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TRIPLE-SLAYER FIGHTS FOR VENUE CHANGE

New Junior High Contract Awarded Thursday

Arctic Waves Bathe North Texas In Ice

Warmer Weather In Store for Friday, Say Observers

A clear cold day with rapidly moderating temperature is the weather man's forecast for north Texas and southwestern Oklahoma today. With the cessation of the heavy snowing at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon there was a steady rise in temperature from a minimum of 24 degrees to a point just below the freezing point. It was expected to hover at this figure during the night.

Blanket In North.

North Texas and the southern fringe of Oklahoma received a blanket of snow averaging three inches from Texline to points south of Wichita Falls and from Altus to just north of Breckenridge. At Wichita Falls the weather bureau reported three and one-half inches of snow, equivalent to .27 inches of rainfall. Similar conditions were reported up the Fort Worth and Denver railway as far as Texline, while the Wichita Falls and Northwestern reported only a sprinkling north of Altus, Okla. The line from there north to Forgan was touched by snow only in a few places.

Sleet and Rain.

A minimum temperature of 24 degrees was reported Thursday in Wichita Falls, the maximum of 30 degrees coming late in the afternoon. Woodward, Okla., reported 28 degrees Thursday night, Texline 24 degrees, Amarillo 24 degrees, and Fort Worth 36 degrees.

Sleet mixed with rain began falling in Wichita Falls at 11 o'clock Wednesday night and by midnight streets presented a slippery, frozen surface. This changed to snow before morning, the snow continuing throughout the day. A penetrating north wind accompanied the snow during most of the day drifting it in places and baring the ground in others.

Streets Dangerous.

Streets were made dangerous for walking and driving, their slippery surface causing skidding galore at corners. Walking in the slush, which appeared in places, and on the slippery sidewalks and streets proved at best disagreeable, although no major accidents to pedestrians or cars were reported during the day.

Where the Weather Man Has Visited

BYERS, Jan. 21—Considerable suffering to livestock has been occasioned in this neighborhood by the cold wave gripping north Texas. The sleet and snow of Wednesday night worked a great hardship, although this was alevinted somewhat Thursday night when the weather cleared.

The snow drifted as high as four feet in some places here.

HASKELL, Jan. 21.—Sleet, rain and snow covered the ground here with an icy coating Thursday. Snow fell practically the entire day although the temperature hovered just at the freezing point.

HENRIETTA, Jan. 21.—Farmers of Clay county were elated Thursday at the heavy blanket of snow covering the ground. It will mean a big advantage, they said.

SEYMOUR, Jan. 21.—When will be greatly aided in this section by Thursday's snow-fall, farmers of this section say. The wheat stand is unusually good for this period of the year. Snow fell most of the day Thursday.

PADUCAH, Jan. 21.—About six inches of snow fell here Wednesday night and Thursday, which will help agriculture measurably. Below freezing temperatures prevailed all day.

BURKBURNETT, Jan. 21.—This city was covered by a blanket of snow over an inch thick Thursday. The skies cleared late in the afternoon following a storm starting Wednesday night.

ALTUS, Okla., Jan. 21.—Southern Oklahoma was in the grip of cold weather Thursday with intermittent flurries of snow most of the day. A good fall came at this city, although it faded out almost completely north of here.

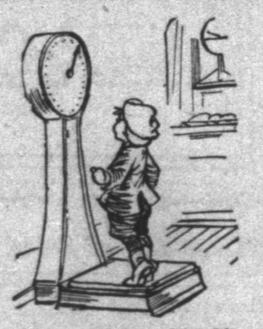
WAURIKA, Jan. 21.—Waurika and vicinity received a good snow storm Thursday. A cold wind from the north caused it to drift heavily in places. Farmers are elated.

CHILDRESS, Jan. 21—With a biting wind and heavy clouds, a blizzard raked at Childress Thursday. The storm began early Wednesday night and continued for most of the day. Clearing skies promise a moderation in weather for Friday. Six inches of snow fell here during Wednesday night and Thursday.

ARCHER CITY, Jan. 21.—Archer county was blanketed with a covering of snow Thursday as a result of an all-night storm Wednesday. The

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THE WEATHER



"I'm gettin' so big Mama don't hardly ever hold me on her lap unless she's mad at Papa an' lonesome."

Local weather conditions for the past 24-hour period as recorded by the Wichita Falls Electric company bureau: Maximum temperature 30 degrees; minimum 24 degrees; at 5 p. m. Thursday 28 degrees precipitation .45 inch; snowfall on ground at time of observation, 3½ inches; north breeze; cloudy; average wind velocity 5 miles per hour; maximum wind velocity 10 miles per hour; barometer 29.29.

OKLAHOMA: Friday fair, not so cold in west portion; Saturday fair, warmer.

EAST TEXAS: Friday fair, no too cold northwest portion; Saturday fair with rising temperature.

WEST TEXAS: Friday and Saturday fair; rising temperature.

THE DAY IN WICHITA FALLS.

The Olympic, Bert Levey vaudeville, "Greata Love."

The Strand, Milton Wills in "The Unguarded Hour."

The Majestic, B. F. Keith, orpheum-Interstate vaudeville.

The Palace, "Lightning Jack." Mullen's Musical Maids; Artie Collins' orchestra.

The Mission, "His Greatest Battle."

The Garden, "Western Pluck."

The Gem, "Western Sands."

Business Council luncheon, Kemp hotel, noon.

SEWELL GIVEN 25-YEAR TERM

Denton Man Convicted Of Robbery of Bank At Holland

BELTON, Texas, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Jess Sewell of Denton was given a sentence of 25 years in prison by a jury in district court here this afternoon in connection with the robbery of the First National Bank of Holland, last July 13. The jury returned its verdict after being out one hour and 15 minutes. Sewell was charged with robbery with fire arms.

The Holland bank was robbed at noon on July 15, when the cashier was forced into the bank vault. The robbers got $1,835 and valuable securities and made their escape. Sewell was indicted following raids made on the Yancey Story ranch near Denton several months later. Story and W. A. Martin, also of Denton, were also indicted in connection with the case and were witnesses for Sewell in the trial here.

Wall Street Still Baffled by Merger

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The mystery surrounding the consolidation plans of the St. Louis-San Francisco railway, which are scheduled for approval by the directors at a special meeting tomorrow, remained unbroken today as Wall street was flooded with rumors of possible combinations involving the road.

One of the reports which aroused the widest interest in the financial district was that the Frisco, with the aid of several banking groups, was negotiating for control of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas.

MERCIER GIVES UP

BRUSSELS, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Cardinal Mercier, who has been failing in strength since his operation in December for lesion of the stomach, has completely resigned himself to the thought that recovery is impossible and continues to ignore the pleadings of his physicians that he refuse to receive visitors.

RAILWAYS EARN 5.75 PCT.

Over 5 Per Cent Is Paid Out For Year's Dividend.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Railroads of the western district, instead of operating at a loss as had been contended, actually earned 5.75 per cent on a fair valuation of their properties in 1925, A. M. Corp, statistician for the Kansas public service commission testified at the rate hearing here today.

Today was "Kansas day" at the hearing.

ARKANSAS MAN GETS WORK ON $144,300 BID

Structure to Be Ready For Use by Sept. 5 of This Year

9 BIDS SUBMITTED

Construction Work Will Start at Once on 3-Story Building

Plans for the new Junior high school building for Wichita Falls to be located between Polk and Taylor streets south of the car line on Avenue "G" were drafted Thursday afternoon by the board of education at the office of Voelcher and Dixon, architects. A contract for general construction was let to J. H. Reddick of Fort Smith, Ark., for $144,300.

The board let the contract for plumbing and heating to J. C. Koioth of Sherman for $21,450; and a contract for wiring to J. H. Reddick for $3,200. The board agreed with Mr. Reddick that the building should be ready by September 5, 1926.

The new building is to be fire proof, three stories high, with only the boiler room in the basement. It is to have 119 class rooms, one woodwork room, one sewing room, one domestic science room, one science laboratory, an art room, library, auditorium with a seating capacity of 1,000 students, and a cafeteria.

Other Bids Received.

Other bids for the general contract were made by nine concerns including the following: Humboldt Construction company of Oklahoma City, $171,270; C. M. Dunning, $162,950.00; R. C. Cate of Wichita Falls, $173,382; Reid-Costley, of this city, $165,900; Robert H. Brown, $155,500; J. D. Stephens company, $152,340.60; and the company with which the contract was made.

Bidders for the wiring included Dosch Electric company, $3,500; Economy Electric, $12,000; Hudgins company, $5,537.53; and C. G. Williams company of San Antonio, $5,-552.

The members of the board present at the meeting included Judge W. R. Chauncey, president; C. H. Clark, Mrs. L. R. Buchanan, Mrs. W. W. Silk, W. Daniels, John Bradley, Carter McGregor.

Construction is to start immediately. Plans were drawn for the structure by Voelcher and Dixon.

Davis Retained In Archer Co. Case

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Attorney General Dan Moody today said he had been unofficially informed that some bonding houses in the east had retained John W. Davis, of New York, democrat candidate for the presidency in 1924, to participate in the Archer county bond case before the United States supreme court. Moody filed application for leave to file motion for rehearing in the case, affecting between $75,000,000 and $100,000,000 in Texas road district bonds.

Bridge Erection Has Opposition

BROWNSVILLE, Jan. 21.—(AP) An incomplete check this afternoon in the bridge franchise referendum election here on the question of granting R. B. Creager, Brownsville financier, a franchise to erect a bridge across the Rio Grande river between Brownsville and Matamoros, showed that little more than 100 votes had been cast.

A legal battle on the right to erect the bridge is expected, regardless of the outcome of the election.

POWER FIRMS MERGE

New Stock to Be Issued All Shareholders of Old Firm.

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 21.—(AP)—Merger of the Georgia railway and power company with the Southwestern Power and Light company of New York was announced here late today by H. M. Arkinson of the Georgia company.

Individual share holders of the Georgia railway and power company will receive in exchange 1,333 shares of cumulative purchasing preferred preferred stock and one share of non par value of common stock of the Southwestern Power and Light company for each share of Georgia railway and power company common stock owned by them.

LAND LAW EFFECTIVE

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The new alien land law is published in diario officil. This constitutes official promulgation of the measure and puts it into effect.

THE DAY IN WASHINGTON

Efforts to fix a date for a world court vote failed.

Hearings were begun on the Cummings railroad consolidation bill.

The Gooding long and short haul bill was approved by a senate committee.

Secretary Wilbur again gave his views on the national defense organization.

Attorney General Sargent and Assistant Attorney General Donovan testified in the aluminum inquiry.

The senate judiciary sub-committee continued its investigation of Judge Harry Anderson of Memphis.

English Is Greek As Radio Brings Him First Sounds

TYLER, Texas, Jan. 21.—(AP)—For E. D. Mallory of Lindale, Smith county, deaf and dumb since infancy, the radio has accomplished a near miracle and has furnished the means of auditory communication denied him all his life.

Recently in a spirit of jest he applied the ear phones to his head. He was astonished when he heard quite clearly the music over the instrument and was able to make the same tonal distinctions possessed by one with unimpaired hearing.

Mr. Mallory is now confronted with the unique problem of learning to "hear" the English language. Having never heard a word spoken and being familiar with only the printed word and the sign language, he will now have to learn his language again in order to distinguish the words coming over the radio.

"It's all Greek to me," he says.

WEEKS IS SUED FOR $1,102,000

Former Department of Justice Employe Files Bill

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—A suit against John W. Weeks, former secretary of war for $1,102,000 alleged to be involved in claims settled in 1921 in connection with the purchase by the United States of Austrian ships was filed here today by Charles B. Brewer, former department of justice employe.

Brewer who figures prominently in the investigation of bond duplication in the bureau of engraving and printing several years ago, declared in his suit that the claim approved by Mr. Weeks when he was secretary of war was false and on behalf of the United States and himself individually, asked recovery of the amount allowed.

The claim, he alleged, was for $550,000 and was awarded George A. Carden and Anderson Herd.

Railway Dispute Believed Settled

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Jan. 21. A tentative agreement which is expected to settle litigation involving the Rio Grande valley, between here and Point Isabel was reached at a meeting of the directors of the road here today when D. A. O'Brien resigned as president and director, and was replaced by W. T. Eldridge.

The conditions under which Eldridge becomes president of the road, holder of the majority of the stock and also holder of a first mortgage lien on the road's properties for money spent by him in standardizing it are that he operate it for two years under all provisions of the state railway commission and that the road be not sold during these two years.

SATTERWHITE IS CONTENT.

Speaker Has no Eyes on Gubernatorial Chair, He Asserts.

AMARILLO, Jan. 21. —(AP)—Speaker Lee Satterwhite, today dispelled all rumors that he may be in the contest for governor by announcing his candidacy for re-election as state representative from the 123rd district, composed of Carson, Potter, Oldham, Deaf Smith, Randall and Armstrong counties.

"If I am re-elected I will continue to serve you and the state of Texas to the very best of my ability," his brief statement said.

MAY PRESENT CLAIMS.

Texas Cotton Breeder Aspirants to Make Application at A. & M.

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Firms desiring to operate under the Texas cotton seed registration and certification law, and any one wishing to qualify as a registered cotton seed breeder, will have opportunity to present their applications to the state board of plant breeder examiners at College Station Texas, February 9, R. V. Miller, chief inspector of cotton breeding farms, said this would be the last regular meeting of the board this year.

AESOP'S TALES JUST AS SANE AS ROAD BIDS

Hoffman's Profits Bring Comic Queries From Attorney General

30 CENTS TOO MUCH

Experienced Contractors Say They Never Heard of Such Prices

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Two highway contractors of long experience, C. E. Hoff, San Antonio, and D. T. Austen, Houston, testified today the state paid "too much" to the Hoffman Construction company for asphalt surfacing. A. J. Wise, Houston, Harris county engineer, testified to the same effect.

Hoff said 12.5 cents a square yard was a fair price for a single course treatment; Austen said 11.5 cents and Wise 10.5 cents. The Hoffman contract price was 30 cents a square yard and the state contends obligation was imposed for only one treatment. Defense maintains the highway commission could have required a two course treatment.

Suing for Fraud.

The state is suing for $421,000, alleging fraud.

Because they were "100 per cent elastic," Hoff said he would not have bid on specifications under which the Hoffman contract was let. He said he had never before seen such specifications as those under which the Hoffman and American Road company contracts were let.

For half an hour Austen convulsed spectators with laughter by observations on the contract. When Attorney General Dan Moody asked him if 30 cents a square yard was a reasonable or unreasonable price for work stipulated in the contract, Austen said: "I certainly would like to have some contracts at that price."

"Does your estimate of 11.5 cents a square yard cover allowance for interest on your money?" Moody queried.

"You wouldn't have to borrow any money after the first month's estimates were paid; you'd have all the money you wanted then," Austen said.

Lawyers Too Slick.

On cross-examination, Austen refused to figure calculations on paper, telling John D. McRae, defense counsel, "I can't figure with you lawyers. I was driving oxen when you were learning to figure in school."

On cross-examination, R. J. Hank, former state highway commissioner, testified contracting was a most hazardous occupation. On re-direct examination he admitted it was "no" more hazardous than farming. Moody advised Hank to practice law if he "wanted to know just how hazardous an occupation can be."

"As a matter of fact, outside of Aesop's Fables did you ever hear of any one making within five months a profit of $630,000 on expenditure of $380,000 as the Hoffman Construction company did?" Moody asked.

LOSS REACHES MILLIONS

43 Ships Are Unable to Load In Harbor at Miami, Fla.

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 21.—(AP)—Forty-three ships including twelve steamers and 33 sailing vessels were today tied up at Miami unable to load.

The harbor has been tightly bottled since the capsizing of the Prins Valdemar in the entrance January tenth.

Conservative estimates place the loss to shipping at above the two million mark.

WILL TEST STATE TAXES.

Federal Government Starts Machinery In Community Tax Case.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—With its rights under the California community property laws defined by the recent supreme court decision the treasury today put machinery in motion to establish its position with respect to federal income taxation in Louisiana, Texas, Arizona, Washington, Idaho, Nevada and New Mexico, which also have community property statutes.

PAYMENTS ARE LAGGING.

EL PASO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Poll tax payments which have been lagging, took a spurt today when 476 were issued, bringing the total certificates issued so far this year to 7,161. This is within 3,800 of the total issued in 1925.

Durkin Faces His Greatest Fight As Courts of Law Start Grinding In Efforts To Send Him To Death

State Will Select Friday Which of Two Murder Indictments to Try Him on; He Now Seeks Freedom for His Wife and Ex-Lover

CHICAGO, Jan. 21—(AP)—Which of two murder indictments the state will select as the basis of its demand for the death of young Martin James Durkin, automobile thief and pistol-fighter, will be decided upon his arraignment tomorrow morning before Judge Harry B. Miller of the criminal court.

One of the three bills alleges the murder of Edward C. Shanahan, federal department of justice operative, and the other the slaying of Harry Gray, Chicago detective sergeant. Durkin admitted promptly upon his capture at St. Louis yesterday that he killed the United States officer but thought he was a bandit attempting to obtain $2,000 Durkin carried. He blamed nervous Chicago detectives for slaying Gray as they did Lloyd Austin, Durkin's uncle in whose home the police laid a trap for Durkin which failed.

The decision to arraign Durkin tomorrow and choose the indictment best fitted to halt his criminal career by the noose was the net result of a day of activity in the state's attorney's office.

Durkin, his young bride, until a few weeks ago Irma Sullivan, 18-year-old daughter of the village blacksmith at Cornell, Ills., and Betty Werner, formerly Durkin's sweetheart, were questioned in the state's attorney's office but the examinations brought forth no revelations.

Durkin was removed from a police station to the county jail this afternoon just before his attorney filed a petition for a writ of habeas corpus to take him out of police hands.

It also was stated that it was planned to seek writs for the release of Durkan's wife and Miss Werner, who are held in technical custody.

MEET TONIGHT AT IOWA PARK

Wichita Falls Boosters To Confer With Neighbors And Join Hands

Wichita Falls and Iowa Park will join hands tonight in a discussion of civic development problems that confront each community in the year to come.

At a meeting to be held in Iowa Park under the auspices of the Iowa Park branch of the local chamber of commerce and representative business men of that community various features of the Wichita valley development will be considered. Other items in which the two communities have a mutual interest will also be treated from various angles by Iowa Park and Wichita Falls speakers.

Arrangements for the affair have been made by a committee of Iowa Park business men. It is expected that a large turnout will be recorded there and a considerable number of Wichita Falls business men, headed by J. C. Mytinger, president of the chamber of commerce, will go up for the meeting.

LOCARNO AGREEMENT ADOPTED BY BELGIUM.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The chamber of deputies adopted the treaty of Locarno today by a vote of 124 to 4 with four abentions.

SEEKS ADOPTIONS

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—List of adoptions made by the state text book commission in October, 1925, exclusive of the American Book company contracts, which he refuses to recognize, has been sent to county superintendents and presidents of school boards by S. M. N. Marrs, superintendent of public instruction, he announced today.

MURDER APPEALS.

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—G. A. Tait, convicted of murder in connection with the slaying of Pearl Rudahill, May 27, 1922, in Grayson county, today filed an appeal in the court of criminal appeals. He was sentenced to ten years.

POLL TAX PAYMENTS LATE

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Poll tax payments in Bexar county tonight still were short of last year's records. Taxes paid up to this morning were 28,178, against 28,904 paid on January 20, 1925.

25,025 IN DALLAS.

DALLAS, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Poll tax payments in Dallas county to date total 25,025, as compared with 23,335 for the same period last year.

Jardine Tells Of 'Surplus Problem'

URBANA, Ill., Jan. 21.—(AP)—Admitting that the "agricultural surplus problem" does exist and that it can be solved, William M. Jardine, secretary of agriculture, went a step farther than his chief, President Coolidge and in an address before the Illinois agricultural association here today indicated a changing attitude in Washington.

INCREASE IN VOTES.

Over 8,000 More Register for Election In 1925.

HOUSTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Paid poll taxes in Harris county today totaled 1,769, giving this country a yearly total of 28,992, an increase of more than 8,000 over 1925.

Last year's totals on January 21, were 1,059 for the day and 20,706 for the year according to the county tax collector, Dan M. Moody.

GALVESTON "PAYING OFF"

GALVESTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The tax collector's office issued 306 poll tax receipts Thursday, bringing the total for the year to 7,167, as compared with 7,205 the same date last

C-C DIRECTORS TO START WORK

Important Meeting Called Friday Morning By Mytinger

An important meeting of the directors of the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce has been called for 10 o'clock this morning at the chamber's rooms, it was announced Thursday night by J. C. Mytinger, president.

Active steps will be taken at the session, it is understood, for getting the 1926 program of work under way. Since the annual membership banquet early in the month, officials of the chamber have been busy with the financial campaign which has now reached a stage, at least where attention can be given to other things. The full $100,000 budget has not yet been obtained, but it is in sight.

Plans will be discussed this morning for the first major activities of the year and it is asked that all directors be present.

EDWARDS ASSAILS DRYS

New Jersey Senate Bitter in Denunciation of Prohibition.

WILMINGTON, Del., Jan. 21.—(AP)—Prohibition is a farce and every adult human being knows it, Senator Edwards, democrat, New Jersey, declared in an address here tonight before the Delaware division of the association against the prohibition amendment.

Describing the Volstead act as the "most despotic, corrupt, tyrannical and autocratic piece of class legislation ever placed upon the statute books in a once free country," he said it was passed over President Wilson's veto "by a subservient congress."

STUDENTS ON A STRIKE

Zagreb University Seized By Undergraduates in Political Row.

ZAGREB, Jugo Slavia, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Students of fortune at the Zagreb university affiliated with the independent democratic party went on a violent strike today and seized the university buildings. They forcibly expelled students and professors belonging to other parties in protest against the retiring on pensions of a number of the professors by the minister of education.

CAN'T DEFAME ANCESTORS

Federal Judge Denies Damage Plea On "Covered Wagon."

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 21.—(AP)—It is impossible to defame anyone's ancestors, Federal Judge A. L. Reeves ruled here late today when he sustained a demurrer to a suit for one million dollars damages brought by Mrs. Virginia Bridger Hahn, Kansas City, against the Famous Players-Lasky corporation, producers of the motion picture "The Covered Wagon."

SELL SEATS FOR BIG SUM

$142,000 Is Lowest Amount Offered For Places on Stock Exchange.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Four seats on the New York stock exchange were sold today for a total of $570,000. Two memberships changed hands at $143,000 each and the other two at $142,000 each. The previous transaction for a single membership was $145,000. All of the new members are New Yorkers.

PENNSYLVANIA RAKED FOR COAL PROFITEERING

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The state of Pennsylvania was charged today by Representative Treadway, republican, Massachusetts, with profiteering "beyond all right" on the coal mined within its borders.

GOODING RAILS BID IS FAVORABLY REPORTED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The Gooding bill, designed to prevent railroads from charging lower rates for long than for short hauls was ordered favorably reported today by the senate committee on interstate commerce

SNOW JURY IS PICKED, HEARS "GUILTY" PLEA

Defendant's Answer To Court's Inquiry Is Quickly Changed

WANTS OUT OF ERATH

Asserts That a Fair Trial Is Impossible in That Court

STEPHENVILLE, Jan. 21. (AP)—Completion of the jury from the third special venire marked the completion of the first step in the F. M. Snow triple slaying trial here this afternoon. The twelfth juror is T. R. Davis, 37, Morgan Mill.

Snow electrified the court this afternoon when he replied "guilty" to the court's question as he was arraigned.

Wallace Scott, of defense counsel, quickly said: "We plead not guilty," to which the court replied, "I will enter a plea of not guilty."

Snow was then turned over to the custody of the sheriff until Friday morning, when taking of testimony will begin, and was removed to the county jail.

Before examination of witnesses begins tomorrow, the defense will file a supplemental motion for a change of venue, on the ground that an impartial trial cannot be obtained in Erath county.

Overrules Motion.

"I will overrule the motion when presented," Judge Keith announced.

There are special witnesses either here or on their way, 40 of which were called by the state. Among defense witnesses are physicians from Fort Worth who will examine Snow as to his sanity. Snow's defense will be self-defense or temporary insanity.

Snow is being tried for the murder of Bernie Connally, his 19-year-old step-son whose head was found in a ruined cellar early in December. Snow afterward confessed the slaying and decapitation of the boy and the killing of his wife and mother-in-law, whose bodies he stated he burned.

HONOR TRAIL DRIVERS

Dallas Wants to Have Monument Erected in City.

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Dallas would like to be the permanent home of the monument to the Old Trail Drivers of Texas, the model of which has just been completed by Gutzon Borglum.

Mrs. A. H. Bailey, chairman of the municipal art league of Dallas, today wired Mrs. R. R. Russell, president of the woman's auxiliary of the Old Trail Drivers' association, to ask if final arrangements have been made as to permanent location of the monument.

BELOW LINE FOR FROST

100,000 Acres for Citrus Farms To Be Irrigated in Texas.

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Irrigation of 100,000 acres of wheat is said to be some of the richest land in the state, in the only known locality where freezes do not injure citrus fruit on the trees, is now being undertaken within 50 miles of San Antonio.

Details of the project were brought here by Arthur Michael, San Antonio business man, who has just returned from a survey of the territory.

25 BALES ON 18 ACRES

"Cotton King" Wins Over $2,000 In Prizes for Work.

TYLER, Texas, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Produced on 18 acres of ground, a consignment of 25 bales of cotton, raised by G. L. Mont Adams, the Texas cotton king, will be shipped to Liverpool and exhibited as Texas' greatest cotton production per acre.

Adams won, not only the prizes in Smith county offered for the best crop for one acre, but annexed the grant prize in the state contest as well with 16 bales from five acres. The prizes amounted to more than $2,200.

PANTHER CITY PAYS SLOWLY

FORT WORTH, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Poll taxes paid today dropped considerably below the number for the same day of last year, with 781 against 1,479, accounted for by bad weather. Total for the year was 17,546, against 16,649 to date last year.

A HINT TO THE WISE—

If you haven't tried our Classified Service, you are overlooking opportunities. Property to buy, sell or rent finds prompt placement here as well as articles for exchange.

For that reason local folks who use the Classified Columns are aware of the service given and make constant use of it.

Just a few days ago a local woman told us she ran a Furnished Room advertisement for one day and rented the room immediately.

What other medium could give results more promptly?

It only takes a few minutes to phone your ad. Call 4121 and ask for an Ad-Taker.

The RECORD NEWS

Overalls and Not Golf Clubs to Solve World's Problems, Say Farmers

DALLAS, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Aroused by a speaker's declaration that England had the advantage of America in producing rubber and Brazil in producing coffee, members of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation in convention here shouted from the floor assurances that American farmers will devote their special efforts to raising these commodities. The demonstration came during an address by Charles D. Makepeace, vice-president of the Sea board National Bank of New York City. After order had been restored, Mr. Makepeace continued:

"It's the hoe hand and not the manicured hand that will lift the burden that the world's commerce depends entirely on your success in farming."

The sunbonnet and the overall rather than the bridge card and the golf club will solve the world's problem, the farmers were told by an Indiana woman farmer at today's session.

Mrs. Charles W. Sewell, vice-president of the Indiana Farm Bureau, brought a message from the women of the northern farms to the women of the southwest.

PASTORS' MEET COMES TO CLOSE

Varied Program Is Given Thursday at Floral Heights Church

The meeting of pastors of the Wichita Falls district of the Methodist church, south, which has been in session at the Floral Heights Methodist church for the past two days, closed Thursday afternoon following discussions by pastors of the district and round table talks on "The Pastor and His Pastorate," and the "Pastor and His Finances."

Rev. Frank M. Richardson, presiding elder of the district, was in charge.

A Varied Program.

Those taking patr in the program included: Rev. H. C. Hand of Iowa Park, statistician of the district, who spoke on the "One Hundred Percent District;" "Our Present Sunday School Program Should Be Financed Systematically," by F. Clyde Adams, conference secretary of the rural Sunday school work with headquarters at Dallas.

"An Early Start and Persistent Work to Collect Our Benevolent," Rev. A. B. English, pastor of Texhoma and Newtown; "Our Most Sacred Task, the Superannuate Endowment Fund," Dr. Walter J. Johnson, pastor of the First church, Wichita Falls; "Our Church Finances Should Be Handled Systematically," by Rev. R. G. Percival, assistant pastor of Floral Heights Methodist.

Petrolia Pastor Talks.

Rev. George R. Slagle of Petrolia talked on "The Scripture Teaches Us to Be Business Like in Our Church Administration."

Rev. W. N. Vernon talked on "How to Secure Good Church Attendance;" "How a Pastor Can Make an Asset Out of Music," Rev. T. H. Browning, Byers; "How to Have a Continuous Revival in Church," Rev. M. L. Hamilton, Burkburnett.

"Dividends from My Pastoral Work," Dr. Edward R. Barcus, Dallas.

Babe Dupree And Company Scores On Olympic Card

Babe Dupree and her four coworkers tickled the amusement palate of theatre goers who braved slush and snow Thursday to take in the Bert Levy vaudeville offering at the Olympic. Babe and her gang proved themselves a set of sure-enough mean hoofers, hilarious syncopaters and syncopaters and royal vocalists. The combination knocked em' from their seats, figuratively speaking, and set the house afire.

Sandy Morrison, a very amiable young gentleman, put over bits of this and that with a bank. His offering was very entertaining, an appreciative audience attested.

Bob Marshall, a human with rubber anatomy and trick tongue, opened the bill by pulling off a series of controtion stunts and humorous monologue that carried over well.

Miller and Jackson are real entertainers and artists. Their vocal selections are hard to parallel on the three-aday.

With comedy grabbing the call, the duo of Miller and Ives jerked off a variety skit finishing with a roller skate rush that drew rounds of applause.

Viola Dana in "The Great Love" was presented on the screen. It's one of her best yet. A comedy film, "A Maid in Morrocco," and a news reel was projected.

Aged Electra Woman Is Buried Thursday

ELECTRA, Jan. 21.—Wednesday evening marked the passing away of Mrs. W. M. Walker, aged 76, after an illness of six days, of influenza. Her husband, aged 76, and four children, two sons and two daughters, survive. The sons are, H. T. Walker, of Guymond, Okla., and R. W. Walker of Vernon, Texas, and the daughters Mrs. W. B. Story of Durant, Okla., and Mrs. A. C. Rippy of Electra.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon from the First Baptist church with Rev. L. A. Foster of Vernon in charge of the services and Rev. E. M. Francis of Electra assisting. Burial was in Eastview Cemetery at Vernon, about 4:00.

Mrs. Walker was born in Georgia in 1850, but at the age of ten came to Texas, and forty-two years ago she and her husband settled near Electra which was then known as Beaver Switch, and engaged in farming.

Mrs. Walker often related how she and her husband were forced to go to Wichita Falls for most of their supplies and she told of the time when Wichita Falls was the terminal of the Fort Worth and Denver railroad, and of the first train brought to the section of the country west of Wichita Falls. She and Mr. Walker have always been the leaders in civic affairs of the pioneer days and were the organizers of the first Baptist church in this country which was located on Beaver Creek, about 9 miles south of Electra. She aided her husband in securing a teacher for the first rural school in the Beaver Creek community. Mr. and Mrs. Walker are extensive property owners in and around Electra.

Burk-Boy Dies From Injuries

BURKBURNETT, Jan. 21.—Cahrles Campbell Jr. age 6, died in the Wichita General hospital Thursday following injuries from burns of the hands, face an dupper body Wednesday when the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Campbell, was destroyed by a fire.

The boy was alone in the house at the time the fire started.

He is survived by his parents and a number of adult and younger children. Of the former are Mrs. Rudell Lightfoot and Miss Jennia Campbell; the children are Susie, Taylor Serrell and Clarence Campbell, all of this city.

Mr. Campbell is a teamster and lived near the Tidal Western refinery.

The funeral arrangement will be announced by the Owens Undertaking company for the latter part of the week.

The New General Motors Six will be announced Sunday, January 24. Watch for it.
McElreath Motor Co.

Wichita Falls Flooded With Work Seekers From Out of Town Who Are Presenting Serious Problem Here

Expecting to Find Employment Plentiful, They Find Exact Opposite; Funds Run Low and Then Appeals for Charity Begin to Arise

"Be it ever so humble, there's no place like home."

Such is the plaint of a number of persons who have come to Wichita Falls within the last few days looking for work, according to welfare workers and many, they report, have come expecting to find work plentiful and on arriving find their funds slowly ebbing away with income. No work can be found.

Since the first of the year many transients have asked for aid from the secretary of the Municipal Welfare board, Mrs. Kathleen Gorsline, who referred them to the proper organization. The Salvation Army has many calls for employment, food, groceries, clothing, bedding and fuel from those who live here and also from transients who have been stranded, according to Captain Wilks.

The Travelers' Aid, Mrs. W. O. Davidson at the Union passenger station reports the station has been filled with transients who have come into the city seeking work and not finding it, have just enough or not enough money to make the return home. So other calls for aid are made.

The Salvation Army has also had work to do the past week among scarlet fever cases, numbering about 20.

The Red Cross is having its share in caring for the sick ones and assisting during illnesses scarlet fever.

C-C COUNCIL TO BE FORMED

Organization of Business Council Next Step In Work Here

Organization of the business council of the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce for 1926 will be started within the next few days, it has been announced by officials of the organization. The council, dormant through the holidays and while the 1926 membership and financial campaigns were under way, will be revived and begin to function actively as soon as details of its organization can be worked out.

The business council is an important part of the chamber of commerce and serves each year as integral part of the chamber's machinery. It is composed of representatives from all the various business lines in the city and acts as something of a clearing house for suggestions and ideas on matters which effect the welfare of the community.

In the past year it has been the instigator of a number of important pieces of civic work and plans for its future include similar activity in the 12 months to come.

It is pointed out that all members of the council, of course, are members of the chamber of commerce and that any one wishing representation on the council must have a chamber of commerce membership. Inasmuch as the council organization will be effected i na few more days now, little time is left for insuring the obtaining of this representation.

Dawes Smiles At Senator's Remarks

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Vice President Dawes and his campaign for revision of senate rules again were put on the gridiron today on the senate floor.

Within a few minutes after the vice president had taken his place in the chair of the presiding officer Senator Reed, democrat, Missouri, punctuated with this observation a discussion of "propaganda" in Washington:

"If this senate is to tuckle to propaganda, it will become so contemptible that it would not be worth while for the vict president to continue his criticisms."

There was laughter in the galleries and General Dawes only smiled broadly while the ushers scurried about restoring quiet.

WASTE OIL ON FIRE.

CHILDRESS, Jan. 21.—Waste oil in the creek bottom which runs through te railway yards caugt fire and burned a small bridge before the blaze could be put out Thursday. The flames extended for one-fourth mile and the heavy black smoke could be seen for a long distance.

LAND ANNOUNCES.

MEMPHIS, Jan. 21.—C. Land of this city has announced he will be a candidate for the democratic nomination for the Texas legislature from this county and district. Land is a brother of J. J. Land of Childress.

WAR IN SENATE ON COURT BILL

Administration Men Seek To Clean up on Opponents But Move Fails

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—(AP) A war of attrition on opponents of the World court was begun today in the senate.

The campaign was inaugurated by administration leaders after negotiations looking to a cousent agreement for a time to vote had failed with the two sides so far apart that further conversations were regarded as useless.

A seven hours' session of the senate tomorrow was arranged for, with indications that even longer hours would follow in the effort to wear down the opposition and bring about a vote at an early date.

While this warfare is being waged, the $352,000,000 tax reduction bills remains on the senate calendar. It became definitely involved in the court row and proved one stumbling block in the way of an agreement for a vote on the resolution of adhesion to the Geneva tribunal.

Opponents of the court have consolidated their forces and are determined to carry the battle along to the point where they believe the administration forces will be obliged to take up he revenue measure which must be passd next month if tax payers are to get the benefit of the reduction in the returns which they must make on March 15.

Durant, From Room In Hospital, Makes Business Pick Up

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Durant is back in Wall Street. The market has rallied to orders issuing from his sick bed.

William C. Durant, automobile manufacturer, recovering at the Post-Graduate hospital from injuries he suffered recently in a train wreck, yesterday heard that some of his pet stocks were dropping 3 to 10 points. He immediately started a flood of buying orders that are credited with driving the bears to cover and lifting the market.

He has had a telephone service installed at the hospital and has been following the market eagerly with the aid of a secretary despite 22 stitches in his head.

A telephone circuit connects his bed with his own offices and those of his brokers.

His main purchases were in Baldwin Locomotive, U. S. Cast Iron Pipe, Independent Oil and Gas and Humble Oil and Refining. He is said to have bought thousands of shares during the day and to have realized a profit at the close of trading.

"The Durant crowd" was quick to climb aboard his band wagon and further strengthened the market.

On January 10 Durant's private car was telescoped by another train at Frontenac, Fla., three of the crew being killed. Mr Durant was hurried here in a special train.

38 SHEEPSKINS UNROLL TONIGHT

Mid-Year Graduation Of High School to Be Staged At 8 p. m.

Thirty-seven students of the first mid-winter class of the Wichita Falls high school will be graduated tonight in the commencement exercises to be held at the Junior college auditorium beginning at 8 o'clock.

The honor graduates are Maybelle Marie Moore among the girls, and George Bodkin among the boys. The students of the class making the honor roll are announced as follows: Maybelle Marie Moore, Odra Lee Jenkins, and Virginia Ruth Smith.

One J. C. Student.

One student from the Junior college will be graduated at this time.

The program for the evening follows:

Overture, high school orchestra; choruses by the Junior college and high school glee clubs accompanied by the orchestra; invocation, W. J. Spreen, assistant pastor of the First Christian church; address, Judge J. S. Dickey; presentation of diplomas, Judge W. B. Chauncey, president of the school board; awarding of scholarships, S. H. Rider; benediction, E. F. Bohmfalk, religious educational director of the First Methodist church.

Arkansas Officials Appear Before Ma

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Lieutenant Governor S. B. McCall of Arkansas and the attorney general of Arkansas are scheduled to appear at the hearing before Governor Miriam A. Ferguson Friday on the requested extradition of A. P. Gurley, former sheriff of Miller county, Ark. Governor Tom Terral of Arkansas requested the extradition of Gurley, who is in Texarkana, Texas, on the ground that he was granted a pardon by acting Governor McCall, during the governor's absence. Gurley was convicted in 1923 and sentenced to five years for failing to pay over funds collected for Miller county.

Bonds Carry For Irrigation

EDINBURG, Texas, Jan. 21.—A recount in the Donna irrigation district bond election herein district court showed 327 votes for the bonds to 151 against making one or two votes less both for and against than the original returns showed.

Many witnesses have been put on the stand to testify as to their voting privilege. Four voters have been judged unqualified to cast ballots. In order to change the result of the contest about sixty more votes will have to be ruled out.

Bonds were voted in the sum of $580,000.

Prison Managers Awarded Prizes

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.— (AP) — Prizes offered to managers of Texas prison farms last February by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, for the production of the highest yeield of cotton on five acres for 1925, were awarded today as follows: Captain S. H. McLeod, Retrieve farm at Snipe, $200; Captain C. C. Abernathy, Shaw farm, DeKalb, $100; Captain J. D. Black, Goree, women farm, Huntsville, $50; Captain J. L. Gentry, Celemens farm at Perry Landing, five year subscription to Ferguson Forum.

EXTEND HIGH LINE.

CHILDRESS, Jan. 21.—The high line from Childress will be extended to Paducah and Matador, it is announced. The West Texas Utilities company is siad to have bought the electric light plants in Paducah and Matador.

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The Old Order Changes; Dogs And Cats Live In Peace and Harmony Under Better Health Conditions

Veterinarian Convention Hears That "A Dog's Life Isn't What it Used to Be;" These Brutes Are Getting Refined

FORT WORTH, Texas, Jan. 21.—(AP)—A "dog's life" is not what it used to be.

In addition to having his life span lengthened by better living conditions and medical attention in the same way the life of human beings has been lengthened, the dog's great sagacity is being given scientific recognition, it was indicated at today's session of the state veterinarian medical association convention here.

Dogs and cats are now living longer and enjoying better health under present day refinements than in the days when domestic pets were considered amply cared for if given kitchen refuse to eat and a corner of the coal shed to sleep in, Dr. W. G. Gregory, Fort Worth, told the delegates. And instead of growing vain over the attention bestowed upon him, the animal returns the extra care in increased affection.

"Many dogs come nearer earning their keep than the persons they associate with," declared Dr. H. G. Hornung, Houston. He cited the various ways in which dogs are useful over the world and declared them the most intelligent of animals.

Styles in dogs change, Dr. Hornung said. In England the salukis often called the "Gazelle hound," from its grace, is replacing the Russian wolf hound in popular favor, while the Schnauzer is rapidly usurping the place of the German police dog.

Pekingese originally came from a large lion-like animal which was bred down to vest pocket size by the Chinese priests, Dr. Hornung said.

Banks Agree To Hold State Funds

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Three reserve depository banks of San Antonio, City National Bank, Commercial National Bank and Commonwealth Bank and Trust company, have agreed to cash and hold treasury warrants against the General Revenue fund for the January installment voted by the board of education for rural schools under an act of the thirty-ninth legislature, W. Gregory Hatcher, state treasurer, said today.

Hatcher addressed letters to those receiving the school warrants stating that the warrants should be sent to the three San Antonio banks for collection. He pointed out that the banks were receiving no interest for carrying the warrants, as are banks in Fort Worth, Dallas and Austin, to prevent the state from going on deficiency.

WOOL AUCTIONS DRAW.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The wool auctions were well attended today and offerings amounted to 11,696 bales. There was moderate competition at unchanged rates. Frequent withdrawals took place chiefly among scoured merinos because of the high limits asked by holders.

The New General Motors Six Will Be The Chief of The Sixes. Coming to
McElreath Motor Co.

DALLAS BANKER SEES REACTION

Warns Retail Hardware Men That Prosperity's End Will Come Soon

DALLAS, Jan. 21.—(AP)—A reaction from the present prosperity is inevitable, J. A. Pondrom, president of the City National Bank of Dallas, warned delegates to the Texas Retail Implement and Hardware association convention here today.

He enumerated among agencies which he said were undermining prosperity the following: "Enormous increase of credit which encourages people to live beyond their means; the unparalleled real estate boom; the long uninterrupted advance in the stock market."

"It is impossible to say just when this reaction will come," he said, "but make up your minds to meet it when it does come. There will be a change in our economic life and that change would be for the worst."

The convention adopted resolutions favoring reduction of cotton acreage and a more intensive diversified farming ayystem. The meeting closes this afternoon.

COLD OR HOT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Slogans at the next Republican convention as foreseen by Representative Black, South Dakota, New York.—"Freeze with Cal," or "Get hot with Giff."

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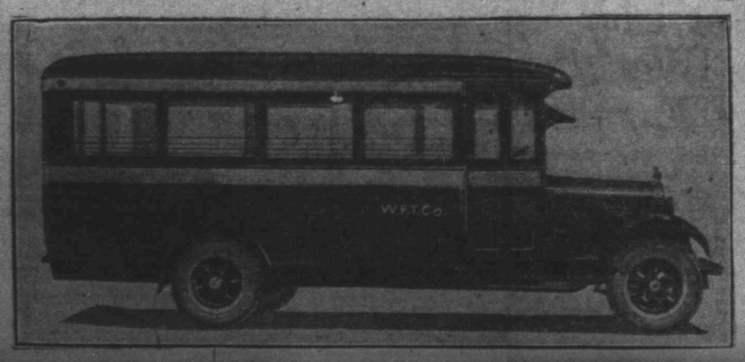


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Sale of UNIONS
$3.50 to $5 Values
Entire stock of our highest grade Unions, all wool or part wool.
$1.69

Sale of NECKWEAR
75c Values 39c
$1.00 Values ...76c
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$1.65 Values ..$1.45
$2.35 Values ..$1.85

Wichita Falls Area Leads In Oil Field Operations for Week

Total of 316 Operations Over District, Report Shows

155 DRILLING WELLS

Texas Is Reported Picking Up in Activity

Oil operations in the Mid-Continent fields, including North Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas, reached a total of 2,775 during the week just ended the Oil Weekly will say today.

Oklahoma led the other state fields with a total of 1,359 operations, Texas followed with 866, while 550 operations were reported from Kansas fields.

All state fields show an increase over the previous week except Oklahoma which fell off slightly. Texas had the greatest pick up in number of field operations and the combined increase of both Texas and Kansas was sufficient to bring the total for the entire Mid-Continent to a new high figure.

The Wichita Falls district led the other Texas fields with 316 operations reported, the West Texas wildcat area followed with 301, and the Panhandle fell into thihr position with 85 wells in the several stages of operation.

Following is the table prepared by the Oil Weekly:

District— Locations | New Rigs | Drilled Wells | S. D. Wells | Completions | Total

TEXAS:

Eastland County	1	44	4	18	67
Stephens County	15	34	10	..	59
Panhandle	20	53	11	1	85
Mexia Dist.	1	7	1	1	10
Wichita Falls	56	155	58	47	316
E. Tex. Wildcat	4	7	14	3	28
W. Tex. Wildcats	24	154	86	37	301
Total	121	454	184	107	866
Previous week	122	383	215	39	759

OKLAHOMA:

Total	65	169	751	277	97	1,359
Previous Week	72	163	751	281	99	1,366

KANSAS:

Total	63	88	217	147	35	550
Prev Week	68	86	207	154	30	545

SUMMARY—Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas.

Total	128	378	1,422	608	289	2,775
Previous Wk	140	371	1,341	650	168	2,676
Increase	..	7	81	..	71	105
Decrease	13	..	..	42	..	..

News Of The Fields

McCarty Area

Roy I. Carter's well on the L. F. Wilson land, J. O. Riely survey in the McCarty pool district, was down 650 feet Thursday and is expected to reach the shallow oil sand Friday.

Oldham District

The Petroleum Producers and Primrose Refining company should have been looking for the sand Thursday in their No. 3, Wolfe, on the west side of the Oldham district in southwest Archer county, SPRRCO survey, abstract 415, but due to the snow storm operations may have slowed down some.

Stephens County

An oil well, reported to be good for about 350 barrels was brought in on the holdings of Geo. Pace, Wichita Falls operator, in the Stephens county, Okla. oil field Thursday during the snowstorm, according to information received here, but the exact lease location was not given. The wel lis one of the three now drilling on the Pace holdings in that field. This is the second Stephens county producer for the week which has been brought in by Pace.

Pace is in Montague county.

Wichtex-Dixie Area

The Wichtex-Dixie Oil company has skidded the derrick over from the No. 4 dry hole, and is starting No. 5, located in the southeast corner, 150 feet each way from the line, or lot 132 of the Jackson sub-division, Aldridge survey, Archer county.

Ross Robertson and others are drilling on their No. 2 well, located 320 feet south of the No. 1, a producer, in lot 133 of the Jackson sub-division of the Aldridge survey, Archer county.

Burns and Maxson have a derrick up on the No. 1 Jackson located in the southwest corner of the east 1-2 of section 136, Jackson land in the Wichtex-Dixie area.

Gulf Gets Wildcat In Ft. Bend County

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The Gulf Production company of Houston has brought in a 3,200 barrel wildcat well at New Orchard in Fort Bend county, it was reported at the oil and gas division of the Texas railroad commission today. It is a new salt dome field.

Oil Gossip

L. C. Menseleit, of Cross Plains, is at the Kemp hotel for a few days. He is a pioneer of the Moran, Mexia and Cisco oil districts, having been in all of these places during early days of the various booms. He says that the entire townsite at Cross Plains has been drilled and production secured in most all of the holes from the sand found at from 1,400 to 1,500 feet.

In speaking of the new "grass-roots" oil sand, Mr. Henseleit says that the production is found at rom 360 to 370 feet; that the biggest producer in the shallow pool made 50 barrels daily. It is owned by the Canyon Oil & Gas company. The discovery well was brought in by the Moore-Stratton interest son a 40-acre lease. It was a rank wildcat, however, for many years the big companies knew from drilling, that a shallow producing sand would be found in that particular section of Coleman county.

Advises Women of Middle Age



"I was in very bad health during middle life and was confined to my bed most of the time for about two years," said Mrs. M. J. Caperton of 88 Stonewall St., San Antonio, Texas. "Finally I started taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription (after I had taken many other medicines) and it helped me so much, got me out of bed and gave me strength. Since taking the 'Prescription' my health has been better than it was for three years. It is a pleasure for me to tell every one just what Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has done for me. It gave me strength and an appetite, which I did not have before taking it." Dealers. Liquid or tablets. Send 10 for trial pkg. to Dr. Pierce's Invalid's Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

FARISH HEADS A.P.I FOR 1926

Humble Oil President Is Honored in Meet at Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21.—(AP)—W. S. Farrish, president of the Humble Oil company, Houston, was elected president of the American Petroleum Institute here today at the sixth annual convention.

E. W. Clark, president of the Union Oil company, Los Angeles; W. N. Davis, Mid-Continent Oil & Gas association, Bartlesville, Okla., and R. D. Benson, Tidewater Oil company, New York; treasurer, A. L. Beauty, Texas company, New York; secretary and counsel, R. L. Welch; assistant secretary; W. R. Boyd, assistant treasurer, Lacy Walker.

The directors in final session adopted committee recommendations for the standardization of field equipment which are expected to have far reaching effects upon well operations throughout the world.

Selection of the site for the next convention was deferred, but indications were that the 1927 sessions would be held at Tulsa, Okla.

Satisfactory results can be had in the classified columns of the Record News.

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Rum Ship Seized After Being Fired On

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Marine police early today seized the ocean-going tug Rescue with a cargo of liquor said to be worth more than half a million dollars after a chase off Sandy Hook in which half a dozen shots from a one pounder were fired.

INQUIRY ORDERED AFTER DEATH OF AGED RECLUSE

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The body of Mrs. Mary French, 77-year-old recluse, who for 20 years lived in the atttic of her boarded-up, dilipated Park Ridge, Ills., home and scared away the curious with a ghost made from a dressmaker's form, will be disinterred and an autopsy performed. Coroner Oscar Wolff seeks explanation for the whisking away of the body to Chicago for a hurried midnight embalming before it was hastened back to Park Ridge for burial.

MEXICAN RAIL BANDITS BEING CLOSELY PURSUED

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Special dispatches from Azomora, Michoacan, say that the leader of the Guadalajara train bandits, former Colonel Munez, with only ten of his followers, is being closely pursued by federal troops and that the indications are that he soon will be captured. A dispatch from Guadalajara says that another of the bandits has been executed and additional loot recovered.

200 SUSPECTS HELD FOR PLOT ON GOVERNMENT

BELGRADE, Jugo-Slavia, Jan. 21.—(AP)—More than 200 suspects have been arrested and raids are being carried on throughout the country following discovery of an alleged communist plot to overthrow the government. Hundreds of houses are being searched for evidence.

3 HELD IN AUSTIN FOR ROBBERY WITH FIREARMS

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Forest Hocker and Ernest Jones are under arrest here on charges of robbery by firearms of J. R. Ledbetter and robbery of Scott Stark. Jesse Jones, brother to Ernest Jones, is in custody charged with roobery by firearms of Maxine Montell, Austin woman. Hocker is also charged with complicity in the robbery of Miss Montell.

MOTHER AND 3 CHILDREN DIE WHEN HOME BURNS

ALLIANCE, Ohio., Jan. 21.—(AP)—Mrs. Mary Karevich and three of her children, Dorothy, 10; Mary 4, and Anna, 3, were burned to death when their farm home ten miles west of here was destroyed by fire early today.

OIL PRICES ADVANCED

ENID, Okla., Jan. 21.—(AP)—The Champlain Oil and Refining company today posted a new schedule of prices representing an increase of 10 cents a barrel for all grades above 38 gravity. The new prices range from $2.20 to $2.68 a barrel.

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PIPE LINE BUSINESS IN TEXAS DECREASES

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Total pipeline gatherings by oil companies in November, 1925, aggregated 10,428,884 barrels, compared to 11,186,327 barrels in September and 11,419,276 barrels in October, statements issued today by the oil and gas division of the Texas railroad commission show.

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ONE YEAR AGO TODAY
January 22, 1925
Subscriptions to chamber of commerce budget total $46,000.

ALL A MOTHER EVER ASKS

I HAVE seen men shed tears as they heard "mother songs" or joined in singing them who, as I happened to know had seldom made any effort to return the car eand love that their mothers had languished on them.

I have seen mothers look with inexpressible fondness on children who had not the least understanding of what mother love meant.

Tht observance of "mother's day" is a useful reminder to the race of the suffering self sacrifice that women undergo in bringing children into the world and rearing them, but a mother's day observed once a year is a pretty poor sort of recognition of the most powerful and ennobling of all human emotions.

The only heaven that mothers ask is the return in some small degree of the love they have lavished on their children.

Failure they can account and excuse. If their sons go wrong, they are wounded, yet they can find all manner of explanations for it.

But what crushes them is the neglect of those to whom they have devoted all that they had to give.

The pride of a mother whose son rises to some great office is no greater than the pride of a mother whose son, after he grows to manhood, still loves her, and shows her that he loves her.

Grown men and women too soon forget how necessary their mothers were to them; how they ran to her when hurt or frightened, sure that she would comfort them.

In her old age, even if they provide well for her, they are prone to regard her as something that belongs to their past.

The delight of old ladies when their children show them little attentions is sometimes pathetic.

Not long ago a woman of seventy, whom I have known for a long time told me with great pride that her son, who had not come to see her for five years had sent her a Christmas card.

"'He is still good to his mother, you see," she said tremulously.

"Still good to his mother," when instead of coming to see her and telling her how much she had done for him he had spent a trifle for a card and another for a stamp.

The mother does so much for the world and asks so little from it that it is hard to understand the callousness of children toward her.

"Mother is getting deaf and nearsighted," I heard a married woman say a few days ago. "It will be a mercy when she is released."

Did you ever hear a mother complain because a child was afflicted with some ailment, and express the hope that it might soon die?

Did you ever hear a mother complain that a child was a care and an expense which was hard to endure?

All a mother asks of her sons and daughters is affection, which costs nothing, but which nevertheless seems so hard to give, that only about a tenth of the mothers in the world get enough of it to make them happy in their old age.

AS AN EASTERN WRITER SEES US

AN EASTERN prophet of business, after finishing a tour of Texas, announces that reports from manufacturers in the lumber and textile industries in Texas are encouraging, as the majority of the lumber mills are now on a full time schedule, and employment is increasing in the textile mills, most of which are now running full time.

There should be a cotton mill in every town in Texas. There should be a woolen mill in many of the favorite spots in Texas. Never get away from the fact that the manufacturing states are the wealthy states, and that a state that is chief among he producers of raw materials, should be one of the leaders in manufacturing.

It is coming some day in Texas.

"THE GOOD OLD DAYS"

READ the memoirs of Monsieur de St. Simon, who lived in an age when it was considered highly immodest for a young woman to wear a short skirt, but when the most flagrant immorality was winked at by a king who privately had no morals at all.

Those were some of the good old days of which we read. No wonder they were followed by an epidemic of puritanism.

Dancing in the time of Louis XIV was stately and decorous. His whole court, which included many rakes and blackguards would have been scandalized at the Charleston, or even at the milder form of jazz steps.

They might even have paused from the gentle pursuit of making love to other people's wives in order to express their horror.

It was the custom in that time to cloister a girl till she was eighteen, to keep her from any knowledge of the world and its ways, to school her in ignorance, and then to let her loose in a society which was intent on every form of pleasure and cared for nothing else

The business of her parents was to find a husband for her. After that what she did was no concern of theirs, so long as she continued to observe the outward rules.

The age of Puritanism which set in as a re-action to the loose living of the great capitals did not to any extent force people to live right lives.

Read "The Scarlet Letter." Read any one of half a dozen novels of that period.

You will find that neither laws nor customs can impose morality on people who don't want to be moral.

A playright and author who has had abundant opportunity to study people has lately declared that short skirts have nothing to do with behavior. He might have gone further and said that young women who wear short skirts are healthier than those who were confined in the old fashioned clothes, and healthy minds are more likely to dwell in healthy bodies than in unhealthy ones.

In a few years from now, when it is discovered that instead of being worse than their great grandparents were in their youth, the boys and girls are considerably better, self constituted reformers will stop picking on them.

How they dress, just so they keep their bodies warm, makes no difference.

How they dance makes little difference, so long as they dance for the fun they get out of it, and get real exercise while they are doing it. The old "square dances" and minuets were stately and highly "proper," but they did little to strengthen the muscles and keep the blood in circulation.

The next generation will be in the hands of the boys and girls today. If they have healthy bodies, and abundant energy, they can be depended upon to produce healthy children, and so continue progress on its way.

Some of them may falter by the way. But it will not be because of their freedom of dress or their knowledge of the world. It will be because original sin can not be completely eradicated for a long time.

SMITH WEARY OF POLITICS

GOVERNOR ALFRED E. SMITH of New York is 51. He has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election as chief executive of the state if he can help it. His plan is to retire from politics at the end of his present term and go into business.

He has given twenty-five of his fifty years to politics as a servant of the people of his city and state, and is as poor in purse as when he entered the game.

He gave up a $50,000 a year position when the democrats drafted him for governor in 1922, and now many of the leaders of the New York democracy appear to be determined to draft him again for chief executive.

A man owes something to himself; he owes something to his family.

What T-O Editors Are Saying

One objection to the radio is that you can't talk back.—Bristow Record.

Championships are short-lived. Look at Ananias!—Miami Daily News.

Many a man who otherwise would be a good mixer now hasn't the ingredients.—Star Telegram.

Friends help us to make a success. If we are failures it's our own fault.—Waurika News-Democrat.

Hats off to the fellow who knows nothing and knows he knows nothing.—Fort Wayne News Sentinel.

Something else that has gone forever:—The girl who, as she started down town used to call back, "Does my petticoat show?"—Waurika News-Democrat.

"Broadcasting of heat by radio is forecast." Is that fact or a threat against the janitor?—Uniontown Herald.

Rumor has it that former King George of Greece will seek refuge in the United States in order to escape the intrigues of the Balkan states, and since it is said he will locate in Florida it is a practical certainty he will align himself with the democratic party.—Denison Herald.

Perhaps the reason the Apostle Paul, who was a bachelor, had a stenographer to take down his epistles, he wanted to be in position to do all the dictating in the family. And Paul is accounted one of the wisest men of his day and time.—Denison Herald.

SNOWBALL WEATHER . . . . . By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



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"Love Bound In Wichita Falls"

By the Author of 'The Flapper Wife'

She couldn't bear the thought of not going to the office today—of not seeing John Manners. For there were only two more days before she would leave the Dexter Company for good. Only two more days—and then she probably would never see him again so long as she lived, except to pass him in the crowded street.

A lump rose in Mary Rose's throat and her eyes smarted with sudden tears. "I'm not hungry this morning, I guess," she said thickly, and went out of the kitchen quickly so that her mother should not see her tears.

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Long before noon, Mrs. Middleton called up to tell her not to hurry home.

"Flossie just telephoned to say that their machine had broken down up in the hills somewhere and that they can't possibly get here until tomorrow," she said and there was a certain note of triumph in her voice. "She seemed awfully cross—I can imagine the line of talk she is giving her husband, can't you?"

"Flossie's temper was no family secret.

"Poor Sam!" sighed Mary Rose and then she wondered why she had said it. For even if Flossie had a violent temper she was his heart's desire, and he had her at last.

She knew that in his opinion he was the most fortunate of men! He would have laughed at any one who pitied him.

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On Saturday noon, Mary Rose went into John Manners' private office for the last time—to say good bye to him.

She had not meant to do it.

All along she had made up her mind that when Saturday noon came she would simply take her pay envelope and walk out of the place with a swaggering carelessness. She would not say good bye to any one. Not a single soul!

But when the time actually came she couldn't do it. Invisible chains seemed to draw her to the closed door of John Manner's office.

Her cheeks were very red under her plain, cheap hat and her eyes were big and bright with unshed tears when she walked into the room and stood at the corner of his desk, looking down at him.

He saw her and jumped up, frowning as if he were displeased.

"I've—come to—say good bye to you," she said in a choky voice. She was terribly afraid that she was going to break down, right there before him.

"Oh, yes, that's so. You are leaving today," he answered, as if he had never thought of it until that moment. He held out his hand—the brown hand that Mary Rose had so often longed to lay against her cheek.

"Good bye," he said, as impersonally as if she were an agent, come to sell him books or liquid soap or raw rubber.

Mary Rose took his hand. "I hope Miss Minnick will be a good secretary for you," she faltered.

As a matter of fact, she was hoping that Miss Minnick would be dreadful as a secretary. She hoped that she would misspell words and do everything wrong so that John Manners would miss her, Mary Rose Middleton, every day of his life!

"I think she's going to be fine," John said cheerfully.

Then he made a little grimace. "But you never can tell about people—I've made two or three terrible mistakes about them. People that I've thought were the finest in the world have turned out to be—disappointments."

From the way he looked at her when he said that, Mary Rose knew that he meant that she had been a disappointment to him. And for the first time she wondered if he had heard something about her that had turned him against her.

It was on the very tip of her tongue to ask him, but just then the door swung open and in came Hilary Dexter.

"I'm mighty sorry you're leaving us, Miss Middleton," he said, standing with his hands in his pockets, as he swayed ponderously to and fro on his toes. "Nothing will induce you to stay, I suppose?"

Mary Rose shook her head. "No," she said, and her voice trembled. "No—" She could say no more.

She turned once more to John Manners and he shook her hand for the second time in five minutes.

"Well, then, it's good bye," he said gruffly and she went out, tears pricking along the edges of her eyelids and an intolerable aching in her throat.

She crossed the big, bright outer office that had once been heaven on earth to her for the last time and sagged against the door as she went out. Suddenly it opened violently, pushing her out of the way.

Hilary Dexter was there beside her, holding a letter in his big capable looking hands that were all calloused and tanned from much golf.

"It's from Flossie," he said to her, "I mean, it's from Mrs. Jessup. She wants her old job back, she says. Now, what am I going to do about it?"

CHAPTER LIII

A shadow of very real fear crossed Mary Rose's face, darkening it.

"Oh, but you won't let her come back to work, will you?" she asked. Her voice and her eyes, still wet with tears, begged Dexter not to give Flossie her old job, again. "She doesn't need to work, now that she's married. Fifty dollars a week is more than enough for a young couple to get along on, isn't it?"

Dexter nodded. "Yes, and Sam's making more than that, anyway. I gave him a raise for a wedding present," he added with the proud air of an elderly Boy Scout who has done his daily good deed. "I can't make out why she wants to come back. She never did like to work. Here, He thrust it into Mary Rose's hands.

"My dear Mr. Dexter," Flossie had written in her childish, flyaway hand, "I have decided to come back to work for you. So you can expect me to be on the job next Monday morning as usual. Yours sincerely, Flossie M. Jessup."

"Cool as a cucumber about it, isn't she?" Dexter asked, when Mary Rose raised her eyes from the letter. "Steps out of a job when she feels like it, and thinks she can step right back into it. But she can't. You tell her for me, will you? I don't want her to come down here, coaxing me for it, either."

Mary Rose knew that he was afraid that Flossie would do that very thing—and that if she did come coaxing for her job, she would get it back. For Dexter probably still had a soft spot in his heart for her—not very soft, perhaps, but reasonably tender. His next words proved it.

"Ask her what she'd like for the new little home, will you?" he asked, as Mary Rose turned toward the stairs. "I'd thought of a silver coffee service. Or do you think she'd rather have a silver dresser set—brushes and things? Something for herself?"

"I think perhaps you'd better give her the coffee service," she told him, with gentle reproof.

Didn't he have any sense, she asked herself as she went down the iron stairs of the building for the last time and out into the autumn sunshine?

Didn't he know that it wasn't proper for any man but a woman's husband to give her toilet things for her bedroom?

"Of course, he must know it!" she answered herself angrily. "Anybody knows that! But he just wants to give Flossie something for herself, alone. He's still mushy about her!"

And she made up her mind, furiously, that Flossie never would go back to work for Dexter, except over her own dead body! She was so very furious that she forgot to think of John Manners for at least twenty minutes.

But when she stopped in at the florist's shop for chrysanthemums for the house decorations the thought of him came again, achingly, into her mind. For among the ferns in the greenhouse tinkled a tiny fountain, almost hidden among the soft green leaves.

The sound of it brought to Mary Rose the memory of the night last summer when she had driven out into the country and had sat in a leafy lane and listened to a brook babble peacefully to itself somewhere in the shadows.

"I suppose there'll always be something to remind me of him," she said to herself, "as long as I live."

Out of doors the sun was shining in a shy that was like Chinese blue enamel and the falling leaves seemed to dance brightly on the air as they floated toward the gutters.

"How can everything look so happy, when I'm so filled with this achy feeling?" she wondered.

As she started up Beckwith street with her flowers, Tom's car drove up beside her, and his voice startled her: "Yoo-hoo! Mary Rose! Jump in!"

She shook her head, "No, I've a headache, and I want a minute or two more in the air. Besides that, there's no room for me in your bus!"

There wasn't. It was piled high with baskets and caterers' boxes and a great pile of yellow chrysanthemums, peeping out from their paper wrappings.

Tom grinned as he looked at them. "Just a few more things for the wedding breakfast," he explained. "Your mother and I have had a circus fixing up the house all morning. Just wait until you see it!"

The house, when she did see it, was a bower of flowers—dozens and dozens of chrysanthemums, white and pink and golden yellow. Even the staircase was decorated with them. And the air was heavy with their pungent smell.

"Oh, Tom!" she reproached. "You must have spent a fortune on them!" He grinned cheerfully.

"Well, you won't let me have a wedding of my own. So I may as well blow myself on somebody else's wedding breakfast!" he said with a shrug.

He came closer, towering over her, but not touching her.

"Listen, Honey Rose, now that you've left the Dexter Company don't get another job. Marry me instead," he said, his eyes suddenly very quiet and serious. "Will you?"

He lifted her cold hand and bent her long fingers one by one. "They were made to bang the keys of a typewriter," he added.

Mary Rose laughed a little. "What were they made for, then?" she asked. "For cooking and baking and—"

"For his," Tom broke in and kissed them all, one after the other.

The door opened and Mrs. Middleton came in. Behind her, Mary Rose caught a glimpse of the dining room table.

A cloth edged with heavy filet lace covered it and it was banked high with more of the chrysanthemums. There were tall white candles at either end.

"How lovely it all is! I had no idea this old house could be made to look so beautiful," Mary Rose cried. She drew her hand out of Tom's and ran out into the dining room. "Why, lookey! Even the sandwiches are all tied up with yellow satin ribbons!"

"Tom did it all," Mrs. Middleton told her. "He brought his mother's cook along with him and her best table cloth and even some wine to drink the bride's health in! He's a regular miracle man, I tell him!"

"I brought something else, too," Tom said in an undertone.

POEMS THAT LIVE

TO MY MOTHER

Because I feel that, in the Heavens above,
The angels whispering to one another,
Can find, among their burning terms of love,
None so devotional as that of Mother;
Therefore by that dear name I long have called you,
You who are more than mother unto me,
And fill my heart of hearts, where death installed you,
In setting my Virginia's spirit free.
My mother—my own mother, who died early,
Was but the mother of myself; but you
Are mother to the one I loved so dearly,
And thus are dearer than the mother I knew.
By that affinity with which my wife
Was dearer to my soul than its soul life.

—Edgar Allen Poe.

Lyrics of Life

By
Douglas Malloch

A Good Bed.

I used to want to go to sea.
But what to see I do not know;
In boyhood days I longed to be
A sailor of the long ago.
Yes, sail six thousand miles or so
And make some great discovery.
But now—a days? No, not for me.

To tell the truth about the case,
Now that I understand it more,
The sea's a rather messy place
Where blizzards blow and breakers roar.
I feel much better on the shore,
So other folks the sea may chase
And seek some other human race.
I think of other things instead
When night comes down at close of day;
I try the springs, and smoothe the spread,
And punch the pillows in, and say,
"I've got a good bed, anyway,
I've got a place to lay my head.
And, gosh, it's good to have a bed!

The world a lot of joy can hold,
But little else that can befall,
When nights are dark and damp and cold,
Quite like a good bed, after all.
And so inside my bed I crawl,
Adventure scorn, and youth I scold—
That's how I know I'm getting old.

PETER'S ADVENTURES in ANIMAL LAND

By MRS FLORENCE SMITH VINCENT

MUD IN YOUR FACE.

Then Peter saw Hyena was in trouble, and that made Peter lose his fear of the Four Foot and run to Hyena's side.

"You poor old fellow! What is wrong? How can I help you?" cried he. The creature shook his head and without raising his face from his paws began to wail and to moan.

"You can't, nobody can, nobody wants to help a poor Hyena. Certainly no Two-Legs could be kind to him! My mate, my faithful mate! Where is she now? I can't bear to think! What a dreadful fate! Mud in your face! Mud in your face!"

Peter was startled.

"So it was you crying that all the while!" cried he. "And I thought it was Mother or Father Growly who kept repeating those words. What luck to find out what they mean from a Hyena himself than just to hear about it second hand!"

Hyena peeped up at the boy from between his paws and Peter caught a glimpse of two round, dull eyes, not pretty at all, and there was something in their expression that he didn't like. But, of course, he didn't say so to their owner.

"I am sure I don't know what you are talking about!" snarled Hyena, and covered his face again.

"To tell the truth, I don't quite know myself!" replied Peter, and laughed. The sound of the boy's laughter seemed to make the creature cross and his wail grew shriller than ever.

"'Tis no laughing matter. Mud in your face! The most terrible disgrace that can befall one of our race. And it has happened to my own mate. Oh, that I should have lived to see her dragged away to be stoned. If only we had waited until after sunset to go prowling she might be with me now. But mate told me of three baby calves that were pastured in a meadow all by themselves—easy prey for our strong paws. So we slunk out of our lair to get them."

"Sure enough, mate was right. When we reached the pasture there were the three calves. Mate having discovered them, had first right to bring them down, so she crawled through the fence and was slinking upon them when I caught sight of a Two-Legs trailing her. I barked a warning, but too late. Two-Legs cornered her, threw mud in her face and my poor mate was bound fast by strong ropes that all her struggles could not break before she knew it!"

Next: "Head Hunter Comes."

MEXICAN VOLCANO ACTIVE

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 21.—(AP) It is reported that the volcano Colima in Jalisco has resumed activity after having been quiet for twelve years. Lava is said to be flowing from the crater and the people in the neighborhood are considerably frightened.



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The Fun Shop

By
Maxon Foxhall Judell

Wadda They Mean—They Run Things

When mere men states in superior way
"I run things at our house"—we'll say
We snicker inside for we have in mind
The furnace you know, and things of that kind!

An Expert.

Nan: "They say love is blind."
Marvin: "That makes no difference. My wife has a good sense of 'touch.'"

WHEN BLACK IS READ.
Baloney.

Men scoff at us, the weaker sex;
Our clothes give them a shock,
They kick about our boyish bob,
Skirt length and rolled-down sock.

They say we're not a modest set;
Our manners give them pain;
But will someone explain just why
THEY ALWAYS CALL AGAIN?

—. Graham

Electric Love.

She looked at me and then she smiled;
Then up and down my spine went wild
But sweet electric thrills.
I married her one happy day;
And now I pay, and pay, and pay
Her sweet electric bills!

—Edward Crook.

Aye, Aye, Captain!

"A sweetheart in every port,"
Is said of the sailor man bold;
And "any old port in a storm"
Is also a saying that's old.

"Got any port in the cellar?"
Is asked of us now and again;
And then there's the maid's Davenport—
Today's port of most missing men!

—S. M. Hager.

Going Her One Better.

Mrs. Archer: "I am going to the hospital tomorrow to have my appendix removed and my tonsils taken out.'"

Archer: "But Great Scott! You're not sick!"

Mrs. Archer: "I know, but Mrs. Everetts has just had an operation, and I can afford to have all she can."

—S. G. Tretler.

Modern girls are not so bad, even though they have reverted to bobberism.

The One Who Knew.

"What do men know of women's work?" shrieked the lady orator.

"Is there a man here," she continued, "is there a man here, I repeat, who has day after day got up in the morning and gone quietly downstairs, made the fire, cooked his own breakfast, sewed the missing buttons on the children's clothes, cleaned the pots and pans, and swept the kitchen?

"Again I ask—is there a man breathing who has done all this?"

In the rear of the hall a timid-looking man, with spectacles on his nose, rose to his feet and said in kindly tones:

"I think, my dear, that I can claim that honor."

He was the husband of the eloquent speaker. —J. Joyce.

THE AGONY COLUMN.
(Conducted By Jessiyn Hull.)

MARY—Can tell you where you may find your little lamb served with mint sauce. DR. FOSTER.

ALICE—Where art thou! BEN BOLT.

BO PEEP—Your sheep all anxious to come home if no questions asked about tails. RAM AND COMPANY.

PERSONAL—Who chased what around where and when and why! SIMPLE SIMON.

WILL CONTRARY MARY who sat with me once on the wall come to see me at hospital! Have had a bad fall. HUMPTY DUMPTY.

LADY COOK with beautiful equipment wishes lady partner to help start lunch room. MRS. I. M. COOKLY.

MR. PETER GETTEM is mourning the recent loss of the fourth wife. He says the light of his life has gone out. Do not fret, Peter, Strike another match.

OUR FELLOW TOWNSMAN, George Took-it, is home again, hale and hearty. Six years in the penitentiary improved his health.

Proof Positive!

My youngest brother frequently goes to play with a little girl a short way from home.

"She's your sweetie," I teased.

"She is NOT," he answered indignantly, "I don't wash up when I go over there." —Sally Firetag.

IN KLASS AT KRAZY KOLLEGE.
(Conducted By Gertrude.)

Teacher: "Mr. Lotz of London will put away his wurst and do his h with the words, 'almond' and 'elixir.'"

Carload Lotz:
"The wife of 'ot tempered 'Arry
'As to watch 'er step, becus
Each morning she don't cook 'im almond eggs
Elixir till she does."

—Harry A. Maier.

Teacher: "You look mad, Axel! Have you had bad news from Sweden? Tell us all about it on 'saxaphone.'"

Axel Grease: "My wife she drive me out of house,
She don't hit me but she try it,
Ay gat mad and madder all day long
Till at saxaphone her, 'keep quiet.'"

—M. H. Yunkers.

KRAZY KINDERGARTEN.
(Conducted By Gertrude, Jr.)

Teacher: "Cristofer, if you have ennything to say, say it out loud. Say 'decisive.'"

Criss Coe:
"Of all the beets I saw in the zoo
The funniest was the giraff,
I gess it thawt my manners was bad—
But decisive its neck made me laff."

Teacher: "Amelia deer, 'mah jong' is the werd and you are the werder."

Meel Ticket:
"O my mother wore skerts to her neeze
And the next day she started to sneeze
She looked awful cute
But father, the brute,
Sed, 'Mah jong but she cant stand the breeze.'"

—Mrs. H. Q. Hildebrant.

Agriculture Due A Comeback—Jardine

URBANA, Ill., Jan. 21.—(AP)—Agriculture may be distressed, but it is far from disabled and in the long run will have its measure of prosperity, said W. M. Jardine, secretary of agriculture, addressing the annual meeting of the Illinois Agricultural association here today.

"When the tide turns badly against us, it but sets in motion those forces which ultimately will swing it in favor again," he said. "If the experiences of previous generations teach us anything, it is that one of the best times to buy a farm is when farming seems in poorest re-

Art of Home Making to Be Stressed In Record News' Cooking School

Culinary Lessons Will Be Available to Women Here In Cooking Class

Home making is more than a mere name. It is very much of a reality to Mrs. Ida Chitwood, domestic science expert and an authority on household arts in general. She has devoted all of her time for a number of years to the subject of home making and thousands of housewives over the country bear witness to her talent for imparting valuable knowledge and assisting them in their domestic problems.

Mrs. Chitwood is well equipped in every department of home making. She knows what constitutes proper foods, how to prepare it and how to serve it as well as what to buy and when.

Foods to be selected for different occasions and for use in unusual combinations, the planning, the marketing and all the way through to the actual serving, make up the text of the lectures on domestitc science which Mrs. Chitwood gives for the benefit of the women in her audience. Add to this the demonstration of the preparation of the various dishes, step by step, each fully explained and there is supplied an afternoon of incalculable value to the home-maker.

Can Inspect It

The opportunity to give close inspection to the finished product is provided, as the various dishes are passed through the audience. Each woman may see the garnish, which is appealing to the eye. And, by the way, Mrs. Chitwood demonstrates how to use the things to garnish with and how to accomplish this in a few seconds so easily, that one feels that the day of ungarnished foods is almost passed.

There is no admission charge of any kind to these lectures. Everything is free to the women of Wichita Falls and surrounding territory. Come and be the guests of the Record News. Bring note books and pencils so you can jot down recipes for future use.



MRS. IDA CHITWOOD

Home-Makers Class Enjoy Lovely Party

Members of the Home-Makers Sunday school class of the First Baptist church composed of young matrons, enjoyed a delightful party at the Wichita club Thursday evening which was prettily decorated for the occasion in colors and motifs suggestive of St. Valentine's day.

An informal program included popular airs played on the piano by Miss Ina Ponder and Mrs. G. A. McWhirter entertained with a reading. Progressive conversation and games furnished diversion.

At a late hour, refreshments of ice cream and cake in the heart shapes and tinted in red, was served.

Members of the class are Mesdames S. H. Covington, H. H. Brown, Preston Brown, R. R. Cooke, George Cullen, C. E. Covington, F. H. Elam, F. E. Elliott, T. M. McDaniel, Guy P'Poole, F. M. Sadler, Carroll Stampfli, L. L. Sellars, Jimmie Terrell, Paxton, E. A. McWhirter, C. E. McWhirter, Ottis Grafa, O. D. McCoy and Paul Hines. Mrs. J. H. Martin is the teacher.

Mrs. Harwood Stacy To Head Musicians Club

Mrs. Harwood Stacy will head the Musicians club following an election of officers for the new year at the Wichita club Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Lucile B. Huff was elected first vice president; Mrs. A. H. Britain, second vice president; Mrs. Ray Eyssen, third vice president; Mrs. W. C. Hamilton, secretary; Mrs. C. G. Beavers, corresponding secretary; Miss Vivian Railey, treasurer; Mrs. J. W. Akin, Jr., accompanist; Mrs. D. L. Fritz, librarian and Mrs. Kenneth Bebb, parliamentarian and critic.

A short program included a group of songs by Alva Willgus, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Willgus; a vocal number of Mrs. Lois Parker, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Bentley Nelson; a violin number by Miss Monterey Lewis accompanied by Mrs. Lucile B. Huff, and a piano solo by Miss Katherine Kilander.

Wednesday Study Club In Regular Session

Acts four and five and scenes 15 and one and two, from Shakespeare's Anthony and Cleopatra, furnished the lesson for members of the Wednesday Study club which meet at the library this week. As usual, the director, Mrs. Charles W. Wallace, read the lines which were discussed by the club members.

Mrs. J. C. Berney, an honorary member was welcomed back in the club, after a residence of several months in Dallas.

Those present were Mesdames C. N. Alexander, Bert Bean, T. R. Boone, E. B. Carver, W. B. Chauncey, N. B. Chenault, W. W. Cook, Harry Davis, Bernard Marttin, J. J. Perkins, Charles W. Wallace, S. L. McDowell, T. B. Smith, and T. F. Durkin.

Called Meeting At Home of Mrs. Terrell

A called meeting of the women of the Municipal club will be held at the home of Mrs. A. T. Terrell, 1807 Elizabeth street today at 2 o'clock, to make plans for the benefit tea and bridge to be given at the club next week. The meeting was to have been held at the club house, but on account of the inclement weather will be held at Mrs. Terrell's instead.

Seek Beauty Contest By Camp Fire Girls

Announcement of a meeting of Camp Fire Girls for a "Seek Beauty" contest and bulb planting is made for January 28 at the headquarters in the basement of the First Methodist church when Mrs. Morgan of the Morgan Seed and Floral company will lecture on the best methods of planting various kinds of bulbs.

The program was planned at a meeting held at headquarters with the following present: Mesdames A. W. Ayres, T. N. Colligan, W. Roberts, Anna Barnhill, Misses Alma Richardson, Therressa Kauffman, and some visitors, Miss Kathleen Colligan and Mesdames M. C. Sherman and Frank W. Jones and the executive, Miss McIlheran.

Miss McIlheran Talks To Travis Mothers

Miss Mary McIlheran, local Camp Fire executive, talked on the work of the organization to members of the Travis Mothers club at the meeting held at the school Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Ira Cain talked on the problem and need of religious training in the early life of the child, and Mrs. W. O. McAda, the president, addressed the mothers on co-operation for a better Parent-Teachers association.

Guests of the afternoon were Mesdames N. M. Rollins and Putty. During the social half hour, refreshments were served to Mesdames Jack Ogle, C. H. Bird, W. O. McAda, I. A. Mathews, Putty, W. C. Rowe, L. Van Schoiack, W. H. Berry, N. M. Rollins, Ira Cain and Misses Rollins and Mary McIlheran.

Miss Norma Rollins' room won the attendance prize.

Susannah Sunday School Class Meets

With Mrs. Lulu Bristol hostess, assisted by Mesdames M. J. McQuigan and J. W. Thomas, members of the Susannah Sunday school class of the Floral Heights Methodist church were entertained in the new home of Mrs. Bristol Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. B. M. Bullard opened the program with the devotionals taken from Psalms, after which the afternoon was spent in a business and social session.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Bullard, S. A. L. Morgan, John Kay, E. J. Shaw, M. J. Michaelina, A. B. Gough, Roy Howell, John Tancred, Earl Ballenger, J. M. Franklin, J. T. Shaver, B. L. Wolf, B. C. Stone, C. B. Montgomery, R. A. Neal and J. E. Rowe

Today's Calendar

Mrs. Thelbert Martin will be hostess to the Friday Bridge club, afternoon.

Mrs. K. C. Spell will be hostess to the Stitch and Chatter club, afternoon.

The Twentieth Century club will meet, with Mrs. V. E. Ashford, 2171 Avenue J, afternoon.

The Unity club will meet with Mrs. Eugene Sherrod, afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. Massie, 1501 Tilden, will be hostess to the Coterie club, afternoon.

The executive board of the Woman's Council of the First Christian church will meet at the church at 10 o'clock, morning.

Mrs. S. H. Burnside will be hostess to the New Century club at her home, Kemp Kort, afternoon.

Mrs. Thompson Hostess To Six Arts Club

Mrs. W. R. Thompson was hostess to members of the Six Arts club at her home Wednesday in an all day session when a lovely six-course menu was served. A radio program given during the luncheon proved unusually entertaining, after which the hours were pleasantly spent in doing the usual fancy work.

The club was glad to welcome again, Mrs. John Lindsey, who on account of illness during the past six weeks, was unable to attend the meetings.

Plates were laid for Mesdames R. W. Okey, John Lindsey, Lester Flatt, C. M. Doke and A. E. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Thompson, 1900 Seventh street, announce the arrival of a baby daughter, Jan. 20, whom they have named Gay Nell.

Camp Fire Meets

The Wendat Camp Fire Girls held their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of the guardian, Mrs. Anna Barnhill. Symbolism was studied and some very attractive woodblocks were made by the girls.

Those present were: Misses Eleanor Hatchett, Phyllis Creighton, Marguerite McCord, Edna Skaggs, Therressa Kauffman, and Mrs. Barnhill, the guardian. The next meeting will be a social and will be held at the home of Mrs. R. L. Mansell.

BOBBED, LIKE SAMSON, WEAK; LOSE TUG OF WAR

LONDON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Whether women who have their hair shingled lose strength as did Samson when the shears were used on him is a question now going the rounds. The problem had its origin in a tug-of-war between bobbed and unbobbed girls at an athletic meet. The unbobbed won.

BURGER LEAVES FOR COLORADO

Imperial Potentate and Wife End Busy Visit In Wichita Falls

Following a brief and busy visit in Wichita Falls Wednesday and Thursday, Imperial Potentate James C. Burger, A. A. O. N. M. S. and Mrs. Burger, left yesterday afternoon for Pubelo, Colo.

Mr. Burger spent Thursday morning in conference with Potentate R. E. Shepherd and the officers of Maskat temple, and was a guest at the Rotary club at noon. Mrs. Burger was guest of honor at a luncheon given at the Wichita club by wives of the divan officers.

He will visit the Pueblo, Colo., temple and go to his home in Denver, where he will remain two weeks before continuing his tour of the temples of the country.

RANCHER ASSASSDNATED

VERA VRUZ, Mexico, Jan. 21. (AP)—Colonel Pascual Cazarin was assassinated yesterday on his ranch on the Papalospan river.

Harbin to Speak

E. O. Harbin, general educational director of the entire Methodist church, south, of Nashville, Tenn., will be the principal speaker at the Sunday evening meeting of the Epworth league of the First Methodist church, south. He will bring a message directed to young people, and an invitation is extended to young people to hear him. Mr. Harbin is editor of several books on church and recreation.

Alton P. Jones is leader of the lesson on the topic of "Japan." Miss Jean and Josephine Fisk will sing a duet, "In Old Japan," with guitar accompaniment, and "Over the Spars There is Rest," (Adt) with piano accompaniment and Miss Jean Fisk will play a violin solo.

BODY TO CLEBURNE

The body of Mrs. M. E. Norvell, 82, who died at 2 o'clock Thursday morning at the home, 411 Giddings, following a few hours illness of apoplexy, will be forwarded today to Cleburne by the Hines Undertakers for burial. She had lived in this city for the past 18 years, coming here from Tennessee at an early age.

She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Rowell of Wichita Falls; and three grandchildren, Mrs. J. B. Totten of Electra; Mrs. Mary Saam of Vernon and Oluff Beauchamp, Crowell.

BANK FAILS TO OPEN.

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 21.—(AP)—The Bank of Commerce, a state institution, failed to open today, is the seventh Denver bank to close in the past four months.

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City and Social News From North Texas and Southern Oklahoma

ELECTRA

S. A. L. Bridge Club.

Miss Minnie Maude Cox entertained the S. A. L. Bridge club on Tuesday evening at her home on west Harrison avenue. Luncheon was served at the conclusion of the games. Miss Leta Mae Coke won high score and was awarded a boudoir cap, and Miss Lola Awtrey was awarded the club next week. Those playing were Misses Leta Mae Coke, Lola Awtrey, Irene Lebus, Norma Andrews, Annie Laurie Smith, Faye Rogers, Sallie Huffaker, Mary McBann, Carrie Cross and Effie Giles, Lois Reeves and their hostess.

Wednesday Bridge Club.

Mrs. Harrold Sharpe entertained the Wednesday Bridge club on Wednesday afternoon at her home on Taylor street in Wichita Falls. Those present were Mesdames W. T. Waggoner Jr., and Roy Miller of Electra and Mesdames, Harmon Cloughly, Earl Hubbard, and Mesdames Fite, Glass, Sharpe, and Miss Georgia B. Leath. Mrs. Fite received a meddira vanity set as high score and Mrs. Hubbard was consoled with candle sticks and holders, in a very pretty design. Valentine suggestions were carried out and favors were tiny whisp brooms, in the red and white. A lovely two course luncheon was served at the conclusion of the games. Mrs. W. T. Waggoner Jr. will be hostess to the club on next Wednesday.

PERSONALS

Little Miss Odessa Stidham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stidham has been confined to her bed for the past few days with scarlet fever.

Harrold Birkeland, who was called to Minneapolis, Minn., some months ago due to the death of his father, who was mysteriously murdered, arrived in Electra Tuesday to resume his business activities.

Mrs. Dan Wall and baby daughter, of Weatherford, are in Electra to attend the funeral of E. M. Hamm, a brother of Mrs. Wall.

Mrs. W. E. Burgins of Collinsville, is in Electra to be at the bedside and attend the funeral of her brother, E. E. Hamm, who died last Wednesday.

Miss Ollie Cate of Crowell is in the city attending the funeral services of her brother, Charley Wharton.

Miss Lela Futch has returned to her home after an extended visit with her mother in Farmersville, La.

Cecil Matheson of Sherman is a guest of his sister, Mrs. J. V. Harrison.

Ed Miller who was injured recently in a car collision is reported slightly improved Thursday morning.

Mrs. W. W. Cox, sister of Jack Prince has been his guest for the past two years. Mrs. Cox lives in Gentry, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Prince have returned from Ardmore where they spent the past week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Story and sons of Durant, Okla., are in the city to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Story's mother.

J. H. Yancy of Newark, Texa, is in Electra to attend the funeral services of an aunt, Mrs. W. M. Walker, who died on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Walker and family of Vernon are in the city to accompany the remains of Mrs. Walker's mother to Vernon for burial.

Mrs. C. C. Pridgen of Wichita Falls is in the city to be with her sister, whose mother-in-law died recently.

Mrs. Claude Conyers is reported to be doing nicely at the Brazell sanitarium in Fort Worth, where she was carried recently. Mrs. Grace Jennings will return Saturday to be at her bedside.

IOWA PARK

Presbyterian Auxiliary.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church met in regular session Monday for study.

Methodist Missionary Meet.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church met Monday. Mrs. Paul Zink led the devotional, discussing in a most interesting way "Our Lord's Lesson on the Cross."

Mrs. Paul Powell then conducted the Bible study.

During the short business session Mrs. J. E. Murphree made a talk on "Our Pledge for the Year." Those present were Mesdames A. B. Bishop, Ruby Monrie, C. C. Davis, John C. Murphree, Miles Hines, William Linsey, M. A. Loce, A. B. Butcher, G. F. Hoge, H. C. Hand, E. M. McBride, S. L. Denney, J. E. Keller, Charlie Coppock, J. P. Sunday, Richey Abernathy, Paul Zink, Ida Weeks, G. C. Peneler, Paul Powell, Bert Smith, and M. J. McDonald.

Bapist Aid Meets.

The ladies aid of the Bapist church met in an all day session of prayer at the church Monday. Mrs. Sockridge led the discussion in the morning. The subject discussed was Japan.

Sandwiches, fruits and coffee were served at noon. After lunch was served Mrs. Bernard Bindwell gave several special musical numbers which were enjoyed by all.

Every one was delighted to see Mrs. Newman out at the meeting after being kept in so long following a car accident in which she was crippled. She sang a special song.

There were several leaders in the afternoon. Each one leading different discussions. Those leading were: Mrs. S. A. Baxter, Mrs. M. B. Cain, Mrs. Curtis Hill, and Mrs. A. C. Golden. An offering was taken in the afternoon. There were twenty present.

Wealth of Texas Gains 183 Million

AUSTIN, an. 21.—(AP)—Increase in wealth in Texas in 1925 over 1924 amounted to $183,125,268, preliminary figures taken from the annual report to be made by Comptroller S. H. Terrell show. The comptroller presents in the report the summary of all property assessed for taxes in 1925, as shown by the assessors rolls, and shows the assessed valuation for 1924.

Total of the rolls for 1925 amounts to $3,602,217,082 as compared with $3,419,091,814 for 1924.

In 1925, land assessed in acres totalled 364,775,924., with a valuation of $1,429,379,131. In 1924, there were 162,813,803 acres assessed for $1,357,283,190. In the past year town lots were assessed at $1,004,471,483, compared with $935,257,148 in 1924.

Horses and mules numbered 1,594,270 in 1925, and were assessed at $53,856,285, compared with 1,562,569 worth $54,662,896 last year.

Cattle 4,934,130 assessed at $63,650,331, in 1925 compared with 5,292,708 at $72,762,330 in 1924.

Jacks and jennets assessed $187,287 in 1925; 12,088 assessed $233,272 in 1924.

Sheep 2,956,004 assessed $10,797,604 in 1925; 2,574,201 assessed $8,734,707 in 1924.

Hogs 546,703, assessed $2,052,848 in 1925; 707,810 assessed $2,424,759 in 1924.

Dogs 10,260, assessed $212,701 in 1925; 10,017, assessed $217,419 in 1924.

Automobiles, motorcycles, wagons, buggies, carriages, bicycles, aggregated 1,091,670 in 1925, were assessed at $109,715,094 in 1925 compared with 902,627, assessed at $95,063,734 in 1924.

Frisco Is Flirting With Miss "Katy"

NEW YORK, Jan. 21—(AP)—The executive committee of the St. Louis-San Francisco railroad which has been meeting in special session for the last two days, is negotiating for control of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad, it was reported in Wall street today.

Beyond statintg that a special meeting of Frisco directors has been called for tomorrow, Chairman E. N. Brown of the Frisco railroad has declined all information as to the negotiations now under way. A large interest in the "Katy" was acquired by the Kansas City Southern some time ago as part of a plan of L. F. Loree for a gigantic merger of southwestern roads. The entrance of the Kansas City Southern into the "Katy" was opposed at the time by Speyer and Company and J. and W. Seglman company, bankers who reorganized the "Katy" railroad and are also bankers for the St. Louis-San Francisco.

Wilbarger Bridge Case Is Up Today

VERNON, Jan. 21—(AP)—The injunction suit filed by C. C. Hawley and others to enjoin Wilbarger county officials from further proceedings with the purpose of construction of a bridge across Red river between Vernon and Davidson, Okla., will be heard by Judge Robert Cole in the 46th district court here at 10 o'clock Friday morning. Attorneys for both sides are ready.

Electra Pastor Will Go to Dallas

ELECTRA, Jan. 21. — Dallas churches have claimed two of Electra's popular preachers within two weeks, the first being Rev. Byron Heater who accepted a call to the North Dallas Christian church, and the last being Rev. C. H. Napier of the Lutheran church, who resigned Sunday and preached his farewell sermon, to take charge of the Grace Lutheran church of Dallas. Rev. and Mrs. Napier have lived in Electra for the past two years, where Rev. Napier has filled his regular pulpit in the Lutheran church, each Sunday which meets in the Knights of Columbus Hall.

Rev. A. A. Hellbush of Wichita Falls, will hold services every other Sunday in the Knights of Columbus hall for the Lutheran congregation.

SAN ANTONIO FIRM GETS BIG CONTRACT IN VERNON

VERNON, Jan. 21.—Sumner-Sollitt, San Antonio contractors, were awarded the contract for the extensive improvements to the power plant of the Vernon & Electric Ice company, subsidiary of the Middlewest Utility company, located on North Main street, near the Denver depot. The estimated cost of the building is $30,000.

TILLMAN COUNTY FAIR OFFICIALS TO BE NAMED

FREDERICK, Jan. 21.—Mass meetings in various townships over the county, for the purpose of selecting directors for the Tillman county free fair board, are to be held Wednesday, Jan. 27, according to L. H. Beaty, county farm agent.

ELECTRA MAN INJURED WHILE UNLOADING CAR

ELECTRA, Jan. 21.—About 8 o'clock Thursday morning, A. A. Smith, 34, was painfully but not seriously injured when unloading iron jacks from a car on the railroad track. Smith is an employee of the Frick Reid Supply company, and makes his home on East Bryan avenue.

Wilbarger Road Motion Dropped

VERNON, Jan. 21.—The motion recently filed in the court of civil appeals asking the court to vacate its judgment in favor of the defense in the case of C. C. Hawley et al vs. O. T. Warlick et al, was withdrawn by the applicants Wednesday, according to a message received here.

The case involves the bond issue voted in road district No. 4, for the purpose of paving the Colorado-Gulf highway between Harrold and Oklaunion. The county twice won the decision of the district court, and the judgment of the lower court was affirmed by the court of civil appeals and a rehearing denied. After the recent decision of the federal court in regard to district road bonds, the appellants filed the motion asking the court of civil appeals to vacate its judgment.

Other cases from Wilbarger county were disposed of as follows by the court of civil appeals Wednesday; City National Bank of Decatur vs. Clois L. Greene, affirmed; J. D. Kay et al vs. J. T. Oats et al reversed and remanded; Noble Oil and Development company et al vs. Peck and Hickernell, dismissed on agreement.

VERNON

Rev. O. P. and Mrs. Clark returned from Fort Worth, Tuesday afternoon where Mrs. Clark had been summoned to the bedside of her father, J. C. Patten, 76, who died at a Fort Worth hospital Friday night, after a long illness. He was buried in Stephenville Saturday afternoon. Mr. Patten is survived by three sons and three daughters.

Mrs. F. C. Morris, who has been visiting her son-in-law, D. J. Brewer and family, since the holidays, received a message Tuesday, that her husband was very ill at their home in Billings, Mont. She left at once for Montana.

S. S. Bell of Crowell was here on business Tuesday.

R. L. More, manager of the W. T. Waggoner Estate, returned Tuesday from Fort Worth where he has been attending to business for the past few days.

M. J. Poteet of the firm of Warlick and Poteet, lawyers, made a business trip to Wichita Falls Tuesday night, returning Wednesday morning.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Willis Fiefler, a girl, Wednesday morning at a local sanitarium.

Entertains Bridge Club.

Mrs. Clint Swartwood was hostess to the Tuesday Bridge club at her home on Wilbarger street. Mrs. Joe Sumner and Miss Johnnie Mallow were winners of prizes for high club and his guest scores and were given hose. The prize for low score, individual pepper and salt went to Mrs. George Hardin.

A dainty salad plate was served to Miss Adele Sumner, Mrs. E. L. McCarter, Mrs. Joe Sumner, Mrs. Frank Byrd, Mrs. John A. Storey, Mrs. A. D Skinner, Miss Johnnie Mallow, Miss Esther Swartwood, Mrs. Keith Berry, Mrs. W. B. McCaleb, Mrs. George Hardin, Mrs. O. O. McCurdy.

Mrs. Clint Swartwood and Mrs. Frank Byrd had as their guests for the week-end, Miss Ernestine Bolin of Wichita Falls, former class-mate at Texas Woman's college.

W. M. Stalcup of Sinton arrived Sunday in response to a message that his mother, Mrs. L. H. Stalcup, was quite ill. Her condition is about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Homer Smith are visiting relatives at Graham, Fort Worth and Dallas.

G. W. Backus, grand master of Texas Odd Fellows, accompanied by E. M. Haney, returned Monday night from a week's visit in South Texas. Mr. Backus visited Odd Fellow lodges in Del Rio, Eagle Pass and Laredo. Mr. Haney went primarily on a hunting trip in the south bird zone. Game was scarce.

"Boy Preacher" In Frederick Sunday

FREDERICK, Jan. 21.—Rev. Roy Cogdill, until his resignation January 1, pastor of the Church of Christ in Frederick, is to fill the pulpit in that church Sunday, according to church officials.

Cogdill held the pastorate of the local church for over a year. He resigned to enter the Cordell Christian college.

Cogdill is better known as the "boy evangelist." he having accepted the ministry here when he was but 18 years of age.

France Anxious To Pay, Cal Told

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—France is resolved to settle her war debt with this country, Henry Berenger, the new French ambassador, has informed President Coolidge in presenting his letters of credence.

Payment will be made, he said, "as promptly and as fully as her present and future possibilities will allow." President Coolidge in reply expressed a belief that "there should be no insuperable difficulty in arriving at such an adjustment."

Waurika

Mrs. M. C. Groseclose was called to Kingfisher Wednesday to attend the funeral of her uncle, Judge G. W. Mitchell.

Mrs. E. S. Huffman of the Hastings community spent last week in Waurika assisting in the care of her daughter, Mrs. Emmet Rucker, who has flu. She spent the week-end with her son, Otto Huffman, and Mrs. Huffman.

Rev. A. K. Price, pastor of the local Presbyterian church, went to Oklahoma City Tuesday night to attend the Synod which meets at that place this week. Members of the National and Foreign boards of the church will be present at the meeting.

Miss Elizabeth Moore of Oklahoma City spent the last week-end with her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Banner and family.

Alva Clymer resumed charge of his lunch room Monday which had been under lease to Ed McMurtry for the past year. Mrs. Clymer will conduct the cream station for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Burge, their son, Jordan, and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Anderson spent Saturday night and Sunday at Seymour cottage at Crateville.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pollard and their baby son of Dillard spent the last week-end in Waurika guests of Mr. Pollard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C O. Pollard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Prater of Wirt are spending this week in Waurika with their daughter, Mrs. C. O. Pollard and family.

Mrs. Emma Smith spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. E. R. Chaffin, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Phelan were called to Terral Monday night by the serious illness of Mr. Phelan's sister, Mrs. Albert Mitchell. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Tucker are in charge of the grocery store while the Phelans are gone.

Edward Moore has been having flu and has been very ill with tonsilitis and other complications.

Rev. J. T. Price of Golden City, Mo. a brother of the local pastor of the Presbyterain church, Rev. A. K. Price will hold a series of meetings at the Presbyterian church here beginning Jan. 28.

J. W. McKay came home from Ardmore Monday night where he has been on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sutton and baby daughter, Billy Ruth, went to Chickasha Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Solon Osteen.

B. E. Vanbebber has sold his confectionery to Mr. and Mrs. John Manire, who will conduct it in the future.

Mrs. G. V. Dennis and baby daughter, who have been visiting Mrs. Dennis' father, Dr. D. E. Collins, went to Marlow Tuesday to visit Mr. Dennis' parents for a few days before going to Lawton to join Mr. Dennis.

L. H. Dowd of Orange, Mass., spent Monday night in Waurika with his cousin, Mrs. P. E. Waid and family enroute to South Texas.

Mrs. Cal Parker and her little son, James of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. Parker's sister, Mrs. James McClure and her baby daughter, Mary Louise of Megargel, Texas, are guests this week of Mrs. Parker's and Mrs. McClure's sister, Mrs. C. W. Plumlee and family.

Misses Rebecca Green, Olga Denney and Nora Maupin, who attend the Oklahoma College for Women at Chickasha spent the last week-end with homefolks.

Mrs. J. S. Cole returned from Wichita, Kansas, Thursday night of last week where she purchased a beautiful line of spring dress goods for the Cole Dry Goods company.

Mrs. Ellie Suttle and two older children of Duncan spent Saturday in Waurika.

J. F. Tucker, who formerly lived in Waurike and who has been very ill at his home in DeSoto, Texas, is improving, after a long and dangerous seige with acute rheumatism.

Mrs. Arthur Handy of Wichita Falls, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Carl Summers, and family, for the past two weeks, returned home last Friday. She was accompanied to Wichita Falls by Mrs. Summers and Mrs. Jim Reed.

Mrs. I. H. Lewis has been incapacitated for the past month with rheumatism in her left hand. She is not showing much improvement and suffers intensely.

Miss Marjory Sneed, who has been attending the Texas university at Austin where she has been taking a course in instruction to fit herself for teaching deaf mutes, came home this week to visit her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. T. Sneed.

Mrs. Clara Ray of Marlow, accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. Figley, who is past 85 years of age, visited Mrs. Ray's sister, Mrs. J. C. Neal and family, over the last week-end.

Mrs. Leonard Thornton of Kansas City, who has been spending two weeks in Waurika with her mother, Mrs. Julia Hardy, went to Houston Friday at which place Mr. and Mrs. Leonard will live for a time. Mr. Leonard, who is an expert electrician employed by the Western Electric Supply company, is sent from city to city to work for his company.

Fred Ligon, who is in charge of the Betty Atkins bankrupt stock, spent the last week-end with home folk at Greenville, Texas.

Mrs. Tom Hutton and her mother, Mrs. Felix Raines of Abilene, Texas, spent the last week-end with Mrs. Betty Atkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Sans Doty of Oklahoma City are the house guests of Mrs. Doty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McGruw.

D. P. Sturgeon conducted a Masonic school of instruction at Hastings last week beginning Monday afternoon and closing Friday night. The sessions lasted afternoons and evenings throughout the week.

Clarence Echols was taken to the Reno Tuesday where he will likely undergo a surgical operation for kidney trouble. He was accompanied by Mrs. Echols.

CHILDRESS

Book Club.

The Book club met with Mrs. Chas. Bryd this week. The book reviewed being Edward Boks' "Twice Thirty." Mrs. Dora Diggs gave this review. Mrs. W. E. Davis gave a reading from "The Americanization of Edward Bok" and Mrs. Grover C. Fox presented the "Bok Peace Plan."

Shower for Bride.

A very pretty shower was given this week at the home of Mrs. Joe Marbin for Mrs. Gerald Avery, one of the new brides.

Honor Recent Bride.

Another shower of the week was given at the home of Mrs. J. R. Crisp for Mrs. L. B. Pipkin, who was Miss Lola Bridges before her marriage.

Honor Mrs. Norris.

A very pretty shower was given for Mrs. Tolbert Norris at the home of Mrs. Don Warren this week. The hostesses were Mesdames O. H. Smith, Ed. Chestnut, Ed. Warren, A. J. Brown, W. H. Newberry, Bill H Newberry and Misses Opal Fox, Ernestine Barkley, Douna Maude and Vallee Warren.

Elect Annual Officers.

The Childress high school will issue their annual this year, it is called "The Corral." The editor-in-chief will be Ray D. Blair; business manager John Glover; art, Gordon Rogers; athletics, Roy Allmond; class and organizations, Hazel Bullock; society, Fanny Story; jokes, Jack Newberry; kodak section, Denny Vinson. The staff and faculty advisor, W. C. Davis were entertained at a banquet at the Rhea hotel on Friday evening.

U. D. C.

The U. D. C. will meet with the Parent Teachers' association at the East Ward school on Wednesday, Jan. 20. The program will be in honor of the birthdays of Gen. Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson. Opening song, "Dixie;" paper, "Robiert E. Lee," Mrs. W G. Mills; reading, "Lee at Appomabox," Herschel Hamil; song, "Carry Me Back to Old Virginy," Mesdames Pittman and Mullins; reading, "Mammy's Lullaby," Emma Smith; address Georgia's Memorial for the South," Mrs. J. R. Leach.

Sell Memorial Coin.

The public sale of the Stone Mountain Memorial coin will be held on Saturday downtown. The quota for Childress is $800.00. Mrs. Jack Brown is in charge of the sale of the coins.

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Texas Not Broke For First Time in Years

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—For the first time in five years Texas is not on a deficiency basis. Furthermore, the state will not go on a deficiency basis as tax money will be available next month, state Treasurer W. Gregory Hatcher said here today, following arrangements with San Antonio banks to carry state warrants for rural school expenses.

Bread cast upon the waters is returning to the state, Mr. Hatcher said in discussing the unusual situation in which the state is meeting all debts.

During the drouth Mr. Hatcher said the state treasury took the surplus funds out of the Austin banks and distributed them over the state in banks where money was needed. Now that the state needs money to tide it over the period when tax money is not yet available these banks are lending money without interest until it can be repaid.

Charges Plot To Grab Shoals Plant

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Chairman Morris of the senate agricultural committee said in a statement that it was "gossiped around the capital that one or two large manufacturing interests are attempting a new grab at Muscle Shoals."

Senator Norris charged that friends of the manufacturers were supporting the house resolution creating a joint congressional committee to accept Muscle Shoals bids and that an offer already had been drawn for submission if the resolution is adopted.

Electran Is Burned Lighting Gas Stove

ELECTRA, Jan. 21.—H. S. Bentley, 25, was badly burned about the face last night while lighting a gas stove at his home on West Cleveland avenue. He was rushed to a physician for first aid. His burns are painful but not serious.

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LAWTON MAN ACQUITTED ON MOTOR LAW CHARGE

FREDERICK, Jan. 21.—A jury in justice court here Wednesday returned a verdict of not guilty against Ben Boyd, of Lawton, arrested here several days ago and charged with the operation of a motor vehicle without a certificate of title.

This verdict came as a surprise to county enforcement officers, who have already inflicted twelve fines for the same offense. The act is alleged to be contrary to the new highway law

DAN CUPID SHIRKING JOB IN TILLMAN COUNTY

FREDERICK, Jan. 21. — Dan Cupid is shirking in Tillman county. Eight days have passed since the names of a couple desiring to be joined in wedlock have been written on the local register.

This is rather slow, after a record month for December, with 88 licenses issued. Thus far only nine licenses have been issued this month.

ADVERTISE FOR BIDS ON FREDERICK'S PAVING

FREDERICK, Jan. 21.—Work of advertising for bids on the three new paving districts in Frederick has begun, and contractors are to be given until February 4 to enter their estimates.

Rock-asphalt paving is to be used as a surface type. Work is expected to begin before February 22.

Tolbert School Boy Is Missing

VERNON, Jan. 21.—Officers are searching for Claudy Harrold Adams, 13, of Tolbert, who disappeared after leaving school at noon Tuesday. One man is said to have seen the boy catch a Fort Worth and Denver railway freight train going in the direction of Wichita Falls.

According to Fred Adams, the boy's father, Claudy complained of being sick before going to school Tuesday morning, and was excused from school for this reason just before noon.

Officers east of Tolbert on the Denver railway have been notified to watch for the boy.

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THE PUZZLE

We read now and then that the eminent men
Who have made this old world look alive
Were mostly all through when they passed forty-two—
And broke down when they reached forty-five.
No comfort we find in reports of this kind
They come as a staggering shock,
Our hopes fade away and we wearily say
That we might as well jump off the dock.

Then we hear of some chap who is sill on the map
Though he haply is fifty years old,
Some man who has got a town house and a yacht
And a couple of millions of gold.
This cheers us a bit and pick up our grit
And cry with a masterful smile:
"There is hope for us still if we toil with a will,
So we guess we will live for a while."

Then we presently read that a man can't succeed
Unless in his teens he began
To ponder and dream of some workable scheme
To make him a prominent man.
And again we grow sad for we know, as a lad,
We thought not of money or fame,
So we say with a sigh that we might as well die
For we'll never be hailed with acclaim.

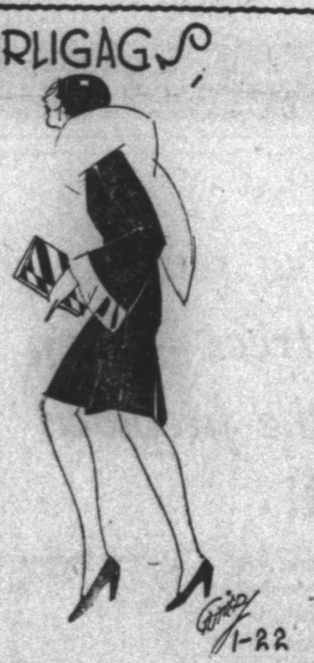
But once more we are told that we need but lay hold
Of life by the scuff of the neck
And though fifty or more we'll have shekels galore
And the whole world will be at our beck.
If only we knew the right course to pursue—
We'd be rid of a harrowing doubt,
But the years hurry by and we sit here and sigh—
Fairly sure we shall never find out.

JUST HUMANS —by GENE CARR
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"I Ain't Gonna Go On Till That Bird Tries It!

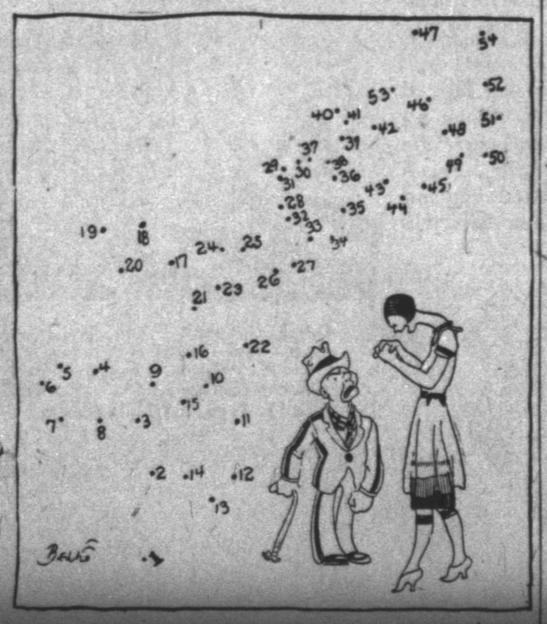
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Dot Puzzle's



THE NEBBS By Bl Sol Hess



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DUMB DORA By Chic Young



YOU KNOW ME AL By Ring Lardner

Friend Al:

Well Al I and Joe Whelan was jest talking over my comeing fight with this Spanish onion and we decide it that he aint never seen no buil like I before and that insight of 3 rds. he will look like what I love to eat—namely a Spanish omlet. Theys bin telling me all about his swell foot work but I aint never seen no Spanish Fandango what has got the Charleston beat, have you Al?

Jack Keefe



REGULAR FELLERS —By Gene Byrnes



MINUTE MOVIES By Wheelan



Tex to Stage Tunney-Dempsey Go In Sept., He Intimates



TOP O' MORN STUFF
By Blondy Cross.

SAME OLD STORY.

They seem quite alarmed down in Cowtown over that 1926 Spudder menace, that is, if one would listen to the palaver of one particularly astute baseball writer, our Mr. Pop Boone. Pop has studied the Spudder situation fairly closely and tells his readers that as usual if the domestic mound corps comes through it's going to be pretty tough sledding for the rest of the loop.

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Before this column repeats Pop's viewpoint on the matter there must be several amendments made. Pop apparently is on the right trail as the situation in its entirety is figured, but he's overlooked what some would call several little details, but details which in truth are of quite some magnitude.

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BUBBER ZONE.

The Fort Worth scribe has forgot the drafting of Bubber Jonnard by Fletcher's Phils. So when you're figuring the catching department you've got to leave Bubber out and by all means not overlook Wray Query, as good a backstop as there is in Texas, and a left-handed swinger who was handicapped considerably last summer with various ailments and the natural physical letdown brought on by a bad attack of the flu just before the season opened. They're expecting Query to slam 'em in the charmed circle this summer.

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Pop overlooks mentioning the acquisition of Lyman Lamb, outfielder deluxe and whom baseball men believe will be a sure .300 hitter in this circuit. And Fitz will be back.

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Pop has kind words for Tony DeFate, and calculates him for shortstop. Then he wonders who the third sacker will be. It's a long ways to the season opener, so it's unsafe to make any out-and-out assertions, but we expect to see Tony more or less in the role of a utility infielder. Skipper Brainard himself, we understand, plans holding down the short field. This would necessitate the shifting of George Distel to third. George will stack up as a much better ball player around the hot corner, it is general belief.

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The situation as the estimable Mr. Boone looks at it:

"Looks like another case of whether the Spudder pitchers will be able to hold their own or not. Doesn't it! For four or five years now the Wichita Falls entry in the Texas league handicap has presented a formidable batting and fielding club, only to have its throwers fall in the matter of holding the opposition.

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"J. Alvin Gardner, new president of the club, again of agate smashers. Wouldn't be surprising when the flag drops to start the eight hosses on their six months' gallop to see another aggregation of eight hitters who should maul the patootie above the coveted third floor mark. Yes, sir; a corner on sluggers has just about been engineered at the Falls.

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"Adding of Pete Lapan to the catching staff will give the Spudders a mauler in that department, something they haven't had as yet. While we may expect to see Bubber Jonnard doing most of the receiving because of his great defensive ability, Lapan will be a most valuable gent to chunk into the maw of battle in a tight place with the bases all cluttered up—and Pete can ketch plenty good enough to take his turn.

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"Mule Washburn, at first, will be the only regular the Spuds have had at the position who is a nominal .330 to .350 crasher. Sure, I know Mule didn't have so much luck last year, but we must not forget the fact he broke a bone in his foot that took his batting strength away from him. Up to the time he was hurt and after he began to get his balance again, the old boy was maulin' 'em far, wide and sundoome.

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"Tony De Fate, new storistop, is touted as a gunt who will step up above .300 in anybody's league. I'm taking some of the ball players' word for this, not knowing Tony's ability to any great extent. Up to now I haven't noticed much about a third baseman, but no doubt J. Alvin has a hard hitter tucked away somewhere. These make up most of the new men on the club, which is quite enough in a batting way.

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"As for the holdover stuff, we mustn't forget that the colorful Mister Bodie gave plenty evidence last year that he can still wham the ball at a lively clip. Ping has already announced there'll be no late starts for him this year. As a rule, the old boy hangs far below the .300 mark up to about the 15th of June, then tears into the poor baseball and laces it in terrible fashion until he finishes the season with a mark from .340 to .400. I'll be there early this year," says Ping.

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"Gardner will hang onto Pete Turgeon, whom he thinks a lot of as a ball player. The little fellow was in bad shape last year from a sore arm that kept him on the bench all season. But nobody ever will question he can hit. It is very likely Pete will be utilized at second, which will take a lot of strain off his arm.

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"Gardner has hustled hard for pitchers and likes several who finished the season with the Spudders last year. While here recently on his way to the California powwow, the new president of the Spudders warned the writer to watch his nine this year. "We'll get the pitching," he said. But he showed a slight weakness by adding: "And IF we do—." When he put the "if" in there he admitted nobody knows when they're going to get good pitching.

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"We remember a Spudder outfit of three or four years ago, when they actually had seven .300 hitters and better in their regular lineup; and all of these were strong defensive players, fast and aggressive. This undoubtedly was the strongest ball club ever thrown together in a class A league, yet it could have no luck against the steady, powerful mound artists of the Cats. They could beat the rest of the clubs, but couldn't beat the Champs.

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"This year's outfit will be just such another club and "if" they happen to round up four throwers who can hold their own—But why "if"! It'll be several months before anybody will know anything about the certainties of throwing ability of the Spudder or any other pitching staff in the loop."

Major Schedules Ready for Okay

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The National and American baseball league baseball schedules for the coming season have been drafted and are ready for submission to the club owners, who will meet to ratify them early in February, Barney Dreyfuss, the National league schedule maker announced here tonight.

The announcement came at the close of a two-day meeting of the schedules committee including Dreyfuss, B. B. Johnson, president of the American league and his secretary, William Harridge.

RICKARD PLANS FOR EMBROGLIO NEAR FUTURE

'May Be Clarified in Four Or Five Days," Says Promoter

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.(AP)—Tex Rickard whose promoting hand is credited with maneuvers believed to be preliminary to matching Jack Dempsey for a heavyweight title fight with the ex-marine, Gene Tunney, broke his silence today sufficiently to give the impression that he figures on staging this battle at his Jersey City arena Boyle's Thirty Acres, next September.

Rickard continued to deny that he already has negotiations for such a match near completion as published reports have contended. Likewise he declined to deny them, but at the same time he admitted holding a conference yesterday with Billy Gibson, Tunney's manager, expressed his conviction that Tunney is the champion's most logical contender and made it clear he has shelved plans to match Dempsey with the persistent negro challenger, Harry Wills.

The promoter refused even to reveal the subject of his conference with Gibson but boxing men gathered the impression that Tunney's manager, now on his way to Miami, Fla., has reached a full agreement with Rickard and will act for the latter in arranging final details with Dempsey in the southern city.

While July and August dates already have been suggested for a Tunney-Dempsey match, Rickard hinted that September would be preferable. The advantages of this to Dempsey it was pointed out, is that his present managerial contract with Jack Kearns expires the first of September, after which the champion will not be obliged to split any boxing profits.

The whole situation, Rickard explained, "may be clarified within four or five days," a statement also interpreted to mean that his negotiations are nearing completion.

Jabs and Hooks

Buster Martin didn't arrive yesterday as expected to wind up his training preparations for the ten-rounder with Jack Matlock Monday night at the 812 1-2 Scott gym. However, Bus is expected in pretty soon, according to Matchmaker Wofford.

Matlock tore through his paces Thursday afternoon in lively fashion. He appears to be in better condition than when he fought Martin here several weeks ago. Incidently, Jack's much the wiser as regards Bus' style of attack and defense and the Tulsan's mighty right. Taking this into consideration there are many who will wager you Matlock will stop Martin this time.

Lefty Hennie, the Scotland southpaw heaver, will be matched either with Battling Flowers (no relation to Tiger) of Burkburnett or Sailor Murphy, says Wofford. Murphy is still hanging around looking for trouble, and ready to fight 'most anything, according to Don.

Wildcat Monte's training for a scrap with Kid Hernandes in San Antonio Jan. 26. The Wichita Falls feather and Vincente Aguilar are to appear in double windups.

Spike Flanagan, Buckshot People's opponent in the six-round semi-final slated for Monday, has been showing the boys lots of stuff. Spike isn't in the best of condition, but he's pretty fast and clever, and can smack 'em in there meanly, so avers Monte who worked with him a bit.

FROGS BEAT RICE

HOUSTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Rice Institute staged another desperate rally in the closing minutes of the game with the Texas Christian Horned Frogs at the City auditorium Thursday night, but again fell short in its attempt to at least tie the score before game time was called, and the contest went to the visiting quintet, 27 to 24. With the exception of the first ten minutes of the affray, Rice trailed the Frogs, but this lead of the Fort Worth school was never more than eight points.

Tribe Swarms On Decatur for Two

C. C. Frazee's Junior college Indians hop off this morning at 8 o'clock for the initial road jaunt of the current cage season, invading Decatur for a two-game series tonight and Saturday. The contests are conference affairs. The Redskins are in pretty fair shape. Frazee takes most of his squad with him.

LANDON-HILL VS. FREDERICK

Landon-Hill moves into Frederick for a tiff this evening unless Chubby Neal's outfit decides the roads between here and the Oklahoma town are a bit too rough to travel due to the heavy snow yesterday.

Frederick plays at Burke Saturday.

DALLAS GOLF POSTPONED

DALLAS, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The amateur-professional best ball event of Dallas open golf tournament has been postponed from Friday to Monday because of inclement weather, by action of the committee in charge today. The 72-hole medal play contest for the Dallas open title will be held on Saturday and Sunday, as originally announced.

AKIN COACHES TRINITY

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Jan. 21.—Roy Akin of Mexia, coach of the Trinity university baseball team, has arrived in Waxahachie and has assumed charge of the candidates for the club. Practice will start next Monday.

SAINTS WIN OPENER.

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—With Eddie Chinski and Red Boggus as the chief entertainers the St. Edward's Saints and the San Marcos Bobcats opened the T. I. A. A. basket ball season here tonight, the Saints winning, 31 to 23. Chinski scored 11 points for the Saints and Boggus 11 for the Bobcats.

POLO POSTPONED.

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Wet fields caused postponement today of four matches scheduled in the southwest mid-winter polo tournament. Re-arrangement of the sched-

Bolstered Infield And Mask Staff Aids Boston Sox

Beantown Nine Expects To Perch on Higher Rung

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Bolstered in the infield and catching departments by several deals, the Red Sox have higher hopes of success than they had last season, when the club trailed the American League pact.

Among the infield prospects are Emmett McCann, obtained from Portland, Pacific Coast League; Ramon Herrera, Cuban star, who displayed his ability at the keystone bag in the closing part of the 1925 campaign, and Fred Haney, late of Detroit.

The battle for infield positions centers about second and third bases, for Phil Todt at first and Dudley Lee at short, last year's regulars, are favored to retain their jobs, Herrera, if he meets expectations, likely will get the keystone portfolio in preference to McCann or Bill Rogell, a regular most of 1925. Haney will have a rival for the third base post in Chet Fowler, drafted from Minneapolis.

The backstopping brigade has been strengthened by the acquisition of Alec Gaston, formerly of the Giants, from Toledo. Picinich, Bishoff, Stokes and Bill Moore, Kansas City product, are other receivers available.

The Red Sox have their veterans, Ehmke, Ruffing, Wingfield and Zahniser, as a nucleus for a pitching staff. Delmar Kundgren, right handed pitcher, has been drafted from the Birmingham club of the Southern Association.

The outfield is well fortified with Ike Boone, Flagstead, Carlyle, Rosenthal and Jenkins, besides two rookies —Elton Langford, who was bought from Des Monies and D. W. Shaner, purchased from Lincoln.

Farmers Go After Owl Five Tonight

HOUSTON, Jan. 21.—The Texas Aggies will furnish the Owl basketeers their second successive test when Coach Dana Bible leads his band out of Aggieland for a game here tomorrow night.

For several seasons after Bible took charge of Farmer fives the College Stations teams ruled the conference. A bewildering offense executed by players of rare natural ability kept the Red and White banner continually at the top of the mast. For the past several seasons, however, the Aggies have failed to match that stride.

This season Bible has had to whip new material into shape. Beginning the season with a pair of victories over the probationary Centenary team, the Aggies lost two conference conflicts, one to Baylor and another to T. C. U.

Bible has at least two men who are of exceptional ability. Syd Kyle, lanky center and captain, is one of the leading tap off men of the conference and an exceptionally accurate goaler. Punk Baker at running guard is likewise a good goal shot, but chiefly he is valuable as a feeder and floor man.

READY FOR A FALL



Jack Dempsey now indulges in wrestling for exercise. Photo shows him with Jim Londos, the Greek, in friendly match, in Los Angeles. Londos will wrestle in Wichita Falls next week, announces Matchmaker Ross. No, Reign, Jack Dempsey will not be with him.

IS IT BUSTED?

Has Hugh McQuillan a busted hand as the result of a scrap with a taxicab driver, or has he not? That is the question that is agitating folks more or less, mostly less. Hugh's uncle says the story is a cantankerous leech, fastened to the heart of truth, or some such thing meaning it is a dern lie. Hugh's hand is well as can be, says Uncle Paul, and if Hugh can adjust some financial difficulties with Jawn J. McGraw, the vet right-hander will be in training camp ready to fire when the Little General says the word.

KIRKWOOD SNOWED OUT

The Joe Kirkwood exhibition planned for Thursday afternoon over the Wichita Falls golf and country club course was snowed out.

MORE BIG GRIPES

Fight fans are busy rehearsing their own arrangement of the hammer song from Raspberrie following the announcement that Mike McTigue will be given another shot at Paul Berlenbach, Feb. 12. Paul punched Mike all over the Garden in their title tilt last month, hitting him from his belt line to the crown of his head with even the chandeliers. Fans wanted to see Berlenbach matched with somebody who might outslug him. They say unless McTigue collects some power somewhere he couldn't break his way out of a paper bag.

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GORMAN BEATS GOTCH IN FAST MAT STRUGGLE

Rogacki Kicks Over Dope And Beats Emohizer In Hurry

Joe Rogacki, the big Pole, proved better than expected and entirely too much for John Emohizer, the "sensational" German. Emohizer may have proved a sensation around New York, as Gotham newspapers declared, and he may have been the new thrill for New York wrestling fans, but last night in an hour-limit match at the 812 1-2 Scott gym in which he had promised to throw Rogacki twice, he failed to win even a lone fall. 'Twas just the opposite. The huge Pole matman upset the dope by pinning Emohizer two times. The first fall came in 21 minutes and 50 seconds via the head scissors route. Rogacki took the second fall in sudden and decisive fashion, flopping the German with a wrist lock and head scissors in one minute and 20 seconds.

Gorman Makes Good.

Jackie Gorman made good his boast that he can beat Young Gotch, the sturdy Dallas welterweight. The popular Gorman erased those two draw decisions registered here last summer and last week by taking Gotch in two falls out of three. It was a hard-fought and bitterly contested match. There is no love between these two.

Gorman, after winning out, declared he would not be satisfied until given Matty Matsuda. Offered to put up $100 side bet he can beat the wily Jap.

Jack, incidently, departed Wichita Falls this morning at 5 o'clock for Amarillo, where he wrestles Billy Hollis, former American amateur welterweight champion and one of the cleverest in the game at his weight today.

Uphill Battle.

It was an uphill fight Gorman waged last night. Gotch had a bit the better of the early going. In fact, the Dallas grappler took the opening fall. Following 36 minutes and 35 seconds of stubborn and speedy milling Gotch won by application of the head lock.

Gorman came back doggedly after the intermission. He seemed about to lose the match when by a sudden and vicious rally he beat Gotch with a flying hadlock to make it an even break on falls. The flop came in eight minutes and 20 seconds.

Gorman was the aggressor the rest of the way. He got to Gotch in short order, coming out of an arm strangle and slipping into a step-over toe hold that brooked no counter hold. He forced Gotch to give in with the step-over abetted by a race lock.

HAWKS AT STAMFORD

E. E. Brewster takes his Iowa Park bunch to Stamfor for return games tonight and Saturday. The Hawk cagers are in fine trim and expect to give the west Texans a mean pair of battles.

Winter League ForagE

Picked up at Random

In mulling over recent releases of Southern league averages there was one name which stuck out in engraved fashion, so to speak. That was Lapan. Pete Lapan, one of the few Southern loop backstops who hit in the charmed circle last year. Lapan, as you know, was obtained for Spudder service by Gardner in the Catalina session.

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Pete came to bat in 116 games. He was up 351 times, scored 63 runs, poled 106 safeties for a total of 149 bases, slammed 22 doubles, connected for six triples and three home runs. Pete sacrificed nine times last summer, stole three bases, waited out 39 bases on balls, and struck out 26 times. His batting average was .302.

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Lapan caught 111 games, made 321 putouts, 82 assists, nine errors. His fielding average was .978.

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Knox, catcher grabbed for Birmingham earlier in the winter, doesn't stack up in the averages as well as the Veteran Lapan. Knox came to bat in 92 games with Birmingham last summer, was up 272 times, scored 37 runs, amassed 72 hits, a total of 100 bases, slammed out nine doubles, three triples, four homers, eight sacrifice hits, stole six bases, drew 19 passes and whiffed 13 times. His hitting average was .286. Knox is a young fellow and comes highly recommended as a fellow who sooner or later is going right up to the top.

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Knox caught 76 games. He made 323 putouts, is credited with 72 assists, and debited with 11 miscues. His fielding average was .978.

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There's quite a bit of interest attached to the addition by Shreveport of Buzzer Bill Whittaker and Dutch Hoffman, former Cat performers, acquired the other day from New Orleans. Some aver the pair have just about gone their limit and are on the verge of a technical knockout handed down by Father Time. That, of course, is to be seen. Both are colorful players and have given opponents a lot of trouble in their baseball careers. Both have the same fault—they're too sensitive of public opinion.

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Hoffman has an indifferent air while playing ball. To watch him, one would imagine he cared about as much about what the fans thought of his work as he cared whether his cap was on straight. In fact, he had a way that told the public plain as could be he didn't give a hang what they thought or did, so long as they were willing to contribute four bits to see him play. Whittaker appeared much the same type.

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Yet under this outward air of bravado and bluster was a very sensitive nature that curled up at the least word of criticism or razzing from the stand. They used to say on the Cat nine that both Bill and Dutch had rabbit ears—sensitive ears that were turned toward the grandstand all the time, listening for the sound of the hammer. Jake used to tell 'em both not to pay any attention to what one or two guys said out of some 2,500 to 10,000 in the crowd—but it was no use.

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Neither ball player had much chance down in New Orleans, where the hammer is one of the chief weapons of the fans. Down there a lot of betting is going on during the games. They bet a player will go to first or that he won't go to first. Thus, whether he does or does not he gets the raspberry from the crowd. Raspberry wielders had Dutch's dauber down all the time, although he gave the casual impression of not caring a whoop in Dallas whether the fans liked him or not.

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Shreveport fans are fairly good sports, as a rule. They've stuck by several hopeless ball clubs. If Bill and Dutch happen to get away to a good start up there and if the fans and sport writers will treat them fair until they can get going at full steam, both Buzzer and Dutch are capable of giving the Sports some great service. If the start happens to be a poor one and if the raspberries ripen early—well, it'll be just too bad, that's all.

Tigers in Good Form for Archer City Game Today

ELECTRA, Jan. 21.—The Tiger cage crew is all set for their game with the Archer City Wildcats at Archer City Friday night. They were sent through a strenous workout Wednesday night, being pitted against the local K. P. cage squad in a practice fray.

The Tigers have gone through their daily practice frolics at a rapid pace this wek and are in the best of form. Reese has drilled his charges on the five man defense this week and the locals promis to be not only a scoring team against Archer City but a defensive machine as well.

Although no lineup has been announced, the probable starting lineup will be: Kent and Preston, forwards; Carnahan, center; Cloninger and Grisham, guards. Dennis Head and Joe Miller have been shining in this week's practice and are due to see action this go.

CAP LEIDY BEAR COACH

Veteran Who Led Bronchos to Pennant Back in San Antonio.

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Georoge O. (Cap) Leidy, who brought to San Antonio the only baseball pennant it ever had, today was appointed coach of the local Texas League club for 1926.

President Harry Ables made the announcement after returning from Catalina Island.

Leidy, who umpired in the Western League last year, will assist Manager Honus Mitze with the new talent when the team assembles here March 1.

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Knight of Columbus—Council No. 1473 meets every Monday at 1309 Ninth Street. Jas. L. Duffy, G. K.; Jno. J. Block, F. S.

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Wichita Falls Council No. 140, R. & S. M.—Meets first Monday. Otto Stehlik, T. I. M.; Geo. W. Lawler, secy.

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To Exchange—Real Estate 88

WILL sell farm near Grandfield, Oklahoma or exchange for clear city property or small hotel. Phone owner 6351.

FOR TRADE—Five-room house and three lots in Devol, Okla. Want property in or near Wichita Falls. Phone owner, 7500.

Legal Notices 91

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any purchases not made by me in person or on my written order. B. G. Ramey.

AUCTIONS---LEGALS

TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING ON KEMP BOULEVARD BETWEEN AVENUE H AND AVENUE O AND TO ALL OTHERS INTERESTED:
Notice is hereby given of the intention of the City to proceed with the improvement of Kemp Boulevard, by raising, grading, and filling same and installing concrete curbs and gutters and paving with Warrenite-Bitulithic Pavement on Concrete foundation, and all lots and land abutting on said street and all lots and land benefited by means of the said improvement, and such assessments, when levied, shall be a first and prior lien upon the lots and land assessed, and a personal claim and charge against the owners thereof.
On the 8th day of February A. D. 1926 in the Council Chamber in the City National Bank Building in the city of Wichita Falls, all other persons or parties desiring to be heard, will be fully heard by the Board of Aldermen, and any protests, objections or claims will be fully and fairly heard. The benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each such lot or parcel of land and the owner thereof will be determined and an assessment thereon will be levied.
Plans and specifications for the improvement, and form of contract and report of Engineer showing estimated cost thereof, and estimated amount of assessment against each such lot or parcel of land and the owners thereof, are on file in the office of the City Clerk and open to inspection.
The estimated cost of the said improvement is $57,304.77.
The estimated amount to be assessed against property owners is $52,096.14.
The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.40 per lineal foot of curb; and
The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavation is $9.27091 per front foot.
All persons, firms, corporations, or estates, their agents or attorneys, desiring to be heard in any matter or thing in any wise connected with said improvements, the assessments therefor, the benefits thereof, and damages resulting therefrom, or the proceedings connected therewith, shall be and appear before said Board at said time and place.
Done in accordance with resolution of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 21st day of December.
W. E. McBROOM,
City Clerk.

TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING ON FILMORE ST. BETWEEN NINTH ST. AND TENTH ST. AND TO ALL OTHERS INTERESTED.
Notice is hereby given of the intention of the city to proceed with the improvement of Filmore Street, from its intersection with the S. property line of 9th Street, to its intersection with the N. property line of 10th St. by raising, grading, and filling same and installing concrete curbs and gutters where adequate curbs and gutters are not now installed, and paving with 2-inch Willite pavement on 5-inch concrete foundation, and assessing a portion of the cost of making and constructing such improvement against all lots and parcels of property abutting on said portion of said street and all lots and parcels of property benefitted by means of such improvements and the owners of such lots or parcels of property; and such assessments, when levied, shall be a first and prior lien upon the lots and parcels of property assessed, and a personal claim and charge against the owners thereof.
On the 25th day of January, 1926, in the Council Chamber in the basement of the City National Bank Building in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, at 7:30 o'clock, p. m., all such owners and their agents or attorneys, or any other persons or parties desiring to be heard, will be fairly heard by the board of aldermen and any protests, objections or claims will be fully and fairly heard, the benefits and damages resulting from said improvements will be determined and the amounts to be assessed against each lot or parcel of property and the owners thereof are on file in the office of the city clerk and are open to inspection.
The estimated cost of said improvement is $4,074.40.
The estimated amount to be assessed against the property owners is $3,784.00.
The estimated amount to be assessed for curb is $0.50 per lineal foot of curb, and,
The estimated amount of the assessment against property owners and their property for pavement and excavation is $3.80600 per front foot.
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1922 Dodge Touring	$125
1923 Oakland Roadster	$450
1923 Oakland Roadster	$200
1923 Oakland Touring	$200
1923 Ford Touring	$75
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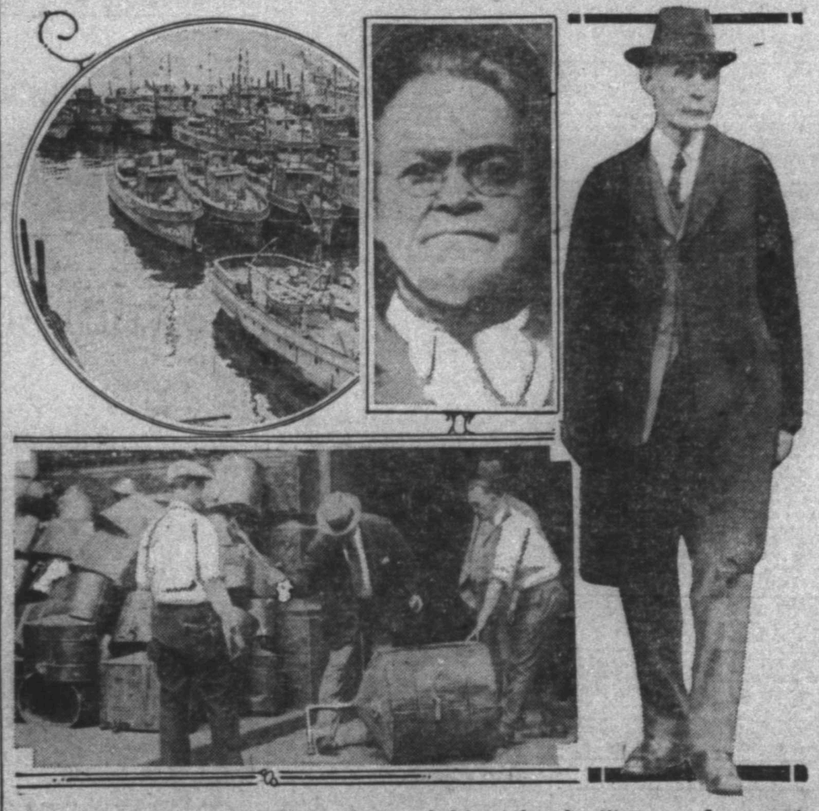
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Your Home With
New Furniture
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Homeless Damascus Tots Thankful for U. S. Help



Armenian refugees from Damascus, the city which French troops bombarded, are still being cared for at a refugee camp in Beirut. Miss Ella Jane Hardcastle, of Carrollton, Ill., a Near East Relief worker, is seen comforting some of the children. Other photo is of a shipment of American clothes for Druse victims in Syria leaving the Beirut warehouse.

U. S. Dry Six Years But Bootleggers Keep Dry Men Busy



Thirsty throats in the U. S. will have been parched for six long dry (?) years on January 16th. The Eighteenth Amendment went into force on that date in 1920, one year after its ratification. In the center, above, is a photo of Carrie Nation, famous temperance reformer, now dead. At the right is Andrew J. Volstead, former congressman from Minnesota, author of the Federal dry law. Other photos show a fleet of rum chasers tied up at Lockwoods Basin, near Boston, Mass., ready for Atlantic duty, and a group of dry agents in Boston, destroying 75 moonshine stills, tanks and other apparatus.

Millionaire's Home Now "Typo" Union Headquarters



The palatial home above, formerly owned by the late Samuel T. Murdock, millionaire Indianapolis traction man, has now become the new headquarters of the International Typographical Union,

Winter Race Meet at Tijuana, Mex., Produces Thrills



These photos from the winter race meeting at the Tijuana, Mex., race track, mecca of turf lovers right now, show: "Moonraker" beating "Cherry Tree" and "Lizette" in the St. Nicholas handicap: "Rachel Potter" (below at left), with Buck up, winner of the El Rio Rey handicap; and "Firm Friend," with midget jockey R. Jones up, winner of the Los Angeles handicap.

Drops Diploma for Police Club

Central Press Photo

From college senior to policewoman—that's the record of Miss Alpha Larsen, Waterloo, Iowa, recently graduated from Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio. She is the youngest member of the Women's Bureau of the Cleveland Police Department, which does preventative and protective work. Although she deals mostly with women and children, Miss Larsen has full powers and can arrest thugs and bandits if she catches them while performing her duties as policewoman.

Silk Prints Are Vogue for Spring

Printed silks in gay colors will be used again for spring and summer frocks. Frock pictured is an advance spring model.

Norwegian Authoress, Now in U. S., May Startle Us With First Effort



Inga Svanholm, famous Norwegian authoress, has arrived in Laguna Beach, Calif., and is at work on her first American-produced book. Literary critics say her first effort may startle American readers. In addition to her fame as a writer she has drawn



Dorothy Swartz, above, 17-year-old San Francisco girl, holds the junior national hard court tennis title, having won that honor late in 1925 at Berkeley, Calif., in addition to the Bay county singles and doubles title (with partner)

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MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK.—Stocks, irregular; several food issues set new record.
Bonds, steady; many speculative rails advance.
Foreign exchanges, mixed; Japanese yen at new high.
Cotton, barely steady; southern selling.
Sugar, steady; commission house report.
Coffee, higher; trade buying.
CHICAGO.—Wheat, weak; foreign competition.
Corn, lower; increasing stocks.
Cattle, firm.
Hogs, active and lower.

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net decline of 1 to 5 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Jan.	20.35	20.24	20.25	20.26
March	19.75	19.60	19.61-62	19.64
May	19.22	19.07	19.08-09	19.15
July	18.72	18.58	18.58-59	18.66
Oct.	17.79	17.65	17.66-67	17.71

Opening: January 20.30; March 19.02; May 19.10; July 18.61 bid; October 17.69.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The cotton market was comparatively narrow today, trading being restricted by the impending census bureau report on total ginnings to January 16 due at the opening on Saturday. After an irregular opening and a moderate early advance of six to nine points the market worked downward, reaching the lows in the late trading and showing losses of 12 to 15 points. The close was near the lows at net losses of one point on January and three to eight points on the other active months.

At the start Liverpool was somewhat better than due and near months opened one to four points higher but later months were two to five points down. After a slight further recession prices rallied moderately, prices trading up seven to eight points above yesterday's close.

Late on the morning prices eased off and continued to decline slowly during the afternoon finally reaching the lows of the day in the late trading with March at 19.60, May at 19.07, July at 18.58 and October at 17.65 or 12 to 15 points down from the highs. The closing prices were within a point or two of the lowest.

The market was mainly dominated by fears of large ginnings and this feeling was helped by rumors of private estimates of 15,520,000 bales and 15,660,000 bales. Rather good rains in Texas also helped to create an easier feeling. Exports for the day 7,562 bales.

NEW YORK FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net decline of 3 to 15 points.

March	20.32	20.17	20.17-19	20.28
May	19.80	19.62	19.62-64	19.77
July	19.14	19.00	19.00-02	19.13
Oct.	18.33	18.21	18.21-23	18.24
Dec.	18.10	17.99	18.00-02	18.03

Opening: March 20.30; May 19.73; July 19.12; October 18.29; December 18.10.

NEW YORK COTTON.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Early irregularity was followed by declines in the cotton market today, May contracts selling off from 19.79 to 19.62 and closing at that figure, compared with 19.77 at the close of the previous day. The general market closed steady at net declines of three to 15 points.

The market opened steady at a decline of three points to an advance of six points new crop months being relatively steady on further buying for trade account and a moderate commission house demand which was again attributed to apprehensions that boll weevil would be more numerous in the south next spring. Slight advances in the old crop months met increased offerings and after showing net gains of one to nine points on the general list, prices turned easier in the afternoon under continued near month liquidation and some realizing or straddle selling in the late delivery.

March sold off to 20.17 in late trading, a net decline of 11 points, while October at 18.21 showed a net loss of three points. Last prices were at approximately the lowest levels of the day.

Another private report estimated ginnings prior to January 16 at 15,660,000 bales compared with a previous private report of 15,536,00 the figures were thought to indicate a larger crop in running bales than the government's estimate of 15,660,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight, but were not generally considered an important factor in the day's market.

Exports today 7,562, making 5,173,506 so far this season. Port receipts 32,252. U. S. port stocks 1,600,446 bales.

CHICAGO COTTON.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed: January 19.90 asked; March 19.54-55; May 19.24-25; July 18.72; October 17.9

SPOT MARKETS.

DALLAS, Jan. 21.—The spot market closed steady, 15 down; sales 3,958 bales. Middling fair 21.30; strict good middling 21.05; good middling 20.80; strict low middling 20.55; middling 19.80; strict low middling 18.55; low middling 17.05; strict good ordinary 15.30; good ordinary 13.80.

HOUSTON, Jan. 21.—The spot market closed steady, 15 down; sales 2,577 bales. Low ordinary 11.60; ordinary 13.10; good ordinary 19.60; strict good ordinary 16.10; low middling 17.00; strict low middling 18.00; middling 20.60; strict middling 20.90; good middling 21.70; strict good middling 21.85; middling fair 22.10.

GALVESTON, Jan. 21.—The spot market closed steady, 10 down; sales 1,623 bales. Low ordinary 10.50; ordinary 12.50; good ordinary 14.25; low middling 17.75; middling 20.75; good middling 22.00; middling fair 27.50.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 21.—Spot cotton closed steady, 4 points down; sales 3,685 bales. Low middling 17.50; middling 20.50; good middling 21.75; receipts 17,712; stock 493,982 bales.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Cotton spot steady. American strictly good middling 11.73; good middling 11.48; strictly middling 11.23; middling 10.83; strictly low middling 10.18; low middling 9.63; strictly good middling 9.18; good ordinary 8.53; sales 6,000 bales, including 5,100 American; receipts 43,000 bales, American 41,900.

HOUSTON COTTON.

HOUSTON, Jan. 21.—Cotton seed lint 9¼@5c; slab cake 32.25; cotton seed lint 9½@5; prime cotton seed nominal; cotton seed meal $35.00@35.25; cotton seed hulls $9.50.

Produce

TEXAS PRODUCE.

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Eggs continued unsettled this morning but with a firmer undertone with light receipts and good demand. Poultry and butter are steady to unchanged.

San Antonio: Hens 18c; fryers 30@32c; roosters 10@12c; turkeys 30c pound live-weight basis.

Eggs, fresh gathered firsts $11 to producers; few higher.

Fort Worth: Hens 20@22c; for larger springs 33c, for small cockerels 9@10c; turkeys 32@33c, for No. 1's, on a live weight per pound basis; geese $1.25@1.50; ducks 65@75c; guineas 30@35c each.

Eggs, fresh gathered firsts 110@10.50 per case to producers.

Butter, packing stock country 25c; creamery A grade 46c; B grade 44@45c pound.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.— (AP)—Butter, higher; creamery extras 42½c; standards 42½c; extra firsts 41½@42c; firsts 40½@41c; seconds 38@40c.

Eggs, higher; firsts 35c; ordinary 32@36c.

PROMINENT PHYSICIAN DEAD

HOUSTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Dr. Allen Heard, 44, prominent Houston

N. Y. Stocks

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Am Tel and Tel	13	143¼	143⅛	143⅛
Am Woolen	2	39¼	39	39
California Pet	62	31⅛	31¼	31⅛
Dodge Bros pfd	24	85⅞	85½	85½
Freeport-T Co.	238	24⅝	23⅛	23¼
Gen Electric	58	339	331	333
Gen Motors	193	119	116	116
Gen Petroleum	266	57¼	56⅛	56⅛
Ind Oil and Gas	65	28⅞	28⅛	28⅛
Mariand Oil	97	56⅝	55	55½
Mid-Cont Pet	23	33⅛	33¼	33¼
M K and T	49	41	40¼	40½
North Am Co	99	65¾	64½	64½
Pacific Oil	205	77¼	76⅝	76⅝
Pan-Am Pet B	9	67½	67	67
Phillips Pet	36	43¼	43	43
Shell Union Oil	30	26¼	26	26
Simms Pet	70	25½	24	24½
Stand Oil of Cal	84	57½	56¼	56½
Stand O of N J	53	44	43¼	43⅝
Texas Company	35	51½	51	51
T and P C and O	14	17⅝	16½	16½
Transcont Oil	4	4¼	4	4
U S Steel	461	135	132	132?
Willys Over	4	29⅛	28¾	29⅛

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Stock prices bounded upward at the opening of today's stock market, but the higher prices were met with a flood of bear selling and profit taking which carried a wide variety of railroad and industrial issues down one to nearly six points below yesterday's closing quotations. Trading showed a marked falling off in volume, the day's sales aggregating less than 1,500,000 shares, or more than 500,000 below those of yesterday.

The initial upturn, which ran from one to five points in many issues, was largely due to a continuation of the short covering movement which set in late yesterday on the dramatic appearance into the market of W. C. Durant on the long side. Pools resumed aggressive operations and bears temporarily stepped aside, but when it became apparent that so called public buying was not following up the advance, short selling was resumed in large volume and quoted values rapidly melted away.

U. S. Steel common opened with a block of 5,500 shares at 135, which proved to be the high price of the day, the stock later selling down to 132⅝, closing at that figure for a net loss of two points. Baldwin, known as one of the Durant stocks and American Can were amoung the few active industrials to show gains on the day. General Electric broke 7½ points to 331 and then rallied two points. U. S. Cast Iron Pipe which inaugurated dividends today at the rate of $10 annually showed a loss of nearly three points at 192 after selling as high as 197.

Independent strength was shown by a few specialties. Foundation company was bid up to a new top at 178 but lost its gain on profit taking. Art Loom corporation jumped five points to a new top at 65½. Nash Motors jumped nine points.

Rails turned weak despite reports of impending merger developments. Common stock of the Frisco, which is expected to make an important announcement tomorrow showed a net gain of 1⅛ to 96¼ after having sold as high as 101¼. Atlantic Coast Line broke 12 points to 238, cancelling yesterday's gain and Atchison, Chesapeake and Ohio, Louisville and Nashville and Norfolk and Western declined two points or more.

Call money renewed at 4 per cent and held steady at that figure. Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged.

A spirited advance of 30 points in Japanese yen, which crossed 45 cents to the highest price in three years, was the feature of the foreign exchange market. The rally here followed a similar advance in London. Other rates moved within rather narrow and irregular limits, demand sterling yielding slightly to $4.85⅝ and French francs sagging to 3.37½ cents.

Livestock

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 21.—(AP)—It was not the inclemency of the weather that made the Thursday cattle trade lower and excessively slow; it was the determination of buyers to bear the market, and in the end the determination won. She stock dime to 15c lower, other lines in proportion. Few beef cattle about steady, calves suffered least; two cars $7.50, steady at close.

Receipts 3,900 grown cattle, 1,500 calves, compared with 4,983 cattle and 704 calves a week ago and 2,033 cattle and 269 calves a year ago.

Out of 13 cars of steers, packers took two cars grassers, one at $7.10, others at $6.60. At closing time bulk other cattle was offered as stockers, little response.

Earliest selling single drafts good beef and butcher material $8.75 and $9.50, few yearlings $6.50 to $8.75.

Bulls slow as any portion.

Good hog market after some hesitation. Number of cars from the 1,200 supply turned at 10c advance, $12.55. Bulk hogs $12.25 to $12.50. Pigs and packing sows unchanged, steady.

Not enough sheep to make a market. Sales nominal.

Cattle 5,400 including 1,500 calves; market slow, 10 to 15c lower; beeves $5.00@9.00; stockers $4.50@5.75; fat cows $4.00@6.00; yearlings $5.50@12.00; heifers $4.50@11.00; canners $2.40@2.75; cutters $3.85@3.25; calves $4.00@8.00; bulls $2.75@5.75.

Hogs, 1,200; market steady to 10c higher; best medium weight $12.45@12.55; good mixed $12.30@12.40; good light $12.20@12.30; fair mixed $12.10@12.20; fair light $12.00@12.15; common $6.00@9.00; packing sows $10.50@11.00; pigs $8.00@11.25.

Sheep nominal; market nominal; slaughter lambs $13.50@15.50; feeder lambs $10.50@13.50; yearlings $10.50@12.00; wethers $9.00@9.80; ewes $7.00@8.50; culls $1.00@4.00; stockers $6.50@7.25; goats $1.00@5.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 21.—Cattle 3,500; calves 700; slow; steers and yearlings $6.00@8.75; cows $5.30@8.35; canners and cutters $3.50@4.50; bologna bulls $5.25@5.50; top veal $11.50.

Hogs, 5,000; active; bulk of sales $11.75@12.20; packing sows $10.75@11.15.

Sheep 4,000; lower; fed lambs $14.00@14.30; top ewes $8.00; fed wethers $9.25.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Cattle 10,000; steer trade active, 10 to 15c higher mostly, quality plain; liberal sprinkling of lower grades; mostly stale offered $8.50@9.25; bulk $8.75@10.10; extreme top or long yearlings and heavy steers $10.50; 1,456 pound Nebraska $10.35; vealers closing 50 to 75c lower; mostly $13.50 downward; bulls 10 to 15c off; few bologna above $8.75.

Hogs, 46,000; irregular; generally 10 to 15c lower than yesterday's average; closing fairly active, steady to 10c higher than yesterday; lighter weight show most advance; killing pigs 15 to 25c higher; bulk desirable 150 to 180 pound average $12.15@12.50; practical top $12.50 on 160 pound up; small lots 140 to 160 pound selections up to $12.60; packing sows largely $10.50@10.75 majority better grades killing pigs $12.50@13.00; shippers took 12,000; estimated holdover 14,000.

Sheep 13,000; fat lambs losing dull mostly 25c lower; bulk $14.50@14.75; few loads $14.85@15.00; several doubles to shippers upward to $15.25; best feeder lambs on sale at $15.00; few odd lot fat ewes $8.00@8.75; strictly choice kind absent; sheep and feeder lambs steady.

COST OF STATE WARDS PER CAPITA SHOWS DECREASE

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Average cost per capita for the support of and maintenance of 12,949 wards of the state in the 18 eleemosynary institutions for December was $20.23 while the average for the four months of the present fiscal year was $27.15, according to a statement today by the

Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Increasing shipments from Argentine, together with large arrivals of German wheat at Liverpool, led to a sharp break in wheat prices today. The wheat market here closed heavy, 2⅝ to 3⅝c net lower. May (new) $1.73¼ to $1.73¼ and July $1.50 to $1.50¼. Corn finished ⅝ to 1c down. Oats ⅝ to ⅝@⅞c off, and provisions varying from 5 cents decline to 7c advance.

Corn and oats sympathized with great weakness. Besides, the prospective cold wave was regarded in some quarters as likely to enlarge the movement of corn.

Provisions rallied as a result of assertions that low temperatures would diminish receipts of hogs.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May new	1.74	1.74⅝	1.72⅝	1.73⅛
May old	1.72	1.72½	1.70⅝	1.70⅞
July	1.50½	1.51	1.49¼	1.50
Sept.	1.43	1.43	1.41⅝	1.42
CORN—				
May	.83¾	.83⅞	.82¾	.83⅛
July	.86⅛	.86¾	.85⅝	.85¾
Sept.	.87¼	.87½	.86⅞	.87¼
OATS—				
May	.45	.45¼	.44⅝	.44⅝
July	.45⅝	.45½	.45	.45
RYE—				
May	1.07¼	1.07½	1.06	1.06⅛
July	1.06½	1.07	1.05½	1.06¼
LARD—				
Jan.	15.02	15.17	15.02	15.17
May	15.35	15.57	15.35	15.52
RIBS—				
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	15.75
May	.....	.....	.....	16.20
BELLIES—				
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	16.85
May	16.90	17.00	16.90	17.00

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Wheat: No. 1 hard, $1.82; No. 2 hard, $1.79¼@1.79½.

Corn: No. 4 hixed, 71@71½c; No. 3 yellow, 75½@78c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 42¼@42¾c; No. 3 white, 42@42½c.

FORT WORTH CASH GRAIN.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 21.—The following shows range of values on the Fort Worth cash grain market, basis delivered group three or Texas common points, based on bids, offers and sales of Fort Worth dealers, according to the Fort Worth grain and cotton exchange:

Wheat: No. 1 dark hard $1.97@2.00; No. 1 ordinary hard $1.95@1.98; No. 1 red $2.10@2.15; No. 1, 75 per cent red, $2.07@2.10.

Corn: No. 2 white 96@98c; No. 3 white, 94@96c; No. 2 mixed 95@97c; No. 3 mixed 93@95c.

Oats: No. 2 red, 60@62c; No. 3 red, 59@60c; No. 3 white, 55@65c.

Snapped corn: $1.00@1.10; No. 3 barley 82@85c; No. 3 milo, $1.42@1.45; No. 3 kaffir, $1.38@140; maize heads $22@24; kaffir heads $20@22; red top cane seed, $2.10@2.20.

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.74@1.84; No. 2 red, $1.87@1.89.

Corn: No. 3 white, 72@74c; No. 2 yellow, 75½@76½c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 43@44c; No. 3 white, 42½@43c.

Radio Programs

FRIDAY, JAN. 22
International Radio Programs.
Ether's White-Caps.

7:30 KHAS (400) Louisville—Concert by the Asbury College Glee Club from Asbury, Ky.
8:15 WCCO (417) St. Paul—Minnesota Post, American Legion Program.
9:00 KOA (322) Denver—"The Plough Boy Poet—Burns" and Songs of Scotland.
10:00 WSM (283) Nashville—Negro Spiritual by the Golden Echo Quartette.

Evening Concerts.
5:45 P. M.
WOC (484) Davenport. Chimes Concert.
7:00 P. M.
WCAP (469) Washington. Organ.
WEAF (492) New York. Happiness Boys.
KSD (546) St. Louis. Fur Hour.
7:15 P. M.
WLIT (395) Philadelphia. Studio Program.
WEAR (390) Cleveland. Studio Program.
7:30 P. M.
WSMB (319) New Orleans. Musical.
WDAD (266) Nashville. Hawaiian Music.
WBZ (333) Springfield. Boston Symphony Orchestra.
WEAF (492) N. Y. Eagle Trio.
WHO (526) Des Moines. Musical.
KSD (546) St. Louis. Ladies Quartette.
WEEI (349) Boston. Neopolitan Girls Quartette.
8:00 P. M.
WPG (300) Atlantic City. Concert.
WMCA (341) New York. Hardman Hour.
CKY (384) Winnipeg. Musical.
KDKA (309) E. Pittsburgh. Teaberry
WOC (484) Davenport. Special Music.
WRBM (226) Chicago. Studio Musical.
CNRT (357) Toronto. Songs of the East.
WDAF (366) Kansas City. Around the Town.
8:30 P. M.
WGN (302) Chicago. String Trio.
WEEI (349) Boston. Carter's Incas.
WFAA (476) Dallas. Musical.
WGR (319) Buffalo. Melodette Ladies Orchestra.
8:45 P. M.
CFCF (411) Montreal. Concord Entertainers.
9:00 P. M.
WNYC (526) New York. Vocal.
WPG (300) Atlantic City. Concert.
WLIT (395) Philadelphia. Morning Glory Club.
WOAW (526) Omaha. Classical.
KSD (546) St. Louis. Good Will Program.
WEAF (492) New York. Hohner Harmony Four. WCAP, WEEI, WGR, WJAR, WOC, WUJ.
9:15 P. M.
KFVE (240) St. Louis. Amusement Review.
WMAQ (448) Chicago. Vocal.
9:30 P. M.
WEBH (370) Chicago. Popular.
WBAP (476) Fort Worth. Concert.
KWSC (349) Pullman. Piano. Vocal.
CNRE (517) Edmonton, Studio Program.
10:00 P. M.
KYW (536) Chicago. Midnight Revue.
WOK (217) Homewood, Ill. Merrymakers.
KHJ (405) Los Angeles. Musical (2 hr.)
KFVE (240) St. Louis. Studio Entertainers.
KPO (420) San Francisco. Studio Program.
KGW (492) Portland. Concert.
10:15 P. M.
WHAR (275) Atlantic City. Strand Organ.
10:30 P. M.
WGN (302) Chicago. Jazz Skamper

KFOA (454) Seattle. Times Studio.
10:45 P. M.
WSB (428) Atlanta. Entertainers.
12:00 Mid.
WJJD (370) Mooseheart. Vocal.
KGW (492) Portland. Studio.
KTCL (306) Seattle. Features. (2 hr.)
Want to Dance?
7:00 P. M.
WWJ (353) Detroit. News.
7:30 P. M.
CFCF (411) Montreal. Mt. Royal.
WMBB (250) Chicago. Trianon.
8:30 P. M.
WLIT (395) Philadelphia. Harmony Kings.
WCAO (275) Baltimore. Belvidere.
WMC (500) Memphis. Britling's.
9:00 P. M.
WCAP (469) Washington. Dance.
WCX (517) Detroit. Dance.
WOWL (270) New Orleans. Dance.
WLS (345) Chicago. Dance.
WPG (300) Atlantic City. Taffy Boys
WBBM (226) Chicago. Moulin Rouge
9:30 P. M.
WEBH (370) Chicago. Oriole.
WJZ (455) New York. Glaser's.
WGY (380) Schenectady. "W. G. Y."
WCAU (277) Phila. Myers.
WOO (509) Phila. Rits-Carleton.
WGR (319) Buffalo. Lopez (2 hr.)
WEAF (492) New York. Dance.
WLIT (395) Phila. Gold Nuggets.

Look over Our Want Ad Section—

CASH REGISTER FIRM ANSWERS

Dayton Company Denies Charge of Competitor As To Unfair Acts

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The National Cash Register company of Dayton, Ohio, in an answer filed with the federal trade commission today to a complaint charging it with unfair methods of competititon denied the allegations and declared it was not attempting to restrain competition or monopolize the manufacture and sale of cash registers.

The company further denied that it was trying to force out of business the Remington Cash Register company, of Ilion, N. Y., which was described in the complaint as its chief competitor.

Challenging the jurisdiction of the commission in the case the answer contended that a consent decree entered in the federal district court for Southern Ohio in 1916 restraining the company from certain business practices, limited the commission to referring matters affecting the National Cash Register company to the department of justice for whatever action it might deem advisable under the decree.

ARCTIC

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snow will be of tremendous advantage to farmers, they say.

FREDERICK, Okla., Jan. 21.—Snow fell practically all day here Thursday.

QUANAH, Jan. 21.—A cold wave carried in on the wings of a severe norther and with an accompaniment of snow and sleet was blowing itself out here tonight. It left Hardeman county covered with over an inch of snow that will help farmers immensely.

OLNEY, Jan. 21.—A cold wind, heavily overcast skies and a fluttering of snow prevailed in this district Thursday. Indications Thursday night were that the weather would moderate by Friday morning.

WALTERS, Okla., Jan. 21.—Walters was in the path of a cold norther Thursday that brought with it snow and sleet. A heavy blanket covered the city Thursday night, with moderating temperatures due Friday morning.

VERNON, Jan. 21.—Wilbarger county was buried Thursday night under a moist blanket of white, deposited Thursday by a mild blizzard. Cold winds prevailing Wednesday night and through the day Thursday were accompanied by a steady snow fall until late in the afternoon.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Traces of snow, far flung outriders of the heavy blanket that has settled over the Panhandle, fell here this afternoon as the mercury reached 28 degrees after a rise in the middle of the day.

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—San Antonio will be in the grip of a cold wave Friday morning, and freezing weather will extend almost to the Texas coast. The minimum here will range between 25 and 30 degrees.

HOUSTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The weather bureau predicted today that rain and sleet with temperature about freezing might be expected before Friday morning.

Judge Gives Away Liquor to Friends

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—While irregularities in court procedure were admitted by S. E. Murray, district attorney at today's session of the senate judiciary committee's inquiry into charges against Federal Judge Harry B. Anderson of the western district of Tennessee leading citizens of Memphis urged confirmation of his appointment.

Mr. Murray told the committee he had released seized liquor in several instances "in the interest of humanity" to sick friends and said that at the suggestion of Judge Anderson who is serving under a recess appointment he had "weeded out about 30 old cases" from the docket where the defendants had not been apprehended.

SEEK COTTON REDUCTION

Terrell Says This to Be One Feature Of Farm Conference.

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—George B. Terrell, commissioner of agriculture, today said reduction of cotton acreage, growing of better staple cotton, bigger feed crops, rotation of crops and better markets will be encouraged at the state agricultural conference in Dallas Saturday. Delegates to the south-wide agricultural conference at Memphis, February 3, are to be elected.

She's Named Wall-St. Bank Director and Will Direct $50,000,000 Merger



Miss Pearl Kramer, after serving ten years as confidential secretary to Jesse Winburn, president of the Wall-street banking firm of Jesse Winburn and Co., has just been elected a director of the company. Her first assignment will be to go abroad and lay the ground work for a $50,000,000 business merger.

Blanton Substitutes a Cool "Good Morning" For Threat to Beat Up A Brother Solon For His Noisy Talk

Reed of Illinois Escapes "Good Licking" He's Promised From Irate Texan When Scribes Appear In Eager Anticipation

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Representative Blanton, democrat, Texas, substituted a silently nodded "good morning" for a promised "good licking" when he met Representative Reid, republican, Illinois, today, but he took occasion to assail the Illinois member in a statement.

The two clashed last night at a meeting of the house committee considering legislation for the District of Columbia and the talk of a "licking" followed.

"Ridiculous Business"

In his statement Mr. Blanton charged Mr. Reid with attempting "to hamper me in every ridiculous way possible," instead of cooperating in an effort to protect the rights of the people of Washington.

"When I learn that the 'cards are stacked,'" he said, "I quit the game. When I'm cold decked I don't play on."

The promise of the Texan drew large numbers of press correspondents to the committee room and prior to the opening of the session, Reid was asked:

"Where are the ropes and buckets?"

"Oh, don't worry about those," he answered with a smile.

Soon to Arrive

The colloquy terminated when the committee clerk announced Blanton had sent word he would arrive in five or six minutes. Reid then called the meeting to order.

Reaching the committee room, Blanton took a seat at the table next to that occupied by the Illinois member and as he unfolded a bundle of papers, acknowledged salutations of "good morning."

Financial

MONEY RATES.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Call money, steady; high 4; low 4; ruling rate 4; closing bid 4; offered at 4¼; last loan 4; call loans against acceptances 3½. Time loans, steady; 60-90 days 4¼@4½; 4-6 months 4¼@4½; prime mercantile paper 4½@4¾.

EXCHANGE RATES.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Foreign exchanges, steady; quotations in cents. Great Britain demand 4.83⅛; cables 4.86 3-16; 60-day bills on banks 4.81 9-16. France demand 3.73½; cables 3.74; Italy demand 4.03½; Belgium 4.53⅛; Germany 23.80; Tokyo 45; Montreal 99 13-16.

U. S. BONDS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—(AP)—United States bonds: Liberty 3½'s, 101.1; first 4¼'s, 101.28; second 4¼'s, 100.23; third 4¼'s, 100.30; fourth 4¼'s, 102.5; treasury 4's, 103.8; treasury 4¼'s, 106.27.

WOODMEN CASE SENT TO TEXAS SUPREME COURT

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The case of the Sovereign Camp, Woodmen of the World vs R. Mattie Hines, Madison county was submitted today in the supreme court on application for writ of error before a special court the regular members of the court being disqualified. The special court consisted of W. R. Brown, Temple, special chief justice; Wallace Tyler, Houston, and Sam Sayers, Fort Worth, special associate justices.

DEED FOR KERRVILLE HOSPITAL IN CAPITAL

AUSTIN, Jan. 21—(AP)—Deed and abstract to the American Legion hospital at Kerrville, which the state of Texas is to sell to the federal veterans' bureau, have arrived in Washington, it was learned at the board of control. They were approved by the federal district attorney at San Antonio. The plant is to be sold for $1,182,000.

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RADIO COMPANY IS UNDER FIRE

Federal District Attorney Asks Leave to File Information

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Leave to file a bill of criminal information against the Zenith Radio corporation and its president, E. F. McDonald, owners of radio station WJAZ was granted J. E. Byrne, assistant federal district attorney, by Federal Judge J. H. Wilkerson.

The action was taken in connection with the first test of the right of the secretary of commerce to regulate broadcasting.

The controversy arose through the allegation that WJAZ had been broadcasting upon a wave length assigned to a Canadian station and was not using the wave length assigned in its license.

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COPS PREVENT SALE OF GIRL

13-Year Old Ready for Marriage Altar In Trade For $100

DUBUQUE, Iowa, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Dubuque officers were waiting at the station platform at Galena, Ills., yesterday afternoon and frustrated alleged plans for the "sale" for $100 of a 13-year-old girl by her father to a man 49 years old. The father, Lem Tittle, entered into an agreement with Joe Parr, 39 years old, to allow him to marry his daughter, Bertha, upon payment of the sum of $100, Tittle's relatives charge. This was said to be agreeable to Parr and the trio departed for Galena to have the marriage performed and to consummate the deal.

Par and Tittle, who is a divorced man and had the custody of the child, were arraigned in municipal court today.

The case is being investigated by the county attorney's office and will probably be referred to the grand jury.

Francis Speaks On World Court Issue

Charles I. Francis, local attorney, was the principal speaker at the Rotary club luncheon in the regular meeting Thursday noon at the Kemp hotel when he talked on the plans for a world court.

He said that three plans had been presented to the senate for entering a world court which had its germ in the treaty of Versailles, and the only plan that seemed probable was that which provided for the reorganization of the Versailles court.

James C. Burger, imperial potentate of the A. A. O. M. S., was a guest of R. S. Shepherd, moyar of the city, and potentate of Maskat Temple.

Joel H. MacGregor, choir director of the First Methodist church, entertained with a number of Scotch songs. Piano accompaniment was played by J. S. Pitman.

Announcement was made that the Rotary school would be held at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the Kemp hotel. The chairman of all Rotary committees will meet Friday evening at 7:30 in the director's room of the City National bank.

U. S. PROTECTION FROM CATTLE PLAGUE URGED

FORT WORTH, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Resolutions urging the federal government to assume complete charge of all outbreaks of hoof and mouth disease and bear the full expense incident to them as recommended by the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers association, were adopted this morning by the Texas Veterinary Medical association in convention here.

A Classified Ad in the Record News will bring quick results.

Triplets Bring Him A Bigger Business

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Triplets, born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Irving Reynolds, today brought an opportunity for the father to get into business for himself in order to support his rapidly increasing family. A fund also has been started for the family and many names for the new babies have been suggested through the Kansas City Star.

The father, who hauls coal for a local concern, may have a truck of his own to go into the hauling business. Louis M. Hochstader, a local automobile salesman, today said: "If business men in Kansas City or any persons, for that matter, will be considerate enough to give Mr. Reynolds hauling jobs I will feel it a privilege to make the first payment on a good, substantial hauling truck, and help this father in any way I can."

Woman's Body Is Found in Media, Pa.

MEDIA, Pa., Jan. 21.—(AP)—The body of a young woman from which the head and legs had been cut was found today in a timber plot near here. It was wrapped in a blue cloak and covered by newspapers.

The cloak and a wrist watch are the chief clews to the victim's identity. The legs had been severed above the knees.

The legs, clad in silk stockings were later found near the body. The newspapers covering the body were of yesterday's date.

MANUFACTURER DEAD.

WORCESTER, Mass., Jan. 21.—(AP)—David H. Fanning, philanthropist, corset manufacturer, who watched women's styles change from hoop skirts to the mode adopted by the athletic miss of today, died suddenly today in his 96th year. He was believed to have been one of the oldest manufacturers in the world.

Mr. Fanning retired last Saturday as active head of the Royal Worcester Corset company, a two million dollar plant which he founded.

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CITY APPROVES SEWAGE PLANS

$300,000 Plant Authorized; Construction Bids To Be Called For

Plans and specifications for Wichita Falls new $300,000 sewage disposal plant were approved by city council Tuesday. They are for a so-called Imhoff type-settling tank, filter spray, final settling tank type of plant, and were designed by Montgomery and Ward, engineers of Wichita Falls, and John H. Gregory, eastern sanitary engineer.

Bids for construction will be advertised for at once, it is understood, with the letting of a contract not likely before 30 days or more. It is planned to locate the plant adjacent to the city incinerator, on the south bank of the Wichita river.

The plans were submitted to the city council Thursday following inspection by City Engineer Rugely, who recommended that they be approved as a whole.

The Old Home Town

Mrs. E. B. Reed is reported ill at her home at 1914 Sixth street.

Mrs. E. H. P. Bain of Ryan is the guest of Mrs. R. K. Henderson, and expects to be here several days.

Mrs. Alma Y. Miller, county clerk, was back at her desk Thursday after a brief period of illness.

A. Lipscomb who has been at the bedside of his father, A. B. Lipscomb, for the past month, returned Thursday to his home in Los Angeles, Calif.

Jack McKay, student of Junior high, left yesterday for Abilene where he will be with his mother and attend the public school there.

Miss Susie Patterson, teacher in Travis school, who has been ill for several days, is receiving treatment at the General hospital, according to information given yesterday.

Reports for the children of the elementary schools are to be given out at the schools at 2 o'clock, Friday afternoon, according to announcement yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Newsom, court reporter at the court house, was reported resting well Thursday after an attack of acute indigestion Wednesday has since confined her to her home at 1515 Ninth street.

Marvin F. Cooper, believed to live in Wichita Falls or near here, is requested to go to his mother's bedside at Erick, Okla., according to a message to Sheriff Fred K. Smith Thursday.

Mrs. Alice Renfro, who has been living with her sister, Mrs. L. L. Tillman, at 1403 Lamar avenue, was called out of the city Thursday due to the illness of a relative at Gilmer, Texas. She will be gone about 30 days.

Mrs. M. Gaffney of 1107 Austin who was injured early Wednesday evening when struck by an automobile is said to be improving. Mrs. Gaffney received a severe scalp wound requiring seven stitches to close. She did not regain consciousness until Thursday morning.

Rabbi Samuel Phillips who was in Fort Worth Thursday to hear Dr. Maurice Samuel speak, will return here today. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Phillips and little daughter, Shirley Mae, who have returned from Cincinnati where they visited her parents.

E. O. Harbin, representative of the General league board of the Methodist church, south, with headquarters at Nashville, Tenn., will arrive here Saturday and be in this city Sunday and Monday. He will speak at the First Methodist church, south, during his visit in Wichita Falls.

The body of J. J. DeKirie, 35, was forwarded to his home at Amarillo Thursday by the Hines Undertaking company. Mr. DeKorte was a resident of that city and died here at a local hospital. J. T. Cecil of Pampa accompanied the body to that city.

Thursday was a slack day at the county clerk's office when not a single marriage license was issued during the entire day.

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Notable Cast In 'Unguarded Hour' At Strand Today



Doris Kenyon in "The Unguarded Hour"

First National presents an exceptionally strong cast in support of Milton Sills in "The Unguarded Hour," which comes to the Strand theatre today. Sills has the starring role with Doris Kenyon as the featured feminine player.

Heading the supporting players is Claude King, who gained his first American fame by his work on the legitimate stage as Rudolph Solomon in Ethel Barrymore's success, "Declasse." King is an Englishman and has played with the finest of the British stage stars. Recently he had one of the principal roles in "The Making of O'Malley" and "The Knockout," both Sills' starring pictures.

Radio Interference Explained by Rauhr

A meeting of radio dealers, representatives of the telephone company and representatives of the electric company of this city was held last night at 7:30 p. m. in the office of the Wichita Falls Electric company. The object of this meeting was to listen to a few remarks by M. L. Rauhr of the engineering department of the electric company.

Mr. Rauhr has spent considerable time over Texas in locating sources of radio interference, and the recital of his experiences was enjoyed by his listeners. Specific cases of particularly bad points of reception were reported by several dealers, which Mr. Rauhr will use as basis for his investigation.

It was considered this movement was very opportune, in view of the International Long Distance Tests which will be made the week of the 25th, when all "dyed in the wool" radio fans will be straining their sets to receive programs from foreign countries.

Aaronsohn Here

Dr. Michael Aaronsohn, noted Jewish speaker, writer and traveler, former wa veteran, will speak at the Temple Israel at 8 o'clock tonight in the interest of the United Palestine Appeal.

In addition to the speaking, a special musical program will be presented by Mrs. Carrie E. Wilcox, organist; Mrs. T. C. Brownell and Mrs. Luella B. Thompson, vocalists.

The public is invited to attend the meeting.

SMITH ON TRIAL AGAIN.

A special venire of 100 men will report to Judge P. A. Martin of the 89th district court this morning for the selection of a jury in the second trial of C. C. Smith, charged with criminal assault. A trial just a week ago resulted in a hung jury.



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MRS. RUSSELL IS RELEASED

Officials Find They Have No Grounds on Which To Hold Her

Mrs. R. J. Russell, who has been held at the county jail since late Tuesday night following the escape of her husband convicted and under sentence for twelve years on charges of highway robbery, was released late Thursday afternoon upon instructions from the district attorney's office. Plans of fastening charges of complicity in her husband's escape have been abandoned.

In the meantime the search for Russell has broadened out. Cities in every direction over a large radius have been notified to be on the look out for him.

Philley Case Is Dropped for Term

A continuance over the current term of court of the case of W. W. Philley, charged with an attempt to poison Judge C. M. McFarland was granted by Judge H. R. Wilson of the 30th district court Thursday morning upon the written application of the defendant accompanied by the affidavit of physicians that he was in too poor health to stand the rigors of a trial. It was stated by Philley's counsel that he was suffering from heart trouble and it was the belief of physicians he would not live long.

City's Bonds Sold

A final contract to A. J. McMahon of Oklahoma City and the E. W. Whitis company of New York City to take up the entire $575,000 bond issue recently authorized in this city was let by the city council Thursday. The concerns had previously taken an option on a part of the bonds. Thursday's action puts them in possession of the whole issue.

NO VERDICT REACHED

The jury in case of R. D. Scott et al vs H. E. McConnell, a suit for recovery of half of the proceeds of a sale of a 200 acre oil lease in Crockett county, failed to report at the end of the day Thursday and were discharged to report again and resume deliberation this morning. They had been out since early in the morning.

BOY TO GATESVILLE

An indeterminate sentence to the Boys' Training School at Gatesville was given a 15-year-old youth by Judge Guy Rogers Thursday when the lad admitted that he was delinquent and pleaded guilty to a charge of burglary. The youth was found in San Antonio and was brought here early in the week.

A second boy implicated in the charge of burglary was sentenced to the school several days ago, and a third, said to be in the same case, has not been found, according to W. G. Bralley, juvenile officer.

New School For Country Club Estates Next Step In Expansion Program

Now that plans have been completed by the board of education for a new junior high school building to be located near the Junior college, the probable next step of the board of education is to plan for a building to be erected on the site of the Country club estate where a six-acre tract has been donated by W. B. Hamilton and N. H. Martin. The gift has been accepted by the board of education.

The place on the Country club estates where the new school building is to be located is situated one mile from the Carrigan-Alamo and Sam Houston schools. It was chosen by the late landscape artist, Kessler, of Kansas City, who, before his death, assisted in planning the Country club estates addition of Wichita Falls.

The new building there would not only take care of the children in this new section of the city, but would aid in taking care of the crowded conditions of the three schools which are near to it.

Women Voters Ask For World Court

FORT WORTH, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Telegrams urging every effort to obtain the entrance of this country into the world court were sent to Senators Earle B. Mayfield and Morris Shepherd this morning by Mrs. Lena Gardner, president of the Fort Worth organization of the Texas League of Women Voters, in line with the state wide plan.

DENTON WOMAN NAMED ON PEACE COMMISSION

FORT WORTH, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Miss Edith Clark, dean of women at North Texas State Teachers college, Denton, has been appointed chairman of the work for international peace of the Texas League of Women Voters, work reaching here today states. Miss Clark was appointed by Miss Mary Jago, Denton, president of the league, and succeeds Miss Bell Wisdom of Houston.

STAR'S FATHER DEAD

BALTIMORE, Jan. 21.—(AP)—John Henry Bushman, father of Francis X. Bushman, motion picture star, died today of pneumonia at his home in Mount Washington. He was 82 years old. Francis X. Bushman, who spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, has been notified in Hollywood, Cal., of his father's death.

Mr. Bushman served with a Pennsylvania volunteer cavalry troop in the Civil war.

FRED LEHMAN DEAD

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—"Thirty" was written beside the name of C. Ferd Lehman, former editor of the Hallettsville Herald and for 29 years treasurer of the Texas press association, when funeral services were held at his residence today.

Denies Hurling Acid on Informer

FORT WORTH, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Joe Rubenstein today denied charges of assault to main filed late yesterday alleging he threw acid on the face of T. E. Jones, said to have been a prohibition informer. Jones was called by telephone to a corner here on December 22, when some one in a passing car threw acid on him as he stood there.

GIVE NO QUARTER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Representative Cooper, republican, Ohio, advised the house today to give "no quarter" to those who seek to break down prohibition.

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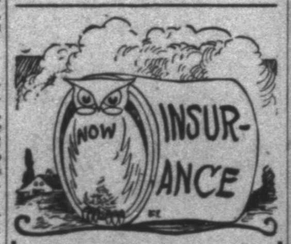
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SALAD FACTORY GET'S CITY O.K.

Permit Granted by Council Over Protest of Residents

A salad dressing factory does not constitute a nuisance to a residential district, city council decided Thursday afternoon in acting upon the application of C. H. Evans for a special permit to build such a factory near the junction of MacGregor street and the Wichita Valley tracks. A petition from residents of the section protesting the issuance of the permit was heard and various personal protests received.

Witnesses were introduced by Mr. Evans to show that such a factory, which is to house the Maidwell Salad Dressing company, does not constitute a nuisance at its present location on Lucille street. At the end of the hearing the council granted he permit.

APPLICATION TABLED

The application of C. E. Long to construct a series of business buildings on a triangle space at the intersection of Tilden street and the Seymour road was tabled at Thursday's called meeting of the city council. The area is generally understood to be a residential district and it was believed Thursday that a hearing on the application will be advertised for later.

121 Junior High Pupils Graduate With Jan. Class

One hundred and twenty-one pupils of the Junior high school will be graduated at mid-term, according to the principal, H. A. Glass, Thursday. The pupils graduating at mid-year will continue their studies at the beginning of the new term, starting Monday, at senior high school. They will not receive their diplomas at this time, but will have them presented in the spring along with the May graduating class.

9,363 POLL TAXES

Just a little less than half of Wichita county's prospective voting strength during the year's coming elections have qualified themselves, according to Guy C. Raley, county tax collector. Poll tax receipts at the end of business Thursday had reached the number of 8,530; exemptions granted numbered 833, or, together a total of 9,363. The voting strength of the county this year is expected to come between 18,500 and 19,500.

Just eight days remain for poll tax payments.

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BUSINESS MEN TOUR WINTER GARDEN AREA

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 21.—(AP)—With the banner, "San Antonio Good Will Tour," strung along its side, the "Ponder Good Will Special" made up of approximately 100 San Antonio business men, is on a one-day trip to the winter garden district.

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