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Ten Persons, Trapped By Flames, Burn To

Attack Is Made On Federal Farm Board

Legge Flayed By Simpson in Dallas Speech

National President of Farmers Union Renews Assault on Farm Board; Operations in Exchanges Scored

Probe Is Demanded

Letter from Senator Quoted Saying Legge in Favor of Keeping Prices of Cotton and Wheat Down

(By The Associated Press) DALLAS, Dec. 29.—John A. Simpson, president of the Farmers Union, renewed his attack on the Federal Farm Board, and its president, Alexander Legge, in an address today before the Texas Farmers Union and the Farmers Marketing Association of America.

Simpson quoted from a purported letter from Senator Elmer Thomas of Oklahoma, a member of the senate agricultural committee. Thomas was quoted as stating that Legge admitted to the committee that he had not wanted the price of cotton and wheat to advance at present.

The speaker read from the letter that the Farm Board chairman admitted the board sold 3,000,000 bushels of wheat on the Chicago stock exchange November 22 to keep the price down so it would be in the reach of the buying public in these depressed days.

Legge also admitted he did not believe it would be to the best interests of the public for the price of cotton to be higher, Simpson stated. "He does not realize that history shows the price of wheat has nothing to do with the price of bread, that of cotton with the price of clothes," the speaker went on.

Simpson said the Farm Board's practice of buying and selling futures on the exchanges could result in persons who knew of the planned transactions in advance making millions from personal operations on the market. This he described as an unwholesome condition.

Senator Caraway of Arkansas and Senator Frasier of North Dakota, other members of the senate agricultural committee confirmed Senator Thomas' statements, Simpson said.

W. R. Bettes Is Taken by Death

Lubbock Business Man Victim of Pneumonia Attack Here Monday After Illness of Only Forty-eight Hours

Only 48 hours, W. R. Bettes, of the Texas Oil and Tire company, on Tenth street, died unexpectedly at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon following an attack of double pneumonia, which developed Saturday.

Local Business Men See Prosperity Return in '31



R. J. MURRAY



O. L. SLATON

Prison Mutiny Is Frustrated

Twelve Desperate Prisoners Escape from Cells, Seize Control of Pen Block; Surrender Without Struggle

(By The Associated Press) MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Dec. 29.—Twelve desperate convicts escaped from their cells in the Indiana state penitentiary today, overpowered the guard and seized control of the cell block, but surrendered without a struggle to a large force of guards, city policemen and firemen.

The 12, all of whom had attempted to escape within the last year, were released from their cells with a key made from a spoon by Joseph Burns, bank robber and leader of the escape plot. They rushed the guard, Guy Burklow, but before they could gag him he shouted for help.

Warden W. H. Daly, and his staff responded, but found the cell house doors barricaded. City police rushed into the penitentiary grounds and covered the cell block with machine guns while city firemen manned the prison walls. The prisoners surrendered. Not a shot had been fired. They apparently had no firearms hidden and guards inside the cell houses do not carry weapons.

Special Forms of Athletics in Texas Schools Over Emphasized, Board Finds

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, Dec. 29.—A report of a special committee, which found "the public schools of Texas" in some instances, are over emphasizing the importance of special forms of athletics, to the neglect of proper physical training for all the children, was adopted today by the state board of education.

The committee based its report on questionnaires sent to all schools. "With many high schools, the report said, 'entirely to

Brighter Prospects For Coming Year Voiced Here

PREDICTING a return to prosperity in 1931, a half dozen Lubbock business men, interviewed yesterday for the prospects for the coming year, painted a rosy picture of the future in comparison with the past few months.

Bankers and merchants joined in the assertion that better business conditions are ahead. They believe that farm conditions are better and that farmers are adjusting themselves to lower prices by cutting production costs.

The interviews revealed that the farmer is getting away from the one-crop idea; that prices, both retail and wholesale, are the lowest in years and that the dollar has a greater buying power today than it had in the closing days of 1929 and the early part of 1930.

Bankers intimated they would carry over their customers in an effort to meet the present situation. Some of the comments are:

R. J. MURRAY, President, chamber of commerce: "Business prospects for 1931 are the best I have ever seen on the South Plains. The people have confidence now and I am looking for a big increase. 'Within a year's time we will never know that there has been a depression. 'Farm prospects are splendid. Our people the Santa Fe are going to carry along those who have bought land from us. We always have done this and we will do the same this year. 'A goodly number of our farming people prepared for next year by taking care of themselves in 1930 by canning and taking care of their crops. 'Business may be a little quiet for the first few months but if we get good crops, things will pick up."

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O. L. SLATON, President, First National Bank: "We have had a good season and prospects for crops are better now than they usually are at this time of the year. 'A goodly number of our farming people prepared for next year by taking care of themselves in 1930 by canning and taking care of their crops. 'Business may be a little quiet for the first few months but if we get good crops, things will pick up."

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YESTERDAY afternoon the venerable 78-year-old warrior sank into a coma and no one felt that he would last the night. But his staunch constitution held, and his two chief physicians, Professor Leitch and Dr. Boulin, left the hospital at St. Jean de Dieu at 30 minutes past midnight after previously refusing to stir from the sickbed.

many inter-school contests are indulged in, and these contests cover too large a scope of territory and entail too great a loss of time from school and money of the participating towns. 'The committee termed it "unjust" to appropriate the taxpayers' money in order to benefit a few students and disturb the program of a large majority of students. 'The action is not in keeping with the general welfare of the community.



L. C. ELLIS



R. SHERROD

Plan to Crush Mohammedans

Chinese Military Expedition Ordered to Rout Moslem Fanatics After 30,000 Persons Reported Slain

(By The Associated Press) SHANGHAI, Dec. 29.—The Chinese government ordered a military expedition today to scatter or destroy the Mohammedan army reported to have massacred 30,000 or more Chinese in a renewal of the age-old conflict of race and religion.

Starting from Turkwan, western railroad in Shensi, the expedition will march across famine-stricken Shensi and Kansu provinces in frigid weather and attempt to rout Moslem fanatics in the mountains of northwestern Kansu. The difficult campaign is expected to require months.

Stories of fiendish slaughter, coming through broken communications, asserted that the Moslems had engaged in wholesale assassination for two months in the isolated region, looting and destroying several towns after killing inhabitants.

Twenty thousand were reported killed in one town before fire swept through the place, consuming bodies piled high in the streets. Government dispatches from Lanchow described the execution of 4,000 men, lined against a wall and shot. The women were carried off, while children were left to freeze or starve. Appealing for aid, the Lanchow officials said unless troops were sent, the Mohammedans would slay every Chinese of northwestern Kansu.

UPHOLDS PRO LAW Judge Says Amendment Valid, Legally Ratified

BOSTON, Dec. 29. (AP)—Judge James A. Lowell rendered a one paragraph opinion today ruling the 18th amendment was constitutional and legally ratified. "In the case of the United States vs. Falmer in Rhode Island the supreme court ruled that the 18th amendment is constitutional and I am bound by that decision. The motion to quash is denied."

C-C Sponsors Drive to Aid Jobless Here

Directors Vote to Furnish Necessary Machinery for Carrying on Campaign to Alleviate Unemployment

Committee to Meet

Cooperation of Citizenship Asked in Work; John Dalrymple Named Chairman of Steering Committee

A T THE request of citizens who have been working to unify the citizenship of Lubbock and relieve the unemployment here, directors of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce yesterday voted to sponsor the movement and to provide necessary machinery for carrying out the plans of the campaign.

John Dalrymple, who has been in charge of the work thus far, was appointed general chairman of a steering committee from the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce to direct the campaign.

Other members of the committee, who will meet again this morning at 9 o'clock at the chamber of commerce offices to organize the campaign, follow: Spencer A. Wells, H. W. Stanton, C. B. Powell, Geo. A. Simmons, H. L. Allen and J. A. Hodges.

The committee estimated that from four to five hundred people in Lubbock now need employment. The efforts of the committee will be to obtain the cooperation of every possible citizen toward the goal of giving old jobs and regular employment to these workers.

Every business concern will be urged to maintain its force and wage scale. "One thing we want the workers to definitely understand now," Mr. Dalrymple said after the meeting, "is that we do not have any work now and will not have any soon. We do not want idle workers to apply for work. That will only hamper us and prevent the committee and employers of the chamber of commerce from doing the present job that of obtaining some jobs, as well as we otherwise could."

"We do not want idle workers to cease efforts to get employment, depending upon this committee to give him a job. 'The Chamber of Commerce can not wave a magic wand and obtain 300 jobs. It will be only through the hearty cooperation of all Lubbock citizens that we can obtain employment."

Texas Student Freed on Bond

Robert L. Williams, Son of Methodist Minister, Charged with Murder of Girl He Hoped to Marry

(By The Associated Press) PORT ARTHUR, Dec. 29.—Robert L. Williams, 18, University of Texas sophomore, charged with the slaying of Miss Elizabeth Johnson, 16, the girl he had hoped to marry, was released under \$10,000 bond today after he waived a preliminary hearing.

Shortly after Justice of the Peace T. A. Butler, in whose court the charge against Williams had been preferred, announced the amount of bond, it was made with C. T. Baker, E. P. Baker, J. C. Zeck and W. S. Martin as sureties.

Brother in Court The university student, who came here from his home in Austin, where his father, the Rev. S. W. Williams, is pastor of the First Methodist church, was held in the county jail.

New Year Starts In Few Hours

NEW YORK, Dec. 29. (AP)—Far out in the Pacific ocean, where all new days are born, little happy New Year of 1931 will be starting within a few hours his triumphal 24-hour journey round the world.

Westward he'll travel over oceans and seas, over the flowery kingdom, the great wall of China, Russian Steppes, Indian and African jungles, over mountains and forests, over deserts and arctic wastes, over the old capitals of Europe and the new capitals of the western world.

On his arrival in New York he'll be grown up and by the time he reaches San Francisco he will be nearly 24 hours old.

Expect Arrest In Slaying of Two Teachers

Clue Found in Murdering of Oklahoma Sisters; Attack of Younger Victim Offered as Only Motive in Deaths

(By The Associated Press) BLACKWELL, Okla., Dec. 28.—Moving secretly, officers believed the slayer of two Blackwell school teacher sisters was not far off tonight.

As earlier leads exploded, County Attorney Bruce Potter announced that in their possession a clue that would lead to the arrest and positive identification of the man who shot Jessie and Zelia Griffith to death and tossed their bodies from their motor car on a cross-state highway near Tonkawa, Okla., early Sunday.

Arrest Expected. The county attorney qualified his statement with the phrase, "if he is found" but said he expected to make an arrest soon. With police Chief Charles Wagner of Tonkawa, Potter was conducting an intensive search late today.

Potter said the only motive for the slaying apparently was mistreatment of the younger sister, Zelia, 24. He would not elaborate on his meager statement.

Two physicians, J. A. Jones and J. C. Wolf, confirmed reports the younger sister had been criminally attacked.

Bodies Found. The Griffiths were driving from Blackwell to their respective positions after spending the holidays with their parents here. Their bullet-perced bodies were found near U. S. Highway No. 77 south of Tonkawa, a few hours after they left home Sunday morning. Zelia's blood-stained coupe later was discovered 20 miles farther south on the same road.

Today officers at Enid, Okla., concurred with authorities here and released Lyman Constant, former inmate of an asylum for the insane, arrested at Enid last night. They said he knew nothing of the crime beyond what he had heard while hitchhiking along the road.

CLIMAX IS EXPECTED

Law Enforcement Commission To Make Report Soon

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. (AP)—The climax of a 18-month investigation into prohibition apparently was in sight tonight for members of the law enforcement commission, but the exact date when a dry law report can be laid on President Hoover's desk remained indefinite.

Congressional leaders today heard reports that the long-awaited document could be laid before them by Tuesday, January 6, but this found little or no support at commission headquarters.

Exact Number Of Guests in Fire Unknown

Old Canadian Hostelry Razed with Loss Estimated to Be \$75,000; Blaze Cuts Off Escape of Victims

Recover One Body

Son of Proprietor Makes Way to Safety but Returns for Wife and Children; Entire Family Burns to Death

(By The Associated Press) COCHRANE, Ont., Dec. 29.—Trapped on the upper floors of the Queen Hotel, an old hostelry, at least 10 persons lost their lives to time when flames cut off their escape down the single stairway.

The hotel, with accommodations for 100, was destroyed with a loss estimated at \$75,000.

Exact Number Unknown. The basement of the building had been used as a lodging house for jobless men, but some 75 occupants sleeping there when the fire broke out were believed to have escaped. The exact number of guests in the upper floors of the hotel could not be determined, for the register was burned.

Charles Palangio, son of the proprietor, made his way to safety but went back to try to save his wife and four small children. The entire family was burned to death. At least four others were believed to have died, although the body of only one man was recovered.

Several persons fractured ankles leaping from windows and one woman was taken to a hospital badly burned.

Charles Reeve, a 37-year brakeman, one of the first to arrive on the scene, said he saw several men at upper windows vainly trying to escape, but he was powerless to aid them.

"I heard them shouting and screaming," he said. "Then a sheet of flame billowed up from the floor below and the shouting suddenly stopped."

The owner of the hotel, James Palangio, Jr., three of his sons and four girl employes escaped in night clothes.

Kills Her Two Children, Self

Wife of Indianapolis Lawyer Strangles One Child, Drowns Another Before Taking Own Life; Blame Despondency

(By The Associated Press) INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Ruth Nicholas, 32, wife of an Indianapolis attorney, killed her two children, drowning one and strangling the other, then fired a bullet into her head with an army revolver, ending her own life here today.

The woman had been despondent. The boy, Richard Allen Nicholas, two, was drowned and the girl, Virginia, five, strangled to death with a towel. The boy's body was found in a crib, the clothing saturated with water. A tub of water was near the body.

The body of Mrs. Nicholas was found in her bedroom across the hall, the sheet pulled over her head to deepen the sound of the shot. She clutched a 38 calibre army revolver.

Royal A. Nicholas, husband of Mrs. Nicholas, said the bodies when he returned home from his office. He said his wife had been brooding for several days because they could not move to California to join other relatives. They had once lived in that state.

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When the 1931 annual appears at Dodd College for Girls, Shreveport, La., this picture of charming Miss Mary D. Gunter, above, will appear in the publication's 'Hall of Fame.' The reason is Mary has been elected prettiest girl at the college. She lives in Delhi, La.

A. J. Payne Is New Secretary Of Slaton C-C

Civic Leader and Business Man of City for Thirteen Years Chosen to Succeed L. A. Wilson, Who Goes to Vernon

(Special to The Avalanche) SLATON, Dec. 28.—A. J. Payne, for the past 13 years a civic leader and business man of this city, tonight was chosen as secretary of the chamber of commerce from a field of 20 applicants, for the position made vacant by the recent resignation of L. A. Wilson.

Mr. Payne has been engaged in the dry goods and ready to wear business. He has been prominent in church and civic affairs, is now superintendent of the M. E. Sunday school and formerly was president of the chamber of commerce. He is a director of the chamber.

The new secretary is president of the Slaton Rotary club, being a charter member of that group. He is a past president of the Slaton Retail Merchants association. He moved here from Colorado, Texas.

It is planned for Mr. Payne to assume his new duties about January 8 or 10. Mr. Wilson is leaving about that time for Vernon, where he succeeds Grady Shipps as C. C. secretary. Mr. Shipps goes to Plainview this time to become secretary in place of Maury Hopkins, who is now sub-district manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

REPRESENTATIVE DIES

NEW YORK, Dec. 29. (AP)—David J. O'Connell, representative in congress from the 9th New York district (Brooklyn) fell dead late today in a Manhattan street while returning home from the Library District office where he was an executive.

FLAYS SENATOR NYE

Nutt Says Solon in Headline Hunting Investigation

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. (AP)—Flaccid waters hid the Norris-Lucas row today, but the sweep of the waves it set up brought a charge from Joseph R. Nutt that Senator Nye of North Carolina was conducting a headline hunting investigation against the republican party.

Nutt, who is treasurer of the republican-national committee, took cognizance of the statement by Nye yesterday in Florida. "As was to have been expected," Nutt said, chairman Nye of the senate elections investigating committee, declines to apologize for his unwarranted assertion that I set up a "slush fund" in Washington for the use of the republican national committee during the last campaign, but he indignantly states that "it is barely possible that further investigation may reveal that the \$40,000 was not a slush fund."

WEST TEXAS: Increasing darkness Tuesday, probably becoming unsettled Wednesday. Local temperature minimum 40; maximum 54.

The Weather... IT'S EASIER TO GET THESE IF YOU REALLY KNOW WHERE YOUR BOUND FOR... [Illustration of a person with a weather instrument]

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An Independent Democratic newspaper supporting in its editorial columns the principles which it believes to be right and opposing those questions which it believes to be wrong, regardless of party politics, publishing the news fairly and impartially at all times.

Full Leased Wire Service

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Sunday was a day when seven planes were in the air, and no one was coming more than a few days in the year, that planes were there was only one.

is own in the South-land factor of transportation, the more heavily populated country. The fact that people are flying in the air, that planes are having its effect.

of airplane accidents and their that the plane of today is nearly 100 times more mechanically than that of a few years ago.

more than two-thirds of accidents attributed to engine failure are not fundamentally the fault of the motor but can be traced directly to faulty operation, maintenance or inspection. Of greater importance, however, is the fact that most air accidents are due to human error.

The human factor always will be of paramount importance in aviation. An airplane, more than any other means of transportation, must always be under the complete control of a competent pilot. If he misjudges, or takes chances, or falls in any manner or means, disaster may follow.

What happens every day when automobiles are placed in the hands of incapable, reckless and thoughtless drivers places emphasis on the human element in aviation. Unfortunately for the reputation of safety of air transportation, the speed maniac who once "burned up" the roads is now doing his best to kill himself in the air. Just as the motor car had to live down the bad reputation his type gave, so much the airplane.

The average American is now born an expert automobile driver. Future generations may find piloting a plane no less instinctive.

Anything can happen. But not enough things do.

The first essential to success is labor, the second is skill.

Instead of having cigars named after them now our famous men write their memoirs.

Work will minimize the worries of all people except those who worry because they have to work.

You can't tell about married people. Pet names live on long after the affection that inspired them is dead.

When a girl wants a man to save his money he is going to need it.

Looking down on others doesn't place you above them.

Why must secrets worry us? They are nothing to speak of.

Practical Health Problems

ACCIDENTS IN INDUSTRY

Greater Protection Needed for Young Workers; Study Shows Fewer Women Are Hurt Than Men

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEN, Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine

It is estimated that there are from 15,000 to 25,000 fatal accidents in industry in the United States every year. There are, moreover, more than 100,000 accidents that cause permanent disability and at least 2,500,000 cases of disability of one day or more.

These facts have caused a great amount of study to be devoted to methods of prevention and to attempts to find out the causes of accidents. Only when the cause is known is it possible scientifically to plan for prevention.

One of the first steps has been an attempt to find out whether men or women are more likely to suffer accidents and whether or not the number of women in industry has in any way increased the likelihood of danger. As might be expected, in view of the number of women employed in industry and the nature of the occupations in which they are employed, accidents to women were actually and relatively fewer than those to men.

A much larger proportion of women injured than of men were under 21 years of age. More than one-half of injuries to women occurred in manufacturing. There were also considerable numbers among workers in hotels and restaurants and among women who served as scrub women or janitresses in buildings.

In factories in which women were most frequently injured, the substances manufactured were food, clothing, textiles, metals and vehicles. Among women, machinery was the principal cause of accidents, and falls was second. The handling of objects came as third cause.

Among men, the handling of objects and, to a less extent, falls caused more accidents than did machinery. In the state of New York, sewing machines, power presses and food products machinery were most frequently responsible for accidents to women workers.

In a survey of the situation, the United States Department of Labor points out that machinery is more frequently responsible for accidents to women, particularly to those under 21 years of age, and that boys are almost as frequently injured by machines as are girls. Dangerous machines for employees under 21 years of age include power punches, drill presses, stamping machines and woodworking machines.

In many states certain occupations are prohibited to young people. Apparently under present regulations, insufficient protection is given to young workers. Boys and girls are certainly not as careful as adults and are more likely to take chances. One of the first steps in lowering the number of accidents in industry would seem to be the establishment of better regulations controlling the ages of the workers permitted to operate dangerous machines.

What Other People Think
It is characteristic of Americans, I think, that we go in for a feast or a famine. The lads of Wall Street are either in a mood where they believe that everything will go to 900 or that there is no resting place for stocks this side of zero—if even there.—Raymond Brown, columnist.

Fashion is not established by the grand couturiers in their salons in Paris. Fashion, in the last analysis, is only what is accepted by our own smart women.—Fannie Arma, Cleveland style expert.

Many of our troubles, political and religious, are due to people having a very shabby idea of what words mean.—Dr. Cyril A. Alington.

Miller is living on the empty stomach of Germany.—Albert Einstein.

I believe more positively in my own ideas, right or wrong.—George Jean Nathan.

Headed for Doom

By CHARLES F. STEWART, Central Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The U. S. supreme court generally is mentioned by congressional leaders when discussing their favorite topic (the inequities, as they regard them, of the eighteenth amendment and its offspring, the Volstead act), in a fashion plainly implying their view that it is a dry tribunal. They express this sentiment rather guardedly; one does not lightly impute prejudice to the supreme court. Nevertheless there is no mistaking their impression that it has deliberately given the "break" to prohibition on every decision it has handed down on the subject.

Hence wets on Capitol hill are not particularly enthusiastic over Federal Judge William Clark's recent ruling at Newark, N. J., holding the dry amendment never to have been validly ratified.

As to the net result of their conclusions, however, the wets and dries agree.—The supreme court is bone dry. CONSIDERING the frequency of their split judgments on other cases, it is surprising how the justices have stuck together on the highly controversial question of prohibition.

They almost certainly are not all believers in the principle of it. Though quoted after his death to an effect suggesting his conversion, the late Chief Justice Taft's earlier utterances were anything but dry. Yet he was dry enough judicially. Justice Holmes is spoken of by close friends as a prohibition skeptic. But he has acquiesced in every one of the court's dry decisions. Chief Justice Hughes and Justice Roberts, it is true, are of too recent appointment to have had any significant wet-and-dry issues presented to them in their time on the bench. At most they would be but two votes against seven and wets have no serious hopes even of their aid.

Somehow, regardless of its individual members' personal ideas, the U. S. supreme court, officially in session, seems solidly dry.

SHORTLY before he was de-humanized by appointment to the supreme bench, I had an interview with the then Attorney General Harlan P. Stone, during which he touched on the subject of prohibition.

"We are engaged," he said, "in a great social experiment. (It sounds a little like the Hooverian reference to "an experiment poble in purpose," but there was no flub-dub about this remark of the attorney general's, he was talking practical law enforcement.)

Then, with much emphasis, "And it is entitled to a fair chance. I thought he had finished and got up. He hadn't quite finished, however.

"As to its final outcome," he said, "who knows?"

JUSTICE STONE is only one justice among the supreme court's nine, but occasionally I have wondered since then whether the prohibition philosophy he evidently took into its counsels with him is not fairly representative of the entire court—if the justices, all of them, wet and dry, have not simply made up their minds, quibbles and technicalities to the contrary notwithstanding, to give prohibition every possible chance for its white alley, as long as they believe it stands any chance whatever.

Otherwise, it seems incredible that diverging as widely as some of them do, mentally and temperamentally, on far less disputatious problems, they should concur so heartily and invariably as to every aspect of this one.

It also has wondered semi-occasionally, since he became a supreme justice, just what the then attorney general meant by his concluding remark—what policy he would consider in order if ever a time arrived when he felt that prohibition had HAD its chance and fizzled. I wish he had made that point clearer to me, because I would like to foster myself that I know what at least one United States supreme justice's attitude really IS on the wet-and-dry question.

TIMIDITY IN THE SENATE
The action of the senate foreign relations committee in postponing action on the question of American adhesion to the World Court for another year was not a victory for the anti-adhesionists as much as it was a humiliating defeat for the administration supporters who allowed themselves to be used into submission by a handful of politicians.

Timidity! That explains it. Friends of the court, fearful of defeat without cause, were stampeded by an obviously weak opposition into voting not to report the protocols until next December. Had the friends of the court possessed the courage of the conspirators, who have a right to gloat over their victory against great odds in numbers, the battle would now be over, the cause of world peace the victor.

At the worst, had the committee reported out the protocols, two weeks of talk by senators unfriendly to American adhesion would be followed by cloture, which would result 48 hours later in settling the issue.

Though the opposition is claiming as many as 20 senators, it is not likely that in a showdown more than 14 would vote against American entrance. That disposes of the specious excuse that postponement was necessary to prevent a legislative jam and a special session.

You can tell about how a boy will turn out if you know what time he turns in.

Don Juan would have made a killing in this age of personal-experience magazines.

Obedience to the admonition to love one another waits upon sound religion and sound digestion.

Explanation of the great fortunes made in rubber: Americans yearning to be where they ain't.

Courtesy is just a subtle business of leaving the other fellow's sense of importance undisturbed.

Today's One-Minute Sermon
Be not thou therefore ashamed of the testimony of our Lord, nor of me his prisoner; but be thou partaker of the afflictions of the gospel according to the power of God.—Timothy, 1:8.

Believe It Or Not

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By Ripley

On request, sent with stamped, self-addressed envelope. Ripley will send proof and details of anything BY RIPLY depicted by him.

BONNIE ANNIE LAURIE REALLY LIVED!

BUT SHE DID NOT MARRY THE AUTHOR OF THE SONG THAT IMMORTALIZED HER. Although she - "GIE'D HIM HER PROMISE TRUE" And he "erred to LAY ME DOWN AND DEE" SHE MARRIED ANOTHER



WILBUR CARTWRIGHT MIAMI (OHIO) ADVANCED THE BALL 1168 YARDS FROM SCRIMPAGE IN 9 GAMES

MIAMI'S OPPONENTS ONLY GAINED 264 YDS



SIGNATURE OF JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH

EXPLANATION OF SATURDAY'S CARTOON

MRS. ELIZABETH PEYRE MANNING
Mrs. Elizabeth Peyre Manning, nee Richardson, (1794-1878) was the niece, wife, sister, mother, aunt and grandmother of governors, all of South Carolina. She was the niece of James Burchell Richardson, Governor 1802-04; the wife of Richard I. Manning, Governor 1824-26; the sister of John P. Richardson, Governor 1840-42; the mother of John L. Manning, Governor 1843-44; the aunt of John P. Richardson, Jr., Governor 1886-90; and the grandmother of Richard I. Manning, Governor 1915-19.

Editorial: The Historical Society, New York City, contributor of this suggestion.

GERMAN BANK NOTES WERE USED FOR PRESCRIPTIONS

When the German Government stabilized the Rentenmark (its new currency) at the rate of one new mark equal to one billion old marks, the small 50,000,000 mark banknotes circulating in Germany were worth about one cent in American money. As the banknotes were only printed on one side, doctors found it convenient, as well as picturesque, to use the banknotes as a prescription blanks. The example I used is a bona fide prescription which was filled by a German apo-theary.

THOMAS RUTLEDGE
In April 1830 Thomas Officer Rutledge laid out and deeded to the public what is now known as Old Oak Grove Cemetery, in Empire township, Illinois. Mr. Rutledge, who died August 23, 1830, was the first to be buried in the cemetery and was also the first white man to be buried in the township.

TOMORROW: "A REMARKABLE FOOTBALL RECORD."

Murder At Bridge

by ANNE AUSTIN author of "THE BLACK PIGEON," "THE AVENGING PARROT" and "MURDER BACKSTAIRS"

BEGIN HERE TODAY

SPECIAL INVESTIGATOR DUNDEE, at the house of JUANITA SELIM, killed at a bridge party, orders the guests to take the positions they held at the time of the "death hand" when Nita was killed.

Questioning CLIVE HAMOND and his fiancée, POLLY BEALE, who were in the solarium, Dundee learns that Polly came to Nita's house before lunch, found KALPH HAMMOND, who was there to see about remodeling the attic of the house, called up Nita to break the luncheon engagement and had lunch with Clive and Ralph. Neither Clive nor Polly will admit that there is anything queer in their conduct, or that they know why Ralph did not turn up for cocktail.

Dundee believes that their actions have something to do with Ralph's acknowledged infatuation for Nita.

MILES, Dundee learns, drove straight to the house and came in. JUDGE MARSHALL was driven there by a friend, coming in soon after "death hand" began. He saw no one, JOHN DRAKE, walking from the Country Club, came in from the road, seeing no one. DEXTER SPRAGUE, the most nervous of the group, took the bus and walked from the bus to the house. JANET RAYMOND, stationed on the front porch, came in with him. Angry at the questioning, Janet accuses Nita's maid, LYDIA, of the murder.

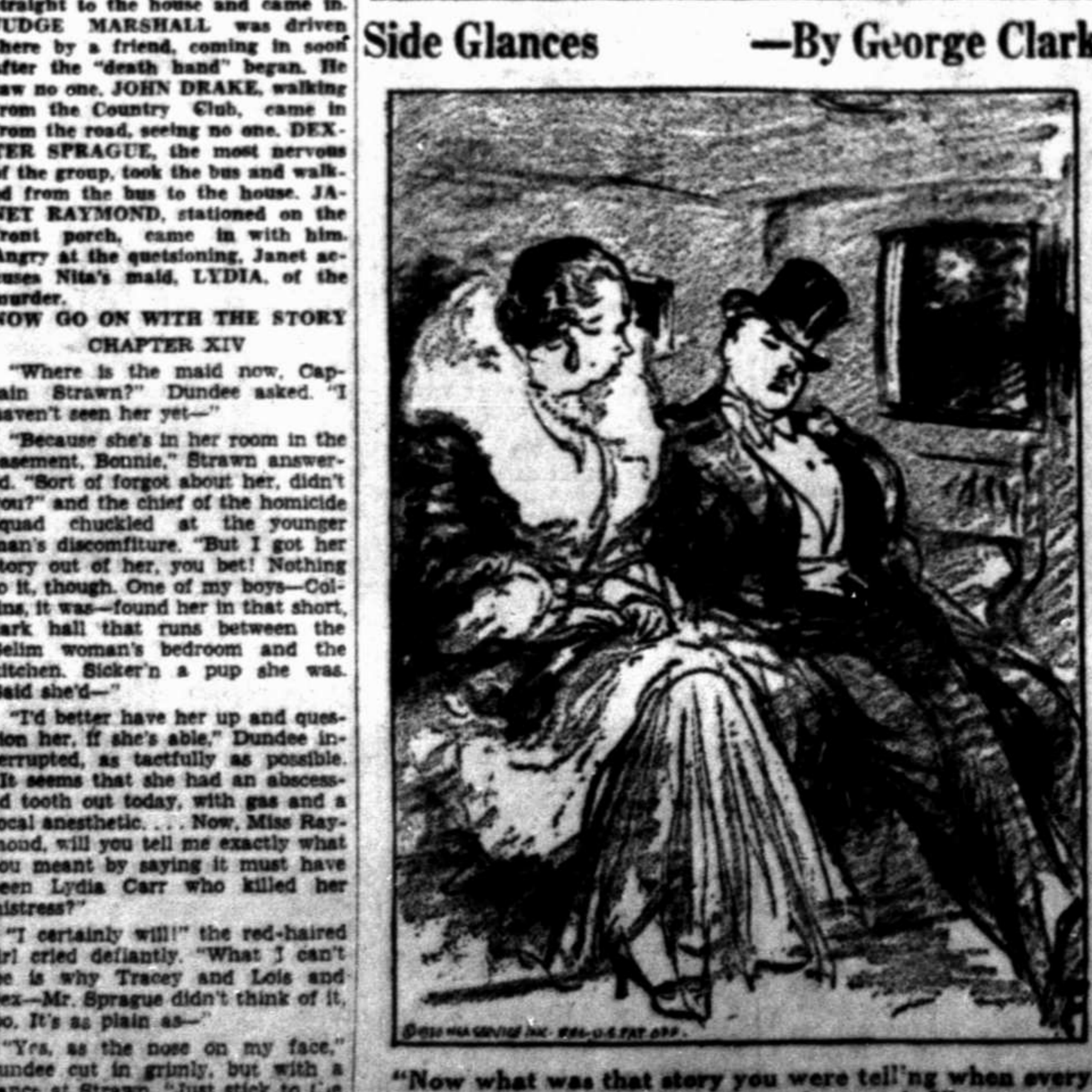
NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY - CHAPTER XIV
"Where is the maid now, Captain Strawn?" Dundee asked. "I haven't seen her yet."

"Because she's in her room in the basement, Bonnie," Strawn answered. "Sort of forgot about her, didn't you?" and the chief of the homicide squad chuckled at the younger man's discomfiture. "But I got her story out of her, you bet! Nothing to it, though. One of my boys—Collins, it was—found her in that short, dark hall that runs between the Selim woman's bedroom and the kitchen. Sicker'n a pup she was. Said she—"

"Tid better have her up and question her, if she's able," Dundee interrupted, as tactfully as possible. "It seems that she had an abscessed tooth out today, with gas and a local anesthetic. Now, Miss Raymond, will you tell me exactly what you meant by saying it must have been Lydia Carr who killed her mistress?"

"I certainly will!" the red-haired girl cried defiantly. "What I can't see is why Tracey and Lois and Dex—Mr. Sprague didn't think of it, too. It's as plain as—"

"Yes, as the nose on my face," Dundee cut in grimly, but with a glance at Strawn. "Just stick to the facts, however, Miss Raymond, and



Side Glances —By George Clark

Lydia, but I stepped on the button under the dining table, and the poor thing—in the basement nursing her jaw, probably—didn't hear. Tracey and I got to kidding, as Janet says, and had scarcely noticed how long Lydia was in coming I rang again, and she came. That's all."

"That isn't all!" Janet denied angrily. "I was there when Lydia came in, and she was looking white as a ghost—except for her swollen jaw. What's more, she acted so dumb Tracey had to tell her twice what he wanted, and then spell it for her. . . . And she said Nita didn't have any of those bottles anyway."

"An open-and-shut case against poor Lydia!" Penny Crain cut in derisively. "Go pluck daisies, Janet! You'd be of a lot more help."

"Here's you maid, Bonnie," Captain Strawn announced lastly, as

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Letters to the Editor

INSTALLING NEW SYSTEM

LOVINGTON, Dec. 29. (Special)—A new telephone system is being installed in Lovington according to an announcement made here by State telephone officials this week. All of the old lines are being removed and new conduits and other modern equipment for first class service is being installed. Mr. Spearman, local manager said that the subscribers had increased 300 per cent during this year. A division headquarters building will also be erected on main street early in the year.

LOSSES REPORTED

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Dec. 29.—The Binghamton Press says today that losses of nearly \$2,500,000 have been discovered in the check-up of the State bank of Binghamton, the president of which, Andrew J. Horvath, is a fugitive from justice.

People of the Irish Free State have bought \$45,000,000 worth of government saving certificates.

J. T. MAY.

COLDS MAY DEVELOP INTO PNEUMONIA

Coughs from colds may lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified cream that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a medical discovery with two-fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth.

Of all known drugs creomulsion is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for coughs from colds and bronchial irritations. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and stop the irritation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of coughs from colds, bronchitis and minor forms of bronchial irritations, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or flu. Money refunded if not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. (Adv.)

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Grid Coaches Engage In Bitter Arguments

Matadors Open Cage Season Tomorrow Night

Gar Wood, Kaye Don May Joust In Water Classic

In Grid Debate



College circles have been deeply stirred by an attack on present-day football by Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, top, president of Columbia University, and W. W. (Bill) Roper, former Princeton coach, below. Dr. Butler advocates abolition of gate receipts for collegiate athletics and Roper predicts the doom of football within five years unless the intensive and long training of teams is stopped. Butler's suggestion that alumni finance football has been sharply criticized by athletic heads throughout the country.

The Great Shires Lodged in Cooler For Safe Keeping

By The Associated Press. HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 29.—The motion picture career of Charles Arthur (The Great) Shires bumped to a sudden halt today, to allow its principals time to get out of jail.

AGENT EXPECTED HERE

To Investigate Ownership of Car Taken by Police

A federal department of justice agent is expected here from Dallas today to investigate the ownership of the Ford sedan two men who were arrested Saturday night in the wholesale district, were driving when taken into custody by city police.

Victor H. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner here, was advised late yesterday that an agent was to be expected in Lubbock Tuesday. The car is believed to have been stolen in Roswell, N. M.

Police, after a brief investigation, later turned the men over to the federal authorities.

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Speediest Boats Will Race on Miama Waters Soon

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Dec. 29.—Gar Wood, America's speed boat king and international champion, again will send his fastest mount against the speediest boat in England, if America's invitation to match races here this spring is accepted.

The invitation has been extended to Kaye Don, famous English race driver, who has succeeded to the helm of Miss England II, in which the late Sir Henry Segrave set a world speed record on water last summer.

Don coming to America. Don is planning to bring Miss England II to America next spring, to show it at the Argentine exposition in Buenos Aires. Through the Miami Beach yacht club, sponsors of the annual Miami Beach regatta in which Gar Wood will test his newest mounts, Don has been invited to stop in Florida and match his boat with Gar Wood's Miss America IX.

Miss America IX is the craft in which Wood again defended the Harnsworth trophy in Detroit last September. He plans to send it over the measured mile here in the Miami regatta in an effort to better the world record of 96.70 miles an hour set by Segrave. Segrave was mortally injured when Miss England II dove after making the record run.

Junior Netters In Surprise Outcomes

By The Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—While the seeded favorites ran true to form in the junior singles of the national indoor tennis tournament in the third day's play here today, the unseeded players continued to provide the surprise in the boys' singles championships. Both divisions advanced to the quarter final round.

William Jacobs, defending junior champion, representing the University of Pittsburgh, continued his way to the finals without being pressed, as did Marco Hecht of De Witt Clinton High school, New York. No. 3; Bernard Friedman, of West Philadelphia high school, No. 4; Kendall H. Crum of the University of Tennessee, No. 5; and Robert O. Baggett, Jr., of New Prep school, Cambridge, Mass., No. 7.

Two startling upsets in the boys' singles were scored by J. M. Freudenthal of Mount Vernon High school, who defeated R. W. Giller of Milton Academy and Joseph H. Abrams of Davis Clinton High school, New York. Abrams previously had conquered the No. 1 seeded player, James Spaulding of the Hotchkiss school, 6-1, 6-1.

Five Players By Air. Five players on whom the Southwest is counting strongly were scheduled to arrive by airplane from Los Angeles early tonight. They include Jake Wilson, quarterback, and Enoch Koch, guard, both of Baylor, who played outstanding games for the West in Saturday's charity tilt at San Francisco, and Noble Atkins, big Texas Christian university center, also credited with some noble work in the coast battle. The other two were Louis Long, Southern Methodist, end, and Louis Paradesaux, Baylor, center.

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Dixie Classic Teams Zestful Over Prospect

Refreshed by Rest, Southwest and Midwest Teams Ready; Five Stars Arrive on Set from California

(By Associated Press) DALLAS, Dec. 29.—Refreshed in mind and body after a day devoted to relaxation and tightly chaperoned eight-hour football squads of the Midwest and Southwest returned with zest today to practice seige in preparation for Thursday's charity battle.

In particularly high spirits was the Mid-West squad as it romped through a single workout. The will to win has prevailed the invaders' ranks, and Coach Bob Zuppke appeared downright enthusiastic over the impending encounter.

"This is one of the easiest teams to handle," Zuppke said. "Although many of them have been playing against each other for three years, they have developed a fine team spirit and are ready to go right now. That's about half the battle in football."

Quarterback Question Settled. Among other things, Coach Zuppke decided today on his quarterback, the one position that had him worried. Stanley Bodman, big tackle of the University of Illinois, will direct the Mid-West attack when he is in the game. If and when Hodan goes out, the task will fall to Leo Jensen, University of Iowa line crasher, Zuppke said.

Outside of that, the Mid-West mentor was unable to hazard a guess on his starting line-up. Among the possible backfield nominations he listed Kissel, Purdie, Horn, Ohio State, DeWitt Clinton, Miss. Louisiana, and Jensen. All five have demonstrated they can pass, kick and run. Kissel, the most elusive ball carrier of the group, Zuppke said he expected to have "two good lines," so is not bothered on that score.

Home Team About Complete. Although his squad still lacked five men of being up to full war strength, Coach Morley Jennings of the Southwest put those on hand through a double-barreled workout, morning and afternoon, and was confident to report progress. The "home" team, which includes players from as far east as Florida, is being outfitted with a wide repertoire of passing and deceptive running plays to offset the apparent might of the Zuppke line.

Coach Fred Thomson of Arkansas has busied himself whipping the Southwest line into shape.

Two Days To Practice. Five players on whom the Southwest is counting strongly were scheduled to arrive by airplane from Los Angeles early tonight. They include Jake Wilson, quarterback, and Enoch Koch, guard, both of Baylor, who played outstanding games for the West in Saturday's charity tilt at San Francisco, and Noble Atkins, big Texas Christian university center, also credited with some noble work in the coast battle. The other two were Louis Long, Southern Methodist, end, and Louis Paradesaux, Baylor, center.

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Southern Baseball Loops Seek Answer To Heavy Problems

(By Associated Press) MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 29.—Directors of the Southern Baseball association met and sought a solution of their complex troubles here today.

Representatives of Mobile and Little Rock appeared to plead for retention of their berths in the circuit and to fight a proposed reduction from eight to six clubs.

Spokesmen for Knoxville, Tenn., and Montgomery, Ala., presented propositions whereby either or both might enter the association.

R. E. Compton, official of the Montgomery Southeastern League club and D. L. Caraker, superintendent of Cramton bow, the field there, explained they offered a tentative proposal, conditioned on Montgomery's problematical continuance in the southern circuit.

A committee of Little Rock businessmen was summoned by John D. Martin, association president, and promised to join the conference tonight in an effort to retain the Little Rock franchise.

R. G. Allen, Little Rock club owner, lost his pacific when the city school board declined to lease it to him again.

Still insisting that Mable is due a place in the loop, City Commissioner Harry T. Hartwell promised to provide between \$10,000 and \$15,000 cash as operating expenses for any one who either would take over the present franchise owned by Jimmy Hamilton, or would bring another club there.

Slaton Plans Annual Affair

Chamber of Commerce Banquet to Be Held Tonight; Date Moved Up After Resignation of L. A. Wilson, Sec'y

SLATON, Dec. 29. (Special)—More than 100 persons, including a number from either of town are expected here Tuesday night for the annual banquet and meeting to be held by the Slaton Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development.

The banquet was changed from January 13, because of the fact that L. A. Wilson, secretary, who resigned recently, is moving to Vernon to become secretary there shortly after the first of the year. Mr. Wilson will make his annual report and there also will be the report of the president, W. H. Smith.

Directors are to be nominated, one to fill a vacancy and four to start new terms beginning in April. The outgoing directors are: J. A. Elliott, Horace Hawkins, Dr. W. E. Payne and T. E. Roderick.

Among the speakers expected to appear out of town will be A. B. Davis, manager of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce. The affair will be held in the county community building.

SCROONER SEIZED

MOBILE, Ala., Dec. 29. (AP)—Seizure of the rum-jaden auxiliary schooner Deauville, flying the British flag, off Mobile bar while she was within the 12 mile limit, was announced today by coast guard officials. The vessel was towed into Mobile and the master and crew taken into custody.

BODY IDENTIFIED

ROANOKE, Va., Dec. 29. (AP)—Identification of a blackened, crumpled body taken from the burned Ponce De Leon hotel this morning as that of William S. Trace, 72, retired Norfolk and Western railway timekeeper, was made today. Firemen and police continued hacking doors in efforts to find more dead. A parrot, alive, was retrieved.

Oklahoma Club On Texas Tour Playing Here

Matadors Meet Ada Teachers in Two Games Wednesday and Thursday Evenings at Tech Gymnasium

The basketball season officially opens in Lubbock Wednesday evening when the Texas Tech Matador cagers entertain the East Central State Teachers college quintet of Ada Okla., on the Tech gymnasium in the first of a series of two games. The contest tomorrow night starts at 7 o'clock.

Captain Clarence Hodges of Abilene, second high point man for Tech last year, will start his final season as a Tech athlete when the teams clash tomorrow evening. He will start at one forward, with two other lettermen, the only letter men to return from last year, playing at center and guard. The holes left in the team by graduation will be plugged by sophomore material, or a pair of last year's reserve men.

The two coaches who will be in charge here, from Houston where he was assistant basketball coach at Rice Institution under Pug Dougherty, one of the leading cage coaches of the Southwest Conference.

Teachers Lead in Oklahoma. The Teachers who are to open the season for the Matadors come here with an enviable record in past seasons in their native state they have for the past few seasons been the dominating team in the Oklahoma Intercollegiate Conference, now composed of six teachers colleges of the state. Before the advent of Oklahoma universities and colleges, the Ada Teachers were one of the most powerful clubs of the state. The team this year appears to be as strong as those of former years. At present and during the Christmas holidays they have been touring Texas and playing the best teams of the Southwest Conference.

Their last games before playing Texas Tech were with the University of Texas Longhorns.

MAY HOLD OFFICE

Mrs. Fluke Probably to Hold Deputy Clerk's Job

Mrs. Olive Fluke, deputy court clerk, will probably continue in that capacity with the new clerk, Charles Metcalfe, it was learned yesterday.

In addition to being deputy clerk of the district courts, Mrs. Fluke is also deputy clerk of the federal district court for Lubbock. She has been connected with the clerk's office for several years and is familiar with the routine of the office.

MAIL PLANE MISSING

AGADIR, Morocco, Dec. 29. (AP)—A mail passenger plane of the Paris-Buenos Aires line was missing today with four passengers, including the Italian consul at Fez, it left Dakar for Toulouse but disappeared between here and July. Two planes from the Agadir airport which went out on a search returned without having discovered any trace of the missing ship.

BANKER FOUND DEAD

ROGERS, Ark., Dec. 29. (AP)—Edwin Jackson, 50, president of the First National bank of Rogers was found in the library of his home today by members of his family. A box of poison was at his side, officers were told.

What Could He Do With Just One?



Kansas university is all stirred up over the hands of William Johnson, of Oklahoma City, Okla., its basketball center, who has extremities so large that he can grasp two basketballs of regulation size with ease. The University of Oklahoma has challenged his eligibility. The two schools are keen basketball rivals.

Cougars and Crimson Tide Visit Hollywood Movie Lot

Gridsters Preparing for Rose Bowl Tourney Watch Skill Practice in Movieland; Say It's Something Different

BY BRAIN BELL. Associated Press Staff Writer. PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 29.—Football players from the University of Alabama and Washington State College saw the inside of another great amusement enterprise today when they visited Hollywood to witness motion pictures in the making.

The big boys from way down south in the land of cotton and the lumber laden slopes of the north-west found embryonic movies different from the hundreds of football plays in diagram form on blackboards, but they seemed to enjoy the novel skill practice and it gave them an opportunity to forget their game for a time.

Coaches Well Satisfied. The two coaches, Wallace Wade of Thama contingent and Babe Hollingbery of the Cougars were well satisfied with the result of the outing from a football standpoint. The mentors though their pupils needed a rest as both squads were reported on edge for the big New Year's game featuring the annual tournament of roses.

Will Rogers Presided. Alabama saw Will Rogers at work and heard the philosophical humorist crack according to script and ad lib. When the luncheon call was sounded, Rogers presided as master of ceremonies in honor of the Tuscaloosa tourists.

The Cougars witnessed the shooting of scenes in a picture in which Dorothy Mackall and Mary Astor

appeared and then were entertained at luncheon on the set. Spars warring reported continued to favor Alabama. This condition was based on the early impressions made by the huge lineups brought west by the southerners.

The two coaches will keep their own counsel until the kickoff but there will be many surprised rail birds if Alabama does not depend on sheer power for its offense and Washington becomes air minded.

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Dunlap Wins Way To Second Round

(By The Associated Press) PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 29. (AP)—George T. Dunlap, Jr., of New York, medalist, won his way to the second round of match play in the twenty-ninth annual mid-winter golf tournament here today, by defeating Herbert J. Blaz, Aberdeen, N. C., three and two. Dunlap completed the 18 holes in 73.

Forbes K. Wilson, of York Harbor, Maine, who was second in the qualifying event, had an easy time eliminating Fyrt Lincoln, of Longmeadow, Mass., five and four.

The closest match of the championship division was the one up story of Arnold White, New York Amateur, over Charles Whitehead, due to a 18-18 put on the home green—gave him the match.

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Murder At Bridge

by ANNE AUSTIN author of "THE BLACK PIGEON" and "THE BURNING FLOOR"

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one of his plainclothesmen appeared in the arch between dining and living rooms, dragging by the hand a woman who was resisting strangely, her apron pressed to her face.

"You are Lydia Carr?" Dundee asked, his voice kinder than it had been for many minutes. "Don't be afraid. And I'm sorry about the tooth. . . . Come along. I'll not keep you long."

The woman's knees seemed about to fall her, but with a sudden effort she released the detective's grip on her wrist. Very tall, very bony in her black cotton dress. Pathetic, too, with her thin, iron-gray hair, and that apron concealing the left half of her face. It was odd, Dundee thought, that it was not the swollen jaw she chose to cover.

Mrs. Dunlap sprang to her feet and hurried across the room to where Lydia Carr stood.

"Don't mind, Lydia, please. You must not be so sensitive," she said gently, and even more gently pulled down the concealing apron. . . .

"Good God!" Dundee breathed, and Strawn added his understanding of the younger man's horror.

For the left half on Lydia Carr's face was drawn and puckered and ridged almost out of human semblance. Even the eye was ruined—a milky bell which the puckered, hairless eyelid could never cover again.

"Poor Lydia is ashamed of her scarred face," Lois Dunlap explained, her arm still about the maid's shoulder. "She isn't quite used to it yet, but none of us mind."

"You were born recently, Lydia?" Dundee asked pityingly.

"That's my business!" the woman retorted him by retorting harshly.

"How did it happen, Lydia?" Dundee persisted, puzzled.

"I had an accident. It was my own fault."

Lois Dunlap's kind gray eyes caught and held Dundee's firmly. "I think, if Nita could speak to you now, Mr. Dundee, that she would beg you not to try to force Lydia's confidence on this subject. Nita was devoted to Lydia—we can all testify to that—and one of the sweetest things about her was her constant effort to protect Lydia from curious and curious glances. I, for one, know that Nita often begged Lydia to submit to a skin-grafting operation, regardless of expense."

When that kind voice choked on tears, Dundee abruptly abandoned his intention to press the matter further.

"Lydia, your mistress had been married, or was married, wasn't she?"

The woman's single, slate-gray eye stared into his expressionlessly. "She had 'Mrs.' in front of her name, so use when she felt like it. That's all I know. I never saw her husband—if she had one. I only worked for her about five years."

"You say she used her married name when she felt like it? What do you mean by that, Lydia?"

"I mean she was an actress, and used her stage name—Junita Leigh—pronounced like it was mostly called 'Nita Leigh.'"

for a minute, I sort of slipped down to the floor, and I guess I must have passed out. And then I was sick to my stomach, and—I didn't seem to care if I never moved again."

"Why, Lydia?" Dundee asked gently.

"Because she was the only friend I had in the world, and I couldn't have loved her better if she had been my own child," Lydia answered. And the stern voice had broken at last. "I was all there in the back hall when a pop came and asked me a lot of questions, and then that man—and she pointed to Captain Strawn—said I could go and lie down. He helped me down the basement stairs."

Dundee tapped his teeth with the long pencil which he had kept so busy that evening—tapped them long and thoughtfully. Then:

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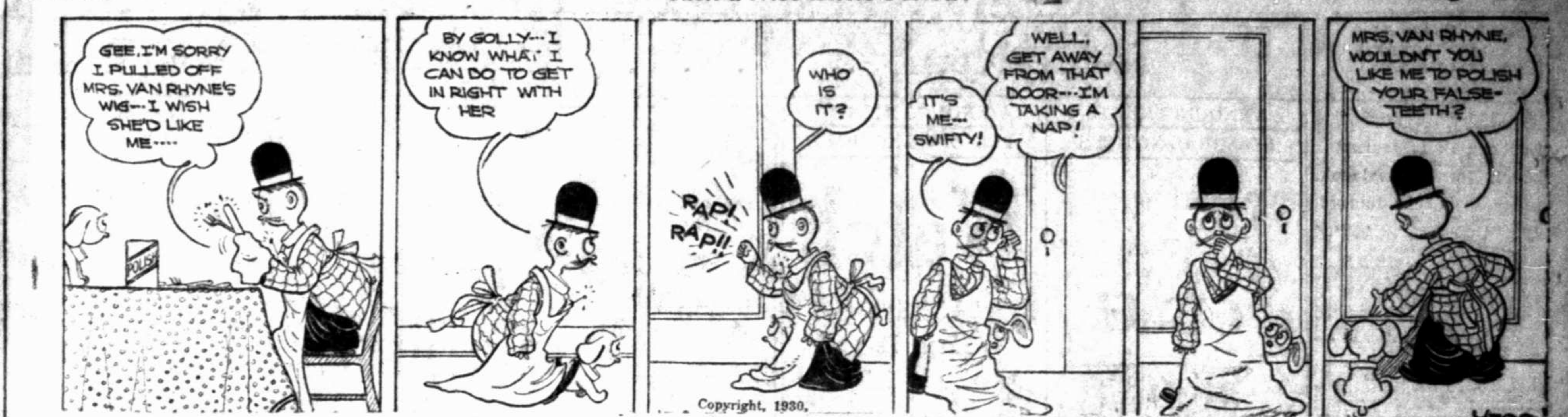
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