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OKMULGEE JUDGE RESIGNS

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

By B. N. F.

California in 1921 established a new record in the production of crude petroleum. According to estimates prepared by R. E. Collom, state oil and gas supervisor, California production for the year 1921 was 114,000,000 barrels. This production exceeds that of 1920 by more than 8,000,000 barrels. California entered 1921 with available stored oil reduced to a minimum and the oil business exerting itself to increase production to a pace in keeping with the indicated demands. For the first eight months of 1921 production averaged 10,100,000 barrels per month. Early in the year the State oil and gas supervisor predicted a production of more than 120,000,000 barrels for 1921. These figures were not met, however, because of the oil workers' strike in the San Joaquin Valley fields during part of the month of September and all of October. The San Joaquin Valley oil fields produced 53 per cent of their normal output during the strike. The Elk Hills oil field, which early in 1921 was producing as much oil as the combined production of Coalinga, Belridge and Lost Hills, produced almost to full capacity during the strike. The maximum monthly production in 1921 was reached in May, 10,450,131 barrels. In May, forty-two wells in the Elk Hills produced 1,794,156 barrels of oil; that is, less than ½ of 1 per cent of the oil wells of the State produced 17 per cent of its oil. In District No. 1, which includes Los Angeles and Orange counties, the production was considerably increased during the year by the discovery of several new fields and the development of Huntington Beach. Much wildcat drilling was done in Riverside, San Diego, Imperial and other southern counties, but no oil fields were developed outside of Los Angeles and Orange counties. In Ventura county the production for 1921 was approximately the same as that of 1920. In the coastal counties north of Ventura, of which the principal oil producer is Santa Barbara county, there was no appreciable change in oil production. In Kern county, which normally produces about 50 per cent of the oil of the State, the Elk Hills oil field was the most important development. The production from this field was undoubtedly the key factor to the relation existing between supply and demand for petroleum during 1921. A number of Federal leases were let, under the Land Leasing Act of February, 1920, on Government lands in the Elk Hills. In District No. 5, which includes Fresno and Tulane counties, there were no changes of importance in the production of oil.

Valuations of railroad property upon which rates are now based probably are higher than justified according to accounting testimony put into the Interstate Commerce Commission investigation of transportation charges by the State railroad commissions. Fred Pettijohn, formerly chief cost accountant for the United States railroad administration, estimated that the value of all railroad property, as found by the Interstate Commerce

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CHARGES DISMISSED AGAINST MICHIGAN CENTRAL TRAINMEN

By Associated Press.

VALPARAISO, Ind., Feb. 13.—Charges of manslaughter against William S. Long of Jackson, Michigan, and George F. Block of Michigan City, Ind., engineer and fireman on the Michigan Central train which collided with a New York Central train at Porter, Ind., last February, causing the deaths of 37 persons, were dismissed today in the circuit court here on the motion of Prosecutor J. S. Bartholomew.

Prosecutor Bartholomew said he had made repeated but unsuccessful attempts to obtain the presence of three witnesses.

BUSINESS IS ENCOURAGED BY FARM ADVANCE

Kell Finds That Improvement in Price of Farm Products Has Created a Better Feeling.

Advance Has Proved Contagious in Other Lines; Regarded as the Key to Business Recovery.

"The advance in farm products has made a distinctly better business feeling throughout the north and east, particularly around New York and Washington," declared Frank Kell Monday, following his return from a business trip to these parts of the country.

"The feeling among the business men in the north and east is that the price of farm products is the key to the business situation, and the advance in the prices of these products, long regarded as overdue, has proved contagious in many other lines of business."

Mr. Kell said that he found the feeling general among business and financial leaders in these sections that the corner had been turned by business in general, and that it was now steadily on the road to recovery.

AFFRAY NEAR BRECKENRIDGE ENDS FATALLY

By Associated Press.

BRECKENRIDGE, Texas, Feb. 13.—One man is dead, another is held in a local hospital for treatment under guard and a woman is recovering from a blow on the head following a shooting and cutting affray at Ivan, 15 miles northeast of here.

The dead man, John Hunt, was found by county officer in the hallway of a rooming house at Ivan shortly after 3 o'clock Sunday morning with five bullet wounds in his body, one of which penetrated the heart.

Scotty Mitchell, formerly of Ranger, was taken into custody. He was found in bed in an adjoining room suffering from knife wounds about the face and body.

Five bullets had been fired through the door of a room where it is believed the killing occurred, officers said, and three pistols and a bloody knife were found on the floor of the room.

In a statement Sunday, Mitchell claimed that attacks were made on the woman propietor of the rooming house and a girl. He said he shot after one of the men fired at him through the door and later attacked him with a knife.

Hunt, who was about 38 years old, came to Texas from Metropolis, Illinois.

CRUDE PRICES ARE REDUCED BY MAGNOLIA

By Associated Press.

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 13. — The following prices on crude oil effective tomorrow were announced today by the Magnolia Petroleum company: Healdton, Walters and Beaver Creek districts, Oklahoma, $1.00 per barrel; Corsicana, Texas, 75 cents per barrel, representing reductions of 30 cents and 20 cents respectively:

JOIE RAY BREAKS WORLD RECORD FOR MILE AND QUARTER

NEW YORK, Feb. 13. — Joie Ray of the Illinois Athletc club tonight set a new world's record for the mile and a quarter by running the distance in five minutes 33 3-5 seconds. This 5 1-5 seconds faster than the record, made on September 2, 1895, by Thomas Coneff of New York Athletic club.

HI-JACKER SEEN ON PARK ROAD

Presence of a hi-jacker—although he proved of the amateur variety—was reported from the Iowa Park road Sunday night.

The man attempted to stop a couple of cars, according to reports, but being obviously inexperienced was left in the lurch when the drivers stepped on the gas.

FIGHT OPENS IN FISHER CASES AT SHREVEPORT

Appointment of Fisher Is Shown to Have Been on Recommendation of G. O. P. Negro Politician.

Trial by Jury for R. A. Giddens, Charged With Corrupt Practices Is Refused by Court.

By Associated Press.

SHREVEPORT, La., Feb. 13.—Refusal of a trial by jury for R. A. Giddens on the ground that the statute under which it was sought was designed to prevent "trial by injunction" in labor disputes in particular, and does not necessarily apply to contempt of court cases such as the one at bar and admission that the appointment of the district attorney for the western district of Louisiana was o nthe recommendation of a negro republican politician were the prinicpal developments in the first day's hearings of what have come to be known as the Fisher cases in federal court here today.

The cases charge District Attorney Hugh G. Fisher, Emile Kuntz, republican national committeeman from Louisiana and collector of customs at New Orleans, and R. A. Giddens of Coushatta, candidate for appointment as United States marshal with corrupt practices in connection with the Tracy S. LeMoyne embezzlement case. Out of this case based on an order for an investigation of the charges by Judge Jack have grown contempt of court proceedings against Giddens, and Fisher and disbarment proceedings against Fisher and his former counsel of record, John B. Files.

In opening the session Judge Joseph C. Hutchinson of the southern district of Texas at Houston, announced the order in which the several cases would be heard but allowed introduction of evidence in the original cahrge of corrupt practices by witnesses whose other duties required their immediate presence elsewhere. It was also announced that the corrupt practices charges and disbarment proceedings in so far as they concerned Fisher and Files were consolidated.

There was little testimony introduced to connect Mr. Kuntz with the charge of corrupt practices and little progress was made in confirmation of the same charge against Mr. Fisher.

J. W. Walker of Shreveport, negro chairman of the republican organization for the Fourth congressional district, testified that he was responsible for Mr. Fisher's nomination and had told Mr. Giddens who was seeking the nomination of Joseph Moore, democratic incumbent in the district attorney's office, that his recommendations had gone too far to be recalled. He also testified that Giddens had remarked at a certain conference that he wanted Mr. Moore appointed to the district attorney's office because he, Moore, held a big stick over him.

Questioned by the court, Walker, whose testimony at times was rambling in nature, stated that he controls republican patronage in the fourth district and that Mr. Giddens' nomination would not have had any weight against his recommendations, that the sub-committee of the executive committee of the republican organization had asked him to suggest a candidate.

"Then your nominee is the district attorney" the court asked. "Yes, sir, I nominated him."

BOWIE COUNTY JURY TO PROBE NEGRO KILLING

By Associated Press.

TEXARKANA, Texas, Feb. 13 — The Bowie county grand jury today set February 20 as the date for an investigation into the lynching of P. Norman, a negro, shot to death by four men Saturday night. The lynching came as a climax to four days of activities by hooded men, during which period, in addition to the lynching, five white men were flogged, one white man seized and warned, and one negro notified in a note signed K. K. K. to leave the city as a "big cleanup was in progress."

Norman, who was being escorted from Ashdown, Ark., where he was arrested on minor charges, was believed by police to have been mistaken for a negro wanted for the murder of an aged grocer.

John Atkinson and Buster Langford were seized in an automobile containing some liquor, flogged and turned over to police.

J. O. Booker was seized on the street and received his second flogging in six weeks. The mob charged him with cruelty to his sick wife.

Charles Baker was seized on the street and warned to behave himself and Samuel Kelley was seized and flogged and charged with intimacy with another's wife.

Lee Henderson was taken from his home and flogged. He was charged with wife beating.

John Norton, negro, reported to police that he found a note signed "K. K. K." tacked on his gate post, warning him to leave the city.

"UNCLE JOE" CANNON, VETERAN WAR-HORSE OF CONGRESS IS TO RETIRE AT END OF HIS TERM

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13. — Having served longer than any man ever elected to the American congress, Representative Joseph G. Cannon of the 18th Illinois district, announced today that he would not be a candidate to succeed himself next fall.

Mr. Cannon is approaching his eighty-sixth milestone. If his life is spared until the end of his term on March 4, 1923, he will have rounded out forty-six years of service in the house. He broke the record for actual service more than a year ago and since that time as he himself has explained, he "has been running on velvet."

There were tears in the eyes of many of his colleagues when formal announcement of "Uncle Joe's" determination to retire was made on the floor by Representative Walsh, republican of Massachusetts, described by the veteran legislator as "one of my buddies." While Mr. Walsh was speaking, "Uncle Joe," sitting apart from his friends, was crouched in a seat, a big slouch hat and an overcoat protecting him from the cold.

Believing always in brevity, Mr. Cannon's statement that he was soon to conclude his public service was packed into one typewritten line of eleven words. Two days ago, when asked if he again would enter the primary, he declined to say, adding that his decision would be known later.

"Uncle Joe's" family, it is understood, has been urging him to quit congress and return to his old home at Danville, there to pass the rest of his life in peace and quiet. To a man long accustomed to battles in congress, the former speaker at first rebelled, but finally he consented. While he still appears as vigorous as ten years ago, he is more feeble, his eyes more dim, and he seldom is seen as of old, biting constantly on the end of a cigar.

OFFICERS ADMIT NO PROGRESS IN TAYLOR MURDER

Young Woman Who Declines to Give Her Name Is Interviewed Monday Night by Investigators.

By Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 13.—The investigation of the slaying of William Desmond Taylor, motion picture producer, reached a stage today which was described by officials directing the inquiry as of "waiting for the unexpected." It was admitted frankly that no progress had been made toward establishing who fired the fatal shot on the night of February 1.

The only action taken at the district attorney's office, where the inquiry has been centralized, was the interviewing late today of a young woman who called with a request that she might see some of the investigators. She conferred 15 minutes in the office of District Attorney Woolwine. She declined to give her name.

Mr. Woolwine previously had stated he expected to receive reports from detectives and others which might make it necessary for him to interview certain persons who might have some statements to make concerning the case.

The district attorney said he had checked up on "countless" clues which had been brought to his attention, but without definite result.

MINE WORKERS WOULD RETAIN PRESENT SCALE

By Associated Press.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 13—No general increase of wages for soft coal miners but direction of all efforts toward retaining the present wage scales was the policy adopted today by the wage committee of the United Mine Workers of America for submission to the union's special convention that begins tomorrow, according to semi-official information delegates received.

The committee's report on wage demands to be sought as the basis of new agreements with operators effective April 1, was adopted finally at the afternoon session, but committee members said they had agreed to withhold all information until the report was submitted to the convention, probably late tomorrow, or early Wednesday.

Despite the announcement of the committee, which included the 27 district presidents of the union, their reports was understood to include no proposal of a strike and likewise made no demand for adoption of the six-hour day, five-day week as proposed by the demands of 1919. The only comment on the possibility of a strike was that of the International President John L. Lewis, who issued this formal statement:

"The United Mine Workers of America do not desire a strike. We propose to do everything possible in a proper way to prevent such an occurrence. I feel sure when the convention has finished its work, the public will realize this fact."

BOOZE CHARGES FILED AGAINST YOUNG CO. MEN

Complaints charging violations of the federal prohibition law were filed against C. F. Gray, Tom Burchfield, W. R. Lerrett, J. E. Owens and J. Cotton, all of Young county. According to Prohibition Enforcement Officer Tyler the men were recently arrested by Young county officers in connection with raids.

It is expected that the men will be returned here today for a preliminary hearing.

HARDING TALKS BONUS FINANCE WITH MELLON

Position of Administration on Method of Raising the Funds Expected to Be Made Known Today.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The position of the administration as to how the funds for the soldiers' bonus should be raised may be made known to congress tomorrow. President Harding and Secretary Mellon had a conference today and were understood to have discussed the question.

Two plans have been suggested by members of congress charged with the reporting of bonus legislation. One by republican members of the house ways and means committee contemplates special taxes while under the other put forward by Chairman McCumber and Senator Smoot of Utah, ranking republican on the finance committees, short time treasury notes or bonds would be issued during the time that the cash payments were made to the former service men.

After the White House conference today it was indicated in some administration quarters that the treasury secretary held the same views with regard to issues of notes or bonds that he expressed in his recent letter to Chairman Fordney, of the ways and means committte. On the other hand, congressional leaders said opposition to the levying of additional taxes at this time was increasing.

It was understood that the tax program drawn by the house subcommittee met with instant opposition when it was presented to majority members of the senate finance committtee. Subcommittees were named to thresh the matter out and after a conference with Secretary Weeks, they were understood to have presented the two proposals to the president.

WACO CITIZENS AROUSED OVER DUAL MURDER

By Associated Press.

WACO, Feb. 13.—With murders of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barker and near murder of Homer Turk, 13 year old boy at the Barker home at Concord, this county, Saturday night, an unsolved mystery forty-eight hours after commission of the crimes, a Waco citizens committee tonight began solicitation of a fund to offer as a reward for their apprehension and conviction.

First act of the committee was to wire Governor Neff a request for $500 state contribution to the fund, the request carrying the reminder that "It is your home county'; that your ideal of statehood is obedience to the law."

BRYAN MENTIONED AS CANDIDATE FOR SENATE THIS YEAR

By Associated Press.

MIAMI, Florida, Feb. 13.—William Jennings Bryan, who for some time has made his home and legal residence here was silent today when questioned in regard to a recurring report that he would be a candidate this year for election, to the United States senate from Florida. When asked to confirm or deny the report he said he would "issue a statement soon." The term of Senator Park Trammell will expire March 3, 1923 and it is understood he will seek renomination and election to succeed himself. His present term is his first in the senate.

WATER PROBLEM AT FOWLKES IS BEING SOLVED

Texhoma Oil & Refining Co. Building Four-Inch Line to Red River; in Operation in Two Weeks.

Development of the Latest Strike Is Practically at Standstill From Water Shortage; Other Tests.

Operations in the new Fowlkes pool, the county's latest oil strike, are due to assume the normal activity of a new pool within the next two weeks as the result of the building of a four-inch water line from Red river by the Texhoma Oil & Refining Co., announcement of which was made Monday afternoon by Norris Martin, vice-president of the company.

The development in this area, opened up by the exceptionally good producer of the Magnolia on the Duke, has been at a standstill in spite of all operators can do to secure water available for only a few tests through pipe lines of the larger companies.

The material for the new line is on the ground, and construction already under way. It is expected that the line will be completed within two weeks' time. It will run from the new Fowlkes pool to a point on Red river, four miles north of Sunshine hill, and on land belonging to E. A. Dale.

A large number of tests have been planned in this section, and will be able to get under way with a water supply assured.

25,000 COTTON MILL WORKERS ARE ON STRIKE

By Associated Press.

BOSTON, Feb. 13. — Cotton mill operatives in New Hampshire and Rhode Island, with few exceptions, were on strike today in protest against wage reductions averaging 20 percent and restoration of the 54 hour week. There were no disturbances.

Many New Hampshire mills suspended operations before noon.

The number of employes thrown out of work by the almost general strike in New Hampshire was estimated at between 25,000 and 30,000. In Rhode Island, the list of persons affected was brought to more than 20,000 with the closing of three departments of the Jenckes Spinning company's plant at Pawtucket.

The situation in Rhode Island marked time today with the state guardsmen, who have been ordered to be in readiness for possible duty still in their armories.

In New Hampshire the great Amoskeag mill, which with its 15,000 hands is said to be the largest cotton mill in the world, closed when officials decided that the plant was not justified in operating with the reduced force that reported for work. The Stark mill with 1500 employes, took similar action.

The Nashua and Jackson mills of the Nashua Manufacturing company, at Nashua, closed their doors after only a handful of the four thousand employes had appeared. Mills at Exeter, New Market and Somerworth, employing about 3500, also shut down.

In Lowell, Massachusetts, the Bay State Cotton mills, operated with reduced forces and the Hamilton mills were closed in accordance with the employer's previous announcement. These plants, employing 2600, were the only ones in that city to reduce wages.

INVESTIGATION OF POISONINGS FAIL TO SHOW SOURCE

By Associated Press.

COLUMBUS, Miss., Feb. 13.—An investigation made today by officials of the Mississippi state college for women, where more than 300 students suffered from ptomaine poison Sunday night, as the result of something eaten at the evening meal failed to show what food caused the illness of the students. Chemists are continuing their investigation. The students have practically recovered from their illness, according to an announcement by college officials tonight.

ASSERTS VOLSTEAD ACT IS AMBIGUOUS AND INCONSISTENT

TACOMA, Washington, Feb. 13.—The Volstead act is inconsistent in its provisions and ambiguous in its wording, according to Judge Edward E. Cushman, in a decision rendered in the United States district court here today. Judge Cushman's criticism of the prohibition law, was made following the argument on a motion to suppress evidence brought by O. B. King, who asked the government be forbidden to use as evidence against him, sixty quarts of whiskey seized in his home by federal prohibition officers.

WOULD HAVE HAYS TEACH THE BIBLE TO MOVIE STARS

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13. — A bible class of movie stars with Will Hays, director general of the movies and postmaster general, as teacher, and the ten commandments as the text of study, was advocated in a sermon here Sunday by Rev. George G. Dowey at Third Presbyterian church.

"Will Hays is an elder in the Presbyterian church," Rev Dowey said. He is a Sunday school teacher. He is also a new director general of movies. I suggest that he put his religious beliefs and talents into effect and see if he can't get some of the movie stars not only to learn the ten commandments, but also to obey them."

DENBY'S NAVAL ESTIMATE MET BY OPPOSITION

Members of House Committee Urge Appropriation for Sea Forces Not to Exceed $300,000,000.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13. — Secretary Denby, in asking congress for an appropriation of $350,000,000 for the navy next year, ran into the edge of a threatened fight by advocates of government economy to "scrap" the naval establishment ration figure arranged by the arms conference. In a frank and detailed statement as to what the navy department hoped to accomplish, Mr. Denby told the house naval committee that his estimate called for a reduction of 10,000 in the enlisted personnel, which was made possible only by putting about one hundred destroyers out of commission and by sharp cuts in the shore station forces. Chairman Butler indicated that the figures named by the secretary compared with an appropriation of $412,000,000 for the present fiscal year was high, in view of reductions authorized by the conference.

It was brought out in the discussion that some members of the congress have been urging a naval appropriation bill carrying no more than $175,000,000 or $200,000,000, but Mr. Denby agreed with the view expressed by members of the committee that such a reduction would put the United States actually below Great Britain and Japan, while leaving the tonnage ratio at five-five-three, as agreed to by the conference.

Believing that with a smaller fighting force the navy should be kept "on its toes," leaders standing behind Secretary Denby's estimate, declared that to limit the appropriation under $200,000,000 would mean for the United States a navy really smaller than that of Japan. They insisted that instead of five-five each for the United States and Great Britain and three for Japan, the standing would be with the estimate so widely slashed, a ratio of Great Britain five, United States two, and Japan three.

Mr. Denby told the committee the navy today was under-manned and that while he had been giving the question the closest study, it was only yesterday the idea occurred to him that he could recommend an enlisted strength of 90,000 or 10,000 below the authorized mark, by putting one hundred destroyers out of commission. He stood firm on his estimate, members of the committee declaring afterward that they were inclined to accept it.

A leading republican, however, pointed out that consideration of the personnel question by the naval committee "is more or less academic" for the reason that the appropriations committee actually will frame the bill and fix the top figure for the navy. Chairman Kelley of the subcommittee on naval appropriations, who is out of the city, is known to believe in the most drastic cut possible and none of his collegues was prepared to say how far the chairman would be willing to go toward meeting Mr. Denby. Members generally appeared to be divided, however, into two camps, one standing out "for slashing the Denby estimate in half," and the other insisting there should be no extensive drop below the naval treaty status.

MAJOR EMERY CANDIDATE FOR SENATE HONORS

By Associated Press.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Feb. 13.—Major John G. Emery, former national commander of the American Legion, announced his candidacy for the republican nomination for the United States senate today. He will oppose Senator Townsend, who has announced his candidacy for renomination.

Major Emery criticized the senate for the seating of Senator Newberry, and asserted "the principal issue of the republican party this year ought to be its own rejuvenation."

CITIZENS ASKED RESIGNATION AT MASS MEETING

Judge Christopher Assigns Sickness as Reason for Failure to Meet With Bar Committee.

Committee Begins Investigation of Recent Dismissal of Grand Jury by Judge Christopher.

By Associated Press.

OKMULGEE, Okla., Feb. 13. — Judge H. R. Christopher of the Okmulgee county superior court, has mailed his resignation to E. J. Dick, chairman of the citizens' committee which condemned his action last Thursday in dissolving the superior court grand jury here in the midst of its inquiry into the affairs of the defunct Bank of Commerce of Okmulgee, according to a telegram received by Mr. Dick late today from the judge at Coyle, Okla.

The committee had asked that the judge resign.

The telegram was filed at Coyle, Oklahoma, at 5:12 p. m., and reads as follows:

"E. J. Dick, Okmulgee, Okla.,

"Mailed you resignation as suggested. Sickness delayed return until tomorrow morning.

(Signed) "H. R. Christopher."

Judge H. R. Christopher had announced he would be here to meet this afternoon with a committee appointed by the local bar association to investigate his dismissal of the superior grand jury last Thursday while in the midst of its inquiry into affairs of the defunct Bank of Commerce.

Following receipt of word yesterday that Judge Christopher had refused to resign from the bench, as had been requested in resolutions adopted at a citizens' mass meeting after the court scene, petitions were circulated here today, demanding that he give up his office immediately.

The commitee, according to schedule, met this afternoon and begun its investigation into the grand jury's discharge and expecting momentarily the arrival of Judge Christopher, speeded up its work in order that a report of findings could be made as soon as possible.

Wade H. James, a member of the committee, explaining the program of procedure, said: "The root of the entire matter is whether or not there was any corruption in the ruling of the court and whether he was intimidated by state officials. Should it be determined that there was no corruption, that ends our duty as I see it."

Other members expressed belief that if the committee decided there had been no corruption of the court, the old grand jury could be reinstated—thus rendering valid some thirty indictments returned by the grand jury which have been declared void under Judge Christopher's action in discharging the jury. The judge said he dismissed the grand jury before it had completed its deliberations because he became convinced that he had not selected it according to law.

MAY SUPPLANT LAW OFFICERS IN MEXIA ZONE

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 13.—Governor Neff declared today after a conference with Brigadier General Wolters, Adjutant General Barton and others, that martial law will probably be extended so as to include all of Limestone county. He set no definite time for this extension.

The governor also said that if the local officers of Freestone and Limestone counties did not give the military authorities their fullest co-operation, that they would be suspended and military officers supplanted to fulfill their places.

"Instead of lifting martial law, we propose to extend it," he said when asked the question:

"Also in some instances, we have not had the fullest co-operation of the local officers and until we do, we must find other ways of fulfilling their duties."

Certain city officials were removed and replaced by military officers in Galveston during the longshoremen's strike, there several years ago.

Others present at the conference today were Attorney General Keeling, first assistant, E. F. Smith, assistant C. L. Stone and Major H. C. Machen. The military officers returned to Mexia tonight.

The Weather

West Texas: Tuesday and Wednesday, partly cloudy.

West Texas: Tuesday and Wednesday, generally fair.

Oklahoma: Tuesday and Wednesday, partly cloudy.

Commissioners' Action Indicates Agreement on County Highway Plans

Following a discussion behind closed doors Monday afternoon the county commissioners court voted to ask for bids for the construction of the Holliday creek bridge located east of this city on what is commonly termed the Henrietta highway. The action means that the bridge, the construction of which when suggested several weeks ago caused a split in the commissioners court, will be constructed as soon as satisfactory bids are received.

The bridge which is to be 70 feet long and 18 feet wide will be of steel construction and will cost approximately $7000. The construction of the bridge is preparatory to paving the road from this city to Henrietta.

Believed Agreement Reached

Although the action was taken in executive session it is understood that a definite agreement was previously reached by members of the court regarding the paving program of the county following the completion of the Burkburnett road which provides for the paving of the Henrietta road and then an equal split of the remaining funds in the construction of roads running out of Iowa Park, Electra and Burkburnett. The agreement is in line with that discussed at the last meeting of the court.

Another important development of the meeting was the decision to complete the expenditure of the available money for county road improvement during the year if possible.

This would mean it was said that sub-contracts would probably be let for the construction of the Henrietta road and those running out of Burkburnett, Electra and Iowa Park.

Necessitate New Agreement

This program according to members of the court would necessitate another agreement with the purchasers of the last two and a quarter million bond issue.

Under the present agreement the purchasers pay the county specified amounts varying from $60,000 during the winter months to $100,000 during the summer months. It was stated that this is no more than is required to keep the Potts and Prentice contract employed during the winter months and will not provide funds for the letting of more than one subcontract during the summer months. Under the present agreement the county will not receive the final payment from the bond issues until May, 1923.

It is now planned to make an arrangement with the purchasers whereby the funds can be secured before the end of the year and thus make it possible for the county to complete its entire road program before January 1, 1923. The cost of such a program will determine whether or not it is adopted, members of the court said. Local representatives of the purchasers will be seen this week to determine their attitude in the matter.

Justice Hands Down 10 "Don'ts" For Students

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Max Witkower, justice of the peace and Sage of Evanston, who decrees what Northwestern university boys and co-eds may not do and what will happen to them if they do—today handed down a new decalogue whose ten high crimes and misdemeanors are punishable with spanking.

The rules, designed to apply to all classes of university students, high school pupils and just kids, are to be enforced, in the case of masculine offenders, by Policeman Carl Exman, and in the case of girls by Policewoman Georgiana Jewell. The minimum spank sentence is five and the maximum twenty-five.

Here are the ten rules:

1. Don't wear "sloppy" (i. e.) unbuckled galoshes.
2. Don't swear in public unless 21 or over.
3. Don't smoke cigarettes unless 21 or over.
4. Don't spoon in an automobile where the public can see.
5. Don't get dormitory decorations by stealing souvenirs.
6. Don't take some one else's automobile for a joy ride.
7. Don't fly-ride (i. e., ride on running board, radiator or tire carrier) on automobiles.
8. Don't hock sleds or bob-sleds on automobiles.
9. Don't roller skate in the downtown district.
10. Don't be a rowdy in an ice cream parlor.

Parents, who desire, will be permitted to do their own spanking under Justice Witkower's supervision.

Seaman Adrift In Life Boat on Atlantic Ocean

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Somewhere on the Atlantic, about 500 miles from New York—if his luck has held—John Brickman, a British seaman, is bobbing about in a life boat, waiting out his sixth night in the hope of rescue. The story of his loss in a high gale and of a heartbreaking game of hide and seek in his little bark played with his would-be rescuers, was brought to port today by Captain Beckwith of the S. S. Gaffney.

The storm broke on the morning of February 8, Captain Beckwith said, with a 110 mile wind which quickly lashed the sea into a fury. Brickner was sent with another seaman to make fast the lifeboats. Swinging on the out-turned davits, Brickner dropped into one of the boats to make fast a line when a huge wave swept the boat away.

Captain Beckwith quickly turned the Gaffney about and began a struggle to get a line to the life boat, missing time after time by a few feet.

The boat was lost once in a rain squall, later discovered and lost again. Nightfall put an end to the search and the Gaffney steamed on to port, first broadcasting a radio message asking all ships to look out for the lost seaman.

The life boat was stocked with food and water and Brickner was warmly clad, so that Captain Beckwith figures he has a fair chance of rescue if his little boat has weathered the gale.

"Women clerks are more conscientious than their male colleagues," is the verdict of the head of a large New York firm.

CONFERENCE OF GRADERS TO BE HELD MARCH 1

Oklahoma City Selected as Location; Grain Trade and Growers Invited to Attend Meetings.

Oklahoma City and the date of March 1 have been selected for the conference of government grain supervisors and licensed government inspectors with representatives of the agricultural department in the effort to secure uniform grading in the Southwest, according to messages received here Monday morning.

The conference comes as the result of the visit of Frank Kell and J. C. Mytinger to Washington last week, when the variation of the holdings of government grain agencies were brought to the attention of H. J. Beasley, chairman in charge of this department in the department of agriculture. Mr. Beasley and O. R. Phillips, chairman of the board of review for the grain trade at Chicago, the last appeal under the government system of grading.

The situation, as outlined by Mr. Kell and Mr. Mytinger, was not only serious for some of the grain dealers, but promised to be for the grain raisers next season, unless corrective action were taken. Messrs. Kell and Mytinger took the case up personally with the authorities at Washington, as they were comparatively light losers from the situation, but they carried letters from other grain dealers who had lost heavily.

As outlined for the Record News and published before the Washington trip, the trouble arose from lack of uniformity in grading at grain centers and at the ports. For instance wheat which was graded No. 2 at Wichita Falls by government graders, was graded as low as No. 5 at the port. Nothing below No. 2 can be exported. Cases where the graders at the original station, as for instance Wichita Falls, and the graders at the port, Galveston or New Orleans, had differed on the grading were shown to have resulted in as many as two additional grades in the two steps of appeal from his grading, with the highest appeal usually giving the highest grade.

The loss this season fell on the grain dealer, but unless the system in Southwest was corrected it was readily shown that the brunt would fall on the grain farmer next season. The direct concern of the farmer in the grading is shown by the fact that all grain is bought to be paid for at the market price for the grade put on the wheat at the market center for that point—for instance wheat bought in the Amarillo or Wichita Falls territory is bought subject to the gradings at these points. The wheat complained about was all graded No. 2 by government graders at the market points, and the farmers paid for No. 2 wheat as a result of the government man's grading.

Fort Worth or Oklahoma City were recommended for the conference, and Oklahoma City was selected as the central point as a result of the including of Colorado and Kansas officials in the call. The grain trade and grain growers will be allowed to attend the conference.

PREDICT FIGHT ON EFFORT TO REDUCE ARMY

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13. — Demand for reduction in the army to 100,000 enlisted men, or even to 75,000 will be made in the house when the annual army appropriation bill comes up for consideration, members of the sub-committee which is drafting the measure predicted today.

A formidable block of representatives, the sub-committee members declared, was prepared to fight to limit the army's size to 75,000 men, while others indicated they would be satisfied if the maximum was fixed at 100,000.

The other house factions were said to favor a 125,000 maximum, or to oppose reduction of the present size, approximately 137,000.

War department estimates called for an appropriation for the fiscal year beginning July 1, sufficient to pay 150,000 men and approximately 14,000 officers. Chairman Anthony of the sub-committee announced today that three new estimates had been called for from the war department to be computed on the basis of an army of 75,000, of 100,000 and 125,000 men.

Members of the sub-committee believed that the appropriation bill would provide, when reported, for an army of 100,000 or 125,00 men. Efforts to cut the number below 100,000, it was said, was expected to be made by house democrats and others who believe the arms conference has practically removed possibility of war.

The budget estimates called for a total appropriation of $154,266,512 for pay of all officers and men, including retired officers. The total requested in estimates for the war department is approximately $364,000,000.

Hearings on the appropriation bill before the sub-committee probably will be concluded this week with Secretary Weeks and General Pershing as the last witnesses.

Judge Haggerty placed McCarthys on probation

SCHOOL DAYS

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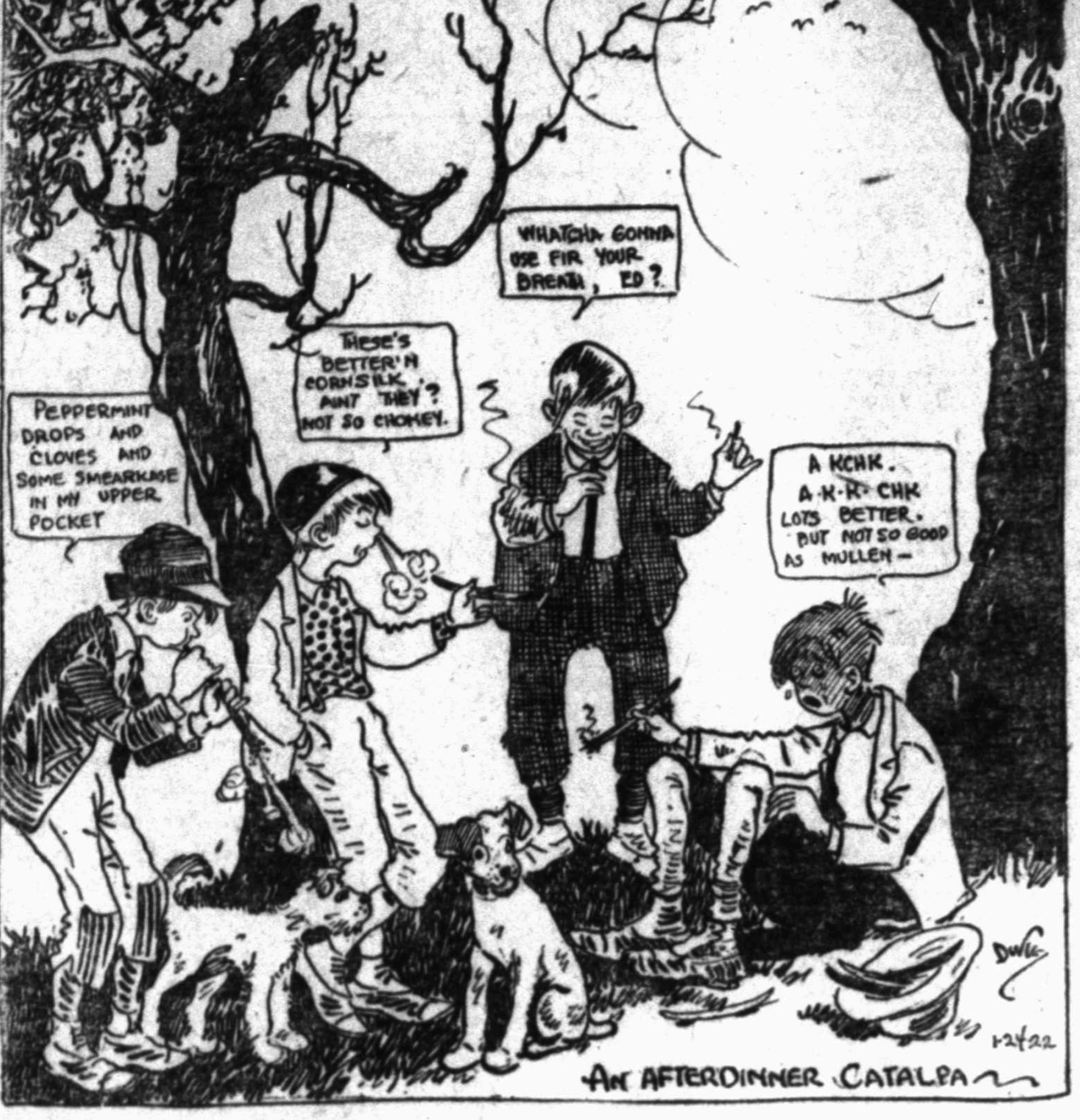
By DWIG


PEPPERMINT DROPS AND CLOVES AND SOME SMEARKASE IN MY UPPER POCKET
THESE'S BETTER'N CORNSILK, AINT THEY? NOT SO CHOKEY.
WHATCHA GONNA USE FIR YOUR BREATH, ED?
A KCHK. A-K-K-CHK LOTS BETTER. BUT NOT SO GOOD AS MULLEN—
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AN AFTERDINNER CATALPA

SCRIVNER, UNDER INFLUENCE OF "TWILIGHT SLEEP" DRUG, DENIES PART IN POSTOFFICE ROBBERY

By Associated Press.

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 13.—In an effort to determine whether the mind of a person under the "twilight sleep" anaethetic will reveal secrets that are normally held back by the will, local physicians today obtained from W. S. Scivner, well-known bandit held in the Dallas county jail, a denial of his alleged complicity in the robbery of a local pharmacy.

Spurred on by developments in cases where women patients in local hospitals were found to have undergone a complete breakdown in their imaginative faculties under the influence of the "twilight sleep" drug, resulting in frank statements of facts, doctors today with the assistance of police and jail officials tried their experiments on both Scrivner and Ed Smith, negro, another prisoner in the local jail. Smith under influence of the drug likewise asserted his innocence of the murder of Cotrell Lee, negro, on August 2, 1915. He was arrested in Oklahoma City recently and brought to Dallas for trial.

Scrivner is under sentence of 25 years having been convicted for participation in the Jackson street postoffoce sub-station robbery of January 14, 1921.

"I OWE $4,500,000 AND HAVE LESS THAN $1,000 IN CASH," YOUNG "PONZI" TELLS JUDGE

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13. — "I owe $4,500,000 and I have less than $1000 in cash," Raymond J. Bischoff told Judge K. M. Landis in federal court today at the inquiry into his financial operations which are alleged to have ruined thousands of poor investors who trusted him with their life savings.

Bischoff declared he was only 25 years old and that he had accumulated liabilities estimated by a receiver appointed Saturday as totalling approximately $5,000,000 in less than two years. He described the business he had been conducting as "general financial business, brokerage and oil." And said that he started in the spring of 1919 with $10,000.

Asked where he obtained this money, Bischoff said that he had made part of it working in the stockyards and the rest through stock speculation. He claimed no previous business experience, and said the only other work he had done in connection with obtaining members for the Boy Scouts.

Under Judge Landis' questioning he maintained that his operations were entirely legal, that the money entrusted to his care was given him for speculation purposes and that while it was unfortunate he should have lost it, he felt he could have recouped all his losses if the receivership proceedings had not halted his career.

Despite Bischoff's protestations that all of the millions he had handled had been lost, a search was begun for all possible assets and Judge Landis issued restraining orders preventing Bischoff's relatives from disposing of two flat buildings, two houses, a farm, four automobiles and the contents of several safety deposit boxes.

Bischoff also said he owned property in Texas, Kansas, Louisiana and other states and that all of them might develop into profitable oil fields. Judge Landis ordered that the remaining testimony be taken before a referee in bankruptcy, Sidney Eastman.

Department of Commerce Sees Rift in Clouds

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Despite a further decline of business activity during December and January, there was a continued improvement in fundamental conditions and a spirt of optimism prevails in practically every industry that augurs well for the future, according to a review of the national economic situation contained in the survey of current business issued today by the department of commerce.

Considerable progress has been made toward normalcy notwithstanding a few recent reactions, says the review.

Prices have remained relatively stable for the past six months, it says and this is considered of "fundamental importance for business recovery." The buying public is gradually coming to realize that the "big vertical drop in prices is over." There will probably be further gradual recessions as business is done on a more economical basis and margins are reduced, it adds, but on most commodities, it is expected that these movements will be spread over a relatively long period of time.

Under a preliminary summary for January, the iron and steel industry is shown to be still "without definite trend." Textiles likewise have shown little change.

More activity was apparent in the leather market, although the trade in hides was dull. The boot and shoe industry is more optimistic than in many months, while the automobile industry showed the usual seasonal dullness during the month. The tire industry, however, was more active.

Grain and livestock showed some depression during the first week in January but has since shown a gradual improvement and purchase of corn for Russian relief has improved conditions in that market.

Committee to Consider Scale For Oil Taxes

A committee of five consisting of G. Clint Wood, W. D. Cline, N. H. Martin, local oil operators and Irvan Deaton and W. R. Anderson, tax assessor and deputy tax assesor were appointed Monday by the county commissioners court to discuss and agree on a scale for rendering for taxation oil holdings of all kinds.

The committee was appointed after oil men had protested the plan of taxation recently approved by the commissioners court while acting as a board of equalization. It was contended by oil men that certain changes should be made in the scale adopted.

A meeting of the committee which was to have been held Monday night was postponed. It expected that the meeting will be held some time this week.

The hats worn by women in 4000 B. C. were, it is stated, very similar to models worn today.

STILL WITHOUT APPOINTMENT DISTRICT ATTY.

Monday failed to show any new developments with regard to the appointment of a district attorney to succeed H. R. Wilson, appointed judge of the Thirtieth district court. According to rumors here the position will be offered to B. W. King, attorney of Graham and brother of Bert King of this city, who Sunday refused the appointment.

In a telephone communication with The Record News Monday night at Graham, Mr. King said that he had received no notice of the appointment. Asked whether or not he would accept if proffered, Mr. King said that he had not considered the appointment and did not know. There was no indication here that it would be proffered him other than the fact that his appointment had been recommended to the governor.

Employment of Home Labor Is Labor Demand

A petition calling for the employment of home labor only in the construction of the irrigation project will be circulated throughout the irrigation district according to plans gotten under way at a mass meeting held Monday night at the Labor temple.

The meeting which was called by those who have previously protested the hiring of Mexican and negro labor in meetings on the north side was largely attended. The petition was prepared before the meeting and was signed by practically all present after the meeting had adjourned.

After a stormy fight lasting over a half hour a motion to amend the petition so as to call for the resignation of all members of the irrigation board and an audit of the books of the project was finally withdrawn. The motion was made by Jack Barnes following a lengthy talk which was loudly cheered by those present. Several spoke in favor of the motion. Others objected to the motion at this time declaring that it would be injurious in securing the employment of home labor in the several contracts which have been let in connection with the irrigation project.

A collection of $33.61 was taken in order to aid in defraying expeneses incident to the circulation of the petition. J. J. Manley was elected chairman of the meeting. In addition to Mr. Barnes talks were made by Tom B. Taylor, G. W. Moore, O. B. Kelley and others.

The most treacherous animal to deal with in captivity are said to be jaguars and black panthers.

NEITHER MARY NOR MABEL ARE BARRED HERE

Neither Mary Miles Minter nor Mabel Normand, moving picture stars, who have figured in press dispatches on the investigation of the death of William D. Taylor, moving picture director, are considered barred in the local theaters haveing these releases, according to a statement by H. S. Ford Monday night.

"I have seen nothing in the press dispatches to warrant any tangible conclusions of the implication of either of them in this affair," Mr. Ford said, "and I would naturally await such tangible evidence before cancelling any of their pictures."

Neither, so far as is known, has any picture booked here at the present time—no Mabel Normand pictures having appeared here in months.

BEGINNING THURSDAY

A WIFE OR A PROFESSION?

By CAROLYN BEECHER

(Author of "The Revolt of Susan Hyde," "The Girl I Left Behind Me," "A Successful Failure," "Maid and Wife," "The Only Thing that Counts," "The Prop," etc.)

Can an ambitious young surgeon who has not yet established himself in his profession succeed unless his pretty, pampered wife has a sympathetic interest in his life's work?

That is the question Carolyn Beecher poses in her absorbing new serial, "A Wife or a Profession?"

Howard Blake and Annette Gilbert fall so deeply in love that their courtship was brief. Annette, a born New Yorker, went with Howard almost immediately after the wedding to a middle west town. She was lonely and discontented and what distressed Howard most of all was that she was jealous of the time his work kept him from her. They were still deeply in love, but she did not understand his enthusiastic devotion to his profession. She wanted to come first.

To Annette, Howard's success meant only money and social position, and that they could go back to New York. The death of her father made her independently wealthy. Reluctantly Howard left his hospital work to return to the city and by degrees the adroit Annette weaned him from his boyhood dreams of being a great surgeon. He fought against living the almost useless life of a society doctor but finally succumbed.

What means Fate employed to Make Annette see her error and enabled Howard to realize his ambitions makes "A Wife or a Profession?" an unusually gripping story.

S. C. V. Office Has Mass of Correspondence

With a nation-wide membership campaign in progress, and with preliminary arrangements for the Richmond reunion in full swing, the national headquarters of the S. C. V. here, located in the office of Judge Edgar Scurry, commander in chief of the organization, with Miss M. R. Kerr as office assistant, is doing more than its share to boom business at the local post office. A mass of official correspondence directed to every corner of the union has taxed the efforts of both since the removal of the office to this place.

The expense of the maintenance of the office at Wichita Falls is being borne by the organization and by Judge Scurry, the offer of the Chamber of Commerce on the removal here not being considered by Judge Scurry or Carl Hinton, adjutant in chief of the organization, as in keeping with the dignity of the organization, nor as commensurate with the aid received from the Denver Chamber of Commerce when the headquarters were located in that city. The absence of Mr. Hinton, who retains his residence in Denver, adds to the amount of work by the local office.

Notification of two social affairs by southern memorial organizations has been received by Judge Scurry from Lon A. Smith, state comptroller and state commander of the S. C. V. The first is to be held in Austitn on February 28 under the auspices of the Daughters of the Confederacy, and is for the Confederate Veterans in the Confederate Home in Austtin and for the veterans and sons of veterans in the state. The program will include an address by the governor. On March 2 Judge Scurry, Mr. Hinton and Mr. Smith, after attending the Austin affair, will represent their organization in the Texas Independence observance in Houston.

RAILWAY SCHEDULE

WICHITA VALLEY.

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
1. To Stamford and Abilene		3:20 p. m.
5. To Stamford and Abilene		12:30 a. m.
2. From Abilene	1:50 p. m.	
6. From Abilene	2:30 a. m.	

BYERS BRANCH.

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
10 To Dean, Petrolia and Byers		10:20 a. m.
2. To Dean, Petrolia and Byers	3:25 p. m.	
9. From Byers, Petrolia & Dean	1:50 p. m.	
1. From Byers, Petrolia and Dean	6:50 p. m.	

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS.

Eastbound.

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
44. To Denison, St. Louis and Kansas City		6:15 p. m.
46. To Dallas (local)		5:30 a. m.
50. To Dallas (local)		11:00 p. m.

From North and East.

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
43. From Kansas City, St. Louis Denison	11:15 a. m.	
45. From Dallas (local)	10:25 p. m.	
47. From Dallas (local)	6:50 a. m.	

FORT WORTH & DENVER.

Southbound.

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
6. To Ft. Worth		7:15 a. m.
2. To Ft. Worth		3:25 p. m.
8. To Ft. Worth		3:10 a. m.

From South.

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
5. F'm Ft. Worth	11:20 p. m.	
1. F'm Ft. Worth	2:00 p. m.	
7. F'm Ft. Worth	3:10 p. m.	

Northbound.

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
7. To Childress and Denver		3:30 a. m.
1. To Childress and Denver		2:15 p. m.

From North.

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
8. From Denver and Childress	2:50 a. m.	
2. From Denver and Childress	3:10 p. m.	

WICHITA FALLS AND NORTHWESTERN

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
2. To Elk City		1:30 p. m.
4. To Forgan		7:00 a. m.
12. To Frederick, Oklahoma City		8:00 p. m.
1. From Elk City	12:40 p. m.	
3. From Forgan	7:45 p. m.	
1. From Frederick & Okla. City	7:45 a. m.	

WICHITA FALLS AND SOUTHERN.

Train No.—	Arrives	Departs
— To Graham and Breckenridge		3:00 p. m.
— F'm Graham & Breckenridge	1:05 p. m.	

TELEPHONE QUESTION IS PASSED FOR TWO WEEKS ON REQUEST OF COMPANY TO COUNCIL MONDAY

Commissioners Hear Many Delegations in Busy Three Hour Session; Sibley-Taylor Wants Road.

Dr. Knickerbocker Requests Loan of Police Blotter for Sermon Purposes and Council "Passes Buck."

A session of diplomacy, municipal thrift, humor and personal patience that lasted more than three hours was held by the city council last night. In the course of the tussle between the "city fathers" and the great American public, the following high lights were recorded on the minutes of the meeting by City Clerk George Thorburn:

An extension of two weeks was granted to the telephone company before taking up in detail complaints regarding local service.

A difference of opinion between A. L. Huey and P. A. Rogers, general manager of the electric light company, regarding the service provided for Scotland addition, was adjusted more or less amicably.

The Rev. H. D. Knickerbocker requested the loan of the police blotter for use next Sunday—and the city council in haste passed the problem back to Police Commissioner Fitts.

Some thirty-odd citizens of Sibley-Taylor addition again applied for an early opening of Broad street across the railroad tracks.

R. E. Montgomery offered to the city the use of a tract on the north side as a tourist camping ground.

City Attorney Mann was instructed to draw up a brand new and "doggone good" dog-catching ordinance.

The resignation of John A. Thomason as deputy city clerk and police desk sergeant was accepted, and A. D. McBroom was appointed deputy city clerk.

M. P. Caldwell, division commercial superintendent, of Fort Worth, appeared before the council to represent the telephone company in the matter of complaints recently made. He assured the aldermen that within two weeks a complete schedule covering the telephone service for Wichita Falls in 1922 will be here from the main office, and requested that no action be taken until that schedule is examined. Engineers from Dallas and St. Louis have been here preparing data, he said, and the telephone company's plans include "liberal provisions" wherever the city is growing.

Telephone Plans

"We expect to put in additional underground cables in the southwest section of Wichita Falls," Caldwell told the council, "we expect to seek new business, and we want to care for the public here as thoroughly as is possible."

N. O. Monoroe called the attention of the council to several letters from local citizens stating that they had applied for telephone service two years ago, and were still seeking it. The council gave the company two weeks in which to bring its schedule to the city's attention, and instructed the city clerk to prepare in the meantime any data alleging failure to provide needed service.

All members of the council were agreed that the opening of Broad street across the railroad tracks into the Sibley-Taylor addition is a necessity, but the discussion repeatedly returned to the question of finances. In order to open Broad street it will be necessary to buy two lots on the south side of the tracks that now block any continuation of the street on that side. The owner, a crippled widow, is asking $400 for the two lots, basing her price on the statement that the lots will be worts that to ber in the future—and the city hasn't got the money with which to purchase, even were the members of the council willing to approve the figure.

Alternate Plan Considered

One plan considered included the sale by the city of a section of Chester street not in use, and the application of this money to the purchase of the Broad street lots. The Chester street section was dedicated to the city by S. W. Sibley and the late T. J. Taylor to be used as a street, and it might now be sold by the city if quit claim deeds can be obtained from Sibley and from the Taylor estate. City Attorney Mann, City Engineer Julian Montgomery and Street Commissioner Walter Curlee were named as a committee to go into the matter more thoroughly. The urgent necessity of early action was stressed by several Sibley-Taylor addition residents, one of whom declared that if some one else should buy the two lots mentioned and should erect buildings on them, "Sibley-Taylor addition will be so cut off from Wichita Falls that we'll have to get a postoffice and a new name."

North Side Lighting

A. L. Huey submitted a complaint regarding the lighting service in Scotland addition, declaring that the company had declined to accept deposits and to connect up for a number of citizens in that section. General Manager Rogers explained that the company had gone into the addition on the representation that it would get 53 new customers, but that the actual number had been less than half that figure. The company, he said, was figuring on moving some of the material and equipment already installed in one section of the addition to the section where service had been requested, but that objections were being made by some citizens. He stated, however, that the trouble should be adjusted amicably in a short time.

A tract 300 feet square on the north side of the river, bounded by the M. K. & T. right of way and by Washington, Texas, and Carolina streets, was offered to the city by R. E. Montgomery to be used as a tourist camping ground. Judge Bonner, as acting mayor in the absence from the city of Mayor Cline, was instructed to thank Mr. Montgomery for his generous offer, and to state that the matter would be taken under consideration and formal letter regarding it would be written later.

Tax Paying Record

City Tax Collector Anderson reported the discovery of something extraordinary and unusual—the case of a citizen who paid his taxes by mail and later went to the tax collector's office and paid 'em a second time in person. Mr. Anderson also recited the misery he is being subjected to by an obsolete dog-catching ordinance, and presented a bill from Ben Spencer for $64 for "catching and killing dogs." The council ordered the bill paid, and instructed the city attorney to draft a "reg'lar hot dog" of an ordinance covering the subject.

Tulsa street residents asked the council to order the local baseball association to set the south fence around the ball park "back off Tulsa street," the allegation being made that the fence cuts off some six or seven feet of the thoroughfare. The city engineer's department will investigate.

Front Street Again

The ancient tangle regarding "Front street" also bobbed up during the meeting, and the question once more arose whether it's a street—at any rate there are some 15 houses slap-dab in the middle of it, and the council "passed the buck" to Edgar Mann.

Dr. Knickerbocker's request for the use of the police blotter next Sunday night proved a poser. Unable to discover what use the clergyman wished to make of the record of arrests, the council turned the matter over to Police Commissioner Fitts who indicated he would probably refuse to let the blotter stray from home. It is a public document, and Dr. Knickerbocker is privileged, however, to examine it at police headquarters.

The weights and measures ordinance was passed on its second reading, and Ordinance 390, covering the subject of proper numbering of addresses, was passed on its third and final reading.

The resignation of John A. Thomason as deputy city clerk and police sergeant was accepted, his letter of resignation explaining that he had entered the race for the county clerkship.

THE WHITE MAN'S BURDEN

Neverwed—Walking the dog, I see.

Longwed—Yes, hang it! My wife's making a suit to go with the mutt and I gotta take him shopping to get some goods to match his coat.

IT'S YOUR MOVE

"Do you see that man through the window? He hasn't moved for twenty-four hours. He can't be asleep; he must be dead. I am going to call the police."

"Oh, it's all right. There's a chess tournament going on in there."

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DISCOURAGED AND MISERABLE

Virginia Lady So Weak She Could Hardly Get Around. Says Cardui Helped Relieve a Serious Condition.

Ringgold, Va.—Mrs. D. T. Barker, of a well-known Pittsylvania county family, residing on Route 2, here, says that upon reaching a critical period of her life she was "in a very serious condition."

"I was so weakened until I couldn't get around," Mrs. Barker relates. "I couldn't sleep. I was so blue and out of heart. I had no appetite.

"I would.....try medicines, and grew weaker and weaker, more out of heart every day. I would get up and try to drag around, and feel so miserable, and creep back to bed.

"My husband bought me Cardui. I thought the first bottle helped me, and when I began the second, I knew it did. I kept it up—each day growing a little stronger, a little more like my former self, and I began to eat and sleep.

"It sure wasn't long until I was up and around like another woman. No more dragging, no more weak and blue feeling. It cured me. I used seven bottles in all."

Thousands of women have suffered as Mrs. Barker describes, until they found relief from the use of Cardui. Since it has helped so many, you should not hesitate to try Cardui, if troubled with womanly ailments.

Take Cardui, the woman's tonic.

For sale by all good druggists.—Adv.

Painless Extracting with Laughing Gas. 605½ 8th St., Rooms 7-9-10. Over Kruger Jewelry Store.
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COURT ORDERS AUDIT COUNTY BOOKS MONDAY

Commissioners Pass Order as Result of Grand Jury Recommendation; Questions as to Expense.

Reduce Price of Common Labor on Road Work 10 Cents Per Hour; Name Road Overseers.

After a brief discussion Monday the county commissioners court passed an order calling for an audit of the books of all the county officers for the years 1920 and 1921. The action follows that of the grand jury which adjourned a week ago. The grand Jury in its first report recommended an audit of the books by a certified accountant and later in a supplementary report said that they understood that the audit was already being made and therefore another audit would be an unnecessary expense.

The motion calling for the audit was passed by a vote of three to one, J. P. Jackson of this city voting against the proposed audit. Statements from the commissioners voting in favor of it indicated that the audit was ordered so that the citizens of the county might have a report compiled by a certified accountant. The fact that the audit now being made is not by a certified accountant was the only objection raised. Some doubt is expressed as to whether the county can legally pay the cost of securing such an audit.

The court at its morning session approved the scale of wages for the Potts and Prentice road contract work with only slight chaiges in the scale as recommended by the contractors. The new scale will reduce the cost of labor on the Burkburnett road between $90 and $100 each working day. Common labor was reduced from 40 cents to 30 cents an hour. Some wages were not reduced while others varied from 10 to 25 per cent in reductions.

The four commissioners submitted the names of road supervisors for their precinsts and they were approved by the court. All commissioners with the exception of Commissioner Jackson of Precinct No. 1 submitted the names of election judges for the coming election. The names submitted are as follows:

Precinct No. 1

Road supervisors—1, Will Baumgardner; 2 and 3, Roy Prieby; 4, Joe Diterman; 5 and 6, S. R. Ludolphus; 7, C. Morris; 8, Clarence Burk; 9, S. D. Thames; 10, J. H. Shaw; 11, Laurence Ernest; 12, Guy Roberts; 13, J. L. Bryant.

Precinct No. 2

Road supervisors—1, John Holder; 3 and 7, Gus Hemme; 2, 4, 6, 8, 9, Guy Willis.

Election Judges—West Burkburnett: A. Lohoefner, F. F. Ferguson and Earl E. Corley.

East Burkburnett, W. R. Hill, G. W. Ferguson and W. A. Roberts.

Cashon: J. D. Cooper, Jake Shaw, John Holden.

Precinct No. 3

Road Supervisors—1, Herbert Thorman; 2, Edgar Henderson; 3, H. C. Thompson; 4, Gale Lawrence; 5, Walter Cherry; 6, Len Trautman; 7, J. W. Van Horn; 8, Albert Mays; 9, Jimmie Van Horn; 10, King Abernathy; 11, Richard Case; 12, N. M. Mathis; 14, Oscar Lockridge; 15, Jim Hatten.

Eelection Judges, Clara Box—Charles Vanloe, W. E. Lindsay and Bob Bain.

North Iowa Park No. 17—Gale Lowrance, G. B. Gauntt, Beth Lowrance.

South Iowa Park, No. 18—G. T. Smith, E. A. McCleskey and Mrs. Dale Brown.

Denny—Will Hodges, Jim Hatten and Ed Tubune.

Precinct No. 4

Road supervisors—1, John Bristo, 2, H. J. Finche; 3, Ben Ecklekamp; 4, Ferd Keller; 5, W. W. Smith; 6, John Givens; 7, T. W. Hill; 8, Peri Payton; 9, Jim Stedham; 10, C. M. Reid; 11, J. A. Bradley; 12, C. M. Bishop; 13, Atell Guthrie.

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Winter's Last Threat Proves Feeble Gesture

With clear weather, rising temperatures and a lessening of wind velocity reported throughout Wichita Falls' railroad area, the sudden cold snap was disappearing last evening almost as quickly as it appeared Sunday morning.

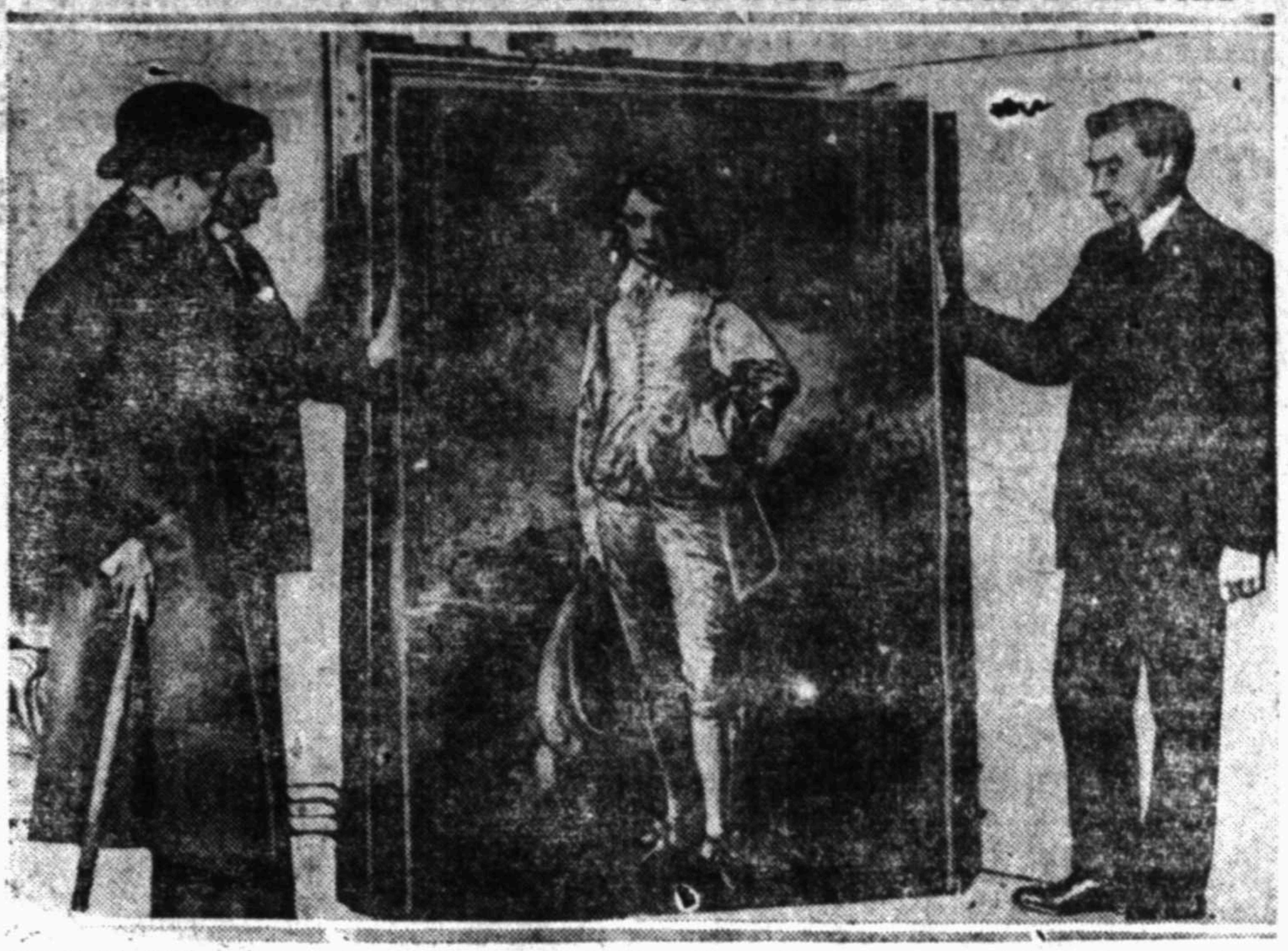
Last Saturday evening Wichita Falls enjoyed weather of the summer variety, with a temperature that stayed steadily around the mark of 75 above zero. Early Sunday morning a norther drove the mercury down below 50, while early Monday morning the thermometer registered only 30 above. The cold spell was general over the district, with the following temperatures reported: Forgan, 18; Woodward, 20; Texline, 16; Amarillo, 15; Childress, 19; Spur, 25.

Early yesterday afternoon, however, the cold wind from the north "laid down on the job," and before sunset the temperature here had started on a steady upward climb.

"FAMILY ROW" LANDS MAN IN LAW'S HANDS

J. H. Sullivan, whose home is in the district north of the river, was arrested by local police and turned over to the county authorities on an affray charge yesterday morning, following a fight in the course of which R. L. Freeman, Sullivan's brother-in-law, was severely cut about the head. "A family row" was the terse description of the trouble given by officers who arrested Sullivan.

FAMOUS PAINTING THAT SOLD FOR HIGHEST PRICE EVER PAID



The Duke of Westminster's famous Gainsborough painting, "Blue Boy," which was sold at a record price of $663,000 to Sir Joseph Duveen, was in turn sold to Henry E. Huntington, American millionaire, for a sum said to be the highest ever paid for a painting. This picture occupied a stateroom on the steamship Savoie and is now stored for safe keeping in the U. S. custom's appraiser's stores in New York City. It will be placed on exhibition and then go to the famous private collection of Mr. Huntington.

Wire Flashes

TEXAS

HOUSTON, Feb. 13. — Funeral services were held this morning for Mrs. Frankie McFarland, 17 years old, who died here yesterday, on her first wedding anniversary, of injuries received in an automobile crash Saturday.

AMARILLO, Feb. 13. — Loss and damage to the extent of approximately $125,000 resulted from the burning of the building of the McKnight Transfer and Storage company here Sunday morning. The origin of the fire is unknown.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 13. — Fifteen hundred retail shoe dealers, shoe traveling salesmen and factory representatives began a three day convention here today. Prices in their relation to the public will be explained by experts from the big manufacturing centers.

HOUSTON, Feb. 13. — Both sides announced ready when the case of G. P. Harris, charged with murder, was called in the criminal district court. The charge against Harris was filed after the shooting to death of Paul Schultz, farmer of Spring, last fall.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 13. — J. D. Fauntleroy, United States district road engineer for the southwest, will turn over his office to George Fuller, senior highway engineer for the district tonight, and move to Austin where he will become state highway engineer tomorrow.

WACO, Texas, Feb. 13. — The local trustees of Baylor university held a brief session Sunday and decided to invite the executive board of the Baptist general convention to meet in Waco to take action on the rebuilding of Carroll chapel, which was destroyed by fire Saturday afternoon.

HOUSTON, Feb. 13. — Wayne Davis of Goliad, state commander of the American Legion, speaking to a representative of fifteen southeast Texas posts here yesterday at a district convention warned against any action by posts on religious or labor union questions, declaring they are out of place in the legion.

TEXARKANA, Feb. 13. — John Norton, negro, today exhibited to police a notice he said he found tacked to his front gate and which ordered him to leave town before sundown. The note, containing several misspelled words, was signed "K. K. K." It stated "We are having a big cleanup." Norton was advised by police to ignore it.

UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—President Harding today nominated Isadore Newman to be postmaster at Mexia, Texas.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Feb. 13.—Albert Daugherty, 78 years old, uncle of Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty, died at his home here late yesterday of heart failure.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—John McCormack, tenor, whose concert tour was temporarily suspended last week because of an attack of larynigitis, has fully recovered, it was announced today.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 13.—Tomorrow is Saint Valentine day and the state of Ohio is going to celebrate it by mailing adjusted compensation checks to approximately 25,000 Ohio veterans of the world war.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13.—A verdict of accident was returned by a coroner's jury which today investigated the death of Clarence J. Curby, a local manufacturer, who Saturday was found shot to death in his home.

NEWTON, Mass., Feb. 13.—Sterling Elliott, inventor of the pneumatic tire, sulky and of the steering device now used on automobiles, died today at his home here. He was in his 70th year.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 13.—Mrs. Ellen France Robinson, 80, widow of the late Albert A. Robinson, Santa Fe railroad builder and executive, died at her home here this morning as a result of a fall on the ice last December 22.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—President Harding is making a study of acute housing conditions as reported from a number of cities and has before him a report from Secretary Hoover on the matter, it was said today in offical quarters.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 13.—Seymour Goodwin, 40, carpenter, and his wife are dead, the husband firing a bullet into his wife's head and then killing himself. The shooting occurred on a street corner last night. The couple separated about a month ago.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Ellis Island officials were today arranging for the deportation during the ensuing week of 63 men and women just released from various federal prisons in the middle west. In the group are avowed anarchists, I. W. W., and members of radical organizations.

WOMEN OUST BARBERS AND OTHERS FROM JOBS

(By International News Service)

SEATTLE, Feb. 13. — Encroachment of women in jobs formerly occupied by men is shown in a report just issued by the Seattle chamber of commerce.

In 1920, in the state of Washington, there were 581 women barbers, hairdressers and manicurists; 48 women fishermen and oystermen; 7 women draymen and teamsters and expressmen; 5 women longshoremen; 24 women laborers in shipyards; 261 building laborers; 233 sawmill and planing mill laborers and 53 lumbermen, raftsmen and woodchoppers.

LIVERPOOL SPOT COTTON.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 13.—Cotton spot quiet; prices steady. Good middling 10.27; fully middling 9.87; middling 9.52; low middling 8.58; good ordinary 7.32; ordinary 6.57. Sales 6,000 bales, including 3,700 American.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Butter unchanged; extras 36@36 1-2. Poultry alive higher; fowls 25; springs 25; roosters 18.

DENOUNCE PROPOSED MOTOR TAX AS CLASS LEGISLATION

Unless the congress of the United States is willing to legislate against one particular class to provide funds for a soldier bonus, the bill of Representative Bacharach, calling for a tax of three cents a gallon on gasoline, and the suggestion of Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, proposing a tax of 50 cents a horsepower on automobiles, will not receive serious consideration from our national legislators. This is the opinion of President George C. Diehl of the American Automobile association and heartily concurred in by C. H. Verschoyle, vice president, of this city; both of whom declare that to tax motorists alone to provide soldier bonus would be class legislation of the most pernicious variety.

Pointing out that the motorists of the country last year paid in taxes $332,046,246, Mr. Deihl offers the observation that this sum seems to be enough taxation for the car owners to carry, without adding an extra burden that would tend to break the back of one of America's greatest industries.

Just why Secretary Mellon and Congressman Bacharach should want to tax car owners further is somewhat of a mystery, declares the A. A. A. head. Mr. Diehl is of the opinion that neither is aware of the tremendous burden automobilists are already carrying, for, he says, it cannot be that they are deliberately trying to legislate such a valuable public utility as the automobile off the streets and highways.

Setting forth the motor car as an already well-taxed commodity, Mr. Diehl forwarded a statement to Chairman Fordney of the house ways and means committee which says, in part:

"That the motorists of the country, who are already paying heavier taxes than any other class of citizens should be required to produce the money needed to pay the soldier bonus, appears to be class legislation of the most pernicious sort.

"During 1921 the automobile owners of the country paid in registration fees alone approximately one hundred and twenty million dollars. Should Secretary Mellon's suggestion be carried out by congress, a 50 percent horepower tax would place on car owners an additional burden of about one hundred and fifty million dollars a year. A tax of three cents a gallon would mean an extra burden of about one hundred and fifty million dollars a year.

"There are today in the United States ten million motor vehicle owners who are now paying a multitude of separate and distinct taxes aggregating $332,000,000 or about $32 a car. The various items included in the car owners' tax bill for the past year may be briefly outlined as follows:

Federal excise tax, passenger cars	$ 64,388,184
Federal excise tax, motor trucks	11,640,056
Federal excise tax, accessories, parts, tires	39,518,009
State motor vehicle registration fees (Est.)	120,000,000
Personal property taxes, (Est.)	75,000,000
Gasoline tax in 15 states States, 1 and 2c per gal, 1922 (Est.)	10,500,000
Local motor, franchise, mileage, business, eac. (Est.)	10,000,000
Municipal registration and license fees, (Est.)	1,000,000
Total	$332,046,249

"Aside from all other expenses of car ownership and upkeep and of the manufacturers' tax on cars and accessories which are always passed on to the ultimate consumer, the tax bill of the average owner is now equivalent to about eight percent on the assessed value of his car, which, it must be admitted, is a burden out of proportion to the taxes paid on other property.

"Therefore, all the power and influence of the American Automobile association and its several hundred affiliated clubs will be exerted to resist any attempts further to add to the cost of owning an automobile, and particularly to combat what appears to be class legislation."

U. S. EXPORTS FOR JANUARY SHOWED LOSS

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13. — The value of American exports in the first month of the new year dropped to the lowest level recorded since August, 1915. Figures made public by the department of commerce today with respect to the nation's foreign trade last month showed exports valued at $279,000,000 and imports amounting to $216,000,000, the low fogure of August, 1915, was $261,000,000.

Department of commerce officials in discussing the trade figures emphasized, however, that the falling off was due in a large degree to the decrease in prices.

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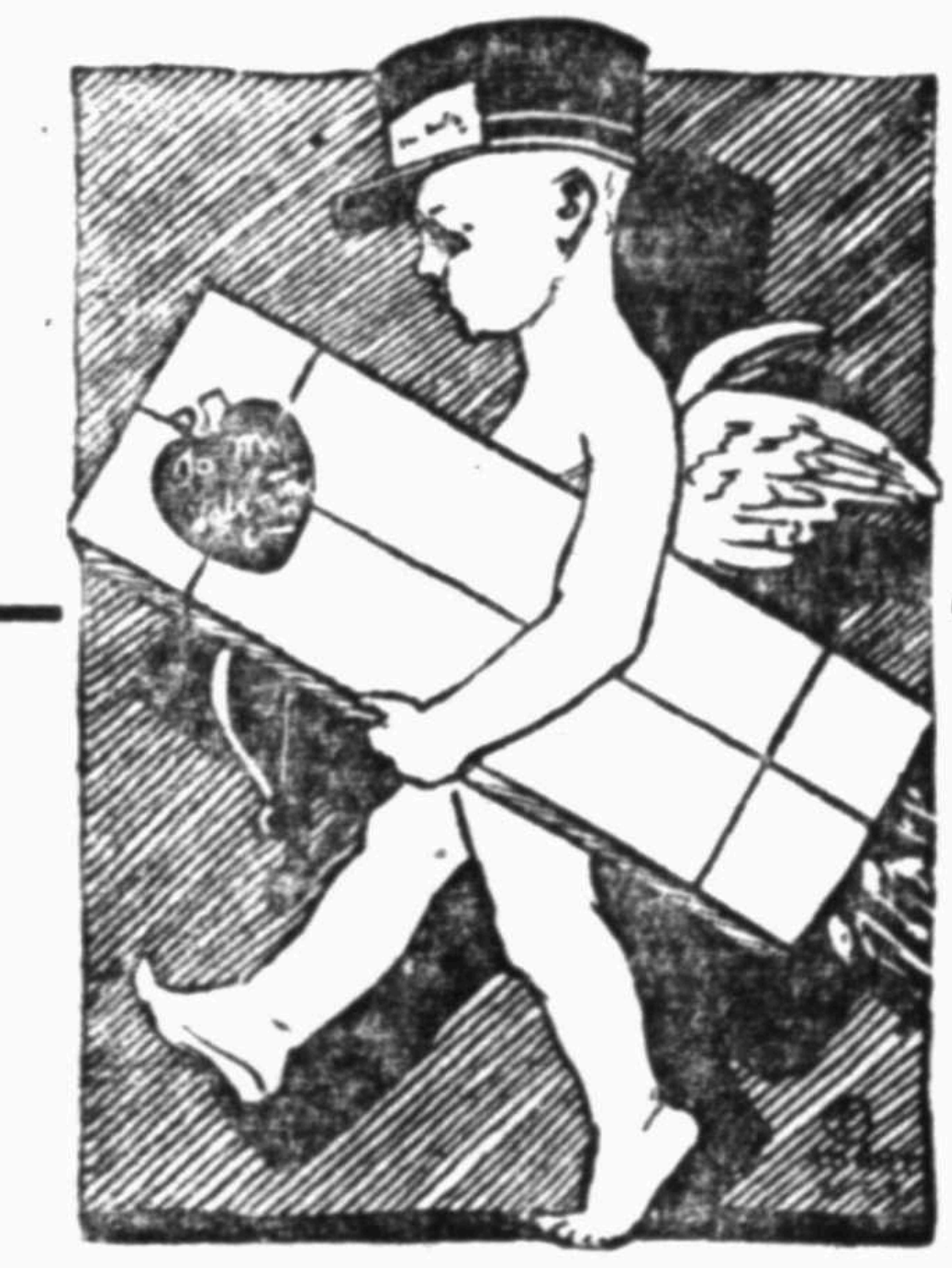
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Second—suspension and termination of Victory note conversion privilege in view of the call for the redemption of all three three-quarter per cent Victory notes on June 15, 1922 and pursuant to the provisions of said Treasury Department circular number 138, the privilege of conversion of Victory notes of either series into Victory notes of the other series is hereby suspended from February 9, 1922, to June 15, 1922, both inclusive and on June 15, 1922, will terminate. Victory notes accordingly cease to be interconvertible effective February 9, 1922 and on and after that date no conversions of the notes may be made.

Third—detailed information as to the presentation and surrender of three three-quarter per cent Victory notes for redemption is given in Treasury Department circular number 277, dated February 9, 1922, copies of which are available at the Treasury and Federal Reserve Bank.

A. W. MELLON,
Secretary of the Treasury.

February 9, 1922.

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MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

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Commission valuation report, would not exceed $16,000,000,000, whereas he said, present railroad rates are designated to procure a 6 per cent return to the railroads on a property investment estimated at $18,900,000,000. By implication, the State commissions participating in the hearings challenged the testimony of Secretary Hoover, when Clyde M. Reed, chairman of the Kansas Utilities Commission, was put on the stand and said that there was "a misapprehension, particularly in high quarters, in the belief that railroad credit had impaired." In 1921, railroads, he said, were able to borrow $655,000,000 for new capital and maturing obligations, which was one-quarter of all securities flotations made in the United States during the period.

Metal mines in Texas produced 544,000 ounces of silver in 1921, as compared with 511,401 ounces in 1920. The principal producing mine was the Presidio mine at Shafter, which was operated steadily throughout the year. A very small quantity of gold was also obtained from Texas ores in 1921, but no lead or copper, according to the United States Geological Survey, Department of the Interior. The Texas gold production amounted to sixty-eight ounces, valued at $1,400, having seen obtained in small amounts along with other ores produced, and not from gold mining. The silver production was valued at $1 an ounce, fixed under the Pittman act of congress. The total gold production for the United States during 1921 amounted to 2,375,479 ounces, valued at more than $49,000,000. California produced 739,000 ounces, worth $15,280,000, and Alaska, 362,000 ounces, worth $7,500,000. The country's silver production was 50,364,000 ounces, worth as many dollars. The production of these metals was about one-half of that of 1915.

It sounds like fiction. "It do"—the story of how the Fords came to the rescue of the sinking Lincoln Motors company is one of the most interesting in the annals of the industrial world and refutes the oft-asserted boast that there is no sentiment in business. The absorbing story began months ago, when the Lelands, as a final resort, appealed to the Fords to save the Lincoln company from financial wreck. Henry M. Leland and Henry Ford were fast friends, but Mr. Ford, already immersed in gigantic business enterprises, could not see his way clear to shoulder another responsibility. The situation was tragic, but the Fords felt that they could not interfere. The meeting ended without result. Henry Leland refused to be thwarted, however, and additional conferences were conducted with the Fords, but all ended as did the first meeting. Last December they came once more and departed with the usual result. After they left Mrs. Ford went to her husband. She had heard the four men discussing the tangled Lincoln situation. She appealed to Mr. Ford to do something. He replied that he would see what might be done. She talked it over with Edsel, and as a result a conference of Ford chiefs was called for the following day. Then came another meeting with the Lelands. Wilfred Leland was asked by a Detroit newspaper writer to detail conditions of the situation. Those present at the meeting assert that for two hours he told one of the most graphic stories his listeners had ever heard. When he finished he was told that the Fords were with him. The Lelands, father and son, against herculean odds, had gained the most notable victory of their career.

Eleven causes exist for a lowered moral standard which has become reflected in the wave of crimes against person and property throughout the United States the last two years, William B. Joyce, president of the National Surety company, says. Each of these causes can be traced to the breakdown of the mental barriers under which people were formerly able to repress the passions of greed, envy and malice, and to stifle criminal impulses which are now permitted to run riot. The cause of the crime wave, therefore, he believes, is psychological. Figures of the National Surety company, compiled through secret records of the company in its business of "underwriting honesty," show that five times the number of embezzlements and ten times the number of burglaries recorded in 1910 occurred in 1920. President Joyce says the war was a contributing factor to this increase in crime, directly and indirectly, and offers some suggestion for means of combatting the evil, foremost among which is "a changed attitude and spirit among the American people themselves." The eleven causes are cited as follows:

1. Widespread lessening of respect for law and property. This follows every war and is manifested today throughout the country, and the entire world, by individuals in many social classes.

2. More opportunities for dishonesty exist. Millions of dollars' worth of negotiable securities have been carried through the streets with insufficient protection.

3. Much discontent exists. A revengeful spirit has been bred by published reports of great fortunes amassed through the war.

4. Criminals drafted into the war have returned more skilled in the use of firearms and more indifferent regarding their own and other people's lives.

5. High war wages led to extravagant standards of living. The wages are gone, but extravagant tastes, breeding desperate impulses, remain.

6. Thousands of people who were attracted to the big cities by high wages have refused to return to their home towns, and as their savings and earnings have decreased, their discontent has bred criminal impulses.

7. Published reports of enormous flotations of investment securities have made many people think they are not getting their real share of the nation's wealth, and they nurse the thought as a real grievance.

8. The doctrines of bolshevism have furnished a false but potent cause for many crimes.

9. Inadequate accounting methods in business have arisen out of the building up "big" business too quickly.

10. There has been culpable carelessness in employing without investigation dangerous criminals and ex-convicts who posed as clerks, servants and ex-service men.

11. Lavish and unseemly display of valuables in public places has produced envy and resentment among the unfortunate and evil-minded. It has also made robbery easy.

Joyce urged the enactment of more severe penalties, including life sentences for all burglars, and "common sense methods by employers and those owning valuables" as a means to checking the wave. Prohibition is, temporarily, causing much incidental crime in the United States, in his opinion. But he was anxious to make it plain that this fact—"which everyone knows"—cannot be construed as an argument against the present prohibition law.

Split-Second Editorials

By ROBERT QUILLEN

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We can afford to cheer up now. The first three hundred crisis are the worst.

Some married women are unhappy, and some learn to consider themselves martyrs.

It isn't the surf of the matrimonial sea that cause the wrecks, but the surfeit.

All the down-and-outer asks is a chance to help himself. Just leave the cellar door unlocked.

Most conscientious people define wickedness as anything that promises enjoyment.

The income tax exemption appears to have given new impetus to the fresh heir crusade.

"Police in quest of speeders."—Headline. Inquest is usually suggested by speeders.

Conservative: One who has grabbed his bone and desires opportunity to gnaw it in peace.

When a gay old dog goes out for a whale of a time, he usually makes an ass of himself.

At any rate the modern drama has inspired the creation of some nifty bedroom furnishings.

Daily health hint: Relax the muscles and use an easy, gentle motion when stepping on the gas.

The boll weevil destroys cotton, but what is left is turned into wool and silk by the humbug.

Even the pedestrian may have a flat or two, but he never loses control of the steering apparatus.

When a man begins to think the boss can't get along without him, the boss can't get along with him.

As cars come down, the public wonders whether raw materials are cheaper or raw deals harder to put over.

A federal agent says there are a million dope addicts in America. If he means baseball dope, there are ninety millions.

HOME NURSING and HEALTH HINTS

By M. JESSIE LEITCH

A CANVAS BAG

When Billie's father was sick one winter it seemed that his mother spent most of the time she was not actually in the sick room chopping ice. Because Billie's father had to have an ice-bag on his head most of the time. And he did not like to be left alone for long at a time.

So when Mrs. Green, Billie's mother, had to go downstairs for other things she almost always chopped some ice and carried it upstairs at the same time.

The peculiar thing about ice-bags, next to their propensity for melting rapidly and losing their effect upon pain, is that they require filling so frequently.

One simply cannot fill them too full, because they are too heavy to be borne upon the head or point of pain, wherever it may be. For an aching spot is always sensitive to weight.

Billie Helps His Mother

Then, too, the ice must be chopped into tiny pieces, and Billie learned after a time to do this for his mother without stabbing himself with an ice-pick.

The reason Billie did not stab himself with an ice-pick was that his mother did not use one. It made too much noise. And even up-stairs, lying in his bed and moaning with the pain in his head, the noise of chopping ice downstairs annoyed Billie's father.

Mrs. Green used a strong hatpin, with which one can splinter ice quite easily from the huge block. Then she put the large pieces in a bag, took the bag out to the kitchen table, closed the door, and pounded its contents with a hammer.

More Comfortable for Patient

Then she put the small pieces in a collander and ran cold water on them to smooth off the jagged sharpness of the splintered ice, so that it should not press against the invalid's forehead and prove uncomfortable.

Even about filling ice-bags there are many little things to remember.

But the problem of chopping ice was greatly lessened when Billie's mother made a stout canvas bag and filled it with chopped ice. The bag held at least two quarts of broken ice and was filled and placed in the ice chamber where it was not at all in the way, and was always ready for use. In this way the ice pounding was done at one time, and besides being ready for the ice-cap at any time, there was always ice broken off in readiness for the pitcher of ice water which stood upstairs in the sick room on the table by the window.

Must Have Plenty of Water

Billie's father had to drink at least eight glasses of water each day, which is not an unusual quota—in fact, simply normal. Every one requires a great deal of pure drinking water during the day, and while ice water is largely a matter of personal taste, ice water is not at all palatable unless it is sparkling cold and given to clinking its little bits of ice against the side of the glass.

The ice must be well washed, of course, and one must be sure of its source.

But the stout bags of white canvas, with a tape run in a casing at the top that they might be tied during the process of pounding, settled the matter of having ice always on hand ready to put in the ice-cap at a moment's notice.

Think To Do

By H. ADDINGTON BRUCE

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Again and again we nowadays hear it said of some young man who is not making any real headway in business life:

"The trouble is that he lacks 'pep.' He is short in forcefulness, in energy. He does not seem to be more than half alive."

And not infrequently it is added, by way of an offhand diagnosis:

"But probably he cannot help it. The chances are he was born that way, or has acquired some physical weakness which has slowed him down."

The chances, as a matter of fact, are nothing of the sort.

Many young men, it is true, are to some extent constitutionally inert, or have been de-energized by some bodily affliction for which they are not responsible. But many more are the victims of bad personal habits. And in especial their energy deficiency is a product of being content to drift through life without really thinking, without using their minds.

Ask any psychologist of your acquaintance and he will tell you that thought is dynamogenic. Pressed to explain just what this means, he may say, in effect:

"It is a psycho-physical law that all ideas tend to find expression in some appropriate action. This means that they stimulate the person to whom they occur to behave in a specific way.

"And the stimuus increases in proportion to the extent to which ideas associated with one another are dwelt upon and turned over in the mind. For the associated ideas, being successively entertained, have a cumulative effect in urging to action and in facilitating action."

Hence, to think energetically about anything—about one's work, for example—helps one to act energetically in respect to the thing or things thought about. And when there is little thinking—when the dynamogenic impulse of ideas is lacking—energetic doing will likewise tend to be absent.

Still worse, any prolonged failure really to think must of necessity establish what medical men call "a vicious circle."

That is, because there habitually is little thinking, there gradually develops a bodily habit of inertness, reacting on all the internal processes. The circulation slows, a general asthenia, or weakness, of the nervous system eventuates. This in its turn makes it more difficult for the individual to think energetically as well as to act energetically.

Physical remedies may then be called for—tonics, exercise, and so forth. Nevertheless, the initial trouble being psychic, the physical remedies must be accompanied by mental training if they are to produce lastingly good results in the way of securing the desired "pep."

And mental training will itself often suffice to do this. Get a young man's attention so directed to something that he will become interested enough in it to think hard about it, and it may not be long before he is acting with regard to itas energetically as could be desired.

Think to do. That, in truth, is a maxim of great practical importance, of such importance that none of us should let it slip from his or her mind.

SPIED UPON

BY JOHN BRECK.

Your first feeling when you get out of sight and hearing of men is one of absolute solitude. It is the cure from those tensions which come of feeling forever on the alert to respond to human contacts. For even in the silence of a closed room you are accessible to callers, to the telephone, or to the written word, besides that infinite array of duties still undone which dumbly harry you. Your lair is known. But step around a fold of a hill into a peaceful thicket and you are lost.

For a while you feel hidden from all but the sun on your face and the wind in your ears, which poses you no questions in the breaks of its song. But a motion of your hand wakes an answering motion in the damp leaves the morning frost has ironed so smooth; you see the tiny hands of a field mouse grip over his heart as he stands at attention, waiting further orders from his paralyzed nerves. A faded tatter of the maple's autumn raiment hangs like a wimple over his staring eyes. He whisks about and is gone.

But his faint pricks an ear of a squirrel which has been lying, who knows how long, on the branch of a tree above. The motion of his peering shadow catches your eye and his silhouette betrays him. When he returns his chin to his paws you can glance from under your hat brim. His very sprawl bespeaks the fact that your presence is no news to him: he is merely confident of his own concealment. Next time a bird takes a swoop through your covert you guess her chirp is reporting, "Still here, but all is well."

Who else is listening to her? You remember creeping once in the evening dusk along the outer curve of a hill crest in whose smooth elbow nestled a clump of sage—or so it seemed in the dim light. Having taken your bearings, you had the happy thought you would march the rest of the way in the lee of the ridge. As your shadow rose above it those sage bushes leaped to agile feet, their scraggy branches turned to forked horns, and they bounded off, leaving the spot still warm with the scent where deer have bedded down. They must have been hearing, winding you all the time, yet known that your path was carrying you past them.

"Sheer impudence," you think, "to vaunt their senses above our town. Are they so much keener? Ore merely more alert because they have so much less on their minds?" There! You've missed something else while you wonder about it. What is that squirrel looking at?

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Reputation is a bubble that is easily punctured.

It's easy to chase any man you can get on the run.

The mule is very apt to be behind with his business affairs.

Every man is more or less a gossip but he refuses to admit it.

Little Stories for Bedtime

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

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GREAT EXCITEMENT IN THE GREEN FOREST

When the little people of the Green Forest become excited they become very much excited. Yes, sir, they become so excited that everybody talks at once, just like some other people. And now there was great excitement in the Green Forest. Indeed, Peter Rabbit couldn't remember a time when there had been so much excitement, not even the time when it was discovered that Prickly Porky the Porcupine had come down to the Green Forest to live. And it was all because of a big black stranger, big as Farmer Brown's boy and black as Blacky the Crow, and whose name was Buster Bear.

Sammy Jay had been the first to see him. Blacky the Crow had been the next. Then Unc' Billy Possum Jimmy Skunk and Peter Rabbit. At least so far as any one knew they were the first to see him. As a matter of fact, Paddy the Beaver had seen him before Sammy Jay did, but Paddy is one who does not tell all he sees, as does Sammy Jay, and so he had said nothing.

But with Sammy Jay and Peter Rabbit to spread the news it was not long before everybody knew all there was to know about it, and nothing else was talked about or thought about. Of course the news soon spread all over the Green Meadow and to the Smiling Pool and it made almost as much excitement there as in the Green Forest. Of course Peter Rabbit had told every one he met of how he had seen Jimmy Skunk make Buster Bear get out of his way, and of course almost everybody had a great deal of admiration for Jimmy Skunk. The only one who didn't was Prickly Porky.

"Pooh!" said Prickly Porky. "That was nothing. I could do the same thing. I'm no more afraid of Buster Bear than Jimmy Skunk is. The fact is, I know Buster Bear very well, for he comes from the Great Woods from which I came. There is nothing to be afraid of in Buster Bear."

Of course, every one thought that Prickly Porky was just boasting and that he was jealous of Jimmy Skunk. Reddy Fox said as much.

"All right, Reddy. You go hunt up Buster Bear and invite him to come here, and I'll show you whether or not I am afraid of him."

Now, Reddy had boasted that he wasn't afraid of Buster Bear. You know he is a great boaster, and likes to pretend that he isn't afraid of anybody or anything. But, like most boasters he always has an excuse ready when he is likely to have to make good one of his boasts. It was so this time. No sooner had Prickly Porky proposed that he hunt up Buster Bear than Reddy remembered that he had a very important errand to do way down on the Green Meadows. He was sorry, but it really had to be done. Perhaps Jumper the Hare would go in his place. Reddy grinned wickedly when he said this, for everybody knows that Jumper the Hare is very, very timid. So just try to imagine how surprised and excited everybody was when Jumper said:

"Certainly I'll go and give the invitation to Buster Bear. I'll be delighted to."

At first everybody but Prickly Porky stared at Jumper as if they thought that he was joking, and they couldn't quite see the joke. Then as they began to realize that he meant just what he said, they looked at each other again, as if they thought him crazy. But Jumper appeared not to notice it, and started off for the deepest part of the Green Forest to look for Buster Bear. Reddy Fox started off, too, but he went in the direction of the Green Meadows. He didn't want to go, but he had to because he had said he had an important errand there. As soon as he was out of sight he made a wide circle back to the Green Forest, and then he tried to get ahead of Jumper the Hare where he could hide and give Jumper a terrible fright. It wouldn't do to let the other little people think that Jumper the Hare dared do something that he didn't dare do.

"Pooh!" said Prickly Porky; "that was nothing. I could do the same thing.'

NEXT STORY: REDDY FOX HIDES.

Rippling Rhymes

By WALT MASON

NEIGHBORS.

When Fitzjack's auto ran me down, and spoiled my Sunday hat, up cantered Smith and Jones and Brown, and bore me to my flat, and people from all over town around my bedside sat. They deftly fanned my fevered brow, and fed me wienerwurst, and borrowed milk from someone's cow, to stay my rising thirst; when I recall their kindness now, the salt tears from me burst. We meet our neighbors day by day, and criticise them all; we don't approve of yonder jay, because he is too tall; another's whiskers look like hay, and to his midriff fall. We are not mashed on Gaffer Jones because his feet are splayed, and Smith is but a group of bones in hand - me - downs arrayed; Brown talks in harsh and nasal tones that keep our nerves all frayed. Their pants are patched on knee and shin, and ancient hats they wear, their cheap red neckties are a sin, to make an artist swear; the cars they drive are made of tin and don't get anywhere. But when the day of doom appears, and autos squash us flat, and lacerate our legs and ears, and spoil a priceless hat, our neighbors show that they are dears, and doubly dears, at that. They gather round the martyr's bed and feed him chicken soup, and they allay his fear and dread that he may loop the loop, and if at last they find he's dead, they plant him with a whoop.

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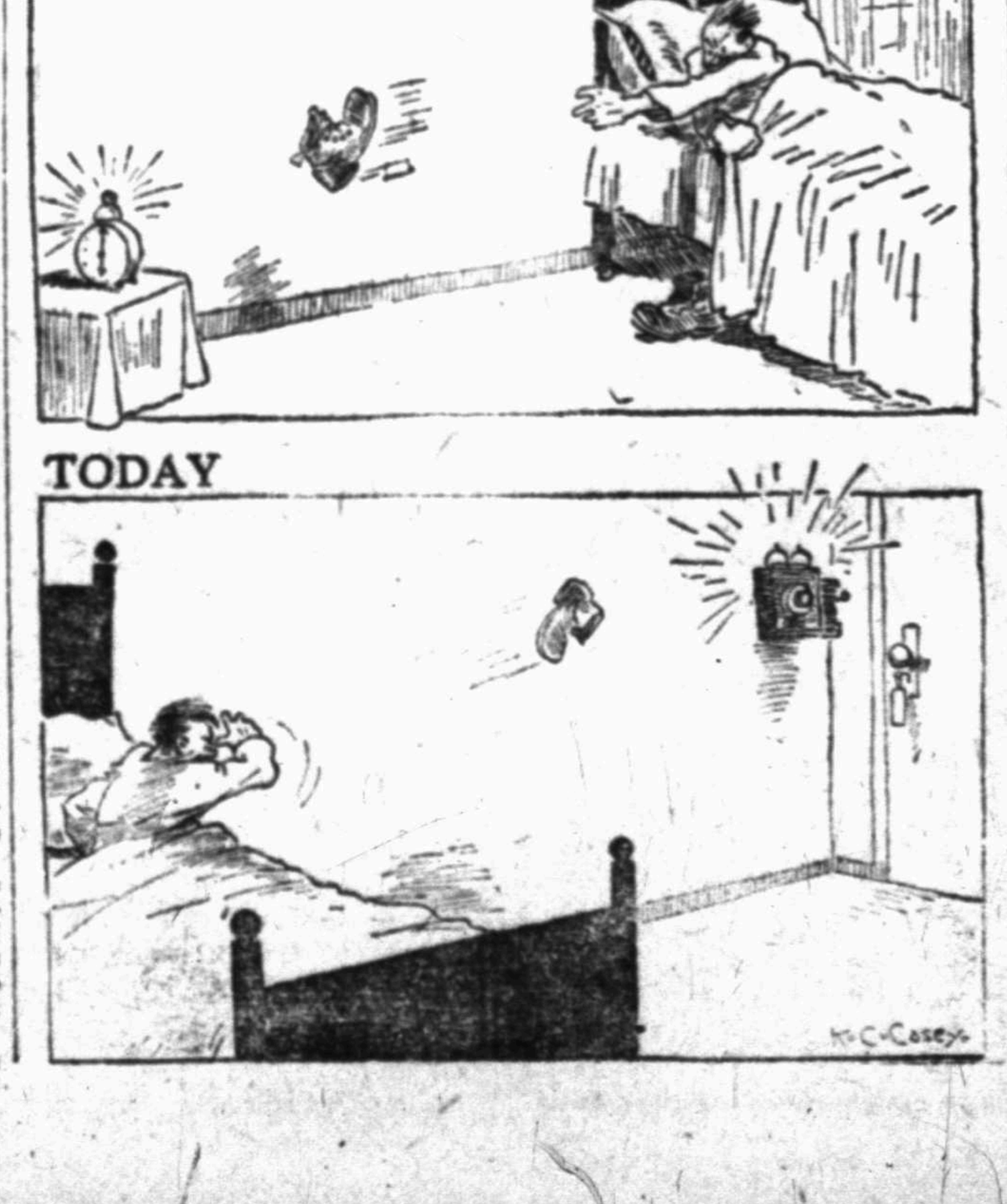
Silence is golden when you can't think of a satisfactory answer.



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THIS IS THE BEST YEAR

"Mr. Murray will have a late dinner tonight," smiled Mrs. Jenkins as she met her neighbor in the hall.

Ruth Murray looked bored. "This domestic slavery," she said, "gets old. How fortunate you are to keep servants. I have so many outside interests that I almost forget the flat until darkness comes."

Mrs. Jenkins looked at her thoughtfully and remarked: "My dear, if you're not careful you will miss the best in life. Outside interests don't compare with home. Doesn't Mr. Murray care for his home?"

Ruth unpinned her costly hat, revealing black hair liberally sprinkled with white. "I should think he does. If he had his way we'd be living out in a suburb with a big garden behind and whole masses of flaming nasturtiums in front; he's wild about the lovely coppery yellows and reds of nasturtiums. I like them myself, and outdoor work agrees splendidly with me, but, you see, next year we might——"

The arrival of her husband interrupted and the neighbor, thinking considerately of the hungry man whose dinner was not started, went into her own apartment at once.

"Ruth, I'm tired out," said Mr. Murray. "I often wish I'd gone in for anything except politics. I'd like to live in the country and keep chickens and raise——"

"Flowers," supplied his wife, who looked white with fatigue. "The club wrangled fiercely this afternoon. If I didn't think we might go to Washington another year I'd never bother with so many clubs. They cost a lot, too. I'll have to have another check tonight."

"Ruth, what do you do with money? I have barely enough to buy lunches and pay car fare until the next salary day. With the money we spend we could live in a house and have a peaceful, congenial life. The Smiths moved into their bungalow last week; they want us to go out next Sunday and spend the day. Is that a new dress?"

"Yes, it cost a fortune, too," was the reply. "The political ladies of the Wednesday club are planning a ball for next month. That will mean another new dress, and my share of the entertainment will be $32. We divided it between us. I got a new book on table etiquette and looked at some gowns. You see, if you should go to Washington I must be up on everything. We must forge ahead and be in the swim. Tell you, Tom, I let nothing interfere with your career. Where other women waste their time cooking and fixing up the house I go and go until I'm utterly spent." She went out to the kitchen and began peeling potatoes wearily. Deep in her heart she liked home-making best of all, but she kept fiercely to the goal she had set herself—Washington and the large salary that went with the higher position.

"It doesn't seem to matter how many raises I get, Ruth, it is always spent ahead. This enormous rent would more than meet payments on a house and then we'd not only have the comfort of home"—Mr. Murray had followed her out and stood looking down into the cluttered space between the apartment house where two janitors were quarreling over the disposal of ashes—"but we'd have something our own. Do you ever stop to think, Ruth, that I'm getting old—almost an old man?"

Ruth's knife slipped and cut her finger, but she was not even aware of this. A poignant fear had clutched her heart as she looked up quickly at her husband. Under the strong electric light his profile was sharp—sharper than it had been a few months back. His white hair was smartly cut and his clothes snappy, but they could not disguise the weakness that rested heavily upon his tired figure. Tom was a good man, dearer to her than any soul on earth, yet he had a neglected, almost under-nourished look. "Tom, why don't you sit down while I get dinner. Do you feel well?" she asked.

"Much the same as usual, but spring always brings me the desire for the wind-swept spaces of the country, for the sweet wet wind that brings the scent of the wet earth and the perfumes of flowers. I guess I always love the country. We are always looking forward to next year, Ruthie, but I read a sentence today that kind of startled me. It was this"—his faded eyes looked wistfully up at the spring sky where there still lingered a flush of golden-rose against the dead sunset—"Every thing fades and this is the best year." Think, Ruthie, this is the very best year of our life together."

Outside the wrangling voices suddenly ceased. A woman's voice in the apartment above drifted down in a simple, old-fashioned song that told of a cottage smothered in roses, red and white. Ruth thought of her costly handbag holding the book of etiquette, and thought of her confused thoughts as she had tried to memorize the different forks and spoons as they should be placed for a formal dinner. And the utter futility of her social ambitions leaped into her consciousness. Tom cared nothing for society; he was miserable at all formal functions. Then, too, they had hoped confidently for 12 years that the next year would give him the position he had once been promised—for the future. "Do you really want to go to Washington?" she demanded suddenly.

His faded eyes dropped before the gleam in hers. "Only for your sake," he said at last, compelled to honesty before the insistence of her look. "And Ruth, it doesn't seem much nearer."

"Don't you see, Tom? We don't want it; we only thought we did. This year is our best year. Let's enjoy it. I resign tomorrow from those clubs. Think, I shan't have to slave over that silly ball, you won't have to go in the dress clothes you dislike. We'll see about a tiny home that we can buy on time and give up this expensive, stifling city flat."

The last bit of gold dropped out of the sky, but Tom did not, as he often did, stare after it regretfully. He was watching his wife, whose dark eyes shone under her hair streaked with white. "Ruthie, how did we come to wait so long?" he asked.

Watching the Parade

By JOHN PILGRIM

Did it ever occur to you how few of us have definite, precise exact knowledge of the details of whatever business we may happen to be engaged in?

It occurred to me today with what one might call a sort of a shock. I had been talking with one of the big men of the country. I do not know whether he is a great man or not. Fifty years from now, if I am still alive, I will know more about that. But he is certainly one of the big men. He handles great enterprises and millions and men and issues like a drive does a bull whip.

"I can do these things," he said—and in no spirit of boasting—"because I make it a rule to get my knowledge first-hand.

He told of his struggle up to the financial surface. The routine was invariable. First, he was busted. Busted higher than Gilderoy's kite. Then he saw a chance. Then he made himself acquainted with every detail of that chance. He worked with his hands and his head, whether in the factory or in the office. By and by he knew.

"I knew," he said. "I KNEW. When you get your knowledge that way you cannot be deceived."

So he would get into that enterprise and begin to make use of that knowledge that he had laboriously and personally acquired and make a success. Then he would begin to branch out. Then he would rely on some other man's knowledge and discover that the other man only thought he knew and that the other man was terribly sorry, but that nothing could be done, and then the sheriff would get him. Then the speaker would start all over again—working with his hands and his head—getting some more knowledge at headquarters.

Not long ago he bought an affair that had been as nearly a total failure as failures can be. He went into it like any other workingman. He wore overalls and carried a tin bucket. He got grease under his fingernails and bruises everywhere and he slept as he had not slept since he had the last job with his hands. In the end he knew.

"I KNEW," he said again. What someone tells you isn't knowledge. Knowledge is something you must get for yourself. It's the thing you must have to succeed."

DOGHILL PARAGRAFS

By GEORGE BINGHAM.

Sim Flinders says if the sun was closer to us, all we would have to do when we wanted to warm our feet was to climb a tree.

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Poke Eazley sat up so close to the heating stove at the postoffice this morning he smothered out the fire. The postmaster then rebuilt a big, red-hot fire, and Poke would of scorched had he not moved back at the crucial moment.

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Sile Kildew would like to borrow the sum of five dollars from someone, on easy terms for an indefinite period.

LIBRARIAN JOINS FRENCH TRIP TO DESERT WILDS

(By International News Service)

CHILICOTHE, O., Feb. 13.—Burton E. Stevenson, well known novelist and city librarian, has sailed for Constantine, Algeria, where he is to join a special French military expedition, headed by Colonel J. Maurice, his personal friend.

The commission is scheduled to visit the interior of the desert country, the principal oasis and the Auree mountain regions, calling on the tribal chiefs, for the purpose of consolidating their support of their government.

BUFFALOES REACH SURPLUS

WAINWRIGHT, Alta., Feb. 13.—With the buffalo in the government park at Wainwright numbering more than 5,000 and with prospects of the herd, now the largest in the world, eventually outgrowing the 10,000 park, the Canadian government is seeking ways to commercialize the surplus animals.

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SOCIETY

BRIDE GIVEN SHOWER BY BUSINESS GIRLS

Complimenting Mrs. Richard J. Crow, formerly Miss Lima Russell, the Business Women's club entertained about forty friends of Mrs. Crow with a valentine party and shower at the Y. W. C. A. Saturday evening.

The club room was attractively decorated in the colors and motifs in keeping with the valentine season for the occasion, and members of service committee including Misses Florence Glenn, Gladys Parrish, Ethel McDowell, and Mrs. Ramey Mathis, acted as hostesses.

The table was attractively centered with a miniature bride and groom at the foot of a miniature stairway surrounded with lighted candles of various colors.

Several contests furnished diversion, after which Master Dan Cupid was announced and little Miss Aileen Eiter entered drawing a prettily decorated wagon, on the driver's seat of which sat little Miss Evelyn Marquand costumed in a dainty winged Cupid frock. The wagon piled high with pretty gifts stopped in front of the honoree, and the next hour was spent in opening and examining the packages.

The club gift was a set of six Haviland dinner plates, the cups and saucers of the same set were given by a group of seven friends in the club. Two small pieces in the set, presented during the evening as prizes in contests were also given the honoree. The shower was a miscellaneous one, and useful articles were received from friends.

Buffet refreshments were served, with favors bearing the at home address of the bride and groom.

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AUXILIARY HOLDS SOCIAL MEETING

With Mesdames Linney and Scott hostesses, a large number of members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of the Good Shepherd enjoyed a social meeting at the parish house Monday afternoon. A brief business session was held after which the remainder of the afternoon was devoted to the social meeting.

At the close of the afternoon, dainty refreshments were served.

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MRS. MOORING GIVEN PRETTY SHOWER

Honoring Mrs. J. E. Mooring, Mrs. I. A. Albritton, Jr., 1509 Fourteenth street, assisted by Mesdames Charles Hill, J. B. McDowell and I. A. Albritton, Sr., joint hostesses, a pretty shower given at the home of Mrs. Albritton Monday afternoon.

The hours were pelasantly spent in music and playing games, and the honoree was the recipient of many and useful gifts.

At a late hour, dainty refreshments were served to Mesdames Mooring, Wid Phillips, J. B. Maples, R. M. Hurley, W. C. Russell, J. B. Broughton, J. B. McDowell, F. B. Albritton, M. W. Lewis, R. V. Gwynn, E. F. Albritton, E. K. Kiddy, J. A. White, Simmons, Mary Underwood, M. E. Brook and H. J. Darnell.

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CIRCLE NUMBER TWO MEETS MONDAY

With Mesdames Fred Couper, R. J. Webb, Fred Goss, E. H. Gipson and T. A. Uhrich hostesses, members of Circle No. 2 of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. Couper Monday afternoon and studied an interesting lesson on "The North American Indian." Mrs. Newton Maer was leader for the afternoon, and splendid program on the subject was given.

Devotionals were led by Mrs. E. H. Gipson and Mrs. Will Gray in Indian costume gave a delightful Indian solo accompanied by Miss Terest Veal; Miss Elizabeth Carrigan read an original poem on Indian Work in Wichita Falls written by her mother, Mrs. A. H. Carrington several years ago for a celebration here, and Mrs. Curtis Atkinson read a paper on "The Indian Otulook for Today;" "Occupations and Industries of American Indians" was the subject of paper read by Mrs. J. L. Mears; Mrs. Minnie Gaffney discussed "What the Presbyterian Church is Doing for the Indians in the Far Northwest."

Following the program the hostesses served a delicious salad plate to 30 members.

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PIANO AND VOICE RECITAL SATURDAY.

Misses Katherine Cook and Rubie Sullivan, presented their pupils in piano and voice in a delightful program, composed of well rendered selections at the studio of Miss Cook Saturday afternoon.

Excellent training in tone placement and coloring was displayed in the performances.

Following the program, an interesting little musical contest was given for the younger students in which the ones giving the highest and lowest number of correct answers received prizes. Cyrus Jetter received the first prize, and Elsie Kinnard the low.

The program rendered follows:

Piano, "The Cuckoo" (Kehler) .... Juanita Kenny
Piano, "The Rainbow Faries" (Kregman) .. Sherman Anderson
Piano, "The Wild Chase Gallop" (Pierr Renard) ...... Irene Noc
Piano, "The Ball" (G. Ludwick) .... Evelyn Yates
Piano, "In Rank and File" (Lang) .... Cyrus Jetter
Voice, "Sealed Orders" (Charles Willeby) .... Gladys Coleman
Piano, "Serenade" (Schubert) .. .. Mrs. Virginia Hotchkiss
Piano, "Homeward Bound" (Ber Anthony) .... Yveune Jetter
Voice, "Sleep Little Baby of Mine" (Charles Denee) .... Anna Byman
Piano, "Song of the Brook" (Lack) .... Gladys Coleman
Piano, "Pixies' Drill" (Arthur L. Brown) .... Lucille Jones
Piano, "Oberen" (Dorn) .... Miss Mary Geyer
Voice, "Still As the Night" (Karl Bohm) .. Mrs. Virginia Hotchkiss
Piano, "Polacca Brillrante" (Karl Bohm) .. Miss Tinna May Ring
Accompanists: Misses Byman, Coleman and Cole.

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FRATERNITY TO GIVE DINNER.

The members and pledges of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity will give their annual Founder's Day banquet at the Kemp hotel Saturday at 7 o'clock.

It has long been the custom of the college fraternity to celebrate its founding in the year of 1852 at William and Mary college, Canonsburg, Virginia, by giving a dinner in every college and city where a chapter or alumni association is located, on the same night. Several special features and a program have been arranged by local students of several universities.

Members and their guests are requested to see Milburn Nutt for reservations before Friday noon.

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VALENTINE PARTY TUESDAY EVENING.

Miss Mildred Day, 1110 Alma street, will be hostess to the members of the Pollyanna Sunday school class of the First Baptist church and their friends Tuesday evening with a valentine party.

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PARENT-TEACHERS' FEDERATION TO MEET.

Members of the Parent-Teachers' federation are reminded of the meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Homer McGregor, 1715 Elizabeth street at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

A good attendance is urged.

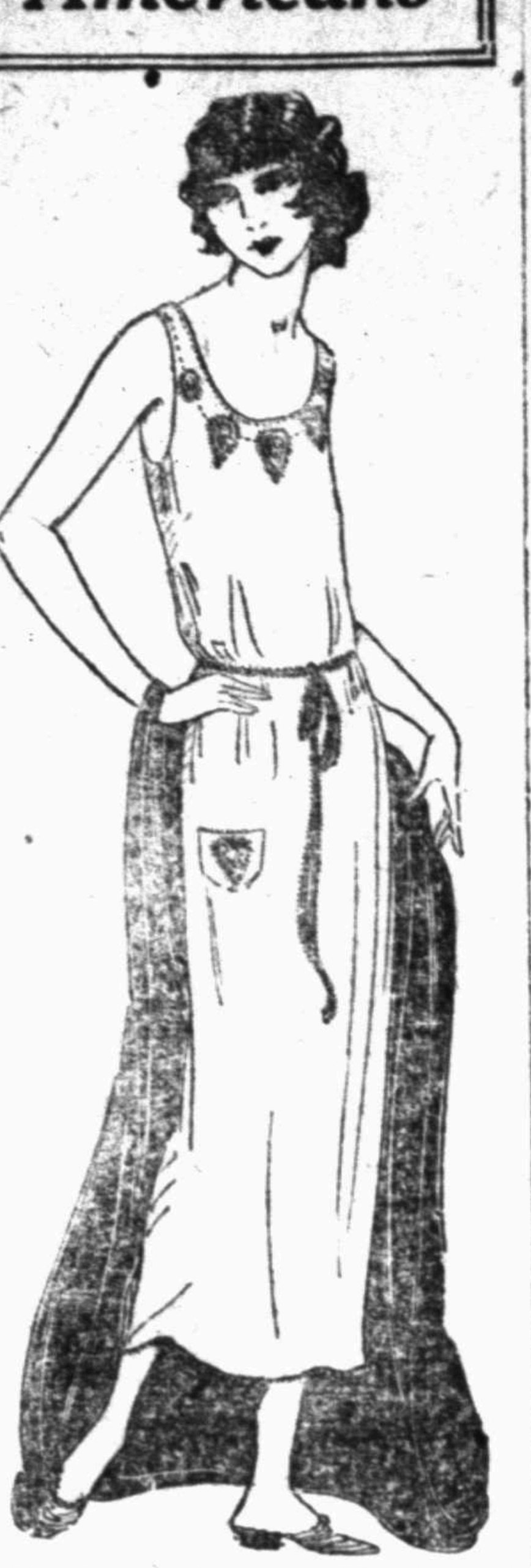
Fashions for Americans

Style changes or new idea for undergarments are so comparatively few that when a novelty is discovered it is certain to attract attention. The little gown shown in the sketch offers an idea that is quite new and distinctly unusual. It is made of a colored crepe de chine—pale blue, pink, and orchid are the colors most used—and trimmed with motifs of flowered cretonne daintily appliqued on. The edge of the neck, armholes, and skirt of the gown are picoted; a little patch pocket bears a cretonne motif, and a narrow two-tone ribbon belt finishes the garment. Entire sets, consisting of gown, chemise, and bloomers, are shown decorated with the cretonne motifs, and very dainty they are.

Both cotton and silk undergarments of white often carry a touch of color in the hem and the embroidery that trims them. Some lovely fine sateen undergarments recently seen, developed in white, were finished with colored self-fabric hems and touches of embroidery. Plain batiste or checked dimity undergarments were similarly finished, plain organdy or voile in one of the popular pastel shades being used for the hems.

Incidentally, fine sateen, either in plain or self-striped weave, is an excellent fabric choice for warm weather undergarments. It wears well, has the silky sheen and appearance in a general way that real silk has, and, of course, is much cheaper.

Another practical undergarment fabric is fine sheer cotton crepe. This also, is being extensively used and is available in such pretty colorings, patterns, etc., that great variety is possible. This crepe is used effectively for warm weather negligees as well as undergarments, with pipings and bindings of plain color cotton or silk fabric, or of ribbon.



This Colored Crepe de Chine Gown Is Trimmed With Flowered Cretonne.

PRE-SPRING BUSY-NESS

The ground-hog, like Caesar, has veni-vidi-vici-ed, old Phoebus is driving his chariot northward and the brilliant sunshine shows up dusty corners we were blissfully unconscious of in darker days. We feel the itching to clean house, but it is too early. We should wait until we can turn everything out doors to feel the stir of the wind and the glow of the sun.

But there is a pre-spring busyness. These are inventory days. How can we, any better than the merchant, be aware of where we are "at" without giving all our possessions the once-over? Stores are offering many things at reduced prices and the thrifty housewife will stock up now or buy ahead for next season. But she dare not do this without the inventory to tell her exactly what is on hand, what can be adapted from one purpose to another, and what more will be needed.

The war taught us many lessons—many less-ens. We learned that meatless, sweetless, heatless days were tolerable and increased our sturdiness and savings stamps. Why not carry this less spirit into peace times, to the same two advantages? We do not need to store away on our shelves so many sheets and towels and sets of things. In an emergency we can buy more and it is extravagance to over provide. But it is wise to buy enough during these sales.

The forward looking housewife is doing the spring sewing to get it out of the way before housecleaning time. Her household are not afraid of the heat of summer for they will be clothed in gingham. The use of the needle is increasing, helped by the simplicity of present styles and the fact that many women have made themselves dress-forms. The inventory tells what can be made bigger by letting out a tuck or passed down the line by putting in one. It discovers that one has more clothes than one realized and indicates what new ones will be required.

A good sorting over and weeding out now will make housecleaning easier. Under this head come the magazines which accumulate so fast it is impossible to keep them all. Winter evenings is an ideal time to cull them.

Frequently a housewife will say: there are so many fine helps in these magazines but I can't remember them and can't find them when I want them. Why not file them systematically? Get twenty large, tough envelopes. Label them according to your interests: Care of Baby, Clothes, Menus, Recipes, Labor Saving Hints, Cleaning, etc. Arrange the envelopes alphabetically and slip into each all articles on that subject. If a valued recipe is on the back of an article about the baby put both into the envelope about baby and put into the envelope with recipes a note, recipe so-and-so in envelope baby. Then you can find either easily.

This is the season for the "stitch in time." An inspection of winter clothing will find the pocket which is ripped the button loose, the lining which sags, and the weak spot needing a patch. The bedding also needs attention. It should be put in shipshape against the advent of warmer nights when it will be shed and ready to store away.

SMILES.

It Gets 'Em.

When stately Dame or College Frosh
Comes flapping through the snow and slosh,
Both feet ensconsed in mackintosh,
Then is stern sense put on the kibosh.
From simplest swain to General Foch
Hearts masculine fall for the galosh!

Dainty Bathing Suit Of Checked Gingham Worn at Palm Beach

Gingham bathing suits are very popular with the members of the fashionable colony who are wintering at Palm Beach, Fla. Mrs. F. H. Scott of Chicago, is shown here wearing a purple and white checked gingham bathing costume, with bathing cap of the same material.

THE WOMAN CITIZEN

Bill Boards.

Bill boards and board-bills are synonymous with low standards. The city or individual that allows either to stand indefinitely is derelict. Some states are now passing laws prohibiting the bill board.

It is desirable that merchants have an opportunity to call attention to their wares, but this should be done in legitimate ways. No one has a right to take me by the collar, as I walk out for my health, and force me to inspect his wares, with the chance that I might buy. I have a right to walk with mind free from distracting thoughts of merchandise, and undisturbed by ugly objects put in my way to remind me of mundane needs.

If bill boards were always new, or in repair, or in good taste or neat, it would not be so bad; but they are usually of the cheapest construction and quickly become delapidated. Their art, if such it might be called, is of the crudest and most glaring. Often they discuss personal symptoms and diseases indelicate to exploit in public.

If the newspaper opens its columns to advertising it is a purely business matter. One may take the publication or leave it alone, but not so with the bill board, which one must see whether he wills or not.

The bill-board is not only an intrusion on a pleasant landscape but frequently, erected on a neighboring lot, may shut off the view from some fine residence and is a "nuisance."

Advertising is becoming more and more business news and should be fresh information to be of interest to us. As such the bill-board is generally useless. The newspaper and magazines are now recognized as the effective and legitimate media of advertising, and in the interest of civic beauty should be used for this instead of the unsightly and often dangerously delapidated bill-board.

Beginning Thursday

A Wife or A Profession?

By CAROLYN BEECHER

(Author of "The Revolt of Susan Hyde," "The Girl I Left Behind Me," "A Successful Failure," "Maid and Wife," "The Only Thing That Counts," "The Prop," etc.)

Can an ambitious young surgeon who has not yet established himself in his profession succeed unless his pretty, pampered wife has a sympathetic interest in his life's work?

That is the question Carolyn Beecher poses in her absorbing new serial, "A Wife or a Profession?"

Howard Blake and Annette Gilbert fell so deeply in love that their courtship was brief. Annette, a born New Yorker, went with Howard almost immediately after the wedding to a middle west town. She was lonely and discountented and what distressed Howard most of all was that she was jealous of the time his work kept him from her. They were still deeply in love, but she did not understand his enthusiastic devotion to his profession. She wanted to come first.

To Annette, Howard's success meant only money and social position, and that they could go back to New York. The death of her father made her independently wealthy. Reluctantly Howard left his hospital work to return to the city and by degrees the adroit Annette weaned him from his boyhood dreams of being a great surgeon. He fought against living the almost useless life of a society doctor but finally succumbed.

What means Fate employed to make Annette see her error and enabled Howard to realize his ambitions makes "A Wife or a Profession?" an unusually gripping story.

THE PROP

By CAROLYN BEECHER

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Chapter LXXVII

"How do you account for the success of your lunchroom? That has been a constant surprise to me," Mr. Carr asked after a moment.

"I'll tell you—because I took the cook into my confidence," Ruth replied smiling. "I hired a woman cook. I told her that her wages, I called it salary (the psychology of a word) depended entirely upon how well she run the kitchen. She is an educated woman whose talents are entirely domestic ones; a woman who once had a good home but at her husband's death nothing. She knows how to buy, how to manage her help She has put her whole soul into making that kitchen not only the best kitchen of which she is capable but into making it pay. That is the secret of my lunchroom success.

"And you think your department will go on showing profits—I am now speaking of your investment branch—even if our men's department continues to show a steady decilne in business, as it has done."

"Yes, I have an army of women earners. They have become women savers. That army is increasing all the time. I do little advertising because these women and girls do it for me. They are constantly bringing their friends to see what a nice place we have, how they are privileged to rest and chat in our dainty reception room, how they can powder their noses and make themselves daintily fresh in our toilet room. Once the girl friend sees all this she wants the same privilege. Also yielding to the clamorous demand of our investors, I have allowed all investors, no matter how small their business, the privilege of our lunchroom."

"I see you will soon be asking me to enlarge it for you. Don't! I shall have to refuse," Mr. Carr exclaimed humorously.

"I won't ask for anything I cannot make pay," she smiled at his pretended fear. "Then the other class, women of wealth, is also steadily growing."

"Where do your recruits come from in that class?"

"Widows mainly. You would be surprised to know how many men of great wealth and comfortable incomes have passed away since the war. The strain, the stress of those terrible years, may have something to do with it. But however it happens to be, it is true that never were there so many wealthy widows in the country as now. Many of them of course have incomes invested in such a manner they cannot, or do not care to reinvest. Others are the sole arbiters of their fortunes. I reach them—I see you are going to ask—sometimes through personal letters, a peculiar kind of letter in some instances. If I can I will find out what society the widow mixes in. Then I find out if we have any one of her class upon our books. If we have I ask permissioin to use her name as one of our investors when I write. Invariably I get the permission, frequently reinforced by an offer to go to the woman and bring her down to us."

"Who but a woman would ever think of such an idea?"

"It works, so must be a good one. Then in addition many women are making money in business in spite of the hard times. Have you ever noticed the number of small businesses run entirely by women? When they have a thousand or two dollars they look around for a place to invest safely, yet have it where they can have the use of it quickly if necessary. I have made it a special business to let this class understand we can give them just the sort of investment they are looking for. Being successful business women themselves they have faith in other women in business. I find it is very easy to secure their business.

"I want to compliment you, Miss Browning. You have made me appreciate your services as never before, have given me an added respect for the woman in business. I hope you will always remain with us." He had added that last sentence purposely. Ever since he had feared Turnbull would take Ruth away from the firm Much as Turnbull was interested in the success of his business affairs, Mr. Carr could see that he was far more interested in Ruth as a woman than as a help to the business.

"I intend to remain with you unless you put me out," Ruth answered as she rose to go. "Thank you for listening so patiently to me. I think I have been unusually verbose." She had looked at her watch and was astonished at the length of time they had been in conference.

"Thank you heartily for giving me so succinct an idea of why you are making money for us. And thank you again for your interest. It is that interest in an employee that makes for the success of any firm. Would to God there were more like you."

As Ruth left the chief's room she smiled to herself.

Give up her position? Never!

Yet she said it to herself, the thought of Robert Turnbull, his love, made her sigh.

If only she could have both.

"I will—some time," she declared aloud.

(To Be Continued.)

RECIPES

Muffins.

"Oh, have you seen the Muffin Man,
the Muffin Man, the Muffin man;
Oh, have you seen the Muffin Man,
Who lives in Drury Lane?"
—English Nursery Rhyme.

Bread is called the "staff of life," but is deficient in proteins and mineral salts. Muffins, containing eggs, milk, fat, sugar and mixed flours, is far more complete and might almost be called the whole accouterment of a balanced ration.

Warm breads are not usually considered easily digested. This is because the tendency is to chew them too little. They should be made very light and baked thoroughly.

Muffins made with mixed flours are of finer texture and better favored than if made with white flour alone.

A wide variety of muffins may be made, but the principles are the same in all. Use the following proportions; two cups flour, one cup liquid, one tablespoon fat, and one of sugar, teaspoon salt, two teaspoons baking powder for each cup of flour. If eggs are used reduce the baking powder a half teaspoon for each egg. If milk is the liquid it makes a fine flavored muffin, but water may be used by adding a little more fat. If sour milk is used it should be first sweetened by adding a half teaspoon soda to each cup.

In mixing flours—corn meal, oatmeal, bran or whole-wheat—use half white flour, as the others are too gritty to make an adhesive batter. Muffin batter is thick enough to drop heavily from the spoon. Bran muffins are an excellent preventive of constipation.

Muffins may be made with leftover oatmeal, corn-meal, rice or hominy mush. First soften the mush with milk then add other ingredients. English muffins are raised with yeast instead of baking powder. To the batter, considerably thicker than with baking powder, add a half cake yeast dissolved in warm water. Sugar and eggs are usually omitted from English muffins. Let the batter rise, then drop on a hot well greased griddle and bake five minutes on each side, turning with a pancake turner. Serve hot. The left-over muffins may be split and toasted for tea.

Raisins, first floured, or cocoanut, or nuts, or cherries, blueberries or other fruits may be added to muffins to give variety. They are put into the batter the last thing.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors who gave their services so willingly during the brief illness and death of our beloved wife and mother, and for the beautiful floral offering which helped us to bear our sorrow. May God's blessings be yours is our prayer.

J. M. SHOCKLEY
AND SONS.

"I Cannot Conceive How Anyone Could Wrong Mr. Taylor," Declares Mary Miles Minter in Statement

An interesting study of Mary Miles Minter.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 13.—Mary Miles Minter, motion picture actress, issued a statement here today through her attorney, declaring that she had told investigators "all that she knew" of the life of William Desmond Taylor, motion picture director, slain mysteriously twelve days ago. It said she could not conceive how any person could voluntarily wrong Taylor.

The statement follows:

"There is no personal or financial sacrifice that I would not gladly make to bring the slayer of William Desmond Taylor to justice.

"Mr. Taylor was one of my best friends. His death was a great shock to me. I met Mr. Taylor first in 1919 when he became my director. I was then 17 years of age and his inspiration, his unfailing courtesy and consideration not only to me but to all with whom he came in contact immediately won my highest admiration.

"From 1919 until the day of his death Mr. Taylor was to me the symbol of honor and manliness, an inspiration, friend, guide and counsellor—the symbol of all a girl admires in a man.

"His friendship was uplifting and his advice and aid were invaluable. It would be nothing less than veritable ingratitude if I did not, now that he is dead, raise my voice to proclaim what he was and to repudiate those who would besmirch his character.

"I have told the authorities all that I know of both his life here and in the east. That, I fear, has been of little aid to them.

"I cannot conceive the character of a person who would voluntarily wrong Mr. Taylor or cause his death."

VALENTINES

It is amazing how important is Valentine Day in the eyes of the children. That mother stores up sweetness in the life of her child who enters with him into the spirit of the occasion, especially if she helps with the actual work of making the pretty tokens. Home-made valentines are infinitely superior to those from the store, for they afford the child an opportunity to construct something artistic and to give it to another with his affection.

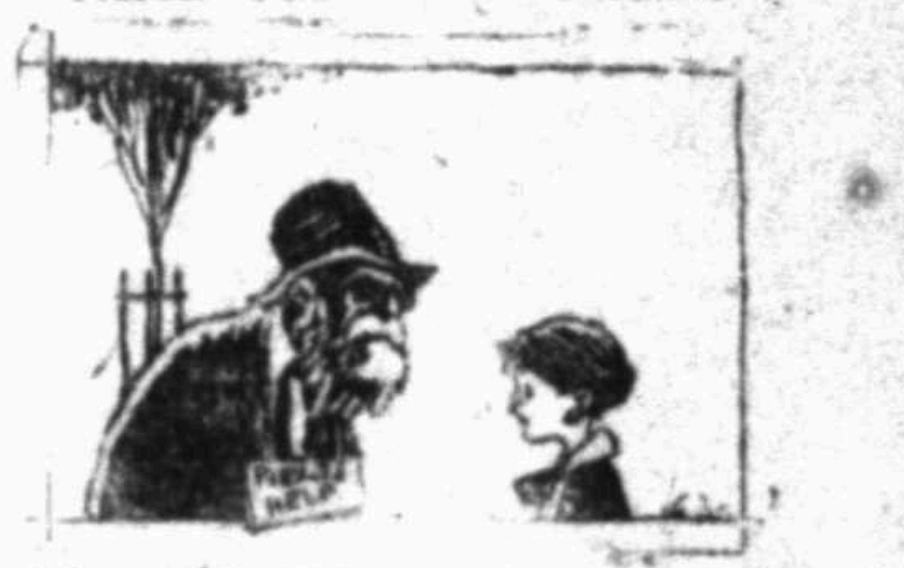
Red and green cardboard, gilt and silver paper, advertising pictures and even wall-paper, with its odd design, may serve as raw materials for the manufacture of valentines.

A lesson of brotherly love may be impressed at this season if the child is led to remember with a valentine each of his schoolmates, particularly those likely to be overlooked by others.

WHERE TO GO

Olympic—Betty Compson in "The Little Minister."
Empress—Mary Pickford in "Little Lord Flauntleroy."
Majestic—Jack Hoxie in "Cupid's Brand."
Gem—Monroe Salisbury in "The Renegade."

CAME JUST NATURALLY



The Kid—Tell me, mister, what did you do to get so old

The Old One—Nothing at all, my son—nothing at all—just waited.

QUEER FEELINGS AT MIDDLE AGE

Women Should Know how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helps at This Trying Period

Sheboygan, Wisconsin.—"I was run down, tired and nervous. I could not even do my own housework, could not sleep at night and all kinds of queer thoughts would come to me. Finally I gave up going to the doctor and a friend told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After the first bottle I could sleep better and I have kept on improving ever since. I have taken seven bottles now and am so happy that I am all over these bad feelings."—Mrs. B. LANSER, 1639 N. 3rd St., Sheboygan, Wisconsin.

For the woman entering middle age Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound can be of much benefit. During this time of life certain changes take place which sometimes develop into serious trouble.

Melancholia, nervousness, irritability, headache and dizziness are some of the symptoms. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a natural restorative, especially adapted to assist nature in carrying you safely past this time. Why not give it a fair trial?

Cuticura Soap
—The Safety Razor—
Shaving Soap

Cuticura Soap shaves without mug. Everywhere 25c.

DANDERINE

Stops Hair Coming Out; Thickens, Beautifies.

35-cents buys a bottle of "Danderine" at any drug store. After one application of this delightful tonic you can not find a particle of dandruff or a falling hair. Besides, every hair shows new life, vigor, brightness, more color and abundance.—Adv.

DYED A SWEATER AND SKIRT WITH DIAMOND DYES

Every "Diamond Dyes" package tells how to dye or tint any worn, faded garment or drapery a new rich color that will not streak, spot, fade, or run. Perfect home dyeing is guaranteed with Diamond Dyes even if you have never dyed before. Just tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods. For fifty-one years millions of women have been using "Diamond Dyes" to add years of wear to their old, shabby waists, skirts, dresses, coats, sweaters, stockings, draperies, hangings, everything!—Adv.

'Tis Spring at SALMON & NUTT'S

—Yes, Spring has come—here—for these beautiful, newly arrived shoes are forerunners of the new season. Coming early, they are as welcome as the first courageous blossoms which everyone greets so joyfully.

—And as your thoughts turn to warm, sunny days, soon to come, you'll enjoy the style revelations of these beautiful new arrivals.

SALMON AND NUTT
TENTH AND INDIANA

WHEN YOU THINK OF

SHOES

THINK OF

SAUL'S STORE

We've Got 'Em—That's All There Is to It!

Our Piece Goods Department

Is chuck full of all wanted Dry Goods for Spring and Summer — Imported Tissue Ginghams, Special, a yard ... 69c

SAUL'S

McCall Patterns — "They're Printed"
"No Name" Hats Are Union Made

RECORD NEWS SPORTS

LONGHORNS TO START SEASON WITH HANDICAP

'Varsity Nine Is Confronted by an Unusually Tough Schedule With Only Fair Material in Sight.

Pitcher Gillete Is Nucleus Around Which Disch Hopes to Build Conference Championship Team.

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 13.—Confronted by a very strenuous schedule and with only fair material working out for places on the 1922 'Varsity baseball nine, Coach Billy Disch, veteran Longhorn baseball mentor, will have the fight of his life, if he is to win his eleventh consecutive Southwestern Conference diamond championship. Southwestern Conference baseball, with veteran nines such as the Texas Aggies and Baylor Bears will place upon the diamond, promises to be very fast and hard fought.

The hardest games the Longhorns will be called to play are, doubtless, the six games to be played upon the spring southern trip. On this tour, the Longhorns meet Alabama University's great nine, the Tulane University team and the Mississippi Aggie team. A clean record in these six games would be a great feat for the Longhorns to perform, in view of the known class of the teams to be met. It is thought that an even break in the six games to be played will be commendable.

In order to place a well balanced team on the diamond, Coach Disch must develop a catcher, a number of good pitchers and three or four hitters with the ability to ram out long base hits.

Maxey Hart of Austin, the great receiver of other days, is no longer available. If he is able to get into condition, Arthur Allen of Dallas, a promising maskman of last year, may get the job.

I. W. Gillette of Alpine, the captain of the team, and the most consistent winner the Southwestern Conference has had for some years, is the nucleus about which Coach Disch will build his pitching staff.

With J. M. Mulcahy of El Paso, at the initial bag, James Newlin of Italy, at the keystone sack, Herman Odom of Rusk, at third base, and Joe Ellis of Fort Worth, in the short field, Texas, has a first class fielding inner defense. Ellis, however, is the only real hitter of the four.

In the outfield George Johnson of San Antonio Enoch Dunnaway of Amarillo, and Hugo Auler of Elgin, will likely hold down that out field positions during most of the games. Only one of these men, Auler, is capable of hitting over .300 consistently.

The apparent need, therefore, of Coach Disch is to develop some real hitters, if his hopes for winning the Southwestern Conference title are to be realized.

PANHADLE EDITOR IS A CANDIDATE FOR OLD POSITION

To the Record News:

MEMPHIS, Texas, Feb. 13.—Upon the earnest solicitation of friends, after mature deliberation, I have decided to submit my candidacy for a second term as lieutenant governor of Texas, subject to the action of the democratic primary on July 22nd. I had the honor to serve in this responsible position during the last term of Governor Hobby, and was defeated for re-election by the enormous use of money in the primary in 1920. During that campaign I had the responsible duty of remaining at Austin, tied up in the legislature and later acting governor, during the progress of the campaign. As the result was unable to refute numerous untrue statements that were being circulated by my opponents. One of the most effective of these was that I, while acting governor, had pardoned Watson of Teague. This was absolutely false, as Watson was pardoned by R. M. Johnston, while president pro tempore of the senate and acting governor. I had no more to do with it than any other man in Texas. Another false report was that I was against equal suffrage and prohibition, when the fact is that while I was lieutenant governor and president of the senate, a ruling made by me, while in the chair was alone responsible for Texas being able to ratify the equal suffrage amendment. This ruling held an amendment out of order that would have had the effect of first referring the matter to a popular vote of the people before it became effective. As to my prohibition record, I served eight years in the senate and two years lieutenant governor, and no man can search the record and find a single vote cast that did not ring true for law enforcement, prohibition and good government.

I was the first man in the legislature to introduce a resolution to investigate the dealings of Jim Ferguson. The people now all endorse this. I was the first man to ever write a pool hall bill and introduce it. After several years effort, these infamous dens of vice are barred from the state. I was the author of the bill to raise the "age of consent" for girls from fifteen to eighteen years, now the law of the commonwealth. I have always stood, both in the legislature and out, for the advancement of our educational system. I have served with enthusiasm as a member of my local school board, also as one of the regents of the University of Texas. I have also served as one of the agricultural experiment station board. I have the University, A. & M. College, C. I. A., and Normals very much on my heart, as well as the betterment of the rural schools.

I believe the penitentiary is one of our greatest problems yet to be solved. And I stand for reorganization of our penitentiary system. If elected, I shall endeavor to have the law so changed as to put the prisoners of the state to work, manufacturing Portland cement and road material, and to building great Appian highways up and down the state. The highway problems goes hand in hand with the prison problem, and they should be woven into one. The greatest tax that falls upon the citizenship of any state is the tax of faulty highways. The placing of convicts upon the highways and the making of highway material will take them out of competition with legitimate, honest labor, and place them where they can benefit all the taxpayers. In Texas, road building and Portland cement are the biggest problems of business advancement.

I believe in strict law enforcement, and favor the passage of a law to provide for the removal by quo warranto of any officer in this state who fails or refuses to do his duty in the way of enforcing the law. I am opposed to mob law in any form, but I recognize the presence in this state of the Ku Klux, as the outgrowth of lax law enforcement. I believe that the settlement of the enforcement problem will be the solution of the other. In many parts of the state, the Ku Klux have had a deterring effect upon the lawless element. They are the outgrowth of prevailing conditions, and will pass away as they did following the Civil war, when the need for them has passed away.

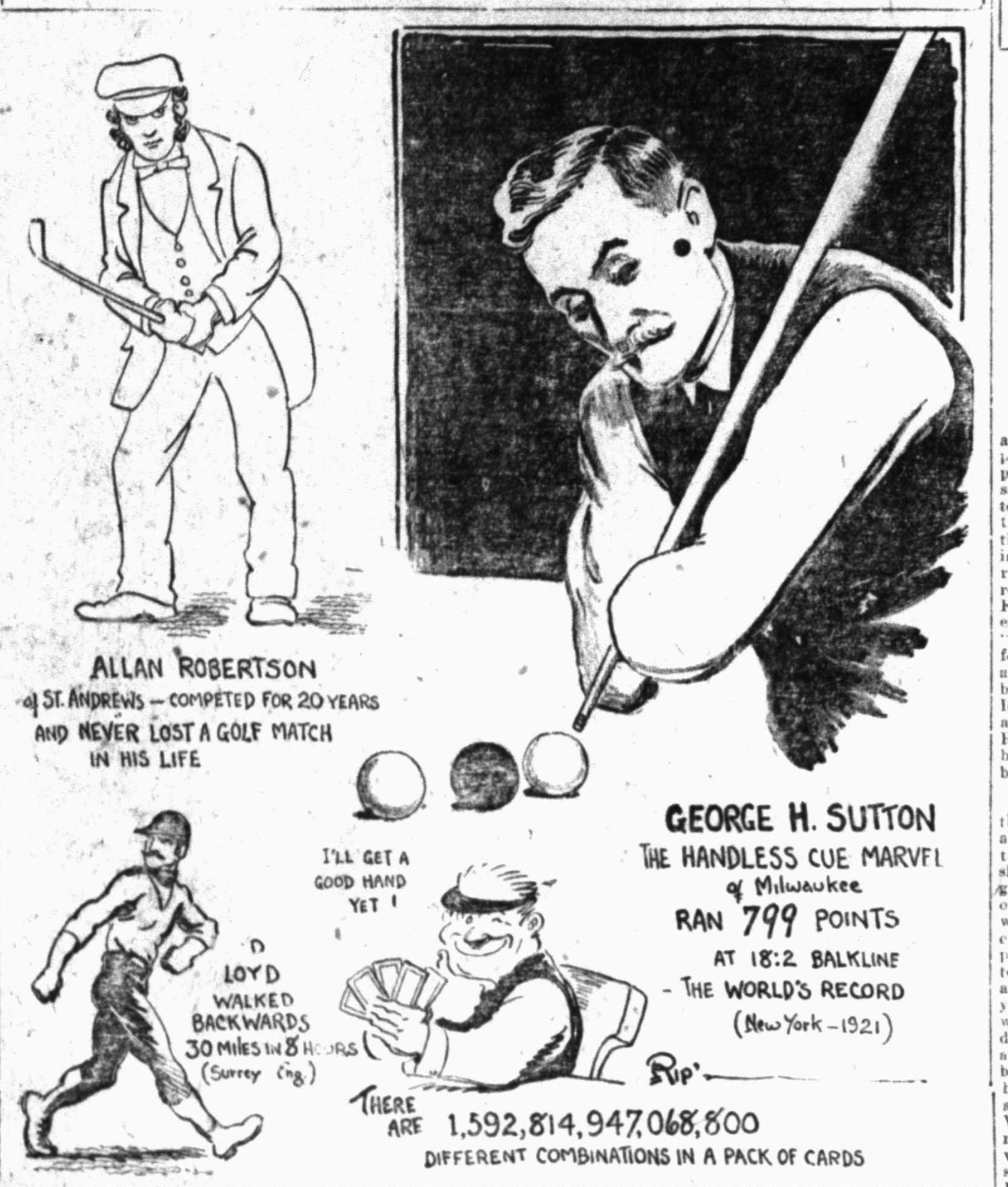
There are many other issues in Texas that I recognize as of importance, and my position on most of these is well known, and well set forth in a record of ten years in the legislature of the state. I shall explain these from time to time as the campaign comes on. I shall make a thorough campaign of the state before the election.

Standing on every part of my record of service in public office in the past, and with confidence in the right prevailing in the end, I solicit the support of the democrats of Texas for the customary second term as lieutenant governor of this Imperial commonwealth.

W. A. JOHNSON.

Decayed teeth, a sign of toothache, have been found in a skull thousands of years old, thus proving that this ailment is not a modern one due to civilization.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT


ALLAN ROBERTSON
of ST. ANDREWS — COMPETED FOR 20 YEARS AND NEVER LOST A GOLF MATCH IN HIS LIFE
GEORGE H. SUTTON
THE HANDLESS CUE MARVEL of Milwaukee
RAN 799 POINTS AT 18:2 BALKLINE - THE WORLD'S RECORD (New York - 1921)
D LOYD WALKED BACKWARDS 30 MILES IN 8 HOURS (Surrey Eng.)
I'LL GET A GOOD HAND YET!
THERE ARE 1,592,814,947,068,800 DIFFERENT COMBINATIONS IN A PACK OF CARDS
RIP'

CLARA HI BOYS, TITLE HOLDERS. GET SWEATERS

Members of the Clara High school basketball team, which won the championship of District No. 4 in the tournament that closed here Saturday, were presented with handsome wool sweaters by the school last night, a number of Wichita Falls citizens participating in the "ceremonies."

C. E. Danhelm, athletic director of the Wichita Falls high school, made the presentation, while brief speeches were made by Judge Rogers, of this city; Zeb Nixon, adjatant of Pat Carrigan Post, American Legion; Burl Bryant, county superintendent of schools; W. R. Bradford, superintendent of the Iowa Park schools, and Mayor W. R. Arnold, of Iowa Park.

The members of the Clara squad who received sweaters were Ray, Marvin and Millard Chambers, Lancaster, Bailey, Jordan and Bains. A sweater also was presented to E. E. Rogers, coach of the championship team.

BOY SCOUTS MIX IN CAGE BATTLE

Troop 15 of the Boy Scouts nosed out Troop 6 last night at the Legion hall, 30 to 23, in the first Scout basketball game of the season.

Gordon, with 9 goals from the field to his credit, was the shining star for Troop 15, while Schaefner player a pretty good game at guard.

LONDON VIEWS IRISH DISORDER WITH ANXIETY

Michael Collins Charges Riots Are Outgrowth of Plot to Destroy Provisional Government.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The Irish situation since the raids over the Ulster borders, has steadily become worse and is gravely viewed in London's official circles. Winston Spencer Churchill, secretary for the colonies, declared in the house of commons this afternoon that the shooting of the Ulster special constable in Clones has greatly aggravated the situation.

The Evening Standard asserts that Ireland is on the brink of civil war and quotes a member of the government as saying that while the government hesitates to do anything which the Sinn Feiners could interpret as provocative, swift military preparations have already been made to prevent an armed invasion of Fermanagh and Tyrone. Much significance is attached to the suspension today of the evacuation of the British troops from southern Irish ports. The Irish office explains that the suspension was ordered pending a decision regarding the extent of reinforcements to be sent to Ulster. Sir James Craig, Ulster premier, announced tonight that the Ulster garrison of British troops was to be increased from ten to fourteen battalions.

The week-end rioting in Belfast was continued today. The death roll from Saturday being about twelve killed and 20 or more wounded. The curfew was reimposed tonight.

The gunmen have kept well under cover, and the police and soldiers are having difficulty in locating them.

Sir James Craig telegraphed the British government tonight asking what action "other than despatching messages to Dublin" the government [illegible] taken to secure the return of the kidnaped loyalists.

Michael Collins, head of the provisional government, in a message to the American Association for the recognition of the Irish Republic, charges that a coup d'etat is being planned against the provisional government and warns the association against assisting in any attempt to destroy the new government.

Mr. Collins informed the association that the alternative to the treaty is renewal of warfare and declared that the provisional government wanted the people themselves to decide the issue. In conformity with the decision to release Irish political prisoners in England, the government liberated seventeen this afternoon; others are expected shortly.

Disorders in southern Ireland also continued. Two daring bank robberies occurred at Sligo. Eight men held up the Bank of Ireland and escaped with about 7000 pounds sterling. About the same time the Provincial bank was raided and robbed of 3000 pounds sterling.

INTERNATIONAL LOOP REJECTS DRAFT OFFER

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The international league of baseball clubs today adopted a resolution rejecting reinstitution of the draft even at the increased selection price of $7500, as suggested by Judge Kenesaw M. Landis, commissioner of baseball.

The action of the international league was similar to that taken recently by the Pacific coast league and the American association, other class AA circuits.

Adoption of the 1922 schedule was postponed until tomorrow but President J. C. Toole announced that the league would open its season in April.

WILSON TO SPEAK FOR BOYS' CLUB

Judge H. R. Wilson will speak tonight at the meeting of the Avoleh club to be held at the Episcopal parish house. Judge Wilson will speak on a subject in connection with the activities of the club.

A boxing match will be another feature of the meeting. A large attendance at the meeting is desired.

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"WE KEPT OUR SKIRTS CLEAN"

BY "NICK" CARTER

Kenesaw Mountain Landis, baseball commissioner, has imposed fines of $300 and $500 on the Fort Worth club for two deals pulled off last season in violation of the rules of organized baseball. I discussed the deals and the action of Judge Landis with a Fort Worth fan a few days ago, and was astonished to discover that in Fort Worth no stigma attaches at all to the management of the Cats; that there is no hanging of heads; no one is ashamed of what the Fort Worth management did—on the contrary, the supporters of the club could not be prouded of the management had every man connected with the club received a Distinguished Service medal.

The outfields of the Fort Worth and Wichita Falls clubs were crippled last season at a time when the pennant race was a neck-and-neck sprint down the stretch. Soon afterwards Fort Worth bobbed up with the hard-hitting Bill Stellbauer in the outfield; got him from Nashville in the Southern Association, it was reported. Fans in Wichita Falls rode Manager Stellbauer hard: "If Fort Worth can get a great outfielder like Bill Stellbauer," they asked, "why can't Salm find a good man for us?" Time dragged wearily on, and the pennant was practically lost before Salm succeeded in getting Red Josefson to leave Pennsylvania and join the Spudders—and even Red isn't as valuable a man as Stellbauer by considerable. The fans bawled Salm out some more.

Now, in February, months after the Fort Worth club has received all its congratulations for winning the 1921 Texas League championship, Judge Landis exposes the underground route whereby Fort Worth obtained Stellbauer by violating the waiver rights of all Southern Association clubs— and the commissioner plasters fines on Fort Worth, Houston, Nashville, the St. Louis Nationals and Detroit Americans. Wouldn't you think that the Fort Worth fans would be a little ashamed of the deal? A little regretful that money and baseball politics had to be brought into play, and the rules of baseball violated, in order to cinch a pennant. But the fans in Fort Worth don't feel that way about it; not if the several score of fans with whom my informant talked represent the feelings of the majority of Panther boosters. No, they pound one another on the back, laugh uproarously and call Paul La Grave an "old fox." Perhaps they're doing Paul an injustice; perhaps he had nothing to do with the deal—but at any rate he's receiving credit for engineering the violation that brought Bill Stellbauer to the Cats when the club was in desperate need of his big bat.

"What of it anyway?" said the Fort Worth fan to me. "I admit it was a violation of the rules, but what of it? The two violations were worth the $800 in fines that they cost Fort Worth, and wouldn't any baseball manager put over the same stuff if he could get away with it?"

Say, I'd hate to think that in either amateur or professional athletics the manager of any kind of team would put over a violation of any rule "if he could get away with it." I'd hate to reach that point where I had lost my belief in the general cleanliness of American athletics, and in the good sportsmanship of the American public. That's my attitude, if anyone cares a hoot to hear it—and if no one does, I'll just go on record with it, anyway.

I mentioned the matter to R. O. Harvey, president of the Wichita Falls Baseball association, who did more than any other one individual to bring a Texas league franchise to this city. R. O. merely smiled that slow smile of his, and remarked:

"Well, you can tell 'em we didn't win any pennant, but we kept our skirts clean." The local baseball association had the money to spend last season. Manager Salm might have applied a little "grease" in the proper places and by so doing might have strengthened the Spudders considerably—but had he done so, and had the Spudders won the flag in the second half of the split season; well, wouldn't YOU hate like the devil here in February to read an Associated Press report stating that the Wichita Falls club had been fined $800 for shooting dirty pool in the heat of the pennant fight last August?

Down in Fort Worth, the sport scribes called us the "Splitting Spudders;" they accused Walter Salm of all responsibility for the split season. It wasn't a fair accusation to make, to start with, for one man can't wield that much power in an eight-club league. But for the sake of argument, let's grant that Salm split the season. Charge that against him, if you will, but you can't say that Walter became so pennant greedy, he smashed the rules of organized baseball that Texas league fans might later point to him as the boss of a championship Class A ball club.

I called 'em last season the "Sluggin' Spudders" and that's what they were. They played the game on the level; they slugged the old apple for every run they could gather; they fought every inch of the way; they used the players they were entitled to use, and no others; they lost out, and I'm proud of 'em.

"WE KEPT OUR SKIRTS CLEAN."

"DIP" YIELDS HIS FREEDOM FOR MODESTY

NEW YORK, Feb. 13. — Miss Marguerite Daly, of Edgewater, N. J., a tall, slender, athletic young woman, cashier in a restaurant, decided to have her fortune told.

In front of her was a machine wherein one may drop a penny in a slot and receive a piece of pasteboard upon which is printed "the man you will marry will have gray eyes and curly black hair and be kind and true, and he will have money."

This desire of Miss Daly to have her fortune told started things right then. She reached into her coat pocket for her purse and, instead, found the hand of a man. She grabbed the hand and swung around. The man wrenched loose and Miss Daly grabbed the belt that is used to hold up the trousers of the male of the species.

The man gave a tug and the belt gave away. Leaving it in Miss Daly's hands, the man bolted while she screamed. He tossed the pocketbook away, which she recovered, and, with both hands holding up his trousers, started on the run for safety.

Charles H. Brown, patrolman, of the Mercer Street station, not 50 feet away, went after the fugitive. But even with the handicap of a beltless pair of trousers the fellow was distancing Brown. Brown fired a shot in the air and the fugitive stopped in his tracks. When Brown reached him he was all hunched, and while he held up his trousers Brown held him by the back of the neck and took him to a police station.

The fugitive said he lived in Brooklyn. In his pockets police say they found four pocketbooks. Feld said all the pocketbooks belonged to him and insisted he never had been arrested before. Miss Daly's purse contained a dollar.

Ivy bushes used to be hung over the doors of taverns as signboards, because the plant was sacred to Bacchus, the Roman god of wine.

There are in Canada 698,368 farms according to latest returns of the bureau of agricultural statistics.

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American Legion Committee Protests Proposed Erection Of $10,000,000 Memorial Hall

(By International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Despite vehement protests from the national legislative committee of the American Legion, which contends that the money should be used to pay ex-service men a bonus, the George Washington Memorial association is proceeding with its plans for the erection of an imposing edifice here as a memorial to American veterans of the World War.

The building will be constructed at a cost of $10,000,000 and, when completed, it will be of the most pretentious, spacious and architecturally beautiful structures in the world. The memorial, according to present plans, will be made the center of American and world activity, and it will be daily devoted to partiotic utilities and to national and international conventions and usages.

The national capital's long-felt want for a public meeting place of ample size will be realized when the majestic memorial is constructed, for the central feature of the edifice will be a national auditorium of spacious dimensions that will be completely canopied by an acoustical dome three times the diameter of the dome of St. Peter's. This huge auditorium will consist of a main floor of 38,500 square feet and a gallery of 10,000 square feet and will seat seven thousand people. In this gigantic room will be held all future inaugural receptions, national and international conventions and conferences, concerts, public ceremonies and celebrations.

Would Be Meeting Place.

A number of small halls, which will be used for the smaller meetings of the various military, patriotic, scientific, educational and like gatherings, will be grouped about the main auditorium.

On the ground floor, flanking the main auditorium, will be rooms set aside as museums for the archives and relics of the great struggles for liberty in which this country has engaged.

The second floor of the structure will contain a great banquet hall, where banquets attendant upon meetings or occasions of national importance may be held in surroundings of fitting dignity, and rooms for the permanent national headquarters and other patriotic organizations.

A spacious room for the exclusive use of each of the states of the union and of the outlying territories under the jurisdiction of the United States will be on the third floor.

Additional offices for the use of various societies whose objects are to promote the welfare of the United States will be located on the fourth floor.

In Heart of Capital.

The building will occupy a prominent site on the Mall, in the heart of the nation's capital. After completion it will be under the control and administration of the board of regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

Congress has authorized the George Washington Memomial association to raise the money with which to erect this Memorial building, and nearly a million dollars has already been received by popular subscription for this monument to American men and women.

President Harding laid the cornerstone of the National Victory Memorial building as the building will be known, several months ago.

"What the Pantheon is to France, Westminster Abbey to Britain, such in some degree and manner the National Victory Memorial will be to America, the George Washington Memorial association asserts. "Greatly conceived, nationally erected, dedicated to patriotism, it will stand through the generations as the national monument raised in the awful presence of the world's greatest political convulsion to commemorate the victorious feats of American democracy in arms. Hallowed by the passage of time, stored with the pictures and statuary that will record the achievements of the Republic and its conspicuous sons from age to age, it will become the Mecca of American patriotism and an inexhaustible source of stimulation to national duty and service."

PAT CARRIGAN POST ELECTION HELD TONIGHT

Two Tickets In Field to Fill Offices for Coming Year; Other Nominations Expected Tonight.

Members of the Pat Carrigan post, American Legion, will hold their annual election of officers at the Legion hall at 7:30 tonight. Two tickets have been placed in the field, with indications for additional nominations for the various places. Dr. John H. Fletcher and Dr. O. W. Wilson head the two tickets for post commander. Both tickets are agreed on Dr. I. Lucey and H. E. Taylor for post adjutant and post finance officer, the two secretarial positions.

Rapid payment of dues for the coming year is reported as the result of the keen interest taken in the election, only members with their 1922 dues of $3.50 paid up being eligible to take part in the election.

MARINES AFTER MEN ONCE MORE

The Marine corps, after an interval of several months, is again enlisting men between the service ages—20 to 35. Former army or navy men of these or greater ages are being sought for enlistment.

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EUROPE VIEWS U. S. SENATE AS WORLD 'BOGEY'

Old World Statesmen Apparently Cannot Forget American Rejection of League of Nations.

By DAVID M. CHURCH.
(By International News Service)

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The poor old United States senate, battered and buffeted about by the American public, stands out in Europe as the sinister "bogey men" of old world statesmen.

Fresh from the United States, where the dignified senate is not always regarded with the greatest of reverence, one finds himself confronted in Europe with an entirely different view of this "greatest deliberative body in the world."

In Europe the United States senate is looked upon as the barrier to many of the hopes of the European statesmen.

Apparently Europe cannot forget the league of nations debacle, when the statesmen of the Old World thought they had succeeded in concocting a diplomatic pill for the international malady of "too much war," only to find that an unconsulted member of the international association of doctors threw the "pill" out of the window.

Europe Is Not Hopeful.

Europe doesn't place much faith in future aid from the United States, according to the general impression one gets in political and diplomatic circles. There is no lack of faith in American leaders, but there is a decided disposition to include to the belief that the United States senate is prepared to block any more initiated for European relief which calls for American participation.

Europe and the European press pay attention to the United States senate, and the statements of senators, speeches in the senate, which are passed by American newspapers as simply "more oratory" get prominence in the European press, and statesmen shake their heads woefully over speeches that are regarded in the United States as the sort of talk which is expected from senators and forgiven.

Great Britain isn't wildly enthusiastic about the results of the Armament conference in Washington. Part of this may be charged up to the well-advertised restraint of the British, but in general it is due to the fact that in Europe they don't figure anything accomplished in the United States until the senate has consented.

Calls Senate "Perverse."

Great Britain and the rest of Europe want the United States playing on their side, but they will never feel sure of the position of the American government in the future, for they have dire fears of the senate and credit it with being the most perverse organization in parliamentary history.

There are senators who storm and rage beneath the great white dome of the capitol and get not a ripple of attention from the American public, yet they would swell with pride if they but knew the attention Europe gives their oratory.

President Harding may feel that he has the senate all lined up, but he will have hard work convincing European statesmen that the ninety-six men who sit on either side of the "Cherokee Strip" are not 'international bogey men."

FORD WILL NOT MODIFY OFFER ASSERTS AGENT

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13.—Efforts of house military committeemen to exact a pledge for the manufacture of fertilizers during the 100 year life of the proposed contract by Henry Ford, for purchase and lease of the government's properties at Muscle Shoals, Alabama, failed today. W. B. Mayo, as the personal representative of Mr. Ford declared the Detroit manufacturer was not willing to modify his offer in any of its existing provisions unless it was to clarify language only.

Committeemen also failed in their attempts during examination of Major J. H. Burns, chief of the ammunition division of the army's ordnance department to adjust differences of opinion between ordnance and judge advocate general's department officers with regard to the Warrior power plan. Major Burns insisted that the government was obligated to sell that property to the Alabama power company or remove it from their grounds. He declared it could not be sold to Mr. Ford as a part of the Muscle Shoals project unless the government violated a contract with the company. Previously officers of the judge advocate general's department had said the contract was non-enforcebale.

Statements by Major Burns that the Warrior plant was not essential to the Ford plan were countered later by Mr. Mayo who declared the power developed there was needed and Mr. Ford would demand a clear title to that unit. This situation was regarded by committeemen as interposing a difficult obstruction to be overcome before they could return the Ford plan to the house for disposition.

While the committee worked on the Ford offer at the capitol, Secretary weeks continued study of the war department of other Muscle Shoals offers. He notified Frederick Engstrum of Wilmington, North Carolina, that he would give him a hearing Wednesday morning after which he would submit his offer to congress.

"DRUNKEN DADDY" SAYS HIS EXAMPLE EFFECTIVE

(By International News Service)

ATTLEBORO, Mass., Feb. 13.—When asked by Judge Haggerty, in the district court, what kind of an example he thought he was to his family of four children, Francis McCarthy of North Attleboro, answering to a charge of drunkenness for the sixteenth time, replied that he considered himself a "good example."

He claimed that, inasmuch as he had a long record and that not one of his sons was a drunkard, he thought he provided an example of the "curse of drink." McCarthy declared that his sons had grown up to be total abstainers.

GOLF KEEPING JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER FIT IN HIS WINTER HOME IN FLORIDA

Despite persistent reports that he has been very ill, John D. Rockefeller is hale and hearty. Mr. Rockefeller, who will be 83 years old in July, has been enjoying life at his winter home at Ormand, Fla. He has been keeping himself physically fit by playing golf. That game has been his hobby for years. He playes eight holes every afternoon and his automobile meets him at the eighth hole to take him home. The large philanthropist at the finish of one of his drives and the inserted photograph gives proof of his good health.

PERSHING AND COOLIDGE PAY TRIBUTES TO LINCOLN IN BEHALF OF THE NATION

By Associated Press

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 13 — Vice President Calvin Coolidge and General John J. Pershing, in behalf of the American nation, honored the memory of Abraham Lincoln here today.

Through crowds which lined the streets where Lincoln often walked, the two distinguished Americans passed to visit the old homestead where Lincoln lived and worked before he went to Washington to lead the nation through the trying days of civil war.

With solemn dignity they placed a wreath upon the tomb where the body of the martyred president lies in Oakridge cemetery.

To a crowd which packed the state arsenal tonight General Pershing and the vice presiden spoke the nation's tribute to the man whose birthday anniversary America honored today. The prinicples of right and justice proclaimed by Abraham Lincoln and for which he died were the inspiration of the American armies that fought in the world war, General John J. Pershing said in his address paying tribute to the great emancipator.

"Indeed," General Pershing said, Lincoln's lips have become the living hope of oppressed humanity of every clime.

Few men, of whatever origin or lineage, have ever made a more profound impression upon the civilization of their time than Abraham Lincoln. The memory of his devotion to the well being of his fellow men and to the welfare of his country will live as long as men believe in liberty."

General Pershing lauded in particular Lincoln's perseverance in obtaining an education in his youth. He also praised Lincoln's pride in his physical prowess, stating that the attributes of justice and fair play that characterized his later life were thus developed. Reviewing his career as a lawyer General Pershing said that his sympathy, his sense of justice and right won many a case for an unfortunate client where others would have lost.

"Slavery and slave labor were abhorrent to Lincoln," the speaker said. "His whole career from barefooted boy on the frontier to the highest office in the land is an outstanding illustration of the very lucid analysis he made of that question. In these days of conflict between capital and labor, the wisdom of Lincoln, whose guide was a sense of justice and the good of the people as a whole, may well be invoked.

"As the leader of the nation in the dark days of war that threatened to destroy us, Lincoln had always a sublime confidence in the triumph of right. Though saddened by disaster, he was never dismayed. Unshaken by scorn and disloyalty, he moved steadfastly toward the goal.

"The ordinary course of his life ran in much the same channels as that of numerous other native Americans. So whether we consider him as an earnest youth, lawyer, a legislator, a strategist, a patriot or a statesmtan, it is all so wondrous that we still ask ourselves the source of his wisdom and power. To this I believe there is but one answer—God and God alone."

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 13.—Demand for all classes of cattle was unusually good today and 1,700 head was disposed of at steady prices. Choice light steers brought 7.00, good to choice yearlings 7.00 and 7.25, and desirable cows ranged up to 5.00. Only 500 calves were here, the market being active and strong to 25c higher.

Hogs—Receipts 300 head. Prices declined 10 to 15c. Good hogs brought 9.10. Most sales 8.50 to 9.00. Pigs unchanged.

Sheep steady. Mexican ewes went at 6.75 and lambs brought 11.00. Receipts 2,500 head. Quote:

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Hogs—Light 9.00@9.10; medium 8.75@9.00; mixed 8.00@8.75; common 7.00@8.00; heavy 8.75@9.00; rough 5.50@7.50; pigs 5.00@7.00.

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THEATRICAL PRODUCER AND REFORMER-PASTOR ENGAGE IN WARM VERBAL BATTLE

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The Calvary Baptist church yesterday became the scene of an uproar when William A. Brady, theatrical producer, in seething phrases, took issue with Dr. John Roach Straton, its reformer-preacher, on the resolution that the modern stage is a menace to public morals. For three and a half hours the rhetorical battle raged hot as tides of enthusiasm rolled back and forth among the congregation, which now hung with approbation on the words of Dr. Straton and again rose to its feet to shout approval of Mr. Brady's defense of his profession.

Throwing to the winds considerations of the day, the place and most of the rules of parliamentary procedure—though the discussion had been announced in advance as a formal debate, with William H. Anderson, state anti-saloon leader, as chairman, and judge, the speakers successively shouted their convictions from the pulpit. They interrupted each other at the pinnacles of oratorical heights and were interrupted and momentarily silenced by scores of their hearers who again and again leaped the fray.

When the meeting began it appeared that the meeting was to be one-sided. A call for Mr. Brady failed to bring a response and Mr. Anderson introduced the minister, who launched into his attack on the proposition:

"Resolved, that conditions and tendencies on the American stage are a menace to sound private and public morality."

He had spoken for some time when Mr. Brady rose in the center of the church, asking permission to reply.

"I'm not here to engage in an argument," he began, but an insistent shout arose demanding that he take the platform.

"I will," he replied, mounting the pulpit.

Then he began by saying he thought a Sunday church service was not the correct place for threshing out their differences, but added that he could not permit all of the minister's statements to go unchallenged.

"I do not come to this church of God to defend the black sheep," he said. "I come to defend the decent men and women of the profession." Applause greeted this start.

"Thou shall not slander they neighbor," he continued, turning toward Dr. Straton. He said the minister was unfair in singling out the theatrical profession from so many others to attack.

"I can cite you more crimes, murders, and degeneracies perpetrated by ministers of the gospel than by all the theatrical profession," he went on. "I can prove to you there have been more murders committed by ministers and there are more ministers in jail than stage people. I have court records to prove it."

Here the congregation rose to its feet, the shouts of its members indicating decided convictions. Both speakers begged for quiet.

When he could make himself heard again Mr. Brady pleaded for "a square deal for the stage."

When Mr. Brady ceased speaking Dr. Straton again resumed his indictment and in turn his latest statements were answered by the theatrical producer.

The meeting ended only when Dr. Straton, who said he would like to stay "until morning," explained that the church must be cleared for regular evening services.

Mr. Anderson in announcing the conditions of the debate, said:

"We shall take a collection, not for decrepit sensational preachers, to quote Mr. Brady, but for the home for aged actors."

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 13.—Cattle—Receipts 14,000; beef steers steady to strong; top 7.55; others bid 7.55@7.75; she stock steady to 15c higher; best cows 5.00@5.50; heifers 5.00@6.00; calves steady to 25c higher; best vealers 9.00@9.50; stockers and feeders steady to 15c higher; choice feeders 7.00@7.20; good stockers 6.50@6.65; good canners around 2.75; cutters 2.50@3.75; bulls generally 3.75@4.25.

Hogs — Receipts 15,000; fairly active; 10c to 15c lower; bulk best lights 9.50@9.60; top 9.65; bulk of sales 8.75@9.55; packer top 9.55; packer sows and pigs mostly steady.

Sheep—Receipts 7,000; sheep and feeding lambs steady; light ewes 7.00@7.25; fat lambs steady to strong; best Colorados 14.00.

PITTSBURGH IS SEEKING GRAND OPERA SINGERS

(By International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 13 — Several social and financial leaders of this city are planning a circuit league in grand opera.

Pittsburgh is grand opera mad. The best theatrical attraction each year, from a box office standpoint, is the week of grand opera put on by a New York company. Every performance draws a packed house. Last year Mary Garden and her troupers from Chicago played a week's engagement to tremendous audiences. No theatre in the city was big enough. The Shriners' Mosque was hired, and every performance saw a capacity house.

The smartest of the smart set here are planning and organizing a grand opera company for Pittsburgh. Andreas Dippel, former administrative member of the Metropolitan opera company of New York, is supplying the technical experience, and the smart set members are planning to supply the money.

May Raid Old Companies

The United States grand opera company, as the local company will be known, hopes to get singers from the Metropolitan and Chicago companies. If Mary Garden quits in Chicago the Pittsburgh company would take her. If Ross Ponselle doesn't like the way they act at the Metropolitan, then she can come here. The Pittsburgh company at present is open to all singers singing better than .400 on a baseball batting average basis. There's to be an opera training school here to develop singers.

It is planned to begin the season the middle of October, 1922. The season will last twenty weeks, during which 120 performance are planned at the rate of six a week. These performances will be divided as follows: Pittsburgh, 10; Cincinnati, 10; Cleveland 10; Detroit, 10; Toronto, Can., 10; Louisville, 5; Youngstown, O., 5; Indianapolis, 5; Wheeling, W. Va., 5; Columbus, O., 5, and Toledo, O., 5. The remaining forty performances will be allotted in series of two or three performances to cities located within the radius of the tour, which will include the States of Ohio, Michigan, Indiana and Ontario, Canada, and also a few cities like Erie, Pa., and Buffalo, N. Y.

Farrar Is Mentioned

Already some of the foremost singers in this country have been mentioned as possibly becoming members of the Pittsburgh company, but they have not signed yet. Geraldine Farrar has been cast for the role of leading woman singer, if you would believe the current newspaper dope, but no one has yet seen any contract with Geraldine's signature on it.

There are many high-grade choral societies in Pittsburgh, and the best talent in these societies will make up the choruses.

Such well known figures in local society as Mrs. George H. Wilson, Mrs. Ralph Flinn, Mrs. Taylor Alierdice, Mrs. Louis Affelder, Mrs. Lawrence Litchfield, Mrs. J. S. Martin, Miss Myrtle McAteer, Mrs. Austin Nichola, Mrs. Gertrude M. Rohrer, Mrs. Nathaniel Speer and Mrs. J. O. Wallace are behind the opera organization.

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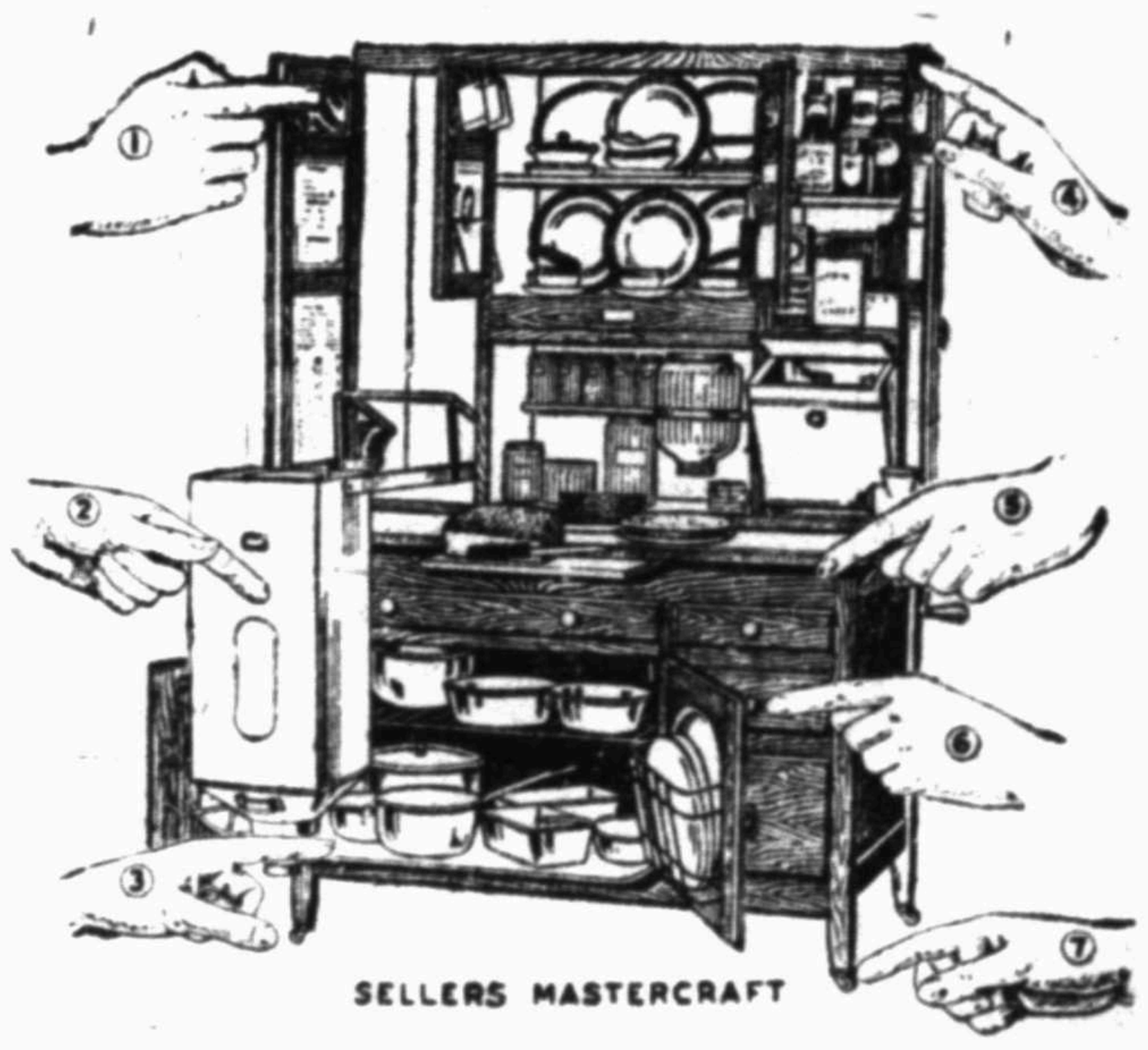
You, today and for a limited time only, can have your choice of any style Sellers in our stock for one dollar down.

You have the use of your Sellers and your money at the same time. Payments are so easy you never feel them.

Here is, without question, the greatest opportunity sale that has ever been offered to the women of Wichita Falls.



SELLERS MASTERCRAFT

No. 1—Oil Hand-rubbed Finish. Costs us $9,750 extra, annually.

No. 2—Automatic Lowering Flour Bin Costs us $52,000 extra, annually.

No. 3—Automatic Base Shelf Extender. Costs us $9,000 extra, annually.

No. 4—Dovetail Construction. As used in all high grade furniture. Costs us $7,500 extra, annually.

No. 5—Dust-proof Base Top underneath the Porceliron Work Table. Costs us $14,250 extra, annually.

No. 6—Glass Knobs. Cost us $2,250 extra, annually.

No. 7—Ant-proof Casters. Cost us $10,000 extra, annually.

Special Demonstration

We are holding a special demonstration of Sellers Kitchen Cabinets and their amazing features, so that every woman will realize what a history-making sale this is.

When you have seen this demonstration you will wonder how you ever managed to run your kitchen without a Sellers. You will think of the thousands upon thousands of unnecessary steps you have taken walking back and forth across your kitchen. You will resolve from that minute to run your kitchen on the Sellers scientific basis.

Think of it—**one dollar** installs this new plan in your household.

SELLERS

Kitchen Cabinets

"The Best Servant in Your House"

Wonderful New Improvements Now Added to the "15 Famous Features"

To the "15 Famous Features" which established Sellers' unquestioned leadership, have now been added striking improvements already widely imitated.

A new Double Base Shelf Extender now brings all pots and pans forward when lower door is open. No stooping or reaching.

FREE—With every Sellers Cabinet purchased during this sale we will give free, one complete set of aluminum ware as shown in above cut.

Remember, this great sale lasts for a limited period only. One dollar down is all that is required to put **your own genuine Sellers** in your kitchen now.

North Texas Furniture Co

COMPLETE HOME FURNISHERS

Record News Readers: Laugh With Us

Some Chest-Nuts

Theodore Cooke was proud of his library.

"Yes," he explained to one of his friends, as he showed him into the large room, "I take great pride in my books. When ever I find one of them with a torn leaf I put it through a legal process."

"What legal, process?" the visitor asked.

"I have it bound over to keep the piece!"

An eager-looking youngster approached a man hurrying in the direction of the railway station. "Carry your bag, sir?" he asked.

"No," snapped the man.

"I'll carry it all the way for a nickel."

"I tell you I don't want it carried!" snarled the man.

Whereupon the lad broke into a quick trot to keep up with his victim's hasty strides, as he asked, in innocent curiosity: "Then why are you carrying it?"

An amateur mountain climber, relating his experience in the Rockies, said: "Goin' up you can mighty nigh stand up straight and bite the ground; goin' down a man wants hobnails on the seat of his trousers."

The prisoner came before the bar with the bored air of the hardened offender. The judge looked down at him and paused for words. His face wore a look of disgust. "Jacks, this is the nineteenth time you have appeared here to answer to a charge of petty larceny. You're absolutely hopeless, and I don't see what I am going to do with you. Have you anything to say for yourself?"

"Yes, sir, judge," the prisoner hastened to reply. "You see ,it was this way; I——"

"It's no use!" the judge interrupted. "It doesn't make any difference how you want to tell it. I wouldn't believe your statement if you swore to it on a stack of Bibles." There was a moment's awed silence. Then the prisoner smiled craftily. "Judge," he stated, "I plead guilty."

"Who became prime minister of England after being a little local solicitor in Wales?" asked the inspector at the college.

"Lloyd George," said the young student.

"Correct!" the inspector made answer. "And who became prime minister after he had won his first seat at East Fife?"

"H. H. Asquith," answered the student.

"Correct again!" replied the interlocutor. "And now tell me, Bertram Banks, what's to prevent you from becoming prime minister?"

Bertram thought for a moment and then exclaimed:

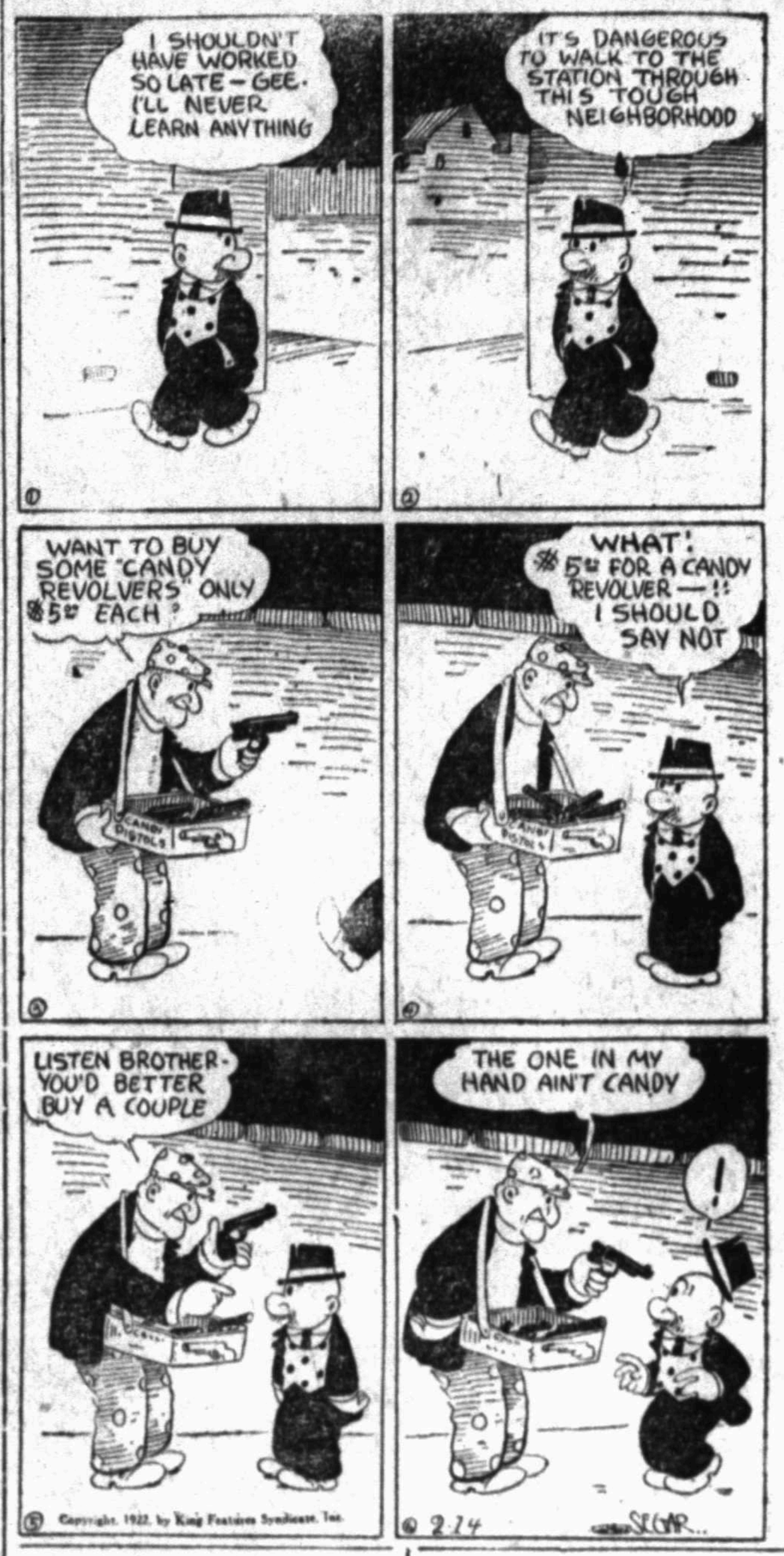
"I've got a good job now."

POLICE FAIL TO UNCOVER ROBBERY CLUE

Detectives assigned to the case failed yesterday to uncover any clues of value in connection with the theft of clothing and jewelry from the home of O. L. Rahle, of 2014 Elizabeth street, Sunday night.

THE 5:15

—By Segar


I SHOULDN'T HAVE WORKED SO LATE—GEE. I'LL NEVER LEARN ANYTHING
IT'S DANGEROUS TO WALK TO THE STATION THROUGH THIS TOUGH NEIGHBORHOOD
WANT TO BUY SOME "CANDY REVOLVERS" ONLY $5⁰⁰ EACH?
CANDY PISTOLS
WHAT! $5⁰⁰ FOR A CANDY REVOLVER—!! I SHOULD SAY NOT
LISTEN BROTHER—YOU'D BETTER BUY A COUPLE
THE ONE IN MY HAND AIN'T CANDY
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SEGAR

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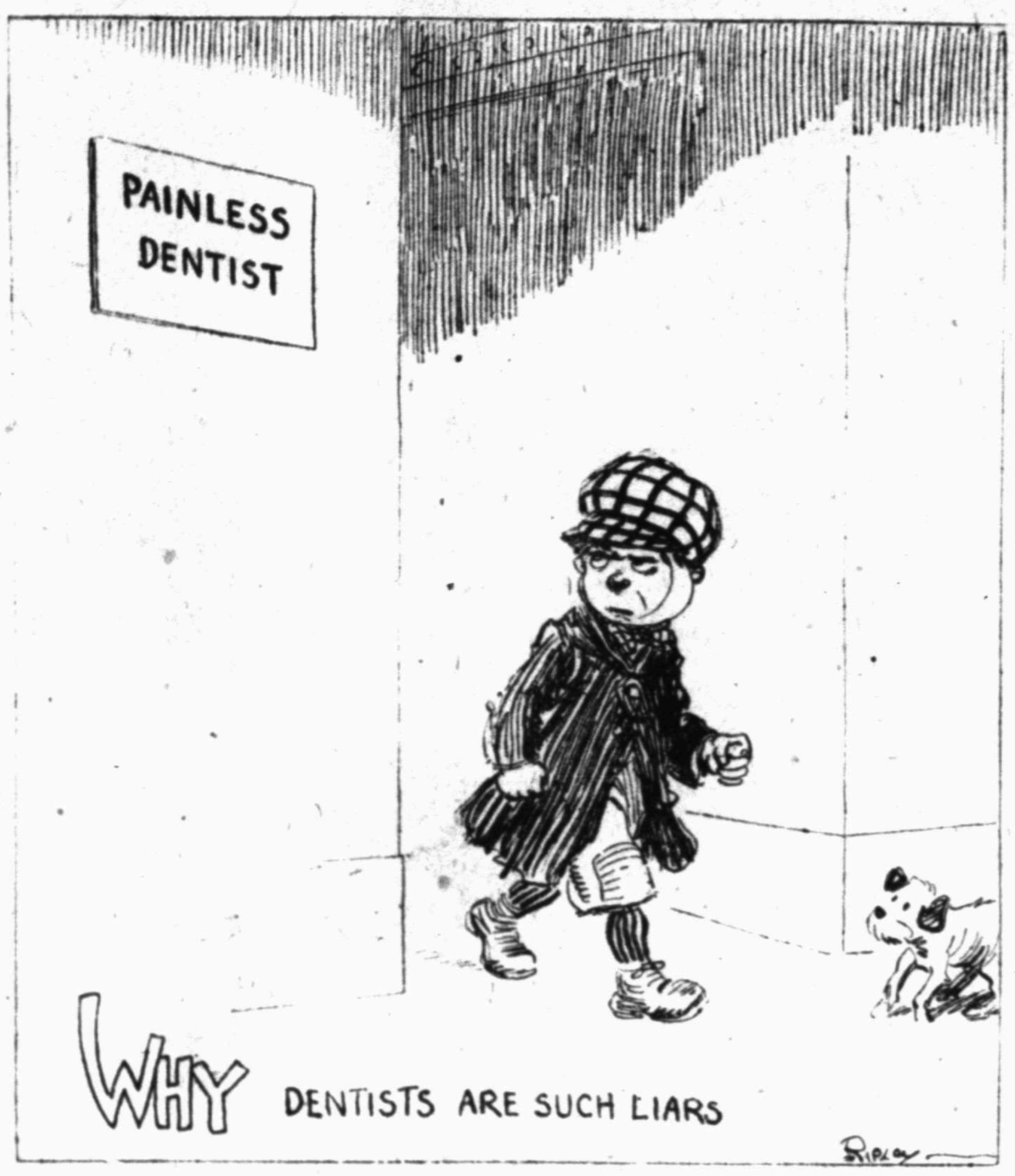
DON'T ASK ME.

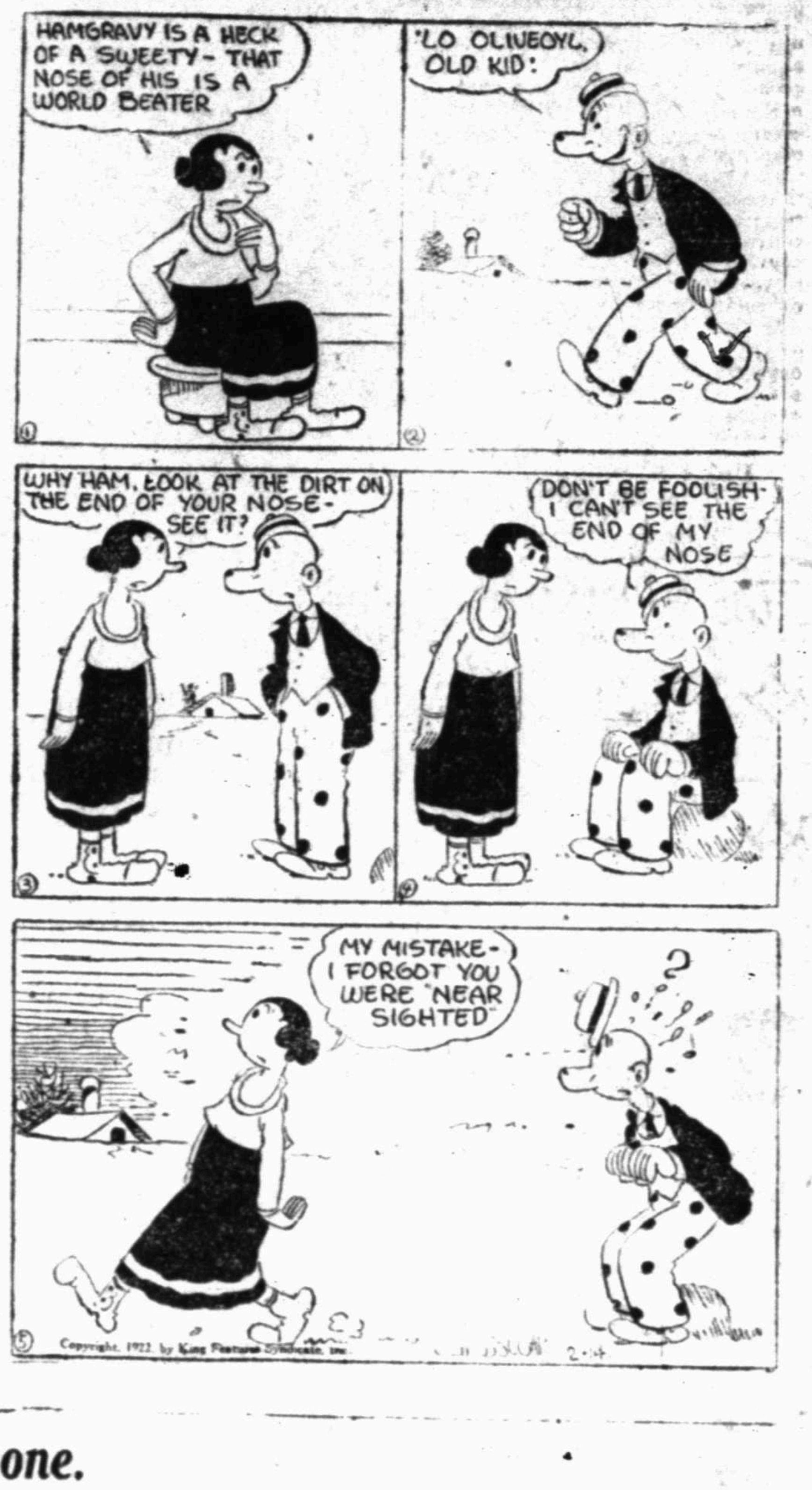
By Ripley


PAINLESS DENTIST
WHY DENTISTS ARE SUCH LIARS
RIPLEY

THIMBLE THEATER

—By Segar

NOW SHOWING—"FAR, FAR AWAY."
Tomorrow—"Marooned."


HAMGRAVY IS A HECK OF A SWEETY—THAT NOSE OF HIS IS A WORLD BEATER
'LO OLIVEOYL, OLD KID!
WHY HAM, LOOK AT THE DIRT ON THE END OF YOUR NOSE—SEE IT?
DON'T BE FOOLISH—I CAN'T SEE THE END OF MY NOSE
MY MISTAKE—I FORGOT YOU WERE "NEAR SIGHTED"
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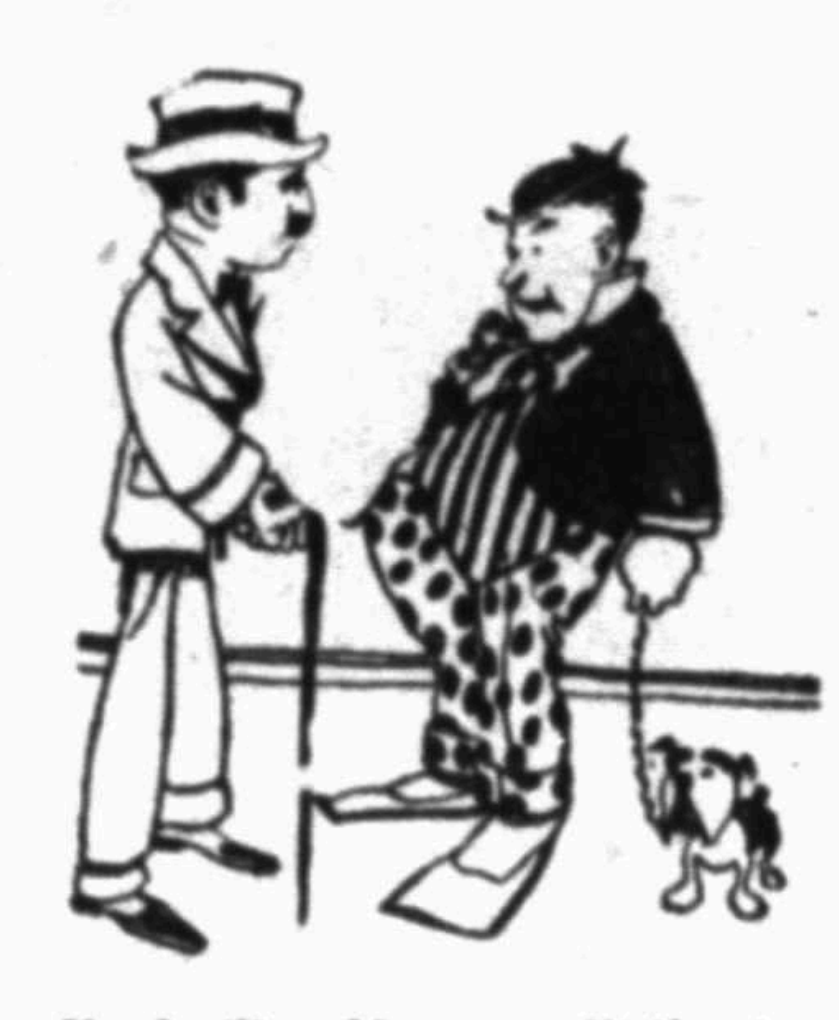
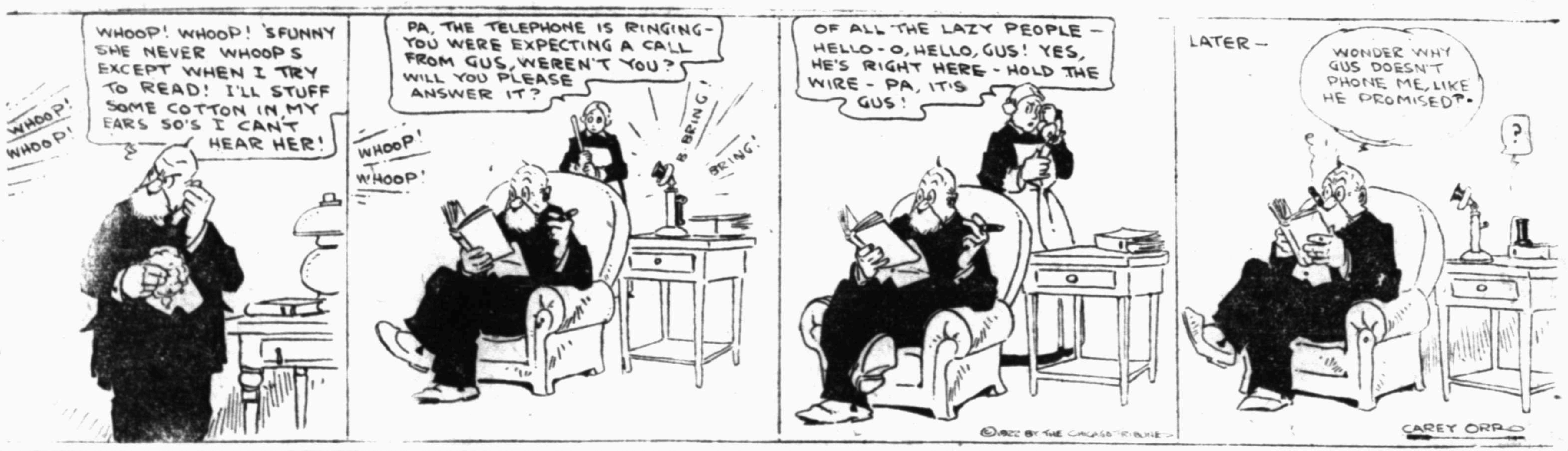


Vaudeville Manager—Well, have you any good jokes this season?

Comedian—Yes, sir! I have jokes used by all leading vaudiville actors.

KERNEL COOTIE—Gus Won't Wait Forever on the Phone.


WHOOP! WHOOP!
WHOOP! WHOOP! 'SFUNNY SHE NEVER WHOOPS EXCEPT WHEN I TRY TO READ! I'LL STUFF SOME COTTON IN MY EARS SO'S I CAN'T HEAR HER!
WHOOP! WHOOP!
PA, THE TELEPHONE IS RINGING—YOU WERE EXPECTING A CALL FROM GUS, WEREN'T YOU? WILL YOU PLEASE ANSWER IT?
B-BRING!
BRING!
OF ALL THE LAZY PEOPLE—HELLO-O, HELLO, GUS! YES, HE'S RIGHT HERE—HOLD THE WIRE—PA, IT'S GUS!
LATER—
WONDER WHY GUS DOESN'T PHONE ME, LIKE HE PROMISED?
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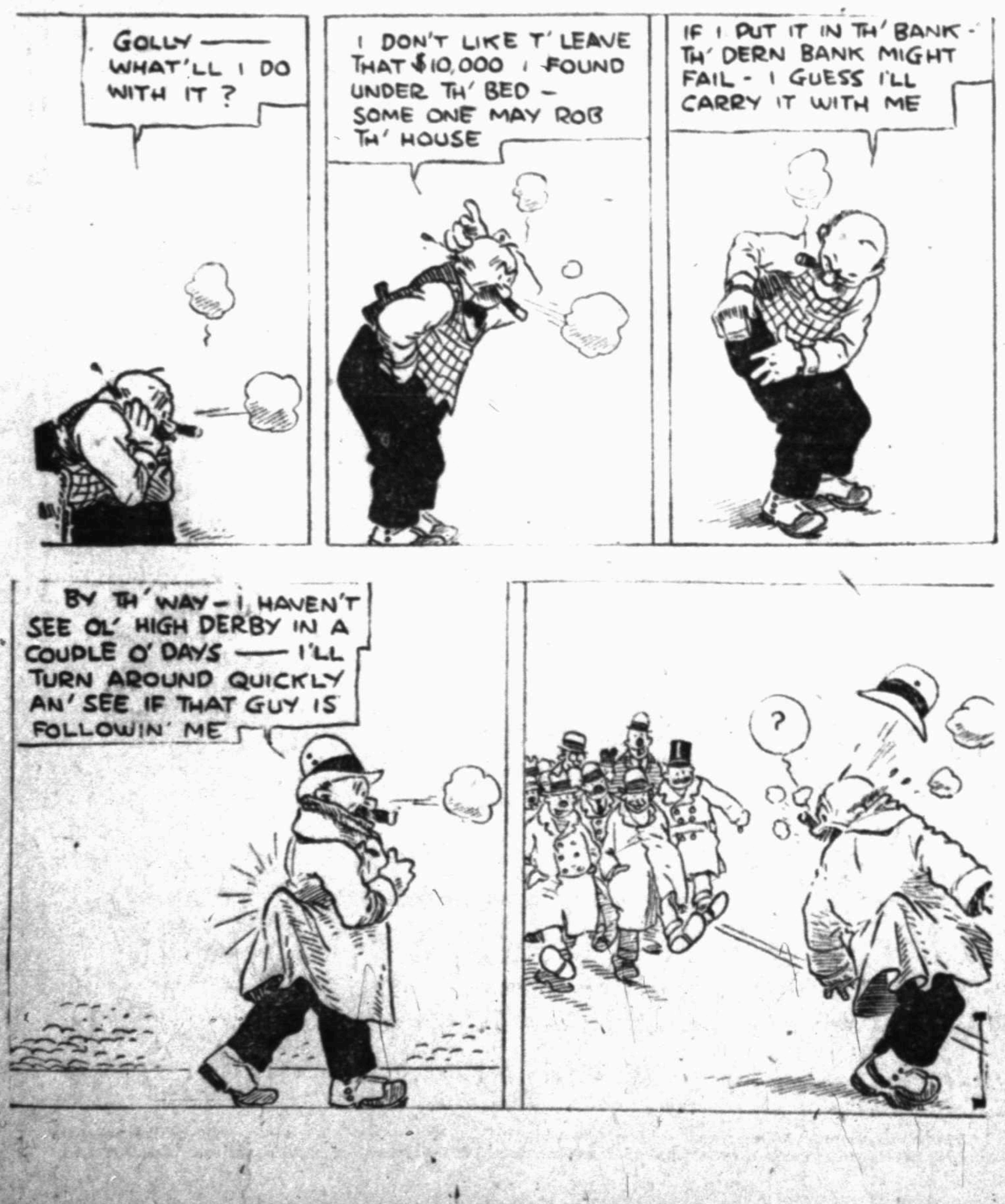
—By Leo

And It Wasn't the Money They Were After.


GOLLY—WHAT'LL I DO WITH IT?
I DON'T LIKE T' LEAVE THAT $10,000 I FOUND UNDER TH' BED—SOME ONE MAY ROB TH' HOUSE
IF I PUT IT IN TH' BANK—TH' DERN BANK MIGHT FAIL—I GUESS I'LL CARRY IT WITH ME
BY TH' WAY—I HAVEN'T SEE OL' HIGH DERBY IN A COUPLE O' DAYS—I'LL TURN AROUND QUICKLY AN' SEE IF THAT GUY IS FOLLOWIN' ME
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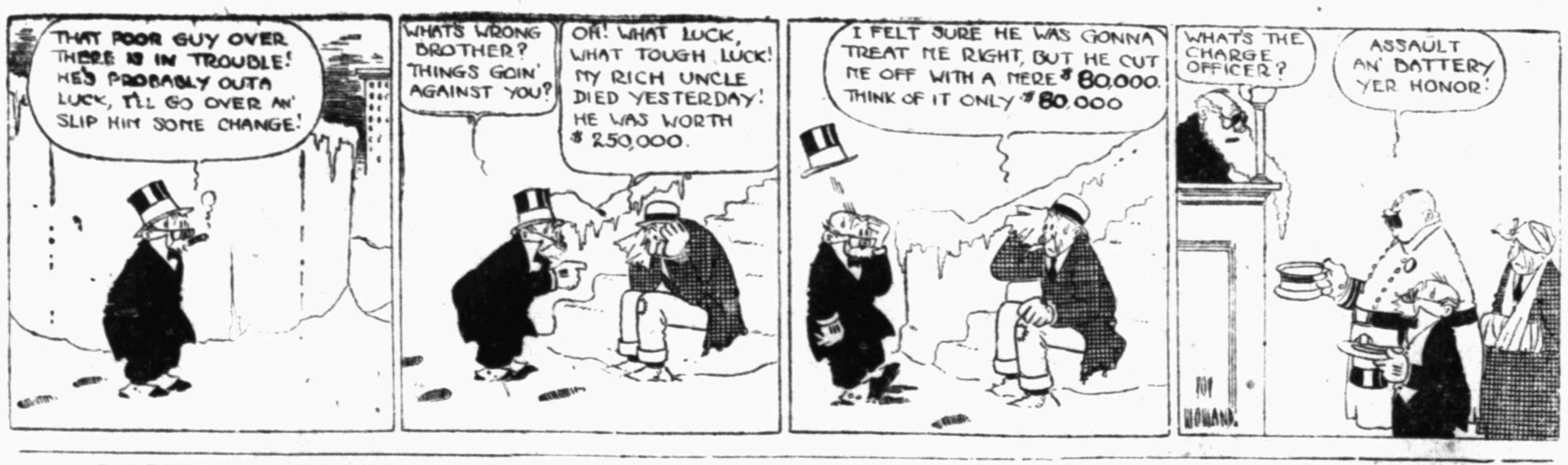
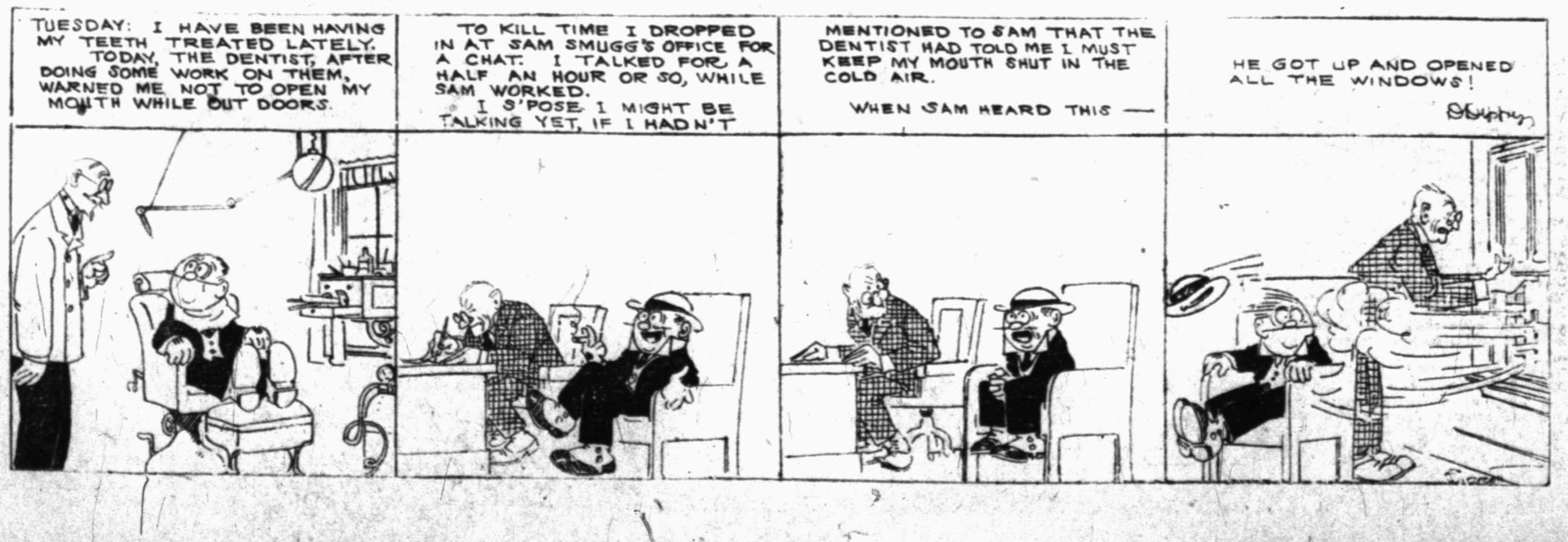
KEEPING UP WITH THE JONES—Pa Couldn't Help It.

—By Pop Momand.


THAT POOR GUY OVER THERE IS IN TROUBLE! HE'S PROBABLY OUTA LUCK, I'LL GO OVER AN' SLIP HIM SOME CHANGE!
WHAT'S WRONG BROTHER? THINGS GOIN' AGAINST YOU?
OH! WHAT LUCK, WHAT TOUGH LUCK! MY RICH UNCLE DIED YESTERDAY! HE WAS WORTH $250,000.
I FELT SURE HE WAS GONNA TREAT ME RIGHT, BUT HE CUT ME OFF WITH A MERE $80,000. THINK OF IT ONLY $80,000
WHAT'S THE CHARGE OFFICER?
ASSAULT AN' BATTERY YER HONOR!
POP MOMAND.

DICKY DIPPY'S DIARY.

—By Sinnott,



TUESDAY: I HAVE BEEN HAVING MY TEETH TREATED LATELY. TODAY, THE DENTIST, AFTER DOING SOME WORK ON THEM, WARNED ME NOT TO OPEN MY MOUTH WHILE OUT DOORS.

TO KILL TIME I DROPPED IN AT SAM SMUGG'S OFFICE FOR A CHAT. I TALKED FOR A HALF AN HOUR OR SO, WHILE SAM WORKED. I S'POSE I MIGHT BE TALKING YET, IF I HADN'T MENTIONED TO SAM THAT THE DENTIST HAD TOLD ME I MUST KEEP MY MOUTH SHUT IN THE COLD AIR.

WHEN SAM HEARD THIS—

HE GOT UP AND OPENED ALL THE WINDOWS!

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Telephone Your Ads to 4381

LODGE DIRECTORY

Faith Lodge N. 1158, A. F. & A. M. stated meetings the first and third Tuesday nights of each month.
W. Y. HAMMACK, W. M.
ALBERT ELLIS, Secretary.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M., stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
ED. BUNNENBERG, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Secretary.
Work in the Fellow Craft Degree Tuesday, Feb. 14th, 1922, at 6:00 P. M.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202 R. A. M. Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
L. I. BENNETT, H. P.
W. J. WEBB, Secretary.
Work in the Chapter Degrees Wednesday, Feb. 15th, at 6:30 P. M.

Wichita Falls Commandery, No. 59.—Stated conclaves first and third Thursdays of each fonth.
WILLIAM Y. HAMMACK,
E. Commander.
WM. J. WEBB, Recorder.
Work in Commandery Thursday, Feb. 16th, at 4:00 P. M. Dinner at 6:30.

Maskat Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Tuesday of each month at Masonic Temple, Tenth and Scott, second floor. All visiting Nobles invited to attend.
W. D. CLINE, Potentate,
C. O. FRITZ, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 273, of the Eastern Star meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. VICTORIA FRIBERG, W. M.
MISS NENA FRITZ, Secretary.

Wichita Falls, Lodge No. 1105, B. P. O. E. meets first and third Mondays of each month at Elks Club, corner Eighth and Scott Sts. Visiting members invited to attend.
A. M. MILLER,
Exalted Ruler,
H. C. ENGLISH,
Secretary.

Knights of Pythias meet Tuesday nights at 7:30 o'clock, corner Ninth and Travis streets. Visitors are welcome.
M. A. BUNDY, C. C.
IRA D. BROWN,
K. R. S.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 3001—Regular meetings every Friday night, 7:30 p. m. at 603½ Scott Avenue.
JOHN E. STEPHEN, C. C.
E. D. TREVANTHAN, Clerk,
716 Seventh Street.

1—ANNOUNCEMENTS

PHRENOLOGY—Madam Keys will give advice and consultation for a few days only. Special readings, $1.00 this week. Stratford Hotel, room 3.

2—LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Ladies leather handbar containing ladies purse, clothing and receipts bearing name of Mrs. M. D. Berlin. Finder please return to 1907 Lucile. Phone 3882. Reward.

LOST—Between Call Field and Wichita Falls, black leather handbag containing pair ladies' shoes, photographs, bottle of Nujol and few other things. Finder return to Record News office for reward.

3—SPECIAL NOTICES

EXCHANGE your records at the Phonograph Record Exchange, 1106 Tenth-st. Phone 6200.

WE ESPECIALLY cater to phonograph repair work. We have a well equipped shop and employ only the best mechanics and locksmiths. Let us eliminate your lock and key troubles.
ANDREW YOUNG CO.
Phone 6358. 904-A Eighth-st.

DRAKE TRANSFER AND STORAGE—Phone 5735; residence phone 3650. Heavy hauling of all kinds. We also raise, move and under-pin houses, any time, or place. When you want your work done right, call on us at 608 Ohio Ave. Shelby Drake or A. Drake.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED—Have your mattresses made new. We will bring samples of ticking to your home. Call for and deliver the same day. Bell Mattress Co. Phone 2412.

Political Announcements

Under this heading will be published the names of candidates for public office. The fees for announcement will be as follows:
For judicial district offices, $15.00.
For county offices, $15.00.
For precinct offices, $12.50.
For city offices, $12.50, except for councilmen, for which the fee will be $5.00.

For county offices, subject to the decision of the democratic primary:

District Clerk—
A. F. KERR.

County Attorney—
E. L. FULTON.

Judge, County Court at Law—
JUDGE GUY ROGERS

County Judge—
JUDGE J. P. JONES.
W. T. HARRIS.
B. D. SARTIN.

For County Clerk—
MISS ELIZABETH HALL.
MRS. R. L. MILLER.

County Tax Collector—
M. L. TITTLE
W. W. (PAT) MURPHY.

County Tax Assessor—
IRVAN DEATON.

County Superintendent—
BURL BRYANT.

County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.
J. P. JACKSON.

County Sheriff—
JAMES S. MAXWELL
FRED K. SMITH.

Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1, Place 1.—
R. V. GWINN

Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1, Place 2.—
J. F. MAXWELL
C. J. (Dad) ARRINGTON.
OLUFF D. BEAUCHAMP.

3—SPECIAL NOTICES

MATTRESSES RENOVATED
Old mattresses made new, new ones made too. We do all kinds of mattress work, including Feather Mattresses and Pillows. We will bring sample of ticking to your home. We call for and return same day. We also retail new mattresses and goose feather pillows. New mattresses made of new material only.
PATTON MATTRESS FACTORY
402 Indiana Ave. Phone 2930.

SEND your suits and hats to Pantatorium Company. Suits cleaned and pressed, 50c; hats $1.00; dresses $1.00 and up. Phone 6858, 808 1-2 Lamar street. Call for and deliver.

PLUMBING—Phone 5370, licensed and bonded plumber. Spivey Plumbing Co.

BULK Sauer Kraut at Doak's Market, 708 Indiana-ave.

WEATHER strips and awnings. Make home comfortable, avoid worry and inconvenience by ordering early. R. W. Cross. Phone 5769.

EAT WITH US—Quality food at popular prices. We are also prepared to take orders for fine home-made cakes and pies.
VIRGINIA SISTERS CAFE
802 Lamar street.

SEE US if you have any old furniture to dispose of. Phone 6513.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE TRADING CO.
815 Ohio Avenue.

WE CAN do your hauling. Line-pipe, boilers, well-rigs, or any thing that is heavy. Phone 2442. Cochran Motor company.

DIXON SIGNS moved to 708 Wall street. Phone 5998.

LET BROWN'S transfer move you. $3 per load. The reliable and careful mover. Office 605 Seventh. Phone 2286.

PLUMBING, gas fitting and repairing done by licensed and bonded plumbers. We know how. G. E. (Irish) Moore. Phone 5746.

PLUMBING, gas fitting and repairing. Let us repair your water cut-off now and save your having a large repair bill on bursted pipes. Also connect your gas stoves with pipe and stop big gas bills caused by rubber hose connections. Prices reasonable. G. E. (Irish) Moore. Phone 5746.

PLUMBING—Our cars carry a complete line of repairing materials with them. You do not have to pay for that trip back to the shop. J. H. Castledine, 1920 Tenth St. Phone 4420.

NOT HOW CHEAP
But how quick and how good a service rendered Phone 3863.
STANFIL TRANSFER
922 Ohio.

FOR plumbing, Phone 3644. David Black.

PRACTICAL house moving, raising and leveling. Jack Humphrey. Phone 5994

PAINTING and paper hanging; rooms papered, including paer, $5.00 to $10.00. Phone 5641. Liggett.

MOORE Plumbing Co., Phone 6300 910 6th street.

CARPENTER work wanted. Fences, garages, sleeping porches, cabinets; screen; lattice; repair work a specialty. No job too big or too small. J. B. Ferrett. Phone 2250, 705 Bluff street.

Mack & Mack Plumbing Co., office rear of 714 Seventh St., Shop 1204 15th St. Pohne 5066-2652.

4—AUTOMOBILES & SUPPLIES

GOOD USED CARS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

JORDAN 1921 Model in first class condition; Westinghouse Shock Absorbers; beautiful California top; good tires.

NASH Touring, 1921 Model, in good shape.

BUICK 1918 Model, with winter top.

OAKLAND 34B. Good paint; new tires; good motor.

FORDS in good shape, with or without starter.

THESE CARS ARE GOING TO BE SOLD THIS WEEK. IF YOU WANT A GOOD USED CAR AT A BARGAIN, COME AND SEE US.
MARSHALL HUFF MOTOR CO.
609 Scott-st. Phone 2929.

4—AUTOMOBILES & SUPPLIES

NOTICE
Phone 4507 1005 Lamar St.
LAMAR ST. GARAGE
First Class Mechanical Work. Guarantee Satisfaction. $1.00 per Hour.
A. H. BEAZLEY, Prop.

FIVE-PASSENGER Buick Touring, new paint, good rubber and car a splendid buy for $550.00.
DIXON MOTOR CO.
808 Scott Ave.

I PAY cash for Fords. See me before you sell. H. K. Barron, Stout's Garage.

IF YOU would buy or sell a used car, see the
L. & M. AUTO MARKET
911 Scott Avenue.

FOR SALE—Your choice for $200, two smart Ford delivery wagons. One extra good Maxwell delivery truck with caged top, all in best condition, with good machinery and paint. Call J. B. Ferratt shop, in alley, rear of 1108 Ohio.

1920 BUICK ROADSTER: Right jam up, new rubber, new top—new paint and runs like a new car, $750. DIXON MOTOR CO., 808 Scott Ave.

A PLEASANT surprise is always acceptable. Let us surprise you by eliminating your motor troubles. We are conscientious.
NORTON'S AUTO SHOP
Phone 6859 909 Lamar

FOR SALE—Good Maxwell touring car, or will trade for anything of value. Can be seen day or night at 609 Scott Ave.

SEVEN-PASSENGER Buick Touring, A-1 shape from top to tires; a real family car that looks good, $750.00.
DIXON MOTOR CO.
808 Scott Ave.

WE pay spot cash for used cars.
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
712-14 Ninth St. Phone 2015.

FORD OWNERS ATTENTION!
Put a Blublaze Timer on your Ford. Easy starting; smooth running; requires no oiling. Guaranteed. Ask your dealer.
TEXAS MOTOR SPECIALTIES COMPANY.
Wichita Falls, Texas, Distributors

THE HOUSE OF OVERLAND
offers
1920 model Ford light delivery truck, has good body and cab for driver; a fine car for only $125.00.

Buick Six touring; a nice looking car in good mechanical condition and good tires. For a quick sale, only $250.00.

1920 Columbia Six touring; a fine light weight six-cylinder car; it's worth more but we will take $360.00.

Cadillac Roadster type 57, newly painted. Royal cord tire equipment; two extras; looks and runs like new. A pickup for $1,200.00.

Willys-Knight touring car, owned by local prominent business man; equipped with six oversized cord tires. This car is far above the average used car. The price is right.

Brand new 1921 Sayers Six Touring car. A beautiful light weight six-cylinder car. This car is equipped with standard units, such as Continental Red Seal motor, Timken bearings and Delco units. Selling price $2,195.00. Our price $800.00.

Terms to responsible parties. Will also trade.
OPEN SUNDAY MORNING FROM 9 A. M. UNTIL NOON.
SATURDAY NIGHTS UNTIL 9:00 P. M.
OVERLAND MOTORS COMPANY.
Phone 6616. Ninth and Travis.

BUY USED PARTS
Save one-half.
AUTO PARTS COMPANY.
612-14 Indiana. Phone 6818

DODGE TOURING, late model with a brand new top and new tires; the best Dodge buy in town. $400.00.
DIXON MOTOR CO.
808 Scott Ave.

WE BUY condemned cars. Auto Parts Company. Phone 6818; 612-614 Indiana.

6—HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—White lady for about five or six hours a day for five days a week to assist making and serving sandwiches to High School students. Thompson Confectionery, 1306 1-2 11th St., Phone 6746.

SCHOOL TEACHERS, girls in department stores, can make fifteen to twenty dollars a week, working a few hours spare time without interfering with present occupation. Box 237 care Record News.

7—HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—At once, firts-class barber. Dad's Barber Shop, 618 6th St.

8—HELP WANTED—MALE AND FEMALE

YOUNG MEN, women, over 17, desiring government positions, $120 monthly. Write for free list of positions now open. J. Leonard (former Civil Service examiner), 1292 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C.

9—SITUATIONS WANTED Female

WANTED—Part time work by experienced stenographer. Address P. O. Box 1251.

IF IN NEED of a nurse, call at 2144 Avenue F or phone 5827.

10—SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

SINGLE man, 23 years old having had experience in auto sales and accessories and general office experience, desires immediate employment. References. P. O. Box 1242.

11—SALESMEN AND AGENTS—WANTED

WANTED—Two A-1 solicitors. Story Studio, 820 1-2 Ohio.

SALESMAN—If you are persistent and want to make big money and a permanent connection with one of the best organizations in the state where possibilities are unlimited. Don't fail to investigate. Either call or write 1106 Tenth St., or phone 6200.

12—DRESSMAKING

WANTED—Common sewing and washing. 1318 3rd St.

UP-TO-DATE dressmaking. Tenth and Burnett. Phone 4406.

DRESSMAKING, alteration, remodeling, ladies tailoring. Phone 6718, Mrs. A. W. Weaver. 709 Holiday St.

SPRING dresses, tatting, embroidery and sewing, all kinds. Phone 2006.

HIGH CLASS dressmaking. Mrs. Barr, 911 11th St. Phone 2136.

12—DRESSMAKING.

DRESSMAKING, coats lined $2.50, shirts $1.00; house dresses $1.00 up, silk $3.50 up; 908 Fifth-st.

DRESSMAKING at 2114 Ninth-st. Phone 5836.

HEMSTITCHING—9c. Moved from 806 Austin to 1306 Eighth-st. Phone 2813.

13—PERSONAL

SPIRITUALIST—For appointment, Phone 6095.

14—BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

TO LEASE—Hosiery and silk underwear department in one of the most exclusive shops in the city. Must be able to furnish good reference. Box 246, care Record News.

15—FINANCIAL

SMALL AMOUNT of money to lend. J. J. Thomas, 812 Scott St.

SMALL PAYING business for sale or trade for Ford coupe. Box 240 care Record News.

MONEY TO LEND on Texas farms at 6 per cent and 33 years time. Geo. Simmons, Phone 5244.

NOTES bought and sold. J. Wilkie Talbert, 220 American National Bank Bldg.

16—HOTELS AND ROOMING HOUSES

FOR SALE OR TRADE—14 room hotel, well located. Will trade for car or lot. Phone 2196.

17—ROOM AND BOARD

ROOM AND BOARD—$8 per week, 1200 Ohio, phone 2394. Under new management.

BOARD and room, 21 meals for $7, 804 Tenth-st. Phone 2637.

ROOM and board, $8 per week. 719 1-2 Ohio, Phone 6167.

ROOM AND BOARD—Home cooked meals. Mrs. Brown. Phone 3879.

18—HOUSES AND APARTMENTS WANTED

YOUNG COUPLE want to rent furnished 3 or 4 room apartment or house. Phone 3819.

20—ROOMS FOR RENT FURNISHED

WELL FURNISHED room, modern, close in. Phone 6505.

FOR RENT—Bedroom next to bath, rent very reasonable. 702 Austin avenue; phone 6633.

FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom with adjoining bath. Phone 2090.

FOR RENT—Lovely room, 3 closets, phone, bath, hot water all hours, private entrance on car line; kitchen privileges considered. Phone 5309, 1310, 13th St.

FOR RENT—South bedroom, gentlemen preferred. 1304 13th St. Phone 2257.

PLEASANT bedrooms; private family; also 3-room tent house; all conveniences; pre-war rent; use of garage. 802 Travis, phone 4487.

FOR RENT—Front bedroom adjoining bath, 1705 11th St. Phone 2340.

VERY NICE front bedroom, bath and garage, private home. Phone 6592.

NICE CLEAN rooms, reasonable rates. Stonewall Hotel, 818 1-2 Scott Ave.

BEDROOM with all conveniences at 904 Austin.

FOR RENT—Southeast upstairs bedroom adjoining modern bath, 1619 9th St.

FOR RENT—Bedroom, home privileges. Phone 5997. 1100 Burnett.

FOR RENT—Splendidly furnished rooms, all outside, everything new. Rates reduced $10 per week to one or two persons. New Wood Hotel. 911 1-2 Scott.

21—ROOMS FOR RENT—

FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished rooms, one door off car line. Fine if you work. 905 Bluff St.

TWO NICE unfurnished light housekeeping rooms. All modern conveniences. 2104-9th St. See B. H. Bishop Furniture Store, 815 Ohio.

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms on car line. 1305 Kemp Blv'd. Phone 5101.

22—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished housekeeping rooms, modern, adults only, also garage. 1506 Holiday, phone 2654.

ONE OR TWO desirable furnished housekeeping rooms. 1407½ Lamar.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, $5 per week. Baker Hotel, 606 Travis.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms for adults. 704 Austin.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, 502 Austin, Phone 2901.

23—HOUSES AND APARTMENTS FOR RENT

1104 Eighth, 5-room modern, $40.00
1102 Eighth, 5-room modern, $45.00
and others from $15 to $50.00
H. G. HELGERSON
Basement City National Bank Bldg.
Phone 2573 Residence 2293

APARTMENT furnished in ivory, two large newly papered rooms, sink in kitchen, hot and cold water, good neighborhood. Also bed in double room. Prices reasonable, 804 Burnett. Phone 6050.

FOR RENT—2 room servant house. 1406 Tenth. Phone 3052.

HELGERSON handles rentals. Phone 2573.

OUR WANT ADS are the surest way. Better results and for less money.

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished houses. Call Westland Hotel.

FOR RENT—Five-room house with 50x100 foot garden space, near Ball Brothers factory. Address P. O. Box 1641.

LIST your apartments and houses for rent with us. We have calls every day. Phone 5143 or 2615. Nat L. Inge.

23—HOUSES AND APARTMENTS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished three and four-room house, modern; also new store building with three living rooms, store with per t, 2200 block on Holiday. Phone 5594.

25—BUSINESS LOCATIONS—FOR RENT

TO LEASE—Millinery department in one of the most exclusive shops in the city. Must be able to furnish good reference. Box 245 care Record News.

27.—LIVESTOCK

SPLENDID DAIRY COWS for sale and equipment and modern buildings for lease; only one mile from business section. Apply 220 American National Bank building.

EXTRA good Jersey cow, now fresh, 1427 25th-st.

FOR SALE—Four registered Jacks, priced to sell. Apply Harry Grouer, Hastings, Okla.

FOR SALE—One pair blooded Flemish Rabbits, reasonable. Phone 6476, 1403-16th St.

GOOD MILCH cow for sale. Apply east end Jalonic St.

28—POULTRY, EGGS & SUPPLIES

BABY CHICKS, 250,000 annually, trap nested English White Leghorns, $23.00 per hundred; S. C. Barred Rock and Rhode Island Reds, $20.00 per hundred; white and brown Leghorns, $16.00 per hundred; heavy table chicks, $12.00 per hundred. Custom Hatching, $3.00 per 96 eggs. Wichita Chick Hatchery, 2610 Grant street.

EGGS AND BABY CHICKS
Thoroughbred Buff Orpington eggs for setting at live and let live prices; also taking orders for all kinds of baby chicks, hatched by the most reliable hatchery in Mo. Come and see my nice pen of hens and you will like our eggs. Mrs. J. C. Short, 1204 Clark-st.

29 WANTED TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—Ford Coupe or roadster, either 1921 or 1922; first class only. If about to lose will pay off small past due note and give some difference. Box No. 400.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags at Record News office.

WANTED TO BUY
Your secondhand furniture and stoves. Phone 6011 and our buyer will call at your convenience.
STAR FURNTURE CO

30—FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Good upright piano. Phone 5337.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One good delivery wagon, horse and harness; also one Chevrolet touring car. 310 Travis.

HIGH GRADE piano for sale or trade for Ford. 1819 Lucile.

31—FURNITURE & HOUSEHOLD GOODS

OAK DINING room suite, mahogany settee and two chairs, bed, dresser, sanitary couch, oak rocker, gas range, 22-in. gas log. Bargains at 2164 Avenue G.

SPECIAL prices on Rugs, Iron Beds and Kitchen Cabinets. Exchange new for used furniture.
WINTERS FURNITURE CO.
822 Ohio-ave. Phone 4219.

GOOD FURNITURE CHEAP
Of our recent purchases we can offer the following:

Dressers	$7.50 to $15.00
1 Chiffonier	$12.50
1 3-Piece Oak Living Room Suite	$37.50
Good Coil Springs	$2.00

Several rugs, rockers, dining chairs and gas cook stoves. Our prices are cheapest. See us before you buy.
CARLTON FURNITURE CO.
Phone 2666 819-10th

AM OFFERING for quick sale, 5-piece genuine mahogany bedroom suite, $75; 4-piece ivory bedroom suite, $60; 6-piece Birds Eye Maple bedroom suite $100; a number of good 4-burner gas stoves and ranges, tables, chairs, rockers, kitchen cabinets, Axminster rugs. Why go elsewhere when our prices are righ and our stock complete.
MICK'S FURNITURE CO.
908 Indiana.

BETTER be sure than sorry. Buy from us for less, sell to us for more.
MICKS FURNITURE CO.
Phone 5528. 908 Indiana.

SAVE MONEY
Two dressers, each, $10; one library table, $6; four wash stands each $2.75; two dandy phonographs, each, $40; one thousand other things.
BOLDING & LUNN
813 Scott-st.

32.—MISCELLANEOUS

BULK OYSTERS at Doak's Market, 708 Indiana Ave.

Any Suit or Overcoat in house made to measure.
$29.50
Fit Guaranteed
BELL TAILORING CO.,
610 Seventh Street

LET US REPAIR YOUR SHOES. Competent service, honest work and most gratifying results. If we do your repair work, we call for and deliver.
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904-A Eighth-st. Phone 6358.

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To our classified advertisers: We wish to announce for the benefit of those not knowing that we will display your classified ads with white space above and below, as much as desired, in the future and as we have done in the past at the regular rate.

Call 4381 or 4382 to insert a classified ad or if in business section, solicitor will call for same.

33—MACHINERY AND TOOLS

NEED immediate cash, Two Electric Double Speed Motors; one 10-25 and one 15-30. Each a complete pumping outfit for oil wells. Good as new. Will sell at a sacrifice. Am leaving the city. Address Box 238 care Record News.

WANTED TO BUY a heavy drilling rig complete, must be in good condition. Address H. A. Michener, care Rice Hotel, Houston, Texas.

WE ARE in the market for all kinds of pipe; also we have all kinds of pipe and oil well supplies for sale. Call the
TEXAS IRON & METAL CO.,
205 Mississippi. Phone 6860. P. O. Box 268.

34—GAS, OIL AND MINERAL

OIL PRODUCTION—60 acres, 15 barrels, Clay county; 30 acres, 2 wells 23 barrels, South Electra field; 20 acres, 2 wells, 10 barrels, Archer county. JAMES T. CUMLEY, 312 First National Bank.

WE HAVE some exceptionally good buys in shallow production, with best equipment and good terms.
C. A. PARKER
419 American National Bank.

WANT broker to sell acreage near sure-shot well drilling in Murray county, Okla. Address P. O. Box 957, Kansas City, Mo.

WE HAVE some very attractive buys in 20 to 100 acre tracts in South Electra field. Will sell $125 per acre, half cash, half oil.
C. A. PARKER
419 American National Bank.

35—OIL LAND LEASES

ARCHER county acreage, close to Markley well, for sale. Phone 5721.

ONE hundred shares, $10.00, seventeen leases.
TEXFIELD OIL CO.,
808 Ohio Ave. P. O. Box 1546
Wichita Falls, Texas.

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

36—FARMS AND RANCHES WANTED

WANT TO BUY five to ten acres improved and irrigated near city at once. Must have some terms. Also have good Buick car with some cash for four or five room house; must be bargain. Hager Realty Co., Ward Bldg.

FARM LOANS—I am making loans on farms and ranch lands in Wichita and adjoining counties. JAMES T. CUMLEY, 312 First National Bank.

39—REAL ESTATE—WANTED

IF YOU HAVE a real home to exchange for all cash worth the price, I have the buyer. Phone 5143 or 2615. NAT L. INGE

CALL 5143 or 2615

NAT L. INGE

"Reliable Service" Real Estate

Tenth Street Bargains

New five room home, servants house and garage, north front on pavement, near car line, fine neighborhood, worth $10,000, but the price is only $4800 with good terms.

Also—Seven room aeroplane with real tile front porch, and every other feature in keeping. All hardwood floors, double garage and servants house, cost $25,000 but the price now is only $11,500 with terms to suit.

Corner Alma and Huff, ten rooms, all large, with every convenience, two fire places, 5 bed rooms and bath up stairs, two story garage for two cars and servants quarters above, cement cellar, $4500 worth of paving and concrete, cost $25,000, now priced at $12,500. If not sold this week will rent.

FOR RENT
7 rooms, two story garage and servants house, Huff avenue $75 per month.

Lots—SACRIFICE price, 60 by 150 feet, south front, half block off Brook, cost $1800, now priced at $1100.

HUFF AVENUE
Five rooms, modern, at $3500. $250 will handle, balance like rent.

Phone 5143 or 2615
NAT L. INGE

FOR SALE—Six-room house, all modern, will take new Ford car in as part pay; also a brand new automatic shot gun at real bargain. See owner, 1505 Seventeenth street.

FOR SALE OI TRADE
Will trade 5-room, strictly modern house with servants' house, garage and concrete drive, in the very best neighborhood in the city for light car and a little cash. Balance $50.00 per month. J. H. MOORE. Phone 5101.

READY MONEY—Have a client with $2000.00. Wants to make a six months loan on city property. I am making farm loans. JAMES T. CUMLEY, 312 First National Bank.

WE trade in real estate and personal property. What have you to offer for five room house, good automobile, vacant lot, 80 acre farm, or good grocery business? Hager Realty Co., Ward Bldg.

A HOME in Floral Heights on paved Monroe. A plastered home. Living room, sleeping porch and bath ideally arranged. You'll like it. If you've known favorably I can sell it to you on your own terms. JAMES T. CUMLEY, 312 First National Bank.

ANOTHER home just off Monroe street. A practically new five room house. Talk to me if you have made up your mind to buy a home. JAMES T. CUMLEY, 312 First National Bank.

FOR SALE—One of choicest modern 12-room furnished houses in the city; close walking distance to the business district; connecting bath for every two bedrooms; entire lower floor finished in highly finished oak and second floor completely carpeted. For information call 2791 or 2289.

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

40—REAL ESTATE—FOR SALE

TRADE east front lot, for furniture or car. Phone 5193. Call 707 Austin.

43—UNIMPROVED CITY PROPERTY—FOR SALE

ON TERMS OF ONLY

$10 down and $10 per month, you can purchase beautiful high level lots located in different parts of the city in the best residential sections, near car lines, schools and pavement, with electricity, water, gas and sewer at many of them now. Priced from $200 to $750. Every lot will prove an exceptional good investment with over 200 to choose from.

PHONE 6901

Appointment or information

Duncan, Allison & McKenzie
508 City Nat'l Bank Bldg.

44—LEGAL NOTICES

The following animals are now located at the City Pound: One rhone horse, 6 mules, and 2 burros.

These animals will be sold to the highest bidder 10 days from February 12th, unless they are identified by owners and costs paid.

W. J. DUNCAN,
City Pound Officer.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Lillian Brissette by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th District Court of Wichita County, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Wichita Falls, on the First Monday in March, A. D., 1922, the same being the 6th day of March, A. D., 1922. Then and there to answer a petition field in said Court on the 26th day of January, A. D., 1922 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 12255-B wherein, Floyd Brissette is Plaintiff and Lillian Brissette is Defendant and said petition alleging. That on or about the 7th of March, 1921, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant; that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 28th of May, 1921, when by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of defendant toward plaintiff, and further fact that defendant on or about said date permanently abandoned plaintiff, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife.

Plaintiff alleges that defendant's actions and conduct toward him generally are of such a nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable. Wherefore, plaintiff prays the court that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, and on final trial hereof, that he have judgment dissolving said marriage relations, for costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, general and special in law and in equity to which he may show himself entitled to, etc.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 6th day of February, A. D. 1922.

A. F. KERR, Clerk District Court, Wichita County, Texas.
By EUNICE JACKSON, Deputy.
SEAL.

This is to certify that the above is a true copy of original Citation by Publication.
FRED K. SMITH, Sheriff.
By F. E. JOHNSON, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Texas, County of Wichita.

By virtue of a certain Order of Sale, issued out of the Honorable District Court of Wichita County, on the 6th day of February, 1922, by A. F. Kerr, Clerk of the District Court, Wichita County, Texas, against S. R. Tavis, et al, for the sum of Ten Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty-Six ($10,956.00) Dollars, and costs of suit in cause No. 11916-A in said Court, styled Ethel C. Ayers vs. S. R. Tarvis, et al and placed in my hands for service, I, Fred K. Smith, as Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 6th day of February, 1922 levy on certain Real Estate situated in Wichita County, described as follows, to-wit: All of Lot 11 in Block 184 of the Original Town Plat of the City of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said S. R. Tarvis, J. S. Bridwell, Wm. Viner, Abe Lebenson, Harry C. Weeks and Security National Bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, jointly and severally, and on Tuesday the 7th day of March, 1922, at the Court House Door of Wichita County, in the Town of Wichita Falls, Texas between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. I will sell said Real Estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said S. R. Tarvis, J. S. Bridwell, Wm. Viner, Abe Lebenson, Harry C. Weeks, Security National Bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, jointly and severally, by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita County.

Witness my hand this the 6th day of February 1922.

FRED K. SMITH, Sheriff Wichita County, Texas.
F. E. JOHNSON, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Texas, County of Wichita.

By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Wichita County, on the 3rd day of February, 1922, by A. F. Kerr, Clerk of the District Court of Wichita County, Texas, against James T. Cumley and J. T. Averill, for the sum of Nine Hundred Eighty-Five ($985.66) Dollars and Sixty-Six Cents and costs of suit in cause No. 11793-A in said Court, styled, Highland Irrization & Land Co. vs. James T. Cumley and J. T. Averill, and placed in my hands for service, I, Fred K. Smith as Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 6th day of February, 1922, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Wichita County, described as follows, to wit: Situated in Wichita County, Texas, and being Lot 9 in Block 79-A of the Highland Addition to the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said James T. Cumley and J. T. Averill, and on Tuesday the 7th day of March, 1922, at the Court House Door of Wichita County, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. I will sell said Real Estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said James T. Cumley and J. T. Averill by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita County.

Witness my hand this the 6th day of February, 1922.

FRED K. SMITH, Sheriff Wichita County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF WICHITA

By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the 78th District Court of Wichita County, Texas, on the 13th day of February, 1922, by A. F. Kerr, Clerk of the District Court of Wichita County, Texas, R. N. Webb, in the sum of Twelve Thousand Three Hundred and Four and 11-100 Dollars ($12,304.11) and costs of suit in cause No. 10028 in said court, styled Mrs. Katherine Howard and Husband Rhea Howard, Plaintiff, versus R. N. Webb, defendant, and placed in my hands for service, I, Fred K. Smith, as sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 13th day of February, A. D. 1922, levy on certain property situated in Wichita County, Texas, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being the East One Half (E½) of lots 8 and 9 in block 188 of the City of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, according to the recorded map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of Wichita County, Texas.

And levied upon as the property of said R. N. Webb and on Tuesday, the 7th day of March, 1922, at the Court House door of Wichita County, Texas, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said property at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said R. N. Webb by virtue of said Order of sale.

And in compliance with law I give notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita County, Texas.

Witness my hand this, the 13th day of February, A. D. 1922.

FRED K. SMITH, Sheriff.
By F. E. JOHNSON, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF WICHITA

By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Wichita County, Texas, on the 14th day of January, 1922, by A. F. Kerr, Clerk of the District Court of Wichita County, Texas, against Oscar Dunnagan, for the sum of Seven Hundred and Fifty and No 100 Dollars ($750.00) and costs of suit in Cause No. 9831-C in said court, styled P. L. McDonald versus Oscar Dunnagan, and placed in my hands for service, I, Fred K. Smith, Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 13th day of February, 1922, levy on certain property situated in Wichita County, Texas, described as follows:

One 45 Horse Power boiler, one 1x12 Acme Engine, one Lucy Rotary Swivel and Hose, one Drilling Line, 800 feet long, a four shift traveling block, one set draw works and chains, two oil well supply mud pumps, set Eureka tongs, break out tong, Crown block 1700 feet 6 5-8 casing three joints six inch casing controler, about 1800 feet four inch drill pipe, also tool joints, about 3500 feet two inch water line, three 100 barrel tanks, one Moon generator, Rotary derrick, also three oil, gas and mineral lease held by the said Oscar Dunnagan on 36½ acres of land known as the G. W. Chapman farm, located about ½ mile south from the town of Clara, in Wichita County, Texas.

And levied upon said property of the said Oscar Dunnagan. And on the 7th day of March, 1922, at the Court House door of Wichita County, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said property at public auction for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said Oscar Dunnagan by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law I give notice by publication in the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Record News, a newspaper published in said Wichita County, Texas. Also by posting a copy of this notice in three public places in Wichita County, one at the Court House Door, and one at two other places in Wichita County.

Witness my hand this, the 13th day of February, A. D. 1922.

FRED K. SMITH, Sheriff.
By F. E. JOHNSON, Deputy.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Pursuant to an order to be issued out of the United States District Court, for the Northern District of Texas, I, as trustee of the estate of S. R. Glidewell & Son, Bankrupt, will offer for sale at public outcry at 610½ Seventh Street, in Wichita Falls, Texas, on Wednesday, February 15th, 1922, at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon the following assets:

Stock of jewelry, invoicing about	$2,409.69
Store furniture and fixtures, invoicing about	657.00

All sales will be made for cash and subject to the approval of the above named court. The right will be reserved to reject any and all bids.

M. E. STEVENS, Trustee.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Pursuant to an order to be issued out of the United States District Court, for the Northern District of Texas, I, as Trustee of the estate of Joseph Lester Hair, Bankrupt will offer for sale at public outcry at my office, 410 Bob Waggoner Building, in Wichita Falls, Texas, on Wednesday, February 15th, 1922, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon, the following assets:

One Ford touring car, valued at about $300.00.

Sale will be made for cash and subject to the approval of the above named court. The right will be reserved to reject any and all bids.

M. E. STEVENS, Trustee.

NOTICE OF RECEIVER'S SALE

Pursuant to an order to be issued out of the United States District Court, for the Northern District of Texas, I, as Receiver of the estate of Eli Morgan Grain Company, Bankrupt, will offer for sale at public outcry at 520 Sixth Street, in Wichita Falls, Texas, on Wednesday, February 15th, 1922, at 1:00 o'clock in the afternoon, the following assets:

Stock of hay, grain, flour and feed, invoicing about	$2,071.63
Office furniture and fixtures	900.00
Total	$2,971.63

All sales will be made for cash and subject to the approval of the above named court. The right will be reserved to reject any and all bids.

M. E. STEVENS, Receiver.

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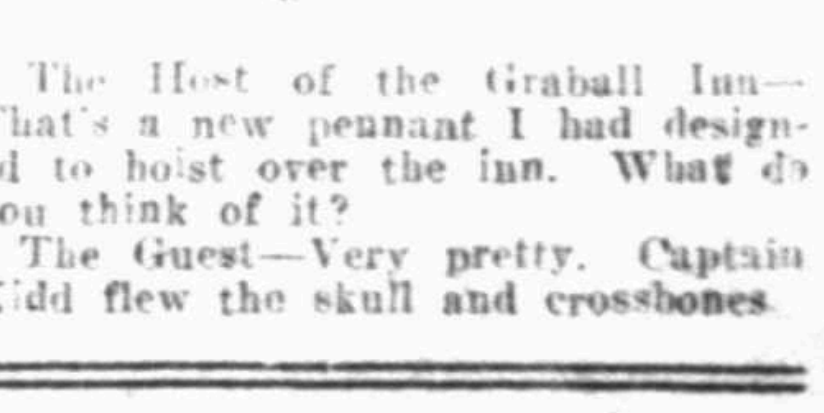

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The Guest—Very pretty. Captain Kidd flew the skull and crossbones.

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Home Town Stuff

Jack C. Barnard returned from New York City Sunday night where he has been for two weeks on a buying trip for the P. B. M.

A 10-pound boy was born Monday morning to Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers, 1707 Eleventh street.

Misses Junanita Kinsey and Genevieve Goff have returned from Oklahoma City where they attended the presentation of Handel's Messiah and also the Oklahoma State Teachers association.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers, 1707 Eleventh street, announce the arrival of a ten-pound boy born Sunday morning.

Mrs. W. C. Witcher has returned from a three week's visit with her mother, Mrs. C. O'Neill at Houston.

J. A. Gardner, who underwent an operation at the Call Field hospital for appendicitis Monday, is reported resting easily.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Jackson, Jr., have returned from Muskogee, Okla., where they attended the bedside of Mr. Jackson's brother, Merl Jackson, who was burned there Sunday afternoon.

A supply of income tax return blanks, Forms Nos. 1120 and 1065, for corporations and partnerships respectively, have been received at the local office of the internal revenue department, Henry Wampler, division chief, reported yesterday.

H. S. Sanderford, proprietor of Miller's Shoe Store, left Sunday night for Fort Worth where he will attend the annual convention of the state retail shoe merchants association which is being held at the Texas.

C. Richardson, proprietor of Richardson's Bargain Basement, has returned from a business trip to St. Louis.

Jack G. Culbertson has returned from the Lincoln Day gathering of Republicans at Forth Worth.

COURT NOTES

SUITS FILED

78th District Court

Hattie Knopff vs. John Knopff, divorce.

Emma Owens vs. Thomas H. Owens divorce.

B. A. Laselle et al vs. Producers Refining company, garnishment.

B. A. Laselle et al vs. W. L. Leland et al, debt.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Eugene Wiley and Mrs. Margue Henter, city.

W. O. McDaniel and Mrs. Sarah M. Myers, city.

R. R. Vest, Eelectra and Toria Barbara Roebuck, Lingman, Texas.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

G. L. Berry and wife to Wichita Falls Independent school district No. 5 in block 79-A of the Highland addition; $800.

A. Tarber and wife to W. S. Thornton, lot 23 in block 5 of the Sibley Taylor addition; $1,500.

H. G. Helgerson and wife to F. W. Hoener, lot 4 in block 23; $3,000.

B. F. Dulten et al to R. A. Painter, lots 6 and 7 in block 1 of the Dulton's subdivision of the McCutcheon West end addition; $3,000.

R. A. Painter to R. R. Hartman, lots 6 and 7 of block 1 of the Dulton subdivision of the McCutcheon West end addition; $3,000.

J. F. Norflet and wife to Jacob Eckert, part of lot 8 of block 221; $2,500.

LEASES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Kansas and Gulf company to S. M. Daniel et al, 117 acres out of the north Salinas survey; $10 and other considerations.

S. L. Smith to Texas Eureka Oil and Refining company, 3 acres out of block 96 of the Red River Valley lands; $10 and other considerations.

B. J. McAuliff to O. B. Hardcastle, 5 acres out of block 20 of the R. McKim survey; $10 and other considerations.

SETTINGS ANNOUNCED BY JUDGE NAPIER

The following cases are set down for week beginning February 27, 1922 in the 78th district court according to an announcement of settings of Judge Ed Napier.

11381—H. A. Erwin et al. vs. Thomas Moody et al.
11204—Velie Crawford Hdw. Co. vs. J. J. Long et al.
10796—Texas Interstate Pet. Co. vs. E. F. Scott, et al.
9702—Clift vs. Temple et al.
—— —T. J. Mansfield vs. T. E. Riggs et al.
11298—American Development Co. vs. Erenig Oil Corp.
11307—B. E. Morris et al vs. A. C. Page.
11310—L. C. Laws vs. P. W. Kent.
11323—W. G. Morrison et al vs. A. G. Baldwin et al.
11334—First Nat'l Bank of Wiley, Texas, vs. J. D. Proctor.
11336—J. L. Strasell Co. vs. J. F. Louck.
11338—R. H. Stevens vs. Chas. Beebout.
11342—Gen'l Accident Fire Ins. Co. vs. J. H. Willhanson.
11352—R. W. Shimer et al vs. Hull-Tex Oil Assn.
11375—W. F. Weeks vs. A. C. Page.
11376—E. H. Simmons vs. A. C. Page et al.
11387—L. H. Franklin vs. J. A. Freeman et al.
11388—Amer. State Bank of BB vs. The Texas-Louisiana Oil Co.
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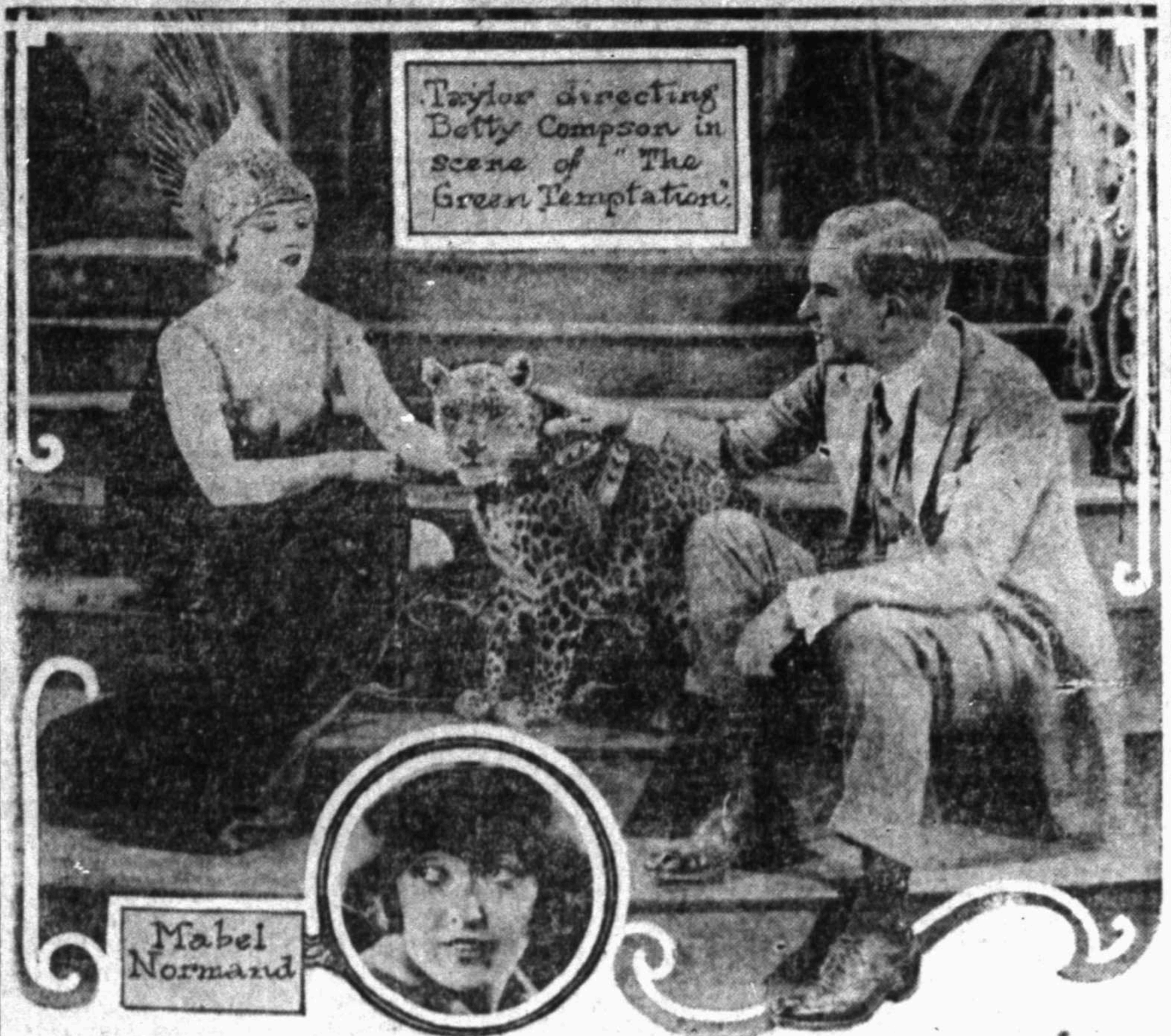
To brown a pie easily dissolve a lump of sugar in a little milk and brush the result over the piecrust before placing in the oven.

PARALLEL SEEN IN SLAYING OF TAYLOR AND ELWELL, WHO LIVED IN SIMILAR WAY


Taylor directing Betty Compson in scene of "The Green Temptation"
Mabel Normand

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NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—It is easy for the enemy of a man who lives secretly to murder him unseen.

In mysterious manner tow men who ate the secret bread of pleasure and drank sweet stolen waters have died by the fury of assassins still unknown.

The career of William Desmond Taylor, slain movie director, in life and death paralleled that of "Jim" Elwell, so strangely shot down in his New York home two years ago.

Each lived alone, and alone each was attacked. From both Taylor and Elwell, in their last moments, someone fled.

Men who shun daylight are apt to make themselves tempting targets for marksmen in the dark.

Taylor's leave-taking of life was just as mysterious as his inexplicable departure in 1908 from his wife and child and just as unaccountable as his later change of name, for the dead man was known originally as William Cunningham Deane-Tanner.

Who Was Slayer?

Who could have arranged Taylor's clandestine rendezvous with death?

Suspicion goes over the list of possibilities. There is, for instance, Edward F. Sands, the dead man's valet, who robbed his master and whom, one of the feminine stars says, Taylor vowed to kill at sight. And there are the men who are interested in the women Taylor knew.

Will one of the brilliant stars of that glamorous world, whose little suns are Cooper-Hewitts, shoot down to earth and be obliterated in the tragedy?

Like his prototype Elwell, Taylor was accorded by the opposite sex, but care for none constantly, in fact, it is said he was indifferent to love. Interesting, travelled, well-read, a brilliant talker and a discreet confident, Taylor held the friendship of many women. Whether or not his relations with them were sentimental cannot be determined at this time.

Buy why did he disappear in 1908 from a beautiful wife and daughter, from a host of friends and a gay social circle?

Rover by Nature

Rover by nature, William Deane-Tanner came to New York from Dublin in the late nineties. Movies were unheard of then, and the young Irishman did not dream of the magic lantern which would create a life of splendor for him and for thousands of others.

He was interested in antiques and objects of art. He entered into that business near Thirtieth street and Fifth avenue at a period when this neighborhood held many small shops with fascinating wares when the Hollan House was flourishing and fine old homes and oldfashioned apartment houses had not been superseded by business.

"Florodora" was then in her first fling. Among the pretty girls of that first cast was Ethel May Harrison. They met and married in 1901.

Clubs, racetrack, theaters and gay parties drew this restless individual, who because of his addiction to a life of pleasure did not cause serious worry to his family when he disappeared in 1908 for what his friends thought would be a short time.

Waved Good-by to Wife.

At the Vanderbilt Cup race that year Taylor waved good-by to his wife, later sent to their apartment in the Colonial hotel for his clothes, but remained unheard from until the movies began to flash faces around the world. In this way his friends knew that Taylor was Tanner and not dead by any means.

His wife meantime had divorced him and married Edward Robins, restauranter, now proprietor of Delmonico's, Tanner, become Taylor, tired of the old life, found new outlet for his whims and roving disposition in the adventures that he directed for the films.

Taylor's associations were men and women whom the screen brought before all of us. We know their manner sms, their charms and their features as well as those of our own relatives. Mabel Normand was his "pal." Claire Windsor was a friend Neva Gerber was once engaged to the man, but they decided in a perfectly friendly way not to marry. He admired pretty Mary Miles Minter, famous long ago as "The Littlest Rebel."

Lived Like Elwell

Taylor lived as Elwell did, alone, and his servants went away at night. While this mode of life encourages intrigue not possible in a more open existence, it makes the occupant of a lonely house liable to attack Blackmailer or murderer could easily gain access to his intended victim.

And, like the slain whist expert, Taylor received young women callers freely at his home. He had received a visit from one of them on the very night of his death. Women's garments were found in his home as in Elwell's.

The killing of Joseph Elwell is still a mystery. Whether his slayer was a burglar or an angry or jealous man or woman has never been discovered.

Both men had grimly attractive faces. Taylor's photographs show penetrating and suspicious glance tight set lips, a knit brow. Elwell revealed a less tight expression, more good humored idle contempt. His admirers declared that look spurred on feminine acquaintances to dispel its impersonal quality.

Who killed Taylor-Tanner? Star or servant or jealous rival?

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The second trial of the suit of the Gladiolus Petroleum company against the Planet Petroleum company involving title to valuable oil property located in the south Electra pool opened Monday before Judge P. A. Martin of the 89th district court. The case was on trial several months ago in the some court. After a several day trial the plaintiff took a non suit.

The two companies own adjoining leases in the Electra pool with production valued at several hundred thousand dollars. The boundary line of the two leases is in dispute and the present suit is tresspass to try title.

Hon. Joseph Weldon Bailey of Dallas, former United States senator, is among the out of the city attorneys who are representing litigants in the trial of the case. It is expected that the case will be on trial several days.

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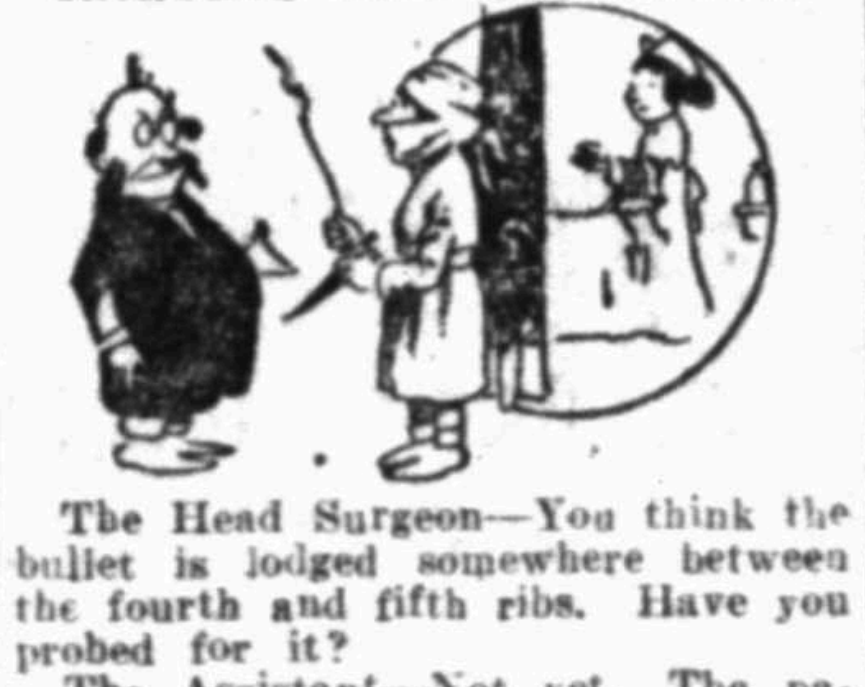
NAPIER WILL TRY CASES IN 30TH COURT

After Judge Ed Napier of the 78th district court and Judge H. R. Wilson of the 30th district court had agreed to exchange benches during the next three weeks the former Monday morning made several changes in the criminal docket of the latter court. Judge Wilson newly appointed district judge, took over the civil docket of Judge Napier's court. The change was made due to the fact that Judge Wilson was disqualified from acting as judge in the criminal cases now pending because he served as district attorney when the indictments were returned.

Judge Napier postponed the case of C. M. Wagner, former city policeman, charged with murder, until February 28. The case was set for trial Monday and a special venire of 100 men and a large number of witnesses reported. The case of C. G. Adams, charged witih robbery with firearms, was set for February 20 after he had waived the right of a special venire. The case of Mary Dobson charged with same offense, was continued for the term. The two are companion cases.

The case of Hunter Russell charged with forgery is set for February 16. Several minor cases are set for trial this morning before Judge Napier. Pending the appointment of a district attorney, state prosecutions will be in charge of County Attorney Fulton and Assistant District Attorney Holliday.

HALTING THE OPERATION



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Wonder if doctors, lawyers, ministers, bankers and professional men in general have got into the woeful habit of learning to pronounce big words correctly and of leaving it up to their stenographers to spell 'em properly? Whatcha s'pose?

Anyway, the doctors, lawyers, bankers and ministers fell down miserably yesterday noon, when the entertainment committee of the Kiwanis club staged an old-fashioned spelling bee for the membership. Representatives of the various professions fell by the wayside in steady procession. The semi-finals, so to speak, found two automobile dealers and the proprietor of a shoe store sailing blithesomely through the "tough ones" selected from his little blue book by "Teacher" Ben Neal—and in the grand wind up Homer Sanderford left one "l" out of "appellative," Frank Quiesser committed the same error, and "Dinty" Booth, harkening to subdued whispers of advice, took a chance, inserted both "ls" and won the prize of $5 offered to the champion spellar by Charles Watson.

It was a most hilarious spelling bee. "Red" Barnard and Harry Baum, as captains, selected 15 Kiwanians each, and Teacher Ben sic'ed the words on 'em. Dave Paul quit on the first round, explaining that the only words he could spell were "gifts that last;" while "Doc" Peterson was disqualified and told to stay after school for insisting upon a definition from Teacher of the word he was asked to spell.

Jouette Bonner broke under the strain of "trigonometry," but he had company as that tongue-twister caught three more Kiwanians. "Concomitant" also proved a stumbling block for many, while the slaughter was terrific when Teacher Ben slipped the harpoon into both teams with "[illegible]bration."

Prior to the spelling bee, Mrs. R. L. Cairncross, of Chicago, delighted the members of the club with several vocal solos, accompanied by Miss Annette Walsh at the piano.

The attendance prize, an inner tube given by Frank Stout, was won by Edgar P. Haney. The "silent boosts" consisted of tiny boxes of adhesive tape presented by Dr. Felix Collard.

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