and dip himself in the rivers of Damascus, but I refuse, and am going to stay with the holy traditions of the law, both that in the Bible and of the written law.

Suppose you join a "Tar and Feather" party and somebody gets killed and you get indicted? Ah! then you will want a written indictment and sworn witnesses and a righteous judge; then you will want a court of appeal, and you will clamor aloud for all of the intelligence and all the traditions of the law.

I do not know much about a mob, but one. William Shakespeare, a wiser man than I, said that a "Mob was all head and no brains." It was not me who said it.

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nying the possession of a gun if it so happened that we were heeled.

Ban of Revolvers Strict.

Every one had to go through that inquisition. Firearms are not to be taken into Mexico unless a very special permit is obtained. Here in Sonora no one shows a revolver. No doubt there are revolvers here, but they seem not to be needed. Not now, anyhow.

"No one," I was told in Guaymas, "is permitted to carry firearms except the Yaquis."

The Yaqui question will be taken up later on, but this particular item of it seems not to be without its humor. If one may judge by surface indications the only people in Sonora who are at all apt to disturb the peace are the members of this recalcitrant tribe. They have never been thoroughly subdued, although Porfirio Diaz induced them to behave. When anything does happen here the Yaquis are always mixed up in it. They do not disguise their hostility to all foreigners—and they consider Mexicans quite as foreign to the Yaqui country as any one else—and they go hung about with firearms and well-filled cartridge belts. They are not on the warpath now, but there is a general feeling that one of these days they may go on that blood red trail again. If they ever do they are well fixed for weapons.

Trip Without Excitement.

This fact is not impressed upon the passenger by Pullman, however. In Chicago there seemed to be a feeling that he who enters Mexico takes his life in his hand with his fingers well buttered, but the ride from Nogales to Guaymas was as unemotional as that from Washington to Baltimore. Now and then as the train halted at a way station one might see from beneath the curtain of his berth silent Indians standing alongside the cars, each with a pitiful little tray of foodstuffs for sale. Not one seemed to have more than half a dozen objects. Some had a handful of onions, some a few tamales, now and then an enchiladada. There were trays of the delicious Mexican sugared bread and baskets of oranges and apples.

Those who rode in the day coaches bought and bought and bought at each station. There is nothing the traveling Mexican likes to do better than to eat, apparently, and he has long ago discarded the theory that meals should follow a time schedule. His plan is very simple. He eats at each station. The more stations there are the more he eats. Even so it is difficult to understand how the vendors can make more than the most meagre living. These food sellers can hardly average a daily turnover of more than 20 cents American per day. For there is but one train in two days for them to meet.

But the farther one goes the more certain one becomes of the ultimate prosperity of the west coast.

W. B. Corlett, of the land department of the Texas Company, was a visitor here from Wichita Falls this week.—South Bend Derrick.

Wire Flashes

TEXAS

AMARILLO, Feb. 20.—Twenty gallons of liquor, a still and seven barrels of mash made up the sum total of local sheriff's offices in Sunday raids.

COLEMAN, Feb. 20.—The First National Bank of Coleman, which suspended December 30, reopened for business today after re-organization. Depositors will be paid in full, it was announced.

AUSTIN, Feb. 20. — Governor Neff today honored a requisition from the governor of Missouri for return to that state of Fred Hendrix, wanted in Missouri, on a murder charge. Hendrix is now held in El Paso.

AMARILLO, Feb. 20.—Theodore Holman, age 12, died last night while being brought from his home at Groom, 40 miles east, to Amarillo for medical attention after being accidentally run over by an automobile.

COOPER, Feb. 20.—Miss Vivian Nixon, 20 years old, who last night shot and wounded Lee Brookmole, at Charleston, Delta county, near here, and then sent a bullet through her own body, died early today. Brookmole will recover, physicians say.

GATESVILLE, Feb. 20.—Alex Garren, a young farmer living seven miles north of Gatesville, was shot and killed yesterday. William Dunn, a neighbor farmer of Garren's surrendered to Sheriff Hollingsworth but has not made a statement.

PALESTINE, Feb. 20.—Four state convicts escaped last night from a camp on the state railroad near here. They are Joe Mapps, sentenced from Houston; James Lorry, alias James Guss, and John Docher of Dallas, and M. G. Ivy of near Maydell.

AUSTIN, Feb. 20.—"We had a fine meeting, a very fine meeting," was the way Governor Neff expressed his opinion this morning about his conference with the people of Mexia Saturday as to the best way to maintain law and order in Limestone county.

HOUSTON, Feb. 20.—The condition of Cleo Michael, shot Saturday by Nick Kritzon, a former husband, who turned the gun on himself afterwards, was reported as showing some slight improvement. Hope is held out that both Mrs. Michael and Kritzon may live.

DALLAS, Feb. 20.—Three firemen were slightly injured here last night before a fire of undetermined origin, starting in the Hesse Envelope company building, was brought under control after doing property damage estimated at between $100,000 and $125,000.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 20.—A. R. Losh, assistant chief of construction of the United States bureau of roads, Washington, D. C., assumed charge of the southwestern office here today, succeeding D. Fauntleroy, who has become Texas state highway engineer. The Losh appointment is understood to be temporary.

UNITED STATES

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Feb. 20.—A temperature of 79.7 degrees here at 3 p. m. today set a new high record for this date in the 32 years' history of the United States weather bureau, it was officially announced.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Joseph Horan, 65, and Joseph Hussey, 42, engaged in a fight in a room on the second floor of a dwelling here last night and crashed through the window to the pavement below. Both were instantly killed.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Henry Kellogg, known as the millionaire policeman and the man who a short time ago killed Lemuel Ackley, an attorney, in court and then shot himself, died in the county jail today from effects of his wounds.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 20.—W. R. Mumford, 68, who established a drug store here in 1877, when Kansas City was a straggling frontier community, still visited occasionally by "the James boys" and their followers, is dead at his home here today.

ATCHISON, Kan., Feb. 20.—Ivan Kennedy, 13 years old, son of an Atchison county farmer, had been told if a match was thrown into an empty barrel it would go out. His funeral was held today. The barrel contained two gallons of gasoline.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The senate today passed a bill which would reimburse the city of Baltimore to the amount of $173,000 for expenses contracted in constructing works of defense in and around the city during the civil war.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 20.—The conference of operating officials of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas and representatives of the federated shop crafts of the road scheduled to be held here tomorrow has been postponed until some time after March 6, it was announced today.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 20.—Illness of witnesses and physical condition of the jury and attorneys caused postponement of the trial of Mrs. Madalynne Obenchain here until Thursday, on the charge of murdering J. Belton Kennedy, broker, here last August.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—William A. Russell, messenger of the Greenwich bank, was robbed of $22,000 in currency today by an automobile bandit who boarded the truck in which he was transferring the money to a downtown bank. The robbery occurred on Nineteenth street near Seventh avenue.

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 20.—The British schooner Annabelle was seized late Sunday off Jewfish creek, about forty miles south of Miami with a cargo of 11,500 cases of whiskey aboard by airplanes of the prohibition squadron operating out of Miami and adjacent coastal towns, it ws learned today from officials here.

FOREIGN

BELFAST, Feb. 20.—Lieutenant Meade of the army service corps, was shot dead and a staff surgeon was seriously wounded as a result of an attack from ambush along a road near Dublin this afternoon.

HAVANA, Cuba, Feb. 20.—Cuba will not reduce artificially this year's sugar crop, but will agree to limitation of exports to the United States, it was announced today by Jose Cortiena, secretary of the presidency and chief of the cabinet, speaking for the government.

Home Town Stuff

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Golding of Kemp Kort have gone to Houston where Mr. Golding will play in the Century club tournament. They will remain about two weeks.

Dorothy Cline, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cline, is reported ill with phenumonia at the family home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rayzor, 1661 Collins, report the arrival of a baby daughter.

Mrs. A. O. Schaff and her mother, Mrs. Ida B. Smith have gone to Richmond, Indiana, where they were called by a message announcing the serious illness of Mrs. Schaff's sister.

Four local teachers including S. H. Rider, of the high school, J. N. Hall, Virgil Dahney and Leo Hollin, returned Sunday from Denton where they attended a vocational teachers' conference held by the North Texas Normal school.

Hon. S. A. L. Morgan of Wichita Falls, candidate for Congress from this district, was in the city Tuesday meeting the voters and presenting his claims.—Bellevue News.

Miss Clyde Kisinger of the High School faculty was in Wichita Falls last week for treatment for ear trouble.—Newcastle Register.

A new bank was opened in South Bend last week with Capt. J. H. Long as president and A. Lee Boyd, cashier. The bank is to operate as the South Bend Bank with a capitalization of $25,000.00 It is bonded for $50,000, which will make it safe for depositors.

South Bend has not had a bank for several months and many of its citizens are glad to have the bank open for business. An effort has been made to get a Guaranty Fund bank but it is difficult now to get a charter for a new bank.—Graham Leader.

Miss Louise Hamlin of Wichita Falls and Miss Beulah May Cook of Henrietta came over last Friday night from Wichita Falls with Miss Georgia Lou England. The latter went back with her, but Miss Hamlin remained until after Tuesday night and attended the Valentine party at Mrs. Horace Lankford's. A party was given Friday night at the England home in honor of the young ladies.—Baylor County Banner.

Miss Eva White and Mr. R. E. Lyon from Wichita Falls, were married Dec. 23, 1921. Miss Eva is the daughter of Mrs. B. F. White, and has lived in Baylor county all of her life. She is not only good looking but has all of the qualities that make a model wife, and we warmly congratulate Mr. Lyon on his choice.

Mr. Lyon is with the McConnell Furniture Co. at Wichita Falls. We hear nothing but good reports of him and we believe him to be worthy of the fine little girl that he has chosen.

Mrs. White has just returned from a two weeks visit to see them and reports them getting along fine. Rev. O. L. Power married them in Wichita Falls. They live at 1310 Church St., an dlike Wichita Falls.

We extend to them our congratulations and very best wishes for a happy and long wedded life.—Baylor County Banner.

Mr. Sikes Wood is here for a short visit with his father, Hon. J. H. Wood. Sikes has been on the linotype staff of the Wichita Record News, but is going now to accept a position on the Abilene Reporter.—Baylor County Banner.

Mr. R. E. Ruskin, who was sent to Austin this week by the Chamber of Commerce to attend a hearing before the Railroad Commission, returned last night with a good report. Towns all along the Wichita Valley sent representatives to protest against the taking off of trains Nos. 5 and 8, the night trains, and Mr. Baskin says the committee came back with the opinion that if the trains were taken off it would be against orders of the Commission.

The Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce had its traffic man there, Mr. Hubert Harrison was sent from Wichita Falls, Mr. Homer D. Wade from Stamford, and other towns were represented.

Mr. Baskin says he had a nice trip, and went in to see the Governor while there.—Baylor County Banner.

COUNCIL MAY FORM BOARD OF OF CENSORSHIP

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scenes were simply "sold," for there was nothing to take exception to, except some very poor acting and a very poor and unrealistic staging effect.

The committee, in their discussion and in their conferences with public officials with a view to its being suppressed here based their disapproval on two grounds. They declaed that the showing of the picture here permitted the capitalization of the notoriety of the principal, and the attraction of the public to a show they ordinarily would not sit through.

They also urged that the showing of a motion picture play which justified the life lead by the principal in the way this picture was declared to do, and which showed a "happy ever after" ending in spite of the history of this case, was not conducive to public morals, however tame the picture itself might be.

If Clara Smith is the beauty she is declared to be, she certainly failed to register it on the screen here. The screened Clara gave members of the committee the impression of a cheap, ordinary "vamp." Her acting was poor, and unconvincing.

The presentation of Jake Hamon in the pictured version was equally poor. The principal showed as much resemblance to the Oklahoma politician and oil man as Lloyd George shows to Baron Kato.

"Extra-legal" means of stopping the picture discussed in various forms, and including a project for "picketing" the theater, were held in abeyance in favor of legal action after Monday discussion by club women and public officials. Proposed injunction proceedings are also being held up in favor of possible action by the city council.

H. S. Ford, local motion picture proprietor, who was recently reported to have declined an attractive offer to show the picture in one of his theaters, proffered his assistance to the club women Monday. M. Pois, another local picture exhibitor, was also reported as having refused to exhibit the picture and assuring the club women, prior to its showing at Burkburnett, that it would not show at his theater.

The committee viewing the picture Monday afternoon included a representative of Mayor Cline, C. E. Thames, four members of the city council, Commissioners Shepherd, Bonner, Curlee and Fitts; Mrs. Walter Robertson, president of the First District, Texas Federation of Women's clubs; Mrs. J. E. Sharpe, president of the Civic League, and T. B. Noble, chairman public affairs committee, Chamber of Commerce.

The report of the committee follows:

W. J. Wilkie, Esq.,
Wichita Falls, Texas

Dear Sir:—

A committee of citizens composed of four members of the city council, the president of the civic league, the president of the First District Federation of Women's clubs, with the chairman of the Public Affairs committee of the Chamber of Commerce, upon your invitation, have just witnessed an advance showing of a picture alleged to portray the life of Clara Smith Hamon.

We now respectfully advise that after having witnessed this picture we are unable to commend it to the citizenship here, and therefore express the opinion that it should not be shown.

Respectfully,

T. B. NOBLE, Chairman Public Affairs Committee Chamber of Commerce.
MRS. J. E. SHARPE, President of Civic League.
MRS. W. S. ROBERTSON, President First District Federation of Women's Clubs.
J. B. FITTS, Police Commissioner.
W. S. CURLEE, Street Commissioner
W. N. BONNER, Public Utilities Commissioner.
C. E. THAMES, Representing Mayor Cline.
R. E. SHEPHERD, Finance Commissioner.

COMMISSIONERS FAVOR HIRING OF HOME LABOR

Their action following that of the irrigation board, the county commissioners court went on record Monday as favoring the employment of home labor in all county improvement work. A resolution to that effect was adopted by unanimous vote after a committee representing local unemployed had asked the court to take the action.

The resolution applies to not only county road work but all other public improvements paid for by the county.

NEFF SAYS HE IS PLANNING VISIT HERE

Informs Program Committee University Club He Plans to Be Here During Early Part of Summer.

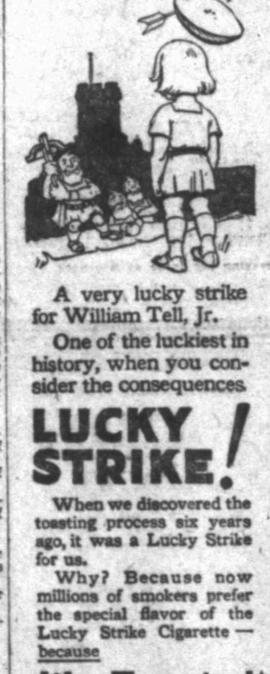
Governor Pat Neff will visit this city during the early summer according to information received here Monday by the entertainment committee of the University club. Replying to an invitation of the club to speak at a luncheon here in the near future Governor Neff expressed regret that it was impossible to come here at the present time.

In his letter to Frank F. Loew of the committee he said, "I am planning however, to visit your section of the state and especially Wichita Falls some time during the early summer.

FEDERAL OFFICERS MOVING

The offices of United States Commissioner J. A. Lantz and H. D. Bishop, special agent of the department of justice, will be moved today from the courthouse to the second floor of the Harrison-Everton building on Seventh street. The change is made due to the crowded condition of the office at the courthouse.

The office at the courthouse will be retained and will be the headquarters of Prohibition Enforcement Officer Tyler. The office will also be used to hold preliminary hearings of the federal department.



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SOCIETY

FLORAL HEGHTS CIRCLES MEET

Circles of the Floral Heights Methodist Missionary society met in regular monthly meeting Monday afternoon as follows:

Mr. H. H. Davidson of 1412 Filmore, was hostess to Circle No. 1—with Mrs. P. A. Martin leader of the devotionals who took for her subject, "Heralds of the Day."

After the devotionals, a short business session was held in which splendid reports were made on the social service work which included 182 visits to the sick and strangers and a substantial amount collected on the pledges.

An informal study program on Cuba was a feature of the meeting in which Mrs. Charles Crowell gave a paper on the "History of Havana;" Mrs. W. L. Rhodes talked on "Lila Lee's letters from Havana to her mother in America;" and also gave a poem entitled "My Purpose;" Mrs. Brasfield of Dumas, Arkansas, gave a violin number, "The Songs My Mother Used to Sing," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. J. W. Bradley and responded to encores with two whistling numbers, all of which was very much enjoyed. Miss Lois Martin gave a delightful reading, James Whitcomb Riley's "Back to Grigsby's Station," and responded to an encore with a negro dialect number.

At the close of the program, a social hour was enjoyed in which the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Louis Demont, served a dainty refreshment course to Mesdames O. M. Reeves, P. A. Martin, M. E. Crowell, John Pruitt, P. F. McFall, T. R. Boone, J. T. Shaver, J. D. Dickson, Lena B. Harl, S. A. L. Morgan, W. H. Costley, Charles Crowell, L. E. Kilpatrick, J. M. Franklin, Leon Deaton, C. E. Naylor, C. C. McDonald, Lulu oftorf, W. L. Rhodes, members, and R. H. Tucker of Topeka, Kansas, Mary A. Brown, Drewery Brasfield of Dumas, Arkansas, Louis Demont, T. J. Bolgar of Seymour, H. T. Moore and Miss Lois Martin.

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MRS. TANCRED HOSTESS TO CIRCLE No. 2

Circle No. 2 met at the house of Mrs. John Tancred with Mesdames Charles Hill and M. J. Michalias joint hostesses. Devotionals were led by Mrs. H. S. Crawford after which in a short business session 185 visits to the sick and strangers were reported and $58.50 collected on the pedges.

After the business session, a short program was given on "Cuba." Mrs. T. E. Allday talked on "Missionary News from all the Fields," and Mrs. L. E. Cowling discussed "Social Life in Havana:" Mrs. A. L. Lane read a paper on "Women Fraternity," and Miss Adelyne McGregor gave a delightful piano number and reading.

At the close of the program, Miss Lucille Tancred gave a group of piano numbers while dainty refreshments were served to Mrs. Skeen Staley of Colorado Springs, and Misses Lucille Tancred and Adelyne McGregor, guests, and Mesdames T. E. Allday, R. M. Bullard, L. E. Cowling, H. S. Crawford, J. C. Crane, J. P. Craig, R. L. Dillard, F. C. Elkins, Milton Haines, Gutshaw, C. F. Green, L. E. Hornbeck, Olan Hawley, Rhea Howard, Lester Jones, P. J. Lea, A. L. Lane, A. J. Lester, H. J. Newman, F. R. Mack, Marvey McCarty, J. E. Parks, N. A. Roberts, F. J. Schaeffer, S. E. Trevathan, N. H. Seals and T. J. Waggoner.

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CIRCLE NO. 3 MEETS WITH MRS. WAGGONER.

With Mesdames Merle Waggoner, Joe Stokes and P. S. Richardson hostesses, Circle No. 3 held a pleasant meeting at the home of Mrs. Waggoner.

Plans for the entertainment of the Missionary society at the regular all day meeting to be held in March, when Circle No. 3 will be hostesses were discussed during the business session and a substantial amount collected on the pledges. A good report was also given on the visits to the sick and strangers.

Following the business session, a delightful short program was rendered, the subject of which was "Cuba." Several good papers were read, interspersed with musical numbers.

During the social half hour a salad plate was served to Mesdames Harold Murph, R. E. Schoolfield, S. M. Black, Glen Berry, Paul Cotner, S. B. Daniel, J. F. Gray, Ralph Pond, W. C. Martin, Durwood McDonald and W. T. Ford.

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MRS. MONROE HOSTESS TO CIRCLE NO. 4.

Circle No. 4 met at the home of Mrs. J. R. Monroe and studied an interesting lesson on "Cuba." Devotionals were led by Mrs. P. B. Cox and several papers on the subject were given. Mrs. Florence Jackson read one on Havana, and Mrs. W. S. Curlee one on "The Social Life and Industrial Customs of Havana."

Mesdames J. B. Hopkins and E. M. Belcher favored the circle with a duet which was very much enjoyed. They were accompanied by Mrs. W. B. Chauncey.

In the business session 57 visits to the sick and strangers was reported and $33.50 collected on the pledges.

During the social hour a dainty refreshment plate with coffee and favors, suggestive of Washington's birthday, was served to Mesdames Anthony Belcher, Bland, Cox, Curlee, Donohue, Grosciose, Howell, Hopkins, Jackson, Knotts, Primm, Mart Roberson, Southerland, Marvin Smith and B. L. Trevathan.

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FIRST METHODIST CIRCLE MEETS MONDAY

With Mesdames C. M. Miller, T. W. Zeigler and E. P. Haney joint hostesses, Circle No. 1 of the First Methodist Church South Missionary society held a pleasant meeting at he home of Mrs. Miller, 1815 Huff, Monday afternoon.

A splendid program consisting of talks on subjects of interest to the society were made and several vocal numbers given. Mrs. C. Y. Tully and Miss Hazel Champion favored the circle with vocal numbers.

Splendid reports were given during the business session in which 231 visits to the sick and strangers were made; 30 trays sent to the sick; 22 bouquets and eight new subscriptions to the Missionary Voice.

After the business session a social half hour was enjoyed and dainty refreshments served to 45 members.

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CIRCLE 2 M. E. SOUTH MEETS AT MARTIN HOME

Circle No. 2 of the First Methodist church, South, met at the home of Mrs. N. H. Martin on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. D. J. Carithers, president of the four local societies, met with the circle and conducted the devotional exercises, taking for her subject "The Gospel of St. Mark." The roll call was answered by thirty-five members and the visiting committee reported having made 121 calls on persons who were sick and to strangers in the city. Pledges were made and collected to the amount of $61.75.

Papers were read and addresses made by Mrs. W. J. Grisham, Mrs. N. B. Chenault and Mrs. Frank Smith, agent for the Missionary Voice, gave a report. On account of illness in her family Mrs. Mack Thomas was unable to be present and the text of an address prepared by her on "Cuba" was read by Mrs. D. J. Bright.

Among the guests attending were Mrs. L. E. Studer, D. J. Carithers and Tytle.

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CIRCLE NO. 4 MEETS MONDAY

Mesdames C. M. McFarland, Eugene Sherrod and Frances Rahl were joint hostesses with Mrs. P. P. Langford Monday afternoon at the home of the latter to Circle No. 4 of the Woman's Missionary society of the First Methodist church south.

With Mrs. George Thorburn leader, the meeting was opened with a song, "Work for the Night is Coming." Mrs. Clyde Foster lead the devotional and Mrs. E. C. Huckabee gave a vocal number, "Irish Lullabye." Mrs. Frances Rahl gave a talk on "Havana, Cuba:" Mrs. George Thorburn talked on "From Survey to Service;" Mrs. J. W. Akin gave a reading entitled, "The Traveling Man;" Miss Elizabeth Langford gave a reading; and encore number and Miss Mildred Sherrod gave a piano solo.

In a short business session, 195 visits to the sick and strangers were reported.

After the program a social hour was enjoyed in which the hostess served refreshments to Mesdames J. J. DeBerry, J. O. Elliott, W. Ray Travis, E. W. James, Roscoe Staton, C. J. Barnes, W. L. Culberson, J. D. Sherrill, I. G. Clark .E. W. Shaw, James R. Bachman, Floyd Terry, C. T. Engle, J. A. Lanz, A. E. Miller, T. W. DuBois, Dick Levy, M. K. Henry, Patrina Bryan, S. G. Henry, Hugh Weaver, C. R. Richardson, B. H. Ramkin, F. G. Baker, P. S. Fischer, Elizabeth Gebhardt, W. M. Man, Wayne Somerville, Charles Warman, C. W. Gilliland, J. W. Akin, A. H. Drake, Homer J. Bruce, J. Burt, E. C. Huckabee, Frances Rahl, Clyde Foster, Ben G. O'Neal, A. C. Dulaney, R. F. Calvert, George Thorburn, Satterfield, Martin Rowe, M. H. Glover, and Benny Hyatt Donald.

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LITTLE LENORE WALKER CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY.

Celebrating her eighth birthday, little Miss Lenora Walker entertained a group of her friends with a pretty party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Walker, 1102 Alma street, Saturday afternoon, when the hours were happily spent in playing games.

The attractive reception suite was decorated for the occasion in the patriotic colors, and the dining room was especially pretty with the table centered with a miniature George and Martha Washington surrounded by small flags and other motifs. Caps were provided for the guests who were also given favors of powder puffs for the girls, and flag buttons for the boys.

After the games, the small guests were served with ice cream, cake and punch. Those present were: Elizabeth Langford, Mildred Miller, Rose Marion Art, Ona Bell Britain, Mary Alice Johnson, Phoebe Jane Filgo, Margaret Standifforth, and Masters Monty Standifforth, Gene Harvey, Ralph Harvey, Virgil Shepherd, Eugene Sherrod, Virgil Shepherd, Jimmy Mytinger, Kemp Maer, Arch Greenwood, Bruce Greenwood and Mark Walker.

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FIDELITY CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY.

The Fidelity Bridge club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. W. West, 1310 Filmore street, Friday afternoon.

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WESLEY GIRLS TO GIVE TEA.

The Wesley Girls of the First Methodist Church, South, will give a Silver Tea at the home of their teacher, Mrs. W. W. Silk, 1700 Tenth street, Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock.

The public is invited.

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WASHINGTON SOCIAL TO BE GIVEN.

A Washington Birthday social will be given in the basement of the First Christian Sunday school Tuesday evening beginning at 8 o'clock.

The affair will be in charge of J. W. Bradley's Bible school class.

Fashions for Americans

Novel and interesting sleeves may certainly be recorded as one of the high lights of spring and summer styles, and the range of types featured is very wide. Practically all sleeves, except those shown in strictly tailored or sports suits, flare somewhere, and not infrequently there is a generous width from armhole to wrist.

Sleeves of the peasant type, quite full, but drawn in to a narrow cuff at the wrist, are popular both in dresses and blouses, and variety is given to them by various slashings, so that the bare arm is visible. Sometimes such a sleeve is slit its entire length either on the inner or outer arm; sometimes it is fashioned of several strips or sections merely held together at the armhole and by the cuff, and again the sleeve will be slit from wrist to elbow only.

The leg o' mutton sleeve still attracts attention, but has not attained the vogue that was early predicted for it, and in formal gowns and handsome negligee garments wide, flowing wing sleeves are much featured.

The dinner gown shown in the sketch, made of one of the lovely sheer crepes in a pale rose shade, is distinguished principally for its graceful wing sleeves which fall almost to the edge of the skirt. The skirt has a pointed tunic and touches of embroidery trim the gown.

Whether in gowns for formal evening wear, or for street or informal afternoon occasions, the fancy for uneven skirt hems continues strong. Sashes and panels help to effect this result very often, and many skirts are frankly cut longer at one side than the other, or long on both sides, short back and front, etc.



The Wing Sleeves Distinguish This Graceful Gown.

A Wife or a Profession?

BY CAROLYN BEECHER

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CHAPTER V.

Howard told Annette of the invitation to dinner, then of what his uncle had said of the housekeeper.

"Try not to antagonize her, dear. I am very fond of my uncle."

It was Dr. Blake who had given them the lovely rug for their living room. It had taken a generous slice of his savings, but he told Mrs. Burr when she grumbled:

"I seldom make presents, but when I do I give good ones. Then Howard is all I have in the world. He'll have what little I leave, and may as well have a part of it now."

Mrs. Burr had made no reply, but her sour face grew still more vinegary. There were gossips who said she was "setting her cap for the old doctor." He owned his little home, she had nothing.

So because of this rug Annette was prepared to be nice to the old doctor. And when Annette Blake wanted to be nice, she surely could, as Howard often laughingly told her.

Not that Annette was naturally disagreeable. She was not. Usually she was very sweet, very loving. But she had made up her mind that Clarkstown and all it contained were but a makeshift to be used until they could save enough, and until Howard had the experience to return to New York and live as she considered they should live.

Howard Blake winced whenever she had given voice to these wishes even while on their wedding tour. She loved him now, but would that love carry on when she found she had to be denied the things her young married friends had, the things many of them to which she had been accustomed in her father's home—money, clothes, motor cars, a fine house beautifully furnished. He knew she wanted all these things. She had said so even while his kisses were warm on her lips, a bridegroom's kisses. But she had told him that she was, of course, willing to wait; that she loved him well enough to be patient until he was recognized in his profession. She wanted all the things he enumerated in his mind, and she flattered him that he would soon be able to get them for her because of his superior intelligence.

At times all women revert back to Eve stuff.

When Howard told her it took time to come into a fair amount of eminence in any profession and thus be assured a comfortable income, she pouted, then assured him that while this might be so with others it surely would not be so with him—he was so clever.

Howard Blake knew his young wife was hugging a will-o'-the-wisp, a belief, a wish that nothing short of a miracle could bring to pass in the time she had set. But he forbore to disquiet her further. Perhaps she woul dlike Clarktown better than she thought. He had supposed she had understood he meant to remain there. Perhaps not indefinitely, yet for a long time. But quite plainly she hadn't and it rather startled him to find he had been mistaken.

"She'll think I married her under false pretenses," he said to himself, then smiled at his own exaggeration.

"So this is Annette." Mortimer Blake drew Annette into the comfortable, old-fashioned living room, then tilted her face a little and gave her a resounding kiss.

"You must call me uncle just as Howard does," he said a moment later when she addressed him as Dr. Blake. "I hope you will be very happy here, Annette."

Before she could reply Mrs. Burr announced dinner. She sat at the table, much to Annette's disgust. She considered herself as good as any one and let every one know she did. She did all the work of the house except the heavy scrubbing and washing, and waited on the old doctor as if he were a child. But there her servitude stopped. As she sat behind the tea things she had the air of the mistress of the house, which quickly Annette perceived she wanted to be.

This aroused Annette's ire, for she rather liked the bluff old man who was Howard's only relative. Then, too, she knew that whatever he had would come to Howard, and that also influenced her manner toward his housekeeper.

The dinner was delicious, and while Annette was not entirely ignored in the conversation, Dr. Blake and his nephew talked shop most of the time, the old doctor occasionally appealing to Annette or including her by a nod or a gesture as if she were as interested as they.

Mrs. Burr made an occasional remark, but Annette received her overtures in silence. Finally the housekeeper said:

"Your hired girl told you you could send the sheets and pillow cases back when yours came, didn't she?"

"Yes." Then deliberately Annette turned to Dr. Blake. "Thank you, uncle, for sending over the bedding. As soon as I have it washed I will send it back. It was very thoughtful of you to send it."

Howard caught the black look Mrs. Burr cast upon Annette. But, manlike, never mistrusted her innocent remark to his uncle caused it. Yet it was another little unpleasantness. He had hoped Annette would be at least friendly with his uncle's housekeeper. It was unavoidable that they would see a great deal of her.

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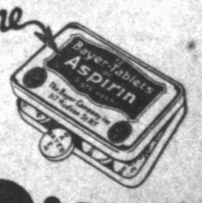


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MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

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untouched, were capable of supplying the nation's petroleum needs for hundreds of years. He predicted the extraction of oil from shale would become one of the greatest industries in the country. "It is not commonly appreciated how large these shale deposits are," said Dr. McKee. "If we consider only those oil shales which will furnish a barrel, or forty-two gallons, or better of petroleum per ton of shale, we have in the Green river section of Colorado, Utah and Wyoming alone sufficient to furnish 64,000,000,000 barrels of petroleum, which amount is eight times larger than the total of the well petroleum that this country has produced since Colonel Drake drilled the first oil well in 1859 at Titusville, Pa. It is more than five times the total production of the world since well petroleum became commercial sixty years ago. There also are large deposits in Nevada, California, Kentucky, Indiana, Ohio, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, and smaller deposits, though large enough for commercial exploitation, in many other portions of this continent. There are similar deposits in other parts of the world. Of those deposits which are likely to be exploited in the next decade we have variations in yield from twenty gallons to sixty or even eighty gallons per ton. The large deposits of better grade will give about a barrel (forty-two gallons) of oil per ton of rock. The demands for petroleum are increasing in this country at the rate of about 50,000,000 barrels a year. If this continues it will require each year seventy-five new plants, each handling 2,000 tons of oil shale a day and representing an investment of close to $1,000,000 each to give sufficient oil to meet simply this yearly increase in demands for petroleum. We have no other source of fuel oil or gasoline substitute in prospect which promises to furnish even a minor part of this demand."

Uncle Sam paid 7 million dollars for Alaska. More than a billion dollars worth of wealth have been taken out of Alaska since the Russian Czar sold the prize to the Lincoln administration. Uncle Sam's Alaskan railway in now a fact. It was completed and the first through train from Seward, on the coast, to Nenana at the junction of the Tanana and Nenana rivers in the interior, was run through Saturday, February 4. The opening of the line, which will make possible exploiting the great coal fields and other mineral resources of the interior, was the occasion for celebration at Nenana, in the heart of the vast Nenana coal district. A railway delegation made the first trip. Twice-a-week service will be maintained. The above map of Southern Alaska shows the position of the southern division of the railway and the location of the great coal deposits in the country it serves. The road, which skirts the base of Mt. McKinley, was started in 1914, and the approximate cost of the undertaking, said to be the greatest engineering endeavor of the government since the construction of the Panama Canal, was 55 million dollars. Alaska has an immense mountains of anthracite having a value of 7 billion dollars. Who is going to get the coal—Uncle Sam or the cunning and the daring who get there first?

Boss Buck Garrett of Carter county, Oklahoma, was ousted from the office of sheriff which he has held for many years. There were five counts or indictments against him. He was found guilty on the fifth or for permitting prisoners to leave the county jail before the expiration of their sentence. Counts on which the political boss sheriff were acquitted included failure to enforce laws, relating to prohibition, gambling and the keeping of an inaccurate jail records of board bills. Boss Buck will appeal from the verdict of the jury. He has eighteen attorneys caring for his interests and promises a last ditch fight. There is a Waterloo in the life of every boss. Boss Buck is facing his.

Colonel George Harvey is to appear in court costume at the wedding of Princess Mary and the most prominent items of the court costume are black silk knee breeches, silk stockings and steel buckle pumps, in addition to the long tail coat, white tie and black waist coat. Senator Watson of Georgia should fly to the rescue of the American eagle.

Split-Second Editorials

By ROBERT QUILLEN

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Our idea of a thorough jingo is one who holds that tax-paying is glorious.

The chip on the farmer's shoulder is probably a chip off the old agricultural bloc.

And so Europe can't understand our senate. Well, that appears to make it unanimous.

Free people are those who enjoy life, liberty and the pursuit of people who are not free.

Few people are content with their lot. For that matter, few people are content with a lot.

Former doughboys will agree with the ordnance expert who says wars are not won by the big guns.

There is considerable bull about it, but it doesn't follow that China's open door is a matador.

Usually the truth will make you free; if it won't you can always hire witnesses to lie for you.

Germany's contention is that she is unable to support France in the style in which she was razed.

It's a funny world; and a lot of people who don't pay their debts pretend to despise other thieves.

"My client's shining countenance," said the lawyer, "proves his innocence." "To me," said the judge, "it has the appearance of a moonshining countenance."

About the only thing needed to make poverty an ideal state is a generous supply of spending money.

Eventually all the great problems will be solved except that of hitting the fast ones that cut the inside corner.

There is no significance in the fact that a worm will turn. It never turns into anything more formidable than a worm.

With a Jap directing the railway, the Chinese in Shantung will have the inalienable right to watch the trains come in.

History will not forget that in the beginning of this new era of peace, Germany was the first to sink her battleships.

Losses are hard to bear, but there is a certain grim satisfaction in deducting them when making out an income tax return.

There will be no more popular Southern songs until somebody finds a touching sentiment that will rhyme with boll weevil.

The wife who does all her work with a can opener usually has a husband whose greatest problem is that of finding something to open a jack pot.

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Little Stories for Bedtime

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

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JUMPER ,THE HAER, CANNOT SLEEP

Jumper the Hare was growing thin. Yes, sir, he was growing thin. He never had been very fat, but now he was thinner than ever and getting more so every day. What was making him. Why, just worry. That is all—just worry. Here it was the beautiful springtime and plenty to eat, yet Jumper was growing thin. Very few people have a good appetite when they are worried. It was that way with Jumper. He just couldn't eat much, and what was almost as bad, he couldn't sleep much. Now eating and sleeping are what make people fat, and whoever cannot eat and cannot sleep is bound to grow thin. And so Jumper grew thinner and thinner, while almost everybody else grew fat.

It was all because of Reddy Fox. Reddy had made up his mind that he was going to catch Jumper the Hare and Jumper knew it. Now Jumper can outrun Reddy Fox, and when it comes to a race he isn't the least bit afraid. But Reddy is sly, very sly. He knew better than to try to catch Jumper by chasing him. He knew that he would have to catch him by surprising him when he was asleep, or by hiding close to some place where Jumper was in the habit of eating.

Jumper knew that, too. Of course he did. He knew just as well as Reddy did that Reddy couldn't catch him in a race. He felt perfectly safe as long as he could see Reddy or knew exactly where he was. But at all other times he worried. You see, he didn't know but Reddy might jump out from behind any bush or tree, and so he had to be on watch every minute he was awake. That was bad enough, but what was worse was the fact that he didn't dare sleep. Of course, he had to sleep some, but it was in little naps from which the merest rustle of a leaf would waken him all ready to jump and run for his life. Now you know little naps like that give very little rest. And it is dreadful to close your eyes wondering if you will ever open them again. It was no wonder that Jumper grew thin.

It would not have been so bad if Reddy had been content to hunt him in the day time only. But he wasn't. You know Reddy can see in the night. And so he hunted by day or night, whenever he felt like it, and so of course poor Jumper never knew when he might safely sleep. He kept to the deepest part of the GreenForest, hoping that Reddy would not hunt for him there. You know Reddy is more fond of the edge of the Green Forest than he is of the deep, dark, lonesome parts. But he had made up his mind to catch Jumper, and so now he followed Jumper to his most lonely hiding places.

It really was quite dreadful for Jumper, and yet it would have been worse for some others had they been in his place. You see, bad as it was, it wasn't quite as bad as things had been in the Great Woods, where Jumper had lived before coming down to the Green Forest. There he had had to watch out every minute for Tufty the Lynx and Howler the Wolf and Mr. Fisher and Mr. Wolverine, which was, of course, much worse than having just Reddy Fox to watch out for. So he had grown used to being always in danger. But since he had come to live in the Green Forest he had felt so much safer and life had been so much easier that now it came very hard to go back to the old way of living.

So Jumper the Hare lost his appetite and couldn't sleep and grew thinner and thinner in the beautiful springtime. And so it was that the fun that his friends and neighbors were having in teasing and making fun of Reddy Fox was really the cause of all the trouble that had come to Jumper the Hare, and he was too polite to tell them so.

NEXT STORY—JUMPER THE HARE CONSULTS BUSTER BEAR.

HOME NURSING and HEALTH HINTS

By M. JESSIE LEITCH

LIFTING A PATIENT

"I don't want to be bothered. This bed is all right, even if the mattress is lumpy. It's too much trouble to be carried into the spare room. Please go away and let me lie here and rest."

Aunt Charity Smith spoke with finality. The family withdrew to the hallway to confer.

"Don't insist. If she wants to lie there for three weeks in a dingy back room opening off the lumber shed—let her!" said the man of the house ungraciously. He had been called away from his evening paper to help carry Aunt Charity into the spare bedroom, which was much more cheerful than the back bedroom into which Aunt Charity had been carried after she fell downstairs. And apparently there had been no need to call him away from the evening paper. Grumbling, the man stole downstairs.

Mary Ruth to the Rescue.

"But she can't stay in that horrid room. Just think what the neighbors will say!"

Aunt Charity's sister spoke almost tearfully.

"Well, if you say she is going to be moved, I'll carry her in there," said Mary Ruth, with determination. "It's your house, Aunt Charity should consider that. Anyway, the spare room is sunnier and better for her in every way."

So Mary Ruth, walking firmly on her low-heeled shoes, approached her aunt's bed with an irresistible dimple showing when she spoke, and said crisply:

"Now then, Aunt Charity, if you will just put your arms around my shoulders mother will turn down the bed in the spare room and I'll be your magic carpet. Close your eyes, and when you open them you will be across the hall."

No one could resist Mary Ruth's dimple, not even Aunt Charity, who had made up her mind that she would not be moved.

Mary Ruth Is Efficient.

So lifting meek arms to her niece's neck the old lady said:

"Mind, dear. My ankle."

But Mary Ruth, straightening her strong young back, said:

"Just a minute, Aunt Charity. Let me draw you close to the edge of the bed before I lift you. It minimizes the degree of stooping necessary, and this bed is fairly low."

So Aunt Charity was drawn close to the edge of the bed.

Then she was instructed to hold herself as stiffly as possible because, Mary Ruth said, "it is so much easier to lift you when you stiffen your body than if you let yourself go limp."

Glancing around to see that there was no obstacle between the bed and the door over which she might stumble, the girl instructed her aunt to clasp her arms around her back and chest instead of around her neck. In this way more weight was thrown on the carrier's shoulders and less on the back. For the shoulders are not easily strained by lifting weights. The back is.

Move Is Very Easily Made.

"Put your arm under my arm, Aunt Charity—the arm nearest you. Now, clasp your arms around my chest and back, and that's all there is to it. Hold yourself stiffly."

And across the room and into the spare room they went without a misadventure. Settled in the big bed, Aunt Charity admitted that the bed was lots softer, and that she had always been partial to bird's-eye maple furniture in a bedroom.

"I was just afraid to trust you, my dear," she admitted meekly to Mary Ruth. "I'm a good weight, and I was afraid you'd drop me, or jar my sore ankle. But I see you know how to lift a helpless person. Not that I'm helpless, of course," added Aunt Charity who never liked to give in to helplessness.

Factors In Personality

By H. ADDINGTON BRUCE

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The increasing tendency in certain scientific quarters to regard the ductless glands as the chief determinants of character is not without the support of experimental evidence. Any one reading with an unprejudiced mind such a book as Berman's "The Glands Regulating Personality" must concede this.

But, as Berman himself makes very clear, gland action in its turn is affected by factors other than the innate strength or weakness of the various glands. Thus we find him remarking, in the course of a description of the glands as constituting the essential nature of man and giving every man his start in life:

"Afterward food, the routine of his existence, the accidents of experience, education, disease, and misfortune—in short, environment—modify him because they modify his ductless glands and his vegetative apparatus as well as his brain."

Obviously, if the environment enters to determine the action of the ductless glands, environment must be accepted as somewhat superior to the glands as a personality forming factor. And another point which endocrine devotees tend to overlook is the influence exercised on the glands by intellectual and emotional habits.

The adrenals, to recall, are regarded as the courage-developing glands. Strong adrenals are represented as productive of bravery and aggressiveness. And the thyroid, likewise, is held to determine such traits as are summed up in the words energetic, alert, and vigorous.

But the body-mind relationship is never one-sided. There is always an interaction. And just as bodily conditions are known to affect mental states, so do mental states have an affective influence on all the bodily organism.

Suppose, then, that faulty training in early life establishes a habit of timidity, coupled with a habitually uninterested life attitude. Will this be without effect on the functioning of the adrenals and the thyroid?

On the contrary, it may have a most detrimental effect. Experiments such as those made at Harvard University by Professor W. B. Cannon a few years ago go to show that, in the case of the adrenals, a habitual fear attitude means an over-stimulation of the glands, with an eventual weakening.

Similarly, in the case of the thyroid, there is reason to believe that training rather than inborn thyroid deficiency is responsible for much of the laziness and apathy evident among men. Certainly, we know that serious thyroid disease, involving thyroid over-functioning, may have its origin in faulty mental and emotional states—else thyroid disease would not be curable, as it sometimes is, by psychic means alone.

In other words, the old saying, "As a man thinks, so is he," remains true today, notwithstanding the discoveries and the claims of endocrine enthusiasts. If the manner of a man's thinking is frequently traceable to the way his glands work, the working of the latter may be just as truly traceable to the manner of the thinking.

And because of the conditioning effects of environment, training, habit, etc., people certainly should not take too seriously the endocrinists' idea that they may some day have it in their power to regulate arbitrarily the development of personality.

The Once Over

By H. I. PHILLIPS

IMPORTANT NEWS FOR UNDERWEAR WEARERS

Three rousing buzzas for the International Association of Garment Manufacturers, Group "A," Athletic Underwear Manufacturers' Division! It has pledged itself to the standardization of underwear!

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At the February meeting, according to press reports, the vote to abolish the present catch-as-catch-can system of sizes and to make the union suit more of a commodity and less a puzzle was unanimous.

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No longer will a set of underwear be ordered for "a blue-eyed, bald headed man about 45 years old, with an anchor tattooed on his left wrist." Hereafter, if "Group A, Athletic Underwear Manufacturers' Division" lives up to its promises, the sizes marked on underwear will be the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.

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No more uncertainty whether the clerk wrapped you up a suit of B. V. D.s or a camper's tent.

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From now on you can order underwear just as you order automobile tires: 34 by 4½, oversized, cord, vacuum cup, or whatever the case may be.

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It is admitted that in the past there has been no system in arriving at correct underwear sizes. When the machine stamped out a garment and automatically dropped it into the hamper, the accorters in the Department of Sizes would spin the pointer on a dial with spaces numbered from 26 to 60. Whatever number the pointer stopped at determined the size-mark.

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It was a slow system, but the help liked it and could always make a few bets on the side.

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In some factories the help had an even more novel system of alloting sizes. These size-stampers would stamp each suit with any number that happened to come to mind, like, for instance, the date of one's next birthday, the year in which Garfield became president, the number of whiskers in Trotzky's beard, or the date on a Lincoln penny, etc., etc.

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Rumor had it that in underwear shops with windows overlooking the street the size clerks added up the numbers on each passing automobile license-plate and stamped the total on the suit.

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Naturally these methods caused much confusion among the "ultimate underwear consumers." Frequently a man of Chief Justice William Howard Taft's dimensions would order a union suit by size and find, upon getting it home, that the clerk had evidently understood him to order some clothing for a china doll.

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Likewise a tall, lean man would order his heavy woolens by the code system and find he had been sold a canopy for a sedan in winter storage.

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True, all this could have been avoided if buyers had taken the precaution of trying on the underwear at the counter before accepting the same. The difficulty has been that a man felt so all-fired self-conscious while disrobing and getting into a new set of undergarments right in the aisle of the store! He always, strangely enough, had the feeling he was being watched!

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And any man who has ever undergone the experience of getting a new hat to fit him while the hat clerk climbed up and down several dozen ladders can appreciate the humiliation of trying on 20 or 30 sets of B. V. D.'s before getting the right one.

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What with Spanish influenza around and everything!

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It's really been very annoying, and the announcement by the International Association of Garment Manufacturers, Group "A," Athletic Underwear Division is sending a thrill of joy down the spine of the great underwear wearing element of the American public.

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The underwear men have been ordered to start standardizing sizes at once, and it is rumored that any manufacturer turning out an undersized or oversized garment will be sentenced to wear it himself.

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Nothing was done at the meeting about placing the responsibility for the grade of buttons now used on underwear. In the old days bone was used. Today the buttons evidently are being made of soda-crakers. A nail by any other name would be more serviceable.

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Uniformity of color is to be taken up later. During the coming season red underwear may be worn as in the past, but will not be good form at social functions. Blue underwear will continue to be quite the thing among mortar mixers. Both have been barred at Princess Mary's wedding reception.

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This standardization move is hopeful. Eventually the collar manufacturers may standardize collar styles. And the hat makers may turn out a 7⅛ hat that will be a 7⅛ hat! Who knows?

STREET ETIQUETTE

By DR. FRANK CRANE

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One reveals one's self by his manner of walking along, by his sidewalk manners, as it were.

Strolling leisurely, smoking a cigarette and swing a cane, indicates that a gentleman is one of the idle rich, and even if he roosts at night wishes to create this impression.

If you are a doctor and are out of patients, it is an excellent idea to hurry through Main Street with your medicine satchel, wear a worried look, don't speak to your friends, walk around town a little and hurry back. The exercise will do you good and the advertisement is strictly ethical.

If you are an office-seeker, speak to everybody, whether you are acquainted or not. Take a chance. And look pleasant. The politician (before election) and the pastor should stay at home if they have a grouch.

Four girls should lock arms and walk abreast. This attracts more attention. It also makes people have to get off the sidewalk and walk in the gutter, which is awful funny.

In passing by the American House, where all the traveling men are sitting out in front, girls should look neither to the right nor to the left. Straight ahead, Mabel, and watch your step!

When a gentleman is conversing with a dynamic blonde, in the street, and laughing heartily, as one will, and suddenly sees the missus bearing down on him from around the corner, keep on laughing, don't stop and walk away. You'd just as well laugh while the laughing is good.

In carrying an umbrella in the rain, hold it down before you so you cannot see who is coming. Thus you will be popular, with the specialists in eye, nose, and face troubles.

When you are finishing a conversation with any one, don't look around as you leave, but back away, for so doing you may get knocked down by a rapidly moving fat lady, and knocking down is what one needs when one does that sort of thing.

Judges, bishops, college presidents, and mayors should not whistle on the street.

In walking out with your dog on the crowded sidewalk, use as long a leash as possible. Thus the little darling, as he runs to and fro, will have an opportunity to get the string tangled about some one's ankles, causing him to fall, thus adding to your popularity and enabling you to learn some new cuss words.

Insult only small boys and cripples; do not insult policemen and prize fighters.

Sleeping on the sidewalk is not considered good form since the advent of Prohibition.

On circus day ladies from the country are permitted to sit on the curb stone and nurse babies while waiting for the parade.

If a gentleman in a checked suit and spats greets you cordially, calls you Jones and asks how all the folks are in Omaha, and your name happens to be Smith, and you hail from Oshkosh, do not tell him the truth; tell him that he is mistaken, that your name is Sinclair Lewis and you live on Main Street in Gopher Prairie. If he believes you, he is not literary.

Rippling Rhymes

By WALT MASON

THE WAL TO HEALTH

"I hope to live a hundred years," I heard James Grinstead say; "philosophers and docs and seers have pointed out the day. We eat too much, and what we eat is what we should eschew; we fill ourselves with pies and meat, and suet puddings, too. We drink too much of sweetened suds and tannin-poisoned teas; my diet now is leaves and buds, and bark of banyan trees." I said, "I think I'll stick to pie, and to the codfish ball; there are so many ways to die, we cannot dodge them all." I bought me then a gorgeous steak, and ate it down eftsoons, and finished with a noble cake all stuffed with nuts and prunes. James Grinstead watched me while I ate, gnashed his beard and said, "By eating thus you're tempting fate; methinks you'll soon be dead. Oh, listen to the sage remarks of learned men, great and wise, and eat three pounds of roots and barks, and cut out all those pies." I told him all he had to say to me was sounding brass, and wearily he went his way, to eat some twigs and grass. Then from a roof a furlong high a ragged brickbat fell; his forehead caught it on the fly; he died without a yell. And still I eat the gaudy pie, nor care what may befall; there are so many ways to die, we cannot dodge them all.

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS

If responsibility doesn't weigh anything it isn't responsible.

Experience is a teacher of mankind and some men will learn of no other.

The man who forgets is often more appreciated than the man who forgives.

Nature tries to balance things. As a man grows "short" his face gets long.

In a crowded street car the standing of a well-bred man is never questioned.

Some pugilists are heavyweights, some are lightweights, and the majority are lone waits.

The great trouble with man is that he wants to handle the rudder all the time instead of taking his turn at the oars.

The Daily Story

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"RICH MAN—POOR MAN"

"I think we'd better break the engagement if you feel that way about it, Donald," Carol said gravely.

"Carol!" She heard his voice with the quick hurt accent and then he had caught her in his arms and held her close, and Carol confessed, looking into his earnest blue eyes. "No, I don't mean it, only—"

That "only" had been the moot question for weeks. Donald Brooks, tall and plain, blue-eyed and strong, had urged her to marry him at once. But beneath Carol's slender prettiness was a reserve judgment concerning this marriage. Donald was only making enough to live on comfortably—for one to live on comfortably—Carol insisted. Donald thought otherwise.

"If we keep on waiting we'll be middle-aged," he said sternly. "These long engagements. It's taking it out of me, dear," he pleaded. "You know I'm going on; we may have a struggle for a few years, but we'll be together."

But Carol, shaking a pretty brown head, was the cautious one. "You can meet me after 5. I'll be at Muriel's," she explained softly.

"Muriels?" he frowned.

She knew he was thinking that Muriel had married a man who would never have to hesitate about buying a car or caring for a wife. Donald walked silently beside her while she thought all this, and when they came at last to the big apartment house, gay with its striped awnings, he took off his hat and watched her go in.

But Carol turned at the door swiftly and looked after his retreating figure. What broad shoulders he had! How well he carried his head! Unaccountably her eyes filled with tears. She tried to shake off the feeling of unhappiness as she stepped into the great bronze elevator and the man in blue livery carried her to the fifth floor.

"Yes, Mrs. Hall is at home, a black-clad maid said precisely.

Carol, treading the soft rugs of the hall, crossed into a sunny living room and found Muriel smiling before her.

"You dear to come! I haven't seen you for two years and I have so much to tell you."

But after the first breathless exclamations Carol found that their talk was dwindling. They were out of touch; they had lost common interests. Muriel was no longer interested in Bradley's, where Carol was stenographer, and Carol had to turn all her interest to Muriel and her affairs, to become suddenly radiant.

"Wouldn't you like to see the rooms?" Muriel asked, rising.

Carol noticed the pretty, slender figure in the charming taffeta frock, with the real lace at her low neck. But in spite of the new way of wearing her hair Muriel looked older, different somehow.

"This is our dining room; do you like it?" Muriel asked.

"Lovely!" Carol admired.

The room, in rich blue, with the deep blue rug and the sunny curtains, with the glow of flowers in the windows and the charming old chairs with their blue velvet seats, which Muriel said had been "copied," was like the first act in a play, Carol thought.

"This is my dressing room."

Carol drew in a breath of delight. Gray paper and rose hangings, a dressing table, glass-covered, with toilet things, marked in rose enamel, a chaise longue piled with rosy cushions.

From room to room they went, while Carol exclaimed and admired, until at last they sank down on the great davenport in the living room.

"We'll have tea," Muriel ordered the white-aproned maid.

"You must have a wonderful time," Carol said to the other girl.

Muriel smiled and eyed her new suede pumps as she stretched them out before her. "Oh, I do, of course. After a pause she went on more slowly: "Jo's friends are all a lot older. They're all pretty settled, but sometimes we play bridge with them. Jo's unusually so tired in the evenings, and he doesn't like to go out. I don't like to go out much alone."

"If I had the time all to myself and could get up late in the mornings and have some one get breakfast for me, I don't know what I should do!" Carol said enviously.

Muriel looked at the pretty, dark face across from her own. "It is nice," she sighed. "But there's so much time. Sometimes I'm so bored. We must go to some matinee together."

"I'm not free," Carol laughed. "You've forgotten that I have a job."

"It seems years ago"—Muriel smiled as she poured out the tea—"that I was in that office with you. It was fun, wasn't it?" she said, looking up, and some of the glow coming back into her eyes. "I remember how we could only afford to spend thirty cents for our lunch and how we used to pass the shop windows and pretend which dress was ours."

Carol opened her eyes very wide and began to say something, but she checked herself. She watched Muriel light a gold-tipped cigarette and flick away the ashes daintily. "Jo doesn't like it, but then Jo is only my husband," she smiled.

When Carol went down in the elevator she still carried that aroma of ease and elegance and leisurely living with her; she saw with a little shock that Donald was waiting in the hall. She lifted her eyes shyly to his. She noticed how his blue, steady eyes lighted as they met her own. She put out her fingers and touched his hand with their tips. "Don't, Donald, he'll see us," she whispered, conscious of that livery-clad attendant.

"Oh, it was beautiful!" Carol breathed when they reached the street. "Her rooms and the furniture and her clothes she showed me!"

Donald's face clouded and he looked doggedly ahead.

"Donald," she whispered suddenly, "I wish you'd marry me at once!"

"What?" He turned a startled face to her, and at the expression he read on hers, he became suddenly radiant. "But—Carol, I thought it was all off—I thought when you saw all the things she had—the things you'd have to go without—"

"That's just it, Don," she said softly, "she didn't have any pink gingham apron hanging in her kitchen and her plates all matched!" Carol's cheeks grew pinker as she went on. "Everything was so perfect, there was nothing to want—and I don't believe she ever saw the inside of a cook book—and—she never darns a sock."

"You're sure you're not doing it just because you're sorry?" he begged.

She rubbed her cheek against his rough coat sleeve as though she were a kitten. "Yes, I'm sorry for—her. "Is it only gingham aprons you want and socks to darn?" he asked her, turning to look at her with caressing eyes.

"Well, I'll take you along with them," she said teasingly.

It was fortunate that a great maple tree stood etween them and the next house.

Watching the Parade

By JOHN PILGRIM

When my old man was a kid he was one of the perils to navigation in the west, which was even more boundless then than it is now. He spent a number of his earlier years traversing the prairies. In those days there was an antelope to every sagebrush.

"They were so all-fired numerous," said my old man, "that I had to carry a red flag to keep 'em from running over me."

But in those years he never shot an antelope. Not for lack of trying. He owned a large, square-barrelled Sharp's that carried a bullet the size of your thumb and which would have driven a Hoosac tunnel through any antelope it hit. But the old man never hit.

"I always raised my sights too high," he said. "I consistently overshot. When I should have been targeting at two hundred yards I had the rifle aimed at two thousand."

The old man's always been that way. As fine an old man, you understand, as this world has ever produced, but he is forever looking too far ahead. He has enough of this world's gear now to make him sure of physical comfort and most of the luxuries for the rest of his life. But he isn't content with that. He is forever worrying for fear the world should absolutely curdle about the year 1950 and thereby destroy his estate. He never stops to realize that he will not be here in 1950. He is worrying about putting a new roof on the barn seven years from now. He worries for fear the car which he will buy next year should not be as good a car as the one he would buy if he waited another year.

He knows perfectly well that he is raising his sights too high. He knows as well as I do that if he begins to fuss with his small estate in the hope of adding to it some one is apt to take all of it away from him. He knows that he has reached that age when his business is to enjoy the sunshine of today and not worry about the rain of tomorrow. He can sit down and moralize over this unfortunate tendency of his by the yard. But as soon as he forgets his own moral lesson he will begin to fuss over some catastrophe that has not happened yet, and may never happen, and might not happen to him even if it did.

Remember this—he never shot an antelope in his life.

DOGHILL PARAGRAPHS

By GEORGE BINGHAM.



Atlas Peck has been appointed a delegate to some sort of a convention to be held next week at Thunderation. The trip won't cost him anything as he already has his badge, umbrella and valise.

Columbus Allsop reads where the new silver dollar may be called in, and says if the government discovers two or three of them missing, they may be found in the hands of the Old Miser on Musket Ridge.

The editor of the Tidings says he stands for accuracy, and to prove it he calls attention to the fact that when he does print something wrong he keeps on reprinting it until he gets it right.

THOSE GOOD

Original Mexican Dishes

—AT

ARTHUR'S White Kitchen

813½ INDIANA AVENUE.

ARE YOU A GOOD SPELLER?

The Kiwanis Club held an old time "Spelling Bee" at their last luncheon, Monday, February 13th. Though the members of the Kiwanis Club stand ace-high in the business world, as exponents of good spelling we cannot hand them much. We are wondering how well you can spell.

On this page are twelve advertisements from prominent business firms of Wichita Falls. These advertisements contain mis-spelled words. The object of the contest is to locate these mis-spelled words without the use of a dictionary. When this is done, you are to select what you consider to be the best advertisement on the page and state the reason for your belief in a criticism not to exceed fifty words in length. The best answers will be selected by a committee from a local civic club and the following prizes awarded: First prize, $10.00; Second prize, $5.00; Third prize, $2.50; Fourth prize, $2.50; Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth and Ninth prizes, $1.00 each.

This page will appear again Tuesday, February 21st. The winning answers will be published in these spaces on Tuesday, February 28th. All replies must be in the Record-News office before six o'clock Saturday, February 25th. Write your answers plainly—typewritten preferred—with your name and address. Mail them to the "Spelling Bee" Editor, Record-News. Dozens of answers were received from the Record-News telegram contest last week. We are expecting twice as many from the "Spelling Bee." Send in yours today.

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Wichita Falls, Texas

701 Tenth Street Phone 6942

THE RISING SAP ANNOUNCES THE ARRIVAL OF SPRING

—Hurry or you'll be late in preparring that garden. And remember this—that the success of that garden of yours depends on how well you prepare your ground.

—We have everything which you might need in the way of equipment and tools. Come down and talk it over with us. We want to help you raise a good crop.

—Garden and lawn hose at the right price.

NOBLE-LITTLE HARDWARE CO.,

609-11 Seventh Street Phone 5364

WHILE YOU ARE READING THIS AD To Find Mis-Spelled Words—Think!

—We are telling you a story worth your while. It has to do with the Chandler and Cleveland Automobiles. It is simply this—you can get either one of these cars on the liberal basis of

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Balance in 10 Equal Monthly Payments

—If this apeals to you—call us by phone and we will arrange a demanstration to suit your convenience.

WILHELM-MOULDER AUTO CO.,

608 Indiana Avenue Phone 2427

From All Quarters of the World We Bring Daintyes for Your Table.

From many countries of the world come the foodstuffs used on your table each day. You have become so accostomed to having them that you do not stop and think what a real service is being rendered by your wholesale grocer.

We can risk our repetation upon the following lines: Del Monte, Sugar Loaf and Sweet Violet Canned Goods; Lippincott's Jam, Jellies, Apple Butter and Olives; Maxwell House Coffee; Lipton's Tea; "Nigger in de Cane Patch" Syrup; Van Camp Products; Dainty Lunch Jam, Jellyes and Preserves.

If you cannot find them at your grocer's—call us and we will tell you where you can find them.

GOODNER WHOLESALE GROCER CO.

SPRING IS HERE AND WE ARE FULY PREPARED FOR IT

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—Our Piece-Goods Department is particularly rich in New Spring Fabrics, To see them is to want them. Get those matereals now for your Spring and Summer clothes.

—Spring Footwear also awaits your inspection. Come in at any time, we want you to see these beautiful new things.

FINE'S DRY GOODS STORE

724 Indiana Avenue

Why Worry?

—Why worry when it comes to drug shoping?

—The many conveneinces provided by a store like ours makes it ideal for the person who comes down town and also for the one who wishes to shop by phone.

—The fact that we featu.e well-known brands of goods assures satisfaction in every case.

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PALACE DRUG STORE

Eighth Street Phone 3126

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A SANITARY FOUNTAIN
COMPLETE STOCKS OF DRUGS AND SUNDRIES

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RECORD NEWS SPORTS

Elite of America's Dogdom Gathered at Bowie for the Big Oil Belt Field Trials

Mister Carter Is Also at Bowie and Take It from "Nick"—Them Are Going to Be SOME Trials—Bigger Even Than the Trial of Police Lieutenant Charlie Becker.

By "NICK" CARTER

BOWIE, Texas, Feb. 19.—I'm going to delve into ancient history a little at the start. At the risk of being accused of displaying a Teddy Roosevelt tendency towards the use of the personal pronoun. I want to say this—that I "covered" the trial of Police Lieutenant Charlie Becker for the murder of the gambler, Herman Rosenthal, in New York several years ago, and I agreed with the United States public that it was the biggest story that had ever broken in this country; and before and since that event I have written many stories that in my youthful foolishness I believed were big.

But I'm here to state in capitals letters that I have never been a typewriter pecker at any event AS BIG IN ITS CLASS AS THE 1922 FIELD TRIALS OF THE OIL BELT FIELD TRIALS ASSOCIATION that opened unofficially in this Texas city today. The events themselves will start tomorrow morning, but the entries warrant the unqualified assertion that this sporting event, in which good sportsmen from every section of the United States have interested themselves, is the biggest major circuit trial of bird dogs ever held in this country. If you don't believe it, read the following:

Record of Entries

1—Amateur derby, 28 entries; commarily 15 entries is all.

2—Amateur all-age stakes, 35 entries; 12 entries is usually considered a good field.

3—Puppy selling stakes, 50 entires; 22 has been the limit in the past.

4—Open derby, 20 entries; which just about represents the usual number of entries in major circuit trials.

5—Open all-age stakes, entries 19; whereas an entry of 16 in the past has been considered unusually large.

Just read these facts and figures and you will gather at least a faint idea of the size and importance among bird dog lovers of these Oil Belt field trials. The hotel capacity of Bowie was sold out long before I arrived: the best I could do was to obtain a bed with Claude Woods in a room intended for one individual but which at this moment houses four—Claude and your "Uncle Nick," Joe Henson and Fred Andrews. Citizens of Bowie, members of the local Chamber of Commerce, are in every hotel here arranging to take care of the many hundreds of visitors in private homes.

Howling to Go

Dogs? Great Caesar's ghost, gang, there are more dogs in Bowie today than there are good roads in California. Setters and pointers, they howl melodiously for their masters in every spot in Bowie possible to convert into a kennel. How do they rank on ability? Listen: I am not a judge, but permit me to say this:

This afternoon seven dogs were taken to the trial grounds, and were turned loose in a little test on the outcome of which one dollar was bet. The men whose dogs were represented might have bet many thousands of dollars, and I, a poor victim of debtor's cowardice, would have been proud to have endorsed the check of any man entering a dog—and what was the result?

Over a big stretch of territory the first dog to point a bird (and the one lone dollar bet concerned this canine ability) was Eugene M., Jr., a setter owned by Claude Woods, of Wichita Falls, vice president of the Oil Belt Field Trials association. This setter, one of the best bets from the "city that faith and Kemp and Kell built," was closely followed by Adorable Jane, owned by Joe Frantz, of Graham, Texas, who claims that the worst that can be said about his dog is that "she has a prettier name than any dog entered."

Big Men Present

The register of the National hotel here might lead some ignorant individual citizen to believe that Wichita Falls had moved to Bowie. I am not going to weary you, gang, by reciting the list of Wichita Falls bird dog lovers present. (I have given them all earlier on this page) but here are a few of the big men from other cities whose names are well known wherever the pointer points or the setter sets:

"Coke" Murphy of Luffkin, Texas, owner of the pointer John Proctor, 2nd, and a Texas citizen who already has drained the Bowie drug stores dry of his favorite soft drink beverage.

E. T. Cole of Farris, Texas, owner of Lady Farris, a dog that died recently with the record of having been the dam of more winners than any other bird dog that ever lived.

H. F. (Frank) Fellows of Springfield, Mo., one of the judges who is president of the Springfield Wagon Works, and on the side is the owner of such great bird dogs as Champioin Broomhill Dan, Cincinnati Nat, Karl and Tom Doone.

Chesley Harris from Letohachie, Ala., also a judge on whose decisions rests the result of the puppy selling stakes. "Ches" is the handler of Champion Becky Broomhill, winner in 1921 of 10 places including the Canadian, United States national and Free-For-All championships. Becky Broomhill, entered in the Bowie field trials, is considered one of the greatest bird dogs since the derby days of Mary Montrose, the only bird dog that ever won the national championship three years in succession.

W. T. Hall of Houston, Texas, also a judge, who many years ago handled many famous bird dogs. HaH commands the respect of every bird dog lover in the United States, and the famous "Hall strain" is admired wherever field trials or bench shows are held.

"Sniff, Sniff"

Joe Crane (and here is where I get sentimental), who has traveled all the way from New York to handle the dogs owned by William Zeigler, Jr., a citizen of the little metropolis that claims ownership of the tallest building in the world, Joe Crane and I have one bond in common—each of us knows Martin Sheridan, member of the New York police department, traffic officer on duty at Forty-second street and Broadway and a world champion in the Olympic games. Crane discovered in some way that I am Irish; and all I had to do to know he was Irish was to hear him say: "How are ye?"—and now I wish to state in all seriousness that Joe Crane is a man to be feared in these field trials; he is handling Commanche Rap, Great Island Ringing Reyys, Great Island Robert the Devil, Great Island Jim Flush and a number of other bird dogs recognized throughout the United States as contenders in any major circuit event. Joe Crane, I dare assert, is today the only Irish handler of Jewish bird dogs in the world—and a white man, if ever I met one.

Stay over there and pitch, Wichita Falls! I like your men, I like your bird dogs, and I'm here to tell the whole western hemisphere the full details whenever a judge pins a blue ribbon on a dog owned in the city of which (I am here quoting Billy Bee) "Fort Worth is a most wide-awake suburb."

J. L. Reeder is the secretary of this association. He is one of the livest men I have ever met. He claims to be nothing but "a poor devil of a salesman," but to me he appears as the Solomon of these events—a good guy who is anxious to help every scribe here, and who is working not a minute more than twenty-three and three-fourths hours per day.

JOPLIN CLUB FRANCHISE TO BE RELOCATED

By Associated Press.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 20.—Late this afternoon the Western league club owners voted to buy the Joplin, Mo., franchise and a committee was appointed to go to Lincoln tonight to learn the prospect of locating the club there. This committee may also visit Denver. Adoption of the playing schedule will be held in abeyance until the Joplin club location is settled. Another meeting probably will be held at Excelsior Springs in a week or ten days. The magnets also voted to raise the waiver rule price from $300 to $1,000.

Sport Briefs

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 20.—Fences at Heinemann park where the New York Yankees will train this spring are being made four feet higher to curb the home runs of Babe Ruth, it was announced today by Julius Heinemann, president of the local baseball association.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20.—Edouard Roundil of France tonight administered the first defeat to Edgar T. Appleby, New York, that the national champion has suffered in the international 18.2 balkline amateur billiard tournament here, the Frenchman winning the match 300 to 129 in fifteen innings.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 20.—Officials of the Birmingham baseball club of the Southern association announced tonight the trade of Dug Allen to the Dallas club of the Texas league for Catcher Robertson. The trade was even with no money consideration, officials stated.

ST. PAUL, Feb. 20.—Jack Brick of St. Paul with a score of 695, won the singles championship and prizes of $110 in cash and a gold medal, and B. Gilberson and A. Peterson, St. Paul, captured the doubles title with 1,281 in the International Bowling association's annual tournament which closed here today.

SHREVEPORT, Feb. 20.—By a game comeback in the final round of a scheduled 15-round mill, Pete McCarty of San Francisco, 126 pounds, earned a draw with Jack Arnold of Houston, 128 pounds, here tonight.

TRIS SPEAKER NOT TO PLAY NURSE TO CLEVELAND TRIBE

DALLAS, Feb. 20.—Tris Speaker is expected to arrive here tomorrow to prepare camp for the Cleveland Indians who will train here this spring, according to a message received here tonight. Speaker wired the manager of a local hotel that it was unnecessary to bunch the Indians on one floor. The Texan says he will not have to keep such a close eye on his players, explaining that his team was made up of "real men who do not need nursing." The first squad of pitchers and catchers is expected Tuesday or Wednesday.

Wichita Falls Entries Make Good Showing

BOWIE, Texas, Feb. 20.—With 168 dogs entered, the Oil Belt Field Trials received recognition today as the greatest major circuit trials ever held in this country. Such prominent bird dog men as Frank Fellows, president of the All-America Field Trials, and many others stated unqualifiedly that this event is the biggest of its kind, bar none, that the United States has witnessed.

The amateur derby was the opening stake today, and the entry list was so large, containing 38 dogs, a national record, that at nightfall today there were still three braces of dogs to be run in the morrow, with the probability that the event will not be finished before tomorrow noon at the earliest.

Comanche Dick, a black and white pointer owned by E. V. Leslie, of Wichita Falls, is being figured by many wise bird men as certain to get into the "second series" tomorrow. This dog's work over a territory which contained no birds was unusually good—and he established at least one record by being the only dog throughout the day which refused to run a rabbit after flushing the frenzied "critter."

Dempsey's Bruce, owned by Hunter Dempsey, of Wichita Falls, also made a pretty showing, especially so considering the youthfulness and inexperience of this pointer. He has remarkable speed, and covered a wide stretch of territory, being unfortunate also in that he worked ground that the birds had left earlier.

The prettiest exhibition put up during the day, however, was made by Silver Creek Ben, a setter owned by H. V. Lee, of Fort Worth. This dog picked its own bird territory beautifully, and pointed two good-sized covers of quail; held the point steadily until his handler had flushed the birds, and immediately went to work seeking more. Silver Creek Ben made a great showing indeed.

The two setters Gale Kingstone and Tom Kingstone, paired in the fifth brace, also drew better than passing attention. Although in a birdless territory, these two dogs worked hard and showed class—but the greatest exhibition of territory-covering displayed during the day was put up by the tiny setter, Doc's Nap, owned by Dr. Dupay, of Alexandria, La., a dog that went at terrific speed, cast wider than any dog in the event and was going just as strongly at the finish despite the dry ground and terrific heat.

PUBLIC CALLING DOWNEY CHAMP

By NORMAN E BROWN

The middleweight championship dispute is being settled quietly but emphatically by the general public. The crown is being placed on the head of Bryan Downey.

When Downey first met Johnny Wilson, holder of the title, the said general public believed Downey won the fight and the title. But the word of the referee is law officially in ring bouts and Wilson's handpicked man saved the champ.

The pair met again and Wilson's cautiousness alone saved him again. Downey could not get the verdict.

But since then—

The reputation Wilson earned in those bouts and his general tactics have caused several states to take in the welcome sign. There are few places left for him to find big matches if he desires to risk his title. He is deriving no benefits or glory from the title.

Downey has been in demand all over the country. He has risked what claim he has to the title. By his willingness to fight, his earnest efforts in the ring and his wicked punch and endurance he has won the popularity and fame that ordinarily goes with the crown.

The public is taking the matter in its own hands.

Downey is signed to Fight Frank Carbone, a tough baby, in Canton, February 22. Philadelphia promoters are after him for a bout a week later. New Orleans promoters have asked Manager Jummy Dunn for a date in March and Syracuse matchmakers want to put Downey on in the near future. Meanwhile there is no clamor for a glimpse of the champion Wilson.

Wilso nmay still be champion according to Hoyle, but as far as the public is concerned Bryan Downey wears the jeweled headgear.

COAT OF TAR AND FEATHERS APPLIED TO MARSHALL MAN

MARSHALL, Feb. 20.—Four unmasked men tonight abducted Ray Daniels, manager of a local mercantile store, took him outside the city limits and tarred and feathered him. Daniels, according to witnesses, was in front of the postoffice when seized. These witnesses, according to the police, say the men were strangers. Daniels, it is said, received a letter several days ago advising him to leave town.

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411-13 Morgan Building
Wichita Falls, Texas.

CHARLIE WHITE WINS DECISION OVER JACKSON

Winner Will Get Another Crack at Title, Benny Leonard Having Recently Signed Articles.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Charley White, Chicago lightweight, tonight defeated Willie Jackson of New York, receiving the judge's decision after their 15 round bout in Madison Square Garden.

The Chicagoan's left hook enabled him to floor the New York boy three times in the 13th round.

Jackson seemed due to take the count on the third knockdown, but the bell saved him.

Jackson had the advantage in the first three rounds. White took the fourth. The fifth and sixth were even and all the others went to White. White weighed 134 pounds and Jackson 134½. Benny Leonard, lightweight champion recently signed articles to meet the winner of the match in a title bout.

Sport Snap Shots

Professional sport in Great Britain pays those who are engilled in the big organizations. In England a member of a first league soccer eleven receives a salary of $2,250 yer, with bonuses of $10 for every victory scored by his club and $5 for a tie game. Over and above this, a player of five years' standing with the same club becomes eligible for a "benefit," which may yield from $3,000 to $7,000 in cash.

Burkett's Secret of his Success

Apropos of the signing of Jess Burkett by the Giants for another year there comes to mind a story of an interview given by the veteran to a newspaper man on the secret of his success as a hitter in the long ago. The writer had been assigned to obtain such an interview, and seeking Burkett out at his hotel, explained his mission. Burkett received him courteously and suggested that they adjourn to the lounge. Seating himself comfortably, Jess took out a cigar, bit off the end, lighted it, took a few puffs and then said:

"I'll tell you, son what it was. Any time I went up there to hit I had the old confidence. That's all."

And that was all. The old boy had nothing to add to it, because he could think of nothing else that figured importantly in his hitting. Which may or may not be an interesting lesson in psychology.

Warren Kealoha of the Healani club of Honolulu has gone to Sydney and will make a competitive swimming tour of Australia. Kealoha has within the last few months established new international records for 100 and 150-yard back stroke swimming, besides defeating at 100 yards free style the famous Duke Kahanamoku.

The Red Sox have signed another rookie pitcher. He is James Edward De Rocher. Mr. De Rocher pitched in a small league in New Hampshire last season, and won nineteen games and lost five.

What started out to be a Princeton tribute to one of its illustrious sons has rapidly assumed the proportions of a great national tribute to a man. Princeton alumni it was who conceived the idea of erecting a memorial to Hobart Baker, as fine a type of American athlete and gentleman as ever lived, but grads of colleges throughout the length and breadth of the country are not permitting the tribute to be solely a Princeton affair. Judging from the list of early contributors to the memorial the former Tiger football and hockey star, who met his death in an aviation accident in France during the war, had a host of friends and admirers among college men and ex-college men in every section of the country.

The records say Stuffy McInnis made only one error last year, but as a matter of fact he made two. He opened the season by accepting an agreement made by Frazee.

The White Sox are planning to travel in private trains again. But that won't keep 'em from playing day coach baseball.

Babe Ruth made fifty-nine home runs and struck out eighty-one times last year, which makes 140 reasons why baseball is popular.

BONDS SET IN PROHIBITION CASES

S. Vaughan and E. A. Ketchum, charged with violation of the federal prohibition enforcement acts, were released under $500 bond each Monday by United States Commissioner Lantz. The two men waived a preliminary hearing on the charges which have been preferred against them.

"Shufflin' Phil" and Jess Barnes, Winning World Series Pitchers Will Be Sold to Highest Bidder



By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Pitchers Phil Douglas and Jess Barnes, each of whom won the world's series games for the New York Nationals last fall, today were placed on the market "to be disposed of to the club offering the best inducement."

The proposal to sell the players was unexpected. Charles Stoneham, president of the club, said that when it was decided to get rid of Barnes and Douglas several tempting offers were received, but declared the owners would wait until Wednesday to announce which they would accept.

Douglas and Barnes were the only Giant pitchers who had not signed 1922 contracts but this fact, Mr. Staneham said, was not the reason they had been placed on the market. Douglas was one of the Giants' best pitchers last year, while Barnes, who had trouble with his arm during the regular season, proved an ace in the world's series.

GRIGGS SOLD TO M'ALESTER IN WESTERN ASSOCIATION; TO MANAGE M'ALESTER'S ENTRY

Cecil Griggs, outfielder and utility man on last year's Spudder squad, and one of the most popular players with the fans during the past season, has been sold to McAlester in the Western association, where he will be manager next season, according to an announcement by Skipper Salm, Monday afternoon. While he expressed regret at the loss of Griggs' services Salm was willing to make the deal on account of the wealth of outfield and infield material on hand for the next season, and from a desire not to stand in the way of Cecil's opportunity.

Griggs played summer baseball with McAlester when winding up his college career, and was very popular with the fans of that city. That was in the hey dey of the old Western association, composed of the stronger towns in the present league of that name and of the present T-O league. At that time it was claimed that the loop was the fastest Class D circuit in baseball and one of the fastest of the minor leagues. The claim was somewhat bolstered up by terrible wallopings handed to a number of the leading Texas league teams during spring engagements of the loop's banner year—lambastings which lead to a summary calling off of a spring tour through the circuit by at least one Texas league team. Rogers Hornsby once with Denison of the Cards, Ross Young of the Giants, formerly of Sherman, Cliff Yockey of the Memphis Chicks, Bud Hungling last year with the Chicks and now in the majors, Killduf who graduated from Oklahoma City, Possum Moore who was then with Tulsa, Bill Pate also of the Panther Cats, and Eddie Palmer, late with Dallas, at that time with Muskogee, picked at random, testify to the class of players in the league.

The league blew up, for a very simple reason. The pace was too fast and the salary limit too high for anything less than Class A ground.

The present Western association, which has gathered in McAlester, Muskogee and Fort Smith, towns represented in the old circuit, is a fast minor league of itself.

Fans here will be well wishers for Cecil in his new position, and will be expecting nothing less than success from him. Knowing every position on the field, and having experience there to a certain extent, as well as having a good idea of the strategy of the game, and keeping his wits about him at all times, he has everything which should make him a good manager.

Griggs came to Wichita Falls last year via the waiver route from Shreveport, where he did not get along any too well with Billy Smith—something fans here can well understand who have heard the language spilled by the Shreveport leader on certain occasions on the local field. He was taken on by Salm for a utility man, and to alternate with Daddy Works at first when a port sider was feeding them up against the Spudders. Never a first baseman, he filled the position acceptably. While not a flashy hitter, he slammed them out for a respectable average, above 280. He proved a good man at the plate at many a juncture last year when hits meant runs. To his keen delight several of these occasions came when the Spudders were playing Billy Smith's gang on the latter's own ball lot. He was a regular in the outfield after Froggy Rothfuss stopped one with his head. Before the end of the season, he even performed behind the plate, and it was Salm's intention to work him out as a catcher if he came back here this spring.

While giving every evidence of success in baseball, baseball with him is an acquired art. Football is his "native" game. Attending public school in a town, Sherman, which was more or less indifferent in its school baseball teams, but which for many years always fought it out with all comers for the football title, he was one of the brighest high school stars.

Later he attended Austin college and played as long as the T. I. A. A. rules would let him, and, playing on a "two man" team, he made a name as one of the brighest, if not the brightest stars in the half back position that the South has ever produced. Following this he played a while and later was assistant coach at Dallas university.

Griggs had opportunities during his college days to attend eastern universities, but he passed them up. He later played professional football, playing for Jim Thorpe when that individual managed the famous Canton Bulldogs, last year succeeding Jim as manager and coach of the team.

At the end of the season he signed a three year contract as athletic director of the Dallas university, coaching football, basketball and baseball. The contract begins next year. Although the figures to the contract were not made public, it is known they were nice ones. Local fans and friends are equally as confident that he will make good in this position as that he will be a success as the skipper for the McAlester crew this baseball season.

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NOTICE

The banks composing Wichita Falls Clearing House will close Wednesday, Feb. 22, to observe Washington's birthday.

WICHITA FALLS CLEARING HOUSE ASS'N.

MAY STAGE BI-DISTRICT CLASH HERE

Negotiations looking toward staging the bi-district championship match between Clara and Estelline to be played Friday in Wichita Falls, were started Monday, E. E. Rogers, the coach representing the Clara Champions, stating the desire of the Wichita county winners to play off the coming contest in Wichita Falls. A guarantee of expenses must be made to the Estelline team, amounting to around $250. The possibility of the American Legion, the University Club, or some other of the organizations, individualy or collectively sponsoring the championship match, is being considered.

Estelline is said to have made the guarantee of expenses for the Wichita county team to play in that place. It is believed, however, that the great interest that has been stimulated in the sport by the city league contests will create a demand for this match. It will be possible for sport enthusiasts from all over the county, and nearby counties, particularly among the high school students, to witness the game, if it is staged in Wichita Falls.

The match must be played on an out door court, unless three games are played. A division between indoor and out door courts is possible if more than one game is play. The Estelline team is understood prefer an out door court, while the Clara Champions are ready to play indoors or out.

OIL HEARING IS POSTPONED TO THURSDAY

After it was apparent a difference of opinion existed among oil men as to the values to be placed on oil properties for taxation the county commissioners court Monday afternoon postponed final action in regard to rate schedule until Thursday. At that time another hearing will be held and an attempt will be made to reach some definite and final conclusion as to the schedule of values for taxation.

It is planned to hold the Thursday meeting in the court room of the county court at law, according to Judge J. P. Jones, of the county court. A stenographic report of the proceedings will be made so that evidence will be available to the court in reaching its final decision.

G. C. Wood, local oil operator, and N. H. Martin, of the Texhoma Oil & Refining company, presented tentative schedules which, however, met with some opposition from other operators. It was apparent that no plan of assessment can be obtained which will be satisfactory to all operators.

EARLY AGREEMENT ON TARIFF PLANS IS NOT EXPECTED

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Differences between republicans of the senate finance committee and the house ways and means committee over tariff valuation principles were aired today at a secret conference without concrete results.

The discussion is to be continued tomorrow but neither side tonight appeared hopeful of early agreement.

The house committeemen, Representatives Fordney, Longworth and Green, held out strongly at today's conference for the American valuation principle as written into the house bill. This was resisted by the senate committeemen, who, long ago abandoned that principle.

THEY'RE OFF AT HOUSTON'S BIG GOLF TOURNEY

O'Hara of New York and Bowden of Cincinnati Tied for First Place in Professional Event.

Barnes and Hutchison, Pro Stars, Fail to Twinkle, Finishing Sixth and Fourth Respectively.

By Associated Press.

HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 20.—Pete O'Hara of New York and George Bowden of Cincinnati were tied for first place today in the professional tournament staged here as the opening event of the Houston country club mid-winter tournament, with scores of 147 for 18 holes. O'Hara and Bowden split first and second money. Leo Diegel of New Orleans was in for third money with a score of 148 while John Bredemus, of Rio Frio, Texas, and Jim Barnes were tied for fourth and fifth money with a score of 149.

Jock Hutchison, who was paired with Diegel, was sixth with 150. He tied with Wm. Melhorn of Shreveport for this position. Dock Tracy, of Minneapolis, was eighth, while Gene Sarenzen of Pittsburgh, and Tom Lally of San Antonio were tied for ninth and tenth places.

Willie Maguire of the Houston country club, who was paired with Barnes, was 11th with 153 and Tom Boyd of New York was 12th with 154.

The Hutchison-Diegel match attracted the largest gallery. Diegel missed a long putt on the 18th hole in the afternoon round which cost him a chance at first place money. Diegel and Hutchison played matchless golf on some of the holes. In most cases their drives fell within 30 to 50 feet of each other. Diegel had the better of the argument when the men reached the putting green.

The Maguire-Barnes match also attracted a large gallery. Maguire made a great finish, when at the last hole he sunk a 15-foot putt. The gallery gave the local pro a great hand.

The outstanding feature of the play as far as Hutchison, Barnes and Diegel were concerned, was the accuracy of the drives and the distance made by Barnes.

MANY CASUALTIES DECLARED DUE TO POISONOUS LIQUOR

By Associated Press.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 20.—Robert Sherman of Knight's Landing is dead, five men are without their sight and several other men are partially paralyzed, as the result of drinking poisonous liquor, it was stated today by Dr. E. S. Louiseaux, superintendent of the county hospital.

SOMETHING IMPORTANT!

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Record News Readers: Laugh With Us

Some Chest-Nuts

Harry Leon Wilson, the humorist, is praising California, "California is so wonderful," he said, "that if you praise it unreservedly strangers will think you are lying. Like little Mike, you know. Little Mike was telling his little eastern friend about his California visit and Santa Catalina, with its wonderful glass-bottomed boats wherein you float over rose-colored coral reefs and watch the gorgeous fish swimming in the crystal water thirty or forty feet below. 'Yes,' Mike concluded, 'we could see the fish just as plain laying on the bottom of the ocean.' 'Lying, dear,' corrected one of the ladies present. 'I ain't neither,' said Mike, 'it's the gospel truth.'"

A bishop was traveling in a mining country, and encountered an old Irishman turning a windlass which hauled up soil out of a well that was being dug.

His hat was off, and the wind and rain were pouring on his unprotected head.

"Don't you know you will injure your brain if you expose it to the elements like that?" said the bishop.

The Irishman wiped the rain from his forehead, and looked at the clergyman.

"Do you think I'd be doing this all the day if I had any brains?" he asked.

The following scrap of conversation was overheard in a London motor 'bus, and deeply impressed those fortunate enough to catch the words. Said one fair passenger to another: "Between you and me, I don't seem to like your husband as much as I did." "And between you and me," said the other, "neither do I."

"Husbands!" said a disillusioned wife to a friend. "What wretches they are! I brought mine a dowry of $5000 a year—well, my dear, he absolutely refuses to get me a $1,000 gown."

LOCAL BAR TO HOLD ANNUAL MEET SATURDAY

Officers for the coming year will be named by the Wichita County Bar association at a periodical banquet of the association to be held at the Kemp hotel, according to an announcement Monday.

The usual program which has featured each of the periodical meetings will be given on this occasion.

MORPHINE VALUED AT $2000 IS TAKEN FROM MAN AT MEXIA

By Associated Press.

MEXIA, Texas, Feb. 20.—Morphine, said to be worth $2,000 was taken from a man arrested here today by federal narcotic agent A. D. McDonald. According to the authorities the prisoner, whose name is withheld, secured the drug in Galveston and was under surveillance until he arrived in Mexia.

Seven alleged violators of the Harrison and Narcotic act will be carried to Waco, where it is understood they will be arraigned before federal commissioner A. P. McCormick.

MEXICAN DIPLOMATS WILL BE SHORN OF DAZZLING REGALIA

By Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 20.—Mexican diplomatic representatives are to be shorn of their resplendent uniforms under the terms of a decree made public today by the department of foreign relations. Among other provisions of the decree, which completely re-organizes the diplomatic service, it is stipulated that members of the corps shall not wear uniforms which are not regarded as "necessary for the efficiency of the service or for national decorum."

EIGHT ARE SICK IN HOME OF MAYOR CLINE

Mayor Walter Cline returned from a trip to his Louisiana farm to find eight at his place in bed with various forms of sickness, including the five children and three servants. All have influenza with the exception of one of the children, Dorothy, whose ailment was pronounced pneumonia by physicians Monday.

Obituary

J. R. BURGE

J. R. Burge, aged 68, a resident of Wichita county for a number of years, died Monday at 10:30 at the home of his son, H. C. Burge, 2505 Buchanan. Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon from the Merkle and Lunn Chapel, conducted by Rev. Mr. Spees of the Seventh Day Adventist church. The body will be taken to Iowa Park, the former home of Mr. Burge, for burial.

The surviving family include the wife and three sons and one daughter, all of whom are present for the funeral.

Rosemont, being protected by its perpetual care plan and State Charter, will stand forever, while ordinary cemeteries fail and pass. Investigate this advantage. 308 City National Bank Bldg. Phone 2947.—Adv.

THE 5:15 —By Segar

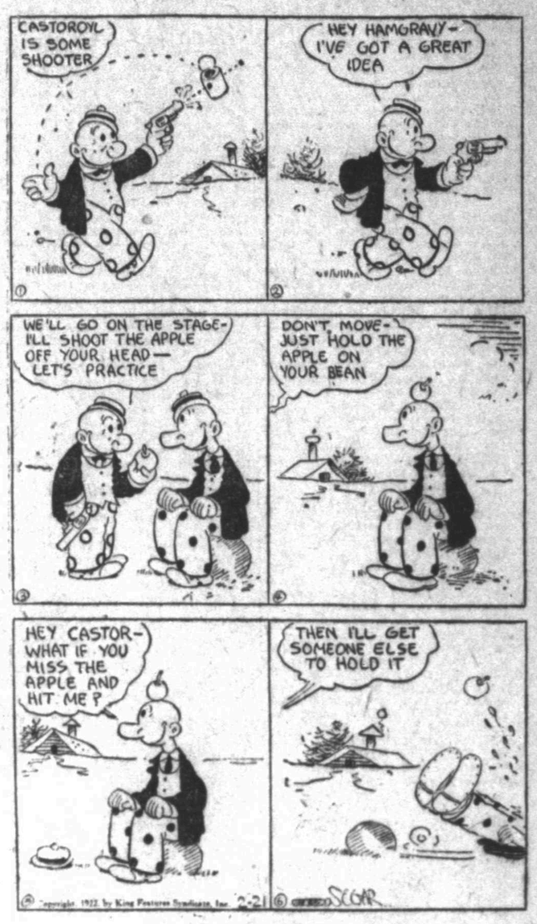


IF DREAMS CAME TRUE. By Herbert Johnson

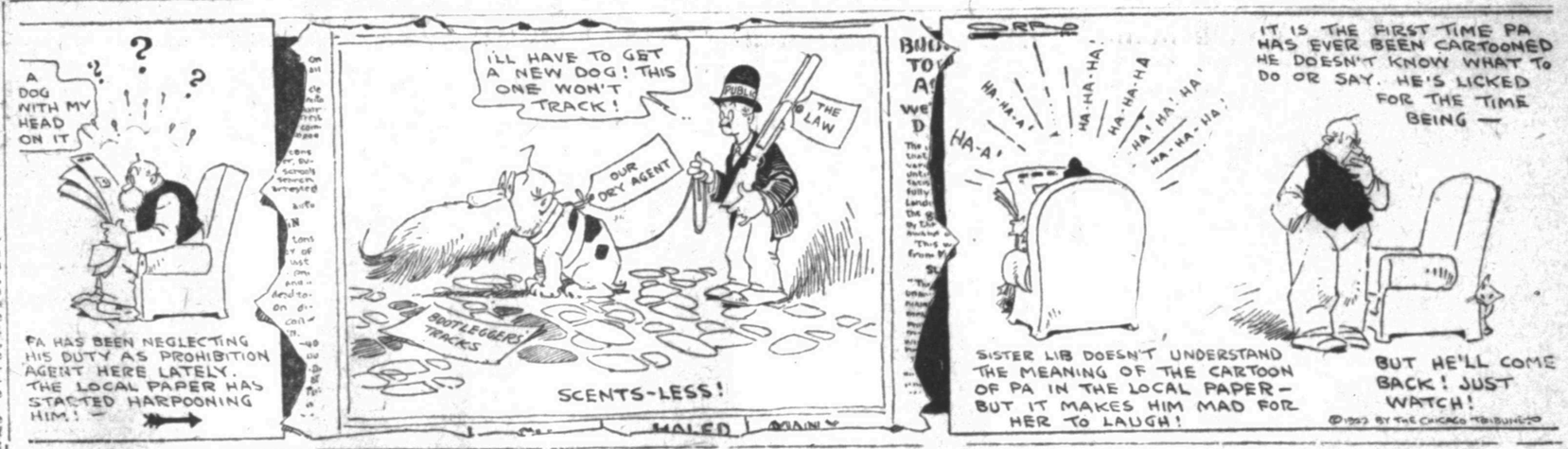


THIMBLE THEATER —By Segar

NOW SHOWING—"ALL FIGURED OUT"
Tomorrow—"The Hero"



KERNEL COOTIE—He Breaks Into Print.



ASKS DAMAGES FROM COUNTY FOR WOUND

Alleging injuries from a bullet, said to have been fired by a special officer, on January 30, 1922, H. D. Robinson, principal of the Booker Washington school, has filed a claim for $142 damages on behalf of his 9-year-old child, Carrie. The letter, received Monday by the commissioners court alleges that the child was struck in the hip by a bullet, as she sat in her home on Seymour street. A party of officers, city and county, were raiding a gambling party in the negro district, it is alleged, and several shots were fired when participants in the party attempted to flee from arrest.

The Robinson house is said to be nearly two blocks from the scene of the shooting, the stray bullet striking a post, glancing off, and, going through the walls of the house, striking the child as she was sitting at a table.

COURT NOTES

SUITS FILED

78th District Court.

N. B. Waggoner vs. Lee A. Patterson et al, debt.

First State Bank of Electra vs. Dunagan, debt.

W. W. Foster vs. R. H. Kirby et al, debt.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

C. H. McMillan and Cora Davis, city.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Gentry Johnson and wife to J. C. Banner, lot 2 in block 31 of the Scotland addition; $2,000.

R. L. Brown to M. E. Coney, lot 6 block 14 of the Highland addition; $10 and other considerations.

M. L. Blake to Lillian Chancellor, lot 23 in block 14 of the Scotland addition; $400.

J. H. Breazeale Jr. and wife to C. G. Jones, lot 2, in block 109 of the Floral Heights addition; $1,100.

LEASES AND ASSIGNMENTS

S. L. McDowell to C. H. Atherton et al, part of block 18 of the Cowherd Brothers subdivision of the Palo Pinto school lands; $10 and other considerations.

RAISE MONEY FOR SCHOOL GROUND IMPROVEMENTS

A total of $134.28 was raised by the negro churches of the city Sunday for the improvement of the grounds of the George Washington school, according to a report made Monday by the committee having charge of the improvement. The fund is to be used at once in the planting of trees and shrubbery and other improvements for the colored schools.

The following churches contributed: African M. E. church $40; St. John Baptist $53.08; Colored M. E. church $14.50; St. Matthew $6; Holiness, $7.35; Moore Mission $1.40; Mount Pleasant Baptist $14.

BURKE WHIPS KROHN

GALVESTON, Feb. 20.—Matty Burke, New Oleans light heavyweight, won the referee's decision here tonight in twelve rounds ove Harry Krohn, Akron, Ohio, middleweight. Krohn, much the lighter of the two men, led the fighting all the way and brought the bout close to a draw by his aggressiveness. Burke outpointed Krohn in seven of the twelve rounds, two were Krohn's and three were even.

JURY INDICTS FOUR COMMISSIONERS OF COUNTY OF UPSHUR

By Associated Press.

GILMER, Texas, Feb. 20.—The county grand jury in a report today returned indictments against four Upsur county commissioners in connection with expenditures of an authorized million dollar bond issue and in connection with tick eradicatio work.

Indictments charge the commissioners with spending more money on roads during the past year than taxes will net for the next three years and with authorizing the construction of roads not provided for in the bond issue. It is also alleged that an engineer employed in the road construction work was paid more than $3000 more than he actually earned. County Auditor N. M. Harrison has offered his resignation but a petition is being circulated asking his reappointment.

MAKING IT PLAIN.



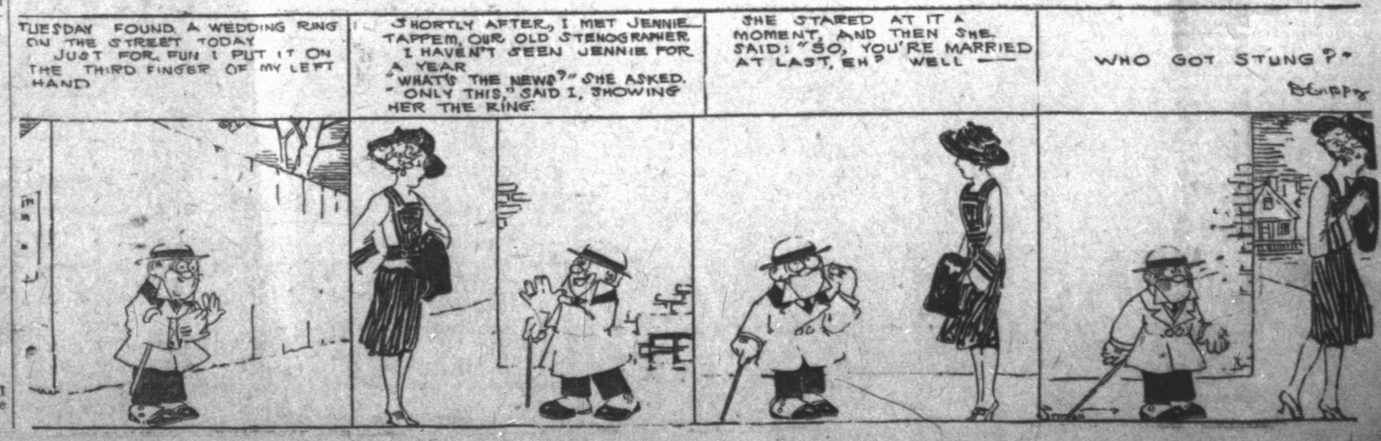
Central—Nine-seven-two?

Professor Letterkink—No, no! I called for two-nine-seven. The square root of 88,209, you know.

KEEPING UP WITH THE JONES—Pa's Out of Luck. —By Pop Momand.



DICKY DIPPY'S DIARY. —By Sinnott,



RECORD NEWS SPORTS

Elite of America's Dogdom Gathered at Bowie for the Big Oil Belt Field Trials

Mister Carter Is Also at Bowie and Take It from "Nick"—Them Are Going to Be SOME Trials—Bigger Even Than the Trial of Police Lieutenant Charlie Becker.

By "NICK" CARTER

BOWIE, Texas, Feb. 19.—I'm going to delve into ancient history a little at the start. At the risk of being accused of displaying a Teddy Roosevelt tendency towards the use of the personal pronoun. I want to say this—that I "covered" the trial of Police Lieutenant Charlie Becker for the murder of the gambler, Herman Rosenthal, in New York several years ago, and I agreed with the United States public that it was the biggest story that had ever broken in this country; and before and since that event I have written many stories that in my youthful foolishness I believed were big.

But I'm here to state in capital letters that I have never been a typewriter pecker at any event AS BIG IN ITS CLASS AS THE 1922 FIELD TRIALS OF THE OIL BELT FIELD TRIALS ASSOCIATION that opened unofficially in this Texas city today. The events themselves will start tomorrow morning, but the entries warrant the unqualified assertion that this sporting event, in which good sportsmen from every section of the United States have interested themselves, is the biggest major circuit trial of bird dogs ever held in this country. If you don't believe it, read the following:

Record of Entries

1—Amateur derby, 28 entries; customarily 15 entries is all.

2—Amateur all-age stakes, 35 entries; 12 entries is usually considered a good field.

3—Puppy selling stakes, 50 entires; 22 has been the limit in the past.

4—Open derby, 20 entries; which just about represents the usual number of entries in major circuit trials.

5—Open all-age stakes, entries 19; whereas an entry of 16 in the past has been considered unusually large.

Just read these facts and figures and you will gather at least a faint idea of the size and importance among bird dog lovers of these Oil Belt field trials. The hotel capacity of Bowie was sold out long before I arrived; the best I could do was to obtain a bed with Claude Woods in a room intended for one individual but which at this moment houses four—Claude and your "Uncle Nick," Joe Henson and Fred Andrews. Citizens of Bowie, members of the local Chamber of Commerce, are in every hotel here arranging to take care of the many hundreds of visitors in private homes.

Howling to Go

Dogs? Great Caesar's ghost, gang, there are more dogs in Bowie today than there are good roads in California. Setters and pointers, they howl melodiously for their masters in every spot in Bowie possible to convert into a kennel. How do they rank on ability? Listen: I am not a judge, but permit me to say this:

This afternoon seven dogs were taken to the trial grounds, and were turned loose in a little test on the outcome of which one dollar was bet. The men whose dogs were represented might have bet many thousands of dollars, and I, a poor victim of debtor's cowardice, would have been proud to have endorsed the check of any man entering a dog—and what was the result?

Over a big stretch of territory the first dog to point a bird (and the one lone dollar bet concerned this canine ability) was Eugene M., Jr., a setter owned by Claude Woods, of Wichita Falls, vice president of the Oil Belt Field Trials association. This setter, one of the best bets from the "city that faith and Kemp and Kell built," was closely followed by Adorable Jane, owned by Joe Frantz, of Graham, Texas, who claims that the worst that can be said about his dog is that "she has a prettier name than any dog entered."

Big Men Present

The register of the National hotel here might lead some ignorant individual citizen to believe that Wichita Falls had moved to Bowie. I am not going to weary you, gang, by reciting the list of Wichita Falls bird dog lovers present (I have given them all earlier on this page) but here are a few of the big men from other cities whose names are well known wherever the pointer points or the setter sets:

"Coke" Murphy of Luffkin, Texas, owner of the pointer John Proctor, 2nd, and a Texas citizen who already has drained the Bowie drug stores dry of his favorite soft drink beverage.

E. T. Cole of Farris, Texas, owner of Lady Farris, a dog that died recently with the record of having been the dam of more winners than any other bird dog that ever lived.

H. F. (Frank) Fellows of Spring field, Mo., one of the judges who is president of the Springfield Wagon Works, and on the side is the owner of such great bird dogs as Champioin Broomhill Dan, Cincinnati Nat, Karl and Tom Doone.

Chesley Harris from Letohachie, Ala., also a judge on whose decisions rests the result of the puppy selling stakes. "Ches" is the handler of Champion Becky Broomhill, winner in 1921 of 10 places including the Canadian, United States national and Free-For-All championships. Becky Broomhill, entered in the Bowie field trials, is considered one of the greatest bird dogs since the derby days of Mary Montrose, the only bird dog that ever won the national championship three years in succession.

W. T. Hall of Houston, Texas, also a judge, who many years ago handled many famous bird dogs. Hall commands the respect of every bird dog lover in the United States, and the famous "Hall strain" is admired wherever field trials or bench shows are held.

"Sniff, Sniff"

Joe Crane (and here is where I get sentimental), who has traveled all the way from New York to handle the dogs owned by William Zeigler, Jr., a citizen of the little metropolis that claims ownership of the tallest building in the world, Joe Crane and I have one bond in common—each of us knows Martin Sheridan, member of the New York police department, traffic officer on duty at Forty-second street and Broadway and a world champion in the Olympic games. Crane discovered in some way that I am Irish; and all I had to do to know he was Irish was to hear him say: "How are yez?"—and now I wish to state in all seriousness that Joe Crane is a man to be feared in these field trials; he is handling Comanche Rap, Great Island Ringing Beyys, Great Island Robert the Devil, Great Island Jim Flush and a number of other bird dogs recognized throughout the United States as contenders in any major circuit event. Joe Crane, I dare assert, is today the only Irish handler of Jewish bird dogs in the world—and a white man, if ever I met one.

Stay in there and pitch, Wichita Falls! I like your men, I like your bird dogs, and I'm here to tell the whole western hemisphere the full details whenever a judge pins a blue ribbon on a dog owned in the city of which I am here quoting Billy Bee) "Fort Worth is a most wide-awake suburb."

J. L. Reeder is the secretary of this association. He is one of the livest men I have ever met. He claims to be nothing but "a poor devil of a salesman," but to me he appears as the Solomon of these events—a good guy who is anxious to help every scribe here, and who is working not a minute more than twenty-three and three-fourths hours per day.

JOPLIN CLUB FRANCHISE TO BE RELOCATED

By Associated Press.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 20.—Late this afternoon the Western league club owners voted to buy the Joplin, Mo., franchise and a committee was appointed to go to Lincoln tonight to learn the prospect of locating the club there. This committee may also visit Denver. Adoption of the playing schedule will be held in abeyance until the Joplin club location is settled. Another meeting probably will be held at Excelsior Springs in a week or ten days. The magnets also voted to raise the waiver rule price from $300 to $1,000.

Sport Briefs

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 20.—Fences at Heinemann park where the New York Yankees will train this spring are being made four feet higher to curb the home runs of Babe Ruth, it was announced today by Julius Heinemann, president of the local baseball association.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20.—Edouard Roundil of France tonight administered the first defeat to Edgar T. Appleby, New York, that the national champioin has suffered in the international 18.2 balkline amateur billiard tournament here, the Frenchman winning the match 300 to 129 in fifteen innings.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 20.—Officials of the Birmingham baseball club of the Southern association announced tonight the trade of Dug Allen to the Dallas club of the Texas league for Catcher Robertson. The trade was even with no money consideration, officials stated.

ST. PAUL, Feb. 20.—Jack Brick of St. Paul with a score of 695, won the singles championship and prizes of $110 in cash and a gold medal, and B. Gilberson and A. Peterson, St. Paul, captured the doubles title with 1,281 in the International Bowling association's annual tournament which closed here today.

SHREVEPORT, Feb. 20.—By a game comeback in the final round of a scheduled 15-round mill, Pete McCarty of San Francisco, 126 pounds, earned a draw with Jack Arnold of Houston, 128 pounds, here tonight.

TRIS SPEAKER NOT TO PLAY NURSE TO CLEVELAND TRIBE

DALLAS, Feb. 20.—Tris Speaker is expected to arrive here tomorrow to prepare camp for the Cleveland Indians who will train here this spring, according to a message received here tonight. Speaker wired the manager of a local hotel that it was unnecessary to bunch the Indians on one floor. The Texan says he will not have to keep such a close eye on his players, explaining that his team was made up of "real men who do not need nursing." The first squad of pitchers and catchers is expected Tuesday or Wednesday.

Wichita Falls Entries Make Good Showing

BOWIE, Texas, Feb. 20.—With 168 dogs entered, the Oil Belt Field Trials received recognition today as the greatest major circuit trials ever held in this country. Such prominent bird dog men as Frank Fellows, president of the All-America Field Trials, and many others stated unqualifiedly that this event is the biggest of its kind, bar none, that the United States has witnessed.

The amateur derby was the opening stake today, and the entry list was so large, containing 38 dogs, a national record, that at nightfall today there were still three braces of dogs to be run in the morrow, with the probability that the event will not be finished before tomorrow noon at the earliest.

Comanche Dick, a black and white pointer owned by E. V. Leslie, of Wichita Falls, is being figured by many wise bird men as certain to get into the "second series" tomorrow. This dog's work over a territory which contained no birds was unusually good—and he established at least one record by being the only dog throughout the day which refused to run a rabbit after flushing the frenzied "critter."

Dempsey's Bruce, owned by Hunter Dempsey, of Wichita Falls, also made a pretty showing, especially so considering the youthfulness and inexperience of this pointer. He has remarkable speed, and covered a wide stretch of territory, being unfortunate also in that he worked ground that the birds had left earlier.

The prettiest exhibition put up during the day, however, was made by Silver Creek Ben, a setter owned by H. V. Lee, of Fort Worth. This dog picked its own bird territory beautifully, and pointed two good-sized coveys of quail; held the point steadily until his handler had flushed the birds, and immediately went to work seeking more. Silver Creek Ben made a great showing indeed.

The two setters Gale Kingstone and Tom Kingstone, paired in the fifth brace, also drew better than passing attention. Although in a birdless territory, these two dogs worked hard and showed class—but the greatest exhibition of territory-covering displayed during the day was put up by the tiny setter, Doc's Nap, owned by Dr. Dupay, of Alexandria, La., a dog that went at terrific speed, cast wider than any dog in the event and was going just as strongly at the finish despite the dry ground and terrific heat.

PUBLIC CALLING DOWNEY CHAMP

By NORMAN E BROWN

The middleweight championship dispute is being settled quietly but emphatically by the general public. The crown is being placed on the head of Bryan Downey.

When Downey first met Johnny Wilson, holder of the title, the said general public believed Downey won the fight and the title. But the word of the referee is law officially in ring bouts and Wilson's handpicked man saved the champ.

The pair met again and Wilson's cautiousness alone saved him again. Downey could not get the verdict.

But since then—

The reputation Wilson earned in those bouts and his general tactics have caused several states to take in the welcome sign. There are few places left for him to find big matches if he desires to risk his title. He is deriving no benefits or glory from the title.

Downey has been in demand all over the country. He has risked what claim he has to the title. By his willingness to fight, his earnest efforts in the ring and his wicked punch and endurance he has won the popularity and fame that ordinarily goes with the crown.

The public is taking the matter in its own hands.

Downey is signed to Fight Frank Carbone, a tough baby, in Canton, February 22. Philadelphia promoters are after him for a bout a week later. New Orleans promoters have asked Manager Jummy Dunn for a date in March and Syracuse matchmakers want to put Downey on in the near future. Meanwhile there is no clamor for a glimpse of the champion Wilson.

Wilso nmay still be champion according to Hoyle, but as far as the public is concerned Bryan Downey wears the jeweled headgear.

COAT OF TAR AND FEATHERS APPLIED TO MARSHALL MAN

MARSHALL, Feb. 20.—Four unmasked men tonight abducted Ray Daniels, manager of a local mercantile store, took him outside the city limits and tarred and feathered him. Daniels, according to witnesses, was in front of the postoffice when seized. These witnesses, according to the police, say the men were strangers. Daniels, it is said, received a letter several days ago advising him to leave town.

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CHARLIE WHITE WINS DECISION OVER JACKSON

Winner Will Get Another Crack at Title, Benny Leonard Having Recently Signed Articles.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Charley White, Chicago lightweight, tonight defeated Willie Jackson of New York, receiving the judge's decision after their 15 round bout in Madison Square Garden.

The Chicagoan's left hook enabled him to floor the New York boy three times in the 13th round.

Jackson seemed due to take the count on the third knockdown, but the bell saved him.

Jackson had the advantage in the first three rounds. White took the fourth. The fifth and sixth were even and all the others went to White. White weighed 134 pounds and Jackson 134½. Benny Leonard, lightweight champion recently signed articles to meet the winner of the match in a title bout.

Sport Snap Shots

Professional sport in Great Britain pays those who are enrolled in the big organizations. In England a member of a first league soccer eleven receives a salary of $2,250 per year, with bonuses of $10 for every victory scored by his club and $5 for a tie game. Over and above this, a player of five years' standing with the same club becomes eligible for a "benefit," which may yield from $5,000 to $7,000 in cash.

Burkett's Secret of his Success

Apropos of the signing of Jess Burkett by the Giants for another year there comes to mind a story of an interview given by the veteran to a newspaper man on the secret of his success as a hitter in the long ago. The writer had been assigned to obtain such an interview, and seeking Burkett out at his hotel, explained his mission. Burkett received him courteously and suggested that they adjourn to the lounge. Seating himself comfortably, Jess took out a cigar, bit off the end, lighted it, took a few puffs and then said:

"I'll tell you, son what it was. Any time I went up there to hit I had the old confidence. That's all."

And that was all. The old boy had nothing to add to it, because he could think of nothing else that figured importantly in his hitting. Which may or may not be an interesting lesson in psychology.

Warren Kealoha of the Healani club of Honolulu has gone to Sydney and will make a competitive swimming tour of Australia. Kealoha has within the last few months established new international records for 100 and 150-yard back stroke swimming, besides defeating at 100 yards free style the famous Duke Kahanamoku.

The Red Sox have signed another rookie pitcher. He is James Edward De Rocher. Mr. De Rocher pitched in a small league in New Hampshire last season, and won nineteen games and lost five.

What started out to be a Princeton tribute to one of its illustrious sons has rapidly assumed the proportions of a great national tribute to a man. Princeton alumni it was who conceived the idea of erecting a memorial to Hobart Baker, as fine a type of American athlete and gentleman as ever lived, but grads of colleges throughout the length and breadth of the country are not permitting the tribute to be solely a Princeton affair. Judging from the list of early contributors to the memorial the former Tiger football and hockey star, who met his death in an aviation accident in France during the war, had a host of friends and admirers among college men and ex-college men in every section of the country.

The records say Stuffy McInnis made only one error last year, but as a matter of fact he made two. He opened the season by accepting an agreement made by France.

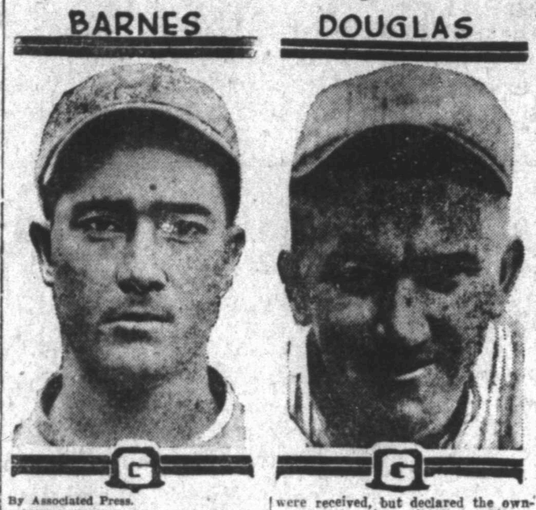
The White Sox are planning to travel in private trains again. But that won't keep 'em from playing day coach baseball.

Babe Ruth made fifty-nine home runs and struck out eighty-one times last year, which makes 140 reasons why baseball is popular.

BONDS SET IN PROHIBITION CASES

S. Vaughan and E. A. Ketchum, charged with violation of the federal prohibition enforcement acts, were released under $500 bond each Monday by United States Commissioner Lamb. The two men waived a preliminary hearing on the charges which have been preferred against them.

"Shufflin' Phil" and Jess Barnes, Winning World Series Pitchers Will Be Sold to Highest Bidder



By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Pitchers Phil Douglas and Jess Barnes, each of whom won the world's series games for the New York Nationals last fall, today were placed on the market "to be disposed of to the club offering the best inducement."

The proposal to sell the players was unexpected. Charles Stoneham, president of the club, said that when it was decided to get rid of Barnes and Douglas several tempting offers were received, but declared the owners would wait until Wednesday to announce which they would accept.

Douglas and Barnes were the only Giant pitchers who had not signed 1922 contracts but this fact, Mr. Stoneham said, was not the reason they had been placed on the market. Douglas was one of the Giants' best pitchers last year, while Barnes, who had trouble with his arm during the regular season, proved an ace in the world's series.

GRIGGS SOLD TO M'ALESTER IN WESTERN ASSOCIATION; TO MANAGE M'ALESTER'S ENTRY

Cecil Griggs, outfielder and utility man on last year's Spudder squad, and one of the most popular players with the fans during the past season, has been sold to McAlester in the Western association, where he will be manager next season, according to an announcement by Skipper Salm, Monday afternoon. While he expressed regret at the loss of Griggs' services Salm was willing to make the deal on account of the wealth of outfield and infield material on hand for the next season, and from a desire not to stand in the way of Cecil's opportunity.

Griggs played summer baseball with McAlester when winding up his college career, and was very popular with the fans of that city. That was in the hey dey of the old Western association, composed of the stronger towns in the present league of that name and of the present T-O league. At that time it was claimed that the loop was the fastest Class D circuit in baseball and one of the fastest of the minor leagues. The claim was somewhat bolstered up by terrible wallopings handed to a number of the leading Texas league teams during spring engagements of the loop's banner year—lambastings which lead to a summary calling off of a spring tour through the circuit by at least one Texas league team. Rogers Hornsby once with Denison of the Cards, Ross Young of the Giants, formerly of Sherman, Cliff Yockey of the Memphis Chicks, Bud Hungling last year with the Chicks and now in the majors, Killduf who graduated from Oklahoma City, Possum Moore who was then with Tulsa, Boss Pate also of the Panther Cats, and Eddie Palmer, late with Dallas, at that time with Muskogee, picked at random, testify to the class of players in the league.

The league blew up, for a very simple reason. The pace was too fast and the salary limit too high for anything less than Class A ground.

The present Western association, which has gathered in McAlester, Muskogee and Fort Smith, towns represented in the old circuit, is a fast minor league of itself.

Fans here will be well wishers for Cecil in his new position, and will be expecting nothing less than success from him. Knowing every position on the field, and having experience there to a certain extent, as well as having a good idea of the strategy of the game, and keeping his wits about him at all times, he has everything which should make him a good manager.

Griggs came to Wichita Falls last year via the waiver route from Shreveport, where he did not get along any too well with Billy Smith—something fans here can well understand who have heard the language spilled by the Shreveport leader on certain occasions on the local field. He was taken on by Salm for a utility man, and to alternate with Daddy Works at first when a port sider was feeding them up against the Spudders. Never a first baseman, he filled the position acceptably. While not a flashy hitter, he slammed them out for a respectable average, above 280. He proved a good man at the plate at many a juncture last year when hits meant runs. To his keen delight several of these occasions came when the Spudders were playing Billy Smith's gang on the latter's own ball lot. He was a regular in the outfield after Froggy Rothfuss stopped one with his head. Before the end of the season, he even performed behind the plate, and it was Salm's intention to work him out as a catcher if he came back here this spring.

While giving every evidence of success in baseball, baseball with him is an acquired art. Football is his "native" game. Attending public school in a town, Sherman, which was more or less indifferent in its school baseball teams, but which for many years always fought it out with all comers for the football title, he was one of the brighest high school stars.

Later he attended Austin college and played as long as the T. I. A. A. rules would let him, and, playing on a "two man" team, he made a name as one of the brighest, if not the brightest stars in the half back position that the South has ever produced. Following this he played a while and later was assistant coach at Dallas university.

Griggs had opportunities during his college days to attend eastern universities, but he passed them up. He later played professional football, playing for Jim Thorpe when that individual managed the famous Canton Bulldogs, last year succeeding Jim as manager and coach of the team.

At the end of the season he signed a three year contract as athletic director of the Dallas university, coaching football, basketball and baseball. The contract begins next year. Although the figures to the contract were not made public, it is known they were nice ones. Local fans and friends are equally as confident that he will be a success as the skipper for the McAlester crew this baseball season.

NOTICE

The banks composing Wichita Falls Clearing House will close Wednesday, Feb. 22, to observe Washington's birthday.

WICHITA FALLS CLEARING HOUSE ASS'N.

MAY STAGE BI-DISTRICT CLASH HERE

Negotiations looking toward staging the bi-district championship match between Clara and Estelline to be played Friday in Wichita Falls, were started Monday, E. E. Rogers, the coach representing the Clara Champions, stating the desire of the Wichita county winners to play off the coming contest in Wichita Falls. A guarantee of expenses must be made to the Estelline team, amounting to around $250. The possibility of the American Legion, the University Club, or some other of the organizations, individualy or collectively sponsoring the championship match, is being considered.

Estelline is said to have made the guarantee of expenses for the Wichita county team to play in that place. It is believed, however, that the great interest that has been stimulated in the sport by the city league contests will create a demand for this match. It will be possible for sport enthusiasts from all over the county, and nearby counties, particularly among the high school students, to witness the game, if it is staged in Wichita Falls.

The match must be played on an out door court, unless three games are played. A division between indoor and out door courts is possible if more than one game is played. The Estelline team is understood prefer an out door court, while the Clara Champions are ready to play indoors or out.

OIL HEARING IS POSTPONED TO THURSDAY

After it was apparent a difference of opinion existed among oil men as to the values to be placed on oil properties for taxation the county commissioners court Monday afternoon postponed final action in regard to rate schedule until Thursday. At that time another hearing will be held and an attempt will be made to reach some definite and final conclusion as to the schedule of values for taxation.

It is planned to hold the Thursday meeting in the court room of the county court at law, according to Judge J. P. Jones, of the county court. A stenographic report of the proceedings will be made so that evidence will be available to the court in reaching its final decision.

G. C. Wood, local oil operator, and N. H. Martin, of the Texhoma Oil & Refining company, presented tentative schedules which, however, met with some opposition from other operators. It was apparent that no plan of assessment can be obtained which will be satisfactory to all operators.

EARLY AGREEMENT ON TARIFF PLANS IS NOT EXPECTED

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Differences between republicans of the senate finance committee and the house ways and means committee over tariff valuation principles were aired today at a secret conference without concrete results.

The discussion is to be continued tomorrow but neither side tonight appeared hopeful of early agreement.

The house committeemen, Representatives Fordney, Longworth and Green, held out strongly at today's conference for the American valuation principle as written into the house bill. This was resisted by the senate committeemen, who, long ago abandoned that principle.

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THEY'RE OFF AT HOUSTON'S BIG GOLF TOURNEY

O'Hara of New York and Bowden of Cincinnati Tied for First Place in Professional Event.

Barnes and Hutchison, Pro Stars, Fail to Twinkle, Finishing Sixth and Fourth Respectively.

By Associated Press.

HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 20.—Pete O'Hara of New York and George Bowden of Cincinnati were tied for first place today in the professional tournament staged here as the opening event of the Houston country club mid-winter tournament, with scores of 147 for 18 holes. O'Hara and Bowden split first and second money. Leo Diegel of New Orleans was in for third money with a score of 148 while John Bredemus, of Rio Frio, Texas, and Jim Barnes were tied for fourth and fifth money with a score of 149.

Jock Hutchison, who was paired with Diegel, was sixth with 150. He tied with Wm. Melhorn of Shreveport for this position. Dock Tracy, of Minneapolis, was eighth, while Gene Sarenzen of Pittsburgh, and Tom Lally of San Antonio were tied for ninth and tenth places.

Willie Maguire of the Houston country club, who was paired with Barnes, was 11th with 153 and Tom Boyd of New York was 12th with 154.

The Hutchison-Diegel match attracted the largest gallery. Diegel missed a long putt on the 18th hole in the afternoon round which cost him a chance at first place money. Diegel and Hutchison played matchless golf on some of the holes. In most cases their drives fell within 30 to 50 feet of each other. Diegel had the better of the argument when the men reached the putting green.

The Maguire-Barnes match also attracted a large gallery. Maguire made a great finish, when at the last hole he sunk a 15-foot putt. The gallery gave the local pro a great hand.

The outstanding feature of the play as far as Hutchison, Barnes and Diegel were concerned, was the accuracy of the drives and the distance made by Barnes.

MANY CASUALTIES DECLARED DUE TO POISONOUS LIQUOR

By Associated Press.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 20.—Robert Sherman of Knight's Landing is dead, five men are without their sight and several other men are partially paralyzed, as the result of drinking poisonous liquor, it was stated today by Dr. E. S. Louiseaux, superintendent of the county hospital.

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Record News Readers: Laugh With Us

Some Chest-Nuts

Harry Leon Wilson, the humorist, was praising California, "California is so wonderful," he said, "that if you praise it unreservedly strangers will think you are lying. Like little Mike, you know. Little Mike was telling his little eastern friend about his California visit and Santa Catalina, with its wonderful glass-bottomed boats wherein you float over rose-colored coral reefs and watch the gorgeous fish swimming in the crystal water thirty or forty feet below. 'Yes,' Mike concluded, 'we could see the fish just as plain laying on the bottom of the ocean.' 'Lying, dear,' corrected one of the ladies present. 'I ain't neither,' said Mike, 'it's the gospel truth.'"

A bishop was traveling in a mining country, and encountered an old Irishman turning a windlass which hauled up soil out of a well that was being dug.

His hat was off, and the wind and rain were pouring on his unprotected head.

"Don't you know you will injure your brain if you expose it to the elements like that?" said the bishop.

The Irishman wiped the rain from his forehead, and looked at the clergyman.

"Do you think I'd be doing this all the day if I had any brains?" he asked.

The following scrap of conversation was overheard in a London motor 'bus, and deeply impressed those fortunate enough to catch the words. Said one fair passenger to another: "Between you and me, I don't seem to like your husband as much as I did." "And between you and me," said the other, "neither do I."

"Husbands!" said a disillusioned wife to a friend. "What wretches they are! I brought mine a dowry of $5000 a year—well, my dear, he absolutely refuses to get me a $1,000 gown."

LOCAL BAR TO HOLD ANNUAL MEET SATURDAY

Officers for the coming year will be named by the Wichita County Bar association at a periodical banquet of the association to be held at the Kemp hotel, according to an announcement Monday.

The usual program which has featured each of the periodical meetings will be given on this occasion.

MORPHINE VALUED AT $2000 IS TAKEN FROM MAN AT MEXIA

By Associated Press.

MEXIA, Texas, Feb. 20.—Morphine, said to be worth $2,000 was taken from a man arrested here today by federal narcotic agent A. D. McDonald. According to the authorities the prisoner, whose name is withheld, secured the drug in Galveston and was under surveillance until he arrived in Mexia.

Seven alleged violators of the Harrison and Narcotic act will be carried to Waco, where it is understood they will be arraigned before federal commissioner A. P. McCormick.

MEXICAN DIPLOMATS WILL BE SHORN OF DAZZLING REGALIA

By Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 20.—Mexican diplomatic representatives are to be shorn of their resplendent uniforms under the terms of a decree made public today by the department of foreign relations. Among other provisions of the decree, which completely re-organizes the diplomatic service, it is stipulated that members of the corps shall not wear uniforms which are not regarded as "necessary for the efficiency of the service or for national decorum."

EIGHT ARE SICK IN HOME OF MAYOR CLINE

Mayor Walter Cline returned from a trip to his Louisiana farm to find eight at his place in bed with various forms of sickness, including the five children and three servants. All have influenza with the exception of one of the children, Dorothy, whose ailment was pronounced pneumonia by physicians Monday.

Obituary

J. R. BURGE

J. R. Burge, aged 68, a resident of Wichita county for a number of years, died Monday at 10:30 at the home of his son, H. C. Burge, 2505 Buchanan. Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon from the Merkle and Lunn Chapel, conducted by Rev. Mr. Spees of the Seventh Day Adventist church. The body will be taken to Iowa Park, the former home of Mr. Burge, for burial.

The surviving family include the wife and three sons and one daughter, all of whom are present for the funeral.

Rosemont, being protected by its perpetual care plan and State Charter, will stand forever, while ordinary cemeteries fail and pass. Investigate this advantage. 308 City National Bank Bldg. Phone 2947.—Adv.

THE 5:15 —By Segar

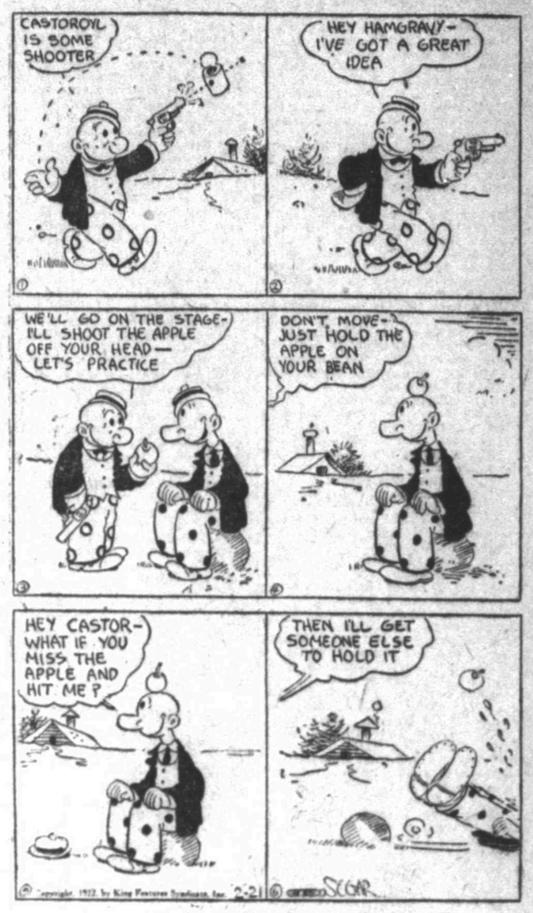


IF DREAMS CAME TRUE. By Herbert Johnson



THIMBLE THEATER —By Segar

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ASKS DAMAGES FROM COUNTY FOR WOUND

Alleging injuries from a bullet, said to have been fired by a special officer, on January 30, 1922, H. D. Robinson, principal of the Booker Washington school, has filed a claim for $142 damages on behalf of his 9-year-old child, Carrie. The letter, received Monday by the commissioners court alleges that the child was struck in the hip by a bullet, as she sat in her home on Seymour street. A party of officers, city and county, were raiding a gambling party in the negro district, it is alleged, and several shots were fired when participants in the party attempted to flee from arrest.

The Robinson house is said to be nearly two blocks from the scene of the shooting, the stray bullet striking a post, glancing off, and going through the walls of the house, striking the child as she was sitting at a table.

COURT NOTES

SUITS FILED

78th District Court.

N. B. Waggoner vs. Lee A. Patterson et al, debt.

First State Bank of Electra vs. Dunagan, debt.

W. W. Foster vs. R. H. Kirby et al, debt.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

C. H. McMillan and Cora Davis, city.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Gentry Johnson and wife to J. C. Banner, lot 2 in block 31 of the Scotland addition; $2,000.

R. L. Brown to M. E. Coney, lot 6 block 14 of the Highland addition; $10 and other considerations.

M. L. Blake to Lillian Chanellor, lot 23 in block 14 of the Scotland addition; $400.

J. H. Breazeale Jr. and wife to C. G. Jones, lot 2, in block 109 of the Floral Heights addition; $1,100.

LEASES AND ASSIGNMENTS

S. L. McDowell to C. H. Atherton et al, part of block 18 of the Cowherd Brothers subdivision of the Palo Pinto school lands; $10 and other considerations.

RAISE MONEY FOR SCHOOL GROUND IMPROVEMENTS

A total of $134.28 was raised by the negro churches of the city Sunday for the improvement of the grounds of the George Washington school, according to a report made Monday by the committee having charge of the improvement. The fund is to be used at once in the planting of trees and shrubbery and other improvements for the colored schools.

The following churches contributed —African M. E. church $40; St. John Baptist $53.03; Colored M. E. church $14.50; St. Matthew $6; Holiness, $7.35; Moore Mission $1.40; Mount Pleasant Baptist $14.

BURKE WHIPS KROHN

GALVESTON, Feb. 20.—Mary Burke, New Oleans light heavyweight, won the referee's decision here tonight in twelve rounds ove Harry Krohn, Akron, Ohio, middleweight. Krohn, much the lighter of the two men, led the fighting all the way and brought the bout close to a draw by his aggressiveness. Burke outpointed Krohn in seven of the twelve rounds, two were Krohn's and three were even.

JURY INDICTS FOUR COMMISSIONERS OF COUNTY OF UPSHUR

By Associated Press.

GILMER, Texas, Feb. 20.—The county grand jury in a report today returned indictments against four Upsur county commissioners in connection with expenditures of an authorized million dollar bond issue and in connection with tick eradicatio work.

Indictments charge the commissioners with spending more money on roads during the past year than taxes will net for the next three years and with authorizing the construction of roads not provided for in the bond issue. It is also alleged that an engineer employed in the road construction work was paid more than $3000 more than he actually earned. County Auditor N. M. Harrison has offered his resignation but a petition is being circulated asking his reappointment.

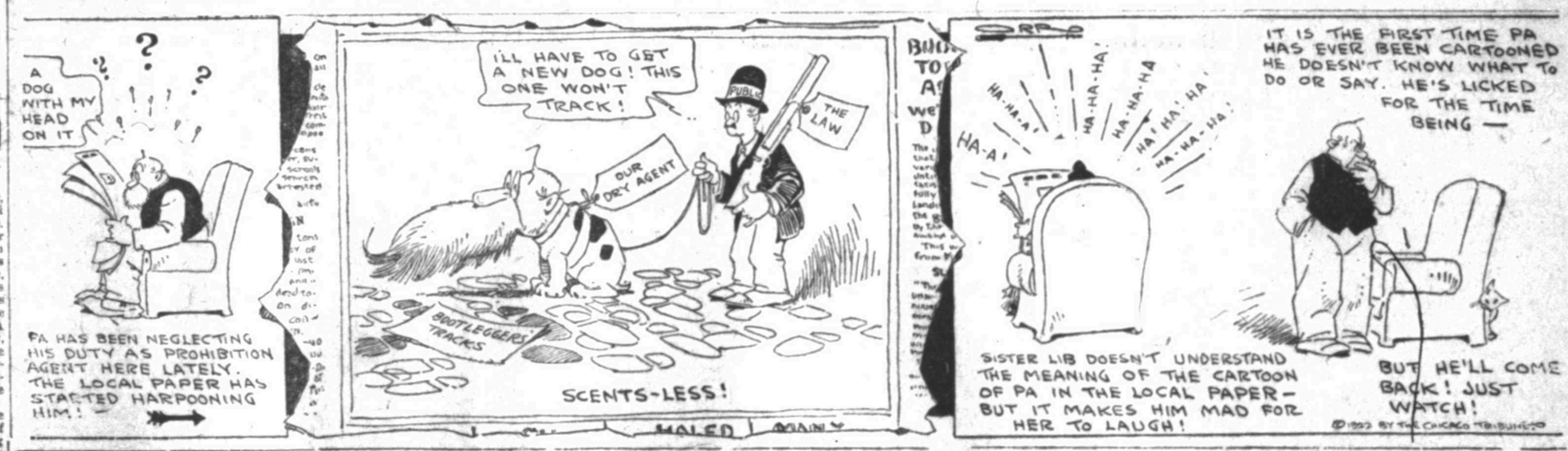
MAKING IT PLAIN.



Central—Nine-seven-two?

Professor Letterkink—No, no! I called for two-nine-seven. The square root of 88,209, you know.

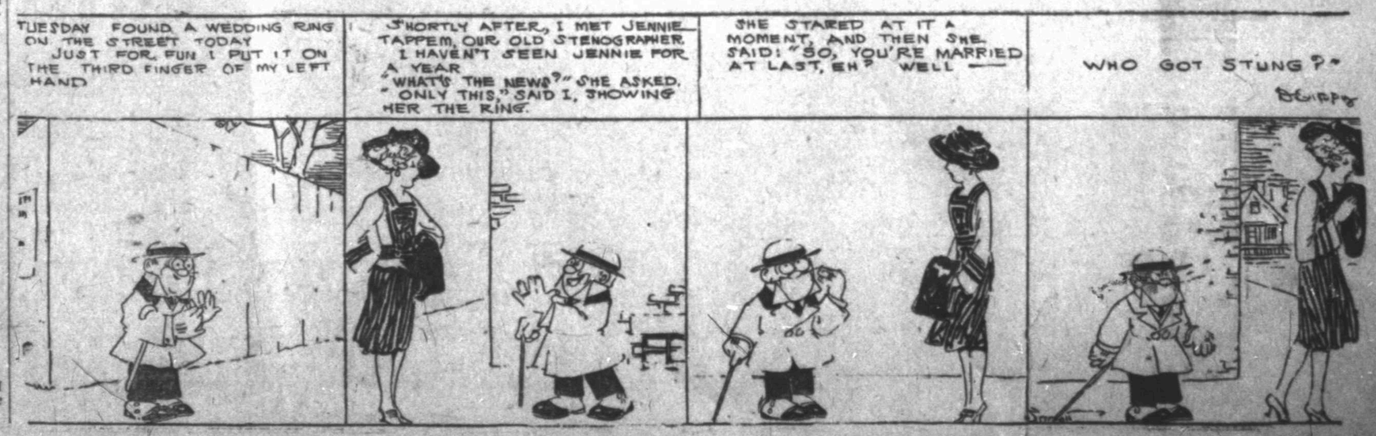
KERNEL COOTIE—He Breaks Into Print.



KEEPING UP WITH THE JONES—Pa's Out of Luck. —By Pop Momand.



DICKY DIPPY'S DIARY. —By Sinnott,



MARKET REPORTS

Local Market

The following quotations were obtained Saturday from local jobbers wholesalers, and, although liable to the market fluctuations, can be relied on as official.

Fresh Vegetables.

Selling prices in Wichita Falls to retailers: Lettuce $1.50 a dozen; turnips 85c a dozen bunches; cabbage 5@5 1-2c a lb.; yams $1.75 a bushel onions 6@8c a pound; parsley 75 cents a dozen bunches, tomatoes $3.50 a lug; new potatoes $3.00 a hundred pounds; string beans 10 cents per pound; beets 5 cents per pound; celery $8.00 a crate; turnips 3 cents and 4 cents, green peppers 35c a pound; Cucumbers 12c a pound; Mustard 85 cents a dozen; artichokes $2.50 a dozen; spinach 10 cents a pound; egg plant 10 cents a pound; cauliflower 15 cents a pound.

Fresh Fruits.

Selling prices to retailers; Bananas 8 cents a pound; limes $1.00 a basket; lemons $5.50 a box; grape fruit $5.50 a box; delicious apples $2.75 to $4.75 a box; cranberries $25.00 a barrel; persimmons $3.00 a box; California naval oranges $4 and $6.00 a box; peaches $2.75 a crate; casaba melons $3.50 a crate; ag acuts at $6.00 a dozen, and satun $4.00@$7.50; walnuts 32 cents a pound; pears $4.50 a box; cocoanuts $19 per 100; grapes $7 a drum; pineapples $10 per 3 dozen.

Flour and Meal.

Selling prices to local retailers; Flour, extra high patent, $7.70, basis 190 pounds; bakers $7.20; high patent $7.20, 196 pounds; meal 50c and 55c a 28-pound sack.

Canned Vegetables.

Selling prices to local retailers; Asparagus, fancy quality, No 1, round, white $3.35; stringless beans, 6 cents; No. 2 fancy $2.50; No. 2 standard $1.75; corn, extra fancy No. 2, standard $1.65; corn, extra fancy No. 2 $2.25; standard No. 2, $1.35; No. 2 1-2 $1.50; okra and tomatoes, fancy No. 1, $1.10.

Tomatoes, standard, $1.50 a dozen.

Sugar and Syrup.

Selling prices to retailers: Sugar, beet, $5.70 a 100 pounds; pure cane, $5.90 a 100 pounds; Louisiana plantation $9.50 a 100 pounds. Syrup, Louisiana pure, No. 10 cans, $6.00 a case; No. 5 cans, $6.25 a case; No. 10 cans, $6.50 Georgia pure cane, $7.75; corn syrup, No. 10 cans, $4.80 a case; No. 5 cans, $5.00.

Onion Sets and Seed Potatoes.

Onion sets $1.50 a bushel; seed potatoes 3 1-2 to 4 1-2 cents a pound.

Canned Fish.

Selling prices to retailers: Salmon, fancy, Alaska sockeye, 1 pound, a dozen $3.25; 1-2 pound, $1.40 dozen; fancy red, 1 pound $4.10 a dozen; 1-2 pound $2.10 a dozen; tall chum, 1 pound $2.65 a dozen; tall pink, 1 pound $2.10 a dozen; tall chum, 1 pound $1.35 a dozen; sardines, California oval cans, 1 pound $9.00 a case; 1-2 pound $4.75 a case; Maine quarters in oil keyless 1-2 pound cans a case $5.15; smoked, with keys, in cartons, $11.00 case; Norwegian 1-4 pound in olive oil $17.00@$19.50 a case; Tuna white meat, 1 pound $4.35 a dozen; 1-2 pound $2.25 a dozen; 1-4 pound $2.10 a dozen; 1-2 pound alforcora tuna 1 pound $1.75 dozen; 1-4 pound $1.15 a dozen.

Dairy Products.

Prices to local retailers: Butter, creamery, 44 to 46c a pound; milk, 65c a gallon; buttermilk 50@65c a gallon; single cream $2.40 a gallon.

Poultry and Eggs.

Prices paid by local jobbers to interior shippers: Hens, 14c a pound; roosters, 5c a pound; broilers, 18c a pound; turkeys 30c a pound; ducks, $4.80 dozen, geese 15c a pound, candled eggs, $9.00 a crate; packing butter, 16c a pound.

Beans and Rice.

Selling prices to retailers; Choice recleaned baby limas $8.00 per 100 pounds; limas, choice, recleaned, $8.75 per 100 pounds; pinks $7.60 per 100 pounds; pintos $6.50 per 100 pounds; large white $6.75 per 100 pounds; small white $6.25; black eyes $8.00 per 100 pounds; rice, fancy Honduras $6.50 per 100 pounds; fancy head $8.00 per 100 pounds.

Canned Fruit.

Selling prices to retailers: Apricots, special extra, No. 2 1-2 $3.50; No. 1 tall $2.25; standards No. 2 1-2 $4.00; cherries, Royal Anne, special $3.75; extras No. 2½ $5.64 standards, No. 2 1-2 $4.75; pears; Bartlett special extras, No. 2½ $6.60; No. 1 tall $2.50; extras No. 2 1-2 $5; raspberries, No. 26; $4.75; No. 2, $3.45; No. 10 solid pack $21.00.

Evaporated Fruit.

Selling prices to retailers: Apples California extra, 60-pound boxes, 18c a pound; apricots, choice 21c a pound; California peaches, 25-pound box, choice 18c; fancy, 24c; extra fancy, 25c; raisins, 15-ounce, choice, 20 cents a pound; 1-pound floated muscatels, nearly seedless, 25-pound bulk, 20c; prunes $40-50s, 17 1-2c a pound; 50-60s, 15 1-2c a pound.

Canned Milk.

Evaporated milk, baby size, 8 dozen to the case, $5.50 per case; 4 dozen to the case tall, $5.85; sweetened, condensed, 2 dozen to the case, $5 a 10, confectioners milk, 1-2 dozen to the case, $5.40.

Oil and Shortening.

Shortening, Tierces, 13c; 100-pound metal drums, 13 1-2c; white oil tanks 6c; peanut oil tanks, per pound, case; 4 dozen to the case $9.50; No.

COFFEE

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The feature in the market for coffee, futures today was further evening up of March contracts and switching from March to later months. The near months short interest seemed to be taking the initiative in these operations; and after opening at an advance of 2 to 6 points active months sold about 12 to 17 points net higher with March selling at 8.60 and May at 8.69. In addition to the switching there was scattered covering prompted by the steadier ruling of Brazil and last prices were only a shade off from the best. The market closed at net advances of 11 to 18 points. Sales were reported to 82,000 bags. March 8.56; May 8.665; July 8.70; Sept. 8.73; October 8.74; December 8.76.

The spot market was steady with a good demand reported at 9 cents for Rio 7's and 12 1-4 to 12 3-4 for Santos 4's.

BRISCOE RELEASED ON $10,000 BOND

R. W. Briscoe who has been held at the county jail several months on a statutory charge and who was recently indicted for the same offense, was released on $10,000 bond Monday. No announcement has been made as to the date of Briscoe's trial.

Stocks

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Abrupt hardening of money rates, strength of European exchanges and heavy trading in the grain and commodity markets at higher quotations, were the conflicting elements which attended today's active and generally higher stock market.

Call loans opened and renewed at four per cent, but made progressive advance to 6 per cent, the latter prevailing in the final half hour. Aside from profit taking in special issues, the firmer money tendency was without marked effect on quoted values. Freight traffic at western and southwestern points expanded only moderately, but the demand for securities from these centers denoted increased confidnce on the part of investors.

Stock market prices were influenced partly by the agreement reached between the Mexican government and American oil interests relating to export taxes. Buying of Junior rails, which extended to bonds of the same class, again seemed to be based on better crop prospects and hopes of restored dividends.

Low priced rails of the Granger and cotton carrying dividends featured the early buying of transportations, the movement later embracing dividend paying trans-continentals and coalers.

Mexican petroleum and affiliated issues were one to three points higher at maximum quotations. Similar gains were made by steels, equipments, motors and their accessories, tobaccos, chemicals, rubbers and shippings. United Fruit was the strongest feature at a net gain of 5 1-2 points.

Acute weakness was shown by national enameling at a gross reaction of 8 points, only part of which was retreived at the close. Directors of the company meet tomorrow for dividend action. Seneca copper and Columbia gas were among the other backward stocks.

Sales amounted to 800,000 shares.

Sterling demand bills were carried up to 4.39, the highest quotation since 1919 and allied exchanges rose 10 to 17 points. German marks weakened, Central European bills were moderately lower and Scandinavian rates eased.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST

Allied Chemical & Dye	15	58⅝
Am. Beet Sugar	6	36
American Can	42	39⅞
Am. Car & Fdy.	16	148
Am. Hide & Leath. Pfd.	6	66½
Am. International Corp.	99	44¼
American Locomotive	76	109¾
American Linseed	9	33
Am. Smelt. & Refin.	2	46
American Sugar	35	67⅛
Am. Sumatra Tob.	15	25½
Am. Tel. & Tel.	62	119½
Am. Woolen	21	83⅞
Anaconda Copper	34	48⅞
Atchison	15	97
*Atlan. Coast Line	..	87
Atl. Gulf & W. Indies	5	26¾
Baldwin Locomotive	139	105⅞
Balt. & Ohio	36	36⅛
Bethlehem Steel "B"	48	63⅝
Canadian Pacific	22	130½
Central Leather	28	32½
Chandler Motors	43	64
Ches. & Ohio	8	58¼
C. M. & St. P.	18	20¼
C. R. I. & P.	193	38¼
Coca Cola	16	45
Corn Products	25	103
Crucible Steel	57	60¾
Cuba Cane Sugar	30	10¼
Endicott-Johnson	7	79⅝
Erie	9	10⅞
Famous Players-Lasky	44	81½
General Asphalt	34	62
General Electric	30	152½
General Motors	73	8¾
Great Northern Pfd.	14	75½
Gulf States Steel	15	73⅛
Illinois Central	10	98⅛
*Inspiration Copper	..	38
International Harvester	32	87½
Int. Mer. Marine Pfd.	75	72⅞
International Paper	7	48½
Invincible Oil	20	14⅛
Kelly-Springfield Tire	88	38⅞
Kennecott Copper	16	27¼
L. & N.	2	113
Mexican Petroleum	267	122⅜
Midde States Oil	85	13¼
Midvale Steel	13	30
Missouri Pacific	35	19
N. Y. Central	69	77¼
N. Y. N. H. & Hartford	32	17⅝
Norfolk & Western	6	100¼
Northern Pacific	29	79¾
Okla. Prod. & Refin.	3	2⅞
Pacific Oil	19	47
Pan-Amer. Petroleum	59	55¼
Pennsylvania	14	34¾
Pure Oil	9	33⅞
Reading	38	74⅝
Rep. Iron & Steel	5	53
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	74	51⅛
St. L. & San Fran.	162	25
Seaboard Air Line	8	4¼
Seab. Air Line Pfd.	1	7⅞
Sears Roebuck	53	64⅛
Shell Trans. Trad.	2	40
Sinclair Oil & Refining	44	19¼
Sloss-Shef. Steel & Iron	5	40
Southern Pacific	49	84⅞
Southern Railway	113	19¼
So. Ry. Pfd.	14	52
Stan. Oil of N. J. Pfd.	4	115¼
Studebaker Corp.	303	96¼
Tennessee Copper	2	10¼
Texas Co.	57	45⅞
Texas & Pacific	56	30⅞
Tobacco Products	25	63¾
Transcontinental Oil	1	9½
Union Pacific	14	131¼
United Fruit	25	144
U. S. Food Products	12	4¼
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	26	45¼
United Retail Stores	54	54
U. S. Rubber	50	55½
U. S. Steel	30	91¼
U. S. Steel Pfd.	18	116¼
Utah Copper	7	61⅝
Vanadium Corp.	54	34½
Virginia Caro. Chem.	2	31
Western Union	2	92
Westinghouse Electric	107	55⅜
Willys-Overland	21	4⅝

* Bid.

Total sales 812,000.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Foreign exchange irregular. Great Britain demand $4.39; cables $4.39¾; 60 day bills on banks $4.36. France demand 9.15½c; cables 9.16c. Italy demand 5.04½c; cables 5.05c. Belgium demand 8.70½c; cables 8.71c. Germany demand .44¼c; cables .44¾c. Holland demand 37.93c; cables 37.99c. Norway demand 17.00c; Sweden demand 26.50c; Denmark demand 20.78c; Switzerland demand 19.50c; Spain 15.88c; Greece demand 4.57c; Poland demand .02⅞c; Czecho-Slovakia demand 1.89c; Argentina demand 36.87c; Brazil demand 13.75c; Montreal 96¾c.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Butter easy; creamery extras 36½. Eggs lower; receipts 16,093 cases; firsts 29. Poultry alive, higher; fowls 24; springs 25; roosters 18.

NEW YORK BONDS

*U. S. 2s, registered	103¾
*U. S. 2s, coupon	101¾
*U. S. 4s, registered	104⅝
*U. S. 4s, coupon	104⅝
*Panama 3s, registered	79
*Panama 3s, coupon	79
Am. Smel. & Refin. 5s	89
Am. Tel. & Tel. cv. 6s	111⅝
Atchison gen. 4s	87½
*Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	87
Balt. & Ohio cv. 4½s	76¼
Bethlehem Steel ref. 5s	93
Cent. of Ga. Consol. 5s	96⅝
Central Leather 5s	95⅛
*Chesapeake & Ohio cv. 5s	85
C. M. & St. P. cv. 4½s	62¾
C. R. I. & P. ref. 4s	78
Col. & Southern ref. 4½s	85⅞
*Denver & R. G. consol. 4s	74
Dom. of Can. 5s (1931)	96⅜
Erie gen. 4s	44½
*Illinois Central ref. 4s	84½
Int. Mer. Marine 6s	93⅞
K. C. Southern ref. 5s	85¾
Liggett & Myers 5s	93½
L. & N. un. 4s	90¼
Mo. Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	75½
Mo. Pac. gen. 4s	62¼
N. Y. Central deb. 6s	99½
Norfolk & Western cv. 6s	105½
Northern Pacific 4s	84½
Pennsylvania gen. 5s	95½
Reading gen. 4s	82½
Rep. Iron & Steel 5s (1940)	95½
St. L. & San Fran. adj. 6s	76¼
Seaboard Air Line adj. 5s	19
*Southern Bell Tel. 5s	94¾
*Southern Pacific cv. 5s	95
Southern Ry. 5s	90⅜
Southern Ry. gen. 4s	61¾
Texas & Pacific 1st 5s	91⅝
Union Pacific 4s	91
U. K. of G. B. & I. 5½s (1937)	99⅝
U. S. Steel 5s	100½
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	95
Wabash 1st 5s	93½
Wilson & Co. cv. 6s	84¼

* Bid.

MONEY ON CALL

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Call money strong; high 6, low 4, ruling rate 4, closing bid 5½, offered at 6, last loan 6, call loans against acceptances 3½. Time loans firm; 60 days 4¾ @5. Mercantile paper 4¾ @5.

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s 97.06; first 4s 96.80; second 4s 96.54; first 4¼s 97.00; second 4¼s 96.74; third 4¼s 97.44; fourth 4¼s 97.16; victory 3¾s 100.00; victory 4¾s 100.28.

Grain

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Big advances in wheat prices today failed to encounter any aggressive opposition. Scarcity of offerings emphasized talk of possible world shortage of bread stuffs supplies, and let the market ascend as much as 6 1-4 c, going far above any quotation current heretofore this season. The close was strong at the topmost point reached, 4c to 6 1-4c net higher, with May $1.46 1-4 to $1.46 1-2 and July 1.27 3-4 to 1.27 7-8. Corn gained 7-8 to 1 1-8, and oats 1-8 to 1-4c. In provisions, the outcome varied from 5c decline to 17c advance.

Rising prices in the wheat market were accompanied by reports that Germany had bought 3,000,000 to 3,500,000 bushels of Argentine and Canadian. Meanwhile, Holland was terests had taken 500,000 bushels of Canadian. Meanwhile, Hollnd was said to be after United States wheat at Gulf of Mexico ports, and Japan buying on the Pacific coast. Advices were at hand also telling of continued drought conditions in Kansas and Oklahoma threatening to curtail further the early supplies from the 1922 domestic crop, in addition to recent reductions of about 100,000,000 bushels in the estimated surplus of Canada, Australia and Argentina as compared with previous generally accepted figures. At no time during today's session were setbacks in wheat prices more than of an ordinary profit-taking character. The May delivery here showed more strength than the July, and was particularly affected by an advance in the Liverpool market. Another reason for the apparent special bouyancy of the May delivery was gossip that a leading elevator interest was acquiring all available cash wheat there.

Corn as well as wheat broke the present season's high-price record. Announcement of an increase of 2,152,000 bushel in the visible supply of corn was offset by continued active demand from the seaboard. Oats were held down by liberal receipts an drather free selling.

Provisions rose with hogs and grain. Besides, exports of lard were considerably in excess of last year's figures.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	1.42¾	1.46½	1.42	1.46¼
July	1.26	1.27⅞	1.25	1.27¾
Corn—				
May	63½	64	63	63½
July	65¼	65¾	65	65½
Oats—				
May	41⅜	42	41½	41⅝
July	43¼	43¼	42⅝	43
Pork—				
May	....	....	....	21.00
Lard—				
May	11.65	11.80	11.65	11.77
July	11.87	12.00	11.85	11.97
Ribs—				
May	11.45	11.50	11.22	11.47
July	11.25	11.25	11.15	11.25

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 20.—Cash wheat No. 2 red 1.30@1.42; No. 2 hard 1.35@1.37.

Corn No. 2 white 54; No. 2 yellow 54½@55.

Oats No. 2 white 37½@38; No. 3 mixed 37@37½.

SUGAR

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The raw sugar market was quieter today and while there was no change in quotations from 2¼c for Cubas cost and freight equal to 3.60 for centrifugal, offerings at this level were quite heavy.

The only sales reported were 40,000 bags of Cubas to local and outport refiners at quoted prices for February-March shipment.

In raw futures trading was more active and prices were easier under rather general selling, closing at declines of 5 to 9 points. There was some hesitation at the start and prices showed a slight advance but in the afternoon there was active realizing and final prices were about the lowest. There was considerable switching from March and May to later deliveries. Final bids: March 2.21; July 2.60; September 2.73.

The market for refined sugar was unchanged at 5.10 for fine granulated and there was a good inquiry reported.

Refined futures were without transactions, closing 5 points higher with March at 5.55; May 5.60; July 5.80.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Feb. 20.—Cattle and calves were steady today, receipts bein gestimated at 3,000 head of cattle and 1,500 calves. Several cars of steers went at 6.00 to 7.10, Yearlings brought 4.00 to 8.50.

Extremely dull trading in the hog yards where receipts were 2,500 head. Market steady to 10c lower. Bulk sales ranged from 9.00 to 9.25. Pigs gained 25 to 40c, the top being 8.15. Most stocker pigs brought 7.75 to 8.00.

Sheep receipts 3,500 head, but of that number 3,000 head were on through billing. Some lambs brought 13.00, the market being strong. Quote:

Cattle, beeves 3.50@7.25; stockers 3.25@5.75; cows 2.50@5.50; canners 2.00@2.50; heifers 3.00@5.50; yearlings 3.50@7.0; bulls 2.00@4.00; calves 2.00@7.00.

Hogs, light 9.30@9.50; medium 9.00@9.30; mixed 8.50@9.00; comrought 6.50@8.25; pigs 7.00@8.15, mon 7.50@8.50; heavy 9.00@9.25;

Sheep, lambs 8.00@13.00; yearlings 6.50@10.50; wethers 6.25@7.75; ewes 6.00@7.25; culls 1.00@2.00; stocker sheep 4.50@6.00; feeder lambs 7.50@9.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 20.—Cattle, receipts 16,000; beef steers and fat she stock mostly steady to strong; top steers 8.10; other sales 6.40@7.85; better grades cows 5.00@3.50; good Texas heifers held at 6.75; calves steady to strong; practical top on vealers 10.00; stockers and feeders steady to higher; choice Texas feeders 7.50; stockers 5.75@7.25; canners 2.75@3.00; cutters 3.50@4.00; bulls 3.50@4.25; calves 6.50@7.00.

Hogs, receipts 12,000; open 10@15c higher; bulk lights 9.85@9.95; top 10.00; closed active, 5 to 10c higher; packer top 9.00; bulk medium weights 9.50@9.80; bulk sales 9.00@9.90; bulk sows 7.50@7.75; stock pigs up to 9.60.

Sheep, receipts 9,000; sheep steady to strong, ewes 7.50; wethers 8.50; lambs generally 25c higher.

DRY GOODS

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Cotton goods were firmer and brown sheetings have been advanced half cent a yard by some selling agents. Bleached cottons were quiet with a firmer tendency. Combed yarns were easier. Raw silk was quiet with prices tending lower. Worsted for men's wear are quiet but some fall lines of wool goods have been sold up and withdrawn. Burlaps were firmer.

COTTONSEED OIL

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Cottonseed oil was strong and active, closing prices being near top and from 32 to 41 points net higher. There was good buying by the west and south, and shorts had to bid up to get any oil. Crude markets were firmer. Sales were 43,600 barrels. Prime crude 9.00 bid; prime yellow spot 10.50; March 10.36; May 10.79; July 11.04, all bid.

Cotton

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—An early advance in the cotton market met considerable realizing, but it was absorbed on comparatively slight reactions and prices made new high ground for the movement late on bullish southern spot advances, trade buying and coverings. May contracts sold off from 18.20 to 17.94 and advanced to 18.28, closing at 18.15 compared with 17.97 at the close last week. The general market closed steady at net advances of 17 to 27 points.

The opening was barely steady at an advance of 15 points to a decline of 16 points, but the market firmed up right after the call owing to reiterated reports of an improving trade in Lancashire, the firmness of foreign exchange and trade buying to fix prices. Active months soon showed net advances of about 12 to 26 points which, in the case of old crop deliveries, made a recovery of about $11 to $12 per bale from the low levels of late last month. This was evidently sufficient to attract a good bit of realizing and there were reactions of 15 or 20 points during the middle of the day in consequence, except for the profit taking which was promoted by uncertainty as to the extent and effect of first March notices on Thursday; however, there was little or no selling pressure and the market firmed up again during the early afternoon on renewed covering. March shorts showed increasing anxiety because of the comparatively small offerings with only one full day's trading left before the first notice day and there was buying of later months on reports of a good export demand in some parts of the south.

March sold up to 18.54 or 36 points net higher and July 17.78 or 33 points net higher, with later months showing net advances of 25 to 27 points in the late trading. There was no change in the news from the domestic goods market or the New England labor troubles, but local brokers reported that there had been more buying to fix prices for the trade than at any time previously since the advance started. Closing prices were a little off from the best under realizing. Port receipts today 13,588. U. S. port stock, 1,098,381. Exports 12,235, making 3,655,315 so far this season.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 20.—Two distinct upward movements were made in the cotton market today, one on the opening and the other on the late trading but in between the market hesitated and fell off while on the close it was none too strong, showing net advances on the session of 14 to 20 points. The first bulge carried prices 22 to 31 points, but much realizing was done by longs following this rise so that around the middle of the morning session, the trading months were off to levels two points under to five points over the close of last week. March trading down to 16.94 as compared to 17.23 as the high of the day. Later on the market rose to net gains of 28 to 35 points. March did not make a high level, but October rose to 16.60. On the close March stood at 17.07 and October at 16.46.

The first gains were due mainly to a better Liverpool than expected and spot sales in that market of 20,000 bales, the largest spot transaction in a long time. Increasing the favorable effect of these sales were private messages to the effect that cheap money and a revival in export trade were creating more demand for cotton. The period of hesitation that followed seemed to be due to uncertainty of what to expect in the way of tenders here tomorrow, it being first notice day for March.

Strength in the late trading was borrowed from the wheat market, its bulges causing sympathetic buying of cotton.

LIVERPOOL SPOT COTTON

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 20.—Cotton spot in good demand; price firm. Good middling 11.13; fully middling 10.83; middling 10.48; low middling 9.53; good ordinary 8.28; ordinary 7.53. Sales 20,000 bales, including 11,000 American. Receipts 28,000 bales, including 14,200 American. Futures closed barely steady; February 10.18; March 10.22; May 10.25; July 10.20; September 9.94; October 9.86; December 9.74; January 9.69.

Varsity Club Music Program Is Announced

William E. Young, singer, accompanied by Miss Annette Walsh, will make up the musical program at today's luncheon of the University club, at the Kemp hotel.

Dr. David Goldberg of Temple Israel, will be the speaker of the day, his subject being "Is There Room for Improvement of Our Present System of Education."

Dr. Goldberg is considered an authority on various phases of educational problems, making a special study of present conditions, and his talk is expected to prove highly entertaining and instructive as well.

May Buy Movie Machine for Local School

This evening beginning at 7:30 o'clock, a moving picture show will be given at the Barwise school by David F. Parker of Dallas, who will demonstrate a motion picture machine with a showing of educational and recreational films. If the machine proves satisfactory to the Barwise community it will probably be bought for the school, according to the announcement.

Superintendent Lee Clark, Mrs. M. M. Adickes and other members of the school board will be present and make talks.

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ANNOUNCE TWO NEW TEACHERS

Two new teachers have been added to the local teachers' staff the past week, C. E. Adams of Galveston who will teach chemistry and physics at high school, and Gaylord McMillon of Ada, Okla., who will teach history and have charge of the athletics at the junior high.

Mr. McMillon will take the place made vacant by the resignation of Paul L. Boynton, who left recently for Tennessee to enter Peabody college.

G. O. P. HOUSE MEMBER TO SEEK KENYON'S PLACE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Burton F. Sweet, republican member of the house from the third Iowa district, announced today he would enter the republican primaries in June as a candidate for the senate. He will seek the nomination for the unexpired term of Senator Kenyon, who will leave the senate this week to become a federal circuit judge.

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W. J. WEBB, Secretary.
Work in the Entered Apprentice degree Monday, February 20, at 6:00 p. m.
Work in the Fellowcraft degree Friday, February 24th, at 6.00 p. m.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202 R. A. M. Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
L. I. BENNETT, H. P.
W. J. WEBB, Secretary.
Work in the Chapter Degrees Thursday, Feb. 23, at 6:30 p. m.

Wichita Falls Commandery, No. 59. —Stated conclaves first and third Thursdays of each fonth.
WILLIAM Y. HAMMACK, E. Commander.
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Commandery drill Tuesday, February 21st, at 7:00 p. m.
Commandery drill Thursday, February 23, at 7:00 p. m. All members of the drill team please be present.

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Now is the time to brighten up your home for spring, and we wish to call your special attention to our big assortment of rare values in wall paper. Also paints, varnishes, stains, enamels and floor finishes. It will pay you to see us before you buy.
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Any Suit or Overcoat in house made to measure.
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TEXAS IRON & METAL CO.,
205 Mississippi. Phone 6860. P. O. Box 268.

34—GAS, OIL AND MINERAL

ARCHER OIL—
The Markley-Johnson well in Archer County is producing oil. The T. & P. Canal company and other Big companies are going in. I have a 500 acre block with derrick up near this well. Will you give the entire acreage and derrick for a well.
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35—OIL LAND LEASES

EAST TEXAS OIL LEASES, Smith county, now being rapidly developed, promises a new Mexia. For full information, address P. O. Box 591, Tyler, Texas.

39—REAL ESTATE—WANTED

HAVE $1,000.00 and nice clear lot on pavement to apply on four or five room house well located.
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40—REAL ESTATE—FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Brand new, modern, east front, 5-room house, hardwood floors, garage and servants' house. Located 1704 Tilden street. Phone 2791 or 2289.

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Phone 2945.

FOR SALE OR TRADE
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WOULD trade acreage on Meridian highway near Bowie, for unincumbered residence in Wichita Falls, 605½ Ohio.

41—REAL ESTATE–EXCHANGED

We trade in personal property and real estate, what have you to exchange? HAGER REALTY CO. Ward Bldg.

$30,000.00 IMPROVED farm; A-1 class in Tillman county, near Tipton to trade for Wichita Falls residence or business property. HAGER REALTY CO., Ward Bldg.

TRADE east front to Highland addition for furniture, car or groceries. Phone 5193. 707 Austin.

FIVE-ROOM house clear to trade for small farm, would assume some differensce. HAGER REALTY CO. Ward Bldg.

44—LEGAL NOTICES

The following animals are now located at the City Pound: One rhone horse, 6 mules, and 2 burros.
These animals will be sold to the highest bidder 10 days from February 12th, unless they are identified by owners and costs paid.
W. J. DUNCAN.
City Pound Officer.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
The County Auditor of Wichita County will receive sealed bids until 10 o'clock a. m. March 6th, 1922, for the construction of one 70 foot steel bridge with concrete abutments, across Holliday Creek in Wichita County. Plans and specifications on file in the office of the County Engineer. Usual rights reserved.
W. W. MURPHY,
County Auditor.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Texas, County of Wichita.
By virtue of a certain Order of Sale, issued out of the Honorable District Court of Wichita County, on the 6th day of February, 1922, by A. F. Kerr, Clerk of the District Court, Wichita County, Texas, against S. R. Tarvis, et al, for the sum of Ten Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty-Six ($10,956.00) Dollars, and costs of suit in cause No. 11910-A in said Court, styled Ethel C. Ayers vs. S. R. Tarvis, et al and placed in my hands for service, I, Fred K. Smith, as Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 6th day of February, 1922 levy on certain Real Estate situated in Wichita County, described as follows, to-wit: All of Lot 11 in Block 184 of the Original Town Plat of the City of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said S. R. Tarvis, J. S. Bridwell, Wm. Viner, Abe Lebenson, Harry C. Weeks and Security National Bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, jointly and severally, and on Tuesday the 7th day of March, 1922, at the Court House Door of Wichita County, in the Town of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., I will sell said Real Estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said S. R. Tarvis, J. S. Bridwell, Wm. Viner, Abe Lebenson, Harry C. Weeks, Security National Bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, jointly and severally, by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.
And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita County.
Witness my hand this the 6th day of February, 1922.
FRED K. SMITH, Sheriff Wichita County, Texas.
F. E. JOHNSON, Deputy.

NOTICE OF SALE
Notice is hereby given that I will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash between the hours of ten a. m. and four o'clock p. m. on March 13th, 1922 at the D. G. Whitney place, 3 miles from Wichita Falls on Charley road, the following described horses:
One 4-year-old bay horse, 14 hands high, weight about 800 pounds, no marks or brands, white spot on forehead.
One 2-year-old sorrel mare, 13 hands high, weight about 700 pounds, no marks or brands.
One 3-year-old sorrel mare, 15 hands high, weight about 900 pounds, no marks or brands.
Said sale being made to satisfy pasturer's lien held by Guy Roberts against above stock, pastured for G. W. Wright and Mr. Ferrell in the sum of $280.00.
FRANK MORGAN
Constable Pct. No. 1, Wichita County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Lillian Brissette by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th District Court of Wichita County, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Wichita Falls, on the First Monday in March, A. D., 1922, the same being the 6th day of March, A. D., 1922. Then and there to answer a petition field in said Court on the 26th day of January, A. D., 1922 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 12255-B wherein, Floyd Brissette is Plaintiff and Lillian Brissette is Defendant and said petition alleging. That on or about the 7th of March, 1921, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant; that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 28th of May, 1921, when by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of defendant toward plaintiff, and further fact that defendant on or about said date permanently abandoned plaintiff, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife.
Plaintiff alleges that defendant's actions and conduct toward him generally are of such a nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable. Wherefore, plaintiff prays the court that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, and on final trial hereof, that he have judgment dissolving said marriage relations, for costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, general and special in law and in equity to which he may show himself entitled to, etc.
Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 6th day of February, A. D. 1922.
A. F. KERR, Clerk District Court, Wichita County, Texas.
By EUNICE JACKSON, Deputy.
SEAL.
This is to certify that the above is a true copy of original Citation by Publication.
FRED K. SMITH, Sheriff.
By F. E. JOHNSON, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF WICHITA
By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Wichita County, Texas, on the 14th day of January, 1922, by A. F. Kerr, Clerk of the District Court of Wichita County, Texas, against Oscar Dunnagan, for the sum of Seven Hundred and Fifty and No 100 Dollars ($750.00) and costs of suit in Cause No. 9831-C in said court, styled P. L. McDonald versus Oscar Dunnagan, and placed in my hands for service, I, Fred K. Smith, Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 13th day of February, 1922, levy on certain property situated in Wichita County, Texas, described as follows:
One 45 Horse Power boiler, one 1x12 Acme Engine, one Lucy Rotary Swivel and Hose, one Drilling Line, 800 feet long, a four shift traveling block, one set draw works and chains, two oil well supply mud pumps, set Eureka tongs, break out tong, Crown block 1700 feet 6 5-8 casing three joints six inch casing controler, about 1800 feet four inch drill pipe, also tool joints, about 3500 feet two inch water line, three 100 barrel tanks, one Moon generator, Rotary derrick, also three oil, gas and mineral lease held by the said Oscar Dunnagan on 36¼ acres of land known as the G. W. Chapman farm, located about ½ mile south from the town of Clara, in Wichita County, Texas.
And levied upon said property of the said Oscar Dunnagan. And on the 7th day of March, 1922, at the Court House door of Wichita County, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said property at public auction for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said Oscar Dunnagan by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.
And in compliance with law I give notice by publication in the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Record News, a newspaper published in said Wichita County, Texas. Also by posting a copy of this notice in three public places in Wichita County, one at the Court House Door, and one at two other places in Wichita County.
Witness my hand this, the 13th day of February, A. D. 1922.
FRED K. SMITH, Sheriff.
By F. E. JOHNSON, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Texas, County of Wichita.
By virtue of a certain Order of Sale, issued out of the Honorable District Court of Wichita County, on the 3rd day of February, 1922, by A. F. Kerr, Clerk of the District Court of Wichita County, Texas, against James T. Cumley and J. T. Averill, for the sum of Nine Hundred Eighty-Five ($985.66) Dollars and Sixty-Six Cents and costs of suit in cause No. 11793-A in said Court, styled, Highland Irrigation & Land Co. vs. James T. Cumley and J. T. Averill, and placed in my hands for service, I, Fred K. Smith as Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 6th day of February, 1922, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Wichita County, described as follows, to-wit: Situated in Wichita County, Texas, and being Lot 9 in Block 79-A of the Highland Addition to the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said James T. Cumley and J. T. Averill, and on Tuesday the 7th day of March, 1922, at the Court House Door of Wichita County, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. I will sell said Real Estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said James T. Cumley and J. T. Averill by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.
And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita County.
Witness my hand this the 6th day of February, 1922.
FRED K. SMITH, Sheriff Wichita County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF WICHITA
By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the 78th District Court of Wichita County, Texas, on the 13th day of February, 1922, by A. F. Kerr, Clerk of the District Court of Wichita County, Texas, R. N. Webb, in the sum of Twelve Thousand Three Hundred and Four and 11-100 Dollars ($12,304.11) and costs of suit in cause No. 10028 in said court, styled Mrs. Katherine Howard and Husband Rhea Howard, Plaintiff, versus R. N. Webb, defendant, and placed in my hands for service, I, Fred K. Smith, as sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 13th day of February, A. D. 1922, levy on certain property situated in Wichita County, Texas, and described as follows, to-wit:
Being the East One Half (E½) of lots 8 and 9 in block 188 of the City of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, according to the recorded map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of Wichita County, Texas.
And levied upon as the property of said R. N. Webb and on Tuesday, the 7th day of March, 1922, at the Court House door of Wichita County, Texas, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said property at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said R. N. Webb by virtue of said Order of sale.
And in compliance with law I give notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita County, Texas.
Witness my hand this, the 13th day of February, A. D. 1922.
FRED K. SMITH, Sheriff
By F. E. JOHNSON, Deputy.

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NON-PARTISAN MOVEMENT LAUNCHED AT CHICAGO IN BEHALF OF WORKING CLASS

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Unanimous support of a new movement to install men and women of the working class in the nation's legislative halls was pledged by farmers, members of the socialist and farmer-labor parties, labor union leaders and clergymen in a conference today, called by a group of railroad union men, headed by Wm. H. Johnston, president of the International Association of Machinists.

Declared by Morris Hillquist of New York to be "the most significant event that has taken place in the American labor movement for a generation," the conference brought together leaders high in labor and minor political circles, although Chairman Johnston declared in his opening address that the time was not yet ripe for formation of a new party, today's meeting was expected to develop the germ of such an organization which some delegates said would be functioning by 1924.

Non-partisan political action in 1922 elections was the keynote. A dozen speakers pledged their support of a program to endorse candidates favorable to the working man. Committees on program and organization will report tomorrow, when definite plans are expected to be adopted.

By combining their efforts, workers of every class could build a political machine which would elect to office "men and women truly representative of the people of the United States," E. J. Manion of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers told the delegates, and both he and Thomas Van Lear, former mayor of Minneapolis, pledged their support.

Morris Hillquist, of the socialist party, declared he was not at the meeting to make "political capital," and did not seek office for socialist candidates there.

The Rev. Herbert Bigelow of Cincinnati made a plea to capture the primaries in the established parties by electing men representative of the workers interests and H. F. Samuels, a farmer of Idaho, urged the unity of all classes in achieving that end.

Another clergyman, the Rev. Richard Hogue of Philadelphia, executive secretary of the church league for industrial democracy, pointed out the opportunity to gather support from students.

The organized farmers attitude was presented by A. J. Long of the United Society of Agriculture, who emphasized the necessity of obtaining the actual facts on the value of their production and demanding their share of production.

The farmer-labor party, represented by J. G. Brown, national secretary, was friendly to the new movement, asserted Mr. Brown, who pledged his support.

"We must depend on ourselves and not on our political friends," he declared.

The same idea was expressed by James H. Maurer of the national executive council of the socialist party and president of the Pennsylvania state Federation of Labor. He said that 90 per cent of the union men in his state had voted by ballot for independent political action and the state convention of the federation had gone on record similarly.

Following the election of Mr. Johnston, as permanent chairman and Benjamin C. Marsh, of the farmers council, as secretary, committees were named.

FULL OF THRILLS

Thurston—Frumenti is a very stimulating writer, don't you think

Wetmore—Never heard of him. What does he write, red-blooded fiction?

Thurston—No; he's an M. D. He writes prescriptions.

CLAY COUNTY ROAD PAVING ORDER PASSED

Previously Indicated Action Is Carried Out by Commissioners in Action Adopted by Them.

Following out their previously announced plan the county commissioners court Monday passed an order setting aside $150,000 from the county road bond money for the paving of the Clay county line road east of this city. The action means that unless another change is made later the four miles stretch of road will be paved before the present money is all expended.

The action was taken after Frank Kell, R. E. Huff and Hubert Harrison general manager of the Chamber of Commerce, appeared before the court asking that they be given definite information as to what would be done in regard to the paving of the Clay county road. Commissioners Prescott, Kunts and Haynes then passed the motion setting aside the money.

Commissioner Jackson refused to vote with the three other commissioners declaring he could see no necessity for the action. He declared that provision was made for the paving of the road in the written contract and for that reason there was no need to pass another motion. The commissioner also objected to the apparent plan of the other members of the court to pave additional roads out Burkburnett, Iowa Park and Electra before paving the Clay county road. He said the road should be paved as soon as the present Burkburnett road contract is completed in order that the county could obtain state and federal aid. He pointed out that six miles of the road between this city and Burkburnett was included in the same project as the Clay county line road and the out side aid could not be obtained from it until the stretch from here to the Clay county line was completed.

From discussion of members of the court an effort is apparently to be made to secure payments on the bond issue so that the remaining funds can be expended for roads out of Iowa Park, Burkburnett and Electra at the same time. Doubt was expressed as to whether this could be done.

The arrangement whereby this city will receive only the Clay county road from the remaining road funds was apparently satisfactory to Messrs. Kell, Huff and Harrison there only being to assure that the money for its construction would be set aside at this time.

HIS CHOICE

Captain of the Lynching Party—As a last favor to you we'll let you pick out the place. Where do you want to be hung.

The Victim—If it's all the same to you, gents, I'd like to be hung in effigy.

Police Have No Trace of Store Thieves

Police late Monday had obtained no trace of the burglars who secured $1500 worth of wearing apparel or other merchandise which was taken from the McClurkan store late Saturday night or early Sunday morning. Ladies silk night gowns, kimonos, dresses and hosiery made up the larger part of the loot.

DECISION ON ROAD CHANGE IS SUSTAINED

Action of Judge H. F. Weldon of the 30th district court, several weeks ago, dissolving the temporary injunction restraining the commissioners court from changing the route of the Burkburnett road, was upheld by the court of civil appeals, at Fort Worth. The case was affirmed on its hearing by the appellate court, according to word received by the county attorney Monday morning.

Plaintiffs in the case, styled W. A. Stuckey et al, vs. J. P. Jones et al, were representatives of various industrial plants, including several refineries, along the old route of the Burkburnett road. The change in the road, which left them off the improved highway, was objected to strenuously, and the court action was taken in an effort to prevent the change.

When the district court decision favored the commissioner court, paving was begun on the new route, and work is well under way now. The new route lies through the Friberg tract.

DECLARE FOR PROTESTS MEETS ON NORTH SIDE

Declaring the difference of opinion of their signers with the statement issued Saturday that residents on the North Side are not in sympathy with the periodical meetings being held in protest of wages and working conditions on the irrigation project, certificates bearing 117 signatures were brought to The Record News Monday night.

The certificates registered the signers as being North Side residents and as being in sympathy with the meetings.

They furthermore took issue with the statement that none of the North Side men with families were unemployed, declaring that there were "scores of unemployed among us."

NOT ALL SHE MAKES HIM DO

Bess—A wife makes a man forget a whole lot of troubles.

Bob—That a bachelor never has.

THINKS NIGHT TRAINS WILL BE CONTINUED

Hubert Harrison Believes Towns Made Out Best Case on Night Valley Trains Before Committee.

Visits Rio Grande Valley and Finds Lessons in Irrigation Experience Which Can Be Applied Here.

Confidence that Wichita Falls and other places along the Wichita Valley railroad made out a much better case for the retention of the night trains than the railroad made for permission to discontinue them, and that the permission requested for their cancellation would as a result be denied by the Texas railroad commission, was expressed by Hubert Harrison, general manager of the Chamber of Commerce on his return from Austin, where he represented the local organization at the hearing.

Following the Austin hearing Mr. Harrison visited several irrigation projects in the Rio Grande valley, and returned very much enthused with the possibilities of irrigation in this district. Mr. Harrison found two lessons in the experience of the projects in the Rio Grande valley which he believes can be well applied here, the necessity for working out in advance a comprehensive system of marketing the products of the farms, and the demonstrated advisability of selling on long time and liberal terms to men of such experience as would satisfy faith in their ultimate success, rather than on large cash payments from the inexperienced.

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"Moran of the Lady Letty"

Kiwanians Try Fling At Webster

Pleased with their last week's stagger at some of the puzzlers incorporated in the old "blue back speller" Kiwanians invaded deeper waters Monday in a flirtation with some of the subject matter in one Noah Webster's well known work.

Several entirely new and novel definitions for many of the words given out by Lee Clark, who presided, were produced as the fruits of the day, while the carnage produced by several entirely apparently harmless words could be described as frightful.

The last four standing went down on the word dag, so the winner of the contest was left in doubt. C. W. Reid defined dag as an instrument of torture, Ben Neal thought it was a vegetable, A. M. McPherson thought that it was used to tie lots together and Jim Waggener insisted it was closely akin to an axe.

Other hits of the hour were Dr. Collard's definition of polonaise as a Frenchman and Walter Curlee's description of scraw as a conglomeration of incongruities, which was excepted. C. W. Reid gave the sentence "I saw a beautiful pachyderm" as an example of the use of pachyderm. Two definitions were advanced for "knickerbocker," one defining it as a variety of trousers, and another giving an example of its use in connection with "advocating tar and feathers." Anthem was demonstrated by one side with the song "How Dry I Am."

The musical program was furnished by Mrs R. L. Chatrncross. Judge J. W. Aka presented the silent boost in the form of Eskimo pie, and Jim Moulder donated a irfe extinguisher for the attendance prize which was won by Harry Naylor.

CITY COUNCIL ORDERS PAVING OF INDIANA AVE.

The city council Monday night following a public hearing ordered in the paving of Indiana between Tenth and Twelfth streets. Only one property concerned in the improvement offered any protest to the ordering of the paving for which conctract was let several weeks ago.

The council also opened bids for the paving for which contract was Grace to Ohio avenue. The council will meet at 11:30 o'clock this morning to further consider the bids which will be tabulated and it is probable that the contract for the improvement will be let. The bids submitted were Plains Paving company, brick on concrete base $3.45; Whitham Construction company, $3.22 concrete; I. H. Roberts uvalde, $3.40; West Texas Construction company, bithilitic $3.46. The bids are the average of those which have been submitted recently for similar material.

The council passed on its first reading an ordinance which provides for the regulation of filling stations selling gasoline and oils. The ordinance provides for an inspection of pumps and also regulates the quality of the production to be sold.

The weights and measures ordinance which contains additions to the ordinance already in effect was passed on its third publication and will become effective as soon as proper publication is made. The ordinance provides for an inspection of all scales and measures in the city at regular intervals.

A tax matter was brought to the attention of the council by H. J. Anderson, city tax collector. Claiming that part of their property assessed for city tax is not located within the city limits the Panhandle Refining company has refused to pay a part of their assessment. The council ordered City Attorney Mann to conduct an investigation and report back to the council.

For the first time in several weeks Dr. J. H. Reed, city sanitary commissioner attended the meeting. Dr. Reed has been confined to his home by an illness.

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W. S. AUTO SUPPLY CO.,
711 Tenth Street Phone 3088

Men and Women of Affairs
—In the selection of a home, the same careful discrimination and judgment should be applied as in the application of your business.
HOTEL WILLIAM-MARY
furnishes everything to make this hotel an ideal selection.
Transient rates ..... $1.50 daily and up
Weekly rates ..... $8.50 weekly and up
HOTEL WILLIAM-MARY
Phone 4507 Tenth and Travis

Just a Word About Black Cat Hosiery

—We are just a little afraid that you ladies did not get the full meaning of our last Sunday message on Black Cat Hosiery.

—Just to be sure you understand fully we want to tell you again that the prices quoted were not "Special" prices.

—Due to a very favorable contract we made with the manufacturers these prices will hold good all season.

No. 895—Our regular 12-strand lisle top silk hose that you have been paying $2.50 for, at... $1.95

No. 820—Our regular 12-strand, all silk hose that you have been paying $3.50 for, at $2.98

—These prices considering the advance in raw silks are what we as merchants consider extremely low.

—You don't have to buy these hose tomorrow or this week, but these prices will prevail throughout this season.

(Hosiery Department—First Floor)

P.B.M.C. DEPARTMENT STORE
"THE COURTEOUS SERVICE STORE"

10 Reasons Why You Should Use Our Products—*The Only Safe Milk*

We wish to assure you that we realize if we make a success of our business, that we will have to keep the standard of our products at the highest, or above the standard of others.

We are prepared to, as no others in the business at this time, to thoroughly cleanse all utensils in such manner that the bacteria count is very low, if not perfect.

We are located so that we have no stable odor or others to contaminate our products, also building built so as to have plenty of sunlight and fresh air that is so essential in the handling of milk.

Our machinery is of the latest type, constructed for the purpose of sanitation and economy, which is a great asset to the consumers the same as ourselves for it enables us to sell at a lower price.

All our bottles are washed by a power washer, water heated to 130 degrees and containing an alkali solution that could not be used in a hand washer. They are then rinsed in water heated to 200 degrees and sterilized with live steam which insures a practical, perfectly clean bottle.

Our milk, as much as possible, is procured locally and under the same rules of inspection as all other milk being sold in the city and is just as good if not better than other milk sold in the city when we receive it. We then run it through a clarifier, which removes all substances such as dead tissue, caused by nature and has to be thrown off, clotted milk, blood, dirt and all other substances that are not wholesome. This process does not remove any food value.

Pasteurization, which is heating to a given temperature and held for a given time and then quickly cooled to a low temperature, kills all harmful bacteria contained by milk such as tuberculosis, diphtheria, Septic soar throat, typhoid fever, etc.

Pasteurization is not taking the cream out as some people believe, but obtains the above results which makes PASTEURIZED MILK THE ONLY ABSOLUTELY SAFE MILK obtainable.

We have many visitors daily from homes all over the city, and we feel that you are obligated to yourselves to investigate our plant and methods before choosing your milk distributor.

We cordially invite you to visit our plant any time at your convenience, and assuring you we are at your service, selling milk at only 12½c a quart.

We are making the greatest effort ever made in this city to improve the milk supply, and need your support.

PURE MILK PRODUCTS CO.
Phone 2236 104 Pecan Street
IF WE ARE NOT RIGHT YOU CAN GET US RIGHT