

LUBBOCK'S CRYING NEED IS A BIGGER HOTEL

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# NEW R.R. SOON BE UNDER WAY

## STATE RACES HOLD LIMELIGHT IN ELECTION

### CONGRESS MAY DRAW OCCUPANT OF WHITE HOUSE

STATE GOVERNOR'S RACE HOTTEST IN HISTORY OF U. S. POLITICS

BY RALPH TURNER  
NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Running second only to the stupendous drama which will decide the next president of the United States a series of picturesque and decisive side attractions will be presented to the American people Tuesday in congressional and gubernatorial contests.

Whoever is the next occupant of the White House, his fortunes will rest largely on the outcome of the battles for the senate and the house.

The congressional elections will decide whether the next administration will be able to carry through policies unhampered or whether the deadlock of the last congress on such questions as taxation and the bonus shall continue. The La Follette group holds the balance of power in the last congress. They have tried vigorously to maintain an increase in the next congress as they can force the issue, according to their own policy in important legislative fights. La Follette himself is looking ahead two years when congressional elections will be held again.

Throughout the nation congressional and gubernatorial contests of national significance will be decided. They are interesting for both their political and human elements.

There are 22 women candidates for the house in Texas and Wyoming the voters have a chance to give America her first woman governor.

Mrs. Miriam Ferguson "Ma" is her campaign title—is the democratic candidate for the governorship in Texas. Mrs. Nellie T. Ross is running for the same office in Wyoming. In both cases, the women's husbands have occupied office.

Out in Kansas, the fighting editor, William Allen White, is charging the tanks of the KKK is an independent campaign for governor against the republican and democratic candidates who White charges are heart and soul with the Klan. Below the boundary of White's state the interposed Jack Walton, impeached as governor of Oklahoma is trying to beat republican candidate for the United States senate.

Magnus Johnson the farmer labor senator from Minnesota, stands before the voters in an effort to save his state from capture by a blind man, Thomas D. Schall, a republican, who has made a formidable campaign against him.

Interest in the sectional contests of the east centers in New York state where Al Smith, product of the east side, defends his job as governor against the challenge of young Theodore Roosevelt, Tuesday will decide whether the younger Roosevelt at the cross roads of his political career is to trend in the footsteps of his famous father.

Another sectional tussle of national interest in the senatorial combat in Massachusetts where David I. Walsh, the only democratic senator his state has sent to Washington in many years, is defending his incumbency against Frederick H. Gillett, speaker of the house of representatives. Thomas J. Walsh, famed as the oil investigator is involved in a determined struggle for re-election as senator from Montana. Walsh recently telegraphed Senator Borah that he believed that \$100,000 had been sent in to Montana to defeat him. His republican opponent is F. B. Linderman.

A local contest that may launch a new political career is the candidacy of Philip LaFollette, son of the independent leader, for

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Ex-Husband Becomes Son-in-Law.



Mrs. Gertrude Umel, wife of the late Francis Smith Umel, is shown in a portrait. She is a woman with dark hair, wearing a dark dress and a white collar.

### MRS. HARDING SERIOUSLY ILL

ADDED COMPLICATIONS TO FORMER ATTACK MAY PROVE FATAL

By United News.  
CINCINNATI, Ohio, Nov. 3.—Four years from the day her husband was elected president of the United States, Mrs. Warren G. Harding lies seriously ill here at White Oaks farm.

"Her condition is rather serious," said a bulletin from her physician, Dr. Carl W. Sawyer, son of the late Brigadier General Charles E. Sawyer.

The illness of the widow of the late president is a recurrence of the kidney trouble with which she was stricken at the White House in 1922, and there are now added complications.

Mrs. Harding has been in poor health since the death of General Sawyer about two months ago, which came to her as a great shock. Mrs. Chas. E. Sawyer is now constantly at her side.

Mrs. Harding has been living at White Oaks, the home and sanitarium of the president a year ago last August. "Other complications have arisen which were not present at that time and her condition is now rather serious."

WRECK FAILS TO PART MAN AND HIS CIGAR

TYLER, Texas, Nov. 3.—When J. A. Bailey's car was crowded into a ditch and overturned near here Sunday night, Bailey did not lose his presence of mind. He also kept his cigar. When rescuers lifted the car and allowed Bailey to crawl out unharmed, he still had the lighted "cigar" between his teeth.

### ELEVEN KILLED WHEN TRAIN HITS PASSENGER BUS

THREE MORE SERIOUSLY HURT AND MAY DIE AFTER SMASH-UP

By United News.  
HAMPTON, Va., Nov. 3.—Eight persons were instantly killed and three died at a hospital here later following a collision between a train and a bus about half of a mile outside of Hampton Monday afternoon.

There were 11 people in the bus. The other three, who were carried to the hospital are in a critical condition.

The bus was coming from Popponson to Hampton, and came to a stop at the edge of the track to let the train go by. The driver then sped it up in an effort to beat the train across, according to first reports of the tragedy.

The bus was completely demolished by the impact, and the bodies were strewn for 300 yards along the track, most of them horribly mangled.

The others were from Popponson about 12 miles away, and the surrounding region. The others killed were Mary Dixon and Baby; a small child whose name was given as Walter Floyd Lasky and small son; Albert Suman and J. F. Suman; William Forrest and son; Effie Forrest, and E. Toppins, Jr.

The train was the Chesapeake and Ohio, from Richmond, Va. The bus is one of the regular line from Popponson to Hampton. The coroner is making an investigation of the accident.

### YOUTH CONFESSES TO STARTING MANY FIRES

By United News.  
OAKLAND, Cal., Nov. 3.—Because he got a big kick out of seeing the fire engines go by, Wm. Fisher, 14 years old, school boy, set more than \$1,000,000 worth of fires during the past six months, according to an alleged confession held by police here.

Willie, who police believe has the mentality of a ten year old child, is being held in the Alameda county detention home while police probe the alleged confession.

The lad was arrested following a small fire in a lumber yard here Sunday. According to the watchman at the yard, William told him about an hour before the fire that he had heard three men planning to burn the place.

Nothing was thought of the incident until the watchman discovered a small blaze in a pile of lumber. William was found sitting on the curb across the street watching for the fire department, the watchman told police.

After two hours of questioning by police inspector Wm. Kyle, the child broke down and confessed to a number of recent fires which had puzzled the fire department investigators at attempting to determine their origin.

### MURDER CHARGE IS FILED ON SLAYER OF TILGHMAN

By United News.  
WEWOKA, Okla., Nov. 3.—Wiley Lynn, federal prohibition officer who Saturday night shot and killed Wm. Tilghman, dean of southwestern law enforcers, at Cronwell, will be tried on a charge of first degree murder.

Lynn killed in cold blood and we want to take the prosecution of this case out of the hands of the federal government, said board attorney Ballingsley after the filing of the charge.

A federal complaint also has been issued against Lynn it was said.

### WHEN POLLS CLOSE IN DIFFERENT STATES

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Here is the time of the closing of the polls in each state Tuesday when the tally clerks will begin tabulating the results of the election. The closing times listed are based on local state time and not on sectional or zone time.

4:00 p. m.—Kentucky and South Carolina.

5:00 p. m.—Illinois, North Carolina, South Dakota, Vermont, Virginia and West Virginia.

6:00 p. m.—Alabama, Arizona, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Indiana, Maine, Mississippi, Maryland, Montana, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, New York, and Ohio.

7:00 p. m.—California, Colorado, Georgia, Iowa, Louisiana, Kansas, Missouri, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, and Wyoming.

7:30 p. m.—Rhode Island.

8:00 p. m.—Massachusetts, Michigan, Nebraska, Oregon, Washington, Wisconsin.

9:00 p. m.—Minnesota and New Jersey.

### HEAVIEST VOTE IN HISTORY IS ANTICIPATED

EFFORT MADE FOR 100 PER CENT POLL THROUGHOUT ENTIRE NATION

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Final claims of victory and preparations which are expected to bring out the largest vote ever cast in any American election monopolized the attention of political managers in the 24 hours before the opening of the polls.

All down the line from the offices of the three national chairmen at New York, Chicago and Washington to the most remote precinct workers, preparations for mustering a hundred percent vote were being made.

President Coolidge and J. W. Davis made radio speeches in a last appeal to the voters to go to the polls. Never has there been such an intensive movement to persuade all eligible citizens to vote. Party leaders have dined it into their workers. Newspapers, women's clubs, business organizations, preachers, lodges, and every other available channel have been utilized. The movement has not been concerned with any particular candidates.

Coolidge, Davis, and La Follette have encouraged it in the interest of good government.

Thousands of new registrations are reported all over the country. The bitterness of the Klan fight in several states will bring out a maximum vote. Negro women were registered in large numbers for the first time this year in Indiana, and other states. Yet, with all of this organization activity, this has been one of the most quiet campaigns in many years. It has been almost devoid of spectacular incidents. Davis set out to revive interest in the oil, veteran, bureau, and Daugherty scandals, but the discussion produced little heat. La Follette made charges of a republican slush fund which for a time threatened to produce a sensation, but the campaign expenses this year, insofar as they were disclosed by the Borah investigation, did not appear larger than in previous elections.

The campaign had an unusual finish Monday night when President Coolidge and J. W. Davis, both took the air in a nationwide radio hook-up. Otherwise there was little to break the silence.

### AXE-SLAYER DECLARED INSANE BY ALIENISTS

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 3.—Merle Minear, who killed his sister Mrs. W. D. Nickerson, with an axe was declared insane by a special board of alienists Monday.

After the murder he attempted to take his own life with a razor. Doctors said he was suffering under the delusion that the woman was attempting to poison him.

### STATE OFFICERS INSTRUCTED TO HANDLE PLAGUE

PNEUMONIC EPIDEMIC IN LOS ANGELES TAKES TOLL OF 24 LIVES

By United News.  
LOS ANGELES, Nov. 3.—The state of California has been entrusted with the battle against the pneumonic epidemic which already has taken lives of 24 in the Mexican quarter of this city.

After a three hour conference city, state and federal health authorities late Monday issued for the first time an official summary of the situation.

The statement follows: In conference with Mayor Croyer it was decided that the state board of health take charge of the epidemic eradication campaign in the city and county of Los Angeles. The arrangement was suggested by Dr. E. Pascoe, city health official who pledged the full co-operation of his department.

Dr. Walter M. Dickie, executive officer of the state board of health, outlined a tentative program of operation, which was discussed and approved by representatives of the United States public health service. It was the consensus of representatives of the medical profession and public health officials that an active campaign would be immediately put in force to clean up the situation. Dr. Dickie, discussing the situation Monday night, said that the situation now under control and that there would be no further spread. He cited the outbreak in Oakland, Cal., in 1919, when 13 deaths resulted.

"We are adopting the same methods we did then and believe the epidemic will be quickly and effectively stamped out," he said.

Other physicians who attended the conference said that they believed the malady absolutely under control.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 3.—City state and federal health authorities met in conference at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon to consider new methods of fighting the pneumonic epidemic which has taken the lives of 24 in the Mexican quarters of Los Angeles.

The medical men, meeting at the office of Mayor Geo. Croyer, included Dr. H. J. Perry, of the federal forces; Dr. C. H. Holliday, of State Health Board; Dr. W. H. Kellogg, of the State Hygiene bureau, and Walter M. Dickie, executive secretary of the state board.

An official statement is expected to follow the conference. So far during the epidemic there has been nothing given out in the way of an authoritative digest of the situation. At the general hospital attendants say they are withholding information because of chamber of commerce instruction.

Of the latest victims one is Father M. Brnalla, pastor of the Plaza Catholic church who was exposed to the disease in caring for one of the dying. Another to die was Emmett McLaughlin, an ambulance driver, believed to have been infected in transporting one of the cases to the hospital.

Four members of the Samanaro family have succumbed since the plague first appeared among the mourners at the funeral of Mrs. Luciana Samanaro on October 19. While city health officers in informal interviews declare the situation well in hand, they are keeping a strict quarantine over an area of a half a square mile in the Mexican quarter. Police guards have been doubled and officers are armed with sawed off shotguns.

### SILENCE ASKED TONIGHT OF AMATEUR RADIO BUGS

HARTFORD, Conn., Nov. 3.—All amateur radio telegraphers in America have been asked to maintain absolute silence from 6 p. m. Tuesday to 6 a. m. to avoid interference with the broadcasting of election returns. The request was issued by the American Radio Relay League here.

International Peace Society Officers.



M. LaFontaine, of the Belgian Senate, has been elected President, and Dr. Ludwig Quidde, President of the German Peace Society, has been elected Managing Director of the International Peace Society, at the Twenty-third annual Peace Conference held in Berne, Switzerland.

### LAMESA SOON TO HAVE NEW FILLING STATION

LAMESA, No. 3.—The filling station over on the northeast corner of the square is tearing down the stucco building and building a brick to take its place. This is going to add to the east side of the square's appearance. When the two or three old buildings on that side are replaced by bricks and the Weaver corner is filled with a good brick this will complete the solid brick square. Few small towns can make that boast. Often two sides of three sides are built of brick and one or two sides still retain ugly shacks. Lamesa will have one of the prettiest squares anywhere when these are finished out.

### NATIONAL GUARD IN READINESS FOR ELECTION ROW

By United News.  
ALBUQUERQUE, N. Mex., Nov. 3.—National guardsmen were on the march to San Miguel county late Monday night ready to take control of the county in the event martial law is declared.

A company of headquarters troops left for Las Vegas late Monday and will join an engineer company of that city. Action was taken when citizens of the county requested Gov. James Hinkle to preserve peace at the polls and prevent intimidations by an outgrowth of trouble arising when Sheriff Lorenzo Delgado was removed from office by Judge D. J. Leahy and subsequently reinstated by the supreme court.

Delgado was removed from office because of reports that were said to have been made out improperly. The sheriff's successor refused to give up the office after the supreme court's decision.

### CONSTRUCTION START WITHIN 6 WEEKS, SAID

ALL PRELIMINARY SURVEYS FINISHED. OFFICIALS OF NEW RAILROAD SAY

Clifford Grunewald, president of the Memphis, Lubbock and Roswell Short Line Railway Company, together with Carey Shaw, secretary treasurer of the company stated Monday morning just before leaving for his home at Houston that actual construction work on the line would be started within six weeks and at most within eight weeks.

"All preliminary work has been done. We have been on the job completing every arrangement for the actual construction of the road for more than a year and feel that now the time is ripe," Mr. Grunewald stated.

Some changes were announced in original plans following the trip of inspection the officials made over the proposed route for the road southwest from Lubbock upon their return here, however the route from Wellington, in Colingsworth county to Lubbock will be along the old survey and right-of-way of the Altus, Memphis, Lubbock and El Paso company, which has been bought by the Short Line company of which Mr. Grunewald is president. "The road will be built out of Lubbock on a direct route to Roswell, New Mexico, with perhaps a few changes to the north, if proper inducements are offered," Mr. Grunewald stated. Any changes to the north to include points near the Texas and New Mexico line would in all probability materially change the route out of Lubbock as first proposed unless a direct route to Plains in Yorkman county be taken as first proposed before the route be turned northward to include points in New Mexico.

Inasmuch as the road will traverse undeveloped lands, where possibilities of building even larger towns than are to be found between Lubbock and Roswell at this time are promising; it is not likely that the road will be built along any other than a straight line from Lubbock to Roswell for it is hardly possible that sufficient inducements could be offered by land owners whose property would be increased in value through a change in the route of the proposed railroad, in the opinion of local observers who are familiar with conditions through the country to be traversed by the road.

Mr. Grunewald pointed out that the chambers of commerce in the various towns along the route can help the company to hurry the building program, by offering their cooperation in various features of the development project. "For instance there will have to be a contract let for the rebuilding of the dump to the depot site in Lubbock across the Yellowhouse Canyon, a distance of more than a mile. In order to have this contract placed with Lubbock contractors, the Chamber of Commerce here can have them place their bids with us through their office in Lubbock. After we have received a report on any of these bids we will lose no time in awarding the contract," Mr. Grunewald stated.

The railroad officials are eager to have the building project under way materially. According to Mr. Grunewald they have built the road on paper many, many times, and their engineers have familiarized themselves with the character of the work to be done in making the right-of-way out of Lubbock and their reports have been filed in the office at Houston and are in such condition that contractors can be figured with from them.

Jeff Miller and Edward Kennedy, other officers of the Short Line company, will make a tour of inspection.

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WEATHER  
WEST TEXAS—Tonight  
Fair; warmer Southwest  
tom. Tuesday fair. Cooler  
north portion.  
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## SOCIETY, CHURCH AND LOCAL NEWS

BY MRS. PERCY SPENCER  
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### Geo. M. Hunt P. T. A. Meeting Thursday Of This Week

The George M. Hunt P. T. A. meets next Thursday at three thirty o'clock.

Because of the fact that Thanksgiving Day and Christmas day both fall on the regular meeting days of that association the dates of meeting for the months of November and December will be changed from the second and fourth Thursday to the first and third Thursdays respectively.

Besides an important business session a splendid program is being prepared for next Thursday's meeting.

Mr. Willford, principal of the school will make the principle address on "What Should Be Done for the Child Whose First Report Card Shows Failure to Pass."

Mr. Willford is deeply interested in the advancement of all pupils of this school and in his talk Thursday will give advice and information that will not only be helpful to the parents whose child has failed to pass, but to every parent who has a child in school. The subject will be open for general discussion by both parents and teachers, and it is hoped that every patron of the school will be present, and co-operate with the teachers in trying to avoid heartaches for both pupil and parent at the close of school.

Pupils of Miss Johnson's room will furnish other entertaining features. The meeting will begin at three-thirty and close at four-thirty.

### BAPTIST LAYMEN SERVICE

A large and appreciative congregation greeted the Baptist Laymen at New Hope on last Sunday afternoon. A wonderful gospel message in song was given by the laymen quartette. Mrs. Haynes gave a talk on "The Value of a Child." Mrs. Sawyer gave a stirring message and the congregation was moved at the close of his speech when a box of religious books that was bought by the former chairman, Judge E. R. Haynes for the use of the communities of the county.

Mr. Sawyer spoke of the interest Mr. Haynes had always felt in the religious welfare of the different school communities and asked that these books be read in his memory.

Reporter.

### BUILDERS CLASS MEETS WITH MRS. MOREMAN

The Builders Class of the First Methodist church will have a business meeting tonight at the home of Mrs. C. E. Moreman, at 2215 Main, at 7:30. All members of the class are urged to attend.

### PERSONALS

W. R. Coffee, insurance man of Louisville, Ky., Sam C. Coffee, of Albany, democratic nominee for county attorney, of that county, and Tom J. Coffee of Lorraine, prominent farmer and banker of Lorraine, are here visiting their father, J. J. Coffee, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Coffee, on thirteenth and O streets.

Mr. O. B. King, superintendent of schools at Rotan, spent Saturday in Lubbock attending to business interest and while here visited a college friend of his, Mr. Jack M. Randall.

Mrs. Charles C. Triplett will spend the winter in Lubbock at the W. A. Myrick, Sr. home. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Myrick and at one time lived here. Mrs. Myrick will spend the winter in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Annie Pierson returned home Saturday after a two weeks visit to her daughter, Mrs. Fletcher of Texline.

Dr. B. F. Clutter, of El Paso, was here visiting his brother, E. C. Clutter, Thursday and Friday.

Grant Clutter and sister, Miss Meda, who have been visiting their brother, B. C. Clutter, of Lubbock.

### Caillaux Slowly Edging Back To Political Power

By United Press.

PARIS, Nov. 3.—Joseph Caillaux, former premier of France whose financial wizardry, sensation of private life and association with the traitor Benito Pasha, made him a romantic exile from Paris, is slowly edging back toward political power.

Caillaux's prestige first suffered severely in 1914, when his wife walked into the office of Le Figaro and shot to death Gaston Calmette, editor of that paper. Mme. Caillaux was judged not guilty when she offered as a defense that Calmette had intended to publish letters exchanged between herself and Caillaux before either of them obtained divorce from their first mate.

A committee of the French senate Monday recommended amnesty to Caillaux who was sentenced in 1920 to three years imprisonment, but was freed from certain French cities for five years and deprived of political privileges for ten years.

Caillaux's first foray into politics with the enemy did not take place until after the war, a circumstance which undoubtedly saved him from the fate of Benito Pasha and other "defeatist" leaders who died in the dawn at Vincennes before a blue and firing squad. Calmette was killed, according to the enemies of Caillaux, because he had proof of the premier's dealing with Germany before the war and intended to publish them. Mme. Caillaux killed to protect her own reputation and that of her own husband, it was declared.

### MARRIAGE ANNULMENT AFTER SEVEN YEARS

By United Press.

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 3.—Claiming his wife induced him by "wiles and cunning" to marry her in 1917 when he was only 15 years old and she 21, a Dallas man filed suit for divorce in Judge Kenneth Foree's court here.

"I didn't know the serious nature of marriage," the plaintiff declared in the petition, which showed the ceremony was performed in Arkansas.

In addition the plaintiff charged that the marriage was hastily arranged in order to stage a double ceremony.

Other grounds for separation set up by the discouraged spouse were: "She threw shoes at me, also sticks of stove wood, when I objected to her going to a swimming pool to meet a former sweetheart," he declared.

"You can't go out like this. We're married," he says he told her.

"You're too young to know your mind," was the response of the defendant, the petition stated.

### C. I. A. TO BE WELL REPRESENTED AT TEACHERS MEETING

DENTON, Texas, Nov. 3.—Five members of the administrative and faculty of the College of Industrial Arts will spend before the state teachers at their meeting in San Antonio, November 27, 28, and 29. Dr. Lindsey Elmyer, president elect will speak before the Association of Texas Colleges section; E. J. Turrentine, Director of the education department, will address the same section; Miss Helen F. Webb Jones, director of the physical education department will speak before the physical education section; Miss Lillian Humphreys, director of C. I. A. extension will address the extension division of the home economics section and Miss

### Willie J. Birge, director of the Biology department will speak before the science section. Mrs. Birge is chairman of this section.

The convention program it is said will be attended by more than 5,000 teachers. Many members of the C. I. A. faculty will be present at the meeting.

### YOUNG WESTERNERS TO MEET SATURDAY HERE TODAY

The second string Westerners, under the leadership of Coach Ernest Lowery, will meet the second string squad of the Slaton Tigers at the Fair Park this afternoon at 4:15. Coach Lowery said at a late hour last night.

On the occasion of the former meeting of these two clubs, which was in the Tigers' favor at Slaton, the young Westerners battled themselves to a 12 to 0 victory. This afternoon the young Tigers will make an effort at retaliation.

### MANCHURIAN FORCES TAKE KEY POSITION AT SHANGHAI

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Gen. Wu Pei Fu's drive on Peking has collapsed, and his Manchurian army, Chang Tso Lin, has taken the key position in the North at Shan Hai Kwan, the state department was advised late Monday by Brig. Gen. Wm. Connors, commander of the American forces in China.

Wu's troops are disorganized, part of them are captured, and some of them have embarked on vessels for unknown destinations, Connors reported.

Vallejo Chronicle—If a husband has the last word, it is something like this: "All right; buy the damned thing."

### NORMAL INSTRUCTOR RAPS PLAN FREE TEXTBOOKS

CANYON, Nov. 3.—In speaking of the recommendations of the State Survey concerning free textbooks, Prof. Phillips of the Agricultural Department of the Teachers College made the following statement:

"The system of free text books as practiced by the State of Texas is teaching children poor respect for public property. I admit there are schools where the spirit of the law is enforced in regard to having the children take care of the books. However, I have visited many schools in West Texas where the condition of text books is such that it makes one feel that the system is teaching children waste, extravagance, and disrespect for state authority.

"I feel that the recommendation of the Survey that the cost of text books which are sent to a certain district be deducted from the funds which that district receives from the state would encourage local administrators to be more careful not to order an oversupply of books, on the one hand, and to be more strict in enforcing the rules for the proper care of books on the other hand."

"I certainly agree that there should be some kind of a saving thru a modification of the law in the matter of contracts. This matter could be helped by allowing newly adopted textbooks to gradually replace unused texts, rather than taking books which have never been opened and deliberately destroying

them by means of fire as is now done. Another saving could be made by accepting books on trial for a period of time, and if such books proved satisfactory to Texas needs, then extend the contract. I favor a less uniformity in the matter of text books. Instructors should be at liberty to choose the particular type which best suits the needs of their local communities."

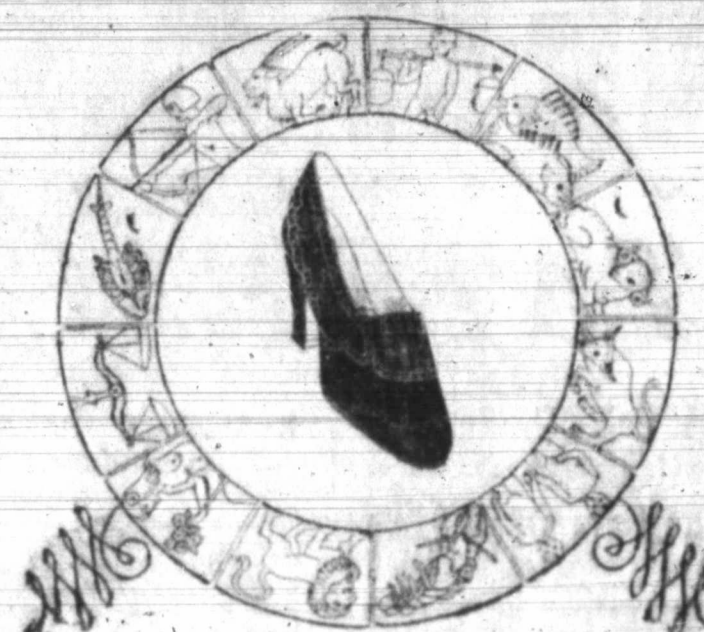
### MCKINNEY FIRM ROBBED DURING POLITICAL SPEECH

MCKINNEY, Texas, Nov. 3.—Sur-

Read the Avalanche for the News

prized while chiseling upon a store safe here, a single bandit covered Manager Popplewell and his wife with a revolver and forced the manager to work the combination of the safe. Then marching the couple to the second floor, the bandit bound his victims and returned to the open safe. Loss was approximately \$100.

The bandit carried white rags of hundred people were listening to political speeches in front of the building.



Gracia  
BY JOHANSEN

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Adapted by BERNARD McCONVILLE and J. C. HAWKS  
Scenario by A. P. YOUNGER

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Robert Frazer Renee Adoree  
Joseph Dowling



### By Analytical Test



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CITY DRUG STORE

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Black and White Ointment and Soap are economically priced, in liberal packages. The 50c size Ointment contains three times as much as the liberal 25c size. All dealers have both the Ointment and the Soap.

### BULLETIN OF RIO GRANDE VALLEY IS PUBLISHED

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Nov. 3.—Information pertaining to the lower Rio Grande Valley as an agricultural region which may be of value to prospective settlers in that section has been published in bulletin form by the Agricultural Experiment Station of the A. and M. College and is now ready for distribution.

The information is thorough regarding general topography, soils, climatic conditions, irrigation and drainage, and general crop adaptation. The question of comparative cold periods in the valley with those in California and Florida is definitely settled for all interested by the quotation in this bulletin by a commissioner of the days with those of the same low temperature in the citrus areas of the other two citrus growing states. The pamphlet is a digest of the data collected by the Experiment Station recently in deciding on the establishment of a citrus experiment station in the lower valley.

### PHEBE K. WARNER ADDRESSES C. I. A. BODY

DENTON, Texas, Nov. 3.—Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner, well-known Texas newspaper writer, addressed the oratorical club of the College of Industrial Arts last Saturday evening. Her subject was "Women in Journalism." Mrs. Warner's daughter, Miss Victoria, is a student at C. I. A.

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SAN ANTONIO'S  
FAVORITE?

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## THE ELECTORAL VOTE BY STATES AND HOW THEY WERE CAST IN 1912, 1916, AND '20

To win the Presidential election the leading candidate must receive 266 or more electoral votes. Each state has as many electoral votes as it has senators and congressmen making a total of 531 in the electoral college in which the winning candidate must get a majority to be elected. The following table shows the electoral vote of each state and the way its vote was cast in the preceding three elections:

| STATE          | ELECTORAL VOTE | 1912 | 1916 | 1920 |
|----------------|----------------|------|------|------|
| Alabama        | 12             | Dem  | Dem  | Dem  |
| Arizona        | 5              | Dem  | Dem  | Dem  |
| Arkansas       | 7              | Dem  | Dem  | Dem  |
| California     | 12             | Dem  | Dem  | Dem  |
| Colorado       | 6              | Prog | Dem  | Rep  |
| Connecticut    | 7              | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Delaware       | 3              | Dem  | Rep  | Rep  |
| Florida        | 9              | Dem  | Rep  | Rep  |
| Georgia        | 14             | Dem  | Dem  | Dem  |
| Idaho          | 4              | Dem  | Dem  | Dem  |
| Illinois       | 20             | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Indiana        | 13             | Dem  | Rep  | Rep  |
| Iowa           | 11             | Dem  | Rep  | Rep  |
| Kansas         | 10             | Dem  | Rep  | Rep  |
| Kentucky       | 13             | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Louisiana      | 10             | Dem  | Dem  | Dem  |
| Maine          | 6              | Dem  | Dem  | Dem  |
| Maryland       | 8              | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Massachusetts  | 15             | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Michigan       | 15             | Pro  | Rep  | Rep  |
| Minnesota      | 12             | Pro  | Rep  | Rep  |
| Mississippi    | 10             | Dem  | Dem  | Dem  |
| Missouri       | 18             | Dem  | Dem  | Dem  |
| Montana        | 4              | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Nebraska       | 8              | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Nevada         | 3              | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| New Hampshire  | 4              | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| New Jersey     | 14             | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| New Mexico     | 3              | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| New York       | 45             | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| North Carolina | 12             | Dem  | Dem  | Dem  |
| North Dakota   | 3              | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Ohio           | 21             | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Oklahoma       | 5              | Dem  | Rep  | Rep  |
| Oregon         | 5              | Pro  | Rep  | Rep  |
| Pennsylvania   | 35             | Pro  | Rep  | Rep  |
| Rhode Island   | 5              | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| South Carolina | 9              | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| South Dakota   | 5              | Pro  | Rep  | Rep  |
| Tennessee      | 12             | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Texas          | 20             | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Utah           | 4              | Rep  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Vermont        | 4              | Rep  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Virginia       | 12             | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |
| Washington     | 7              | Pro  | Dem  | Rep  |
| West Virginia  | 8              | Dem  | Rep  | Rep  |
| Wisconsin      | 13             | Dem  | Rep  | Rep  |
| Wyoming        | 3              | Dem  | Dem  | Rep  |

In 1912 the total electoral vote divided: Democratic (Wilson) 435; Progressive (Roosevelt) 88; Republican (Taft) 8.

In 1916 the vote was: Democratic (Wilson) 277; Republican (Hughes) 254.

In 1920 the vote was: Republican (Harding) 404; Democratic (Cox) 127.

## COOLIDGE URGES EVERY VOTER TO CAST BALLOT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—President Coolidge, in an election eve radio address, urged that every voter cast his ballot Tuesday, to effect the aims of "an element of discontent," which he declared is always large enough to be a "decisive factor" in any election.

The president did not name the important movement, but the tenor of his remarks was regarded as directed at the followers of Senator La Follette, which came as somewhat of a surprise as it was expected his address would be a purely non-partisan appeal.

"We are always confronted with the question of whether we wish to be ruled by all the people or a part of the people by the minority or the majority; whether we wish our decisions to be dominated by those who have been misled, through the presentation of half truths, into the formation of hasty, illegal and unsound conclusions; or whether we wish those to determine the course of our government who have through the deliberation and careful consideration of all the features involved reached a sound and mature conclusion," Coolidge declared.

"We shall always have with us an element of discontent, an element

inspired with more zeal than knowledge. They will always be active and energetic, and they seldom fail to vote on election day. But the people at large in this country are not represented by them. They are greatly in the minority.

"But their number is large enough to be a decisive factor in many elections unless it is offset by the sober second thoughts of the people who have something at stake, whether it is earnings from investment or from employment, who are considering not only their own welfare, but the welfare of their children and of the coming generations.

"Our institutions never contemplated that the conduct of this country, the direction of its affairs, the adoption of its policies, the maintenance of its principles should be decided by a minority moved in part by self interest and prejudice. They were framed on the theory that decisions would be made by the great body of voters inspired by patriotic motives. Faith in the people does not mean faith in a part of the people. It means faith in all the people. Our country is safe when decisions are made by a majority of those who are entitled to vote, who are always in peril when decisions are made by a minority."

### CHICAGO COUNCIL WILL STUDY SAFETY PLAN

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—How to cross a boulevard safely, will be part of the study of Chicago's twentieth century youth, according to plans formulated by Mayor Dwyer's safety council which is combating the city's mounting death rate from automobile accidents. It is proposed to institute a daily school study period devoted to teaching the youngsters the value of "safety first" in negotiating the perilous highways of the city.

## Hunt Cleared Of Heresy Charge by Presbyterians

MADISON, Wis., Nov. 3.—Dr. George Hunt, modernist preacher of Christ Presbyterian church here, was cleared of heresy charges late Monday by the Madison Presbytery by a vote of 21 to 4.

Four ministers who had accused Dr. Hunt of violating his ordination vows of alleged refusal to accept the Presbyterian confession of faith in the virgin birth of the Christ according to Genesis and the divine inspiration of the scriptures, are planning an appeal of the decision to the Wisconsin synod. The accusers failed to place Hunt on the stand, he was not called upon to affirm or deny specific accusations. The attorney, George H. Landgraf, pleaded for a broad conception of faith and declared that those who accused Hunt were doing so because he had expressed strong sympathy for Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick, noted modernist.

## ROBISON TO BE NEXT WITNESS IN OIL CANCEL SUIT

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 3.—The next court session in the government suit to cancel leases and contracts held by E. L. Deery Oil interests in the Elk Hill Naval Reserve will convene Wednesday morning. Rear Admiral J. K. Robison, chief of the navy bureau of engineering, will be the next defense witness. It is understood word received from Washington Monday states that Rear Admiral J. K. Robison, judge advocate general of the navy department, left the capitol Saturday with secret and important war plans of the navy to be introduced as defense evidence. Frank Hogan, chief defense counsel has announced that this information will be disclosed to counsel for the government at a confidential conference.

## NEGRO GOES TO TRIAL LATTER PART OF THIS WEEK

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## LIONESS IS OUT; NEGROES BREAK SPEED RECORDS

HOUSTON, Nov. 3.—All known speed and endurance records for running were broken here today when a full grown lioness suddenly appeared near a group of 35 negroes. The lioness, Sapho, was on the Wortham Brothers Show Train.

The negroes had been hired to unload the train. Somehow Sapho opened her cage door, leaped to the ground, and paused to survey the train yards a moment. Surprised at the hurried exits of the blacks and at the general unfriendliness of the natives, she stood around in a half embarrassed manner until members of the show train led her back to the cage and locked her in.

## LOCAL EXCHANGE TO BULLETIN RETURNS

Election returns, both state and national, will be bulletined by Fenner and Beane, at their Cotton Exchange office on 13th street tonight, beginning at about 7 o'clock. R. C. McCallon, manager of the Exchange said last night.

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## LAST OF OLD GUARD LINCOLN POLICY DIED MONDAY

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Nov. 3.—Former U. S. Senator Conrad Cole the last of those who were on the platform with Abraham Lincoln during the emancipators Gettysburg address died at his home here early Monday. Senator Cole passed his 102nd birthday on September 17.

Attacked by infrequent pneumonia two days ago, the famous statesman grew steadily weaker and a heart attack ended his life.

Senator Cole had expected to vote Tuesday and during the closing days of his career, had expressed confidence that President Coolidge would be returned to office.

"He's a fine young fellow," he would say. The oldest alumnus of Wesleyan University, of Middletown, Conn., Cole had started west shortly after his graduation from that institution in 1846. He followed all the hardships of the overland trail in his 90 day trip.

A year was spent in placer gold mining near Sacramento, and the young man entered practice of law and state politics.

Cole was a member of the U. S. Senate from California during the fearful days of the Civil War. He was close to Lincoln during that time and retained until his death sharp memories of events which occurred a half a century ago.

Senator Cole never knew Los Angeles in its modern phase. He thought the radio and the constantly improving transcontinental rail systems two of the greatest forward moves of his age.

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## STREET OFFERS 12 TO 1 ON COOLIDGE ELECTION

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—On the eve of the balloting for president, this is how Wall street views the chances of the various candidates in closing bets on Monday night. Calvin Coolidge 12 to 1 to win.

John W. Davis, 13 to 1 to lose. Robert M. LaFollette 80 to 1 to lose.

Monday was the most active in betting since the brokers opened their books for election wagers. Betting firms said that the total wagers in New York would approximate \$2,000,000. The record was set in 1916 when 19,000,000 was bet.

Stating that never in the history of election betting had 2 to 1 favorite lost the presidential race, members of W. L. Darnell and company said that there was absolutely no doubt but that Coolidge will win.

In the last presidential election Harding was quoted as a 2 to 1 favorite over Cox immediately after his nomination and went to 10 to 1 just before the election. In 1916 Hughes began as an 8 to 5 favorite but just before the election the betting odds dropped to 6 to 5. Taft a six to 5 favorite in 1922 and went as high as 7 to 5, but later the odds switched to 5 to 3, making the latter an 8 to 5 favorite. In 1908, Taft was a 2 to 1 favorite at first and 4 to 1 just prior to the balloting. On Roosevelt in 1904, the odds advanced from 2 to 1 to 4 to 1 just before the election. Parker, a member of the firm said.

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## BOTH PARTIES FIGHTING TO CONTROL THE SENATE

Republicans and Democrats are making strenuous efforts in this election to secure control of the senate, but the contest is as much a three cornered fight as the presidential election.

In the present Senate, on account of the two Farmer-Labor senators and the group of progressive republican followers of Senator La Follette, neither the republicans nor the democrats have a majority. To overcome this balance of power and to capture a clear and undisputed majority is the aim of both the old parties.

Of the 32 seats in senate to be filled in this election, 17 are now held by republicans, 14 by democrats and one by a farmer-laborite. In order to capture a clear majority in the Senate, the democrats must win 20 of these and the republicans 21. Toward this end the democrats have a start of six victories since in seven Southern states the democratic candidates have no opponents and in Maine the republican candidate is already elected.

There is no outstanding issue in this senate campaign. The position of senators up for re-election on the tax, bonus and investigation questions of last session was the subject of attack in some of the primary contests, but because both democrats and republicans were often found on the same side in many roll calls, these questions have not been prominent in the campaign. The issue is rather an outright bid for party control, both parties emphasizing the need of a unity of policy between the White House and the capitol.

Many of the individual senatorial contests overshadow in interest the general election. Among the most prominent of these big fights is the struggle of Thomas J. Walsh, Montana, famous senate investigator, for re-election. The attention of the country was concentrated upon his case recently when he telegraphed Senator Borah, chairman of the Senate committee investigating campaign funds, saying he believed \$100,000 was being sent into Montana to defeat him. Borah answered that the committee "would act promptly and vigorously" if evidence of such a transaction were uncovered.

Another contest attracting general attention is the campaign for re-election waged by Senator David I. Walsh in Massachusetts. Walsh is the only democratic senator Massachusetts has sent to Washington in many years and he is being opposed by Frederick H. Gillett, speaker of the House of Representatives, and one of the state's best known public men.

Colorado is another corner of the senatorial campaign arena upon which is focused the interest of both parties. It is the only state to elect two senators this year. The two present senators from Colorado, Alva B. Adams, democrat, and Lawrence C. Phipps, republican, are opposing one another for the long term. Morris Shafroth, democrat, and Rice W. Means, republican, are striving for the other seat. La Follette forces in Colorado are understood to be supporting the two democratic candidates.

## VOTE TODAY

Today is the day that the American people above everything else should see to it that their vote is numbered among those that will choose for the next four years the man who will hold the reins over the greatest nation in the world. In the election today one of three men will be elected to this important place. It is one of the highest honors of the nation, yet it is one of the most responsible positions that has ever been held by man, and in this day and time and with the nations of the world all keyed up to high pitch, it is one of the most important elections that the United States has ever witnessed, and it will mean much to the country to elect the right man for the place.

With Texas the situation is quite complex. The democratic nominee is not by any means the popular choice of the people, that nomination having been placed by a vote that was not for Ferguson, but against the Ku Klux organization that so many people cannot tolerate, and will not if it is within their power through vote to stamp out, and rather than tolerate this organization in power, they voted in the second primary for one that was not their choice, but was the only one that they had to defeat the organization with, hence the nomination went to the Ferguson ticket, and now many of those who supported the Ferguson ticket in the second primary are fighting them with all the power that is within them, and thousands will vote for the republican candidate for governor rather than the democratic nominee, and are sincere in the belief that they have a perfect right to do so, claiming that the nominee has never voted a democratic ticket and her husband proved untrue to the democrats and bolted the party and ran off after a new party, which failed to

accomplish its purpose and he came back to the old party and pleads for support on the pledge, which he claims should not be broken.

We are not going to tell you how to vote, but we do urge that you vote, for it is a duty to your country that you vote. Vote. We do not say how, but vote anyway.

## MAKING FRIENDS AND KEEPING THEM

Making friends is only a part of the art of friendship; keeping them is the other part, and by far the largest. Many people are capable of making friends fast, only to lose them almost as quickly as they are gained. This availeth nothing, in fact, it is even worse than if the friendship had never been made. Others who are slower in acquiring friends, and who win few real friends, actually have more than most persons because they hold so tenaciously to the few they have. Making friends is one of the most important things anyone can do. A true friend is one of the most precious possessions one can acquire. It is therefore a terrible waste to be careless about friends, and to let them slip through one's fingers.

Keeping friends often is as hard as making them. Many who are willing to take considerable time to win a friend seem to think that after the friendship has been formed it will care for itself. But friendship is a tender plant; it needs as much care after the seed has sprouted as before the ground was broken and the seed sown. Weeds will spring up and choke it. Rain will mildew it and the sun scorch it. Harmful insects will attack it, and heavy animals will trample it down. If we do not set aside enough time for our friends; if we do not cultivate our friendships, we might as well never have started them.

Also we must take thought as well as spend time if we would keep our friends. It will never do to say, "He ought to know that I am his friend with out my constantly telling him and proving it to him every day." Friendship thrives on telling and proving, and shrivels with out. "Let the redeemed of the Lord say so," is as true of men as of the friends of God. This is because friendship is not an event but a life. It is not something that can be done once for all like a marriage service, but it is a continuous blessed experience like the wedded life that follows the marriage service.

So, friends if they are to be kept must be taken constantly into account. We must share with them our joys and sorrows, our hopes and fears. We must make them our partners in life. We must be awake to their troubles, and we must rejoice with them in their happiness. Continually we must be devising little pleasures for them. And if they are not so near and dear that these things are spontaneous, easy, inevitable, it is a question, whether they are really friends at all.

## COMING WEST

The tale of woe that some East Texas newspapers print about West Texas sounds ridiculous to the average citizen who is out here and knows that these scare crows are put out, not for the benefit of the people of that country, but for the purpose of trying to keep them fooled in matters that they are interested in in this section and want to come out to see about.

You see stories about West Texas farmers starving out, and you hear about the great crop failures of the west, but the funny part of this is that the Dallas Fair exhibits have torn down their fences, and the people are getting away from the east as fast as they can, and are headed for the west in large numbers.

They are not coming out here blind to the conditions, for they have seen enough of the evidence of successful farming to make the venture safe, and all the wild stories of the newspapers in that country that are printed for the sole purpose of trying to bluff the people out of the notion of coming west, will not hold them back, and such stories as the one that follows from the Lockney Beacon are sure to convince them that they are making no mistake in changing their place of residence. The Beacon the past week says:

"W. L. Whitt cut five rows of maize off his farm the past week that turned out 3100 pounds of maize heads. The rows were 1-2 mile in length and measured a little less than an acre of ground from which the 3100 pounds was obtained, being more than a ton and one-half to the acre."

There are many maize fields in the Lockney country this year that are turning out extra big yields, several farmers having reported from a ton and a quarter to one and one-half tons per acre. The heads in most cases are extra heavy and have well developed grains."

The fellow who doesn't even remember the solemn obligations he took when he joined his lodge is the man who talks loudest about the hypocrites in the church.

"Are you confident of victory?" the campaign manager was asked. "Yes," he replied "desperately so."

Scientists inform us we must wait 200 years to learn whether Mars is inhabited. What's it to be a surprise?

The world, says a naturalist, is full of sounds not audible to the human ear. Is it possible Calvin is not as silent as we suppose?

Another obstacle in the way of any extensive use of silver dollars is that most cash registers have no facilities for their entertainment.

Being a rugged character is hard because rugged characters usually have so much chin to shave.

The boll weevil appears in motion pictures as the "billion dollar bug." Even a Hollywood salary looks small by comparison.

A man in Michigan talked himself into jail. This should be a lesson to quite a lot of people.

The successful girl in business thinks more about what she can put into her head than on it.

## DAVIS TAKES PARTING SHOT AT TARIFF AND SCANDALS OF REPUBLICANS IN RADIO ADDRESS URGING NATION TO GO TO POLLS

By United News.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Addressing Millions of voters throughout the country J. W. Davis, in a radio speech wound up his campaign for the presidency with a re-statement of the issues as he sees them Tuesday to rebuke the republicans for their failure to "promote disarmament and produce lasting peace in the world."

Davis cautiously abstained from personalities. He assured his unseen hearers that there were men in every party capable of discharging any duties to which the people might call them.

"I ask you to believe that I am far more concerned in raising the moral sense of the American people to assert itself on such questions than in my own election to the presidency of the United States," the democratic nominee declared.

"Political campaigns and popular elections should be something more than a mere scramble for offices."

"Whether I who talk and you who listen are of the same political faith is a matter of secondary importance if we are all devoted to America and American ideals, determined to seek what is right and pursue it and willing to think first of our country and thereafter of ourselves."

After stating a decalogue of his campaign pledges, Davis declared: "We join issues with them under the old battle cry that comes ringing down through the centuries: 'God defend the right.' I cannot be otherwise than confident of the outcome."

"It has been my effort to so present the issue that the people might judge on them with complete knowledge of my political faith and of the policies which the democratic party would enforce if entrusted with power."

These policies may be briefly summarized.

1. Punishment of public servants who may be proven guilty of crime committed while holding public office as well as punishment of those who conspired with them.

A thorough house cleaning to purge the government in spirit of honesty and those who otherwise are unfit. An administration for the government in spirit of honesty of every public servant.

2. The declassification of privilege in high places and the insistence upon the passage of laws

preserving equal opportunity to all American citizens.

3. Tariff revision which will insure no legitimate industry but will make it impossible for monopoly to shelter itself behind any section of the law or for any man to plunge his neighbor under government license.

4. Strict economy in government expenditure. Reduction of income and all other tax rates as rapidly as the needs of government will permit.

5. Maintenance of the civil service and proper compensation for all government employees.

6. Honest efficient and sympathetic administration of the veterans bureau.

7. Passage of laws and administration of them to enable the farmer to prosper in his own right.

8. A sympathetic attitude toward the laborer, preserving to him all legitimate weapons for his economic defense and an opportunity to be heard in any matters of government that concern his rights and welfare.

9. Stern opposition to further increase of bureaucracy government and to the taking over by the federal government of duties which can better be performed by the individual states.

10. Dedication of the energies of America to the cause of permanent peace of the world, and a constant effort to re-establish her place in the moral leadership of mankind.

There are higher and finer things than party victory or political success, Davis said. "In the mind of every man and woman who goes to the polling places tomorrow, the question which should be uppermost is the plain question of right or wrong. Not every one can tell what policies in government are wise or unwise, what laws are workable or unworkable, sound or unsound."

Even the most expert will differ about such questions as these. But every one of us, if we will but listen to the voices of conscience, can say what is fair and what is unfair, what is moral and what is immoral, what is right, and what is wrong. We owe it to ourselves and to our country; we owe it to our children and to those who will come after us to vote accordingly."

"Will the fathers and mothers of the country be satisfied to set before their children who take up the burdens of citizenship a lesser standard than one of absolute honesty?"

NEW RAILROAD WILL SOON BE UNDER WAY

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tion along the proposed route within another two weeks. Mr. Grosswald stated. All parties composing the directorate of the company are awake to the possibilities of West Texas and the prospects for immediate development along all lines here and their plans are to push the construction program for the railroad in order that the company might play in the immediate development of the country it will traverse.

STATE RACES HOLD LIMELIGHT IN ELECTION

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prosecuting attorney of Dane county, Wisconsin. Young La Follette making his debut in politics is running for the same office which his father first held when he began his political adventure.

NEWSBOY INJURED WHEN HIT BY AUTOMOBILE

Stanley, the eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Rose G. Wright, of Hodges Brothers Store, was painfully injured at five o'clock Sunday afternoon when he was run down by an automobile which was occupied by two young women.

The boy was standing at the corner of the Merrill Hotel when he started across Main street to the Lubbock State Bank building when he was struck by a car which was selling.

The accident happened before he or the driver of the car realized the danger of the situation and he was knocked to the sidewalk.

He was rushed to the West Texas hospital where medical and surgical attention was given and he was able to be taken home later in the afternoon.

Reports from the home are to the effect that the boy will recover as his injuries are only minor ones.

WOMAN DIGS POSTHOLES AT NIGHT; LIQUOR FOUND

By United News.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—Mrs. Mary Casper dug holes in her backyard She explained that they were post-holes and had been dug by the neighbors who remarked that they wished they had wives who were handy around the garden. But when Mrs. Casper dug postholes at night, dug post-holes in the small hours of the morning, the neighbors wives became suspicious.

Investigation brought prohibition officers who found five gallons of alcohol in one hole and several bottles of wine in others.

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## ALL EX-SERVICE MEN ASKED TO MEET AT COURTHOUSE WED.

All Ex-Service men of Lubbock county and surrounding territory are asked to meet Wednesday night at the court room in the Lubbock county courthouse, according to H. D. Woods, Adjutant of the local post of the American Legion, who called the meeting.

Plans for the successful carrying out of the Legion's part of the Armistice Day program when the cornerstone of the Texas Technological college will be formally placed will be discussed. It is urged that all ex-service men regardless of whether or not they are members of the Legion, be present at the meeting.

## Y. W. C. A. REFUSES TO SPONSOR PROGRAM EDUCATION WEEK

By United News.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Charging that the program for American Education week, November 17 to 23, is "un-American" in its aims and that the American Legion is dictating part of its policies, the national board of the Young Women's Christian Association has decided that the Y. W. C. A. will not co-operate with the United States Bureau of Education in observing the week this year.

In making public the decision of the board Monday Roger N. Baldwin, director of the American Civil Liberties Union, charged John J. Tigert, commissioner of education of unvarnished violation of trust in the conduct of public office and its prostitution to the private propaganda interests of a military organization. The position of the Y. W. C. A. which has a membership of 600,000 and had co-operated in the educational week programs for the last two years, was made public Monday in a letter by Mabel Cratty, general secretary. She explained that the national board "has felt it necessary to decline the invitation to participate this year because of certain elements in the announced program which seemed to be inconsistent with the position of the board with regard to world peace and international cooperation."

The elements referred to were explained by Baldwin to include certain suggested topics for speakers on the week's program, which has been published by the American Legion, the national educational association and the U. S. Bureau of Education. Among the topics are: "Revolutionists, communists, and extreme pacifists are a menace to these guarantees of the constitution."

"The red flag means death, destruction, poverty, starvation, disease, anarchy and dictatorship."

"Stamp out revolutionary radicalism."

A slogan for patriotism day, November 18, is suggested by the program as "the red flag means danger."

In another place the program says that "request for speakers for the meetings during this week should be made to the American Legion posts throughout the country."

Baldwin made public, along with the Y. W. C. A. decision adverse comments on the program by a number of educational leaders.

Dr. Charles W. Elliott, president emeritus of Harvard University, said: "The red flag is a symbol in some nations and perhaps in some communities of all the worst described in the program but denunciations of it does not seem to be appropriate in the government program for American education week. Indeed, it ought not to be mentioned in the same section with the flag of the United States."

Mount LaFollette in violent eruption. Democratic assaulting are terrific. Republicans are taking to cyclone cellars.

Cincinnati Times Star—California is quaking again. This time it is a political quake.

## SLEEPLESSNESS

Virginia Lady Says That Many of Her Long-Suffered Ills Have Fled Since She Took Cardui.

Bristol, Va.—"I can sleep good at night now, something I have never done before in my life," says Mrs. Deala Hawks, of 712 Prospect St., this city, "and it is due to Cardui."

"I was always nervous and tossed when I should have been asleep, but since I took Cardui it has strengthened me, and my general health is so improved that many of the ills from which I have suffered for years have fled."

"I used to go to bed tired and, when I would get up in the morning, I was still tired. Now I feel like doing a day's work in my garden or in the house, and I owe all this good health to Cardui, for I had suffered for years until I took it."

"I had had female trouble for years and once, for six months, I was flat on my back. I am glad to recommend to other women a medicine which has helped me."

If you are nervous and run-down in health, suffering as Mrs. Hawks describes above, it is probable that Cardui will greatly help you. Try it.

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IF EDITORS TOLD THE TRUTH

Only a short time ago the editor of a paper in Indiana grew tired of being called a liar and announced that he would tell the truth in the future and his next issue contained the following items:

"John Benn, the latest merchant in town, made a trip to Beeville on Monday."

"John Coyle, our grocery man, is doing poor business. His store is dirty and musty. How can he expect to do much?"

"Dave Conkey died at his home here Tuesday. The doctor gave it out as heart failure. Whiskey killed him."

"Married—Miss Silvia Rhoades and James Collins last Saturday at the Baptist parsonage, by the Rev. Gordon. The bride is a very ordinary girl who doesn't know any more about cooking than a jackrabbit and never helped her mother three days in her life. She is not a beauty by any means and has a gait like a duck. The groom is an up-to-date loafer. He has been living off the old folks at home all his life and not worth shucks. It will be a hard life."

PAULEN CLAIMS HE WILL WIN BY BIG MAJORITY

By United News.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 3.—"I'll win with a majority of more than 35,000," said Ben S. Paulen, republican candidate for governor on his arrival here to make seven addresses.

Paulen told friends who greeted him here that he expected to poll a heavy vote from the women, predicting that more women would vote for him than for either of his opponents, Governor Jonathan M. Davis democratic candidate and W. A. White, running independently.

By candidacy. Many republican leaders have assured that I'll have a majority between 50,000 and 60,000."

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Lv. Tahoka—Thomas Drug Store, 9:35.

Lv. O'Donnell at 10:15

Ar. Lamesa—First State Bank, 11:10.

EVENING CAR

Lv. Lubbock—Merrill Hotel 2:00 p. m.

Ar. Tahoka—Thomas Drug Store, 2:35.

Ar. O'Donnell—Frits Drug Store, 4:15.

Ar. Lamesa—First State Bank, 5:00.

Leaves Lamesa for Big Springs, 1:00 p. m. and 5:00 p. m.

MORNING CAR

Lv. Lamesa—First State Bank, 8:00.

Lv. O'Donnell—Frits Drug Store, 8:45.

Lv. Tahoka—Thomas Drug Store, 9:35.

Ar. Lubbock—Merrill Hotel, 10:45.

EVENING CAR

Lv. Lamesa—First State Bank, 2:00.

Lv. O'Donnell—Frits Drug Store, 2:35.

Lv. Tahoka—Thomas Drug Store, 3:35.

Ar. Lubbock—Merrill Hotel, 5:00.

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## SPORT NEWS

BAN JOHNSON'S CONTINUED ATTACKS ON  
LANDIS AND GIANT OWNER EXPECTED TO  
PUT PEP INTO WINTER BASEBALL MEETING

By HENRY L. FARRELL  
NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Ban Johnson's threat that baseball wasn't big enough for him and Commissioner Landis and the owners of the New York Giants surely ought to put some life into the baseball meetings this winter.

The club owners always like to gab during the winter months and they certainly have plenty to talk about since the Dolan-O'Connell scandal revived an old political row and turned a lot of private disagreements into a public brawl.

Ban Johnson never has been satisfied in being the president of the American League. He always has aspired to be the boss of all baseball and he was fairly successful until he was ousted by his enemies and dethroned in favor of Landis.

Johnson worked under cover last year in seeking to undermine the throne of Landis, but he was called for it when the major league met in joint session. Landis gave him such a raking that his voice roared through a couple of heavy doors into the hallways of the hotel.

Landis ended his presentation by offering to resign and he found no takers.

Johnson was then thought to have been finally subdued.

He remained quietly in the background until the Giant scandal broke out and then he opened fire on Landis. It will be recalled that Johnson insisted that the whole New York team should have been disqualified and that the Brooklyn Robins should be named to play against the Washington Senators in the world's series.

When Landis refused to do that, Johnson demanded that the world's series be called off. When Landis refused to do that, Johnson announced that he would not attend the series. And he didn't.

Admitting that Johnson had some courage in making many dangerous cracks about the game in the past that had never been made public and in attacking Landis so viciously, yet there was no courage in his decision to remain miles away from the series and attack his enemies with a long-range gun.

Johnson would have gained much more respect and he might have enrolled much more support if he had gone against his doctor's orders and had gone to Washington for a personal campaign against the commissioner, Charles Stoneham and John McGraw. It will be recalled that while Johnson wasn't able physically to go to Washington he was incoercible good enough to make the trip to a Missouri resort.

Not only was Johnson's absence from the real battleground a suspicion against his courage, but it was a gross piece of ingratitude toward one of his staunchest supporters—Mark Griffith, owner of the Washington Senators.

Griffith had waited all his baseball life for a world's champion team and when he got it he found a talent in it thrown there by the man he had fought for and defended for four years when Johnson was badly in need of defense.

When Col. Jake Ruppert and Til Huxton tired of the Johnson regime and started out to get him, Johnson was supported by the St. Louis, Washington, Detroit, Philadelphia and Cleveland clubs. Opposing him were the New York, Boston and Chicago clubs. The opposition couldn't break through Johnson's five votes, but if Griffith had not remained firm, one other club might have switched over with him and Johnson would have been out of a job.

If the National League had not become aroused, Johnson would still be the boss of the National Commission and Landis might still be on the Federal bench in Chicago. The eight National League clubs, however, made an alliance with the Yankees, Red Sox and White Sox, and forced a new

regime in baseball by threatening to form a new twelve-club league.

If Johnson is forced to fight for his control of the American League this winter, his failure to attend the series in Washington and the aspersions he cast indirectly against the Washington team may prove very costly.

While Col. Ruppert is not the fiery enemy of Johnson that Cap Huston was, the Yankee owner is not the type of man to sit by and allow Johnson to do what he has been doing. The White Sox are almost on oath against Johnson forever and if Clarke Griffith should turn against him, the situation would be serious.

The Boston club is now a Johnson club, since Bobby Quinn and his syndicate took over Harry Frazee's interest in the Red Sox. However, there will be a lot of sympathy among the American League club owners and if he should want to retaliate several of the old Johnson clique would go over with him.

The National League has been so peaceful during the reign of President John A. Heydler, that it is a novelty to see war clouds coming up over its annual meeting.

The charges made by Barney Dreyfus against the Giants when Johnson was cutting loose his barons in Chicago, certainly will not be allowed to pass by unnoticed by the other National League club owners.

The public surely wants to know what the "other things" were that Dreyfus was talking about when he said that the Giants should be disqualified.

**BANNED MAN ISSUES  
DIRE CHARGE ON  
COMISKEY**

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 3.—Joe Jackson, and Oscar "Happy" Felsch, one-time hero of the Chicago White Sox, who was banned from baseball following the world series scandal of 1919, have charged that Chas. Comiskey, owner of the club, knew that graft existed among the players "long before any of them were disbanded from the game."

Following the testimony in court here Monday of K. M. Landis, high commissioner of organized baseball, it will be recalled that the "discovery" of the graft was made by Jackson and Felsch, who made the aforementioned charge against Comiskey.

Felsch and Jackson have taken court action here to recover what they say is their share of the money of the 1919 series. Landis was dragged into court under the "discovery" statutes of Wisconsin.

Landis said the money, totalling \$48,000 is being held as the property of the sixteen club owners of the major leagues and mentioned that he had no power to regulate its disposition. He said he emphasized the fact that Felsch and Jackson had admitted their part in the conspiracy before he was appointed commissioner of baseball.

**TENNIS PROSPECTS  
ARE WEAKER AT  
UNIVERSITY**

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 3.—Tennis prospects at the University of Texas are considerably weaker this year than last, according to Dr. D. A. Penick, tennis coach. Two members of the undefeated team of the past year received their degree in June and will not be eligible for the tennis team this year.

Levi White of Austin, winner of the National Intercollegiate Tennis double championship with Louis Thomsen, has already played his three years of collegiate tennis. Marshall Bell, also a member of the University team, did not return this year.

Captain Thomsen, however, will be eligible as will Edward Mather of Austin, Albert Love of Austin, Ernest Funkhouser of Fort Worth. These men will be the nucleus of the team this year, Dr. Penick said.

SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE  
STANDING

| Team          | P | W | L | T     | Pct. |
|---------------|---|---|---|-------|------|
| Baylor        | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1,000 |      |
| Rice          | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1,000 |      |
| S. M. U.      | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1,000 |      |
| T. C. U.      | 3 | 1 | 0 | .333  |      |
| Texas A. & M. | 2 | 0 | 1 | .000  |      |
| Texas         | 2 | 0 | 2 | .000  |      |
| Arkansas      | 1 | 0 | 1 | .000  |      |
| Oklahoma      | 1 | 0 | 1 | .000  |      |

The standing of the conference teams to date, conference games only, is as follows:

though Rockne has announced nothing as yet, it became known Monday that arrangements for a return game with Georgia Tech. have been completed for next fall.

RICHARDS AND CASEY  
WIN MEXICO DOUBLES

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 3.—Vincent Richards and Ray Casey defeated Robert and Howard Kinsey, of San Francisco for the doubles championship of Mexico here Monday.

Richards and his partner won 6-3, 8-6, 6-8, 6-4.

MAN WAS VISITED  
BY UNDERTAKER  
AND POLICE

SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 3.—He was a very sleepy man and apparently a possessor of a very unhealthy "hang-over."

He awoke to gaze into the eyes of several firemen, two cops and an undertaker. "It must have been a terrible brand of liquor, gentlemen," he murmured. "Am I on fire, under arrest, or dead?"

Firemen arrived on the scene when an early morning storekeeper discovered the snoring reveler lying on the sidewalk and in his excitement turned in a fire alarm. The undertaker was taken by the police when they were summoned.

"I'm not dead," the victim announced, "but I wish I were. I feel like—well I'm a sick man."

Wells Needed In  
Labell And Big  
Hill Counties

BEAUMONT, Nov. 3.—Scarcity of water for livestock has necessitated the drilling of several wells in the LaBelle and Big Hill sections. According to ranchmen, dozens of cattle have become bogged in swamps made by the prolonged drought, in an effort to reach water.

Surveyors declare that they have been able to walk out on the crusts in marshes farther than has been possible for the past 26 years. The baked mud surfaces of the swamps will not support a cow, however.

MOTORS KILLED  
18,800 PEOPLE IN  
THE U. S. IN 1923

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Motor vehicle accidents in the United States claimed 18,800 lives in 1923, according to estimates of the department of Commerce. The total of all fatal highway accidents was 22,621, an increase of 3,418 over 1922.

The 1923 death rate from these highway accidents was 20.4 per 100,000 population, as contrasted with 17.6 in 1922. The increase was due largely, the department says, to the increase of 2,776 deaths in the estimated number of fatalities from automobile accidents.

Even the 18,452 deaths charged against the automobile do not tell the whole story, as the deaths resulting from collisions between automobiles and railroad trains and between autos and street cars are charged to the heavier vehicle.

If this figure and the fatalities from motorcycle accidents be added to the automobile deaths, the final 1923 toll from motor machines on highways becomes 18,788, or 83 per cent of all highway fatalities.

their good money for tickets or gasoline.

Stock lovers are admonished by the directors of the show to have a little of their betting money. Pulling pony and pulling horse contests to be staged during the show are apt to give rise to the gambling instincts of even the most reserved, the directors assert.

"Realists," said E. F. Swinney, president of the American Royal Livestock Show, "you will get your money's worth even if you lose."

The most question of whether a good big span of farm horses can outpull a big fat and well-groomed span of city transfer or ice wagon horses will be settled once and for all. Visitors will see a pair of fine draft horses hitched to eighteen tons of hay—they will get to see what moves, if anything. Some believe a pair of horses will be here that will move a nineteen ton load of hay on the straightaway.

Not only will there be heavy horses here, but those built for speed and the 1923 models, the latest thing out in three and five gaited saddle horses, fancy drivers and riders, and harness ponies. Cowboy riding stunts will be thrown in for good measure.

Kansas City's mounted police will compete for prizes in the mounted police show. Prizes won by the mounted law will go to fill the pockets of many a policeman's little boy or girl on Christmas.

More than \$80,000 cash prizes and a score of silver trophies will be awarded to the nation's finest livestock during American Royal week.

**\$5,000 BRICK SCHOOL BEING  
BUILT ON WEAVER RANCH**

LAMESA, Nov. 3.—The first brick school building in Dawson county, outside the town of Lamesa, is being built on the Weaver Ranch. The building will have two large class rooms and be modern in every respect. The cost of the building and equipment will be around five thousand dollars. It will be ready for occupancy in the course of a few weeks.

The corner stone of the new school was laid last Thursday. A large number of the residents of the community were present. Several citizens of Lamesa were also present.

Judge M. C. Lindsey acted as master of ceremonies, Judge J. C. Garland, Miss Annie Baker, County Superintendent, Mrs. F. M. Weaver and Rev. J. W. Watson made short addresses.

Col. and Mrs. F. M. Weaver have given two and a half acres of land to the school and the building is being erected on this ground. Col. Weaver also has set aside a plot of ground on which to erect a church for the community.

F. L. Buckley, J. W. McNew and C. R. Crow are the trustees of this district. L. C. Bankhead and Miss Inez McNew will be the teachers of the school.

**DIVORCES POPULAR  
IN ELLIS COUNTY**

WAXAHACHIE, Nov. 3.—Divorces became extremely popular in Ellis County during the month of October.

With but two thirds of the month gone, County Clerk Mrs. George M. Swann reported that 23 petitions had been filed. August, with a total of 21 petitions was a record for the county in any one month in its history, but October will eclipse August by several broken ties.

Forecasts of a severe winter are blamed by the wise ones.

**BRIDE AT 16, MOTHER  
OF 2, ASKS DIVORCE**

DETROIT, Nov. 3.—A bride of sixteen, the mother of two children at 18, a divorcee at 20, and a widow in all likelihood will be the record of Mrs. Vivian H. Chapman at the termination of her suit for divorce.

Chapman is his wife's senior by only one year.

DIAMOND TAKEN OFF  
OF WOMAN WHILE  
ASLEEP

SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 3.—Mrs. B. Boyd, Fulmore went to bed with a \$100 diamond ring on her finger, but when she awoke the next morning it was gone, she told police. The robber forced his way through the window.

Foreigner Dies  
After Smuggling  
Himself Across

LAREDO, Nov. 3.—After Jewitely Matulewicz, native of Poland and 37 years of age, enduring many hardships had smuggled himself from Poland to the United States via Mexico, he was awarded with death.

He died of acute indigestion five minutes after he had eaten a heavy meal in the city jail here, where he had been taken on suspicion by immigration authorities.

**SPANISH WAR VETS  
MAKE FIGHT FOR A  
DOLLAR A DAY BONUS**

By International News Service.  
KANSAS CITY, Kas., Nov. 3.—Printed stickers reminding Kansas voters next Tuesday not to forget the referendum giving a \$1 a day bonus to veterans of the war with Spain, were distributed by national headquarters of the Veterans of Foreign Wars here recently throughout Kansas. The stickers read:

"Two years ago you showed your approval of the deeds of Veterans of the World War by adjusting their compensation. Are the deeds of the men of '98 less worth?"

**RELIGIOUS LIBERTY IS  
NEED OF WORLD, SAYS  
ADVENTIST PASTOR**

A capacity congregation filled the Seventh Day Adventist church to overflow, on the corner of Avenue H and 15th street, Saturday at their regular Sabbath school and preaching. Joe Chastain, the general superintendent of the Sabbath school, is a veritable moving picture show when it comes to action in the sabbath school. He insists on the teachers teaching from memory without aid of the lesson quarterly and every student studying the lesson every day.

Enthusiasm ran high, however, at eleven o'clock hour when pastor J. E. Brown sprung the subject "Is Religious Liberty Threatened in America?" All eyes were riveted on the speaker as he drew the store house of current events the proof

of his contentions, and pictured an vivid terms the possibility that in a very few years we may see the re-enactment of the scenes of the past that Saints and Martyrs watered the gospel seed with their blood.

He played the political preachers who have left the work of preaching the gospel, praying for the sick, visiting the widow and the orphan in their affliction and binding up the broken hearted, for which they were ordained, and gone out to preach for different political candidates. "In place of sending their petitions to God for the saving power of the Holy Spirit, they are petitioning Congress for laws to force people to be good." He stated as proof of his accusation the Oregon School Law. Which was an attack on the private and parochial schools and which the judge who pronounced it unconstitutional and said "The act could not be more effective for utterly destroying the business and occupation of complainant's schools" if it had been entitled "An act to prevent parochial and private schools from teaching in the grammar grades." Also the Blue Sunday Law (Senate bill number 3218) which will come before the next congress for consideration.

"You can't force a man to be religious," he said, "If people want to keep Sunday and go to church they should be protected in their rights, but if not, they should not be made criminals for doing otherwise, as long as they do not disturb their neighbors. This Sunday law campaign harks back to the old colonial days when men were put in stocks for kissing their wives on Sunday."

Mr. Brown believes in strict religious liberty and calls upon every loving citizen to protest against these encroachments on their rights to worship or not worship, as they please.

There will be meetings every Saturday at ten to eleven o'clock and Sunday and Wednesday night at 7:30.

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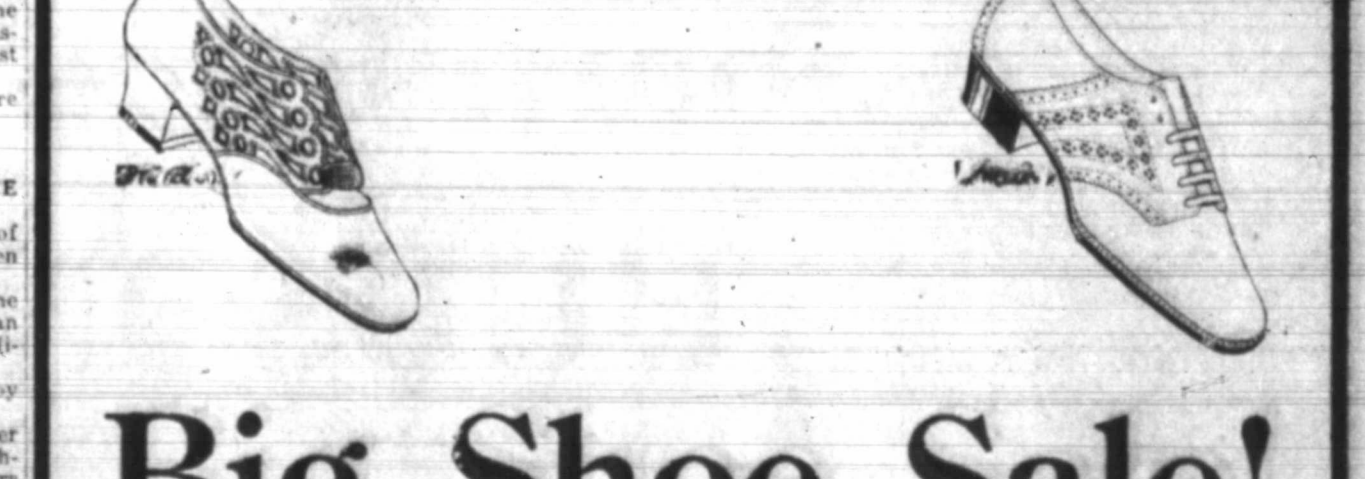
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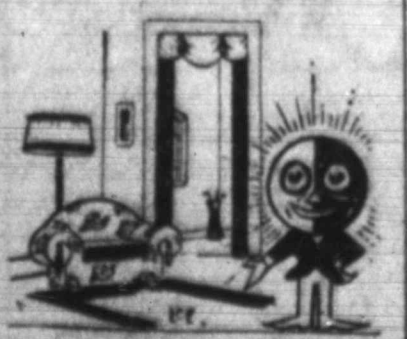
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## NOMINEES SETTLE FOR RETURN OF BALLOTS

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—Senator Robert M. La Follette, independent candidate for president General Charles G. Dawes, republican candidate for vice president and Governor Charles W. Bryan, democratic candidate for vice president will await the results of Tuesday's elections in their home towns in the middle west. Senator La Follette is at Madison, Wisconsin, where he has been resting on his farm. His wife, who has been in the east, is expected to arrive at Madison Tuesday and will hear the returns with him.

General Dawes is at his home at Evanston, Illinois, attractive Chicago suburb beside Lake Michigan. He has announced that he is through with politics until Tuesday and is smoking his pipe and resting.

Governor Bryan is in Nebraska, he will also receive the returns with his family.

"Ma" Ferguson, democratic candidate for governor of Texas, will receive returns at her home. She predicts that "unqualified and decisive victory will be mine."

Mrs. Nellie Ross, democratic candidate for governor of Wyoming who is a candidate to succeed her late husband, will hear the returns in the executive mansion at Cheyenne. She has made no active campaign for the governorship.

Wm. Allen White, independent candidate for governor of Kansas, is back at Emporia after a 2783 mile stumping trip in which he attacked the K. K. K. which has made the issue of his campaign. "I will win," he announces.

Meanwhile the various national and state campaigns have kept Chicago in a state of turmoil for the past week. Parades, red fire, aerial bombs, and stunts speakers have been on the streets by day and night. Chicago's ballot, an affair large enough to make an excellent winter resort for the voters.

The voters themselves are watching the family radio to see the results after their votes have been recorded.

NORTHWEST TEXAS CON. FERENCE CLOSED SUNDAY

(Continued from page 6).

that will, as we believe, surely befall our Southern Methodism by the adoption of this proposed plan.

"Brethren of the Ministry, we confidently appeal to you in this matter and we shall be pleased to see this conference by resolution, or otherwise, give to the body its positive assurance that it will never consent to vote for a plan fraught with so grave peril as we believe this one to be."

Resolutions Adopted by Conference. The following resolutions were adopted by the Conference after the laymen's resolution had been adopted:

"We had hoped that all the annual conferences this year would refrain from any expression on the question of unification, but we notice that several conferences where the unification sentiment predominates have seen fit to take action by a vote endorsing the plan. While we believe that the membership of our church should have full and fair opportunities to study this momentous fully

## MUCH DAMAGE DONE BY FOREST FIRES THROUGH EAST

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Praying for rain to break up a long dry spell, but trusting in the hundreds of volunteer fire fighters, officials of the eastern states have taken further precautions to check the increasing number of forest fires, which have assumed dangerous proportions over the week end.

Forest fires in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania have already burned thousands of acres of valuable timber land and are threatening several small towns and villages while fire fighters are struggling to halt the march of the flames through the tinder-like undergrowth of reserves.

Pinchot's proclamation continuing the ban against hunting in the Pocono mountains and other sections where it was believed the danger had been averted by Saturday's rains, was followed by hunting prohibitions by the forestry department in nine counties of Pennsylvania following reports that numerous fires had broken out.

The ban on hunting is being rigidly enforced in parts of New York state. Nimrod who were already in the woods when the prohibitions were proclaimed have been recalled until the danger is averted.

High winds that sprung up in Pennsylvania over Sunday increased the fire hazard in the northeastern part of the state where little rain had fallen. The country west of the Alleghenies is now virtually free from danger due to rains and in some parts snow which fell over the week end.

FORD SEDAN AND TRUCK COLLIDED HERE MONDAY

A Ford sedan driven by a negro collided with a Ford truck which is the property of the Panhandle Construction Company at the corner of Broadway and Avenue I at 3:20 o'clock Monday afternoon.

No damage was done, and the traffic congestion that resulted was soon overcome when a city officer took the situation in hand. Automobile traffic in Lubbock Monday was especially heavy. The first Monday sales carried by all stores of the city having attracted large numbers of buyers to the city.

There is scarcely a state in the Union that could not furnish a man qualified for the work that awaits the next president. The public is not acquainted with all of them, but there is nothing like a presidential campaign to extend a candidate's acquaintance.—William Jennings Bryan.

Asheville Times—Evidently Mr. Coolidge thinks that the electoral college is a correspondent school.

## COOLIDGE IS FULLY CONFIDENT OF VICTORY

By THOMAS L. STOKES. WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Calvin Coolidge confidently awaits the decision at the polls Tuesday with no other thought than another victory. It is just a habit with him.

In the sporting world there often is found the fellow who never has been licked—and who believes that he never will be licked. That is seldom reaches to political because of the very vagaries of human nature. But Calvin Coolidge is an exception.

Since he began a steady upward climb, from one political position to a higher one, Coolidge has never tasted defeat—unless the researcher wants to dig away back to find that lone occasion, years ago when somebody beat him to a place on the school board at Northampton. That was the beginning. Since then, his progress has been almost monotonously steady.

His psychology of the winner which makes up a large measure of the president's confidence on the eve of the election. Accordingly, he has ordered his routine to meet.

He spent Monday as usual, at work in his office, receiving several callers.

In the evening, he followed J. W. Davis, democratic candidate on the radio with an appeal to the voters of the country to go to the polls. He gave evidence of his confidence in avoiding a last political address, confining his remarks to urging voters to the polls.

Coolidge will be back at his desk again Tuesday morning to handle such routine matters as may be brought before him. He also is expected to give some attention to a successor to the late Secretary of Agriculture Wallace.

There are no engagements listed for the day. In the afternoon he is expected to go riding with Mrs. Coolidge.

In the evening there will be a departure from the ordered routine. The white house will have its first radio party. Several friends are expected to drop in during the evening which is customary, to listen

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doing the utmost to prevent an outbreak. Several carloads of wounded soldiers arrived here from Tientsin, indicating that an engagement is in progress somewhere between Tientsin and Peking.

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Also 5 acre tract in Roberts &  
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52 acre tract adjoining the city on  
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One 80-acre farm joining West-  
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mill, surface tank, small barn, all  
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priced to sell.

One residence fronting on 12th  
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lot, 50 by 150 feet; many good fea-  
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Two 160-acre farms 3 miles out  
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80 acres 2 miles east of Lubbock  
and near the experimental farm, 4  
room house, well and mill other  
small house, on the place; might  
take some good lots in Lubbock in  
the deal.

One 2 room house on large lot 50  
by 140 feet on 20th street, south  
of new school; this small house well  
built; water in house, priced to sell.

One 5 room house with bath on  
H. south of 19th street, large lot  
50 by 147; this place is priced rea-  
sonable; might trade in on a farm.

We have many inquiries and if  
you have bargains to offer, let us  
have 'em.

Inquire of Walton Winn, at Ava-  
lanche office, if you have anything  
for sale or wish to buy farms, or  
city property. 297-45.

**FOR SALE**—Wholesale and Re-  
tail gas and oil station in growing  
plains town. Must give other inter-  
ests attention, good proposition.  
Write Box 3, care Avalanche. 312-62.

**FOR SALE**—Improved ranch of  
1200 acres in Lampasas county, 165  
acres creek valley cultivation. Priced  
\$2000 per acre. A. Reese, Lometa,  
Texas. Route 1. 3-11

**FOR SALE**—Five room modern resi-  
dence, one block high school will  
accept vendor lien note for equity.  
Owen & Hufstader, phone 196. 5-4p.

SEE me for 3 1/2, 5 and 10 acre  
tracts in "Tech View" Liberal terms  
Jno. W. Jarrott, Room 211, Leader  
Building, Phone 698. 3-5p

## FOR SALE

**USED FORDS FOR SALE**—Ford  
tops \$6.50. Two blocks south of  
Court House, Ave. H. Phone 450.  
G. M. Elmore. 291-1 no.

**FOR CITY LOANS**—or residence  
property see James H. Goodman for  
the best monthly repayment plan.  
4-11.

## FOR RENT

**FOR RENT**—Bed room, close in,  
bath with hot water, and furnace  
heat, 1511 Main, phone 125-M 5-4p

**FOR RENT**—Six room house 2137  
9th st., \$40.00 per month. Phone  
135. 5-4p

**FOR RENT**—Modern four room  
house, 806 Ave. N. 5-3p

**FOR RENT**—Three rooms, hot and  
cold water, bath, furnace heat, phone  
garage. No children. 1801 Main St.  
Phone 191-M. 5-6p

**FOR RENT**—Nice bed-room. Gentle-  
man preferred. 1414 Ave. F. Phone  
193. 5-11.

**FOR RENT**—Nicely furnished front  
room adjoining bath. Reasonable  
rates. 2012 Ave. N. 5-6p

**FOR RENT**—Two nicely furnished  
rooms, 1713 Avenue L. 5-4p

**FOR RENT**—Two nicely furnished  
rooms for light housekeeping. No  
children. 1301 19th Street. 5-4p

**FOR RENT**—Three bed rooms,  
1620 16th Street. 5-3p

**FOR RENT**—Bedroom to gentlemen.  
Apply 1614 Ave. N. or phone 292-  
2. 5-4p

**FOR RENT**—Building now occu-  
pied by postoffice after November  
15th. See A. A. Nance. 4-3.

**FOR RENT**—Two housekeeping  
rooms, adults only. 1601 Main  
Phone 88. 3-4p

**FOR RENT**—Nice bed-room. Gentle-  
man preferred. 1615. Phone 199. 2-4p

**FOR RENT**—Desk room in the Ava-  
lanche Building. Apply at Avalanche  
office. 5-11

**FOR RENT**—Room to gentlemen;  
Private entrance, hot and cold wa-  
ter, furnace heat and garage. Phone  
496. 4-3.

**FOR RENT**—Sale or trade, two  
room house, will take car in trade.  
Call 612 W. G. Boyd. 4-3p.

**FOR RENT**—Two light housekeep-  
ing rooms, furnished to couple.  
Phone 495, 1620 15th street. 4-3

## MISCELLANEOUS

**ESSEX ROADSTER** to trade for a  
residence lot. See Whitley Lumber  
Company. 4-4p

**BOARD AND ROOMS**—and table  
board by day or week. Mrs. J. C.  
Taylor, 1516-Avenue G. 4-2.

**ONE MILLION DOLLARS**—per  
year is being lent by Temple Trust  
Company to build Lubbock business  
houses and residences, and to de-  
velop the Lubbock trade territory.  
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options and service.

**TEMPLE TRUST CO.**  
T. R. Duggan Vice-President.  
Room 11 Conley Bldg. Phone 39.  
3-5p

**LOST AND FOUND**  
**LOST**—Large brown Cameo Pin. Re-  
ward for return. 812 Ave K. Phone  
536. 5-1p

**LOST**—In west part of town, black  
leather bill fold containing Ten and  
Twenty Dollar bills. Return to  
Speed Corp. Reward. 5-4p

**LOST**—Black suitcase about 2 miles  
north east of Monroe, containing  
ladies coat, slippers, etc. also, la-  
dy's clothes, finder leave it at 815  
Broadway for C. L. Day. 4-2p.

**LOST**—Keys on ring, all Yale keys,  
finder return 807 East Broadway  
and receive reward. 4-2p.

## NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the South  
Plains and Santa Fe Railway Com-  
pany:

You are hereby notified that the  
Board of Directors have called a  
meeting of the stockholders to be  
held in the City of Lubbock, County  
of Lubbock, State of Texas, at the  
principal office of the Company on  
the eighteenth day of November,  
1924, between the hours of 10  
o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m.,  
to consider and act upon a propo-  
sition to authorize the execution by  
the Company of a mortgage or deed  
of trust to be called "first mort-  
gage" or by such other name as may  
be determined, on all of its railroad  
properties now owned or hereafter  
acquired, to secure bonds to be here-  
after issued in series, so much of  
such bonds as may be necessary to  
be used from time to time in pay-  
ing or exchanging for the indebted-  
ness of the Company, other bonds to  
be issued to be used for the acqui-  
sition, construction or extension of

railroads, additions and betterments  
to such railroads and properties  
now or hereafter owned, and for  
other lawful corporate purposes,  
each series of bonds to be issued to  
mature at such time and provide for  
the payment of such bonds out of  
interest, to be tax free or not tax  
free, to be convertible or not con-  
vertible into shares of capital stock  
as may be determined by the Board  
of Directors, and to contain such  
other terms and conditions as may  
be determined or prescribed by said  
Board, and such mortgage to con-  
tain such terms and conditions as  
may be prescribed or authorized by  
the stockholders at said meeting.

W. S. POSEY,  
Secretary.

9-14 to 11-18.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**  
**THE STATE OF TEXAS.**  
County of Lubbock.

Whereas, by virtue of an Alias  
Execution issued out of the County  
Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on  
a judgment rendered in said Court  
on the fourth day of April, A. D.  
1924, in favor of L. B. Wright and  
against J. B. Pryor No. 1084 on the  
Docket of said Court, and to me, as  
Sheriff, directed and delivered, I  
did, on the 26th day of October, A.  
D. 1924, at 1:00 o'clock p. m., levy  
upon the following described tracts  
and parcels of land situated in Lub-  
bock County, Texas, and belonging  
to J. B. Pryor, to-wit: Lot one in  
Block Nine of the South Slaton ad-  
dition to the town of Slaton, Lub-  
bock County, Texas, on the 2nd day  
of December, A. D. 1924, being the  
first Tuesday of said month, between  
the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4  
o'clock p. m. on said day, at the  
Courtroom door of Lubbock County,  
Texas, in the town of Lubbock, I will  
offer for sale and sell at public  
auction, for cash, all the right, title  
and interest of said J. B. Pryor in  
and to said property.

Witness my hand, this 26th  
day of October, A. D. 1924.  
H. L. JOHNSTON,  
Sheriff of Lubbock County, Texas.  
806-3 Tuesdays.

## WALL STREET AWRY OVER ELECTION OFFERINGS

BY EDWARD J. CONLON  
NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Wall street  
likes to think it discounts everything  
and does it well in advance. In  
mid-afternoon it was the autumn trade  
revival that was being discounted,  
and for the last few weeks it was  
the route of the third party that  
was being interpreted by means of  
advancing prices. Capriciously enough,  
domestic and foreign trade has failed  
to come up to expectation this fall  
and the reason assigned was that the  
public was waiting until after the  
election before buying on a large  
scale. Did Wall street overplay its  
hand in sending security and com-  
modity prices higher in July and Au-  
gust, and if so, did the financial  
community once more make a tacti-  
cal error in assuming too much con-  
cerning the election. This is a ques-  
tion which can only be answered  
definitely when the vote is canvassed  
Tuesday night.

Strangely enough Wall street's  
bravado seemed to crack a bit at the  
last moment. It was a single excep-  
tion, going back to pre-victory days,  
the security markets have invari-  
ably advanced before election and  
declined after one profit taking  
Monday's trading on the stock ex-  
change is a decline of twenty eight  
hundredths of a point in the aver-  
age of twenty leading industrial  
stocks against a net advance of sev-  
enteen hundredths of a point for the  
representative railroad stocks. Wheat  
closed lower and the other grains  
finished irregular. Cotton firmed up  
in narrow trading.

But on one point there does ap-  
pear to be unanimity. And that is  
on the question of the function of  
professional traders after election  
day. The financial community has  
stepped itself to expect heavy tak-  
ing of profits by recent buyers and by  
many of the buyers in late summer  
who were unable to obtain high  
prices for their holdings and preferred  
to "cut out" the market.

On the other hand, the Wall street  
counting houses are anticipating a  
general revival of public interest in  
the stock market soon after election  
on that reliance on the part of  
non-professional traders may be aban-  
doned without serious consequences in  
security and commodity prices.

Inasmuch as it is hardly prob-  
able that another high point will  
be seen during the remaining weeks  
of the year, all recent gains point  
to a gradual movement in under-  
lying trade conditions. Both in the  
United States and in Europe. The  
first concrete evidence of definite  
plans in Germany to acquire a firm-  
financial foundation, since the  
German loan was floated, is the an-  
nouncement that a \$3,000,000 club  
of Berlin note issues has been negoti-  
ated this week with a group of New  
York banks and that a long term  
loan of about \$25,000,000 is con-  
templated. Europe's negotiations of a  
\$20,000,000 club of Hamburg loan  
are also current here. It begins to  
look as if Europe meant business  
this time in its efforts to get back  
to some semblance of normal some-  
thing of course which is very neces-  
sary if trade improvement in this  
country is to be more than a petty  
affair.

**Fort Worth Livestock.**  
FT. WORTH, Nov. 3.—Cattle  
beves \$3.50@6.50; cows \$3.25@  
5.50; calves 3.50; amrk steady  
4.50; heifers \$3.00@6.50; \$2.25@  
4.50; stockers \$3.25@5.35; cutters  
\$2.25@3.00; canners \$1.00@2.25;  
bulls \$2.25@3.50; yearlings \$3.50  
@7.50.

Hog receipts 1,200; market  
steady; best medium \$7.50@9.00;  
good light \$8.75@9.00; fair light  
\$8.75@9.00; fair light \$8.00@8.50;  
packing sows \$7.50@8.50; good  
mixed \$9.00@9.25; fair mixed  
\$8.50@8.75; common \$7.00@8.00;  
plus \$6.50@8.75.

Sheep receipts 1,400; market  
steady; spring lambs \$11.00@12.25;  
yearlings \$9.00@10.00; ewes \$5.50  
@6.25; stocker sheep \$3.00@4.00;  
feeder lambs \$8.00@11.00; wethers  
\$6.25@7.00; culls \$1.00@2.00;  
goats \$1.00@3.00.

**Kansas City Livestock.**  
KANSAS CITY, Nov. 3.—Hoga  
receipts 4,500; uneven early sales  
to shippers 15@30c higher; top  
\$9.00; desirable 200 to 250 lb  
averages at \$9.25@9.55; big pack-  
ers going slow; packing sows  
mostly \$8.00@8.25; stock pigs  
strong at \$6.00@6.75.

Sheep receipts 4,000; active  
lambs 10@15c higher; range offer-  
ings \$12.00; fed lots \$13.70@  
10.50; early top natives \$13.50;  
sheep steady; fed ewes \$7.00.

said Estate, lying, being and situated  
in the Lots Nine (9), and Ten (10)  
in Block Nine (9) of the Ross Ad-  
dition to the town of Idalou, Lub-  
bock County, Texas.

Now, therefore, These are to not-  
ify all persons interested in said es-  
tate to be and personally appear at  
the next regular term of the Hon-  
orable County Court, to be holden  
thereof at the Court House in the  
County of Lubbock, on the Third  
Monday in November, A. D. 1924,  
same being the 17th day of said  
Month, and then and there to show  
cause why such sale should be made,  
should they choose to do so.

Given under my hand and seal of  
office, this 11th day of October, A.  
D. 1924.

(SEAL)  
HERBERT STUBBS,  
Clerk of County Court,  
Lubbock County, Texas.

800-3 Tues. By Irma Pryor, Deputy

## MARKETS

### R. E. FLOWERREE & CO.

Correspondents

FENNER AND BEANE.

New Orleans Cotton

NEW ORLEANS, La., Nov. 3.—  
Cotton lost 34 points during the  
early trading on good weather and  
disappointing cables. A more mod-  
erate crop estimate than has been  
current for some days, large export  
movement and expectation that the  
election will have a stimulating ef-  
fect on business, stimulating both  
buying and covering in the afternoon  
as a result of this combined buying  
values rallied 75 points from the  
low and ended the day with a net  
gain of about fifteen points.

The generally accepted view is  
that the crop has increased as a  
result of recent favorable weather  
but an estimate of 12,650,000 from  
a Chicago authority is thought to  
temper the views of those bearishly  
inclined as it is 40,000 less than the  
government's last estimate.

Telegrams from New York to the  
effect that Wall Street expected a  
revival in trade if the elections turn  
out favorable to its view acted as a  
damper on selling and apparently  
stimulated trade buying.

Exports for the day were large  
and for October totaled 1,256,000,  
the largest on record.

Sentiment is more or less mixed,  
but the opinion is that the election  
prices discount a crop around  
current estimates and there is more  
disposition to buy on dips.

**Candidates Optimistic**  
**IN ARIZONA ELECTION**

PHOENIX, Ariz., Nov. 3.—On  
the eve of election day state head-  
quarters of each of the three most  
distant candidates have issued op-  
timistic statements.

Democratic Headquarters claim  
McDuffy that Davis would carry  
Arizona by 6000, the republicans  
stated that the margin for president  
would be 3000. The important com-  
missioner forwarded a La Follette  
margin of 7,000.

**Dallas Cotton**  
DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 3.—Basis  
firm and steady, trading basis 75 to  
80 off December for immediate de-  
livery; sales light; offerings light;  
demand indifferent.

**Spots**  
New York 23.75; New Orleans,  
23.00; Dallas, 22.15; Mobile, 22.00;  
Port Worth, 22.20; Houston 23.20;  
Galveston, 23.20; Waco, 22.20; Mem-  
pho, 22.75; Little Rock, 22.75; Au-

Chicago Grain  
CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 3.—Wheat—  
Trade only moderate. There was  
persistent buying by a house with  
eastern and foreign connections  
while selling was desisted and rep-  
resented some liquidation by fired  
holders. There was a great deal of  
spreading, buying December and sell-  
ing May; six



## FREE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU ONE OF BEST YET ONE OF YOUNGEST INSTITUTIONS IN STATE; MANY AIDED IN SECURING WORK

AUSTIN, Nov. 3.—One of the youngest yet most beneficial services recently instituted in Texas is the Free Employment Bureau which has been operating for approximately a year under the direction of the Labor Department of the State, according to figures recently compiled by the officials of that department.

The department established and maintains in the larger cities of the state bureaus of free employment, which serve primarily to enable the farmer to get in touch with farm laborers during his busy season. During the cotton season which has just closed, the office at San Antonio handled more than four thousand laborers and aided in getting these men to localities where they were needed immediately to help save the cotton crop. In the Fort Worth section the office also handled thousands of applicants and the Dallas office supplied two thousand men to the agricultural sections of the country.

When the Rio Grande Valley cotton was beginning to suffer from the lack of pickers, the department officials recruited men and were instrumental in helping the farmers of South Texas to a large degree. The chief difficulty in supplying the laborers in transport, according to the officials of the department, in many cases the farmers called for their men in trucks and transported them to their farms, but no special rate on the railroads was obtainable and hence the farmers at greater distances found difficulty transporting the workers to their fields.

The primary idea of the free employment bureaus is to furnish employment for the unemployed in the city," asserted the assistant secretary of labor. "We draw the farm help from the persons who actually need work. Not only do we serve the farmer and laborer but we also do economic work in saving crops which might otherwise be damaged or totally destroyed."

For the main part the offices which were established were temporary the official pointed out, but if funds can be raised it is hoped to maintain these branches permanently in several of the major cities of the state.

## MAN REFUSES TO SELL INTEREST IN KANSAS FIELD

PONCA CITY, Okla., Nov. 3.—Walter Phillips shook his head as Walter C. Teale, president of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, disappointedly tore up a \$10,000 check tendered Phillips for his half interest in the Rainbow Pool of southern Kansas.

This story of another oil "deal" that failed to materialize was related by oil men here today. The Rainbow pool covers 4,000 acres and is regarded as one of the "cooking" pools of the mid-continent field.

## MONGREL ENDS LIFE IN PLANE PROPELLER

By International News Service. SCOTTSBLUFF, Neb., Nov. 3.—For years "Pat," a mongrel owned by A. M. Ginn, had successfully

dodged automobiles, cats and the other perils of canine life. When an airplane landed here however, Pat lost his sense of discretion and got too close to the whirling propeller. A few minutes later a policeman's revolver shot put him out of his misery.

The juvenile population of Scottsbluff has gone into mourning as a result of the tragedy.

## MAN DESIRES THAT HE BE AS HIS NAME MEANS

By International News Service. CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., Nov. 3.—Frank Batchelor, married 19 years, has decided that he wants his name to mean exactly what it says. He filed a suit for divorce this week here charging his wife had become infatuated with another man.

## MARLIN TURFMAN IS 70 YEARS OLD AND ACTIVE

MARLIN, Nov. 3.—John Humphreys, veteran turfman of Marlin has hung up a mark during the last six months for many of the youngsters to shoot at.

Seventy years old and active in the racing game for the last forty years, Humphreys has driven in forty-four races in the last six months winning thirty of them, placing second in the remaining fourteen, with but one exception.

Humphreys strictly a harness racer and is recognized as one of the greatest trainers and pilots in the field today.

## Trade is Made Between Blind And Cripple

By International News Service. ANADARKO, Okla., Nov. 3.—Here is a story to rival the one of the salesman selling ice cream freezers in Alaska.

A blind man selling hosiery entered the jewelry shop of G. W. Austin here. He became infuriated when a trade of a pair of spectacles was offered.

"I've got as much use for your socks as you have for my spectacles," Austin retorted. Then he explained that he had lost his legs under a train 20 years ago. They traded even.

Kansas City Star.—After the alienists retire, the next expert witness to become popular in court-room news probably will be the one who can tell whether the short hairs found on the shoulder of a divorce defendant's coat are those of a man or of a woman.

## EVOLUTION IS NOW IN ORDER FOR TEATHERED FLOCK

FORT WORTH, Nov. 3.—Advanced classes in evolution are now in order for our feathered friends.

Doctor Brooks, president of Baylor University, tells the story of a hen, property of a West Texas poultryman, that has laid an egg every day since January, and that during thirty-two days of the time, the hen has laid two eggs a day.

At the rate of evolution, it would be hard to prophesy what the feathered race is coming to.

## COUPLE WAITS FIFTY YEARS TO TAKE HONEYMOON

By International News Service. BURLINGAME, Kan., Nov. 3.—For fifty years, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Doty, pioneer residents here, waited to take their honeymoon.

This year came bumper crops. So last week the couple left for an extended eastern trip which will include Williamsport, Pa., where they were married half a century ago.

## FORT WORTH POLICE CHIEF FAVORS USE WHIPPING POST

FORT WORTH, Nov. 3.—If revival of the old whipping post method of punishment was considered, John Alderman, Fire and Police commissioner, would vote for it.

Police are holding a man for investigation after officers found pictures and negatives of nude women in his possession, said to live in Fort Worth. Officers are investigating to determine whether the man has sold, mailed or otherwise distributed any of the pictures.

## MEXICO PRESIDENT SAYS BORDER GAMBLING HOUSES MUST GO

BROWNSVILLE, Nov. 3.—Gambling must be stopped along the border and Matamoros a city across the border in Mexico, President Obregon has announced adding that all Americans found in the gambling

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FAVORITE?

Oh Henry

houses will be deported to the United States and will not be allowed to return to Mexico unless they have a special permission from the President of Mexico.

## BOLD THIEF ENTERS JAIL AND GETS AWAY WITH PRISON BED

By International News Service.

TEMPLE, Nov. 3.—Another one of the world's bold thieves entered the city jail here and stole the bedding that is used for the prisoners.

Several "drunks" were turned over to friends to be taken home. Other offenders were told to report to the judge Monday.

## LARGE MAP IS MADE OF WEST TEXAS FIELDS

FORT WORTH, Nov. 3.—The Standard Blue Print and Map Co., of Fort Worth, announced they are nearing completion of a huge geological map, 34 by 54 inches, covering some twenty seven counties in the heart of the new central western wild cat district.

From Mitchell county in the north of this section, extending to the Rio Grande on the south and westward to the Pecos Valley territory, will be shown the geological formation of this portion of the state. Reagan

county will be in the approximate center of this district with the first completed well in the vicinity of Big Lake.

F. W. Martin and Co., are engaged in the construction of about four hundred miles of pipe lines, from the Reagan County fields to the coast along the Houston Ship Channel.

This section, but recently opened by wild cat operators, is too young to make any predictions as to further expansion.

## THIEF ENTERS CHURCH AND STEALS BRASS CAN-DLESTICKS

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Nov. 3.—Police here are wondering what fate will befall the thief who like the Victor Hugo character, entered a church here and stole two

brass candlesticks from the high altar.

## WOMAN KILLS SNAKE WITH SEVENTEEN RATTLES

By United Press.

CRYSTAL CITY, Texas, Nov. 3.—To Mrs. E. A. Kotz of Crystal City, goes the champion rattlesnake killer prize. Riding in a pasture recently, she heard the ominous rattle of the well-known reptile.

Drawing her trusty pistol, Mrs. Kotz ended the career of the plains traveler. The snake measured eight feet from tip to tip and was thirteen inches in circumference. Seventeen rattles and a button completed its complement.



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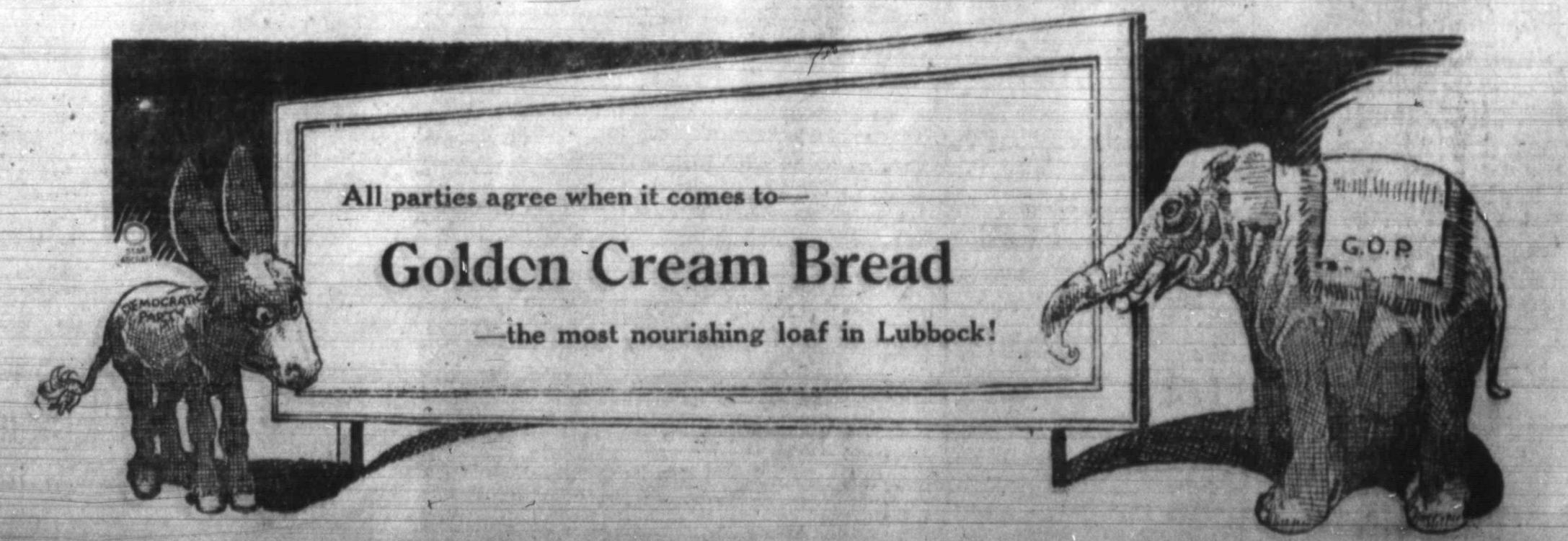
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