Wichita Falls Record News

Day and Night Associated Press Reports By Leased Wires—Plus the Daily International News Service Report

VOLUME IV. NO. 284. TWELVE PAGES WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 11, 1923. FIVE CENTS EVERYWHERE

15 Dead; Gushing Well Blazes On

WOMAN STICKS WHEN BANDITS HOLD HUSBAND

Mexican Still Held As Hostage With Loyal Wife

REFUSES HER FREEDOM

She Is Only Woman To Remain With Brigands

Associated Press Dispatch

PEKING, May 10. — The best available information indicates that only one woman is held by the Suchow bandits, Senora Veres, wife of Manuel A. Veres of Guadalajara, Mexico, who also is a captive. She refused to leave her husband, although offered her liberty, according to reports received here.

Through traffic has been established again between here and Shanghai on temporary tracks laid around the wrecked right of way torn up by the bandits who raided the Shanghai-Peking express last Sunday morning. However, no trains are run through the bandit-infected regions at night.

Portuguese Threaten

Details filtered through official circles of a dramatic scene enacted two days ago when J. B. DeFerras, Portuguese minister, who is dean of the diplomatic corps, stalked into a meeting of the Chinese cabinet, and, refusing a proferred chair, insisted on the heads of the Chinese government rising to their feet while they heard his ultimatum.

The Portuguese minister then gave the Chinese three days of grace in which to effect the release of the captives held by the Suchow bandits, after which, he declared, the foreign representatives would insist on additional penalties and indemnities for each day added to the period of captivity.

Kell Is Elected National Chamber Commerce Head

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 10—Pleading that America bear with France in her struggle to solve the difficulties imposed by war, M. Robert Masson of Paris, director general of Credit Lyonnaise, told the chamber of commerce of the United States tonight that the mission of the Franco-Belgian armies in the Ruhr was that of a sheriff.

Frank Kell of Wichita Falls was elected director of the fourth district of the chamber today without opposition.

Frank Kell returned last night at 10:30 from New York, where he attended the national convention of the United States chamber of commerce, as the representative of the Wichita Falls chamber.

Kell has been a worker in the local chamber of commerce since its inception here, and was among the organizers of the first body. He has served as president of the local body and has also been a director, and is well known as a civic worker. His nomination and election to the national board was not a surprise, as he has occupied a position on the national directing board for several years, being re-elected.

Swiss Assassinates Russian Delegate at Lausanne Conference

Aides to Red Chief Also Wounded When Killer Fired Into Dining Room Crowd

Associated Press Dispatch

LAUSANNE, May 10.—M. Vorovsky, an unbidden guest from Soviet Russia at the Lausanne conference, lies dead tonight, slain by a Swiss, formerly an officer in the Russian service, and two of his lieutenants are wounded, each with two bullets in his body.

One of the lieutenants is Hermann Ahrens, a bolshevist from Berlin, who was the Russian's press agent at both the first and second Lausanne conferences, the other, M. Didwilkowski, Vorovsky's young Russian secretary.

The assassin, whose name is Maurice Alexander Conradi, and, whose home was in the canton of Grissons, was seized immediately after he shot the three Russians while they were dining at the Hotel Cecil, headquarters of the Russian delegation.

Most of the guests in the dining room had finished dinner when the assassin drew his revolver, and, advancing quickly, fired upon the Russians. The first bullet struck Vorovsky behind the ear; he fell across the table and uttered no word. Probably he died instantly. He was struck by other bullets also.

Ahrens, who is always armed, drew his weapon after being shot twice, but before he could use it, a waiter seized his arms, apparently fearing for the safety of the guests then crowding the doorways.

Conradi told the police tonight that his uncle and brother had been tortured and murdered by the bolshevik during the terror in Russia. His act in shooting the Russians, he declared, was one of vengeance.

BLEDSOE ELECTED MEDICAL HEAD

Associated Press Dispatch

FT. WORTH, Texas, May 10.—In a hot contest of the election of officers of the Texas Medical association, staging their final day of the fifty-seventh annual convention, Dr. M. F. Bledsoe of Port Arthur, was chosen president-elect for the ensuing year by one vote over Dr. C. M. Rosser of Dallas.

San Antonio was selected as the meeting place for 1924.

Map Maker On Flight

Associated Press Dispatch

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, May 10.—Capt. E. Lind, aviator, flying from San Antonio, Texas, to Portland, Oregon, in the interest of a government map-making project, arrived here from Rock Springs, Wyoming, late today. He is expected to take off tomorrow morning for Boise, Idaho.

61 Golfers In Match

Associated Press Dispatch

EL PASO, Texas, May 10.—Sixty-one golfers participated in the qualifying rounds of the Southwestern Golf association tournament which started here today. Forty out-of-town players are expected to appear in the qualifying rounds tomorrow morning. Scores today were high on account of wind. The team match, with five lowest players from each club entered, will be decided tomorrow morning. Flights will be made up after announcement of scores tomorrow noon and individual match play will begin at 1 o'clock.

Pythians Pick Santone

Associated Press Dispatch

HOUSTON, May 10.—Knights of Pythias of Texas selected today San Antonio as the next meeting place.

Governor Pat M. Neff, a past grand chancellor of the order, has been in attendance at all the sessions and has been the principal speaker on several occasions.

Following a plea by the governor at the business session Wednesday afternoon, $650 was raised to be used in sending Miss Beatrice Preston, a graduate of the Pythian home at Weatherford, through Baylor college.

Lea Heads Cities

Associated Press Dispatch

BRYAN, Texas, May 10.—Maj. W. A. Lea was chosen president of the Texas Municipalities by acclamation at the convention here. Frank M. Stewart of Austin, instructor in the University of Texas, was unanimously re-elected executive secretary.

THE WEATHER

East Texas: Friday and Saturday, partly cloudy to cloudy, cooler in north portion Saturday.

Oklahoma and West Texas: Friday and Saturday, partly cloudy to cloudy. Cooler Saturday.

THE DAY IN WICHITA FALLS

Changing from one extreme to another, the highest temperature of the year was recorded here Thursday when the thermometer climbed to 91 degrees at 4 p. m. The radical change followed the cold spell that swept over this vicinity the first part of the week and which is still raging over the northern states. Although the highest temperature of the season was recorded, a cool wind blew from the north throughout the day, causing it to seem really cooler than it was in reality. The lowest temperature was 61 degrees at 6 a. m.

The Day In the Legislature

SENATE

Passed: Irwin bill, prohibiting driving automobile while intoxicated; Fairchild, insurance department; Ridgeway, state park board; Bowers, authorizing Texas to join cotton states commission; Carpenter, extending Red River oil permit and six others.

Engrossed: Turner bill, abolishing special funds; Darwin, state illiteracy commission.

Reported favorably: Cowan gasoline tax bill; Witt, departmental survey committee; Floyd, weights and measures bill.

Report unfavorably: Lackey, Texas equalization bill.

Set as special orders tomorrow: Pope, text book bill; and Dinkle, income tax bill.

Granted: conference committees on eleemosynary bill; and Abner, liquor bill.

HOUSE

Began consideration of departmental appropriation bill.

Refused to concur in senate amendments to eleemosynary appropriation and Bell and Abney liquor bills.

Resolution introduced instructing house conferees to accede to senate members on judiciary appropriation bill.

Reported favorably: Senator Thomas' electrocution bill; Senator Holbrook's bill separating banking and insurance departments.

BRITISH DESPATCH WARSHIPS TO RUSSIA

Associated Press Dispatch

LONDON, May 10.—The executive of the British parliamentary labor party today sent a telegram to the Russian Soviet government, alluding to the dispatch of the British warship, Harebell to the Murman coast and begging the Soviet to refrain from any action tending to precipitate a resort to force pending further negotiations on the British ultimatum.

The warship has been ordered to the Murman coast to prevent further Soviet interference with British vessels outside the three mile limit, and to use force if necessary in performing this mission.

FIGHT TO FREE SILENT WITNESS

Man Refuses To Talk As Witness In Flogging Case

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, May 10.—Writ of habeas corpus application for release of Murry Jackson for refusal to testify before the Georgetown grand jury in connection with the investigation of the flogging of R. W. Burleson recently was dismissed by the supreme court late today for want of jurisdiction. Immediately an original application for release of G. S. Dunbar, involved in the same case, was filed in the court of criminal appeals.

The application was made a test case. Last night Judge Morrow of the lease for four men who were committed to jail at Georgetown yesterday.

Following action of the supreme court, the Dunbar case was filed in the criminal court as another test case. Last night Judge Morrow of the criminal court denied a habeas corpus application for Jackson's release. The new application was set for hearing tomorrow morning.

Two Oklahomans Sentenced To Die In Electric Chair

International News Dispatch

IDABEL, Okla., May 10.—Jack Pope and Red Harvey were sentenced to the electric chair here today and John Pope was given life imprisonment in the state penitentiary before Judge George T. Arnett in district court, following their plea of guilty to the murder of five members of the Hansell family recently.

Immediately following their sentence the men were rushed to the state penitentiary to forestall mob violence.

School Heads Will Fight Rural Bill

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, May 10.—Several county superintendents will meet here Friday to organize an effort against the rural aid school bill provision requiring county superintendents to distribute county apportionments, County Superintendent Leo Halden announced tonight.

MEMPHIS GIVES PIGGLY WIGGLY FRIGID SHOULDER

"Help Yourself" Head Deserts Home Town In Meanwhile

CHAMBER QUITS HIM

And He Removes His Million Dollar Pay Roll

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 10.—O. A. Bailey, president of the Memphis chamber of commerce, announced late today that in view of a statement issued by Clarence Saunders, president of Piggly-Wiggly Stores, Inc., the chamber of commerce would discontinue its efforts to obtain subscriptions to Piggly-Wiggly stock in Memphis.

Mr. Bailey stated, however, that the chamber of commerce would continue its efforts to retain the headquarters of the company in Memphis.

Mr. Saunders in his statement announced that he was entering into negotiations with business men in other cities which, if successful, probably would result in the moving of headquarters from Memphis.

SAUNDERS REMOVES HIS HEADQUARTERS

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 10.—Piqued because of the failure of his efforts to sell 50,000 shares of stock of the Piggly-Wiggly corporation "to save it from bankruptcy," Clarence Saunders, spectacular head of the corporation announced here this afternoon he had laid plans to remove headquarters of the company with its million dollar payroll to Nashville.

"I regret that I must make this move," Saunders said, "but the interest of Piggly-Wiggly stockholders and pool members must be protected whether there is anything left for me or not."

The city of Memphis, through the chamber of commerce, started three days ago to dispose of the 50,000 shares on the plea of Saunders that Memphis rally to his assistance. The shares were selling at $55 each and only 25,000, it was said, have been sold. Only 7,000 of this total, Saunders said, have been sold by the business men.

Saunders said in his statement that work will be halted immediately on a $10,000 home he is building here until he could make enough money to pay for its completion.

Famous Restaurant Owner Dies In N. O.

NEW ORLEANS, May 10.—Bon Vivants of the old guard here were to attend today in spirit, if not in person, the funeral of one of the most lovable characters of old-time New Orleans, the woman who presided over a restaurant world-famous for its food, and because no woman customer or visitor was permitted to enter its portals. She was "Mrs (widow) Hypholite Esperabe, nee Marie Boulasion," known as "Madame."

For many years "Madame" was the presiding genius at the restaurant of Mayelle and Esperbe. It was noted for its breakfasts but hardly less for its dinners, and there was no limit to the quantity of wine one was served with the meals, until prohibition came.

Firemen Pick McKinney

SAN MARCOS, Tex., May 10.—McKinney was chosen as the 1924 meeting place for the Texas Volunteer Firemen's convention by the association here today. Frank R. Baker of Lampasas was chosen president of the association.

People Flee Quake

LONDON, May 10.—A violent earthquake has taken place in Dalmatia, destroying houses and putting the population to flight, said a Central News dispatch from Rome today. Dalmatia is on the northern coast of the Adriatic sea.

GIRL TELLS GRAND JURORS STUDENT DECLARED HE WOULD DISAPPEAR NIGHT BEFORE HE WAS KILLED



Doris Fuchs, sweetheart of Leighton Mount, insert, whose body was found under a pier in Chicago

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, May 10.—Leighton Mount, Northwestern university student, who disappeared following class rush in September, 1921, expressed his intention of disappearing the night of the rush, Miss Doris Fuchs, a friend of the youth, today testified before the grand jury investigating his disappearance and the finding several days ago of a skeleton believed by the authorities to be Mount's under a pier in Evanston.

Miss Fuchs, who has asserted that she received a letter from Mount the same day he disappeared, said that she at first believed he had made good his threat to disappear, but since the finding of the skeleton, she told the grand jjury she believed he had been a victim of class hazing and that his body was secreted.

"I first met Leighton when two boys came to my assistance while I was trying to open the door to my apartment," Miss Fuchs told the grand jury. "Many times after that we went riding and strolling. We

(Continued on page 7)

State Money Used to Buy Booze For Oklahoma Reformatory Guards Says Woman Investigator to Gov. Walton

HAIL STONES HOLD UP TROLLEY CAR

Associated Press Dispatch

HUTCHINSON, Kan., May 10. Hail stones came down so rapidly and the air was so filled with them this afternoon that an Arkansas Valley interurban car from Wichita to Hutchinson was held up for eight minutes near Halstead. The motorman could not see ahead and waited until the storm was over. There were scattered showers in this section today.

WHEAT 14 PCT. ABOVE NORMAL

Only Small Part Of Crop Abandoned In Texas

Associated Press Dispatch

HOUSTON, Tex., May 10.—Crop conditions in Texas generally are favorable, although crops are late and need cultivation in sections, according to the May crop report of the United States division of crop and livestock estimates, announced today.

There is good season in the ground, the report states. Wheat and oats are beginning to head in some sections.

Instances of corn planting the third time are reported and much cotton required replanting due to excessive rains and cold soil, it is stated. Chopping is in progress in the lower Rio Grande Valley.

The wheat condition is placed at 85 per cent, 14 per cent above the condition at this time last year. Only eight per cent of the crop was abandoned. Small damage resulted from green bug and local hail storm, the summary states.

The hay crop is reported to show a 92 per cent condition, and pasture 92 per cent. Livestock is declared to be in good condition.

Stuart's Widow Dies

NORFOLK, Va., May 10.—Mrs. J. E. B. Stuart, widow of the famous confederate general, died here late this afternoon after a brief illness.

Food For Youths Was Of Poor Quality and Boys Were Handled Roughly

International News Dispatch

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 10.—State money was used to buy whiskey for guards at the state training school for boys at Pauls Valley, Mrs. Mabel Bassett told Gov. J. C. Walton today.

Previous charges of cruelty to boy inmates made by Mrs. Bassett in a report to the governor were denied by W. C. Breeding, superintendent of the reformatory. Mrs. Bassett charges that political friends are defending Breeding, whose discharge she urges.

Governor Walton has appointed a committee to investigate the charges made by her. A farmer living near Pauls Valley made whiskey for guards and officers, according to her testimony. A former guard is alleged to have told of two other guards buying a new "worm" for Bowen's still when the old one began to leak.

Charges of alleged brutality were repeated to the governor by Mrs. Bassett today, who also declared that food for the inmates was of poor quality and ill prepared.

T N T WOULD HALT OIL FIELD FIRE SAYS U. S. EXPERT

WASHINGTON, May 10. — Dr. Charles E. Munroe, chief explosive chemist of the bureal of mines, suggested today that the safest and easiest way to control the oil well fire near Corsicana, Texas, which has resulted in the death and injury to 13 or more persons, would be to blow out the flames with TNT.

"I know that it sounds spectacular to suggest that an oil well fire, resulting from an explosion, should be blown with TNT, but it is not spectacular in fact," said Dr. Munroe. "It is a simple, scientific method of control used before with complete success. All that is necessary is to stretch a cable near the oil well fire, from which cartridges of TNT were suspended, and then they are set off simultaneously with detonators electrically operated from the ground at a safe distance. One big puff and the fire is out."

Mussolini Is Not Foe To Suffragists

International News Dispatch

ROME, May 10.—Premier Benito Mussolini, of Italy, founder of the fascisti, and most spectacular political figure in the world, today told International News Service that he is not opposed to woman suffrage "in principle," but he cannot see why the vote should be conferred just because a person "has reached a certain age."

Fraud Orders Issued Against Doc Cook

International News Dispatch

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Fraud orders were issued today by Postmaster General New against Dr. Frederick A. Cook and those associated with him in the development of oil companies in Texas.

Dr. Cook is already under federal indictment for using the mails to defraud, and the order today has the effect of permitting the postoffice department to seize any mail addressed to the companies with which he is connected.

Editors Serve In Jail

Associated Press Dispatch

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 10.—Three members of the editorial staff of the Birmingham Post, E. T. Leech, editor; Jack Bethea, managing editor; and Lewis Robinson, reporter; completed a 24-hour sentence for contempt of court this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock and gained their freedom.

WITNESS FAILS SOLONS CALL

Hull Youngblood Does Not Show Up For Probe

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Tex., May 10.—Hull Youngblood of San Antonio, failed to appear at 8 o'clock tonight to be examined before a bar of the house concerning a statement of corruption in the legislature he is alleged to have made in a speech at San Antonio.

Although the house was advised from San Antonio today that he would appear, under summons of that body, Youngblood was not present. When his name was called, Speaker Seagler instructed the sergeant at arms to telephone San Antonio in an effort to learn whether the witness had left.

After Representative Patman reported that "there was reason to believe the witness does not intend to appear here at this time," the speaker appointed a committee composed of Patman, Irwin and Shires to determine why Youngblood did not appear and recommend the further course to be followed.

It was understood that the sergeant-at-arms was informed by telephone that Youngblood had been in the office of an attorney at San Antonio tonight.

Mr. Patman reported to the house that the chief deputy sheriff at San Antonio had telephoned the sergeant-at-arms today that it would not be necessary to serve a process upon Youngblood, the latter having promised to appear in Austin tonight.

In view of the present session ending next Tuesday, the recommendation of the committee appointed tonight probably will be that, in event of another special session being called soon, the Youngblood investigation be taken up then to give time for action, according to a member of the committee. Under tentative plans, the committee will meet tomorrow.

Humphreys Starts Memorial Fund For Oil Victims' Families

Associated Press Dispatch

MEXIA, Texas, May 10.—Col. A. E. Humphreys, head of the Humphreys' Pure Oil company, today launched a memorial fund for the families of the Hughes-McKie well victims, his company's contribution being $5,000. Colonel Humphreys said it is not unusual to witness loss of life attendant to great achievements.

Woman Admits Using Name of Chas. Schwab

NEW YORK, May 10.—Mrs. Myrtle B. Hayes, Boston real estate operator, pleaded not guilty when arraigned today on the charge of second degree forgery for the alleged use of the name of Charles M. Schwab, multi-millionaire steel magnate.

Mrs. Hayes, a refined appearing, attractive woman of 47, is alleged to have signed Schwab's name to notes and to have represented to business men that Schwab was "back of her" to the extent of $1,000,000. She was interested in promoting an apartment house project in Boston.

STREAKS OF RED FLAMES HURL SELVES INTO AIR

These Disappear In Mountain Of Black Smoke Clouds

FEW BODIES FOUND

Hundreds Throng Morgue To View Charred Remains

Associated Press Dispatch

CORSICANA, Texas, May 10. The Hughes-McKie well, in the explosion of which yesterday at least 15 men lost their lives, continued to gush forth its giant torch of fire this afternoon, fed by the constant flow of 15,000 barrels of oil and 3,000,000 feet of gas.

For more than 24 hours the flames have leaped high in spectacular capers, accentuated against the sky with the approach of another nightfall. Red streaks of fire soar as from a mighty nozzle, disappearing in huge black clouds of smoke, which drift with the wind in a surging blast.

Must Use Fire Foam.

The wind switched from the southward to the west early this evening, the huge smokestack releasing its flow in the direction of Powell, leaving darkened elements in its wake.

Men are working like Trojans to get fire extinguishing equipment in place. Every company owning equipment in the Powell field has tendered the use of all available boilers. It will be necessary to use fire foam and steam from a dozen boilers.

Six Bodies Still in Zone.

The burned bodies of at least six men remain in the fire zone, according to DeWitt Watkins, one of those in charge at the well tonight. He said five bodies could be seen near the well, and that at least another workman was missing. One or two spectators have perished, he believes. Jime Ball, foreman, in charge of the work, estimates the final death toll will reach 18.

J. K. Hughes, head of the J. K. Hughes Development company, owning the lease, accompanied by J. S. Banks, his attorney, were here this afternoon, checking up the number of dead and missing.

At headquarters of the company at Mexia, a statement issued placed the dead at 16 this afternoon.

Memorial Service Today.

Hundreds thronged in and out and lingered about the Southland Undertaking parlors all day today, eager to catch a glimpse of the charred bodies of some of the working crew perishing in the explosion when the well ignited.

Memorial services in honor of the oil field workers who lost their lives, will be held at the Gospel church here tomorrow, and the ceremonies will be conducted under the auspices of the chamber of commerce, Mayor J. E. Eubank, and members of the administration, president of the Rotary, Lions, Civic and Advertising clubs, and the Retail Merchant's association. Every minister in Corsicana will take part in the program.

SEVEN BODIES REMOVED FROM FIRE

CORSICANA, Texas, May 10. Seven charred bodies have been recovered from the giant wildcat inferno, and six have been identified as follows:

Louis P. Sheek, Dallas, Texas.
E. G. Byrd, Corsicana, Texas.
W. A. Phillips, Kerens, Texas.
Fred E. Craig, Corsicana.

(Continued on Page Seven.)

TWO KILLED WHEN TRAIN HITS AUTO

Associated Press Dispatch

CINCINNATI, May 10. — Two members of the family of Joseph B. Fischer, carpenter, were killed tonight when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Baltimore & Ohio passenger train at a crossing in Hartwell, a suburb of Cincinnati.

The dead are: Mrs. Joseph B. Fischer and one of her five children. The father and four children were seriously injured, and at the hospital where they were taken, it was feared the father and one child would die.

REFINING PLANT FIRE STILL BURNS

Associated Press Dispatch

LOS ANGELES, May 10.—The fire which started at 10 o'clock this morning at the plant of the Gorham Engineering company and spread to the plant of the Pacific American Petroleum company, burning one man to death and causing property loss of approximately $150,000, although under control, was still burning at a late hour today.

Jim Ferguson, Wrecker of Political Fortunes, Comes Back Again With Fight To Clear Him Of Impeachment

BY S. RAYMOND BROOKS.
(Staff Capital Correspondent.)

AUSTIN, Texas, May 10.—Jim Ferguson, most spectacular meteor which ever flashed above the Texas political horizon, is back again, haunting the minds of legislators and shattering serenity of the session. Like Banquo's ghost, the former Texas governor refuses to be put away.

The mention of his name, in legislative halls, now draws flashes of the old political fight, which in impeachment and removal of Ferguson from office, ended one regime, and instituted new political lines of demarcation.

Resolution, to wipe the official record clear of Ferguson's impeachment and the judgment of the Texas senate barring him from ever again holding state office, will be introduced again in the Texas legislature before end of the special session.

Turmoil in Senate.

This resolution, offered in the senate during the regular session, and for five minutes standing in the records as having been adopted, brought about the wildest scenes of parliamentary turmoil and conflict which have been witnessed in the Texas legislature since that body sat as a solemn high court of impeachment upon the same Texas governor.



James E. Ferguson

The resolution was offered by Burkett in the regular session, while Senator Parr was in the chair; and was declared adopted and the senate adjourned, on motion of Burkett, before many senators realized what was happening. Lieut. Gov. T. W. Davidson was pressed back into the chair, declared the session not adjourned, and the senate adopted a motion, by Bailey of DeWitt, to expunge from the senate record all reference to the Ferguson resolution and the adjournment.

His Power.

While virtually every man in public life still asserts violent partisanship on what has become of "The Ferguson Question," it is remembered that Ferguson—section hand, farmer, stockraiser, country banker, political editor, governor of Texas, runner-up for the nomination by a political party he had publicly forsaken, for the United States senate, when nomination meant election—has been re-

(Continued on Page 7.)

EMERGENCY CALLS ONLY

Free Auto Service

Realizing that there are emergency calls out of Wichita Falls occuring during the night because of the grave illness of relatives in surrounding towns, the management of The Record News offers the service of its auto newspaper delivery lines to Wichita Falls citizens, who through such emergencies are called to any of the following towns: Barkburnett, Grandfield, Petrolia, Byers, Wsurika, Munday, Mankins, Seymour, Bomarton, Goree, Archer City, Olney, New Castle, Graham and Haskell. These autos leave The Record News office at 3 a. m. daily and Sunday. Arrangements may be made by phoning the managing editor of The Record News, 4107. He is on the job nightly until 2:30 a. m.

IOWA PARK TO HAVE BIG BAND

Instructor For Boys And Girls Employed By City

IOWA PARK, May 10.—The chamber of commerce of Iowa Park has employed Fuqua Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Webb, as band instructor for the boys and the few girls that care to take band music.

There have been more than 25 boys and girls signed for practice. The students will meet five nights of each week for training. The instructor is very enthusiastic over the prospects for a good band and every effort will be put forth to materialize a first class boys' band in the next year or two. The present place of meeting is in the First Christian church.

Miss Gertrude Prueitt, who is a local teacher in the Iowa Park schools, returned home Sunday afternoon from a visit to friends in Amarillo.

J. C. Murphree, Sr., is in White Deer this week on business for the Iowa Park Producing and Refining Oil company.

Miss Opal Trussell, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Thelma Thrussell left for Wichita Falls today to spend a week with friends at that place.

Dewey Hobson, who has been with Dickson Dry Goods company, of Vernon, for some time, was down Sunday to see home folks.

Miss Orphis Dennis, teacher in the Electra public schools, was home with her parents, Rev. C. A. Dennis and wife last Sunday.

The following funerals have taken place in Iowa Park in the last week: Mrs. J. H. Gohn, of Orange, Texas, was passing through, moving to Electra last Saturday, living two days after twins had been born to her, was laid to rest in the Highland cemetery Tuesday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. W. Dennis and Rev. R. C. Hopper; Mr. Andrew Davis Taylor, who was stricken with typhoid fever, a few weeks ago, was laid to rest in the Highland cemetery Sunday afternoon. He was the son of Jim Taylor and lived south of Iowa Park; Mrs. Mary Irene Stanford, age 76, died of old age last week, and was buried the latter part of last week. She lived six miles south of Iowa Park.

Final Examinations

The pupils of the Iowa Park public school will start taking the final examinations Monday afternoon and finish Thursday and Friday; May 16-17. The examination comes as follows: Monday afternoon, 11th, arithmetic; tenth, geometry; seventh, grade arithmetic; and eighth, grade English. Tuesday forenoon: tenth and eleventh English, ninth algebra; eighth, history; and seventh, grade civics. Tuesday afternoon: vocational agriculture; eighth and ninth, domestic science; eighth, Latin; eighth, science; seventh, grade grammar and Home Nursing. Wednesday forenoon: Caesar; seventh, reading and spelling; ninth, history; and tenth and 11th, domestic science. Wednesday afternoon: seventh grade agriculture; tenth and 11th history; ninth algebra and eighth algebra and Thursday ninth and tenth algebra.

Clara Takes Two Out of Three.

The Clara high school crossed bats with the Boy Scouts of Iowa Park Wednesday afternoon for the third time. Clara boys led off with five runs in the first inning and two in the second. They were stopped by the scouts until the seventh inning, thereby making only two scores in the seventh. The Iowa Park boys scored three times in the second, one in the third and one in the fourth and four in the eighth, tying the score. Nichols knocked a home run in the ninth, which gave the Clara boys the two best of three games.

The line-up is as follows: Iowa Park: Batteries: Enloe, catcher, Zaney White and Jones, pitchers; Tanner also was put in as catcher; Hill, rf; Estes, ss; Brabaker, 1b; Beasley, 2b; Hendrix, lf; Chows, rf; and Golden, rf. Clara line-up: Batteries: Nichols, c; Hoffman, p; Schoeader, sc; Jordan, 3b; Nichols, 1b; Walker, cf; Bain, rf; Bryant, 2b; Garret, lf.

NEW GEMS BY O. HENRY

A Treasure Trove of Humor From His Newly Discovered Newspaper Writings

THE CONFESSION OF A MURDERER

He is dead and I killed him.

I gaze upon him, lying cold and still, with the crimson blood welling from his wound, and I laugh with joy. On my hands his life blood leaped, and I hold it proudly aloft bearing its accusive stain, and in my heart there is no pity, no remorse, no softness. Seeing him lie there, crushed and pulseless, is to me more than the pleasure of paradise. For months he escaped me. With all the intense hate I bore him at times, I felt admiration for his marvelous courage, his brazen effontry, his absolute ignorance of fear. Why did I kill him? Because he had, with a fixed purpose and a diabolical, pesistent effrontery, conspired to rob me of that which is as dear to me as my life. Brave as I have said he was, he scarcely dared to openly cross my path, but with insidious cunning had ever sought to strike me a blow in the dark.

I did not fear him, but I knew his power, and I dared not give him his opportunity.

Many a sleepless night I have spent, planning some means to rid myself of his devilish machinations. He even attempted to torture me by seeking to harm her whom I love. He approached her, with the utmost care and cunning, wearing the guise of a friend, but striving to instill his poison into her innocent heart.

But, thank heaven, she was faithful and true, and his honeyed songs and wiles had no effect. When she would tell me of his approaches, how I would grind my teeth and clinch my hands in fury and long for the time when I would wreak a just vengeance upon him. The time had come. I found him worn and helpless from cold and hunger, but there was no pity in my heart. I struck him down and revelled with heartfelt joy when I saw him sink down, bathed in blood, and die by my hands. I do not fear the consequences. When I tell my tale I will be upheld by all.

He is dead, and I am satisfied. I think he is the largest and fattest mosquito I ever saw.

"GET OFF THE EARTH"

"'Git off the earth,'" says I,
"With your muddy boots and your dirty face;
Sich a bother I never see.
You're the biggest torment in the place;
Forever worryin' an' pesterin' me.

"'Git off the earth,'" says I,
I didn't mean that, but I was so vexed
At the boy's disturbin' way;
I never knew what he would do next
In his noisy, mischief makin' play.

"'Git off the earth,'" says I.
And that very night the fever came;
And now I'm cryin' to heaven in vain
For just one more touch of them same
Lost little grimy hands again.

Copyright, 1923, by The Houston Post. Published by arrangement with The Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.

Duncan Briefs

Special Dispatch to Record News

DUNCAN, Okla., May 12.—Duncan is awaiting with great interest the oportunity to entertain the Oklahoma Press association, to meet here May 11-12, in the thirty-second assembly of the organization. Reports from Secretary E. A. Bronson, El Reno, and the reservations made in advance here for rooms, indicate that there will be at least 300 editors and their wives here for the convention.

Duncan, through the chamber of commerce, retail merchants' association, Rotary, Kiwanis, Lions and Universitw clubs, American Legion, Woman's Federation of clubs and the citizens in general have combined to make the gathering of the editors a gala event. It is the first opportunity for Duncan to entertain the knights of the quill, and the importance of the occasion is fully realized. Aside from the many hotel accommodations, the homes of the city have been thrown open to the visitors, and there will be no paucity of lodging quarters.

The program of entertainment includes concerts for two days by the 60-piece military band from Fort Sill, which will include an orchestra for the annual ball to be given Friday night. The glee club of the Oklahoma college for women at Chickasha, composed of 40 talented young women, will give a diversified program Friday evening. An entertainment will be given to the visiting ladies by the women's clubs of Duncan. Tickets to the picture shows will be provided for the two days. Entertainment at the country club, scenic drives over the oil field and to the refineries, and automobiles awaiting at all times for the visitors. Saturday morning at 8 o'clock plenty of automobiles will be in waiting to drive to Lawton and Medicine park, where a day's entertainment will be staged, including a big fish fry at the latter place, and all amusements of the park will be turned over to the editors as guests of Congressman Elmer Thomas. The state editors' home there will be headquarters.

It is heralded that there will be sharp competition between several of the cities for the next annual convention, including Bartlesville, Tulsa, Okmulgee, Bristow and Sulphur, the latter bringing 100 boosters and a band to storm the convention.

Dean H. H. Herbert of the Oklahoma university school of journalism, who is on the program for an address, will bring 30 of his advanced students with him for the convention.

Oil Engineer Goes To Extinguish Fire

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Tex., May 10.—C. O. Rison, petroleum and mechanical engineer of the state railroad commission, today was dispatched to Corsicana to assist in extinguishing the fire at the Hughes-McKie oil well, which has been burning since reneeday. Rison has assisted in extinguishing a number of similar fires, according to officials.

New Admits There Is Dissension In G.O.P.

MANSFIELD, Ohio, May 10.—Admission that there is division in republican party ranks was made by Postmaster General Harry S. New, in an address here tonight, in which he pledged for the party solidarity against "foes, individuals with pet theories, and fragmentary factions," and declared that as a result of accomplishment of the Harding administration on "the unexpected may happen" in the form of an early reduction of federal taxation.

The House of Dignified Credit

Your Account Is OK!



With

W. T. Farley

DON'T WAIT FOR PAY DAY!

Buy Your Spring Clothes On Credit

You pay no more, but get more time to pay. Our convenient credit plan makes it easy to wear the newest spring styles on very easy payments. Only a small down payment and you may have your choice of any garment in the house. Buy now—pay later—in small amounts to suit your convenience.

OPEN A CHARGE ACCOUNT



A Splendid Showing of New, Fresh, Crisp

DRESSES

Smart, new spring and summer styles—a charming array of all the latest creations. Canton Crepe, Flat Crepe in all the wanted shades. Weekly payments.

$9.98 Up

Marvelous Display of Hats

New shapes, mostly straws flower and fruit trimmed, large and small—

$3.95 UP

New Capes and Coats

Straight line, slender models, youthful Sport Coats, flaring Capes, Wraps, Perfect fit guaranteed—

$14.50 UP

Greater Values in Men's All Wool Snappy

SUITS

New, rich, soft fabrics in cashimeres and fine worsteds. Pencil stripes and checks—in sport and Norfolk styles for young men. Open an account now.

$22.50 Up

Boys' 2-Pants Suits

A really fine selection of good, all-wool fabrics, serge, tweed, cashimeres—

$9.95 UP

New Spring Hats For Men

All the best features of a good Hat are contained in ours. Choose yours tomorrow—

$2.50 UP



W. T. FARLEY

611 Eighth Street

The House of Dignified Credit

I AM SORRY

We could not wait on the great crowds yesterday at the

BIG SALE

Free Ice-Cold Drinks

COME IN TODAY

4-piece Aluminum Set with 10 purchases

Biggest Bargain Event in Our History for Today

Ladies' Summer Knit Union Suits, pair... **29c**

32-in. Gingham per yard **14¾c**

Calico Yard **5c** 32-in. Percale, yard, short lengths.... 9c

Did You Get One of the Big Two-page Circulars?

36-inch Soft Finish Bleached Domestic yard **10c**

Minute Sales 11:00 to 11:30 o'Clock Today and Saturday 4 yards Tissue Gingham for **88c**

Ladies' Muslin Gowns 2 for.. **88c**

Minute Sales 4:30 to 5:30 o'Clock 32-inch Kal Burnie Gingham, 5 yards for— **79c**

Cor. 8th Street and Indiana Basement American Nat'l Bank

RICHARDSON'S BARGAIN BASEMENT

E. E. RICHARDSON, OWNER

A Page of Society and Household News for the Woman Reader

United Daughters Confederacy Give Delightful Benefit

An affair of the week attended and enjoyed by large crowds was the benefit "42" party at the home of Judge and Mrs. John C. Kay, Thursday afternoon and evening when 50 tables were arranged all over the spacious lower floor of the house for the games, and the hostesses were—

The house was lovely with decorations of fragrant peach blossoms and roses, and throughout the hours, an entertaining program was given. An informal receiving line was formed of the Daughters, who acted as most charming hostesses all the afternoon and evening.

Those assisting on the programs were Mrs. T. B. Greenwood, violin solo; Miss Bernice Martin, reading; Mrs. Fred Barron, solo; Miss Josephine Fisk, Spanish songs, playing her own accompaniment on the guitar; Mrs. W. M. Priddy, solo; Miss Thelma Cain, reading; Miss Vivian Bailey, violin number; Miss Kathleen Lynch, reading; and Miss Hazelle Dean, solo. The numbers were given during the afternoon and evening, and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Reservations were made for several charming parties, and the affair was declared to be one of the most enjoyable of the spring season.

MRS. ECKART HOSTESS TO IDLE HOUR CLUB

Mrs. Ed Eckert was hostess to the Idle Hour club Wednesday afternoon, when three tables were arranged for bridge. The house was attractively decorated in sweet peas and roses and at the close of the games, Mrs. E. D. Steward, who scored high, was remembered with a letter opener. Mrs. Dan Blackburn made low and was consoled with a dainty pink hand-embroidered handkerchief.

Pink and white mints were served throughout the afternoon and at the close, sandwiches cut in the shape of hearts, clubs, diamonds and spades, heavenly hash and angel food cake, with plate favors of cream roses, was served to Mesdames George Dobie, Henry Hund, Verne Baker, R. B. Parker, E. D. Steward, E. O. Ward, Charles E. Watson, Dan Blackburn, J. L. Swanner, Stanley Marlow, D. H. Whitehill and Fred Lane.

MRS. WILLIAMS MADE HEAD OF MOTHERS' CLUB

With 75 members present, the last meeting of the club year, held by the Sam Houston Mothers' club at the school Thursday afternoon proved one of the most interesting of the entire season. An election of officers was held in which Mrs. Williams was made president; Mrs. W. P. Warren, former president, was elected vice president; Mrs. Williamson, secretary; Mrs. Carr, treasurer, and Mrs. L. R. Sheldon, press reporter.

An informal program included a song by pupils of the third grade; piano solo by Winnie Bell Morris; song by pupils of the seventh grade, and a talk of appreciation in behalf of the seventh grade, who will leave the school for junior high next year, by a seventh grade boy.

During the business session the secretary gave a report of the year's work, and the treasurer gave one including the expenses and money made by the club.

At the conclusion of the session it was shown that Miss Thora Jones' room had won the prize for the most mothers present.

Today's Calendar

Mrs. L. E. McConnell, 1104 Monroe street, will be hostess to the 1922 Study club, afternoon.

The Highland Heights Civic league will meet with Mrs. Walter McAbee, at 2 o'clock for a parliamentary drill. Members are asked to bring their pencil and paper.

The Cypher club will give a dance at Lake Wichita, opening the summer program, evening.

Students of St. Mary Immaculate academy will be presented in an operetta, "A Rose Dream," at the Wichita theater, evening.

The Pollyanna Sunday school class of the First Baptist church, will hold their annual banquet at the church, honoring their mothers this evening at 8 o'clock.

The Business and Professional Women will give a "Rose" reception at the Y. W. C. A. honoring three brides of the club, evening.

Mrs. Jack Bowman, 901 Austin, will be hostess to the Radio "42" club, afternoon.

Mrs. W. M. Gamble, 2007 Lucile, will be hostess to the Fidelity Bridge club, afternoon.

Mrs. R. L. Dillard, 1820 Huff, assisted by Mesdames Carlisle Norwood and S. L. McDowell, will entertain the Floral Heights Wesley Girls at her home, afternoon.

JONES-DODD NUPTIALS SOMELNIZED

Miss Grace Dodd of this city and James Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones, were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dodd, Henrietta, at 8:30 o'clock Thursday morning, the Rev. Lambreth Hancock, assistant pastor of the First Christian church officiating.

The living room was beautifully decorated with roses and potted plants for the occasion and the ceremony was witnessed by relatives and friends.

Miss Bess Caswell of Marshall, Texas, acted as maid of honor, and J. A. Railey of this city was Mr. Jones' best man. Master Maupin Dodd was the little ring bearer. Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. Lambreth Hancock sang "O Promise me," accompanied by Mrs. R. E. Strange of Wichita Falls at the piano.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones motored to Medicine Park for a week or so, after which they will return to Wichita Falls and will be at home at 1901 Collins avenue. The bride has lived in Wichita Falls about a year, and is a member of the Business Women's club.

U. D. C. PICNIC TO BE SATURDAY

The annual picnic of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will be given at Scotland Park Saturday, according to an announcement made Thursday. All veterans and their wives, visiting daughters, and all who contemplate going, are asked to meet at the First Presbyterian church at 11:00 Saturday morning.

MRS. PATILLO TO HEAD STANDARD CLUB

Mrs. A. D. Patillo was elected head of the Standard club for next year, taking up her duties of office in the fall, at the last session of the year held at Mrs. Patillo's home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. J. D. Downing was elected vice president; Mrs. G. H. Wilson, secretary; Mrs. C. C. Paxtet, treasurer; Mrs. R. D. Ford, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. R. W. Gutzler, parliamentarian.

During the business session, a report was given of the district meeting held recently at Bowie, and plans were discussed for a picnic to be given by the Standard club at the 1922 Study club and their husbands.

The living room and dining room was beautifully decorated for the occasion in the club colors, of green and white, and the color scheme was further carried out in the dainty refreshment plate served by little Misses Elizabeth Downing and Laurie Glen Patillo to Mesdames C. E. Bailey, S. S. L. Conn, T. M. Conrey, J. L. Downing, O. M. Dislere, R. D. Ford, R. W. Gutzler, J. M. Isbell, T. P. Kelm, G. H. Wilson, O. P. Mariele, F. E. McConnell, A. C. Price, C. W. Staley and J. E. Shipley.

EPWORTH LEAGUE TO GIVE WEINIE ROAST

Members of the Epworth league of the First Methodist church, South, will hold a weinie roast this evening. They will meet at the church at 7 o'clock, where ways of going to the chosen place will be provided for everyone.

MRS. SENAC HONORS GUEST AT "42"

Complimenting her sister, Miss Clara Castleberry of San Antonio, Mrs. E. J. Senac entertained two tables of "42" at her home Wednesday. The house was beautifully decorated in cut flowers and victrola music was enjoyed, and refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee was served to Mesdames Frank Ramsey, Elbert Hanks, Bell Mayes, D. M. Parker, O. C. Blanton and D. M. Blanton of Claude, Texas.

MEDIUM BROWN HAIR looks best of all after a Golden Glint Shampoo.—Adv.

BOARD HEARS FROM COMMITTEES

Discussion of the new Y. W. C. A. building, to be erected on the corner of Eighth and Austin streets in the near future, and reports from various standing committees, especially the building committee, featured the May meeting of the executive board of the Y. W. C. A. held Thursday morning.

The session was presided over by Mrs. W. W. Silk in the absence of Mrs. B. L. Fain, the president, who is ill, and others present were Mesdames Carter, McGregor, W. P. Killingsworth, C. W. Beavers, J. A. Richolt, H. B. Patterson, Charles Pogenphol, W. O. Davidson, Beulah Boggess, and Misses Irma Durnal and Janie McCalister.

BARWISE SCHOOL TO GIVE MATINEE

The Mother's club of the Barwise school will give a matinee at the Olympic Saturday morning to see the picture "Hunting Big Game in Africa." Tickets will be ten cents each, and the proceeds will be used for the benefit of the school.

MRS. RALPH POND HOSTESS TO B. O. P.

With Mrs. P. S. Richardson joint hostess, Mrs. Ralph Pond entertained the B. O. P. class of the Floral Heights Methodist Sunday school in a delightful social session at her home, 1911 Elizabeth street, Wednesday afternoon.

Tables were arrangd for "42" and the games and fancy work featured the diversion.

At the close of the afternoon, a dainty ice course was served to Mesdames J. B. Ferguson, Ernest Archambeau, Beverly C. E. Young, Houston Cowden, Charles Reagan, Glen Berry, J. B. Reighard, A. C. Camp, Arthur Johnson, H. C. Jasper, Joe Stokes Jr., John Morrison, Murphy of San Antonio, and Louis DeMont.

Society Personals

Mrs. Wiley Cox and son, Eugene, of Shawnee, Okla., are here for a brief visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ricks, 705 Burnett street.

◆ ◆

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Fisher have returned from business trip to Clairmont, Texas.

◆ ◆

Mrs. Merril Blair of Kemp Kort is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Robert Campbell, of Houston.

◆ ◆

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ramsey and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hays attended a meeting of the Rebekah lodge last night at Petrolia.

Mrs. Frank Rice is here from Chattanooga, Tenn., visiting Mrs. W. M. McGregor.

◆ ◆

Mrs. K. B. Cox of San Angelo is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jack Barnard, for two weeks.

◆ ◆

Miss Clara Castleberry of San Antonio is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. J. Senac.

◆ ◆

C. W. Gilliland has returned from a two weeks' business trip in California.

◆ ◆

Mrs. C. M. Frances of Stamford, Texas, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. W. Gilliland, at 2615 Ninth street.

Mrs. D. H. Conner of Arlington is the house guest of Mrs. Harry Weeks.

THE HOUSE OF DIAMONDS

Gifts for Mother's Day



Sunday, May 13th is Mothers' Day. All over the country it will be observed as a time when Mothers will receive especial attention in every way from their children, both young and old.

Don't Forget Mother

You will want to give your Mother a present on this day, so we call your attention to our

Silverware, Jewelry, Clocks, Toiletware and Dress Accessories

We invite you to see these beautiful gifts and counsel with us about "Mother's Present."

The House of Diamonds — HALTOM-FREIDLEY — S.E. Corner 8th & Indiana

Kimberlin-Smith Co
INCORPORATED
Correct Apparel for Women & Misses



Friday and Saturday
Reduction Sale
of Suits, Coats and Capes

New authentic styles of every conceivable mode, values that will make them quickly go. Come early to have complete selection. The entire stock at—

15% to 33 1-3% Discount

All novelty suits at 1-3 off. Tailored models 15 per cent off. Practically all coats 1-4 off and capes 15 per cent to 25 per cent discount.

Extraordinary Values In Our Usual Week-End

Dress Sale
at
$19.95
Values $29.50 to $39.50



Phenomenal!—In every sense of the word, from the standpoint of selection—variety—style—material and value. We are making every effort to make these week-end sales of dresses—offered every week-end—the most extraordinary value-giving event in the city. They include new special purchases, coupled with frocks from our own carefully selected stock. They are all bought at great reductions or have taken drastic mark downs.



Sport Things
At Popular Prices

Dresses for Sports wear in beautiful new styles—new materials and new trimmings—and in the most radiant colors and color combinations. Among them you will find all the silk crepe family charmingly combined with contrasting colors in many designs, pleated and plain skirts. Three-piece affairs, sizes 14 to 42. The best selection New York has to offer and the prices are popular.

$25.00 to $49.50
Others Up To $59.50 and $69.50

Sports Skirts in a variety of the newest styles in materials of the various crepes and white and novelty wools. Baby and knife pleats and plain. The largest selection we have ever shown at popular prices.

$5.95 to $13.95
Others Up To $19.75 and $24.75

Novelty Silk Fibre and Wool Sweaters
In Slipover and Tuxedo styles at—
$3.45 to $11.75

Long Silk Gloves
In Tan and Grey colors. Made of excellent silk. Popularly priced at
$1.95
Fancy novelty Silk Gloves up to $2.50



For Graduation
Snow White Footwear

GRADUATION—One of the greatest events to every girl, should be attended with all pomp and splendor.
There's a feeling of just pride the graduate feels, and when she steps out on the stage to accept the diploma she so well deserves, there comes the realization that thousands of admiring eyes are focused on her. Naturally—she must appear at her best. Her footwear must be correct and we as ladies' footwear specialists, are prepared to fit her in slippers that add charm and beauty to her graduation costume.

SANDERFORDS Booterie
9th ST. AT 824 INDIANA

Phone 3004. Quality Shoe Store

Mother's Day Sunday May 13th



To The Dearest Sweetheart

A box of delicious candy will gladden the day and is most expressive of your thoughts.

After all, Mother is the dearest word in any language and as we grow older we value her more and more.

Don't forget Mother!

Central Drug Store
Agents for Saylors and Elmers Candies
826 Indiana Phone 3867.

WICHITA FALLS RECORD NEWS

Published every day by The Record News Company
Telephone Numbers—4121 and 4122

MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for publication of all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper and also the local news published herein. All rights of republication of special dispatches herein are also reserved.

Entered at the postoffice at Wichita Falls as second class matter.

Advertising rates furnished on application. National Advertising Representative—Knill Burke Inc., New York City, Brokaw Bldg. Broadway and 42nd, Chicago 122 South Michigan Ave.

DAILY AND SUNDAY

By Carrier in Wichita Falls and Trade Territory:

One month 65 cents; three months $1.95; six months $3.90; one year $7.50.

MAIL

Texas and Oklahoma one month 65c; three months $1.95; six months $2.75; one year $5.00.

Other States, one month $1.00; three months $3.00; six months $5.00; one year $9.00.

BUSINESS SIGNS OF THE TIMES

British government securities are making astonishing advances and the British pound sterling is nearing the top. French foreign trade increased in March. London reports a rising market with active speculation in industrial shares. Prices are rising again in the markets of Germany and Ireland shows rapid advancement.

There are European financiers who say that the German captains of industry have formed a huge metal and engineering trust which are to be connected with the General Electricity corporation.

Norway has a new law which provides for the taking over of control of crippled financial institutions and placing the same on a substantial foundation. Here in America financiers report business is good all over the West and their only fear is that shortage of cars may check the rush of trade in the fall.

All building records have been broken. Profits of American petroleum companies as reported, are the largest in the history of the industry.

American steel mills are operating at 83 per cent or better and structural steel and wire goods show heavy advances from a price standpoint. American trade journals say there is no sign of let up at the American steel mills.

They say that the demand pressure has advanced prices 45 to 50 per cent above the figures of March 1922 and they fear that the demand for steel products cannot be met.

Indeed these statisticians say that the sheet and tin plate mills of America cannot turn out enough to go around. These writers on the steel industry say that the United States leads all countries of the world in the export of steel rails.

This position, they add, has been held since the world war, prior to which Germany ranked first in such shipments with the United Kingdom holding second place. Japan is buying steel rails in America; Cuba is buying steel rails in America; Canada is buying steel rails in America. American critics of Japan and the Japanese are reminded that American exports to Japan for the year of 1922 were over four times as great as the pre-war average.

America is the stronghold of the auto industry. April production of motor cars and trucks went beyond the 350,000 mark and in May, the plants were going at top speed. Henry Ford has a daily output of 6,000 cars and orders are behind with the Fords as with other major car manufacturers.

Automotive trade journals say that the quarter beginning April 1 and ending July 1 may establish a new high record far ahead of the 872,000 cars and trucks produced in the first three months of the year 1923. Some call it another period of inflation; some call it the beginning of a period of prosperity that will continue for five or more years. Of course the republican administration leaders will claim the credit of these remarkable activities in the world of industry and finance and attribute it all to the wise policies of a republican president and a republican congress.

Wool is in demand at fancy prices. Mohair is in demand at fancy prices. Now if Texas produces from 3,000,000 to 3,500,000 bales of cotton this season and there is a fancy price for the fleecy staple there is certain to be $600,000,000 placed in the pockets of the cotton, the wool and the mohair growers of the Lone Star state.

There is no reason why the producer should not receive a fancy price for cotton. There is the smallest supply ever in 40 years and there is an ever-increasing demand for the raw material.

—o—

Russia is said to be a heavy purchaser of steel rails in the German markets. Russia is an outlaw nation for the reason that Russia repudiated the loans and the debts of the Romanoff government. The ban on Russia would be lifted tomorrow if Soviet Russia would promise to pay the debts of the Romanoffs. Money rules the world. When an individual repudiates his obligation he gets it in the neck. That is just where Russia is getting it.

—o—

Nine Americans are said to control the sugar industry of Cuba and 12 Americans are said to have made $150,000,000 when the peak price made the housewives indignant and the retailers wonder what was going to happen next. When 12 men can take down $150,000,000 after one price jump, the melon cutting must have filled the souls of the 12 with joy that was golden.

"CYTHEREA"

By JOSEPH HERGESHEIMER

The fact is, however, that Savina has become infatuated with Lee and he in his turn, notes her resemblance to the doll Cytherea, about whom he has woven his dreams. Savina confesses her infatuation and they caress each other wildly. In the morning Savina tells Lee that William Grove is going to Washington and they spend the day together, planning to dine out and go to the theatre together that night.

They drive through the park after the theatre and Savina declares she loves him. Next day Lee returns to Eastlake. Little by little, Fanny, suspicious, worms from him the story of the visit to the Groves and the absence, on the final night of his stay, of Mr. Grove. They have a violent quarrel.

The Paper Knife.

Usually after such scenes Fanny flowered in a tendered remorse but now she left him coldly, unmelted.

Lee was glad—a show of affection would have been unsupportable. But his marriage was becoming precarious; a conviction of insecurity settled over him. He remembered with a grim amusement, the talk he had had with Peyton Morris at the verge of falling from the approved heights into the unpredictable. If he had come to him now in that quandary, what would he, Lee, have said?

Yet all that he had told Peyton he still believed—the variety of life lay on the circular moving horizon, there was none at hand. But now he comprehended the unmeasurable longing that had, for the time, banished every other consideration from the younger man. It had upset his heredity, his violent prejudices, and his not negligible religion. Peyton, too, had fallen under the charm of Cytherea; but chance—was it fortunate?—had restrained him.

Lee had seen Morris the evening before, at a dinner with Claire, and Peyton had been silent, abstracted. He had scarcely acknowledged Lee Randon's presence. The Morrises had avoided him. still, that was inevitable, since they were one again and for them, he was charged with unpleasant memories.

Why had he stopped loving Fanny and had no regret but a sharp gladness—in his affair with Savina?

To defraud his misery, he deliberately summoned the memory of Savina, and of delirious hours. She came swiftly, with convulsive shoulders, fingers drawn down over his body; he heard her little cry, "Ah!" How changed her voice had been when she said, "I love you."

"I love you!

It was a strange phrase, at once empty and burdened with illimitable possibilities. He had said it times without number to Fanny but first—how seductively virginal she had been—on a veranda at night. Then, though not quite for the first time, he had kissed her. And suddenly her reserve, her protecting chastity, had gone out of her forever.

In a way he was glad that he had made the error of speaking about William Groves' absence in Washington; it was a step toward a final resolution, a tranquilization, of the pressure at home. He didn't know what would bring it up, possibly a storm surpassing in violence all that had preceded it, and then ..... the open prospect of old age.

Of this he was certain, that Fanny never had harbored the suspicion of what, for her, would be the very worst. Did she know? If she did, he decided, it was only in the form of an unanalyzed, unidentified feeling.

What, in Heaven's name, had got into her? He grew increasingly irritated at her arbitrary manner. Lee had kept forgetting that, where Fanny was concerned, it was eggless, or no better than a wild surmise, a chancy thrust at random.

He made up his mind that he wouldn't submit to a great deal of her bad humor. And, in this spirit, he ignored a query put to him bitingly:

"Where is the paper cutter?"

"Didn't you hear me, Lee? I want the paper cutter. If it's on your night table, get it."

"Let Amanda go up."

"She's out. I let both the girls go tonight. But I needn't explain." She sat expectantly upright. Obliterating his cigarette, he returned, without moving, to the magazine. Then he raised his head:

"You can't hope for much from that tone of voice."

"I'll always insist on you showing me some courtesy. You lie to me as though I was a school-girl and you haven't even common good manners. That trip to New York—I'll hear the truth about it. Anyone could tell it was serious by the effect it had on you. Put down your magazine, you might as well; you can't keep on behind it forever. Why did you try to "hide that Mrs. Grove and you were alone?"

"To stop all this! To save my nerves and the noise of your eternal questions. I knew, if you found out, what would follow; this isn't the first time."

"You can't be completely trusted," she replied. "You must tell me about the Groves woman."

"At one time it was Mrs. Grove," he observed; now it is the Grove Woman. What will you call her next?"

"You will have to tell me that, Fanny said. "Lee Randon, what must I call her?"

"Perhaps, if you knew her, you'd try Savina."

"Savina; she repeated the name experimentally. "Very pretty. Prettier to say then Fanny; yes, and newer. And, having called her that, you couldn't very well not kiss her, could you?"

However, his caution had again asserted itself over the dangers of a lost temper. "You have made so much of this up that you had better finish it yourself. Put what end you prefer on it; you don't need help."

"The end!" she echoed. "Is this it? But not yet."

"Your story is far more interesting than any in this magazine," he commented, with a gesture. "It's a pity that you haven't turned your imagination to a better use."

"But I will wrong—you'd kiss before you said Savina. That, I believe, is the way it works. It is really screaming when you think what you went to New York for—to protect Claire, to keep Peyton Morris out of Mina Raff's hands. And, apparently, you succeeded. You got in badly yourself. What a pair of hypocrites you were; all the while worse than the others, who at least even could dream of being. What was the good of contradicting me at first? I knew all along. I felt it."

"What was it, exactly, that you felt?" he asked with an assumption of calmness.

"I don't understand," she acknowledged, for the moment at a loss. "It was aside me, like lead. But, whatever happened, it will come out; it always does; and you'll be sorry."

Why wasn't life, why weren't women, reasonable? But he could not convince himself that anything final — a separation — threatened them.

Fanny couldn't force an admission from him, nor speak of this, investigate it, anywhere else. Savina was well able to take care of herself. There was nothing to do but wait. Fanny said unexpectedly:

"I ordered your Christmas present. It took all the money I had in the Dime Savings Bank." He muttered a phrase to the effect that Christmas was a season for children. This recalled his own—they wouldn't be asleep yet—and, to escape temporarily from an impossible situation, to secure the paper knife, he went up to get them.

After he had descended, he turned away to the mantle-piece dominated himself, silently, to the doll: "You're responsible for this. Get me out of it. I'll put it all in your hand—that hand you have raised and held half open and empty."

But his, he added, in an embittered lightness, was an affair of matrimony; it was a moral knot; and it had nothing to do with Cytherea, with the shape, the sea, the island, of Venus, she was merely disdainful.

Fanny was seated in the chair, the exact position, in which he had left her. And when he had returned to the place he had deserted, she took no notice of him. Her eyes were fixed in thought, her lips pinched. She shook her head, a startled look passed through her eyes, and Fanny sighed deeply. She seemed to come back from a far place. It was, of course, the past, her early aspirations; herself, young; but what, out of her remembrance, had she brought with her?

Nothing.

Her last words instantly dispelled any last hope for peace. "It is surprising to me that you could go up to the children; but I suppose we all must be glad to have you pay attention to them at any time."

This minor development he succeeded in avoiding. "I have been thinking hard," she continued, "and I have made up my mind about you; it is this—you just simply have to be different. I won't let you, go, stay like this. It is hideous."

"You are quite right" he admitted; "and I have already agreed that the change must be principally be in me. If you'd explain it to me, what you have decided on, we'll find out, if possible, how to go about it."

"At least you needn't be sarcastic," she replied; "I am not as impossible as you make out. You will have to be different at home—"

"Hell, Fanny, what a God-forsaken lot of young nonsense!" His anger was mounting. "Sometimes lately, you have been insulting but now you are downright pathetic, you are so ridiculous."

"You will stay exactly where you are until I get done." Her tone was perceptibly shriller. "And don't you dare call me pathetic; if you only York, with a family at home. It is too common and low and vulgar for words; like a comedy travelling salesman. But I'll make you behave if I have to lock you up."

Lee Randon laughed at her; and, at the contempt in his mirth, she rose, no longer flushed, but white with scrath. "I won't have it!" Her voice was almost a scream. Lee was aware of a vague sorrow, a wish to protect Fanny from herself as much as anything; but he was powerless. At the same time he was concious of Fanny not his wife, not as a being lost in infinite suffering, but as a woman with her features strangely, grotesquely, twisted and drawn.

"Stop it," he commanded sharply; "you are hysterical, all kinds of a fool. It was pleasant at the Groves' because there was none of this infernal racket. Mrs Grove, no—Savina—is a wise woman. I was glad to be with her to get away—"

"Go back, then!" Fanny cried. "I won't let you touch me again."

"That needn't trouble you," he assured her.

Copyright, 1923, The Bell Syndicate, Inc.

Another installment tomorrow...

IRRIGATION IDEAS AND IDEALS

By A. M. McPHERSON, CONSULTING ENGINEER
Second Floor, Kuhn Building, Eighth and Indiana

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

When Will the People in District No. 2 Have to Begin Paying Water Taxes?

According to our best information, taxes will not begin to run until after the lateral for any particular tract has been built and the water is ready for delivery. Of course the taxes will not have to be paid until the regular time for paying such taxes, but payments will begin to run as soon as water is ready for delivery to the land.

It is not possible at the present time to tell when the North Side canal and lateral system will be ready to deliver water. It may be a year or more.

How Much Is Water Going to Cost the Land Owner In District No. 1?

The charge for water to the land owners, who own farm lands in District No. 1 has not yet been determined. According to the information we have, it is not thought that the charge for water in District No. 1 will exceed the amount that will have to be paid by land owners in District No. 2.

Will the Owners of Farm Land in District No. 1 Have to Pay for Water in Addition to Paying Taxes On the Bond Issue?

According to the best authority we have, taxes will have to be paid for the interest and principal of the bond issue by the owners of farm lands in District No. 1 and in addition they will have to pay for the water used on their farms.

It may be that separate assessments will be levied by District No. 1, which will value the farm lands at a very low figure, and thus equalize the charge between the two districts for water.

More Truth Than Poetry

By James J. Montague



UNNECESSARY WORRY

The troubled dramatists of France
Are glumly railing at the fates
Because their plays will have no chance
If shown in these United States.
They have to write, they say, of drink—
A custom of their native land—
And one which they're inclined to think
Americans won't understand.

Real life the playright must portray;
He pictures folks like me and you,
And shows the audience what they say,
And also what they think and do.
And if at home good wine they take,
When gnawing thirst they'd fain assuage,
The dramatist must always make
Them do it when they're on the stage.

But in this country of the free—
Those worthy writing men opine—
The dear good people never see
The beverage that's known as wine.
The dramas from the other side
Will not appeal to any one—
Folks either will be horrified,
Or say: "Such things are never done."

Dear kindly dramatists of France,
We think that you have got us wrong.
If we were you, we'd take a chance
And send your little plays along.
The country, true, is off the stuff,
But keep the wine scenes in the plot,
We sort of think they drink enough
So you'll not puzzle them a lot.

—o—

PUZZLING

A good many lecure goers think that Lord Robert Cecil was trying to disprove what Einstein told us, and are doubtful as to whether or not he got away with it.

NOT SO HARD

As to prohibition, the people of America, have found that they "can take it or leave it alone."

NOTHING NEW

The United States senate is merely a theatre for non-stop talking contests.

(Copyright, 1923, by the Bell Syndicate, Inc.)



Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE

MEDDLING MEANS MUDDLING

Rare is the person who has all the time he needs to attend to his own business—Keep himself in health and do the little kindlinesses which make life worth the living.

The quarrels of others, the misunderstandings between friends—these are matters which are best attended to by the parties at interest.

Most well disposed people would like to do for their friends what they seem to be failing to do for themselves.

Meddling is not only resented, but it usually results in muddling.

The meddler is a person who is more interested in other people's business than he is in his own.

His friend's conduct is never exactly satisfactory to him. He is always trying to improve it.

"I speak," he says, "as your friend and well wisher," and then he proceeds to deliver a fault-finding lecture which makes neither a friend nor a well wisher of the person to whom he is talking.

This life is a series of troubles and misunderstandings, some of which can be adjusted, and some of which cannot.

But the meddler is never a well doer. Lacking the complete understanding of the difficulties he seeks to adjust, he almost invariably makes them worse than they were before he "butted in."

In my definitions of friendship recently supplied by our readers, not a single one described a friend as a person who steps uninvited into a quarrel "as the friend of both parties," and tries to adjust it.

Quarrels are unfortunate and unnecessary. But because no two minds are quite alike, they are constantly occurring.

When they cannot be patched up by the parties to them, they might as well be an estrangement.

Seldom indeed does the peace maker succeed in doing anything more than making the quarrel more bitter, and getting himself thoroughly disliked in the process.

He who does his own work, gives help when it is necessary, and seeks to make his own friendship desirable is the happiest.

He who tries to correct every frailty in his frends, will soon cease to have any friends.

There are some things, that people hold sacred, and one of the chiefest of these is their private quarrels.

(Copyright 1923 by John Blake.)

—o—

What Today Means To You

By MARY BLAKE

Today an excellent combination of aspects will ensue. They are very auspicious for metaphysics, business, matters of art and matters relating to machinery or invention.

A child born today will be quick, perserving and clever and very fortunate in business. If a girl, she may be admired more than loved.

If born today, you have an excellent combination of qualities. Your cautous disposition will protect you from acting impulsively and thereby avoiding many regrets. You are inclined to be thrifty, but not to the extent of being penurious.

Your head is just chock full of inventions and imaginings. Fortunately you have wonderful powers of conversation which enable you to put into words in a most interesting style, what in an ordinary person would remain just thoughts. This achievement has given you the reputation of being entertaining and "the life of the party."

Your charm and success both in business and social life will always be a bone of contention to a few of those whose path you may cross. These few will do their utmost to overturn your best laid plans at the most unexpected time. You should, therefore, watch all sides of a question and be prepared for attack at any moment.

You should seek to concentrate your time on some work which enlists your active enthusiasm, as you will find yourself capable of double the zeal you might counterfeit in an uninteresting occupation.

You have not a single track mind but it is certainly a one way mind and you can put your whole vitality into one thing at once. You have not a freak memory, but one that gives you the necessary date at the right time. You can always depend upon it as it is a clear machnie.

Whether you are a man or a woman you will find your heart a constant enigma. If you are a man you will be extremely susceptible to feminine charm and the more you love the more you will suffer. You will never be wiling to regard women as anything but God's noblest creatures. If a woman, you will, on the other hand, distrust all men, no matter how much you may love any one of them.

Well known people born on this date are: Henry Cabot Lodge, senator; Frank Crane, journalist; George E. Woodberry, author and poet.

(Copyright 1923 by the Bell Syndicate.)

PLENTY OF FUN AT LEGION SHOW

Wrestler Will Perform Friday And Saturday Night

If you haven't seen the big legion carnival, you've got two more nights to take in this melange of mirth and amusement which is being offered under the auspices of the local post of the American legion.

A large and happy throng was on the grounds last night and stuck to the last bell, enjoying every minute of the time. Officers of the post are expecting the biggest turnout of the week tonight and several added attractions have been placed on the program to add to the gaiety of the occasion.

Friday and Saturday will be featured as athletic nights and treats are in store for those who follow the doings of the squared ring. Scotty Jack Sutherland will be on deck to explain the Japanese art of jui jitsu in a manner which is both entertaining and instructive.

Outside talent is being brought in to assure a splendid exhibition of boxing and wrestling to feature the athletic end of the carnival which will begin at 8 o'clock.

At 7:30 o'clock, the Commercial band will give a free concert for the benefit of the Legion boys and this feature will add still more pleasure to the setting.

Sam Harris, the 601 pound boy who is a native of Texas, is still attracting his full share of attention. He has many personal friends in the city who are calling on him daily.

The minstrel show continues to be a knockout with numerous dusky artists of the Hamboue type dispensing their fun to large audiences. Hundreds have taken the trip through the Ozark trails, the path of 5,000 lamps, winding their way up the rocky trail in anticipation of what is to come next.

Many other minor attractions are offered and the public is assured of "hoocoup" entertainment as well as the opportunity to boost the legion.

The legion members responded nobly to the cause last night and worked like Trojans toward the success of the venture. They were aided in many ways by the woman's auxiliary which has done its full share of the work during the carnival.

With but two more nights to run, the legion hopes to pack the grounds on both occasions and crown the carnival with unlimited success.

Postal Appointments

Special Dispatch to Record News

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Postmaster General New announces the following postmaster appointments in Texas:

Easterly, Robertson county, Albert P. Scott, to succeed Moses W. Easterly, removed; Mico, Medina county, Alma Mariani; the name of this postoffice has been changed from Medina Lake, and same postmistress reappointed.

The civil service commission has been requested to hold examinations of applicants for the appointment of postmasters at Splendora and Christoval, Texas.

Postoffice inspectors have been directed to make investigations with a view to the appointment of postmasters at Jolly, Ramsdell and Texia, Texas.

Well, Let's Pass a Law

In winter, Europe suffers starvation and cold, and in summer thinks of war. Something ought to be done about it.—Chicago News.

Athletic Underwear

You'll find the kind of underwear you like at this Man's Shop.

Rickingchair Athletic Union Suits—the real side-opening underwear. A very fine quality—

$1.50

Sizes 34 to 44

Lewis Athletic Union Suits in knee lengths, 3-4 lengths and 1-4 sleeves. Made of fine Nainsook material. Sizes 34 to 50.

$1.00 to $2.00

Light gauze knits, 3-4 length Union Suits in stout and regular. Sizes 36 to 50 ..... $1.50

WRIGHT'S CLOTHES SHOP

Wright Wrongs No Man

616 Eighth St. Phone 3091.

EMPRESS
All Next Week



In his new 7 reel comedy knockout

"SAFETY LAST"

Special mid-night matinee, 12:01 Sunday night.

OLYMPIC
TODAY
WALLACE BEERY
ESTELLE TAYLOR
FORREST STANLEY
—IN—
"BAVU"
Ever - fast - ingly EXCITING.



INIVERSAL-JEWEL

For Laughs
"A Hula Honeymoon
With Babe London

STRAND

JOHNNY HINES
JOYOUS ADVENTURE
"SURE FIRE FLINT"
CLOUDBURST OF ACTION AND FUN
REGULAR GEO M COHAN COMEDY
CAST INCLUDES
Doris Kenyon—Edmund Breese—Adolf Edwin
J. Barney Sherry—Effie Shannon

MARVELOUS HAYNES IN PERSON

Snub Pollard Comedy

EMPRESS
STARTING TODAY
Mary Miles Minter
AND
Antonio Moreno
IN
"The Trail of the Lonesome Pine"
A Paramount Picture
ALSO
"LEATHER PUSHERS"

SPECIAL SOUVENIR MATINEE SATURDAY

All children who attend the matinee Saturday afternoon will be given a souvenir "Safety Last" baloon or goggles.

May Sales of White

Begin This Morning



Fashion and Thrift Go Hand-in Hand

That Fashion has decreed that this is to be a White Summer is of special importance to the patrons of the P. B. M. Co., for this great May sale of White offers substantial savings on white fabrics, white garments and accessories.

New crisp merchandise which has been specially secured for this event and every piece of it is up to the high standard of quality that is always maintained in the stocks here.

An excellent opportunity to supply your needs in furnishings for the home, fabrics for summer sewing, white apparel and accessories.

Prices of raw cotton at present indicate that a rise in the price of materials is to be expected. This fact makes these low prices in the May White Sales doubly attractive.

Summer Frocks Of White

Voiles, Organdies, Linens, Ratines in an array of summery styles that will cause you to admire them as we do.

Selected from the smartest fashions of the summer season and each one presenting a claim for individual charm.

Summer dresses in linens and voiles with hand drawn designs are shown at $17.75 and $19.75

White linen tailored dresses are very smart looking and priced at $12.75

White organdy dresses with dainty pin tuckings and just heaps of pleated ruffles on collars, sashes and panels at $19.75 up

White silk dresses in crepe de chine with hand drawn trimmings at $29.75

Fine White Table Linens

From the grassy fields of Ireland where puret linen fabrics are bleached in the sun come the fine Derryvale linens and from domestic looms have come the many other snowy fabrics.

Whether the linen chest is getting empty or not there is ample reason in these fine qualities and low prices to lay in a supply now.

Derryvale Linen Sets

Satin stripe pure line cloth 70x88 with 22 inch napkins to match per set $22.50 on sale at $14.95

Thistle design cloth 70x70 with 22 inch napkins to match, per set $22.50 on sale at $14.95

Derryvale linen cloths in 70x70 or in 70x88 or 72x72x inch size regularly $12, on sale at $9.85

All pure linen 72 inch damask in pansy pattern regularly $3.98 on sale at $3.19

22 inch napkins to match, regularly $10.50, on sale at $7.95

$2.50 linen damask 72 inches wide at $1.98

Excellent assortment of patterns in 64 inch damask in white with red, green or gold border design $1.25 regularly, on sale at 98c

13 inch hemmed, mercerized napkins, special per dozen $1.05

18 inch size napkins at $1.79

20 inch size napkins at $1.98

Domestic Fabrics

Excellent qualities and extra special prices are featured in the May sale of white and ample stocks to afford a generous supply are available now. Make your selections from these complete stocks now.

Indian Head Longfold

29c Indian Head 33 inch at 25c
35c Indian Head, 36 inch at 29c
45c Indian Head, linen finish, 44 inch 39c
59c Indian Head, linen finish, 54 inch 49c
68c Indian Head, linen finish, 63 inch 59c
18 inch bleached crash Dixie toweling special 10c

Bleached Domestic

36 inch Gold Coin Domestic special ... 15c
36 inch Saxon domestic, special 17c
25c Pajama checks, 36 inch 19c
White Cheese Cloth, special per yard ... 8c

Never Too Many Towels

Towels are one item of general use in the home of which there can not be too many. Summer in Wichita Falls calls for great numbers of them and the excellent values offered in this sale provide the opportunity to lay in an excellent supply at less than regular prices.

18x34 Huck Towels at each 17c
18x36 Huck Towels at each 19c
17x34 Absorbent cotton bath towels .. 19c
19x36 Bath Towels, special 35c
20x43 Bath Towels at 33c

Stamped Goods From the Art Section

No telling how beautiful garments or things for the home may be if they are embroidered and finished by nimble fingers in the spare moments.

Complete stocks of things to be embroidered are here in stamped goods of fine quality at special prices during this sale.

Stamped gowns on white muslin to be embroidered $1.25 values at 98c

Stamped sets for buffet or luncheon uses to be embroidered, 50c values at 49c

Stamped pillow cases in 42 inch size to be embroidered, $1.25 values for $1.05

Stamped lunch sets and scarfs to be embroidered, 59c value at 39c

Stamped pillow cases of extra fine quality, regularly $1.50, on sale at $1.19

White Shoes

We have made special preparations to be in apositon to supply the demand that is sure to come for attractive styles in shoes of white.

A visit to our shoe section will reveal many beautiful models in white footwear that will add the finishing touch to the white outfit.

White kid novelty from I. Miller has—French knot strap, high Spanish heel, priced at $14.50

White buck two strap model with lattice side and buckles, 14-S Cuban covered heel. Priced $14.50

"Sheba Sandal" in white kid with open shank, 11-S covered heel, patent black strap at ball and front. Priced $11.00

"King Tut Sandal" in white buck with light welt sole of ivory and 10-S ivory heel. Paiced $10.00

White kid, blucher oxfords with low heel. Priced at $9.00

White Reignskin oxford with white kid trimming at $7.50

White Reignskin, two strap with covered Cuban heel at $7.50

Special lot of white kid, three eyelet tie oxfords with lattice side and Cuban heel, regularly $9.00 on sale at $8.85

Corsets and Brassieres

These important summer items are provided in a fine variety of wanted styles and the few that are mentioned below are only an indication of the great stocks that are here for selection.

One lot of Modart, front laced corsets in white coutil, sizes 23 to 36. Regularly $3.75 On sale at $2.98

One lot of Brassieres in hook front styles, built up shoulders and with plain or embroidery edge, regularly 75c, on sale at 59c

Bandeau Brassieres in all lace with hook back and shoulder straps, sizes 32 to 42, regularly $1.25, on sale at 98c

WHITE UN DERWEAR

Attractive styles in plain tailored or lace trimmed gowns, regularly $1.25 on sale at 98c

In the assortment of gowns regularly priced $1.50 are plain tailored and lace trimmed styles, also some embroidered models at choice $1.19

Regular $1.75 muslin gowns in very attractive lace trimmed styles are on sale at $1.49

Sheer quality, soft finish muslin gowns, trimmed in fine laces and regularly $2.95 are on sale at $2.49

Regular $1.25 styles in white muslin teddies, in lace trimmed and plain ttailored styles at 98c

$1.50 Teddies in plain tailored or lace trimmed styles at $1.19

$1.75 Princess Slips and Teddies in muslin, trimmed with laces or in plain tailored styles, at $1.49

$2.25 Princess Slips in lace trimmed or plain at $1.98

Batiste Bloomers in white or flesh, regularly $1.25, on sale at 98c

Sateen Petticoats, shadow proof, panel back and front, come in hemstitched or embroidered bottoms, $1.50 quality at $1.19

$2.50 Sateen Petticoats at $1.95

Children's Underwear

Muslin combination suits, plain tailored at 65c

Lace trimmed combinations in muslin at $1

Muslin Princess Slips at 75c

Embroidery trimmed Princess Slips at $1.25

P. B. M. Co.
DEPARTMENT STORE.

Summery White Millinery

In the millinery section, too, are many interesting creations that win a place in the white sale. That White Millinery is to be in great demand for summer wear adds interest, of course, to the great showing.

White sport hats in straw and silk, specially priced, at, choice $5

White dress hats in straw and silk or combinations, also in hair braids, ribbon and flower trimmed. Special $5

An excellent assortment of summer styles in white hats with hand embroidery flower and ribbon trimming on hats of malline, straw, hair braids and combinations. Priced from ..... $14.50 to $25

White Hosiery

There is nothing else that will take the place of spic-span white hosiery for summer. The May Sale of White offers several interesting specimens in excellent quality.

Allen A lisle hose, regularly 75c, on sale at 49c

Thread silk hose in white with lisle top at 98c

Armour Plato, 50c lisle hose at 39c

Women's high grade silk hose with colored silk embroidery clox, regularly $3.50, on sale at $2.89

Summery Tub Blouses

So cool and fresh looking and so easily laundered back to that original freshness that they are the ideal garment of the summer days.

Excellent values and attractive styles are here in the May Sale of White.

Hand-made and hand-embroidered white voile blouses regularly $2.50, on sale at $1.95

Hand-made dimity blouses in white cross bar or striped patterns, with round neck and circular collar, some trimmed with Filet laces, special at.... $2.95 and $3.95

Slightly soiled blouses of white voile, hand-made and hand-trimmed, values to $15 on sale at $4.95

Kimonos of white dotted Swiss with scallop bottom, in colors, at .. $2.95 and $3.95

Fine White Bed Requisites

To replenish the home supplies with new fresh linens and spreads in readiness for the summer season.

Assortments and values that will appeal to the thrifty housewife are included in the great May Sale of White.

$2.75 Krinkle Spreads, 81 by 90 at $2.29
81 by 90 Pepperell Sheets special .. $1.49
81 by 90 Pepperell Sheets, special .. $1.39

SHEETING

9-4 Bleached Garza and Wearwell special 49c
10-4 Bleached Garza, special 53c

PILLOW CASES

Arlington cases 42 by 36, 29c value at 25c
42 by 36 Premium Cases, 39c value at 29c
42 by 36 Wearwell and Pepperell cases special 35c

68c Hemstitched 42 by 36 Mohawk or Pequot cases 63c

Sheer Summery White Fabrics

For the myriad uses that summer brings for fine white fabrics, for dainty underwear, for skirts, for blouses or for apparel for the children.

It is advisable to buy these fabrics by the bolt or ten yard length while the low prices are in effect and be prepared for the summer sewing at worthy savings.

50c Nurse's linen, 36 inch at 39c
35c Pajama checks, 36 inch at 29c
68 Dimity checks, 36 inch at 43c
$1.50 Handkerchief linen, 36 inch at $1.29
$1.98 Handkerchief linen, 36 inch at $1.49
$2.25 Handkerchief linen, 36 inch at $1.98
$1.25 Mercerized Batiste, 36 inch at.. 98c
75c Batiste, 39 inch at 63c
98c Swiss Organdie, 45 inch at 79c
50c Lineweave Voile, 36 inch at 39c
35c Checked Mercerized Batiste, 36 inch at 48c
59c Pique, 36 inch at 43c
59c Repp, 36 inch at 43c

Nainsook and Longcloth

36 inch Egyptian Nainsook in ten yard bolt, special $3.19
36 inch Bridal Nainsook, per yard bolt special $4.95
30 inch Sterling longcloth, 10-yd. bolt $1.39
36 inch Baby Nainsook, per ten yard bolt special $3.19
36 inch Wamsutta Longcloth, 39c value at 33c
36 inch Wamsutta Nainsook, 39c value at 33c
36 inch Cambric, 39c value 33c

Knitted Union Suits

Munsing knit Union Suits in white with built up shoulder, special 98c

Kayser knit Unions with built up shoulder or bodice top, loose knee at 89c

Richelieu knit Unions with built up shoulder and tight or loose knee at 69c

Diapers Ready Made

24-in. hemmed, Red Diamond Diapers, $1.98 value for, dozen $1.69
27-in. Red Diamond Hemmed Diapers, $2.25 value at $1.98
30-in. Red Diamond Hemmed Diapers, $2.35 value at $2.19
24-in. Red Diamond Bird's Eye, $1.75 quality at $1.59
27-in. Red Diamond Bird's Eye, $1.98 quality at $1.79
30-in. Red Diamond Bird's Eye, $2.19 quality at $1.98

White Gloves

From the high grade line of Kayser Silk Gloves it is easy to choose suitable styles for wear with dainty summer frocks and stocks are now quite complete with the most desired numbers.

One lot of White Silk Gloves specially priced for the White Sales at per pair 59c

One lot of White Kid Gloves specially priced at per pair, ... 98c

Bears Make Clean Sweep, Taking Final, 5-4

FEIGERT AND ROBERTS STAGE NIP AND TUCK BATTLE; RUTH TOUCHED FOR WINNER IN LAST

Game See-Saws From One Club to Other But Bears Grab Upper Hand in Final Inning; Elliott's Long Hitting Streak Broken.

SAN ANTONIO, May 10.—The Bears made a clean sweep of the series with Wichita Falls by getting after Ruth in the ninth inning of today's game for one run which gave them a 5 to 4 victory over the crew from upstate.

It was a fine pitching duel between Lefty Feigert and Roberts, both pitchers exhibiting some classy work. The clubs kept pace with each other in the matter of scoring, the count see-sawing back and forth on several occasions, with the Bears taking the upper hand when they pushed in the winning run in the ninth.

Fuller walked in the Bears' first inning and was bunted to second by Gross. Boone singled, scoring Fuller. The homelings made another in the second when Henry and Roberts tripled successively after two were out. The Spudders succeeded in getting men on bases in the second, third and fourth, but only in the latter was any punch available to score runs.

Score in Fourth.

Grigsby bounced a double off the left fence to start the fourth, but Cotter and Berger were fanned. Bischoff came to the rescue with a single, scoring Grigsby and Feigert strolled. Bescher hit a single to center scoring Bishoff with the tying run.

The Bears took the lead again in the seventh, Henry singling and being sacrificed by Roberts. Henry took third on Fuller's single and scored on a double to left by Gross, Fuller staying at third on the hit. White made a spectacular stop of Boone's difficult chance and got Fuller at the plate. Galloway flied out to White.

Again the advantage changed in the eighth with the Spuders holding the edge after scoring two runs. Fuller and Todt got Elliott, but Grigsby singled to left and Cotter let loose with a double to left, scoring Grigsby and trying the game. Cotter went to third when Henry missed the throw to the plate. Berger responded with a single, scoring Cotter. Bishoff forced Berger at second and Feigert did likewise to Bishoff.

Bears Tie It.

Myers beat out a tap to Feigert in the Bear half and Todt looked at four wide pitches. Booe bunted and Myers was forced at third, Bishoff to Tanner. Todt scored on Henry's single to left. Feigert was taken out of the box and replaced by Ruth. Roberts forced Henry and Fuller lifted to Cotter.

Bescher opened the Wichita ninth with a single, but White flied to Fuller and Tanner hit into a double play, lining to Fuller, who threw to first, doubling Bescher off the base.

With one gone in the ninth, Boone hit the clubhouse for a triple and held third while Galloway popped to White. Myers shot a single to center scoring Boone.

The Spudders left here tonight for Beaumont.

HELP WANTED!

SPUDDERS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bescher, lf	4	0	2	2	0	0
White, 2b	5	0	0	2	4	1
Tanner, 3b	5	0	0	1	2	1
Elliott, 1b	4	0	0	10	0	0
Grigsby, rf	3	2	2	1	0	0
Cotter, cf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Berger, ss	4	0	2	3	2	0
Bischoff, c	4	1	2	3	4	1
Feigert, p	3	0	1	0	7	0
Ruth, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	4	10x25		16	3

SAN ANTONIO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Fuller, 2b	4	1	1	5	6	0
Gross, ss	4	0	1	3	3	0
Boone, lf	5	1	3	2	0	0
Galloway, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Meyers, cf	5	0	2	5	0	0
Todt, 1b	3	1	0	8	0	0
Booe, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Henry, c	4	2	3	3	1	1
Roberts, p	3	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	35	5	11	27	12	1

xOne out when winning run scored.

Score by innings—

Spuddgrs	000 200 020—4
San Antonio	110 000 111—5

Summary: Sacrifice hits, Gross, Roberts; two-base hits, Feigert, Gross, Grigsby, Bischoff, Cotter; three-base hits, Henry, Roberts, Boone; double plays, Berger to White to Elliott, Fuller to Todt; innings pitched, by Feigert 7 1-3; hits off Feigert 9; runs off Feigert 4; bases on balls, off Feigert 3, off Roberts 4, off Ruth 1; struck out, by Feigert 1, by Roberts 2; time 1 hour 55 minutes; umpires, Sweeney and Daly.

SO. METHODISTS WINNER OVER NORTHS

Break Into Winning Column Of Twilight League, 10 to 7

The South Methodists dropped their losing streak in the Twilight league yesterday afternoon and defeated the North Methodists, 10 to 7. Each team registered a home run, Harris clouting one for the winners and Neal connecting for the losers.

Nine errors were divided among the two clubs. The Utilities will meet the Floral Heights team this afternoon at Eighteenth and Holliday.

Score:

SO. METHODIST	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Neal, 3b	3	2	1	2	1	1
Ambler, ss	3	1	1	0	2	3
J. Carpenter, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Arnuckle, 2b	4	1	0	1	3	0
C. Carpenter, p	3	1	2	0	0	0
Hick, cf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Osborne, c	1	0	0	4	0	0
McNaly, 1b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Brooks, lf	1	1	1	0	0	0
F. Taylor, 3b	2	0	0	2	0	1
Hatton, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	26	7	8	15	7	5

NORTH METHODIST	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Walker, 1b	4	2	2	9	0	1
McMahon, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Jenkins, ss	3	0	0	1	4	0
Glidewell, lf	1	2	0	1	0	1
Woodson, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Andrew, 2b	3	1	0	2	1	2
Ellis, c	3	0	0	6	0	0
Harris, p	3	2	1	0	3	0
Timons, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	25	10	5	18	8	4

Score by innings:

So. Methodist	2 2 4 0 2 x—10
North Methodist	1 0 0 4 0 2— 7

Two-base hit, Rowis. Home runs, Harris and Neal. Stolen bases, McMahon, Glidewell 2. Innings pitched, by Harris, 5; Hatton, 8; Carpenter, 2. Struck out, by Harris, 5; Hatton, 4; Carpenter, 1. Bases on balls, off Harris, 8; Hatton, 4; Carpenter, 1. Batsmen hit J. Carpenter. Wild pitch: Hatton. Time of game: 1:30. Umpire, Story.

DENNIE BURNS BEATS HOUSTON

HOUSTON, May 10.—Houston was unable to hit Burns today and Shreveport won the last game of the series, 5 to 3. Houston staged a rally in the ninth that netted three runs, but Burns tightened in time to end the danger. Sargent was the hitting star, with a triple and two doubles. Score:

SHREVEPORT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Storey	3	2	1	5	0	0
Sargent, 2b	4	2	3	2	1	0
Riley, 1b	5	0	1	10	0	1
Simmons, lf	4	0	3	4	0	0
Jackson, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Standaert, 3b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Snow, ss	4	0	0	1	5	0
J. Burns, c	3	1	0	0	0	0
D. Burns, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Torres, c	2	0	1	2	0	0
Totals	34	5	10	27	12	1

HOUSTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Dugan, lf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Sperber, cf	4	0	0	2	1	0
Knight, rf	4	1	3	1	0	1
Schmandt, 1b	3	1	1	10	1	0
Bell, ss	4	0	1	3	2	1
Stansbury, 2b	3	1	1	5	2	0
Handley, 3b	3	0	0	1	4	0
Griffith, c	4	0	0	2	0	0
Perrica, p	3	0	0	1	3	1
xMonroe	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	7	27	13	3

xBatted for Perrica in the ninth.

Score by innings—

Shreveport	220 010 000—5
Houston	000 000 003—3

Summary: Two-base hits, Sargent 2, Knight; three-base hits, Sargent, Simmons; stolen base, Jackson; sacrifice hits, D. Burns, Jackson, Monroe; double play, Stansbury to Bell to Schmandt; bases on balls, off D. Burns 4, off Perrica 3; struck out, by D. Burns 1, by Perrica 2; passed ball, Griffith; umpires, Fanning and Kane.

Oil Engineer Goes To Extinguish Fire

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, May 10.—Senate conferees on the Coffee gross oil production tax bill this afternoon rejected a proposal to report back to the two houses inability to agree on a compromise. Senator Holbrook refused to sign the majority report in favor of two and one half per cent as was announced yesterday and the committee is practically deadlocked.

LITTLE LESSONS IN Big Sports



What are the most important requisites for an outfielder?

Answered by
GEORGE BURNS

Outfielder, World's Champion New York Giants, who has the reputation of making more difficult catches than any other fielder in either league.

A strong arm, coupled with speed, and an ability to judge fly balls are the outfielder's three important requisites. Without them he can hardly hope for success. No matter how heavy a hitter the outfielder may be, if he hasn't these three qualities he will not be looked upon as a good ball player in this position.

(Copyright, 1923, Associated Editors)

RINGSIDE SEATS IN SHELBY, $50

Work On Arena Will Be Started Immediately; 10,000 Ringside

SHELBY, Mont., May 10.—Ringside seats for the heavyweight championship fight here July 4 between Jack Dempsey and Tommy Gibbons, will cost $50, plus war tax, the promoters announced today. Ranging downward, the prices will be $30, $25 and $20, exclusive of war tax.

Work on an arena to seat 40,000 persons will start at once. If the seat sale by June 15 warrants it, the arena can be increased to a capacity of 100,000, by running seats up the side of the natural bowl, one half mile west of Shelby.

Plans provide that the 36 rows will include 10,000 ringside seats, facilities for the press and for the motion picture operators.

WHITE SOX WIN FROM RED HOSE

CHICAGO, May 10.—Chicago defeated Boston 9 to 7, after two days of postponements in the first East-West series here. Score:

BOSTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Menoskey, lf	4	1	0	1	0	0
McMillan, 3b	5	1	2	0	1	1
Reichle, cf	5	1	4	3	0	0
Burns, 1b	4	2	1	6	2	0
Flaestead, rf	5	1	2	2	1	0
Picinich, c	4	0	1	6	1	0
Shanks, 2b	5	0	0	3	2	0
Fewster, ss	2	1	0	2	2	0
Quinn, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
O'Doul, p	1	0	1	1	0	0
Fullerton, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xLeibold	1	0	0	0	0	0
Black, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Murray, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	7	11	24	10	1

CHICAGO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hoover, rf	4	0	2	1	0	0
McClellan, ss	4	2	1	0	2	1
Collins, 2b	4	2	1	2	4	1
Sheeley, 1b	3	0	2	13	0	0
Mostil, cf	3	2	1	2	0	0
Kamm, 3b	5	1	2	1	3	0
Flsh, lf	4	1	1	1	0	1
Schalk, c	4	1	3	7	1	0
Faber, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	34	9	14	27	13	3

xBatted for Fullerton in 8th.

Score by innings:

Boston	001 020 220—7
Chicago	012 033 00x—9

Summary—Two-base hits, Kamm 2, Schalk, Mostil, Reichle; three-base hit, Reichle; home run, Flagstead; left on bases, Boston 9, Chicago 9; bases on balls, off Quinn 1, off Faber 5, off O'Doul 3, off Fullerton 1; struck out, by Quinn 2, by Faber 5, by Fullerton 2; hits, off Quinn 12 in 4 2-3, off O'Doul 1 in 1 2-3, off Fullerton 0 in 1 2-3, off Black 1 in 0.

YANKEES LEAVE INDIANS BEHIND

Cleveland Is Slaughtered By Vicious Attack Of Hugmen

CLEVELAND, May 10. — New York slaughtered Cleveland 13 to 4 here today. Score:

NEW YORK	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Witt, cf	5	3	3	0	0	0
Dugan, 3b	6	1	2	1	3	0
Ruth, rf	5	0	2	3	0	0
Pipp, 1b	6	0	1	15	0	0
Meusel, lf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Hoffman, c	2	1	1	3	2	0
Schang, c	3	1	2	2	0	0
Ward, 2b	5	3	3	0	6	1
Scott, ss	3	2	2	2	2	1
Pennock, p	4	1	2	0	3	0
Totals	44	13	19	27	16	2

CLEVELAND	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Jamieson, lf	4	1	1	4	0	0
Wamby, 2b	3	1	1	1	2	0
Speaker, cf	4	0	1	3	0	1
Guisto, 1b	3	1	1	6	0	0
Summa, rf	3	0	0	0	0	1
J. Sewell ss	4	0	2	1	3	0
Lutzke, 3b	4	0	1	2	3	0
O'Neill, c	3	1	0	9	1	0
L. Sewell, c	1	0	1	1	0	0
Edwards, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Morton, p	1	0	0	0	2	1
Boone, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stephenson, z	1	0	0	0	0	0
Uhle, zz	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	4	8	27	8	3

xBatted for Morton in 7th.
zzBatted for Boone in 9th.

Score by innings:

New York	003 202 510—13
Cleveland	211 000 000— 4

Two base hits, J. Sewell, Speaker. Three base hits Witt, Ward, L. Sewell. Home run Ruth, Dugan. Stolen bases Jamieson. Left on base New York 9; Cleveland 6. Bases on balls off Pennock 2; Edwards 1, Morton 1.

PHILLIES LAMBAST BROWN HURLERS

ST. LOUIS, May 10.—Philadelphia hammered four St. Louis pitchers for 13 hits, including three triples and double, and won today's game, 10 to 7.

Score:

PHILADELP'A	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Matthews, cf	5	2	2	2	0	2
Hale, 3b	4	2	3	2	0	0
Perkins, c	4	1	2	3	0	0
Hauser, 1b	4	2	1	10	0	0
Miller, lf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Galloway, ss	5	0	0	4	6	1
Welch, rf	5	2	3	2	0	0
Dykes, 2b	5	1	1	3	5	1
Hasty, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Harris, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Rommell, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bruggy, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	10	13	27	12	4

x batted for Hasty in 6th.

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Tobin, rf	4	3	3	2	0	0
Foster, 2b	4	0	0	2	0	0
Jacobson, cf	4	1	3	2	0	0
McManus, 1b	4	0	1	6	1	0
Severeid, c	4	1	1	6	1	0
Robertson, 3b	4	0	1	2	0	1
Gerber, ss	4	1	0	3	4	0
Danforth, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Kolp, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bayne, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Root, p	0	0	0	1	1	0
Durst, z	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bennett, zz	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rice, 3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	7	10	27	9	2

z batted for Danforth in 3rd.
zz batted for Bayne in 7th.
zzz batted for Root in 9th.

Score by innings:

Philadelphia	111 302 002—10
St. Louis	100 030 030— 7

Two-base hits, Tobin, Perkins, Jacobson. Three-base hits, Matthews 2, Jacobson, Welch. Home runs, Hauser, Tobin 2. Stolen base, Hale. Left on base, Philadelphia, 8; St. Louis, 2. Bases on balls, off Hasty, 1; Danforth, 3; Bayne, 1; Root, 1. Struck out, Hasty, 1; Danforth, 1; Kolp, 1; Bayne, 3; Root, 1.

County League Opens Sunday

The newly organized Wichita County league, composed of Electra, Burkburnett and two Wichita clubs. The Texas company and the American Legion, will open its season next Sunday afternoon. The Texas company will play at Burkburnett and the American Legion at Electra.

Playing schedule calls for 12 games to be played on Sunday afternoons.

Don Wofford local promoter of amateur athletics, is one of the organizers and most ardent promoters of this league.

At Corsicana 3; Austin 5.

DALLAS STAGES NEEDED RALLIES

Associated Press Dispatch

BEAUMONT, May 10.—Dallas staged a desperate hitting rally in the ninth to score two runs today and followed with one still more severe in the tenth and gained a 10-6 decision over the Exporters. Two singles, four doubles and a triple were registered in the two final rounds by the winners; Turgeon hit a home run inside the park in the first. Conley relieved Bryan in the ninth. The Snipper is credited with the victory, his seventh of the season. Score:

DALLAS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hamilton, s	5	2	0	2	2	1
Wano, 1b	6	2	3	13	0	0
Donohue, rf	5	1	2	3	1	0
Vache, cf	4	2	2	3	0	0
Massey, 2b	6	0	1	1	5	0
Segrist, 3b	3	1	1	1	0	0
Allen, lf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Adams, c	4	1	2	3	1	0
Bryan, p	2	0	0	0	4	0
Conley, p	1	1	1	0	0	0
xLingle	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	41	10	13	30	13	1

xBatted for Bryan in 9th.

BEAUMONT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Ostergard, 2b	3	2	1	4	4	0
Turgeon, ss	6	1	2	2	7	1
DeMaggio, lf	6	0	2	2	0	0
Kirkham, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Edington, cf	3	0	0	4	0	0
Strong, 1b	4	1	2	14	0	0
Huber, 3b	5	0	0	1	2	0
Banner, c	5	2	4	2	0	0
Townsend, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Morris, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	6	12	30	13	1

Score by innings:

Dallas	010 030 002 4—10
Beaumont	200 021 010 0— 6

Summary—Two-base hits, Allen, Vache, Wano, Donohue 2, Ostergard, Banner 2, Strong, Kirkham; three-base hits, Adams, DeMaggio; home run, Turgeon; stolen base, Kirkham; sacrifice hits, Allen, Segrist, Ostergard, Townsend; double plays, Ostergard to Strong, Adams to Wano; struck out, by Bryan 2, by Conley 1, by Townsend 2; bases on balls, off Bryan 4, off Conley 3, off Townsend 4, off Morris 2; hit by pitched ball, Segrist by Townsend.

Ouimet and Grant to Uphold U. S. Golfers

Latter Is American Citizen But Now Resides In England

DEAL, England, May 10. — Through sunshine, rain and blustering winds, Francis Ouimet, former American amateur and open golf champion, today battled his way to the ground before the semi-finals in the British amateur championship tournament.

Three of Ouimet's American colleagues were eliminated during the morning and another this afternoon, so that tonight Ouimet alone of the fourteen Americans who came across the ocean to enter the championship struggle remains to fight.

The Americans put out of the running today were: Dr. O. F. Willing of Portland, Ore.; George V. Rotan, of Houston, Tex.; and John F. Neville, of San Francisco.

But Ouimet is not the sole representative of American golf still surviving, for Douglas Grant, who won his matches, is a citizen of the United States, but a resident of England.

Rotan passed out of the tournament in the forenoon, beaten 3 up and two to play by W. L. Hope of Turnbury. It was very cold working in the bothersome winds whipping across the course, and Rotan, accustomed to the warmer temperature of Texas, shivered in his shoes as he walked to the first tee. He never mentioned the weather in explanation of his rather poor game, but anyone could see that the chilling blasts coming in from the sea had something to do with his slump in playing form.

Take It Or Leave It

By "Dink" Addington

Thank the stars we're through with Santone.

* * *

EMERGENCY CALL.

Throw on some sand,
And pull the brakes;
Please hold our club,
For pity's sakes.

Don't let 'em slip,
Don't let 'em slide;
Won't somebody check
Their downward ride?

* * *

Come gang, buckle up. You're in new territory now and don't let them Exporters pull any Bear stuff on you.

* * *

OBITUARY NOTICE.

And it came to pass that on the tenth day of May, 1923, A. D., one Ace Elliott, smashing bamberino, who had hit safely in 13 consecutive games, failed to connect for a blow and shattered his mark.

* * *

The bottom end of the batting order was doing the big part of the hitting yesterday.

* * *

Over the hills and far away,
To Beaumont town they go;
They better pick up and hit their stride,
And win 'em three in a row.

THINGS TO WORRY ABOUT.

I wonder how a pitcher feels,
When the hitters start to clout;
And the managers in the grandstand,
Start to holler, "take him out."

I wonder how the hitter feels,
When he fans with three on base;
And the managers in the grandstand,
Want to run him off the place.

I wonder how the gardener feels,
When he makes a costly muff;
And the managers in the grandstand,
Bawl him out in uncouth rough.

I wonder how the shortstop feels,
When he boots an easy shot;
And the managers in the grandstand,
Pour it on him thick and hot.

I wonder how the umpire feels,
When he misses one at home;
And the managers in the grandstand,
Heap coals upon his dome.

I wonder how the manager feels,
When his judgment works out wrong;
And the managers in the grandstand,
Let out their hammer song.

Then I wonder how the grandstand feels,
After all the things it's said,
When the home boys stage a rally,
And finish out ahead.

CATS WIN GREAT PITCHING DUEL

No Runs Scored Until Atzmen Go Over In Ninth

GALVESTON, May 10.—Wachtel had the better of a hurling duel with Clarkson today and Fort Worth won 2 to 0, making a clean sweep of the series. Neither club scored until the ninth, when with one down Stellbauer tripled to deep left. Kraft and Phelan then doubled in succession for the only counters of the game. Wachtel worked his spitter with great effect, only one Galveston runner reaching third base. Score:

FORT WORTH	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Coombs, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Calvo, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Stellbauer, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Kraft, 1b	4	1	1	14	0	0
Phelan, 2b	4	0	1	1	4	0
Haley, 3b	4	0	2	0	2	0
Tavener, ss	3	0	1	1	2	0
Haworth, c	3	0	0	7	1	0
Wachtel, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	32	2	7	27	12	0

GALVESTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bittle, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Distel, ss	4	0	1	3	2	0
J. D. Brown, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Connally, 2b	4	0	0	3	5	0
Wisterell, 3b	3	0	1	0	2	0
Munson, rf	3	0	0	2	1	0
Kearns, 1b	3	0	0	10	0	0
Wendell, c	3	0	2	7	0	0
Clarkson, p	1	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	29	0	4	27	12	0

Score by innings:

Fort Worth	000 000 002—2
Galveston	000 000 000—0

Two-base hits, Wendell, Kraft, Phelan. Three-base hit, Stellbauer. Struck out, Wachtel, 7; Clarkson, 6. Bases on balls, off Wachtel, 1; Clarkson, 3. Double plays, Connolly to Distel to Kearns. Left on base, Fort Worth, 6; Galveston, 4. Time: 1:30. Ubpires, Weir and

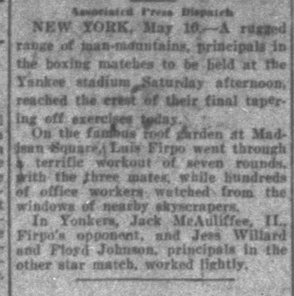
Jess and Floyd Top Off Training

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 10.—A rugged range of man-mountains, principals in the boxing matches to be held at the Yankee stadium Saturday afternoon, reached the crest of their final tapering off exercises today.

On the famous roof garden at Madison Square, Luis Firpo went through a terrific workout of seven rounds, with the three mates, while hundreds of office workers watched from the windows of nearby skyscrapers.

In Yonkers, Jack McAuliffee, H. Firpo's opponent, and Jess Willard and Floyd Johnson, principals in the other star match, worked lightly.



TEXAS LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Results.

At San Antonio 5; Wichita Falls 4.
At Houston 3; Shreveport 5.
At Galveston 0; Fort Worth 2.
At Beaumont 6; Dallas 10; (10 innings.)

Club Standings.

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.
Dallas	13	8	.619
Fort Worth	12	9	.571
Wichita Falls	11	10	.524
Beaumont	11	10	.524
San Antonio	12	11	.522
Galveston	11	11	.500
Houston	11	11	.500
Shreveport	5	16	.238

Where They Play Today.
Wichita Falls at Beaumont.
Fort Worth at Houston.
Dallas at San Antonio.
Shreveport at Galveston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results

At Philadelphia 0; St. Louis 7.
At Pittsburgh-Brooklyn, postponed, cold.
At New York-Chicago, postponed, cold.
At Boston 3; Cincinnati 4.

Club Standings.

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	16	6	.727
Pittsburgh	12	9	.571
St. Louis	13	10	.565
Chicago	11	10	.524
Boston	9	11	.450
Cincinnati	10	11	.476
Brooklyn	7	13	.350
Philadelphia	6	14	.300

Where They Play Today.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.
Chicago at New York.
Cincinnati at Boston.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

At Detroit-Washington, postponed, cold.
At Cleveland 4; New York 13.
At Chicago 9; Boston 7.
At St. Louis 7; Philadelphia 10.

Club Standings.

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	13	7	.650
Detroit	12	9	.571
Philadelphia	10	8	.556
Cleveland	12	10	.545
Washington	10	10	.444
St. Louis	8	12	.400
Chicago	8	11	.421
Boston	7	11	.389

Where They Play Today.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Boston at Chicago.
Washington at Detroit.
New York at Cleveland.

COLLEGE BASEBALL

At Houston: Rice 12; Southwestern 2

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

At Columbna 14; Toledo 6.
At St. Paul 3; Minneapolis 0.
At Louisville 8; Indianapolis 12.
At Kansas City 13; Milwaukee 12.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Little Rock 8; Atlanta 1.
Chattanooga 1; Mobile 16.
Memphis 9; Birmingham 2.
Nashville 14; New Orleans 11.

COLLEGE BASEBALL

At Stillwater, Okla., Chilocco, 5; Oklahoma Aggies, 2.

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE

At Paris, 3; Longview, 1.
At Marshall, 5; Mount Pleasant 1.
At Sulphur Springs 2; Greenville 7.

WESTERN LEAGUE

At Wichita, 6; Tulsa, 5.
At Des Moines, 6; Sioux City, 10.
At Denver, 4; Omaha, 13.
At St. Joseph 4; Oklahoma City 5.

CARDINALS SHUT PHILLIES OUT

Win Third Straight Game By Whitewash Score, 7 to 0

Associated Press Dispatch

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—St. Louis made it three in a row from the Phillies today, 7 to 0. Bottomley hit a homer, a double and a single in five trips to the plate. Score:

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Smith, rf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Dyer, lf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Toporcer, 2b	5	1	2	1	5	0
Bottomley, 1b	5	2	3	10	0	2
Stock, 3b	3	0	2	1	4	0
Meyers, cf	5	1	1	4	0	0
Freigau, ss	4	2	3	2	7	1
Lavan, ss	1	0	0	1	1	0
McCurdy, c	3	0	1	7	1	0
Doak, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Stuart, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	7	14	27	14	3

PHILADELPH.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Rapp, 3b	3	0	0	3	4	0
Wrighstone, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sand, ss	3	0	1	2	0	0
Williams, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Walker, rf	2	0	2	1	0	0
Mokan, lf	4	0	0	6	0	0
Holke, 1b	2	0	0	5	0	1
Parkinson, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Henline, c	2	0	0	6	2	0
Head, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	0	4	27	8	1

Score by innings—

St. Louis	001 011 400—7
Philadelphia	000 000 000—0

Summary: Two-base hits, Freigau, Torporcer, Bottomley, Sand, Walker; home run, Bottemley; left on base, St. Louis 9, Philadelphia 9; bases on balls, off Doak 3, off Stuart 1, off Head 1; struck

DIPLOMAS TO ELECTRA GRADS

45 To Graduate From High School Soon

Special Dispatch to Record News

ELECTRA, Tex., May 10.—Diplomas will be delivered Wednesday night to 45 graduates of the local high school, following an address by Dr. Lewis Smith, president of Washington and Lee university. E. M. Friend, of the local school board, will present the certificates. The commencement sermon will be preached Sunday, May 19, by Rev. Byron Hester, pastor of the Christian church, of Electra.

CONTRACT FOR SCHOOL

ELECTRA, Tex., May 10.—Contract for construction of the new high school building was let to Whitehill Construction of Wichita Falls, provided a satisfactory bond can be made. Price for the building, exclusive of plumbing, heating and lighting was $124,000. This was $16,000 lower than the next bid. Nine contractors submitted figures within about $2,000 of each other around $140,000, while the high man wanted more than $170,000 for the work. Reinforced concrete and brick are materials to be used. The structure is to be fireproof.

Award for plumbing and heating was made to Wm. Hampton of Vernon for approximately $20,000. The lighting contract went to an Oklahoma City house for $1,940. Bids were submitted as high as $4,800 for this work.

ELECTRA PERSONALS

Mrs. B. M. Harding went this week to Plano, where she was called by the death of her brother-in-law.

H. C. Rippey is moving here from Colorado. He is a brother of A. C. Rippey, local business man.

Mrs. E. M. Friend went yesterday to Austin, where she will visit her daughter, Elerena. Miss Friend is a student in the University of Texas.

Fred Hill has returned from Durant, Okla., where he attended school. Fred was honor graduate among the boys in the local high school last year.

Mmes. J. H. E. Young and Y. H. Babasin, of Vernon, were visitors yesterday of Mrs. R. N. Richardson. Mrs. Young is an aunt of Mrs. Richardson. She and Mrs. Babasin are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Curry of Mansfield, are guests this week of their son, Rev. R. B. Curry, pastor of the First Methodist church.

GIRL TELLS—

(Continued from page 1)

were what you might call pals although he did frequently refer to me as 'Dearie.' He never showed any other affection than that.

The night before the class rush, while we were out riding, he told me that I would not see him again. He said he would disappear during the class rush, but I paid no attention to him because he had said those things before. The night of the rush it began to worry me, so I went and told his mother."

J. L. Mount, the missing boy's father, was the last witness today. He told of a surgical operation on the back of his son's head when the youth was a child, and said that it had left a scar.

FERGUSON—

(Continued from page 1)

sponsible for defeat of three of the greatest of Texas' political leaders and public men.

He defeated Thomas H. Ball of Houston for governor of Texas, when Ball was the recognized leader of the Texas prohibition forces.

He blocked the Joseph Weldon Bailey comeback of 1920, when Ferguson organized the American party, and polled over 100,000 votes which represented a purely personal following.

Can Pardon Be Granted?

Third, to Ferguson alone, in all the tangled mass of circumstances about the last race for the United States senate, may be ascribed the defeat of the veteran of public service, Sen. Charles A. Culberson. Ferguson forged ahead of Culberson and succeeded in gaining a place in the run-off primary with Earle B. Mayfield.

Whether the senate can grant a pardon; and whether the present senate can under the sentence and judgment of a former session, will be debated when the resolution is offered. There are members of the senate who voted to expunge the former adoption of the pardon resolution, who declared they would support such a motion offered and debated in what they considered a regular way, but not when it was offered, as they charged then, in a matter which seemed to them "railroading" it over their heads."

STREAKS—

(Continued from page 1)

W. A. Hicks, Wortham, Texas.
Travis Okens, Kerens, Texas.
One body, burned beyond identification.

The list of dead and unrecovered, announced tonight by the J. K. Hughes Development company, reads:
Bank Phillips, Kerens, Texas.
Max Meisner, Kerens, Texas.
J. C. Cook, Kerens.
S. P. Allen, Corsicana.
Brother-in-law of Allen (name unknown.
M. O. Turner, Norris, Miss.
Jack Cooper, Corsicana.
Charles Walker, Henrietta, Texas.
E. C. Cooper, Corsicana.

It is possible that others have burned to death, officials of the company declared, as 20 men at least were at work near the well when a spark from the control valve set fire to the gas and oil, it was added.

Five bodies are visible in the burning area about the well, but the heat is too intense to permit their recovery.

B. B. Simonds, in charge of checking up on the bodies, said it is still uncertain just who is dead, as the records and papers relative to the employment of the men were in possession of S. P. Allen, field superintendents at the well just before the explosion. Mr. Allen is among the dead and unrecovered and the papers relative to the men were burned with him.

POULTRY ADVICE—FREE TO READERS

The Record News has added Al Olston, poultry official at Oklahoma-Texas fair to conduct a regular poultry department. Ask him to solve your problems.

HOUSE PASSES BILLS AT NIGHT

Oil Permits In Red River Territory Extended

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Texas, May 10.—A score of bills were passed finally by the house tonight. The more important measures included the Burkett senate bill creating an eleventh court of civil appeals at Eastland, and three bills by Turner, enabling farmers to obtain loans under the federal farm credits act. The vote on the Burkett bill was 76 to 20.

In addition to a large number of local or minor bills, the measures included: Lewis, eradicating agricultural pests; Covery, for organization of co-operative marketing organization; Stewart of Edwards, condemnation of road materials; Pope, requiring payment of interest on certain deposits of light, water and telephone companies; Culp, levying occupation tax on slot machines, and regulating maternity homes.

Among new bills introduced today were Simpson, appropriating $1,500,000 to pay tuition of certain high school pupils, and Bonham, exempting sheriffs of counties of less than 25,000 population from reporting fees.

Oil Permits Extended.

Twelve bills were passed finally in the senate today. Chief among those passed this afternoon was the Ridgeway bill creating a state parks board and the Bowers bill authorizing Texas to co-operate with other southern states in the cotton states commission. The Irwin bill, prohibiting driving an automobile on public streets or highways while the driver is intoxicated; the Fairchild bill, creating a separate state insurance department, and the bill increasing salaries of railroad commissioners, were passed.

Other bills passed include: Carpenter, extending oil and gas permits in Red river territory; Pollard, exempting teachers from employment agency requirements; Witt, authorizing condemnation of land for dredging; Davis, relating to non-resident guardians, and three local bills.

The Pope text book bill seeking to extend text book contracts, and the Dinkle income tax measure were made special orders tomorrow.

Excitement Kills One

Associated Press Dispatch

MEXIA, Texas, May 10.—L. V. Melton, teamster, after suffering an apoplectic attack downtown in the excitement of the Powell tragic blaze, fell from his wagon about sundown, and was carried to the hospital, where he died an hour later.

TEXANS GET VAIL MEDALS



Three telephone employes in Texas were officially notified today that they had been included in the national awards of Vail medals in recognition of courage and conspicuous devotion to duty which resulted in the saving of human life during 1922.

According to the announcement, this medal, considered one of the highest honors a telephone employe can receive, has been awarded Mrs. Doris Howard, operator at San Saba; Wiubur B. Roberts, manager at Victoria, and John A. Ross, draftsman at Fort Worth.

Mrs. Howard is cited for bravery in remaining on duty at the switchboard during a flood; Mr. Roberts is given his award for saving a young boy in Matagorda Bay, and Mr. Ross is cited for saving the lives of two aged women from the flood waters of the Trinity river.

The Vail medal is awarded from the Theadore N. Vail memorial fund, which was established in accordance with the wishes of the late president of the Bell system.

Nine other employes of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company have been notified of the same award for 1022; five from Kansas, three from Oklahoma and one from Arkansas.

The formal presentation of the Vail bedals will be made in the near future.

SCHOOL GIRLS SHOWN HAIR MODES IN INDIA TODAY

Dr. P. M. Singh, East Indian lecturer, who is now in the city with the Cotton Belt Exposition shows, spoke to the freshmen, sophomore and junior classes yesterday morning on the customs, educational facilities and economic conditions in his native land.

In the course of his lecture Dr. Singh, who belongs to one of the highest castes in India and who is able to converse in nine different languages, told the pupils the conditions that surrounded a marriage in India and the property an East Indian received upon his marriage. He further told the pupils how the native East Indian would go into the jungle without any protection and how he remained unharmed.

Immediately following his lecture, Dr. Singh showed the assembly the art of removing his turban and how quickly it could be replaced. He also gave the girls a lesson in combing their hair as he placed his, which reached nearly to his waist on his head without using a hairpin or comb. While combing his hair, the doctor remarked that the reason he let his hair grow long was because God placed it there and he evidently meant for it to stay.

Dr. Singh was introduced by Sam Beatty, post commander of the Pat Carrigan American Legion post which brought the shows to Wichita Falls.

Farley Succeeds Lasker

Associated Press Dispatch

WASHINGTON, May 10.— Appointment of Edward P. Farley of Chicago, former vice president of the emergency fleet corporation to succeed Albert D. Lasker, as chairman of the shipping board, was announced late today at the white house.

Good Market For Quality Eggs This Summer, Agricultural Agent Says

Prospects ahead of the small poultryman are rosy this year, according to a report just made public by M. B. Oates, agricultural agent of the Fort Worth and Denver railroad. His full statement follows:

Greater interest than ever before in quality eggs and infertile eggs is being shown by egg buyers. Buyers in Fort Worth, Bowie, Vernon and Amarillo have announced that they will pay a premium for infertile eggs this summer. The fact that some of the large buyers will pay a premium on infertile eggs, gives the small poultry houses a chance to market quality eggs. They, therefore, can now pay the producer a premium. This has not been possible before except to a very limited extent.

Farmers are now justified in separating the roosters from the flock and thereby producing infertile eggs. The Texas farmer must do this before he can ever expect to get much for summer eggs. I say the Texas farmer, because summer eggs from Texas sell for less than do eggs from any other state. The reason is that nearly all Texas eggs are fertile and since much of Texas is very warm, the result is that many Texas eggs reach the market and the consumer in various stages of incubation. Whether you believe this or not the fact remains that our eggs brings less per dozen than those from any other state. Texas eggs have such a bad reputation that they are always sold at a discount and it is some times almost impossible to sell them on the egg markets of the cities at any price. The fertile egg is the reason.

If farmers and poultry keepers will produce infertile eggs they can get an average price, through the summer of about 25c per dozen. And since summer eggs are produced for almost nothing they become an important source of profit at 25c per dozen.

In addition to getting a premium per dozen, the farmer will get to sell all of his eggs instead of having a part of them candled out. This factor is even more important than the extra price per dozen.

An egg buyer, who has handled infertile eggs for the past two summers, tells me that it works like this: Two farmers come in with five dozen eggs each. One has infertile eggs and gets 30c per dozen for all of them, total $1.50. The other has fertile eggs and the buyer candles out three dozen of them and the remaining two dozen, which are still good on that day, bring only 20 cents per dozen, or a total of 40 cents for the five dozen offered. The difference of 90 cents will soon pay for disposal or separation of the roosters from the flock. This illustrates the difference in quality and real value of eggs and explains the low price of summer eggs. The hatch spots develops so rapidly, when eggs are fertile that they can not be used for food when they reach the market. It's up to the farmer to produce an egg that will reach the consumer in good condition. Until he does this he will get a very low price for summer eggs.

NEGRO BOOTLEGGER NOW ON INSIDE PEERING OUTWARD

A negro bootlegger who thought there wasn't anything new under the sun was "inside looking out" Thursday night and meditating on the very patent fact that he had a lot to learn.

While diligently plying his trade in the flats late last night, he was accosted by a harmless-looking individual negotiating for a quart. Convinced that the prospective customer was all right, the vendor of liquid cheer provided a bottle and received $3 in return. No sooner was the deal completed, however, than a limb of the law appeared and put both the principals under arrest.

But at the county jail an official badge suddenly appeared on the chest of one of the "prisoners" and then the afflicted black began to see things.

Melvin Johnson was the officer who started meekly to jail in custody of Ollie McDonald and the liquor salesman.

The total mileage of the streets of London is 2,223.



CAMPING OUT DAYS

The days of the tourist, the camper, the picnics and the fisherman are here. We can outfit you completely with all the requisites of the lover of out-of-doors.



Auto Tents $11.00 to $42.00
Gold Medal Folding Tables.. $6.00



Gold Medal Folding Chairs.....$3.75
Gold Medal Camp Stools.....$1.25
Gold Medal Cots (new).....$5.00
Kamp Kook Gasoline Stove $7.50, $9.00 .....$11.75

Come in and Let Us Show You

Lewis-Tittle Hardware Co.
820 Scott

ASSOCIATED STORES

PERKINS-TIMBERLAKE COMPANY
UNINCORPORATED

Stacy Adams and Packard Oxfords For Men



The Finest Footwear on the Market

STACY ADAMS—Made on combination lasts in all the styles and best leathers. Priced $12.50

PACKARDS—in black and brown kid, black and tan calfskin and black kangaroo. Also sport effects. Priced—$8.50 to $9.00

MEN'S OXFORDS — In black, brown and tan. Bal and blucher effect. All leathers. Goodyear welt soles and rubber heels $7.50

(Shoe Section—Main Floor)

ASSOCIATED STORES TELEPHONE 4343 ASSOCIATED STORES

TODAY AND SATURDAY, AT THIS BUSY

CONSOLIDATION SALE

Will remind you of those good old days in 1919 and 1920. Come around and see if we are not right.

This mighty sale has a purpose, our space is too small for two big stocks, hence these reductions.

Over 350 Silk Dresses For All Occasions, Greatly Reduced For Today and Saturday

One lot Taffeta and Crepe Dresses $5.00
On Balcony
100 Ladies' House Dresses, values to $3.00, Friday and Saturday $1.69
On Balcony
All those Sport Dresses, also Taffetas and Canton Crepes $9.80
Values to $17.50

Pure Linen and Pongee Dresses, $15.00 values, very special at $10.95
Our biggest range Shakara Crepes, Paisleys, Canton Crepes, Taffetas. Many others, values to $27.50 at $14.85
Tissue and French Gingham Street Dresses $6.95
Misses and Childrens Wash Dresses up from 98c
On Balcony

All silk capes in colors and black values to $35. Friday and Saturday for $19.85
Ladies Jersey Pettibockers and Petticoats, 12 bright shades, at $2.48
Novelty Pumps, 6 new styles, very special. Values to $12.50, at $8.85
Ladies' $1.25 pure thread Silk Hose, pair 89c
See those Ladies' Hats on Balcony, value to $5 .....$2.98

Boy's Best Quality Unionalls, at $1.39
On Balcony
See those new Silk Sweaters, $4.98 up. All high shades.
You can buy Children's shoes here, up from 98c
Ladies' 75c Summer Knit Unions 48c
Extra Special, rain or shine, silk Parasols, $6.00 values $4.48
Men's Ide Collars, new styles, 6 for $1
Men's $1.50 Dress Shirts 98c

Boy's $1.00 Blouses 79c
On Balcony
Real French Kid, 16-button length Gloves $5.95
Very special, Misses' patent kid one-strap pumps, $3.00 values for $1.98
Ladies' Long Silk Gloves, all colors for $1.98
All Ladies' Crepe de Chine Teds values to $4.00 .....$2.98
Men's Leather Palm Gloves .22c
Men's Sox, all colors, pair .10c
On Balcony

OVER 30,000 YARDS OF PIECE GOODS FROM THE MEDIUM QUALITIES TO THE VERY BEST

Those 27c Zephyr Ginghams, all day Friday, 6 yards for $1.00
Crepe de Chine in all colors of the rainbow. Yard $1.69
Canton Crepes, limited amount. Per yard $2.48
Printed Crepe de Chines up to $3.50 values, yard $2.48

Always a big table Remnants at about one-half price.
20 colors in Ratines. Yard 48c
Our regular 50c Organdies, all colors and white. Yard 39c
Paisley Crepes, values to $1.50, Two days only. Yard 98c
Table Damask, yard 49c
Our finest Tissue and French Ginghams. During sale, yard 48c

One more lot Taffetas and Messalines, while they last, yard only $1.39
All fancy plaid, check and basket weave Ratine Suitings, former values to $1.25 yard. Friday and Saturday, yard 88c
All those dandy Percales. Dozens of patterns, Friday and Saturday, 6 yards for $1.00

Don't forget to visit the Bargain Balcony every day. Many specials.
All out-of-town customers be sure and visit our store. Ladies' rest room, plenty of ice water, and a hearty handshake for you.

Folks, the opportunity is yours to save during this mighty consolidation. No disappointment. Just bigger values for you. This is our permanent home. Make it yours while in town.

Richardson Brothers, Inc.
SOLE OWNERS
SUCCESSORS TO FINES DRY GOODS STORE
724 Indiana—Next Door to First National Bank

1000 Visitors View Kemp No. 1 at Olney Free Barbecue

WELL CLEANED, MACHINERY RUNS

Hundreds View Field At Olney During Celebration

Special Dispatch to Record News

OLNEY, Texas, May 10.—Peter Kemp drilled four feet today and have decided to run liner and place pump tomorrow. It seems to be the unanimous verdict of scouts, that it is an exceptionally good commercial producer, considering the depth of 1,075 and will be good for 50 barrels or more on pump.

By DON WELDON
Staff Correspondent

OLNEY, May 10—A crowd estimated at 1,000 people visited the Kemp No. 1 well being drilled five and a half miles southwest of Olney, today in response to an invitation extended by the Peters Oil company, the drillers of the well, for the public to attend a barbecue picnic. The host crowd was composed of oil men, drillers, operators, lease owners, farmers and many visitors from the cities surrounding the field.

The picnic grounds, at the site of the well, were on a rolling prairie, dotted hereand there with groves of trees and bushes, making a very pleasant spot, and in spite of the heat, the crowd that began to gather early in the morning, stayed at the well until late afternoon.

Free Barbecue Served

At noon a free barbecue lunch was served to every visitor, the lunch consisting of barbecued beef, pickles, bread and pie. The beef was barbecued in great sheet metal containers measuring more than 10 feet in length. The large metal ovens were placed over open pits and presided over by several ranchmen, who had learned the art of barbecuing beef on the range, and from the exclamations of content as the visitors ate, the cooks must have been successful with their efforts.

During the morning carpenters worked building makeshift, wooden tables that extended completely around one side of the picnic grounds, and the crowd lined on both sides two deep, being served the delicious barbecue from huge trays carried by the cooks. Paper plates and cane forks were given the visitors, and with his plate heaped with meat, pickles and bread, each, retired to a cool spot beneath the trees to enjoy the meal.

Well Cleaned Out

The well was roped off from the picnic grounds, and, although automobiles were barred from the enclosure, visitors were welcomed and throughout the day the crowds stood about the well listening to the explanations of the drillers, who answered questions about the well.

The well was being cleaned at the time and machinery was running with the boiler a few feet from the well, and innumerable inquiries concerning the well and the operation of the big shafts and wheels were answered by the workmen and others interested, who acted as guests to the visitors.

Waggoner To Lease Storage Lake Land

W. T. Waggoner, who is the owner of land on both sides of the large storage lake, has decided to lease portions of the shoreland for the establishment of camping sites during the summer, and will place blocks on the market within the next few days, it is announced. Waggoner stated some time ago that he would not lease his land, but changed his mind.

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS
Associated Press Dispatch

NEW ORLEANS, May 10.—Spot cotton steady; 50 points lower. Sales on the spot 2,389; to arrive 488; low middling 24.75; middling 25.50; good middling 26.00; receipts 1,766; stock 103,333.

KEMP NO. 1 EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETED EARLY TODAY

Special Dispatch to Record News

OLNEY, May 10.—Kemp No. 1 well being drilled on the S. B. Kemp farm, five and a half miles southwest of Olney, is cleaning out today, following caving in of the well. It is expected that the well will be completely cleaned by tomorrow morning and tests made of its production. Estimates of oil men are as high as 250 barrels daily.

This morning the well duplicated its performance of Saturday, sending oil over the top of the rigging as the swab was run into the hole and removed. The oil showed a considerable amount of oil and looks good for a commercial well when completed and put on the pump. With 50 feet of mud in the hole oil came to the top and flowed for several minutes. The hanging of tools in the hole has delayed operations, but it is expected that tomorrow will show the real worth of the well.

Location has been made for Kemp No. 2 to be drilled as an offset on the south of the No. 1, and material for the derrick is being moved to the site. The well will be drilled on the Hankins' farm, which is immediately on the south, by the same company that drilled the No. 1 and will be started at once.

With the No. 1 well showing oil, leases are rising and prices are unusually high. It is reported from sources believed to be authentic, that 67 acres on the north of the well have been sold by Kemp for a consideration of $500 an acre. Other leases are being sold and prices are rising with the nearing completion of the well.

Local Lobbies

KEMP.

Wirt Leake, Dallas; F. A. Howard, New York; Elliott Jones, San Antonio; H. G. McLean, Dallas; E. M. Nottingham, Seymour; W. A. Reed, Houston; C. H. Wilson, Dallas; C. H. McClellan, Mabelle; J. Greely, Seattle; P. E. Workman, Dallas; Miss N. McMillan, Dallas; B. Travis, Cincinnati; R. V. Harris, Los Angeles; E. T. Harmon, Fort Worth; B. A. Rice, Oklahoma City; Mrs. W. F. Nance, Newcastle; L. T. Wade, Saratoga, Texas; C. Bradshaw, Fort Worth; J. E. Harrell, Throckmorton; Mrs. J. A. Sheppard, Tulsa, Oklahoma; B. E. Bills, city; Joe Wheeler, Dallas; E. Wright, Dallas; W. J. Atwood, Dallas; A. Hall, Oklahoma City; C. C. Peters, Fort Worth.

WILLIAM AND MARY.

J. Beck, city; Miss L. Garrett, city; C. H. Laird, city; I. I. Yorkstock, city; Mrs. Tucker, city; M. L. Canfield, Dallas.

FINANCIAL FEATURES

Day's total sales, 1,121,000 shares.
Twenty industrials averaged 97.61; net loss, .58.
High 1923, 105.35; low 95.41.
Twenty railroads averaged 82.15; net loss .16.
High 1923, 90.63; low 80.37.

100 Seniors Will Receive Diplomas Week From Today

More than 100 seniors from the local high school will receive their diplomas Friday night, May 18, at the Wichita theatre, according to reports from the high school office. Although all the seniors have not completed their examinations and it is impossible to estimate the number that will graduate, in all probability the graduating class of this year will be the largest in the history of the school, as there are 135 classified as seniors.

Henry Lewis Smith, president of Washington-Lee university, will deliver the main address at the exercises, according to Hugh Porter, high school principal.

Dr. C. M. Simpson, of the First Methodist church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon next Sunday morning at the First Baptist church.

Two-Months-Old Dies

Funeral services for James Arthur Cooper, 2-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cooper, 2514 Taylor street, who died at the home of his parents Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, were held from the Grant Street Methodist Mission Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Rev. Mr. Alexander officiating. Burial was in Rodemont burial park.

MRS. E. A. BRIGHT



Advice For Women Of All Ages

SAN ANTONIO, Texas.—"I have used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for feminine trouble and it helped me more than anything else I have ever taken. I am glad to tell others about it. I praise the "Prescription" highly and advise its use by every woman who suffers as I did."—Mrs. E. A. Bright, 212 W. Dittmar street.

Health is your most valuable asset. Do not neglect it. Obtain Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription now, in liquid or tablets, at drug store. Write Dr. Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., for free medical advice or send 10c for trial package of tablets.—Adv.

C. B. Mendel Dies

C. B. Mendel, age 80, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, 1006 Eleventh street, Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock following a stroke of paralysis a few days ago. The deceased was well known in this city, having lived here at intervals for the past few years. The body will be shipped to Taylor tonight for burial.

He is survived by two sons, Harry Mendel of San Angelo and Curran Mendel of Dallas, and two daughters, Mrs. Charley Huff of Dallas, and Mrs. Elizabeth Brown of this city.

TEXAS SPOTS
Associated Press Dispatch

DALLAS, May 10.—Cotton quiet, 24.75; Houston steady 25.25; Galveston, quiet 25.15.

Marvelous Haynes Picks Up Lost Key And Opens U. S. Mail Box

Marvelous Haynes, who appeared at the Strand theatre last night, gave a few free demonstrations of his uncanny abilities in the art of psychology, yesterday afternoon on Scott street.

Mr. Haynes asked the large audience to appoint four men as a committee and then told them to write a letter, place it in some box at the postoffice, hide the key in any location in town and then he would direct them to the key, then go to the box, get the unaddressed letter, and carry it to the person to whom it was supposed to be sent. The men did as they were directed and then came back and blindfolded the artist. Then the fun began.

Without a moments hesitation the little man started in search of the key, followed by the large crowd. He went directly to the lot on the corner of Ninth and Indiana streets, where the Shrine circus was located, dug into the sawdust and extracted the key and then went to the postoffice and located the box. While all this performance was going on he continued to hold the wrist of one of the committee and this was probably what directed him to the sought key. After the letter was obtained, he delivered it to the proper person at the Kemp hotel.

Marvelous Haynes is known all over the United States as he has been performing wonderful feats before the public for the past 18 years. He appeared at Electra Wednesday and came from that place highly recommended.

He will give more demonstrations today, one of which will be driving a car blindfolded, through town at the rate of 25 miles per hour.

Hull Is Recovering

Reports from the home of F. M. Hull, 1404 Travis, who was run down and slightly injured Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock by an automobile driven by Frank Widlow, said that the injured man was resting well and that he would be confined to his bed only for a few days. The accident occurred at Tenth and Scott streets when Mr. Hull was crossing the street.

An ambulance was called and he was immediately rushed to the General hospital for medical attention. An examination showed that he was only suffering from scalp wounds and he was removed to his home Wednesday afternoon.

BONDS AND STOCKS

WE WANT TO BUY——
City National Bank Building Stock
Kemp Hotel Bonds
Wichita State Bank and Trust Co. Stock

WE WILL SELL——
100 shares Texhoma Oil and Refining Co. stock.

See us if you want to buy or sell high grade securities.

THE BOBO-HEFLIN CO
"Stocks and Bonds" Bob Waggoner Building

Miller-Ferguson Co.

Two More Big Days

DRESS SALE



Two more big days, Today and Saturday

$5, $10 and $15

And one very wonderful lot at . . . $23.75

Ask About the Dolls Free!

SEE WINDOW FOR DOLLS AND DRESSES

Miller-Ferguson Dry Goods Co., Inc.

Indiana and Tenth Store Dependable

Presenting the Big New

Overland

RED BIRD

America's First Low Priced English Type Car



Here is a new and brilliant American achievement in economical motoring—the big new Overland Red Bird.

A new delight to the eye! A new thrill to drive! A joy to ride in! A revelation in economy! Reflecting unmistakably the vast experience and resourcefulness of the great Willys-Overland organization.

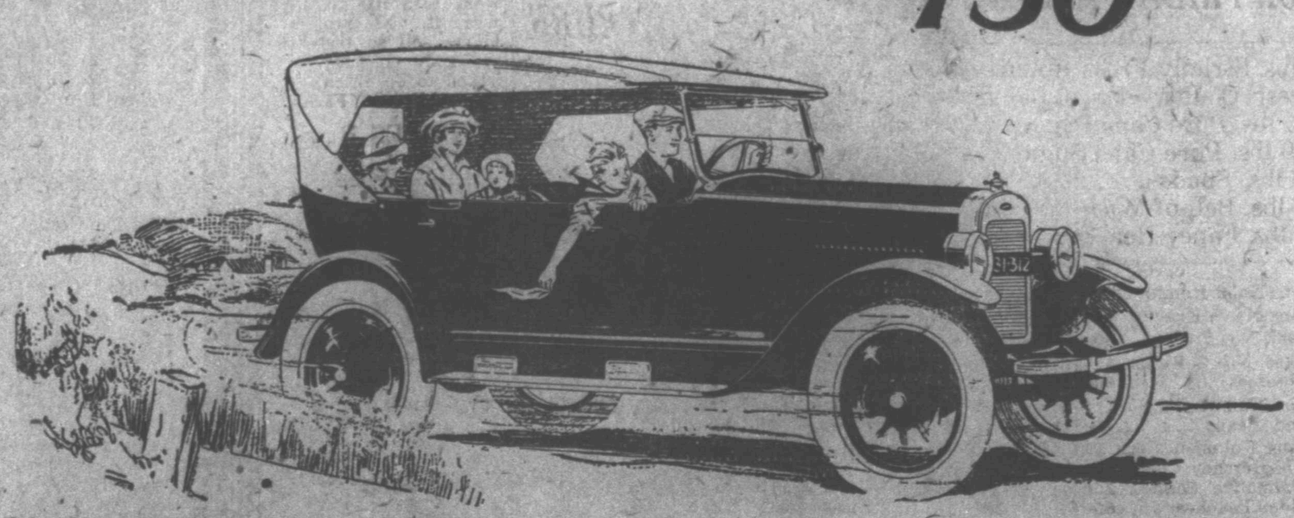
A car that is unlike Tom's, Dick's and Harry's; distinctive; more beautiful. A car you will own and drive with pride, *and with economy.*

A creation in rich, gleaming Mandalay maroon, topped in khaki. A *larger,* more powerful motor. A much *longer* wheelbase, a roomier body, and the fleet lines of a revenue cutter. Glistening nickeled radiator, head-lamp rims, windshield stanchions, scuff plates, door handles and back curtain frame. First quality Fisk *cord* tires. A windshield wiper, bumpers front and rear—everything!

Examine the new Overland Red Bird in our show room. Judge for yourself how precisely Overland again has sensed and gratified the ideal of American families who seek distinction without extravagance.

See the Red Bird Center Spread Advertisement in May 12th Saturday Evening Post

$750



Other Overland Models:
Touring $525
Sedan 860
Coupe 795
Roadster 525
All prices f. o. b. Toledo

OVERLAND MOTORS CO
FRANK QUIESSER, Mgr.
Wichita Falls
Burkburnett Electra Henrietta

DRIVE AN OVERLAND AND REALIZE THE DIFFERENCE

BEAR TRADERS HIT STOCKS

Weak Spots Found After Persistent Efforts

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 10.—Bear traders made persistent efforts to depress prices in today's active stock market and succeeded in uncovering several weak spots, particularly in the steels and equipments, but they encountered much better buying support than they did last week. Operations for the rise were conducted in the sugar shares, and a number of special issues, but net losses slightly exceeded net gains at the close.

American Locomotive, which had closed 139 to within a small fraction of its year's high, dropped to 135 1-4 and then rallied one point for a net loss of two points on the day. Baldwin dropped from 131 1-4 to 127 7-8 and rallied to 129 1-2 in the last hour of trading.

United States Steel common broke below par for the second time this year, but rallied later to 101, where it was off only fractionally on the day.

Spot coffee rawa advanced 1-8 of a cent a pound and futures about 15 points. Cuba Cane preferred and Cuban-American common and preferred each closed about a point higher. Punta Alegere, Manati and American forfeited their early gains on profit taking.

Woolworth was the individual feature, jumping 16 1-2 points to 235, a new high record. California Petroleum touched 91 and then reacted to 90 1-4, where it was up 4 1-4. American Can moved up more than 3 points. Pittsburgh and West Virginia touched 50 1-2, a new top, and then slipped back to 49 3-4, up 4 7-8 on the day. Union Bag and Paper, National Cloak and Suit, and Atlantic Refining also were conspicuously strong.

Call money opened and held at 4 1-2.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Allied Chem & Dye	68⅝
Amer Beet Sugar	41⅝
Amer Can	94⅛
Amer C & Fdy	10⅞
Amer H & L pfd	25½
Amer Loco	135⅛
Amer Linseed	28⅞
Amer S & Ref	58⅛
Amer Sugar	77
Amer T & T	122⅛
Amer Woolen	94⅞
Anaconda Copper	46⅝
Atchison	99½
Atl Coast Line	114
Atl G & W I	21
Baldwin Loco	129⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	48½
Bethlehem Steel B	57
Can Pac	152
Central Leather	32
Chander Motor	63½
Chesapeake & Ohio	66
Chi M & St P	21⅛
Chi R I & Pac	29½
Chile Copper	28
Coca Cola	70¼
Con Gas	62
Con Textile	11½
Cos & Co	47⅞
Corn Prod	131⅞
Crucible Steel	23⅝
Cuban Amer Sugar	34½
Cuba Cane Sugar	16
Endicott Johnson	70½
Erie	11
Famous Players-Lasky	84
Gen Asphalt	40⅝
Gen Electric	176
Gen Motors	16¼
Gt North pfd	72⅜
Gulf States Steel	87⅝
Illinois Central	111
Inter Mer Mar pfd	32
Inter Paper	43
Kelly Springfield	51
Kennecott Copper	38⅝
Louisville & Nash	90
Middle States Oil	10⅞
Midvale Steel	28⅜
Mo Kan & Tex (new)	12⅞
Mo Pac	15
N Y Central	92⅜
N Y, N H & Hart	18
Norfolk & West	108
North Pac	72⅝
Okla Prod & Ref	2⅛
Pac Oil	33⅝
Pan-Amer Pet	71⅛
Penns	44⅛
Pure Oil	20
Reading	70⅞
Rep I & S	52⅜
Reynolds Tob B	64⅝
Royal Dutch N Y	47
St. Louis & San Fran	21
Seaboard Air Line pfd	11⅜
Sears Roebuck	57½
Sinclair Oil	31½
Sloss Shef Steel	52
South Pac	80
South Ry	32
South Ry pfd	66
Stand Oil of Cal	53½
Stand Oil of N J	37⅝
Studebaker	114⅝
Tenn Copper	10⅜
Tex Co	46⅞
Tex & Pac	22⅝
Tob Prod A	80⅜
Trans Oil	9
Union Pac	135
United Fruit	108½
United Retail Stores	7⅞
U S Ind Alcohol	57⅝
U S Rubber	54⅛
U S Steel	101
Utah Copper	68
Virg Caro Chem	12⅝
West Union	100⅜
Westinghouse Elec	55⅜

NEW YORK BONDS

Foreign Bonds

Argentine 7s	102½
Dom of Canada 5½s 1929	101⅞
Swiss Confederation 8s	116⅜
U K of G B & I 5½s 1937	104⅛
U S of Brazil 8s	97½
U S of Mexico 5s	57⅜

Railway and Miscellaneous Bonds

Amer Agric Chem 7½s	102½
Amer S & R 5s	88¼
Amer Sugar 6s	102
Amer T & T cv 6s	115
Atchison gen 4s	87⅜
Atl Coast Line 1st 4s	86¼
Baltimore & Ohio cv 4½s	79
Bethlehem Steel ref 5s	91¼
Central of Georgia 6s	100⅝
Central Leather 5s	98⅜
Chesapeake & Ohio cv 5s	88⅛
Chi B & Q ref 5s	90
Chi M & St P cv 4½s	94½
Chi R I & Pac ref 4s	77⅜
Chile Copper 6s	90¾
Colo & South ref 4½s	82⅞
Erie gen 4s	44⅛
Goodyear Tire 8s 1931	105
Illinois Central ref 4s	85⅛
Int Mer Marine 6s	82¼
Kan City South ref 5s	84
Kelly-Springfield Tire 8s	108¾
Liggett & Myers 5s	105⅛
Louisville & Nash ref 5½s	102½
Mex Pet 8s	108
Mo Kan & Tex pr lien 5s	77¼
Missouri Pac gen 4s	56½
N Y Central deb 6s	103⅛
North Pac 4s	84⅛
Penns gen 5s	100⅝
Reading gen 4s	86½
Rep I & S 5s	90⅝
St. L & Sa nFran adj 6s	72⅜
Seaboard Air Line con 0s	63⅜
South Pac cv 4s	91⅞
South Ry 5s	94¼
South Rail 6½s	101
Union Pac 4s	90
U S Steel 5s	102⅞
Wabash 1st 5s	95¼
Wilson & Co 7½s	98½

SUGAR MARKET

NEW YORK, May 10.—The raw sugar market was steadier and prices were 1-16 of a cent high to the basis of 6 7-16 cents for Cubas, cost and freight, equal to 8.22 for centrifugal. There were sales early of 40,000 bags of Porto Ricos to a local refiner for late May shipments at 8.28 delivered, or the equivalent of 6 1-2 cents cost and freight for Cubas.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Closing: July, 6.54; September, 6.61; December, 6.02; March, 4.87.

There were no changes in the market for refined sugar, with fine granulated listed at 9.75 to 9.90. The demand continued quiet. Refined futures normal.

WHEAT GOES STILL LOWER

Corn And Oats Follow With Provisions Also Depressed

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, May 10.—Notwithstanding a show of strength at the outset, wheat averaged lower in price today. Wheat closed unsettled at 1-8 to 5-8 cent net decline, with July $1.17 3-8 to $1.17 1-2, and September $1.16. Corn lost 1-2 to 3-8 cents, oats 3-8 cent, and provisions 12 to 22 cents.

At first the wheat market was bullishly affected by the refusal to restrain trading in future deliveries of sugar and by an upturn in Liverpool wheat quotations, but later selling pressure increased and the early gains were soon much more than wiped out.

Corn and oats duplicated the action of the wheat market. Bulls in the corn market were handicapped by some lessening of shipping demand here for corn.

Provisions were depressed by selling ascribed to packers and by talk of slowness of cash inquiry.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	1.18⅜	1.19	1.17⅜	1.18
July	1.18⅜	1.18½	1.16¾	1.17⅜
Sept	1.16¾	1.17	1.15½	1.16
CORN—				
May	.79⅞	.79½	.78¼	.78¾
July	.80⅛	.80⅛	.78¾	.79⅛
Sept	.79⅝	.79⅞	.78¼	.78⅝
OATS—				
May	.43⅞	.44	.43⅝	.43⅝
July	.44⅜	.44⅝	.43⅝	.43⅞
Sept	.43⅛	.43¼	.42½	.42¾
LARD—				
July	11.00	11.00	10.60	10.75
Sept	11.17	11.25	10.97	10.97
RIBS—				
July	9.05	9.05	8.87	8.87
Sept	9.30	9.30	9.12	9.12

CASH GRAIN

Associated Press Dispatch

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 10.—Wheat, No. 2 hard 1.12@1.21; No. 2 red 1.27@1.31.

Corn, No. 3 white 81½@82; No. 2 yellow 84.

Oats, No. 2 white 46½; No. 3 white 45@46.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, May 10. — Poultry, alive, lower; fowls 25½; broilers 45@50; roosters 14.

Butter unchanged.

Eggs steady; firsts 25&25½.

NEW YORK MONEY

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 10.—Call money easire; high 4½; low 4½; ruling rate 4½; closing bid 4½; offered at 4¾; last loan 4½; call loans against acceptance 4; time loans firm; 60 to 90 days 5¼; 4 to 6 months 5¼@5½; prime commercial paper 5.

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Associated Press Dispatch

LIVERPOOL, May 10. — Cotton spot limited demand; prices firm. Good middling 14.82; fully middling 14.72; middling 14.62; low middling 14.37; good ordinary 13.87; ordinary 13.57. Sales 10,000 bales, including 3,300 American. Receipts 100 bales, all American.

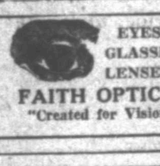
A TEXAS WONDER

For kidney and bladder trouble, general weak and lame back, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder. At your druggists or by mail $1.25. Small bottle often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall. 2926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo.

612 Ind. **Standard Storage Battery** Phone 6818

Sales and Service

Fuller Battery Electric Co.



EYES TESTED
GLASSES FITTED
LENSES GROUND
FAITH OPTICAL CO.
"Created for Vision's Sake"

Eyes Tested  Glasses Fitted

W. C. HILBURN

EXPERT WATCHMAKER
REGISTERED OPTOMETRIST
Railroad and fine Swiss Watches my specialty
WITH
CITY LOAN COMPANY
718 Ohio Phone 6058

LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, May 10.—Cattle, 11,000; beef steers and beef heifers, strong to 10 cents higher; top matured steers, 10.50; best yearlings, 10.15; bulk beef steers, 8.75@10.00; bologna bulls, weak to 10 cents lower; stockers, very slow; choice, 140 to 180 pound vealers to city butchers 10.50; bulk bologna bulls late, 5.00@5.25; bulk beef heifers, 7.50@8.00; bulk thin stockers and feeders, 7.00@8.00.

Hogs, 20,000; steady; top, 7.95; bulk, 150 to 210 pound averages, 7.80@7.90; 225 to 340 pound butchers, 7.50@7.80; packing sows, 6.25@6.50; pigs, 25 to 50 cents higher; bulk desirable, 110 to 130 pound average, 6.50@7.50; estimated holdover, 24,000.

Sheep, 8,000; fairly active; fat lambs, steady to 15 cents higher; handyweight wooled Colorado, 15.80; best clipped lambs, 13.75; sheep is low; spots lower; few odd sales clipped ewes, 6.00@6.75; choice spring lambs, 17.00.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Tex., May 10.—Salesmen made moderately good progress with cattle consignments Thursday, the general market being more active than on other days this week. Prices on all kinds remained in the declines previously quoted. A feature was the sales of 11 cars of steers to Wilson, this being the first important outside packer buying of South Texas steers here this season. Receipts were estimated at 3,500 head of cattle and 500 calves.

COTTON SEED OIL

NEW YORK, May 10.—The cotton seed oil market was under pressure all day and closed 17 to 28 points net lower. The break in grain, poor outside support and offerings from commission houses all tended to weaken confidence and prices declined easily. Sales, 14,400 barrels. Prime crude, 9.50@9.75; prime yellow spot, 11.20@11.75; May, 11.20; July, 1000; September, 10.72, all bid.

Take **Calotabs** TRADE MARK REG

for the liver

Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

Sadler & Haworth

SIGNS

Let us figure on your road signs this spring

Rear of J. C. Penney Co.





Keeps Him Busy.

filling up our shelves with freshly-baked loaves of bread. There's such a steady demand for our bread all day long, our bakers must work in shifts to keep up with it. No wonder our loaves sell so fast—they're too good to keep—they're baked to be eaten.

"ALWAYS FRESH"

PEOPLES BAKERY

714 Seventh St. Phone 5790

COTTON MART MEETS BREAK

July Sells Off From 25.70; Opening Advances

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

	Open	High	Close
May	25.83	24.74	24.74
July	25.60	24.16	24.16
October	23.03	22.19	22.19
December	22.62	21.81	21.81
January	22.41	21.78	21.73

NEW YORK COTTON

	High	Low	Close
May	26.00	25.45	25.45
July	25.70	24.20	24.20
October	23.00	22.65	22.65
December	23.15	22.30	22.30
January	22.88	21.90	22.00

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 10.—A continuation of yesterday's covering movement caused a further advance at the opening of the cotton market today, but it met increased offerings and was followed by a very severe break. July contracts sold off from $25.70 to $24.20 or 150 points from the best and 97 points net lower, and the general market closed easy at net declines of 70 to 97 points.

The opening was firm at an advance of 12 to 15 points, but the market soon weakened. Stop orders were uncovered as prices broke lower and the market showed increasing weakness in the late trading when rumors were circulated of additional mill curtailment in Fall river. May contracts sold off from $26.00 to $25.45 and October from $23.00 to $22.65 and the market closed at the lowest. July closed within 35 points of last Tuesday's low price and new crop months made new low ground for the movement.

Port receipts today 4,901; United States port stocks 413,951; exports 13,523, making 4,318,937 so far this season.

1c SALE

—AT THE—

UNITED

TODAY and TOMORROW

Add One Cent to the regular price and get two articles instead of one.

Palmolive Soap, 2 for	10c; 11c
School Tablets 2 for	5c 6c
Loose Leaf Paper 2 for	5c 6c
Carter's Ink 2 for	10c 11c
Cocoa Almond soap 2 for	10c 11c
Powder Puffs 2 for	10c 11c
Large Heavy Turkish Towels 2 for	29c 30c
Water Glasses 2 for	5c 6c
Shoe Strings, pair 2 for	5c 6c
Bathing Caps 2 for	15c 16c
No. 2 Wash Tubs 2 for	95c 96c
Ladies Paisley Leather Belts 2 for	15c 16c
Large Sleeping Dolls 2 for	$1 $1.01

All books included in the One Cent Sale.

UNITED

1c to $1 Stores Co.

THE

KASH KIDS



CASH REGISTER versus KID CREDIT

—but there's no fight to it! Cash can always buy more and with much better satisfaction, than Credit.

GET OUT OF THE "WASTE" REGISTER

Credit or account books can mean only waste. You pay in the end for the losses due to unpaid accounts, etc. Pay cash here—save, feel free and enjoy life.

"QUALITY" and "ECONOMY"

Specials Friday and Saturday

48 lbs. Belle of Wichita Flour	$1.90
24 lbs. Belle of Wichita Flour	$1.00
10 lbs. Navy Beans	$1.00
12 lbs. Blackeyed Peas	$1
1 lb. Chase & Sanborns Coffee	47c
2 lbs. Chase & Sanborns Coffee	93c
3 lbs. Chase & Sanborns Coffee	$1.35
3 lbs. C.H.C. Special Peaberry Coffee	$1.00
Fancy Bulk Cocoa, lb.	25c
Fancy Bulk Tea, per lb.	50c
1-4 lb. Folger's Tea, black or green	25c
½ lb. Folger's Tea, black or green	45c
15 lbs. Fancy Head Rice	$1
1 peck fancy Potatoes	30c
Nice White Onions, 4 pounds	25c
Campbell's Pork & Beans, per can	10c
No. 2½ Libby's Canned Spinach	27c
No. 2 Libby's Canned Spinach	21c
Gallon Peaches, per can	65c
Gallon Apricots, per can	75c
Gallon Blackberries, per can	78c
Gallon Loganberries, per can	85c
Gallon Plums, per can	70c
Spinach, per gallon	80c
Gallon Tomato Catsup, per can	75c
No. 2½ Green Gage Plums	37c
4 large boxes Matches	25c
22 bars White Naptha Soap	$1.00
20 bars Crystal White Soap	$1.00
20 bars P. & G. Soap	$1.00
Large White Pony Oats	20c
2 packages Post Bran	25c
Kellogs Bran Flakes	10c
2 pkgs. Post Toasties	25c
Puffed Wheat	16c
Puffed Rice	17c
10 lb. Bucket Comb Honey	$1.70

MEAT SPECIALS

Swift's Premium Hams, per lb.	27c
Sugar Cured Bacon, by side, per lb.	25c
Breakfast Bacon, by side, per lb.	37c
Dry Salt Pork, per lb.	16c
Rolled Roast, per lb.	19c
Chuck Roast, per lb.	14c
Pork Roast, per lb.	20c
Sausage, per lb.	20c
Hamburger Meat, lb	12½c
Hens, per lb.	27c

C.H.C. Cash Store Phone 3185 710 9th Street

WHITE HOUSE MARKET

706 Indiana AND Phone 4125

Gate City Grocery

1920 Tenth St. Phones 5596-6108

SPECIAL FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

48 lbs. Belle of Wichita Flour	$1.95
10 lbs. Pure Cane Sugar	$1.05
Ten pounds to the customer	
Selected Yard Eggs	30c
Fresh Country Butter, (the best)	50c
Irish Potatoes, peck, (15 lbs.)	35c
Scott Tissue Toilet Paper	15c
Old Dutch Cleanser	10c
P. & G. or Crystal White Soap, bar	5c
No. 1 Tomatoes, 3 for	25c
No. 2 Tomatoes, 3 for	35c
No. 2 can Corn, 3 for	35c
Campbell's Pork and Beans, 3 for	35c
King's Prunes, package	20c
Large Package Purity Oats	25c
Gallon Magnolia Figs	$1.00
No. 2 Sliced Pineapple	30c
No. 2 Grated Pineapple	25c
No. 2½ Grated Pineapple	30c
No. 1 can Fancy Apricots, 2 for	35c
Fancy Red Salmon; tall can, 3 for	$1.00
Fancy Red Salmon, small can	25c

Lots of Nice Fresh Vegetables
Home Grown Strawberries

Fresh Green Beans, lb.....10c

Nice New Potatoes, lb.....10c

Fresh Summer Squash, lb..10c

Everything possible to obtain in Fresh Vegetables and Fruits

MEAT DEPARTMENT

Swift Box Bacon	40c
Wilson Box Bacon	40c

Live and dressed Hens and Springs, Spring Lamb, Veal and Corn Fed Baby Beef, Veal Tenders, Calf Liver and Tongues, Extra fancy Rolled Roast. A full line of Lunch Meats and Cheese.

We Deliver Anywhere in the City

QUALITY FIRST

C. H. PARKER

Cash Grocery

611 Indiana Phone 5056

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

2 lbs. Strictly Fresh Country Butter	85c
Fresh Country Eggs, per dozen	25c
9½ lbs. Pure Cane Sugar	$1.00
100 lbs. Pure Cane Sugar	$10.00
15 lbs. Spuds	35c
48 lbs. Bell of Wichita Flour	$1.90
13 lbs. Fancy Head Rice	$1.00

6 cans No. 2 Hominy	50c	3 lbs. Dried Peaches	50c
6 cans No. 2 Kraut	75c	3 lbs. Dried Prunes	50c
6 cans No. 2 Corn	60c	3 lbs. Dried Apples	50c
6 cans No. 2 Sweet Potatoes	60c	3 pkgs. Sun Maid Raisins for	50c
6 cans Campbell's Pork and Beans	70c	3 boxes Mother's Oats	$1
6 cans Kohinoor Corn	$1	3 rolls Scott Tissue Toilet Paper	50c
½ lb. Hershey Cocoa	25c	6½ lb. Box Crux	95c
3 Palmolive Soap	25c	10 lb. Calumet Baking Powder	$1.65
Gallon Peaches	65c	20 Bars Crystal White Soap	$1
Gallon Pitted Cherries for	$1.15		

The Home of Votan Coffees and Teas

THREE STORES

Wichita Falls	Burkburnett	Electra
611 Indiana	217 Main	125 Main



SHIRTS

Of Unbeatable Values

Fine assortment of French Percale, Oxford Cloth and Pin Check Madras, collars to match and attached and detached. Size 14 to 17. $1.65

Poplins and Pongee. Highly mercerized, soft collar attached and detached. In grey and tans. Sizes 14 to 16. $2.50 and $3.00

LION SHIRTS in neckband, soft cuff, fine pin line patterns in Madras and Percale. Sizes 14 to 18 ..... $1.50

Wright's Clothes Shop

Wright Wrongs No Man

616 Eighth St. Phone 3091.

Bicycles, Sewing Machines, Etc., Sold Through Record News Want Ads

Train Information

Fort Worth and Denver — Southbound to Fort Worth: 8:00 a. m.; 2:50 p. m.; 3:00 a. m. Northbound to Childress and Denver, 3:20 a. m.; to Childress and Amarillo 2:20 p. m.; from Fort Worth 10:30 p. m.

Wichita Valley—To Stamford and Abilene 2:40 p. m.; from Stamford and Abilene (arrives) 1:50 p. m.; Waurika branch to Dean, Petrolia, Byers and Waurika, 9 a. m.; from Waurika, 5 p. m.

Wichita Falls and Southern — To Breckenridge 3:00 p. m.; From Breckenridge 12:40 p. m.

Wichita Falls and Northwestern—To Forgan 7:00 a. m.; from Forgan 7:35 p. m. To Elk City 7 p. m.; from Elk City 8 a. m. Sleeper to and from Oklahoma City via Altus over Frisco.

M. K. & T.—To Dallas, St. Louis and Kansas City, 6:15 a. m.; St. Louis and Kansas City 6:45 p. m.; to Dallas 11:30 p. m., from Dallas 6:15 a. m.; from Kansas City and St. Louis 10:55 a. m.; from Dallas, St. Louis and Kansas City 10:15 p. m.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Wichita Falls Council No. 140 R. & S. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m.
GEO. A. SMOOT, T. I. M.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59 — Stated conclaves first and third Thursdays of each month.
OTTO STEHLIK, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Work in the Order of the Temple Friday, May 11, beginning at 5 p. m. Ten candidates. All members and visiting Sir Knights urged to be present.

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M. Stated meetings the first and third Tuesday nights of each month. 819 Scott.
R. S. CURD, W. M.
ALBERT ELLIS, Sec'y.

Instruction of candidates May 7, 8, 10 and 11, 7:30 p. m.
Stated meeting and examination of candidates Tuesday, May 15, 8 p. m.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 650, A. F. & A. M., stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
JOHN A. ELDER, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y

Special meeting of lodge Thursday, May 10, 7:30. All members summoned.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M. Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
CHAS. B. SMOOT, H. P.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y

Maskat Temple A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Tuesday each month at Faith lodge rooms, in Chennault Bldg., 813 Scott. All visiting Nobles invited to attend. Recorder's office 813 Scott street. Phone 3884.
FRANK COLLIER, Potentate.
AL ELLIS, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237, of the Eastern Star, meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. MABLE SPITZNER, W. M.
MRS. SENA FRITZ McGLYNN, Sec'y

Faith Chapter U. D. order of the Eastern Star, meets second and fourth Monday evenings in each month. 813 Scott.
RUTH A. VERMILLION, W. M.
AUGUST WISDOM, Sec'y.
Residence 2213 Ninth. Phone 2836.

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.
J. B. MARLOW, Exalted Ruler.
H. C. ENGLISH, Sec.

Wichita Falls Camp, No. 3001. Regular meeting every Friday night, 8:00 I. O. O. F. hall, Sixth and Scott Ave.
J. M. NICHOLS, C. C.
D. C. BAKER, Clerk.
Phone 6720. 716 Seventh St.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday night at Odd Fellows Hall, 603 Scott street, at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers are requested to meet with us.
O. C. BLANTON, N. G.
J. W. BUSSEY, Rec'd. Sec.

Knights of Columbus, Wichita Falls Council No. 1473—Meets every Monday evening, 1509 Ninth Street. Visiting knights welcome.
C. J. COFFEY, G. K.
1116 City Nat. Bk. Bldg.
CLEM. J. GALLAGHER, F. S.
1404 Holliday.

HOPE CHAPTER ORDER OF DEMOLAY
Stated meetings second and fourth Thursdays of every month. Patrol meets every Tuesday and Thursday night. Master Masons cordially invited.
GEORGE E. ROSE, M. C.
JOYCE WILLIAMS, Scribe.
DEMOLAYS, ATTENTION
Called chapter meeting Faith lodge, 813 Scott, Thursday, May 10, 7:30.

2—Lost and Found

LOST—A 33x5 India tire on rim with cover on, in Holiday field, Wednesday. Notify T. C. Scruggs, at Kemp hotel, for liberal reward.

LOST—Brown leather handbag from automobile somewhere between Union depot and Burnett street. Owner's name under identification slide. Finder please return to W. L. Cameron cafeteria and receive liberal reward. W. E. Puffer.

LOST—Liver and white pointer bird dog, about seven weeks old. Finder please return to 704 Lamar street and get reward.

Want Ad Rates

1c per Word

1 insertion, per word 1c
6 insertions, per word 6c
7 insertions, per word 6c
30 insertions, per word 20c

No advertisement accepted for less than 25c for the first insertion.

We will not be responsible for errors in ads after first insertion.

Closing Hours

All ads for publication must be in The Record News office before 7:00 p. m. Saturday.

TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS when it is more convenient. Our collector will call within 24 hours, and as this is a cash service, only one insertion is permitted without the cash for the order.

PHONE 4121

Notice to Subscribers

Your Record News should be delivered every morning not later than 6:15 o'clock. When your service is not just what it should be you will do us a favor by telephoning your complaint direct to this office.

PHONE 4121

3—Help Wanted Male

MAN—Exclusive territory here to a good hustler to sell a new auto necessary. Must have car. Willingness to work more necessary than selling experience. Box 104 Record News.

MEN WANTED—If you are looking for a bright future, do not hesitate to inquire what the largest organization in the world of its kind has to offer. We want five ambitious and neat-appearing men, who are willing to make real money from the start. Call at 701-B Tenth St.

Boys Wanted

To sell Record News before school hours every morning.

4—Help Wanted Female

TWO neat appearing girls for lunch counter. Apply 717-A, Seventh St.

WANTED—At once, maid for light housework. Call 3001.

WANTED—A cook and dishwasher; must be good or don't apply. 706 Lamar.

WANTED—Two, neat, small type, young ladies, age 18-23, to travel with manager and wife by auto. The trip alone is worth while. We pay a good salary. If you don't want permanent work don't answer. Call in person soon as possible. See Mrs. Butler, Room 29, American hotel.

COOK wanted; servants room furnished, 2008 Elizabeth.

5—Male or Female Help

MEN or women to travel and appoint salesmen. Give phone and address for interview. P. O Box 1683, Wichita Falls, Texas.

7— Situations Wanted

WANTED—To drive car through to California for transportation by June 1. Box 102 Record News.

18-YEAR-OLD boy, senior and high school, wishes position; not attending school now. Box 42, Record News.

8 —Room and Board

ROOMMATE for young man; also lady at 1210 Ninth St. Phone 3521.

ROOM AND BOARD $70.00 a week. 1007 Burnett. Phone 6306.

9—Bedrooms for Rent

NICE front bedroom for couple. Phone 6202.

TWO lovely front bedrooms; have separate entrance; southeast exposure; private home. 1909 Ninth St. Phone 3036.

COOL southeast room in modern, private home to one or two men. On pavement, use of garage, 2906 Ninth Street.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front bedroom and garage to gentlemen only. Apply 2300 Tenth.

ONE large front bedroom, two beds; private entrance with every convenience. 1006 Lamar.

SOUTH bedroom, nicely furnished, close in. Meals next door. Phone 6122.

AVONDALE has modern rooms, $4 to $6 per week, 714 9th street.

10—Housekeeping Rooms

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished modern light housekeping rooms. 1002 Sixth St.

TWO large, unfurnished rooms adjoining bath. Sink in kitchen; front and back entrance. 1505 Broad.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOM for rent. $5 a week. Phone 4813.

FOR RENT—Two furnished light house keeping rooms, 1506 Burnett, Phone 5779.

11—For Rent Apartments

FOR RENT—3-room apartment, private entrance, with bath, 1514 Tenth street.

3-ROOM, unfurnished apartment; private bath, strictly modern; walking distance. Adults only. Phone 3026.

FOR RENT — Two-room apartment $7 a week. Phone 6521. 1210 Indiana.

FOR RENT—Lovely 2-room apartment with private bath, also fine sleeping rooms, 703 Austin.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished two-room apartment to couple without children, close in on pavement. Apply 1202 Scott, Phone 5907.

FOR RENT—Four-room apartment and bath, $20. Call Field, apply Joe N. Taylor, superintendent, phone 4421.

12—For Rent Houses

FOR RENT—1 7-room house, close-in, inquire Pond's laundry.

15— Miscellaneous

WINFREY FIXIT shop. We repair and recover umbrellas. Phone 5213.

17— For Sale Misc.

FOR SALE—One Hall safe, 23x23; 1 Seaburg electric piano; 1 ice box. All good bargains, 721 Ohio, phone 5703.

FOR SALE—Composition shingles, $7 per square. Texas Lumber Salvage company, 1112 Ohio Ave.

FOR SALE—16x16 tent. Phone 2385.

SPRING is the ideal time to brighten up the home with a new coat of paint, wall paper, varnishes and enamels. We help you to do this at a nominal cost. Visit our store before you buy. We do contracting. Wichita Falls Paint and Paper company, Successors to Wilhite & Townley, 622 Ohio Ave.

18— Dogs, Cats, Pets

FOR SALE—Greyhound puppy, female, 12 months; well bred, double cross Lord Brazen, entered both National and Texas futurities. Will ship on approval. Wire or mail $125 to F. J. Seldman, Terminal hotel, Fort Worth, Texas.

22— Financial

P. B. CURD
Fire Insurance and Farm Loans

24—Bus. Opportunities

MUST sacrifice account of health, family style eating house, splendidly located in livest town in state. First party with money gets this, so better hurry. Address Cottage Inn, Electra, Texas. Phone 70.

25— Special Notices

WE WILL move you for $2.50 per load. Brown's Transfer. The Careful Mover, 605 Seventh. Phone 2286.

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. B. Castledine, 907 Van Buren. Phone 4420.

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

MATTRESSES renovated; have your old mattress made new and saved; rate $5 on each mattress. Called for and delivered. Sanitary Mattress factory. Phone 4783.

PAPERHANGING and painting; prices reasonable; work guaranteed. Call Thomas, 6083.

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

MATTRESSES RENOVATED: we bring sample of ticking; call for and deliver same day. Mattresses made good as new. Patton Mattress Factory, 402 Indiana. Phone 2930

FOR PLUMBING Phone 3644. David Black.

SPECIAL oil field hauling, heavy and light.
LOWE TRANSFER CO
Phone 4416

MOORE Plumbing Co., Phone 6300 910 Sixth street.

DRAKE TRANSFER and Storage. Day phone 5785; night phone 3650; does crating, packing and shipping; local and long distance hauling. Oil field trips a specialty. Shelby Drake, manager.

WE WILL move you for $2.50 per load. Brown's Transfer, The Careful Mover. 605 Seventh. Phone 2286.

26— Personal

P. B. CURD
Fire Insurance and Farm Loans

FOR SALE—Or will trade B-Flat saxaphone for a Ford car or truck. Phone 2698. 1702 Bluff.

DR. P. S. RUSSELL'S cold breaker and Dr. P. S. Russell's chest ointment for sale by all druggists.

ORDAINED SPIRITUALIST
Crystal gazer. Madame J. Rea Keys is in your city for a few days and will be glad to give advice in all your troubles. She satisfies you as to her ability or makes no charge. Has made thousands happy. Stratford hotel. Room 2. Phone 6322.

27— Dressmaking

HEMSTITCHING that will please the most fastidious customer; have all colors in the regular hemstitching thread; work done promptly, special rate on Tuesday. Mrs. Holcombe Van Buren street.

27— Dressmaking

HEMSTITCHING 8c a yard. 1205 Lamar, phone 3871.

PLAIN and fancy sewing; shirt making a specialty. 1516 Eleventh St.

PLAIN sewing done at reasonable price. 1505 Broad.

28—Wanted Furniture

WANTED—To buy light housekeeping furniture for 5 or 15 rooms; must be cheap. Some trade. Phone 6111.

WANT TO SELL
Your used furniture?
If so
PHONE 5528
MICKS FURNITURE CO.
"Service and Quality."
716-18 Seventh St.

THE STAR FURNITURE CO.
Will pay you more for your used furniture.
910 Indiana. Phone 6011.

"WILL PAY CASH"
Wanted to buy, five or six rooms of furniture. Phone 3816.

29—For Sale Furniture

MICKS FURNITURE CO.
Will pay you more for your second hand furniture.
Phone 5528 716 Seventh St.

WANTED TO BUY
We buy all kinds of furniture; stoves, rugs, etc. We pay more and sell for less. Phone 6513.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE CO.
J. A. Paxton & Son. 918 Scott

FIVE rooms of furniture, consisting of dining room suite, rugs, dressers, beds, kitchen cabinet, refrigerator, porch swing, lawn-mower, piano and Victrola. Will sell any part. 1518 Tenth St.

VICTROLA with records, price $100. Electric sewing machine $50. Both in first class condition. J. C. Hamlin, 1204 Indiana, Phone 6718.

"SAVE YOUR MONEY"
We sell for less and pay you more for your used furniture. See us.
MILLICAN FURNITURE CO.,
804 Seventh St. Phone 4780

WE BUY, SELL and EXCHANGE FURNITURE
Oscar T. Doell's Furniture Co.
720 Seventh St. Phone 4720.

WILL PAY the highest cash prices for used furniture.
STAR FURNITURE CO.
910 Indiana. Phone 6011.

30— Typewriters, Etc.

ONE medium size, roll top desk for sale. Call at 1104 Thirteenth St.

31—Musical Instruments

FOR SALE—At a bargain, Bush and Gerts Grand piano, or will trade for good lot. Phone 4283. W. E. Floyd.

33—Autos and Accessories

WE BUY and sell Fords and other standard makes.
L. & M. AUTO MARKET
911 Scott

IF YOUR car is hard to start or your starter don't work, and if your battery is weak, and your generator won't generate, bring it by and we will fix you up. We also repair oil field generators.
PEOPLES BATTERY & ELECTRIC SERVICE
607 First Street.

WE sell the Armleder truck. TEXAS IRON AND METAL CO., 205 Mississippi, Phone 6860.

We will buy your car.
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
714 9th St. Phone 2015

FOR SALE—1921 Ford car; will trade for furniture. Phone 6011.

THE HOUSE OF OVERLAND
offers
CASH—TRADE—TERMS

1920 FOR ROADSTER; shock absorbers and lock wheel, a good buy for $150.

BUICK TOURING; good tires, fine motor, a pickup, $275.

CADILLAC TOOL PUSHER; new cord tires; fine condition throughout; only $225

1920 BUICK TOURING; excellent condition; $325.

OVERLAND 90 TOURING; a snap for $65.

OVERLAND MOTORS CO.,
Phone 6616 Ninth at Travis

BUY A USED CAR

One that looks and runs practically good as new.

Cole 8, 4-passenger.
Buick, 5-passenger.
Cadillac suburban.
Cadillac roadster.

These cars are in the very best of condition and are priced to sell. Come in and look them over.

MUNGER AUTOMOBILE CO.
816-18 Scott Ave. Phone 6403

33—Autos and Accessories

WINTON 7-passenger, extra condition, sell or trade. Phone 6523.

TWO perfectly good and well-equipped Ford tourings.
VICTORY MOTOR CO.,
905 Scott. Phone 2150

IF YOU DESIRE QUICK SALE
of your real estate or a loan on same, at a cheap rate and best terms, see or call D. T. Covington, who has had many years of experience in this line of business.

BUY A REAL HOME
Prices right, locations the very best.
FARM AND RANCH LOANS
D. T. COVINGTON
Phone 7446. 1010 City National Bk.

FOR SALE—One 7-passenger Cadillac; good condition; run 23,000 miles; also one Shetland pony, 5 years old. J. F. Hagan, Electra, Texas.

DON'T RUIN YOUR MOTOR.
Have that leaky radiator repaired NOW. Complete stock of cores and parts for all makes.
SUPREME RADIATOR CO.
Phone 2804. 605½ Scott Ave.

34—Machinery and Tools

FOR SALE—90-foot derrick, rebuilt and reinforced. Phone 6023.

ABOUT 1,500 feet 6⅝-inch, 20-lb., once run casing for sale. See J. J. Mathis, 1201 American National Bank.

TWO Powers projectors, one 6-A stand with B head. One 6-B, complete, slightly used; $150 and $250, respectively if taken at once. Duffey Mapes, 411 Seymour. Phone 4082.

USED Casing line pipe and cleaning out tools at a saving. Wanted; abandoned wells, casing and lines.
BURKBURNETT SUPPLY CO.
Phone 176.

800 FEET, 8¼, 32-lb. new casing at Electra; will sell worth the money. Phone 2596.

FOR SALE—Star machine tools from 10-inch down; 35 boiler. See Farris Vaughn, Holliday, Texas.

CASINGS
200 feet, 15½-inch, 70-lb. $3.75.
660 feet, 12½-inch, 50-lb, $2.25.
1,100 feet, 10-inch, 40-lb., $1.60.
2,050 feet, 8¼-inch, 32-lb, $1.35.
3,100 feet 6⅝-inch, 24-lb, $1.15.
CALVERT SUPPLY CO.,
Virginia and Pecan Sts., Phone 2985
L. D. 51.

BARGAINS
1920 Buick Touring Six, new cord tires, good as new; a real buy..$550
1922 Dodge roadster, platform spring, new tires $450
1921 Ford sedan, double Hassler, Atwater-Kent ignition, cord tires and everything $400
1921 Ford coupe, a buy for...$275
J7 Cadillac, 7-passenger, six tires, good condition; price to sell.
CASH—TRADE—TERMS
SECURITY MOTOR SALE CO.
714 Ninth St. Phone 2015

FOR SALE
One Fairanks-Morse generator, 125 volts, 2½ k. w. compound; brand new; one 200-pound anvil and other rebuilt machinery at half price. City Machine Repair Company. 307 Indiana.

Used oil well supplies of all kinds, pipe, casing, rigs, etc.
Corner Virginia and Pecan Sts.
ROY CALVERT & CO.
Phone 2985. L. D. 51

35—Oil Land and Leases

WILL GIVE 300 acres, 2,750 feet from production, for a 2000 foot test. R. M. Armstrong, 403 Morgan Bldg.

36—For Sale, Trade or Ex.

HORSE and wagon for trade for Ford car. Apply rear 306 Mississippi. Otto Dodson.

1½-TON Republic truck in good condition; will sell or would consider trade on vacant lot. Phone 3972.

37—F---- and Ranches

NOTICE
The WOODALL FARM, located two miles north of town, on the pavement and gravel road, has been subdivided and is being sold in tracts of 1 to 5 acres. Small cash payment, balance to suit. YOU can purchase and pay for a desirable tract. For information, call 3964. Woodall & Martin, owners. Basement Waggoner Bldg.

LAND INVESTMENT — If you want a sure thing; 443 acres adjoining Iowa Park road on north side; $100 per acre. Nicest tract out there.
RANCH of 4,300 acres in Knox county; improved; 60 per cent tillable; $12.50 per acre; not leased. Will trade for city property.
L. H. HULL
706 Seventh St. Phones 4840-6622

40—For Sale Real Estate

THREE BIG ROOMS—NEW
$200 CASH—$20 PER MONTH
This is a dandy little home, well built, large rooms, has sewage, lights, water, gas, corner lot, located on Broad. Must have a larger house or would not sell at this figure. A real bargain. Don't fail to phone 2107 or call at room 12, 710½ Indiana Ave. Price $1,200.

40—For Sale Real Estate

OUR CLIENT has a very nice home on an east front corner lot, on paved Monroe street, close to Tenth; consisting of six rooms, breakfast room; double garage and servant house. The house is well built and has just been decorated inside and out and is well worth the price asked of $7,000. We can make good terms on sale or will trade for a home of about $4,000 in real value; also will trade for a five-acre tract close to the city with some improvements. This is a rare opportunity to acquire a first class home and you had better ask us to show it to you.
J. C. CRANE & SON,
434 Bob Waggoner Bldg Phone 3377

MUST SELL
We have one of the prettiest homes in the city for sale on Lucile street, just a few doors off of Brook. This home has five extra large rooms, living room 18x20; all kind of built-in features; four sets of French doors; and in excellent condition. This was built for a home, but owner is moving from city and it can be bought right; $5,000, with excellent terms. See us about this. Might take a good car or vacant lot.
L. E. COWLING
Phone 2644. 819 Indiana Ave.

FIVE rooms, modern, near Austin school; all nice large rooms, newly papered house, in good condition; lot 48x162; nice shade trees and a few pecan trees. This is a rare chance to get such a place. Price $4,400. Only $500 down, balance monthly.

Nice little 3-room house on Polk street; full size lot. Price $1,750. $1,000 down, balance one, two and three years.
J. D. SCOTT
1513 Seventh St. Phone 3972

THREE lots 50x150.; 4-room house, lights, gas and water; fruit trees; cow barn and cow; chicken house; 100 Rhode Island chickens; wash house, electric washer; garage; priced right. Call at 306 Maple St.

HUFF AVENUE
On Huff avenue we have a beautiful six-room home with everything that it takes to make a home. Hard wood floors throughout, a fireplace, breakfast room, driveway, garage and a large cool front porch. This home can be bought at a sacrifice. Party moving from city. Shown by appointment only.
L. E. COWLING
819 Indiana Avenue. Phone 2644

41—Wanted Real Estate

I HAVE a buyer who will pay $500 cash, balance monthly; wants five or six room modern house.
J. D. SCOTT
1513 Seventh St. Phone 3972

I WANT a 4 or 5 room modern house for client; will pay $350 cash and good monthly payment. Phone 3972.

WANTED—To buy four or five room house, Scotland addition; price and terms must be right.
J. D. SCOTT
1513 Seventh St. Phone 3972

43— Wanted to Buy

A BUSINESS
for sale in the heart of the business section at a steal price. This is a dandy and will not take very much money. Rent right. Phone 2644.

44—Legal Notices

To All Holders of Interest in Kemp-Munger-Allen Oil Company:

It is now intended to pay a 15 per cent dividend on or about the 20th day of May, 1923, to unit holders of record on our books on the 17th of May, 1923.

You are therefore requested to notify the undersigned of your correct address and if you have evidence of interest which has not been transferred on our books, have this done before the last date above mentioned.

Witness my hand at Wichita Falls, Texas, this 8th day of May, 1923.
J. A. KEMP, Trustee.

Wichita Chicken-Raisers Make Good Money Through Selection of Breed

By AL OLSTON
Record News Poultry Editor
Poultry Extension Department
Maricle Coal and Feed Company

At the present time, while Wichita Falls, "the city that faith built" is letting the country know of her wonderful people, her activities, and her progress, she is failing to make mention of one of her greatest assets, the poultry industry. If one would only go to the many poultry fanciers in Wichita Falls and see the chicken-raising backyards and the small poultry farms within the city, I am sure they would have a stronger and a renewed faith in the well-known slogan.

Just a few days ago I visited the poultry yards of Mrs. R. D. Ford, 2841 Avenue F. After looking over her fine species of White Leghorn chicks, I asked her where she got her start, and she modestly replied, that her "start" was one cockerel and two hens purchased from a well known local breeder. These cost her in the neighborhood of $350.

She is planning to locate on a farm on the Seymour road just outside of the city limits and go into the game on a large scale. She is just one of the many people of Wichita Falls who is beginning to realize the profit in chicken-raising. A well - known farmer, living south of Iowa Park, has proven to all his neighbors by his splendid flock of White Wyandottes, that good breed poultry pays.

A Few Years Back

Not many years past the chicken end of the farming game was very much neglected; the farm hen was considered a necessary evil, left to shift for herself and lay a few eggs during the season when eggs were selling at the lowest. During the winter months it was considered a most unprofitable game, with few eggs and lots of work. During the hatching season it was the belief that so many were doomed to die regardless of the care or feed given them.

This, of course, has been proven one of the greatest mistakes in the game. There is no question that poultry raising on a large scale nets a greater per cent profit than raising on a small scale. Many of the waste products of the farm can be turned into real money through more chickens and eggs to bring to market. It is a game, too, in which most every farmer's wife is interested. Modern methods and experiments have well proven that with a little common sense and the proper care, the loss among little chicks is small, while the profits are large. We are all learning from the different breeders and raisers throughout the country that the returns are much greater from pure blood stock of any kind.

Scrub Stock to Go

A great many of the farmers are today doing away with the scrub stock altogether and replacing it with pure blood stock. It is their policy to secure birds with high records from a good strain and add to their income through this source. It costs no more to maintain a flock of high grade poultry than it does one of mongrels, yet the increase in market value, whether eggs for hatching or meat for table use, more than doubly repays one for the original cost of securing purebred fowls. To realize the most profit from any variety of poultry one must have stock of vitality, rustlers from morning till night, that go out and hunt at least a part of their livelihood during the summer months. I will gladly call any flock of chickens within a five-mile radius of Wichita Falls and make no charge for my time or work.

Ask Questions

In later articles I shall write on poultry houses, breeding, incubation, feeding young chicks, laying hens, and market fowls—also touch on the selection of breeds, their weights and diseases.

This department is open to any reader of The Record News who wishes to ask any question whatsoever pertaining to poultry of any kind. I will try to answer all questions providing self-addressed stamped envelope is inclosed with question. Those in need of immediate information can phone me at 4352. There is no charge and you obligate yourself in no way. We are working for the sake of the game first, last and all the time. Any news items from poultry raising readers are earnestly solicited.

Public Records

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Four marriage licenses were issued Thursday by the county clerk—nothing unusual in itself, but the fact that all four of the licenses were given to out-of-town couples is something of a feature. Two of the four pair went to Electrans, one to Frederick, Okla., and the other to Palestine, Texas.

The permits were:

T. W. Brumblow, Electra; Mrs. Alice Brown, Electra.

Willie Phillips, Palestine, Texas; Vanita Swanson, Palestine, Texas.

Robert Millhollan, Electra; Sadie McClure, Electra.

J. Gaston Russell, Frederick, Okla.; Grace T. Fuqua, Frederick, Okla.

NEW CARS

Wilford Harrison, Ford.
F. G. Coude, Buick.
R. F. Balws, Burkburnett, Ford.
S. E. Turner, Overland.
M. J. Wolff, Dodge.
Will Myrick, Electra, Ford.
W. A. Clayton, Electra, Ford.
W. C. Gassage, Electra, Ford.
Texhoma Oil and Refining company, Reo.
Dr. J. Frank Clark, Iowa Park, Packard.
Harvey J. May, Burkburnett, Ford.
E. V. Hicks, Electra, Ford.
Wichita Fuel company, Ford.
V. R. Wiggley, Iowa Park, Ford.
G. W. Caldwell, Clara, Overland.
Staley & Wynne, trailer.
Bucker Smackover Arust, Ford.
Shaw & Rathey, Reo.
Ina Riggins, Chevrolet.
L. M. Arthur, Burkburnett, Ford.
Gladys Hall, Hudson.
J. E. Clayton, Clara, Chevrolet.
A. C. Camp, Buick.
John Davenport, Buick.
B. E. Norris, Burkburnett, Ford.
Cecil Hudgeons, Clara, Ford.
J. W. Butler, Electra, Ford.

SUITS FILED

Blanche Blatchley vs. E. A. Blatchley, divorce.

J. E. Thrush vs. J. M. Jones, et al., debt.

Louella Fawks Jackson vs. Charles B. Jackson, divorce.

C. E. McCutcheon et al., vs. Jack Price, et al., debt.

Virgil Thompson vs. W. C. Thompson, divorce.

44— Legal Notices

SHERIFF'S SALE.
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Wichita.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita, Wichita county, on the 3d day of May, 1923, by A. F. Kerr, clerk of said district court, for the sum of $7,250.15 and costs of suit, under a certain judgment, in favor of J. L. Jackson in a certain cause in said court, No. 14132-C and styled J. L. Jackson vs. D. B. Reed, and placed in my hands for service, I, Frank Morgan, as constable precinct No. 1 of Wichita county, Texas, did, on the 3rd day of May, 1923, levy on certain real estate, situated in Wichita county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Lots one, two, three and four, block one hundred five, original town of Wichita Falls, Wichita county Texas, and levied upon as the property of D. B. Reed, and that on the first Tuesday of June, 1923, the same being the 5th day of said month, 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., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said D. B. Reed.

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 Wichita Falls Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita county.

Witness my hand, this 3rd day of May, 1923.
FRANK MORGAN,
Constable Precinct No. 1, Wichita County, Texas.

PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY

ABSTRACTS

CENTRAL ABSTRACT CO
Basement of City Nat'l Bank Bldg.
Phone 2855.

GUARANTEE ABSTRACT & TITLE CO.
Downstairs Clint Wood Bldg.
Phones 5661-6981.

ACCOUNTANTS

H. P. Walsh A. T. Kramer
WALSH & KRAMER
Audits—Systems—Income Taxes
602 American National Bank Bldg.
Phone 2441.

A. E. MYLES
Certified Public Accountant.
General and Federal Practice.
329 Waggoner Building.

PARFET & MARTLEW
Federal Tax Service
Audits and Systems
333 Waggoner Bldg
Wichita Falls, Texas.

RAY, AKIN & KENLEY, Attorneys.
1011-15 City National Bank Bldg.
Phone 5128.

H. F. WELDON C. C. McDONALD
WELDON & McDONALD.
Lawyers.
General Practice, Civil and Criminal.
State and Federal Courts.
Suite 814. City National Bank Bldg.
Phone 2974.

T. B. GREENWOOD.
508-10 Bob Waggoner Bldg.
Phone 6424.

FITZGERALD & HATCHITT
Lawyers.
512-516 Clint Wood Bldg. Phone 6117.

E. E. FISHER, Lawyer.
206 First Nat'l. Bank Bldg.
Phone 4566—Res. 3069.

ROBT. A. LYLE, Lawyer.
32 Hines Bldg. Phone 3069

BULLINGTON, BOONE, HUMPHREYS & HOFFMAN, Lawyers.
American Nat'l Bank Bldg. Phone 4361.

ORUS O. ROSS
Attorney at Law
524-25 Staley Bldg. Phone 7225
American Nat'l Bank Bldg.

HARWOOD STACY.
Attorney at Law.
624-625 Staley Building
Phone 5307.

J. Roy Dee Miss Bessie Dee
DEE & DEE.
Attorneys at Law.
408 Morgan Bldg. Phone 3615.

H. F. Weeks Chas L. Francis
H. C. Weeks Jas. A. Hankerson
Tarlton Morrow H. W. Tipton
WEEKS, MORROW & FRANCIS,
Attorneys at Law.
11th Floor Commerce Bldg. Phone 3117.

CARRIGAN, MONTGOMERY & BRITAIN, MORGAN & KING
Attorneys at Law.
Suite 320 First Natl. Bk. Bldg. Phone 3135

W. J. TOWNSEND, Lawyer.
Formerly Assistant Attorney General.
218 First National Bank Bldg.
Office Phone 2815-R. Res. Phone 6879

BONNER & BONNER
W. H. SANFORD
Attorneys at Law.
1163-6 City Nat'l Bank Bldg. Phone 5421.

John Davenport B. G. Thornton
B. F. Cummings
DAVENPORT, CUMMINGS & THORNTON
Lawyers.
312-14 Morgan Bldg. Phone 6836.

J. E. STARLEY
Attorney at Law
221-23 Staley Bldg. Phone 7020

MAPS

HEYDRICK MAPPING CO.—OIL MAPS.
710½ Seventh St. Phone 2439

SURVEYORS

JOHN A DONALD.
State Land Surveyor.
Surveying: Any kind and anywhere. Thirty years' experience. Office, basement Waggoner Bldg. Phone 2152. Residence phone 6733.

BLUE PRINTING

WICHITA FALLS BLUE PRINT AND SUPPLY COMPANY
Blue Printing General Drafting
Phone 2073. Rear 901 Seventh St.

CHIROPRACTORS

WILLARD E. NELSON
Chiropractor.
702-4 Indiana Avenue. Telephone 3604

F. A. BLACK, D. C.
812 American Nat'l Bank Bldg.
Hours: 10 to 12 and 2 to 6 p. m.
Office Phone 6549. Res. 2723.

Graduate Chiropractors.
P. L. Myers T. B. Myers
614 American Nat'l Bank Bldg.
Res. Phone 3363. Office 2298.

DOCTORS

WILLIAM L. RHODES, M. D.
Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat: Glasses Fitted.
Room 212 Bob Waggoner Bldg.
Office phone 3265—Residence phone 5692.

DR. O. W. WILSON
EYE, EAR, NOSE and THROAT.
502-3 American Nat'l. Bank Bldg.
Phone, Office 4171 and 4172. Res. 2060

JOE A. SEAY, M. D.
Rectal and Colon Diseases Practice Limited
Phone 3032. 514 Staley Bldg.

OSTEOPATHS

DRS. PETERSON & WILSON,
Osteopathic Physician and Surgeon.
714-18 Waggoner Bldg. Phone 5664.

WELDING

A. W. Bush L. D. GUNN
L. D. GUNN WELDING & EQUIPMENT CO.—Welding, Contractors, General Office 210 Ohio Ave. Phone 6337.

LADY CHIROPRACTOR

ORA LEON HENDRICKS, D. C.
1914 Tenth Street.
Phone 4095.

Explanation Of Water Contract To Be Voted Upon Saturday Week Mailed To Voters In District 2.

A lengthy explanation of the propositions to be voted upon by property owners in the Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 2 was yesterday mailed to all voters by officials of the district.

The election will be held Saturday, May 19.

On the same day property owners in District No. 1 will vote on this question:

"For adoption and ratification of contract between Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 1 and Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 2."

"Against adoption and ratification of contract between Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 1 and Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 2."

The explanation sent all voters in District No. 2 yesterday follows:

The board of directors of the district have called an election to be held on Saturday, May 18th, for the purpose of voting upon four propositions, several of which require an explanation in order that the voters may be fully informed before casting their ballots.

Each property owner in the district should vote at said election as a large vote is to the interest of the district. The first proposition is the ratification of a contract between District No. 1 and District No. 2 providing for the joint ownership, construction and operation of the reservoirs and irrigation plant now being built. The substance of this contract is that District No. 2 assumes the payment of $1,750,000 of the total cost of the project of $4,500,000 and thereby acquires an interest in the plant in proportion to its payment. The contract further provides an assurance of sufficient water for the irrigation of the lands in District No. 2; it limits the total number of acres to be irrigated to 100,000 acres and provides that if at any time hereafter more than 100,000 acres of land are irrigated that all excess over 100,000 acres shall be subject to and secondary to District No. 2's right to an adequate supply of water.

The basis of payment is limited to a charge of $35.00 per acre against each acre of irrigable land and the payment of the bonds with interest is so arranged that the annual charge per acre will not exceed $2.50. In addition to the sum of $35.00 per acre there is a charge of 25c per acre added to pay the cost of preliminary expenses which it is estimated will not exceed $10,000.00, making a total debt to be authorized of $35.25 per acre. An annual charge of $2.50 per acre will cover the payments to take care of this total. Each voter should vote for the adoption of this contract by striking out the negative which will read "Against adoption and ratification of contract" and leaving on his ballot the affirmative "For adoption and ratification of contract."

This contract has been carefully drawn under the direction of the directors of the district. Any one desiring to read this contract may call at the office of the district at Iowa Park, Texas, and secure a copy of same from Mr. J. D. Overbey, secretary of the district.

Second. The second proposition to be voted upon is whether or not said district shall be converted into a conservation and reclamation district. It is necessary to adopt this proposition and to convert said district into a conservation and reclamation district in order that the basis of taxation and payment of said bonds may be placed upon the definite basis of $35.25 per acre. If this were not done then said bonds would be paid by ad valorem taxation and all property, both real and personal, would be subject to valuation each year for taxation in the same manner that state and county taxes are assessed and valued, so that instead of a definite basis of payment there would be a varying basis which would include the taxation of personal property. It has been generally agreed that the bonds should be issued so that each property owner would assume a definite obligation of $35.25 per acre on all irrigable lands and would have the assurance that his annual charge to pay same would not exceed $2.50 per acre, hence it becomes necessary to adopt this proposition reading "against" and leave on your ballot the affirmative which reads "For Conservation and Reclamation."

Third. For the same reason stated in the preceding paragraph it is also necessary to adopt the third proposition so that taxes shall be levied upon a benefit basis instead of upon an ad valorem basis. This means that it having been decided that each acre of land to be irrigated is benefited $35.25 per acre that the said benefit, when adopted shall be the basis of taxation instead of having a varied and uncertain amount.

Fourth. The fourth proposition is necessary in order to adopt the definite basis of $35.25 per acre against each acre of irrigated land to pay for the bond issue and interest and 25c per acre in addition thereto to pay for organization and incidental expenses and rights of way provided for in said contract.

This proposition includes a levy of $1.00 per acre upon all non-irrigable land in the district. It must be understood that the adoption of this debt against each acre of land means that this is the total debt against each acre, which total will be paid within 35 years by an annual levy against the irrigable land of not to exceed $2.50 per acre per annum and against the non-irrigable land of not to exceed 7c per acre per annum.

The non-irrigable land receives a very definite benefit in that the right to water same is preserved to the extent that it may be put in cultivation by irrigation hereafter, while if it were excluded from the district it could not be irrigated hereafter. Most of the land that is now classed as non-irrigable will become valuable for various purposes and the owners thereof will probably want to irrigate same by pumping so that it is best for them to pay the small annual charge of 7c per acre to preserve their water rights thereon for future development. The law provides, however, that those owning these lands may withdraw same prior to the issuance of bonds by filing an application therefor.

In voting upon this proposition run a line through the negative reading "against" the proposition and leave on your ballot the affirmative "for" the proposition.

Each voter is therefore requested to vote for each of the four propositions, the effect of which is to provide for the carrying out of said contract and for the fixing of a definite indebtedness against each acre of land so that each acre of irrigable land will pay not to exceed $2.50 per acre per annum and each acre of non-irrigable land will pay not to exceed 7c per acre per annum to take care of the interest and the annual payments on said bonds.

In addition to said bonded indebtedness there will be an annual charge on all irrigable land for maintenance and operation of the dams and canal systems which it is estimated will not exceed $1.00 per acre per annum, so that the maximum charge to be paid by land owners in the district on irrigable land will be $3.50 per acre per annum and on non-irrigable land 7c per acre per annum.

The said proposition to be voted upon will be printed upon the ballots for said election on ay 19, as follows:

1. "For adoption and ratification of contract between Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 1 and Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 2."

"Against adoption and ratification of contract between Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 1 and Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 2."

2. "For Conservation and Reclamation."

"Against Conservation and Reclamation."

3. "For the levy of taxes upon a benefit basis instead of an ad valorem basis."

"Against the levy of taxes upon a benefit basis instead of an ad valorem basis."

4. "For uniform assessments of benefits of $35.25 per acre upon all irrigable land in the district and the assessment of $1.00 per acre upon all non-irrigable land in the district."

"Against uniform assessments of benefits."

If the statement herein made is not thoroughly understood or anyone has any question to ask about same the district attorney, J. E. Starley, 221 Staley building, Wichita Falls, Texas, or any officer of the district will be glad to give an explanation. Any question as to the construction and operation of the system will be answered upon inquiry to Mr. R. A. Thompson, chief engineer, 1001 Staley building, Wichita Falls, Texas.

The affairs of the district are handled by a board of directors composed of C. H. Clark, president; W. R. Davis, vice president; J. D. Overbey, secretary; W. L. Hodges, director. Mr. W. H. Guinn has recently resigned as a director and Mr. D. E. Hooks has been appointed director to fill said vacancy. These directors will also be glad to discuss the matters herein referred to and any other question about the operation of the district with any interested land owner.

Each land owner and voter should vote at the election and also at the election to be held Saturday, May 26, for the issuance of bonds. If there is any doubt upon the part of any one upon any of these propositions you are urged call for an explanation of same prior to the election.

J. D. OVERBEY, secretary.
Very truly yours,
C. H. CLARK, President.
W. R. DAVIS, Vice-President.
J. D. OVERBEY, Secretary.
W. L. HODGES, Director.

Waurika Society

WAURIKA, Okla., May 10.—Mrs. Dee Baker of Fort Worth, Texas, and two small children were in town Saturday, visiting the former's brothers, Glenn and Otto Huffman. Mrs. Baker and children will spend a week with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Huffman, near Hastings, parents of Mrs. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Clarke went to Wichihita Falls Sunday and spent the day with Mr. Clarke's sister, Mrs. O. L. Boucher, and Mr. Boucher.

Miss Bess Hite went to Chickasha Saturday to spend over Sunday with Miss Olga Denney, a student at O. C. W.

Floyd and Spence Miller drove to Healdton Saturday afternoon to visit their sister, Mrs. Roy Dunkin, and Mr. Dunkin. After dinner that night they, with Mr. and Mrs. Dunkin and Misses Inez Roff and Hannah Ashby, drove to Turner Falls and spent the night there, cooking breakfast over a campfire the next morning. Later in the day the entire party drove to Sulphur for a few hours, and back home Sunday night.

Merry Matrons

The Merry Matrons entertained their husbands and a few friends at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reed Thursday night of last week.

The pictures had been taken from the walls, which were adorned with cheap prints and advertisements, while the curtains were draped back in a most inartistic manner, and tied with strings of various hues.

A very informal evening of games, music and dancing followed, after which Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morgan and Mrs. T. E. Ashlhurst, who were judges, awarded C. A. Holding the prize for the tackiest man in the party, and Mrs. F. E. Webb as the tackiest woman.

Lovely refreshments were served late in the evening.

Delphians Meet

Delphians met Tuesday with Mrs. G. A. Nelson, with a nature-study lesson that was much enjoyed.

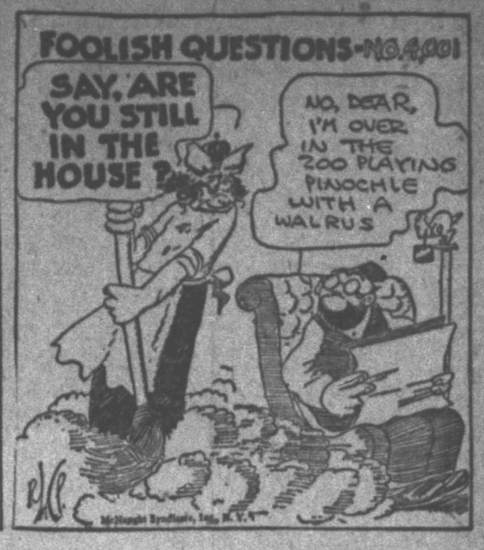
There was some business attended to and some resolutions adopted which have a bearing on a betterment in social conditions in Waurika.

Senior Calendar

Following is the senior calendar for the two weeks beginning with Monday, May 7: Monday, steak fry; Tuesday, kodak day; Thursday night, line party; Friday night, junior-senior banquet; Sunday, baccalaureate sermon; Monday, senior party; Tuesday night, senior class play; Wednesday night, junior-senior supper and picnic; Thursday, class day, and Friday, senior dinner.

MAN HAS NO PLACE ON EARTH DURING HOUSE-BUT IT DOESN'T MEAN ANYTHING —By RUBE GOLDBERG





RUBE GOLDBERG APPEARS EXCLUSIVELY IN THE RECORD NEWS EVERY SUNDAY.

JOE QUINCE —By Ken Kling



"BEAUTIFUL BAB"— Now Try to Fix That Up! —By Murat Young

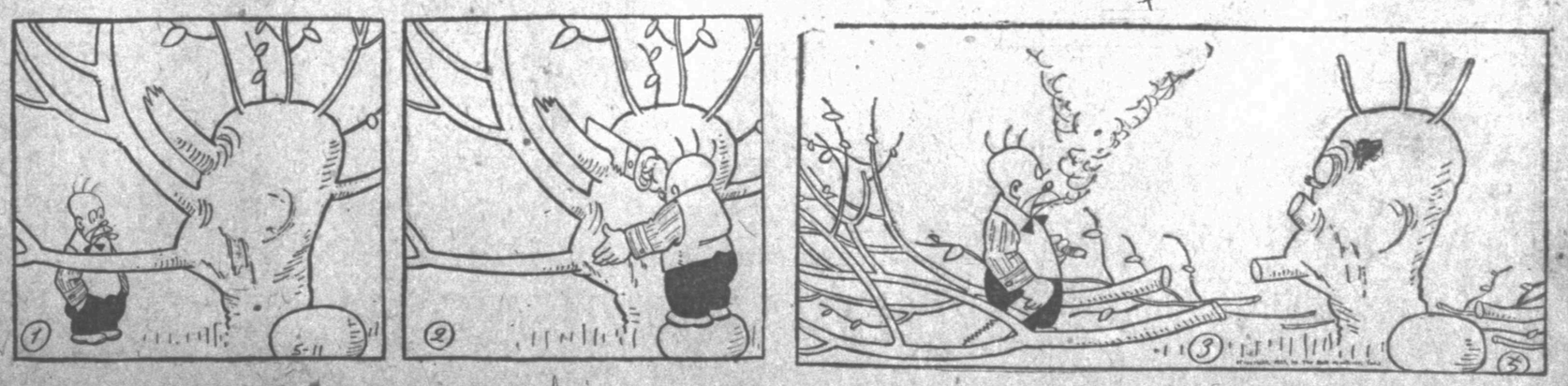


BARNEY GOOGLE— And This Happens on Friday, the 11th —By Billy De Beck



BARNEY GOOGLE APPEARS EXCLUSIVELY IN THE RECORD NEWS EVERY SUNDAY.

ADAMSON'S ADVENTURES— The Adamson Family Tree —By O. Jacobsson



A COMPLETE NEWSPAPER | WICHITA FALLS RECORD NEWS | LEADS IN LOCAL NEWS

ROTARY HEARS OF WORLD TOUR

Athletic Students Also Are Presented At Luncheon

A presentation of winning high school students at the state interscholastic meet in Austin last week, a review of his recent world tour, given by Orville Bullington, and a report on the county branch library proposition by Hubert Harrison, featured the weekly Rotary club luncheon at the Kemp Thursday noon.

Jim Jones, athletic coach at the high school, and Miss Juanita Kinsy, literary coach, presented the school students who had carried off honors at the Austin session. Each touched on the work of the various entries and declared that their success had brought state-wide publicity to Wichita Falls.

Mr. Bullington's address dealt with many of the features of his recent trip, although he paid especial attention to Japan. The industrial, economic and commercial activities of this nation was analyzed with detail by the speaker.

Negro Man And Wife Held As Quanah Calls

A negro man and his wife were arrested by city police at an early hour Thursday morning as they stepped from a southbound Denver train. Reports from officers at Quanah, stating that the pair had robbed several stores and homes in that city, had been received here and the police were requested to be on the lookout.

A trunk was found on the baggage car of the train containing a large quantity of clothes, cheap jewelry and other articles.

Both were being held in the city jail Thursday to await the arrival of Quanah officers.

Water Men Pick Legion Hall For Convention Here

Convention sessions of the Southwestern Waterworks association that meets here June 18, 19, 20 and 21, will be held in the American Legion hall it was announced Thursday by those in charge of arrangements here.

This room, declared to be the largest in the city which would be suitable for the meetings, will be attractively decorated for the occasion, it is reported. Although 400 or more delegates will attend the convention, it is not expected that all will attend every meeting and it is believed that the addresses, lectures and readings can be given very satisfactorily in the hall.

The big banquet to be tendered delegates by the chamber of commerce the first evening of the convention will probably be held in the basement of the First Baptist church.

Resume Nabor Trial

Trial will be resumed today in the case of Mrs. Roy Brundage vs. T. W. Nabor, started Thursday before Judge Ed. Napier in the Seventy-eighth district court. Recovery of about $1,000, alleged to have been given by the plaintiff to the defendant to invest in oil holdings is sought.

Jensen Re-Elected Head Of Sunshine

G. C. Jensen was re-elected president of the Sunshine State Oil and Refining company at a meeting of the directors in Roswell, N. M., last Monday, according to announcements made here Thursday. Other officers were also re-elected for another year. They were W. F. Ramming, vice-president; H. M. Larkum, secretary-treasurer, and H. P. Tilden, assistant treasurer.

Directors elected were G. C. Jensen, J. E. Wolfe, F. W. Peechel, A. H. Britain, F. G. Keys, W. F. Ramming, L. F. Ramming, H. M. Larkum and H. P. Tilden.

The Sunshine State company now has been in operation just six years, has a daily production of 800 barrels and assets listed at $2,000,000.

WATER SUPPLY AGAIN IS LOW

Conservation Measures May Be Necessary Soon

The city's water supply is approaching an uncomfortably low point again, it was reported Thursday from the water department offices and unless some timely rains put in an appearance soon some kind of water conservation measures may be necessary. The rains of two weeks ago helped some, but even these were insufficient to assure a summer's supply of water.

With warm weather on hand, a serious loss is occasioned daily by evaporation. Heavy demands are also made from the pumping station and altogether the supply has been diminishing rapidly.

F. N. Lawton, manager of the water company, declared Thursday that there was no cause for alarm yet but that some heavy rains would be most acceptable.

Koonsman Nabs Man For Forgery

A man said to be under indictment in Dickens county on charges of forgery, was arrested Thursday afternoon by State Ranger M. M. Koonsman, after a chase that has been strung out over half the state and that was started nearly six months ago.

Koonsman took up the hunt early last fall, he reported, and has been on the trail of the alleged forger since that time. Several times he has nearly caught his man, once in Fort Worth, again in Denison and later in Breckenridge. Always, however, the man had eluded arrest until Thursday, when he was found in a cooking shack in the Freeman-Hampton fields.

He is now held in the county jail awaiting word from the Dickens county officials.

Band At Carnival

A special feature of the American Legion carnival tonight will be the appearance of the Wichita Falls Municipal band, which will play. John Kaufman, director, offered the services of the band to the Legion free of cost, and will present the band at 7:30. Playing first in a parade in the downtown streets, and then at the carnival.

MAN HELD ON CHECK CHARGE

Swindling Complaint Made Out By Sheriff

Complaints charging swindling were filed Thursday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Jack Miller against Will Basaken, alias Basham, alias Bass. The man is now held in the county jail awaiting a hearing.

He was arrested Thursday noon on the downtown streets after a long hunt that started several days ago when local merchants began appearing at the sheriff's office with bad checks alleged to have been given by the man. Between 15 and 20 checks are now in the county attorney's hands, all for amounts ranging between $5 and $20.

In some cases, it was reported, part of the check was paid in cash and the balance in merchandise that was purchased. Three complaints were filed by the deputy, one on a check given a local feed store, another on a furniture store and a third on an individual.

Officers declared that Basaken's activities had resulted in a heavier loss to local merchants than they had sustained through such operations in some time past.

Man Held On Assault

A local barber was locked up in the county jail Thursday afternoon on charges of assault with intent to commit a statutory offense after statements had been made to the county attorney's office by a 14-year-old girl.

It was alleged that the girl had been in company with the man on an automobile drive Wednesday night and that the supposed attack took place at that time.

Services will be held at 8 o'clock Friday night at Temple Israel, Eighth and Burnett streets. Dr. David Goldberg's sermon will be "The Place of Intelligence in the Religion of the Jew."



Dr. Brevoort

SPECIALIST

in the non-surgical office treatment of Chronic, Pelvic and Rectal Diseases.

Indigestion, Constipation, Dyspepsia, Gall Bladder Troubles, Rheumatism, Neuritis, Catarrh, Kidney and Bladder Complaints, Nervousness, Failing Strength, Bloating, Pain in Side, Goitre, Epilepsy, Asthma, Bronchitis, Chronic Infections, Rectal Disorders.

PILES cured without knife, hospital, chloroform or detention from work or business. My Dissolvent method cures in a few treatments and is guaranteed for life.

ELECTRO-THERAPEUTICS

Our equipment includes all Electric methods—X-Ray, Violet Ray, Galvanism, Sinusoidal, Faradism, Auto-Condensation, Diathermy, Ozone, Vibration, Light, Heat and Ray Therapy.

BIOLOGICAL TREATMENTS

I am equipped for the scientific administration of "606," "914," Anti-Rheumatic, Blood Building Serums, Bacterins, Phylacogens, Autogenous Vaccines, Intravenous Treatments, etc.

Consultation, Examination and Advice Free of Charge

Office Hours, Daily 9 to 12, 1 to 5, Except Sunday. Also Wednesday and Saturday night 7 to 8.

808½ Ohio Avenue

Wichita Falls, Texas

Sugar and Still Seized At Vernon

VERNON, Tex., May 10.—Four hundred pounds of sugar, a 50-gallon still, several barrels of mash and a large quantity of still equipment were seized here today by Federal Prohibition Agent Arch Tyler and a company of officers from the sheriff's office, when they raided a small shack about nine miles south of town. The still was located Wednesday night but not in operation and the officers made no attempt to remove it until they could catch it in operation.

Thursday afternoon they slipped out again and found three men busy at work. The trio were placed under arrest and were to be taken to Wichita Falls Thursday night.

Negro On Trial

Trial will start in the county court at law today in the case of Charles Lewis, a negro, charged with aggravated assault. It is alleged by the state in its complaint that Lewis recently poured carbolic acid over his wife's face as she was in bed asleep. The woman appeared at the court house Thursday, her face badly burned by the substance.

Lewis, it is said, attempted to pour the contents of an acid bottle down his wife's throat, but did not succeed.

POOL TO OPEN ON SATURDAY

80x100 Foot Pond At Links Ready For Swimmers

The swimming pool at the municipal golf grounds will be opened to the public Saturday, it was announced Thursday by City Park Superintendent Bunnenburg. Workmen are busy at present putting the place in shape and it will be ready for customers by tomorrow.

The pool, which is 80 by 100 feet in dimensions, is regarded as being one of the best in the city. It is conveniently located to the golf clubhouse and is expected to prove quite an attraction this summer. A bath house and dressing rooms are on the grounds but no suits will be furnished. Arthur Salmon, caterer at the club house, will be in charge of this concession.

Work is to be completed soon on three new tennis courts to be thrown open for use by Wichitans. A nominal charge, as is the case at the swimming pool, will be made for play on these.

There are 371 distinct Indian tribes or remnants of Indian tribes in the United States, a total Indian population of 340,917.

Our Prices Are Lower—Let Us Prove It

A. Marks Ladies Ready to Wear Millinery — A. Marks Ladies Ready to Wear Millinery

This Store is now in the midst of a selling campaign.

SUITS, COATS, WRAPS

are on sale at reductions of more than ¼ off

from the regular selling prices

DRESSES ON SALE

At Three Distinct Prices

$9.88, $15.88, $22.88

The Greatest Values Ever Offered

Complete New Stocks

of

Skirts, Sweaters, Blouses

Silk Underwear

Hosiery, Millinery

It means real savings on every Garment Bought Here

COME SHOP WITH US

A. Marks Ladies Ready to Wear Millinery

702 Indiana Phone 4773

Our Prices Are Lower—Let Us Prove It

County May Take Over Kemp Library

Petitions are to be circulated soon for signatures asking the county commissioners to approve a plan whereby the county is to take over control of the Kemp public library to the end that branch libraries can be established in Burkburnett, Iowa Park and Electra. The plan was adopted Thursday at a meeting of county officials and chamber of commerce officials and work will be started at once on obtaining the signatures needed.

Under the plans drawn by the library committee, control of the library buildings and grounds will be retained by the city authorities.



DeWoody Battery Station

Tenth and Lamar Phone 5005



Do they really mean it?

Stick to the genuine, and use a substitute only when you can't help yourself. That's what substitutes are for.

Genuine Darcova Valve Cups belong in the well, and there's where they stay, pumping the oil till long after you'd expect to re-cup. For fifteen years Darcova quality has been demonstrated all over the oil country.

The Darcova label is your security. If a valve cup hasn't the name Darcova in it, you know it isn't genuine.

Tell your dealer that only Darcova will do.

DARCOVA VALVE CUP

The Original Composition Cup — Look for the Name

HE SIMPLY HAD TO HAVE DRINK

But He Didn't Get It And Sheriff Comes Along And Raids

A prisoner who "simply had to have a drink," paved the way Thursday for the locating by Deputy Sheriff Jack Miller of a large amount of corn whiskey in a residence in the flats. A man and a woman were arrested by the officer and were later released on bond, uttering having been filed on for sale of whiskey.

The officer had taken the prisoner in tow early in the afternoon and was starting for the county jail when the man said he "had to have a drink" and knew where he could get it. Accordingly, he piloted Miller to the residence, but was taken on to jail without a stop being made.

Later Miller and Sheriff Murphy raided the place and found the liquor.

Youth Hit By Car

Special Dispatch to Record News

BURKBURNETT, May 10.—The little Buchanan boy, who was struck by a car Tuesday evening when he ran across the street west of the station, is reported to be resting well in the Burk hospital, and his injuries, though serious, are not considered dangerous.

The Tortoise And The Hare

—You know the story. One was slow, but constantly on the move. The other was fleet of foot, but lazy and loafed on the way. The slow one won the race.

—A one dollar bill deposited in this bank regularly every week will total more at the end of a decade than a ten dollar deposit just every now and then.

The First National Bank

Indiana at Eighth Street Established 1884

The Convenient Bank

AUTHORIZED UNITED MOTORS SERVICE

HYATT ROLLER BEARINGS

NEW DEPARTURE BALL BEARINGS

Sales and Service

Gaines Motor Sales Co.

916 Ohio

L. D. 34 Phone 3033

PRINTING

TRY USING MORE OF IT

AMERICAN PRINTING CO.,

Phone 5148 708 Seventh St.

Through Force of Habit

Better than a gift of money is the gift of making money. A large part of that is the habit of saving. It's hard to save money until we develop the habit. But once the habit is acquired, we do it unconsciously.

Start now to develop the habit of saving. Save a definite amount each week.

City National Bank

Member Federal Reserve System





On Mother's Day

Sunday, May 13th

Words are many and varied but they fail to express the true sentiment and thoughts of your mind on this greatest day of the year.

She will surely appreciate a box of our delicious candy. Always fresh because it is kept in iced cases—this will make an ideal gift.

Palace Drug Store

Agents for Saylors and Elmers Candies

812 Eighth St. Phone 3126.



Pot Plants or Her Favorite Flowers

WICHITA FLORAL COMPANY

706 Ninth St. Flowerphone 3300.

The Outing Season Is Here

The outing season is here. The days when we go "back to nature" via the motor route. We have prepared for the greatest camping and outing season America has ever known. We have—



Army Folding Cots	$3.75
Kamp Cook Stoves, the best little stove made	$6.75
Folding Camp Grids, with duplex grate, special at	$1.95
Folding Camp Tables	$4.95
Auto Beds, fit right in your car	$10.85
Water Bags, 2½ gallon regulation army, guaranteed	$1.50
Luggage Carriers, fit any size car, clamps on	$2.75
Canvas Trunks, 20-ounce khaki duck	$2.50

Automobile touring tents, in either the white or khaki duck, specially priced $14.50 and up.

We handle everything you need, in clothes or camp equipment, at the most reasonable prices.

LADIES' OUTING CLOTHES A SPECIALTY

THE ARMY STORE

609 Eighth Street