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# TOLL OF BALKAN QUAKES MOUNTS TO 500

## Home Town Talk

By B. D. D.

In The Sunday Times appeared a temperate appeal from L. P. Hammond to the citizens of Wichita Falls to join in opposition to the proposed water improvements. Mr. Hammond maintained that the only issue on which our citizens were divided was the bond issue and that the way to restore unity was to join in opposition to it for the reason that we already had an ample supply of good water and it was therefore unnecessary to vote bonds to improve it.

Mr. Hammond brought no charges against anybody and in his temperateness and fairness his article was one of the best yet produced by those opposed to a bond issue for water improvements.

Talker agrees with Mr. Hammond that whatever feeling has been aroused in this campaign is altogether unnecessary and will be of no help in deciding the issue before the people.

Like Mr. Hammond, Talker believes the issue is plain and simple—plain that our water supply is neither adequate nor good enough and that the simplest and practically the only solution is the bond issue for the improvements that are planned.

Mr. Hammond is a neighbor of Talker's and lives in a district which is without adequate water pressure throughout most of the summer.

If ours was the only neighborhood where such a condition exists it might not be fair to ask the whole citizenship to help us pay for a remedy for that situation, but there are other large areas in Wichita Falls where similar conditions exist and where if a fire were to get under headway about all that could be done would be to abandon whole blocks and districts to the flames because there would be no water with which to fight.

Specified amounts of the sum the property owners are asked to vote are to be used in improvements at the pumping plant and in new mains that are planned to give better distribution of water throughout the city. For the protection of property and for the safety of lives we ought to have better distribution of water through many sections of the city and the improvements proposed ought to give better distribution in all sections of Wichita Falls.

If we could measure the water now in Lake Wichita and balance it against the probable consumption through that period we would doubtless now have a three years' supply in Lake Wichita as Mr. Hammond says but the evaporation under nature, to which Mr. Hammond refers, and drain from irrigation which men will make unless their drain is cut off will account for much larger part of the water in Lake Wichita than will be used by the city of Wichita Falls.

It is true that we must depend upon Providence for the amount of water that goes into Lake Wichita but we can regulate below the spillway level somewhat the outflow and this it is proposed to do by digging a ditch to carry water from the Lake Kemp canals to the irrigation ditches that are now supplied with water from Lake Wichita. Thus will be saved for use in Wichita Falls a very large part of the water supply in Lake Wichita. Providence has given us the water, let's make the best use of it we can.

And Talker believes our water supply is far from being either as good or as safe as it ought to be. Right now because of rains it is soft and potable but often it is hard, salty and disagreeable to drink, an irritant to the skin and a vexation to those who use it for any cleansing purpose. The better protection and conservation of the water in Lake Wichita and its better filtration at the pumping plant certainly ought to provide us with better water in these particulars.

We would like to believe that our water supply is always safe—safe for drinking and all other uses—but the basins at the pumping plant are badly cracked and it takes no alarmist to see that there is seepage and danger of the worst kind of pollution. And the open ditch that brings the water from Lake Wichita flows through a populated section from which there is constant danger of pollution, and the vegetation and animal growth in this ditch can hardly fail to give a taste and odor to the water which no amount of chlorination can counteract.

Under the proposed plan of improvements the water flowing into Lake Wichita is to be given some protection by a cut-off for the drainage from the oil fields; the water in its flow from Lake Wichita to the settling basins and pumping plant is to be protected by a conduit. In the settling basins it is to be protected by new walls of concrete and more foreign matter is to be removed by better filtration.

It is not possible to provide these improvements except through a bond issue and for all these reasons and more Talker will vote for the bonds, but will not fall out with any of his friends who oppose them and will attribute their failure to vote for the improvements to some lack of the bond proponents to present their case as plainly and simply as it appears to him.

If the property taxpaying voters of Wichita Falls next Saturday authorize the city council to proceed with improvements that have been

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### VETERANS MEET

HOUSTON, March 8. (AP)—With approximately 300 delegates in attendance, the district convention of the eighth district, American Legion, department of Texas, got under way today with A. Pat La Touche, chairman of the district, presiding.

## *Vivian Gordon's Death Takes Fresh Toll In Madness Of Brother*

NEW YORK, March 8. (US)—Crazed by grief over the murder of his sister, Vivian Gordon, Pierre Morehead Franklin went out of his mind in the Hotel Lincoln today. Clad only in a shirt, he escaped from a nurse and sped screaming to the corridors.

Police, physicians and an ambulance were summoned. Franklin sought refuge in his room, shouting defiance. Suddenly, he collapsed.

Franklin was hurried to Bellevue hospital. He lay in a daze, with eyes half open, and lips moving incessantly in a murmur through which these words were intelligible at intervals:

"Benita . . . murder . . . murder . . . who . . . Benita . . . murder . . . Benita."

**No Danger**

Dr. Samuel Parker stated that the patient's condition was not extremely serious, explaining:

"His brain is not blank but he remembers little or nothing. There is no immediate danger of death."

Pierre Franklin is the third member of his family to be stricken. Eleven days ago, his sister, Vivian Gordon, born Benita Franklin, was strangled to death. Five days later, Benita Bischoff, her 16-year-old daughter, committed suicide.

District Attorney McLaughlin reported that no progress had been made in the quest for the slayer of the bizrre blackmailer.

**Probe Widens**

Meanwhile the city's investigation into municipal corruption, given added impetus by the murder of Miss Gordon, has branched out again, with Governor Roosevelt ordering ouster proceedings against Thomas C. T. Crain, venerable district attorney for Manhattan.

The governor will appoint a commissioner to investigate charges made Saturday by members of the City club that Crain is guilty of misfeasance in office "in failing to prosecute persons whom a diligent public officer would have prosecuted."

Crain is accused of bringing the administration of public law into disrepute, of wasting money in fruitless inquiries, and of permitting cases to be deferred or preferred "against the public good and with unfair discrimination."

**Charges Listed**

Officers of the club, in their petition to the governor, cite many

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## 'TIRED' WIDOW ENDS LIFE IN DALLAS HOTEL

### Rag Doll Lies Beside Gun And Book on Death Bed

DALLAS, March 8. (AP)—Leaving a note saying she was "tired and tired and tired," and giving detailed instructions for disposition of her body and estate, Marilla May Allerton, 28, shot herself to death with a pistol today in a room at a hotel here. On the bed beside her body was a rag doll and a well-thumbed copy of "In Tune With the Infinite." She had registered at the hotel March 1.

Clothing to be put on the body had been laid out on a chair. Justice Robert Ogden returned a coroner's verdict of death from gunshot wounds, suicidal.

The note found in the room read:

**"Tired-Tired-Tired"**

"Name—Marilla May Allerton. Widow. Born Feb. 10, 1903, at Fargo, N. D. Nearest relative, Mrs. M. M. Leonard, 1332 Twenty-first street, N. W., Washington, D. C., sister. Mother, Anna Roberta May, died Nov. 11, 1930. Father, Eugene May, D. D. Husband, Robert W. Allerton, died July 13, 1927.

"Cause of death—Self-inflicted while in full possession of all faculties, perfectly normal mentally but tired, and tired and tired.

"I trust the above will give all the information needed and it will not be necessary to have anyone at all come here. I do not wish it and it is most impracticable that anyone should come."

**Leaves Directions**

She further gave directions as to where her car keys and baggage checks were left and said her affairs were in the hands of a trust company in Washington, which would have the body cremated. The note added, "anything in the waste basket please let the maid have."

The signature, Marillo May Allerton, matched that on the hotel register.

### STUDENT TAKES OWN LIFE

LUBBOCK, Texas, March 8. (AP)—Frederick Raymond Koeninger, 22, a senior at Texas Technological college, was found dead in his room at a dormitory early today. A coroner returned a verdict of suicide.

Koeninger attended a dance and a theater preview last night after which he returned to his room. He told roommates he was going for something to eat and during the night one of his companions found him still breathing but in a serious condition. He was dead when he reached a hospital. He had swallowed poison.

After attending high school at Ranger where his parents live, Koeninger graduated from Wayland college at Plainview in 1927. At Texas Tech he was a member of the track squad.

He left notes to his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Koeninger of Plainview, a brother, an older sister, a roommate and a woman student at the college here.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete pending word from a brother in Columbia Falls, Mont.

### Government to Inquire Into Mexican Races

LOS ANGELES, March 8. (US)—Government investigation of the Agua Caliente sweepstakes has been launched in Los Angeles, it was learned today.

Both the postoffice department and bureau of investigation of department of justice are conducting separate probes regarding the annual handicap event.

The federal investigation which may involve at least half a dozen of the best-known sportsmen in the West, revolves about asserted distribution and sale of tickets on the "world's richest race."

## Illiterate Red Men To Learn Alphabet In 'Writing Clinic'

WASHINGTON, March 8. (US)—One of the strangest experiments in the history of education will be undertaken this week in Browning, Mont., when 200 adult Indians of the Blackfeet reservation meet in an "illiteracy clinic," to learn how to write their names in the strange marks of the white man.

Provided with food and lodging and stimulated by games, they will trace words on bright colored paper, in an education experiment by the national advisory committee on illiteracy, of which Ray Lyman Wilbur, secretary of the interior is chairman.

Each Indian will be supplied with blotting paper, containing grooved letters over which he will trace with a pencil. In tracing over the grooved letters he learns to make the letters of the alphabet and to write his own name.

### Stone Will Continue Farm Board Policy

WASHINGTON, March 8. (AP)—The general policies of the farm board will continue under the new chairman, James C. Stone, without change.

In his first statement since appointment to succeed Alexander Legge, Stone said this applied particularly to the present operations of the grain and cotton stabilization corporations.

He reviewed the board's activities defended its program and characterized assistance in economic organizations of agriculture as its major task and policy—more important than stabilization operations which he termed purely emergency.

### New Canadian Minister Prepares for Washington

OTTAWA, Ont., March 8. (AP)—W. D. Herridge, K. C., whose appointment as Canadian minister to the United States was announced last night by Premier R. B. Bennett, will take up his duties in Washington as soon as he can set his private affairs in order, the premier said today.

## *Oil Delegates Gather For Conference*

## VISITORS FROM SIX STATES TO DISCUSS CURB

### Three Major Problems Will Receive Attention at Texarkana

### MAJORS TO ATTEND

### Host of Unofficial Delegates Expected for Called Session

TEXARKANA, Ark., March 8. (AP)—Some concerted plan on the part of oil producing states to conserve resources was the principal object of a seven-state conference to be held here tomorrow, Cicero I. Murray, Oklahoma delegate and cousin of Gov. W. H. Murray of Oklahoma, who called the meeting, said tonight.

"Something has to be done to save the oil industry from ruin," he declared.

Murray expressed belief that importing companies would agree to limit foreign importations without necessity of such drastic measures as have been proposed to bar them from operation within certain states.

**Oklahoma Field Cited**

"The Oklahoma City field alone is producing daily enough oil to supply the United States; new fields are being opened up, and companies with foreign holdings are importing much crude oil, to the detriment of domestic producers," he said.

"It is hoped at this conference to get the states to agree on some concerted plan. Any one state may defeat the purpose of the others and to cure the ills of the industry, there must be united action.

"Everyone connected with the industry is ready to cooperate, I believe, in saving it in this period of crisis."

**Calendar to Be Drawn**

Murray will call the seven official delegates together at 9 a. m. Monday. A permanent chairman will be elected and a calendar drawn up of subjects which the delegates feel should be discussed.

Open sessions then, will be held in the convention hall of a downtown hotel, at which representatives of varied oil interests will be invited to express their views. The delegates then will go into executive session to formulate their recommendations.

Murray said the conference might last several days, although he hoped to conclude it sooner. He will speak over radio station KWKH at Shreveport from 9 to 9:30 p. m. Tuesday, explaining his views.

**Official Delegates**

Other delegates are T. H. Barton, Eldorado, Ark.; W. Scott Heywood, Louisiana; Alfred M. Landon, Independence, Kan.; William H. Cooley, Bakersfield, Calif.; Robert R. Penn, Dallas, chairman of Texas central

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### State Department to Create 'Russian Office'

WASHINGTON, March 8. (US)—A definite change in the American policy toward Soviet Russia was indicated today when it became known that Secretary of State Stimson is to create a new division in the department to be devoted exclusively to Russian affairs with an expert in charge with the rank of assistant secretary of state.

Secretary Stimson is now looking for a man who is thoroughly familiar with Soviet Russia of the last few years with the ability to furnish the department with accurate information upon which the new policy is to be based.

### Pampa Men Killed as Cars Crash in Snow

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., March 8. (AP)—Blinded by a heavy snow storm, Marvin Whiteley, 37, Pampa, Texas, was fatally injured eight miles north of here about midnight last night when his motor collided with a heavy freighting truck on the Denver-Colorado Springs highway.

Two other men, Otto P. Bedwell, 44, Telegraph Creek, Mont., and Bert Lewis, 20, Hinton, Okla., driving in the same group of cars as Whiteley, were injured.

### As Democrat Chieftains Wrangled





Scenes that attended the stormy session of the Democratic national committee in Washington when the liquor question was brought up by Chairman John J. Raskob are pictured here.

The group above is an informal pose of the "big four" of the conference: Al Smith, titular head of the party, Chairman Raskob, Executive Chairman Jewett Shouse, and former Governor James M. Cox of Ohio, 1920 presidential candidate. They look quite calm here, even if the meeting was far from that.

At right are shown Chairman Raskob and Jewett Shouse opening the meeting, which led to acrid discussion of the problems facing the party. Observe the pictures of Thomas Jefferson on the wall.

## GOP SHYS AT PROHI STAND

### Challenge Leaves Party in Dilemma

By EDWARD L. RODDAN

WASHINGTON, March 8. (US)—Both Republican and Democratic leaders today conceded the prohibition issue must be "handled with gloves" to avoid serious party disaffections in 1932.

Calming a bit from their first chortle of glee at the disharmony in Democratic ranks provoked by Raskob's "home rule" plan, the G. O. P. high command suddenly realized their own situation is hardly more reassuring.

If Raskob is to be the target of southern drys, Chairman Simeon D. Fess will soon find eastern Republicans clamoring for his scalp if he attempts to commit the party in favor of prohibition.

**G. O. P. Hand Called**

Fess nearly precipitated a wide open split on the issue after the congressional elections last fall when he announced the Republican party must remain "dry."

While the chorus of attack which followed quickly subsided, there was an echo of it today when Representative Fiorello LaGuardia, of New York, demanded the Republican national committee face the issue as Democrats must do under Raskob's prodding.

LaGuardia has little standing among the party "stalwarts" because of his liberal tendencies but his views are those held by outstanding Republican leaders from the big industrial states. Mindful of what happened in New York, Illinois and Ohio last fall, these leaders are wary of being tied up too closely to Volsteadism.

**Drys Rule**

There is no doubt that under the Fess leadership the national Republican organization is dominated by drys as completely as the anti-drys have taken over the Democratic machinery under the Raskob-Shouse regime.

Robert H. Lucas, assistant to Fess, even went so far as to pay over $4,000 out of his own funds to carry on a campaign in favor of "dry" Republicans last fall. The women at national headquarters are

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? ? QUESTIONABLE ? ? BUT TRUE

200 YEARS TO BUILD 400 MILES OF RAILWAY

THE first railway was a horseway or road with rails on either side over which animals used to pull carriages and wagons. This means of transportation was called a tramway, named after General Outram, who introduced the railway into England in 1802. It required more than two hundred years to build four hundred miles of railway. This system was used until the invention of the steam railway in 1825 by Stockton and Darlington. Our means of transportation today are not so limited. With the selection of used cars offered in The Times-Record News Want-Ad section, almost any and every family can afford a car. Consult these bargains and patronize reliable dealers who advertise to you through this newspaper.

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## *Great Crowd Bids Farewell to Old Methodist Church at Services Here*

A capacity house, with many persons occupying extra chairs placed in the aisles, Sunday school rooms and altar space, paid the final tribute to one of Wichita Falls' landmarks Sunday morning when Dr. S. S. McKenney, pastor of the First Methodist church, preached the farewell sermon in the old building which will be wrecked Monday for the purpose of erecting the new federal building and postoffice.

Dr. McKenney chose as his subject for the occasion "The Symbolism of the Temple," in which he pointed out the six things that the temple represents.

"The tabernacle in the wilderness and the temple had a divine origin. They were not made at random but stood for the divine idea, 'see that thou shalt make all things according to the pattern shewed to thee in the mount.'

"However, a pattern is not final," the speaker pointed out. "It represents two ideas: God's dwelling place among men and the steps of man to the approach of God."

In listing the six things for which the temple stands, Dr. McKenney placed sacrifice first.

"The altar is its material symbol. No temple is complete without an altar; it represents man's first step toward God."

Dr. McKenney used the examples of Cain and Abel coming to God with their sacrifices; the Hindu mother who came with the sacrificial baby and even God, who, as He came to save men, brought a sacrifice. The second symbol of the temple was described by the speak-

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### English Third Party Leader Airs Views

STOKE-ON-TRENT, Eng., March 8. (AP)—Lady Cynthia Mosley, chief aide of her husband in the move to organize a "new party," told her constituents today what England needed in the present emergency was a government "with the guts to govern."

Speaking before nearly 4,000 persons in King's Hall, Lady Cynthia described as "cheek and humbug" the recent demands of the Fenton and Longton Labor parties that she resign her seat in parliament because she had withdrawn from Labor's parliamentary party to help her husband, Sir Oswald Mosley, in organizing his "new party."

### Six Hurt as $50,000 Fire Sweeps Oil Town

MIRANDO CITY, Texas, March 8. (AP)—Fire swept through this little oil town early today, destroying 15 buildings in two business blocks and causing damage estimated at $50,000. Six persons were burned slightly and bruised, but none seriously.

Half the town's 1,200 population quickly formed bucket brigades to fight the fire and Laredo, nearby, sent Fire Chief George Renken with a chemical truck. Mirando City has no water system or fire department.

### Ban Johnson's Condition Continues Very Grave

ST. LOUIS, March 8. (AP)—The condition of Ban Johnson, former president of the American league, remained extremely critical tonight. Attendants at St. John's hospital, where he is a patient, said there had been no appreciable change in the veteran baseball leader's condition during the day.

## WIFE HELD FOR SLAYING MAN

### Abilene Salesman Killed at His Home

ABILENE, Texas, March 8. (AP)—M. I. Pigg, a salesman, was shot and instantly killed at his home here today. His wife, Mrs. Virginia Pigg, later was charged with murder, waived examining trial and was released on $2,500 bond.

Mrs. Pigg said her husband had been drinking and began "chasing me around the room" when he returned home after being away since early yesterday. She said she took a pistol from a dresser and fired once "to frighten him."

After the shooting, Mrs. Pigg went to the home of neighbors who notified police. She and her husband and an 18-months-old child were alone in the house at the time.

### Borger to Mark Fifth Anniversary Today

BORGER, Texas, March 8. (AP)—Borger, foster child of the earth's liquid gold, tomorrow will celebrate the anniversary of the day five years ago, when in the midst of an oil boom, A. P. Borger opened the townsite that bore his name.

The American Legion will sponsor a parade in the morning and in the afternoon there will be speeches and band concerts, with a radio broadcast over station WDAG, Amarillo. A fireworks display and dances at night will conclude the festivity.

Many communities of the Panhandle Plains, Oklahoma, Kansas and New Mexico will be represented. A dozen visiting bands were expected to participate in the parade.

### Oklahoma Legislature Enters 10th Week Today

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 8. (AP)—Oklahoma's 13th legislature turns into the straight away tomorrow to enter its 10th week of work, with administration leaders bent upon jockeying Governor Murray's program into a favorable position.

Two important administration measures are ready for argument and passage. One is the McDougal tax commission bill providing for a graduated income tax on corporations, which is ready for final passage in the house. The other is the house bill, now in senate committee, providing a method by which Governor Murray may remove from office Lew Wentz, Republican member of the state highway commission.

### BANKER DIES

DALLAS, March 8. (AP)—W. R. Howell, 75, of Wills Point, veteran East Texas banker, died in a hospital here today after an illness of several days.

## GALES SWEEP LAND AND SEA IN MAD FURY

### Europe and U. S. Whipped By Wind-Blown Snow Storms

### BLIZZARD CLAIMS 13

### Blinding Rains Tie Up Car Traffic in States on Seaboard

**BELGRADE, March 8. (US)—About 500 persons were tonight believed dead in the severe earthquake that early this morning rocked Southeastern Jugo-Slavia and the border states of Bulgaria and Greece.**

**As King Alexander and General Zivkovitch left by special train for the stricken zone, the Jugo-Slavian death toll alone was officially placed at 150 and those seriously injured at 300.**

**The border villages of Piravs, Valandovan and Demir Kapa are completely destroyed, their streets a shambles of dead, dying and debris.**

(By The Associated Press)

The elements in all their fury beat across sea and land yesterday, earthquakes and storms bringing death to 165 and injuries to several hundred others. Of these, 150 were reported quake victims.

Earth shocks spread death and destruction in the Balkan states. In the United States violent rain and snowstorms worked their toll of life and property over nearly the entire area of the Atlantic seaboard and far into the West.

**South Gets Snow**

Snow blew into the southland over the week-end, in Georgia, Kentucky, North Carolina and Eastern Tennessee. The storm was not accompanied by sufficient cold to keep the snow, however, the flakes melting almost as soon as they had reached the ground averting the threat of ice on the gulf coast.

In the Midwest United States, a mad March storm left huge banks of snow, and bitter weather was held responsible for 13 deaths in that area. President Hoover ran into a snow storm on his visit to his son in Ashville, N. C.

Preceded by snow and hail, some

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### New York World's 'Funeral' Planned At Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, March 8. (US)—Queerest of funerals—yet one with deep, sincere sentiment attached—will be that which is to be conducted in this city Wednesday.

The funeral of a newspaper.

The New York World passed out of existence Feb. 27. It was a journalistic tragedy. Alumni of The World—playwrights, novelists, cartoonists, scenarists, newspaper writers—everywhere mourn its demise.

Thirty-seven of them are now living and working in Los Angeles and Hollywood, all prominent in their respective endeavors, mostly in connection with motion pictures. They are the largest group of World men anywhere.

To them has been sent the last copy of the last edition of The World, preserved by James Barrett, the city editor, as the presses stilled. And this they are going to bury Wednesday, and over it erect a suitable tombstone.

Preceding the funeral, there will be a wake Tuesday evening at a Hollywood cafe. The invitations describe this as "The End of The World." All 37 alumni will be present.

### Wise County Woman Injured in Accident

BELTON, Texas, March 8. (UP)—Dr. Billie Davis, Austin, assistant state health officer, was bruised and his sister, Mrs. Alec Smith of Boyd, Wise county, injured critically today when their automobile was wrecked on the Austin highway, 12 miles south of here.

Two others in the machine were hurt slightly.

Dr. Davis said that his car overturned when a car which he was attempting to pass forced him in the ditch.

### Chaplin Leaves London For Visit to Berlin

LONDON, March 8. (US)—Charlie Chaplin left London for a brief visit to Berlin today. He will visit The Hague en route. After a few days stay at the German capital he is expected to return to England.

## WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Fair, warmer in Panhandle Monday; Tuesday increasing cloudiness, warmer.
OKLAHOMA—Fair, warmer Monday; Tuesday increasing cloudiness, warmer.
EAST TEXAS—Fair Monday; Tuesday increasing cloudiness, somewhat warmer. Light to moderate mostly northerly winds on the coast, becoming variable Tuesday.

Weather conditions in Wichita Falls and vicinity during the 24-hour period ending at 5 p. m. Sunday were reported by the Texas Electric Service company bureau as follows:

Maximum temperature ..... 50
Minimum temperature ..... 29
Temperature at 5 p. m. ..... 47
Precipitation, none.
Partly cloudy.
Northeast wind.
Average wind velocity ..... 5
Maximum wind velocity ..... 10
Barometer ..... 29.62

## *Justice Holmes Celebrates His 90th Birthday With First Radio Talk*

WASHINGTON, March 8. (AP)—In simple manner, Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes today celebrated the 90th anniversary of his birthday.

The only deviation from the customary simplicity of his life was a radio address—his first—delivered from his home over the Columbia Broadcasting system.

The oldest man ever to serve as a supreme court justice spent the day in his red brick home. The few intimate friends who called found him genial and cheerful.

Among them were Felix Frankfurter, Harvard law professor, who presented a volume of essays in which the jurist was the central theme. Members of the court also paid their respects.

There were the usual outpouring of messages of congratulation, coming from all over the United States and foreign countries. Among them was one from President Hoover.

The day found Justice Holmes in unusually good health. His only serious illness came when he was 81, but after a couple of major operations he surprised his friends by resuming the fatiguing burden of work he had carried for years.

He has missed only a few days during the present session and then as a matter of precaution because of a slight cold. Hardly an opinion day passes that he does not deliver from one to two decisions.

Speculation he might resign from the bench was quieted long ago, although he is long past the age of retirement. He has said he would not quit until forced by illness or death.

With characteristic humor he has explained if he resigned there would be nothing for him to do but die and he did not want to do that.

Mrs. Holmes died in 1929. Since that time he gradually has retired from participation in social life. Witty and charming, he never liked the formality of the ordinary social gathering.

He does not go out at night and his days when the court is in session adhere to an almost unwavering routine, with work occupying most of the time.

The public generally knows little of his private life, but his dissenting opinions and a liberal outlook have earned him such designations as "the great liberal," and "the great dissenter."

They do not please him. He says catch phrases are deceptive.

# SIGNS POINT TO HOOVER AGAIN

## Presidential Fight Takes Definite Trend

By RAYMOND CLAPPER

WASHINGTON, March 8. (UP)—Signs pointing toward the renomination of President Hoover began to appear in widely separated quarters as he entered the second half of his term this week.

This situation began to crystallize just at the moment when Democrats plunged into great uncertainty as a result of the sharp projection of the prohibition issue into the meeting of the Democratic national committee here.

These two developments together pointed political activity definitely toward the presidential fight next year with some indications it may prove a decisive test of federal prohibition.

**Two Endorsements**

Endorsement of President Hoover was voiced in resolutions adopted by the Michigan state convention. In Texas a meeting of Republicans heard from R. B. Creager, Texas Republican national committeeman, a prediction that Mr. Hoover would be renominated and elected. Similar declaration of loyalty may be expected from other states.

At the same time Senator Robert M. LaFollette, Republican, Wisconsin, one of the insurgent leaders whose father ran as an independent candidate for president in 1924, predicted in an interview in the Philadelphia Record that Mr. Hoover would be renominated and that the Republicans would take a bone dry position.

Mr. Hoover's intimate friends say that his darkest days passed when congress adjourned and that from now on, with a long recess ahead, and prospects of a business upturn within a few months, and with the necessity of Republicans uniting their forces for the presidential fight, his popular strength will gradually increase.

It is not only the almost unanimous view of Republicans but the general belief of Democrats that Mr. Hoover will be renominated. In transmitting the Wickersham report to congress, Mr. Hoover declared again against repeal of the 18th amendment and against the form of revision outlined tentatively in the report, which would give congress power to regulate the liquor traffic.

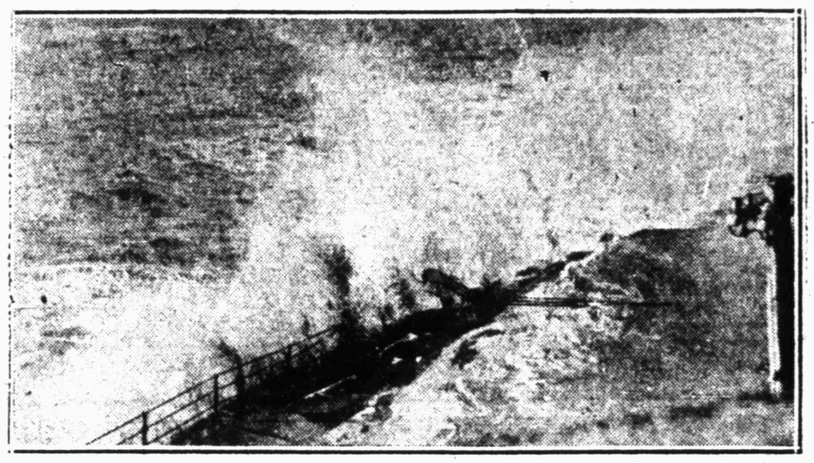
**Door Still Ajar**

His friends say he has not closed the door against all thought of revision. If this be true it leaves the exact position of the party on the question of revision open to later decision. Republican organizations in New York, New Jersey and some other states favor repeal of the 18th amendment.

But whether Mr. Hoover will permit the party platform framers to compromise with this view or insist upon a straight out campaign based on defense of the 18th amendment is uncertain.

Democrats were shown to be sharply divided when John J. Raskob, chairman of the Democratic national committee, outlined for future consideration his home-rule prohibition plan. It proposes an amendment which would permit any state to exercise the option of continuing under the 18th amendment or of adopting through a

## When Heavy Storms Lashed New England Coast






Battered buildings and homesteads, flooded streets and demolished sea walls lay in the wake of mountainous waves piled up along the New England coast during the winter's severest gale. Crumbled houses and the wreckage-strewn waterfront at Point of Pines, Mass., where the storm caused heavy property loss, are shown below after the high seas had subsided. The photo above, taken at Winthrop, Mass., while the winds and the record tide were at their height, gives a vivid impression of the ferocity of the storm. Note the railing that has been torn away by the pounding waters.

## Arguments Start In Kirkland Trial Today

VALPARAISO, Ind., March 8. (AP)—Twelve days of sensational testimony were compressed tonight into the closing arguments of attorneys prepared to demand or defend the life of Virgil Kirkland.

A few minutes after court opens tomorrow, the ex-high school football star will hear the first terse summary of the "flaming youth" murder case which stirred northern Indiana.

By Tuesday afternoon, under an allotment of time completed today, the jury will retire to decide whether young Kirkland should be sent to the electric chair, imprisoned or freed for the death of 18-year-old Arlene Draves.

## World's Building Plan Involves $11,000,000,000

WASHINGTON, March 8. (AP)—Public construction projects involving an expenditure of $11,000,000,000 will be started throughout the world this year with half of it in the United States.

This was announced today in a commerce department summary prepared by Hector Lazo of the construction division. He said the expenditure planned evidenced "a general world-wide speeding up of all government projects," brought about by the desire to furnish employment.

## 'Safest Eating Place' Planned by Child

NEW YORK, March 8. (US)—William Childs, former head of the $37,000,000 restaurant chain which bears his name, today announced plans for the "safest place in the world to eat."

The restaurant will be built at 130 W. 42nd St., in the former premises of the Chase National bank. With the vault in the basement retained as a dining room, diners will pass through a massive iron door to eat behind thick steel walls.

## Dog Saves Aged Man From Deer's Attack

MILFORD, Pa., March 8. (AP)—Attacked by a deer, Henry Minter, 78, was saved from serious injuries today by his dog. The buck bowled over the aged man as he stepped around the corner of the house. The startled animal sprang at Minter, but ran away after being bitten by the dog.

The buck apparently had approached the house in search of food.

## Lumberman Killed As Auto and Train Collide

TEXARKANA, Ark., March 8. (AP)—J. L. Cobb, 35, lumberman of Kibiah, Ark., was killed instantly and three other persons were injured today when the Cotton Belt passenger train, "Lone Star," struck their automobile at a crossing 22 miles east of here.

The injured were Mrs. Cobb, the dead man's brother, T. P. Cobb, 37, and his wife. They were brought here on the train to a hospital.

# OIL MEN OPEN PARLEY TODAY

## Murray to Call Conference At Texarkana

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proration committee; and Carl N. Cox, Cheyenne, Wyo. Ohio's representation had not been determined and New Mexico, whose governor, Arthur Seligman, has expressed "hearty sympathy" with the movement, apparently would not send a delegate because of the nearness of legislative adjournment.

The vanguard of official and unofficial delegates arrived tonight and registration of official delegates began.

Murray and Cooley were the only official representatives here tonight but Penn, driving through from Dallas, was expected to reach Texarkana probably in time for Texas, Oklahoma and California to have a preliminary caucus.

**Disaster Threatens**

It was pointed out that these three states produce 80 per cent of the country's oil and have 95 per cent of the potential. Murray declared the situation was serious and the independent oil industry was "on the verge of disaster."

"Each of the oil producing states has a loaded gun aimed at the other, ready to pull the trigger," he said. "Something must be done to strengthen proration laws and curtail production if the little fellow is to survive. It is becoming more acute every minute."

He expressed hope Texas would do something promptly to curtail production in the new East Texas fields, pointing out that it had been running unrestrained, in the face of earnest efforts of other states to hold down production.

How much of the conference will be secret was undetermined. Cicero Murray, Oklahoma delegate and a cousin of Gov. William H. Murray, who called the conference last week, indicated that at least some of the sessions will be thrown open to the public for a general exchange of views. Other delegates, however, have intimated they desire executive sessions only.

**Unofficial Delegates**

In addition, representatives of major oil companies, independent producers, pipe line interests, royalty and lease owners and other unofficial delegates were expected. From East Texas a strong delegation promised to attend to protest against extension of proration to that area as long as foreign imports continue.

Governor Murray was represented as waiting on results of the conference here before initiating a movement to lessen proration curbs in his state.

While Secretary of Commerce Lamont is conferring with some of the larger companies in an effort to obtain voluntary agreements to reduce foreign oil imports, to which independents attribute a poor domestic market, some of the delegates to the conference have expressed a desire to urge that the states join in barring oil corporations which continue the practice.

## Wales and George Win On Buenos Aires Nags

BUENOS AIRES, March 8. (AP)—The Prince of Wales and Prince George tried their luck on the ponies at Palero track this afternoon and were reported to have done well, the British heir winning about $248, and Prince George about $110.

The British princes, here to open a trade exposition for their country Saturday, made a spectacular late entrance to the track with President Jose Francisco Uriburu. They drove down the main stretch past the stands in open motor cars, escorted by Argentine cavalry, and their progress continuously was applauded. There was an unusually large proportion of women in the great crowd.

If West Texans continue to pour into East Texas that section will soon be known as "Little West Texas."

## HOME-TOWN TALK

By B. D. D.

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carefully planned and which have received the approval of all the committees that have studied the problem in recent years here is a brief summary of the way the money will be expended:

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| Pipe line to Lake Wichita | $ 190,000 |
| Improve filtration plant | 420,000 |
| Distribution mains | 315,000 |
| Ditch around lake | 75,000 |
| Total | $1,000,000 |

Like Mr. Hammond, Talker has lived here a long time, his interests and his home are here and he wants to see the best thing done for Wichita Falls and its people. Therefore, he invites all voters to join in giving the city council a mandate next Saturday to give us an assured supply of the best water possible at every hydrant and faucet in Wichita Falls.

## Verdict Due Today in Soviet Plotters' Trial

MOSCOW, March 8. (AP)—The government today completed its case against 14 members of the Menshevik (Social Democrat) party, accused of plotting to overthrow the Soviet government, and announced a verdict would be returned tomorrow morning.

The final day of the trial, which started last Sunday, saw the defendants reiterating their guilt and expressing penitence for conspiring to end the present regime by outside intervention and sabotage. All pleaded for leniency except Nicholas Sukhanov and Michael Yakubovich, who are among the five for which death sentences have been asked.

## Four Escape Serious Injury in Crash

Four persons escaped serious injury early Sunday night when the automobile in which they were riding overturned after colliding at the intersection of Eighth and Polk streets with a machine driven by a man who sped away after the accident.

Two of the four riding in the small coupe received minor injuries, Miss Viola White of Henrietta sustained cuts on the hand and Miss Oleta Mounts of Burkburnett received cuts on the knee. Henry Guillette, the driver, and D. P. Williams, both of Stamford, were uninjured. The two young women were taken by a passing motorist to the Wichita Falls Clinic hospital where first aid was given.

Earle Brooks, city motorcycle officer, investigated the crash, and police Sunday night were searching for the hit-and-run driver of the other automobile.

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## Old M. E. Church Ends Service

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er as being cleansing, which he said was essential for the washing of the regeneration.

Guidance, nourishment, prayer and praise, and duty and mercy were listed as the remaining symbols of the temple of God.

"Guidance is symbolized by the seven branched lamp of the golden candlestick while the communion service continually reminds us of the need of nourishment. The clouds of incense which go up perpetually, as men ought to pray, symbolizes the prayer and praise factor of the temple," Dr. McKenney said.

In closing Dr. McKenney said, "Finally we enter most solemnly the 'Holy of Holies,' treading softly in the presence of the infinite and covered with the shadow of eternity. It is the secret place of the Most High. Here two objects greet us; duty and mercy. We look down at the stern demands of the law and our hearts sink; we look up and hope revives us. God's mercy, like an overshadowing cherubim, is over law."

A feature of the service was special music given under the direction of Mrs. Pearl Colborn Davis which included a lovely arrangement of "Home, Sweet Home" which was so beautifully given that it brought tears to the eyes of the greater part of the listening

## Disabled Steamship Towed Into Halifax

HALIFAX, N. S., March 8. (US)—The Furness Red Cross liner Rosalind, disabled during last week's storm in the north Atlantic with approximately 100 persons, including 33 passengers aboard, was towed to this port today by the Dutch tug Rhode Zee, and will be drydocked for repairs. The ship lost her propeller about 300 miles southeast of Halifax, and drifted helplessly three days. Other vessels in the vicinity were unable to aid the Rosalind because of high seas.

# QUAKES TAKE HEAVY TOLL

## U. S. and Europe Whipped By Icy Gales

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seaboard states were swept by a nearly freezing rain whipped into fury by a 40-mile gale. Automobile traffic was at a minimum. Many accidents were caused by the blinding rain. In New York and New Jersey at least two deaths resulted.

**Woman Hurt**

In Brooklyn, the wind blew with sufficient force to pick up an 84-year-old woman and toss her to the pavement.

Roaring over New England, a wild northeast wind whipped up the ocean and surf pounded menacingly at the storm walls of the north shore summer residential section. Cellars and streets were flooded, but no material damage was reported.

Across the seas snow and icy gales gripped old England. London looked for more snow and cold today.

**Paris Alarmed**

Low-lying Paris suburbs gazed apprehensively at the river Seine as the water rose a foot above the 16-foot alarm mark on Austerlitz bridge. Small villages were marooned and bridges were built of boats in towns along the Seine and Marne. France experienced the coldest weather of the year and snow was predicted for today.

Heavy snow already had caused the Meuse, Loire, Allier and Rhone to overflow and the streets in Chalons-Sur-Marine were inundated. The Meuse was disquieting near St. Mihiel and Bar-le-Duc.

**SHEEP DIE IN BLIZZARD**

LONDON, March 8. (AP)—A belated winter storm with snow and icy gales held Europe in its grip over the week-end. Surrounding waters were lashed to a fury with resultant damage to small shipping.

Great Britain had the coldest weather of the year with snow in many place. Eastern Scotland was covered with the deepest in years. Sheep farmers there have lost half of the season's yield of lambs.

Northeastern England also experienced heavy snows and several villages were cut off.

High tides and great waves pounded the coast and at some points cellars were filled with flood waters.

**Steamer Sinks**

In the North sea the steamer Tern was sunk after a collision with the steamer City of Malines. Her crew of 16 was saved. Fishing fleets were held in port and Atlantic liners were delayed.

All Austria was under snow which fell for 46 hours without stopping. Zero temperatures accompanies the storm.

Midwinter weather was general throughout the Balkan states where earth shocks occurred yesterday and again early today.

Germany suffered extreme cold and there were snowstorms in the Rhine valley, the Black forest, the Bavarian mountains and other districts.

**PRAIRIE STORM SPENDS FORCE**

KANSAS CITY, March 8. (AP)—The March snow storm which swept in on the prairie states from Texas to the Dakotas Friday and Saturday, virtually had spent itself today in Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and western Missouri.

In most sections of this area the snowfall, which measured from a few inches to more than a foot on the level, was melting into a soil receiving its first major precipitation in months.

A gymnasium car containing several kinds of exercising apparatus has been installed on one of its transcontinental trains by a Canadian railway.

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## *Tillman Growers Line Up for Long Staple Cotton Crop in 1931*

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., March 8.—What is generally regarded as the most inspiring meeting for farm growers held in this locality for years was conducted at the courtroom Saturday when some of the best informed authorities on the cotton problem in Oklahoma diagnosed the present sickness of King cotton and suggested a remedy.

At the morning session addresses were made by D. P. Trent, director of extension department of the A. & M. college, and L. W. Osborn, also of Stillwater, extension crops and soils specialist.

These men also spoke in the afternoon with A. E. Koos, a banker of Caddo county who is at present assistant general manager of the Oklahoma Cotton Growers association. Short talks were also made by L. M. Wagnon, secretary of the Frederick Chamber of Commerce, and W. S. Drumm, president of the Tillman County Farm council. At the close of the meeting Drumm said it was the best ever conducted by the farm council and the best attended, the courtroom being filled with representative farmers, farmers' wives, 4-H club members and others.

Next meeting of the council will be held April 8 when Dan Diehl, of the extension division of the A. & M. college, will be among the speakers.

A feature of the afternoon session was a pageant presented by Mrs. Susan B. Gray, home demonstration agent, and a number of 4-H club members of Consolidated No. 3 in which the young people showed how poultry, dairying terracing and other club activities when combined were able to draw Mr. and Mrs. Farmer out of the well.

After listening to statements from the out-of-town speakers regarding the futility of continuing to raise a short staple cotton, a number of the auditors agreed to join a program to raise only a long staple hereafter.

Lobbs had to leave early Saturday afternoon for Oklahoma City on business connected with the Oklahoma Cotton Growers association and was accompanied by W. L. Hutcheson of this place, director of the association from this district.

### *IT'S STARTED*

#### Kite-Flying Endurance Contest Scheduled In Petrolia

Special to The Record News.

PETROLIA, Texas, March 8.—On Tuesday afternoon of next week at 4:30 o'clock several would-be air pilots from the Petrolia community will get their first thrill and experience at "taking off" when a kite flying endurance contest will start. The "flying field," a strip of land belonging to the Petrolia Public school, has been christened by the young eagles as the Gin field.

A ceremony suitable for the occasion will be held just before the juvenile pilots, with the assistance of their mechanics and co-pilots, start their minature planes on this race against time. Each entry must be a regular attendant at the Petrolia school, and the kite must be made by the pilot. A small prize will be given the winner provided his kite has been in the air at least 12 hours. The contest is being sponsored by J. T. Watson, a teacher in the Petrolia High school.

state-wide referendum any plan of liquor regulation within its own borders free from federal interference.

The test will come eventually on a roll-call in the convention when the prohibition plank comes up.

**Possible Candidates**

Much discussion among Democrats here for the committee meeting centered around possible candidates. No definite trend was disclosed. Former Gov. Alfred E. Smith when asked if he was out of politics, replied with a smile, "Well, not all the way cut." Apparently in reply to printed reports that he favored Smith or Owen D. Young Chairman Raskob disclaimed any attempt to influence the party's choice.

Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York is regarded as out of tune with the Raskob group and is known to have sympathetic relations with some of the dry southern Democrats though he stood for repeal of the 18th amendment in his recent campaign for re-election.

Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas, by his denunciation of Raskob's course at the committee meeting made himself one of the chief spokesmen for dry Democrats though many believed that he had incurred a heavy liability in challenging the Raskob group, which is expected to hold a veto power over the nomination if it is not able to dictate the choice.

James M. Cox, former governor of Ohio and presidential candidate in 1920, appeared as a possible candidate in discussion after the meeting among those who praised his speech to the committee. He counseled moderation and sought to give each side in the prohibition controversy a picture of the grievances of the other side.

# *Brother Maddened By Vivian's Death*

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cases, beginning with the murder of Arnold Rothstein down to the bail bond irregularities which are now under the scrutiny of the Seabury inquiry.

The calling in of Pinkerton detectives to aid in the search for the murderer of Vivian Gordon is threatening to become an issue of bitter contention in city government circles.

Joseph Clark Baldwin, Republican leader of the board of aldermen, has issued a statement declaring he will oppose payment of any city funds to the private detective agency on the ground that the city pays $60,000,000 a year for police service "and ought to be able to provide its own detective work."

The grand jury investigation of the murder will be resumed tomorrow with 20 witnesses scheduled to appear for questioning.

A cover has been invented for outboard motor propellers that reduces the speed of a boat when a fisherman wishes to move slowly enough to troll.

# GOP SHYS AT PROHI STAND

## Challenge Leaves Party in Dilemma

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also firmly committed to the present system.

The Republicans are in a quandary. With western senators like Capper of Kansas and Dickinson of Iowa, already urging the renomination of President Hoover on a dry platform, some kind of consolation many leaders believe must be found for the millions of eastern Republicans who are dead set against prohibition. To find a way out without "straddling" the issue is the big problem.

**LAGUARDIA DEMANDS MEET**

WASHINGTON, March 8. (US)—Demanding a showdown in the Republican party on the prohibition issue, Representative F. H. LaGuardia, Republican of New York, today issued an appeal to the G. O. P. national committee to hold a meeting and openly discuss the question as did the Democrats last Thursday.

While other Republicans in congress were jubilant over the rift in the Democratic party over prohibition, LaGuardia warned there is trouble ahead within the Republican party and it had better begin taking a self-inventory.

The Republicans are in a worse predicament on the prohibition issue than the Democrats, in LaGuardia's opinion. While the "dry" South may grumble, should the Democratic party adopt an anti-prohibition plank, that section will accept it and vote for the Democratic presidential nominee, he said.

At the same time the Democrats with such a platform will carry pivotal eastern states that are against prohibition, he predicted. In such a situation, a dry Republican nominee will be defeated, LaGuardia said.

**ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE CHEERS**

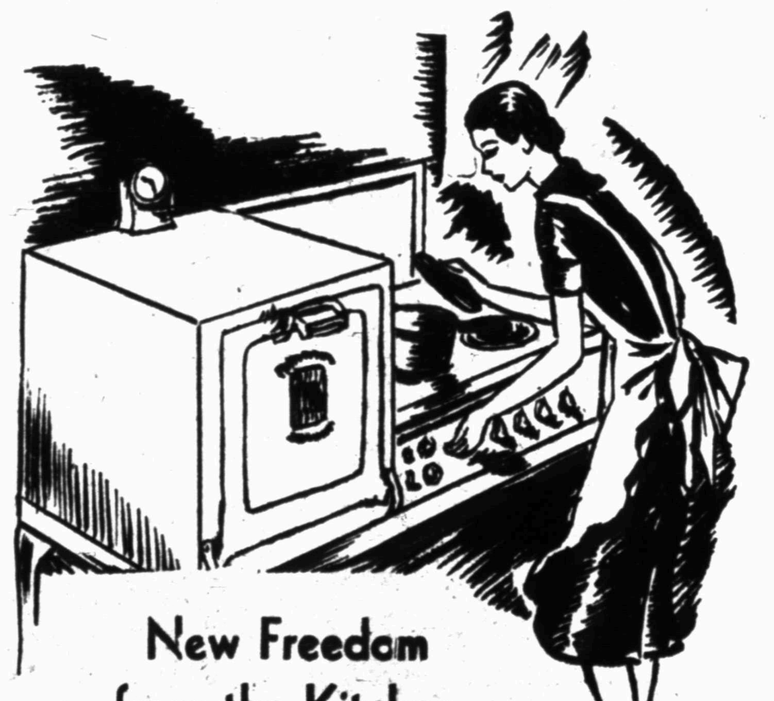
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 8. (AP)—Praise for President Hoover and a call to the people to "stand behind" the president to block any movement to change the prohibition law were issued at the opening session of the southern convention of the anti-Saloon league here today.

Dr. F. Scott McBride, superintendent of the league, said:

"Herbert Hoover said more in 10 minutes following his oath of office and has stood by it more closely than any of the presidents who have preceded him. It now is up to the law abiding people of the United States to stand behind President Hoover and the constitution of the United States to block any movement for making the prohibition question one of state option."

**Gray County Plans Road Bonds**

Gray county is to hold an election soon to vote on $2,250,000 in bonds to build hard surfaced highways. If the issue carries a paved road will be run southeastward to connect with the pavement that is to be laid from Childress to the Collingsworth county line. When the pavement is completed there will be a continuous concrete highway from Wichita Falls to Pampa.



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## Major Francis Grice D. A. R. Studies Historical Texas

Historical Texas was the theme of study when members of Major Francis Grice D. A. R. met at the Woman's Forum clubhouse Saturday in their monthly luncheon and program. Green and white made the pretty decorative motif with a great green bowl of white flowers centering the speaker's table and a 12-inch St. Patrick doll standing in brilliant color at each side. White blossoms were used with graceful ferns and tall green candles in white holders completed the scheme. Place cards were shamrocks with names of the guests in white.

Mrs. E. C. deMontel, regent, presided through the business session of the meeting when Mesdames J. L. Downing and Henry C. Fulcher were accepted as new members.

The program was in charge of Mrs. C. H. Reid, and Mrs. Jouette Bonner, accompanied by Mrs. Ben Bell gave two lovely violin numbers, "Madrigal," by Simonetti and "Tango," by Albeniz.

Mrs. F. W. Fischer, in a talk on "Historical Texas," gave an excellent outline of the history of the state by its greatest dates and the program was closed with a discussion "Early Days of Wichita Falls" given by Mrs. S. H. Burnside, who told from personal and family experience vivid stories of the days when the Indians were frequent visitors here.

Hostesses responsible for the pretty table and delightful luncheon included Mesdames Walter Bachman, C. E. Deaton, C. Joline, Carter McGregor, Fred Couper, S. Y. Ferguson, Charles Borland, Guy Rogers, Misses Nell Gibbs and Frances Smith.

Covers were laid for Mesdames Paul Pond, Walter Bachman, J. L. Waggoner, E. C. deMontel, C. E. Deaton, Fred T. Couper, C. W. Beavers, E. T. Duff, Charles Borland, S. Y. Ferguson, Miss Frances Smith, Mesdames Ben M. Bell, Eleanor D. Pace, Ruth S. Cain, J. E. H. Railey, Clarence Apple, Mary K. Hartson, J. E. Hall, J. M. Bonner, J. R. Hyatt, John Prewett, W. F. Newberry, C. H. Reid, J. P. Waggener, J. D. Robertson, Carrie Wilcox, S. H. Burnside, Miss Mary Dean Smith, Mesdames F. W. Fischer, W. E. Parshall, V. C. Calvin, W. G. Bristol, G. Taylor Buchanan, Winthrop Rogers, Sterling Crumpler, Clark A. Wilcox, D. C. Copelin, J. Kirby Naylor and Miss Sara Sue Denny. Guests were Mrs. Stella B. Williams, Miss Gladys Selvally, Mrs. H. G. Damon, and Miss Elizabeth Latimer.

## PEEPS AT PEOPLE

By MRS. L. N. CASON

**Startlingly beautiful things** happen at times. Friday when Mrs. Curtis Atkinson was reading a group of her poems to club guests at Mrs. W. L. Parker's home, she had just spoken of the cardinal and the song of the mockingbird when one of those sweet songsters burst into so beautiful a chorus of music, it took the breath of reader and audience.

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**Last year at a garden breakfast** at the Woman's Forum clubhouse, lovers of birds had just another such treat when just outside the windows a meadow lark sang his lay. The place for birds is in the open.

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**Our last sentence reminds us of** a paragraph in a recent New Yorker, which ran thus: "For feeding your animals—Woolworth's black glass bowls and plates, 10 cents each; efficient, economical and a lot less messy to have standing round than most feeding dishes, particularly if you have black or at least black bordered linoleum on the floor."

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**We feed all our family animals** at the table as they are the members of our family. We read them the paragraph above, but they refused to consider eating in black dishes on the linoleum.

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**There's an expression that we are** getting so tired of; "that depression." We were notified by three persons Friday that business was going to get better from now on and we would like to start a movement to do away with "that depression." When there is a depression on, there's no use burying one's head in the sand and denying it. But when there is a chance for better things, one only encourages the bugaboo by fearing him.

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**We've been looking out the wrong** end of the telescope for a long time. If we can turn it round, things might begin to look big again.

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**However since there has been a** depression, there's a club in the city that deserves recognition for the attitude they took toward it. The Unity Junior club is composed of a representative group of young society women of the city. Their program for the year has been real study. At the beginning of the club season, they voted not to serve refreshments but give the equivalent to charity.

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**Once a year they honor the Unity** club with a party. Last Friday, when the Unity club met in their monthly luncheon, an enormous box arrived from the Unity Juniors and in it were 19 little spring dresses, one made by each of the juniors, with bloomers to match, and to make up the additional money the juniors might have spent on the party, a check for $10 was enclosed. One can't help having a warm spot in his heart for the Unity juniors.

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**That group of clubwomen did as** Lewisohn says the French people do; made a pact with mortality and its limitations. In brief, they just went about the best way they knew to help without stirring up verbose mention of "that depression."

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### Interesting Topic Given at Floral Heights

Emmaline Lewis opened the regular meeting of Floral Heights Methodist Epworth group at the church Sunday afternoon with a pretty devotional and a delightful musical reading "The Sunset Bridge" was given by Helen Ragland.

Sentence prayer was led by Helen Simpson and closed by Springer Williams after which the topic "Cajan Indians," was discussed by Helen Simpson and Leon Deaton.

After an interesting discussion, the league benediction closed the meeting. Those present were Fred Sehmann, Jonnie Green Hawkins, Emmaline Lewis, Elizabeth Albritton, Irma Cline, Dorothy Cline, Mildred Johnson, Mabel Rowe, Helen Ruth Connelly, Estelle McPhail, Lenora Walker, William Donnell, Leon Deaton, Irving Humphrey, Springer Williams, Thurman Conrey, Joe Long, Mary C. Boone, Walter Fowler, Jack Murchison, Helen Ragland, Will McKenney, Lester Fritz and Mrs. Fred Sehmann.

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### Lamar Baptist W. M. S. Will Meet in Circles

Members of the Lamar Avenue Baptist Woman's Missionary society will meet Monday at 2 o'clock in the following homes: Circle one with Mrs. J. W. Conant, 1318 North Eighth; circle two with Mrs. E. F. Moore, Petrolia road; circle three with Mrs. R. D. King, 1318 Fourth; circle four with Mrs. C. M. West, 1403 Ninth; circle five with Mrs. W. N. Balch, 1710 Britain; circle six with Mrs. V. M. Tillerson, 2203 Broad; circle seven with Mrs. E. S. Richardson, 1545 Speedway.

The Y. W. A. will meet with Mrs. E. L. Mimmerly, 2503 Holliday, Monday at 7:30 o'clock and the Intermediate and Junior G. A. at the church Wednesday evening at 7:15.

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### Southside Baptist Circles Will Meet

Members of the South Side Baptist W. M. S. will meet in separate circles Monday as follows: Circle one with Mrs. J. M. Reynolds at 2307 Princeton street; circle two with Mrs. A. C. Turner at 1417 Twenty-sixth street; circle three with Mrs. G. T. Stephens at 1500 Fourteenth street; circle four with Mrs. S. D. Parchman at 2117 Princeton.

## CALENDAR

**MONDAY**

First Baptist W. M. S. in separate circles as announced elsewhere.

Highland Heights Christian Woman's council at 1:30 o'clock at the church.

Floral Heights Methodist W. M. S. at the church at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. J. A. West hostess to Floral Heights Presbyterian W. M. S., 2 p. m., home, 1650 Wilson street. Women of the church invited.

Scotland Methodist W. M. S. 2 p. m., at the church.

Lamar Avenue Baptist W. M. S. circles as announced elsewhere.

Lucy Hansell Missionary society of First Presbyterian church, with Mrs. M. A. Rutis, 1211 Kemp boulevard, with Mrs. George Mobley joint hostess.

First Methodist W. M. S. in church parlors, afternoon.

American Legion Woman's auxiliary, all day session at Memorial auditorium for quilting.

Wichita Falls chapter 237 O. E. S. study club at Masonic temple at 7:30 p. m.

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### Eight Aces Bridge Has Saturday Meeting

Miss Leila Moore entertained the Eight Aces Bridge club Saturday afternoon when a pretty shamrock motif was featured in decorations and in the delightful refreshment plate.

bert received high score prize and In the games, Miss Bootz Lam-Miss Winona Zachary, low.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Nina Tomlinson, Misses Virginia Bentley, Frances Randolph, Bootz Lambert, Delia Moore, Winona Zachary, Dora Janet Nix and the charming hostess, Miss Moore.

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### Joe Hill Is Married To Miss McGaughy

Special to The Record News.

RULE, Texas, March 8.—Joe Hill of this city and Miss Mary Edna McGaughy of Spur were married early in the week at Spur, Rev. W. B. Vaughn, pastor of the Spur Methodist church performing the ceremony.

The bride, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGaughy of Spur, is a popular member of the younger set and Mr. Hill, who has made his home in Rule a number of years is a favorite here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill will be at home to their friends in Rule.

### 'Man' Is Suspect for Science Lesson-Sermon

The subject of the lesson-sermon was "Man" in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, March 8. The golden text was from Psalms 37:23. "The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord: and He delighteth in His way."

Included in the service was the following passage from the Bible: "And God said, Let us make man in Our image, after Our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth"—Genesis 1:26.

The lesson-sermon also embraced the following citations from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and health with key to the Scripture," by Mary Baker Eddy (pp. 258, 336): "God expresses in man the infinite idea forever developing itself, broadening and rising higher and higher from a boundless basis. . . . The human capacities are enlarged and perfected in proportion as humanity gains the true conception of man and God. . . . The spiritual man's consciousness and individuality are reflections of God."

## Popular Young Wichitans Wed In Fort Worth

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Helen Peters to Dr. Carl E. Mangum, the pretty ring ceremony being read by Dr. E. B. Hawk, pastor of the First Methodist church of Fort Worth, in his home on Feb. 26. Only close friends and relatives were present, including Mrs. F. M. Peters and Miss Margaret Peters of Little Rock, mother and sister of the bride.

Mrs. Mangum wore a charming beige silk ensemble suit with brown fur trimmings and harmonizing accessories. She carried an arm bouquet of pink roses.

Dr. and Mrs. Mangum left directly after the ceremony for a short wedding trip to San Antonio and will be at home to their friends in Wichita Falls at the Westmoreland apartments.

Mrs. Mangum came here several years ago from her home in Little Rock and is a popular member of the faculty of the Knickerbocker Fine Arts school, a connection which she will retain. She attended the University of Arkansas and is a member of Chi Omega sorority.

Dr. Mangum is a graduate of the medical college of University of Texas and came to Wichita Falls four years ago from Cleveland, Ohio, where he did hospital work. He is connected with Dr. H. D. Prichard and Dr. W. P. Lowry in the Hamilton building.

## Tillman Road Work Starts

### Officials Move for State Highway Surveys

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., March 8.—J. S. Wade & Son of Enid, contractors for several miles of state highway No. 14, which is being rebuilt to parallel the Frisco railroad from Snyder to Frederick, began actual work Saturday, according to Dwight Powell, county engineer. Marveldt & Lawson of El Reno, who have the contract for the road work from Snyder south to the Tillman county line, have been at work several days. About $100,000 will be expended for the road from Snyder to Frederick by the state highway department.

The survey of highway No. 14 from Frederick to the Red river bridge has recently been completed and the Frederick Chamber of Commerce and county commissioners are endeavoring to have the state highway department construct this road this year. This highway passes through Davidson.

The Frederick Chamber of Commerce and county commissioners will also endeavor to get the state highway commission to survey routes to Tipton, northwest of here, and to Hollister, Loveland and Grandfield, southeast of here, and have these declared state highways so they can also be maintained by the state.

Members of the Frederick Chamber of Commerce, County Engineer D. E. Powell and the county commissioners will go to Oklahoma City early next week to confer with Chairman Hawks and other members of the state highway commission regarding the above and other road projects.

## Baylor County Boy Takes Stock Prize

Special to The Record News.

SEYMOUR, Texas, March 8.—At the Albany beef show and sale held at Albany, Texas on March 3-4, Deryl Jeter, a Baylor county 4-H club boy, won fourth and fifth place on two calves approximately 11 months old. As there was no class for junior stock he was showing against stock 6 to 8 months older than his own.

Deryl put the calves on feed Sept. 24, feeding a ration prepared by County Agent P. C. Colgin and under his supervision. The weight of the calves when they went on feed was 400 and 450 pounds. The day of the show they weighed 950 and 952 pounds. A gain of 3.13 and 3.43 pounds per day. The total cost of feed was $65 and his prizes totaled $45.

## Petrolia P.-T. A. Honors High School Classes

Special to The Record News.

PETROLIA, Texas, March 8.—The Petrolia P.-T. A. served a delightful banquet to the juniors and seniors of the Petrolia High school. This event has become a well established annual affair and the classes look forward to it as the big event in their high school experience. Fifty-two juniors, seniors and faculty members, and school board officials were served.

Mrs. J. H. Tinsley, the president, and her efficient committee were in charge.

The juniors and seniors, assisted by their sponsors, Miss Ora Lee Cupp and Miss Opal Russell, rendered an excellent program. J. T. Watson and Mrs. Myrtice Moon furnished the music.

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A DIURETIC FOR THE KIDNEYS

## 'Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde' Proves Notable Success for Little Theater

### W. D. Bent of Burkburnett Gives Outstanding Performance In Leading Role; Scenic Effects Surprising

Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde have come to town for a one week's stay. "He" will be recognized at sight by former acquaintances.

For in the person of W. D. (Jew) Bent of Burkburnett, the gruesomely fascinating double-character created by Robert Louis Stevenson came vividly into being Saturday night at the Wichita Falls Little Theated. It was a performance which produced the traditional thrill for all of the 50 midnighters who were present.

In fairness to Mr. Bent, be it said that his part in the play was unimportant in precisely the same manner that flour is unimportant in making bread. The other numerous ingredients impart their share of taste and texture, but as the name implies, Dr. Jekyll-Edward Hyde is almost the whole loaf. The part is constructed by its playwrights to hold just that proportion to the play. It still remains that Mr. Bent realized the possibilities of the role in such a way as to demonstrate that the term "amateur" is often only a nominal classification.

**Six Nights' Run**

"Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" will disappoint none of those who are to see it during the ensuing six nights from the standpoint of being very different from the productions usually given. Not only the unique conception of a dual-personality recorded by Stevenson, but the dramatic form in which it is given, provides noticeable distinction. One must accustom himself again to lengthy soliloquies as a vehicle for carrying on dramatic sequence. Not only prolonged soliloquies, but many of them. For not merely the kindly Dr. Jekyll, but the evil Hyde, friend Utterson, fair Alice, faithful Doctor Lanyon, and even the policeman who likes pies better than heroic deeds—all use the ancient and honored soliloquy for letting us know just what they are about, and how the general case is coming on. The effect of such generous soliloquizing is not at all damaging; instead, members of the audience experience that feeling, at first surprised, later complacent, of being themselves no mean part of the gripping play.

Scenic effects accomplished in admittedly cramped quarters for the Stevenson play comprise one of the most surprising factors in its presentation. A genuine salvo of applause greeted the first curtain's disclosure of a quiet garden, flanked by two cottages, enclosed by a vine-covered white fence, and looking away at a beautifully lighted cathedral from which floated the subdued tones of vesper music. While six changes of locale follow the first scene, intermissions proved surprisingly brief.

**Excellent Cast**

Characterizations given by Sydney Waghorne, as the vicar, and by Harold White in the role of Poole, butler in Jekyll's house, demand recognition among the supporting roles. Complete loss of local personality in the benign character of Vicar Leigh featured Mr. Waghorne's important scene in the first act. In the closing act, Mr. White's narration of his discoveries attained a genuine and thrilling reality.

Allen T. Rowan and Mike Anglin also contributed heavily to the creation of a background for Bent's stellar performance. Mr. Rowan remains throughout the action a staunch friend of the tortured Doctor Jekyll, while Mr. Anglin as the Scotland Yard inspector prosecutes a relentless search for the demoniac Hyde. Miss Charlene Kinder portrayed the character of Alice, daughter of the murdered vicar and fiancee of Jekyll. Gerald Coffee, Lee Roy Senn, Ivan Fenn, Jimmy Thorne, and Miss Tillie Mae Schaefer complete the cast supporting Mr. Bent.

Music between acts was furnished Saturday night by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bebb and Mrs. F. C. McClung, comprising a trio of piano, cello and violin.

Performances of "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" will be given nightly this week at 8 o'clock. Wednesday night has been designated as students' night, with reduced prices for all pupils of local schools.

## ENTRIES FILED IN FREDERICK

### Ticket Complete for City Primary March 16

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FREDERICK, Okla., March 8.—When time for filing closed Friday every elective officer in Frederick had filed for renomination and in addition almost two score of others tossed their hats in the arena. Following are those who filed:

For Mayor—Dr. J. J. Rogers, E. U. Gamblin, J. E. Hines, Haskell Holloman, J. M. Smith, T. A. Gross.

For Councilmen—First ward, long term: J. E. Cowen, R. G. Hodges, E. E. Wilson, M. L. Tyson. Short Term—Charlie Brunk, Robert Cull.

Second Ward, Long Term—J. E. Carr, J. A. Tyler. Short Term—W. H. Veidt, John Shepard.

Third Ward, Long Term—Fred Crow, new candidate. Short Term—A. S. Reaves, John Amber Simmons, J. L. Fisher.

Fourth Ward, Long Term—P. O. Hartwig, A. P. Smith. Short Term—T. A. Raley.

For Marshal—Lynn Blackwood, John Ballard, G. L. Moore.

For Clerk—Roy L. Moss.

For Treasurer—R. S. Ziegler.

For Street Commissioner—Joe Kostlis, A. S. Stovall, A. N. Bone, W. P. Dean, Walter M. Youngblood, Lynn Mahaney, Frank Overton, V. P. Barrett, J. A. Davis, Elmer Vaughan, Bob Calvert, Ollie Burt. One candidate, S. E. Werts, filed as an independent.

For Board of Education—First Ward—Carl McFall. Second Ward—Fisher Greenfield. Fourth Ward—A. V. Pendleton, new candidate. Outlying District—Mark Anthony, Byron C. Bailey.

## Charming Hostesses Give Lovely Bridge Courtesy

Another lovely honor party was enjoyed when Mesdames A. A. Werlla and True Cauble entertained Saturday afternoon at Mrs. Werlla's home on Garfield with one of the prettiest afternoon bridges of the season as a courtesy to Miss Mary Peters, their sister, who is home between terms from Baylor university and Miss Margaret Tate, of Tate, Ga., who is the house guest of Miss Jeannette Moore.

The favorite green and white of the St. Patrick season was used in tallies, scores and all the accessories of bridge while green carnations, white hyacinths and sprays of fern made the home lovely.

In the games, Mrs. R. K. French was winner of high score and received a beautiful set of Wedgewood plates; second, a pretty silver cigaret box went to Miss Cindy Carter and Miss Tate received as honoree a box of appliqued sport handkerchiefs while a lovely French dance set went to Miss Peters, co-honoree.

A delightful salad plate carrying out the green and white motif was served to Misses Peters and Tate, and to Mesdames Franklin Henderson, Gus Hecht, James E. Hay, R. G. LaBauve, Jack Rankin, Edwards of Eastland; Lloyd Taylor, Darrold Kahn, Wm. E. Young, Clyde Strauss Jr., A. Y. Hampton, O. B. O'Brien, Hubert Stringer, R. K. French, Arthur Kirby, T. S. Delaney, Wilburn Page, Marshal Evans, Frank Wood, W. T. Wells, J. M. Whitworth, Gose Waggoner and Misses Jeannette Moore, Mabelle Moore, Mary Catherine Gould, Marguerite Fisher, Marjorie Woolsey, Elizabeth Weldon, Cindy Carter and Mary Tancred and the two charming hostesses.

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### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Reynolds, 1612 Collins, announce the birth of a son, Harry Martin, at the Wichita Clinic hospital Thursday night. The young man, grandson of Judge and Mrs. P. A. Martin, represents the fifth living generation in his family.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lancaster, 1606 Austin, announce the birth of a daughter, Jerry Nell, on March 2.

### Lost Check Paid After Five Years

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HASKELL, Texas, March 8.—According to R. A. Hays, Haskell draryman, on the day of May 5, 1926, Hays and Howell were given a check on a Wichita Falls bank in payment of hauling. The check was misplaced and given up as lost. One day last week Mr. Hays found the missing check pigeon-holed in his desk and deposited it with a local bank for collection and the check was promptly paid by the bank upon which it was drawn.

### WILL REOPEN SILVER MINE

SANTA MARIA DE LA PAZ, Mexico, March 7. (AP)—Sixteen hundred silver miners thrown out of work 10 days ago with suspension of Mexico's third largest mine near Mathehuala, San Luis Potosi, will reopen the mine on a cooperative basis next Monday, the company announced today.

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## NOW and ... THEN

**Surprising Mr. Capone**
**He Goes to Jail**
**A Song Writer's Error**
**Failed to Copyright**

By EMILE GAUVREAU

The citizen is encouraged to believe at last that some effort is being made to insure life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. The six months jail sentence to public enemy No. 1, Alphonse Capone of Chicago; the outsing of two grafting members of the New York vice squad; the war declared by the government at Washington against "criminal gentry" in all parts of the United States; and the mobilization of 14,500 New York police in a crime prevention drive, as a result of the slaying of Vivian Gordon, are all indications of that effort.

The writer of the famous ballad, "After the Ball," died recently in obscurity. Last Monday another music writer, who achieved international fame through his lamentation song for the Jewish people, "Eili, Eili," died likewise in obscurity. He was Jacob Koppel Sandler, 74, and his end came after an illness of four weeks.

Sandler died a poor man, because he failed to copyright the song, which otherwise might have netted him a fortune, until 25 years after, when it was too late. Sandler's reason for not copyrighting the song at the time it was issued was because he did not think the song had any commercial value.

In this materialistic world, where every right has to be zealously protected and defended, every possibility should be guarded against. Authors, musicians, artists get little enough out of life in the way of material returns to forego the little they are entitled to. But that is how it has always worked out: "To him that hath shall be given, but from him that hath not shall be taken away even that which he hath."

The hurricane that took a toll of 230 dead in the Fiji islands has made of that earthly paradise a living hell. It will cure a lot of us with roving propensities of the idea that the tropics are the only fit place for man to live in and enjoy life.

The tropics have always been overrated. Pestilential diseases, deadly mosquitos, poisonous insects, death through tidal waves, hurricanes, squalls, death through sunstroke, malnutrition, bad water, isolation—all this is part of life in the tropics, to offset the dubious paradise of perpetually flowering fruit trees and mild evenings.

A spring twilight in New York bay is worth all the nights in Tahiti or Suva. An October sunset on the beach in Atlantic City is as glorious as over the mountains in the Marquesas. Not that these remote places are not worth seeing. But try living in them.

The day of dandies and dandyism has not entirely passed from the scene of history. Assurance is given us by the Clothing Designers' Executive association that the spirit of Beau Brummell, the Duke of Morny, Oscar Wilde and other arbiters elegantiarum is to be revived through an intensive campaign which will make the American male "clothes conscious." At a New York hotel on Saturday, four male models, wearing "tomorrow's" style, paraded before 150 sartorial experts, who are convinced that clothes make the man, but who are evidently intent on making a better man of him.

Tomorrow's style does not reveal pleats or frills on men's coat sleeves, but who knows? We may come to such a pass yet. Some centuries ago it was quite the mode for men to wear corsets, wigs and jewel-encrusted footwear. And it is only a step from wearing a flower in your lapel to carrying it in your hand, as Oscar Wilde did.

### Hambone's Meditations




### *Record News Program for Wichita Falls*

1. **OIL**—Place the Wichita Falls district on a parity with other centers in the marketing of both crude oil and refined products.
2. **THE VALLEY**—Systematic, vigorous development of the irrigated valley in keeping with its possibilities as Wichita Falls' greatest physical asset.
3. **WATER**—An ample, assured supply of soft water.
4. **EDUCATION**—Maintenance of a junior college in Wichita Falls to give opportunity for higher education to our youth—the highest standards in elementary schools.
5. **THE LAKES**—Full development of the recreational opportunities offered by the three lakes.
6. **HIGHWAYS**—Early consummation of a highway program covering all the main routes radiating from this city and all the local roads that serve its agricultural community.
7. **DRAINAGE**—Solution of the drainage problem in all three phases; first, in the irrigated valley; second, with regard to Holliday creek; third, in those portions of the city now inadequately drained.
8. **GOVERNMENTAL ECONOMY**—The adoption of such means as may be found most feasible to reduce the cost of local government by elimination of unnecessary offices and consolidation of others.

As profound as Einstein sometimes is, there's no denying he goes light on most of his theories.

Dorothy thinks that the romance languages are the baby-talk conversations of love-sick youths.

## Undernourished Love

LIFE is made up mostly of backstage scenes. People are in masquerade when they stand in front of the footlights.

And that's the way it was with Harriet Schneider of Chicago. She had a fur collar and cuffs on her winter coat, and her beret was as cheaply smart as anybody's. She and her mother made punchboards at home for a factory and they played bridge sometimes, when boys whom Harriet knew dropped in. Of course, her father had been out of work for six months, but Alberta, who was 21, had an office job. Albert, 16, was a mechanic apprentice. Life wasn't especially interesting, but it wasn't tragic, the people thought.

But the other day Harriet shot her father. She wanted to kill him, she is saying. She isn't sorry that she did.

For in the drab little house there had been unhappiness for a long, long time. Albert Schneider, according to Harriet, had been drinking. He came home and started to abuse his wife. He made accusations against both the mother and daughter, and then asked for his clothes, saying that he was leaving the house.

Harriet packed them but she slipped her father's gun in her pocket. When he started to attack her mother again she pulled the trigger. And that shot carried the scene from behind scenes to the center of the stage.

Every child has a right to a home which is bounded by love and laughter and unselfishness. Every little boy and girl who does not listen with rapturous eyes for the sound of homing footsteps when the day is done, has missed a priceless heritage.

Children who have unselfish devotion and wise counselorship seldom kill their parents. But those who have been wounded and outraged, over and over again, until finally their sense of right and wrong is as tangled as a neglected woodland path, sometimes reach the point where a flaming anger, or a deadly coolness seizes them. It takes such a little time to press a trigger.

And instead of righting a wrong another one has been committed.

Harriet Schneider did not shoot her father from a sense of chivalry. She thought she was protecting her mother, but there was another motive, deeper than that. She was revolting against home conditions, but she didn't know it.

Mrs. Schneider has expressed no grief over her husband's death. She, too, had suffered from his unkindness.

The very fact that three children had to be reared in a home so void of gracious qualities makes the situation more pitiful. Childhood has a right to fathers and mothers who love and respect each other. When the environment fails, it isn't the fault of the child who never had the right nourishment. Trees can't grow straight and strong when the soil is barren.

## Unsung Achievements

BUSINESS depressions, political struggles and international complications may come and go, monopolizing the headlines and posing briefly as the important news of the day; but all the while medical science goes unobtrusively along its path, and without any blare of trumpets accomplishes things that will be considered the highlights of the age when historians get busy half a century hence.

A brief article in a recent issue of the Journal of the American Medical association points to some of the accomplishments of medicine during 1930—a year noteworthy, to most of us, merely for the misfortune it inflicted on us.

It wasn't all misfortune. A great many lives will be saved, through many centuries to come, because of things that were done in 1930.

To begin with, the artificial lung, or respirator, was perfected by Drs. Philip Drinker and L. A. Shaw. This has already saved the lives of a number of people whose breathing apparatuses were paralyzed by infantile paralysis or gas poisoning.

Dr. J. Shega of Seoul, Korea, found that feeding vitamins in sufficient quantity to animals prevented leprosy; and it is hoped that this will point the way to the prevention of leprosy in human beings.

Investigators at Columbia university and Johns Hopkins Medical school believe they have found the virus causing the common cold.

It was discovered that Vitamin D shortens the time that it takes the blood to clot—a matter of vital importance in surgical operations.

An instrument whereby heart disease can be disclosed in its early stages, before the ordinarily noticeable symptoms are apparent, was demonstrated by Dr. P. V. Wells of Newark, N. J.

Drs. Szymanowski and Hicks of the Western Pennsylvania hospital institute of pathology found that extremely short radio waves can be of value in killing the poison of diphtheria. Similarly, Dr. W. T. Richards of Princeton university found that fever produced by radio waves is helpful in treating paralysis; and the germ that causes creeping paralysis was discovered by Sir James Purves-Stewart and Katherine Chevassut of Westminister hospital, London.

That is an imposing list of accomplishments. It may be that some of you who read this will live longer, because of these discoveries, than you would have otherwise. At any rate, it indicates clearly that 1930 was not quite the year of disaster that some of us have supposed.

## *Quotations Worth Noting*

An actor can gain a great variety of experience through work in pictures and he can also earn enough money to retire before he is too old to enjoy retirement.—**John Barrymore.**

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Bolshevism is an atrocious system. Its tyranny is 10 times worse than that of the tsar.—**General Max Weygand of France.**

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No country is rich enough to do an injustice.—**President Hoover.**

## WALTER WINCHELL
### *On Broadway*

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**This Town of Ours**

The Edw. Dowlings (Betty Compton), who were sealed on Feb. 16, have parted already...F. P. A., and the cream of the World staff have been Hurld-Trib'd...The Craters never did get along...The Hollister Nobles will have it melted in Arkansas...Charities are so hard pressed for funds they are giving promoters of "benefits" up to 45 per cent of the gross...Carole Lombard's real tag is Jane Peters...Vincent Bendix gave his squaw 5 million for the divorce...James Stillman's new heart is a Ziegfeld-devil whose Barcelona hubby won't be shelved...Charlie Sherman, who was shot, stabbed and socked at the Abbey, is in Florida, aw better...It's a girl over at the E. D. Elliott's...Vallee's latest is Sally Sweet...Nina Wilcox Putnam is back with a new shade of hair—a grapefruit color...There are 63 new federal men in town...A conservative morning rag is quietly unraveling the Hall-Mills murder case, which will involve a famous goody.

The Howard Williamsons will blast this wk...Justice Valente stationed a cop in the supreme court reporter's room after a brawl there...What former newspaper woman has lost her mind, believing she is being "framed"?...Henry Ford's new 40-passenger plane will be ready in April—4 engines and all the comforts of home...The Alfred H. Dennys (May Canterbury) are On The Verge...The Michael Wrights (Boots Preston) are blessed-eventing...MGM paid George White 100 Gs for the chin-ema version of "Flying High"...George Gershwin rates 70 Gs from Fox for 14 wks...Retail stores are beginning to buy, which is a good sign...Look out for the stock market—the shrewdest crooks are in on the "pools"...The Edwin Stowes are curdling...Jeanne Aubert uses solid gold hair pins!

"Green Pastures," now a year old, has gated over a million...What critic predicted 10 weeks for it?...Warren (United Artists) Nolan is gravely ill, with a second operation due today...Heywood Broun, who someone once described as 200 pounds of dirty linen, will meet Gabrielle Chanel, the most elegant woman in the world Wensdee...The "Hell's Angels" electric sign was dimmed by the London police because it "blinded" the bus drivers!...His Honor the Mayor tips the Toledos at 123...Maria Jeritza bars people from her dressing room who use perfume...The J. Rutherford-Maude Hughes romance is 30 below...Izzy Elinson says that it looks like a lotta policemen got their flat feet from carrying all that money around.

The American Federation of Labor is insisting that showmen recognize a press agents' union or else!...Faith Bacon, the fan prancer, wears a small diamond cross which she never removes...Nell Brinkley's chief competitor, Constance Benson Bailey (Mrs. T. A. Montmery) is sewing tiny things...Hope Hampton continues to wear the shortest eve'g frocks in town...That isn't a gray streak in Peggy Fears' hair—it's blond...Oscar, of the Waldorf, is well again...A bill making it possible to bring suit on a breach of promise to marry only upon the evidence of written contract will be Albany's before the legislature adjourns...Another bill will make it possible to make a will which cannot be contested on grounds of insanity...Two very remarkable laws, but it will be tough on the shysters.

Recommended to diversion seekers: Art Gillham's excellent platter of the old chune, "Shine On, Shine On, Harvest Moon"..."The Candy Vendor," by "The Peanut Vendor" composer...The Ginger Rogers charm...The billing on the Audubon theater, a vaudeville and movie house: "Texas Guinan—Once a Sinner"...That amazing little white boy actor in the flicker "Rango"...That very comical and captionless drawing in Life on Page 11. Haw!!...Anything Katharine Cornell acts...The phonorecords of Noel Coward and Gertrude Lawrence in two scenes from "Private Lives"...Jean Mallin at the Club Argonaut...and four bacardi cocktails plus a dash of pineapple juice and then leave a call for Thursday.

Esmond O'Brien's large camera is really a speakeasy, bar and all...The one lad Peggy Joyce loved married another and Peg's heart is bleeding...Times are so hard Hans Waegen only sold $500,000 worth of tapestry last month...The talk that Faith Bacon's sister, Charm, is her mother is Barnum...They had to tell that to the Gerry Society when Faith was 14...Peaches Browning has had her legs done over again...Lita Grey Chaplin has given up smoking for Georges...Bill Dwyer, in a recent motor crash, is giving the doctors a thrill with his display of heart...The guy who threw that bottle at the press stand from a gallery in the Garden got 30 days in the jailhouse and what a "message!"...Ethel ("Girl Crazy") Merman gives $110 weekly out of her wages to Al Siegel, her ailing partner..."We all make mistakes," says Jimmy Walker; "that's why Sing Sing is always so crowded."

Toni Spitzer's book, "Life Comes to Judith," has been barred from Wanamaker's Philly store as being too "immoral"...George Payne, the Club Abbey's most beautiful person, is low with double pneu at Gulfport, Miss....Wilfred D. Funk, president of The Litdigest, never saw one of his poems printed on the Verse Page of that mag until the last issue...Frank Harris, the novelist, has a new hiding place, 9 Rue do la Buffa, Nice, France...The doctor who lost $11,000 at chemin-de-fer a fortnight ago will have to be operated on before the winners can get it...The Rialto manager grooms it on March 10.

Farrar-Rinehart are asking their attorneys about their latest manuscript (on approval), tagged "The Lindbergh Saga"...Detectives have been engaged to trail the son of a rich local, and a Slub Argonauty to keep them from middle-aisling...The apple sellers on Wall Street are "spreading rumors" about the orange sellers...Reggie Hammerstein and Colette Frances are Garbo-Gilberting again...Vera (Hollywood Club) Milton's husband will have the handcuffs melted in Danzig, Germany...The Odgers T. Gurnees have reconciled...One of the best-baked mags will fold shortly...Baird Leonard is sick...The framed singing waited of a well-known Village speakie will get his opportunity at opera this wk...The new Earl Carroll theater undressing rooms for the Terpsichorusinners will have telephones, and the stage doorman must not accept tips.

## BELIEVE IT OR NOT - - - - - By Robert L. Ripley




**SEND IN YOUR "BELIEVE IT OR NOT" AND GET RIP'S BOOK**

Everyone must have encountered in his own experience some unique person, event or fact which would be an excellent subject for Robert L. Ripley's "Believe It or Not" cartoon. Readers are invited to send such suggestions to Mr. Ripley through this newspaper. Every suggestion must be accompanied by references or proofs that will authenticate it. For every suggestion he accepts Mr. Ripley will give an autographed copy of his book, "Believe It or Not." All that is necessary to get the book is to watch for the Ripley cartoon in which your winning suggestion appears, clip the cartoon from this paper and send it to Mr. Ripley in care The Record News.

## THE LOVELY LIAR : BY ROB EDEN

**BEGIN HERE TODAY**

Poppy Prior is in love for the first time, with a writer, Kevin Wallace, whom she met through Celia Nixson when she was accused of stealing the heiress' bracelet. Poppy found it on the train coming from Ashland but she went to a reform school rather than admit the truth. If they had gone to her hometown to investigate her mother and sister and everyone in Ashland would have learned that she was still Poppy Prior when she had told them she was going to New York to marry Ted Allison, a press agent for a theatrical company. Even Ted Allison didn't know that she was posing as his wife. She was too proud to tell him that she had taken his flippant proposal seriously and had come to New York to marry him. Kevin Wallace and Jane Rochester were Poppy's only confidants. Kevin took her to Jane after she ran away from the reform school and Jane got her a job in a department store as fashion model. She lived with Jane and saw Kevin often and would have been happy except that her mind was not at east about her mother. Lying ill at home Mrs. Prior kept asking to see Poppy's husband. Finally the doctor wrote that her recovery depended upon seeing "Ted" and knowing that Poppy was happy. So Kevin offered to pose as the mythical husband for a day. During the trip Kevin realized his love for Poppy and asked her if she were in love. Her honest answer gave Kevin the idea that she was in love with somebody else. Because of the misunderstanding he told Poppy that they should not see each other again, a statement which led Poppy to believe that he was in love with Celia Nixson. Jane is away on a vacation and Poppy has no one to advise her. When her sister writes that she is to be married soon and will honeymoon in New York, Poppy makes up her mind to leave the city. She answers an ad for a companion nurse on a trip to California. Mrs. Evans hires her despite her inexperience because the girl seems willing and all she needs is someone to entertain her spoiled daughter. After packing the few things that she is to take with her Poppy writes an honest confession to her sister, Grace, asking her to explain everything to her mother as soon as she is well. The letter mailed, and a note of explanation left for Jane, Poppy departs with Mrs. Evans and Mildred and the chauffeur in the "House on Wheels" which is to be her home during the trip west.

**CHAPTER XLVII**

Sunday passed slowly. Too slowly for Poppy. She fell into bed thankfully that night, not knowing whether it was comfortable, not caring, she was so exhausted. Mildred was a difficult child, and expected to be amused all the time. She had no capacity for play herself, and insisted that Poppy suggest all the games. Mrs. Evans looked on benignly until Mildred began to whimper, then stared accusingly at Poppy.

The quarters were so small, and the child didn't want to look out the window as Poppy did. She wanted to play. Her high shrill voice wore on Poppy's nerves, as did her small prying dark eyes. She knew that tomorrow she would have to think of new games, and dreaded it. Mildred tired so quickly of anything. And she had such definite likes and dislikes.

Poppy remembered her childhood. You didn't have likes and dislikes when you were Mrs. Prior's daughter. You did as she asked, and said nothing. Mrs. Prior told you to play, and you played. You didn't bother her every minute, every second, whining to suggest another game.

"Mildred is such a good child," Mrs. Evans sighed after dinner, which was eaten on the road, Miles stopping the car long enough to get it and serve it. Poppy agreed, as Mrs. Evans expected her to, agreed audibly but not inwardly. She really thought Mildred a very spoiled little rascal, and wondered how she could endure her for four months longer. The first day with her had not passed yet. Four months of the tireless energy, of this whimpering baby who should be spanked instead of humored.

"I always remember she is an only child," her mother continued. "It's hard to bring up a child alone. Mildred isn't well, either."

No wonder, Poppy thought. Mildred was allowed to eat anything and everything she wanted. At dinner, she had had three French pastries, nothing else.

"I believe in letting her have what she wants—especially when she's not well. All this nonsense about diet is ridiculous. If a child is happy, that's all that's necessary. And Mildred is happy."

Poppy was quite sure Mildred wasn't happy or she wouldn't whine so much. However, she said nothing. There was nothing to say. Mrs. Evans was hiring her to amuse Mildred, and that was all. She didn't want advice, didn't even want it from the doctors who had attended Mildred.

But four months of this. It was too much. She wished she could wake up in the morning and find herself in California with the days behind and Mildred and Mrs. Evans out of her life. Instead she woke up on the Susquehanna river, with the sun painting the waters with gold, and the tang of frost in the air. The car was stopped. Mrs. Evans didn't want to drive at night. They were to stop every evening after dinner and start the next morning after breakfast.

**Kevin's New Book**

Monday. Grace would read her letter today. She might be reading it now. No, Roy would be getting it now . . . She tried to eat her breakfast, but couldn't, thinking about the letter, and what Grace would say. Mildred screaming at her to hurry, because she wanted to play. Miles' imperturbable face as he took the silver breakfast tray away. Poppy's almost untouched as Mildred's was because the child had gorged herself before breakfast on another pastry, stolen from the tiny kitchen.

Mrs. Evans' cool good morning when she came in and found Mildred crying. Frigidly sitting down with a book in her lap, her eyes turned out the window.

Poppy saw the book and quivered. Kevin's new book. Was she to see it every place? First at Celia's, then here in the caravan.

Mrs. Evans saw her looking at it.

"Do you ever read Kevin Wallace?"

"I—yes—"

"You may read it when I've finished. His new book. I like him so much. You really ought to read it. His understanding of women—marvelous. I started this in bed last night. Liked the first chapter very much."

After Mrs. Evans finished "Michael Standish," Poppy supposed it would take its place among the other books in the small case. And she would see it every day.

It would be there staring her in the face, reminding her of Kevin.

"I hear Mr. Wallace is going to marry the daughter of Leonard Nixson, you know, the railroad king," Mrs. Evans went on, not seeing Poppy's white face, not noticing her ashen lips, her hands fumbling with the doll she was dressing for Mildred. "Celia, I think her name is." A vast difference between the social positions of Mrs. Evans and the Nixson's. Celia was at the very top of the ladder, and Mrs. Evans struggling far below.

"Kevin Wallace is my favorite author." Still Poppy said nothing, indeed Mrs. Evans did not expect her to. "So young, and he has done so much. Really a remarkable man, they say."

How many other women counted Wallace their favorite author? How many of them were talking as Mrs. Evans talked? Even Mrs. Daventry in Ashland had heard of him and liked his books.

The car rumbled on, smoothly, the river still in view wide beckoning, the red of the fall leaves splashing it with crimson at the banks, the sun playing on its smooth surface. Miles drove slowly and carefully, because Mrs. Evans was cautious. She liked to enjoy her drives. The whole trip, Poppy knew, was to be made as leisurely as this.

Because she was nervous, because there was that feeling of flight in her, the girl wanted to go fast. The snail-like pace bothered her, worried her. If she could only run! Fly! But she couldn't. She had to sit here and play dolls with Mildred and when Mildred tired of that in half an hour, cut advertisements from a magazine. Had to see the trees slip by slowly and the water shining. She longed to be in one of the cars that whizzed by them pell mell. Racing over the smooth road, with the cold wind blowing through her hair, on her cheeks.

**A Stop at Ashland**

All the days would be like this, Poppy thought bitterly. Slow, weary days. Days full of Mildred. Days full of Mrs. Evans. Waiting, dreading for the frown that came so quickly to her forehead, darkening her eyes menacingly. For if Mildred weren't happy, cried, whined, it was Miss Prior's fault. She had done something to annoy her daughter.

A telephone connection to Miles on the drivers' seat, which Mrs. Evans used constantly, cautioning him here and there.

"Don't take the curves so fast, Miles. The car is so large."

Or, "When you catch the river again stop for a moment. I want to see the view."

Poppy was glad in a way, too, that Mildred took up so much of her time. Glad she didn't have time to think too much. Even if she wanted to, she had no chance. To be sure, there was the book Mrs. Evans held in her lap. Every time she looked up it stabbed her. Kevin's book, but then she didn't have time to look up often, Mildred saw to that.

The eternal, "I'm tired of that now, Miss Prior! Let's do something else. What'll we do?"

Worrying about another game to play. Finally suggesting that Mildred write some letters to her school chums. Finding out Mildred hardly knew how to write. Having to write for her.

"Mildred isn't well enough to attend school regularly," Mrs. Evans explained. "She'll have plenty of time for that later."

"I don't like to write," stubbornly from Mildred. "I won't write."

"Darling, Miss Prior will write the letters for you, won't you, Miss Prior?"

Miss Prior would and did, with Mildred to tell her what to say. She wished she had never suggested the letters. The pen, the paper, the smooth top of the desk reminded her too much of the confession she had struggled over to Grace.

Then after lunch, which they had at a hotel so Mildred could get a little exercise, Mrs. Evans studied the road map and called Miles back to her.

"How far to Ashland, Miles?"

"That's off our road, Mrs. Evans."

"I asked you, Miles, how far it was."

Miles picked up the map and looked at it carefully. "Three hundred miles. No, two seventy-five."

"Are the roads good?"

"Yes."

"We'll take that way. I want to stop there."

He touched his cap and left.

"Ashland!" Poppy murmured. Mrs. Evans wasn't going through Ashland.

"Yes, Ashland, Miss Prior. I hadn't intended going that way, but we shall now. Your wanting Mildred to write letters to her school chums, reminded me that I have a school chum in Ashland. Haven't seen her for 10 years. It'll be rather nice popping in on her and calling. Besides we're not in a hurry we've loads of time."

Ashland . . .

Poppy tried to quiet the pounding, the drumming of her heart. "For long?" she managed to ask. "Will we stop long?"

"No, just a few hours. Mabel Hart will be so surprised."

Mabel Hart. Poppy knew no one by that name. "Her married name?" She had to know.

"Oh, no, she is Mrs. Ralph Wenderly now. I don't know why Ralph ever settled in Ashland—a forsaken place, but I understand from Mabel's letters that he is doing very well."

Poppy didn't know Mrs. Ralph Wenderly, but she knew of her. Wenderly was a prominent real estate man of Ashland. Her mother knew Mrs. Wenderly, Grace, too.

All because she had asked, thinking to amuse Mildred, the child to write some letters to her school chums! Poppy wanted the memory of that ill-fated moment off her mind. Why had she ever thought of such a thing? How could she have been so dumb?

(Continued in Tuesday's Issue)

## Answers to Questions

By FREDERIC J. HASKIN

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**Q.—How long has Benito Mussolini been premier of Italy?—G. V. S.**

A.—Premier Mussolini has held office since 1922.

**Q.—What is the significance of the pineapple when used as an architectural ornament?—C. W. H.**

A.—The pineapple is the symbol of hospitality.

**Q.—Does Kentucky mean dark and bloody ground?—G. Y. T.**

A.—That is a common but erroneous rendering of Kentucky. The Cherokee word "kentucke" means prairie.

**Q.—What is "long sauce?"—F. D. S.**

A.—Long sauce denotes beets, carrots, parsnips, etc., as distinguished from short sauce, the shorter vegetables.

**Q.—Was the Golden Gate named before gold was discovered in California?—B. G.**

A.—It was named almost 300 years earlier. This narrow channel into San Francisco bay was named by Sir Francis Drake about 1578.

**Q.—When did Woodrow Wilson write his American history?—C. W.**

A.—Woodrow Wilson's History of the American People was first copyrighted in the year 1901 and was of course written prior to that date.

**Q.—Why is shop sometimes spelled shoppe?—L. F.**

A.—This is an old form. The word, in the process of its evolution has been spelled at least 11 different ways. When spelled shoppe, it is pronounced exactly as if it were spelled shop.

**Q.—Can you tell me the number of acres in a strip of land a foot wide and a mile long?—K. L.**

A.—The area of such a strip is 121 acre. Trautwine's Civil Engineer's Pocket-Book has a table giving the acreage per mile, and per 100 feet, for different widths up to 100 feet.

**Q.—How many words do Amos 'n' Andy speak in each program? How fast does Floyd Gibbons talk?—J. M.**

A.—Amos 'n' Andy range between 1,200 and 1,600 words per 12-minute episode. Floyd Gibbons has been clocked talking at a speed of 217 words a minute.

**Q.—Is a gymkhana a place where games are held, or does it refer to the games?—S. W. E.**

A.—Gymkhana is the name for an exhibition of athletic sports and games, especially of races and games on horseback, and also is applied to the place where such an exhibition is held.

**Q.—How did Galli-Curci's career start in this country?—C. O. H.**

A.—Galli-Curci first came to the United States unheralded. Her debut with the Chicago Opera company in November, 1916, however, was such a triumph as has rarely been experienced in recent times. As soon as her operatic engagements permitted she visited other important music centers in America, where similar fortune awaited her. Not until January, 1918, did she make her formal debut in opera in New York. Her singing at once created the wildest enthusiasm, and her conquest of the United States was complete. Galli-Curci is an Italian by birth and training.

**Q.—Please give history of Rodin's Thinker.—L. S. M.**

A.—The Thinker was exhibited at the Georges Petit gallery in 1889. It was one of 38 pieces of sculpture placed on view. It was designed to be placed over the Porte d l' Enfer. The idea of fashioning was largely due to Rodin's visit to Italy in 1875. The sculptor was commissioned by M. Turquet, who told Rodin that he wished to have a door for the proposed Palace of Decorative Arts. The Thinker is part of Rodin's "Magnum Opus." At the salon of 1904, the figure was on exhibition. It was planned to be placed on the upper cross-beam of the Gates of Hell where The Thinker could look down on the scenes of human passion and woe extended below him. By public subscription the statue was ultimately purchased and presented to the city of Paris.

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# Health and Diet Advice



By DR. FRANK McCOY
Author of "The Fast Way to Health"

Questions in regard to health and diet will be answered by Dr. McCoy who can be addressed in care of this paper

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The French artichoke is really a blossom bud of the artichoke plant, a member of the thistle family. It is called the French artichoke from the fact that it grows wild in the south of France, and also to distinguish it from the Jerusalem artichoke, which is a ground tuber and of an entirely different plant.

The French artichoke may be recommended as an interesting change from the usual vegetables. It is very easily cooked, requiring very little preparation and has a most delicious flavor. The artichoke is something of an aristocrat among foods, being served, as Will Cuppy states, "by those who wish to astonish the middle classes." There is no reason why the artichoke should not be used more frequently except that it is expensive in many markets. Commercially speaking, the larger ones are most often sold and and the higher price, but the smaller ones are even better tasting and also cheaper.

Canned artichoke may be obtained in almost any grocery store and are on the average cheaper than the fresh vegetable. Artichokes are rich in iodine, iron and mineral salts. This cultivated thistle consists of three divisions, the green outer leaves which are tough but contain a small edible portion at the lower end; the heart or base of the artichoke being the most delicate portion when properly cooked; and the inner beard just above the heart which is not eaten, since it is unpalatable.

The best method of preparing an artichoke is to cut off about a half inch from the top leaves and clipping the base off so it will stand in water without falling over. It should be boiled for about 20 minutes until a fork sinks easily into a leaf and the leaves pull off readily.

To eat the vegetable each leaf is pulled off and the lower end dipped in butter. This is pulled through the teeth, removing the soft part, the tough outer part being discarded. Eventually one comes to the tasty base or the heart which is so prized by epicures. Whether the center is relished because it is so hard to get at, or whether the flavor is inherent in the prize itself, you may judge for yourself.

Here are some recipes which you may enjoy. Either the fresh or canned artichokes may be used. If the canned product is used, the initial cooking may be eliminated.

**Artichoke Salad**

Remove the tough outer leaves from cooked artichoke until only the tender leaves and center remain. The beard should also be extracted. Cut the artichoke into quarters, cover with chopped parsley and chopped fennel. Mix in olive oil and a small amount of salt, let stand an hour and serve on lettuce leaves.

**Baked Artichoke**

Cut canned artichoke in halves, place in a baking pan, and bake for a half hour. Remove and pour over them two tablespoonfuls of butter and four tablespoonfuls of grated cheese. Return to the oven for one minute to brown the cheese before serving.

**Baked Stuffed Artichoke**

Parboil the artichoke, separate the leaves, scoop out the beard and fill with a mixture of equal parts of chopped ham and Melba toast crumbs and the beaten white of an egg. Bake for 30 minutes in a moderate oven. Remove the hard outer leaves before serving.

## QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

**Leg Burns**

Question—O. D. F. writes: "I am 60 years old and apparently in good health exeept that I am troubled with a burning sensation in my right leg from the hip to the knee. I do not sleep well. What do you think is the matter, and what is your suggestion?"

Answer—Your trouble is no doubt caused by some impingement of the nerves going from the lower spine to your leg, as only a certain area is affected. I would suggest that you take a treatment or two from an osteopath or chiropractor. If your trouble is caused as I suggest, a treatment or two will relieve you.

**Melba Toast**

Question—Mrs. W. H. asks: "May Melba toast be used with fresh fruit and milk?"

Answer—Properly made Melba toast may be used with any other article of food or any kind of a meal, as it combines well with all foods.

**Diathermy**

Question—T. P. asks: "Do you believe in the diathermy sterilization of infected tonsils?"

Answer—In some cases the diathermic treatment of tonsils is very effective in reducing their size, but most physicians who use this method continue raising the current until coagulation takes places which entirely destroys the tonsils. This method of removal is in no way superior to the ordinary surgical methods used by most physicians. The ultra-violet light treatment is also a good one to use for killing bacteria or micro-organisms in the tonsils. The only permanent cure, however, comes from a strict dietetic treatment.

## Abe Martin

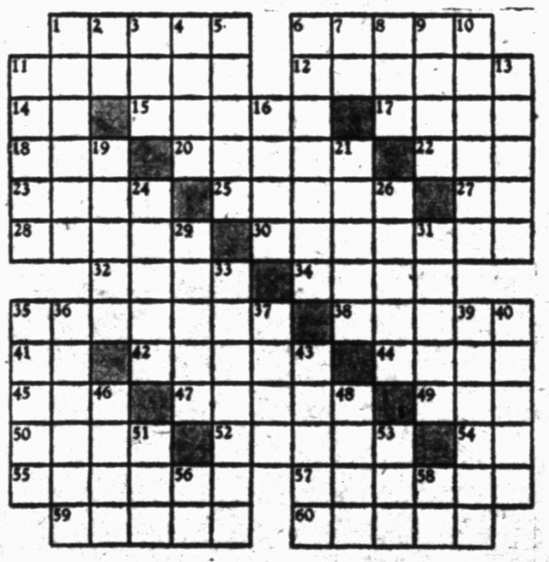



"I'm goin' t' have all th' fun I kin while I'm young, fer I'll be eighteen soon enough," said little fifteen-year-ole painted-up Myrt Pash, t'day. Lots o' smiles go a long ways that would work wonders right in th' family.

## Rule Legion Post Names New Head

RULE, Texas, March 8.—The C. C. Hager post of the American legion of Rule held an interesting meeting at the hall at which F. E. Gauntt was elected post commander to fill out the unexpired term of W. A. Moore who has moved to South Texas. Ten new members have been added to the membership list since the last meeting. Dr. J. C. Davis of this city was the principal speaker on this occasion.

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE



**HORIZONTAL**

1. Flavors.
6. Defiek.
11. Coy.
12. Come into operation.
14. Enclosed.
15. Carpet.
17. Duration.
18. Total.
20. Underground worker.
22. Nothing.
23. A crustacean.
25. Land units.
27. Part of infinitive.
28. Trades.
30. Book of maps.
32. Musical instrument.
34. Heroic story.
35. Ornaments.
36. Barks shrilly.
41. Comparative suffix.
42. Passages.
44. Ancient.
45. Residue.
47. Wild beasts.
49. Bird.
50. Shortly.
52. Vegetable fuels.
54. Pronoun.
55. Follows.
57. Looked sullen.
59. To feel.
60. Taste.

**VERTICAL**

1. Time in office.
2. Verb of being.
3. Hard fruit.
4. A weight.
5. Brown.
6. Abandons.
7. Article.
8. Wheel track.
9. European island.
10. Descendant of Shem.
11. Flat round bodies.
13. Greek island.
16. S. American native.
19. Shaded walks.
21. Kind of race.
24. To redden.
26. Wise men.
29. To pilfer.
31. Dish.
33. Oval.
35. To plague.
38. Acts of burning.
37. Fruit.
39. Actor.
40. Mended.
43. Cookies.
46. Stockings.
48. Portico.
51. Religious devotee.
53. To eat.
56. Plural suffix.
58. In direction of.

**Answers to Saturday's Puzzle**



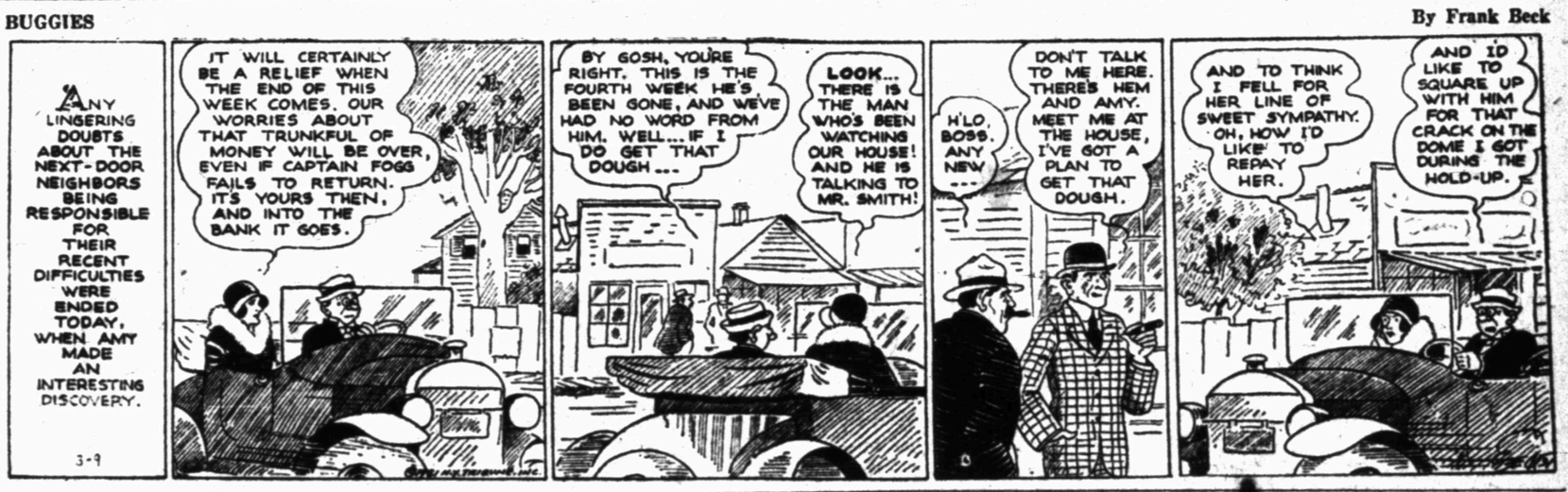
TOONERVILLE TROLLEY — By Fontaine Fox




WASH TUBBS — By Crane




GAS BUGGIES — By Frank Beck




THIMBLE THEATER Starring POPEYE — By E. C. Segar




THE NEBBS — By Sol Hess




TAILSPIN TOMMY — By Glenn Chaffin and Hal Forrest



# BAND OF ROOKIES OPENS SPUDDERS' TRAINING CAMP TODAY

## REGULARS DUE NEXT WEEK

### Skipper Carl Due by Noon; Hurler Arrives Sunday

The weather permitting, rookie week will open today at the foot of Seventh street, heralding the beginning of another baseball season in Wichita Falls.

For an entire week rookies of the 1931 Spudder squad may scamper about and negotiate a few swats at the 1931 edition of a baseball, and like a flock of kids they will be advised and consoled by a kind overseer, Skipper Carl Williams. It should be a pleasant week, for if Ploughhand Johnnie can't shag a fly he'll have the consolation of seeing a few others fail at it too

But then next week the regulars will start rolling in and show the youngsters that it's done this way, not that; and the pink slips will be dished out to those who just can't get on to it.

**Few Regulars Expected**

There will, of course, be a few experienced hands at the lot during rookie week for the rookies must have, pitching and catching. But the main show will be the youngsters.

The first arrived Sunday, a right-handed pitcher, Howard Babb by name, his home Rock Springs, Texas. He was signed by the club last week, and comes to the Spudder fold well recommended.

The others will roll in Monday. In all, about 15 men are expected at the first day of the camp, according to Spudder Secretary Guy Airey. Several veterans were en route to Wichita Falls Sunday, and may be expected at the first get-together. These include Dick Florrid, pitcher, on his way from Georgia in his automobile; Art Bradbury, catcher, who was driving through from California; and Herbert Kelly, Topeka outfielder last year.

Scott Pullen, candidate for shortstop, was coming by rail from Georgia.

Manager W. Carl Williams was due to arrive about noon Monday. The Spudder offices learned the skipper had completely recovered from an attack of influenza suffered early last week, and that he would be on the job, spry as ever, Monday.

**Early Workout Likely**

Outfitting the candidates with uniforms and assigning them berths in the clubhouse will take up considerable time the first day, but if the weather gives the boys any kind of break, it is likely Skipper Carl will send his charges into a light workout as soon as the clubhouse business is over.

Talent will be easier to spot this year, and similarly awkwardness and lack of ability will be equally glaring, for the training camp will not, as it did last year, resemble a convention of a goodwill club. Nearly half a hundred men swarmed over Athletic park like a drove of government mules last year and many a promising boy was sent away simply because Spudderland had no use for them. The herd has been lessened greatly this year, and the rookies may be sure that everything they do will be seen, and judged, by Carl Williams' roving and expert eye.

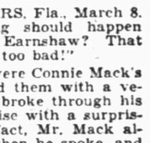
## Mack Relies On Grove and Earnshaw For Third Straight Pennant

### CONNIE CONFESSES NEED FOR REINFORCEMENT OF FAST BALL PAIR; INFIELD, OUTFIELD AND CATCHING STRONG WITH RESERVES

By WILLIAM BRAUCHER
NEA Service Sports Editor

FORT MYERS, Fla., March 8.—"If something should happen to Grove or Earnshaw? That would be just too bad!"

The words were Connie Mack's and he uttered them with a vehemence that broke through his usual calm poise with a surprising jolt. In fact, Mr. Mack almost glared when he spoke, and a glare on the patiently polite face of Mr. Mack is about as common as a sunstroke in Siberia.



Braucher

We had been discussing the Athletics' chances to win a third straight world championship, and though Connie Mack still retains ideals that he cherished as a youth something like half a century ago, he is toiling under no delusions as to the difficulty of the job that lies just ahead.

Carefully, almost painfully, he has gone over the roster of his team with me, conducting as careful an inventory of his baseball assets as a Scotch grocer who has misplaced a can of beans. It was when he reached the subject of pitchers that Mr. Mack grew emotional.

We had been talking of luck and injuries and offhand I asked him if he thought the Athletics could go any place without Grove or Earnshaw, except perhaps to a good movie.

"If something should happen to Grove or Earnshaw?. Well, that would be just too bad!"

Mr. Mack is not a man who goes around blindfolded. He is aware that he has only six pitchers who can be depended upon as regulars. He wants three more.

As a result, every other person you meet in Fort Myers this spring would probably admit under pressure that he was a pitcher.

The six regulars are Earnshaw, Grove, Walberg, Rommel, Shores and Mahaffey, and it has been generally admitted that three of four of these pitchers are pretty regular at that. In has canvass for these more, Connie is giving every likely prospect from Opp, Ala., to Pilger, Neb., a careful once-over. There are 19 hurlers in camp, some of whose names are not even known, and there are more on the way.

Noticing the size of the squad, which seemed unusually large for the Athletics, I asked Mr. Mack if he happened to be going in for experiemnting in a big way this year.

"Not much experimenting," was his reply, "except for the pitchers. At a few positions, our men had bad years last year, Haas and Miller did not do as well as I think they will this year. But as a whole my infielders and outfielders look good to me.

"With Todt, Williams, McNair and Higgins, we have a pretty good reserve infield. Bob Johnson and Jim Moore are good outfield substitutes. One of the other recruits may show promise. Palmisano from Portland, and Heving, who came from the Red Sox with Todt, can help Cochrane out with the catching.

"There will not be much experimenting, except for pitchers."

We talked over a few of the great pitchers of other years. Would Mr Mack like to have Chief Bender or Rube Waddell, in his prime, this year?

Mr. Mack admitted sadly that he would.

But his conclusion carried a note of optimism based upon a baseball experience of 19 years ago.

"I didn't think they could beat my ball team of 1912," he said. "It seemed to me the best team I ever saw. We had won the world championship in 1910 and 1911 and I looked forward to 1912 with a whole lot of confidence.

"But they beat that team. Jake Stahl's Boston team won the pennant and the series that year.

"The very next year we won the world championship again, despite the fact that I had lost Jack Coombs, one of my best pitchers."

"Oh, well, maybe pitchers are not so important, after all," I said.

But his quick reply was:

"Oh, yes, they are!"




**Here are the cogs who give the world champion Philadelphia Athletics a powerful lot of drive in the pennant race. One important gear, Al Simmons, is missing, but Al is trying to reduce his swollen ankles in the mineral baths of Hot Springs, Ark. He says he will be ready for the opening game. By looking closely at the above, you may see Eddie Rommel's knuckle ball.**

## ZACHARY IS GIVEN MENTION

### One Expert Picks Noconan As All-State Forward

AUSTIN, March 8. (AP)—The battle was over today for the Athens Hornets and the San Jacinto Golden Bears of Houston who had evacuated the scene of one of the greatest basket ball duels ever waged for the high school championship of Texas.

The Hornets, victors thrice in five years here, left for home by automobile early today. The Golden Bears of San Jacinto entrained some hours earlier for Houston.

Likewise the Bardwell High school Cats third place winners, had returned home. They made their first trip this year to a state basket ball tourney. Their 33 to 23 win over the Nocona Indians last night won for them consolation honors.

**National Meet Abandoned**

These school boy battlers will not meet in Chicago this year as did Athens and Denton in 1930. The University of Chicago has abandoned, for one year at least, its annual national school boy basket ball tournament. Thus Athens, twice national titleholders, will be deprived of a chance to battle for its third consecutive national championship.

Meanwhile the "experts" were somewhat at odds over the personnel of the all-state high school basket ball teams. They were unanimous in their choices of Fred Tompkins of Athens at a forward post, and Lee Tynes of Houston at center.

Both Tompkins and Tynes are centers but it was agreed that if any shifting was in order Tompkins should be sent to a forward. Tynes puts more deception into his floor play than Tompkins, and has an advantage over the East Texan in that he is more dextrous in action. Another polished performer is Harry Journeay, forward, and captain of the San Jacinto team. It was his free pitch with 20 seconds to go last night which brought his team up to a tie with the Hornets.

**All-Star Selection**

The most representative all-star team would probably read thus:

F. Tompkins of Athens and H. Journeay of Houston, forwards.

Tynes of Houston, center.

Cornelius of Athens and Pritchett of Bardwell, guards.

The work of Cornelius at guard was one of the features of the tournament. Pitted against Dittrich of Denton who had gone on a scoring rampage against Sidney Lanier of San Antonio earlier in the day, Cornelius guarded him so closely that he did not score a point during the Denton-Athens game. Bardwell's star forward, Woods, had run wild against all opposition until Cornelius came along and he likewise failed to score a point.

**Zachary Mentioned**

Those who selected all-star teams failed to center their attention on the high scorers of the tourney. On one team was the name of Zachary, forward of Nocona, who scored 38 points. Only Tynes who led the scorers with 41 points was unanimous. F. Tompkins, picked at forward, scored 21 points in three games while his running mate on the all-star lineup, H. Journeay, scored 32 points in San Jacinto's four games. Neither Cornelius nor Pritchett, all-star guards, were high scorers during the tournament.

One good means of advertising Wichita Falls would be to secure exhibit booths in all county fairs to be held in Northwest Texas and Southwestern Oklahoma during the coming year. The expense would not be heavy and lots of good publicity and advertising could be obtained for the city and jobbing and manufacturing interests.

## MIAMI 4-BALL MATCHES OPEN

### Gene Sarazen and Farrell Smash Records

MIAMI, Fla., March 8. (AP)—Dapper little Gene Sarazen whizzed around the Miami Country club course today with a record-smashing 18-hole 65 as he and Johnny Farrell swamped their opponents, 6 and 5, in the opening 36-hole play of the $5,000 international four-ball matches. Sarazen and Farrell also set a new record of 62 as they defeated Willie Klein and Tom Kerrigan.

The Sarazen-Farrell combination, however, was not the long score winners of the day. The perennial Walter Hagen and Horton Smith, who stride across American courses a year or so ago to win most of the golfing money of the year, marked up a 7 and 6 victory in a scheduled 36-hole match as they sent Bob Randall and Bob Burns down without apparent effort.

A third long score gave Denny Shute and Tony Manero a 7 and 5 win over Bill Burke and Jock Collins.

Johnny Golden, fresh from his Agua Caliente conquest over George Von Elm, paired with Ed Dudley only to go down to a 4 and 2 defeat at the hands of Charles Guest and George Christ.

Clarence Gamber, youthful co-sharer of the top honors in the 1930 tournament with Cyril Walker, paired with Walker today, in defense of their crown to win 2 and 1 from Danny Williams and John Watson.

Jack Thompson and John Kinder went into the next 36-hole round by a 2 and 1 victory over the veteran Al Espinosa and Craig Wood.

## SPUDDERS HELP BROWNS WIN FIRST GAME

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., March 8. (AP)—The St. Louis Browns opened their exhibition schedule here today by defeating the House o' David team, 13 to 1. Manager Bill Killefer was decidedly pleased with the pitching of three of his hurlers, Gray, M. Ferrell and Presnell. Goslin, Jenkins and Schulte hit homers.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
House of D. ..100 000 000— 1 3 4
Browns .....215 002 30x—13 20 0

Helmer, Sweeney, Hanley, and Herbert; Gray, M. Ferrell, Presnell and R. Ferrell, Crouch.

**TWO OF WINNING HURLERS ARE SPUDS**

Marvin Ferrell and Forrest Presnell, hurlers who won the approval of Manager Bill Killefer of the Browns today, will wear a Wichita Falls uniform this season. Ferrell was signed by the Browns with the intention of sending him to the Wichita Falls club. Presnell is the outright property of the Spudders, having been purchased from Topeka of the Western league.

Marvin Ferrell's brother, Rick Ferrell, is the first string catcher of the Browns. He played in the House of David game Sunday.

Jack Crouch, who also was behind the bat part of the game, was the Spudders' first string catcher last year.

Both Ferrell and Pressnell will report to the Spudder camp when the Browns compiete training.

**Robins Trounce Reds**

TAMPA, Fla., March 8. (AP)—The Brooklyn Robins and Cincinnati Reds struggled through 12 wild innings in their opening exhibition game of the season today before Brooklyn slammed out three runs to get a 10-7 victory. The Robins got off ahead when Bissonnette's drive in the second rolled under a fence and went for a home run. They held the margin until the ninth when wild pitching gave the Reds three runs and a tie. Both teams tossed in frequent replacements, especially in the pitching line.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Brooklyn 021 002 020 003—10 15 1
Cincinn'l 011 000 023 000— 7 8 1

Galligan, Mungo, Greene, Clark and Lopez; Eckert, Johnson, Kolp, Strelecki, Morton and Sukefort, Styles.

**Shotton Likes Hurlers**

WINTER HAVEN, Fla., March 8. (AP)—Eight pitchers should be enough for a ball club, Manager Shotton of the Phillies said today, but he may have 10 this year.

"I have at least four fine left-handers I want to keep and more than four good right-handers," he said. "It looks like 10 hurlers for us—four southpaws and six right-handers."

**Braves 9, Yanks 7**

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 8. (AP)—Two thousand fans turned out for the opening spring training tilt between the Boston Braves and the New York Yankees, the Braves winning, 9 to 7.

The Yankees made only two hits off four Boston pitchers but jumped off to a four-run lead in the first inning when Fred Frankhouse passed seven men. The Braves tied it up in the fourth and scored five runs in the next three innings to take a lead the Yanks could not overcome.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
New York (A) 400 000 003—7 2 3
Boston (N) ...000 411 30x—9 9 0

Thodes, Gomez, Weaver, Sherid and Padden; Frankhouse, Cantwell, Leheny, McAfee and Bool.

**Steers Beat Giants**

DALLAS, March 8. (AP)—Dallas today defeated the New York Giants, 8 to 7, in the first exhibition baseball game of the season for both clubs. The Steers rallied in the ninth for two runs to overcome a 7 to 6 lead and win.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
New York .....120 100 120—7
Dallas .....000 310 202—8

Berly, Adams and Healey; Rouprich, Erickson, Garland and Tesmer, Tobin, Todd.

**Chisox 13, Buffs 3**

HOUSTON, March 8. (AP)—Donie Bush's Chicago White Sox pounded a 13 to 3 victory over the Houston Buffs today. Cecil Pat Caraway, the lanky southpaw with the side-arm delivery from Gordon, Texas; Jimmy Moore from Little Rock and John Intlekofer, semi-pro from Los Angeles, all pitched well for the victors.

Eight of the Chicago tallies were made in two-thirds of an inning off Bob Klinger, right-hander from Danville. Bob Durham and Paul Dean, other youngsters who twirled for the Buffs, showed to advantage. Walter (Butch) Henline, veteran Chicago catcher, had a tough day.

**Indians Win Again**

NEW ORLEANS, March 8. (AP)—The Cleveland Indians made it two straight in the exhibition series with the New Orleans Pelicans today, collecting 22 hits off four hurlers and turning them into as many runs for an easy 22 to 6 win.

Luke Sewell, Cleveland catcher, led the barrage with three out of four times up, including a double. Vosmik, who got five out of five yesterday, contributed a single and a double in three times up today.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
New Orleans 050 010 000— 6 8 5
Cleveland ...501 430 90x—22 22 4

P. Rice, McDonald, Bryant, Perrin and Lukey, Harris; Craighead, Shoffner, Jablonowski and Sewell, Walgmont.

**Tigers Take Rest**

SACRAMENTO, Calif., March 8. (AP)—Detroit American leaguers were allowed a day of rest by Manager Bucky Harris but many of the young men were out swinging nibilicks this morning. Heinie Schuble, recruit infielder, is said to have cut three or four strokes off the 120 he made last Sunday.

**Cubs Whip Angels**

AVALON, Calif., March 8. (AP)—Whatever Rogers Hornsby said to the Cubs after they lost to Los Angeles Saturday had the effect of making them exceedingly vicious. They evened things up today by mauling the Angels, 12 to 1.

Charlie Root and Bob Smith held the opposition to five hits, one a homer by Loria Baker, while Moncrief and Green were combed for 12. Hack Wilson came up with another homer, and Gabby Hartnett got two singles and a double.

Score by innings:
Los Angeles ..100 000 000— 1 5 2
Chicago (nl) .135 201 00x—12 12 2

Moncrief, Green and Hannah, Epps; Smith, Root and Hartnett, Grace.

**Pirates 10, Seals 7**

PASO ROBLES, Calif., March 8. (AP)—Gus Suhr's home run over centerfield drove in two other runs today to give the Pittsburgh Pirates a 10-7 victory over the San Francisco Seals. It was the Pirates' first exhibition game of the season.

The teams ended the first five innings in a 3-3 tie. The Seals forged to the front in the sixth with a four run drive off Claude Willoughby, but the Pittsburghers smashed eight hits off Henderson in their half of the sixth, Suhr's drive clinching matters.

Score by inning:
San Francisco 000 214 000— 7 11 2
Pittsburgh ...200 017 00x—10 18 2

McDougal, Henderson, Turpin and Baldwin, Penebsky; Spencer, Willoughby, Bednar and Phillips, Mealey.

## MACKS DEFEAT CARDS, 7 TO 5

### Ninth Inning Homer Evens 'Winter World's Series'

MIAMI, Fla., March 8. (AP)—The world champion Philadelphia Athletics put on a characteristic finish today to defeat the St. Louis Cardinals, National league champions, and square the account at one game each in their winter "world's series."

After his hit had scored a tie in the sixth, Edmund (Bing) Miller, veteran rightfielder, smashed a ninth inning home run over the right field wire fence into the crowd of non-paying customers. Jimmy Foxx was on first base and the blow abruptly terminated the exhibition hostilities in favor of the Mackmen by a score of 7 to 5.

The finish furnished a thrill for a Sunday crowd. The rival champion clubs will play the third and deciding game of the series tomorrow at Fort Myers, home of the Athletics.

Both clubs relied exclusively on rookie pitchers, with regulars occupying most of the other positions. The star performance was turned in by a 19-year-old California youngster, 200-pound Hank McDonald of Santa Monica who came up for the trial this year from Portland, Ore. McDonald held the Cards to one hit in the last four innings and struck out five with a fine curve.

### Three Teams Advance In A. A. U. Cage Race

KANSAS CITY, March 8. (AP)—Two Kansas City and one St. Louis team this afternoon advanced to the second round of the annual national A. A. U. basket ball tournament here. They won games played to reduce the field of 49 before the official tournament opening tomorrow morning.

Results:
Kansas City Life, 28; Reno Creamery, Hutchinson, Kan., 20.
Union Fuel, St. Louis, 28; Ivandale, Kansas City, Kan., 22.
Hatton Turner-Strieby, Kansas City, 61; Oberlin, Kan., Cleaners, 4 (four).

The Haskell Indian Institute team from Lawrence last night won a first round game from the Moberly Coal team, Kansas City, 44-27.

Snow blocked roads prevented several teams from arriving and caused postponement of two games scheduled last night.

A Viking sail boat named Roald Amundsen, an exact copy of the boats used by Eric the Red and other early explorers, made the trip across the ocean from Palos, Spain, to Havana, Cuba, in 42 days, during the months of March and April, 1930.

## Voliva Back From Voyage

By MARBEN GRAHAM

ZION, Ill., March 6. (UP)—Wilbur Glenn Voliva came back to Zion where cigarets, corsets and chewing gum are against the law, more firmly convinced than ever after a trip around the world that the globe is flat.

He didn't mean flat financially, or flat morally. He meant flat actually, flat as a pancake, a penny or a ping-pong table.

"I did not take this trip around the world particularly to prove that the world is flat," explained Voliva, big, deep-voiced, frock-coated overseer of the Zion religious colony, one of the few communal villages of the nation.

"I already knew that the world is flat, that it is stationary and that the sun does not rise or set," Voliva continued. "But I did find my knowledge of the flatness of the world reaffirmed on every hand.

"The dead level of water wherever it is proves the earth is flat. With a globular earth, water would have to be convex. It is preposterous to speak of rivers like the Nile, the Mississippi and the Amazon as going up and down hills as they would have to do on a curved earth."

Voliva said he had visited 10 countries on his trip and that the water in every one of them was level.

The earth, according to Voliva may be compared to a planked steak on a circular plank. The steak in the center forms the north pole. And the edging of mashed potatoes on the rim of the plank represents what anti-flat worlders call the south pole.

It is comparatively easy thus for explorers to reach the north pole in the center of the steak, Voliva explained, but it is utterly impossible for them to circle the mashed potatoes which represents the south pole. The mashed potatoes are piled up roughly and the weather is extremely cold to stop any foolish traveler who might want to go too far. If it were possible for him to cross the mashed potato mountains, he'd drop off the edge of the earth and goodness only knows what would become of him.

The situation remains calm and peaceful in Zion, meanwhile, said Voliva, despite efforts of dissenters to oust him during his absence.

Citizens all are members of the Zion church, buy stock in the Zion enterprises and then work without salary in the assorted Zion enterprices, which include a fig bar factory, a cracker bakery, a handkerchief and shirt factory, a hotel, a printing plant and a gasoline filling station. Dividends on their stock repay the Zionites for their labors.

And woe is his for the luckless culprit caught smoking a cigaret or chewing gum on a Zion street. An offense like that means jail. While any woman who wears stays or dabs rouge on their cheek bones must expect at least a good talking to by Overseer Voliva if they get caught.

### Shields Heads U. S. Netters in Tourney

NEW YORK, March 8. (UP)—Frank Shields of New York, runner-up for the 1930 national grass court championship, will head the American delegation which will attempt to turn back a French invasion in the national indoor tennis championships, starting at seventh regiment armory, March 14.

Jeon Borotra, Christian Boussus and Pierry Landry, second, third and seventh, respectively in the French ranking, are due to arrive in New York Tuesday and will compete in both singles and doubles with Landry joining forces with an American.

Leading American entrants include Shields, Berkeley Bell of Texas, and Julius Seligson, Herbert Bowman, Eugene McCauliff and Edward Jenkins of New York. John Van Ryn and George Lott, now residents of Philadelphia, may enter, but it is probable they will confine their activities to the doubles.

### Hardeman to Cut Red Cross Relief

Special to The Record News.

QUANAH, Texas, March 8.—After March 15 the Red Cross will reduce its appropriation for aid in Hardeman county to one-half of what has been allowed, local chapter officials have been advised by St. Louis headquarters. Up to March 4 a total of $8,031 had been expended for food and clothing to approximately 650 families in the Quanah territory, with approximately $2,000 in the Chillicothe area.

The case load is approximately $7,500 a month, with half of this amount allowed to March 15. After that date about $1,800 will be available for the remainder of March.

Figures have been given local officials indicating that in the neighborhood of $7,500,000 had been expended by the national Red Cross in 1,500 counties of the United States during the month of February.

The local chapter is making its plans for the reduction in its case load to conform to instructions from headquarters. No new applications are being taken because no more money is available for relief.

Business men who have gone into East Texas oil towns report that little activity is being done by business concerns outside that of oil. There are lots of people down there, but not much money.

## BULLDOGGER SETS RECORD

### Wild Steer Injures Woman At Stock Show

FORT WORTH, March 8. (AP)—Low time in bulldogging for the present opposition was set, a woman spectator was hurt when a steer tried to jump the arena fence, the unridden horse, Midnight, threw his second victim and a steer rider was knocked out when his mount threw him to give fans a full rodeo show this afternoon at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show.

Gene Ross of Sayre, Okla., downed a steer in the fast time of 10 3-5 seconds, the lowest mark of the present rodeo. Jack Kerscher of Blackfoot, Idaho, threw a steer in 13 seconds at the opening show Friday and toppled one in 24 seconds today.

Mrs. S. W. Grant of Fort Worth was slightly hurt when a steer which Bill Wright of Fort Worth failed to throw tried to leap over the fence. The animal's head and horns caught between the top rails and it dangled there for a few moments, kicking wildly. A hoof struck Mrs. Grant in the face, breaking her glasses and lacerating her forehead. She was given emergency treatment in the rodeo hospital. Later two other steers tried to vault the bars at the same spot but the high rails stopped them.

Luther Marsh of Lajara, Colo., was the second victim of Midnight, world famous bucking bronco. Midnight sent Rusty Cecil of Florence, Colo., tumbling in a jump and a half in the opening rodeo. Luther grazed the chute gate as he dived.

C. L. Henderson of Fort Worth was knocked out for several minutes when he fell head first onto the tan bark after a steer pitched him off. Attendants carried him out of the arena and he soon revived.

**"UP" WINS DERBY**

AGUA CALIENTE, Mex., March 8. (AP)—Up, Mrs. James N. Drofton's chestnut colt by Highcloud-Idleness, captured the Agua Caliente Derby, $10,000 added money stake for 3-year-olds which headlined the racing program here today. Up galloped the mile and one-sixteenth in 1:46:60, to win by a half length over Seth's pride. Uncle Henry was third.

## Intercollegiate Track Meets Place Three New World's Records on Books

By HERBERT W. BARKER

NEW YORK, March 8. (AP)—The biggest intercollegiate track program of the indoor season had placed three new world's records on the books today, granting that official recognition is forthcoming.

More than 600 athletes in the East, Mid-West and South joined in an assault on time and distance in three spectacular meets last night—the Intercollegiate A. A. A. A. championships at New York; the Western conference titular games at Madisonville, Wis., and the Southern conference championship meet at Chapel Hill, N. C.

Out of this heavy attack came a new indoor mark for the one-mile relay, 3 minutes, 17 8-10 seconds, set by a quartet of Penn quarter-milers at New York; a 7 4-10 seconds record-breaking performance by Lee Sentman of Illinois in the 60-yard hurdles at Madison, and a new indoor pole vault mark from a dirt floor take-off of 13 feet, 9¼ inches, set at Madison by Verne McDermott of Illinois. The world's indoor record of 6 2-10 seconds for 60 yards was twice tied. Eddie Tolan of Michigan did it in the Big Ten meet and Bill McCormick of Notre Dame in a fourth major track event of the night, the Central Intercollegiate A. A. games at South Bend.

Smashed records were the exception rather than the rule. All told six meet records fell at New York; six at Chapel Hill, and four at Madison.

Times and distances for the Southern conference championships were well behind those in both the I. C. A. A. and the Big Ten meets, and, ignoring the different conditions under which the titular games were run, the East had a slight edge over the Big Ten in performances.

### Eliasville Quintet Upsets Jean Bulldogs

JEAN, Texas, March 8.—It seems the Jean Bulldogs have lost their rabbit's foot as they lost Friday night to a team they have defeated several times this season, defeating them only Thursday night in a practice game. Eliasville quintet handed the Bulldogs a 35 to 32 licking in the first play-off game to decide the winner of the second half of the City league. Eliasville will now play the Texas Cleaners of Olney to decide the winner of the second half as it ended in a three-way tie between the Cleaners, Bulldogs and Eliasville.

### Milwaukee Pair Take Lead in Pin Tourney

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 8. (AP)—Initial rolling by out-of-town pinsters in the doubles and singles events of the American Bowling Congress tournament here this afternoon resulted in a Milwaukee pair, F. Lins and H. Welnitz, taking first place in the two-man dash. Their score was 1,210. In the singles B. Myers of Syracuse, assumed the lead with his 664 series.

On the midnight shift of teams Saturday night the Pontiac Packing company five of Pontiac, Mich., made its way into first place by totaling 2,853.

### MEN ONLY

#### Wedding Anniversaries Celebrated by Stag Party

Special to The Record News.

MANGUM, Okla., March 8.—Mrs. R. C. Winchester and Mrs. Goodwin Crittenden entertained with a stag dinner Friday in the former's home as a surprise to their husbands. The occasion celebrated the 20th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Winchester and the 16th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Crittenden. Forty men were present.

### France Counts Ages Along With Noses

PARIS, March 8. (AP)—Sensitive ladies and bachelors as well as everybody else had to reveal their ages today to an army of officials which combed France to take the quinquennial census.

France counts her population in one day, but it will be four or five months before the 155 employes in the census office, working in two nine-hour shifts daily, complete their tabulation of the figures.

## RICE TENNIS STAR INJURED

### Rex White Breaks Collar Bone in Match

HOUSTON, March 8. (AP) — A heavy blow was dealt the Rice tennis team today when Rex White, senior ranking star, fell and broke his collar bone during a dual meet with the River Oaks Country club.

White was staging a remarkable comeback, winning the second set, 8 to 6 after dropping the first, 3-6, to Donald Longcope, former Rice ace. He slipped in trying for a deep volley, breaking his right collar bone and cutting himself painfully.

He was rushed to a hospital where the broken bone was set and the cuts treated. He then returned to his home. It is doubtful if he will play again for Rice this season.

### Title Bout May Revive Boxing

CHICAGO, March 8. (UP)—The world's heavyweight championship fight between Max Schmeling and "Young" Stribling will radically revive the waning interest in boxing this summer, in the opinion of Gen. John V. Clinnin, chairman of the Illinois boxing commission.

General Clinnin thinks that an occasional fight involving the world heavyweight title is necessary to keep the fans buying fight tickets. It is more because of this situation than any other, he said, that the last three prominent fights, two in Florida involving Primo Carnera and Jim Maloney and Johnny Risko and Mickey Walker, and one here between King Levinsky and Tuffy Griffiths, had been financial flops.

"In ordinary times," he said, "these fights would have made money for all concerned. The battle between Griffiths and Levinsky, the leading heavyweights in the Middle West, should have drawn more than $75,000 easy. It drew $53,000.

"There is everything to indicate the Schmeling-Stribling contest will take the public's eye back to fights, and help carry other good matches across financially."

General Clinnin believes the Schmeling-Stribling fight will be a real two-fisted fight with good chances of ending in a knockout victory.

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The Times reserves the right to classify all Classified Ads under the appropriated headlines and to revise or to withhold from publication any ads deemed objectionable.

**3. PERSONAL**

MRS. NELSON, formerly of Kimberlin's, dressmaking, alterations, hemstitching, covered buttons, buttonholes. Cinderella Bootery, phone 2-4644.

MAN AND WIFE leaving this week for California, have room for two passengers. Phone 8325.

FINGER wave, wet, 25c; dry, 35c; shampoo and wave set 50c. Mrs. Himstedt, 2114 Joline. Phone 2-2272.

**4. BEAUTY PARLORS**

FRENCH OIL WAVES, $2. Mrs. Hansard, 204 Bluff. Phone 2-4972.

PERMANENT waves, two for $5.00. Mrs. Rexford, 500 Travis; phone 9878.

FRENCH oil waves, $2.00. 2203 Grant, 8082, Mrs. Lehmann.

CROCONO waves $2.50 and up. Dial 2-4198.

FINGER WAVES, wet 25c, dry 50c; shampoo, 25c; marcels, 50c; manicures, 35c. Mrs. Caraway, 1203 Broad, phone 2-4359.

MARCELS, finger waves, shampoos, 25 cents. 710 Twelfth street.

**5. LOST AND FOUND**

LOST—Between Warford and Bell street Thursday night, army discharge papers. Finder phone 8231. Reward.

STRAYED, dark brown horse, bald face, left hind foot white, in good shape, lost about Feb. 15. Call Mrs. Ed Waggoner, phone 2-2417 or write box 770; reward.

**6. EDUCATION and INSTRUCTION**

WANTED—Men, age 25 to 36, height at least 5 feet 7 inches. Qualify for immigrant patrol inspector examination at Wichita Falls about April 8; $1,800 yearly. Write, Instruction Bureau, 30-M, St. Louis, Mo., quickly.

**8. MALE HELP WANTED**

DO YOU WANT A REAL JOB?
Then learn to become a linotype operator, monotype operator, machinist operator, compositor-stoneman, or pressman at the Southwest Vocational school. No previous experience required. Courses open to both men and women. Training is given by experts. Our graduates are in constant demand at from $100 to $140 per month on their first job. We also provide training in a number of other skilled trades. Let us train you for success. You may enter at any time. Write for free catalog, stating course desired. SOUTHWEST VOCATIONAL SCHOOL, Chamber of Commerce Building, Dallas, Texas.

MAN—Christian (Protestant), teacher or college graduate. 25-40; free to travel. Write fully. Box 110, Times.

EACH CLASSIFIED AD is an argument in favor of your seeing what this section holds for you each day.

**9. FEMALE HELP WANTED**

UNUSUAL POSITION
open March 20 for teacher or college graduate. Sunday school or church experience helpful. Write fully, giving phone. Box 109, Times.

**13. SITUATIONS WANTED, MALE**

MAN WANTS work of any kind, truck or tractor driving, at 310 Brook street.

**14. SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE**

FAMILY bundles washed, starched, dried, 5c pound; quilts, blankets, 25c; shirts finished, 12c. Delivery service. Phone 2-1318.

GIRL WANTS housework or caring for children. Apply at 310 Brook street.

WANT HOUSE WORK by day. Wash and cook on ranch or farm. 512 Travis. Phone 5940. Mrs. Hunter.

YOUNG GIRL wants house work. 512 Travis. Phone 5940.

MIDDLE age lady wants housekeeping or nursing. Phone 5940, 512 Travis.

**16. ROOM AND BOARD**

CLEAN bedrooms, meals if desired, garage. 1206 Austin.

BOARD AND ROOM in nice, private home. Phone 8851.

**17. BEDROOMS FOR RENT**

KEMP KORT—Attractive bedrooms, walking distance. Phone 5473.

BEDROOM, private entrance, convenient to bath and phone, hot water all hours, quiet and comfortable, references required, garage if desired. 1810 Lucile.

LYNN HOTEL—708 Ninth. Attractive bedrooms, with or without private bath. Attractive prices. Phone 8101.

NICELY furnished front bedroom, private home. 2213 Eighth; phone 2-4216.

LOOK AT this unusual living room—bedroom, two beds. 1406 Tenth. Phone 8589.

1705 PEARL—Attractive bedroom, private entrance, garage. Phone 5145.

**18. HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS FOR RENT**

NICE ONE-ROOM apartments, $3 and $3.50 weekly. 1514 Tenth.

REAL NICE one-room apartment, $3 weekly. 1205 Burnett.

FOR YOUR convenience Times-Record News Classified Department will be open Sunday evening from 4 to 6.

$3.50 WEEK—Furnished housekeeping garage apartment for laborers; close in. 904 Fifteenth.

TWO FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, adjoining bath, clothes closet, garage, 1819 Seventh. Phone 6943.

1404 THIRTEENTH—Three furnished rooms and bath, over garage.

**19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT**

APARTMENT headquarters. C. Y. Tully Co., 813½ Scott; phone 9902.

FURNISHED apartments; apply basement office, 1504 Eighth street. Call Franklin, 2-4785 or 3960.

EXTRA NICELY furnished apartment, five-room duplex. Phone 3768; 1655 McGregor.

UNFURNISHED large four-room brick, tile bath; double garage. 1408 Eleventh.

TWO FURNISHED rooms and kitchenet, garage. 1404 Austin. Phone 9421.

KEMP KORT—Furnished or unfurnished apartments; rents reduced. Phone 5473.

BRICK APARTMENT, 3 rooms, furnished, first floor, private bath, bills paid. 1704 Holliday. Phone 4451.

ADULTS—Attractively furnished apartment, private bath; piano; garage. 1209 Taylor.

DUNMAR apartments, choice apartment, four rooms, unfurnished, hardwood floors, plastered, tile bath. Phone 3382.

3111 NINTH—Lovely 4-room furnished apartment, $35. 5480-9870.

THREE-ROOM, modern apartment, $25; bills paid. 1908 Tilden street.

NICELY furnished 4-room apartment, with extra roll-away bed, $30. 1501 Kemp; phone 9211.

FOUR-ROOM unfurnished brick duplex. 704 Warford. Phone 3866.

FURNISHED garage apartment, bills paid; couple only; rear. 705 Baylor.

TWO FURNISHED room apartment, private, close in. 1509 Burnett, 3867.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished three-room apartment, walking distance, bills paid. Reasonable; garage. 1102½ Burnett.

UNFURNISHED apartment, modern, like new. Four rooms and bath. 1628 Eleventh. Phone 7893.

UNFURNISHED one-half nice duplex, 2115 Brown, $22.50. Call 8521.

MODERN furnished apartment. 2304 Roberts, formerly Seventh street; phone 4753.

NEWLY papered, unfurnished, duplex apartment, private bath, built-in features, on pavement. Phone 2-2824 or 2-2133; 2116 Joline.

MODERN, 4 rooms, bath, and garage; recently papered. 1517 Britain; paved. Phone Rogers, 2-2104.

NICE, CLEAN furnished apartment, close in. 312 Lamar. Phone 3298.

SOUTH SIDE, refinished duplex, unfurnished, Crockett school district; on pavement, double garage. Must be seen to be appreciated. Call 2-0966. 2101½ Garfield.

2114 BUCHANAN, nicely furnished three-room apartment.

FOUR-ROOM clean, modern, furnished garage apartment, $20. Call 3634.

NICELY furnished two-room duplex apartment, connecting bath, 1608 Fourteenth. Phone 3926.

HALF DUPLEX, nicely furnished, garage, on pavement. 1205 Holliday.

ATTRACTIVE furnished four-room apartment, modern. Strictly private. Couple only. $35. 1634½ McGregor. 6050.

NICELY furnished two-room apartment, $5 week, bills paid. 2013 Tilden. Phone 5311.

TWO FOUR-ROOM furnished apartments. 1605 Holliday.

UNUSUALLY attractive five-room, unfurnished duplex, living room, dining room, dining room, kitchen downstairs, two southeast bedrooms upstairs. Phone 5240.

HALF DUPLEX, nicely furnished, newly papered. 2101 Avenue B, phone 2-3663.

DUPLEX, three rooms, private bath, garage; Monroe bus line. Phone 6451.

THREE-ROOM furnished garage apartment, breakfast nook, bath; bus line. 1103 Brook. Phone 5397.

THREE-ROOM nicely furnished apartment, close in, on pavement and car line. 9398. 1414 Thirteenth.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, bills paid. 1506 Giddings, 15th. Apply 2120 Avenue G. Phone 6578.

NICE COZY apartment, reasonable, bills paid. 1204 Grace.

BRICK duplex, unfurnished, four rooms and bath, on pavement. Phone 9093.

TWO ROOMS, couple, $25; use living room. 1709 Elizabeth. 5545.

SOUTH SIDE—Unfurnished duplex, four large rooms, good condition and location, $25. 2002½ Tilden. Dial 2-2477.

UNFURNISHED half duplex, four rooms, private bath, $15. Phone 5956.

TWO OR THREE furnished rooms, new, on carline. 1411 Seventeenth.

THREE ROOMS, modern apartment, furnished, with garage. 1402 Broad.

NICELY FURNISHED three-room apartment. Apply 1310 Eighth street.

CLOSE IN—Three furnished rooms in duplex. Also one or two-room furnished apartments. Apply at 305 Scott avenue.

**20. HOUSES FOR RENT**

HOUSES and apartments, any location, every price. Jimmie Brannon, 4519.

FURNISHED five-room cottage on carline, reasonable. 2308 Ninth street.

SEVERAL lovely, nearly new houses, 1500, 1510, 1514, 1518 Westlake. 5480-9870.

FIVE-ROOM modern house, $30, 609 Sunset drive; Eli Morgan, owner.

SEVEN-ROOM unfurnished brick veneer, 1700 Tilden. Phone 2-1293.

2155 AVENUE F, 2146 Avenue G, furnished; others. 9337-8471.

RENTALS—Houses and apartments, any location. Williams-Dwyer company, phone 8133.

FOR RENT—Six-room dwelling, 1704 Burnett; pavement; garage; $30. Phone 2-4149. Ambrose Teager.

FIVE-ROOM house, garage, pavement. 1810 Fourteenth, $25. Phone 5034.

FIVE-ROOM house, garage, pavement. 2802 Grant; $30. Phone 5719.

MODERN five-room house, 1502 Polk, $30. Call 3654.

FIVE ROOMS, brick veneer, 1607 Beverly drive, $30. Nearly new, extra good condition, hardwood floors, shades furnished; pavement; garage. S. B. Daniel, owner. Phone 3009.

FIVE-ROOM cottage; interior newly decorated. 1316 Twelfth. Double garage.

NICE MODERN six-room house, cheap. Apply 1417 Thirty-second street or write Box 384 Cleburne, Texas.

COMPLETELY furnished five or six-room home, piano and attractive furniture. Everything complete, good neighborhood; close to school. 1500 Polk. Phone 3808.

SPLENDID six-room home, excellent condition, 2106 Garfield, $50. Call 8521.

FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnished homes. Phone 9572. C. C. Jones Sr., 1603 Fourteenth.

FURNISHED small house, or apartment, to adults, close in, clean, meters furnished. 1314 Seventh.

FOR RENT—Two-story colonial. 2138 Avenue H.

## Auction Bridge Made Simple!



**Lesson No. 30**
**AFTER DEALER HAS BID A SUIT**

IN auction, after the dealer has bid one of a suit, it is recommended that second hand should have original bidding strength to overbid. Some players advocate a bid by second hand after a suit bid by dealer on less than required strength, calling it a defensive bid, but this is now believed to be a fallacy. For instance, a bid of one spade over one heart could be nothing less than an offensive and not a defensive bid.

(Tomorrow "Defining Defensive Bids")

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**20. HOUSES FOR RENT**

FURNISHED—Five-room house, good location, $30. Phone 5956.

UNFURNISHED five-room house, pavement, $15. Phone 5956.

WELL LOCATED 5-room house, unfurnished, reasonable. 1659 Lucile, phone 9887.

UNFURNISHED duplex, redecorated, $15, Monroe bus. 1405½ Fuller, phone 4575.

**26. WANTED TO RENT**

REFINED YOUNG widow wants room and board in private home with responsible party who will care for small child while mother is employed. Box 108, care Times.

**28. HOUSEHOLD GOODS**

TWO-PIECE mohair living room suite, pull-up chair, occasional table, walnut bedroom suite, velvet rug, gas range. 1671 Keeler.

**29. FURNITURE FOR SALE**

SEE THESE bargains; 5 repossessed living room suites, two bedroom suites, rugs, shades, two Philco radios. Bolton Bros. 710 Seventh street.

DO YOU KNOW that Bolton Bros. are closing out their entire stock of furniture at near wholesale prices? Consisting of living room, breakfast room, bedroom suites, ranges, refrigerators, office equipment, a Ford coupe, good Singer and White sewing machines. 710 Seventh street.

GET OUR prices before you buy new and used furniture. Popular Furniture, 714 Seventh.

**30. FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS**

QUILT SCRAPS, assorted prints, all fast colors; four pounds $1. Postage prepaid. Texas Scrap Material company, P. O. Box 2336, Dallas, Texas.

FOR SALE—Ladies diamond ring, with two sapphires, bargain for cash. Box 107 Times.

ONE WASHING machine, used as floor demonstrator, formerly $72.50, now $59.95. Also sold on terms. Sears-Roebuck company.

FOR SALE—One 28-inch Thor mangle, A-1 condition. Phone 9163.

**31. AUCTION SALES**

BIG AUCTION sale, furniture, trunks and boxes to be sold for storage charges on March 21. White Transfer and Storage.

**32. MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS**

PIANO BARGAINS repossessed for balance due, we have several different makes ranging in price from $35 up. Terms as low as $5 monthly. Wichita Music company.

**33. RADIOS**

RADIO BARGAINS repossessions for balance due.
Crosley 8 tube table model $57.
Crosley cabinet model $74.50.
Crosley combinations $125.
Victor, latest model, cabinet, $99.60.
Brunswick combination, large, $140.
All electric, late models and guaranteed good as new. Terms as low as $5 monthly. Wichita Music company.

**34. WANTED TO BUY**

WANT TO BUY small tent. Call 23F21.

WANTED—Model U Bay City wench. J. Lewis Jackson. Phone 9746.

**37. OFFICE SUPPLIES**

UNUSUAL bargains in used office furniture, safes, filing cabinets and other equipment. See us before you buy. Office Equipment Exchange. 810 Lamar. Phone 2-2838.

**42. LIVESTOCK**

JERSEY cows and Duroc pigs. Inquire Jersey camp, Henrietta road.

**43. POULTRY, EGGS AND PET STOCK**

BABY CHICKS, custom hatching. Ray's Hatchery. 2610 Grant street. Dial 4638.

BABY CHICKS 8c and up. Central Chick Hatchery. Phone 9270. Fifth and Indiana.

BABY CHICKS, 7c up. Ray's Hatchery, 2610 Grant. Phone 4638.

**43. POULTRY, EGGS AND PET STOCK**

BABY CHICKS, 7c up. Started chicks, custom hatching. Hatch-Rite Hatchery, 3350 Iowa Park Road. Phone 2-4524.

THREE-WEEK-OLD cockerels, 15c each; custom hatching; baby chicks. Cotterly Chick Hatchery, Iowa Park road, six miles. Phone 28F31.

GOOD LAYING strain Barred Rock hens for sale. Must make room for growing chicks. Come see them. Adams Hatchery. Phone 158, Iowa Park.

**44. DOGS**

L. I. LUCKY veterinarian. General practice. Henrietta road. Phone 4954.

**46. FEED**

FOR SALE—At my farm, lower Charlie road, good cane and alfalfa hay; also good seed oats. R. O. Harvey.

ALFALFA hay 65c per bale at 1909 Hayes street, city.

EAR CORN for sale at crib at Charlie, Texas; 65 cents per bushel. E. L. Persons.

**50. FLORIST-NURSERYMEN**

KERR NURSERY YARD
Two-year roses, $2 dozen; peach trees, 7c and up; evergreens, 25c each and up; flowering shrubs, 15c each; hedge plants, 1c each and up; shade trees, 14-foot, 40c each; paper shell pecans, 50c each. Our stock state inspected and acclimated to this climate. O. L. Phillips, representative, 2011 Grant street.

J. L. MARTIN & SON, NURSERYMEN—We are located corner Twelfth and Lamar, Wichita, with large line nursery stock. Fruit trees from 7½c up. Extra large 2-year-old roses, 6 for $1. Balled evergreens from $1 up. We have varieties of evergreens we have never had before. Shrubs, pecans, berries, shades and full line of everything to select from. J. L. Martin, phone 5727.

SPECIAL SALE—Cherry laurel, wax Ligustrum Pfitzeriania juniper, plat river juniper, Baker arbor vitae, rosedale, blue green, Chinese juniper, above evergreens balled and burlaped at 49c each, 10-foot Lumbardies 15c, amoor privet 1c, sycamore or hackberry 14 feet 29c, althea 3c. All stock home-grown, state inspected and home-owned. Wichita Nursery, 1806 Tenth. Phone 8354.

FOR SALE—Twenty Mahan pecan trees due here March 15, $75. Phone 2-5131.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT
THE McCLUNG BROS. ROSE NURSERY, ROUTE 9, TYLER, TEXAS, will ship you 12 two-year everblooming, field grown rose bushes for $2.50; two dozen $4.75; satisfaction guaranteed; Luxembourg, Kaiserine Augusta; Victoria; Lady Hillingdon; Key; Orleans, etc.; over 20,000 reserved for spring trade. Order direct.

**51. REPAIRING**

EXPERT furniture repairing, refinishing, upholstering. Baker, 810 Lamar, phone 2-2838.

**52. PLUMBING AND HEATING**

RED FORDS, equipped for all repairing. J. H. Castleline, phone 4420.

GEORGE W. DIMOCK—Prices cut to $1.30 per hour; new work on installment. 1500 Eighth. Phone 6315.

GUARANTEED plumbing, $1 per hour. David Black and Son. Phone 3644.

**56. DRESSMAKING, SEWING AND MILLINERY**

MRS. JOZA DICKSON will remodel your hat. Ferguson's Ready-to-Wear Basement.

**58. PAINTING-PAPERHANGING**

SPECIAL PRICES on paperhanging and painting. Work guaranteed. Thomas, 2-3635.

ANDERSON, the good paper hanger and painter. Dial 4561.

PAINTING, paper hanging, done right, priced right; home man. 2-1482.

DO YOU POSSESS AN ACCUMULATION IN THE ATTIC OF YOUR HOME?

**60. MATTRESS RENOVATING**

MATTRESS RENOVATING—We call for and deliver same day. Bell Mattress Co. Phone 9412.

MATTRESS RENOVATING—One day service, furniture taken in exchange. Patton Mattress & Furniture Co., 402 Indiana. Phone 9930.

**65. OIL LAND AND GAS LEASES**

FOR LEASE—280 acres near K. M. A. deep test. Box 105 Times.

MUST SELL 5-acre commercial oil lease northwest Gregg county discovery well, $100; nearby test reaching Austin chalk level; unusual buy; first wire gets it. J. B. Green, Gregg Hotel, Longview.

**71. AUTOMOBILES WANTED**

WANT '29 or '30 good Chevrolet coach. Phone 2-4463.

**75-A. BATTERIES CHARGED**

CASH AND CARRY, changed and charged 50c. Call for, charged and delivered 75c. Good rents. Phone 2-4077. 120 Barwise.

**82. HOUSES FOR SALE**

ATTRACTIVE five-room English cottage, hardwood floors, good condition, on pavement, near Junior college. The price is only $3,500 with small cash payment and good terms on balance. Call Seals & Keith, 6496.

BEAUTIFUL new suburban home, 5 rooms, hardwood floors, modern. Has garage, large chicken house, shrubbery, and two acres of rich land. Small cash payment; balance very reasonable. Phone owner, 4484-3446.

**84. FARMS, RANCHES FOR SALE**

BEST STOCK farm in county, wood, water, grass. Box 106 Times.

40 ACRES Northwest Arkansas Ozarks only $150, $5 down, $5 monthly; full details in free list; illustrated Ozark folder. H. W. Sandford, Fayetteville, Ark.

FARMS AND small grass land for sale or trade. H. Sonnamaker, 225 Staley.

**101. SUBURBAN TRACTS**

FOUR-ROOM house, land broke, lights, gas. 802 Brook; 3643.

## Elks at Mangum Elect Officers

Special to The Record News.

MANGUM, Okla., March 8.—Charles L. Short, insurance and real estate dealer, is the newly elected exalted ruler of the Mangum B. P. O. Elks lodge. Other officers are Jasper Bradshaw, esteemed leading knight; Jack Sasseen, esteemed loyal knight; Rodney Janeway, esteemed lecturing knight; Dick Barnett, secretary; J. T. Duffy, treasurer; Clint Wright, tyler, and Mark Pace, trustee for three years.

Tyre Jeter, retiring exalted ruler, was named trustee for one year and was chosen as delegate to the grand lodge in Seattle in July. Jack Jacobs and Ralph Helper were chosen as alternates.

## Farm Women's Club Cans 528 Quarts of Beef

Special to The Record News.

QUANAH, Texas, March 8.—The North Groesbeck Home Demonstration club members canned 528 quart cans of beef during January and February, according to report of activities just made to Miss Elsie Phillips, county home demonstration agent. Three other members are planning to can beef within the next week, which will add approximately 300 more quarts.

Members of this club also assisted F. A. Word can a half beef which is not included in the above 528 quarts reported.

The beef is canned in roasts, steaks and boiled beef, each animal producing approximately 100 quarts of meat.

Mrs. J. T. Stovall is president of the North Groesbeck club which has a membership of 20 women.

## State Deaths

**JEFF A. SMITH**

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Texas, March 8.—Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Jeff A. Smith, 48 years old, who died at 6:15 Thursday evening in his home. It is thought death was caused from heart failure.

Mr. Smith was born in Alabama on Nov. 8, 1882. He is survived by his wife only.

Mrs. Smith had prepared the evening meal and had gone to the front room where her husband was thought to be reading his paper and listening in on the radio to call him to his supper but found him prostrate on the divan dead.

Services were conducted from the First Baptist church with Rev. E. T. Miller, local pastor, officiating. Interment was made in the Fairview cemetery.

**MRS. L. B. SMALLWOOD**

Special to The Record News.

RULE, Texas, March 8.—Mrs. L. B. Smallwood, wife of Rev. L. B. Smallwood, Methodist minister died at a local hospital in Lubbock Thursday morning at 9 o'clock after a three-months illness. Mrs. Smallwood lived in Rule two years while Rev. Mr. Smallwood was pastor of the Rule Methodist church. Funeral services were held Friday, March 6 at Amherst, Texas, where Rev. Mr. Smallwood is pastor.

She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Gabie Mae and mother, Mrs. A. Black and several brothers.

# What's On The Air Today?

KGKO's program for Monday will be featured by a 30-minute program of musical selections by the KGKO Ramblers which will be given from 6 to 6:30 o'clock on the afternoon program. The Northwest Melodians will also give a short program on the evening program.

The program follows:
7:45 to 8:00—News flashes.
8:00 to 8:30—Pep club.
8:30 to 9:30—Shopping hour.
9:30 to 10:00—The Sunbeams.
10:00 to 10:30—Four Aces.
10:30 to 11:15—Church of the air.
12:00 to 12:45—Luncheon concert.
12:45 to 1:00—News flashes.
1:00 to 1:30—Farm service hour.
1:30 to 1:45—News casting.
3:30 to 4:00—Paul Cooper.
4:00 to 4:30—Musical moments.
4:30 to 4:45—Betty Burns.
4:45 to 5:15—Twilight Serenaders.
5:15 to 5:30—Blue Room trio.

**Log of Stations Received Here**

| | Meters. | Kilocycles. |
|---|---|---|
| WFAA, Dallas | 374.8 | 800 |
| WBAP, Fort Worth | 374.8 | 800 |
| KDKA, Pittsburgh | 305.8 | 980 |
| KFAB, Lincoln, Neb. | 389.4 | 770 |
| KFI, Los Angeles | 468.5 | 640 |
| KGKO, Wichita Falls | 526 | 570 |
| KMOX, St. Louis | 275.1 | 1090 |
| KPO, San Francisco | 440.9 | 680 |
| KOA, Denver | 361.2 | 830 |
| KPRC, Houston | 325.9 | 920 |
| KRLD, Dallas | 288.3 | 1040 |
| KSAT, Fort Worth | 241.9 | 1240 |
| KTHS, Hot Springs | 288.3 | 1040 |
| KSL, Salt Lake City | 256.3 | 1130 |
| KVOO, Tulsa | 263 | 1140 |
| KWKH, Shreveport | 352.7 | 850 |
| WBAW, Nashville | 201.2 | 1490 |
| WBBM, Chicago | 389.4 | 770 |
| WCCO, Minneapolis, St. Paul | 370.2 | 810 |
| WDAF, Kansas City | 491.5 | 610 |
| WHB, Kansas City | 315.6 | 950 |
| WENR, Chicago | 344.6 | 870 |
| WGN, Chicago | 416.4 | 720 |
| WHAS, Louisville | 365.6 | 820 |
| WHO, Des Moines | 300 | 1000 |
| WKY, Oklahoma City | 333.1 | 900 |
| WLAC, Nashville | 201.2 | 1490 |
| WLW, Cincinnati | 428.3 | 700 |
| WLS, Chicago | 344.6 | 870 |
| WMAQ, Chicago | 447.5 | 670 |
| WOAI, San Antonio | 252 | 1190 |
| WOW, Omaha | 508 | 590 |
| WRR, Dallas | 234.2 | 1280 |
| WSB, Atlanta | 405.2 | 740 |
| WSM, Nashville | 461.3 | 650 |

5:30 to 6:00—Old Kinge Cole's Radio Thrift club.
6:00 to 6:30—KGKO Ramblers.
6:30 to 6:55—Concert orchestra.
6:55 to 7:00—Weather report.
7:00 to 7:15—Northwest Melodians.
7:15 to 7:30—R. E. Shepherd.
7:30 to 7:45—World book man.
7:45 to 8:00—Hollywood Lights.
8:00 to 8:15—Nancy Meeds.
8:15 to 8:30—Around the Gypsy camp.
8:30 to 8:45—Nip and Tuck.
8:45 to 9:00—Dolores Myler.
9:00 to 9:30—KGKO Ramblers.
9:30 to 10:00—Scotland Yard.

**Southwest**

262.1—WOAI, San Antonio
6:00-6:30—Orchestra.
6:30-6:45—Phil Cook.
6:45-7:00—Melodists.
7:00-7:30—Ensemble.
7:30-8:00—Orchestra.
8:00-9:00—Orchestra.
9:00-10:15—Features, Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-11:00—Orchestra.

333.1—WKY, Oklahoma City—900
6:30-7:00—Early Risers.
7:00-7:30—Orchestra program.
7:30-8:00—Cheerio program.
9:00-9:15—Aunt Susan.
10:45-11:00—Sweet and Low.
11:00-11:15—Mildred Morgan.
11:30-12:30—National farm and home hour.
12:45-1:00—Al and Dutch.
1:00-2:00—Bernie Cummins and his orchestra.
2:00-2:15—Studio trio.
2:15-2:30—Paul Christensen's orchestra.
2:45-3:30—Paul Christensen's orchestra.
3:45-4:00—Dorothy Monnett.
4:00-4:30—The Four Firemen.
3:30-4:45—Frances Bayless.
4:45-5:15—Twilight organ melodies.
5:15-5:30—Ralph Murphy.
5:45-6:00—Aunt Polly.
7:00-7:15—Pennzoil Pete.
7:30-8:00—Orchestra from Skirvin hotel.
8:00-8:30—Orchestra.
10:00-10:15—Amos and Andy.
10:15-10:30—Trio.
10:30-10:45—Louanna Rudd.
10:45-12:00—Paul Christensen's orchestra.

288.3—KTHS, Hot Springs—1040
8:00-8:15 a. m.—Jake and Lena.
8:15-8:30 a. m.—Musical program.
10:00-10:15 a. m.—Aunt Sammy's household chat.
10:15-10:30 a. m.—Studio program.
11:00-11:15 a. m.—The Majestic Hotel orchestra.
11:30 a. m.-12:15 p. m.—National farm and home hour.
12:15-12:30 p. m.—The Arlington Hotel orchestra; Paolo Grosso, director.
6:15-6:25 p. m.—The Majestic Hotel orchestra.
6:25-6:30 p. m.—Curtiss Word game.
6:30-6:45 p. m.—Phil Cook.
7:15-7:30 p. m.—Andy Sanella and novelty orchestra.
7:30-8:00 p. m.—Barrett Arcadians.
9:30-10:00 p. m.—Arlington Hotel orchestra, Paolo Grosso, director.
10:00-10:15 p. m.—Amos and Andy.
10:15-11:00 p. m.—Kingsway Hotel orchestra, William Hoge, director.

374.8—WFAA, Dallas—800
7:00-8:00 a. m.—Early Birds orchestra.
8:00-8:15 a. m.—Gene and Glenn.
8:15-8:30 a. m.—Bera Meade Grimes, pianist.
10:30-11:15 a. m.—Woman's hour.
11:15-11:30 a. m.—Studio musicale.
11:30-11:45 a. m.—Woman's hour.
11:45 a. m.-12:30 p. m.—Farm and home hour.
5:30-5:45 p. m.—Sandman Soldiers.
6:00-6:15 p. m.—Twilight trio.
6:15-6:30 p. m.—Jean and Joanne.
7:00-7:15 p. m.—Studio program.
7:15-7:30 p. m.—Pennzoil Peter.

7:30-8:00 p. m.—Orchestra.
8:00-8:30 p. m.—Orchestra.
10:00-10:15 p. m.—Amos and Andy.

374.8—WBAP, Fort Worth—800
6:30 a. m.—Tuneful topics.
9:00 a. m.—Markets.
9:15 a. m.—Fair Woman's hour.
9:45 a. m.—Modern Melody Maids.
10:15 a. m.—C. & M. A. highway report, markets.
12:30 p. m.—Bud and Bubbs.
12:45 p. m.—The Bohemians.
12:55 p. m.—"Port of Missing Men."
1:30 p. m.—Oraganland.
2:00 p. m.—Broadcast of the rodeo of the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show.
8:00 p. m.—B. C. A. club.
9:00 p. m.—Radio and Television institute program.
9:15 p. m.—Seiberling singers.
10:00 p. m.—Amos and Andy.
10:15 p. m.—Musical program.
10:30 p. m.—WBAP players.
10:50 p. m.—Bab and Tab.
11:00 p. m.—Tits and Bits.

288.3—KRLD, Dallas—1040
6:00-7:00—Sunrise prayer service; tick tock music hour.
7:00-8:00—Setting up exercises and organ program.
8:30-10:00—Morning moods; Aunt Mary's chat; harmonies and contracts; melody parade.
10:30-11:00—Food hints; three modern maids.
12:30-2:00—Radio revival; American school of the air.
2:00-3:00—Columbia Salon orchestra; SMU-KRLD College of the Air.
3:00-4:00—Radio listening test; U. S. army band; Wardman Park hotel orchestra.
4:00-5:00—Art Gillham, Gypsy music makers; talk by Dr. H. J. Finley; Tony's scrap book.
5:00-6:15—Gordon Kibbler's Royal Fulton orchestra; flashes, lost and found ads; Melody Musketeers; sleepy time travels; spotlight reporter.
6:30-6:45—Evangeline Adams, astrologer.
6:45-7:00—One man radio show.
7:00-7:15—Musical program.
8:00-9:30—Three bakers; evening in Paris; the lady in the smoke.
11:00-12:00—Radio revival; Rev. W. E. Hawkins Jr.

**Central**

428.3—WLW, Cincinnati—700
6:00-6:30—Kids.
6:30-6:45—Phil Cook.
7:00-7:30—Orchestra.
7:30-8:00—Bubble Blowers.
8:00-8:15—Salt and Peanuts.
8:15-8:30—Variety.
8:30-9:00—Chronicles.
9:00-9:30—Cotton Queen.
9:30-9:45—Clara, Lu 'n 'Em.
9:45-10:00—Bob Newhall.
10:00-12:30—Variety.

416.4—WGN, Chicago—720
7:00-7:15 a. m.—"On the 8:15."
7:30-8:00 a. m.—Cheerio.
9:45-10:00 a. m.—Tom, Dick and Harry.
10:30-10:45 a. m.—Mickelberry Maids.
11:15-11:30 a. m.—Everybody's hour.
11:30-11:40 a. m.—"Painted Dreams."
12:10-12:20 p. m.—Larry Larsen.
12:20-12:30 p. m.—The Town Farmer.
12:30-1:45 p. m.—Luncheon concert.
1:45-2:00 p. m.—"Sisters of the Skillet."
2:00-2:30 p. m.—Luncheon concert.
3:30-4:40 p. m.—Bob Greer in "Down in Dixie."
5:00-5:30 p. m.—The Bookworm.
5:30-5:45 p. m.—"At Evening Time"; Larry Larsen, organist.
6:30-6:45 p. m.—Corinnis Water Boys.
7:15-7:20 p. m.—WGN Syncopators.
7:20-7:30 p. m.—"Tune Tangles."
9:30-9:45 p. m.—"Clara, Lu 'n' 'Em."
10:10-10:20 p. m.—Allan Grant, pianist.
10:20-10:30 p. m.—Louie's Hungry Five.
10:30-11:00 p. m.—WGN Syncopators; WGN Symphony; Walter Pontius; Sally, Irene and Mary.
11:00-12:30 p. m.—Verne Buck's Drake Hotel orchestra and Coon Sanders orchestra.

Newspapers published over Northwest Texas and Southwestern Oklahoma claim the heavy snow of last Sunday is proving very beneficial to winter wheat.

**AROUND THE RADIO CLOCK**

(Time is central standard)

NEW YORK, March 8. (AP)—Rosa Ponselle, prima donna soprano, is to sing on a coast to coast network Monday night. She is to be the second guest artist in the series of 12 weekly programs being presented by WABC and stations in which metropolitan opera stars appear. The time is 7:30. The orchestra of 32 pieces is directed by Wilfred Pelletier.

Two concerts from London are planned by NBC during the afternoon. The first at 2 o'clock over a WEAF network, is to be by the NBC Symphony orchestra. At 3:35 via a WJZ hookup English light music will be played by an orchestra.

Countess Olga Albani, radio soprano, is to be guest artist in the family party, WEAF and chain at 8:30 p. m. The program is to consist of songs from outstanding musical comedies of the past.

Popular songs from Germany and Cuba are to comprise part of the program by Leo Reisman's orchestra on WABC and network at 8 p. m.

Dr. John H. Finley, associate editor of the New York Times, is to speak on elimination of illiteracy over WABC and stations at 4:30 p. m.

Representative Hamilton Fish Jr., of New York, is to discuss "Communism and the recommendations of the Fish committee" in 15 minutes in the nation's capital on WEAF and stations at 6:45 p. m. March 16. Tomorrow night the speaker in this series will be Leslie M. Shaw, former secretary of the United States treasury and his topic "The United States—a Limited Sovereignty."

## Mangum Alumni Names Officers

Special to The Record News.

MANGUM, Okla., March 8.(AP)—The annual election of officers of the Mangum High School Alumni association was held at the high school Friday evening. Miss Tom Johnson was chosen president; Mrs. Ralph Heatly, vice president; Victor Wickersham, secretary; Miss Elsie Northington, assistant secretary and Sam Walters, treasurer.

Plans were made and committees appointed to arrange for the annual home-coming reunion, mixer, parade and banquet to be held here May 14-15.

The association, which is the largest and most active of its kind west of the Mississippi, numbers more than 800 members who are graduates of Mangum High school.

Friday's meeting was presided over by Mrs. Nell Stultz of the class of 1906.

Northwest Texas will see some big gusher oil wells within the next few months. There is plenty of oil in this section.

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**"TEXAS HISTORY MOVIES"** — By Patton and Rosenfield



# BIG BUSINESS GIRL - - - -

By "ONE OF THEM"

It was a lonely Johnny who wandered across the campus from the Tri Kappa house that evening in May. No girl. When he went to call for Claria MacIntyre she wasn't there. Nobody knew where she was. It was a little difficult for him to feel indignant—after four bottles of spiked beer—but he knew he had every right to.

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Sorority Row was hushed. The girls were at dinner in the Gamma house. He could see the wavering candle flames on their tables through the open French windows and hear their voices, like the sheer, shimmering cry of choir boys, rising, rising. They always sang throughout dinner, some solemnly with their thoughts on parties they hadn't been asked to; some with mischievously mocking eyes. The white anchor would be shining over the soft hair of the Gamma Deltas.

He wondered if the breach between Mack and himself were really widening. Why else would she stand him up on this important date? This was his first night off in a long time. Johnny had been playing almost every night for two years in various dance orchestras and now he had his own outfit, Johnny Goodman's Boys.

He and Mac hadn't danced much together this spring, but she had been very true to him and always got rid of her dates early enough so that Johnny could have the last kiss, if not the first, of the evening. He'd finish up at the Blue Moon at midnight, catch a bus back to the campus and hide behind a tree across the street from the Tri Kappa house until Mac's soft whistle called him, or he saw Jamieson leave in his black and white Auburn. There was no question in Johnny's mind that he was lucky. Mac always drew the best men on the campus—the campus kings. She had beauty and, more important, strength; leadership and a bewildering physical lure.

He was very proud of his girl. Mac was modern. She thought like a man and was taking life as a boy did. She told him that she meant to face the problems of the business world just as a boy did after he was graduated. Mac had brains and personality and a tremendous ambition. The only thing about her Johnny did not like was this ambition.

Perhaps something was really wrong—there must be a message for him at the house. He broke into a run.

But there was no message from Mac there, just as there had been no word for him when he had called for her. Perhaps she was slightly peeved because he had been late, and had gone on to the club with the others. But he had had to do a little serious drinking before sitting out on such a gay evening.

He ordered a taxi. There was a short wait on the porch. He fell into the back seat and they curved away. Mac was a mean dog, he thought; mean to me. He began to sing "Mean to me, why must you be mean to me?" and stopped abruptly to lean out the window and stare at the biggest moon he had ever seen. He sat back again and thought about Mac's beautiful throat. The stem of the dark red peony. Her face was a swirl of petals. But when he thought about her eyes, he found only reproof in their warm gray depths. They were eyes with dreams in them, but the dream was not of him, not of any man. She could have married Jamieson, he knew, but she loved him. That was wonderful. He felt that those nights with Mac beside him had been burned into his heart and would leave their indelible tracings of physical and spiritual ecstasy upon him always. His first love and for all he knew his final love. He wanted it to be that way if Mac would always care for him with such passion and beauty.

The taxi crunched up the gravel roadway to the club steps, and he could hear the High Hatters blaring away. There were couples strolling around the golf links, the girls oblivious of their spike heels on the soft earth and their chiffon trains soaking up the dew. He saw a girl in a short ermine jacket, getting into a canoe down on the lake. He sought an entrance which would not make it necessary for him to pass Dean Morrow and the other chaperons.

"Hello, Johnny."

"Hello, Frank."

"'Lo, Johnny."

"'Lo, Kay."

"Come closer, miboy, come closer. Kay wants another whiff."

He ignored the insult and walked sedately into a side door, then safely past the dean to the shore stairway which led to the dance floor. He stood there as steadily as he could, peering at each couple, in search of Mac. The ceiling was hung with rainbow balloons, lighted up with tiny bulbs, the only bright glare in the room coming from the lights over the orchestra. From where he stood, the slim outlines of the girls were plainly visible. He thought of a Follies he had once seen. Nude girls in black lace skirts, the light behind them. But these girls were lovelier than any show girls. Their limbs and figures were like tiny bronze figurines of children dancing. A girl smiled at him. She wore a confusion of black and white tulle which lifted as she moved, stirred by the fanning air. She had a wide, sparkling smile.

"Hi, Johnny."

This was a program dance, so he didn't dare cut in. But maybe they wouldn't mind if he danced just one dance by himself. He walked down the steps without slipping. In every corner, the younger girls were whirling pinwheels of bright green, yellow and red. 'Taint No Sin induced them to mad feats of shivering movement. The latest collegiate exaggeration had to be practiced constantly in order to achieve social perfection. They had rehearsed this dance all winter, in the sorority houses, dancing together after every meal. Sarah Ellen was hitching her hips in a double jointed manner. For a moment Johnny thought the world had turned into gayly colored jumping jacks on strings. In a pendulum movement, legs flew out at the sides of swaying bodies. The music dared them to go faster—and they took the dare.

The High Hatters were terrible. Johnny thought he would have to do something about it. Music as loud as theirs should not be allowed to live. He stood grinning down at the young musicians, with his fingers in his ears.

"I know. It's terrible," Jack Jones shouted to him from the piano bench. "But they want this stuff now. What the public wants. The Blue Moon will be out of business soon—no one goes there any more, I hear. You're too good!"

"I'll give this crowd something new next year," Johnny boasted. You going to Paris? I am." He was talking to the High Hatters' leader. The man directed with his acrobatic eyebrows and did a lot of funny stuff which Johnny considered out of style.

"The Beachcombers-on-the-Lake for us this summer," he answered. "You're carrying quite a load there, Goodman. What are you doing here tonight? Why aren't you playing?"

"Night off." Johnny didn't care to explain any more than that. "I do like Lopez. Go around and study the other fellows. Why don't you move your brasses up front?" he suggested professionally.



Johnny wanted one of these children to warm against his stiff shirt front. He wanted to enclose one of them and feel her sweet lips against his face. His lovely Mac should be strolling here beside him, but she had vanished.

The High Hatters thought he was getting quite fresh to come in here and interfere with their performance, but they saw he was pretty oiled and let it go at that.

Mac was not on the floor, so when the dance was over, Johnny searched the cars. He wandered into the parking spaces, opening doors and making himself very unwelcome. He remembered a lot of peculiar things the next day.

"Was that the fifth dance?" he recognized Stew Edward's voice from the dark interior of a sedan. "I want to stay here if it was, because the sixth is my chaperon dance."

"Seventh," Johnny grunted. The chaperons must have felt popular, sitting out all their dances. Johnny felt sorry for the chaperons. He thought for a moment that he ought to dance with one of the poor women. If he ever had to chaperon a stupid college dance, he'd make 'em pay for having him. Ten dollars an evening for keeping his eyes shut.

Why, this was an outrage, Johnny decided. Intermission and every man had his little lady. So Beats My Heart for You. The music was starting up, softly this time with the insidious beat of this song . . . A few couples climbed out of rumble seats and girls were lifted out of cars. They were being drawn back to the music against their wills and their desires. Johnny watched them, the chilly fog of the night pressing against their throats and young arms. He wanted them. He wanted one of them to warm against his stiff shirt front. He wanted to enclose one of these children and feel her sweet lips against his face. His lovely Mac, looking like a Donn Byrne heroine, should be strolling here beside him, getting her slippers damp and not caring. Mac seemed to have vanished . . . so beats my heart . . . for you . . . Glad that was over. It got him. It scared him.

He came upon the black and white car and half expected to discover Mac hidden in the back seat with Jamieson. But Jamieson was tucked in the corner with the only red-head in the chapter. He wondered what Mac would think. When Johnny opened the rear door of the car, Jamieson reached out a foot and aimed a kick at his vest button.

"Be yourself, Goodman. What do you think you are? One of the dean's spies? I wouldn't be surprised." Jamieson and Johnny Goodman had a quiet feud on. The search for Mac went on.

Johnny wandered out onto the links, passing phantom boys and girls who ignored him. He thought of the caddy house and marched as steadily as his legs could move along the gravel path in that direction. There were two forms there. One might be Mac. It wasn't. It was Sarah Ellen and Harry.

"Hello," they both murmured, not exactly hilarious at this intrusion. "Sit down. Could you stand a little drink, Johnny? Where's Mac?" Harry asked. Sarah Ellen looked at him pityingly.

"That's what I'd like to know," Johnny answered defiantly. "Do you know?"

"I don't, Johnny. I was getting a wave after lunch and didn't know she had left town till I saw she wasn't at the dinner."

"Left town?" Johnny was stunned. Then something had happened.

"Yes," Sarah Ellen explained, slightly puzzled. "Margy Smallwood was to tell you that she had been called to Springfield unexpectedly, that she was sorry but for you to have a good time and not to worry. Didn't Marg see you?"

Johnny shook his head. Have a good time! Don't worry! What the ——, on the night of the biggest party of the year—next to prom! He took a long, bitter swallow of very bad gin.

"Last dance, I guess," Harry said, looking at his wrist. "It's 20 minutes of 12." They stood up inside the caddy house and Harry caught Johnny just as he stumbled against a bench. Sarah Ellen supported him on the other side and together they got him out to the car.

"You stay here with him while I get one of the boys," Harry told her. He sat his bundle down on the running board of the roadster. It was not going to be easy to get Johnny deposited in the rumble seat.

"Won't ride in the rumple seat." Johnny swung his head back and forth like a stubborn bear. Harry went in through a side door and motioned to one of his own crowd. With Sarah Ellen's useless assistance, the two boys dragged Johnny into the space at the back.

"Now you stay there," Harry commanded, "or I'll put the lid down and lock you in." They went back to finish the dance and when they returned Johnny had to share the seat with two other people. The girl turned her back on him and tucked her head away like a little bird. The car rushed back to town in order to get to the Tri Kappa house before the others and park in the back drive among the rose bushes for ten minutes of good night. Of course they raced a taxi most of the way and finally lost it. Johnny leaned back, looking up at the windows of Mac's room, wondering, wondering . . .

Read Chapter Two of this thrilling story in Tuesday's Record News.

# FIRE DESTROYS ESTES HOME

## $12,000 Loss in Blaze on Iowa Park Road

The home of A. C. Estes, about six miles out on the Iowa Park road, was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin early Sunday morning. Mr. Estes, who is vice president of the North Texas Building and Loan association, estimated the loss at about $12,000.

The home was unoccupied at the time, Mr. Estes maintaining an apartment in the city for the past month. A keeper who resided in the garage apartment discovered the blaze after the flames had engulfed most of the structure. The fire apparently originated in the second story, according to witnesses. The flames had made such headway when discovered that none of the furnishings was saved.

As the home, a two-story and basement structure, was out of the city limits fire equipment did not go to the scene.

## Sunday School Attendance Climbs

Fair weather Sunday increased the attendance at local Bible schools 4,553 persons over that for the previous Sunday, it was revealed in the reports of the various schools. Sunday's attendance was 7,020 while that for last Sunday was only 2,467.

The largest attendance was reported by the First Baptist with 1,155, while the First Methodist was second with a total of 913.

The reports follow:

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| First Christian | 413 | 204 |
| First Methodist | 913 | 335 |
| Highland Heights Christian | 304 | 140 |
| Grace Methodist | 204 | 76 |
| Church of the Good Shepherd | 102 | .... |
| First Presbyterian | 375 | 217 |
| Highland Heights Baptist | 213 | 35 |
| Floral Heights Presbyterian | 90 | 40 |
| First Southern Presbyterian | 138 | 34 |
| First Church of Christ | 470 | 190 |
| City View Baptist | 68 | .... |
| Yale Avenue Evangelical | 55 | 35 |
| First Baptist | 1155 | 474 |
| First Evangelical | 167 | .... |
| Floral Heights Methodist | 625 | 245 |
| Wilson Memorial Methodist | 89 | .... |
| East Side Presbyterian | 161 | .... |
| Grant Street Methodist | 186 | 33 |
| Lamar Avenue Baptist | 434 | 231 |
| Salvation Army | 89 | .... |
| Adams Street Methodist | 71 | .... |
| Lory Memorial Baptist | 182 | 56 |
| Scotland Baptist | 140 | .... |
| Scotland Methodist | 102 | 29 |
| Church of the Nazarene | 172 | .... |
| Ray Community Christian | 42 | .... |
| Cumberland Presbyterian | 60 | 11 |
| Totals | 7020 | 2467 |

## Two Haskell Vets Get Loan Checks

Special to The Record News.

RULE, Texas, March 8.—J. W. Culpepper, who lives four miles south of Rule and J. W. Sellers who lives north of Rule, are the first two boys in Haskell county to receive their bonus money from Uncle Sam. Mr. Culpepper received something more than $300 and Mr. Sellers received $675. Mr. Culpepper and Mr. Sellers both had their applications in before the bill was passed.

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## CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

(Secretaries of civic and industrial organizations in the city are invited to use this calendar for the daily announcement of regular or special meetings to be held within 30 days from the date of first announcement.)

March 9—"Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," Wichita Falls Little Theater, six days.
Kiwanis club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
March 10—Ad club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
March 11—Lions club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
Optimist club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
March 12—Rotary club meets noon, Kemp hotel.
March 13—Business council to be organized, Kemp hotel, noon.
March 14—Water improvements bond election.
March 19—Religious speakers' forum, Memorial auditorium.
March 20—Rev. R. H. Knoohnizen, Plainview, addresses Junior chamber of commerce, Kemp hotel, noon.
March 23—Federal court opens.
April 1—Airports to consolidate.
April 3—Teachers' examinations, county superintendent's office.
April 7—City election.

## Today — At the Theaters

By ELEANOR FLEMING

LITTLE THEATER: "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," with W. D. Bent of Burkburnett. Playhouse, Avenue H and Polk street, 8 p. m.

MAJESTIC: "War Nurse" with Robert Montgomery and Anita Page. Comedy, "Movie Memories" sketch and sound news.

STRAND: Joan Crawford and Cliff Edwards in "Dance, Fools, Dance!" Silly symphony and sound news.

GEM: "Raffles" with Ronald Colman, Kay Francis and David Torrence. Comedy.

# Wichita Falls Stock Takes Prizes In Shackelford County Exhibit

ALBANY, Texas, March 8.—The Keith Hereford farm of Wichita Falls made an excellent record in the prize winning show of the Shackelford County Hereford Breeders association, held here this past week.

There were a large number of the finest Hereford cattle in Texas entered at the show, and the contests were very close in most instances.

The Keith farm won prizes in the following divisions:

Class 2—Steer, spayed or Martin heifers calved after Jan. 1, 1929, first.

Class 3—Champion steers, spayed or Martin heifers, first.

Class 4—Bulls calved before April 30, 1928, second.

Class 6—Bulls calved Jan. 1 to April 30, 1929, first.

Class 7—Bulls calved May 1 to Aug. 31, 1929, fifth.

Class 8—Bulls calved Sept. 1 to Dec. 31, 1929, second and fourth.

Class 9—Bulls calved Jan. 1 to April 30, 1930, third.

Class 13—Three bulls any age owned by exhibitor, third.

Class 14—Two bulls any age bred and owned by exhibitor, third and fourth.

Class 15—Cows calved before April 30, 1928, second and third.

Class 17—Heifers calved Jan. 1 to April 30, 1929, third and fourth.

Class 19—Heifers calved Sept. 1 to Dec. 31, 1929, first.

Class 20—Heifers calved Jan. 1 to April 30, 1930, fourth.

Class 24—Get of sire, to consist of four head any age, both sexes represented, all to be owned by exhibitor, fourth.

Class 25—Two females, any age, bred and owned by exhibitor, third.

Class 27—Pair calves, one bull and one heifer, calved Sept. 1, 1929 to April 30, 1930, second.

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# MEDICO LIKES WATER HERE

## Dr. Swartz Says He's Getting Fat on It

To voters and taxpayers of Wichita Falls:

Being next to oldest physician in point of service in the city and in view of all that is being said about water and water bonds I want to give my frank and honest opinion about the condition of our water.

I cannot speak from the standpoint of a chemist, as every one knows that doctors are not chemists. They know some chemistry but they ever become real chemists they must have special training, expensive laboratory equipment and these things the average physician can ill afford. I have practiced here for a number of years and have treated perhaps as much typhoid as any physician here and have always looked for the source of the infection and can state that all of my patients either got the infection from some source other than water or else were drinking cistern water.

Only last summer there was a roar made about the swimming pools being contaminated and at that time the city health department made the statement that there was no danger in the water in these pools and that same was free from contamination. I have confidence in the present officers to make honest statements backed up by facts of thorough tests in proof of such statements. The water that goes into the swimming pools does not go through a filter as does the water going into the mains and the chlorinator.

Advice from laboratories that chemically test our city water is that many tests from time to time find the water good and have reported no condition to our city health department indicating water that is unhealthful. I have never felt afraid of the water here and in fact feel that our water agrees with me as my weight when I came to Wichita Falls was 130 pounds and I now weigh 185 pounds.

Now, as to the bonded indebtedness I know that we already have plenty of it; that our present condition does not demand a million dollars spent on water, and that we ought to pay some of our present bonded debt before adding any more. Necessary improvements can be made when the necessity arises and I believe can be made out of water department income. I am paying all the taxes I can stand and thousands of other people tell me they are in the same condition.

(Signed)
DR. W. W. SWARTS, M. D.

## Kiwanians to Hear Agricultural Expert

C. H. McDowell, director of the state agricultural experiment station at Iowa Park, will speak before members of the Kiwanis club at the Kemp hotel Monday noon, according to Ro Haynes, secretary.

Aside from Mr. McDowell's talk, the program will include several numbers by McGregor Brown, baritone, who will be accompanied by Lee Irwin.

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