

SEVEN LIVES ARE TOLL TO ARKANSAS TORNADO

COMMISSION ACTS IN PLAN TO FUND DEBTS

BIDS UPON CITY
ISSUE OF BONDS
TO BE RECEIVED

STATE IS ASKED LAW
UPON THE RATE
OF INTEREST
AMOUNT UNDECIDED

NEEDED IMPROVEMENTS
WILL BE INCLUDED
IN PROPOSAL

The city commission of Lubbock will advertise for bids to be submitted on March 21 by bond houses on a proposed bond issue that, under present plans, would be offered for a vote of the citizenship of the city for the purpose of refunding six and seven percent warrants that are now outstanding. It was announced Thursday following a called meeting of the body.

No date was set for the election, pending receipt of these tentative bids and a ruling by the attorney-general's department of the state on whether or not the order for the election must precede a certain interest rate. It would draw approval in the event the issue is voted if a maximum interest rate is set, with the city allowed to try for lower rates. The commission is of the opinion that bonds of less than five percent interest can be sold, reducing the rate of interest, and bringing about a saving of \$3,000 to \$4,000 annually over a long period of years the amount saved depending on the amount of the bond issue.

The amount of the issue that will be offered in a vote has not yet been decided, but it will include all warrants now outstanding, and warrants that must be issued in the immediate future for certain improvements that are considered by the commission to be absolutely essential to the progress and safety of the city. These latter provide for erection of another fire station in the southwest part of the city, and construction of a 1,000,000 gallon water standpipe reservoir, on which bids have already been received. These will cost approximately \$100,000, and will materially reduce the city's debt.

COOLIDGE A CATTLEMAN

Keeps Eight Head of Dairy Stock On His Farm in Vermont, Says Huddleston in Talk

EL PASO, March 17 (AP)—President Coolidge is a cattleman. Congressmen Charles H. Huddleston, of El Paso, made public this information in a speech today at a banquet given in honor of Luis L. Leon, Mexican secretary of agriculture here to attend the annual Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers' association.

President Coolidge has eight head of dairy cattle on his farm in Vermont, and told us that so long as that is considered the cattleman's part we are on safe ground, said Congressman Huddleston.

ALLEGED BANDIT ARRESTED

NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—Frederick Bush, Jr., alias Scott Campbell, was arrested tonight in a furnished room in Brooklyn in connection with the robbery of a mail car at Chicago and Alton train at Alton, Ill., in August, 1925. He is said to have confessed killing one of his men who took part in the robbery.

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The Weather

WISCONSIN MAKES
YOU STAND UP
AND TAKE YOUR
MEDICINE.



Went Texas: Friday generally fair, Saturday partly cloudy, cooler.
Went Texas: Friday and Saturday mostly and somewhat variable, cooler. Saturday in southern portion moderate to fresh southerly winds on the coast.

President Suffers
An Injured Wrist

WASHINGTON, March 17 (AP)—President Coolidge was required to apply bandages today to a lame wrist and hand, the cause of which remains somewhat of a mystery at the White House.

Everett Sanders, his secretary said the wrist and hand had been bothering the president for several days and when it became swollen today Mr. Coolidge was advised by his physician Dr. James F. Connelley, to apply bandages.

The president was able to use his hand, however, to sign the numerous papers which came to his attention and appeared not to be suffering any pain.

There is no infection in the wrist nor any broken bones, it was stated. It is believed, however, that the lameness was caused by the continuous hand shaking in which the president must indulge.

JUNIOR C. C. IS TO
RESUME ACTIVITIES

DIRECTORS MEET TO DECIDE TO
CALL GENERAL SESSION
NEXT MONDAY NIGHT

With ten members of its last directors of twelve present, officers of the Junior Chamber of Commerce met yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the organization in the city hall and unanimously adopted plans to reorganize. Vice-president George Brewer was in the chair.

Following a discussion of reorganization it was decided to call a general membership session on next Monday night, at 7:30 o'clock, in the chamber of commerce offices, at which time each old member and director is to present the names of five prospective members. Following the compilation of the list of prospects and the laying of the necessary plans, a general organization meeting will be announced. In all probability this reorganization meeting will come in the form of a banquet.

Was Active Body

The Junior Chamber, inactive for the past 18 months, was at one time one of the most important civic bodies in Lubbock and carried to a successful finale many programs of improvement. It is the plan of the directors to rejuvenate the old chamber, boost the membership list to at least 100, and follow the organization's old campaign of "Get in the Race for Lubbock."

Invited guests at the meeting included Byron C. Dickinson, A. B. Stagle, Lewis Price, W. T. Rayburn, R. E. Cone, Joe Nislar, Guy M. Will, Otis Petty, George W. Brewer and Charles A. Guy. A. B. Davis acted as secretary and stated that letters, complete with necessary information, would be mailed to members immediately.

PRISONER WAS BEATEN

State Revises in Murder Trial After Convict Says Prisoner Died Following Lashing

BRYAN, Texas, March 17 (AP)—After presenting a mass of testimony in which W. T. Buckalew, a prisoner who declared that W. T. Hill, a guard at the Houston city farm, whipped Zigler for 10 minutes and left him lying in the sun, the state rested its case against Hill for Zigler's murder, being tried here on a charge of venue from Harris county. Three witnesses for the defense testified that Zigler's reputation for sobriety was bad, had been put on when court recessed Thursday night.

D. L. Herring, another prisoner on the city farm, testified in such the same manner as Buckalew, except that he estimated at 30 to 40 instead of 30 to 40 the number of lashes given Zigler. He testified that Zigler was whipped about 10:30 a. m. and that after he had lain in the sun frothing at the mouth until noon, other prisoners carried him to the barracks, where he died about 30 minutes later.

TREN OF SHOE WORKERS
TO FLORIDA IS HALTED

BROCKTON, Mass., March 17 (AP)—Projected exodus of several hundred New England shoe workers to Florida appeared to have been checked tonight by the joint efforts of the joint shoe council of this city and the Miami really board.

John M. Lane, secretary of the joint shoe council which acts in an advisory capacity to the 11 unions of shoe workers in Brockton, said that he believed many of the 300 workers who had planned to go to Miami on promises that work in their line would be provided there had changed their minds after being assured that the Florida plan was a real estate selling scheme.

FIREMEN USE GARDEN HOSE
TO EXTINGUISH SMALL FIRE

Connection with city water unavailable, members of the Lubbock fire department used a garden hose yesterday afternoon in extinguishing a small blaze in a garage at 1712 Avenue N. The loss was estimated at about \$1.

Rolls Ruff—Rolls Ruff

OUTLAWS ESCAPE
OFFICERS WHILE
ENROUTE TO PEN

ALLEGED TO BE MEMBERS
OF BARKER GANG IN
OKLAHOMA

LEAPED OUT WINDOW

POSSES SEARCH VICINITY
FOR TRACES OF THE
FUGITIVES

(By Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Mar. 17.—Alvin Karpis, Alvin Karpis and Elmer Farmer, convicted here and sentenced to 7 years for robbery of a local department store, leaped through the window of a train near Bolton, Oklahoma, today, as they were being taken to the state penitentiary at McAlester and escaped. Sheriff and Inman were accompanied by W. P. Lindsey, deputy sheriff.

Bloodhounds, brought from the penitentiary ten miles distance were unable to pick up a trail because of the rain.

Inman gained considerable notoriety some years ago by eloping, while a paroled convict, with the daughter of Warden Coddling of the Kansas penitentiary.

The two prisoners were handcuffed together, Lindsey said.

Locked Out Officers

They slammed a door in his face, locked it, then kicked out a window and jumped. One of them evidently managed to slip the handcuffs, Lindsey declared. Lindsey ran to an outside door of the car, but it was locked. By the time he had the train stopped, the men were out of sight.

The two men were thought to have started toward McAlester and a force of men headed by Frank Turnbow and Thad Wills, deputy sheriffs, scoured the vicinity.

Search was temporarily abandoned at 8 o'clock tonight because of high creeks and impassable roads resulting from today's heavy rains, the sheriff's office announced.

Like Terrill Escape

The escape of Inman and Meyers parallels, in one particular, that of Ray Terrill, who up until last night, was the only member of the so-called Barker-Karpis gang still at liberty. Inman was supposed to be one of its leaders.

Terrill also escaped from officers while enroute to the penitentiary at McAlester in January to serve sentence of twenty years for robbery in connection with the holdup of a bank at Pawnee, Okla.

Boxer Is Slain by
Hard Right to Jaw

PHILADELPHIA, Mar. 17 (AP)—Charles (Kid) Hill, negro heavyweight of Wilmington, Del., was fatally injured tonight in a bout with Jack Gross, Salem, N. J., and died two hours later in a hospital.

A terrific right to the chin sent Hill down for the count in the fourth round. His head struck the mat with a resounding crack and when he failed to respond to the usual restorative treatment he was taken to the hospital. He died without regaining consciousness. Physicians at a late hour had not determined the exact cause of death.

All the officials connected with the bout, including the referee and seconds, and owners of the Olympic Athletic Club, where the fight was held, were arrested. They will be held overnight. The owners of the club are Al Nash and Jack Rinehart. Frank McCracken, a Philadelphia sportswriter, was the referee.

BRITISH OFFICER ARRESTED
FOR POSSESSING SECRETS

LONDON, March 17 (AP)—Fears of a possible leakage of secrets connected with Great Britain's biggest submarine are believed to have prompted the admiralty to request the arrest of Lieutenant Commander Colin Meyers, on the retired list of the navy. He was remained in the Dow street police court today charged under the official secrets act of having in his possession plans and documents dealing with the submarine service. The case is so serious, that the magistrate refused bail.

Although no evidence was tendered at the preliminary hearing today it is understood that Meyers who had a brilliant war career in the submarine service, was charged with being in possession, contrary to his duty, of plans relating to the submarine O-1, and X-1. The latter is described as the biggest submarine in the world.

Rolls Ruff—Rolls Ruff

Consider Moody For
Presidential Job

EL PASO, March 17 (AP)—The possibility that Governor Dan Moody may become a democratic presidential candidate was voiced by Congressman Claude Huddleston Thursday morning before the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association, in convention here. The congressman declared that eastern politicians are now seriously considering the young Texan in this light.

"Tammany Hall men came to us in Washington," said Huddleston, "and offered to let Texas, which has always been an overwhelmingly democratic state—not occasionally, but always—name the tail end of the national ticket. Our reply was that we would go to them one better by naming the head of it, and we named Dan Moody."

We said they could put McAdoo or anyone else on it, but we would name the head. They now have this under consideration."

Moody received a rousing welcome from the cattle raisers and a resolution pledging support to his administration was adopted.

STATE REFUSES AID
FOR HIGHWAY NO. 53

COUNTY MAY ABANDON WORK
ON BROWNFIELD ROAD
AS RESULT

The State Highway Department is not now in position to offer aid on highway construction projects and has temporarily refused to participate with Lubbock county on the grade and drainage construction on the west end of Highway No. 53 from Lubbock to the county line toward Brownfield, County Judge Chas. Norbyke Thursday said he had been advised by the commission when he was with Commissioner N. A. Payne, Austin the first three days of this week.

A contract has been awarded by the Commissioners Court on the project, with the understanding, according to Judge Norbyke, that the state would participate on a 50-50 basis with the county, and despite presentation to the state commission of signed statements that the preceding commission had agreed on proceed on this plan, the judge said state aid on the project was refused.

County Undecided

Just what effect this will have on the county's plans for improved highway is not yet known, but the Commissioners Court is scheduled to meet this afternoon to discuss the matter. It was said. The Court has intimated, however, that it will be unwilling to go on with the project on county funds alone, at an expenditure of approximately \$24,000, total cost of the grade and drainage structures under contract recently awarded to W. P. Hudson, of Alpine.

The judge said members of the state commission told him that it would take two years for the department to fulfill all promises and contracts made by the preceding State Highway commission, and that until money is available to be placed in the bank to the credit of a job in a certain county under contract, the state commission will not participate in any more construction projects.

Feet Baffle Bandits
Negroes Grow Fast

"Feet, protect this paycheck—more speed!"

This was the adjunction of A. E. (Doc) Jones, linotype operator, who returning home in the wee-small hours, sought to prove in the most effective manner that the two persons just behind him were not his heels.

It was payday and two o'clock in the morning. Going down Main street, Jones noticed two negroes standing on the sidewalk ahead of him, by the Baptist church. They were neither going nor coming, nor yet laughing and talking—they were just standing still and watching him.

Jones promptly decided that the opposite sidewalk was the one he wanted to walk down.

Starting to cross over he noticed that the two big negroes had also started to cross. Jones' knees felt sort of wiggly as though they needed exercise and the pay envelope in his hip pocket felt big as a sack of potatoes.

Starting back across the street to the sidewalk he had just quit, Jones noticed that the two enormous negroes were also re-crossing the street and headed in his direction.

Jones' feet couldn't wait no longer but started functioning as they were created to do in emergencies.

But the men were out of his jacket. Jones says. A big-jockey is a man that sets your money, and Jones' pay envelope is in the bank.

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JIM REED MAKES
CUTTING ATTACK
AGAINST SAPIRO

FARM ASSOCIATIONS ARE
RAPPED IN DEFENSE
OF FORD

SAYS STORIES TRUE

CLAIMS CO-OPERATIVE
MOVE WAS COSTLY
TO FARMERS

(By the Associated Press)

DETROIT, Mich., March 17.—Aaron Sapiro as an organizer of cooperative associations, as a lawyer, and orphan on the Pacific coast, was described today by Senator James A. Reed, of Missouri in the Chicago man's \$1,000,000 libel suit against Henry Ford.

Making the opening plea for the defense, the senator warmed up to his task in short order, attacking Sapiro's motives in working among the farmers, asserting that Sapiro repeatedly had declared he did not wish money for what he was doing, and at the same time collected thousands of dollars.

"The collected \$142,000, for forming a cotton association in Alabama, evidence will show, and then obtained same for representing the organization later in receivership proceedings," declared Senator Reed.

Defense Protests Tactics

Most of the afternoon session was taken up by a conference between Judge Fred M. Raymond and the attorneys for both sides. William Henry Gallagher, representing Sapiro, objected to the general argument in the nature of the senators plea which he said instead of confining itself to how the defense was to prove the truth of alleged libelous articles printed in Dearborn Independent, Ford's publication, was an attack on Sapiro and his methods.

Judge Raymond permitted Mr. Reed to continue and said he would make a ruling tomorrow.

Mr. Gallagher completed his opening plea, proceeding the senator by defining the charges printed against Sapiro in the Independent into three classes. First of all he said, Sapiro had been attacked as an individual, his character and honesty as a man; second, an attack had been made on him in his profession as a lawyer regarding his loyalty and faithfulness to his clients. The third and most often heard was the charge as to his work among cooperative organizations.

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PLAGUE IN SHIP SCHOOL

Vessel Fumigated After Pair of Coal Trimmers Aboard Found With the Bubonic Plague

ROTTERDAM, March 17 (AP)—The steamer Ryndam, which was "floating university" is carrying American students on a round the world cruise, is undergoing a "sulphur bath" following upon the removal of two coal trimmers found to be suffering from bubonic plague. The men were removed at Venice, Italy, and all those who came in contact with them have been isolated and placed under observation. No fresh cases have been reported, and the health authorities here are permitting the crew to come ashore on condition that they be examined daily.

The student passengers are not expected to reach here from Paris before Sunday, when it is believed they will be permitted to go aboard the Ryndam. It is believed by health authorities that all danger is passed and there is no cause for further anxiety.

WOODS MAIN SPEAKER
AT KIWANIS CLUB

H. D. Woods, member of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development of Lubbock, was the principal speaker today at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Kiwanis club, telling of the accomplishments of the organizations in the past, and recussing a part of the program that is ahead for the coming year. He was high in his praise for the Junior Chamber of Commerce, which is to be re-organized under plans launched at a meeting of the board of directors this afternoon.

BUD FISHER WINS POINT
IN WIFE'S DIVORCE CASE

NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—Harry C. (Bud) Fisher, comic strip artist and turfman, won a point today in the legal joust his wife, the former Countess Beaumont, Justice Thayer ordered Mrs. Fisher's separation action, which was decided in her favor by default, returned to the trial calendar.

Justice Thayer granted Mrs. Fisher a separation on February 4 awarding her annual alimony of \$25,000. The hearing was held over the protest of counsel for Fisher, who said his client was on the way to Europe to get witnesses who could refute the wife's charges of cruelty and abandonment.

Alfonso III Again
King of Spain Is Suffering
with Return of His Old
Bronchial Trouble

MADRID, March 17.—A recent return of bronchitis, an old trouble, has again placed King Alfonso in a precarious condition. Physicians, however, indicate that he is in no immediate danger.

AMARILLO AWARDED
NEXT CATTLE MEET

FAIRER TAXATION FOR STOCK
INDUSTRY IS PROMISED
BY THE GOVERNOR

EL PASO, March 17 (AP)—Amarillo won the 1928 convention of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association at the close of its convention here Thursday when Ben Davidson, city commissioner of Houston, endorsed Amarillo's motion and withdrew the name of the bayou city from the race. Richard M. Kleberg, Corpus Christi, was re-elected president without opposition.

Equalization of the burden of taxation and policies helpful to the cattle men were promised by Governor Dan Moody in an address at the morning session. He secured the Ad Valorem tax—a system he declared outgrown—and said he believed the new laws would relieve the situation. The tax system in the past has put an undue burden on the cattleman, he declared.

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Requests For Tech
Booklets Received

A great demand is being expressed by various individuals and firms over the state for copies of the textile booklet recently published by the Farm and Ranch publishing company for the Tech which gives a complete description of the textile mill both in words and pictures. President Paul W. Horn said yesterday upon his return from the Stockmen's convention at El Paso where he has been for the past several days.

W. L. Clayton, member of the cotton firm of Anderson and Clayton, of Houston, wrote a letter to Dr. Horn, complimenting him on the booklet and the work of the school. W. G. Crutch, general passenger agent of the M. & T. railroad, has written asking for a number of the booklets as well as Col. R. L. Slaughter, a prominent citizen of Austin.

LOW QUALITY SMACKOVER
CRUDE OIL PRICE IS CUT

SHREVEPORT, La., March 17 (AP)—The Standard Oil company of Louisiana today posted a cut of ten cents in the price of Smackover crude below 24 gravity bringing the new price to \$1, but did not reduce the price of Smackover crude of 24 gravity and above. The Standard also met the Louisiana Oil Refining corporation's cut of ten cents in the price of Cotton Valley cracker the crude oil that now is \$1.

FIFTEEN OTHERS
ARE INJURED IN
TERRIFIC STORM

FOUR COMMUNITIES IN
BENTON VICINITY
BEAR BRUNT

FAMILY WIPED OUT

HOUSES AND BUILDINGS
IN ITS PATH ARE
DESTROYED

BENTON, Ark., March 17 (AP)—Seven persons were reported dead and approximately 15 injured as the toll of a tornado which struck two miles northwest of here late tonight.

Your small communities in Saline county, all within a few miles of Benton, were affected.

The dead:

Mrs. Edgar Smith of Klondyke.
Her four children.
A 16-year-old boy named McAlister, of Willis.

Small child in the Klondyke community.

Klondyke apparently bore the brunt of the tornado for several houses were demolished and the injured list is greater there than at any other point. At least ten persons were injured at Mountain View, 10 miles west of here.

Governor Whitfield
Is Reported Dying

JACKSON, Miss., March 17 (AP)—Governor Henry L. Whitfield continued a losing battle tonight with the disease that has spread throughout his body. Physicians said that the end would come "at any moment."

The heart attack of the governor continued strong under the influence of frequently applied stimulants, although he was not breathing so well as when he became unconscious Thursday morning. He is suffering no pain in his unconscious condition and appears as sleeping his physician said. Late in the day the governor stirred slightly and was raised up and given liquid nourishment, the first taken today. He opened his eyes slightly and smiled as he apparently recognized his wife.

While physicians said the end is inevitable, a nurse, Miss Anita Claggett, believed he would live through the night. His labored breathing in the past few hours is apparently the only change other than the gradual weakening.

Politics Humming
In Rotary Meeting

AUSTIN, March 17 (AP)—Politics hummed through the 47th district Rotary convention tonight as 31 accredited voting delegates among the 500 odd visitors from 140 South Texas cities and towns began elimination balloting on four candidates for district governor to succeed Governor Hodges of Houston.

Nominations concluding the first day of the second annual two day session put into the race George Teeder of Taylor, Jesse Chase of Beville, Dave Wilson of Bryan and Fred Cole of Corpus Christi.

Teeder, a newspaper publisher, was believed to have a strong lead in the first balloting, although results had not been announced and the run-off will not be held until Friday.

Houston with 12 votes and San Antonio with 9 held the main strength of the voting delegation.

With the capital quiet after adjournment of the legislature, the scene of activity in Austin was shifted to a flag decorated downtown today as the hundreds of Rotarians and South Texans.

POLICE PROBE BOMBING

Wife of Alleged Murderer May Have
Been Intended Victim of
Infernal Machine

SAN ANTONIO, March 17 (AP)—Police and assistant district attorneys investigating the bombing Monday night of the home of Mrs. Marcelina Ramirez, wife of a man who was charged with the murder of a man, were today told that the wife of the man was supposed to be living. Cover-up is being held for murder.

Mrs. Covarrubias had spent several days with Mrs. Marcelina Ramirez, but had left the house when a bomb was exploded under it last Wednesday.

No one was killed and police were unable to find any motive for this bombing at the time.

Pedro Jimenez told assistant district attorneys today that Covarrubias had made threats against the Ramirez family because he thought they were paying attention to Mrs. Covarrubias.

Rolls Ruff—Rolls Ruff

THE MORNING AVA LANCHE'S PAGE OF NEWS

In The Woman's Realm

BLANCHE E. BEAN, EDITOR

PHONES 13 AND 14

Today in Society

The Fellowship club is to meet with Mrs. E. W. Camp at 3 o'clock in the afternoon with Mrs. J. D. Peters as joint hostess.

Four-act Play Will Be Given This Evening at Tech

Members of the Otoyoka group of Camp Fire girls are presenting a four-act play, "The Camp Fire Girls," at 8 o'clock this evening in Room 202 of the Technological college administration building under the direction of Mrs. E. E. White. Proceeds will be used partly to help in furnishing the Camp Fire club house on 13th street.

The cast of the production is as follows: Peggy Malone, the little drudge; Eulalia Henderson; Mrs. Bacon a boarding house keeper; Allice Barr; Beulah Marie; Mrs. Bacon's daughter; Lela Morrison; Henrietta Dush, a newspaper reporter; Katherine Hankins; Miss Molly Henry, an old maid; Ada Ruth; Mrs. Lee; Camp Fire guard; Pauline Holland; Zimara, a gypsy; Mary Lela Gmel; Neeta, a little gypsy song bird; Mary Frances Gale.

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Pap Club Is Formed By Group of Girls Wednesday

The P. A. P. club was formed Wednesday evening at the First Methodist church among a group of girls who plan to meet each Wednesday night. Permanent officers will be chosen next week and a permanent meeting place or schedule will be established, according to present arrangements. Although there are six girls in the club now, others are to be added. Those who are now members are Misses Dorothy Henderson, Margaret Mitchell, Allice Odum, Mary Louise Hankins, Mary Hamilton and Ola May.

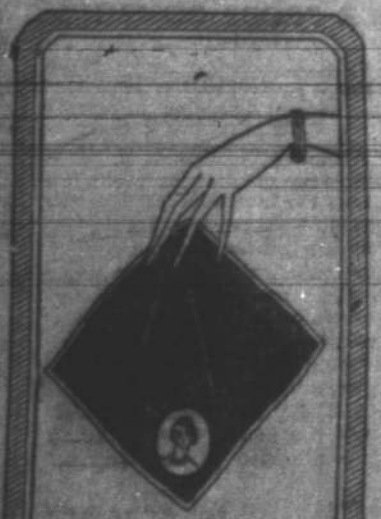
The Morning Avalanche Menu for the Day

with cream, tomato omelet, crisp granham toast, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON—Casseroles of macaroni and tomato sauce, brown bread, jellied apples with whipped cream, milk, tea.
DINNER—Stew of mutton with vegetables and rice, curly endive with bacon dressing, rice bread, canned peaches, spice cake, milk, coffee.
The stew of mutton with vegetable is ideal for the fireless cooker and in lieu of the fireless a large double boiler can be used. The whole meal is planned for the convenience of the cook after an afternoon "out." If she washes her endive in the morning and puts it in a tightly covered pan, but only work at dinner time is to make the bacon dressing, set the table and serve the meal.

Tomato Omelet

Four eggs, 2-2 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon hot water, 1/4 teaspoon pepper, 1 tablespoon butter, 1/2 cup hot tomato puree.
Beat yolks of eggs with salt and pepper until thick, gradually add hot water, beating until mixture is thick. Beat whites of eggs until stiff and dry and fold into yolks. Melt butter in frying pan, turning pan to completely coat with butter. The pan should be hot but not hot enough to discolor the butter. Pour omelet mixture into pan and cook over a moderate fire eight minutes. Place in hot oven for two minutes. When firm to the touch the omelet is done. Spread over top of omelet hot canned tomatoes well seasoned and rub over through a strainer. Fold omelet and serve at once.

Red Handkerchief



A red handkerchief has a tiny, folded white trim and a distinctive miniature with a double bow and hair of strands of yellow silk.

Seventy-Eight Participants in Music Memory Contest

Seventy-eight students in the local schools last night submitted papers in the spring Music Memory contests, competing for prizes that will be awarded within the next week following the announcement of winners on Sunday. The papers were given at the First Methodist church, consisting of Victoria selections and numbers given by local musicians. The contestants listened to the music and filled out blanks showing their recognition of names of selections and composers and giving other facts.

The papers will be graded and the names announced Sunday and, as the number of winners will be determined by the number making perfect scores, it is not known how many there will be.

The local musicians participated as follows: Voice—Meadames: Frank Barclay, R. L. McKnight, Carl Skothen, Miss Nell Parmley, Dornance D. Roderick and the Junior high school chorus; piano—Meadames E. F. George, J. B. Acton and L. J. Von Tunget; violin—Miss Anna Owens; organ—Mrs. Mamie L. Neal, band—the Lubbock high school group.

1911 Needle Club Is Entertained By Mrs. Murray

The 1911 Needle club members attended a pleasant meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Will G. Murray with Mrs. W. H. Biedas as joint hostess. Refreshments were served consisting of chicken salad, sandwiches, potato chips, olives, La Touraine water and lead tea.

Members and visitors who were present were: Meadames H. D. Woods, J. T. Huthinson, T. W. Sawyer, W. E. Bush, W. O. Stevens, W. F. Schenck, C. E. Menden, Roger Pierce, W. B. Posey, J. F. Hankins, Glen Hess, Floyd Beall, R. A. Barclay, W. C. Rylander, J. H. Hankins and W. A. Price.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Mrs. R. B. Porter has returned from a trip to Amarillo.

Mathias Gelle, of Happy, was a visitor in Lubbock yesterday.

Frank Harvey and John Willard, of Stalon, were visitors here yesterday.

R. F. Pate, of Abilene, was here on business yesterday.

Mrs. M. D. Payne, of San Antonio, is visiting her daughter, Jo Payne, a Tech student.

Joe Hancock, of Lovelland, was in Lubbock yesterday and received treatment from a local physician.

President Paul W. Horn has returned from El Paso where he has been attending the Stockmen's convention.

Mrs. J. S. Johnson and daughter, Mrs. Frank Jones, are visiting in Amarillo and Cleburne.

Mrs. L. E. Davis and daughter returned yesterday from a visit to Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. P. Giles has returned from Chicago where she was at the bedside of her mother.

Mrs. E. B. Adcock and daughter, Charles, are spending the week-end in Big Spring.

Marlin R. Hayhurst, business manager of the Forerunner, the Tech newspaper, will leave today for Rush.

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Oscar L. Slaton, Jr., who has been attending Terrill School at Dallas, is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mansell, of O'Donnell, were in Lubbock yesterday. They were accompanied by Mrs. R. E. Harbinger, also of O'Donnell.

Mrs. Joe Bailey and son, of Dalhart, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Steve Edsall. Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Edsall are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Bean and son, George, Jr., are leaving this morning for Austin where they will visit Mrs. Bean's parents.

Mrs. Ben Ballen, of Crane; Miss Edna Austin, of Lamesa; Mrs. M. J. Walker, of Memphis; and J. T. Lawrence, of Stalon, were among the out-of-town people admitted to local banquets yesterday.

Out-of-town people who received treatment from local physicians yesterday included J. M. Sikes, of Stalon; Mrs. W. P. Dunn, of Dalhart; C. H. Austin, of Lamesa; Mrs. J. H. Harbinger, of O'Donnell and Mrs. Mrs. Lester La Grange, of Amarillo.

Home economics students in the Post High schools were brought to Lubbock yesterday by the teacher, Miss Althea Cronk, to visit the home economics school of the Technological college. Those in the group were Misses Helen Curtis, Beatrice Kirkendall, Maurine Webb, Margaret Cronk, Inez Parker and Ethel Dent.

Among those who were here yesterday to see local physicians were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lloyd, Tahoka; Mrs. O. O. Gray, Southland; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bacon, Southland; Mrs. P. H. Whitten, Stalon; Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Webber, Brownfield; R. C. Patterson, Hale Center; George Smith, Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Haggood, Hale Center; Mrs. G. A. Papler, Canyon; S. J. Thomas, Shallowater; Mr. and Mrs. Graves Darby, Wilson; Mr. W. Bowers, Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Reed and son, Tahoka; Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Robertson, Stalon.

DEATH SENTENCE COMMUTED FOR BLIND SLAYER OF GIRL

OSHSING, N. Y., March 17 (AP)—The death sentence of Harry Cowan, blind slayer of Edith Burton, his sweetheart, in an alleged suicide pact in 1925, was commuted to life imprisonment today by Governor Smith. Cowan is totally blind partly deaf and has lost the sense of taste as the result of the bullet he fired into his own head after Miss Burton was fatally wounded.

Don't forget the free barbecue, auction and lot sale at Hartwood, Saturday, March 19th, commencing at ten o'clock.



The Woman's Day By Allene Summer

There's nothing too much silly about washing," says Rosa Lewis, greatest cook of Great Britain, they say—the old lady who has found the way to such famous stews as those belonging to King Edward, King George, the Prince of Wales, the Kaiser, et al. Rosa, story has it, ordered a half chicken, an artichoke, toast and coffee in a New York hotel—yes, we have her with us today—and the waiter brought her what she ordered, along with a table, seven dishes and a saucer, and 17 pieces of silver.

Rosa sent back four dishes, the saucer, two forks, two spoons, two knives and the table. The waiter especially pined Rosa. "Of course if you folks drink from a saucer," said Rosa, "I feel obliged to wash it from a chafing dish, hot rolls, olive, sherbet and cake and coffee to 6 people last night, and we had 93 different objects to wash. Curses!

SEAT SIZES Can you get along with a 16-inch seat? If you can't, you'd best look not upon the tuff-fruitt ice cream when it is tuff, for they do say that pretty soon there'll be a law permitting us to sit on only 16 inches worth of space in public—that means in street cars, theaters, churches, movies, maybe even at taxi cabs.

It began in London. The Ministry of Transport decreed that 16 inches was enough for anybody, and if not, why not? The Ministry recalled that when King Edward VII was crowned in Westminster Abbey, 16 inches was all the seat space the on-lookers drew. If then, why not now? The answer might be "But they did not eat whipped cream and old dressing in those days!" One reason why there are

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SHEEP AND GOATS

Men must sit on one side of the church, women on the other, according to a rule of the new First Methodist church of Bevere, near Boston. No doubt the brethren fear the distractions of sex appeal if the faith and stalwarts sit together. But here's a warning that self-consciousness induced by the separation will cause many more minds to leave the sermon than if the congregation sat according to the usual practice.

MRS. BERLIN'S WATCH

Mrs. Irving Berlin lost a platinum wrist watch set with diamonds and pearls and valued at \$1,800. She told police at Palm Beach that she valued it as a gift from her husband soon after their marriage. Oh, well, if the sleuths don't find it, Irving can't help himself down some ditch after supper and write a little song called "Wrist Watch Blo-o-e-e" and get his wife a brand new one, maybe with bracelet and ring to match. Nice to have a husband like that.

BITES WIFE'S NOSE

John Dean, of mid-west points, bit off his wife's nose, "so that she wouldn't be attractive to other men." At least John tried to bite off his wife's nose, but he was bitten into police court before the job was really nearly finished. And I don't doubt that when the nose is nicely healed and everything, "the little woman" will brag about her jealous husband, who loved her so much!

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can women say "figgers." And some one remarks, "What folly! when men look at an ankle before a face?" We will have a revival of that old question—do women dress to please women or men? Only the question now goes—do women "pretty up" their faces to please women or men?

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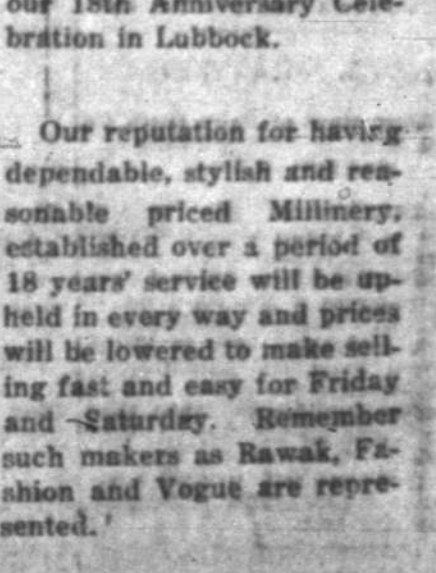
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Ocean Is Wet Says Cattleman Who Tells Of Drinking Aboard the S. S. Leviathan

(By the Associated Press)
NEW YORK, March 17.—The question of how wet the ocean is, or that part of it represented by a first class passage on the United States liner Leviathan, took precedence here today with customs officials over the question of who owns 175 bottles of choice liquor found aboard the liner when it docked here Monday.

The second question was settled when Fred Almy, wealthy oil time oilman of Arlington, said that while he did not own the liquor found in his suite, he would pay the \$25.50 fine under protest.

The Leviathan, he said, was a ship on which a captain apparently didn't know passengers' text to his table were drinking champagne.

"Do you mean to tell me," asked Customs Collector Barnes, "that liquor is being sold and dispensed on the Leviathan?"

"I'd say so," Almy answered. "Stewards Sell It."

Mr. Almy also said that stewards augmented their wages by selling liquor to "anyone with a threat and sufficient money to satisfy it."

Captain Hartley of the Leviathan, also made a few statements. "Frankly," said he, "I cannot stick my nose in the business of stewards to discover what they have in them. If people elect to take liquor aboard while we are in a foreign port we have no way of finding it out. It is not our business to go about searching the passengers' baggage. If we attempted anything like it we would not be running our ship long."

Although the liquor which prompted the investigation bore a tag marked with Mr. Almy's name, Mr. Almy denied he had tried to transport it into this country, but agreed to pay a fine for failing to declare, which upon appeal, he may recover.

"Any way," he asked, "why should I bring in liquor when I can get all I want in Arizona?"

He told reporters he was going back to Arizona at once, with his bride, a former Miss. of Paris and that out there, 110 miles from a railroad, he expected to find "peace."

Victims Of Cave-in Tells Experiences

PUCCY SPRINGS, N. C., March 16 (AP)—A weary, worn wife and a little group of friends stood on Jeff Ashworth, 20-year-old farmer, tonight a story of how it feels to be buried alive for thirteen hours in an old well.

Ashworth was rescued after being locked in a chamber of earth caused by the collapse of the well's walls.

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CHINESE - RUSSIAN WORD-BATTLE RAGES

SHIP-DOCKS ARE SEIZED BY NORTHERN CHIEF OF ARMIES

(By the Associated Press)
SHANGHAI, March 17 (AP)—A wordy battle is going on between Peking and Moscow over the seizure of the Russian vessel Pamiel Lenin and the arrest of three Soviet couriers.

In a new note demanding the release of the couriers, the vessel, the Soviet government accuses White Russians of placing a "suspicious document" aboard the boat to afford a pretext for its seizure and conversion into a warship.

Marshal Chang Tso-Lin, was head of the northern Chinese armies, who has ignored the charge that Russian agents have plotted the nationalistic movement at Harbin.

Treaty Violated
He says that he is in possession of "a propaganda" about the Pamiel Lenin was incontrovertible evidence of the violation of the agreements.

Some interpretation of telegraphic communications with the fighting areas west and northwest of Shanghai today prevented definite news reaching here. Whether this lack of news is a scripping new movements, especially around Wuhu is not known. That city was captured by the Cantonese recently.

Early today the Kiangnan docks where a number of American vessels are being built, were seized by General Pi Shu-Chen, who maintained he needed them for the repair of warships of the northern forces. An American warship was immediately dispatched to the docks.

May Evacuate Shanghai
There were rumors of negotiations between General Pi Commanding the shantung troops in Shanghai, and general Chang Kai-Shek, commander-in-chief of the southern armies, for the purpose of arriving at an agreement whereby Shanghai could be peacefully occupied by the nationalists.

ICHABODS WIN RIGHT TO ENTER CAGE SEMI-FINALS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 17 (AP)—The Washburn college Ichabods, of Topeka, defeated the Kansas State Teachers college of Emporia, a score of 28 to 17, winning the right to enter the semi-finals tomorrow in the National A. U. basketball tournament here.

The St. Joseph Hilliard eliminated Phillips university End Oka, in the next game by a score of 28 to 21.

The Hilliard's companion team, the St. Joseph Boosters, were eliminated in the next game by the rangy Wichita university five, 27 to 24.

Ke-Nash-A. of Ke-Nash-A. Wis., playing the same cool, unharmed game that has left a wake of demoralized contenders in its path through the tournament, added the Monon Athletic club, of Lafayette, Ind., to its list of victims, winning 28 to 22.

Police Puzzled By Fake Race Bookies

BLOOMING, Miss., March 17 (AP)—With the paraphernalia of the Pseudo Turf Exchange before them, federal agents and police today attempted to place together an outline of the method of procedure of the place where five alleged operators were arrested in the fall on the 1926 Christmas road house.

The paraphernalia included two automobiles, telephone and telegraph instruments which were not connected with the outside, a black board for tabulation of race results, blank forms and other equipment.

Police said bets were taken and the winners named on the spot without reference to the actual results of races on any track.

Investigation into the value of the collection of checks seized when the five men were arrested brought the uniform responses from books upon which they were drawn that "no such person" was known. The aggregate face value of the checks approximated \$100,000. Three men held altered their names today, one who first gave his name as R. K. Williams, asserting that it was Burke, and two who had refused to give their names attached to themselves the cognomen of Randolph and Sherman Young, clinging to the names the originally had given.

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Austin Is Deserted By State Officials

AUSTIN, March 17 (AP)—In sharp contrast to yesterday's hectic closing hours of the fortyth legislature's regular session, the Texas presented a deserted atmosphere today, with Governor Dan Moody out of town and the few remaining legislators pulling out for home.

Committees prepared leisurely to get on inspection trips of state institutions and schools which must be provided for with appropriations during the special session to be called for the last of April.

Headed by Senator A. E. Wood of Granger, the senate finance committee, composed of 13 members, began a survey of state institutions in Austin.

The committee will go from here on a tour of the state, looking into the needs of the various eleemosynary and other educational institutions and will hold a hearing at Marlin, April 1, when applications for appropriations will be threshed out. Another meeting for the same purpose may be held subsequently at San Antonio.

A sub-committee from the house began on a tour of inquiry into operating conditions of state eleemosynary and reform institutions.

The house appropriations committee of which Claude T. Tarr of Granger, is chairman will meet here in about 10 days and remain until the special session preparing the "money bill" laid over until then for action.

MEXICAN TROUBLE MAKER IS FINED TWENTY DOLLARS
DALLAS, May 17 (AP)—Daniel Ortega was convicted in corporation court here Wednesday of vagrancy—specifically radical agitation and making threats against Mexican Consul R. Canto Lara—and fined \$20.

It was testified that placards were distributed in Dallas' Mexico City asserting that Ortega would never be brought to trial and that he had caused considerable trouble unrest here.

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Dope Ring Is Wiped Out By Government

NEW ORLEANS, March 17 (AP)—The heart of a huge narcotic octopus whose arms federal agents believe had extended into several southern states was thought to have been reached here today with the arrest of August Scotrino, alleged head of the ring.

Along with Scotrino they held Angelo Pinez, an alleged undesirable alien, and Daniel Gold, charged with serving as Scotrino's go-between in dealing with prospective morphine and narcotic purchasers.

A fleet of eleven automobiles in which officers believe Scotrino made quick deliveries to customers, and three automatic pistols with 25,000 rounds of ammunition with which they think the cargoes were protected also were in the hands of officers.

The arrest came after officers had arranged for the purchase of 125 ounces of morphine at \$500 an ounce. Two ounces of the prospective purchase already had been delivered to agents as samples that they might test it to determine its purity.

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FOREST WEEK

It may sound a bit out of place to bring up the subject of Forest Week in this country. However President Coolidge has proclaimed April 24 to 30 as American forest week. He brings out the point that one-fourth of this country's soil is better suited for timber growing than any other purpose. He considers that both agricultural and industrial interest would be strengthened by bringing this "great empire" into full production, and that no other domestic problem is more important than forest rehabilitation.

This year Canada will celebrate its Forest week simultaneously with the United States. Here the observance will be principally in the hands of the American Forest Week Committee, that represents many interests and is working in conjunction with similar bodies in each State and in Alaska.

Two Canadian organizations co-operate with such American societies. The senior body is the Canadian Forestry Association, whose main objective is to emphasize the need of forest-fire prevention. It maintains a tree-planting lecture car in the prairie provinces—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta—and pays particular attention to such instruction in the schools.

The junior organization embraces professional foresters, who have been instrumental in promoting legislation regarding the Dominion's timber resources. Together with the Society of American Foresters, it publishes the Journal of Forestry (Washington D. C.).

In this country timbered areas have suffered far more than in Canada. The President's warning as to the need of utilizing all soil best suited to tree-growing should be needed throughout the Nation. Reforestation of most denuded areas would help control the streams, which often play havoc after the spring freshets.

Forests can be perpetuated by intelligent management, and the practice of cutting them without taking measures for rehabilitation should be stopped.

Considering that Canada is acting with the United States in calling the people's attention to such concerns, it might be well to give the observance a different name. The scope of a "North American Forest Week" could be enlarged to embrace the entire continent. Each State or Province could observe its own Arbor Day when climatic conditions demand; but Forest Week is intended to arouse public sentiment on the subject.

Great Britain's Forestry Act (1919) contemplates establishing state timberlands totaling 1,750,000 acres. The Bankers Trust Company of New York notes that the British Forestry Commission employs about two thousand men in summer and more than three thousand in winter. The Commission aims to have 300,000 acres in young trees by 1930, and thus far it has planted 71,000 acres.

Britain maintains a school for forest workers in Gloucestershire, near the River Severn. It is situated in the famous Forest of Dean, from which the royal navy formerly was supplied with much of its oak timber. The commander of the Spanish Armada in 1588 was given orders to cut down every tree in there, but that great array was defeated long before it reached the mouth of the Severn.

Britain's renewed interest in forestry results from the Great War, which caused a heavy drain on its timber lands.

Out in this section of Texas, there possibly will never be timber grown in large quantities, especially for milling purposes, but that need not stand in the way of planting trees. There is need for many thousands of trees all over this section, and there could just as well be large groves of trees around the so-called lakes in this country as to have them remain unproductive. Trees will grow in that kind of soil, much better than possibly most anything else, then why not every person who has depressions of this kind on their land fringe it with useful trees. Then there is need for more trees in the towns on the South Plains. In Lubbock several thousand trees could just as well be growing, and it would make the homes more comfortable, and the town would seem like people were really interested in it. There no need to wait till April 24th to begin this work, but do it now, and all the time up to that date. There are hundreds of new homes in Lubbock, and on the South Plains there are thousands of homes that have no trees planted. Let's follow the President's suggestion and plant trees where trees will grow, and where they are needed.

That's a live bunch of men down on Texas Avenue, where they are putting in that string of curbing for the paving that will soon be put down. That will be a handsome job when it is

OUR GOVERNMENT RIVAL

While a "Government job" in Washington has been since the institution of the Republic the mecca of many men, including some of the highest achievement in their own communities, rarely is the public presented with another side of the picture, which portrays the perennial difficulty of the Government in holding good men after it gets them. The situation is suggested by the report that Dorsey Richardson, assistant chief of the Western European Division of the Department of State, has tendered his resignation and will enter the banking business in New York. This is not an astounding item in itself; but Mr. Richardson is the third young diplomatist to quit the Government service within the last three months, all because they were offered higher compensation outside.

No one would seriously suggest that in cases like these, or even on general principles, the Government should make its own position as attractive financially that business would bid for its employees in vain—such a course would be impracticable. The situation does, however, emphasize the wisdom of such measures as the Rogers act, which injected the element of encouragement into the diplomatic service, and of the promotion of "career men" by President Coolidge. Since Mr. Richardson resigned the President has given further evidence of his desire to strengthen our diplomatic establishment and at the same time hearten the men in lower positions, by transferring Assistant Secretaries of State Leland Harrison and J. Butler Wright to be minister at Stockholm and Budapest, respectively, and promoting Hugh R. Wilson, chief of the division of current information, to be minister at Berne. Of twenty-five diplomatic appointments made by President Coolidge, fifteen have been of career men and only ten have been political.

Perhaps it ought not to be true that none but persons of independent income should aspire to the higher positions under the Secretary of State, nevertheless it is so, and conditions were much worse two or three decades ago, when ambassadorships and ministerial positions were passed out as patronage only to the wealthy, and usually to such as had come across with heavy campaign contributions. We do not aim to preach or to point a moral. Conditions of engagement under the State Department are continually improving, and we are slowly and painfully developing, a professional diplomatic corps; it may aid the process to remember that Business is always on the alert to pick off good men in the Government service.—Boston Transcript.

Short skirts cause no end of trouble. Miss Helen Goldman of Los Angeles was so bothered by the prevailing fashion made her look ridiculous, so she submitted to an operation to have them straightened. Blood poisoning resulted, necessitating the amputation of one of them. Now she has been awarded \$25,000 in a damage suit against the surgeons.

Al Demaree, who digs up interesting sport items of bygone days, relates the story of Charley Moran's world's record of strike-outs. Pitching for Nashville Academy against Vanderbilt University some years ago, Moran struck out nine men in one inning, yet in that inning Vanderbilt scored six runs. The explanation is that Moran's catcher failed to stop six third strikes.

Little Avalanches

After all the old March lion is not such a bad beast.

Rumors are about the most numerous things in the world, and like the human face—no two of them are alike.

It sounds natural. A county seat election has been called in Irion county to determine whether the county seat shall be moved from Sherwood to Mertzon. More hard feelings for Irion.

You will soon be given an opportunity to tell what you think the Chamber of Commerce could best do to promote the interests of the town. The Chamber of Commerce is going to give you an opportunity to have a say.

Despite the warnings about driving fast past the school buildings, some people seem to think there is no danger. Or possibly they are going so fast they cannot read.

Uniform traffic rules will be a great blessing to the general public. It is a very difficult problem when you travel through twenty or thirty towns a day and have to learn the traffic rules of each.

It is very amusing, and disgusting as well to see the fire department start to a fire scene, and then to see the speed maniacs start in after the trucks, making sixty per hour down the main streets, when their presence is not even needed, and less appreciated.

We presume that at least seventeen Senators use tobacco in some form. That many voted against the tax on tobacco.

Many income tax reports were mailed at the last minute. We presume the makers of the report were getting the interest on what the government owed them according to the report.

We cannot see the necessity of so many changes in lines. It seems that every time we get a new surveyor, or engineer, there is a change in lines and conflict in corners, and

OUT OUR WAY



By William

SO THINK WE

We think that a dog worth having is worth immobilizing against rabies, and is worth a tax and a collar. Otherwise we believe the bone yard is the best place for him.

We think a lot of folks did not miss their liquor very much till after the country went dry, and then, Oh, what a howl.

We think the doctors do the best business when the people are not clean around the premises.

We think it what the doctors tell us we can get a lot of rheumatism from a little tonics.

We think there is merit in the movement to discourage going "abroad" until the people have seen America. We think this should be the especially to those of the east who have not seen the South Plains.

We think that the 69th congress possibly did less constructive work than most any other session. But it cost the nation a lot of money just the same.

We think the Texas legislature will never get anywhere under the present constitution. Neither will congress. With the nation developing as rapidly as this nation is and a state going forward as rapidly as Texas, the constitution of fifty years ago will not suffice for the needs of the land just now.

We think just for the reason that the president vetoed the farm relief bill, we need not fold our arms and say we can't get. The thing to do is to knock down to a bigger and better program of helping ourselves, and there will be no need for national relief.

We think that the old saying that men are only boys grown tall, may be exactly right. From the way some of the boys talk on the streets they surely will not get any wiser when they have grown tall. The ugly language that some small boys use, is certainly shocking to men who have more sense than to use profane language.

We think that regarding to one of the most uncleaned for, one of the most uncleanly habits that anyone can drift into. It is the very poorest use of English, and a sure sign of mental insanity. There is no one that appreciates a man standing around rolling out a bunch of profanity, but some little girls think they are not putting anything over anyone, if they are profane.

We think the United States crime bill is about the biggest one we have to pay. \$16,000,000,000 last year.

IT IS REPORTED

It is reported that the best way to build up the health is to cut down the diet. We have now learned the secret of our wonderful health. Thanks.

It is reported that several fellows did not have time to be vaccinated, but took time to have the smallpox.

It is reported that the United States produces three and a half million automobiles annually, one and a half million babies. The automobiles come 6. 0. d.

It is reported that a citizen is known by the alley he keeps. And a neighbor is known by the way he keeps his chickens up, during garden and flower season.

It is reported that clothes make a man. We are glad it did not say that they make a woman.

It is reported that dirty milk, hot weather and feeding babies is a

It is reported that when trash is scattered all over the alley it should be sprinkled with eye water.

It is reported that the price of lasting good health is continuous physical activity in moderation. Working in the yard is a mighty good tonic.

It is reported that there is too much fast driving in Lubbock, and it will only be a matter of time when there will be such a smash up, that has never been heard of before in Lubbock, and there will be several funerals as the result of it. Better slow down some, and obey the traffic laws.

WHY BE COWARDS?

We have a lot of patience with some folks, but there is one class that we have no patience with at all, and that is that common bunch that are always writing letters to editors criticizing them about something they have written and sign their name "Constant Reader", "A Reader", "More Anon", "X. Z. Y." etc. We class them with the ordinary, honery herd of cowards, and are no better than the commonest, sneakiest snake in the grass ready to strike you in the back, without warning. Such folks are dangerous to society. If you have anything to say to us come out in the open and say it like a man, or else keep your putrid contributions in your system. The dose we put out is labeled under our name, unless otherwise signed, and no apologies are necessary, for same. The following letter came to our desk a few days ago, through the mail. We presume it was written by a Roman Catholic, but if it is, he, she or it, does not know what the Catholic church teaches, does not know the A B C's of the Catholic papal system, or they would not have the gall to even indicate on paper that one who subscribes in this doctrine could qualify for the presidency of the United States and subscribe to the Constitution of America. However, of the 272,500,000 Catholics in the world a very small per cent of them know what the Catholic church teaches, and therefore could not be convinced that a man subscribing to the teachings of the Catholic church could not make a good president. Here Beach said he would like to see a Catholic elected for no other reason than to dispel that cloud of ignorance and bigotry that hangs over this great enlightened nation. Dow and Hefflin with the support of the Avalanche, democratic nominees for president; that's the slogan for the next National democratic convention, which will be the last one any-how. What the extreme you two birds would cut in that convention it would be the real hamburger of ancient vintage. Ben Franklin said "Shoemaker stick to your last." As Himel Dr. Evans is now a millionaire and you are a K. K. K. Let's laugh! What a heartache.—Constant Reader.

John Dow: Where is the waste basket? Hefflin: I am not through with my breakfast yet. He-haw! The above author drew a likeness of himself at the bottom of the page which was a crude drawing of a donkey, with the name "Maude" written on the side. It was unnecessary to put that there, for we very readily identified the author with the donkey tribe, anyway.

Now, we believe there are thousands upon thousands of good people who belong to the Catholic church. Some of the best friends we have are of that faith, and we do not condemn this group, but what we are condemning, and what we believe is correct, the teaching of the Catholic church contradicts the Constitution of the United States. A man can not serve two masters—the Pope and the United States Constitution, for he will "Love

Why The District Of Columbia Has The Lion's Share Of Appointments In The Government Service At Washington, D. C.

By WILLIAM C. DEMING
President United States Civil Service Commission(Continued from Yesterday)
Not a Question of Geography or Politics

It is not a question of north or south, east or west, republican or democratic, all but five states and the District of Columbia have less than the share of appointments to which they would be entitled under a strict distribution on a population basis.

The Civil Service Commission keeps accurate check on appointments which are charged to the department, and it encourages in every possible way the filing of applications for examinations by residents of states in arrears under the apportionment, even to the point of holding examinations for such states and sections.

It should be borne in mind that there is little, if any, demand at this time for new appointments to special clerical positions, that is, to clerical positions which do not require some special knowledge. General clerical positions, and in fact, all other positions insofar as practicable, are filled through certification from the re-employment registers made up of the names of those with good records who have been separated because of reduction of force.

There is constant demand, however, for specialists of various kinds to fill vacancies caused chiefly by death, resignation, and removal, and necessary examinations for the apportioned departmental service are held throughout the country and in outlying possessions in order that residents of states and territories which are in arrears under the apportionment may compete for the appointments.

In my judgment no possible modification of the apportionment provision of the civil-service law will induce citizens from all states in arrears to come to Washington in sufficient numbers to fill their quotas for the simple reason that the can usually do better at home or at least it would take years to equalize appointments among the states.

Texas and Ohio in Arrears

Texas for instance is entitled to 1444 and has but 462. Illinois, much nearer to Washington, is entitled to 2,612 and has 1,661. Ohio, presumed to be a natural breeding ground for job holders, is entitled to 1,787 and has 951. Even New York falls by the wayside, being entitled to 3,772 and has 2,038. New Jersey is entitled to 978 and has 479. Oklahoma should have 629 and has 178. Wyoming entitled to 60 has 22. Utah, 139, and has 94. Louisiana, entitled to 1,136 has 184, and so it goes—indicating clearly that the deficiency in appointments in the departmental service in Washington is not a matter of geography or politics.

In this connection, it is interesting

to note that the thirty citizens of Maine, while entitled to 234 places in the departmental service, have managed to secure and hold on to 242. Someone has suggested that they prefer the Washington climate.

As time goes by, however, the disparity will be reduced and appointments more nearly equitably distributed. The apportionment, even having been equalized or nearly so, should remain stable, barring some unexpected circumstance or exigency such as the World War which caused the present inequality.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

Frank Howard, of Terry county was shot and killed in a difficulty with a man by the name of Collins.

A series of burglaries was causing the Lubbock officials considerable trouble, with no clues to the guilty ones.

The Lubbock Rotary Club was in receipt of an invitation to station to the ladies meeting of the club down town.

H. E. Miller purchased the Clarence Saunders store, and took active charge of same.

Dr. Granbery addressed the Tech press club.

Mrs. Chase was conducting a cooking school in Lubbock, and large crowds were in attendance.

MEMORIES

From the Avalanche of September 14, 1904:

"George H. Bean left Monday to attend court at Plainview."

"E. E. Montgomery, John Tabbs and John and Thad Tabbs are attending court in Plainview this week."

"Bob Tabbs and their help spent the last part of last week in the burg from the Hockley county ranch."

"Tip Hart, of the west side of the county was in town Saturday."

"Will Childers spent the greater part of this week in town attending the revival meeting."

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

The Old Way and the New

That even children can be good.

Yet I have heard, despite this rare some old-time children learned to swear.

Despite this good old-fashioned way some model youngsters went astray. Though trained by methods most correct.

Some lives by sin were early wrecked. I choose to have my children near where they can see and also hear.

I much prefer the modern way of letting youngsters have their say. I'll teach by love and not by fright. And trust them both to do what's right.

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BIG CLUBS START BREAKING WINTER CAMPS

MANY ROOKIES ARE FOUND IN LINES OF LARGER TEAMS WHILE TRADING BY THE MANAGERS ALTER OLDER AFFILIATIONS

(By the Associated Press.)
ATLANTA, Ga., March 17.—Certain signs of the spring training season for Major League baseball clubs in Dixie were apparent today as two of the clubs broke camp while another started a series of exhibition games that will occupy it until almost time to depart northward for the grand premier.

At Sarasota and Orlando, the New York Giants and Cincinnati Reds, respectively, said farewell to acquaintances, while in Shreveport, La., Ray Schalk's Chicago White Sox entrained for Texas, where they will stay ten days for exhibition encounters.

The Reds packed baggage and Jack Hendricks departed with them on a tour of training camps in Florida before hitting the long trail home. They will not return to Orlando this season.

East Giant Practice

As for the Giants, John McGraw and his staff left last night for St. Augustine where they will stay until the 25th. McGraw's temporary headquarters will be established for the finishing touches.

The Cardinals game brought Rogers Hornsby into action against his former team while Frankie Frisch and Jimmy Ring, none of the Cardinals, were battling against the Giants for the first time. Sam Breadon and John McGraw watched the play of these men closely as a possible answer to the "who got the best of the deal" query.

Cobb Starts Fuss

Ty Cobb went a step further in the argument with a Georgia Peach, can ferment fast by trying to "ride" Goldsmith, pitcher for the Boston Nationals in their exhibition game with the Athletics at St. Petersburg. Frank Wilson, umpire, told Cobb to get off the field and leave Kid Gibson, Athletics coach, the same command a moment later. When both failed to comply, he declared the game forfeited to the Braves, although the A's were leading at the time, 4 to nothing.

Wilson said he ordered Gibson away when he started arguing for Ty. As the end of the conditioning game was sighted, much discussion was to be heard of the "holdouts."

Rookie Investments

NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—Rookie investments of more than a million dollars seem likely to yield a spring crop of at least a score of new Major League players this year, reports from the training front indicated today.

A majority of the high priced players from the minor leagues appear to have passed the critical training camp tests, but only time will tell whether they have measured up to the grade of major league competition.

The New York Giants, Brooklyn Dodgers and Boston Red Sox will lead the field in minor league experiments. New catching staffs, which include not one but two from 1935 will receive for Red Sox and Giant rookies, although each of the clubs will have at least one minor league star of major league experience. The Dodgers, with changes in every department, will share with the Athletics and Red Sox, the distinction of having brand new faces in their infield casts, latest reports indicate.

Stribling Defeats Maxey Rosenbloom

BOSTON, March 17 (AP)—Young Stribling, flashy Georgia light heavyweight, decisively outpointed Maxey Rosenbloom of New York in their ten round fight here tonight. Stribling carried seven of the rounds, two were even and Rosenbloom was credited with a slight edge in the others.

Stribling weighed 125 1/2 pounds and his opponent 171. The boxes clinched a great deal during the contest and a section of the crowd hoed the decision. Hilario Martinez, Spanish light-weight champion, knocked out Johnny McIntyre of Portland, Maine, in the third round of a scheduled eight round semi-final.

MANAGER DAVE BANCROFT HOPES THAT HIS REJUVENATED BRAVES WILL SHOW MORE SPEED AND BE LEAGUE SURPRISE

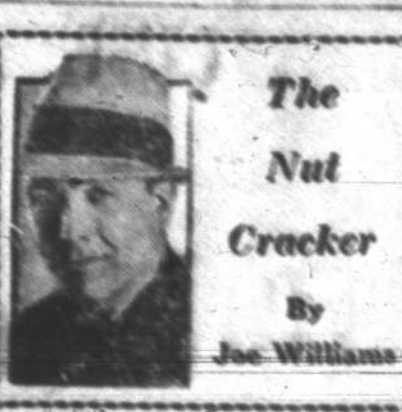
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 17 (AP)—Traffic officers may not be required to curb the speed of the Boston Braves this season, but Dave J. Bancroft, their manager, thinks his club may prove surprising as it goes along.

Bancroft recalls that a baseball upheaval was engineered by George Hallings in Boston, 12 years ago, when these same Braves came from nowhere to a pennant and world championship, and wonders what has happened since then.

"We do not expect to burn up the league," he said, "but there is nothing as uncertain as baseball and we can't be blamed for hoping. When a bunch of ball players has the spirit, these boys have, they may go a long way."

"We have been shy the punch that was needed to transfer our outfit from a fair team to a good one. We may have it this year. I, for one, think the addition of Jacques Fournier has given us some punch and from what I have seen and hear of Lane Richbourg, I think he will also help us a lot."

Bancroft said Richbourg would round out a great outfield for him. The Boston infield was not an issue before, he pointed out, and since he has picked up a promising infielder



The Nut Cracker

We know a pipe organist who has a tough time figuring what to do with his feet. When he's using a typewriter.

Mr. Williams has a brother who is crazy over electricity. He's what practically amounts to an electric fan.

Speaking of clothes, John D. fired a shot for convincing a spot from his dress suit. It was a five-piece suit.

When power contracts are made, these folk will make them.

Once there was a rookie who didn't think he could play chess around the star center fielder. He knew it.

Nothing boxing connected with more power. Mr. Williams thinks they want to win the winner of a bout before it begins. That's about all they don't try to do now.

Thevenow Signs a Cardinal Contract

MADISON, Ind., March 17 (AP)—Johnny Thevenow, star shortstop of the World Champion St. Louis Cardinals, signed his contract with the Cardinals today and will leave tomorrow to join the team at Avon Park, Fla. Terms of the contract were not made public.

NINETEEN TEAMS ENTER CAGE BRECKENRIDGE TOURNAMENT

BRECKENRIDGE, Tex., March 17 (AP)—Nineteen teams entered the A. A. U. state cage championship basketball tournament which opened here Thursday afternoon.

New Castle defeated West Ravenna 41 to 24. Cleveland beat Cedar Springs 40 to 27. Harding won the closest game of the day from Yale 33 to 28. Champion was by default from Tumbler. The preliminaries were to be completed Thursday night.

Hard Contests Mark Dark Horse Tourney

The first elimination rounds of the "Dark Horse" tournament were completed yesterday with three of the matches being won by default. The second elimination rounds will be played off before Sunday with the last remaining games in the dark horse playoffs today were mostly close and interesting. The McWhorter flight was no doubt the most interesting as it was won on the eighteenth hole by McWhorter, having the hole. The Jones-Jarrett fight was interesting in the beginning but the continuity and consistency of Jarrett's victory over Jones and Jarrett won.

Don Mitchell won with a default over Powell and Powell was not here for the match. Bud Roberts won with a default over Dr. Fred Standtler and O. L. Peterson won by default over Dick Shalinger.

The eight that survive the dark horse playoffs today were mostly close and interesting. The McWhorter flight was no doubt the most interesting as it was won on the eighteenth hole by McWhorter, having the hole. The Jones-Jarrett fight was interesting in the beginning but the continuity and consistency of Jarrett's victory over Jones and Jarrett won.

Mullen Fight Card Draws Huge House

CHICAGO, Mar. 17 (AP)—A crowd of 10,000 with gate receipts around \$25,000, packed the coliseum tonight to witness four ten-round bouts staged by promoter Jim Mullen. It was his fifth consecutive sell-out.

In the opening bout, Johnny Hill, a Philippine featherweight, won the verdict over Andy Martin of Boston. Hill a southpaw, opposed Martin with a furious attack, piling up a big lead.

Andre Roubik, tiny little Frenchman, 126-pounder, champion of the European featherweight title, dropped a one-round decision to Eusebio Laniado, Chicago southpaw in a furious ten-round bout.

DIPLOMATIC TREND GIVEN TENNIS MEET

COOLIDGE AND MINISTERS OF FOREIGN NATIONS DRAW FOR PLACES

(By the Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, March 17.—The twenty-five nations that will compete in the annual international tennis tournament in an effort to drive the day-is-out from America were paired off at a colorful ceremony today at the White House participated in by President Coolidge and the diplomatic representatives of each country.

Mr. Coolidge took the first name from the huge silver bowl, resting on a table in the rear of the executive offices and surrounded by the diplomats, most of them attired in morning clothes. He drew Czechoslovakia.

Under secretary of state George C. Messersmith then drew the name of Greece, which therefore meets Czechoslovakia. Thereafter each of the diplomats drew one name from the bowl.

The luck of the draw placed France and Germany, two of the leading contenders in the European zone, both in the lower half and in the event of a close in the early rounds they will meet in the semi-finals of the European competition.

Under secretary of state George C. Messersmith then drew the name of Cuba in the only other match in the semi-finals of the European competition.

The winners of the two zones will meet to determine which nation shall challenge the United States in matches to be played in Philadelphia next September for the cup which America has won for seven successive years.

BASEBALL RESULTS

CLEVELAND WINS
LAKELAND, Fla., March 17 (AP)—Tampa (A) 4-3; Cleveland (A) 11-1; Jacksonville (A) 10-0; St. Petersburg (A) 10-0; St. Petersburg (A) 10-0.

GIANTS BEATEN

SEASIDE, Fla., March 17 (AP)—St. Louis (A) 5-1; New York (A) 9-1; Alexandria (A) 10-0; Ocala (A) 10-0; Ocala (A) 10-0.

SENATORS TRIUMPH

TAMPA, Fla., March 17 (AP)—Cincinnati 2-0; Washington 6-1; St. Marys 10-0; St. Marys 10-0.

PLAN DIXIE MEET

George Tuck's high school inter-collegiate and inter-scholastic relay contest will be held in Atlanta April 8. More than 500 athletes of southern schools are expected to vie for honors in the relays.

BEARS WIN ONE

SAN ANTONIO, March 17 (AP)—Detroit (A) 6-1; San Antonio (A) 12-1; Detroit (A) 12-1.

BROOKLYN TAKES ONE

CLEARWATER, Fla., March 17 (AP)—Columbus (A) 2-1; Brooklyn (A) 5-1; Havana, Miami and Fort Worth, 0-0.

SHADE VICTOR OVER HERNAN IN CHICAGO FIGHT CARD

CHICAGO, Ill., March 17 (AP)—Dave Shade of San Francisco, ranked with Chicago as the favorite challenger for the world middleweight championship, scored a technical knockout over the rather ancient Tully "Kid" Brennan of Los Angeles in the sixth round of a scheduled ten-round fight at the coliseum tonight.

Sam Mages, of Pontiac, Mich., won the judges' decision over Billy White, of Jersey City, N. J., after ten fast rounds.

WESTERNERS TO OPPOSE LAMESA CREW ON CINDER PATH HERE TODAY MARKING FIRST TRACK MEET OF THIS SEASON

Coach B. J. (Bink) Lowery, mentor of the Westerner track club, arranged to meet with the Lamesa cinder path followers in a dual meet yesterday and the first high school track event will be run off this afternoon at three o'clock on the Tish track.

Coach Lowery states that the Lamesa mentor, Bill Stevens, a former A. C. C. product, is in charge of the tracksters of Lamesa and will, no doubt, put up a stiff meet with his crew. According to Coach Lowery the Tornadoes will be here fifteen strong this afternoon and will furnish plenty of competition. Two of the Lamesa track crew are establishing new time in their events and are plenty fast.

The Westerners have been in trim for some time and Coach Lowery is rounding into shape a good crew. Cyrus Leland, John Garland, and Smythe Reynolds will enter the dashes. Leland has been sprinting the dashes in a rapid clip and has been closely followed by Reynolds all season. The weakest point of the Westerner lineup is in the field events. According to reports from the Lamesa camp the Tornadoes are strong in these events in the track events Coach Lowery is looking stronger than in the field events as he has put more time in on the development of that feature.

MUNCH GUILTY OF USING THE MAILS TO DEFRAUD

TAMPA, Fla., March 17 (AP)—Dr. George A. Munch, of Tampa, today was found guilty on two counts of an indictment alleging use of the mails to defraud.

Washington Sorely In Need Of Wrong-Arm Hurlers; Harris Working Hard With Boys

TAMPA, Fla., March 17.—The Washington baseball club needs left-hand pitchers as badly as right-hand ones. Manager Stanley Harris says so.

But instead of offering a kingdom for a made of gravel in the penant race, the manager secured a Cuban pitcher named Willie Goodwin of the New York A. C. to pump into a 30-year-old, the world's record probably would have been shattered. Hahn covered the last quarter mile in one minute flat and the last lap in 21.34 seconds as evidence of the terrific pace.

On hand, Hollis Thurston and Leo Mangum, of the White Sox, and E. G. Braxton, left hander from the Yankees, also have joined the fold.

Ten of the rookies are imported from the Southern Association. Trainor, who has been working with them three weeks, and the last likely of the recruits are beginning to stand out.

Crowder, Hadley, Lisenbee, who went like a house after with Memphis last year; Van Alstyne, an Eastern leaguer; Murray, Thurston and Braxton are among those showing the best form. Johnson, Coveleskie and Marberry are in excellent physical condition, but are working their arms into shape gradually.

"From my observation of the squad," Harris states, "I believe we are very fortunate in the quality of young pitching material. By March 15 we will weed them out, so that from those remaining we can make our choice of three or four men."



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J. O. Smith, supervisor of the "Dark Horse" tournament now being held at the Lubbock County club, received a challenge from Charles Quile, of Fort and one of the foremost golfers in West Texas, to meet with the champion of the derby meet here in a thirty-six hole contest. Mr. Smith stated today that arrangements for this exhibition match will likely be made but that no definite announcements could be made at the present time.

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Discussion of School Problems Features Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet At Abernathy With Many Visitors There

Visitors from Plainview, Olton, Denton, Colorado, Palm Beach, California and Lubbock were present last night at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet at Abernathy.

C. E. Beane, secretary of the Abernathy Chamber of Commerce, was toastmaster and introduced local speakers who discussed local issues and events that are facing the people of Abernathy for the near future. Redistricting of precincts in Hale county, and consolidation of the Abernathy schools were discussed. An announcement was made regarding a farmers' short course which will be held there soon.

Music and readings by local talent and talks from a couple dozen speakers, visitors and Abernathy citizens filled out a well rounded program. School District Problem. J. P. Nystel made the address of welcome and spoke of the redistricting of the precincts in Hale county. Nystel explained that one fourth of Abernathy is in Lubbock county being divided into two separate precincts while the remainder of the town is in one corner of a precinct in Hale county which cuts off a part of their trade territory. A petition will be passed around to Abernathy citizens within the next few days to ask the Hale county commissioners to redistrict the Abernathy precinct to include all of the Abernathy trade territory. Nystel paid a tribute to Paul Huey, Hale county farm agent who has resigned to be connected with a Texas Farm Journal. Hale county has as many registered dairy cattle as any county in Texas, and Huey has been instrumental in stimulating this interest in dairying, Nystel said.

Need Consolidation. Fritz Struve and Professor L. P. Shaw spoke on the movement to consolidate the Abernathy schools with the surrounding rural schools.

The students of the Abernathy High School had been invited and a majority were present. Doyle Settle, president of the senior class was introduced and thanked the Chamber of Commerce for sponsoring a band election which will make possible a new school building for next year. Settle pledged the support of the students of the high school in any movement they could assist in for the benefit of Abernathy.

G. W. Johnson, rendered a violin solo, accompanied on the piano by Miss Eunice Neely. Miss Hazel Nicholson gave a reading. Professor Clyde E. Rhoades played a piano selection. His daughter, Miss Aylene Rhoades gave a reading and his son, played a violin solo.

Out of town speakers were: L. L. Kyle, E. K. Thurston, J. W. Pinkston, C. E. Harfield, and P. E. Yarbrough, (Glen); A. S. Melneche, A. T. Concaugh, and Paul Selman, (Malou); H. Blauchoe, (Palm Beach, California); B. B. Brawley, (Denton); G. W. Martin, (Denton); Mary Hopkins, and Frank Brown, (Plainview); Jack Randall, (Garet Reeves, H. T. Kimbro, Sam T. Davis, and James L. Dow, Lubbock).

FORD TRIAL

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It being claimed he was a member of an international ring of Jews formed to exploit agriculture.

Reed's Attack. Removing his tortoise shell glasses at times, recalcitrating at the jury with sardonic smiles, and deprecating glances, Senator Reed devoted most of the day telling the jury what he was to prove as to Mr. Sapiro's business methods. Seats were again at a premium and at the beginning of each session the room was cleared of all who could not find a place to sit down.

"We shall try to show," Senator Reed said, "that what has been printed about Mr. Sapiro in all its real sense was the truth and it is no libel to say of a man who is a Jew that he is a Jew. This is the same kind of a case it would be if Mr. Sapiro were a member of any other race."

"I believe the court will tell you that Mr. Sapiro cannot capitalize any recovery here on any sympathy that may be felt for the people of his race. He asks a million dollars from Ford and the Dearborn publishing company and that is what we are going to try in this case."

Was Not Farmer. "At the time Mr. Sapiro entered these co-operative organizations he had never owned a farm in his life, never played a furrow or sowed an acre of grain. He was a city boy and grew up a city man," said Mr. Reed who read several speeches of Sapiro's in which he told of his life as an orphan and fight for an education.

"Learning about co-operative organizations in California, Reed said, Sapiro conceived the idea of going to the farmers of the United States and the fruit growers and laying before them a scheme for marketing, telling them they would be able to control the marketing of their products and fix prices."

"In this way, Sapiro told them, they could make huge profits, grow rich and prosperous live in fine homes, and educate their children in colleges," said the senator.

"Evidence will show his scheme was purely for the benefit of Sapiro, that he was not a farmer boy nor any of his people."

Sensor Reed said as a means of tying people to him, Sapiro paid at most unheard of sums to warehouse owners whose influence Sapiro desired. He attacked the contracts signed by the associations with farmers as being too binding.

STATE ACCEPTS TITLES TO TWENTY-FOUR PARK SITES

AUSTIN, March 17 (AP)—Disseminating rumors of several members regarding possibility of future appropriation requests, the house today adopted the Neal senate concurrent resolution accepting title to 24 Park sites, including about 1,500 acres in various parts of Texas. Size of the tracts ranges from 10 acres down to 10.

MEXICAN AUDIENCE CHEERS COOLIDGE

NEIGHBORING COUNTRY GIVES APPROVAL TO TALK OF GOOD RELATIONS

(By the Associated Press)

EL PASO, March 17.—Upholding the policy of President Coolidge that American lives and property will be protected in Mexico, Congressman Claude B. Hudspeth, democrat of El Paso, charged that "sensational news writers in United States are attempting to attract attention, and create an impression that unfriendly relations exist between America and Mexico," in delivering greetings from President Coolidge of the Southwestern cattlemen and Mexican officials at a banquet in Juarez, Mexico, today.

Cheers greeted the congressman's statement, and led by a group of Mexican officials three cheers were given President Coolidge and the United States.

"United States interests that are obeying the laws of Mexico are being protected as long as they attend to their business," said the congressman in his address before Luis L. Leon, Mexican secretary of agriculture, and Governor J. A. Almeida of Chihuahua.

Mr. Hudspeth charged that false statements were being made regarding the attitude of Mexico on the boundary dispute between the United States and the southern republic.

In commenting on the attitude of "sensational news writers," Mr. Hudspeth said the American public "don't believe a word of the stories and will continue to be friends with Mexico in the future as in the past."

Arguments In Scuh Murder Case Over

PIYOR, Okla., March 17 (AP)—Final arguments in the Bob Scuh murder trial were made at a night session of the district court here tonight and court recessed until tomorrow morning.

Scuh is charged jointly with Mrs. Anita Greer with murder in connection with the slaying of Leonard F. Greer, Mrs. Greer's husband, whose body was found October 16, 1925, on a flaming bed at his home in Spavnow, Okla.

The taking of testimony was completed this morning, the jury was instructed and last afternoon was consumed with arguments.

Letters written by Scuh from Iowa, where he had gone soon after Greer was killed, figured largely in arguments of both the state and the defense. W. W. Powell, county attorney, showed that the letters indicated that Scuh and his family hoped to have Mrs. Greer with them soon.

A Lee Battenfield, Pryor attorney, associated with the defense, argued that Scuh wrote impatiently because he hoped that he and Mrs. Greer might not be held apart so long that their hoped for marriage might not result in children. Mrs. Greer, he said, is 34 years old.

"As for this love stuff," said Battenfield, "let me tell you about it. It's as old as Adam and Eve. If you are going to convict every man in Oklahoma who has an illicit love affair, you will depopulate the state."

The state has tried to show that Scuh and Mrs. Greer were intimate and desirous of getting rid of Greer.

New York Enacting Anti-Crime Bills

ALBANY, N. Y., March 17 (AP)—New York state, already recognized as the leader in the wide movement to curb crime by strengthening criminal statutes, is going even farther in that direction.

This became evident today when only slight opposition developed at a joint hearing on forty bills introduced by the Baumes crime commission.

Less than half a dozen of the proposed laws came under attack and only one—designed to expand operation of the law dealing with carrying concealed weapons—brought organized opposition.

The bill principally attacked would require pistol manufacturers and dealers to take out a state license, would extend the permit requirements to include not only pistols and revolvers of the common type, but also weapons made by cutting off the stock and part of the barrel of a shot gun, the new air pressure pistols imported from England and various contrivances for shooting charges loaded with gas.

Another provision would place the presumption of guilt as to possession on all persons riding in an automobile in which there is found a pistol.

Opponents of the pistol bill were representatives of marksmen's clubs and several private citizens who expressed the opinion that it was the constitutional right of every man to carry arms and defend himself.

Fans Interest Will Guide Radio Bosses

WASHINGTON, March 17 (AP)—The dominant influence to guide the new federal radio commission will be to serve the listening public, E. O. Sykes, the commission's vice chairman, declared in a radio address tonight which, through a "hook up" of forty stations was carried to multitudes.

Only once before in radio's history had such an extensive combine assembled so large an audience, and that was recently to carry the voice of President Coolidge across the seas in Europe at Washington.

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task of regulating radio was emphasized by Mr. Sykes, by pointing out that more than 18,000 transmitting stations are operating under federal license. He compared the broadcasting situation to a crowded city street without traffic or any well understood traffic rules.

"We are approaching our task," he said, "in full recognition of its importance and magnitude. We are under no obligations, political or otherwise, except to the radio public. We ask your help, and as for a while, we

ask your patience. And I can make you only one promise, and that is that in everything we may do we are going to be guided by the principle that the right to broadcast is dependent, not on selfish interest, but on service to the listening public."

LAREDO, Mar. 16 (AP)—Maurice Dilleo, 28 years an immigration inspector here and known to his intimates as "French" died here Wednesday after a long illness. He was held to be one of the best investigators in the service.

S. M. U. RALLY FAILS TO OVERCOME LEAD OF STEERS

DALLAS, March 17 (AP)—Southern Methodist university made one of the rallies for which it is famous in the sixth inning of the annual exhibition clash with the Dallas steers here Thursday, but it lacked a trifle of the necessary momentum, and the Texas League and Dixie champions won 12 to 9.

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PROTEST FILED ON FREEING OF COOK

JUDGE WILSON AVAILS SELF OF
UNIQUE POWER IN THE
GRANTING OF PAROLE

(By Associated Press)
FORT WORTH, March 17.—Probationary freedom for Dr. Frederick A. Cook, who once claimed to have discovered the north pole, was granted here today by Federal Judge James C. Wilson, under a two-year-old federal probation law.

The order freeing Cook was to be on his way tonight or tomorrow to Leavenworth penitentiary where Dr. Cook is serving a 14-year sentence on charges of assault of the mails for all stock promotion.

The prisoner will be paroled to Eugene Williams, Fort Worth attorney and churchman, while the government is preparing an appeal of the case, which may go to the United States supreme court. District Attorney Henry Zweifel filed formal notice of appeal.

Questioned Law
The probation, which is for five years, was granted under the law passed March 4, 1925, which gives federal district judges authority to liberate defendants, and the present case is one of the few in which this authority has been exercised. Government attorneys deny that a judge has power to grant probation after a prisoner has begun serving his term, and a few cases thus far tried appear to be in conflict, according to assistant district attorney J. Forrest McCutcheon. He is holding in favor of Cook. Judge Wilson stated that the new law is a radical departure without parallel, and gives the trial judge control over the prisoner until the termination of the latter's sentence.

The act gives district judges, in some cases, pardoning power not enjoyed by the president," said Judge Wilson.

He stated that in his opinion the original sentence against Cook was excessive, that Cook now is a prisoner, and that if he served his full sentence he would be 75 years old when released.

Like Suspended Sentence
Probation differs from parole. Under parole a prisoner continues under observation until the limit of his sentence. At the end of five years, he will be eligible for complete freedom by parole, and will be forced to return to prison unless the president commutes the sentence or grants pardon.

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

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WHERE'S THE MAYOR AND
KEY TO THE CITY?

The Arkansas case held that the judge did not have authority to grant probation after sentence had begun. The Arkansas case, United States vs. Craft, held just the opposite. McCutcheon said. The Nebraska case apparently held with the Arkansas ruling, while the California cases are believed to be in conflict. All of these cases are on appeal.

Cook was sentenced in 1923 by Judge John M. Kille of this, who sat here as a special judge, and has served three and one-half years. His application for probation was made two weeks ago.

A fellow prisoner, Harry Schwartz, who was sentenced to ten years for a

similar offense, has applied for probation. His case is to be decided soon.

**Yellowhouse Well
Abandoned As Dry**

Rumors that a showing of oil had been encountered in the Yellowhouse No. 1 well of the Talbott interests were denied today by Clifford E. Smith, representative of the backers of the well.

The bit was in an unfavorable position at 4200 feet when the well was shut down. It was explained. The formation is untested, and is making oil water. Work of pulling the casing and plugging the well has been started.

Samples of the formation from the bottom of the hole were taken by the representative of a major oil company here, who announced after having them analyzed that they contain no indication of oil that the possibility of encountering production in such a strata are very rare.

Crude oil, said to have been noticed on the slush of the well, came from fuel barrels, washed off into the pit while machinery was being taken out and work done about the rig.

Other oil tests on the plain are being waited with interest, including the Gulf company well near Dimmitt, which is drilling at a depth of about 1000 feet, and the Humble company well near Muleshoe, which has resumed operations after the rig which was burned, was replaced.

While the Yellowhouse well failed to show oil production, it does not at all condemn this section as being non-producing, and valuable information as to depth and formation of the different strata, here, was obtained, which will be useful in drilling any new wells on fresh locations.

Chemical analysis of samples of the oil, indicated in the oil, which were displayed in Lubbock Wednesday evening at a meeting from the well, it is claimed, were found upon chemical analysis to be a combination of kerosene and lubricating oil, and not crude oil.

Mr. Smith explained the presence of the oil by stating that it is used in dressing the casing to prevent rust, while it is being shipped.

While a group of spectators from Lubbock looked on Thursday afternoon the rig of the Yellowhouse number one well groined and shook as the first string of casing was pulled in the work abandoning and plugging the bit.

Chemical analysis of the oil samples was made by E. T. H. Oxford of the chemical company, Leroy Patton, of the Tech college, and Dr. W. P. Road of Tech college.

**STOVE SPECIALIST WILL GIVE
DEMONSTRATION SATURDAY**

J. T. Thrush, oil stove specialist of Dallas, is to be in Lubbock Saturday and will give a demonstration at 7 o'clock at the court house for the particular benefit of home demonstration club women and girls of the county. It was announced last night by Miss Hazel Hammer, county home demonstration agent. Thrush is well identified with any specific oil stove concern, but is demonstrating their general use, Miss Hammer stated.

WILCOAT PROGRESSES

WILCOAT, Texas, March 17.—The Crandall Drilling company is down 2700 feet in their Pickens Smith well and drilling in gumbo. This well is in entirely new wildcat territory and is being watched with much interest.

Hall-Benson Store Is Damaged by Fire

Damage amounting to approximately \$10,000 was done when fire broke out in the Hall-Benson store early Thursday morning.

The flames were quickly put under control by the fire department, but before a large stock of merchandise and fixtures in the building had been damaged by the smoke and flames. Damage to the building was slight. The blaze, starting in the chemical department of the store, is thought to have been caused by spontaneous combustion.

Chemical flames blending with the smoke from the fire, created a highly dangerous condition for firemen who entered the structure, and all possible precautions were taken by members of the department to guard against injury.

Precautions Used
Doors and windows at both front and back were thrown open so that a draft could blow the poisonous fumes, and firemen were enabled to enter the front end where the flames had not reached. With four streams of water playing on it, the blaze was quickly placed under control.

Paradehouse cooling of two, and six more capacity, and several containers of highly explosive cleaning fluids were in the building at the time. Several minor explosions were noted.

Returning from the run the firemen stated that they could feel the effect of the drug fumes on their lungs and in their throat, action.

The store will be closed temporarily or insurance adjustments and repairs but will be reopened as soon as possible. H. E. Hall, manager of the firm, stated.

**DISTRICT AGENT INSPECTS
LOCAL CLUB WORK DONE**

Miss Myrtle Murray district home demonstration agent, is well pleased with the work that is being carried on in Lubbock county she said yesterday before leaving for Palestine after having spent the last three days in Lubbock on her routine trip. No new work is to be initiated by the district at this time and Miss Murray recommended no changes, according to Miss Hazel Hammer, county demonstration agent.

Miss Murray visited the Acuff club while she was here and spent yesterday in conference with Miss Hammer, going over the work that is being done in the county.

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STERLING AND JOHNSON WILL VACATION ON TEXAS RANCH

AUSTIN, March 17 (AP)—R. S. Sterling of Houston, chairman of the state highway commission, and Cane Johnson, member, were to leave tonight for a short vacation on Sterling's ranch near Laredo.

They are expected to return to Austin about March 28.

Both Sterling and Johnson have been working long hours in straightening the affairs of the highway department.

Don't forget the free barbecue, auction and lot sale at Hurwood, Saturday, March 19th, commencing at ten o'clock.

**BINEGO CONTINUES FLIGHT
CROSSING AMAZON REGION**

BURTON, ARIES, March 17 (AP)—A dispatch to La Nación from Rio de Janeiro says Commander Francisco de Pinho hopped off from San Luis de Caceres, Brazil, at three o'clock this afternoon, continuing his four continent flight. It has been announced that the Italian flyer will follow the tributaries of the Amazon river in the direction of Manaus.

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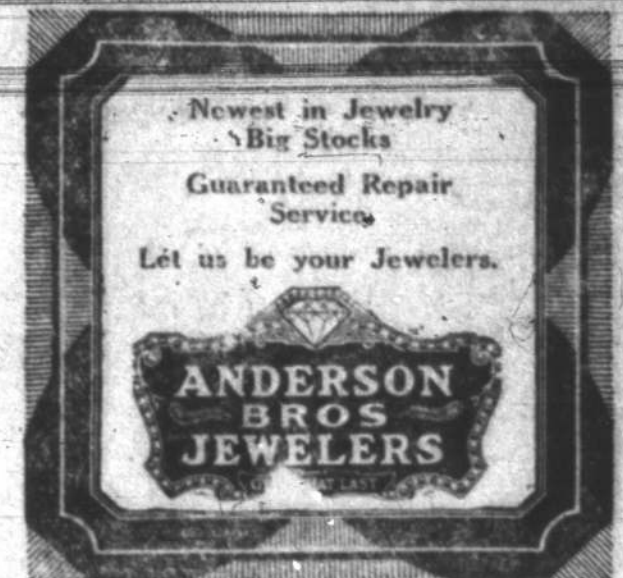
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WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE

Death strikes GARRETT FOLSOM while bathing at Ocean Town, N. J. It is thought at first he is a stroke victim, but investigation shows he has been stabbed to death beneath the water.

Folsom's swimming companions had been ROGER MEVILLE, business partner, MRS. HELEN BARNABY and CAMELITA VALDON. It is established that Folsom, just before his death, had been standing next to NED BARRETT, known as the copper king.

ANASTASIA FOLSOM, eccentric and masterful sister of the dead man, arrives and takes command. At the inquest, it is learned that the death weapon was a pichag, an Oriental knife and that it had been bought on the boardwalk.

It is also established that one GUYDOR SEARS is a fancier of curious knives. Anastasia engages TITUS RIGGS, an architect, to work on the case. DAN PELTON, the dead man's nephew, arrives, and notices the curious French dolls in Garrett Folsom's room. He tells Titus RIGGS he believes his uncle had been guilty of blackmailing a number of people and RIGGS discovers suspicious documents in Folsom's effects with the initials of Croydon Sears.

RIGGS gets hold of Sears' son, ROBIN, and reminds him of his promise to assist in the case.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXIX

UNOSTENTATIOUSLY, RIGGS steered their steps to the shop where the antique auctions were held.

"Come on," Sears said, drawing away.

"Wait a minute can't you? I want to see what they're on today."

"Oh, all right," said Robin, in a chair, and showed no interest in the window exhibit.

"I say, Rob, there's a hick—mean pichaga, like the man was killed with."

"I don't want to look at it, come along, Titus."

"No I want to look at it, if you don't mind."

"I can't think what you see to look at in a mess of old junk."

"Valuable antiques," you mean. Funny about that danger, wasn't it? Sold the very night your father was in here. Wish it had been while he was here. With his keen notice of anything of the sort, he might have remembered what the man looked like who bought it."

"But he didn't," the boy almost growled. Then he went on earnestly. "You see, Titus, and Robin, long before the hick was put up and he was up and down the boardwalk all the rest of the time till he went home to bed."

"Yes, I know, I was only wishing. He might have given me a steer."

"Not he. Dad had an eye for good pieces, but for a minute he wouldn't hold him for a minute."

"Oh, come now, it wasn't so bad."

"Yes, it was. Dad said so afterward. He knew all about it. But then he knows all such things, as you and I know jazz music."

"I want the palm to you in that matter, Robin. Where were you that night?"

"Dancing with Angel in the Majestica. Oh, RIGGS, that girl dances like a—"

"Like a thunderbolt, as waves of the sea," you said once, didn't you?"

"Oh, shut up, girls don't dance like that nowadays. She dances like—oh, well, like most all of 'em do. Only it's nice to dance with her, than the others."

"What time did you turn in?"

"My word! Is this an inquiry meeting? Long about one, I guess. Not much later anyway. We're not the real thing in night club work, you see. Madeline wouldn't stand for it. She's

conservative and correct, first, last and all the time."

"Mighty fine woman. Well, you're not much good, Rob, as a helper on the great problem."

"No, I say, Titus, why don't you chuck it? You'll never get at the truth, and who do you want to?"

"Why do I want to?" Titus RIGGS asked.

"You heard me."

"I sure did. Well, I want to, ostensibly for the sake of justice. And

also because I love the game."

"Hounding down a man?"

"Yes, it's a murder."

"It's said Robin Sears."

"Threatening clouds had sent many scurrying indoors, and the lounge of the Hotel Majestica was like a great

cauldron of color, sound and fragrance. Under the tall palms sat groups of laughing, chattering young people; among the massed flowers stood smiling, happy pleasure-seekers; here and there sat those who quietly listened to the music drifting in from the next room where there was dancing.

"Tea tables were all about, and though a few tired, weary faces might be seen, for the most part all was life, light and laughter."

"Titus RIGGS and young Sears made their way to a table where Robin's searching eye had, at once spied Angelica Fair."

"Blessed boy," she called out. "We have missed you at home, we have missed you. Where have you been?"

"What a speech! When you fired me yourself. Said you had to stay with Maddy."

"This was an unfortunate remark, and Robin should have known better than to make it."

Madeline Barron turned on him with quick resentment.

"Nothing of the sort!" she said. "Angelica insisted she didn't want to go out this afternoon. It looked like rain, she said."

"Did look like rain, too," Angel said gaily, determined not to stir up a discussion. "We both wanted to rest. Now I'm fit again and dying to dance. Come along, Bobbin."

The two went off toward the dancing room, and Titus RIGGS dropped into the chair the girl vacated.

"First with Maddy," she turned back to say to him. "She wants to go home and the bad, naughty crowd she has with her won't agree. Help us out. Mr. RIGGS. Get her a new sheik or buy her a doll or something."

The pair went off, laughing, and RIGGS gazed after the lovely vision.

"How did they know enough to name that girl Angel?" he said. "And Angel Fair, or all things?"

"Yes, it just suits her," and Madeline Barron looked affectionately at her friend. "They couldn't help the 'Fair' of course, and it was clever to add the other. Though, as she was christened Angelica—"

"All the same, they must have known she was to be called Angel. She looks like a doll. And by that I mean no disparagement. The dolls of today are often more lifelike than some human beings."

RIGGS had no thought in his mind save an intent to amuse or divert Madeline, who certainly did look what Robin had called "weedy."

"Beautiful as ever, perfectly dressed as always, she had a new look in her eyes, a sort of restlessness that he had never seen there before. And then, to his amazement, she spoke with real pettishness."

"Don't harp on dolls! The world seems mad on the subject."

"Don't you like them? That settles it. Suppose I try Angel's other bit of advice and find you somebody new to flirt with. Hello, Felon, come over here."

Laughing at Madeline's sudden start, RIGGS motioned Dan Pelton, who

chanced to be passing, to a chair at their tea table and nodded to a waiter.

The man was an utter stranger to her. She braced up and smiled cordially when he was presented.

And then the observant Titus saw a queer look come into Pelton's eyes.

It passed in a moment; so quickly that RIGGS doubted it had been there at all, but he thought afterward, there was certainly a surprise of some kind that brought about that expression.

Pelton appeared to better advantage than RIGGS had hitherto seen him, and Madeline revived under his compliments and seemed almost gay again.

She was beautiful in an almost opposite way from Angel.

Ned Barron's wife was dark, olive-skinned, and brown-eyed. Her hair showed the newest thing in bobs and her clothes were incomparably so perfectly did she dominate them by her own personality.

Vivacious yet quiet, charming—luring even—yet reserved.

Somehow RIGGS found himself comparing her to Camellia Valdon, whom he also admired.

But Titus RIGGS' admiration of women was entirely superficial. He regarded them as pictures, meritorious or otherwise, only as they pleased his eyes and his taste.

Camellia was far more provocative, far more self-conscious, but Madeline was of a higher type of attrac-

tiveness and RIGGS almost hoped as he turned suddenly to her, smiling at Dan Pelton, as if with a new interest in life.

"Good heavens!" thought the apprehensive bachelor. "She mustn't fall in love with him!" and then laughed at himself for the fleeting whim, for the devotion of the Barrons was the jest of their merry friends.

"But I don't get it," he went on with his ruminations, finding his participation in the talk was not necessary.

"There's something wrong with Madeline—something more than homeliness, and it can't be that a new sheik to flirt with is going to cure!"

(To be Continued)

Is Madeline Barron concealing something about this murder business? RIGGS is frankly puzzled.

Don't forget the free barbecue, auction and lot sale at Harwood, Saturday, March 19th, commencing at ten o'clock.

T. J. Crass and son, Theron Crass, and Bruce Burleson were visiting in Lubbock yesterday with Miss Miriam Crass, student at the Technological college and attending to business.

Baptists Planning Rally For Sunday

An old fashioned get-together meeting is planned by members of the South Side Missionary Baptist church next Sunday for the purpose of stimulating greater interest in Christian work there.

The program will begin at 9:30 a. m. at the church and continue all day.

Events will be as follows:

9:30 to 10:00 a. m. devotional by the Rev. D. W. Simpson.

10:00 to 10:30 a. m. Sunday school talk by Rev. R. L. McCullum.

10:30 to 11:00 a. m. conference.

11:00 to 12:00, preaching by Rev. W. G. Wages, of Lamesa.

12:00 to 1:30 p. m. dinner on the grounds.

Preaching in the evening by the Rev. McCullum.

EIGHTY-TWO SUITS ARE FILED HERE THIS YEAR

A total of eighty-two suits have been filed in district court here since January 1, when Miss Flora Green, district clerk, took charge. It was announced Thursday.

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NOTICE TO BOND BUYERS

Bids or proposals will be received by the City Commission of the City of Lubbock, Texas, at 1:30 p. m. on the 31st day of March, 1927, for the purchase and handling of a funding bond issue to be voted aggregating approximately \$700,000.00, bearing a rate of interest to be agreed upon. Said funding bonds are being issued for the purpose of funding certain outstanding indebtedness of the City. Full information will be furnished by the City Secretary upon application.

This the 17th day of March, 1927. (Seal) PINK L. PARISH, Mayor.

G. W. McCLARY, City Secretary.

37. AUTOMOBILES

FOR RENT—100 acre farm. See C. E. Alexander at Shallowater.

FOR SALE—Buick commercial car, panel body, good condition. See W. C. Bryan, Oakland Station.

CHEAP TRANSPORTATION—1926 Buick Standard Six Touring looks and runs like new. We bought it cheap and will sell the same. FORDS from \$50.00 up. Quite a few other cars; Chevrolet, Hudsons, and Maxwells at exceptional low prices.

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519 Texas Ave. Phone 627
Home of Good Used Automobiles

We have a good selection of late model used cars, all in A-1 condition. Priced to sell. Our customers must be satisfied.

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1927 model Dodge Sport Roadster
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1925 model Nash Roadster
1925 model Nash Touring
1925 model Hudson Coupe
1926 Chevrolet Coupe
1927 Ford Coupe, this car looks like new.
1926 model Chrysler 55 Coupe

We have other cars not mentioned. Call 905 for demonstration.

LUBBOCK NASH COMPANY
1118 MAIN STREET

GOOD USED CARS

1928 Chevrolet Roadster, excellent condition.

1924 Chevrolet Touring, good rubber.

1924 Chevrolet Sedan, one you can afford to own.

1925 Ford Roadster, light delivery body.

1925 Ford touring, no need to walk when you can buy a car like this for the price we ask.

1926 Ford Touring, a good clean job.

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1105 Main Phone 64

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1926 Hupp 8 Sedan
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1926 Buick Sedan
1924 Studebaker Touring
1924 Studebaker Roadster
1924 Hupp Sedan
1924 Chevrolet Coupe
1924 Willys-Knight Touring.

These cars all in best possible condition, with good finish, good tires, tops and upholstery. If you want a good used car cheap, see us.

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1312-14 Broadway Phone 1451

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A classified ad in the Avalanche and Journal at one price is a sure fire result getter.

33. LIVE STOCK

FOR SALE—Car load big work horses and mares, weighing from 1200 to 1600 at H. H. Marshall's Barn.

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SWART OPTICAL COMPANY
Phone 808 1515 Broadway

DAILY MARKET

COTTON IS EASIER

NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—The cotton market was easier today under a renewal of liquidation, combined with local and southern selling which was promoted by relatively easy Liverpool cables and reports of a less active spot demand. May contracts sold off from 14.00 to 13.77 and closed at 13.79, the general market closing steady, at net declines of 13 to 15 points.

The market opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 2 points to fuller response to the relatively easy news of Liverpool being prevented by some overnight buying orders brought in by the steadier tone of yesterday's market. This early demand was soon supplied, and the market worked gradually lower the balance of the day under liquidation by recent buyers and selling by local traders or the south.

Prices reached the lowest levels in late trading when March declined to 13.66, July to 13.94, and October to 14.10, or about 16 to 18 points below yesterday's closing quotations.

A private report was issued placing total ginnings for the season at 18,021,000 bales. This may have disappointed some traders who have been looking for low figures but on the whole was considered about in line with expectations. Selling was attributed chiefly to completion of a falling off in spot demand, while there were also rumors of a slightly easier basis for low grades in the southwest.

Private cables reported trade calling and continental buying in Liverpool supplied by hedge selling, and moderate business in cotton cloths in Manchester. Trading here was quiet the greater part of the day, but became somewhat active on the decline late in the afternoon.

Exports today 58,030 bales making \$274,196 so far this season.

Port receipts today 33,132 U. S. port stocks 2,614,296 bales.

COTTON OIL LOWER

NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—Cottonseed oil was active and lower today with near month's relatively weak under commission house selling influenced by the unsettled in crude and lower typing of hard cotton and spot oil prices broke 12 to 20 points on active positions, but covering checked the decline and brought about a partial rally, with the close 1 to 14 points net lower. Sales 29,900 barrels. Prime crude 7.50; prime summer yellow spot 9.45; March closed 9.50; May 9.36; July 9.55; September 9.68; October 9.52.

COTTON DECLINES

NEW ORLEANS, March 17 (AP)—Cotton prices today opened 4 to 6 points down and continued on the decline until the close. Unsatisfactory cables, small spot sales in southern markets, fair weather and a private estimate of total ginnings of 18,021,000 bales accounted for the loss.

Trading was light owing to fears that the government would confirm today's private estimate of total ginnings in its report Monday. Losses of 19 to 22 points were shown at the close with May going out at 13.77, July 13.90 and October 14.10.

Exports for the day totaled 58,030 bales.

COTTON GOODS QUIET

NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—Cotton goods in the primary divisions were quiet in gray cloths today, but strong and active in many of the finished lines. The repeat order business on wash fabrics, rayons and cotton and silks, was constant. Heavy silk was steadied somewhat and is being moved in small filling-in lots here. Better reports were heard of small lot ordering on silk fabrics. In the wool goods markets trade is coming along in small lots. Some new lines of fancy dress goods and checkings opened for fall were bought moderately. Burlap markets continued steady to firm.

LIVESTOCK STEADY

FORT WORTH, March 17 (AP)—Although livestock receipts were heavy here today the market was generally steady in all divisions of the trade. The count was for 1,900 grown cattle, 700 calves, 2,000 hogs and 400 sheep.

SUGAR IS QUIET

NEW YORK, March 17 (AP)—The raw sugar was quiet today, with refiners inclined to hold off and await.

PRESCRIPTION

Filled and Delivered PROMPTLY and anything else you want

The Lower Rio Grande Valley Market Basket of the Nation

adds materially to the
crop income of Texas



PORT FACILITIES

THE United States government is now developing a harbor at Brazos Santiago, off Point Isabel, which is connected with Brownsville by the Rio Grande railroad.

The present depth sought over the pass is eighteen feet. Two rock jetties are being constructed, jutting out from the ends of Padre and Brazos Islands a distance of 1600 feet. The federal government has authorized a survey from extension of the intra-coastal canal from Corpus Christi to Point Isabel, and up the Arroyo Colorado to the Missouri Pacific bridge near Harlingen. San Benito and Brownsville each have projects for canals to connect with the intra-coastal.

BANKS OF THE VALLEY

The thirty banks of the Lower Rio Grande Valley showed total resources on December 31, 1926, of \$22,806,644.19, with deposits of \$19,479,867.12. Twenty years ago the Valley had one bank with deposits of about \$250,000.

By counties, the figures were: Cameron County, \$12,438,231.64 resources, and \$10,417,977.99 deposits; Hidalgo County, \$3,889,582.52 and \$7,658,154.54; Willacy County, \$768,334.36 and \$641,325.81; Starr County, \$768,949.83 and \$627,977.85.

Brownsville is the financial center of the Valley, with total resources of \$2,800,000 and total deposits of \$7,000,000.

HIGHWAYS

Cameron and Hidalgo counties now have about 140 miles of hard surface paving, covering state highway No. 12 from Brownsville to the Brooks county line, and from Pharr to the Starr county line.

Cameron County has approved a bond issue of \$2,000,000, with which it expects to build about 100 miles of permanent feeder roads, including one road from Brownsville to Boca Chica beach, the only mainland beach on the Texas coast. It will be about 24 miles long.

Hidalgo County is planning a bond issue of \$2,500,000 to \$3,000,000 for a system of feeder roads.

Willacy County will build a 20-mile highway out of a bond issue of \$500,000. Starr County is traversed by a first class gravel road.

HIGH POWER LINE

Most of the towns and cities of the Lower Rio Grande Valley are served by the high power lines of the Central Power & Light Company. Farmers along these lines are enabled to secure power, heat and light at usual city rates. Brownsville and Harlingen operate municipal plants.

A natural gas line is about to be constructed from the Webb County fields into the Lower Rio Grande Valley. It promises to supply all towns by the coming winter.

TRANSPORTATION

ADEQUATE transportation facilities are provided by the Missouri Pacific Lines and the Southern Pacific. The latter is now extending its Valley line from Edinburg to Harlingen, and its application to continue to Brownsville, a distance of 30 miles, has been recommended to the Interstate Commerce Commission. McAllen is also a Southern Pacific terminus at present.

Motor bus lines operate every half hour through the Lower Rio Grande Valley, serving every town.

VALLEY TOWNS

BROWNSVILLE is the oldest and leading city of the Lower Rio Grande Valley, and the only one of the large Valley towns located on the Rio Grande. Starting at Brownsville, going north and west, the towns are: San Benito, Harlingen, La Feria, Mercedes, Weslaco, Donna, Alamo, San Juan, Pharr, McAllen, Mission, Rio Grande City. Edinburg is the county seat of Hidalgo County, and Raymondville is the county seat of Willacy County. The Starr County seat is Rio Grande City. Other towns include Point Isabel, Rio Hondo, Santa Maria, Lyford. A large number of new towns in the making include Elsa, Edcouch, Primera, Hargill, Lasars, Barreda, Olmito, St. George, and others.



NEW EL JARDIN HOTEL

FLOOD CONTROL

THE Lower Rio Grande Valley is now expending about \$3,500,000 on flood control, creating artificial outlets for flood waters and making natural outlets available.

The state assisted in these projects, and increased values that have resulted are already repaying the state for its liberality in remitting Hidalgo County ad valorem taxes for 25 years and a portion of Cameron County's for the same period.

THE BROWNSVILLE HERALD

ESTABLISHED as a daily newspaper nearly 35 years ago, The Brownsville Herald has been a leading factor in the growth and development of the Lower Rio Grande Valley. It is the leading daily newspaper of the section, publishing every week-day, afternoon and Sunday morning. By using speedy motorcycles and automobile service its papers are placed in the furthestmost towns of the Valley before sundown every afternoon, and for breakfast Sunday morning. Residents along the Valley's Main Street for a distance of 65 miles receive their Brownsville Herald almost as early as residents of Brownsville.

TEXAS PROSPERITY

CROP FIGURES 1926

(From Government Estimates)

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SPECIAL NOTE:

The figures above do not include the great revenue derived from the Cattle, Sheep, Swine and Poultry industries for which Texas is famous. Nor does it include such important items as Truck and Citrus Fruits in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, Nuts, Wool and such like, which industries bring Millions of Dollars more annually. The 1926 output of the above important items far exceeds that of 1925.

CROP MOVEMENTS

Movement of crops out of the Lower Rio Grande Valley is continuous. The month of the year now passing has added to the cotton crop (1926) being shipped in 1926) being shipped in July, 1926, followed by corn, sorghum, sorghum, cotton, and other winter crops, then cottonseed, table corn in the fall, watermelons, and so on into the next season crop.

Over 15,000 carloads of fresh vegetables were shipped last season. The present season will see a total of approximately 25,000 to 30,000 cars, depending on how much the markets can absorb.

Lower Rio Grande Valley products are shipped to nearly every state in the Union, either fresh vegetables, or canned.

IRRIGATION

Canal flow and irrigation plants, totaling something over 450,000 acres of land, are valued at more than \$12,000,000. Nearly the irrigation systems are owned by the farmers, but there are two large privately owned systems, that of the American Land & Irrigation Company, operating in the Mercedes-Weslaco districts, and the United Irrigation Company, operating several districts. There are two water improvement districts in Hidalgo County, and six in Cameron County. The additional district is being organized in Hidalgo County, and two in Cameron County.

TOURIST CROP

The Lower Rio Grande Valley is rapidly becoming both a winter and summer resort. The only check available as the number of tourists visiting the section this winter was that maintained by the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce, which keeps records on visitors who visit to go to the adjacent Mexican city of Matamoros. From 200 to 250 persons are expected daily, these persons being paid for one month.

To care for these visiting companies hotels have been and are being built. Brownsville has 200 hotel rooms. Harlingen has two 100-room hotels and several smaller ones. San Benito is building a modern hotel. Edinburg has lately completed one, and McAllen has two eleven-room hotels and is building more.

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