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RANGERS TO BE DISPATCHED TO WINK

McNary-Haugen Bill Expected to Affect Republican Convention

FARM LEADERS MUCH DIVIDED OVER DISPOSAL

Wisconsin Dairy Men Applaud Action, However

DEMOCRATS TO FLAUNT ISSUE

Hoover's Attitude Is Attacked by Rival Republicans

CHICAGO, May 24.—(AP)—Many prominent agricultural leaders thruout the Middle West today expressed disappointment and regret over the presidential veto of the McNary-Haugen bill, while dairy farmers in Wisconsin applauded the president's action.

A number of Republican candidates for state office decried the veto and some Democrats invited the "helpless minority of the republican party to join" with them to obtain "efficient relief".

Claude H. MacKenzie of St. Paul, Republican national committeeman, said: "it is regrettable the president could not have signed the bill." Frank W. Murphy, Minnesota member of the resolutions committee at the coming national Republican convention, termed the president's action "the most amazing and unwarranted official act of any president in the last half century."

Farmers' Action Urged

Farmers were urged "to arise and assert their rights" by Gov. Adam McMullen of Nebraska. "The time has come for action by the farmers themselves. We can expect no effective farm legislation from the present administration nor from any candidate like Hoover whose only claim for recognition is based on his blind adherence to the anti-agricultural attitude of the chief executive."

Dairy farmers from Wisconsin, however, applauded the veto. J. N. Tittemore, former president of the Wisconsin dairy association, said "president Coolidge's veto was wise. So far as Wisconsin is concerned, the bill was absolutely detrimental to the interests of the farmer."

Ben Fuellman, publisher of the agriculitor, said a poll of Wisconsin formers showed them four to one against the plan.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—(AP)—Twice turned down at the White House after having passed successive Congresses, the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill leaned on uncertain supports at the capital today as leaders continued to sound out sentiment as to what should be done in view of the few remaining days of the session.

McNary, who is chairman of the Senate agriculture committee, called a meeting of that group today to discuss a plan of action. The House, which passed the bill 26 votes short of the required two-thirds, will not act officially on the veto until the Senate disposes of it. Representative Haugen, Republican, Iowa, who helped frame the measure, declined to comment on the veto.

That the farm relief issue, failing of settlement before Congress recesss, will be injected into the maneuverings at the Republican national convention next month is regarded as a certainty by political leaders in and out of Congress.

The Rev. W. L. Evans, pastor of the Presbyterian church, left this morning to atend a meeting of the general assembly in Tulsa. The Rev. W. A. Yell of hWite Deer, will fill his pulpit Sunday.

Gordon Butler of White Deer was a business visitor here today.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Tonight and Friday partly cloudy, probably showers in extreme west portion.

WIFE REBUFFS EFFORTS OF HER MODEL HUSBAND

Goes to Movie on Only Night He Is Allowed to Call

CHICAGO May 24.—(AP)—James Johnson, who set a shining example for husbands by his persistence in sending flowers to his wife, Ruth, another rebuff last night in his efforts to rewin her affections.

Wednesday night had been suggested by Judge Sabath as a proper time for Johnson to call upon his wife and present the flowers and candies to which she has expressed objection. It was Judge Sabath's idea that the two of them, talking over their domestic difficulties, might come to a new understanding.

Shortly before he was to call Johnson received a phone message. It advised him that Mrs. Johnson regretted that she would not be home to receive the flowers or listen to the conversation. She had decided she would rather see a show.

Johnson, if he acts upon the court's suggestion, must wait a week before calling upon the wife who seeks to divorce him. Flowers, however, wither He was considering today the advisability of requesting judge Sabath to change the visiting day.

Rival Republican Groups Will Carry War to Convention

WASHINGTON, May 24.—(AP)—Rival Republican factions in more than half a dozen southern states intended to carry their fight for recognition and supremacy to Kansas City with the outcome likely to have at least some bearing on the national convention's choice three weeks hence of a presidential nominee.

As is usually the case when there is a fight on for the party's nomination, a good-sized crop of contests for delegates' seats has developed. Already the Republican national committee has been notified that the credentials of 41 of the 1089 delegates will be in dispute, and there are indications that before the convention 28 more will be challenged.

The time for notifying the committee of contests expired last midnight but under the rules states and territories making late delegate selections have a few days grace. All the disputes will be threshed out before the full committee which has been called to meet at Kansas City, June 4, and those who lose out have the right of appeal to the convention credential committee.

Of the contests already filed, the entire delegations from two states—Louisiana and Mississippi—are in the disputed column with 12 convention votes at stake from each state. Others involve nine seats from Florida, three from Georgia, two each from Kentucky, and the district of Columbia, and one from Tennessee.

In the group still to be filed are 20 delegate votes from Texas—all the state has—and the two from Porto Rico.

Slays Daughter, Wounds Wife, and Then Kills Self

Philadelphia, May 24. — (AP)—An estrangled husband shot and killed his daughter as she lay in bed early today, seriously wounded his wife and then killed himself. Another daughter, daughter, Jennie, was 27. Mrs. Olsock lying beside her sister, was spared.

The man was John Olsock. His slain 47, had wounds in the stomach and left shoulder. She is not expected to recover.

Olsock, a laborer, had been estranged from his wife for five months, having been ordered from home, police say, when he refused to work. He entered the house today by forcing a kitchen window.

T. D. Hobart is transacting business at the J. A. Ranch this week.

Empress-to-Be as a Grad

Miss Seesu Matsudaira, photographed here as a "sweet girl graduate" of Friends School at Washington, probably will be the next empress of Japan. She is to marry Prince Chichibu, heir apparent to the Japanese throne. She had just received her diploma from Friends School when this striking picture was taken. Miss Matsudaira's father is the Japanese ambassador to the United States.

STATE OFFERS COUNTY AID OF $4,500 ON HEALTH UNIT

Gray Would Pay Only 50 Per Cent of Expense of Four-Person Service, States Austin Official

That the state department of health is in a position to match funds with a few additional counties in establishing county health units is revealed in a letter from the state department to County Attorney John F. Studer, who is gathering facts on the proposed project.

"For the establishment of a minimum budget, the state department of health will appropriate $4,500 to help finance a unit, an equal amount to be appropriated by the county," writes Dr. H. N. Barnett, director of the bureau of child hygiene.

"This budget is sufficient to carry on a unit consisting of four people, as follows: A doctor as county health officer (full time) a public health nurse, a sanitary inspector, and an office assistant. The first three of these would be especially trained in public health work."

Answering inquiries concerning the function of a health unit, the state department furnished the following data:

"A county health unit is an organization consisting of four or more persons, three of whom are especially trained and all of whom devote their entire time to the conservation of health in the area served. The personel is as folows: One health officer (M. D.), one or more public health nurses (especially trained), one or more specially trained sanitary inspectors, and one clerk.

"The county health unit perform so many functions that it is somewhat difficult to pick out the most important phases of the work. Among the most important, however, and without an attempt to make this answer complete, the following items may be noted:

(See STATE OFFERS, Page 8)

Manager Briggs Wife and Son, Arrive in City

George W. Briggs, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, accompanied by Mrs. Briggs and son, Burnham, arrived here this morning and will move into their new home in the Country club addition this week. Mrs. Briggs attended the secretaries' convention in Corpus Christi last week and returned by way of Eastland, where he attended the graduation of his son from Eastland high school.

Another son is attending Texas A. & M. college. He will arrive here at the close of college.

Aged Hermit Says Hidden Fortune Is Missing From Cache

WASHINGTON, May 24.—(AP)—Thomas Barnett, 78-year-old hermit, has reported to police the theft of seventeen thousand dollars in new $1,000 bills from a hiding place near his home. The thief, or thieves, failed to find $11,000 additional that had been secreted by the old man.

Barnett, who is reputed to be wealthy, withdrew his money from a bank recently when he became involved in litigation. He said he placed the $17,000 in a milk bottle and sunk it in a shaft of terra cotta pipe on the advice of friends. Four friends and acquantances of the man are being held for investigation by the police.

About five years ago Barnett's home was invaded by a negro. He was living alone then, too, and there was $12,000 in his house but he put up such a battle that the thief was glad to leave empty-handed.

DRYS WIN OUT WITH SUPPORT OF DAN MOODY

To Support Smith Only to Make Selection Unanimous

STATE TO CAST FORTY VOTES

Al's Leaders Declare Texans to Break on Second Ballot

BEAUMONT, May 24.—(AP)—Texas' forty votes at the Democratic national convention at Houston will be cast for a dry candidate for the presidential nomination until there is no hope of nominating such a candidate and for a dry plank in the party platform.

This was the outcome of the state convention here which adjourned late last night after one of the stormiest meetings in the history of Texas politics.

The Texas votes will be cast by 36 delegates from 18 congressional districts and 24 delegates-at-large, 12 men and 12 women, and will be bound by the unit rule.

Governor Dan Moody, whose program for a dry plank and a dry candidate was overwhelmingly endorsed despite bitter opposition from factions favoring instructions for and against the candidacy of Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York, will head the delegation.

To Support Nominee

The state platform pledges the party to support the nominee whoever he may be and demands enforcement in "both the letter and the spirit" of the constitution. It asks for a plank in the national platform "unequivocally endorsing" prohibition and "declairing relentless opposition" to any attempt to repeal it or destroy the prohibition laws." It attacks the republican party for its direction of national affairs, asks a revision of the tariff laws, and extolls religious freedom and toleration.

Political observers agree that Gov. Moody accomplished in the convention what many others had thought impossible in that he played both ends against the middle by holding back the ultra-drys from instructing against Gov. Smith and by keeping the Smith forces from instructing for the Governor, from New York.

Some "Doubled Crossed"

Although those who wanted a delegation instructed outright for Gov. Smith claimed they were "double crossed" by Gov. Moody in that they were not permitted to choose delegates from Congressional districts one of the heated controversial points in the meeting—they aserted that the delegation ultimately would vote for the New York Governor. They based this prediction on the convention instructions which bound the delegation to support the candidate nominated.

In addresses shortly before the convention adjourned, one speaker claimed the delegation would go to Gov. Smith "on the second ballot," while speakers from Gov. Moody's faction asserted it would vote for Gov. Smith only after he had been nominated by the votes of other delegations. Political leaders said this was a promise to support Gov. Smith only when it became a question of making his nomination unanimous.

Smith Has Supporters

R. L. Henry of Houston, a Smith leader who said he was speaking for Smith supporters throughout the state, asserted that the delegation includes subsantially the same slates for more than nine of the 18 Congressional districts as were recommended by the district delegations themselves. If this is true, Gov. Smith will have a number of strong supporters on the delegation, possibly ten or twelve.

The biggest fight in the convention was over the method of choosing the delegates and ended with a victory for the conservative drys who would not instruct against Gov. Smith through the leadership of Gov. Moody.

In the midst of a roll call that seem-

(See DRYS WIN, Page 8)

Oil District Menaced by Smallpox Epidemic and Filthy Conditions

AUSTIN May 24—(AP)—Texas Rangers and the state department of health will join efforts to "clean up" Winkler county, said to be smitten with smallpox, was announced Thursday.

Lieut. Col. Taylor Nichols, assistant adjutant general, revealed that he promised a Winkler county delegation here Wednesday night that the Rangers would aid local authorities which was reported to appear inadequate to deal with the situation.

Saying that a relief staff of sanitation workers would be dispatched to the area, the health department issued a statement painting conditions in Kermit and Wink as grave.

"The towns of Wink and Kermit, tent built overnight because of the oil, are suffering from smallpox because of violation of the sanitary laws. There is no provision for taking care of garbage; neither is there a place properly to care for food stuffs; unthinkably filthy conditions are noted at restaurants, waste accumulates, communicable diseases are rampant," it said.

Winkler county cannot longer stand the financial strain that the indigent camp followers require when laid low with pestilence. It takes $700 a month to pay for quarantine guards alone."

Huge Man Hunt Seeks Bandit Killers of Colorado Bankers

LAMAR, Colo., May 24.—(AP)—One of the most intensive man hunts this state has ever known was under way today for the four bandits who invaded the First National bank here yesterday, shot and killed the president and the cashier, kidnaped two tellers and escaped with $7,000 in cash and reported $195,000 in negotiable securities.

A. M. Parrish, president of the bank a past member of the state legislature and prominent in state Republican circles, was shot and killed by the gunmen when he fired several shots at them in response to their command to "stick 'em up."

John Parrish, his son and cashier of the bank, seeing his father fall before the bandits' fire, drew his own gun and shot and seriously wounded one of the quartet before he, in turn was shot dead.

Apparently undaunted by the shooting, the three unwounded robbers scooped up the money and securities forced two patrons of the bank to stand on tables, and at the point of a gun drove E. A. Kessinger and E. A. Lundgren, tellers, into an automobile and escaped with their wounded companion.

Shortly after the robbery, the four engaged in a running gun battle with Sheriff L. E. Alderman and G. A. Anderson of Lamar, near Sandy Creek 16 miles northeast of here, during which the sheriff's car was disabled by the robbers' fire and they escaped.

Lundgren, in the mean time, has been released not far from here. Kessinger's fate was unknown.

Last night the bandits drove in to Trinidad, Colorado, where they stopped at a drug store and forced the owner, Mrs. J. B. Hughes Brown to dress the wounds of the injured man.

The bandaging completed, the men paid for some medical supplies and some food which they took from a lunch counter in the store and withdrew.

PIONEER TELEGRAPHER DEAD

BUTTE, Mont., May 24.—(AP)—Lew S. Wild, 82, of Butte, one of the oldest telegraph operators in the United States died here last night from injuries sustained when he was struck by a hit-and-run driver March 18. He was credited with sending out the first wire news on the Custer Massacre when he was an operator in Corinth, Utah, in 1876, and also with having been on the receiving end of the first dispatch about the assassination of president Lincoln, April 14, 1865.

General Nobile Places Cross at Exact North Pole

OSLO, Norway, May 24.—(AP)—Having viewed the north pole from the air for the second time in his life, General Umberto Nobile was heading back to Kings Bay, Spitzbergen, today in the dirigible Italia.

For almost an hour early today the Italian exploring expedition which he headed cruised back and forth over the pole making the fourth time man has reached the top of the world. From advices received here it was presumed that General Nobile had abandoned his plan to land an exploring party at the pole.

Starting from Kings Bay at 4:40 a. m., yesterday with a crew and a number of scientists aboard, the Italia headed to the north bearing a cross which Pope Pius had presented to Nobile to be placed at the pole. It took the airship more than 20 hours to reach the pole, which is 750 miles from Kings Bay.

Hour at Pole

Arriving there about 1 a. m., today the dirigible circled around until nearly 2 a. m., when its blunt nose was turned southward and it headed for Kings Bay. There the base forces of the expedition eagerly awaited General Nobile's return hoping that in that hour of cruising he had wrested new secrets from the frozen north.

This latest conquest of the pole was the fourth, including Peary's trek with sleds across the frozen seas of the Arctic. Two years ago Nobile, then a colonel, flew over the pole from Spitzbergen to Alaska with Lincoln Ellsworth and Roald Amundsen in the dirigible Norge. This flight was preceded by a few days by the airplane flight to the pole and return from Spitzbergen made by Commander Richard E. Byrd and the late Floyd Bennett. On his return from the Norge expedition, Nobile immediately began preparations for the present flight of which he was in supreme command.

ROME, May 24.—(AP)—The Vatican announced today that the following message had been received from General Umberto Nobile, commander of the dirigible Italia on its successful flight to the pole:

"At 1:20 a. m. today, the twenty-fourth, with profound emotion we have let fall upon the ice of the north pole, the cross which Your Holiness entrusted to us.

"I and my companions express to your holiness our gratitude for the most high mission bestowed upon us and renew the expression of our profoundest devotion.

"GENERAL NOBILE."

(See GENERAL NOBILE, page 8)

IN CONGRESS

(By The Associated Press)

Senate takes up presidential vetoes of minor bills, deficiency bill amendments and Boulder Dam while House approaches amendment stage in Boulder debate.

Senate campaign funds committee meets in executive session to determine future course.

Salt Creek lease inquiry continues before Senate oil committee.

House naval, banking, rivers and harbors, Indian and judiciary committee take up minor bills.

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IT SHOULD BE CLEAR by now that what Texans wish in regard to Democratic nominees and platform is adherance to a plank for the enforcement of the Eighteenth amendment. In fact, who would ask less if he were for prohibition?

That this stand should be carried into the national convention is only logical, for not only could an unfriendly president hamper enforcement, but it is clear that lack of sincerity in enforcement already has and is endangering the amendment itself.

The president names the cabinet, several of whose members are closely connected with enforcement of the national prohibition act. The secretary of the treasury virtually could break down enforcement if he desired. Several members of the Supreme Court are to be appointed by the next president. It is unnecessary to point out that the deciding majority in that body could be changed through these appointments.

The president dictates or influences hundreds of appointments in prohibition and other departments. The personal example of the chief executive is all important. Prohibition is by no means the only issue in the campaign, but it is so important that the Texas state convention did well to include the dry plank in the platform adopted at Beaumont.

Heroes for Science

To the list of those who have given their lives to the cause of science has been added the name of Dr. Hideyo Noguchi, a Japanese, whose project was the control of yellow fever in the tropics.

He died in Africa while connected with the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research. It was no ordinary call of duty which sent him into the pestilential tropics. He was a scientist of ability, and might have won fame and wealth within the walls of a New York laboratory. But not so did he. He chose to take himself to one of the unhealthiest spots on the globe, Accra, Africa. There he set up his microscopes to learn the relation between the African and South American yellow fever, and to discover, if possible, means to halt the ravages of the former. Less than two weeks ago he announced his success, and his records may solve the problem. His serum was made with his own infected blood, for he had been ill since December with the disease.

Associates, aided by his notes and his vaccine, will carry on his task. Heroes are not confined to times of war.

Laughter helps a weak heart, according to a story in a meidcal magazine. Maybe that's why you see so many old people in Washington, D. C.

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One of the leading bootleggers of Kansas City was shot the other day. And with a busy season just ahead, too!

A Laudable Plan

Physicians' and hospital bills are too high.

Both doctors and hospitals are barely able to exist for lack of volume of business, in average instances.

The average person receives too little medical care, and the comparatively few who have ample attention pay too much for it.

The fault must be in the system. A newly organized physicians' committee is taking a survey to obtain an accurate analysis of the question. Health programs, health unit plans, nursing services, compulsory examination of students, and other activities are causing people to see the need for regular, skilled examination and preventive steps, rather than calling in of physicians to doctor a sick organism.

WASHINGTON LETTER

By RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

Washington — Probably the funniest thing that has developed in this political campaign is the distinct likelihood that the Hon. William Scott Vare of Philadelphia will be credited in the pages of history as the president-maker of 1928.

Perhaps it's not so funny after all. Perhaps Mr. Vare is just being made an instrument of Divine Providence, for, as everyone knows, the Almighty works in mysterious ways His wonders to perform.

It's the same Mr. Vare, of course, who runs that notorious political machine in Philadelphia and who wasn't considered sweet and clean enough to be allowed to enter the Senate.

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Now this is how Mr. Vare enters the picture as a president maker:

Inveterate readers of these dispatches will recall that many months ago, when people first began to wonder who was Andrew Mellon's presidential choice and to assert that Mellon would hold the balance of nominating power, your correspondent irreverently suggested that Andy couldn't get to first base with a candidate unless he first enlisted the support of Mr. Vare. Someone, it was suggested, ought to find out what Mr. Vare was thinking, for it seemed very likely that Mr. Vare would be able to tell Mellon just whom Mellon was going to support.

Mr. Vare and his Philadelphia machine had beaten Mellon and his machine when Mr. Vare decided in 1926 that he would be senator instead of George Wharton Pepper, the Mellon incumbent and candidate. The Mellon machine had to seek a truce quickly. It was able to promise Mr. Vare much help where he needed it worst when it appeared that the Senate doubtless would refuse to let him in after his election.

Mr. Vare agreed to play ball and Senator David A. Reed, the Mellon senator who had said so many extremely mean things about the uncouth Mr. Vare in the primary campaign, was forced to break his neck trying to get Mr. Vare in.

No senator ever had such a distasteful task, but his heart was in it, for Mr. Vare threatened to run for Reed's seat if the Mellon crowd didn't help him out.

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At any rate Mellon obviously had to divide politics control of Pennsylvania with Boss Vare with the threat that Boss Vare might squeeze him out entirely almost any old time. Vare, meanwhile, knew that the Mellons would try to unhorse him sooner or later if he didn't beat them to it. When Reed failed to save his Senate seat, he was free to do as he pleased.

Along came the recent Pennsylvania state convention. Politicians all over the country waited breathlessly to see whether Mellon would say anything about the presidential candidates. The fact is, he had no idea of doing anything of the sort—his prepared speech mentioned no candidate.

But on the ground he discovered that Boss Vare had managed to rig the convention against him. Perhaps the Vare crowd had a resolution all drawn up, endorsing Hoover, and was prepared to pass it, as one apparently good source has it.

At any rate there is no doubt at all that Mellon found Boss Vare and his pals possessed of a whip hand. They were all set to grab his leadership whether by the simple expedient of coming out for the popular Mr. Hoover or by other means. The old boy having no candidate of his own ready to trot out—since Coolidge and Hughes had failed him—was in no position to fight. He was simply pushed into an endorsement of Hoover. All informed persons seem to agree on that.

BARBS

(By N.E.A. Service Inc.)

We are torn with anxiety today wondering if those airplanes the Pennsy and Santa Fe are going to run will carry such names as Minnehaha.

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"Flyers Boss Own Homes", says a headline over a story about Hermann, Jim and Ehrenfried. But then, they're not at home much.

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A blind dog bit a deaf man in New York City. The dog was legally acquitted. How was a blind dog to know whether the man could hear or not?

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A headline in a New York newspaper says: "STATE WILL TRY SHOOTING DRYS." But suppose they shoot back?

Political Announcements

Subject to the Action of the Democratic Primary July 28, 1928.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT. No. 1—
JOHN B. WILLIAMS
MEL B. DAVIS
JOHN R. WHITE
C. W. BOWERS
(Re-Election)

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2—
W. A. TAYLOR
(Re-Election)
NELS WALBERG
LEWIS O. COX

FOR CONSTABLE PRECINCT NO. 2
G. C. ADAMS.
HERMAN WACHTENDORF
O. T. SMITH
H. B. LEWIS
G. E. BARRETT

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3
B. G. McCRESKEY
THOS. D. KIRBY
(Re-Election)

FOR SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR—
E. S. GRAVES
(Re-Election)
WALT NEWTON
JIM C. KING
S. A. HURST
JOHN V. ANDREWS

FOR TAX ASSESSOR—
F. E. LEECH
(Re-Election)

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK—
CHARLIE THUT
(Re-Election)

FOR COUNTY JUDGE—
T. M. WOLFE
(Re-Election)
IVY E. DUNCAN

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY 84TH DISTRICT
J. A. HOLMES
CURTIS DOUGLASS
(Re-Election)

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY 31ST DISTRICT
C. S. WORTMAN

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY—
JOHN STUDER
(Re-Election)
F. A. CARY

FOR COUNTY TREASURER—
JOE M. SMITH
MABEL DAVIS

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE—
J. L. NOEL
I. S. JAMESON
(Re-Election)
C. E. CARY

There's a Bit o' "Jekyll and Hyde" in Us All

OUT OUR WAY

by Williams

FRECKLES and His FRIENDS

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Ossie Would Check up on Italy!

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By BLOSSOM

MOM'N POP

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Ain't Nature Grand?

* * *

By Cowan

SOCIAL NEWS

BY MISS LEORA HAY PHONE 100

liss Lucille Mooney and Verde Dickey Are Married at LeFors Wednesday Evening During Picnic Honoring Popular Couple

Beneath the green trees of a valley, and amid the silence created only by nature, the marriage of Miss Lucille Mooney, and Verde Dickey was solemnized at 7:30 o'clock last eevning in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. The ceremony came as a complete surprise to the group, who had gathered at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Frank Keehn, and had gone to LeFors to enjoy a picnic honoring the couple.

At the close of a bountiful feast spread beneath the trees at LeFors, the wedding party was called together and with Mrs. Keehn giving her daughter in marriage, the Rev. W. L. Evans performed a beautiful ring ceremony. The bride was attended by Miss Myrtle White, and Oscar Dial as best man and J. T. Roberts completed the group

Mrs. Dickey was charmingly dressed in an attractive shade of blue, with accessories in harmony, and carried a beautiful bride's bouquet. Miss White's dress was of a becoming shade of rose. Mr. and Mrs. Dickey left immediately for Fort Worth, Dallas, and Sherman, and will return to Pampa soon after the first of June.

Mrs. Dickey is the daughter of Mrs Frank Keehn of this city, and is a popular member of the younger social group. She is a graduate of Central high school, class of '28, and has a large number of friends who wish for her every happiness. Mr. Dickey has been coach the last two years of the Harvester athletic teams, and was a teacher of mathematics in the Central High school. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Dickey of Sherman, and is a graduate of Sherman high and of Austin college.

Those present to enjoy the surprise were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thom, Mr and Mrs. T. L. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thut, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Heflin, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clements, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keehn, Mrs. B. R Sutherland, Miss Frances Gowen, Miss Helen Baird, Miss Martha Bradford Miss Louise Miller, Miss Lottie Schafer, Miss Irma Crowe, Miss VeLora Reed, Miss Joan Leath, Miss Leora May, Miss Myrtye White, and Oscar Dial, Russell Kennedy, Tommie Robinson, B. N. Bradley, the Rev. W. L. Evans, J. T. Roberts and Tabby Levine

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. E. B. Thompson of Borger and Miss Carmen Hawkins of Panhandle.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Strickland have moved to Altus, Okla., where they will open a meat market.

Eugene Lary of Fort Worth was a business visitor in Pampa Wednesday. Mr. Lary is attorney for the Cities Service company.

Social Calendar

The Holy Soul Catholic church will hold services during this entire week at 7:30 o'clock in the morning and at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Mrs. Raymond Harrah will be hostess to the Duplicate Luncheon club Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Taylor will be hostess to the Ace High Bridge club Friday afternoon.

The Club Mayfair will be entertained Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Clyde Fatheree.

The Lone Star Bridge club will not meet this week in the home of Mrs. L. M. Williams, was announced.

L'Ile Simon

(L'Ile Simon is an island in the Loire River where both French and American nurses went during the war for an hour of rest.)

A bit of fairy land in France
Of trees and green, green sod—
A place where one may think her thoughts,
And pray her prayers to God

A lovely, silent garden,
Where narrow thought grow broad,
As through the lace of leaves above,
One glimpses stars and God.

O quiet, mystic Ile Simon,
Where whispering aspens ned,
I've seen you shrive a soul in pain,
And turn it back to God!

—Jeannette Wallace Emrich.

Mrs. W. Purviance Entertains Members Of Sunday School

Mrs. W. Purviance entertained class number Two of the Junior department of the Methodist church at her home Monday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. After playing games, story telling was enjoyed. A dainty refreshment course of sandwiches, fruit salad, and punch was served to eleven members and two visitors.

Those present were Odessa Winkler, Eva Mae Moore, Mary Catherine Clark, Christine Manning, Harriet Hunkapillar, Anna Mae Flesher, Myrtle Fay Gilbert, Twila Thomas, Elizabeth Graham, Willa Belle Fogleman, Dorothy Brumley, Jeanne Murphy, and Janice Purviance.

W. H. Joyce left Wednesday for his home in aEstland after attending business in Pampa for several days.

Mrs. John Wood Is Hostess to Justamere Bridge

Mrs. John Wood was a charming hostess to the Justamere Bridge club in the home of Mrs. Walter Darlington, Jr., on Tuesday afternoon. A very effective color scheme of pink and green was used in the table appointments and favors.

Mrs. W. F. Clausing was awarded high guest score; Mrs. W. P., Clark high club score and Mrs. Walter Darlington received consolation. At the close of the afternoon a very delicious luncheon was served the following guests and members:

Mrs. I. B. Hughey, Mrs. Ivy Duncan, Mrs. DeLea Vicars, Mrs. C. L. Thomas, Mrs H. H. Hicks, Mrs. R. A. Webb; Mrs. H. W. Johns, Mrs. Ed Gober, Mrs. G. C. Walters, Mrs. Wrather, Mrs. W. P. Clark, Mrs. Porter Malone, Mrs. Walter Darlington, Mrs. H. W. Hickman, and Mrs. W. W. Humphries.

Rides to Undertaker Then Kills Self

NEW ORLEANS, May 24.—(AP)—Riding in a taxicab to an undertaking establishment here last night, Hilliard Agregaard, 33, sent a bullet through his brain after writing notes to his wife.

The taxicab driver said while they were passing the funeral home he heard a shot. Looking back he saw Agregaard had killed himself.

One of his notes read: "Don't take me to Biloxi." He is understood to have several brothers and sisters in Biloxi, Miss., and Houston Texas.

The notes gave no reason for the suicide.

"Little Pitchers" by Isa Glenn is Studied By El Progresso Club

The regular meeting of El Progresso club was held at the home of Mrs Carson Loftus Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Dave Pope, and after a short business session, the study program was turned over to Mrs. Siler Faulkner.

"Little Pitchers" by Isa Glenn was the study for the afternoon and it was very interestingly and instructively handled by Mrs. Faulkner and her assistants, Mrs. A. Cole, Mrs. C. M. Bryson, Mrs. W. M. Craven, H. L. Ledrick, and Mrs. R. R. House. The Story of "Little Pitchers" is the history of a small boy brought up in an incongenial home in which there is constant discord His ears or the "little pitchers" hear much that is not intended for them and his character is formed by what he hears.

At the close of the study hour, the hostess served delicious refreshments to the following: Mrs. John Andrews, Mrs. A. Cole, Mrs. W. Purviance, Mrs. C. M. Bryson, Mrs. H. L. Ledrick, Mrs. Dave Pope, Mrs. G. C. Walstad, Mrs. J. M. McDonald, Mrs. R. R. House, Mrs. W. M. Craven, Mrs. C. T. Hun-Mrs. T. D. Hobart.

Miss Bernice R. Whiteley left Wednesday afternoon for Bangs, where she will visit in the home of her parents for a week before going to Austin. Miss Whiteley is head of the English department of Central high. She will continue the study of her subject in Texas University during the summer months.

Pampa Girls to Be Graduated at Teachers College

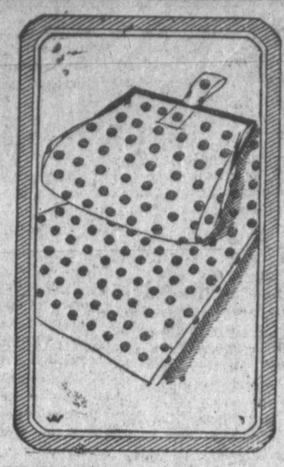
CANYON, May 24—(Special)—Three members of the graduating class of the West Texas State Teachers college are from Pampa.

Miss Emma Pauline McKean, daughter of J. C. McKean, will receive her Bachelor of Arts degree with an English major. She is a member of the Elapheian Literary Society.

Misses Alice and Sophia Short, daughters of J. C. Short of Pampa, are members of the Sesame Literary society. They are also members of the Sociological society. Miss Sophia is a member of the Home Economics club. Miss Alice will receive her Bachelor of Science degree with Mathematics as her major subject. Miss Sophia will receive her Bachelor of Science degree with Intermediate Education as her major.

The Senior class of 1928 is the largest class to receive degrees from the West Texas State Teachers college. Of the entire enrollment of 1,541 students, 94 are seniors. Prof. L. F. Sheffy, head of the department of history, is senior sponsor. Mr. and Mrs. Sheffy have opened their home to the graduates on several delightful social occasions.

The commencement program will begin May 27, with the baccalaureate sermon at the College auditorium. The Rev. W. N. Pearce, presiding elder of the Amarillo district of the Methodist church, will render the sermon. The commencement address will be Wednesday, May 30, with Judge C. C. Small as speaker.



SUMMER ACCESSORIES are smartest when they match, as this bag and triangular scarf of white crepe de chine dotted in blue.

Mrs. D. W. Tracey and children arrived here yesterday to make their home. Judge Tracy, with offices in the Duncan building. They formerly resided at Sayre, Okla., where Judge Tracy had a large law practice.

NEW YORK—(AP)—In the opinion of Leonard P. Ayres, banker, "great waves of speculation like the present one cannot be killed off; they have to commit suicide. Thousands of first-time speculators are watching their paper profits mount and are concluding that anyone who works for a living a boob.

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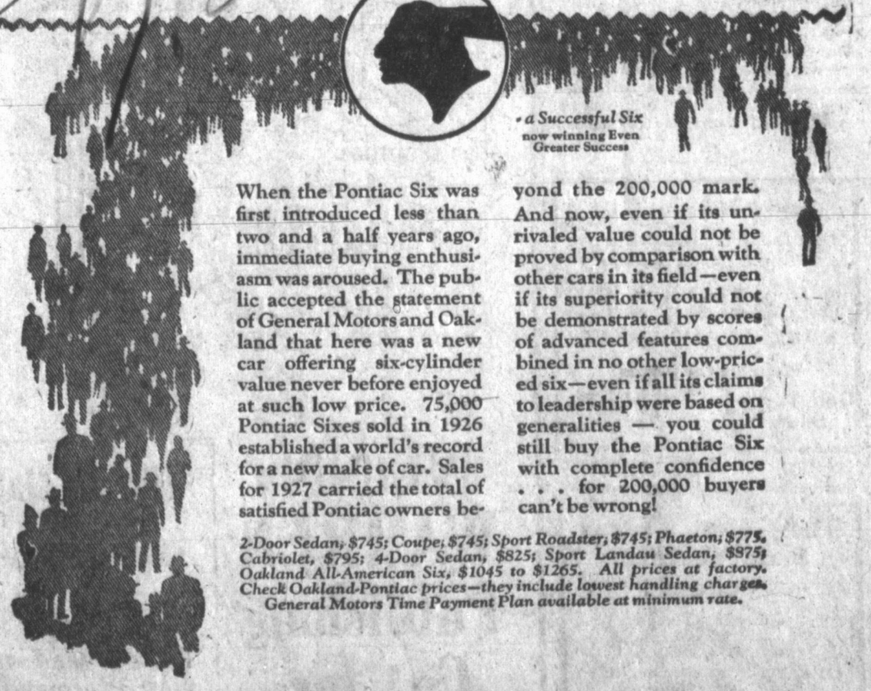

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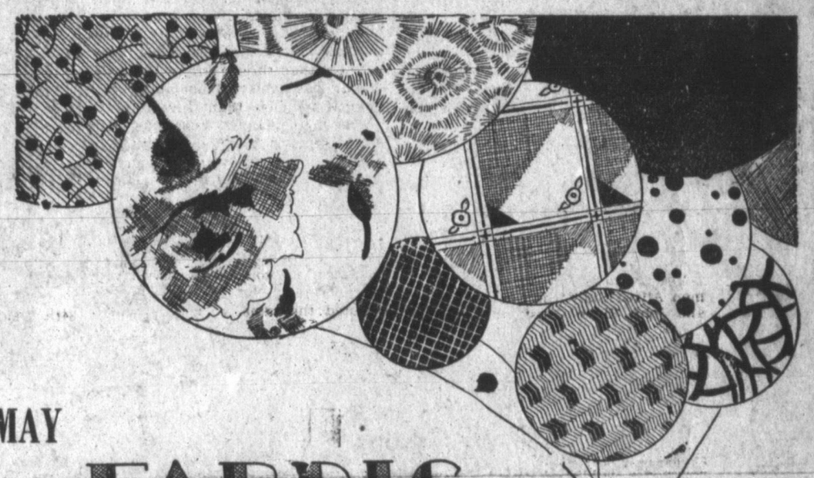

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county judge in accordance with the provisions of Article 2806, Revised Statutes of Texas, as modified by the provisions of Section 5-b, Chapter 84, Acts of the First Called Session of the Fortieth Legislature on the proposition of consolidating said Common School Districts; and

Whereas, each of said common school districts is situated wholly within said County; and

Whereas, it appears to the Court that each one of said petitions is signed by twenty (20) or more, or in the alternative, by a majority of the legally qualified voters residing in said respective districts; and

Whereas, said petitions have been signed and presented in accordance with law.

Now, therefore, I, T. M. Wolfe, in my official capacity as County Judge of Gray County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 15th day of June, 1928, in each of said two districts, on the following question:

Which Common School District numbers Eight (8) and Two (2) be consolidated:

In Gray County Common School District No 2 said election shall be held at School House with the following as election officers:

Mel Davis, Presiding Officer, E. Bachus, Judge, Geo. M. Clardy, Clerk, J. H. Montgomery, Clerk.

In the county Common School District No. 8 said election shall be held at School House with the following as election officers:

H. C. Brock, Presiding Officer, Oscar Henry, Judge, J. L. Holler, Clerk, E. F. Day, Clerk.

Notice of this election shall be given by the publication of a copy of this order in some newspaper published within Gray County and within the territory comprising the proposed consolidated district, if there be a newspaper published within said territory, and otherwise in a newspaper published within Gray County. Further notice shall be given by posting a copy of said notice in each of said two districts.

Said election shall be held in accordance with the general election laws as modified by the provisions of Article 2806, Revised Statutes of Texas, and Section 5-b of Chapter 84, Acts of the first Called Session of the Fortieth Legislature.

Proper returns of said election shall be made to the commissioners Court of Gray County, which court will canvas the returns of the election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters residing within the respective two districts described above shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "FOR CONSOLIDATION" and those opposed to each consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "AGAINST CONSOLIDATION".

In event the returns show a majority of votes cast in each and all districts for consolidation, the Court will declare such districts consolidated.

Dated this the 22nd day of May, 1928.

T. M. WOLFE, County Judge, Gray County, Texas. 9-10-11-12

CATHOLIC LEADER DIES

DENVER, May 24.—(AP)—Catholicism lost one of its pioneer figures in Colorado and the Southwest with the death last night of Archbishop John Baptiste Pitaval, chaplain at St. Anthony's hospital here.

The most Rev. Pitaval, who passed his seventieth birthday last February died from a complication of diseases aggravated by old age.

Born in France, the prelate came to this country as a missionary in 1881, and was one of the first two Catholic priests to be ordained in this state.

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By DAVID M. WARREN

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A few weeks ago the pessimists said that the country would be ruined because there was no rain. Rain has fallen in abundance the past two or three weeks and now the pessimists are saying that the wheat may be destroyed by rust. But we hope that the pessimists are all wrong and that Panhandle will raise a bumper crop and the price also be good.

Buy a lot if you would save money. It is the advice of a prominent realtor. He says that the person who will make regular payments over a period of years to purchase a lot is a good moral and credit risk. If one has paid for a lot on the monthly plan, he will realize what it means to undertake to meet an obligation and there will be no difficulty for him to obtain funds to build a home.

Real estate in the various cities of the Panhandle Plains is a safe purchase. Real estate is increasing in value and it is a sure step to success. The more that one buys today the less he will have to worry about in the future.

Southern Baptists are threatening to bolt the Democratic party unless a "bone dry" is nominated for president. Southern Baptists, although 2,700,000 strong, will not desert the Democratic ranks to any great extent should Smith, Reed or Ritchie be nominated. It is doubtful wheather Democrats or Republicans can be induced to make prohibition a paramount issue in the election this year.

Commenting on the development of chain newspapers, Editor and Publisher says, "Proprietorship of many units affords freedom to exercise principles that might be denied a single unit. That is, it might be possible for chain owners to take a loss in a city to conserve a principle, whereas the individual proprietor might be forced to compromise and wait on time for the success of his ideas. It has become axiomatic in American journalism that the stronger a newspaper's financial basis, the greater its freedom." The success of the chain newspaper has become noticeable in the financial world in recent years on account of the reduced operating expenses and the fact that the local identity is maintained throughout.

AUSTIN, May 24.—(AP)—Abilene Christian college, claiming its creditor, the United States Home Builders of America, practiced usury in connection with a loan to the institution, was denied relief Wednesday by the Supreme Court.

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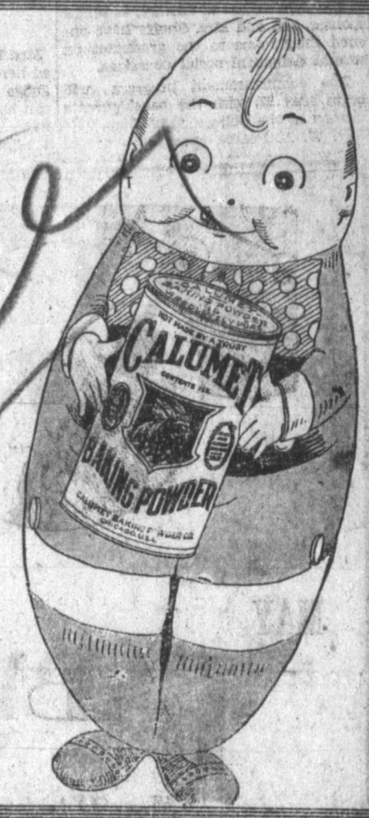

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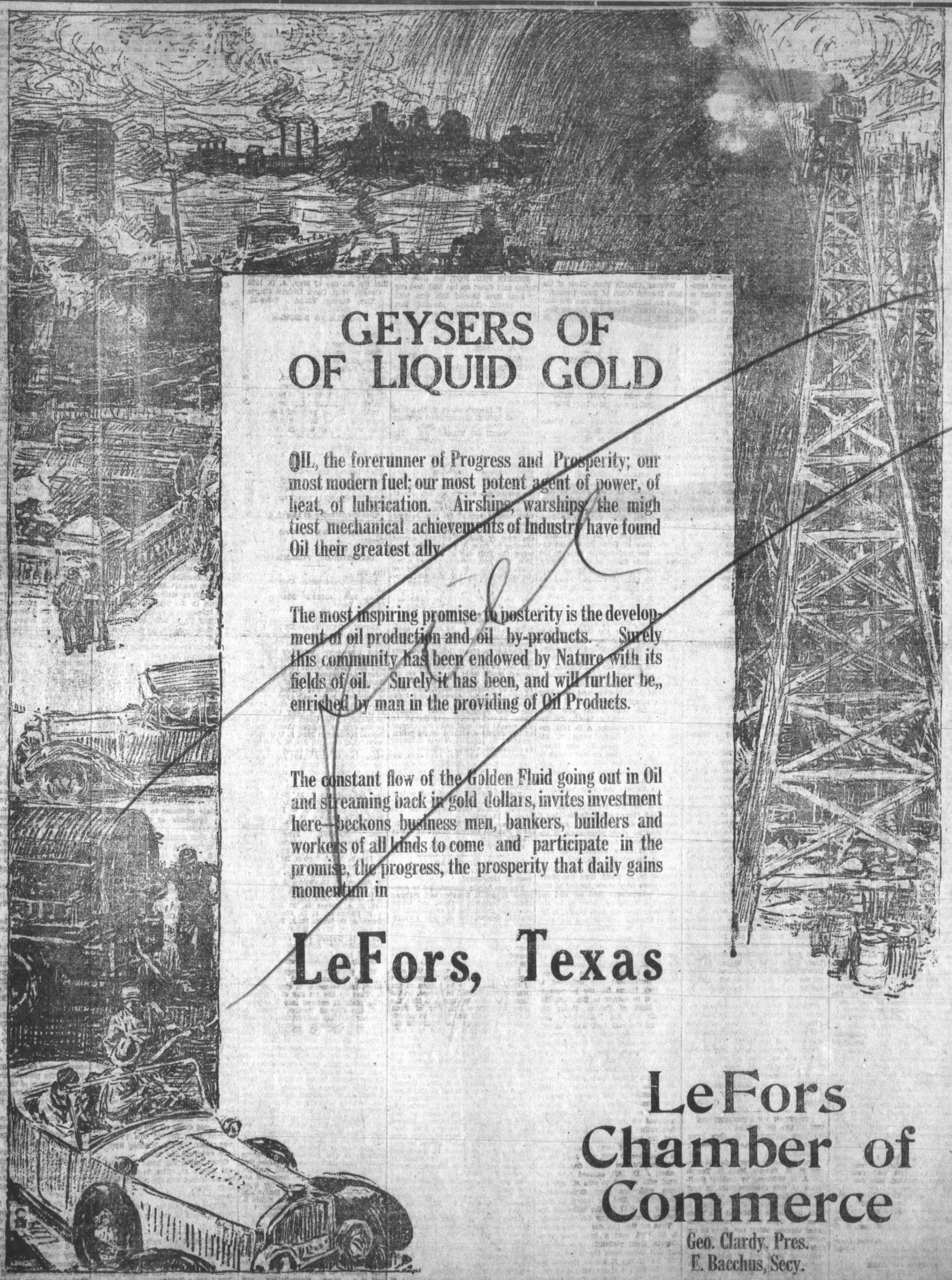

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION
NO. 245

Katherine J. McClendon vs. James Eugene McClendon in the 84th Judicial District Court, Gray County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF GRAY COUNTY—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Gray once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon James Eugene McClendon whose residence is unknown who is alleged to be a non-resident of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the 84th Judicial District Court of Gray County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Pampa, on the second Monday in June A. D. 1928, the same being the 11th day of June A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 9th day of February A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the Docket of Said Court, No. 24 wherein Katherine J. McLendon is plaintiff, and James Eugene McLendon is defendant; the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially, as follows, to-wit: A suit for divorce on the ground of abandonment, non support and cruel treatment by defendant, to plaintiff of such a nature as to render the further living together of plaintiff and defendant as husband and wife, insupportable. Plaintiff allege that defendant has committed offences and is charged by complain with violations of law of the grade of felony, is now a fugitive in some other state for the purpose of avoiding apprehension and arrest.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of next term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Pampa, Texas, this the 1st day of May A. D. 1928.

Witness, Charlie Thut, Clerk of 84th Judicial district Court in and for Gray County, Texas. 6-7-8-9

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF GRAY COUNTY GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon Alfred Sully, Sir Charles Clifford and John Eldon Gorst, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of Alfred Sully, deceased, Sir Charles Clifford, deceased, and John Elden Gorst deceased, respectively, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 84th Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 84th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Gray County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Pampa, Texas, on the 23rd Monday after the first Monday in January, A. D. 1928, the same being the eleventh day of June, A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 1st day of May A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court Number 296, wherein The Midwest Exploration Company, a corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of Colorado, is plaintiff and Alfred Sully, Sir Charles Clifford and John Eldon Gorst, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of Alfred Sully, deceased, Sir Charles Clifford, deceased, and John Eldon Gorst, deceased, respectively, are defendants, said petition alleging:

That the plaintiff is possessed of an oil and gas leasehold estate on the following described property situated in Gray County, Texas, to-wit:

Being all of Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 and the Northwest quarter of Survey 13, and the West half of the northwest quarter of Survey 9, and the East half of the Southwest quarter of Survey 9, and the East half of the Northwest quarter of Survey 10, all in Block H, A. W. Wallace Survey in Gray County, Texas, and containing in all 2960 acres; and that on the first day of January, 1928, the defendants and each of them entered upon said premises and dispossessed the plaintiff thereof; said petition further alleging that by virtue of inaccuracies in the record caused by errors in registration of various and sundry instruments in the chain of title a cloud has been cast upon its title, and prays for the title and recovery and possession of said oil and gas leasehold estate and that the title to their oil and gas leasehold estate be quieted and that all clouds upon the title thereof be removed which might have been cast thereon by any apparent claim of the defendants or any of them, and the plaintiff further alleges that it holds said title from a record chain of title from the sovereignty of the soil and by the three and five years statute of limitation; said suit being one in trespass to try title and in the alternative, to quiet title.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Charlie Thut, Clerk of the District Court of Gray County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Pampa Texas, this the 1st day of May, A. D. 1928.

Charlie Thut, Clerk, district Court of Gray County, Texas. 6-7-8-9

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By Biggs Horn. 9-10

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
NO. 313

G. E. Duckworth vs. Jennie Duckworth in the 84 District Court, Gray County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF GRAY COUNTY—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Gray once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Jennie Duckworth whose residence is unknown, who is alleged to be a non-resident of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the 84th District Court of Gray County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Pampa, Texas, on the 2nd Monday in June A. D. 1928, the same being the 11th day of June A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 12th day of May A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 313 wherein G. E. Duckworth is plaintiff, and Jennie Duckworth is defendant; the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially, as follows, to-wit:

That defendant left plaintiff voluntarily with the intention of abandonment without the consent of plaintiff and said abandonment has continued for more than three years and that defendant has not lived cohabitated with plaintiff for more than three years.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays the court that defendant be cited and that he have judgment dissolving the marriage contract existing between plaintiff and defendant and for general and special relief.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of next term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in the City of Pampa, Texas, this the 14 day of May A. D. 1928.

Witness, Charlie Thut, Clerk of County Court in and for Gray, County, Texas.

By Louise Miller, Deputy. 8-9-10-11

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
No. 1075

Henry Thut
VS.
M. D. Mason

IN THE JUSTICE COURT, PRECINCT NO. 2, GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Gray County—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Gray once in each week for 4 consecutive weeks previous to the return day thereof, you summon M. D. Mason, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear at the next regular term of the Justice Court of Precinct 2 Gray County, to be holden at the office of I. S. Jameson thereof in the City of Pampa, on the 4th Monday in June A. D. 1928, the same being the 25th day of June A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 9th day of May A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 1075 wherein Henry Thut is plaintiff, and M. D. Mason is defendant; the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially as follows, to-wit: A suit for debt in the principal sum of $172.15 for goods wares and merchandise furnished by Henry Thut to M. D. Mason, at the latter's express instance and request and for work and labor performed by said M. D. Mason at his express instance and request.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the said first day of next term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas, this the 9th day of May, A. D. 1928.

WITNESS, I. S. JAMESON, Justice of Peace Precinct 2, Gray County Texas. (7-8-9-10

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF GRAY COUNTY —GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon H. H. Temple, Neva R. Temple and J. L. Williams by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 84th Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 84th Judicial District to appear at the next regular term of the 84th Judicial District Court of Gray County to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Pampa, Texas, on the 2nd Monday in June A. D. 1928 the same being the 11th day of June A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 10th day of May A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the Docket of said Court No 306, wherein John L. Cecil and Susie M. Cecil are Plaintiffs, and J. R. Coker, Ed R. Mayer, the Wicks Oil & Gas Co. and H. H. Temple, Neva R. Temple and J. L. Williams are Defendants and said petition alleges That plaintiffs sue to quiet title to the north half of section 119 in Block 3, I & G N. R. R. Co., Survey in Gray County, Texas, to declare lease of plaintiffs to said Neva R. Temple dated Dec. 20, 1922 of no effect, and to remove certain recorded instruments purporting to assign an interest in said lease to defendants, as a cloud on plaintiffs title.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Charlie Thut, Clerk of the 84th District Court of Gray County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Pampa, Texas, this the 10th day of May A. D. 1928.

Charlie Thut, Clerk 84th Court Gray County. 7-8-9-10.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
No. 227

IN THE 84TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS.

J. S. Mackie and wife, May Mackie
VS.
W. T. Merriwether, Ida May Evans, and Jack Boone

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Gray County—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Gray once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Ida May Evans and Jack Boone whose residence are unknown, who are alleged to be non-residents of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the 84th District Court of Gray County, to be holden at the Court House thereof in the City of Pampa, Texas, on the second Monday in June A. D. 1928, the same being the 11th day of June A. D. 1928 then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1928, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 227 wherein J. S. Mackie and wife May Mackie are plaintiffs, and W. T. Merriwether, Ida May Evans and Jack Boone are defendants; the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially, as follows, to-wit:

Suit of J. S. Mackie, and wife May Mackie complaining of W. T. Merriwether, Ida May Evans and Jack Boone, that heretofore, to-wit: On the 21st day of September, A. D. 1926, defendant Jack Boone came to the home place of plaintiffs and represented to them that he was unable to procure a drilling contract on property near and owned by these plaintiffs, unless they would execute to him an oil and gas lease containing the usual provisions and covering the E 1-2 of the SW 1-4 of Section 115, Block B-2, Gray County, Texas; that if plaintiffs would give him a lease on said land he would place same in the First National Bank Pampa, Texas, and let it there remain until such time as an oil and gas well on the Block near said premises was actually spudded in, at which time the plaintiffs agreed they would appear at said bank, acknowledge said oil and gas ease and authorize same to be delivered to the said Jack Boone, it being understood said oil and gas lease was not to be delivered or acknowledged until said oil and gas well had been actually spudded in; that on said date, September 21, 1926, plaintiffs did sign an oil and gas lease covering said premises to Jack Boone as lessee which instrument was delivered to said Jack Boone for the purpose of leaving it in escrow in the First National Bank of Pampa, Texas, but plaintiffs did not acknowledge said lease and the said Jack Boone in violation of his agreement to deliver said oil and gas lease to the First National Bank of Pampa, Texas, in escrow, did falsely procure the certificate of a Notary Public that said lease was acknowledged and Jack Boone thereafter filed same on Ocetober 25, 1926, in the office of the County Clerk of Gray County, Texas and did on the 21st day of October, A. D. 1926, assign said oil and gas lease to W. T. Merriwether which assignment was filed for record in the office of the County Clerk of Gray County, Texas, on November 13 1926, and Jack Boone did thereafter on the 1st day of November, A D. 1927, entered into contract with respect to said oil and gas lease with Ida May Evans which contract was filed for record on September 12, 1927 in the office of the County Clerk of Gray County, Texas.

That on the 21st day of September A. D. 1926, and a long time prior thereto, these plaintiffs were occupying and living upon the E 1-2 of the SW 1-4 of the N 1-2 of the SE 1-4 and the SE 1-4 of the SE 1-4 of Section 115, Block B-2 in Gray County Texas, as their homestead and that no time since September 21, 1926 they have ceased to live upon said property as and for their homestead and during all of said time they have claimed, occupied and used said property as their homestead.

That said Jack Boone never did cause to be spudded in an oil and gas well on the Block adjacent to the property owned by these plaintiffs and the said Jack Boone has surrendered or had cancelled all of the leases in said block.

WHEREFORE, plaintiffs pray that the defendants be duly cited to answer herein and that judgment be rendered in their behalf cancelling the oil and gas lease covering the E 1-2 of the SW 1-4 of Section 115 in Block B-2, Gray County, Texas, and that the assignment of said oil and gas lease to W. T. Merriwether be cancelled and held for naught; and that the contract with respect to said lease between the said Jack Boone and Ida May Evans be cancelled and held for naught; and for general and equitable relief and for costs of court.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the said first day of next term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Pampa, Texas, this the 10th day of May A. D. 1928.

(SEAL)

WITNESS, Charlie Thut, Clerk of 84th District Court in and for Gray County, Texas. (7-8-9-10)

NO 299

Laura I. English vs. C. F. Noack in the 84th judicial district court of Gray County, Texas, June term, 1928.

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF GRAY COUNTY—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Gray once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon C. F. Noack, whose residence is alleged to be unknown, to be and appear at the next regular term of the 84th Judicial District Court of Gray County, to be holden in the City of Pampa, on the second Monday in June, A. D. 1928, the same being the 11th day of June, A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1928, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court. No. 299 wherein Laura I. English is plaintiff, and C. F. Noack is defendant; the nature of plaintiff's demand being substantially, as follows, to-wit:

A suit in two counts. The first count being in trespass to try title to recover title and restitution of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 97, Block B-2, of the lands originally granted to the H. & G. N. Ry. Co., in Gray County, Texas. The second count being to cancel an oil and gas lease dated July 29, 1926, executed by plaintiff as lessor to the defendant, as lessee, covering said land recorded in Volume 2, on page 462 of the Lease Records of Gray County, Texas, as well as the record thereof, on the ground that said lease was executed and delivered without consideration, obtained by fraud, and was delivered to defendant without authority.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of next term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Pampa, Texas, this the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1928.

Witness, Charlie Thut, Clerk of the 84th Judicial District Court of Gray County, Texas.

By Louise Miller, Deputy. 6-7-8-9

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the sheriff or an constable of Gray county, Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to summons Albert B. Hensley and Pittman Hensley transient persons and whose residence are unknown to plaintiff by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 84th District Court of Gray County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Pampa, on the Second Monday in June A. D. 1928, the same being the 11th day of June A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 1st day of May A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 294 wherein J. E. Mongole, Plaintiff, and Albert B. Hensley and Pittman Hensley are defendants, and said petition alleging in two counts, First, Trespass to try title on all of Survey 211, Block B-2, Gray County, Texas, originally granted to the Houston and Great Northern Railway Co. Certificate No. 15-3255, containing 335 3-10 acres of land more or less, according to the re-survey thereof made by P. G. Omohundro State Surveyor, Second, to remove cloud from title of Plaintiff cast thereon by virtue of a deed by Joseph H. Green and wife Emma M. Green to Albert B. Hensley and Pittman Hensley, dated, October 23, 1897,

Herein faid not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same,

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Pampa, Gray County, Texas, this the 1st day of May A D, 1928,

Charlie Thut, Clerk, District Court Gray county, 6-7-8-9

THE STATE OF TEXAS:
To the sheriff or any constable of Gray County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded, that you summons, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Gray for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Thelma McClain, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. 84th District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Gray at the courthouse thereof in Pampa, Texas on the 11th day of June, 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 301, wherein J. D. McCain is plaintiff, and Thelma McCain is defendant.

The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to wit:

Suit for divorce on the grounds of cruel treatment.

Herein fail not, and have you before said court, on the said 1st day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pampa, Texas, this the 8th day of May, A. D. 1928.

Charlie Thut, Clerk District Courts, Gray County, Texas. 7-8-9-10

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The commissioner's court of Gray County, Texas:

Will receive bids for the furnishing of materials and construction of a Pile Trestle Bridge across North Fork of Red river, at the location about 2 miles below crossing known as the Davis crossing. Bridge is to be, approximately one thousand feet long.

Bidders will be required to furnish check for 5% of amount of bid and make bond in full amount of contract in accordance with Statutes. Bids must be filed at the County Clerks office, Pampa, Texas, not later than 2:00 P. M. June 4th, 1928.

For further information of details and specification see County Judge or A. H. Doucette County Engineer. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

This the 10th day of May A. D. 1928.

T. M. Wolf
County Judge, Gray County, Texas. 7-8-9-10

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
NO. 289

Stuckey Construction Company vs. Don Duran, et al., in the District Court, 84th Judicial District Gray County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF GRAY COUNTY—GREETING—

You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Gray once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Don Duran, Felix Duran, Paul Lockhart and A. H. Lockhart, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear at the next regular term of the 84th Judicial District Court of Gray County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Pampa, Texas, on the Second Monday in June A. D. 1928, the same being the 11th day of June A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 30th day of April A. D. 1928, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court. No. 289 wherein Stuckey Construction company is Plaintiff and Don Duran, Felix Duran, J. M. Ross, Frank Ferdig, O. L. Morriss, O. B. Wharton, J. S. Schimpf, B. W. Ford, T. M. Ford, J. O. Jackson, P. G. Gaskins, V. A. Phillips, E. F. Young, W. A. Lester, Geo. Kennelli, Fred Rural, Ed Anderson, Milo Mellman, J. S. Green, D. R. Head, W. H. Stracener, A. R. Riblein, W. J. Pipkin, B. Patton, J. M. Dorsey, J. W. Dorsey, L. C. Overstreet, A. E Phillips, John Mason, H. H. Ballard, S. G. Jetton, J. C. Treadwell, Bruce Wiesen, H. W. Williamson, L. Z. Conway, Geo. Gray, Jack Treadwell, S. A. Bivers, G. W. Williamson, E. P. Ridgeway, E. D. Pinnell, J. A. Shock, A. R. Wells, F. A. Baldwin, A. H. Lockhart, W. H. Doyle, Tom Jackson, J. M. Dodson, Paul Lockhart and John Kiser are defendants, the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially, as follows to-wit:

That plaintiff is engaged in the business of making and constructing Street Improvements in cities in Texas. That on the 1st day of December 1926, plaintiff entered into a contract with the City of Pampa, Texas to construct certain improvements in said city, and thereafter entered into an agreement with the defendants, Don Duran, whereby the said Don Duran agreed at his own cost and expense to haul gravel for this plaintiff in connection with the constructing of said improvements. That the said Don Duran caused to be hauled a considerable amount of gravel for this plaintiff and employed numerous people, and, as plaintiff is informed and believes, employed some, if not all, of the other defendants herein mentioned to do and perform such hauling for him. That Plaintiff is indebted to said Don Duran on account of said work in the sum of $2450.20, but the other defendants and each of them herein make claims and demands against this plaintiff on account of said matters, claiming that they have causes of actions against this plaintiff for work performed by them for Don Duran and are claiming liens upon the rights in said sum owing by this plaintiff to Don Duran, and such other defendants threaten suits and actions against plaintiff on account of same.

That plaintiff is not indebted to any of said defendants, in any sum except for the said sum of $2450.20 That plaintiff hereby tends said sum into the registry of said court that plaintiff is a mere stake-holder and rights of the defendants and been compelled to employ the undersigned attorneys to bring this action and has incurred reasonable attorneys fees therefor, which it aleges to be the sum of $500.00

Plaintiff prays that defendants be cited and to show what interest they have in said sum and that upon final hearing hereof this court enter it judgment in this cause apportioning said fund to the defendants in such proportions as they may show themselves entitled to and that this court enter its judgment fully protecting this plaintiff against all demands on the part of the defendants and plaintiff further prays that the court order the cost of this proceedings paid out of said fund and that plaintiff be allowed reasonable attorney fees out of said fund and all costs in this behalf expended.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of next term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Pampa, Texas, this the 30th day of April A. D. 1928. Witness, Charlie Thut, Clerk of District Court in and for Gray County, Texas. 6-7 8-9

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
No. 264

Lorene Jones
VS.
Lawrence W. Jones

IN THE 84TH DISTRICT COURT GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Gray County—GREETING

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Gray once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Lawrence W. Jones, whose residence is unknown, who is alleged to be a non-resident of the State of Texas to be and appear at the next regular term of the 84th District Court of Gray County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Pampa, Texas, on the 2nd Monday in June A. D. 1928, the same being the 11th day of June A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 4th day of April A. D. 1928, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 264 wherein Lorene Jones, plaintiff, and Lawrence W. Jones, defendant; the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially as follows, to-wit: Absolute divorce on the grounds of cruel treatment which is shown in the original petition, to which reference is hereby made.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the said first day of next term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Pampa, Texas, this the 27th day of April, A. D. 1928.

(SEAL)

WITNESS, Charlie Thut, Clerk of 84th District Court in and for Gray County, Texas. 7-8-9-10

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
No.

Ella Hogue
VS
Ray Hogue

IN THE 84TH DISTRICT COURT GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Gray County—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Gray once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Ray Hogue whose residence is unknown, to be and appear at the next regular term of the 84th District Court of Gray County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Pampa, on the 2nd Monday in June A. D. 1928, the same being the 11th day of June A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 30th day of January A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 231 wherein Ella Hogue is plaintiff and Ray Hogue is defendant; the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially, as follows to-wit: That plaintiff and defendant were legally married to each other on or about June 21st, 1924, and that on or about September 1st 1924, defendant against the consent of plaintiff, permanently abandoned her since which time they have not lived together as man and wife; that there was born to them as issue of said marriage a child. Plaintiff prays for divorce and the care and custody of said child.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the said first day of next term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Pampa, Texas, this the 9th day of May A. D. 1928.

(SEAL)

WITNESS, Charley Thut, Clerk of District Court in and for Gray County Texas. (7-8-9-10)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
NO, 286

R. A. Mackie et us vs. J. P. Sheffler et al. in the 84th district Court Gray County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF GRAY COUNTY, GREETING:

You are hereby commanded ,that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Gray once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon W. W. McMillen, J. P. Sheffler and I. F. Gates, the said W. W. McMillen is alleged to be a non-resident of the State of Texas, and the residence of the said J. P. Sheffler and I. F. Gates are unknown, to be and appear at the next regular term of the 84th District Court of Gray County, to be holden at the Court house thereof, in the City of Pampa, Texas, on the second Monday in June A. D., 1928, the same being the 11th day of June, A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 27 day of April, A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the Docket of said Court, No 286 wherein R. A. Mackie et ux are plaintiffs, and J. P. Sheffler et al are defendants, the nature of plaintiffs' demand being substantially as follows, to-wit:

A suit in two counts to recover title and restitution of the East 1-2 of the South 1-3 of Survey No. 114, Block B-2, of the lands originally granted to the H. & G. N. R. R. Co., in Gray County, Texas, the first count being in trespass to try title to recover title and possession of said land; the second count being to cancel one certain oil and gas lease dated July 19, 1924, executed by plaintiffs as lessors to R. S. McConnell as lessee, covering all of the South East 1-4 of Survey No. 114 in block B-2 ofo the lands originally granted to the H. & G. N. R. R. Co. in Gray County, Texas, insofar as it covered the East 1-2 of the South East 1-4 of Survey No. 114, because of the failure of the said R. S. McConnell, his assigns, and said defendants, to either pay the delay rental specified therein or to develop the same for oil and gas as therein provided, as a prerequisite to continue the same in full force and effect.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of next term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Pampa, Texas, April 27th A. D. 1928.

Witness, Charlie Thut. Clerk of 84th District Court in and for Gray County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

W. A. Gregg, Plaintiff vs. Mary Etta Gregg, defendant, in the 84th Judicial Court, Gray County, Texas.

The state of Texas to the sheriff or any constable of Gray County—GREETING: You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Gray once in each week for 4 consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summons Mary Etta Gregg, defendant whose residence is unknown, who is alleged to be a non-resident of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the 84th Court of Gray County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in the City of Pampa, on the second Monday in June A. D. 1928, the same being the 11th day of June A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 9th day of May A. D. 1928, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 304 wherein W. A. Gregg is plaintiff, and Mary Etta Gregg is defendant; the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially, as follows, to-wit;

Suit for divorce, plaintiff alleging that defendant abandoned and deserted him without any cause, excuse or provocation whatsoever. Plaintiff asks judgment dissolving marriage contract now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for cost of suit:

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the first day of next term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in the City of Pampa, Texas, this the 9th day of May A. D. 1928.

Witness, Charlie Thut, Clerk of 84th Judicial District Court in and for Gray County, Texas.

By Louise Miller, Deputy. 7-8-9-10-11

NOTICE OF ELECTION
ON CONSOLIDATING COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICTS NUMBERS TWO (2) and EIGHT (8)
THE STATE OF TEXAS:
COUNTY OF GRAY:
TO THE LEGALLY QUALIFIED VOTERS RESIDENT IN GRAY COUNTY COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICTS NOS. TWO (2) AND EIGHT (8).

Take Notice that an election will be held in each of the school districts above named on the 15th day of June, 1928, at the places hereinafter named, on the question of the consolidation of said school districts under provisions more fully set forth in the order of the County Judge calling said election, which order is as follows, to-wit:

Election Order
THE STATE OF TEXAS;
COUNTY OF GRAY;

Whereas, two petitions have been presented to me purporting to be signed by legally qualified voters of the School Districts hereinafter mentioned, and more particularly described as follows:

(a) Petition signed by Bruce Bull and 21 other persons purporting to be legally qualified voters of Gray County Common School District No. 2.

(b) Petition signed by H. C. Brock and 6 other persons purporting to be legally qualified voters of Gray County Common School District No. 8; and

Whereas, each of said petitions prays that an election be ordered by the

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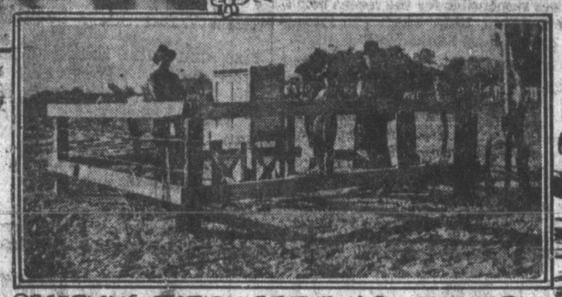
CHARMS OF THE VALLEY OF DEATH

SWIMMING POOL IN THE HEART OF THE DESERT.

189 FEET BELOW SEA LEVEL IN DEATH VALLEY

CLOSE BY THE PASS IN THE PANAMINT RANGE, ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE VALLEY



OBSERVING STATION OF THE U.S. WEATHER BUREAU IN DEATH VALLEY

LOADING BORAX ON CARS OF THE DEATH VALLEY RAILROAD

In Winter Time It Is a Delightful Place — Oases Created By Pumping Water From Mountain Springs — The Borax Industry — No Insects, But Reptiles In Plenty.

By RENE BACHE

THAT hottest and most terrible of all known deserts has a delightful winter climate from November to March. With everelasting sunshine, the days are cool and pleasant, and the nights in December and January are sometimes chilly enough to make a blanket desirable.

The Furnace Ranch in Death Valley occupies what is said to be the hottest spot on earth, temperatures as high as 134 degrees, in the shade, having been recorded there. It is 170 feet below sea level, and just about 100 miles from Mount Whitney, the loftiest peak in the United States, 14,500 feet high.

An Up-To-Date Oasis

In that place an oasis has been created by bringing water by pipeline from Furnace Creek, which, flowing from springs on the slope of the Funeral Mountains, gets its name from the fact that, at one point on its course, it drops into a depression where the air is so hot as to suggest a furnace blast.

The water that irrigates the ranch is used also for driving electric generators, and for operating the machinery for a great borax-refining plant. One should understand that borax mining is the big industry of Death Valley, and it is to supply the mine workers with food and living quarters that the ranch is maintained. Hence the growing of grain and vegetables, with oats for mules, and there are also cattle raised for meat and flocks of chickens.

Death Valley is in Southern California, northeast from Los Angeles, and close to the Nevada line. It is about 170 miles long and ten to thirty-five miles wide. Anciently it was occupied by a lake, evaporation of which left behind a desolate waste crusted with mineral salts originally derived from rocks and brought down into the lake by rivers from the mountains. These salts are largely calcium borate, from which the borax is separated out by refining processes.

The valley is walled on both sides by lofty mountains. On the east side is the Funeral Range, on the west the Panamint Mountains. Through the latter runs a narrow canyon, which, formerly offering a difficult passage for men and pack animals, has been converted by explosives and engineering skill into a satisfactory road for automobile traffic.

Wonders Of The Valley

There is water beneath even the dryest deserts. Long ago, a prospector in Death Valley came across a spot where there was a small trickling spring, and marked it by thrusting down into it a piece of stove pipe. Many years later an artesian well was put down there with rig and drill, and brought, from a depth of 550 feet, a flow of 1,000 gallons an hour of pure, cold water. The place is now called Stovepipe Wells.

From Dante's View, on the heights of the Funeral Range, the "rubberneck" tourist's attention is invited to the Devil's Golf Course, in the valley below—an extraordinary confusion of masses of volcanic lava. Death Valley has many wonders. Seventy miles to the south is the Devil's Playground a vast sheet of black lava; and to the southeast is Dead Mountain, which gets its name from the fact that the Indians of that region believe it to be the abode of their departed warriors. The rocks that cover its slope are much broken, and the sun shining on their white points and angles makes it look, from a distance, as if a convention of ghosts were assembled upon it.

Though Death Valley is alleged to have got its name from the fate that befell many people who tried to cross it in the early gold-seeking days, that grim designation was in reality bestowed upon it at a much earlier period by the Indians. It is what is known as an "alkali sink." Shaped somewhat like a giant's coffin, its atmosphere is much drier than that of the Sahara. In consequence, evaporation of body moisture is so rapid that three gallons of water a day is the minimum amount needed to support life. If a man were to sit down in that desert and do nothing but drink water, he would still feel thirsty.

The Menace Of Thirst

In crossing the valley, a man cannot very well carry with him more than one day's supply of water. The only thing to do is to try to reach the other side before succumbing to want of drink. In some of the gorges that run up into the mountain ranges there are springs, but in former days the location of these was known to few, and, as a result, hundreds perished of thirst. Their bodies did not decay, but simply shriveled into mummies.

Streams flow down from the mountain springs into the valley, but never reach it, because the [illegible] them up on the way. Once in a great while there is a tremendous storm in the Amargosa desert, eastward of the Funeral Mountains, and a river a mile wide flows around the south end of the Funeral Range and northward through the Death Valley. But it does not flow out at the other end; it is dried up and lost before it gets that far.

Death Valley occupies only a small part of a region of ghastly desert which extends from the Wasatch Mountains to the Sierras, nearly all of its area in California, but, to the eastward, reaching over the boundary line into Nevada. The ill-omened coffin-shaped "sink" is just within the California line, the Amargosa desert, on the east side of the Funeral Mountains, being in Nevada. The whole of the vast desert waste is intersected by a series of high mountain ranges running parallel north and south, with valleys between.

Unearthly Scenes

The surface of the plain that lies between the 10,000 foot walls of Death Valley is composed of salt and alkali—the latter term referring to such mineral salts as calcium borate and magnesium. To travel over it on horseback is impossible, because it is a mere crust, through which a horse is liable to break up to its knees into a thick sort of paste that eats both hair and hide. There are paths, however, which may be safely trodden by a man on foot.

There is something unearthly about the whole appearance of things in the valley. The ranges on either side, irregular in their sky line, look like the backbones of a couple of monstrous beasts. A gray haze that never lifts renders everything indistinct to the view. There is no vegetation to be seen, save a very scanty sagebrush, with here and there a tall cactus which in the night looks like a dead man standing erect with arms extended. There is sometimes a breeze, but, instead of being cool, it is scorching hot and blisters the skin.

Plenty Of Reptiles

Death Valley has animal life, of sorts. Mostly it is nocturnal, hiding in the daytime to escape the heat. There are kangaroo rats and kangaroo mice, curious creatures which get their name from their long hindlegs and swift jumping locomotion. But the life of the valley is mainly reptilian. There are horned toads and plenty of rattlesnakes, also several species of lizards, one of which, of large size, the "chuckwalla," is very good to eat, its meat tasting like chicken.

AIRPLANES WILL CUT UP

When Planes Go Wrong the Occupants Must Jump for Safety — Thrilling Incidents In the Day's Work of Aviators.

By MALCOLM MacDONALD

IN swift flight over Langley Field near the national Capitol, a Marine Corps aviator reached for his watch to see how long he must wait for the dinner hour. Bracing altitudes sharpen the appetite, and in this instance Lieutenant Rogers was a mile above ground and eager for the noonday meal.

The slight movement required for reaching his timepiece shortened Rogers' flight in a fashion that was not scheduled. In shifting his position the pilot loosened the fastening of the safety belt by means of which he was strapped to his seat. The effort to readjust the buckle caused the flyer to relax his hold on the control-stick of his plane.

At this point the plane took an unfair advantage of its pilot. Released from control, the craft started earthward with abrupt precipitation. The nose-dive into which it plunged was as violent as that which would mark the flight of a grand piano or an office safe tossed from the roof of a skyscraper.

Man Thrown Overboard

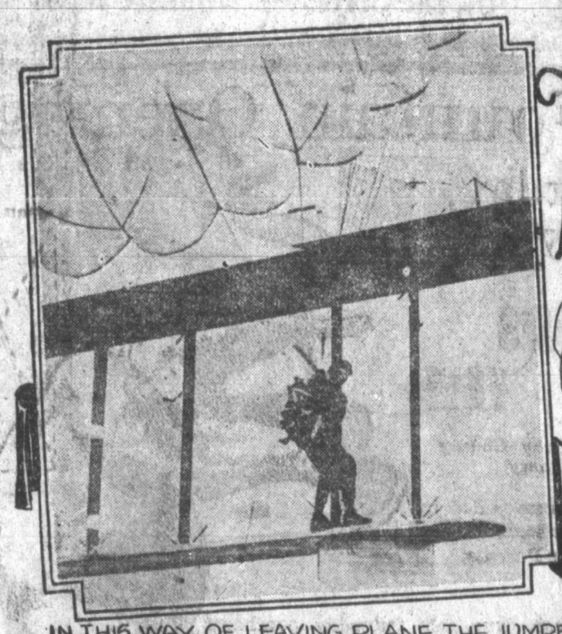
Lieutenant Rogers felt his machine plunge downward. At the same instant he realized that he was no longer aboard. The unfastened belt had failed to hold him in his seat. With the machine dropping from beneath him, the pilot followed the law of inertia and shot straight ahead, continuing along the path in which his plane had been moving before the parting of the ways. There was nothing between Rogers and the ground except 5,000 feet of atmosphere, and the parachute which he wore strapped to his back—the parachute which regulations require every military aviator to wear on flight.

It was fortunate for Rogers that the momentum of 90 miles an hour, at which he had been moving, threw him clear of the diving plane and thus eliminated the danger of entanglement. For an anxious moment there existed the inevitable problem of the air as to the probable efficiency with which the parachute would operate. Until the moment of the plunge the device had been folded on the aviator's back, after the general fashion of a soldier's marching equipment. Rogers pulled the strap, released the fold parachute, and waited to see whether or not it would unfold and float him to the surface of the earth.

During this interval the aviator was plunging downward at rapidly increasing speed. His life depended on the opening of the parachute and the checking of his drop before it was too late.

The parachute did not fail. Its fabric, fanned by the rushing air, responded to the current and spread its concave surface to the atmosphere, with resultant gradual check of the lieutenant's downward plunge. Within a distance of a few hundred feet Rogers stopped hurtling and began to float. In this orderly manner he reached the ground and landed feet formost, ready for his noonday meal with his brother officers. His machine had been more precipitate, and awaited him a mass of tangled junk.

Rogers' experience had much in common with those of other aviators. Not every user of the parachute has his machine drop from under, but many of them have the thrill of enforced recourse to the apparatus as a means of escape from the perils of the air. The records of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps are filled with terse recitals of the [illegible] efficiency of the devices.



IN THIS WAY OF LEAVING PLANE THE JUMPER IS LITERALLY BLOWN OFF

Caught In Blazing Plane

Thrilling experience with a blazing plane was the portion of Lieut. Frank O. D. Huntere, at Selfridge Field, Michigan. Hunter was flying with his fellow pilots in daily practice work when his craft caught fire at an elevation of a quarter of a mile. Noticing that smoke was pouring from beneath the engine cowling, Hunter put his plane into a dive for the surface. The increased speed produced by the dive forced the fire up into the cockpit, burning the pilot's face and clothing, destroying his mustache, and clouding his goggles until he could not see. Thus threatened, Hunter unbuckled his safety belt and plunged head downward over the side, landing in good condition through the perfect behavior of his parachute.

JUMPER WITH PARACHUTE STRAPPED TO HIS BACK.

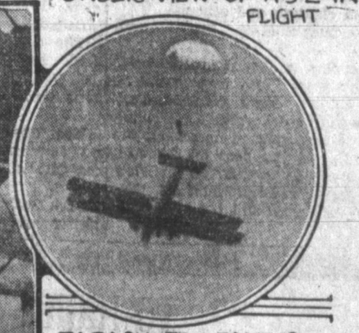
Trial By Fire In Mid-Air

The ordeal of fire was somewhat more thrilling for Lieut. Laurence C. Elliott at the same field a few days after Hunter's experience. Elliott encountered conditions which gave him a chance to learn what a person thinks about in the face of danger. Like Hunter, Elliott became aware of flames when he was at an altitude of a quarter of a mile above ground. With scorched face, and with the fur burned from his flying boots, Elliott found himself struggling to unfasten his flying belt, in order that he might stand up and jump. His fingers refused to bend, and he declares that it seemed hours before he felt the belt loosen to an extent that would enable him to move his head away from the flames.

During this hair-raising period Elliott found himself thinking of trivial things—of the odor of the burned fur on his boots, of the prospect of having his accustomed daily luncheon at the officers' club, and of the boy who stood on the burning deck whence all but him had fled. Relative values were all upset, and he was curiously diverted from his major problems by the shock which came when one eye-brow blazed and flashed like powder touched by a lighted match.

Elliott figures that his machine was moving at a rate of 150 miles an hour, or two and one-half miles to the minute, but to him the craft seemed motionless, as if suspended by invisible threads. Sharp tongues of brilliant flame darted upward past his eyes, and he insists that he counted more than a million such tongues. In spite of this state of affairs the poem of the boy and the burning deck ran through his head until he effected a landing and had extinguished the flames.

UNDER VIEW OF HS 2 IN FLIGHT



PARACHUTE LEAVING PLANE

Elliott's escape is considered one of the most remarkable in the history of military aviation. Subsequent inspection showed that the fire had been unique for the intensity of its heat, and that the aluminum cowlings of cockpit and engine had been melted by the flames.

Plane Bombarded Him

It is safe to say that no aviator has had experience more spectacular than that of Lieut. James T. Hutchinson, test pilot at Wilbur Wright field. Through several thousand feet of parachute drop Hutchinson was encircled and bombarded by the bombing plane from which he had jumped. The plane had caught fire a mile and a half above ground. Hutchinson's passenger, Test Observer Paul Stanley, had achieved a perfect getaway in his parachute jump, but the pilot himself was unable to dodge the menace of his disabled machine. During his parachute descent he found that the plane was moving in circles, and that he was the constant center around which it revolved in the course of its spiral travels.

With an ordinary plane the situation would not have been especially thrilling, but with a bomber the case was desperate. The ship carried 320 gallons of gasoline, six bombs, and 2,000 rounds of machine gun ammunition, and Hutchinson was fully conscious that these explosives held deadly menace for a parachute passenger within their sphere of activity.

For much of the downward trip the plane kept even pace with the parachute, circling, dipping, banking and straightening out into an occasional level sprint as if guided by human skill. During all this interval the ammunition was sputtering and exploding like popcorn, and the aviator was aware that the air was filled with flying bullets, any one of which might strike him at any moment. His position was perilous to the last degree, and one in which he was utterly helpless. Hutchinson relates that his central thought was of the man in Poe's tale—strapped down and watching the swinging scimitar as it neared his own head. He knew that there was nothing he could do, and that he must take what might come, be it bomb, bullet or safety. Escape from the bombardment did not come until the flames had burned away enough of the ship's superstructure to cause the dead weight to increase the speed of the craft's descent. Hutchinson's landing was a simple matter, but he still wonders why one of the thousands of bullets failed to hit him while he was a floating target.

REX TODAY

"The House of Courtesy"

Al Wilson in "The Air Patrol"

Tomorrow

Lon Chaney in "Laugh, Clown, Laugh"

"Not Quite Such a Goose"

One-Act Play

REX THEATRE

Friday Afternoon and Evening

Large Crowd Sees "Gossip" at Brunks

Another packed house greeted the Brunk's comedians last night playing the well known comedy drama, "The Gossip." The parts were well played the humor of the play being brought out admirably. With the show is one of the best orchestras ever presented in Pampa and the overtures and other numbers were a delight.

Tuesday night the news boys of the Pampa Daily News were the guests of Mr. Brunk seeing the comedy, "Come Along Mary."

Tonight is feature night at the large tent show on West Foster when the comedians present the Chicago stage success, "She Walked in her sleep." The play has had a six-month run and is still popular in the big cities.

The Brunk's orchestra will play for the 40 and 8 dance at the Schneider hotel tomorrow night commencing at 10 o'clock and lasting indefinitely. A program of the latest dance music has been arranged.

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327 Years Amassed by Youthful Bandit

AMARILLO, May 24.(AP)—To complete sentences assessed against him for bank robberies, 21-year-old Aubrey Ray would serve 327 years in prison.

The latest addition to the total years in prison against him was levied Wednesday at Dalhart. The conviction was for robbery of the Wildorado bank, and the sentence for 99 years. A death penalty had been asked by the state.

Testimony at the Dalhart trial showed that Ray and a companion last fall robbed the Wildorado bank, kidnaped W. E. O'Neal, the president, and, using him as a shield, escaped from a group of armed citizens who had gathered around the bank. O'Neal was left on the highway several miles from town.

General Nobile---

King Victor Emmanuel also received a message from General Nobile, reading:

"From the north pole, the crew of the Italia ends reverent thought to your Majesty."

Note to Mussolini

Another message was received by Premier Mussolini reading: "Today (Thursday) at 1:20 o'clock, the flag of Italy once more was spread to the breeze over the polar ice."

General Umberto Nobile kept in constant communication with the mother ship Citta di Milano here as the dirigible made its way under his command to the pole some 750 miles north of here. At 1:20 a. m., almost 21 hours after the start of the venture he wirelessed that the airship was over the north pole.

The flags of Italy and Milan, the cross presented by the pope to General Nobile, and various souvenirs were dropped on the pole. The cross is about six feet high with a metal base and has a repository in which a message written in Latin by Pope Pius was placed.

The base crew expected the Italia to return to Kings Bay this afternoon.

Drys Win---

ed to be going against allowing a committee to choose the delegates, Gov. Moody took the rostrum, asserted that he favored committee selection, and apparently stampeded the delegates into giving him a 2 to 1 victory on the poll.

The Smith leaders shouted that the governor was "double crossing" them by permitting committee selection as they had helped him to defeat the ultra-drys and he would not allow them the certainty of placing Smith men on the delegation. Gov. Moody admitted he was "crucifying" himself, but stuck to his guns, and selection was left to a committee.

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"Collection of morbidity and vital statistics.

"Arrangement for mass vaccination of school children and others.

"Conducting child and infant health clinics.

Cooperation in dental health work.

"Such a service may be obtained by request of the county commissioners' court to the state health department.

"In the first year of operation, the State bears 25 per cent of the cost, the Rockefeller Foundation of New York 25 per cent, and the county 50 per cent."

Four Rodeo Stars Arrive Today For Big Coming Event

This morning four of the most noted men in their profession arrived here and stated that more are on the way. These men were Jim Massey of Fort Worth, winner of the bulldogging contest at the Fat Stock show this year and a noted broncho rider; Chick Hannon of Bozomon, Mont., bulldogger and broncho buster; Rube Roberts and Shorty Ricker of Fort Worth, two of the greatest bulldoggers in the game, of whom will take part in the American Legion rodeo here June 1, 2, and 3.

They state that at least 25 more good cowboys are on their way here for the rodeo and in their estimation it will be the greatest ever held in the Panhandle of Texas.

A grand stand that will seat 2,000 persons was completed yesterday at the Grays' baseball park an dtoday the chutes will be finished. Lon Blanscet states that by tomorrow night the fence around the park will be up and all will be in readiness for the rodeo.

Prizes amounting to $3,000 will be awarded for the events, which will include bronc busting, calf roping, bulldogging, calf riding, Indian stunts cowgirl exhibitions, and all the other events of a rodeo. Bucking horses, calves and horses are beginning to arrive, and workouts will be staged at the park nearly every day as the participants get into condition for their tests.

Lions Will Be Rotary Guests at Banquet Tonight

Pampa Lions will be guests of honor at the regular ladies' night banquet of the Rotary club this evening. The banquet will begin at the New Schneider hotel dining room at 8:30 o'clock.

Pampa Lions at their luncheon today heard enthusiastic reports on the recent district convention at Wichita Falls, which was attended by H. Otto Studer, P. B. Carlson, Carson Loftus, Wade Duncan, and Ivy E. Duncan. During their talks it was pointed out that Lionism originated at San Antonio, and that today Texas has 127 Lions clubs.

Guests today included Paul L. Parker, representing the Godfrey Investment company of Oklahoma City. Enjoyable music was furnished through the courtesy of Clarence Seip, who presented his Illinosians of the Pla-Mor.

Players Club to Present One-Act Play on Friday

"Not Quite Such a Goose," the play which won first place in the district Interscholastic League contest recently at Canyon when a local cast won second place with "Grandmother Pulls the String," wil be presented at the Rex theatre Friday afternoon and evening by the Players club of Centra high school.

The cast will be seen together for the last times at these performances since most of the members are of the Class of '28. The plot involves a boy who was a "regular" fellow, and disliked to wash his ears and talk to girls. How a girl's praise completely changed his life is cleverly worked out.

The cast includes Lewis Fogleman Susie Bell Smalling, Mildred Fahy and Frances Campbell and Bob Kahl It is directed by Miss VeLora Reed.

Tom Rose of the Rose Motor company returned yesterday from Oklahoma City with two new Ford coupes.

Jack Gatlin of Miami was a business visitor here yesterday.

Oil Fire From Broken Pipeline Halts South Field Travel

Traffic on the oil field road south of here is being directed through the Wilcox pool, as it is impossible to get through to the McGee pool because of a mass of flames beside and across the road.

Early yesterday morning a section of the Gulf pipeline along the road broke and before it could be repaired about 850 barrels of oil had flowed over the ground. One youth, looking for excitement, tried to fire the oil after the line had been repaired and to prevent an accident the company started the oil burning.

Clouds of smoke were seen from the city ascending into the air and many cars made the trip over rough roads to near the scene of the fire believing it to be a large well on fire.

Three Are Injured in Head-on Crash

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Lyons and daughter and Tom Crawford were severely cut and bruised in an automobile accident near the Hopkins school south of here yesetrday afternoon.

Mr. Crawford was driving south behind a car while Mr. and Mrs. Lyons and their daughter were proceeding to Pampa also behind another. As the cars met the dust became so heavy that it was practically imperetrable and neither of the drivers could see how near the center of the road he was until the head on crash occurred.

They were rushed to the Pampa hospital in a passing car for treatment where it was found necessary to take stitches in the cuts suffered by the Lyons child. The others were bruised and cut.

Both cars were badly damaged in the crash.

NATIONALS RETREATING

TOKYO, May 24.—(AP)—Advices from China indicated today that the Northerners who faced with a critical situation which threatened to bring about the fall of both Peking and Tientsin into Nationalist hands, had beaten back the Nationalist troops. They were following up the advantage gained in a terrific offensive by pursuing the retreating Nationalists.

MISSOURI BANK ROBBED

POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., May 24.—(AP)—With a handkerchief as a mask, a robber held up the Butler county bank shortly after noon today and escaped with cash estimated between $1,200 and $1,500.

Mrs. Henry Turner, assistant cashier, was alone in the bank at the time.

Hundred Extremists Under Arrest in Buenos Aires

BUENOS AIRES, May 24.—(AP)—One hundred known extremists were under arrest today as police sought those responsible for a bomb outrage in which seven persons were known to have been killed and for the planting of a second bomb the explosion of which was prevented. The bombing was attributed by the police to anti-fascists who are part of the radical element of Buenos Aires.

A strong police gard was placed around the Italian consulate where the bomb exploded and about the Italian embassy. The offices of Italian newspapers were also under guard.

Count Martin-Franklin, Italian Ambassador, said the bomb outrages were directly tracable to anti-fascist groupes. He asserted they were the same groups as wer responsible for the recent bombing in Milan, Italy, which was intended to kill King Emmanuel.

He was certain the bomb had been placed to explode at noon during ceremonies for the dedication of the consulate, which notable persons were to attend. The explosion occured ten minutes before the time set for the dedication.

The building had only been occupied for a month and the scafolding was still in place in the passport bureau. It fell and with the collapsing walls buried many victims. Fire started. One hundred firemen worked for several hours fighting the flames and dragging the injured victims from the derbis and recovering mutilated bodies.

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FOR RENT—Two room, furnished house, also two light housekeeping rooms furnished. Phone 436. 65-3p

FOR SALE—Lot 4, Block 1, Finley-Banks Addition. Real bargain. $350 cash. Phone 311-R. 65-3p

FOR SALE—High oven gas range used three months. Price $25. Inquire Mintener Lumber Co. Phone 393. 65-2p

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms. Close in. First house west Pampa Laundry on corner. 65-1p

FOR RENT—Storage Space. Call 199-R. 65-3c

FOR RENT—House, six big rooms on Starkweather St., not furnished, not modern. $40 per month. 164 Starkweather. 65-3p

FOR RENT—Nice modern bed room 376 W. Francis. 65-3p

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms furnished. $4.00 per week. Hi-Way Service Station. Amarilo Road. 65-3p

FOR RENT—Two-room apartment with garage Inquire 824 North Gray Street. 65-1p

For Sale

FOR SALE—Lease on 24-room hotel furnished, bargain. Phone 588; Wilcox Hotel. 63-6c

FOR SALE—Furniture and lease on 24-room hotel, Bargain, Phone 588. Wilcox Hotel. 65-6p

FOR SALE—Furniture and lease Bargain for cash; Rex Hotel, Pampa 64-7c

EUGENE permanent waving $10 until June1. Milady Beauty Shop. Phone 2[illegible]. 64-3c

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MISCELLANEOUS—Will Mrs. Moore who found boys coat in car please call C. M. Bryson, phone 500-M. 65-3p

MAN DRIVING to Minneapolis about June 1st; room for passenger. J. W. Chatick, Box 996, Pampa. 61-6p

A TRIP—To Montana and Return a real trip for only helping buy gas. Closed car. Start any day this week. See Mr. Perkins at Dixie Barber Shop. 62-3p

Lost and Found

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—8 months old female German Police pup, color grayish tan, has collar with Dr. Webbs name on. Call 372 for reward. 62-3c

LOST—Tuesday afternoon, cardboard box containing Victrola records, ladie's coat and plate for Victrola top on road between Skellytown and Bowers by way of Pampa. Reward for return to M. S. Jones, Skellytown. 65-6p

LOST—Small white Fox dog with brown spots, male. Lost on school grounds. On Friday 18th. Call at second house north of Presbyterian church for reward. 63-1p

STRAYED—One team blackskin, mare and horse, two one-eyed mules, weight about 1200. Liberal reward for information. Harry Barnes. Phone 124, McLean. 64-2p

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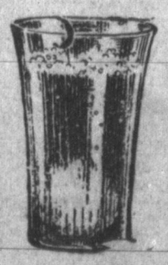

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