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IRRIGATION CONTRACT RATIFICATION IS DECISIVELY VOTED
HOPE IS REVIVED BANDITS WILL SOON RELEASE FOREIGNERS
DEATH TOLL OF CAROLINA SCHOOL FIRE IS BROUGHT TO 75

CONSTRUCTION OF NORTH SIDE DITCH ASSURED SATURDAY

CITY VOTES 133 TO 16; DISTRICT NO. 2 CASTS 35 FOR NONE AGAINST.

BOND ELECTION TO BE NEXT FORMALITY

District No. 2 to Vote Next Saturday On $1,760,000 Issue; Hope to Start Work Soon.

An irrigation canal on the north side became a virtual certainty Saturday when tax-paying voters of both water improvement districts ratified and approved the contract between the districts.

District No. 1 voted for ratification, 133 to 16. District No. 2 cast 35 votes for ratification, none against, there being 21 votes at the Hirschi box and seven each at Allendale and Denny.

The unanimity with which District No. 2 voted for ratification was considered here as presaging equally decisive approval of the bond issue which will be voted on next Saturday in District No. 2. The bond issue is for $1,760,000, which will be District No. 2's share of the project's cost.

Little interest was shown in the election here, and ratification could easily have been defeated by an organized opposition. Some surprise was expressed Saturday night however, that even as many as 16 votes should be cast against a measure so palpably beneficial to Wichita Falls.

Irrigation officials hope to see work started on the north side ditch within record time after the bonds are voted.

RAHL MAY DIE AS RESULT INJURIES AUTO ACCIDENT

Physicians in charge hold little hope for the recovery of Carter B. Rahl, oil operator, who was the victim of an automobile accident on the Henrietta road Friday night. Rahl was picked up unconscious and taken to General hospital immediately following the accident; he had not regained consciousness at an early hour Sunday morning. Nurses reported that there had been little or no change in his condition.

Eddy Dokey, the negro who was in the car and was injured in the accident is also in a serious condition. He has never regained consciousness and is said to be suffering from a severe fracture of the skull and internal injuries. He is not expected to recover. Four other passengers in the car at the time the accident occurred escaped with minor injuries and were able to be on the street Saturday.

SUMMERTIME

Real summertime hit Wichita Falls Saturday, and the weather man forcibly demonstrated that the unseasonably cool weather he provided early in the week was not going to be a habit with him.

The mercury roosted at the 98-degree mark from three to five o'clock Saturday afternoon.

15 PRISONERS OF BANDITS LOOKING DEATH IN THE FACE

ONE OF THEM SENDS DESPAIRING MESSAGE TO BROTHER IN SHANGHAI.

7 CHINESE PRISONERS HAVE BEEN KILLED

American Minister Threatens Drastic Action to Chinese Officials at Tsao Chwang.

PEKING, May 19. (AP)—Fifteen foreigners, six of them Americans, some of them fil, all of them weary, bruised and footsort, poorly clad and worse fed, are tonight looking death in the face in the Paotzuku hills of Shantung province as they approach the end of their second week as captives of the bandits who raided the Shanghai-Peking express near Suchow, May 6.

If the foreign and Chinese governments are unable to satisfy the brigands by Tuesday that their terms for the release of the prisoners will be met, and the robbers' chieftain makes good his threat, two of the Americans and two of the Britishers have but little more than 48 hours to live.

They will be shot as a warning that the marauders mean to force compliance with their demands under their chief's ultimatum sent out Saturday.

"We are pleading for our lives," and unless Peking, Washington and London realize that the bandits are ready to sacrifice their own lives and those of all their captives in their fight for reinstatement in the Chinese government, immune from punishment, we are surely doomed," is the statement made by Leon Friedman, one of the Americans speaking for all.

Friedman's message, sent to his brother in Shanghai, has stirred the foreign communities of China. In Shanghai tomorrow a mass meeting will be held to pass resolutions demanding that the American and British governments guarantee the promises of the Chinese government to the outlaws and win the freedom of their imprisoned nationals.

The shadow of death has descended seven times this week on the bandit prison corrals in the Paotzuku hills. Two of the Chinese prisoners were thrown from the cliffs because their promised ransoms had not been paid, and five others were shot down in cold blood for failure to obey orders.

On his way from Shanghai to Peking, American Minister Schurman stopped off at Tsao Chwang long enough to tell the Chinese officials there to get results and get them quickly, or "drastic action" would be taken.

"Get the prisoners out and talk terms afterwards," was the keynote of Dr. Schurman's demand.

Still the negotiations alternately progress and lag.

The Chinese officials at Tsao Chwang, comfortable in their 24 sleeping cars, parked on the railway sidings, argue among themselves as to how this or that shall be done to free the 15 who are sleeping on the bare ground in the Shantung mountains, clad in thin rags and tatters, under-fed, and some of them in urgent need of medical and hospital care.

KATY BRIDGE CARPENTER KILLED NEAR WACO

WACO, May 19.—R. H. Riddle, age sixty, bridge carpenter employed by the M. K. & T. railroad, was instantly killed here at 3 o'clock this afternoon when struck by a freight train. At the time of his death Riddle was flagging the grade, and members of the construction gang with which he was working did not see the accident.

WEATHER FORECAST FOR COMING WEEK

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Weather outlook for week beginning Monday: Gulf states generally fair but scattered showers and thunderstorms are probable, normal temperature.

ASSEMBLY MAY ASK REFERENDUM LEAGUE OF NATIONS

RESOLUTION TO THAT EFFECT WILL BE INTRODUCED THIS WEEK.

CONTEST EXPECTED ON THEORY OF EVOLUTION

Bryan Prepares For Determined Fight to Bring Heretics to Task.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 19.—A national referendum under an act of congress to determine if the United States should join the League of Nations, will be asked in a resolution to be presented next week to the 135th session of the general assembly of the Presbyterian churches of the United States, it was learned tonight.

Injection of international politics served for a time to detract attention from the major issue of the assembly the struggle between the liberals and the ultra conservatives over evolution.

William Jennings Bryan, leader of the ultra conservative group, after proclaiming he would fight to have the "heretics of the church brought to task," went to St. Louis tonight to make an address.

He will be back in Indianapolis early Sunday morning to continue the campaign which he will wage against "The brue doctrine of evolution," and other "heresies."

Dr. Charles F. Wishart, moderator, after taking a firm stand with the liberalist group declined to become involved in further controversy. The case of Dr. Harry Emerson of this district will be the proposition on which the two forces will fight it out. Dr. Fosdick, a Baptist, occupying the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church in New York, drew the first attack of the ultra conservatives on a sermon in which it was charged that he questioned the virgin birth of Christ.

The Philadelphia Presbytery has presented an overture to the committee asking that the New York presbytery be required to prevent "unorthodox" sermons from being preached in its pulpits.

The New York presbytery feels that it is thoroughly capable of administering its own discipline whenever necessary and a minority report of the Philadelphia presbytery declared that the Philadelphia presbytery should put its own house in order before aiding neighbors in "cleaning the temple."

DEMAND THAT MOVIES CLEAR OUT OF LORD'S DAY

INDIANAPOLIS, May 19. (AP)—Presbyterians of the United States of America today received a report from the committee on Sabbath observance demanding that the movies "clean up and clear out of the Lord's day."

Will H. Hays, president of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, who is attending the assembly as an elder of the church was absent from the hall attending a committee meeting when Dr. Harry L. Bowlby, president of the Lord's Day Alliance, attacked the Sunday movie shows.

"I have nothing against the movies," said Dr. Bowlby, "if they will clean up and clear out of the Lord's day, and I so told an important representative of the motion picture industry, who is attending this assembly as a commissioner.

"The commercial movie house ought to give the church, the Bible school and the home the right of way on the Christian sabbath. Without the Christian sabbath there will be no Christian morality, and without Christian morality the free institutions of this country cannot be preserved."

A resolution on motion picture censorship and Sunday movie shows is expected to be presented to the assembly for action.

DINKLE INCOME TAX BILL WINS FAVORABLE REPORT

MEASURE READY FOR CONSIDERATION IN HOUSE MONDAY MORNING.

FAVORABLE VOTE IN HOUSE IS EXPECTED

Bill Would Require Tax From Those Required to Pay Federal Tax.

AUSTIN, May 19. (AP)—Difficulties regarding the Dinkle income tax bill were ironed out and the bill won its first victory when it was reported favorably by the house revenue committee today. The bill will be sent to the printer and will be ready for consideration next Monday morning.

Members of the lower branch stated tonight an effort will be made to push the bill to final passage in the house early next week. It also is generally believed the bill will meet with success in the senate in that it is practically the identical measure passed by the upper house during the last session.

All persons and corporations subject to the federal income tax will be subject to a tax under the Dinkle bill. State ad valorem tax is made a deduction under the bill as is the intangible tax. Gross receipts taxes are made an item of expense only.

The tax scale under the bill follows: Up to $5,000, two per cent; $15,000, three per cent; $25,000, four per cent; $50,000, five per cent; $100,000, eight per cent; up to $200,000, 10 per cent, and over $200,000, 12 per cent. Exemptions are made for incomes of single persons up to $1,000, and $2,500 for married persons.

It was reported today that Representative Pope will make an effort to amend the bill similar to that passed by the house in the last session.

OCCUPATION TAX ON AMUSEMENTS FAVORED

AUSTIN, May 19. (AP)—The Baldwin bill proposing an occupation tax on moving picture establishments, theaters and other amusement houses was reported favorably by the house revenue and taxation committee late today. The bill proposes a graduated tax ranging from $5 to $15 annually, according to the size of the town.

Three other measures by Baldwin seeking to tax circuses, traveling shows and carnivals were considered but not acted upon, and were set for public hearing next Tuesday as was the Coffee bill proposing a five per cent tax on gross oil productions.

Representative Baldwin announced Monday he will introduce another bill levying a tax on soft drink dealers.

Neither the house nor senate were in session this afternoon. The house convened for a short time this morning to permit introduction of bills and routine business.

DAVIDSON PROPOSES CUT IN APPROPRIATIONS

AUSTIN, May 19. (AP)—Reduction of appropriations made by the legislature of approximately $6,000,000 and enactment of an income tax law was proposed by Lieutenant Governor T. W. Davidson as a means of meeting a prospective state deficiency of ten million dollars during the next two years, in a statement issued tonight. To enact many more revenue measures would be detrimental to Texas industries the lieutenant governor said.

The following reductions in appropriations were proposed: General education bill $2,000,000; rural aid, $1,000,000; emergency school aid $2,000,000; reclamation and flood control $400,000, and departmental appropriations $600,000.

MARRS URGES ECONOMY IN SCHOOL TEXT BOOKS

AUSTIN, May 19. (AP)—Requests for requisitions for textbooks not in controversy as a result of contracts made by the textbook commission last December were sent to county and city superintendents today by State Supt. Marrs. Supt. Marrs urged school officials to make use of books on hand and to order no additional texts unless necessary. The 21 texts involved in the book controversy will not be requisitioned until the book matter is settled, Marrs said.

BAPTISTS SELECT ATLANTA AS NEXT MEETING PLACE

MOB VIOLENCE, MASKED OR UNMASKED, VIGOROUSLY CONDEMNED.

MARATHON DANCES ARE HELD DISGUSTING

Prohibition Laws Endorsed In Report Social Service Commission.

KANSAS CITY, MO., May 19. (AP)—The Southern Baptists convention in session here today selected Atlanta, Ga., as the place for the convention next year, endorsed the establishment of a seminary for negroes in Nashville, Tenn., and approved plans for the erection of a $2,000,000 hospital in New Orleans, La.

"Marathon dances" were characterized as disgusting exhibitions; mob violence, whether by persons masked or unmasked, was declared to "trample in the dust every human right," and prohibition laws were endorsed, in a report of the social service commission, adopted tonight by the convention. On the question of dancing, the report said in part:

"The ever-present and ever-insolent dance evil continues. The latest form of nauseating excess which this destroyer of the modesty and morals of manhood and womanhood has gone, is the disgusting exhibitions popularly known as 'marathon dancing.' Such exhibitions serve to show in a new light the incurable evil of indulgence which in its very nature is fleshly and sinful. Our pastors ought everywhere in the most emphatic terms condemn such evils.

"The recent action of New York in repealing its enforcement code is a disgrace to that state and an insult to the federal government," the report said in commenting on the 18th amendment.

"Enforcement in New York will be somewhat more difficult but prohibition will go forward, not backward. The question before the American people is not, shall we have prohibition, but shall orderly government prevail.

"The recent decision of the supreme court is in every way good for this cause. It is a surprise that it holds that American ships are exempt from the operation of a law of the United States when on the high seas or in foreign ports. But this easily can be remedied by the next congress through the enactment of a law to apply specifically to American ships everywhere. Meantime, it will not be very feasible for ships to stock and unstock with liquors at the three-mile limit."

A report of the relief and annuity board adopted today declared that the Southern Baptist convention is aiding 920 aged ministers and dependent members of their families. It declared that the board's resources were $1,430,193.59, which, according to the report, is inadequate. The board has projected a program calling for the raising of a total of $10,000,000 for future work.

"Such a fund will make possible an annual income each year of from $500,000 to $600,000 and will enable the board to do a worthy part by the aged Baptist ministe..." Dr. William Lunsford, corresponding secretary, said in presenting the report.

In selecting Atlanta as the next convention city, it was declared that, since the $75,000,000 campaign was started there in 1919, that city would be a good place in which to wind up the campaign.

TWO BIG SPRINGS MEN ARE ARRESTED NEAR LOS ANGELES

LOS ANGELES, May 19.—P. W. Howard of Big Springs, Texas, was arrested at Norwalk, near here, today by Sheriff H. J. Wade of Ward county, Texas, in connection with the slaying of N. V. Nickson, El Paso garage owner, September 20, 1920. At the same time it was announced that W. S. Ham, also of Big Springs, was arrested two days ago at La Habra, another suburb, in the same connection.

ABILENE, May 19. (AP)—The arrest of P. W. Howard at Los Angeles was confirmed today by the Taylor county sheriff's office, which furnished a tip to Sheriff Wade of Ward county. The local sheriff's office had been working on the case since last March, it was said.

N. V. Nickson was owner of a taxicab service at El Paso and was employed by two men to drive them to the Texas oil field, it is said here. Nickson disappeared, and later on a hunter found a body buried in the Monahans sands which was identified as Nickson's. Evidence tended to show that Nickson had been forced to dig his own grave, Deputy Sheriff W. T. St. John of Abilene asserted today.

POISON BOTTLE BESIDE BODY CORSICANA MAN

CORSICANA, May 19.—Harvest Elkins, 38, was found dead today with a bottle labelled "poison" at his side. He is survived by his wife and two sons.

Chaplain Flies 1000 Miles and Experiences Thrills to Preach Here

Chaplain Fultz, the "flying parson" of Fort Crockett, at Galveston, flew from one end of the great state of Texas to the other and a quarter of the way back again Saturday.

He flew above and under and in rain clouds for hundreds of miles.

He dropped two thousand feet in a parachute from an airplane with a leaking gas tank, and his parachute did not unfurl until the chaplain was within about a hundred feet of the ground.

He did all this and more that he might fill the pulpit of the First Baptist church in Wichita Falls this Sunday morning for his friend, Rev. O. L. Powers, the pastor, who is absent from the city.

Chaplain Fultz arrived in Wichita Falls Saturday evening tired and wet but not undaunted by his experiences of the day and will be ready to give his best at the church this morning. It may be said, however, that the chaplain has announced his intention of returning to Galveston by rail and not by air after completing his mission here.

Leave Galveston at Daybreak.

Leaving Galveston at daylight Saturday morning, piloted by Lieutenant Parkes of Ellington Field, Houston, the "Flying Parson" and the pilot landed at Dallas and started in on the last leg of their journey to Wichita Falls. The plane should have arrived here early in the afternoon, but instead Wichita was passed up in flight and the plane journeyed all the way to Amarillo before the mistake was discovered. Even at that the evangelistic party reached this city before dusk, and something like 500 unnecessary miles had been covered in the journey.

The first of the thrills accorded Chaplain Fultz came shortly after the start from Galvetson. The pilot kept his machine high and above the clouds and avoided the rain until his engine momentarily stopped. The plane ducked down under the clouds and into the rain before the engine again took up its work. Aside from a good wetting and a momentary holding of breath, the "Flying Parson" was little the worse for this experience.

Drops In Parachute.

As the plane neared Wichita on the return from Amarillo, the pilot discovered that he was out of gasoline due to a leak in the tank when his engine stopped. The chaplain was given orders to buckle on the parachute and jump, as this would lighten the plane some 200 pounds and allow for more time in which to land the plane. The "Flying Parson" climbed over the side of the plane and with a word of encouragement from the pilot, he let go.

Down through what the chaplain said seemed miles and miles of nothing but space he dropped. He looked up at the parachute and it gave no signs of opening. Then when it seemed as if the ground was about to jump up and meet him there was a loud report from above and the parachute was open. A glide of a hundred feet to the earth and the "Flying Parson" was ready to preach his two sermons Sunday. The parachute was new and had been dampened in the flight causing it to stick together.

Chaplain Fultz is the original "Flying Parson," he having been the first pastor to make the journey to a pulpit in airplane, but he says this is the most eventful of all the air trips he has made. In September, 1921, Chaplain Fultz created quite a bit of comment when he flew from Houston to Galveston to occupy the pulpit at Fort Crockett. On this occasion the congregation at Ellington Field also made the trip to Fort Crockett in airplanes. This was the first time on record that a minister had travelled from one pulpit to another via the air.

Chaplain Fultz is occupying the pulpit at the First Baptist Church upon the invitation of Dr. O. L. Powers, who is out of the city.

SPIRITED CONTEST FOR DENVER SHOPS NOW IN PROSPECT

OTHER CITIES EXPECTED TO MAKE EFFORT TO OBTAIN BIG INDUSTRY.

NO CERTAINTY THAT REMOVAL IS PLANNED

Vernon, Quanah and Fort Worth Said to Have Taken Steps In Matter.

FORT WORTH, May 19.—When and where the shops of the Fort Worth and Denver railroad which burned at Childress, Thursday, with a loss of $200,000 will be rebuilt has not been decided, it was stated by F. E. Clarity, vice president and general manager. Temporary facilities have been secured at Childress, Clarity said.

The announcement Saturday that negotiations would be started this week with a view to moving the Fort Worth & Denver shops to this city from Childress, where a destructive fire occurred recently, is expected to result in a brisk contest for this important industry.

Although no publicity has been given the matter, it is understood here that both Quanah and Vernon citizens have taken the matter up with Denver officials, on behalf of their respective communities, and there are also reports that Fort Worth will endeavor to have the shops removed there.

There is no certainty at all that the shops will be removed from Childress, but there are several indications that Denver officials are contemplating a change in the location. It is known that business men of Childress would make a determined effort to prevent the shops being moved away from there.

Wichita Falls has made similar efforts in the past, without success. The developments in the new situation will be followed with interest by all northwest Texas.

Mr. Clarity notified the chamber of commerce late Saturday that he would be here Saturday afternoon to confer informally with the local committee.

Houston Judge Sets New Record In Divorce Cases

HOUSTON, May 19.—Judge J. D. Harvey in district court here today granted 212 divorces in 245 minutes. This record surpasses any previously recorded here.

The cases were virtually in all instances non-contested.

Among the divorces granted was one to Mrs. Audrey Harrison. She was taken from her home in Goose Creek January 5 by disguised men and flogged. An investigation was followed by a grand jury report referring to conditions at Goose Creek as "reign of terror."

Three weeks ago 26 indictments were returned by a Harris county grand jury involving floggings at Goose Creek.

The divorce action of Mrs. Harrison had no connection with the flogging case, it is understood.

REVOLUTIONARIES ARE DEFEATED IN BRAZIL

MONTEVEDIO, URUGUAY, May 19.—Advices received from Riviera confirm previous reports of the defeat of the Brazil revolutionaries near Bage. Many of the rebels who cross the Uruguayan frontier were disarmed by the officers of this nation.

ANOTHER DEATH AS RESULT OF TRAGEDY IN SOUTH CAROLINA

ASSISTANT CASHIER CAMDEN BANK VICTIM OF THE FLAMES.

TELEGRAMS OF SYMPATHY FROM ALL OVER NATION

Condition of Injured Reported Virtually Unchanged—All Will Recover.

CAMDEN, S. C., May 19.—With the death shortly after 1 o'clock this morning of Thomas B. Humphries, assistant cashier of the Bank of Camden, the death list from the fire which Thursday night destroyed the Cleveland graded school eight miles from here, reached 75.

All banks in the city were closed today out of respect for Mr. Humphries, and business houses were requested to close between the hours of 11 a. m. and 1:30 p. m., while funeral services were being held at Beulah church at Antioch and Athurses here.

Camden and Kershaw county chamber of commerce and interested persons met this morning in the chamber of commerce room with Rev. F. H. Harding, the president of the chamber, presiding. Announcement of relief measures was made and more than $2,000 was reported on hand or pledged by local citizens.

Telegrams of condolence and sympathy with offers of relief from all over the nation were read.

The condition of the injured today remained virtually unchanged, according to reports from attending doctors. None are considered critical, although physicians said that internal injuries received in leaping from second story windows might in some cases develop.

Harding Finds Solace in Pipe When Critics Rail

WASHINGTON, May 19.—President Harding after reading assaults on his administration sometimes lays down and turns "to a fresh pipe of tobacco for consolation," he says in a letter to Senator Harrison, democrat, Mississippi. The letter was occasioned by an article written by Senator Harrison concerning the visit of the executive's father, Dr. George Harding, to New Orleans, to attend the confederate reunion.

"I am writing you," the executive said, "to thank you for the kindly things you have said concerning him and his visit and the courteous reference you have made to the present occupant of the White House.

"In your capacity of chief party trouble maker in the senate you have said some things which have made me lay my newspaper down and turn to a fresh pipe of tobacco for consolation. This very generous and considerate article has antidoted all the things that have gone before."

Rice Freshman Gets Excitement Also a Lecture

HOUSTON, TEXAS, May 19.—Beating a lion about the head and face isn't the most education thing in the world but judging from the actions of T. B. Stubbs, Rice Institute freshman, it does afford a bit of excitement. "Slim" Stubbs was walking through the city zoo when he espied a pap lion, Caesar by name, sleeping in his cage. Stubbs was bored, so without any forewarning he walked to the cage and hauled off and smitted the king of beasts one migty blow in the right eye. The beast was aroused and caused a rumpus. Stubbs was arrested charged with teasing the animals, given a lecture on humane treatment of dumb animals and got his name in the papers.

San Angelo Prepares to Entertain 10,000 Visitors at Convention of West Texas Chamber of Commerce

By United Press.

SAN ANGELO, TEXAS, May 19.—More than 10,000 visitors are expected here Monday to attend the opening day session of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Twenty-five bands, 19 of them competing for $2,000 in prizes; sponsors from 102 cities and towns, and one representing the stat of Texas, participating in an historical pageant and an open air "cowboy banquet" at which plates will be laid for 4,000 are features which are expected to draw the huge crowd.

The occasion will be the fifth annual convention of the chamber, this year being the largest regional chamber of commerce gathering in the United States.

More than 7,500 business and professional men, trades people and producers are members of the organization.

Nine special trains will bring hundreds to the convention from Fort Worth, Dallas, Waco, Plainview, Lubbock, Sweetwater, Chillicothe, Brownwood and Stamford. The Santa Fe has arranged to park 44 Pullmans in its yards and the Orient railroad will handle more than a score of sleepers. Twenty-five hundred persons will sleep on their Pullmans, 4,000 will camp in the tourists parks and elsewhere along the rivers, local hotels will accommodate 1,500, and over 4,000 visitors will be received in private homes, according to arrangements made by local officials, most of the visitors are expected to come by automobile.

The sponsors will appear in the grand finale of the pageant, "In the Shadow of Fort Concho," tracing the development of West Texas from frontier days when Fort Concho was an army post, down to the present time. The massed bands will furnish music for both the pageant and a parade Wednesday afternoon.

Vernon, Lubbock, Graham, Amarillo, Brownwood, Mineral Wells and Brady are expected to enter bids for the next convention. The selection will be made and officers chosen at the open air banquet in the Santa Fe park Wednesday, when the massed bands will play for the last time.

Governor Pat Neff, Louis J. Wortham, publisher of Fort Worth, E. J. Hosey of Armour and Company, Alvin Owsley, national commander of the American Legion and William Randolph Hearst are among the prominent speakers on the program.

Governor Neff will be accompanied by his daughter, Miss Hallie Mae Neff, who will be "Lady Texas" in the pageant, officials representing the entire state.

Golf, tennis, trap shooting, swimming, boating, cowboy sports, open air dances each evening and a round of refreshments, teas, luncheons and motor rides for visiting women will furnish entertainment for the visitors.

MOTION PICTURE MAN FILES SUIT AGAINST AUSTIN POLICE CHIEF

AUSTIN, May 19.—Suit for $20,000 damage growing out of the recent bitter fight waged by the city police department on operators of motion picture shows was filed today in district court by J. J. Hegman, motion picture proprietor, against police commissioner Harry W. Nolen, chief of police J. H. Rogers and their sureties. The suit followed a move today by motion picture operators to close concessions operated by the city at Barton Springs municipal bathing pool on Sunday and extend filing of complaints for Sunday violations to paid musicians playing and singing in Austin churches.

MIDNIGHT FIRE CAUSES DAMAGE TO DWELLING

Damages in the amount of about $1,000 were caused by fire at 12 o'clock Saturday night to the house at 2207 Austin street. The house was owned by Mrs. Ed Wagner. The origin of the fire was unknown.

GERMAN MARK AT LOWEST FIGURE ON EXCHANGE MARKET

NEW YORK, May 19.—German marks fell to a low figure in the foreign exchange market here today, being quoted at .0019875 cent apiece, or more than 50,000 for $1. Today's figure was a new low for all time, the lowest figure previously quoted being .002025 cent early this year.

CHILD FALLS INTO SHALLOW TANK AND IS DROWNED

FORT WORTH, May 19.—Two-year-old Leonard Kennedy, son of a farmer near Fort Worth, fell in a shallow tank late yesterday and was drowned.

NEW ORLEANS HAS FLOOD SATURDAY

NEW ORLEANS, May 19.—New Orleans today had a taste of what Beaumont experienced yesterday when 3.02 inches of of rain fell here between 7 a. m., and 1:30 p. m. The rain was accompanied by a high wind and severe electrical storm which damaged property considerably.

OWSLEY WOULD QUALIFY ENDORSEMENT FOR U. S. TRAINING CAMP PLAN

INDIANAPOLIS, May 19. (AP)—In opening the session of the national executive committee of the American Legion today, National Commander Alvin Owsley declared it was his opinion that the legion should refrain from any but a formal endorsement of the government's military training camp project until given assurance that equality would be established off the battlefield as well as on. His statement referred to the recent defeat of the Bursum bill for the relief of disabld emergency officers.

Mr. Owsley said in speaking of the immigration situation that a survey of unemployment showed more than 300,000 men out of work this year. He again reiterated the legion's stand for limiting all immigration over a fixed period of years.

Striking German Workers Given Ultimatum That They Must Work Or Be Expelled From the Ruhr

By Universal Service.

DUSSELDORF, May 19.—Striking German workers have received an ultimatum from the French military authorities warning them that unless they return to work within 48 hours, they with their families will be expelled from the Ruhr.

A dispatch from Essen says that Dr. Klinkhardt, a lawyer who defended many Germans arrested by the French, has been sentenced to three months in jail and a fine of one million marks for remarks about the "sloppy uniforms" of the French attaches of the military courts.

In addressing a republican jubilee at Frankfort today Baron von Bradenstein said:

"We republicans keenly feel France's brutal military regime in the Rhineland, Ruhr and Saar. Enemies of the republic could not wish for a better ally than Premier Poincare. We did not remove militarism from Germany in order to exchange it for a reign of the sword by His Majesty Poincare."

German police at Treves, in the Rhineland, broke up an attempt by separatists, said to be followers of Josef Smeets, leader of the Rhineland republic movement, to seize the electrical works there. German officials believe the French fostered the attack.

At Dortmund strikes are spreading and the miners are demanding a fifty percent increase in wages. Several mines closed today. Communists are taking advantage of the unrest to spread red propaganda.

DEATH OF STUDENT HELD BY CORONER TO BE ACCIDENTAL

SEQUEL TO HAZING EPISODE AT NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY.

MILLS TAKES SPOTLIGHT IN LEIGHTON MOUNT CASE

Wires Investigators That Palmer Is Innocent of Knowledge of Crime.

CHICAGO, May 19.—The death of Louis Aubere, Northwestern University student killed in an automobile accident as an alleged sequel to a hazing episode, was held to be an "unavoidable accident" by a coroner's jury late today.

An automobile loaded with students searching for a classmate kidnaped by rival classmen collided with another car, according to police reports at the time Aubere was killed and several students hurt.

Some time after the accident, Roscoe Conklin Fitch, a student being quizzed in the Leighton Mount mystery, told John Sbarbaro, assistant states attorney, that one of the automobiles colliding was willfully "slugged" and then retracted this assertion, as well as an alleged admission in the Mount case.

The coroner's jury absolved the students with Aubere from all blame and recommended that a bridge at the scene be widened to "avoid further accidents."

J. Allen Mills, 1921 freshman class president at Northwestern University again took the spotlight in the Mount investigation tonight by wiring state's investigators that Charles "Chuck" Palmer, football star, is innocent of any knowledge of Mount's mysterious death.

Mills, who was brought here from Akron, Ohio, some time ago and questioned, also telegraphed John Sbarbaro, assistant states attorney, that he "is morally sure" two other men will "break under pressure."

The telegram was sent from Akron. Mills was a close friend of Palmer, who was questioned after Mrs. Vjolet Bachman had told officials that Palmer declared to her "he knew where Mount was," shortly after Mount's disappearance.

Sbarbaro said he regarded the Mills telegram suggesting the two other men be questioned as merely another "tip."

Following his release from jail where he was held without charge, Palmer tonight was a hero on Northwestern campus.

NEW MEXICO GIRL SEEKS REVENGE FOR SLAYING OF FATHER

CARRIZO, May 19.—Bessie Hurt, 16, daughter of Robert Hurt, who was killed last January, was held in custody of the sheriff's wife here today, as a result of an alleged assault upon George Titsworth, head of a large chain of New Mexico mercantile stores.

The girl is charged with having shot and slightly wounded Titsworth in front of his office here. The shooting, authorities believed followed a long family feud of the cattle country.

Titsworth is a brother to Will Titsworth, held under bond charged with shooting the girl's father.

She is alleged to have started firing at the merchant upon coming upon him. He endeavored to take the pistol from her hands, witnesses said, but she continued firing until its chambers were exhausted. Only one bullet took effect.

Miss Hurt pleaded not guilty, but was held as a delinquent in the charge of the sheriff's wife.

"FEAST OF WEEKS" TO BE OBSERVED SUNDAY

"The Feast of Weeks" will be observed by the congregation of Temple Israel Sunday evening with a special service at the temple starting at 7:30. There will be a special musical program and an address by Dr. Goldberg.

ELECT PRESIDENT OKLAHOMA A. & M. LEGION PROTESTS

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA., May 19.—George Wilson, an organizer of the Oklahoma Farmer-Labor Reconstruction League, was elected president of the Oklahoma A. & M. College by the state board of agriculture here today. Wilson's appointment marked the climax of a long fight in which the American League vigorously opposed him. His election was by a vote of 3 to 2, now members of the board recently appointed by Governor J. C. Walton supporting him.

Following the meeting of the board, John A. Whitehurst, president, issued a statement declaring "this is a tragedy in the school life of Oklahoma."

Opposition of the legion to Wilson was based on his alleged statement that "every time I see an American Legion button I want to shoot a hole through it."

The executive committee of the legion conducted an investigation of the charge which terminated yesterday in a closed hearing attended by Wilson. At its conclusion a resolution was made public stating the charges had been substantiated and that the legion opposed his appointment to any state position.

Copies of the resolution were in the hands of each member of the board today but they were not read and no mention was made of the legion's stand.

NEW JURY TRIAL SETTINGS IN COUNTY COURT AT LAW

Settings of non-jury cases for the week of May 28 have been made in the county court at law as follows:

5908—Adams Bros. & Prince vs. Magnolia Petroleum Co., garnishment.
5955—First State Bank, Iowa Park, vs. J. F. Hightower, debt.
5957—City National Bank vs. Wichita State Bank & Trust Co., garnishment.
5958—City National Bank vs. Jacob Martin Jr., debt.
5959—Auto Tire Co. of West Texas, garnishment.
5960—H. A. O'Neil vs. H. L. White, injunction.
5961—W. L. Dalton vs. C. H. Bailes, debt.
5962—J. L. Mears vs. Mrs. Flora Walker Harris, appealed Precinct 1.
5963—Wilson Hydraulic Cem. Pulling Machine Co. vs. F. G. Dow, debt.
5964—Mary Lou Baker vs. L. C. Baker, debt.
5967—Belmont Casket Co. vs. W. S. Miller, debt.
5968—S. S. Kouri vs. Wichita Ice Co., appealed Precinct 1.
5971—Perkins Timberlake Co. vs. Fred A. Farmer, debt.
5972—J. H. Patton et al. vs. J. M. Watson, appealed Precinct 1.
5974—American Lava Co. vs. M. T. Killion, appealed Precinct 1.
5975—St. Louis Southern Ry. Co. vs. C. D. Shamberger, debt.
5976—F. T. Childers vs. M. R. Deiss et al., debt.
5978—Kincaid & Kimball Tmc. vs. Campbell Mercantile Co., debt.
5980—J. F. Tubbs et al. vs. L. F. Wilson, from Erath county.
5981—H. R. Hanks vs. J. A. Smith, debt.
5982—Lewis-Tittle Hdw. Co. vs. Bert Adrian et al., debt.
5983—Edward Schaffke et al. vs. P. L. McDonald, garnishee, garnishment.
5987—Mexia Gasoline Co. vs. Orient Petroleum Co., appealed Precinct 1.
5988—R. A. Toombs Sash & Door Co. vs. Bert Adrian et al., debt.
5990—L. L. Boardman et al. vs. Gulf Production Co., debt.
5991—A. D. Grimes vs. Texas Loan & Mtg. Co., garnishment.
5992—Collier Bros. Hdw. Co. vs. Mrs. Agner Turner, debt.
5993—N. G. Evans vs. A. J. McNess, appealed Precinct 2.
5994—United States Torpedo Co. vs. Bankers Oil Co., debt.
5995—Fred Vermilyea vs. H. B. Scofield, debt.
5996—Fred Vermilyea vs. Chas. Smoot et al, garnishment.
5998—Maxwell Hdw. Co. vs. Pure Milk Products Co., debt.
5999—Oil Well Supply Co. vs. M. C. Hale et al, debt.
6000—Oil Well Supply Co. vs. John O'Neil et al, garnishment.
6001—F. T. Childers vs. First National Bank of Wichita Falls, garnishment.

HAYNES AUTOMOBILE CO. WILL BE MERGED WITH TWO OTHER COMPANIES

KOKOMO, IND., May 19.—Directors of the Haynes Automobile Company have approved a merger with two other automobile manufacturing companies, the Dorris of St. Louis, and the Winton of Cleveland, it was announced today. The combined companies would represent a capitalization of $19,000,000. A meeting of the Haynes Company stockholders to act on the proposal has been called for May 25.

ONLY THREE BUILDING PERMITS LAST WEEK FOR TOTAL OF $7495

Building permits reported during the week ending May 19 were the lowest in both number and amount of any week during the current year. Only three permits were granted from the office of the city clerk during the week; the expenditure involved in the permits issued amounted to only $7,495.

Several homes known to be under construction have not been reported and permits have not been granted. City Clerk W. E. McBroom called attention to the fact that persons building new homes or making improvements of any kind where the expenditure exceeded $50 were required by the city ordinance to secure a permit. There is no charge for issuing a permit but the law provides for a penalty for failure to apply for one.

Permits granted during the week were: Mrs. Mattie Shelton, 2402 Buchanan, one six-room residence, $2,000; M. E. Taylor, 1407 Garfield, one six-room residence, $4,450; W. L. Anschn, 303 Travis, garage, $45.

ST. JOSEPH GAZETTE IS SOLD TO NEW YORK MAN

ST. JOSEPH, MO., May 19.—Announcement was made today that the St. Joseph Gazette, one of the oldest newspapers in the middlewest, had passed from the control of Charles D. Morris to that of George A. McClelland of New York.

IMMUNITY PLEA IS ARGUED BY TWO IN FORT WORTH CASES

FORT WORTH, May 19.—Arguments on a plea of immunity by Charles Sherwin and Harry Schwarz indicted in connection with the promotions of the General Lee development interests, were resumed today before Federal Judge Benjamin F. Bledsoe.

At the conclusion Judge Bledsoe adjourned court until Monday when he will deliver his decision.

The plea is based on the contention that Sherwin and Schwarz furnished information of the federal trade commission evidence on which the indictment was based. The question is a novel one according to counsel, and is not directly covered by the statute giving immunity to a man subpoenaed by the trade commission and giving testimony on which an indictment is based.

Government witnesses were Postoffice Inspector Swenson and Special Assistant United States Attorney Arterberry. Both testified they knew of no federal trade commission investigation of the defendant's prior to the grand jury inquiry and that no evidence gained by that commission was used in the criminal investigation.

OFFICER ARRIVES IN HONDURAS TO BRING CLARA TO AMERICA

SEEKS TO ARRANGE FOR DEPORTATION WITHOUT DELAY.

UNEXPECTEDLY DELAYED EXTRADITION DOCUMENTS

Careful Watch Being Maintained Result Fears She May Suicide.

By HERMAN ROBLETO
Written for the United Press
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TEGUCIGALPA, HONDURAS, May 19.—Hoping to bring Clara Phillips back to Los Angeles jail, from which she escaped months ago only to roam over Mexico and fall into hands of authorities here, Under Sheriff Biscailuse, Los Angeles County, tonight is attempting to arrange for her deportation.

Extradition documents have been delayed and Biscailuse fears she may commit suicide or escape.

"I would rather die than return to San Quentin for life," she told authorities.

A careful watch is being maintained over her.

American Minister Morales has arranged a conference with the president of Honduras. He will seek to have the "hammer murderess," convicted of slaying Mrs. Alberta Meadows, turned over to Biscailuse immediately.

Clara greeted Biscailuse in sullen silence when he confronted her at police headquarters, in the presence of the American minister and local authorities. "Well, Clara, you gave us a merry chase," Biscailuse said, smiling.

The "tiger woman" only stared intently at the floor. "Yes," he continued, "and we are going to take you back."

Ignored Officers.

Still she gave no sign that she knew he was in the room.

It developed after the sheriff's arrival that the woman who was held here as "Mrs. Young," and who for a time posed as Clara, is a sister of the murderess. She is known in Los Angeles as Etta May Weaver. When she was brought into the room, the sheriff looked at her and said: "It was quite cute of you to ask me to get Clara's clothes after she had made her escape." When Etta May did not answer, he continued:

"Where was Clara when you asked for her clothes?"

She shrugged her shoulders at this. "How did I know?" she said. "I wanted to get them to keep for myself."

Officials fear there may be some difficulty in the extradition proceedings. Etta May is not wanted in California and the Jesse Carson, who posed as the husband of Clara is facing no California indictment. In view of these circumstances, it is considered likely that only Clara will be brought back.

Stamps for sale at Times office.—

DEATHS.

Samuel T. Gafford

Samuel T. Gafford, aged 46, died at the General Hospital at 7 o'clock Friday evening after a short illness. Funeral services were held from the chapel of Merkle-Lunn Undertaking Company at 4 p. m., Saturday, with Rev. S. A. Barnes of the Floral Heights Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in Rosemont.

He had been a resident of this city for some time, and lived at 1609 Bluff street. He is survived by his widow and a 16-year-old son.

BROWNWOOD.—The Brownwood American Legion Post has plans under way for the erection of a large open-air stadium. The stadium will be constructed to accommodate athletic events during the present season.

Richardson's Bargain Basement Monday

Basement American National Bank Building
Corner Eighth and Indiana

25c Kalburnie Ginghams, 4½ yards	88c
25c Ginghams, 6 yards for	88c
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6 Yards, 27 inch striped Tissue Gingham	88c
6 Yards striped Dimity for	88c
12½c Gingham Checks, 10 yards	88c
Mercerized Pongee, 2 yards	88c
45c Voiles, 3 yards for	88c
25c Mavis Talcum Powder	15c
25c Colgates Tooth Paste	15c
50c Hines Honey Almond Cream	35c
50c Nadine Face Powder, box	35c
50c Mavis Face Powder	35c
50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste	35c
$1 "Coty" Face Powder	75c
15c Bottles Peroxide	8c
50c Dyan Shine Polish	25c
25c Violets of Sicily, Talc Powder	15c

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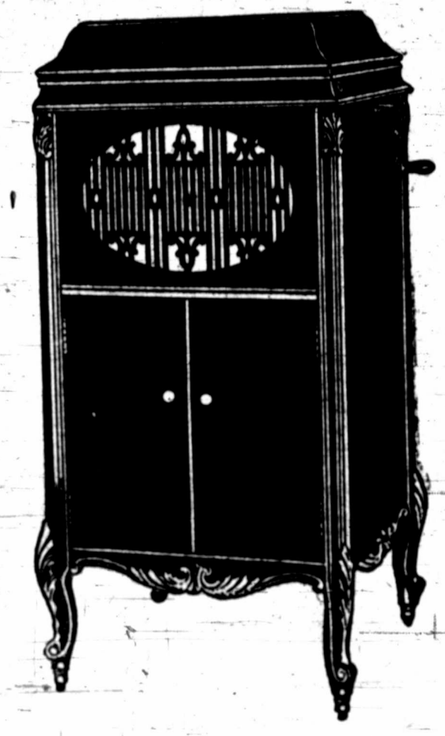

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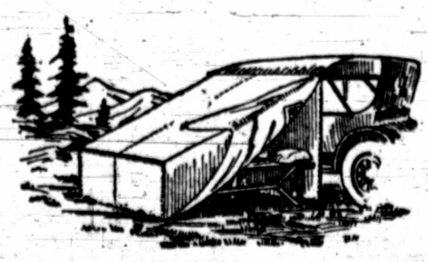

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COMMISSIONERS FOR BURKBURNETT NAMED SATURDAY

FIVE ARE ELECTED UNDER PROVISIONS OF NEW CITY CHARTER.

WILL SELECT MAYOR FROM AMONG NUMBER

W. S. Duval, T. B. Browning, Glenn Kincaid, A. R. Thomas and A. W. White Chosen.

BURKBURNETT, TEXAS, May 19. W. S. Duval, T. B. Browning, Glenn Kincaid, A. R. Thomas and A. W. White were elected city commissioners today to serve under the recently adopted charter.

The commissioners will draw for long and short terms, and will elect one of their number to serve as mayor.

There were nine candidates today, the count being as follows: W. S. Duval 166, T. B. Browning 138, Glenn Kincaid 136, A. R. Thomas 130, A. W. White 115, E. Wyatt 103, Wm. Burrows 78, W. M. Carver 71, T. J. Mansfield 65.

Married Thursday.

The marriage of Mrs. Callie McDonald and R. P. Dorian took place last Thursday night. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. D. Montgomery at the bride's home on Sixth and Avenue D streets. Mrs. McDonald has resided in Burkburnett the past four years and has during that time conducted a boarding house and has made many friends. Mr. Dorian is a rig builder and has resided in Burkburnett for the past three years.

Plan Marathon Dance.

An announcement has been made by the management of the Burkburnett Athletic Club that beginning Wednesday noon, May 30, a marathon dance will be staged in the club hall located at the rear of the Liberty Drug store. It was stated that at least six contestants will make the start in an effort to break the world's record.

Fined On Vagrancy Charge.

Two girls arrested by city officers in a shack on east Third street were tried in city court Thursday. One of the girls plead guilty and was assessed a fine while the other plead not guilty and a trial jury was empaneled which resulted in a verdict of guilty, a fine of $100 and costs being assessed as a penalty on a charge of vagrancy. A large number of residents of the neighborhood were summoned as witnesses in the case which attracted a large crowd to the court room.

REELECTED PRESIDENT OF PHARMACY BOARD

WILFORD HARRISON

For the third successive year, Wilford Harrison, Wichita Falls druggist, was elected president of the Texas state board of pharmacy at a meeting of the board at Houston last week.

W. H. Cousins of Dallas, formerly of Wichita Falls, was reelected secretary, and C. A. Elland of Munday, treasurer.

The next meeting of the board will be held at Fort Worth in September.

At the Houston meeting 124 applicants for pharmacists' license were examined by the board.

DERDEN CALLED BY DEATH SATURDAY; WELL KNOWN HERE

Word was received Saturday afternoon that A. T. Derden, aged 70, for several years a resident of this city, died at Marlin, Texas, at 1:30 p. m. Saturday after a month's illness. Mr. Derden came to this city about 14 years ago, and was well known here. He had been living in Marlin for about three years, it is said.

Mr. Derden is survived by three sons, C. V. Derden of this city, Will Derden of Marlin, Homer Derden of San Antonio, and one granddaughter, Miss Eva Derden of Marlin. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Electra News Budget

ELECTRA, TEXAS, May 19.—Electra Rotarians will start work immediately on raising a loan fund to help worthy boys go to college. Twenty young men graduate this week in the local high school, and it is the purpose of the club to encourage all of them to stay in school. It is hoped to have a fund of $1,000 in hand by September 1.

Local Rotarians will go to Burkburnett Tuesday to conduct the regular weekly program of the organization at that place. The Wichita Falls Rotary Club will have charge of the program here Friday, May 21. J. A. Brannen is president of the local organization, while Buford O. Brown is chairman of the special program committee.

Clothing for Armenians.

Under direction of Mrs. E. J. Torvie, president of the Parent-Teacher Association, a drive for clothing to go to Armenian orphans and widows will be made here from May 21 to 26. LeBus Hall is the assembly station, and persons who have no way of getting their gift to the hall are asked to telephone Mrs. Torvie, when an automobile will be sent for it.

Sermon to Graduates.

The annual sermon to graduates of the high school will be preached Sunday morning in the Methodist church by Rev. Byron Hester, pastor of the local Christian church. Graduating exercises for the junior high will be conducted Monday night in the auditorium of Waggoner school. Mabel Davis is valedictorian and Mary Dean Reneau is salutatorian. Sitxty-five pupils will receive diplomas.

S. A. L. Bridge Club.

The S. A. L. Bridge Club was entertained this week by Miss Allie Randall at the home of Mrs. R. B. Magee. Miss Armilda Jane Magee passed the tallies for four tables of bridge. Mints were served throughout the games. High score was won by Miss Leta Mae Cocke, and Miss Christine Workman of Plainview won guest prize. Prize for low score went to Miss Eleanor Hyter. A dainty luncheon plate was served to Misses Orpah Dennis, Ruth Simpson, Leta Mae Cocke, Josephine Hagen, Faye Moore, Lottie Mae Gibson, Christine Workman, Ruth Prince, Irene Aderholt, Harriet Barwise, Mary McGann, Carrie Cross, Jewel Nowlin of Vernon, Eleanor Hyter, Arlene Wood, and Mesdames J. A. Randall of Vernon and J. W. Gookin.

Mrs. Underwood Hostess.

Mrs. W. L. Underwood was hostess at her home on Summit avenue to ladies of the Presbyterian church in the auxiliary meeting. Devotional and Bible study were led by Mrs. C. C. Dooley. After a business meeting refreshments were served. Next week's meeting will be at the home of Mrs. E. E. Merkt.

Primo Bridge Club.

The Primo Bridge Club was the guest of Mrs. A. S. Haaf on West Roosevelt avenue. High score went to Mrs. J. T. McDannald. Refreshments were served to Mesdames B. M. Fisher, M. D. Goldsmith, J. H. Harris, J. M. Hemby, S. C. Hyter, B. V. Magee, E. E. Merkt, J. T. McDannald, I. K. Williams, T. H. Smith and Ed Campbell.

Mrs. Jones Hostess.

Mrs. Homer Jones was hostess to the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home on East Ida avenue. Mrs. Earl Calk won high score and Mrs. A. N. Bratton took consolation. Candy was served throughout the afternoon. A salad and ice course was served to Mesdames J. B. Barnes, R. N. Richardson, W. D. Cross, Roy Miller, G. D. Ezelle, Earl Calk, Percy Bones, A. N. Bratton, Frank Lebus, Clyde Cole and J. R. Nesbit.

Leave for Memphis.

Byron T. Johnson, manager of the chamber of commerce and agriculture, went last night to Memphis, Tenn., where he is to lead a discussion on membership problems before the annual meeting of the southern commercial secretaries. Mrs. Johnson and Byron Jr. went as far as Little Rock, Ark., where they will visit relatives. Mr. Johnson is taking along a quantity of Electra butter which will be served at the All-Southern Products dinner.

ANNUAL MEETING OF SUNSHINE STATE IS HELD

The annual meeting of the officers of the Sunshine State Refining company held this week in the company's headquarters at Roswell, New Mexico, the following officers and directors were elected: G. C. Jensen, president; W. F. Ramming, vice-president; H. M. Larkum, secretary and treasurer; H. P. Tilden, assistant treasurer; G. C. Jensen, W. F. Ramming, H. M. Larkum, J. E. Wolf, L. F. Ramming, A. H. Britain, H. P. Tilden, F. G. Keyes, and F. W. Prechel, directors.

STUDENT OF RICE INSTITUTE FOUND, DESERTS SCHOOL

ATLANTA, GA., May 19.—Miller Hutchison Alexander, reported in dispatches from Houston, Texas, tonight as having disappeared from Rice Institute, where he was a senior, is at Goose Creek, Texas, in the oil fields, according to word received here by his father, Hooper Alexander, former United States district attorney.

Mr. Alexander stated tonight that his son had a good position in the oil fields last summer and that last Monday he had a chance to make a similar connection for this summer and left Housto nhurriedly, not having time to notify the school authorities. He probably would return in time for the graduation exercises, the father stated.

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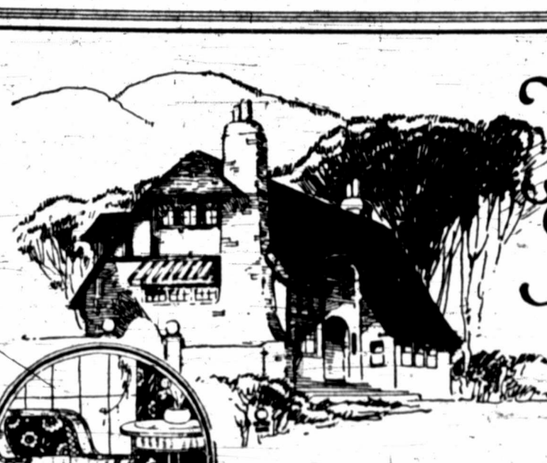

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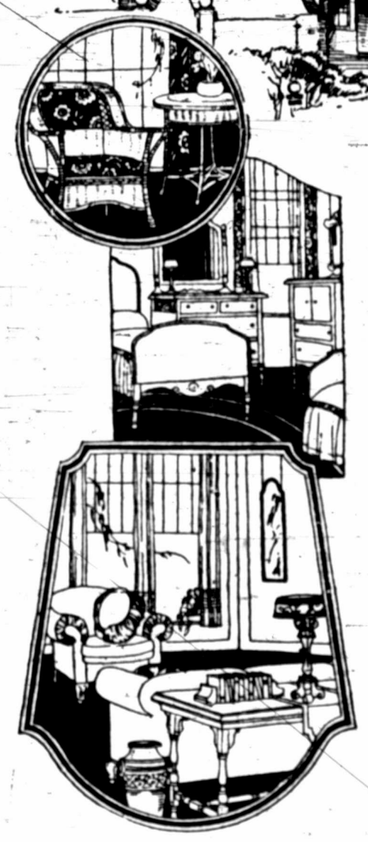

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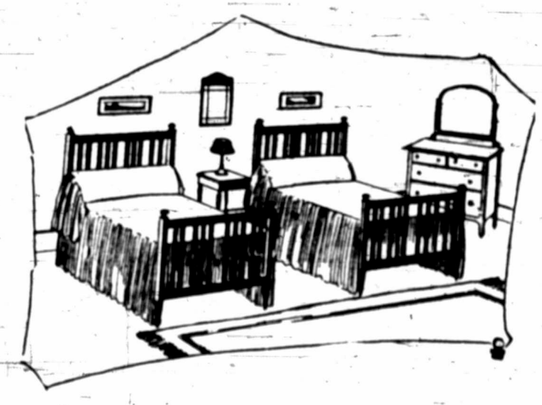

Bedroom Furniture

We are showing a large assortment of furniture for the bedroom. In summer the bedroom becomes one of the most important rooms of the home. Along with style, comfort is the uppermost thought for restful sleep is the main essential during the hot summer nights. The suites come in plain walnut, oak, ivory, mahogany and the beautiful two-tone effects. You may have twin beds if you desire.

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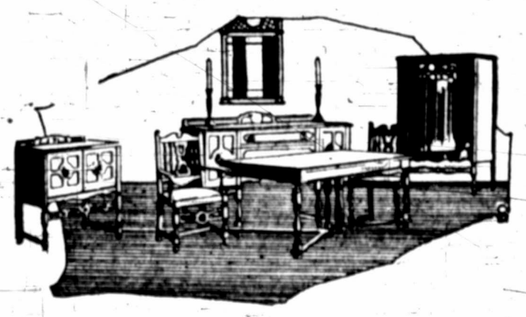

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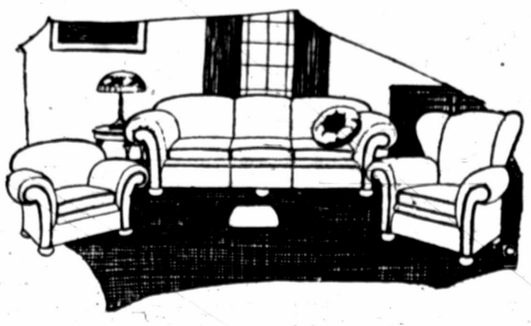

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SHRINE COUNCIL IN SESSION SATURDAY; CLINE IS HONORED

WICHITAN NAMED PRESIDENT AT MEETING HERE OF TEXAS TEMPLES.

NO JURISDICTIONAL CHANGES PLANNED

Shriners May Hold Outing at Galveston; Noted Members Attend Meeting.

W. D. Cline of Wichita Falls was elected president of the Texas Shrine Council at its semi-annual meeting Staurday. Other officers named were: Jake Zurn of Fort Worth, first vice president; P. B. Doty of Beaumont, second vice-president; Fred E. Rightor of Austin, reelected secretary-treasurer.

Mr. Cline presided at the session in the absence of P. D. Mathis of San Antonio who has been president for the past year.

The council unanimously adopted a report submitted by the special committee headed by B. B. Dickinson of Austin, recommending no change in the present status of jurisdictional lines between the Texas Temples.

An invitation from Galveston Shriners for a Shriners' outing at Galveston some time this summer was referred to a committee for recommendation to the separate Temples.

The council discussed plans for a Masonic Club home at A. & M. College, referring the matter to the Temples for action.

Several other routine matters were given attention at the meeting, which ended early Saturday afternoon. Other than an informal luncheon at the Wichita Club at noon, no entertainment features were provided, it being a work session.

A number of notables among Texas Shriners attended the meeting, among them being:

Potentate Tracy, Past Potentate C. A. Soule and Past Potentate John T. Lomax of Alzafar Temple, San Antonio; Past Potentate B. S. Dickenson, Record J. M. Munster and W. D. C. Jones of Ben Hur Temple, Austin; Past Potentate C. H. Leavell, Julian Lorentzen of El Maida Temple, El Paso; P. B. Doty, Recorder C. M. Wolston, Past Potentate W. L. Norwood and Potentate F. C. Fullbright of El Mina Temple, Galveston; Potentate Al Reed, Past Potentate Sam P. Cochran, Past Potentate H. B. Grave, Recorder Asher Minth of Hella Temple, Dallas; Past Potentate Jake Zurn, Past Potentate John Waldrop, Past Potentate W. S. Cooke of Moslah Temple, Fort Worth; W. D. Cline Frank Collier, Richard Ramsey, L. O. Hawkins, Al Ellis of Maskat Temple, Wichita Falls; Past Potentate George Stapleton of Khiva Temple, Amarillo; Past Potentate Frank C. Jones and Past Potentate G. H. Pruteer of Arabia Temple, Houston. Mr. Jones is Imperial First Ceremonial Master of the Imperial Council.

The next meeting will be held probably in the fall, at a time and place to be designated by the president.

JAPANESE GUNBOAT IS USED TO QUELL RIOTS

HONOLULU, May 19.—A Japanese gunboat was rushed from Hankow to Shanghai tonight to quell anti-Japanese riots there according to a Tokio dispatch to the Jiji, Japanese language newspaper here.

According to the dispatch the riots were caused when Chinese students boarded Japanese steamers to Ascertain the names of Chinese merchants importing Japanese goods.

Hurry. Hurry.

The Big Closing Out Sale will last only one more week. All must sell regardless of prices. Shoes, 95 cents per pair. Walker & Grant Sales Co., McClurkan old stand, Seventh and Ohio street.—adv.

INGALLS BROTHERS STOCK PROMOTERS HELD IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, May 19.—Agents of the department of justice today arrested Gordon Ingalls and his brother, George Edmund Ingalls, officials of the Oil Fields Corporation of Dallas, for removal to Texas to answer an indictment charging them with using the mails to defraud investors.

Gordon, alleged to be president of the oil concern, arrived here with his brother last week and opened offices on Madison avenue.

The frauds of which the brothers are accused were said by the federal agents to involve valuation of various stocks.

The arrests were made on receipt of a telegraphic request from Fort Worth. The complaint signed by federal agents on the basis of the telegram, alleged that the brothers knowingly had misrepresented the value of stocks of Richard Rader's mineral deeds, Robert Edmond's mineral deeds, and the Kosse ownership pool.

According to the agents who arrested the Ingalls in their new offices, stenographers and other members of the staff had been hired only yesterday. The agents were delayed in making the arrests because of a tip that the brothers were preparing to sail today for Europe. Several hours were wasted scanning the waterfront.

United States Commissioner Hitchcock released the prisoners on $10,000 bail each.

MEXICO JOINS HANDS CELEBRATING EL PASO'S FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY

EL PASO, TEXAS, May 19.—Mexico and the United States joined hands here today in celebration of El Paso's 50th anniversary.

Today was Mexico day, the last of four day semi-centennial celebration, which has included pageants and parades depicting early southwest history.

Thousands of visitors from all west Texas, Arizona, New Mexico, and many northern Mexico cities have been here for the jubilee.

A great Mexican parade, starting in Juarez marched across the international bridge today, and was met and welcomed by Mayor Richard Dudley of El Paso.

Dudley and Consul General Enrique Ruiz, personal representative of President Obregon met and exchanged felicitations on what each concedes the rapidly approaching recognition of the southern republic.

Removal Notice.

Dr. Wm. L. Rhodes announces the removal of his office from the Waggoner Bldg., to 611 City Nat'l. Bank Bldg., where he will be associated with Drs. Harbook & Stripling in the practice of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

Man's Trouble Arrested

"The past 4 years I have been going down, down, down with catarrh of the stomach and had to give up work a year ago because of my weakened condition. I suffered terribly from bloating and colic attacks. Maxr's Wonderful Remedy was recommended to me. I took a course of it and am now feeling fine." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Mack Taylor and Druggists everywhere.—adv.

EYES TESTED
GLASSES FITTED
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"Created for Visions' Sake"

CEDAR PARK SWIMMING POOL

Is Now Open

PURE CLEAR WATER

J. L. Downing, Prop.

Lake Wichita Park

Come Out With the Rest and Enjoy the Best

Today's Program

4:30 p. m., Prof. Rex, world known modern wonder, will repeat his wonderful aerial escape.

7:45, Special stage performance, Rex Vles with Houdini in his miraculous escapes. Worth goin many miles to see. A complete entertainment. Absolutely FREE—no collection.

DANCING

In Pavilion, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday Nights.

SWIMMING

New suits, clear, running water, changed daily.

Miniature railway, Merry-Go-Round, Skee ball, many other attractions.

Refreshments and Lunches in Pavilion and on Grounds

Picnic parties welcome. Let us know when you're coming, we'll help you.

Gates closed 12 p. m. 'till daylight

Times' Ideal Home Beautiful Rapidly Drawing to Completion

Every day in every way the Times Ideal Home Beautiful is looking better and better, as can readily be seen from a glance at the cut above. And the interior has taken on the appearance of a real house right in step with the exterior, even to the installation of some of the cedar lining of the closets.

With the completion of the concrete walls and drive and the painting of the structure only the minor details of finishing will remain to be done.

Most attractive interior decorations and furnishings have already been planned by the merchants responsible for this part of the ideal home and it will only be a short time until everything will be entirely complete, even to the smallest detail.

Directions for reaching the home if you have not already been there, will be found on the double page of house beautiful advertisements in this paper.

PAY FINES OF $25 FOR THROWING ROCKS AT CHURCH

Two Electra youths paid $25 Saturday for the privilege of throwing some rocks at a negro church at Electra. They pleaded guilty in Judge Rogers' court to charges of disturbing the peace, and paid their fines.

Stamps for sale at Times office.—

STANLEY BALDWIN OR LORD CURZON MAY BE PREMIER

By LLOYD ALLEN
United Press Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, May 19.—Stanley Baldwin or Lord Curzon may succeed to the premiership of the British empire.

Baldwin, chancellor of the exchequer, who held the reins while Bonar Law went on his vacation is favored, but Curzon, secretary of foreign affairs, is considered the most logical selection.

While this turmoil over possible candidates is on, Premier Bonar Law with a throat affliction which prevents him speaking above a whisper sits in seclusion in his home. His friends agree that he cannot hope to retain his office. They say his reign is a matter of days.

Bonar Law returned this afternoon from Paris where he had been carefully examined by throat specialists. He showed no improvement of condition which forced him to desert his post for a vacation more than a week ago.

If the premier resigns before the end of July he will obviate the necessity of having his ministry resign in case a conservative is chosen to succeed him. This is the provision of Britain law which permits the government's chief to retain office without competing in a by-election if the government changes within six months of his appointment.

L. Linn of the Medcalf and Thomas Dental Supply Company of Fort Worth, is a visitor in the city for several days.

REPORT ON CONDITION OF CLEARING HOUSE BANKS

NEW YORK, May 19.—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows an excess reserve of $10,720,410. This is an increase of $3,242,490.

The statement follows:

Actual conditions:

Loans, discounts, etc., $4,691,772,000; increase $37,124,000.

Cash in own vaults, members federal reserve bank, $49,448,000; decrease $2,059,000.

Reserve in federal reserve banks of member banks, $493,785,000; increase $2,694,000.

Reserve in own vaults, state banks and trust companies, $6,196,000; increase, $221,000.

Reserve in depositaries, $10,160,000; increase, $665,000.

X—Demand deposits, $3,727,885,000; increase, $5,460,000.

Time deposits, $469,102,000; decrease, $12,491,000.

Circulation, $32,673,000; increase, $366,000.

X—United States deposits deducted, $143,802,000; increase, $3,242,490.

Aggregate reserve, $512,155,000.

Excess reserve, $10,720,410.

It is anncunced that there will be an unveiling of the monmument of Mrs. Leo Markowitz at Rosemont Burial Park at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Sale of Beads and Ear Pendants

Choice of the entire stock of stylish ear bobs and beads at great reductions. Beads in strings from 24 to 54 inches long come in pearls, amethist, amber, jet, jade, coral, ivory, crystal and combinations

50c Beads and Ear Bobs	39c
65c to 75c Ear Bobs and Beads	50c
98c to $1.25 Beads and Ear Bobs	75c
$1.50 Earbobs and Beads	98c
$1.98 Ear Bobs and Beads	$1.50
$2.25 Ear Bobs and Beads	$1.75
$3.50 to $3.98 Ear Bobs and Beads for	$2.98

Sale of Bags and Purses

There is only a limited number of bags or purses in each of these special groups but the values are so excellent that they will probably all be sold in the day.

Eight groups of desirable styles which have been selected from our regular stocks are offered at very great reductions.

Leather bags in envelope styles and in vanity models, party boxes in patent leather with large mirrors and various fittings. Pouch styles in taffeta silks, velvets and suede are included in the assortment of styles in the various groups.

$1 and $1.50 Bags and Purses, on Sale 69c

$2.50 and $82.98 Bags and Purses on Sale at 98c

$2.98 to $3.98 Bags and Purses in group at $1.98

$4.98 to $5.98 Bags and Purses in group at $2.98

$5.50 to $5.98 Bags and Purses in group at $3.98

$6.50 to $7.50 Bags and Purses at $4.98

Bags formerly $9.50 and $8.98, at $6.98

Up to $10.50 values at $7.98

May Sale
OF HIGH-GRADE
SILKS
TOMORROW

Many extra special values are offered in the silk section tomorrow.

Silks for stylish frocks, for blouses and for skirts are on sale at sharp reductions in prices.

$5.98 and $6.98 Roshanara $4.69
Distinctive printed patterns in Egyptian and King Tut effects in tan, gray or navy, in a high grade 40 inch silk.

$4.50 Canton at $3.49
Excellent quality Canton Crepes and heavy quality dress, Crepe de Chine in dark colors, 40 inch.

$2.98 Crepe de Chine $2.39
Good quality Crepe de Chin in smartly printed patterns shown in Pall Mall, almond, caromel, navy and brown, 40 inch.

$5.50 and $5.98 Novelty Silks $4.69
Beautiful wraves in blistered Crepes, Matlasses and Brocades in navy, black, brown, muffin and gray, 40 inch.

$2.98 and $3.25 Printed Georgette $2.39
Dark colors in attractive printed patterns in 40 inch Georgette Crepe.

$1.25 Pongee Silk $1
12 Momme Pongee in natural color is shown in an excellent weave for summer dresses, blouses and skirts, 33 inch.

$2.50 Taffeta Silks $1.98
Wide range of spring and summer colors in good quality Taffeta Silk, 36 inches wide.

$1.98 Taffetas at $1.79
The close price of this fabric is now sharply lowered and it is shown in 36 inch width in black, brown, navy, orchid and pink.

$3.98 Peau De Soie $2.98
This excellent taffeta silk comes in Pekin, Jade, Copen or navy, 36 inch width.

High Grade HATS HALF PRICE MONDAY

Choice of a large assortment of high grade trimmed hats in this sale. Silks, straws and combinations in the season's smartest effects. Majority are in dark shades suitable for suit or frock.

Former prices of the hats in this group were $16.50, $18.50, $22.50 and $25, now reduced to half price.

Two Very Special Groups of SUITS Greatly Reduced Monday

Novelty styles in two-piece suits featuring bloused, flared and boxed models. Including many in popular side tie models.

$35, $39.74, $45 and $49.75 Suits $29.95

$55 and $59.75 Suits at $38.95

Beaded, embroidered and braid trimmed models

P.B.M.Co
DEPARTMENT STORE
The Courteous Service Store

White Goods Specials

Several important items are on sale Monday in the white goods section. Sheets, towels and white summer fabrics.

Household Needs of Fine Quality Just Received

Many of our customers have expressed a desire for good quality bed-sheets in longer than regular size. We are now prepared to supply you with extra length-sheets in the superior quality made by Marshal Field mills.

Wearwell Sheets 81x99 inches, extra quality, taped edge won't tear, each **$2.45**

Wearwell Sheets in 72x99 inches, heavy quality, taped edge **$2.35**

Doreas Bed Spreads in Ripplette made by Marshall Field Mills come in 72x90 size, hemmed, at **$2.35**

Sheer Cotton Fabrics in Attractive Prints for Summer Frocks

Printed Flaxons of sheer quality and soft finish are displayed in a great variety of pretty floral patterns for summer frocks 32 inches wide in all fashionable light shades. 40c per yard.

Printed Dimity in 36-inch width is shown in many pretty floral designs in colors that are guaranteed to be fast. All summer colors .. **65¢**

Tissue Ginghams in excelient quality come in very small plaid designs in black with white or pink, orchid, gray or blue with white ..... **75¢**

Small checked patterns in tissue ginghams are here in every wanted summer color at ... **75¢**

Stamped Pieces and Sets for Embroidering

While away the summer hours of leisure with these pretty articles for the home.

F. S. C. sets and pieces are here in a fine collection of attractive and practical designs.

Five piece luncheon set stamped in floral design on ecru Jewell cloth, has 36-inch centerpiece and four napkins to match **$2**

Buffet Scarf to match is priced **$1**

Bridge set of five pieces on fine white linene has table cover and four napkins to match. Very attractive design. Price for the set **$1**

Buffet set of three pieces consisting of one 16-inch doilie and two smaller ones. Stamped in conventional designs on white linene. Set **75¢**

Dresser Scarf in the same design and fabric 18x54 inches at ..... **35¢**

Lunch cloth in ecru mercerized repp of fine quality comes in floral design, 36 inch at **$1.50**

Three piece set of all linen in rose or blue, heavy weave, hemstitched edge **$1.25**

Huck towels in first quality linen finished huck come in 18x34 size with floral ends and scallop at each ..... **35¢**

Shopping bags stamped for wool embroidery on black glazed, waterproof fabric at each ... **35¢**

D. M. C. Embroidery Floss in 6-strand size comes in every wanted shade at per skein ..... **5¢**

D. M. C. rope floss at ..... **10¢**

D. M. C. white crorhet thread in mercerized finish. Art No. 151 at 2 balls for ..... **35¢**

Cortecelli Knitting silk in a great variety of wanted shades and colors at 25c for small balls and large ones at ..... **75¢**

Purse Twist in Cortecelli make for making bead bags comes in black or navy at per spool **$1.25**

W.B.McClurkan & Co

SUMMER SCHOOL TO START MONDAY FOR 8-WEEKS TERM

The session of the summer school will begin at 9 o'clock Monday morning for its regular eight-weeks term, when the students register for work. Over 150 students have made known their intentions of attending the vacation classes, according to A. K. Presson, principal, and it is probable that others will sign up Monday.

According to Mr. Presson, classes will be taught in any phase of English, history, and mathematics, and courses in seventh grade work may also be secured. Classes for pupils desiring the fifth and sixth grades may be organized if the enrollment is large enough to justify the employment of another teacher.

The summer school is becoming more and more popular, and students are now depending on their summer grades to make up for failures or to earn additional credit. The work in the summer school is affiliated with the regular high school, although the student may only be allowed to carry two subjects in the summer school course. Because of the heat, classes will probably begin earlier in the morning and dismiss at noon.

At present, only five teachers have been obtained, although others will be selected if the attendance is larger than expected. The faculty: C. E. Danheim, J. T. Rundell, R. O. Jonas, I. C. Presson, and Paul Morgan.

SENTENCE PASSED ON TWO PRISONERS IN DISTRICT COURT

Sentence was pronounced Saturday by Judge P. A. Martin on Jim Pryor, given 30 years in two robbery cases, and on Mrs. Edith Berry, given four years for prohibition act violation.

Pryor asked Judge Martin if the sentences could not be concurrent, but was told that the two, one of 20 years, the other of ten, must be served one at a time. Mrs. Berry was sentenced after a motion for a new trial had been overruled, and her attorney gave notice of appeal.

Two more robbery cases against Pryor were dismissed by the district attorney.

No more criminal cases are on the 19th district court docket for early trial, and it is possible that no more will come up until the June term of 30th district court.

BROTHER AND SISTER HAVE BIRTHDAY PARTY TOGETHER

Thomas and Fern McNeill, little son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McNeill, 1517 Laurel street, celebrated their sixth and fourth birthdays Saturday afternoon with a party at their home. The color scheme of white and yellow was carried out.

Games were played and prizes were won by Master Thomas McNeill and Lavona Vimmerman, after which refreshments of ice cream and angel food cake were served. Souviners of baskets filled with candy were given to: Fern McNeill, Laverna Vimmerman, Reta Dameral, Beatrice White, Daisey Vaughn, Francis Hill, Maurine McNeill, Countess White, Gwendolyn Hill; Masters Thomas McNeill, Wayne McNeill, Ashley McNeill, Gilford Hill, Odel Dammerall, Buster Albritton, Walter Vaughn, T. J. Vaughn, Buster Brown, Harold Trent, and Thurman White.

Those who assisted Mrs. W. P. McNeill in serving the party were: Mrs. Morris Hill, Mrs. E. Dammerall, Mrs. J. R. McNeill, and Mrs. E. E. McNeill.

Plan Bond Election

ABILENE.—The county commissioner's court is considering calling a special election in the Abilene precinct to vote on the proposal to issue $400,000 of road bonds. The bonds would be used to pay the county's part on an 18 mile stretch of road from Elmdale to Tye.

China Adopts American Ways, They've Got Bandits

By WILL ROGERS

Well, there is quite a little taking place in the Papers the last day or so. I bought some Stock in a Chinese Bandit Corporation yesterday. I studied whether to buy that or New York Hotel Stock. Their ideas are similar; they both work on the ransom plan. We have been sending Missionaries over there for years; I knew they would get those people educated up to American ways.

As I write this, the people are still being held, and Ours, and all the other Governments, are threatening China with what they will do. Years ago Chinese Brigands killed two Germans, and Germany took about a fourth of China as pay for them. That was the highest price ever paid for two individuals.

Just suppose some foreign Government took part of this Country every time a foreigner was killed over here. The United States would consist of Rhode Island.

These Government ought to get together and do something about this. These Heathen Chinese should not be allowed to have Bandits in their country. If you let 'em keep on, the first thing you know they will have Pickpockets and Taxi Robbers over there. I bet England wouldn't stand for them annoying one of their Citizens. They would take their Oil land away from them. And if they didn't have any, they would make 'em get some.

Missionaries must of been working up around Boston. I see where some Woman Bandit held up my friend old Charley Schwab for 325 thousand. But she improved on those Heathens; she got her Ransom first. I certainly am glad he wasn't taken out in the Mountains and held. For, with Judge Carey convalescing after the Steel Workers last raise in wages, Charley is the only sensible after dinner speaker we've got around New York now.

We don't any more than get a law sorter halter broke, and get people kinder used to it, when some Judge comes along and says it ain't so. Last week Judge Knox comes out and decides that a Doctor in prescribing for the modern American illness can prescribe any amount he thinks necessary. Now, according to the Volstead law as passed by Congress, no Patient is allowed to get sick over a Pint's worth every ten days. So, along comes this Judge, and says "Congress is no Dr. (They are all Patients.) How do they know now sick a man can get? Why, for a Pint every 10 days, a man would really not be stick at all; he would just be indisposed." So now, when a fellow comes to see the Dr., the Dr. will say, "What's the matter with you?" The Patient will say "Why, about a Gallon, Doc."

Or the Dr., after looking over one of his perpetual Patients, will say, "Why, you are looking great today; your case has improved from two quarts to one If you don't look out you will get well."

Instead of Drs. studying at a Medical School as they used to, now he just takes a course in rapid Penmanship.

It looks like a great year for Fountain Pens.

Heretofore, Drug Stores used to make their deliveries by a boy sent from the Store. Now every Drug Store will have to deliver in a Truck. You will fill your Prescription now in a two gallon milk bucket.

Of course, all this is right now, but you wait till that Supreme Court of the U. S. gets a hold of that Judge's opinion! They are liable to diagnose the case different. They are liable to cut out the Patient's illness entirely.

Well, they had another big Convention here this week—the Chambers of Commerce from all over the U. S. Being big sound business men, they wanted some good conservative business men to address them, and also wanted some frivolous or light talker that would sound amusing but mean nothing, in other words, something to get their minds off their Hotel Bills.

So Herb. Hoover, of Washington D. C. but better remembered from Belgium, drew this last frothy or care free assignment, and he had those BABBITS just rolling off their seats telling them about the prosperous condition of this Country, and a funny line about sending our Gold reserve back to Europe.

Then he knocked 'em CooCoo with a gag for the Government not to go into business. He said the standard of living had advanced so far in this country that we could lay off two million men from work and the rest of the people would live just as good as they did 10 years ago.

He didn't say what would become of the 2 Million he laid off. But you take a busy man like that, he can't stop to worry about trifles like that, he can't stop to worry about trifles like a couple of million men.

I thought he would surely have some funny gag on Sugar, but he just let it go on up; he didn't mention it. He predicted a Coal shortage and asked everybody to get their Coal this summer. So that means Coal, by the time you read this, has jumped at least 10 dollars a ton.

"You can fill your prescription now in a two gallon bucket."

If our prominent men would only just stop predicting maybe we would be able to lay by something.

Well, the next night after Mr. Hoover spoke, why, they were ready for some real conservative business talk. So I went over and instructed them. They had come from every city and their wives come with them. You notice I say "come"; I didn't say were "brought." A funny thing—they were here the same week that the Police Chiefs from every town were here. Rather a coincidence that it should be necessary for the Police to follow their most prominent Citizens to New York.

You know what the Chamber of Commerce is, don't you? You remember the Old Ladies' sewing circle in towns years ago that knew everybody's business and were into everything. Well, this is the Male end of that same organization. They fix everything, from the local Marble Championship to the next War. The minute a fellow gets into the Chamber of Commerce he quits mowing his own lawn.

Ambassadors Harvey from England and one from Spain and one from Germany have all come back home. By bringing them home in a bunch that way the Government gets a Party rate. Mr. Harvey just run over between weddings. I don't know what he will do when the King runs out of Children to marry off.

I see by the papers that President Harding is going to return from Alaska by the way of the Panama Canal. It seems a Man can't hold an official position nowadays in Washington without commuting through the Panama Canal.

A couple of weeks ago a bunch of Congressmen and Senators left from Kansas City, Omaha, and Salt Lake to go to San Francisco by way of the Panama Canal.

You used to be able to go from Washington, D. C., to San Francisco in 4 days but, since the Canal has been built, officials traveling at the Government expense make it easy in 18 to 20 days now. If the Government had charged a Bounty on every Official that has gone through there the Canal would be paid for by now.

I don't know what's in that Canal but I am going to try to get myself elected to something, just so I can go and see it, too. Some men can't hardly wait till they get elected, to start traveling some place.

Well, the day before the Prize Fights for a real Charity, the Milk Fund, Jesse Willard was up in the dressing room. He looked in great shape. They figured to take in 4 or 5 thousand Dollars. Just think of that, a half million. I come from a Cattle Country and there ain't enough Cows in the U. S. to give that much Milk. Somebody's going to sell some condensed milk

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30 ALREADY SIGNED FOR SCOUTS CAMP, 75 ARE EXPECTED

When Scout headquarters closed Saturday afternoon, 30 boys had signed up to attend the summer camp to be held for two weeks beginning May 28, in the Wichita mountains. Chester Powell, scout executive, said Saturday that the majority of the boys who had made application for the trip were boys whom he had not expected to go; present indications are that about 75 boys will go on the camp, Mr. Powell said. Registration for the camp will continue next week but the boys who expect to go are requested to register early in the week so that an approximate estimate on the number may be secured.

Trucks which will convey the scouts to the camp site will leave the Moore and Richolt lot at Ninth and Indiana at 7 o'clock Monday morning May 28. The assessment for the two weeks camp is $7.50; each boy will be required to furnish his own blankets, scout equipment, and a change of clothing.

Chester Powell and a squad of scouts will leave here a day or two before the party in order to pick out a suitable site for the camp and to have everything in readiness when the scouts arrive.

FOUR ANIMALS KILLED BY ELECTRIC STORM

KIRKLAND, TEXAS, May 19.—Kirkland was visited by a severe electric storm Friday night which killed four head of work stock for W. H. D. Thomas, two miles north of town. The storm was accompanied by three-fourths inch rain which will benefit the farmers very much by bringing the cotton and feed up.

CALIFORNIA EX-OFFICIAL INSPECTS IRRIGATION WORK

Melville Dozier Jr. until recently chief of the reclamation department of California, was here Saturday to inspect the irrigation project as the guest of E. S. Heyser of the Callahan Construction Company.

PLAN TO TEST NEW GASOLINE TAX ACT

Suit Will Be Filed In District Court at Austin On Next Tuesday.

AUSTIN, May 19.—A suit to test the new enacted Cowen gasoline tax act, placing a one-cent per gallon tax on wholesale dealers and importers of gasoline, will be filed in Travis county district court next week, it was announced here today. The suit will be supported by independent refiners of the state, it was said, a means of testing the legality of the act before it becomes operative.

PIONEER METHODIST OF ABILENE IS DEAD

ABILENE, May 19.—The Rev. W. J. H. Ellis, 72, pioneer Methodist and farmer, was found dead in a field on his farm near here late yesterday, presumably from heart failure. He was born in Blount county, Alabama, and had resided near here since 1899.

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SPUDDERS DROP OPENER AT FORT WORTH BY 5 TO 4 COUNT

Stauffer Has One Bad Inning in First Texas League Start, Cats Getting Enough to Win in Fourth

FORT WORTH, May 19.—Fort Worth won the opening game from Wichita Falls here Saturday, 5 to 4.

The Spudders got to Wachtel in the first round for a run when Bescher beat out a bunt down the third base line and stole second while White fanned. After Tanner popped to Kraft, Elliott laced a single to center, scoring Bescher.

Again in the third the visitors pushed across what looked like a big lead with Stauffer going good. Cotter opened the round with a looping fly over third that neither Sears nor Phelan could reach, the hit going for two bases due to a nice bit of base running. Grigsby followed with a Texas Leaguer back of third and Cotter loped to third from where he scored while Berger forced Grigsby, Kraft to Tavener.

Cats Have Big Inning

The Cats forged two runs ahead in the fourth on two flukes and two real hits. Kraft opened with a pass and Hoffman beat out a tap down the first base line and was forced a moment later by Phelan. Tanner making a nice stop and throw to White, Kraft moving to third. Tavener shot a single to center, Kraft scored and Phelan took second. Possum Moore then smashed a double over Grigsby's head scoring Phelan and Tavener taking third. Wachtel popped to Elliott but Calvo singled sharply to left and was out attempting to stretch the hit, Moore and Tavener scoring on the play.

The visitors evened the count in the seventh on one hit and a pair of boots by Tavener with a couple of stolen bases sandwiched in. After Tanner had filed to Stellbauer Bischoff drove a single to center. With a double play in front of him, Tavener booted Stauffer's roller and both runners were safe. Bescher forced Stauffer, Kraft to Tavener, while Bischoff was taking third. Bescher then stole second. White grounded to Tavener who threw over Kraft's head, Bischoff and Bescher scoring. White swiped second but Tanner lofted to Calvo in deep center.

Walk Starts It Again

The Panthers scored what proved to be the winning run in the eighth when Kraft walked and went to second on a wild pitch. Hoffman skied to Grigsby. Phelan drove a single past Tanner and Kraft dusted the pan.

Stauffer gave up seven hits, three of which were scratches, walked three men and hit two. He displayed a baffling change of pace and with the exception of the fourth round had the locals well in hand. Wachtel was strong in the pinches and but for two glaring errors by Tavener in the seventh would have allowed but two runs.

The fielding of Tanner was an outstanding feature while Calvo also took care of several difficult chances.

The score:

W. FALLS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bescher lf	4	0	0	6	1	2
White 2b	4	0	0	6	1	2
Tanner 3b	4	0	0	0	5	0
Elliott 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
Cotter cf	3	1	2	3	0	0
Grigsby rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Berger ss	4	0	0	1	3	0
Bischoff c	4	1	1	0	2	0
Stauffer p	3	0	0	0	0	0
xWhiteman	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	4	5	24	12	2

x—Batted for Stauffer in 9th.

FT. WORTH—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Calvo cf	3	0	1	7	0	0
Sears lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Stellbauer rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Kraft 2b	2	2	0	0	2	0
Hoffman 3b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Phelan 3b	4	1	1	2	1	0
Tavener ss	4	1	2	2	3	2
Moore c	4	1	1	3	1	0
Wachtel p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	29	5	7	27	9	2

Wichita Falls	100	100	200—4
Fort Worth	000	400	01x—5

Summary: Stolen bases Bescher, 2. White. Sacrifice hits Calvo. Two base hits Cotter, Moore, Wachtel. Double plays Berger to Elliott. Struck out Wachtel 4. Bases on balls off Wachtel 1; Stauffer 2. Hit by pitcher by Stauffer 2 (Hoffman and Sears.) Wild pitch Stauffer. Time 1:45. Umpires Fanning and Kane.

BABE AND KEN GET HOMERS AS YANKS WIN FROM BROWNS

ST. LOUIS, MO., May 19.—St. Louis lost its fourth straight game Saturday to New York in a game featured by home runs. The score was 6 to 5, the game going 10 innings. There were four baggers by Ruth, Meusel and McManus in the first inning. It was Ruth's seventh of the season and third in three games, and tied the score in the eighth with a home run. No one was on base at the time. In the tenth Williams got his ninth four bagger of season. Williams also scored three of the locals five runs.

NEW YORK—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Witt cf	5	0	2	4	0	0
Fugan 3b	6	1	2	0	1	0
Ruth lf	4	1	1	4	0	0
Pipp 1b	3	0	1	12	0	0
Meusel rf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Bengough c	3	0	1	7	0	1
Schang c	1	1	1	2	0	0
Ward 2b	4	2	2	2	3	0
Scott ss	4	0	0	0	4	0
Mays p	4	0	1	1	5	0
Hoyt p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xMcNally	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	6	11	30	13	1

x—Batted for Bengough in 7th.

ST. LOUIS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Tobin rf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Gerber ss	5	1	3	3	5	1
Jacobson cf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Williams lf	4	3	3	1	0	0
McManus 2b	5	1	2	2	4	0
Severeid c	4	0	1	6	1	0
Roberts 3b	4	0	0	1	5	0
Schlieber 1b	4	0	1	14	0	0
Pruett p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	38	5	11	30	18	1

New York	300	000	001	2	—6
St. Louis	101	000	000	1	—5

Summary: Two base hits Gerber, Pipp, Williams, Bengough. Three base hits Mays, Home runs Ruth, Meusel, McManus, Williams, Ward. Hits off Mays 11 in 9 innings, off Hoyt none in 1 inning.

Senators 6, White Sox 4

CHICAGO, May 19.—Walter Johnson, besides pitching a great game until the ninth inning, delivered the blow which sent two runs home in the ninth and gave Washington the winning margin over Chicago 6-4.

WASHINGTON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bluege, 3b	5	1	2	2	0	0
Harris, 2b	3	0	0	3	5	0
Rice, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Wade, lf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Gharrity, 1b	4	1	1	8	1	1
Evans, cf	4	0	0	5	0	0
Peck, ss	4	2	1	2	2	0
Ruel, c	3	2	2	3	0	1
W. Johnson, p	3	0	1	1	2	0
Russell, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	33	6	7	27	11	2

CHICAGO—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hooper, rf	5	1	1	1	0	0
E. Johnson, ss	5	0	0	4	2	1
Collins, 2b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Sheely, 1b	3	0	0	10	0	0
Mostil, cf	4	0	0	6	0	0
Falk, lf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Kamm, 3b	4	1	2	1	4	0
Schalk, c	4	1	1	2	1	0
Robertson, p	2	0	1	0	0	0
xStrunk	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mack p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxElsh	1	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	4	8	27	10	1

x—Batted for Robertson in 7th.
xx—Batted for Mack in 9th.

Washington	010	020	102	—6
Chicago	001	000	003	—4

Summary: Two base hits, Peck, Kamm, Hooper. Three base hits, Collins. Home runs Bluege 2. Left on bases Washington 5; Chicago 9. Bases on balls off Robertson 1; Mack 1; W. Johnson 2; Russell 1. Struck out by W. Johnson 6; Mack 1; Russell 1. Hits off Robertson 5 in 7 innings, Mack 4 in 2, W. Johnson 3 in 8 1-3, Russell none in 2 1-3.

Tigers 4, Red Sox 0.

DETROIT, May 19.—Holloway held Boston to four scattered singles and Detroit beat Boston Saturday, 4 to 0. Score:

BOSTON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Mitchell, ss	4	0	1	4	1	0
Menosky, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Harris, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Burns, 1b	4	0	0	9	1	0
Flagstead, rf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Devormer, c	3	0	0	0	1	0
McMillan, 3b	3	0	0	3	2	0
Pittenger, 2b	1	0	0	1	4	0
Piercy, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
O'Doul, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xReichle	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	0	4	24	11	3

xBatted for Piercy in eighth.

DETROIT—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Rue, 1b	4	0	1	12	0	0
Haney, ss	4	1	2	2	7	0
Cobb, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Veach, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Heilmann, rf	3	1	2	3	0	0
Cutshaw, 2b	4	1	1	3	2	0
Bassler, c	2	0	0	1	0	0
Burke, 3b	3	0	0	1	3	0
Holloway, p	3	0	0	1	4	0
Totals	29	4	5	27	15	2

Boston	000	000	000	—0
Detroit	000	220	00x	—4

Two-base hits, Heilmann. Left on base, Boston 5, Detroit 5. Bases on balls off Piercy 2, Holloway 1. Struck out, by Holloway 1. Hits off Piercy, 8 in 7 innings, off O'Doul 0 in 1.

Athletics 5, Indians 2.

CLEVELAND, May 19.—Philadelphia made it four straight from Cleveland Saturday, winning 5 to 2 in ten innings. Score:

PHILA—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Matthews, cf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Hale, 3b	4	0	0	1	2	0
Perkins, c	3	1	1	3	2	0
Houser, 1b	4	1	0	13	2	1
Welch, rf	4	1	1	2	0	1
Galloway, ss	5	0	2	1	4	0
McGowan, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Dykes, 2b	4	0	2	4	4	1
Rommel, p	3	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	35	5	9	30	18	2

CLEVELAND—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Jamieson, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Stephenson, 2b	4	1	0	3	2	1
Speaker, cf	5	0	0	1	1	0
Brower, 1b	4	0	1	16	2	0
Summa, rf	4	1	2	0	0	1
Sewell, ss	4	0	1	2	4	0
Lutzke, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Myatt, c	4	0	1	2	1	0
Metevier, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
xGardner	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	2	6	30	17	3

xBatted for Metevier in tenth.

Philadelphia	001	000	010	3	—5
Cleveland	100	000	100	0	—2

Two-base hits, Jamieson, Brower, Myatt, Galloway, Matthews; three-base hit, Rommel; left on base, Philadelphia 7, Cleveland 7; bases on balls off Rommel 4, Metevier 2; struck out by Rommel 5, Metevier 3.

COYOTES MAKE IT TWO IN ROW FROM SEYMOUR OUTFIT

SEYMOUR, TEXAS, May 19.—Wichita Falls High School baseball team again administered a decisive defeat to Seymour High School tallyhos Saturday afternoon at Fair Park, 8 to 2. In addition to the grandstand which was packed to capacity both bleachers were well filled by spectators.

Stallings struck out 14 Wichitans against eight by Harris, while the visitors made six clean hits against Seymour's five. Jenkins grabbed the first score for the visiting team, after being walked to first, stealing second and scoring on Walker's single. In the second inning Stallings, after knocking a three bagger, scored on Durham's fly to left field. In the sixth Walker's base hit enabled Ross to score and Baldwin's single brought Walker home. Baldwin hit for the circuit in the eighth. Harris also scored in this inning on a one base drive by Morgan.

The batteries: Wichita Falls—Harris and Ross; Seymour—Stallings and Lowrey.

THE SPUDDER ATTACK

Player—	AB	R	H	Pct.
Bescher	119	32	45	.378
Grigsby	43	12	16	.372
Bischoff	67	10	21	.313
Cotter	92	21	32	.344
Tanner	120	25	40	.333
Elliott	121	19	38	.314
Whiteman	73	13	21	.288
Berger	110	14	29	.263
Kitchens	51	10	13	.255
White	122	18	24	.196

Pitching

Players—	W	L	Pct.
Flaherty	2	0	1.000
Meine	2	0	1.000
Hodges	2	2	.500
Feigert	1	1	.500
Darrough	3	4	.429
Dumovich	0	3	.000
Ruth	0	1	.000
Stauffer	0	1	.000

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Oklahoma City 1, Wichita 6.
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GIANTS WIN WHEN M'QUILLAN BEATS RIXEY BY 1 TO 0

NEW YORK, May 19.—McQuillan had the better of Rixey in one of the most brilliant pitching duels here this season, and the New York Giants took the deciding game of the series from Cincinnati, 1 to 0. Score:

CINCINNATI—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Burns, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Daubert, 1b	4	0	0	11	0	0
Harper, lf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Roush, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Bohne, 3b	2	0	0	0	3	0
Fonseca, 2b	2	0	0	2	3	0
Caveney, ss	3	0	1	3	6	0
Hargrave, c	2	0	1	3	1	0
xPinelli	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rixey, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
xxBressler	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	0	3	24	15	0

xRan for Hargrave in ninth.
xxBatted for Rixey in ninth.

NEW YORK—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bancroft, ss	4	0	2	2	2	0
Groh, 3b	4	0	0	3	3	0
Frisch, 2b	3	1	1	1	6	0
Meusel, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Young, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Kelly, 1b	3	0	2	14	1	0
Cunningham, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Snyder, c	3	0	1	4	1	0
McQuillan, p	2	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	28	1	8	27	15	0

Cincinnati	000	000	000	—0
New York	000	000	10x	—1

Two-base hit, Kelly. Left on base, Cincinnati 2, New York 4. Bases on balls, off McQuillan 1. Struck out, McQuillan 2, Rixey 2.

Phillies 11, Cubs 4.

PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—Philadelphia won the final game of the series with Chicago Saturday by a batting rally in the sixth inning that netted five runs and broke a deadlock. The final score was 11 to 4. Score:—

CHICAGO—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Statz, cf	4	1	1	2	1	0
Hollocher, ss	4	0	0	0	2	0
Grantham, 2b	4	1	3	2	2	1
Bartnett, c	4	0	1	3	8	1
Friberg, 3b	5	1	2	4	2	0
Callaghan, lf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Heathcote, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Kelleher, 1b	3	1	1	7	0	0
Osborne, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
xWeis	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fussell, p	2	0	0	1	0	0
xxO'Farrell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kaufman, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	4	11	24	16	2

PHILA—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Sand, 3b	2	1	1	4	2	0
Holke, 1b	5	1	2	12	0	0
Williams, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Walker, rf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Lee, lf	4	1	2	3	0	0
Parkinson, 2b	4	2	1	1	4	0
Wrightstone, ss	4	1	0	2	5	0
Henline, c	4	1	3	2	3	0
Ring, p	4	1	2	0	1	0
Totals	37	11	14	27	15	0

xBatted for Osborne in 3rd.
xxBatted for Fussell in 8th.

Chicago	002	020	000	—4
Philadelphia	130	005	20x	—11

Two base hits, Statz, Grantham, Friberg, Heathcote, Hartnett, Lee, Henline, Holke; home run, Ring; left on base, Chicago 10, Philadelphia 7; bases on balls, Osborne 1, Fussell 2, Ring 5; struck out, Osborne 1, Fussell 5, Ring 2.

Robins 6, Cards 5.

BROOKLYN, May 19.—Brooklyn won the third and last game of the series from St. Louis today, 6 to 5. Score:—

ST. LOUIS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bladea, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Mann, rf	3	2	2	1	0	0
Hornsby, 2b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Bottomly, 1b	4	0	2	7	0	0
Stock, 3b	2	0	0	2	0	0
Myers, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Freigau, ss	3	0	1	1	2	0
Lavan, ss	0	0	0	0	1	0
Alhsmith, c	3	0	2	5	2	0
Pfeffer, p	0	0	0	1	0	0
North, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxSmith	0	1	0	0	0	0
3xClemons	1	0	0	0	0	0
4xDyer	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	5	10	24	6	1

BROOKLYN—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Neis, cf	5	2	3	3	0	0
Johnston, 2b	3	1	2	6	4	0
T. Griffith, rf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Wheat, lf	3	1	1	1	0	1
Fournier, 1b	3	0	0	7	0	1
McCarren, 3b	4	0	0	2	2	0
High, rf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Taylor, c	4	0	1	4	1	0
Ruether, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
xBailey	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	6	11	27	13	3

xTwo out when winning run was scored.
xxRan for Freigau in 9th.
3xBatted for Pfeffer in 9th.
4xRan for Clemons in 9th.
xRan for Reuther in 9th.

St. Louis	002	011	001	—5
Brooklyn	201	010	002	—6

Two base hits, Griffith, Hornsby, Neis, Johnston; three base hits, High; home runs, Wheat, Mann; left on base, St. Louis 6, Brooklyn 6; bases on balls, off Pfeffer 2, Ruether 4; struck out, Pfeffer 2, Ruether 4.

Pirates 8, Braves 0.

BOSTON, May 19. — Pittsburgh gave Glasner excellent support, while Boston used four pitchers and made five errors. The visitors won, 8 to 0. Score:

PITTSBURGH—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Maranville, ss	4	1	1	2	3	0
Carey, cf	4	1	2	6	0	0
Bigbee, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Russell, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Barnhart, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tierney, 2b	4	0	0	2	1	0
Trayner, 3b	3	1	1	2	2	0
Grimm, 1b	4	1	0	9	0	0
Schmidt, c	3	1	1	7	3	0
Glasner, p	4	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	34	5	8	27	11	0

BOSTON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Powell, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Southworth, rf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Boeckel, 2b	4	0	1	1	2	0
McInnis, 1b	4	0	1	8	1	1
Felix, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Ford, 2b	3	0	2	5	2	2
Kopf, ss	3	0	0	2	6	0
O'Neil, c	3	0	1	4	2	1
McNamara, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
xCruise	1	0	1	0	0	0
Watson, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marquard, p	0	0	0	0	2	0
xxBagwell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Benton, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	0	7	27	15	5

xBatted for McNamara in sixth.
xxBatted for Marquard in eighth.

Pittsburgh	001	100	300	—5
Boston	000	000	000	—0

Two-base hits, Bigbee, Maranville. Left on base, Pittsburgh 4, Boston 5. Bases on balls, Watson 5, Marquard 1. Struck out, Glasner 2, McNamara 4. Hits, off McNamara 5 in 6 innings, Watson 3 in 3-3 inning, Marquard none in 1 1-3.

WILLS IS NEXT AFTER GIBBONS KEARNS SAYS

SHELBY, MONT., May 19.—Jack Kearns, manager of Jack Dempsey, said Saturday that the champion will meet Harry Willis, negro heavyweight contender, after he disposes of Tommy Gibbons here July 4.

"We will fight Willis on Labor Day," Kearns said. The bouts, according to Kearns, will be staged "somewhere in the east."

Dempsey Saturday took a long jaunt and did a little shadow boxing. He will start sparring Monday.

The Lookout

By AL PARKER

If there was any feature in the week's progress of the Texas League pennant race, it was the steady plugging of the Houston Buffs. At the start of the week the Buffs were well down in the race, keeping company only with the lowly Gassers. The men of Hunter Hill made rapid progress at the expense of the northern clubs and Saturday rested just a half game out of the league lead.

All of the northern clubs did well against Galveston and made up for some of the losses sustained at Houston, Beaumont and San Antonio. As perilous as the invasion appeared at the start, it did no great amount of damage to any of the four northern entries.

Galveston suffered alike with Shreveport in the first intersectional clash of the season. Little was expected of the Gasmen, since they had shown so little from the start, but the Sandcrabs were well up in the top division and they were expected to be hard to crack. The Crabs always have been hard to beat at home, but such was not the case this trip. Pat Newnam's hitters quit hitting and his pitchers quit pitching, which is almost enough to lose ball games.

In the big show the Athletics and the Yankees provided the kick. The A's proceeded to knock the Indians for a row of infield flies and the Yanks waded through the Tigers and Browns in easy fashion. The Yankees had won five straight through Friday and the Athletics had bumped Speaker's tribe for three in a row.

Bryan Harris, the lanky boy from Brownwood, turned the trick for the White Elephants Friday, letting the Indians off with a pair of safe blows. Harris has been pitching in-and-out fashion for several years, but maybe with a real ball club helping him out this season, he will strike the stride that Connie Mack believes him capable of.

If looks count for anything, John McGraw has a whale of a second sacker coming on. Maguire, the former college phenom, is as much like Eddie Collins as one black-eyed pea is alike another. Maguire not only resembles Collins in facial features, but he is about the same build and handles himself much as does Edward Trowbridge. Be that as it may, young Maguire will have to step some to keep up with Eddie.

Collins seems set for his greatest year in many. The past several years the seasons that have stacked up on Eddie's shoulders have shown he has had to hustle to keep up with many of the old guard, but he is close to the top in batting thus far this season and is giving them all a run for stolen bases and scoring.

One of the four members of the Collins family that draws pay in the American League has been set down with a suspension. Pat Collins, the Browns' receiver, is said to have rebelled at having to continually shine the boards on the bench and for his indifference from this cause received a suspension.

That is something new—a player rebelling because he is not given enough work, and especially a veteran of Collins' years.

New York drafted Catcher John Anderson from Beaumont last year. New York returns Catcher John Anderson to Beaumont. Beaumont sells Catcher John Anderson to Toledo. Beaumont buys a catcher nobody ever heard of from the Coast League.

Toledo wants a catcher and John McGraw has John Anderson on hand and he wants to help Toledo. Because of the decision of the majors to send no players to the minors except under a draft provision and the decision of the double A minors to accept no players under this provision, McGraw can not send John Anderson to Toledo.

But there is always a way with the magnates. John McGraw returns Catcher John Anderson to Beaumont. Beaumont sells John Anderson to Toledo. The end is accomplished.

But for the fact that Beaumont went to the coast and purchased another receiver, the Anderson deal might have gone as just an ordinary every day baseball deal in which a player was sold from one club to another. If Beaumont could have got Anderson back from the Giants, it doesn't appear likely that he would have been shipped on to other parts when the club is in need of a catcher.

Where does Beaumont get off if Commissioner Landis should get riled up over the proposition and hang a fine on all the clubs concerned? That is not likely, as it would be difficult to prove that there were any underground dealings in the affair, and there was really no violation of the agreement among the major clubs, since the player was sent to a draft league.

Texas League Home Run Leaders

Simmons, Shreveport, 6.
Riley, Shreveport, 6.
Standaert, Shreveport, 4.
Galloway, San Antonio, 4.
Vache, Dallas, 4.
Tanner, Wichita Falls, 3.
Cotter, Wichita Falls, 3.
Bescher, Wichita Falls, 3.
Stellbauer, Fort Worth, 3.
Boone, San Antonio, 3.
Coombs, Fort Worth, 3.
Meyers, San Antonio, 3.
Bischoff, Wichita Falls, 2.
Grigsby, Wichita Falls, 2.
Munson, Galveston, 2.
Handley, Houston, 2.
Whiteman, Wichita Falls, 2.
Strong, Beaumont, 2.
Donohue, Dallas, 2.
Kraft, Fort Worth, 2.
Gross, San Antonio, 2.

LONGHORNS ARE EASY WINNERS AT TENNIS

COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS, May 19.—The University of Texas tennis team took the Southwestern Conference tennis meet here Saturday without even entering the finals. Teams from Rice Institute, Baylor University and Texas A. & M. College were the others entered.

Baseball Tomorrow

SPUDDERS vs. SAN ANTONIO
GAME CALLED 4 P. M.

Tickets at Tipton's and Miller's Drug Stores and Noble Gray's Newsstand.

BIG EIGHTH WINS FOR STEERS OVER GASSERS, 8 TO 3

DALLAS, May 19.—D. Burns weakened in the eighth Saturday after pitching a great game and Dallas defeated Shreveport, 8 to 3. Vache's home run with two on was the deciding factor. Five double plays featured the game. Score:

SHREVEP—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Foreman, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Sargent, 2b	3	1	1	2	2	0
Riley, 1b	3	0	1	11	0	1
Simmons, lf	4	1	2	3	1	0
Jolley, rf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Wight, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Stow, ss	4	0	1	3	2	1
Chaplin, c	4	0	3	1	2	0
D. Burns, p	3	0	0	0	4	1
xJ. Burns	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	10	24	13	3

xBatted for D. Burns in ninth.

DALLAS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Massey, 2b	4	0	0	2	7	0
Wano, 1b	4	1	1	16	1	0
Donohue, rf	4	1	0	2	0	0
Vache, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Mathes, ss	4	1	3	3	4	1
Segrist, 3b	4	0	2	0	3	0
Allen, lf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Lingle, c	3	2	1	2	0	0
Mitchell, p	4	0	2	0	6	0
xBryan	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	8	10	27	21	1

xRan for Segrist in eighth.

Shreveport	100	101	000	—3
Dallas	020	000	06x	—8

Two-base hits, Mathes, Simmons, Mitchell. Home runs, Vache. Runs batted in, by Mitchell 5, Jolley, Stow, Wight, Vache 3. Stolen base, Lingle. Sacrifice hits, Jolley, Allen. Struck out, Mitchell 1, D. Burns 1. Bases on balls, off Mitchell 2, off D. Burns 2. Left on base, Dallas 8, Shreveport 6. Double plays, Mathes to Massey to Wano, Stow to Sargent to Riley, Mathes (unassisted),

ZEV CAPTURES DERBY FROM THE LARGEST FIELD IN HISTORY

Eighty Thousand See Kentucky's Racing Claissic; Martingale Is Second With Vigil Running Next

By LAMBERT G. SULLIVAN.
Universal Service Staff Correspondent.

LOUISVILLE, KY., May 19.—Half a mile of humanity packed shoulder to shoulder, back to breast, fifty feet deep. Eighty thousand throats hoarsely screaming. Eighty thousand pairs of eyes straining to watch the flight of twenty-one of the best three-year-olds in the United States.

And at the end, a mighty shout:

"Zev."

That was the story of the forty-ninth revival of the Kentucky Derby at Churchill Downs, the story of a race which in nearly every respect proved the "greatest" in the history of the turf.

It was a triumph for an absent owner, Harry F. Sinclair, multimillionaire oil man; whose business affairs prevented him from attending at the last moment. It was a triumph for a colt which, up to a fortnight ago had been one of the favorites, only to sink into disregard. It was a triumph for one of the greatest jockeys of the American turf, Earl Sande.

Virgil Forces Pace.

But in the victory of Lev the great races run by Martingale, which came from nowhere to take the place, and Vigil, one of the favorites, who forced the pace through all the running.

To the victor belong the plaudits and the gold, but to the second and third mounts belong a share of the credit for a great race.

Never in the history of the turf has such a crowd witnessed a race. Officials of the Kentucky Jockey Club declined to give specific figures, but unofficial men connected with the club admitted that somewhere between 88,000 and 85,000 persons were within the enclosure.

It was the gathering of wealth, power and beauty. Of the attendance, probably 50,000 were men, the rest women. But without the women, the crowd would have been just a mere crowd.

It was the women with their colors which made the Kentucky derby a sight never to be forgotten.

From all over the United States came men and women of wealth and social standing. Kentucky was the host, but Kentucky was vastly outnumbered by her guests.

It was near dusk when the twenty-one derby candidates paraded from the paddock down the track in front of the club house. For more than six hours the vast majority of the crowd had stood, unprotected under the blazing May sun.

But when the first horse emerged from the paddock every sign of weariness and lassitude vanished as if by magic. A mighty cheer broke from the vast crowd as the horses passed on parade and that cheer was almost continuous until the finish of the race.

"They're Off!"

Following the parade ensued a long wait. The horses, high at the end of the track, were restless. To the anxious it semed as if the barrie would never be snapped.

Then a cry "they're off" from 80,000 throats, swelling into a mighty roar, and then subsiding to break into a discordant shriek as the individuals of the crowd called upon their favorites.

Down the stretch they came—Zev in the lead by a comfortable margin, with Maringale second, Prince K third and Nassau fourth. Bunched between, strung the other seventeen of the field—so close it seemed to the writer as if all were "well up" as the veteran turf writers would express it.

Into the turn, through it and into the back stretch they rushed. Now the roar of the crowd seemed to die down a bit, as if all were too busy following the racers with their eyes to waste the effort of voice. Down the back stretch, into the second turn—and finally into the home stretch.

And then pandemonium.

"Zev! Martingale! Nassau! Enchantment! Virgil!"

The shouts blended into a roar.

Zev Holds the Lead.

Down the stretch, Zev still out in front. Martingale is hanging grimly on, but Martingale's best is no better than Zev's best, and Zev holds the lead he has gained. Prince K has weakened and dropped back. Nassau is weakening and just as he approaches the finish Virgil nips him for show money.

"Zev!"

One mighty impulse seems to sweep the vast crowd as the great little brown colt dashes over the line, a comparatively easy winner.

Gone is the discord, the shouts of the partisans. Instead comes the mighty roar of acclaim for the victor. The crowd pays its tribute to the newly crowned king of the American turf.

Zev is the last to return, cantering back to the judge's stand for the last formalities. The crowd still in the flush of excitement pays him another tribute.

Search is made for Harry F. Sinclair, multi-millionaire oil man, Zev's owner. A year ago he figured in the public prints as the buyer of a "wind sucker." Today he's the owner of a Kentucky derby winner.

Mr. Sinclair is not to be found. He was detained in New York on business. Dave Leary, who trained Zes for this race is called upon to accept the purse and the plate. Dave is only an assistant trainer—Sam Hildreth being the real boss of the stable—but Dave has to do the accepting.

Race Worth $64,125.

Governor Edwin P. Morrow makes a speech to Leary. The crowd doesn't hear it. He is probably telling told that Zev has won for Sinclair a purse of $53,650—a fact Mr. Leary doubtless figured out twenty-four hours ago.

Tiny Earle Sande, the jockey who piloted Zev to immortality, is called. He looks the size of a small peanut in gaudy green and white silks. Earle listens to a speech and accepts $7,500 on behalf of his employer.

Zev stands tired, spent and dreaming—dreaming of oats and bran more than fame into which he has sprung in the course of three minutes by the stop watch. He shakes his head and the giant floral horseshoe hung about his neck sheds a few roses.

The purse was the largest ever offered on an American track. With the $50,000 added by the Kentucky Jockey Club, the gross value of the race was $64,125, of which $53,625 went to the winner in cash and $7,500 in plate, $6,000 went to the second horse, $2,000 to the third and $1,000 to the fourth.

Damon RUNYON Says—

Difficult to understand why England has not produced better class of heavyweights.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Tex O'Rourke, well-known boxing man, is in England trying to find a new heavyweight champion.

This is one of the oldest and strangest of quests.

Richard K. Fox tried it many years ago when he ran the Police Gazette, and was mad at John L. Sullivan. Hundreds of men searched the country, seeking likely looking big white boys when John Arthur Johnson was champion.

The odds against O'Rourke being successful are whatever the population of England may be to one. A very long shot—millions to one. But O'Rourke is looking for one man out of millions.

It is difficult to understand why England, cradle of the prize ring, of the heavyweight title, has been unable to produce a big fighter of any ability in generations, while turning out many little men of great pugilistic class.

Any one of two second rate American heavyweights that might be named could whip the best of the poor lot of English heavyweights now in the ring.

It cannot be that the physical raw material is not there. England has millions of magnificent specimens of young manhood. The courage of the Englishman is unquestioned. Why, then, has no Englishman since Charley Mitchell's day—that day many years ago—come forward as a real title contender? Perhaps Tex O'Rourke will solve the mystery.

Nowadays the American boxing fan—the "ring worm"—demands punching ability of the heavyweights. The modern "worm" would not care for the speed of Jim Corbett, the wear-'em-down style of Jefferies, unless it produced quicker results.

Dempsey is responsible for this. Dempsey bowls his opponents over so easily, so quickly, the man expects all heavies to do the same thing. All heavies are measured by Dempsey.

The first essential in a heavyweight is punching power, with ability to "take" a punch—to stand punishment. Perhaps this last is first.

Trainers can teach a man almost everything—boxing, speed, the knack of placing his punches. They cannot teach him how to stand punishment. Dempsey wasn't a great puncher when he started out. He had natural punching power. When he learned how to place his punches he became a knockout. He could always stand great punishment, as he demonstrated the night John Lester Johnson, a negro heavyweight, broke two of his ribs, yet failed to stop him.

Now Dempsey, making ready to meet Tom Gibbons, is training for more speed, using the fastest sparring partners he can get.

Gibbons is a fine boxer, a real good hitter. He is at his best against slow big men. He seems to have a peculiar knack of punishing big men severely. He is not good against men his own size or smaller.

This is not difficult of explanation. Against a big man, Gibbons can slide in under his punches, can get close to his opponent. Gibbons is a deadly body puncher against big men. He is a short, sharp hitter.

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WICHITA KENNEL CLUB MEETS MONDAY NIGHT

The Wichita Falls Kennel Club will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock at 305 First National Bank building for the purpose of organizing for the coming year and making plans for this year's shows.

Monday night's meeting is not restricted to members of the club, but all dog fanciers and persons interested are invited to attend.

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BILL JOHNSTON IS WINNER IN OPENING MATCH AT ST. CLOUD

ST. CLOUD, FRANCE, May 19. (AP)—William M. Johnston, of California, won his match in the first round of the men's singles in the world's hard court tennis championships here Saturday by defeating the Frenchman, Gentien, 6-4, 4-6, 7-5, 6-4.

K. W. Webb, of Philadelphia, was eliminated by Lasiaugui, Armenian champion, in three love sets.

VET ZACH WHEAT TOPS HITTERS IN NATIONAL LEAGUE

CHICAGO, May 19. (AP)—Zack Wheat of the Brooklyn Dodgers, a war scarred veteran of hundreds of battles, shook off his younger challengers for batting honors of the National League and is on the top of the heap with an average of .435 as a result of hitting safely nine times in his last five games.

The averages are based on figures including games of Wednesday and include players participating in 15 or more games.

The Dodger slugger has a comfortable lead over Charley Grimm, the Pirate star, who is his nearest rival. Grimm, up to Wednesday, had played in 25 games, and smashed one or more hits each game, giving him a record for consecutive game hitting for the season. As runner-up to Wheat, he is parked in second place with a mark of .416, while Jimmy Bottomley, of the Cardinals batted himself into the .400 class with an average of .409 for third place.

Cy Williams of the Phillies, another veteran, has made 13 home runs, and is giving no indications of letting up. Sammy Bohne of the Reds, with his seven stolen bases, continues to top the base stealers.

Other leading batters: Southworth, Boston .400; Hornsby, St. Louis .400; Frisch, New York .387; McInnis, Boston .365; O'Farrell, Chicago .362; Bagwell, Boston .360; Myers, St. Louis .357; Nels, Brooklyn .355; Williams, Philadelphia .354; Flack, St. Louis .353.

Vets Show Way

Veterans, headed by Harry Heilmann, Detroit star, are topping the regular hitters of the American League, with here and there a youngster atriving to hold his own with the more experienced players. Heilmann had participated in 21 games up to the time the averages were compiled and had cracked out one or more hits, in each game, which boosted his average from .500 to the remarkable performance of .518. Sam Rice, of Washington, another veteran, is runner-up with an average of .377. Jamieson of Cleveland is trailing the fleet-floated senator with .371. Veach and Cobb of Detroit, Speaker of Cleveland, Burns of Boston and Eddie Collins of Chicago are well up among the leaders.

"Babe" Ruth gives promise of getting back into his specialty. The Yankee star drove out a brace of circuit drives, running his string up to four, but has covered only one-half the distance set by Ken Williams of the Browns, who is topping the home run clouters with eight. Captain Eddie Collins of the White Sox, has competition for the base stealing honors this week, in Jamieson of the Indians who pilfered five and tied Collins' mark of 10. Collins has been forced to remain idle because of postponements, while the Indian outgardener has been in action.

Other leading batters: Veach, Detroit .370; Miller, Philadelphia .364; Burns, Boston .364; Cobb, Detroit .360; Welch, Philadelphia .359; Reichle, Boston .357; Speaker, Cleveland .337; Witt, New York .333; Collins, Chicago .333; Haney, Detroit .333.

Brief Still Hitting

Bunny Brief of Kansas City is having the best year of his career in the American Association. The Kaws' slugger has connected with ten home runs, six of which were made in the past week. His closest rival is Carl East, the Minneapolis slugger, who has a total of five.

Brief cracked out a dozen hits in his last six games, which places him at the head of the hitters with an average of .459. Smith of Toledo is the runner-up to Brief with a mark of .413, and Eddie Murphy, of Columbus, the veteran Athletic and White Sox star, is next with .397. Murphy also is blazing the paths for the base stealers, with ten.

Other leading batters: Tarry, Toledo .393; Roth, Kansas City .387; Brooks, Columbus .380; Lamar, Toledo .377; Combs, Louisville .367; Brown, Indianapolis .364; Sickling, Indianapolis .364; Davis, Columbus .361; M. Shannon, Louisville .349; Johnson, Milwaukee .346.

Newcomer In Western

Lewan of St. Joseph continues to hold the spot-light among the batters of the Western League, with an average of .430, a mark compiled in 23 games in which he has made 49 hits. Diamond, of Denver, is next with .424 and Bauman of Tulsa, is third with .402.

Davis of Tulsa did not face so well during the last week in the home run department, but managed to bag one circuit blow and bring his string up to eleven. Colan of Wichita and J. Griffin of Omaha, are hooked up in an interesting race for base stealing honors. Conlan is showing the way with eleven, while Griffin is second with 10.

Other leading batters: O'Conner, Omaha .385; T. Long, Denver .378; Lelivelt, Tulsa .369; Bonowitz, Omaha .369; Pierce, St. Joseph .367; Young, Denver .365; Blakesley, Wichita .361; Luderus, Oklahoma City .360; Belber Oklahoma City .357; Klugman, Des Moines .355.

Lebourveau Slumps

Lebourveau of Nashville suffered a batting slump during the past week, but not enough to lose the leadership among the regulars of the Southern Association. Despite a loss of nineteen points, he is topping the list with .402. Tucker of New Orleans with .387 is the runner-up and S. Clarke of Birmingham is third with .376.

Herman of Atlanta is topping the home run hitters with four circuit drives. Killinger of Atlanta is leading a hot pace for the base stealers with nine, the quartet of Naun of Birmingham, Marriott of Mobile, Moore of Atlanta and Clantin of New Orleans, trailing him with eight each.

Other leading batters: Huhn, Mobile .375; Leonard, Chattanooga .369; R. Williams, Mobile .363; Foss, New Orleans .358; Richbourg, Nashville .356; Miller, Birmingham .354; Neun, Birmingham .352; Smith, Little Rock .348.

THREE MEN PLAYED IN ALL GAMES LAST YEAR; WHO'LL BE IRON MEN THIS SEASON

Glancing over some of last season's Texas League baseball records, one may find that only three of the assorted 225 men who drew pay in the circuit in 1922 stuck to their guns each day, and two-thirds of these three were Spudders.

The iron men were: Outfielder Homer Summa of Wichita Falls, who played in 155 games; Shortstop Earl Adams, who was in 155, and Outfielder Cecil A. Coombs of Fort Worth, who was active in a like number of engagements. No catcher, first baseman, second baseman, third baseman, left or right fielder was able to stand up under the daily pressure for the 156-day grind.

Homer Ezzell of San Antonio, Felix of Shreveport and Jack Tavener of Fort Worth missed but one game in 1922.

Inspection of the major league records for 1922 show that 17 men played in every game of the schedule. Seven of these were National Leaguers, 10 of them members of the American circuit. Four men in the National were tied for first honors, three of them being on one team—Cincinnati. George Burns, Ralph Pinelli and Jake Daubert represented the Reds, and Dave Bancroft of the Giants upheld the honor for McGraw.

Others Are Faithful.

Max Carey and Maranville of the Pirates did all they could be expected to do in the matter of faithfulness to duty. They played in every game that their team played, and thus it was no fault of theirs that they failed to appear in as many games as did their Cincinnati rivals. In a similar case was Rogers Hornsby of the Cardinals, who played in all the 154 games in which his club figured.

In the American League the following good little boys were neither absent nor tardy:

Chick Galloway of the Athletics, Emery Rigney and Bob Veach of the Tigers, Eddie Collins of the White Sox, Sam Rice and Stanley Harris of Washington, Marty McManus of the Browns, Derrill Pratt of Boston, Everett Scott and Aaron Ward of the Yankees.

It is true that many others might have done as well in the matter of steadiness as the above heroes had it not been for accidents of one sort or another, slight or severe injuries sustained while frying to win games. But, nevertheless, the above lads are entitled to their little reward of merit cards.

De Noville's Misfortunes.

Tom De Noville might have had his name in the box score of every Houston game if he had not been so unfortunate. Early in the season he skidded into second base on a knee-cap instead of on the side of his leg. That put him out for a spell. Later he presented the broad side of his left cheek to a pitched ball. The import was something terrible. The next day Thomas looked as if he had seven or eight ulcerated teeth or a toy balloon concealed within his face.

Bittle was in a fair way to finish the season without a break, but developed some sort of ailment by washing fried fish down with ice cream. The combination produced violent pains in Bittle's midsection and for a day or two he had to take his nourishment in bed. Even the durable Joseph Doyle was unable to follow the pace of Messrs. Coombs, Summa and Adams. His layoff was short, yet it deprived him of a perfect attendance card for the season.

AMARILLO GETTING READY TO ENTERTAIN SHOOTERS AT STATE MEET JUNE 18

AMARILLO, TEXAS, May 19.—The annual Texas state shoot that is to be held in Amarillo, June 15 to 20 inclusive, will bring to the Panhandle probably the largest number of nationally known sportsmen to ever assemble in this section of the country.

Over $1,000 in added money and trophies have brought entries from the most famous trapshooters of the sporting fraternity over the world. It is expected more than 200 active contestants will participate in the shoot and spend three or four days in the Panhandle's meeting place as guests of the sportsmen of the Metropolis of the plains.

Elaborate and detailed plans for the entire shoot and the entertainment of the kings of sports are rapidly assuming the shape of a finished program which will be announced during the week.

Many Famous Shooters

The Amarillo Gun Club, the Panhandle Trapshooters League and the sportsmen of the Panhandle are all joining hands to make the annual state shoot this year the most successful ever staged in the southwest.

Such nationally known trapshooters as Captain A. Hardy, Frank Troeh, Bill Heir, William Lambert, the five Etchen brothers, Phil Miller, E. F. Woodward, J. D. Clay, Forrest McNier, Mark Airle, Dave Fauskee, J. S. Frink, E. C. (Chief) Wheeler, Frank Hughes, S. H. Sharman and Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Topperwein will register for the big sporting event.

450 Are Expected

It is expected that fully 150 shooters from over the Panhandle of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico will enter in competition for the added money and trophies. A feature of the shoot is a large silver loving cup offered by E. E. Finklea to the member of the Panhandle Trapshooters League making the longest run. It is expected that there will be much competition for the huge trophy.

C. F. McCubbins will cashier the shoot and Fred Baker will hustle squads.

W. I. Spangler, manufacturer, will donate two new Spangler traps for use during the meet and will be here personally to look after the traps during the shoot.

The meeting of the trapshooters will begin on the afternoon of June 17 which will be devoted to a practice shoot and on the night of June 18 a banquet or barbecue will be given for the visitors with an elaborate entertainment provided after the banquet. Many other dinners and parties will be accorded the sportsmen while they are in the city.

AMERICAN GOLFERS RETAIN WALKER CUP BY BRILLIANT RALLIES IN FINAL ROUNDS

By Universal Service.

ST. ANDREWS, May 19.—American gameness when all hope seemed lost turned the tide Saturday in a remarkable finish of the battle for the Walker Golf Cup and the United State retained the trophy, the emblem of international team supremacy.

It was in the singles matches that the Americans shone, and although they traveled in five of the eight matches in the morning their brilliant steady play in the afternoon contests won the day.

The Americans won six of the eight matches played Saturday and their margin in the two days' play was seven victories to five.

When things looked gloomiest for America the steady play of Dr. O. E. Walling of Portland, Oregon, carried him to a two up and one to play victory over Murray. The play vindicated the American contention that the true test of good golf is found in 36 holes, for it was the ability to pull up after being far behind that won for America. This was remarkably shown in Sweetser's match with Tolley, for after the American was seven down to Tolley, in the early play his good golf at the end almost carried him to victory.

The large gallery that followed Ouimet and Wethered saw the American pull up at the end after being down almost all the way. Ouimet went the 18 holes in the afternoon in 71 and Wethered in 72.

Fred Wright of Los Angeles, after teeing 3 down to Holderness in the morning, finally won by one up. Wilson defeated Herron of Pittsburgh one up.

George V. Rotan of Houston, Texas, defeated W. Willis six up and four to play and Max Marston, of Philadelphia, won over Hope five up and four to play. Both of these matches saw the American trailing in the morning play.

Bob Gardner beat Captain Robert Harris on the last hole, one up.

WICHITA PETROLEUMS DOWN ELECTRA TEAM

ELECTRA, TEXAS, May 19.—The Wichita Petroleum Company team broke the long winning streak of the Electra Hot Shots Saturday by downing the crack Electra nine in a well played game, 5 to 3.

The Wichita Petroleums will play the Wichita Falls Knights of Pythias Sunday at Wichita Falls. The Petroleum team expects one of its hardest games of the season from the Pythians.

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"RIP" WHEELER TO JOIN SPUDDERS TUESDAY; DEAL ON FOR PHILLIE PITCHER

"Rip" Wheeler, Spudder right-hander and ace of the staff until two weeks ago when he jumped the club, has decided that his vacation has been of sufficient duration, and President R. O. Harvey last night was in receipt of a telegram from the Ripper stating that he would report Tuesday ready to go back to work. Wheeler has been at his home in Kentucky since leaving the club when it departed for south Texas last Monday week.

Along with the announcement that Wheeler was on his way to join the club, came one to the effect that a deal would be closed within the next day or two for a hurler from the Philadelphia Nationals. Prexy Harvey declined to divulge the name of the flinger that is to come from the Phils.

GOOD CROWD TURNS OUT TO SEE EXHIBITION FORRSOME ON MUNICIPAL GOLF LINKS

Close to a hundred municipal golfers are wiser as to the manner in which the great old Scottish game should be played, as a result of the exhibition foursome played over the course of the Wichita Falls Municipal Golf Club Saturday afternoon. The muny golfers turned out in force to follow the star foursome and they were treated to some fine golf in the 18 holes.

The exhibition was arranged by J. R. Sheldon, chairman of the tournament committee, to intensify the already heated interest in the municipal club, and from the crowd that turned out for the event, it must have been a success.

Tommy Cochran, finalist in the 1923 Texas amateur championship, led the foursome, with a medal card of 75, three above par. Cochran went out in 38 and bettered this by one stroke on the inside nine. In the 18 holes he had three birdies and nine pars. Dudly Golding was a bit off his game and turned in an 83 for the 18, going out in 43 and bettering this by three coming in. "Bobby" Burns got an 82 for the 18 and Bob Alexander an 86.

The players were strong in their praise for the municipal course, and all were of the opinion that the nine holes were sufficiently difficult for the best.

The cards:

Cochran—Out 454, 343, 516—38. In 423, 445, 545—37—75.

Golding—Out 548, 349, 655—42. In 444, 345, 556—40—82.

Burns—Out 465, 445, 555—43. In 444, 345, 556—40—82.

Alexander—Out 564, 445, 555—43. In 545, 334, 676—43—86.

YOUNG MAN WITH LIQUOR IN POSSESSION HELD

A young white man, with three pints of whiskey in his possession, was taken into custody by Officers Scott and Hart late Saturday afternoon and lodged in the city jail. The man was arrested in the business district where it is claimed he was attempting to make a sale. A pint of whiskey was found on his person at the time of his arrest. A search of his room, following the rest revealed two more pints of the same variety. The man is being held in the city jail until Monday when he will be turned over to federal authorities.

CADILLAC CAR OF J. W. STONE FOUND BY DALLAS POLICE

A Cadillac touring car, the property of J. W. Stone, which was stolen here last Monday was located by city police officers in Dallas Saturday. The machine was stolen here the first of the week and no trace of it had been had since that time. The theft was not reported to police officers and a conversation overheard on the street resulted in the finding of the car. Dallas authorities were notified and the owners have gone to claim the stolen car. No arrests were made in the case.

SWISS IMMIGRANTS EXAMINED AT HALIFAX UNDER SPECIAL PERMIT

HALIFAX, N. S., May 19.—To clip two days off their journey and strike in the United States before the immigration quota for the United Kingdom was exhausted, 399 Scottish immigrants, originally bound for New York were landed by the steamship Cameronia here today and planned to complete their trip by rail.

Examined under a special permit from the American immigration authorities at Washington the immigrants were to be started for New York tonight on a special train.

Reports that more than enough immigrants to fill the United Kingdom quota had sailed from various ports caused those on the Cameronia to appeal to the ship's commander to land them in Canada.

The Cameronia proceeded to New York this afternoon with her remaining 150 passengers.

PEARSALL.—The Frio county commissioners court has appropriated $1200 toward paying the salary of the county home demonstration agent. The remainder of the salary is paid by state and federal aid. An agent to be appointed will start work June 1.

CLARENCE SAUNDERS DEFIES INTERESTS IN FIGHT FOR CONTROL

MAKES DESPERATE STAND TO STAVE OFF FINANCIAL DISASTER.

WITHDRAWS OFFER TO RELINQUISH CONTROL

Plans to Meet Debts With Sale of Stores In Various Parts of Country.

MEMPHIS, TENN., May 19.—Clarence Saunders, fighting head of Piggly-Wiggly, threw down the gauntlet tonight to the financial forces he charges are seeking to ruin him and gain control of his chain grocery system.

Faced with court action by creditors who hold $4,500,000 worth of Piggly-Wiggly shares which he put up as collateral for money he borrowed to outfight Wall street recently, the Tennessee grocer magnate made a desperate last stand to stave off financial disaster.

"The fight is on; let them go to it; I have fought with my back to the wall before," declared Saunders in reply to the first move from his creditors, filing a suit to collect $20,000 on a note given by Saunders in March to the Interstate Trust and Bank Company of New Orleans.

Declaring he would contest the legality of the note and challenging financial pools which supported his invasion of Wall street to dethrone him as head of the big grocery chain, Saunders withdrew his offer to give up control of Piggly-Wiggly to his creditors July 1, if he fails to refinance the organization.

"I shall liquidate my obligations according to my own methods," he declared. "I am ready for any move my creditors may make to gain control of Piggly-Wiggly stock. I do not intend to relinquish control or resign as president, but will continue to run Piggly-Wiggly as I see fit."

Saunders challenged the financial pools when they ignored his request for an extension of credit to July 1. He charged they had already transferred the 91,000 shares which he gave them as collateral to themselves, anticipating he would be unable to meet his obligations by June 1.

Saunders' plan to meet his debts includes sale of approximately half of the Piggly-Wiggly stores in various parts of the country. His creditors, he asserted, had threatened to secure njunction restraining sale of the stores.

Representatives of the financial pool holding Saunders' notes arrived here today from New Orleans, St. Louis, and Nashville. They held extended conferences but refused to comment on the Piggly Wiggly situation.

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FORT WORTH.—Tom Ben Archer, inmate of the Tarrant county jail, has become a radio "bug" and installed a set in the county jail to help pass away the time. Other prisoners "listen in" on Archer's set frequently.

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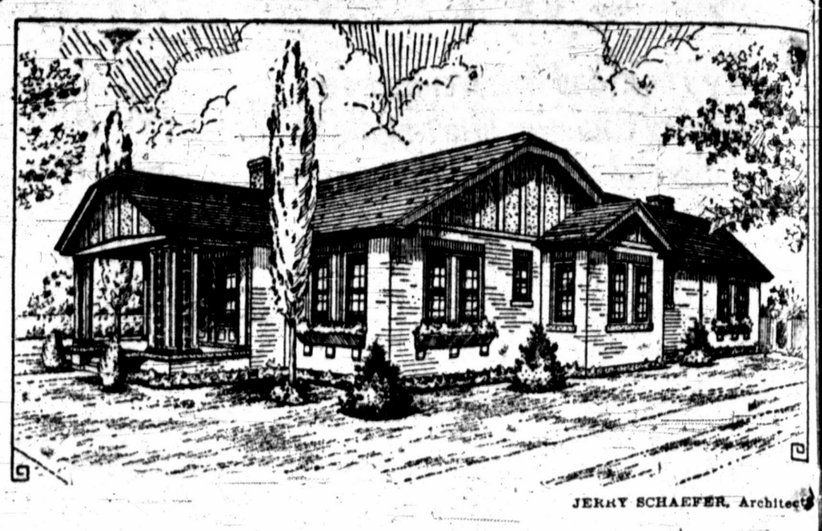

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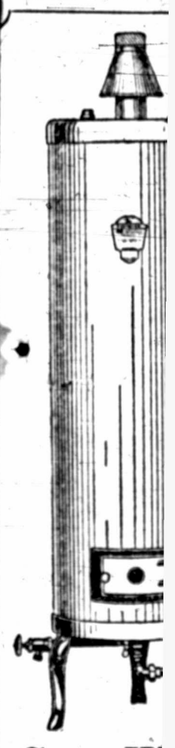

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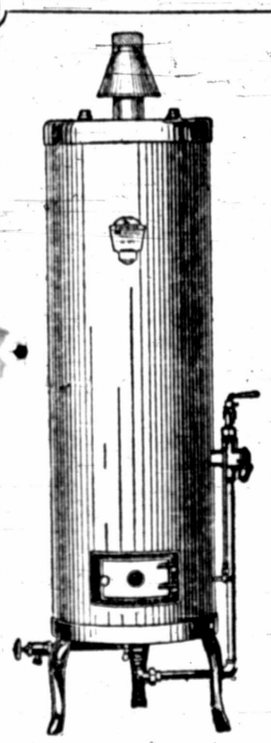

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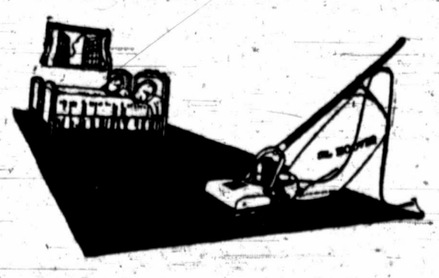

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As there is much beast and some devil in man, so is there some angel and some God in him. The beast and the devil may be conquered, but in this life never destroyed.—Coleridge.

WOULD WE DO WITHOUT THE THINGS FOR WHICH WE PAY TAXES.

We cry against taxes, but taxation for the most part comes as a result of enterprises for the public benefit.

There would be no call for increased state taxation if we were content to go along without a public educational system and if we were content to permit our rivers and streams to overflow their banks and spread destruction and leave the country to droughts and the floods. There would be no call for increased state taxation if we were to permit our eleemosynary institutions to languish, convicts to be leased to the highest bidder and held to labor under gun and lash, the blind and the deaf and dumb to remain uneducated and helpless, the insane to go free and without effort to treat them.

If we were content to get along without a sewer system, without paved streets, without water, without police protection and without a number of other things we would have little city taxes to pay. Most of our taxes grow out of services and improvements that benefit us all and our urge for better things. It must be admitted, however, that there is waste and duplication and extravagance in government. And the public too often wants more than its financial situation will warrant, just like individuals.

There are many who believe that the time has come when we ought to bend our efforts, first in government for economy and the elimination of waste and duplication, and that we ought to do without some of the things we want until we can afford to pay for them, more especially as our public expenditures are laying a heavy burden upon enterprise and industry in the form of heavy taxes.

THE FIRE TRAGEDY IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

A lamp exploded in the second story hall of a wooden building in a South Carolina community where a school program was in progress, the wooden stairway collapsed under the rush of those in the audience to escape and 73 persons were burned to death or killed in the resulting panic.

All of this occurred within half an hour's time. A whole community was decimated and a pall of grief and sorrow has succeeded the joy and enthusiasm of commencement week.

The disaster was one of those tragedies that are almost constantly dogging the human race. One day it is the visitation of a cyclone in Texas, the next a railway wreck on some great railway system, the next probably a steamer collision, a fire in some theater, school building, hotel, tenement or factory.

Man struggles against the great forces of nature and bends them to his will and purpose, but always these forces strive against their bonds and the merest accident will often let loose fury and appaling destruction. We can never know where they will next break their bonds and visit tragedy upon the men, women and children about them. Such tragedies cannot but help excite our sympathies for those who suffer; they ought to sober us and cause us to exercise the utmost care and caution in the handling of these forces.

WE MUST MAKE EDUCATION USEFUL AND PURPOSEFUL.

More young people are being graduated from the high schools and colleges of the country this summer than ever before in the history of the country. Everywhere there is greater encouragement for education and greater expenditures for it than ever known. As a result of this great movement which has become almost a national passion knowledge will be more generally diffused in this country than in any other nation of the earth.

This ought to have wonderful results within the next twenty years. These results ought to be manifest in a higher and better standard of living, better government and better social conditions in every respect.

Education can be a means to this betterment. But it must be remembered that education is only a means to this end. It is only as we use and increase our knowledge that these benefits will come. If education is made an end in itself, it will get the individual or the nation nowhere. It would produce only a race of softened drones.

We must make education useful and purposeful. That ought constantly to be kept in mind in this great movement for the universal diffusion of knowledge and mind training.

The height of foolishness is the depth of despair.

You never see a night watchman with insomnia.

MR. BRYAN AND HIS WARFARE ON THE "MONKEY THEORY."

William Jennings Bryan was defeated for moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly at Indianapolis. He failed to receive appointment to the chairmanship of any of the most important committees.

Bryan is a good loser—experience, if nothing else, has made him that way. But defeat has never discouraged him. It is pretty safe to guess that the distinguished Floridan will precipitate a contest in the assembly between the fundamentalists and the liberals in religious thought. Bryan has declared war on what he calls the "monkey theory." Having paramounted this theory he is likely to go valiantly into battle for it as he has many another paramount issue in the political arena. Bryan is a great paramounter and it must be acknowledged that he has made his issue the point of struggle in many a contest. Maybe the leaders in the assembly are ready for the battle of the "fundamentalists" against the "evolutionists" but if they are not it is safe to predict that Mr. Bryan will cause them some embarrassment.

ARCHER COUNTY'S GROWING OIL PRODUCTION.

Week by week Archer county's oil production figures grow. Last week the average daily production was more than 16,000 barrels. The climb upward has been gradual but steady.

A production of 16,000 barrels a day is no small thing and places Archer county among the important oil producing counties in Texas, but there is every indication that Archer county's oil production will continue to grow for many months to come.

And there is this about Archer county's oil pools. They may not produce gushers like some other pools but the wells do not slump quickly like those in some other pools and in the long run the sands produce as much oil as the gusher pools. That has been the history of wells in Archer county and gives substance for the hope that that county will for many years produce a considerable volume of oil.

Archer county folks have always been most friendly toward Wichita Falls. They have shown favor to this newspaper and naturally we rejoice in their prosperity.

The biggest fish doesn't always get away. Sometimes he goes home and says they wouldn't bite.

A young lady tells us that crying for a man isn't half as quick as smiling for a man.

The latest boy wonder is "How long before vacation?"

Lots of people think the world owes them two or three livings.

Higher education may not pay, but a man at University of Idaho ate 31 eggs for breakfast.

Mr. Posey is a Piute chief who led a recent Indian uprising. Posey's friends say it with flowers.

Rome prohibits kissing in public places. No doubt girls say mouths are not public places.

TODAY'S TALK

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

THANK YOU!

Wouldn't this be a very unhappy sort of world if you never heard "Thank you."

Many a day, full of clouds and almost dark as night, has been all lit up and made over by no greater thing than one of these seemingly innocent little two-word combinations—a mere "Thank you!"

When I first saw the play "Abraham Lincoln" by John Drinkwater, I was impressed by the number of times Lincoln said "Thank you." It sweetened the great love which I already had for this marvelously gentle and strong character.

I know of no habit more worth forming than this same "Thank you" habit.

Do a particularly difficult task—then have someone who has appreciated it, thank you, and ten times the amount of money you may have earned would not begin to meet such compensation.

How hungry the world is for just a few more "Thank you's!"

A little girl has written me telling of the help she has received from a published collection of these Talks of mine. I can only thank her in this public way, for she didn't sign her name to her beautiful letter of appreciation. She says she will smile her way through life in greater heart from now on. Just think of the "Thank you's" that will come her way as a result of this high and happy resolve.

Always keep a stock of "Thank you's" handy, and use them without reserve. You can't use too many, and you can't use them too often.

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JUST FOLKS

—By—

EDGAR A. GUEST

SAID STUDY TO PLEASURE.

Said Pleasure to Study: "I'm better for man,
I take him from trouble wherever I can,
I lighten his burdens and soften his woes
And lead him to laughter wherever he goes;
With thoughts of his duty I never offend,
I make him happy, and I'm his best friend."

Said Study to Pleasure: "I better his mind,
I help him to conquer the cares he shall find.
I make him wiser. A day spent with me
And stronger and braver in trouble he'll be.
You bring him laughter that fades with the hour,
But I bring him knowledge and I bring him power."

Said Pleasure to Study: "You trouble him so.
You whisper of work when to play he would go,
You hold him fast to a book or a dream,
I take him out to the banks of a stream,
I give him music and dancing and fun,
I set him free from the tasks to be done."

Said Study to Pleasure: "I strengthen his hand,
I make him able to rule and command.
I give him courage and wisdom to bear
Whatever life sends him of trial and care.
I talk of duty and I hold him fast,
But I give him triumph and joy that shall last."

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Sees Good in Bulgarian Plan to Make Communists Commune

By THOMAS R. MARSHALL
Former Vice President of the United States

Intensive training of the young in the principles of our government should be a fundamental principle with every man who believes in our institutions. More and more those who believe in the ancient order are being aroused to speak aright and promptly to condemn all efforts which seek the overthrow of our institutions. More and more we are becoming convinced that the right of free speech does not involve a duty to hire atheistic scoundrels to instruct our children in the plastic years of their youth. Sooner or later we shall reserve the right to reject prostitutes as teachers of our daughters and anarchists as teachers of our sons. I trust the good work of enlightening the American people with reference to the ulterior motives of pretended reformers and regenerators will go on.

I would not lessen the zeal of those who by voice and pen are seeking to instill in the minds of the young ideas consonant with the history of the republic, but I am wondering if we are not increasing the difficulty by the expression of too much fear concerning government. I sometimes feel that this shuddering about the awful menace of bolshevism and communism may, after all, be a sort of saline solution injected into the veins of a slowly dying cause.

Without minimising the danger would if not be a good thing to point out how and then the hopeful signal of the times, and to encourage the preaching of the positive principles of the government? This communistic danger may be permeating all grades of society, as I am informed it is, but I doubt that the virus is spreading to any considerable extent.

The various church organizations in America report, notwithstanding all the talk about the glories of Russia, a steady increase in the communicants of all denominations. These church rolls may not disclose consistent Christians day by day, but they do disclose men and women who if the question whether God or Trotsky shall go were to be settled, would make it mighty unpleasant for Mr. Trotsky. With these hopeful signs in the church, with the decided stand of the American Federation of Labor and the outburst of public indignation over recent Russian outrages, let us take courage and believe that things will come out all right.

Pessimism should have perished from the minds of thinking men when a historic incident was recorded in this language: "And Nathaniel saith unto him, 'Can there any good thing come out of Nazareth?' Philip saith unto him, 'Come and see.'" But pessimism did not die; it lived on through the ages, although time and again goodness and greatness have been found where men thought they could not survive.

Still we keep on inquiring, "Can any good come out of Nazareth?" It pleases me much, therefore, to say a kind word about something that took place in Russia. Our dear departed Bill Haywood was thrown out of the communist colony in the Kuznets mines district in Siberia because he refused to work. Here at last, is an argument for communism that I can understand. It is an argument that every thoughtful workingman in America ought to consider. Haywood, it will be remembered, preached the doctrine of communism in this country. He sought to seduce the American workingman into believing in the system. Upon conviction he forfeited his bail, fled our shores, and as a fugitive from justice found a real communism, where all his theories were working, only to discover that he didn't want to work there any more than he did in America.

I wish all those who are being beguiled by communists in America would take the trouble to find out just how much actual work these communist orators have ever performed, just how much property earned by the sweat of their brow they have put into the common pot, just how hard they have exercised other muscles than those of their throats for the benefit of their fellow laborers. I venture the belief that the common property of these fellows is the contributions of half-baked philanthropists of America, that they never created anything to divide and never will possess anything to divide save these benefactions.

We formed an unfavorable opinion of Bulgaria during the great war, probably because she threw in her lot with the central powers. But, again, "Can any good come out of Nazareth?" It is proposed in Bulgaria to place all communists in colonies by themselves, to take all their individual property and make it common property, to require all members of each colony to go to work, and to make the product of their labor the joint property of the community. What a heart-breaking condition for Bill Haywood and his American brethren, that everybody must work!

Why would it not be a good thing in America to make these fellows who say they believe in communism practice a little of their theory so that the rest of us might look on and see how it turns out? Surely, no one who believes in communism would seek to evade its precepts. All the intellectual belief that a man can stuff into his brain is of no use whatever unless he be willing to use it in the everyday affairs of life. These men who are communistic from the neck up should be compelled to be communistic from the neck down. Let us have a political census of America. Let us list the communists and, imitating Bulgaria, let us segregate them in a colony by themselves, give them every opportunity to show that they believe in labor—actual physical labor—and are glad to labor not for themselves, but for their fellow men. By living in an oasis of communism, by their work and their lives and the peace they produced, they could demonstrate whether they were a band of real altruists.

I am for the resistance of communistic principles upon theory; I am for the preaching, in season and out of season, of the old gospel of the republic; but, nevertheless, I am in favor of giving these fellows a chance to disclose that they believe enough in their theories to put them into actual practice. I have not the slightest doubt that two things would be demonstrated. Most of them would prove to be Bill Haywoods; they wouldn't work. A few might start in with good intentions, but even they would soon grow weary in well doing. Individualism sooner or later would assert itself, and the colony would be a failure. However beautiful the theories of communism, they will wither and die in the adverse winds of actuality. There is no American so humble but that he is himself. When he has yielded his allegiance to God and his government, all that is left of himself is himself. Theoretically he might be willing to transfer himself to the common mass, to think, to feel, to labor, to play and to hope as the common mass might say. But, however high, exalted and mighty his purpose, the time would come when his ego would assert itself. The system just cannot permanently work. We yield much to society and to our brethren through our love for them, but until a new creation dawns, we are not going to say that our brethren shall be our guardians. The compulsory servitude of communism will no more appeal to free men than did the compulsory servitude of the middle ages. Big Bill Haywood is right; not even a communism has the right to make him work.

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YOU AND I

By ALBERT APPLE

MISTERY.

Can you figure this out? Deposits in all banks in the country now total 42 billion dollars. Yet the treasury department reports that the country's total stocks of money (gold, silver and paper) total only about eight and a half billion dollars.

In other words, there's five times as much money deposited in the banks as there is in existence. Many of us would like to understand the system and use it when we bank.

RAILROADS.

The highest grade railroad bonds are now worth an average index value of $81.55 apiece, compared with $88.69 late in 1914, according to the Wall Street Journal. Early in 1917 the price was $95.51. In May, 1920, you could have bought at $66.82. The fluctuations are due mainly to fear and other imaginary elements, for the physical side of the railroads (rails, equipment and so on) certainly never fluctuated that much.

There is, in the opium smoker's claim that he is a billionaire, nearly as much logic as in everyday life.

NICOTINE.

The use of tobacco increases 156 per cent in seven years. In simpler language, Americans smoke and chew 256 pounds where they formerly used 100 pounds. We're spending at least a billion dollars a year for nicotine stimulation.

Probably half of the stuff that masquerades as tobacco is really alfalfa, dried cabbage leaf, apple peelings and so on. Many cigaret smokers don't know what a real tobacco smoke is.

IRELAND.

No peace in Ireland for generations, predicts Shaw Desmond, one of Erin's leading journalists. Fighting has become a habit over there, with brief breathing spells.

"Nations founded in blood drown in blood," Desmond philosophizes. "Ireland can never be anything, can never be free until she has passed through three generations of self-discipline and training."

Desmond's picture is too dark. It is Irish to predict a fight instead of peace. But self-government is not learned easily by new republics. Ours has not finished learning, and we have nearly a century and a half the start of Ireland.

BEAUTY.

Beauty is worth its weight in gold, probably because it is so expensive. Payments of luxury taxes reveal that our national beauty bill is around 750 million dollars a year—for face powder, toilet water, perfumes, hair tonic and other cosmetics.

After all, it's the most sensible way of wasting money. Give us prettier women and more attractive men, and life will be endurable under even almost any economic setback.

Beauty, like friends, cheap at any price.

FORD.

Most interesting item in the Ford Motor Company's last statement (possibly second place to the total of assets, over 536 million dollars) is that Ford's patent rights are valued at only $155,896.

The company has over 96 million dollars in real estate, and it estimates its good will at over 30 million dollars. The last item is partly the permanent value of newspaper advertising.

Bell County Fair

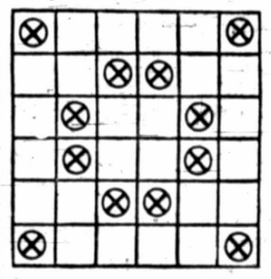
TEMPLE.—The Bell County Fair Association directors have fixed dates for the annual exposition at August 21 to 25 inclusive. Plans are under way for the fair. The association also has voted to change its name to the Central Texas Agricultural and Horticultural fair.

IT USED TO BE THIS WAY— WILL IT COME TO THIS?—

A PUZZLE A DAY

A number of horses were walking through a gate. There was one horse before two horses, a horse behind two horses, and another horse was between two horses. How many horses were going through the gate?

Yesterday's Answer.



The diagram illustrates how twelve counters can be arranged on a thirty-six square board, so that each horizontal, vertical, and diagonal row contains two counters.

FOLKS BACK HOME

Sketches by J. H. STRIEBEL

By Robert Quillen

Uncle Gus.

Uncle Gus finished dusting his display of dried fruit and sat on the counter to gnaw off a fresh portion of natural leaf.

"I see they fetched Sam Howard home from the hospital," said he. "What's left of him, anyhow. They tuck out dangred nigh all his innards to cure a misery he had in his back or somethin'.

"It seems to me doctors is gittin' a sight too smart. Fust thing we know they'll be whittlin' us fo' measles an' chicken pox.

"The' wa'n't no carvin' done scarcely when I was a young feller, but folks got along 'bout as well. They lived hard an' drunk hard an' fit hard, an' most of 'em lived to git in the way o' the children. About all they done fo' sickness was to take blue mass pills an' calomel an' quinine. Maybe some of 'em died young, but when a feller died all of him was buried in one place.

"This here town's gone plum' crazy about scientific doctorin'. I bet the' ain't a complete set o' tonsils in this town that's under fifty years of age. An' as fo' adenoids, a body would think they was some kind o' scandal. As soon as a baby is weighed an' named, folks rush it up to the county seat an' have its adenoids tuck out. Ever'body here exceptin' me an' the few women what's got some modesty left has had x-ray pictures of the' insides made, an' when the's a crowd o' folks together an' somebody says 'operation,' it's like tunin' up a flock o' blackbirds.

"I got lots o' things the matter with me, an' I reckon I'll die one o' these days, but I'm sho' a-goin' to die all at one time."

Contentment.

Years ago a philosopher coined an aphorism to the effect that the happiest people is the one with the least history. He spoke a measure of truth, no doubt, but quite unconsciously he condemned happiness as an enemy of progress.

Contentment is composed of one part physical well-being, one part vanity, and one part pure laziness. In remote villages, where the horizon is accepted as the boundary of the world and all are ignorant concerning the grea matters that occupy the minds of more enlightened people, nearly all are content. Contentment cannot long endure without the support of vanity, and vanity persuades the villager to think himself a little superior to the mad folk who inhabit the outside world. If he now is superior, why expend the energy necessary to change his environment? Villages have little history, but villagers contribute little to the progress of civilization.

The world owes its greatest debt to discontent. Contentment is a confession of mediocrity. The fire of genius that inspires great deeds does not cool when a little thing is accomplished. Cecil Rhodes, builder of empires, died lamenting. "So little done," he said; "so much to do." A similar zeal and a similar dissatisfaction with the work done yesterday inspire all men worth while. There are no statues to immortalize contented men. Only those filled with a sublime discontent write their names large on the pages of history or render great service.

A Fable.

In a certain land there lived a very industrious and prosperous people. Every man worked; every girl wore silk stockings; and every home contained the things advertised in the magazines. The shop windows were gay with play pretties and the curious things with which women delight to adorn their persons; wonderful vehicles were parked along the street; and in every third block was a theater or a school house.

And yet the people were not happy. They quarreled, and envied their neighbors, and devoted much energy to wishing they had more money to spend. At times they wept, and at times they laughed, but at times they hurried and their nerves were taunt.

A fairy passed that way, bent upon doing good, and said to the king: "I know what is the matter with these people. They are slaves of greed and vanity. I shall take away these qualities, and then they will be happy through all their days."

Take away these qualities the fairy did, and went its way to other lands. Years later it returned and stood at the borders of the land to keep. For buildings had crumbled, bridges were down, wheels no longer turned, and all the land was dreary and unkempt. As the fairy wept, the king appeared. "What means this desolation?" asked the fairy. "I thought to make this people happy."

The king sighed. "They are happy," said he. "But without greed they are too lazy to work, and without vanity they are too lazy to keep clean. I'm the only decent man left, and I'm unhappy."

Little Benny's Note Book

by Lee Pape

THE PARK AVE. NEWS

Weather.—Nuthing exter.

Sporting Page

The Invinsibles played the ferst game of the season last Sattiday afternoon agenst the Park Wonders and proberly would of won if the Invinsibles mascot, Benny Pottses black and wite dog Yardo, hadent of kepp jumping up on Skinny Martin every time he started to pitch and made his cerves all rong. Score 32 to 28 in favor the Park Wonders.

Intristing Facks About Intristing Peepie

Puds Simkinses favorite froot is peetch dumplings, wile Sam Crosses is bannanna fritters.

Reddy Merfys granfather is 92 yeers old going on 94 and hasent got hardly eny teeth, but went there in cake for dissert he genrelly beets Reddy eating his peece so he can take the exter slice in case there is one.

Pome by Skinny Martin

It Is to Laff

Diffrent things strike diffrent peeple funny,
But I think without a doubt
The site that strikes most of them the funniest
Is somebody eltses umberella inside out.

Old peeple took for wawks, 15 cents a hour. Our record: We have never yet let one get run over by a automobile or even hit by one. The Ed Wernick and Lew Davis Wawking Co. (Avvertizement.)

Lost and Found. Nuthing.

Aunt Het.

"I know it's a sin and a shame for me to take things to that Willard family, but Susie Willard always calls me a ministering angel and it makes me feel so good I ain't got the heart to let 'em starve as they deserve.

THE GIRL AND T HE BUTCHER BOY

How strangely mixed are the motives of men. Hiram, the butcher boy, has been a regular attendant at church for several years, but it was common gossip in the community that his serious interest in things divine was limited to the girl across the street, with whom he walks to and from church four times each week.

It now appears, however, that he is a serious student of forms of worship and a harsh critic of the moderns.

Last week some member of the church discovered that Dick King, the new drug clerk from the county seat, is a fiddler of parts and delights in playing the old-time hymns with organ accompaniment. The girl across the street is our organist, and she and King have been laboring with some special music for next Sunday morning's service.

Word concerning these nightly practices came quickly to the ears of Hiram, and he as quickly began to condemn the modern tendency to make the church a show place. It appears that while giving complete approval to organs, he has all the while nursed a conviction that fiddles are an instument of Satan. He makes it clear that he feels no personal interest in the matter and protests only for conscience' sake.

There is a general suspicion, however that his interest in ecclesiastical music is not so great as his interest in other things; for Friday night he absented himself from choir practice, and it was rumored that he drank three bottles of near beer down at Pete's place and talked very bitterly concerning the infidelity of women.

Willie Willis.

Little Willie Willis was late at the Maloney party Wednesday afternoon. He had been practicing juggling with some eggs that didn't hatch.

Plan New Church

BROWNWOOD.—Plans have been completed for the erection of the new $80,000 First Baptist Church here. This is the third church to be erected in Brownwood this year, the other two costing $80,000 and $60,000.

Pupils Will Be Presented in Recital This Week

Six of the members of Mrs. J. M. Baber's music classes who will be presented in recital Thursday and Friday evenings. Reading from left to right, top: Miss Jeffie Lee Brooks, Miss Maude Smith; bottom, ElizabethOster, Lucia Bernice Allred, Shumake Baber, and Arthur Millholland.

The entire personnel of Thursday night's entertainers will include Misses Maud Smith, Jeffie Lee Brooks, Ines Carter, Eileen Willis, Gladys Price, Myrtle Ward, Bessie Patty and Evelyn White, and Master Shumake Baber, the seniors. For Friday evening, Misses Ruth Barnett, Melba Ruth and Thelma Mae Stehlik, Fern Young, Lucia Bernice Allred, Fernetta Foley, Maurine Staley, Arthur Millholland, Lena Maud Gholson, Winnie Smith and Mildred Sherrod, the juniors. Invitations have been extended the relatives of the young people.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES TO UNITE IN SERVICE TONIGHT

In the absence of Dr. N. F. Grafton, the pastor, the congregation of the First Presbyterian Church, will join with that of the Central Presbyterian Church in services Sunday night. Dr. F. C. Laslette, pastor of the Central Church, will occupy the pulpit at the First Church for the joint service.

London exports about $4,000,000 worth of candles annually.

London's annual dish of meat is about 400,000 tons.

How Many Will Live?

You can count those baby chicks now and mark up a number. But counting them three weeks later may mean a very much smaller number, unless you start to feeding them right. Baby chicks' digestive systems are exceedingly delicate, Too many women feed chicks on things they think are good chick feed. As a result the loss of chicks is large.

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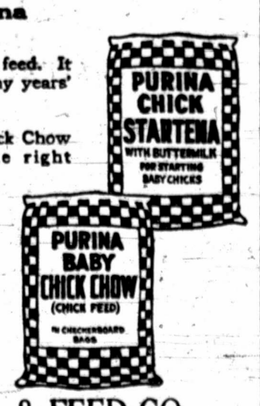

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VERNON NEWS

Teachers Reelected.

Mr. and Mrs. Knox Kinard and the Misses Tucker were elected to their places in the Vernon public school Friday morning by the school board. These four teachers have been in the Vernon schools for two years and have given satisfaction and the patrons who have had children with them are glad to know that they have been included in the faculty this year.

Luncheon Is Served.

A luncheon was served Friday noon at the Methodist church by the ladies of the missionary society to the Lions and Rotarians, who had as their guests the High school graduating class, and the guest of honor, Dr. Henry Lewis Smith, president of Washington and Lee University. Dr. Smith made the address of the luncheon. Others who spoke were Needham Stokem and Harry Mason.

Attend Shrine Ceremonial.

A large number of Vernon folks went to Wichita Falls Friday to the Shrine ceremonial. Most of the crowd who attended went by automobile. About 30 miles of the road from Vernon to Wichita Falls is paved and this made the trip a very pleasant one.

Injunction Is Denied.

The court of civil appeals denied an injunction in the case of the Vernon Electric & Ice Company vs the city of Vernon. The case will come up for trial on its merits at the August term of the court. Judge Clinton Brown, of San Antonio, who has served two terms as mayor of San Antonio, will represent the Vernon Electric & Ice Company, together with local attorneys. The suit will be for the cancellation of $40,000 in warrants which the plaintiff in the suit has alleged that the city issued illegally.

Many people make a living by teaching parrots to talk.

About 10,000 varieties of fish are known.

NEWS BREVITIES.

Mrs. J. F. Todd, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. C. B. Archer, of Tulsa, Okla., who will visit here, returned home Friday after being called to Tulsa several days ago by the death of her brother-in-law, C. B. Archer.

Miss Verna Sellers, head of the English department of the junior college, will leave Sunday for her home in Stephenaville, Texas for a two weeks' visit. She will leave for Austin later where she will take up her summer work.

Miss Mildred McGee of New Boston, Texas, returned to her home Friday. She has been attending the junior college.

Misses Mary Ruth and Jennie Splawn, teachers in the high and junior high school, accompanied by their mother, left Saturday for their home in Decatur, Texas where they will spend their vacation.

Miss Evabeth Blakeney, who has been attending the junior college for the past nine months, left Friday for her home in Alvord, Texas.

Miss Eleanor Spaulding, left Saturday for her home in Enid, Oklahoma following the close of the junior college which she has been attending for the past semester.

Tom DeLaney, who has been in the general offices of the Texas Company for the past four years, resigned Saturday to take a position with the Danciger Oil Company.

Don Crites, William Leurecy, C. W. Hanley, and W. F. Rollins, superintendent of the Gulf Pipe Line Company, all of Fort Worth, who have been in the city attending the Shrine ceremonial, returned Saturday.

T. P. Adams returned Friday from a month's stay in El Paso where he has been visiting Mrs. Adams who is there for her health.

Mrs. Dan Hardy is visiting relatives in San Antonio for several days.

Mrs. S. W. Shipley of Muskogee, Oklahoma, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bond has returned home.

Mrs. Stanley Hill and son have returned from a visit to Seymour, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Nolen are the proud parents of Robert E. Nolen Jr., who arrived Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neill have returned from El Paso where they were called to the bedside of a sister, Mrs. Enivee O'Neill, who has been quite ill in a sanitarium there. Mrs. and Mrs. H. I. Smith, parents of Mrs. Encree O'Neill, are staying with her in El Paso.

MR. AND MRS. PARKER VISITING IN DENTON

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Parker left Sunday morning for Denton, for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

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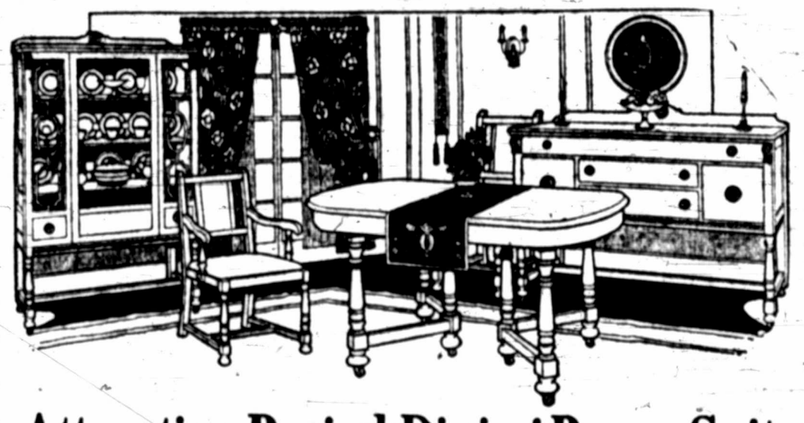

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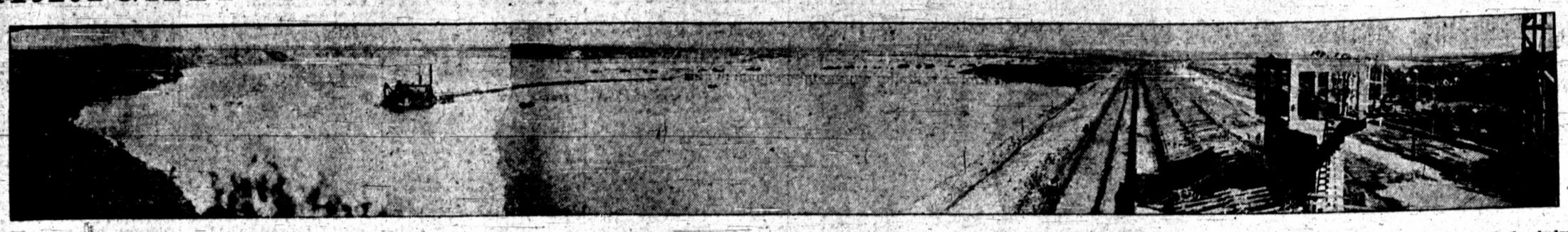
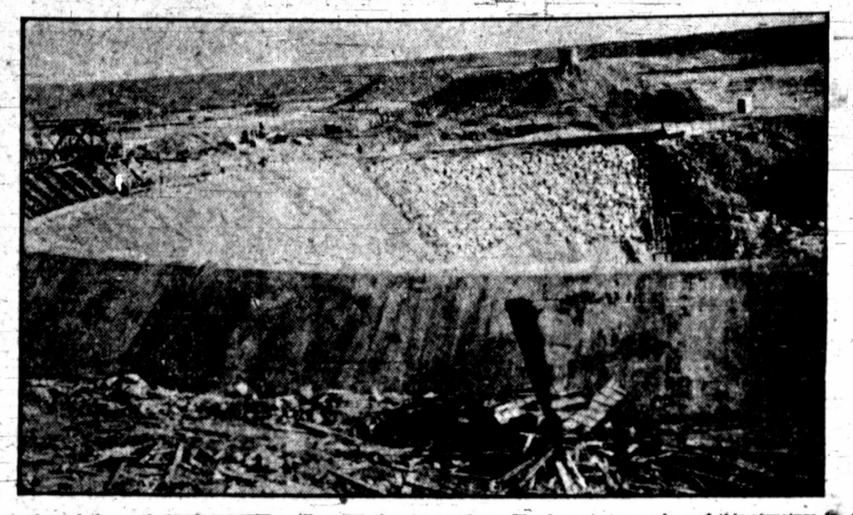
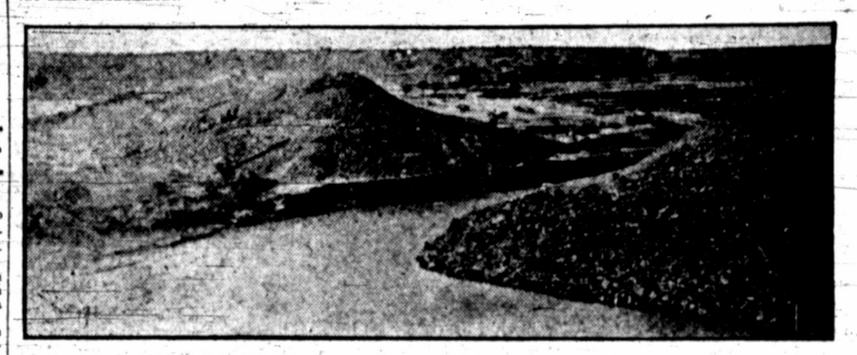


The storage lake as it appears since the recent rains. The dam embankment is within less than 20 feet of its finished height, which will be level with the floor of the gate-house at the right of the picture. At spillway level, the water will cover the line of bluffs seen beyond the dredge.

The spillway excavation at the diversion dam, and the head-gates, are shown in this picture. At the extreme left the deep excavation for the spillway is shown, almost down to grade. The concrete mixer and a portion of the head-gate construction work are shown in the left center. In the right distance is shown the main canal.



A view of the semi-circular service spillway at the storage dam. The downstream surface of this structure is paved with large rocks and then covered with concrete. Beyond the spillway is seen a completed portion of the dam embankment.



The main embankment at the diversion dam. The opening serves as a temporary spillway for the river's flow

$12,000 DELINQUENT CITY COLLECTIONS DURING PAST WEEK

Over $12,000 in delinquent taxes was collected at the office of the city tax collector during the past week, according to a report made Saturday. Judging from inquiries received during the week officials in the tax office are of the opinion that the receipts for next week will be even greater.

It is announced that the first suits for the collection of delinquent taxes will be instituted next week. Papers are prepared in the cases but no report has been made as to which suits will be filed first. Payment of the extra cost of filing suit can be avoided by the payment of back taxes before the suits are filed.

WICHITANS LEAVE TODAY TO ATTEND WEST TEXAS MEET

Hubert M. Harrison and R. E. Shepherd will be official representatives of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce at the meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at San Angelo this week. They will leave this afternoon for the meeting, which is expected to be the largest of its kind ever staged.

M. B. Oates, agricultural agent of the Denver, will also represent this city at the meeting, and is on the program for an address on the poultry and swine business in West Texas.

Wichitans at the meeting will probably support Vernon in that city's efforts to obtain the 1924 meeting.

J. A. Kemp, vice-president of the organization, will be unable to attend. A dispatch from San Angelo said Mr. Kemp would attend in his private car, a piece of rolling stock that doesn't exist.

DALLAS MAN KILLED BY ROBBERS AT LOS ANGELES

DALLAS, May 19.—Felix Beasley, 23, son of Ben F. Beasley of Dallas, was shot and instantly killed by robbers on a road near Los Angeles, Cal., early today, according to police advices here. No details were given. A sister, Mrs. Bert Bowman, will leave here tonight to bring the body home.

Invitations Extended

GEORGETOWN, — Invitation to the inauguration service for Dr. Paul Whitfield, newly elected president of Southwestern University here, has been sent to all colleges and universities in Texas and to all schools controlled by the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. The inauguration ceremonies will take place on June 6.

Dr. P. S. Russell cold breaker and chest ointment. Sold by all druggists.—adv.

ANOTHER WEEK IS ALLOWED TO MAKE YEAR'S RENDITIONS

One week of grace has been allowed by County Tax Assessor Irvan Deaton to property owners who have not made renditions for the year.

Names of those failing to render by that time will be turned over to the grand jury, as required by law, Mr. Deaton said. He wants to list to be as brief as possible, and for that reason has decided to allow until next Saturday for all property owners who have not rendered to do so.

There are 14,439,941 Roman Catholics in the British Empire.

Education in Scotland costs three times as much as before the war.

CASHION DISTRICT PLANS BOND ISSUE FOR LARGER HOUSE

Petitions for special elections to be held in two common school districts will be presented to the county commissioners Monday.

The Cashion district will vote on a $5,000 bond issue for an addition to the school building to make it a four-room structure.

The Fowlkes district will vote on raising the school tax to not exceeding one dollar.

Both elections will probably be ordered for June 16.

RECOMMEND CLEMENCY FOR FOUR MEN CONVICTED

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The joint amnesty committee announced today that clemency for four men convicted of conspiracy to violate war-time laws at Wichita, Kan., in 1917, had been recommended to Attorney General Daugherty by Federal John C. Pollock of Kansas City, who sentenced them, and by Fred Robertson, former district attorney, who prosecuted the cases. The four men are: C. W. Anderson, sentenced for nine years; Wensel Franzik for seven and one-half years; J. H. Gallagher, for eight years and M. Sapper for seven and one-half years.

Your future foretold; send dime, birth date for trial readings. Mme. Otell, box 733, Toledo, Ohio.—adv.

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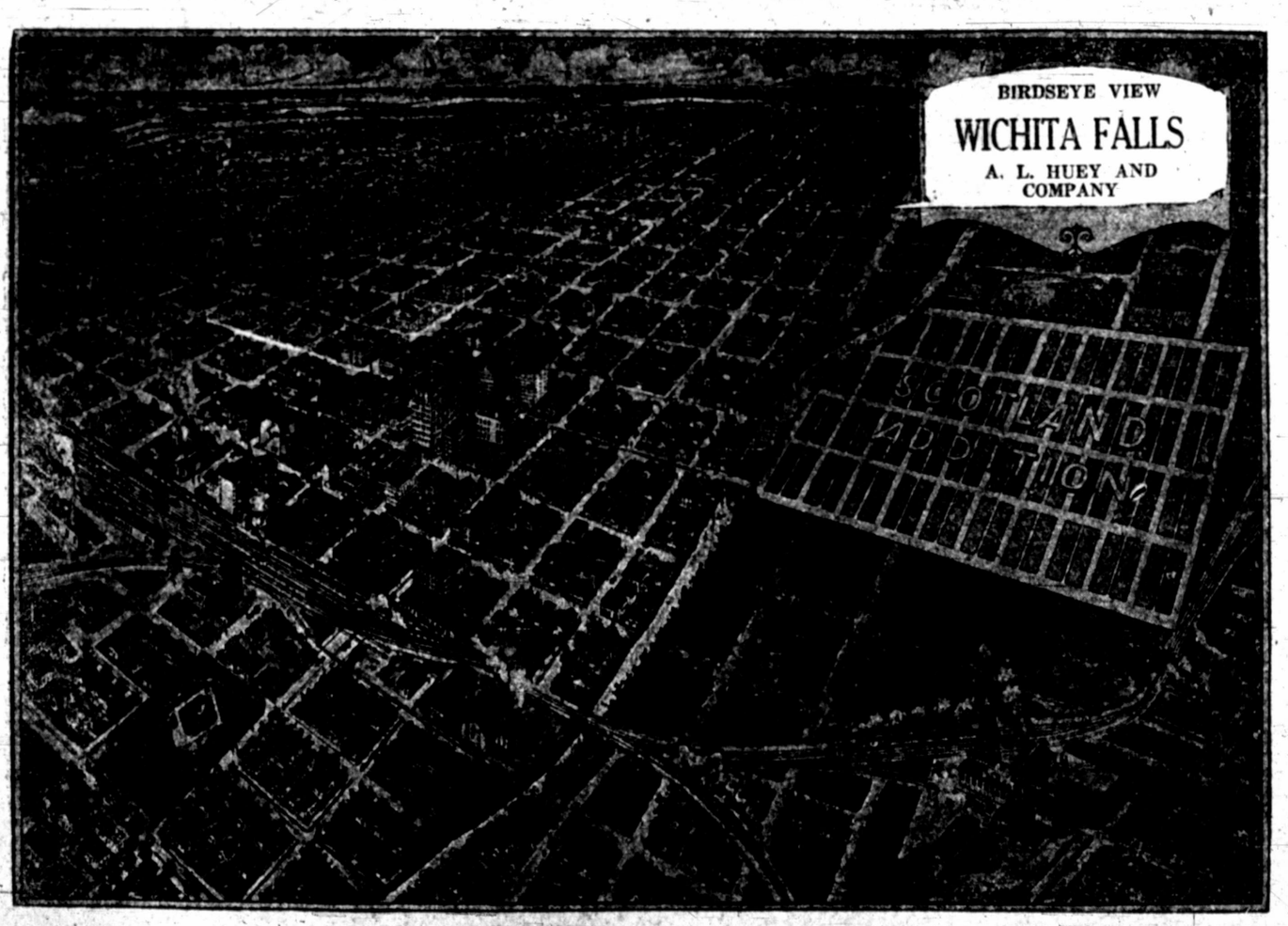

A mistaken idea has been broadcasted throughout the entire country that Wichita Falls property is too high; that people can't afford to invest here. I wish to deny that statement emphatically, and issue a challenge to any city of like size with 50,000 population in the entire United States to match the prices that I now quote on close-in residence lots.

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CONTINUED SLACKENING IN DRILLING ACTIVITY APPARENT IN FIELD.

KNOX FINLEY WELL GOOD FOR 50 BARRELS

Turns Attention to Possible New Shallow Pool; Texhoma Gets Best Well at Electra.

A number of good wells completed in the Electra & Hirschi districts and the increased likelihood of a new shallow field to the northeast of this city was the only developments outside the usual drilling activities in Wichita county during the past week.

The falling off in the number of drilling tests which can be seen by a glance at the weekly drilling reports of the bigger companies is due in part to the recent cuts in the price of oil and the lack of water in the districts outside the proven areas.

The most important development which may have a far reaching effect on this end of the county and especially to the district north of town hinges on the outcome of the Knox Finley Developing Company's test on the Saner-Brothers land just across the Clay county line which picked up a rich sand at 1142 feet which was penetrated four and one-half feet after passing through a 14 inch gas sand. Casing was set and bailing showing lots of oil and very little water. The well is being standardized and is expected to be completed as a 50 barrel producer during the next few days. The location for No. 2 Saner-Saner has been made northwest of No. 1 300 feet.

Northwest of the Knox Finley the test of Staley & Stone on the Kemp-Bean-Jackson tract is drilling at a depth of 1550 feet. The bringing in of a producer at this point which is midway of the southeast Burkburnett shallow field and the Knox Finley would be the means of throwing open for future development a vast territory extending north to Red River.

The Electra field failed to add any new territory to the producing area in the past week although several wells were brought in, the best reported being the Texhoma Company's No. 11-A on their Waggoner tract which is flowing and swabbing from the 1900 foot pay at the rate of 350 barrels daily. Two other wells were finished as the result of this company's activity, both on the Waggoner leases. No. 3 lease F, is good for 60 barrels from the 1500 foot sand, and No. 20-A looks like a nice 50 barrel pumper also in the 1500 foot pay. The company which is one of the most active in the south field has several other tests drilling with one or more due for completion this week.

Southwest of Electra, the Texas Company finished their No. 274 Waggoner in the shallow sand at 846 to 60 feet, making a 150 barrel producer. The tract which is located between the Ranch house of W. T. Waggoner and the refinery, has shown itself to be one of the best in the field. The Texas Company's three last producers which were finished in the 800 foot pay are still making between 100 and 150 barrels daily.

On the Grace Jennings land to the southeast the Gulf Production Company No. 8 has encountered a saturated lime at 1970 feet showing both oil and gas. The same company is drilling at 1807 feet feeling for the sand in their No. 3 lease B Waggoner, No. 4 is drilling at 1456 feet all in section 32.

The John O'Neil Company is rigging up a rotary for No. 12 Waggoner, and is nearing the sand on No. 10 at a depth of 1730 feet.

The Hartford Trust Company finished a 50 barrel pumper on its lease in the Burnett land in the 1500 foot pay, No. 5 is rigging up.

The Magnolia Company is drilling a number of offsets on leases in the Waggoner and is showing some development on older leases to the northwest of Electra.

The larger companies on the Burnett land, including the Griswold and Empire Gas & Fuel are slowing up drilling to some extent and are only taking care of their offset wells.

The Equity Oil & Refining Company has plunged back to 1823 foot sand in their No. 21 Burnett and will shoot in an effort to make a producer. The well was drilled to a total depth of 1990 feet.

Stanley McGregor is preparing to complete his No. 1 well on the John & Jeff Waggoner in the sand at 1598 to 1602 feet with indications pointing to a 40 barrel producer.

On the Beaver-Electra tract Green & Dale No. 11 passed up the shallow pay and is drilling deeper. No. 12 is moving in a machine to drill in the sand at 1623 to 1628 showing plenty of oil.

The deep test of Brewer and associates on the Nelmen land in the Mt. Carmel district is drilling at 1920 feet in shale.

The Magnolia Petroleum Company has built a standard rig on the Tuttle land near the northeast corner of Wilbarger county line and will put down a deep test.

BURKBURNETT MEN START DEEP TEST IN OKLAHOMA

BURKBURNETT, TEXAS, May 19.—A 3,000 foot test was spudded in last Tuesday by the McBern Oil and Gas Company, with offices located in this city. The company as a 1600 acre lease located on section 36, several miles east of Randlett, Okla., in Cotton county. The Armeda Petroleum Company spudded in a well located on section 29 in Cotton county, Okla. This will be a 3,000 foot test and is about 14 miles due east of Randlett, Okla. The lease covers a block of acreage amounting to 4,000 acres.

WELL ON HAPGOOD RANCH IS NOW DOWN 700 FEET

BELLEVUE, TEXAS, May 19.—The well being drilled on the Hapgood ranch five miles northwest of Bellevue is now down to a depth of 700 feet. It is being drilled by the Dumming Drilling Co. of Fort Worth, J. B. Wilson and J. Knowles being the drillers. All concerned seem optimistic over the prospects for oil. The Gulf No. 1 on the Carl Worsham ranch six miles northwest of town is now producing nearly 200 barrels of superior oil daily.

London imports $6,000,000 worth of apples every year.

ARTEX, MINCHEW, FLOWERS AND SUNSHINE TESTS OFFER VARIED POSSIBILITIES NEW TERRITORY

Operations in Archer county during last week resulted in a number of good producers in both proven and wildcat territories. The expected curtailment in the amount of drilling due to the recent cuts in the price of crude failed to materialize and the many drilling programs now under way go merrily on.

The completion of a 400 barrel producer by the Shaw-Rathke Company on the Wilson tract which extended the defined area of the Petersen pool half a mile in a southwesterly direction has stimulated activity in that part of the field and 12 derricks have been built in all directions in the short space of three days. James E. Parker to the south of the Shaw-Rathke No. 1 started his No. 1 Wilson and is drilling in the neighborhood of 900 feet.

The attention of operators has been directed to the locality of the Minchew well on the Wilmot tract, in block 40, abstract 1044, and a number of leases have changed hands at fancy figures. The well which encountered a good sand at 1604 feet showing plenty of oil is in wildcat territory, being midway between the Panther producers to the northeast and the Texhoma-Gose tract to the southwest, and opens up a big stretch of undeveloped land in a northeast and southwesternly direction. The well which has been in a doubtful stage due to casing trouble, resumed operations Friday and made several good flows of 41 gravity oil during swabbing, and from conservative estimates looks good when completed for 200 barrels. The owners have made a location for No. 2 and will erect the derrick at once.

The showing made in the Artex Oil Company's No. 1 test on the Carter land in block 93, lot No. 11, American Tribune lands, promises an addition of hundreds of acres to the proven areas of the Texhoma-Gose and Petersen pools in a triangular shaped territory. The well which has all the earmarks of a good producer is located about two miles due south of the Texhoma-Gose and a like distance to the southwest of the Petersen pool, picked up what is thought the Petersen pay at a depth of 1575 feet. It was cored five feet and showed up full of oil; casing was set and the bailing of the well will begin in the next day or two.

Another well being watched closely by the operators in the Archer field is the showing made in the Flowers Brother, located about five miles south of Archer City on the Cowan land in block 53 Jefferson county school lands. This test picked up a new shallow sand at 1150 feet which showed oil and gas enough to warrant a test. Casing was run and the well started bailing but lost the seat after a two hours run; the casing will be pulled and reset on a new seat when the bailing will be completed. A produced here will mean the opening up of a big scope of territory for future exploitation in this part of the county, and the outcome of future developments in this well will bear watching.

The Sunshine Refining Company drilling on the Parrish land, one and a half miles southwest of the Petersen pool, has set casing on a good looking sand encountered at a depth of 1571 feet and after coring showed plenty of oil with indications of making a good producer. Casing was set and the well is expected to start bailing operations within the next few days.

Southeast of the Freeman-Hampton pool the pay has been extended in that direction one half mile by the completion of a 300 barrel well by Haynes & Art on the H. C. Riggs tract, producing from the 1700 foot sand. The same company's No. 2, a location to the west, is drilling at 1,000 feet.

South of the Haynes-Art No. 1 Staley & Wynne have made a location and erected the derrick for their No. 1 Riggs on the property recently purchased for $16,000. On the east of the No. 1 the Lewis Oil Company is feeling towards the pay at 1650 in the initial test. Several other locations have been made and the coming week will find a number of new derricks in the vicinity.

Increased activity was shown on the proven leases in the Freeman-Hampton and Petersen districts and resulted in bringing in some good producers. No. 3 of the Wilson Drilling Company, Kemp-Kemper is on top of the sand at 1730 feet and has every indication of being a good producer.

Casing has also been set on the sand at 1440 feet in the Freeman-Hampton No. 12 Ferguson well showing up for 100 barrels.

In the northeast part of the field Staley-Wynne & Stone finished a 200 barrel well in the 1700 foot pay their No. 4 Kemp-Kemper which is an offset to the south of the American Refining Company's No. 1 Kemp Kemper.

The McCarty Oil Company No. 4 Wilson in the Petersen pool picked up the pay at 1574 feet which was drilled a few feet showing plenty of oil, casing was run and the well will be drilled within the next few days. The same company is drilling three other tests on its holdings. No. 5 is feeling for the sand at 1540 feet located on the west line of block 6. No. 6 drilling at 1841 feet and No. 7 located in the southwest corner of block 7 is drilling at 1258 feet.

Northeast of the McCarty Oil Company producers Chenault and Lee missed the usual pay at 1576 feet and continued drilling to a depth of 1658 feet with indications of being a dry hole.

On the Parkey land in block 3, about one and one-half miles northwest of the Petersen pool, Ed Petersen is drilling at 1445 feet with formations logging with the producers to the southwest.

The Texhoma Refining Company is also showing a great amount of activity on their tracts in the Freeman-Hampton pool and Cetti lease, on the latter tract that company's No. 2 has casing set and cemented on top of the pay at 1743 feet with expectations of completing during the week. Drilling has also started on No. 3 Cetti and is down 900 feet, Cetti 4 is rigging up a rotary.

On the Texhoma-Gose lease casing has been set on the sand at 1594 with all indications of making the usual Gose producer.

Between the K. M. A. and the Freeman-Hampton pool, a great deal of activity is being shown in the vicinity of the W. S. Langford discovery well and several tests are drilling at interesting depths.

On the W. S. Langford Kemp-Kemper No. 3 is drilling at 1000 feet after passing up a new 650 foot pay which showed up for a small producer. The location for No. 4 has a derrick up about 300 feet west of No. 1.

Drilling into the sand a few feet at 1608 feet, the No. 2 well of Kimmel & Dillard 300 feet west of the Langford discovery well is showing up for a 300 barrel producer.

West of the discovery well C. H. Clark and the Shamrock Oil Company are feeling towards the sand after reducing the hole at 1600 feet on their No. 1 Kemp-Kemper.

The test of Clint Merchison and associates southeast of the Langford field began drilling and is down 300 feet.

Scott-Bowers No. 1 Ferguson south of Langford No. 1 has been abandoned as dry at 1800 feet. The sand which was picked up in this test at the usual depth showed 11 feet thickness but failed to show any oil.

One mile to the east, the test of Roy I Carter is feeling for the sand at 1600 feet on the initial test.

SEVERAL WELLS IN PANHANDLE DUE TO HIT SAND SHORTLY

PANHANDLE, TEXAS, May 19.—The Panhandle field has been extended two miles northwest by Plains No. 1 Weatherly on section 17, block Y, Hutchinson county, striking the first pay at the usual depth. Eight-inch pipe has been set and 10,000,000 feet of gas shut off at 2975 feet. The second or big pay sand should be had around 3100 feet, since the well has consistently logged with the producing oil and gas wells in the Burnett pasture, which are estimated to be 500 to 1000 barrel producers of high grade petroleum.

Four other wells in the field are due for completion within the next fortnight. Whittington No. 1 Sanford, eight miles northwest of the latest extension well in south Hutchinson county, is drilling around 2950 feet following a two week shutdown due to the injury of eyes of the drilling crew working in the gas and lime cuttings. Texas No. 2 Burnett in north Carson proven district has 20,000,000 cubic feet of gas coming from the hole and is drilling around 2700 feet. Gulf No. 3 Burnett has landed ten-inch pipe on the big lime at 1980 feet and is drilling below 2000 feet. Silk No. 2 Burnett is drilling at 2860 feet. Six-inch pipe is being carried to the pay. The big 55,000 barrel storage tank for the W. W. Silk wells is nearing completion.

The Tipton No. 1 McConnell well in east Carson is drilling below 2800 feet and is logging identically with the oil producing wells. This well is producing over 25 million feet of gas from the 2400 foot level.

Groom Oil No. 1 Harrel, section 161, block B-3, south Carson, is drilling at 350 feet. Humphreys Oil Co. No. 1 J. Mack Sanford, section 11, block B-3, A. B. M., in west Carson, is spudding. Humphreys Oil Co. No. 1 Johnson, section 44, block Y-2, Hutchinson county, is rigging up. Montgomery Oil No. 1 Johnson, section 37, block Y, Hutchinson, is pudding. Emerald No. 1 Coble, section 10, block 47, Hutchinson county, building derrick and rigging to start June 1.

Representatives and geologists of many of the largest independent operating companies in the Mid-Continent field are now in the Panhandle field to secure drilling contracts.

Oil News Briefs

The Winnipeg Oil Company has entered the Archer county field, having made a location and built a derrick for a deep test on the Annie P. Jackson land, W. B. Aldridge survey, abstract No. 2. The well will be located on lots 107 and 108 in the south part of the tract.

The high winds of Friday night caused some damage to the tests in the Petersen pool, the McCarty Oil Company having three derricks blown down and totally destroyed. Other rigs in the vicinity suffered minor damages.

The John O'Donohoo test to the north and east of the McCarty producers is reported to have cored into a good looking sand Saturday at a depth of 1780 feet showing oil. This test failed to make a well in the usual 1574 foot pay which was encountered while drilling and for a while was considered a dry hole. Drilling was continued and indications point to the picking up of the Freeman-Hampton 1700 foot pay. Future developments in this test will be watched closely.

In block 72 Wilson lands, east of Archer City, the No. 1 well of Stoneking and Burns is coring a good looking sand in the neighborhood of 1678 feet which will warrant a testing. W. R. Duke has taken over the interest of George Stoneking, and future operations will be under the Duke-Burns guidance.

The Gulf Production Company's No. 1 well on the Hockaday farm southeast of Graham in Young county which came in a few weeks ago making 2600 barrels daily from a sand at 4100 feet for a few days and creating a sensation in that part of the county, is reported to have exhausted itself and is numbered among the non-producers.

Flowing at the rate of 15,000,000 cubic feet of gas, the Dalton Oil Company Friday completed their No. 1 well as a gasser from the sand at 3985 to 94 feet. The well is located in the western part of Palo Pinto county.

The heavy rains over the northwestern part of the state have caused the drilling and other oil activities in the Red river bed to come practically to a standstill, and operators will not be able to resume operations until the river recedes to a point where the teamsters can get material on the ground. Among the tests affected by the rise are the Continental, Revenue, Oklahoma-Texas and Marshall companies.

The Bradley Oil Company No. 14 on the Hirschi tract encountered the sand at 1856 feet and after drilling a few feet made several flows. Casing was set and the well will be completed in the next few days and from conservative estimates will make 200 barrels.

STOP SWABBING IN FREEMAN-HAMPTON SAYS COMMISSION

Orders were issued from the office of the Railroad Commission at Austin last week, to operators in the Freeman-Hampton pool in Archer country to stop all further swabbing of wells.

The swabbing of wells which is for the purpose of cleaning out the sands of new wells is permissable for a period of ten days according to rule 39 of the railroad commission. Of late the swabbing of the wells in that district for an indefinite period has grown to be a habit with the majority of producers, some going as far as to pull the tubing from the wells and standardize with the view of again putting the wells to the swab, it is reported, and this resulted in the wells on adjoining tracts having to protect themselves.

Several complaints were lodged with the office of the commission in this city dealing with these conditions, and that body felt justified in ordering a discontinuance.

Additional Tests Starting in Olney Vicinity—Drilling Wells Delayed, But Due to Finish Soon

OLNEY, TEXAS, May 19.—With three wells setting on the sand in the Swastika field nine miles northwest of this city today, the story of that field is soon to be written, and the future of this section as an oil country is to be determined largely by the outcome of these tests. The Swastika syndicate has its No. 1-B and its No. 2-A both on the sand. 1-B is 600 feet southwest of their discovery and 2-A about the same distance southeast, while the American Refining Company, northeast, is setting on the sand at 1345, the difference in depth being accounted for by elevation.

Ordinarily all of these wells should be completed and on the pump this week, but it seems that every one of them is experiencing trouble in seating casing properly, and many operators are of the opinion that before they can be brought in successfully it will be necessary to cement, as was done in the Swastika discovery test. All are trying to avoid this delay if at all possible. American Refining Company was pulling casing yesterday afternoon to reseat, having failed to make it hold at the first attempt. No. 1-B has been having like troubles for three or four days and 1-A is now going through the same difficulties.

The discovery well was again placed on the pump after a shutdown of a week to change power plants, and is doing its 200 barrels a day and better regularly. All three of the wells reported above have cored into the same sand as found in the discovery, and hopes are high here that some one of them will be a much better well than the discovery, and opinion seems agreed that of the three, No. 2-A is the most likely one.

The Kemp well of Peter Oils Incorporated, five miles southwest of Olney, has increased in production and its last 24 hours on the pump produced a little better than 32 barrels. They are pulling the outside casing, rigging a natural gas engine and getting ready to skid the rig to a new location 400 feet east. The Kemp is making plenty of gas to furnish its own pumping power, and at the depth of discovery, 1075, is considered one of the richest finds in this section of the country.

A severe wind storm here last night blew down the derrick being placed on the McClure farm a mile and a quarter southeast of the Swastika field. It was hoped to spud in on this test late today, but the rig will now have to be rebuilt. United Royalties are drilling at 550.

Walling and Clark, on the 10-acre block between the Swastika A and B leases are drilling around 600. Their lease is now proven stuff since the finding of the sand in Swastika 1-B, and with good luck they should complete a well next week.

Sun Company, on Kovar lease, drilling at 1130 in the hard lime rock formation which has been found in all of the tests so far. They report formations running true to the discovery well so far. Monday or Tuesday should determine the outcome of of this test, and if it should make a producer it would stimulate activity quite a bit, as it would give a northwest extension to proven territory of near a quarter of a mile.

C. H. Creighton's Vernon No. 1, a mile north of the city limits, is drilling at 400 feet with an 18-inch hole. This is a cable tool test to go 2700 feet if necessary. They passed five feet of dry sand around 300 feet.

Swastika Syndicate's Pitts Neal No. 1, four and a half miles due north of Olney, drilling at 550.

Featherstone and Ray, on the Morrison tract, a mile and a half south of Swastika field, drilling around 675.

Lee Wilson's Eureka, 600 feet west of Swastika 1, drilling at 600.

Eagle Creek Oil Company, southeast of 1-A and due east of 2-A, is drilling at 400. Many rock hounds and operators predict that these people will get the biggest producer of the entire field.

Texas Company, who has had Fig up due north of the discovery well and offsetting American Refining Company on the west for some time, have at last spudded in and are now drilling at 260.

Lease activities are practically at a standstill and will remain so until some of these wells are completed. City property is changing hands rather freely at steadily increasing prices, and with two new and substantial business houses nearing completion, and two more to start construction in a few days, with a dozen or more handsome homes under construction, Olney is substantially and rapidly growing. It is the belief of the correspondent that October first will have seen the population of Olney — permanent population — at least double what it was on January 1 of this year, and if the fields already discovered prove to be of average size, then it is by no means improbable that this will make a city of six to ten thousand people in the next year.

PRODUCTION GAINS IN THIS DISTRICT, 16,000 FOR ARCHER

The pipeline runs from the various pools in the Wichita Falls district for the week ending Saturday, May 19, showed an average of 70,700 barrels daily for the entire district, a gain of approximately 800 barrels daily over the figures of the previous week.

Archer county whose production has been climbing as each week passed shows a daily run of 16,000 barrels, a gain of 600 barrels daily since last week, due to the connecting up of some big wells in the Petersen and Freeman-Hampton pools.

Electra increased its runs by 375 barrels over last week by the completion of good wells on the Waggoner tract. All others showed slight losses. Below is the daily runs according to the various pipeline companies

	Barrels
Electra	26,150
Burkburnett	25,875
Archer county	16,000
K. M. A. Iowa Park	2,225
Petrolia	350
Henrietta	150
Total daily for the week	70,700
Total daily last week	69,905
Week's increase, bbls. daily	795

HIRSCHI DISTRICT GETS 2 PRODUCERS OTHERS DUE SOON

The completion of two good producers and other tests on the pay due for completion within the next few days is the sum of the week's operations in the Hirschi district.

Early in the week the Gulf finished the No. 8 well on the E. A. Dale tract in block 825 and it is swabbing between 350 and 400 barrels. The same company has two others with the casing set and cemented, No. 7 and 8 Dale, and will be completed this week. No. 6 is drilling at 1770 feet.

On the Bradley Oil Company's lease in the north part of the J. Hirschi land in block 824 that company is bailing the sand in No. 14 at 1878 feet and is showing up for a producer. No. 15 is rigging up a rotary and will commence drilling the first of the week.

To the east of the Gulf Company's tract the Barclay-Meadows-Sun Co. finished No. 10 Dale for 500 barrels from the top of the pay at 1850 to 89 feet. The same company's No. 8 is also coring the sand which was picked up at 1861 feet. Derricks are up for Nos. 11 and 12 tests on the same tract.

West of the Gulf Production Company's wells on the Dale the Camp Oil & Gas Company is drilling the initial test in this section and is down to a depth of 1,000 feet.

To the south of Bob Waggoner's 10-acre tract Judge Moore, after experiencing a good deal of casing trouble has completed his No. 3 Allen-Foster as a 50 barrel pumper.

An elephant will eat 200 pounds of hay a day.

This Week Interesting One in Swastika District, With Several Tests Now at Crucial Stage

MEGARGEL, TEXAS, May 17.—Trouble with water and the casing is causing a delay in completing the Richardson No. 1-B of the Swastika Oil Syndicate where the sand was struck at a depth of 1405 feet, somewhat lower than expected. It might be that 5 3-16th inch casing will have to be set inside that already in the hole.

Richardson No. 2-A of the same company, located south of the discovery well and southeast of No. 1-B, has taken a core of the sand found eight or nine feet higher than in No. 1-A and will set casing.

The American Refining Company got the sand at 1356 feet on its location less than 300 yards north of the No. 1-A and under the hill.

A derrick is going up on block 13, Crawford pasture subdivision on the McClure farm, one and three-quarter miles south by southeast of the Richardson No. 1-A.

The Sun Company and Clark et al should be ready to set casing early next week.

With three wells on the sand in the Swastika field and with two others almost at the level of expected production, next week should serve to indicate what may be expected of the field and the direction in which production will run. Outside of the field the Mort Jon No. 1 of Charles Featherstone in block 2402 T. E. & L. survey, assumes first position of importance on account of its being within a few days drilling of the depth of the sand found in the field. It will be 10 days before the other wells being drilling around town are down to interesting depths.

The sand found in the Richardson No. 1-B of the Swastika Oil Syndicate, 606 feet west of the discovery well, was at a depth of 1405 feet. The Richardson No. 2-A, 250 yards south of the discovery well, got the sand several feet higher. The American Refining Company got the sand in its Richardson No. 1 at 1356 feet, 300 yards north of the No. 1-A and under the hill.

From these depths and from information gleaned from geologic reports on this section, some operators are very anxious to be on the ground when the Richardson No. 1 of the United Royalty is brought in on a location half a mile northeast of the discovery well. Some operators think this well should have the best chance of big production of any location previously made. At present the depth is less than 500 feet, it having been spudded in but the latter part of the week.

Early this week the Koyar No. 1 of the Sun Company and Richardson No. 1 of Clark et al should be on the sand. The story of the land immediately south and west of the discovery well should be told before the week has ended. Richardson No. 1 of Lee Wilson, northwest of the No. 1-A, will not be on the sand until late next week.

Portwood No. 1 of Bob Waggoner et al in Baylor county, four miles southwest of Megargel has rigged up.

Johnson No. 1 of Producers Petroleum Company, three miles north of here, and Sorelle No. 1 of Batchelder & King, two miles northwest of Megargel, have been drilling three days. There is no change in the status of other wells.

The Morrison No. 1 of Charles Featherstone, which will be closely watched the next several days, less than two miles south by southwest of the discovery well and lies at about the same distance southeast of the Hayter No. 1 of Simmons & McGarr, which is standing at a depth of 1557 feet to await the result of the Morrison No. 1.

WICHITANS INTERESTED IN SAN JUAN COUNTY, N. M. DEVELOPMENTS

Oil developments in San Juan county, in the northwest corner of New Mexico, are attracting some attention locally. Oil was first found there last fall, when the Midwest company brought in a 500-barrel well at a depth of 775 feet, on the Navajo reservation 30 miles from Aztec. Since that time the Producer and Refiners' corporation has brought in a 70 million gasser at 2383 on the Ute reservation.

The Mexa-Colo Company, of which R. C. Grant of Wichita Falls is president, recently completed a five million foot gasser at 765 feet. The gas is said to have a gasoline content of a gallon per thousand. The company plans installing an absorption plant and later a carbon black plant.

Your future foretold; send dime, birth date for trial readings. Dr. Christensen, box 732, Toledo, Ohio.—adv.

GREATER ACTIVITY IN YOUNG COUNTY DESPITE PRICE CUT

GRAHAM, TEXAS, May 19.—Despite the fact that oil prices continue downward, activities are unabated in the Graham field.

M. R. Hemphill's Corbitt well after being reconditioned is making 15,000,000 feet of gas, which is being taken by the Ganner Gas Co. He is drilling at 1400 feet on his No. 2 Hatfield, while preparations are being made for bringing in his No. 1 Hatfield at 2230. Every indication is for a good well. Hinson is drilling in his McClaren at 2300 feet and it bears the ear marks of a 500 barrel producer. Storage is being set. Jack Caldwell has rig up on his No. 1 McClaren and will spud in shortly.

Phillips Petroleum Co. have started their big casinghead gas plants at Herron City and Oil City, the one at South Bend having started last week. The one at Bunger has been in operation some time but is to be greatly enlarged in the near future. The four big plants will use some 20,000,000 feet of gas per day.

Wooten and Reed have closed a contract with Dunn & Co. for a well on the T. E. Humphreys land near Finis. Work to begin at once. The Ranger Gas Co. will extend its line to this new location at once, believing that this well means the opening up of an entirely new district.

C. W. Whitehead is preparing to bring in his Johnson No. 1 one mile east from Graham at 4000 feet. The well is gasing heavily and tests made of the oil shows better than 41 gravity. Storage is being set and other preparations made for handling the oil.

PROFESSOR REX WILL GIVE 2 PERFORMANCES AT LAKE WICHITA TODAY

E. C. Cogburn, manager of Lake Wichita amusement park, has secured the services of Professor Rex as the special free attraction Sunday afternoon. Professor Rex appeared at the park last Sunday and was greeted by a large crowd of spectators. Sunday he will appear in an entirely new bill and will repeat his aerial act, which proved so entertaining last Sunday. A special stage has been constructed for the other acts.

Two exhibitions are announced for Sunday; the afternoon performance will be given at 4:30; the second performance is scheduled for 7:45 in the evening. Through service on street cars has been promised after one o'clock.

Eyes tested. Faith Optical Co.—Adv.

CRUDE CUT BRINGS NO DRILLING LETUP IN MORAN DISTRICT

MORAN, May 19.—Operators in the deeper fields are in many instances, now turning attention to the shallow fields, where production can be handled at a profit even if the price of crude takes another drop or even two more 10 cent cuts. As a consequence there are more strangers in Moran now than there has been in the past several months. The principal demand now seems to be for "jam up" acreage, or for production. These new comers are mostly men who have passed the initiatory degrees of the oil game and know what they want. They are men who either have the cash to carry on with, or have ample backing, and this means that the coming summer will probably see the Moran field very active; but there will be no "boom"—just a conservative working out of the proven areas. There may be something of a flurry, a rush for protective holdings, in the west end, where G. W. Stough, the Lane Brothers, and the Clancy-Fielder Drilling Company are going after the 2100 foot pay, but much of that available acreage is even now being quietly gathered in by those who are keeping close tab.

Illseng & Trammel have completed well No. 5 in section 8 D. & D. A. lands, Neuman fee, making 25 barrels.

Borealis Oil Company in section 3, Wagley, D. & D. A. lands, has completed Well No. 3 making 25 barrels.

The Coser Oil Company on the Wagley fee in section 3 of D. & D. A. lands, is setting casing in No. 4, ready to drill in.

Williams & Stovall, on the Burns tract, section 69, near Sedwick, have completed No. 3 at 348 feet. This makes the sixth well for this company without a failure on the Burns land.

The Shamrock Oil Company, on the southeast 40 of the Wylie tract, section 123, University lands, is spudding No. 1. Shamrock Oil Company has completed No. 5 Macon, near Sedwick, at 394 to 404 feet, flowing natural 20 barrels.

McNallin & Griffin, on the Parks tract, block 2286 T. E. & L. survey, have completed No. 3 at 490 feet, making 12 barrels.

G. W. Stough, on the Terry tract, section 45 L. A. lands, is setting 12 inch casing at 640 feet. This is a test for the 2100 foot sands, and Mr. Stough says he passed through a good producing sand at around 200 feet which he will later develop with a twin well.

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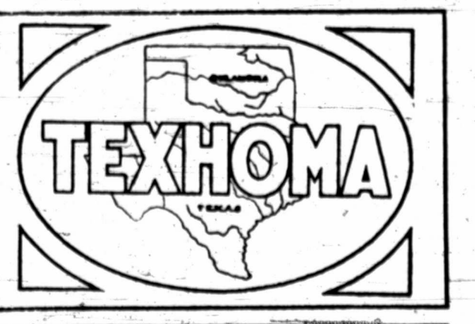

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STRAYED—To my place near Lake Wichita, brown dehorned cow with ear split. Owner can have same by paying for pasturage. W. G. Geter, Route 1, box 125.

STRAYED from Burkburnett, Texas, one black and one bay mule. Notify Marcus Bros., Burkburnett, Texas, or Peoples Ice Co., Wichita Falls, Texas.

LOST—Bunch of keys on key ring with McClurkan & Company identification tag No. 209. Reward for return to W. B. McClurkan & Co.

STOLEN—From my residence in Wichita Falls, Patek-Philippe open face, thin model watch with richly carved case, monogram F. P. T. on back; also diamond and platinum Shrine pin. Liberal reward for information leading to the return of same. F. T. Timberlake.

LOST—20-foot seine between 1702 Kemp and Western Union. Reward if returned to 1705 Kemp, or phone 4756, Monday.

$50 REWARD for recovery of Ford touring car stolen Wednesday night from oil lease south of Electra. 1923 model, license No. 517722, engine No. 5878230; new India cord tires on rear wheels; demountable rims; lock steering wheel. Phone Petrolia 30.

LOST — Tan portfolio on Tenth street. Call 5463. Riley Furniture Co. Liberal reward.

TAKEN from table in Wichita State Bank, folder containing one $10 bill and papers bearing my name. Finder return to A. D. Lawson, 314 First National.

LOST—One platinum bar pin between Maskat Temple and downtown. Call 4833 for reward.

LOST—Lady's black hat Friday on Eighth-st. near Wichita hospital; hat was picked up by unknown person and owner would appreciate his calling 2192.

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WANTED—Three neat appearing men to travel with agency crew; leaving here Monday or Tuesday. See Mr. Cain, Sunday afternoon, Fairview Hotel, 1104 Scott-ave.

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WANTED—One thousand ladies to have five hundred yards of hemstitching at 5 cents yard at 408 Lamar. Phone 5924. Della Woodhouse.

WANTED—White girl for general housework. 1802 Monroe.

FOR RENT—Servants house, in exchange for washing; have electric washer. 1802 Monroe.

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WANTED—Girl between 20 and 25 years to do cooking in oil field. 2106 Grant.

WOMAN, either colored or white, to do general house work. No servant's house on place. Apply in person at 1817 Eleventh.

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GIRLS, women, 18 up. $95-$150 month. Government positions. Steady work. List free. Write immediately. Franklin Institute, Dept. 726-B, Rochester, N. Y.

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SALESMAN wanted, Lucas Brush Company has opening for salesman, this terriory, liberal commission; best cooperation. Permanent position. G. R. Farmer, Henderson, Texas.

SALESMEN—$125 month and expenses selling cigars to merchants. Experience unnecessary. Send addressed stamped envelope for information. Royal Cigar Co., High Point, N. C.

SALESMEN—Few hours work daily, $100 weekly, easily earned selling smart, snappy all-wool suits to order. Oldest ground floor house. Our $29-$34 suits sell themselves. Highest commission paid. Sell Bros., 31 W. Jackson, Chicago.

SALESMEN—Sell our price-smashing guaranteed shoes direct from factory. Our men average $15 daily. Liberal pay in advance. We deliver. Unusual opportunity. References. K-W Shoe Co., Mutual Bldg, Chicago.

WANT three men for one of the best sales propositions in the city; must have good appearance, be willing workers, and have good reference. Pay every Saturday. Apply to H. F. Cole, room 633 Kemp hotel, between 11:00 and 3:00 today.

WANTED—Experienced automobile salesman. Prefer married man. Straight commission. Address box 60, care Times.

AGENTS WANTED.

HIGH SCHOOL boys and girls wanted for summer work. Ford coupe free. Spare or entire time. For further information, write G. S. Klingensmith, Wilmore, Pa.

AGENTS—Davis sold 24 Sprapumps and Autowashers in 24 hours; profits $3.50 each. Square deal. Particulars free. Write The Ray Rusler Co., Johnstown, Ohio.

AGENTS—$10 daily easy. Ironing board covers; selling like wild fire. Store sale where shown. Experience unnecessary. Sample free. Rallen Mfg. Co., Dept. 156, Baltimore-bldg., Chicago.

NEW agency, worth $3,000 to $6,000 to you yearly, taking orders for paints, varnishes; established 50 years; supplies U. S. government. Enlarging new dept.; consumers sales plan. We deliver and collect. Easy terms to buyers. Commissions advanced. No investment. Experience unnecessary. Tower Paint Co., 1308 East First-st., Dayton, Ohio.

SITUATIONS WANTED, MALE

DO YOU NEED HELP
Permanent or temporary—Several members of DeMolay Chapter for Boys now that school is out are needing employment. If interested call Bright 4276.

HERE YOU—I wish to get in touch with some one who wishes an experienced man at irrigation of all sorts of crops, can handle your fruit orchard, trucking or general farming. Route 5, box 92A.

SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE

EXPERIENCED office girl and typist wants position. Phone 4594.

PRACTICAL nurse wants confinement case. Also have boy 14; wants dairy or farm work. Box 55, care Times.

STENOGRAPHER with experience wants position at once; good references. Telephone 5666 or box 58.

LADY bookkeeper and typist wants position. Phone 5940.

EXPECTANT mothers: If you need a competent middle-aged practical nurse, with best of reference, reasonable wages, address box 62, care Times.

YOUNG lady desires position in private home; prefer no children. Call 4848 for information.

TWO refined and responsible young ladies desire the care of your home, flowers and pets while you are away on vacation, in exchange for room rent; references. Box No. 65, care Times.

EXPERIENCED stenographer desires position. Can furnish local references. Phone 6018.

ROOM AND BOARD.

ROOM and board for young men, or young ladies, in nice private home. All modern conveniences. Phone 3218.

WANNTED—Lady room mate to share a south bed room in private home. Meals furnished and all home conveniences. Price $35 month. Phone 2162. 2609 Tenth.

ROOM and board, or rooms without board. 1010 Indiana. Phone 5679.

ROOM and board at 1210 Ninth-st. Phone 3521.

ROOM with board, two meals a day; private home. 1307 Travis.

BED ROOMS FOR RENT.

FRONT bedroom, modern every way, three blocks from town; men only. Phone 2095.

FRONT bedroom, private entrance, very reasonable. 1205 Bluff. Phone 3049.

BEDROOM, also garage, modern. Close in. 1006 Seventh.

WANTED—Room and garage by one gentleman; permanent. Address P. O box 226.

NICE clean bed rooms, 11 blocks from Kemp hotel; reasonable rates by week; also housekeeping rooms. St. Paul Hotel, 605 Scott-ave. Phone 4568. Mrs. J. M. Martin, proprietor.

LARGE cool bed room, every convenience; 1 block Ninth street car line. 800 Taylor. Phone 7236.

COOL southeast room in modern private home on pavement. Use of garage. 2006 Ninth.

NICE, cool bedroom and housekeeping rooms at 1101 Tenth-st. Phone 6879 or 6282.

ONE bedroom for rent; men preferred. 902 Austin. Phone 3796.

BEDROOMS for rent; private home. Call after 6 p. m. 707 Sixth. Phone 6720.

BEDROOM — Private entrance to bath; garage; $20 per month. 1306 Tenth. Phone 3629.

BEDROOMS FOR RENT.

SOUTHWEST corner bedroom, two beds, running water, $30 month; gentlemen only. Hillside, 709 Burnett-st.

TWO bed rooms; men only; on Seventeenth car line. 1205 Seventeenth.

FOR RENT—Bed room and kitchenette to couple. 1319 Seventeenth.

FURNISHED front room, paved street, private entrance, large windows, closet; gentlemen only. 1201 Burnett-st.

LOVELY bedroom with southeast and west exposure; connecting bath; also garage; private home. Phone 6826.

FOR RENT—Southeast front bedroom, adjoining bath; garage if desired. Gentlemen preferred. 1710 Tenth; phone 2420.

FOR RENT—One bedroom, close in, $4 week. Phone 3031.

THREE bedrooms, suitable for men and their wives or gentlemen; in restricted district; ideal home; must be seen to be appreciated; would serve two meals if wanted. Phone 2449.

LARGE, nicely furnished bedroom for two gentlemen, with use of garage. 1414 Fourteenth. Phone 6027.

FOR RENT—Large beautifully furnished bedroom, four large windows, to one or two young men. 1914 Tenth. Phone 4095.

REMOVE THE CAUSE OF YOUR MISERY
If you suffer from exhausting foot pains, weakened, sagging arches, unsteady ankles, hot burning feet, corns, callouses and bunions, see Dr. A. E. Solomon, foot specialist, at Woods' Shoe Store, 709 Indiana.

NICE front bedroom, private entrance and bath; private home on pavement; garage privilege. 1205 Monroe.

FOR RENT—South room and sleeping porch; morning and evening meals. 1306 Austin; phone 2856.

NICE front bedroom at 1701 Trueheart-ave.

TWO close in rooms, adjoining bath for men; with meals. 1108 Travis.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.

FOR RENT—Close in, two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 6706.

FOR RENT—Two well furnished rooms, 512 Travis. Phone 5940.

THREE unfurnished rooms, with bath. 1213 Broad.

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms, 1411 Twelfth.

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms for summer. 1512 Fourteenth.

FOR RENT — Three unfurnished rooms, 1201 Travis.

TWO modern unfurnished rooms, sink in kitchen; newly papered; private entrance. 1311 Twentieth.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms. Inquire 5 to 7, evenings. 1406 Broad.

LARGE furnished housekeeping rooms; modern; close in; reasonable. 704 Burnett.

LIGHT housekeeping room; close in, on pavement. 802 Travis-st.

FOR RENT — Two unfurnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping, modern, on car line; reasonably priced. Call Sunday, 1507 Seventh.

FOR RENT—Two-room furnished apartment. No children. Apply Liberty Grocery Co., 301 Lamar.

TWO modern housekeeping rooms on Southland car line. Everything furnished to couple. Phone 2209. 1623 Elizabeth-st.

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping. 1409 Twelfth; phone 2731.

I WANT to rent two furnished housekeeping rooms near Ninth-st. Phone 5451 Monday between 8 a. m. and 6 p. m.

TWO nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, 208 Travis.

FOR RENT—5 unfurnished housekeeping rooms, $35 month, close in on Burnett. Phone 2449.

FURNISHED housekeeping room with kitchenette, $6 week. Phone 2449.

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished apartment, close in. 205 Scott.

THREE furnished rooms in six room modern duplex house, close in. 1411 Seventh-st. See owner, 1209 Eighth-st.

TWO unfurnished light housekeeping rooms, adjoining bath; sink in kitchen; front and back entrance. 1305 Broad.

TWO nicely papered unfurnished light housekeeping rooms. 1628 Lucas-ave.; phone 6350.

TWO unfurnished rooms. Rent reasonable. 313 Bluff.

APARTMENTS.

FOR RENT—Three modern 3-room unfurnished apartments, located 1600 Elizabeth-st. See John W. Owen, 505 Waggoner Bldg. Call 2791.

FOR RENT—Two-room furnished apartment, to couple only; garage if desired. 1006 Sixteenth-st. Phone 4015.

NEW MELBA
Two room modern furnished apartment; southeast exposure. 705 Bluff.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment to couple. 1108 Burnett-st. Phone 5141.

FOR RENT—Completely furnished three-room apartment, with use of living room; servants quarters and garage; on pavement; $75. Phone 2711.

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment, sink in kitchen. 1406 Scott.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. 1201 Lamar.

FOR RENT—Three-room unfurnished apartment, with garage; modern. Call 4680.

FOR RENT—Two-room furnished apartment. Phone 6704. 1909 Tenth.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment; hot and cold water. 820½ Ohio. Phone 4482.

FURNISHED apartment and garage on pavement, to couple. Phone 5796.

APARTMENT — Unfurnished, new house, just completed, private bath, strictly modern; adults only. Phone 3926.

FOR RENT—Apartment, beautifully furnished; three rooms, bath, sink, garage, close in on pavement. 1008 Eleventh-st.

APARTMENTS

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, modern, close in. 1006 Seventh.

FOUR room apartment, nicely furnished to couple; in private home with couple. 2101 Avenue-B.

THREE room unfurnished apartment in duplex house, modern; newly papered; half block car line. 1204 Broad; phone 2831.

2-ROOM apartment, convenient to bath and phone, everything furnished. 407 Lamar. Phone 3651.

THREE room apartment for rent all modern conveniences. 408 Scott.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

WHEN you want to sell your used furniture, phone 2389, for I buy all time, and pay highest cash price.

THE STAR FURNITURE CO.
will pay you more for your furniture and household goods. 920 Indiana. Phone 6011.

MRS. BARGAIN HUNTER
Don't fail to see our large stock of household goods and furniture before you buy. We take old goods in exchange for new.
MICK'S FURNITURE CO.
716 Seventh-st. Phone 5528.

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ONLY $1 down. For a limited time we will put a refrigerator in your home for only $1 down, balance easy. John L. Jones Furniture Co., 710-712 Seventh-st.

WHEN looking for BARGAINS in used FURNITURE see us.
We can furnish your apartment or house on easy payments.
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FOR SALE or trade new iron bed mattress, and springs. Cheap. Phone 4763.

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720 Seventh-st. Phone 4720

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FOR SALE—Nice white cabinet and three-burner cook stove; cheap. 709 Van Buren.

FOR SALE—Eight rooms of furniture with privilege of getting lease on house; rents for $45 month; new; full of roomers. Large dining room; could be used for boarders and roomers. Leaving city on account of mother's illness. 1005 Burnett. Phone 4848.

FOR SALE—Office furniture; roll top desk, adding machine, typewriter, steel filing cabinet and check protector. Call 2217 Broad.

FOR SALE—Gas and cook stove, one kitchen cabinet, refrigerator, one electric washer and one cook table; cheap. 1301 Lamar-st.

THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS
Just like new.
Matched period furniture.
Dining room suites, $45 and up.
Bedroom suites, $65 and up.
MICK'S FURNITURE CO.
716 Seventh-st. Phone 5528.

WE ARE moving to smaller house and will sell one birdseye maple bedroom suite, dining room suite also servant house furniture; all good condition and new. 809 Harrison. Phone 6134.

FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS.

PURE goose feather pillows, best grade feather ticking, $2.50 each Patton Mattress Factory. Phone 2930.

FOR SALE—Fine cigars and tobacco, Cash National cash register, cheap. H. H. Davenport, 712½ Eighth-st.

FOR SALE—One Deering 12-foot header, with binder attachment; used only one season. Box 127, Burkburnett.

SPRING is the ideal time to brighten up the home with a new coat of paint. We sell pure paints and enamels. We help you to do this at a nominal cost. Visit our store before you buy. We do contracting. Wichita Falls Paint and Paper Co., successors to Wilhite & Towsley, 622 Ohio-ave.

FRYERS, honey and watermelons; Fryers ready about May 20, local lots only; honey local lots only, begin shipping about June 1, rush orders we will fill at our market price; watermelons about June 15, terms, lading attached. We ship to firms only. Look us up and let's be ready when season starts. J. N. Flores & Bros., Floresville, Texas.

HEMSTITCHING and picoting attachment; superior device; fits any sewing machine; $3 delivered, with instructions and sample work. Superior Attachment Co., Corpus Christi, Texas.

FOR SALE—One iron safe, two small cash registers, one ice crusher, two ice boxes. Apply to Morris Transfer and Storage.

UNDERWOOD portable typewriter, nearly new, at a sacrifice. Phone 6792.

MAGNAVOX, new, $25.00 if sold today. Phone 6792.

ONE $15 cut glass basket, one cut glass fruit bowl and a beer stein, all for $12.50, at 1904 Seventh-st.

FOR SALE—Doors and windows for 5-room house; bargain if taken at once. 2153 Broadway.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

FOR SALE—Victrola and 23 records. Call 2320 during week or at 702 Fourth-st. Sunday.

WANTED TO BUY

FURNITURE WANTED
We buy your entire house furnishings. Call us when ready to sell.
STAR FURNITURE CO.
920 Indiana-ave. Phone 6011

WE BUY, sell, or exchange any kind of furniture. We pay more and sell for less. Phone 6513.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE CO.
J. A. Deaton & Son 918 Scott

WANTED—To buy men's second-hand suits and shoes. Call G. W. Wright, 613 Seventh-st.; phone 2514.

WE PAY the highest price for men's clothing and shoes. Ben's Place, 709 Ohio. Phone 5645.

WANT to buy at once, five or six rooms of good furniture; will pay good cash price. Phone 2285.

WANTED TO BUY.

WILL BUY four to eight-room resident on good street, close in or on pavement, from owner; price must be right; car and some cash as first payment. Address 211 Bluff. Phone 6111.

GET YOUR FULL VALUE
for that old furniture of yours. Call us when you are ready to sell and our buyer will call at your convenience.
MICK'S FURNITURE CO.
716 Seventh-st. Phone 5528.

WILL BUY used steel filing cabinet.
JONES BROS.
407 Staley Bldg. Phone 6450.

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SERVICES OFFERED.

FOOT TROUBLES NEED NO LONGER SAP YOUR NERVOUS ENERGY
The pain of those poor aching feet; how you long to get rid of it! For not only is the constant irritation distressing, but as physicians well know, it saps your energy, too. Why not bring your feet to Dr. A. E. Solomon, foot specialist, and get that relief? Office at Wood's Shoe Store. 709 Indiana-ave. Phone for appointment.

DRESSMAKING AND SEWING.

DRESSMAKING—Remodeling, hemstitching accordian pleating, hats remodeled and embroidery work; children's hats and clothes a specialty. Miss Ingham, at Miller-Ferguson. Phone 3029.

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FANCY work, tatting crochet, embroidery work, by layette a specialty. 1402 Lamar street.

THE Bob and Betty Shop—A new place to get children's hats, bonnets and dresses reasonable. Mrs. Parker. Phone 2114. 2158 Ave-G.

NOTICE TO THE MOTHERS AND BABIES OF WICHITA FALLS
Mrs. Amos Morris will open up Monday, May 21, at her home, 1400 Austin-st., the Home Baby Shop, where she will take orders and make anything for the babies. She guarantees to please babies in merchandise and mothers in prices. Bring the babies to see our samples, whether you buy or not, for we love the babies.

HEMSTITCHING called for and delivered; giving summer rates. For the best, call Miss Staber, 6560, 1920 Tenth.

HEMSTITCHING, dressmaking, remodeling, infants' and children's wear a specialty, stamped goods, stamping done. Columbia yarns, D. M. C. threads. The famous Susanne Cocraft Toilet Articles. The Specialty Shop, 712 Ninth-st. Phone 4897.

PAINTING AND DECORATING.

PAINTING and paper hanging, call F. J. Martin, phone 2715.

CARPET CLEANING.

R. A. PAILEY CLEANS RUGS. 106 GALVESTON-ST. Phone 6228

VACUUM cleaner for rent. Phone 2780.

SEEDS, PLANTS AND FLOWERS.

FOR SALE—Paterica sweet potato slips, 25 cents per hundred. McGee tomato plants, 40 cents per hundred. 2401 Holliday-st.

MOVING AND STORAGE.

STORING, crating, shipping; local and long distance moving. Stanfill Bros. Transfer, 922 Ohio. Phone 3863.

MORRIS transfer and storage, moving pianos, furniture, freight and baggage. Crating and storage. Bonded warehouse. Phone 5630.

DWIGHT'S transfer, short or long hauls. Let us move you. Phone 5420.

OFFICE SUPPLIES.

FOR SALE—Office furniture, roll top desk, adding machine, typewriter, steel filing cabinet and check protector. Call 2217 Broad.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

FOR SALE or trade—Barber shop doing nice business. H. H. Davenport, 712½ Eighth-st.

TRADE new piano for Ford or will trade phonograph in. Box 52, Times.

FOR SALE or Trade—Small team of mules and delivery wagon. Will trade for Ford—or cows. Phone 4351.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

MATTRESSES renovated. Have us bring samples of ticking to your home to select from. We will call for and deliver same day. Bell Mattress Co., phone 2412.

MOORE PLUMBING CO.
904 Sixth-st. Phone 6309.
PLUMBING—Satisfactory kind done and guaranteed by Chas. D Hughes. Phone day 6011, night 2224.
PRACTICAL house moving, raising and leveling. Jack Humphrey, phone 5994.

WINFREY FIXIT SHOP
Key, lock and safe work a specialty. With Collier & Landon, 718 Indiana. Phone 5213.

PLUMBING—our cars carry a complete line of repairing materials with them. You do not have to pay for that trip back to the shop. J. H. Castledine, 907 Van Buren. Phone 4429.

PLUMBING—David Black. Phone 5644.

FOR MATTRESS RENOVATING phone 4052; samples of ticking furnished and estimates submitted on request. Wichita Mattress Co.

WE NICKLE PLATE ANYTHING
WICHITA NICKLE PLATING CO
906 ELEVENTH-ST.

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For Saturday's issue, not later than 11:00 a. m.

For Sunday's issue, not later than 9:00 o'clock Saturday night.

FOR SALE—45-lb. all new cotton linters mattresses, good art ticking, $8.75; 40-lb. made over mattresses, new art ticking, $6.50. We will take old mattresses or second hand furniture in payment on new mattresses or mattress work. Patton Mattress Factory, 402 Indiana-ave. Phone 2930.

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We will call for and return mattresses at Burkburnett, Iowa Park and surrounding oil fields and make them good as new. Patton Mattress Factory, 402 Indiana-ave., Wichita Falls, Texas. Phone 2930.

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ALL KINDS of carpenter and contracting work. J. J. Perkins, 410 Brook. Phone 6417.

MRS. J. L. WILSON will coach primary pupils, beginning Monday. For particulars phone 3598 or call at 1310 Monroe.

MRS. FLEMING will open classes in expression and piano at 305 Travis-st. Phone 2721.

FOR EVERY FOOT SUFFERER IN TOWN
Are you one of the seven out of every 10 in this town who will profit by this advertisement? If you suffer from tired, aching feet, weak ankles, tender corns, callouses, bunions, weak and broken arches, flat foot, you certainly are. See Dr. A. E. Solomon, foot specialist, at Wood's Shoe Store, 709 Indiana-ave.
HE WILL GIVE YOU RELIEF!

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES.

AFTER MAY 1st
Baby chicks, white and brown leghorns, anconas and heavy type, table chicks, 12c each. Barred rock and Rhode Island red, 15c. We will hatch your eggs $2.00 for 96 eggs. Milk fed friers.
WICHITA CHICK HATCHERY
2610 Grant Phone 4628

HATCHING eggs for sale, Hillview Single Comb Leghorns. A. I. Taylor, 1417 Fifteenth-st. Phone 3733.

KILL hen house bugs and keep them away by painting with Tarofine, a lasting tar oil that penetrates cracks and crevices. For insects on poultry feed "Martin's Insectimune." Money back guarantee by Maricle Coal & Feed Co.

WANT to buy—Either Sealrights or Black Tail Japanese bantam chickens. A. Covington, 508 Burnett.

DOGS, CATS AND PETS.

FOR SALE—Full blood Airdale pups 20½ Burnett-st.

PEDIGREED 3 year old pointer bitch; well broken, good retriever; liver and white, and her 3 pups, two bitches, one dog, all white and liver, six weeks old; all papers to register. The bunch $75. All in fine shape. No place to keep them. T. McLendon, 306 Garland Place, Memphis, Tenn.

LIVESTOCK.

TO TRADE or will sell worth the money, pair good heavy work mules. I need a Ford town truck. Come see me also have fat cow for sale. 36 st. Hilcrest addition. Route 5, box 92A.

FINANCIAL.

FEDERAL loans on farms and ranches; rate of interest, 5½ per cent. J. M. Hendrick, Ward Bldg., Wichita Falls, Texas. Phone 5409.

FARM AND RANCH LOANS
Six per cent money.
Immediate inspection.
You get every dollar you borrow.
STATON & STATON
712 Eighth-st. Phone 5528

RESPONSIBLE parties wish to get loan of from $2,000 to $2,500 bearing 10 per cent interest; good security. Box 56, Times.

MONEY TO LOAN
If you have notes on your home that you wish extended we will be glad to take them over for you and extend them over a period of five, seven or 10 years on anbual payments at usual rate of interest only. We are also in position to handle loans on business property, farm or ranch lands without delay. N. O. MONROE. PHONE 2953.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

WANTED—Good grocery store outside business district. Box 57, Times.

WANTED — Prominent, influential, competent man to manage loan department of local bank. No money necessary; standing and ability important. Salary from $300 to $500 per month, according to ability. Confidential. Address No. 54, Daily Times.

WOULD like to hear from a party with $420; will make you from $60 to $90 a week. This is not canvassing stock, oil or a selling proposition, but a straight business here in Wichita Falls.

HOUSES FOR RENT.

JUST vacated—Eight room partly furnished on Ninth street, excellent neighborhood. Phone 6007 or call at 1106 Travis.

FOR RENT—Nice 6-room completely furnished house in good neighborhood. Patton & Morris. Phone 2375.

FOR RENT—Five room house and garage, on pavement, $60; located 1659 Lvelle. Phone 2887.

SERVANT house, 2 rooms, hall and bath, hot and cold water, in exchange for labor. 1710 Elizabeth.

FOR RENT—Two 6-room modern houses, corner Fourth and Indiana sts. See J. J. Simon, 208 J. I. Staley Bldg. Phone 2091 or 5046.

FOR RENT—4-room house, modern. Call 2801 or 5487.

FOR RENT—1705 Bluff furnished, $55 per month. Apply 1707 Bluff.

FOR RENT—Furnished house, retaining one room. Call Miss Staber, phone 6560, after Sunday.

FOR RENT—For three months, modern 5-room home, completely furnished; garage privileges, also telephone connection; good location. $60 month. Phone 2848.

FURNISHED 2-room yard house; lights, gas and water; $5 a week. 407 Lamar. Phone 3651.

FOR SALE—Four rooms furniture and house for rent. Close in and modern. Phone 6313.

BUSINESS PROPERTY, RENT.

GROCERY story for rent or lease. 1909 Grant-st. Phone 7007.

FOR RENT—25x125 ft. brick business house, $75 per month. Phone 6295.

FOR RENT—Store room at 712 Ninth-st. See Ray Puckett, 714 Ninth-st.

FOR RENT, MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR RENT—Large barn, feed house, sheds and lot. Suitable for keeping several teams and wagons; close in. Apply Moore & Bilcholt, 1301 Scott. Phone 5019.

FARMS FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—200 acres Johnson grass and grazing land; good improvements. Phone 5407.

WANTED TO RENT.

WANTED—To rent, two furnished light housekeeping rooms. Rooms close to business district, or Floral Heights Baptist Church. Phone 5451 between 8:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m. week days.

WANTED—By responsible couple, can give best of references, someone's home to keep through summer; will pay some rent. Box 53, Times.

TWO light housekeeping rooms wanted near Ninth-st. car line. Phone 5451 Monday between 8:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m.

WANTED—Nice light housekeeping rooms, suitable for three employed ladies; in walking distance; prefer Ninth or Tenth-st. Reference exchanged. Phone 6890.

FIVE room modern furnished house with garage, preferably on pavement. Will lease for one year. Phone 5438.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

I HAVE a bargain in a home located corner Fifteenth and Holliday-st. See John W. Owen, 505 Waggoner Bldg. Phone 2791.

AM OFFERING at a sacrifice price a 5-room modern home, located 1310 Harrison-st. See John W. Owen, 505 Waggoner Bldg. Phone 2791.

FOR SALE—By owner, new 5-room modern home on Pearl-st., $400 cash, balance $40 month. Phone 5723.

FOR SALE by owner, one of the most desirable places on Tenth; possession at once; building site adjoining. Box 34, Times.

DO YOU want a real suburban home site of five to ten acres three miles beyond the city limits on the Iowa Park paved road. We propose to make this a restricted subdivision and you will be sure in acquiring one of these sites of having desirable surroundings. Have four five-acre tracts facing on the Iowa Park road with frontage of 220 feet and depth of 960 feet; also five 5-acre tracts facing east on a 30-foot gravel road which the owner is now arranging to construct and he will also set out shade trees the full length of this road which will lead to the top of the hill where he expects to build a nice home. This tract is pronounced by the engineer of the irrigation district as one of the most desirable tracts for irrigation purposes. If interested please see us personally and we will give further details. J. C. Crane & Son, 434 Bob Waggoner Bldg.

BARGAIN WORTH WHILE

A practically new 6-room house with extra large living room, oak floors and every built-in feature one could wish for, is situated on a 60-foot lot and has servant house and garage, is on pavement in one of the very best locations in the city. Owner of this property is leaving town and offers his home at a big sacrifice. Call or see Mrs. Corder at Monroe's office. Phone 2953 or residence 6397.

FOR SALE—My home, 1509 Fillmore-st., five rooms, bath and breakfast room; strictly modern; double garage, concrete floor, concrete drive; servant house and other out-buildings, walks, etc. Bargain. Address Paul Neese, box 1161, Vernon, Texas.

FOR SALE — Five-room modern house, newly papered and painted. No. 2014 Fillmore-st. Will sell on easy payments. See J. J. Simon, 208 J. I. Staley-bldg. Phone 2091 or 5046.

FOR SALE—Six-room house, 1607 Polk-st. Good car and small amount of cash will make first payment. Phone 6650.

Offered At

$3900.00

This

5-Room Bungalow

In

ALAMO SCHOOL DISTRICT

Pay $400.00 cash, and the balance like rent, and you get a deed to this beautiful 5-room bungalow. Large living room with artistic fireplace, French doors opening into dining room, with breakfast room between kitchen and dining room. There is an unusual amount of built-in features in the kitchen, two large bedrooms with south and east exposure, bath room accessible from all parts of house, plenty of clothes and linen closets, edgegrain floors throughout; concrete foundation, garage drive. Extra width lot. Total price $3900.00 and only $400.00 cash payment, balance like rent. As my friend Dave would say, "It's a rare bargain." When can we call for you?

H. G. HELGERSON
Real Estate and Rentals
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Phone 2873 — Residence 2393

WE CAN sell you a home of any description. J. C. CRANE & SON, 434 Bob Waggoner-bldg. Phone 3377.

MODERN six room home, finished throughout the interior in oak, large fireplace, builtin bookcases, expensive and beautiful light fixtures, burnt brick pillars and trimmings, double garage and servant's quarters, this beautiful home in the best block on Elizabeth. Can be had for $8500. Good terms. Baldridge Investment Company, basement City National.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

J. C. CRANE & SON

Polk-st., five rooms and breakfast room, edgegrain floors; cheap at $5500, terms if desired.

Monroe-st., east front corner lot, well built 6-room home and breakfast room, with double garage and servant's house, newly decorated inside and out, valued at $7,000. Will trade for a home of about $4,000 in value.

Seventeenth-st., corner Broad, well built 5-room house. A bargain at $3150, with $500 cash. Will also take good Ford as part payment.

TRADES

A good 5-room house, well located on east front lot, will trade equity for good residence lot.

One hundred sixty acre farm, in irrigation district, well improved and is worth more than the price asked of $125 per acre; will take residence property to the value of $10,000, a small amount of cash and easy terms, or will trade for west Texas land.

A wonderful ranch of 3040 acres in western Kansas will trade for Wichita Falls residence or business property or farm lands in Wichita county.

Business property on Main street, Burkburnett, valued at $3500; will trade for vacant lots or residence property in Wichita Falls.

If you want your property sold you had better call us and give us your listing.

J. C. CRANE & SON
434 Bob Waggoner-bldg. Phone 3377.

BEAUTIFUL home Huff-ave., owner leaving city and wants to sell quick; consists of six rooms and breakfast room, hardwood floors throughout and everything to make up a real home. Let us show you this.

N. A. MOORE
Phone 5635

FOR SALE—Four room house, small payment down. Balance like rent. 2153 Broadway.

THREE room modern home on Broad, $175 cash, balance $20 month. Can you have an excuse for renting. Baldridge Investment Co., basement City National.

MODERN five room home, new and nifty; breakfast room builtin features, edgegrain floors, garage and driveway. $3900. Small cash payment and balance rent. Baldridge Investment Co., basement City National.

FLORAL HEIGHTS

Good six room home, on one of the best paved streets in the city. This home is modern in every respect, including all builtin features, hardwood floors, French doors, expensive light fixtures and tile bath. Garage and two room servant's house. This is not just a cheap home but is a good one. Price $6500. Will arrange good terms.

STATON & STATON
712 Eighth st. — Phone 5328.

N. O. MONROE

AN ESTABLISHED REALTY FIRM

ON THE PAVEMENT

A south front consisting of six rooms with hardwood floors, double garage and servant quarters, $6,000. This property is situated on one of our best residence streets and is an exceptional sacrifice at the price.

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We have to offer you one of the best homes on this street of its size, consists of six nice size rooms, besides breakfast room, has hardwood floors throughout, also servant house and garage and an extra width lot. This property is situated west of Brook and is one home there is not a necessity of an expenditure of any money at all on.

AN EAST FRONT

On the pavement consisting of seven rooms, servant house and garage, $6500. This place only needs the inspection of anyone in the market for such a home to be sold. If desired can be handled on very easy terms.

LUCILE STREET

On a corner lot, a north front, consisting of six nice size rooms, has hardwood floors throughout, every built-in feature that could be desired in a nice home, servant house and garage, $6500.

NEAR THE JUNIOR COLLEGE

Within one block of the Junior College a nice little modern home for $4250. This place can be handled on extra ordinary terms.

RESTRICTED LOTS

We have several choice pair of lots situated on Tilden, Grant and Buchanan streets, the price that cannot help but interest you if interested in a nice home site in this part of the city.

N. O. MONROE
220 First Nat'l Bank Bldg.
Phones: 2454 - 2953

BEAUTIFUL NEW BUNGALOW IN SOUTHLAND ADDITION AT A BARGAIN

Located west of Brook on the pavement, has hardwood floors in two rooms, fireplace, lots of built-in features, breakfast room, extra large rooms, beautiful light fixtures, every modern convenience. Can be bought at a bargain on easy terms if sold at once. Welch & Richardson, 704 Ninth-st. Phone 5367.

PRACTICALLY new 5-room home, besides breakfast room, mantle, book cases, paper and woodwork in excellent condition, garage, driveway, concrete foundation; near Junior College. $4500, good terms.

N. A. MOORE
Phone 5635

NICE little home with garage, nice trees and lots of flowers and shrubbery. The price is only $1800; might take Ford car or vacant lot and little cash as first payment and let you pay balance like rent. This is close to good school and store.

Phone 5477
KNIGHT & CRAWFORD

WICHITA FALLS most progressive people use classified ads to get what they need or dispose of what they don't need. Why not insert an ad of your own in The Times and tell your message in 12,000 homes? Phone 4391 and say Want Ad department.

BARGAIN IN A HOME ON POLK STREET

Six rooms and all the modern equipment you want, nice edgegrain floors, fine brick mantel with builtin book cases, nice light fixtures, and has a large living room, garage, etc. This is a fine location, soon to be paved. Price only $5,000, with $500 cash, balance very easy. Let us show you. Thank you. Phone 6268.

J. M. BLAND REALTY CO.
210 First Nat'l Bank Bldg.

THIS HOME must sell, nice 5-room home and glassed-in sleeping porch. Two rooms hardwood floors; builtin features; servants house and garage. Located on one of the best streets in city. $3600; terms.

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Phone 5635

HOUSES FOR SALE.

A REAL SNAP

Five room modern home on a 60 foot front lot has all kinds of built in features, edge grain floors and has a well arranged floor plan. In the best locality of Floral Heights and can be had for only $4750.

STATON & STATON
712 Eighth st. — Phone 5328

FOR SALE

Two 4-room houses, modern, on one lot, $2500; $500 cash, balance easy.

Four 5-room houses, modern, on paved streets; $4,000 to $5,000; long time.

160 acres fine land near Cashion school; oil wells on two sides; $110 per acre.

160-acre farm, good improvements, $65 per acre.

A. L. Lane Sr. Phone 2801.

Four houses to rent.

Six rooms east front lot, on corner; has garage; near Austin school and car line; $4,500; $500 cash, $40 per month, or will trade in on larger and better place. Will pay some cash difference or will trade some acreage on Iowa Park road for difference. Owe $1800.

Have 65 acres on Iowa Park road facing pavement, with all new improvements; garage, chicken houses, yards; has water and lights; acreage around this tract selling from $250 to $300. You will get all this for less than $250 per acre. Will trade equity for A-1 house actually worth $7,000, on pavement.

I have three buyers from $5,000 to $10,000 cash for A-1 bargains from five to ten rooms on pavement. Cash talks. If you mean business call me Sunday or Monday.

Have six new houses from four to six rooms and breakfast room, fireplace, builtin features, $3500 to $6000; $500 cash, $40 per month.

Six-room house, extra large rooms, lot 50x165; fine shade trees, plenty of fruit, near high school on Thirteenth-st. One of the best buys in the city today: $5500; $250 cash, good terms.

Seven-room house, lot 70x150, east front, half block of car line and pavement, close in on Burnett-st., south of Eleventh-st. One of the best buys in the city today. This place sold for $13,000. Priced to sell for $5,750; $1,250 cash, with good terms.

Six acres on Iowa Park road with 224 foot frontage, a dandy, one-third cash, good terms.

B. C. WILLIAMS
Phone 6216.

LOTS FOR SALE.

A NUMBER of choice lots that can now be secured on the old payment plan of $10 down and $10 per month. M. W. McGinnis, suite 11, basement City National Bank Bldg. Phone 6301.

LOT BARGAIN

Nice corner lot, extra width, nice, new double garage and two nice living rooms, concrete storm cellar. This is well located between the Austin school and business district. You will have to act quick as some one will snap this up. The price is right and will give good terms, too. Phone 5477

KNIGHT & CRAWFORD

BEAUTIFUL lot in one block of the new College, only $450. Good terms. There are not many lots that you want at less than $1000. Baldridge Investment Company, basement City National.

For some choice lots to build that new home on, see

STATON & STATON
712 Eighth st. — Phone 5328.

FARMS AND RANCHES.

FOR SALE—Farms, ranches and city property, any size, if you want to buy, sell or trade, call H. Banamaker, 225 Staley-bldg. Phone 5472.

SALE OR TRADE—640-acre well improved wheat farm. 400 acres cultivation; might divide, sacrifice, or trade for automobiles, store or residence. Branch T. Archer, owner, Spearman, Texas.

RANCH bargain: 8,400 acres land in Stonewall county; 800 acres in cultivation, 70 tennant houses and occupied by ten tenant farmers; 50 per cent of balance of tract tillable, balance fine grazing land. Price, $12.50 per acre; $17,000 cash will handle, balance terms. If interested write or phone J. W. McCaskill, Crowell, Texas.

320 ACRES in Ochiltree county, Texas, 160 in cultivation, with fine crop; near town; very well improved. Will sell at $30 per acre or exchange for good residence property in Wichita Falls. Call at room 10, McClurkan-bldg. Phone 2286.

FIVE acre truck farms on the Iowa Park paved road at $200 an acre. Let us show you. Baldridge Investment Co., basement City National Bank.

A GOOD INVESTMENT

Feather your nest.

You can buy, at a low price, from one to five acres of the WOODALL SUBURBAN FARM, two miles north of Wichita Falls, on the Iowa Park road.

We are building good gravel roads parallel to pavement. You can get a tract fronting on either gravel or paved road, if you HURRY.

Our prices are right, a small cash payment, and the balance to suit YOU.

Call us and let you take you out, and show you what we have.

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Being sold by owners, so call us and save a 5 per cent commission.

WOODALL & MARTIN
Owners
Basement Waggoner bldg.
Phone 3964.

REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.

GEORGIA plantation of 1550 acres; 1-3 in cultivation, balance valuable timber, corn, cotton, peanuts, vegetables; 20 acres in peaches, 12 pears, 12 figs; watered by running streams and wells; highly improved, amidst beautiful estates, on gravel road and railroads, near Thomasville. Price $75,000.00; will exchange for town or ranch property in Texas. James T. Cumley, 417 First National Bank Bldg., Wichita Falls, Texas.

NICE 5-room modern home, with double garage, to trade for larger place, on paved street. Will put $1,500 cash and assume some if worth the money. Phone us description Monday morning and let's make a trade.

Phone 5477
KNIGHT & CRAWFORD

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

WE HAVE a client desiring a home of six rooms and breakfast room well finished and preferably in the Southland addition. Will pay from $7,000 to $9,000 with considerable cash, but must be worth the money. We can sell your place if you can meet these specifications. J. C. CRANE & SON, 434 Bob Waggoner-bldg. Phone 3377.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE'S SALE

At 10 o'clock, Saturday, May 26th, I will offer at public sale to the highest bidder for cash the stock and fixtures of the Manhattan Clothiers, Burkburnett, Texas, consisting of men's furnishing goods, stock invoicing $23,000. J. M. Bonner, assignee.

BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR SALE.

EXCEPTIONAL BARGAIN

In one of the best 50-foot front business houses in Wichita Falls. This property can be bought right and the best of terms can be arranged. For particulars see

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Anything in real estate.
712 Eighth-st. — Phone 5328

TIMES DAILY MARKETS

COTTON MARKET

New York Cotton.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Evening up of commitments caused more of less irregularity in the cotton market today, but the undertone was generally steady, and the final price movement was upward owing to unfavorable weather reports from the south and continued talk of a firmer tone in the spot markets. After selling at 26.50, July broke to 26.15, but recovered most of the loss, closing at 25.43. The general market closed steady at net advances of 12 to 16 points.

The market opened steady at an advance of 8 to 13 points and sold 11 to 23 points net higher on trade buying of near months and scattered covering in the new crop positions. This advance carried May up to 26.90 and October to 23.14. The market then became easier under realizing for over the week-end. There also appeared to be some scattered selling on unfavorable reports from the goods markets and the failure of the demand to broaden perceptibly on the advances. May eased off to 26.68 and October to 22.88, making net declines of about 5 to 12 points, but the selling was not aggressive and the market firmed up again later in the morning on the Texas shower or rain reports.

There were reports of heavy showers or rains in South Texas with a cloud burst at Beaumont and, according to private advices received here from Fort Worth, the outlook for unsettled weather over Sunday.

Texas Spot Cotton.

DALLAS, May 19.—Cotton quiet; 25.65; Houston 26.50; Galveston, steady, 26.60.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE

CHICAGO, May 19.—Wheat tended downward in price today, chiefly as a result of seasonable weather and of stock market weakness. The close was unsettled, with July 1.15¾ to 1.15¾ and September 1.14. Corn lost 1.10 @1 cent and oats 1@1 to ¼ cent. In provisions the outcome varied from a shade decline to 5 cents advance.

Corn and oats were easier in sympathy with wheat. Some selling of corn resulted from gossip that rural offerings of corn to St. Louis had enlarged a little.

Provisions reflected steadiness of hog values.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT:				
May	1.17¾	1.18¾	1.16¼	1.17¾
July	1.15¾	1.16¼	1.15¼	1.15¾
Sept.	1.14¼	1.14¼	1.13¾	1.14
CORN:				
May	.80¾	.80¾	.79¼	.80
July	.79¾	.79¾	.79	.79¼
Sept.	.78¼	.78¾	.77¼	.78¼
OATS:				
May	.42¾	.42¾	.42	.42¼
July	.42¼	.42¾	.41¾	.42
Sept.	.40¼	.40¾	.39¼	.40¼
LARD:				
July	11.15	11.17	11.15	11.17
Sept.	11.40	11.42	11.40	11.42
RIBS:				
July	9.22	9.22	9.20	9.20
Sept.	9.45	9.45	9.40	9.40

Kansas City Cash Grain.

KANSAS CITY, May 19.—Wheat, No. 2 hard $1.12@1.25; No. 2 red $1.27@1.32.

Corn, No. 3 white, 83@¾; No. 2 yellow 86c.

Oats, No. 2 white 46@47c; No. 3 white 45@46.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, May 19.—The only business reported in the market for coffee futures today was the sale of one lot for December delivery at 8.00 compared with 8.03 at the close yesterday. The market opened at a decline of 3 points and closing quotations were nominally unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales 250 bags. Closing quotations: May 9.80, July 9.35, September 8.40, December 8.01, March 7.90, May 7.85.

Spot coffee dull, Rio 7s 11¼, Santos 4s 14¾ to 15¼.

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For the benefit of the late planters and those who may have to replant, we have shipped in another car of high-grade planting seed. For quick sale we offer this seed at reduced prices. We have Mebane, Rowden and Half and Half.

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LIVESTOCK

Fort Worth Livestock.

FORT WORTH, May 19.—Not enough cattle arrived to make the market quotable Saturday, the count calling for only 200 head. Several cars of steers, holdovers, sold at $6.00.

Sales of hogs were made at prices that were about steady. Nothing good arrived in carlots, the top in the pigs division being 7.35, but wagon hogs sold up to $7.50. Most of the run cleared at 7.25@7.45. Receipts amounted to only 200 head.

Sheep receipts were estimated at 1,000 head. Most of the run consisted of stockers.

Increased receipts of cattle have arrived this week and market prices have plunged downward.

Steers are 25 to 50 cents lower. Cows, heifers and yearlings show a decline of 50 to 75 cents. Bulls have lost 15 to 25 cents. Calves are 50 cents to $1 down, on stocker cattle is 50 cents to $1 lower.

Hogs gained considerable strength during the first half of the prices soaring to $7.85, but practically all of the advance was later lost, the close being only steady with last Saturday. Pigs are fully steady.

Sheep prices are up 25 cents and on wool lambs the market has gained 50 cents.

Cattle 300; beeves $3.50@8.00; stockers $3.50@6.50; cows $3.00@5.25; canners $2.00@2.80; heifers $3.50@5.70; yearlings $4.00@9.00; bulls $3.00@4.75; calves $3.00@9.00.

Hogs, receipts 200; light $7.25@7.50; heavy $7.00@7.25; medium $6.75@7.00; mixed $6.00@6.75; common $5.00@6.00; rough heavy $5.00@6.00; rough $4.00@5.00; pigs $5.00@6.00.

Sheep, receipts 1,000; genuine lambs $12.00@13.25; spring lambs $12.00@13.50; feeder lambs $8.50@10.00; yearlings $9.00@11.00; wethers $6.50@7.40; ewes $5.00@6.00; culls $1.00@2.00; stockers sheep $4.00@5.00; goats $2.50@3.50.

Kansas City Livestock.

KANSAS CITY, May 19.—Cattle, receipts 600; calves 50; for week best yearlings and beef steers strong; top 10.25; native steers 25c lower; mixed yearlings 50c lower; quarantine Texas steers 25 to 50c lower; she stock 25c lower; bulls 25c higher; calves 50c higher; top 10.50; stockers and feeders 15 to 25c lower.

Hogs, receipts 1,000; steady; top 7.50, bulk of sales 7.25@7.45; packing sows 6.15.

Sheep, receipts 150; for week high, top wooled 16.25; shorn 14.10; shorn Texas wethers 7.50@8.10; shorn Texas ewes 6.75.

STOCKS AND FINANCIAL

NEW YORK, May 19.—Hammering by speculators for the decline in today's brief session of the stock market resulted in the establishment of new low prices by a score of representative stocks and brought about a new low average of 94.70 in a list of twenty important industrials. The market again was a dull affair, the bulk of the trading being transacted in the first hour.

A sharp rally at the close carried many weak shares a point or more above their low point of the day, but was not sufficient to show gains over the final quotations yesterday. California Petroleum was strong from the start, rising nearly 3 points, due undoubtedly to publication of an impressive quarterly earning statement and this bullish factor is believed responsible for widespread short covering operations in the final hour.

United States Steel again sagged to a new low price for the year at 96¾, rallying later to 97, where it closed half a point off on the day. Other steels, which dropped to minimum prices for the year included Crucible and Great Northern Ore.

Selling pressure again forced recessions of 1 to 5 points in many representative issues.

Allied chemical, forced down yesterday along with the others in the fertilizer-cotton oil group, rebounded today, selling most of the morning about 3 points higher, and closing 4 above Friday's quotations.

The feature of the foreign exchange market was the decline of the German marks to .00191, a new low record for all time. Other European rates moved upward slightly, demand sterling rising half a point to 4.62¼ and French francs quarter point to 6.66 cents.

New York Stocks.

Allied Chemical & Dye	68
Allis Chalmers	40¾
American Beet Sugar	33¾
American Can	92¾
xAmerican Car and Foundry	109¾
American Hide & Leather pfd.	43
American International Corp.	25
American Locomotive	134¾
American Smelting & Refining	57¾
American Sugar	52¾
xAmerican Sumatra Tobacco	25¾
American T & T	122
American Linseed	29¾
American Tobacco	144
American Woolen	75¾
American Zinc	13
Anaconda Copper	42¾
Atchison	98¾
Atl., Gulf & W. Indies	15¾
Atlantic Coast Line	113
Austin Nichols	24
Brooklyn Rapid T.	13
Baldwin Locomotive	127¾
Baltimore & Ohio	47¾
Bethlehem Steel "B"	64
Canadian Pacific	151¾
Central Leather	23¾
Chandler Motors	43
xChesapeake & Ohio	64¾
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	20¾
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	28¾
Chino Copper	28¾
xColorado Fuel & Iron	25¾
Consolidated Gas	86¾
Cosden	46
Corn Products	125¾
Coca Cola	75¾
Chicago Northwestern	73¾
Crucible Steel	68¾
xErie	10¾
Famous Players-Lasky	75
General Asphalt	35¾
xGeneral Electric	173¾
General Motors	18¾
Goodrich Co.	31
Great Northern pfd.	71
Gulf States Steel	82¾
xIllinois Central	109
Inspiration Copper	33¾
International Harvester	113¾
Int. Mer. Marine pfd.	31¾
International Paper	41¾
Inter. Tel. and Tel.	48
Invincible Oil	13¾
Internickel	14¾
Kansas and Gulf	
Kelly-Springfield Tire	47¾
Kennecott Copper	36¾
Louisville & Nashville	89¾
Mexican Petroleum (asked)	128
xMiami Copper	26¾
Middle States Oil	
Midvale Steel	27
Missouri Pacific	
M., K. & T.	13¾
xMaxwell Motors	15¾
New York Central	93¾
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	14¾
National Lead	117¾
Norfolk and Western	107
Northern Pacific	71¾
Oklahoma Prod. & Ref.	2¾
Pacific Oil	52¾
Pan American Petroleum	70¾
Pennsylvania	44
People's Gas	50¾
Pure Oil	23¾
Ray Consolidated Copper	13¾
Reading	73¾
Rep. Iron & Steel	49¾
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	49¾
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	65¾
Sears Roebuck	74
Sinclair Con. Oil	20¾
Southern Pacific	89
Southern Railway	21¾
Standard Oil of N. J.	24¾
Studebaker Corporation	109¾
Southern Railway pfd	66
xSeaboard Air Line	6¾
Sloss-Shef. Steel & Iron	50¾
Tennessee Copper	10
Texas Co.	45
Texas & Pacific	21
Tobacco Products	80¾
Transcontinental Oil	8¾
Union Pacific	134¾
United Retail Stores	7¾
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	55¾
United States Rubber	51
United States Steel	97
Utah Copper	64
xUnited Fruit	167
Westinghouse Electric	54
Willys Overland	7¾

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Liberty Bonds.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s $101; 1st 4½s $97.26; 2nd 4½s $97.29; 3rd 4½s $98.12; 4th 4½s $98.1; U. S. treasury 4½s $99.16.

Foreign Exchange.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Foreign exchange irregular. Quotations in cents: Great Britain, demand 4.62¾; cables 4.62¾; 60 day bills on banks 4.60¾; France, demand 6.66; cables 6.66¼; Italy, demand 4.86; cables 4.86¼; Belgium, demand 5.74; cables 5.74¼; Germany, demand .0019¾; cables .0020¼; Holland, demand 39.13; cables 39.16; Norway, demand 14.28; Sweden, demand 26.65; Denmark, demand 18.55; Switzerland, demand 18.02; Spain, demand 15.23; Greece, demand 1.87; Poland, demand .0020¾; Czecho-Slovakia, demand 2.39; Argentine, demand 34.12; Brazil, demand 10.40; Montreal, $97 15-16.

NEW YORK CURB

By Universal Service.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Range of prices on the New York curb today:

	High	Low	Close
Mining			
A. R. C. Metals	2¾	2¾	2¾
Boston Montana	17	17	17
Creason Gold	2 5-16	2¼	2¼
Gold Zone	5	5	5
Tonopah Extension	1¼	1¼	1¼
Industrials			
Radio	3¾	3¾	3¾
Oils			
Boston-Wyoming	95	94	94
Federal Oil	75	72	72
Glenrock	90	85	85
Gulf Oil	53¾	53¼	53¾
Pennock Oil	13	12¾	13
Sapulpa Refg.	3¼	3¼	3¾
Standard Oils			
Anglo-American	15¼	15	15
Imp. Oil Canada	101	99	101
Prairie Oil & Gas	20	198	199
Southern Penn	138	138	138
Standard Oil Ky.	85¼	87	87¼
S. O. of Ind.	57¾	57¾	57¾

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ANNOUNCEMENT

We call the public's attention to the new addition now being opened immediately west of the Cox and Peterson and Chenault property on which are located three of the best residences in the city.

Protection

So many prospective buyers have asked us about property with restrictions that he have decided to give to Wichita Falls the only protected addition in the city. In selecting your building site you should know that you are protected from the building of an apartment house, store or filling station on adjoining property. You also should know what kind of residence will be erected on the lot next to you. These and other protections will be provided, with all modern conveniences.

Restrictions

No house less than six rooms, and at a minimum cost of $8500 exclusive of all out house will be erected in this addition, and only one residence will be allowed on one lot. Residences must be erected uniform distance from the street, with all out houses properly placed so as not to damage adjoining property. Every provision will be made for the protection of the purchaser.

Announcement will be made of the date on which this property will be placed on the market, and no lot will be sold before that date, however, we want to call your attention to the following:

$20.00

Twenty Dollars will be given to the party suggesting the name selected for the addition.

$20.00 $10.00 $5.00

Twenty dollars will be given for the best writeup of the addition; ten dollars for the second best, and five dollars for the third best write-up of the addition. Judges: W. B. Chauncey, Ray E. Harrell and W. S. Curlee.

$150.00 $150.00 $150.00

Three prizes of one hundred fifty dollars each will be given to the first boy or girl, man or woman, other than real estate operators, who sells the first three lots. Later announcement will be made regarding this.

Parties entering the "name" contest must file their suggestion with W. S. Curlee, Room 222, Bob Waggoner Bldg., by Thursday, May 24th. Parties suggesting the same name selected will have to draw for the prize. Parties entering the "write-up" contest must file their paper, containing not over 175 words, by Thursday, May 31st.

We believe in good homes, beautiful surroundings and a contented citizenship.

GOVERNMENT FIGHT TO SECURE POSSESSION OF BARGE IN HIGH COURT

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The federal government brought to the supreme court today its fight to secure possession of the Mississippi barge line leased to Edward F. Goltra of St. Louis, who the war department charges has sacrificed his contract by failure to operate the line. The highest court was asked to set aside the injunction granted by the federal courts in Missouri restraining Secretary Weeks from seizing the 19 barges and four towboats involved.

William Jennings Bryan's Weekly Bible Talk

Isaiah, The Statesman-Prophet

By WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN

What wonderful lessons for us are grouped about Isaiah's call to service, his acceptance of the call, his patriotism, and his prophecies.

Every one who plays a large part in human history to a call—not a call audible to the ear or visible to the eye, as in the case of Isaiah, but a call so definite and so certain that the heart is conscious of the summons to duty. Nothing less will give one strength to bear the load.

Isaiah had a vision of "the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up." A call to service always comes from God and is heard only by those who believe in God—in a God who is interested in His children and who uses His children to carry out His purposes.

The Heavenly Father has not the entire population to choose from, but is limited to those who are receptive. A government, in time of war, is at liberty to draft all of its citizens into military service. Those who exercise authority fix in the law the ages between which service is required and the grounds of exemption, according to the needs of the government.

God Repects Our Wishes

In the beginning those under eighteen are usually exempt as are those over forty-five. But the minimum age can be lowered if the exigencies require it, and the maximum age can be raised when the peril is sufficient to justify it.

And so with the physical inspection; if only a few are required, the examination will be very strict and slight imperfections will furnish ground for exemption. But if the life of the nation is threatened, everyone may be called who is able to contribute any service whatever. And the government does not ask whether the citizen wishes to serve—he must serve.

Not so with the Almighty. While He is all-powerful, He respects the will and wishes of His children. He does not draft soldiers into His army or workers into His vineyard. He calls and those who will can answer.

He knows those whose hearts are open to divine suggestion—do they not disclose this in their prayers? The petitions reveal the attitude of those whose thanksgiving and pleas for guidance ascend to the throne of God.

Humility As A Virtue

Isaiah was just the kind of a man for the particular work to which he was called. Commentators tell us that he came from a wealthy family of high rank and had all the advantages of his day.

Like David, he had been prepared in advance for his task, and, like David, he was unconscious of the use that was to be made of his preparation. But the chief preparation was of the heart—all the rest would have been of no value if he had not been reverential and inclined to obedience to the divine will.

His humility was proof that he possessed one quality that was essential to success in the line of work to which he was called.

If he had been pompous, self-important, and boastful of his ability, no summons would have come to him—he would not have recognized a summons if it had come.

An egotist is not looking for a call—he is himself giving commands, his ear is not turned upward to catch communications from above; it is turned downward to hear praise from those below. An egotist is too busy parading his own wisdom to receive instruction, even from God. Christ's disciples were modest men—they were empty vessels waiting to be filled.

Consecration to Service.

When Isaiah came into the presence of God and beheld the seraphim, saw them worshipping God and heard them singing, "Holy, holy, holy," he was overwhelmed by the thought of his own unworthiness.

His sins grew larger and darker when he saw them as shadows against the purity of God. He confessed his iniquities and the iniquities of his people, for in the light of God's glory he could see imperfections that he had not noticed before—imperfections in himself as well as in others.

Then comes the consecration to service. One of the seraphims, "having a live coal in his hand"—the Revised Version translates it "a hot stone"—taken from off the altar, flew to Isaiah, and touched his lips with it, and proclaimed, "Thine iniquity is taken away, and thy sin purged."

The change wrought in Isaiah has been wrought in a great multitude since that day. Men and women, timid and shrinking, distrustful of their own strength, have felt the touch of the live coal from the altar and been instantly filled with a strength that was not their own. Relying upon their own might they could do nothing; but falling back upon the infinite strength of God they dared to undertake any task.

"Here Am I; Send Me."

Thus prepared for the work set before him, Isaiah awaited instructions; when he heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" he answered, "Here am I; send me."

In every age and in every community the Lord has work to do. None but the willing can be consecrated and none but the consecrated have the patience, the courage, and the devotion required.

There are enough Christians in the world to bring, within a generation, the promised day when "every knee shall bow, and every tongue confess"—if every professing Christian would put his talents at the service of the Heavenly Father and, in the words of Isaiah, answer, "Here am I; send me."

Isaiah played a dual role in the drama of his time. He was a statesman, with a passionate love of his people, as well as a prophet. Standing above petty quarrels and selfish strife, he called to the Children of Israel to obey God's Word that they might claim the promises He made to His people.

An Eloquent Tribute.

He lived under five kings, beginning with Uzziah and ending with Mannaseh. Speaking from a moral eminence and in constant communication with the Lord of hosts, he pleaded with king and subject. In Peloubet's notes Dr. W. J. Townsend is quoted as paying the following eloquent tribute to Isaiah the statesman:

"He pleaded with his people, wooed them, wept over them, entreated them to turn to the Lord and serve Him; painting in roseate hues the blessedness and security of a godly nation.

"He sought no office, he was not partisan, he knew no political sect, and he knew no courtier-like airs or favorite manners.

"He was a voice and a power above parties or politics; he understood nothing of expedience or compromise; he stood for naked truth, and sheer severity of righteousness, pointing out that this alone is a tried and sure rock of permanent prosperity.

"In the reigns of Uzziah, Jotham, Ahas, and Hezekiah, he stood as an incarnate conscience, testifying for God and for his covenant of eternal truth. What he endured in carrying on in prolonged battle with every form of evil cannot be adequately imagined.

"He was a polished and highbred gentleman, versed in various learning, and familiar with the affairs of state. He was a man of keen susceptibility, quick to feel a wrong, or to suffer under neglect ridicule, and reproach. But he never quailed under opposition, nor wavered in persecution."

An Example for Statesmen.

Isaiah is even better known as a prophet than as a statesman. There was no inconsistency there, and there ought to be none today, between leadership in religion and leadership in politics, especially in a government like ours.

Love of the people is necessary if one would have influence in matters of government; it is also necessary if one would have influence in the church. And far-sightedness is as necessary in one case as in the other. While the statesman works in the present, he must look ahead and have in mind the unfolding of the future. So with the religious leader; he is always planning for the days to come, knowing that truth must triumph because it has God behind it.

Isaiah is the prophet who pictured most distinctly the coming and the character of the Messiah. In language of surpassing beauty he described the sufferings of the Saviour and the sacrificial character of those sufferings. We turn back of his inspired words for the most beautiful description of the atonement:

"He was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed."

When War Shall Cease.

Isiah's voice it was, too, that announced the coming of the day when war would be no more. He gave us the figure most used to describe that transition for which the world is waiting, when the energy now wasted on the sword will be employed on the plow; when man will use his strength in production instead of destruction.

As a prophet he saw in the Messiah redemption from sin; as a statesman he saw in the teachings of the Prince of Peace emancipation of the world from the inhumanities of the battlefield.

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ISAIH, THE STATESMAN-PROPHET, TEXT OF TODAY'S BIBLE TALK BY MR. BRYAN

In the year that King Uzziah died I saw also the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up, and his train filled the temple.

Above it stood the seraphims; each one had six wings; with a twain he covered his face, and with twain he covered his feet, and with twain he did fly.

And one cried unto another, and said, Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory.

And the posts of the door moved at the voice of him that cried, and the house was filled with smoke.

Then said I, Woe is me! for I am undone; because I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for mine eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts.

Then flew one of the seraphims unto me, having a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with the tongs from off the alter:

And he laid it upon my mouth, and said, Lo, this hath touched thy lips; and thine inquity is taken away, and thy sin purged.

Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I; send me.

Today At The Churches

First M. E. Church, South

The Sunday night program of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Tenth and Lamar, will be of the rarest interest to all music lovers of the city. The pastor, Rev. C. M. Simpson, announces that he will present "The Wayfarer," which is an interpretation of the dramatising of Handel's "Messiah," in which three thousand people presented this, the greatest of the world's music, to an audience of ten thousand people. The Sunday night message will be the essence of the presentation of this wonderful story as it was told in music and in light, one of the rarest of the world's offerings of this kind. The best seats are had by 7:20. It is hoped that the more than a thousand in attendance at Sunday School of the recent past will be continued during the future. Service begins at 8:20. At eleven o'clock, the pastor brings a message wholly out of the ordinary in its form and full of interest to every one. The music both morning and night will be of a high order. Monday the Woman's Missionary Society meets at three o'clock in the various circles as follows: No. 1, Mrs. J. J. DeBerry, 1718 Tenth street; No. 2, Mrs. C. H. Clark, 2500 Ninth street, No. 3, Mrs. N. B. Chenault, Indian Heights; No. 4, Mrs. J. H. Johnson, 1111 Alma street; No. 5, Mrs. C. A. Stuckey, 1405 Kemp Blvd.; No. 6, Mrs. J. W. Akin, 1205 Burnett street. Regular "church night" program on Wednesday with the public Inspirational service conducted by the pastor at 7:45. On Friday night the senior department of the Sunday School will give a May fete on the lawn of the church beginning at twilight. This will be a varied bazaar and a pageant climaxing with the crowning of the May queen, a rare program of pleasure to which everybody is invited. These young people are raising funds with which to furnish their department in the new building.

International Bible Students Association

Will hold all meetings Sunday at Labor Temple, 702 Travis, room 6, beginning at 10:00 a. m. with a Bible study on "The Kingdom of God," Luke 19:11-15. At the same hour there will be a Bible study for juniors at 11:00 a. m. There will by a Berean Bible study on "Jesus Sending Out Missionaries," Luke 10: 1-24. In the evening at 8:00 there will be a study on "The Good Samaritan," Luke 10:25-37. All are welcome to study with us. Please bring your Bible. — LOCAL ECCLESIA.

Floral Heights Epworth League

The program of the Epworth League of the Floral Heights M. E. Church, South, starts promptly at 8:45 Sunday evening. Be on time. This is a young people's service and all the young people in this city are invited to be present and take an active part in the study. Good musical numbers and interesting short talks make the program an unusually good one. Bring your friends to the League.

South Side Baptist Church.

Holliday Street. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Subject Sunday morning: "Patience." Evangelistic service Sunday night. Sunbeams meet at 2:30. Intermediate B. Y. P. U. meets at 4:00. Senior B. Y. P. U. meets at 6:45. You are cordially invited to worship with us.—W. W. ROZELL, Pastor.

Lutheran St. Paul's Church.

(Mo. synod.) Eleventh and Holliday streets.—Sunday school at the usual hour, 9:30 a. m. On Sunday morning at 10:30 the Walther League will celebrate its thirtieth anniversary. Special services in the English language with sermon by the pastor followed by an address by the president of the local society, Mr. W. Schwab. Surely each and every member of the league will be present Sunday morning and join in singing praise to our God. Berea Bible class Bible study meeting at 7:30 p. m. Lesson, Ephesians 5, 15-33. Wednesday, May 23, we shall have our annual school picnic at North Side Park. Bible class business meeting will therefore be held the week following. Everybody is cordially invited to worship with us and attend our Bible class. —C. M. BEYER, Pastor.

Floral Heights Baptist Church.

Tenth and Kemp boulevard. Sunday school Sunday morning at 9:45. Chas. H. Smoot, supt. Owing to the absence of our pastor, Dr. J. W. Loving, who is attending the convention at Kansas City, the Sunday morning preaching service will be conducted by E. E. Fuller, a Baptist laymen. Dr. Loving requests all members to hear Mr. Fuller at the 11 o'clock service. The Senior B. Y. P. U. will conduct the evening services at 8 instead of the usual preaching service. Intermediate and Junior B. Y. P. U. will meet at 7 o'clock as usual. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8. Girl Scouts Wednesday evening. Boy Scouts Friday evening. — JESS M'LARRY, church clerk.

Central Presbyterian.

"The Permanent versus the Transient," or the relative importance of the material and the spiritual—Central Presbyterian Church, Eleventh and Bluff. A message for this age with its materialistic tendencies, an age that is forgetting God and the church. The Sunday hours of worship, Dr. Laslette will show, are a protest against a sordid life. He will show that we need the hints and feats of the unseen. He will also demonstrate that the church stands like a pillar amid the swirling surges of our turbulent American life, and have a message of good cheer and hope for those who harmonize the material with their spiritual lives. The church calls us back to soberness, sanity, and God. Come to church is the greatest and best invitation you can hear or read. Sunday May 20, at 7:45. Miss Katherine Cooke, the sweet soul singer, will bring another message in song. At 7:45, hymns, their romance and history; sermon theme, "The man who missed the greatest opportunity of his life and how a nation was affected by his wrong choice."

First Christian Church.

Tenth and Travis streets.—Bible school, 9:30, lesson is the 20th chapter of Luke; church service, 10:45, Mr. Hancock will preach; Christian Endeavor, 6:30; night service, 7:45, Mr. Hancock will preach; special musical numbers at both services. The public is invited.

Lutheran Trinity Church

Corner Fourteenth and Bluff. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Pentecost services 10:30 a. m. After services the Ladies' Aid shall meet. Some important questions will be discussed; therefore all members are requested to be present. You are welcome to all our services. A. H. MUEHLBRAD, pastor.

First Presbyterian Church.

Rev. N. F. Grafton, D. D., pastor. The pastor is out of the city attending the meeting of general assembly in Indianapolis and Mr. Julian Montgomery, one of the elders, will occupy the pulpit at the morning hour. The special music for this service includes a violin solo by Miss Vivian Ralley and a vocal solo by Mrs. Parker. At the evening hour the congregation of the Central Presbyterian Church will join with this one in worship and Rev. F. C. Laslette will occupy the pulpit. Mrs. Parker will sing at the evening hour.

Church of the Good Shepherd.

(Episcopal). Services for Whit-Sunday: Holy communion, 8 a. m.; church school, 9:30. We cordially invite you to attend our Sunday school. Mr. W. M. McGregor will address the men's class this Sunday, giving some of his experiences during his recent world tour. Be sure to be on time. Holy communion and sermon, 11; observance of the Feast of Pentecost. The rector's sermon subject will be, "Qualifying Christians for their Responsibilities." For the offertory the choir will sing, "Abide With Me," by Liddle. Adlam's "Office" will be sung. Evening service, 7:45. A service of informal character that will give you plenty of inspiration for the week days. This year the nation is celebrating the centennial of the world's most famous poem, "Home, Sweet Home." The rector will take the thought for his sermon subject, and Mrs. L. B. Thompson will sing, "Home, Sweet Home" for the offertory. Everybody always welcome to the good things this church has for all who will accept. —FRED T. DATSON, Rector.

First Baptist Church

Rev. A. Foltz will speak at both hours at the First Baptist Church. Mr. Foltz is a fine speaker and works in connection with the army at Fort Crocket, Galveston, Texas. He will arrive here in an airplane. The American Legion is to attend this service in a body. There will be special music at both services. We are glad to have with us Mr. and Mrs. Blankenship who are evangelistic singers and who are known all over the Southern Baptist Convention by their beautiful singing. They will sing for us at both hours. Dr. Powers is in Kansas City attending the Southern Baptist Convention, but we feel very fortunate in having these noted visitors with us and hope to have a large congregation to hear them.

First Methodist Episcopal Church

Seventh and Lamar.—9:45 a. m. is the hour for Sunday School. Arrange to be with us. Eleven o'clock is the hour for the morning service to begin. The subject for the sermon will be "Their search for peace." The League services begin at seven o'clock. There is no reason why any young person should not take part in these fine spiritual meetings. The hour for evening worship is eight o'clock. "The cup of salvation" will be the subject of the sermon. Bring your lunch to church Wednesay evening at seven o'clock and let us eat together and then spend an hour together in prayer and Bible study. IRA L. CRABTREE, pastor.

First Church of Christ

Corner Tenth and Austin.—Bible school beginning at 9:45 a. m. The lesson for this Sunday will be the twentieth chapter of Matthew. Our Sunday School is growing all the time and we urge all who are interested to come. Preaching and communion service at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Elder Reagan of Dallas will be with us again this Sunday. He is a very interesting speaker and all who have heard him will be glad to know that he is with us again.

Yale Avenue Evangelical Church

Corner Yale avenue and Twenty-second street. We just want to say to the fathers and especially to the mothers, who were not with us on last Sunday, the service that you missed will never be able to make up for the loss that you sustained when you missed the sweet services of the Sunday School and after services on last Sunday, as we are compelled to say that it was one of the sweetest services that we have ever been privileged to attend. Don't miss these services with the children and the young people of this community for it means much, and you are losing a great opportunity to do some good and get a great blessing out of it. We offer you another opportunity to be with us next Sunday. Sunday School begins at 9:45 followed by the beautiful illustrated lesson of "Character Building," which comes after the Sunday School, Junior League and choir practice 3:30 p. m., Senior League 7 p. m., followed by the evening sermon, subject, "The Great Right Hand of God." Don't miss the evening services. We expect to have Judge Orus O. Ross with us in the young people's meeting.

All the young people are requested to be at the church Tuesday evening not later than 8 p. m. Remember that we have prayer service and Bible study Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Come and bring your Bible with you. Choir practice and teachers meeting Friday evening beginning at 8 p. m. Come to each of these services and see what the Lord will do for us.—W. D. COOK, Pastor.

Lamar Avenue Baptist.

(Fourth and Lamar street). We welcome you to our services. Visitors especially invited. We have set a new record for attendance at our Sunday school for the past five Sundays. Be there and enjoy the services with us Sunday. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Other services at regular hour. Owing to absence of our pastor, the pulpit will be occupied Sunday morning by Rev. Hundley, from Byers. At the evening hour Layman Fuller will conduct the services. We invite you to hear these two brethren.

Sacred Heart (Catholic.)

1505 Ninth street. Pentecost Sunday. Hours of services, 8 and 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Epistle, Acts 2:1-11. Gospel, St. John 14:23-31. Subject of sermon, "Operations of the Holy Ghost in the Church." Text, "And I will ask the Father, and He will send you another Paraclete, that He may abide with you forever" (John 14:16). Sunday school and benediction at 7:30 p. m. Lesson on "The End or Purpose of Man."—LAWRENCE HOYT, Pastor.

Floral Heights Methodist.

Sunday school begin at 9:30. At the 11 o'clock service Dr. Barnes will speak on "The Old Fashioned Home." The 8 o'clock service will be under the auspices of the junior board with the following program, Paul Scott, presiding: Ten-minute evangelistical song service led by S. M. Gose Jr.; violin solo, Mrs. S. M. Gose Jr.; address, "The Social Life of the Church," Don T. Haynes; quartette; address, "What the Church Can Meap to the Young Men," W. E. Wilson; solo, Mrs. Fred Schmann Jr.; address, "Our Junior Board," Clyde Tittle. Monday evening at 8 o'clock there will be a social meeting for the junior board and wives. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:45. Choir rehearsal Thursday evening, 7:45.

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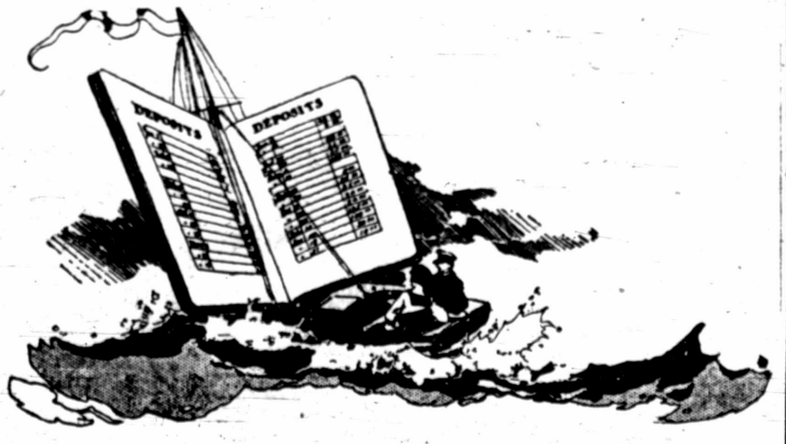

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Two Audiences Will Attend Pretty Springtime Recital in One Evening; Entertainment, at Kemp Tuesday

Two audiences will attend the pretty springtime recital to be given by Miss Alzada Knickerbocker Tuesday evening at Kemp hotel, and it is safe to predict that there will be little more than "standing room only" when the guests have all arrived for either program.

There will be two distinct programs, and the affair will be in the nature of a delightful hospitality extended by Miss Knickerbocker to her friends before her departure for New York in early June, as well as the annual presentation of her expression and pantomime pupils. The guests—with around 500 expected for each program—will be received by a house party of hostesses assisting Miss Knickerbocker, and with all of the little folks in lovely costume, a specially constructed stage, and beautiful decorations, it is expected that the entertainment will be one of the prettiest ever given in the Kemp ball room.

Five hundred guests are invited for the first program, which will begin promptly at 7:45 o'clock. At one minute past that hour the doors will be closed, and no late guests will be seated until the first intermission, a quarter of an hour later. The second program will begin at 8:45. The tiniest children will be presented in the early evening, and the older children at the later hour. The hostess has announced that no children under three years old are included in the invitations, and that none will be expected at the entertainment.

The Program

At the doors, little Misses Billie Parmenter and Sylvia Marie Riner will receive cards. Programs will be presented by Master Teddie Norwood and Misses Margaret Weaver and Sut Ann Timblin. The programs will be as follows:

First Entertainment

Dance, "The Quaker Maid," Martha Lou Laws.

Reading, "Teenie Weenie Little Fellows," Constance Clark.

Reading, "Too Young to Know," and "Hardships of a Boy," Orth Woodruff.

Story, selected, J. L. Myers, Jr.

Readings, "Little Jackie," and "I Aint Got Nothin'", Jane Rahl.

Dance, "A Basket of Roses," Billie Parmenter.

Readings, "Little Lady Washington" and "Five Little Fairies," Sue Ann Trimlin.

Reading, "Brave, J. L. Myers Jr.

Readings, "The Bird's Year," "Curly Head," and "The Jay," Sylvia Marie Riner.

Dance, "By Low Dollie," Beatrice Hathorn.

Monologue, "Dollie's Turn," Miss Margaret Weaver.

Impersonation, "The Way to Education," Betsy Lee.

Costume sketch, "Good Night Dollie," Constance Clark, assisted by the Nightgown babies, Judith Norwood, Eileen Schack, Billie Parmenter, Margaret Weaver, Sylvia Marie Riner, Ina Joe Ogle, Sue Ann Timblin, and Jane Rahl.

Dance, "The Clown," J. L. Myers Jr.

Sketch, "The New Baby," Beatrice Hawthorn.

Reading, "Wisht I Was a Girl," Teddie Norwood.

Reading, "Wisht I Was a Boy," Ina Joe Ogle.

"The Moo Cow," Judith Norwood.

Impersonation, "Mary Had a Little Lamb," Billie Parmenter.

Pantomine, "Fan Pictures," Betsy Lee.

Reading, "You Can't Guess," Eileen Janet Schack.

Reading, "A Troublesome Caller," Anna Kathryn Howard.

Sketch, "A Discouraged Kindergartener," Helen Lucile Simpson.

Dance, "Rose Softly Blooming," Martha Lou Laws.

Mother Goose dances, "Little Bo Peep," Margaret Weaver; "Mistress Mary Quite Contrary," Ann Katheryn Howard; "Little Jack Horner," Orth Woodruff; "Little Miff Muffett," Sue Ann Timblin; "Hickory Dickory Dock," Billie Parmenter; "Georgie Porgie," Jane Rahl; "Ride a Bob Horse," Teddie Norwood; "Pussy Cat, Pussy Cat," Ina Joe Ogle; "Three Blind Mice," Eileen Schack; "Hey Diddle Diddle," Sylvia Marie Riner; "Humpty Dumpty," J. L. Myers Jr.; "The North Wind," Judith Norwood; "Lady Bird, Lady Bird," Constance Clark.

Second Program

"When Father Rode the Goat," and "Bill's Gal," Malcolm Ducker.

Couple dance, "Courtship," Laura Mae Castley and Martha Lou Laws.

Monologues, "The Way of a Maid With a Man," and "Miss Debutante Plays Bridge," Joline Wood.

Readings "At Thorough Rest, and "The Congenial Spirit," Joline Wood.

Dance "Sherry Blossoms," Vivien Billingslea.

Negro Dialect readings, "The One Legged Goose," Brunhilde Holmgreen.

Dance, "In Grandmother's Time," Margaret Norwood.

Readings, "The Deceitfulness of Men," and "The Mule," Ernest Willis.

Impersonation, "The Boy in the Well," Juanita McCracken.

Readings, "America For Me," and "Picnic Time," Harold Herndon Simmons.

Child Dialect reading, "Who's Afraid," Rae Marion.

Costume sketch, "When Grandma Was A Girl," Margaret Norwood.

Costume dance, "Cushville Hop," "A Spanish Baby," Elizabeth Langford.

Monologue, "Little Peter's Parley," Ford Massie.

Pantomine sketch, "The Gossips," Laura Mae Costley.

Reading "The Boy", Kenneth Keith.

Monologue, "Her First Call on the Butcher," Dale Hammond.

Story, "Legend of the Twilight Bell," Elizabeth Langord.

Costume Sketch, "Japanese Love Song," Vivien Billingslea.

Monologue, "Seventeen," Mary Rosebud Rich.

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Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hanna of 1504 Twelfth street announce the arrival of Marcus Andrew Hanna Saturday morning.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Dunn and family of Memphis, Tenn., are here for a several weeks' visit with Mrs. W. E. Brothers and family on Eleventh street.

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Misses Lucile and Katherine Weathers of Frederick, Okla., are the house guests of Miss Eileen Willis since Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Derden are in Marlin, where they were called to the bedside of Mr. Derden's father, A. T. Derden. They drove through Friday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Givens of 1319 Seventh street announce the arrival of Warren George Givens, Friday evening at their home.

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Mrs. J. B. Kimbrough, who was operated on at the General hospital Friday night, is reported doing very nicely.

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Mrs. Harry Karlsburg of Bowie, who has been the house guest of Mrs. Alvin Horwitz since Monday, attending the Jewish Council luncheon Tuesday, has returned home.

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Eugene Segall, who has been very ill at the General hospital, is reported slightly improved Saturday.

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Mrs. J. Will Gray is spending the week end in Fort Worth with friends.

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Mesdames George Whiteman and Joe Berger went to Fort Worth Friday to join Messrs. Whiteman and Berger.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robertson are visiting her parents in Ballinger, from where Mr. Robertson will go to attend the West Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting at San Angelo.

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Miss Shellagh Kavanaugh has returned from Austin, where she was the guest of Mrs. Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald during the meeting of the International Federation of Alumnae Associations, to which she was a delegate from St. Mary's Academy of this city. Miss Kavanagh presented the resolutions on memorials.

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Miss Bettye Hull is visiting friends in Austin and Fort Worth. She attended the International Alumnae Federation in the former city last week.

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Mrs. Rundell will teach a few pupils in primary work this summer. Phone 3868.—adv.

In the Pictures

Miss Lillian Brannan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Brannan, of 2208 Ninth street, was queen of the Shrine Carnival early this month. Miss Brannon, who graduated from Wichita High with the class of '22, expects to attend college the coming fall. She is the very attractive young lady who hands you your ticket at the Strand Theater. The Brannons are here from Birmingham, Ala.

Miss Eileen Willis, graduate of Wichita High, '23, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hy Willis. She is a very talented young pianist, and is on Mrs. J. M. Baber's recital program for Friday evening. Miss Willis expects to attend Baylor next fall.

Little Miss Rose Marian Art is one of those folks who "need no introduction." One of the most gifted and attractive little toe-dancers in the city, she has been in demand since she tripped her first little interpretation, at the age of three. Rose Marian is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Art, and was presented in class recital at Mrs. E. L. Fulton's last week.

Master Douglas Paul Von Allmen is the good-looking young son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Von Allmen.

Mrs. Lawrence Marcus is one of the recent brides, who was presented to several hundred friends of the A. Marcus family at a beautiful reception at the Wichita club two weeks ago. Mrs. Marcus is a most attractive addition to the group of Wichita Falls younger matrons.

Mrs. M. R. Rich is a very talent reader, and will be presented in one or two numbers in Miss Knickerbocker's springtime recital Tuesday evening.

Little Sue Ann Timblin is going to help with Miss Alzada's pretty party Tuesday evening, and will assist in presenting the programs for the affair at Kemp hotel.

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Jewish Council Annual Luncheon One of Week's Beautiful Affairs

One of the outstanding affairs of the past week was the annual luncheon and entertainment of the Council of Jewish Women at Kemp hotel Tuesday afternoon.

The signal loveliness of the table decorations, the delightful toast program with its diversion of beautiful musical numbers, and the splendid spirit of friendship which a kinship of purpose in achievement has promoted during their years of work together in the members, conspired to make the luncheon one of the most enjoyable and harmonious, as well as one of the most beautifully planned, ever given at the hotel.

The table, arranged banquet style down the entire length of the ballroom, was literally covered with a fragrant carpet of honeysuckle, columbine and bridal wreath, with little pink and white rosebuds lifting their pretty heads at intervals. Baskets of flowers followed the center of the table. The climax of the pretty decorations was in the favors, which held the place cards, and the little nut baskets. These carried out a Japanese idea, the nut baskets fashioned like miniature Japanese lanterns, the handles decorated with lightly poised butterflies, and the place cards, tiny Japanese maidens in gay kimonos, with fan in one outstretched hand and the cards in the other.

Mrs. Alvin Horwitz, retiring president of the council, was toastmistress, and the program opened with a prayer by Mrs. Saul Lebenson and the council song, with Mrs J. L. Art at the piano.

Toasts were offered by Mrs. Cohen to the chairmen of committees for the past year; by Mrs. Emold to the absent members; from several of whom telegrams were received during the luncheon. Mrs. Sam Kruger gave, in original verse, "A Dream of Life." Mrs. David Goldberg made a brief talk on "The Law of Compensation." Mrs. H. Schack gave a bit of verse setting forth the council members "Fifty Years from Today," in a humorous vein. Mrs. Abe Marcus, incoming president, gave a sketch in verse called "The Drama of Life," written by a former Wichita Falls woman, Mrs. W. H. Cousins. Mrs. J. Spitz paid tribute, in an original verse written by Mrs. Kruger, to the retiring president, Mrs. Horwitz, at the conclusion of which the members and guests sang "To Our President," with joined hands; a song complimenting all of the council officers. Mrs. Spitz also presented Mrs. Horwitz, in behalf of the council, with a handsome silver flower basket filled with lovely blossoms. Mrs. Horwitz responded most graciously; and concluded the formal program with a talk on "The Sabbath Bride." Miss Elsie Cohen, president of the junior council, gave a brief summary of the junior's work for the past year and bespoke the continued cooperation and interest of the senior organization.

Musical numbers throughout the program included a beautiful number, "Love Send a Little Gift of Roses," sung by Mrs. G. Gordon, with Mrs. Art at the piano; "The Angel's Serenade," in a beautiful original transcription, and an encore number at the piano by Mrs. H. Karlsburg of Bowie, an out-of-town member; two piano duets, Chopin's "Polonaise Militaire" and Thomas' "Canzonetta," by Mrs. Art and Mrs. Goldstucker.

At the conclusion of the luncheon the members were invited by Mrs. A. Marks, chairman of the entertainment arrangements, to play bridge, and an hour or two was spent at the tables. In the games, Mrs. I. A. Fine won high score and Mrs. Sam Riesenberg low, and both were remembered with handsome pairs of candlesticks.

Those who attended the luncheon included Mesdames Sam Riesenberg, J. L. Art, Abe Marcus, Alvin Horwitz, Cohen, G. Emold, L. Cohen, I. A. Fine, H. L. Goldstucker, David Goldberg, Lyons of Fort Worth, George Gordon, Daye Paul, S. H. Smith, H. Katz, H. Karlsburg of Bowie, Sam Kruger, A. Marks, Philip Kleinman, A. Green, G. Liebermann, A. Lyons, Saul Lebenson, A. Zundelowitz, J. Spitz, N. Marantze, Max Shain, L. Parrish of Dallas, I. B. Persky, Pasawitch of Oklahoma City, H. Pink, S. H. Smith, H. Shack, F. Joseph, F. T. Carter, F. Joseph and A. Kyamer, and Misses Elsie Cohen, Eva and Dora Blank.

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Pretty Fairy Tale Plays Will Be Presented, Library Little Theatre

Monday evening at the Library Little Theater Miss Kathleen Lynch will present seventeen of her small pupils in two beautiful fairy-tale plays, "Red Riding Hood" and "Snow White."

The entertainment is expected to be an unusually attractive one, the presentation of the old familiar fairy tales being an innovation in Wichita Falls. Miss Lynch extends an invitation to all who are interested to attend, the first curtain to rise at 8:15.

The children taking part will include Mabel Drinkard, Marjorie Bright, Charlotte Joiner, Jessie Raley, Helen Ruth Connelly, Marjorie Dalton, Mary Louise Dickson, Joe Witherspoon Jr., Sidney Covington, Edward Peterson, Helen Loeb, Marguerite Sheldon, Mary Jane Covington, Mary Nekayah Maples, Mary Sue Knight, and Harriett Peterson.

WICHITA FALLS VISITOR ENTERTAINED IN ABILENE

The following is from the Abilene Reporter, and will be of interest here. Mrs. Wade returned home Thursday after a very delightful visit among her old friends in Abilene:

"After a visit of six days here Mrs. Edgar Wade left Thursday morning for her home in Wichita Falls. Mrs. Wade, who formerly made her home here, where she was a great social favorite, has many warm friends who vied with one another during her brief stay for her time. She was the recipient of many social courtesies, most of them of an informal nature, and many other friends asked for the pleasure of entertaining her.

"During her visit she was entertained in the homes of Mesdames Dallas Scarborough, L. J. Pickard, George L. Minter, Henry Sales Jr., Harry Tom King, Henry James, J. L. McDavid, Bernard Hanks, Ross Jennings, W. P. Head, T. C. Campbell, Anna D'Spain and Mary Fawcett."

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Medium brown hair looks best of all after a Golden Glint Shampoo — adv.

Little Folks of Methodist Church Present Pageant Coming Friday Eve

About one hundred little folks of the First M. E. church, South, will present a beautiful May festival and pageant Friday evening on the lawn of the church, with the pageant on a stage constructed just back of the lawn.

Booths will line the block before the lawn, where vendors will sell ice cream cones, cool drinks, sandwiches, cake, candy and novelties, including noise makers. The pageant will begin at 8:30 and a May queen is to be crowned in a very beautiful ceremony, which is the closing scene of the pageant, which connects the fairy story with the little mortals in the celebration.

Little Miss Elizabeth Langford is to be the fairy queen Arbutus, with the little mortal queen of May being selected now by votes. Little Nancy Faver, who has just recently come here with her parents from Sweetwater, Texas, will play the part of Firefly, and Miss Bulah Gardner will be Mistress Spring. The selection of the queen is occasioning quite a stir among the little folks of the Sunday School.

A general invitation is being extended to the entertainment, which will be in the open air, and is expected to be especially attractive. The children have been in training for their parts for some time.

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Miss Durham will teach summer school for pupils of lower grades at 803 Tyler street. Phone 2170.—adv.

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KATHLEEN NORRIS
Woman to Woman Talks

Thoughts on a Funny Trait of Human Nature

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

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"Every wife in the world," said a man of my acquaintance, with feeling, "likes to tell her husband he's got to do something he was just about to do anyway!"

"Or that he simply musn't do something he never dreamed of doing!" another married man said promptly.

"By George," he went on, grinning shamefacedly, "if I'm just starting out to clean the car and Margaret comes out to the porch and sings out, 'Why on earth don't you clean the car this morning?' it's all I can do to finish the job."

They thought, perhaps, that they were voicing a real discovery, personal to themselves.

As a matter of fact, there is a vital and fundamental truth there—a truth that is at the bottom of half the law suits in the world and half the divorces and all the wars.

For we don't mind what we have to do if the causes for doing it and the motives in doing it satisfy us.

Isn't It Funny?

Recently, a group of us happened to be traveling from one mountain town to another in the high Sierras.

It was 5:00 o'clock in the morning, dark, cold and bleak, and the car was the old-fashioned kind, with red plush seats and a coal stove that smoked.

In it were several youngsters, evidently returning from a country dance, tired, noisy and hilarious. They had a number of little crying horns that said, "Ma-ma!"

These horns bleated and whined uninterrupted for an hour, and the boys and girls laughed exhaustively all the time.

Then the horns were still and the young travelers began to sing. They sang loudly for the remainder of the trip.

Looking at the girls' pretty, weary, foolish little faces, one of the men of our party said thoughtfully:

"In a few years some of those youngsters will be married. And there'll be a real baby that lets out two or three little cheeps in the train and perhaps the father will suggest in an agonized undertone that the mother sing him off to sleep. And imagine her embarrassment then and the whispered 'shut up!' and the 'for goodness' sake can't you quiet him, everybody's looking at us!' and so on."

Isn't it funny? And isn't it characteristic of the way we queer, self-conscious humans do things?

What a Difference!

If rich little Billy Rice is in the party, with his low slung car, and says enthusiastically, "Come on, gang, let's go to Coffee Harry's, where they throw in fried potatoes with a 15 cent order and have sawdust on the floor!" then how the girls bundle up their silky skirts and slip into their heavy coats and pile into the car, to go giggling and joyous into the low-ceiled, filthy place and have what they afterward describe as a "classic" time.

But if mama, somewhat tired, suggests the next night, "Let's try the Old Southern Tea Room tonight, dear," then Harriet is apt to say briskly:

"Oh, mama, I hate those cheesy places; if we can't go to a decent place, I'd rather stay home! Some one might see us going in and I'd simply die of mortification."

Every year hundreds—thousands—of American women return from Europe with enthusiastic reports of the delightful little pensions they found there—everything plain, but so clean and good, and cheap!

What—Live There!

Right in their own towns are just such places, just as cheap. But when it is a question of coming to the city for three winter months, they never take the trouble to find them or consider them if they are found.

What—live south of Market street or River street or Jefferson street or whatever the street is that separates the social desert from the town? Not they!

Their bodies would be just as comfortable, and these are matters of the body. But their minds refuse. A purely imaginary value comes in here, and half the decisions of the world are based upon just such values.

One little girl washes dishes for 10 minutes and weeps with rage and disgust while she does so.

Another little girl washes dishes steadily for three days in heat and confusion, while directors and cast and cameras and lights and delays and consultations and disputes go on about her—and loves her job.

A Universal Human Weakness

Perhaps to both little girls life, apart from the dish washing, holds about the same proportion of sunshine and shade. But there is a romance about being a moving picture actress, and no romance at all about being the daughter of a country doctor helping mother on Annie's night out.

If the Davis boy throws a rock and scratches little Patricia's cheek, Patricia's father and mother seriously discuss legal steps against the Davis boy. At best, they never quite forgive him.

But if Patricia climbs into the maple and falls out and breaks her arm and cuts her knee, her father and mother merely go to work to restore Patricia to perfect health and comfort again; they waste not a second in resentment or reproach.

It is wholesome for us to reflect upon this universal human weakness just now when half the world has grievances and when hurt feelings and sensitive resentments are actually holding back the restoring hand of peace.

The Job Now

Infinite damage has been done in the last decade that has passed over this old world. That is past. The job now is exactly what it would be if the neighbor's house had caught fire through his own stupidity and selfishness and neglect and burned your garage and my chicken house. We might, or we might not, eventually get some satisfaction from our neighbor.

But meanwhile we would rebuild, replace, forget the past and bury the ashes and scars under new fences, new vegetation, new fruit trees. We may never like him, but he is not going to be allowed to spoil our lives.

And note the splendid philosophy of our attitude when it is what we call the "hand of God" that lays our petty habitations low. I remember one such manifestation 16 years ago.

On a certain balmy April morning in San Francisco all our familiar walls went down in thundering clouds of dust, and up in smoke went the rugs and the pianos and the stoves and the books—the Smiths' beautiful colonial mansion, the Jones' Spanish hacienda, the library, the bank, the church. The very bakeries where one's rolls were browning that Wednesday, the grocery and market, the dairy where one got the children's milk—all gone!

"The Hand of God"

But the children were safe, excited, and with soot on their little noses, but alive, and the rest was all—yes, all fun.

We stood in line for bread, we ate it butterless, we slept in gardens. And after awhile the shingle walls went up, and the tin cups gave way to china again, and it was all only a glorious memory of courage and undaunted vitality, and brotherhood, and patient re-beginning.

"The hand of God." Why, even the the least orthodox among us had to admit that it might have been a Father's way of showing us how free are the real things of life—love, companionship, and the simple sharing of meals, how needless are the walls and the conventions and the inhibitions with which we surround ourselves, after all!

But when it is a neighboring nation that has devastated our fields, then how differently we feel!

Then we sit idle, watching ruin lapse to deeper ruin, while we debate reprisals and indemnities and fines.

What Fun If——!

To rebuild, to replant, to put back simply clad and to eat simple fare the fruit trees and the farms, to go for a few years—what fun this would be if earthquake, and not war, had wrought the harm!

Can you imagine any call to which you and I would respond more promptly than the call for trees, for bricks to build homes, for seeds to grow vegetables, for loans to buy farms in—well, let us say "Ruritania"?

"They are working miracles over there," we would tell each other joyously, "and with nature back of them and with our help back of them and with our generous tourists pouring money like water into their coffers, they'll be on their feet now in no time! Some of the rehabilitated villages are too beautiful for words—and everyone is helping!"

"Besides," we might add, in a moment of more than ordinary common sense, "those neighboring nations of theirs with whom they fought can't do much anyway; the currency is degraded, the people are demoralized. And five times what we are doing to rebuild and to replant in gallant Ruritania would cost far less than even the littlest war."

Right and Sensible

This attitude on our part would be not only right and good and Christian—but supremely sensible.

"Don't talk to us of the past," if we would only say, "All wars are filled with cruelties, lies and fundamental injustices. But more lies and injustices and cruelties won't help you—and we won't subscribe to them. Forget the past. Build for the future.

"Construct rather than destroy. Act rather than talk. Draw ploughs and house plans and new contracts rather than treaties. Demand of us trees, seeds, masons, builders—living and serving elements—rather than the corrosion of hate.

"We will not hate you or anybody. But we will love you, and we will help you live, rather than die, again!"

They mightn't like it very much, as nations, if official America said something like that. But they must like it and respect it, as individuals. The heart of every honest man and woman in the world must respond to it.

Making a Game of It

We can—without any mawkish pollyanism—make a sort of game of restoring the world, just as we can personally recover from an earthquake or a fire or a flood. Or we can hold out for these false and purely theoretical reasons that have delayed matters already for five years.

There was a great deal more than mere humor in the story of how Tom Sawyer got his fence whitewashed. Let Europe show us that she has gotten over her sulks and is enjoying the job, and everyone of us will want to help her do it!

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BEAUTIFUL DINNER PARTY FOR MISS EMMA L. SCOTT

Miss Emma Lou Scott, graduate of the class of '23, was the honoree at a lovely dinner party given by Mrs. E. S. Goodner at the Goodner home on Alma street Friday.

Roses formed the motif of the whole party, with a profusion of lovely blossoms forming the dining room decorations. A great cluster of buds and greenery were fixed to the chandelier, from which depended pink and green streamers to the table. Candlesticks were tied with pink and green tulle bows, and pretty bows adorned the iced tea glasses, while pink rosebuds formed the plate favors with the dessert course. The table was centered with a beautiful basket of the loveliest buds.

A menu of tuna croquettes, candied yams with marshmallows, peas in patty shells, hot biscuit, iced tea, lettuce with thousand island dressing, ice cream in rose moulds, and white cakes was served. The nut cups were tiny rose baskets, to the handles of which were tied miniature "diplomas" with the name of the honoree and hostess and the date of the party.

The girls enjoyed kodaking in the afternoon, with other informal entertainment. Covers were laid for Misses Dorothy Rugeley, Martha Somerville, Ada Gullatt, Mary Meredith and Pearl Ray, and Mesdames Scott, Libekey of Dallas, Read and F. M. Robinson.

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G O AND H A T CLUB HOSTESS TO HUSBANDS

The G. O. and H. A. T. Bridge Club entertained their husbands Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grimes, 1108 Burnett.

The house was attractively decorated in yellow daisies and potted plants, with yellow and white forming the attractive motif for decorations, appointments and refreshments. In the games, Mrs. Neal Powers won high among the women and received a beautiful hand embroidered guest towel, while Mr. C. L. Williams held high among the men and was remembered with an ash tray. Mrs. C. A. Davis, holding low, was consoled with a guest towel, and Mr. W. H. Jackson, holding low, was consoled with a memorandum book.

Messrs. and Mesdames Stanley Granger, C. L. Williams, Clifford Everts, C. A. Davis, W. H. Jackson and Neal Powers and Mrs. Melvin Johnson and Mr. Stevedore.

The club meets next week with Mrs. C. L. Williams, 1413 Tenth street.

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B. Y. P. U. HONORS MISS WOOD TUESDAY

Wednesday evening was the occasion of a party given by the Intermediate B. Y. P. U. of the South Side Baptist Church, honoring Miss Cleo Wood, who will be out of the city during the summer months. The entertainment was held at the home of Mrs. Lee Anderson on Twenty-sixth street. Miss Wood was the recipient of many beautiful and appropriate gifts.

A delightful evening was spent in music, games, and various contests. Humorous readings were given by Mrs. George A. Patterson, Miss Moselle Smith, and Miss Maurine Martin.

Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Misses Cleo Wood, Madie Rozell, Olive Dunfield, Mildred Elgin, Geneva Anderson, Ruthie Johnson, Maurine Martin, Maidelle Anderson, Hazel Gatlin, Carita Vittitow, Lois Mae Woody, Mattie Grantham, Ardine Nott, Allie Fricker, Moselle Smith, Marguerite James, Mrs. George A. Patterson, and Mrs. Lee Anderson; Messrs. Ray Rozell, Carroll Anderson, Truitte Cone, Elbert Johnson, and Lee Anderson.

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CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS HAVE BIRTHDAY PARTY

The Catholic Daughters of America are planning a festival time Tuesday evening, in celebration of their sixth birthday—the local court having been opened in May, '17 by Mrs. Wade Walker, now of Long Beach, Cal., Worthy Grand Regent.

The Dramatic Club, under the direction of Miss Katherine Tiernan and Mrs. Mabel Kavanaugh will present two one-act plays, "The Truth About Jane," and "Too Much Bobbie," after which a social hour will be enjoyed. The stage manager of the club is Mrs. C. V. Millhpiland, and the members believe that beautiful stage settings are assured.

A cordial invitation is extended to all Catholic Daughters and their husbands, and the Knights of Columbus and their wives.

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PRE-ACADEMIC STUDENTS DALLAS U SCHOLARSHIPS

Three boys of the pre-academic department of the Academy of Mary Immaculate, have won scholarships to the Dallas University.

The averages of the prize winners were: Charles Dorsey, 98; Joseph Dorsey, 97; and Joseph Kelly, 96.

Entertainment Features of Week

Entertainment and news features of the week, exclusive of the regular club and organization meetings, will include the following, in all of which there is a general interest:

MONDAY

Fairy plays, "Snow White" and "Red Riding Hood," presented at Kemp Library Theatre by Miss Kathleen Lynch's pupils. All those interested invited.

TUESDAY

Annual recital and entertainment of Miss Knickerbocker's pupils, Kemp Hotel, evening. One Thousand invitations out.

Joint Legion and Auxiliary meeting at Legion Hall, evening. Social meeting.

WEDNESDAY

Wichita Choral Club first annual butterfly luncheon, Wichita Club at 1 o'clock. (Changed from Kemp Hotel.)

THURSDAY

Johnson-Wisdom marriage, Floral Heights Methodist Church, 1 o'clock.

Floyd Ard recital, Kemp Hotel, 8:15. Music lovers invited.

FRIDAY

Senior Department First M. E. Sunday School presents May Festival on church lawn.

Briefs and Notices

The Floral Heights Baptist Woman's Missionary society will meet in circles Monday afternoon as follows: One, with Mrs. E. J. Davis, 2402 Avenue O; Two, with either One or Three; Three, with Mrs. G. A. Miller, 1708 Taylor.

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The First Baptist circles will observe a day of visiting for church enlistment, sick, and strangers Monday, and take flowers.

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Circle One of the First M. E. Church, Seventh and Lamar, will entertain the Ladies' Aid of that church at the home of Mrs. C. B. Jetter, 1701 Elizabeth, Monday at 2:30.

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Circle One of the First M. E. South Mission society will meet with Mrs. J. J. Deberry Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at her home, 1718 Tenth.

The Woman's Guild of the Church of the Good Shepherd will meet Monday afternoon at 3 at the Parish House.

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The Rainbow Girls will hold a meeting Tuesday evening, beginning at 7:30, in the Blue room of the Masonic Temple. As it is the first meeting a large number of Masons and members of the O. E. S. are expected to attend.

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Circle Two of the First M. E. Church, South, will meet with Mrs. C. H. Clark Monday at her home, 2500 Ninth, 3 o'clock.

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Circle Six of the First M. E. Church, South, will meet with Mrs. J. W. Akin Monday at 3 o'clock in social session.

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Circle Three of the First M. E. Church, south, will meet with Mrs. L. E. Faught, 1616 Fourteenth.

PRESENTS YOUNG PIANIST IN RECITAL THURSDAY EVE

Floyd Ard Jr., gifted thirteen-year-old pianist, will be presented in recital Thursday evening at Kemp ballroom by Ernest Katz; the program, comprising Bach, Chopin, Mendelssohn, and Haydn numbers, among others, to begin at 8:15.

Friends and music lovers are given a cordial invitation to attend the recital, for which the following program has been prepared by the young pianist:

Four Inventions, C Major, C Minor, F Major, F Sharp Minor; Bach.

Old Vienna, Little Tango Rag, Nocturnal Tangier, A Wat au Passage, and The Music Box, Godowsky.

Polonaise Americain, Carpenter.

Sonata in E Flat, Haydn. (Allegro moderato, Adagio, Presto).

Papillon, Grieg.

Polonaise in G Flat, Chopin.

Rondo Capriciose, Mendelssohn.

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A. M. I. JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET TUESDAY EVENING

The seniors of A. M. I. were guests at a delightful dinner party, given by the juniors, at Kemp Hotel Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock.

The smile of spring was radiant in the floral decorations. Lovely pink vasebuds, the senior flower, and azure and white, the academy colors, adorned the table, and were carried out in the place cards, menus and corsage favors.

Delightful toasts were given, Miss Clara Wheaton Gribble presiding as toastmistress.

Rev. Lawrence Hoyt, O. S. B., was an honored guest.

After dinner the party enjoyed the picture "Mighty Lak' a Rose," under the chaperonage of Miss Mamie Marse.

The senior guests were Misses Edna Black, Nellie Bonneau, Laurine Cragin, Edna Steed and Mary Marguerite White, while Misses Metheldа Elliot, Thelma Green, Clara Wheaton Gribble, Ruth Harrison, Vera Martin, Ruby Seals and Louise Smart were the junior hostesses.

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This class of 100 men meets every Sunday morning at 9:30 in the main auditorium of the church. Sunday's lesson is the 20th chapter of Luke. In this chapter we learn of the world's first agnostic; also this chapter teaches all we need to know about the separation of church and state. Visitors in the city are cordially welcomed.

Notice.

Miss McCleskey is moving her dressmaking establishment from 1920 Tenth to Riggs' Misfit balcony, 809 Indiana.—adv.

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WELL KNOWN YOUNG FOLKS ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. J. Lem Keevil announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ella Estelle, to Joseph William Tyson. The marriage will take place Sunday, May 27, at the Keevil home, 907 Travis.

Mr. Tyson is a son of Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Tyson, and both of the young people are well known here. Miss Keevil has been secretary to Supt. Lee Clark at the high school the past year.

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MRS. WOOLSEY ENTERTAINS FOR MISS WOOLSEY, KEMP

Mrs. Frederick Woolsey entertained with a luncheon at Kemp Hotel Friday for Miss Marjorie Woolsey, the guests including a small group of her closest friends. The table was attractively decorated, a basket of larkspur and roses in the centre, and the place favors were rosebuds tied with the 1923 class colours. Covers were laid for Misses Juanita Kinsey, Vaughn Hendricks, Frankie Adickes, Helen Knotts, Elizabeth Carrigan, Stella Winters, Janie McCallister, and Vaughn Buchanan, Mrs. Woolsey and the honoree.

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MRS. S. M. FOSTER WILL PRESENT MUSIC PUPILS

Mrs. S. M. Foster will present a group of her piano pupils in recital at the First Baptist Church Monday night at 8 o'clock, and has extended an invitation to all music lovers to attend.

Numbers will be given by Misses Ines Sims, Mary Ruth Longino, Edith Brown, Winifred Hudgins, Juanita Owens, Minnie Thom, Clara Carter, Leona Bell Aynesworth, Margaret Holland, Grace Sims, Le Verne Harr, Susan Aynesworth, Virginia Moore, Mary Moore Brown, Robbie Lee Holland, Lucile Norris, Anna Marie Crews, Helen Davis, Loreen Hurley, Frances Carter and Mamie Raborn.

PARTY AND SHOWER FOR MISS WISDOM FRIDAY

Miss Augusta Wisdom, whose approaching marriage to Grover Cleveland Johnson was announced at a luncheon at the Wichita Club last week, was prettily complimented by a quintette of her friends at the home of Mrs. John Taylor on Taylor street Friday afternoon.

The hostesses included Mesdames Taylor, Mary B. Adams, and W. B. Chauncey, and Misses Hazel Donohoo and Mary Cowling, and the party included a surprise shower of miscellaneous gifts for the bride-elect's new home.

The Taylor home was beautifully decorated with roses, with the blossoms and greenery forming a nest for the punch bowl on the dining room table. A miniature bride also occupied a place of honor in the dining room. The shower was a complete surprise to the honoree, who was invited to a "radio concert" at the Taylor home. After greeting her friends she was invited to operate the "radio," and a collection of handsome gifts blocked her way.

An informal program was very much enjoyed, Mrs. Fred Barron singing "Thank God for a Garden," with "Because," for an encore. Miss Mary Jane Black read, "Lindy," with "Gossips" for an encore, and Miss Hasselle Deah sang "Down in the Forest" and "False Prophets."

Late in the afternoon, during which the guests were refreshed from time to time with delicious iced punch, served by Misses Cowling and Donohoo, the hostesses served brick ice cream and pink and white cake, with pink rosebuds for plate favors, to the following: Mesdames John C. Kay, C. R. Hartsook, F. A. Martin, Paul Cotner, R. E. Schoolfield, F. B. Cox, Jeff Waggoner, Preston Lea, J. M. Bland, Lester Jones, Fred Barron, H. A. McCarty, C. C. Knight, Leon Deaton, Wisdom, W. L. Rhodes, S. E. Trevathan, Milo Connelly, M. M. Adickes, Ed Peterson, T. R. Boone, D. O. Johnson, B. M. Bullard, Merle Waggoner, L. E. Cowling, J. T. Shaver, J. M. Alexander, W. D. Guthrie, S. M. Black, S. A. Barnes, A. L. Lane, O. O. Ross, S. A. L. Morgan, and Walter Curlee; Misses Norma Brown, Rhea Gardner, August Wisdom, Geneva Wisdom, Florence Jackson; Frances Brooks, Katherine Brothers, Johannie Morgan, Beatrice Morgan, Marguerite Morgan, Juanita Kinsey, Irene Davidson, and Hazelle Dean.

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TRAVIS MOTHERS ENTERTAIN IN HONOR OF TEACHERS

The Travis mothers entertained at dinner Friday at the school house, honoring the members of the faculty.

A menu of sandwiches, deviled eggs, ice cream and cake was served and a very delightful informal party enjoyed. Miss Kate Burgess, principal of the school, was presented a beautiful silk parasol in appreciation of her work with the council; the retiring secretary of the council was also presented a silk parasol; Miss England, a member of the faculty who was married Saturday, was presented a casserole for her new home, and the retiring president, Mrs. A. F. Perry, was remembered with a handsome pair of silk hose. There were about half a hundred mothers and teachers present.

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MRS. GENE NICHOLSON ENTERTAINS TYPO CLUB

Mrs. Eugene Nicholson entertained the Typo Union Auxiliary Thursday afternoon at her home on Tenth street, with Mrs. Kreigbaum joint hostess.

Tables were arranged for bridge and "42," and in the games Mrs. John Dobbs won high score at bridge, and Mrs. C. P. Stephenson at "42." Both were presented pretty boudoir caps. Mrs. Ralph Finley won the consolation remembrance, a vanity case.

Refreshments of pimento cheese sandwiches, olives, angel food cake and iced tea were served to the following: Mesdames D. C. Walker, W. C. Russell, W. G. Simmons, G. M. McCarty, Charles Bell, C. P. Stephenson, E. L. Hayes, W. F. Thompson, F. M. Kingsley, John Dobbs, J. E. Finley, A. G. Deatherage, A. J. Lester, R. L. Grimes and Dan Blackburn.

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DANCE AT TEMPLE ISRAEL WEDNESDAY EVENING, 23RD

The congregation of Temple Israel will hold the first of a series of monthly dances to be given in the basement of the Temple on Wednesday evening, May 23.

There will be good music and refreshments. The congregation is also planning its annual Temple picnic, the date and place to be announced later.

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Leslie Prescott to Her Mother, Mrs. Joseph Graves Hamilton.

Dearest, Dearest Mother: I wish you and dad would just pack up your things and come over and see our new apartment. It is perfectly wonderful and really, mother, I'm a very good cook. With some help from the Woman's Exchange and the rotisserie I get along famously.

Jack told me the other night that he never was so happy in his life and I wish you could see with what pride he showed his chief from the advertising company all over it.

"My wife did all this by herself and I never knew one word about it until she surprised me," he said. "Isn't she wonderful?"

When they sat down to dinner Mr. James—that is Jack's chief's name—said that he believed he would get married himself if he could have as nice food as he was eating.

Of course I didn't tell him that the chicken was from the rotisserie, the angel food cake from the Woman's Exchange and the ice cream from the confectioner's. I managed to make the salad and cook the potatoes and peas.

It was a nice dinner, mother, and the table with all our wedding silver looked perfectly scrumptious. You would be proud of your child although I have a bone to pick with you that you did not teach me a little more about cooking. You know I don't dare to roast a leg of lamb or bake a chicken or do any of those things yet, I am so afraid they will be spoiled. And I don't want to get in bad with Jack.

When I think, mother dear, that this never could have been if you hadn't been so generous to me, I shall never cease to be grateful to you.

Jack got a bonus yesterday on a new contract and he says we can have lots of new things.

He told me the evening after the chief was here that the next morning he had called him into his office and told him that with such splendid, capable and charming wife as I, he could not help but get along.

There, I think I have told you enough about myself. I am just going to say "I love you" and save the rest for the next time. Why does not Alice write?

LESLIE.

Letter From Leslie Prescott to the Gay Little Marquise.

Why do they call men the inconstant sex, little Marquise? Did you find out?

Jack has completely forgotten that he found so much fault with me over the house. You would think, to hear him talk to his friends, that the whole plan and its carrying out had suited him from the first.

Why, oh, why, did he not accept it as gracefully and sweetly as he does now instead of making me thoroughly unhappy over the first thing I ever did for him?

I have tried to forgive him and I guess I have, but, oh, little secret confidant, I cannot forget that he made me more miserable than I had ever been before in my life.

I could not tell this in my letter to mother, but I can tell it to you.

Tomorrow: Letter from Alice Hamilton to her sister, Mrs. Leslie Prescott—concerning an old sweetheart.

"STITCH AND CHATTER" IS NEW SOCIAL CLUB

Mrs. David Erickson was hostess to the new "Stitch and Chatter" Club at her home, 1414 Taylor, Friday.

The members spent a very enjoyable evening, and at the close were served delightful refreshments of marshmallow pudding, angel food cake and grape juice, with pink and white rosebuds for favors. Those present included Mesdames Tom R. Wynn, O. G. Stevenson, C. McFadden, O. O. Adkins, H. D. Biles, F. J. White, John R. Gibbs, and Felix White. The club meets in June with Mrs. Biles.

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GROUP OF MUSIC PUPILS PRESENTED IN RECITAL

Mrs. Harvey Allen presented a group of her piano pupils in recital in a very pretty program Friday evening at her home, when the audience comprised the parents of the children.

Those who entertained included Frances Lyon, Evelyn Littard, Katie Lee Hardwicke, Mildred Bulkeley, Dora Beth Wray, Eva Betts, Edna Lee Hicks, Martha Alice Lyon; Maria Roberts, and Gladys Purser, and Harvey Allen Jr.

At the close of the program the hostess served ice cream and cake.

MRS. BURT IS HOSTESS TO HUISACHE MEMBERS

Mrs. J. I. Burt was hostess to the members of the Huisache Club Friday afternoon at her home, when tables were arranged for three sets of players.

In the games, Mrs. George Lochbridge won high score and was remembered with a gift. The living room and dining room were attractively decorated with the club color, yellow, and pretty greenery. When the hostess served a delicious salad plate, pink rosebuds formed the favors. Those present included Mesdames R. E. Costello, J. E. Mustaine, R. B. Lewis, Dan Cullin, James Bradshaw, J. H. Fowler, L. D. Townsend, George Lochridge, W. R. Gregg, A. H. Stewart, H. C. Hammond, Ed Esh, W. R. Diggs and Leila Herndon.

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SAN JACINTO MOTHERS ENTERTAIN THE TEACHERS

The San Jacinto mothers were hostesses at a delightful dinner party Friday, with the members of San Jacinto faculty as honored guests. During the dinner Principal Jarrett made a talk, and the mothers presented Miss August Wisdom a handsome silver tray for her new home in appreciation of her splendid work with them.

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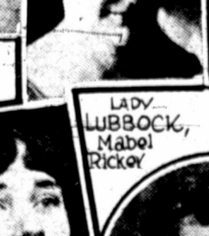
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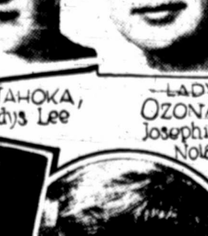
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SOCIETY NEWS FROM THE NEARBY NORTHWEST TEXAS TOWNS

Haskell

SOCIAL ITEMS.

May Fete.

The prettiest entertainment given in the new high school was the May fete given by the Curtain and Bear Cat Literary Societies, assisted by Misses Collins, Castles and Chambers, Friday evening, when Miss Lucy Cummins was crowned Queen of the May. The stage was a veritable fairy land, having tulle in all the colors of the rainbow draped from a central point over the throne chair, and spring flowers and fernery added to the charm of the setting. The queen was gowned in white and was crowned by the Marshal Reynolds Wilson. Miss Maurine Couch acted as maid of honor and little Nancy Flo Grissom was the dainty little crown bearer. There was a Maypole dance by Miss Castles' class of 16 children, which was very pretty. "Voices of the Woods" by 25 attendants sung while marching. These girls wore organdie dresses in rainbow colors and marched up on the stage. Then the orchestra played while the queen marched up and was crowned by the marshall and gave her response. Vivian Bernard gave a welcome dance to the queen. Miss Maurine Couch sang "Under the Red, Red Moon." Margaret Waldrop and Anna Maud Taylor gave a "Tribute to the Queen" dance. The attendants sang "They Call Me Spring Time." Anita Grissom and Thelma Williams gave "The Dance of the Nymphs." The chorus "She's the Queen of Haskell High," was rendered. Margaret Waldrop and Anna Maud Taylor acted as flower girls. There was a large audience to witness this beautiful pageant.

University Club Meets.

Mrs. J. U. Fields was hostess to the members of the University Club in a call meeting at her home Monday evening. This was a business meeting and there were some very interesting talks pertaining to the university's problems of the day. The hostess served fresh strawberry ice cream and cake to the following: Mesdames and Messrs. C. P. Elkins, Marvin and Bailey Post, the host and hostess, Misses Alberta Smith, Dexta and Cleo King, Mrs. Guy Ralls, Messrs. Oscar Oates, Clyde Grissom, and John W. Pace. It was decided to have a picnic June 20.

Maids and Matrons Club.

Miss Nettie McCollum was hostess to the members of the Maids and Matrons Club at her home Saturday afternoon. The home was decorated with a profusion of red poppies. A most delightful afternoon was spent at bridge. Refreshments o. fresh strawberry ice cream and angel food cake was served to Misses Exa Cahill, Florence and Helen Shook, Laura Lee Langford, Eunice Huckabee, Lucille and Aline Taylor, Bettie Lee Castles, Mary Clifton, Sula Mae Ratliff, Ermine Daugherty, Carrie Sherrill; Mesdames Guy Ralls, Virgil Meadors, Claiborne and John Peer Payne.

Fishing Party.

A jolly crowd went to California creek Thursday fishing. They failed to catch any fish but enjoyed a very delight outing, returning home Friday afternoon. The following went: Mesdames and Messrs. T. A. Pinkerton, Ferris and Tom Morrison, J. P. Payne, Rex DeSpain of Dallas; Misses Helen Shook, Nettie McCollum and Exa Cahill; Mr. Dimmitt Hughes.

Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Carruth and daughter, Nora entertained a few friends with a party Wednesday evening. Snap and other old-fashioned games were enjoyed. Refreshments were served to Misses Rachel Rose, Venita Larned, Nora Darnell, Elsie Mae Oliphant, Nora Oliphant; Mesdames and Messrs. W. E. Larned, T. T. Nokes; Messrs. Ray Oliphant, Alf Bartley, Grant Nokes, Brant Winningham, Bill Darnell, Charlie Beamenis, Sterling Winningham; Mesdames Sallie Halcom, Laverne Nokes, G. Larned.

Backward Party.

Mrs. R. E. Hooker gave a backward party at her home Wednesday afternoon honoring her guest, Miss Stella Harvey of Fort Worth. As this was a backward party the honoree was the hostess, the guests entered the back door and shook hands with their left hands. They were invited into the kitchen and served punch, then into the living room and Mrs. Hooker sang, "Good Night Ladies." Next the guests were asked to interpret wise sayings and otherwise, that were pinned on the walls of the different rooms and written backwards. Mrs. Durett was the fortunate one and was given a stick of candy for her cleverness. Mrs. J. W. Pace rendered some beautiful piano music and on leaving the hostess told the guests she was glad to see them and hoped they would have a good time.

Died In Terrell.

Early in the week the distressing news came to relatives and friends here that Mrs. Alex Edwards, wife of a former Haskell county citizen, had passed away at the Terrell sanitarium Thursday, the 10th, after a lingering illness of several years. Her remains were carried back to the family cemetery in the little town of Tokeen in Runnels county, where they were laid to rest Saturday.

The deceased is survived by a husband and four children, three boys and one girl. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards lived in Haskell for more than 12 years, moving to Runnels county about three years ago. Mrs. Edwards' health had failed while they lived here and the move was made for the benefit of her health.

Haskell Bankers Attend Association.

Alvy R. Couch and Alvy R. Jr. of Weinert, G. R. Couch, G. E. Patterson and R. C. Montgomery of Haskell are attending the State Bankers' Association which convenes in Dallas.

Personals.

Mr. John Baldwin and his daughter, Miss Blanche, of the Baldwin ranch in Stonewall county were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Fields.

Mrs. Leona B. Nolen and little daughter of Abilene visited relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex DeSpain of Dallas are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pinkerton, and other relatives here.

Mrs. C. L. Lewis is visiting relatives in Graham.

Mrs. O. Cole and little daughters of Rule visited Mrs. Earnest.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Earnest and little daughter and Mrs. Henry Wilson of Rule visited friends here Thursday.

Miss Murrell Ellis of Fort Stockton is visiting her grandfather and other relatives here.

Dr. A. Q. Gentry and son, Quitman, returned from a visit to his father in Wise county. While away he attended the State Medical Association in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Brown and children of Abilene are visiting Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Whitmire.

Mrs. C. D. Long is visiting her sons, Buford and Brevard, in Wichita Falls this week.

Mrs. W. E. Tidwell and children visited Mrs. Oliphant last week.

Seymour

Social Items

Federated Clubs Meet.

Mesdames Morris Randal, Joe A. Wheat and Charlie Randal formed the trio of hostesses who entertained the three federated clubs, namely, U. D.'s, Harmony and Pierian, Tuesday afternoon. The hospitality was extended the clubs that all might hear the reports of the delegates who attended the federation at Bowie and music federation at Wichita Falls. The guests were met by the hostesses and refreshed with punch from a table attractively decorated with native wild catclaws with roses intermingled. Mrs. George Knight and Miss Francis Cooper presided. The entire reception suite was pretty with wild flowers, thirty-five different ones being used. In a wild flower contest Mrs. R. R. Kellum won the prize and was presented a bowl of rivier plant. Splendid reports were given from Mesdames T. E. Craddock, O. C. Harrison, Charlie Randal and Joe A. Wheat, after which plans for organizing a county federation were discussed. A committee from each club was appointed to meet with the county demonstrator, Miss Janie Lou Foster, and perfect further plans. One from each club was also appointed to meet with the chamber of commerce to help with the pageant to be held July Fourth. At the close of the afternoon ice cream and angel food cake with wild yellow daisies as plate favors were passed to about fifty guests.

News of Interest.

Mrs. A. C. Goodwin, of Temple, Okla., visited her grandson, W. L. Goodwin.

Mrs. Stanley Hill and little son, of Wichita Falls, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. England, the young son took part in Miss Georgia Lou England's wedding Saturday.

C. J. Lyons and Miss Agnes Blalack, of Wichita Falls, drove over Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Goodwin.

Mrs. Alva Hill was in Benjamin Wednesday with Mrs. Frank Patton.

Mrs. Duce Howsley and Miss Rosalynne Howsley, of Throckmorton, were guests last week-end of Miss Pauline Knox, and attended the senior play.

Mrs. M. R. Fuller and Miss Ethel Williams were in Wichita Falls Sunday afternoon and Monday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tarver left Saturday night for Fort Worth, where they will again consult Dr. Bell in regard to their little daughter, Verle.

Mr. and Mrs. Chloe Shawver and Mrs. Claude Daugherty left Saturday for Dallas at which place Mrs. Shawver will undergo an operation.

Captain and Mrs. E. D. Baccus and two small children, of Breckenridge, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Baccus and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. George.

Messrs. W. H. Francis, Guy Whitesides, W. P. McClarity and Judge Tibbets have returned from Dallas, where they attended the Scottish rite meeting.

Miss Cecilia Cooper has returned to Dallas, at which place she holds a position with the Southern Implement Company.

Expression Recital.

Miss Mattylea Richardson presented her pupils in an egpression recital Tuesday evening. The stage was attractively decorated in wild flowers. Among the appointments of the recital which added to its success was "The Dance of the Garland and Fairies." Mrs. Joe A. Wheat assisted in the entertainment. The pupils were Kathleen Clarke, Irene Seals, Willis Mae Seals, Willie Mae Bryan, Sarah Wheat, Mary Grace Milam, Francis Cooper, Ruth Hinds, Mary Ann Alexander, Margaret Jones, Katie Lee Coy, Willie Mae Adkins, Nadine Lankford, Leola Toons, Chlotilde McMinn, John Lewis Moilliet, Glenn McDaniel and Merle Lamb.

Bridge Party.

Mrs. Buck Wallace gave a very pretty bridge party Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. Grossman. The spacious home was a bower of floral beauty and four tables were arranged for the games. Mrs. Horace K. Jackson won high club score and was presented a pretty ivory wicker basket decorated with tulle and filled with carnations. Miss Ann Hess held high guest score and was given a basket of sweet peas. The attractive little Sue Briggs and Louise Huffman passed the napkins and luncheon cloths, when an ice course was served. Those present included Mesdames Gene Culver, S. S. Knox, G. C. McGowen, A. Power, L. Briggs, Horace K. Langford, H. K. Jackson, John C. Henson, Seth Cockerell, Vernon, Texas, D. B. Daugherty and Misses Hallye Stribling, Anna Hess, Emma Harrell, Lucille Rupe, Lucy Britton, Grace Fancher.

Private Recital.

Mrs. C. E. Rupe presented her pupils in a music recital Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Rupe was assisted by Mrs. Jess Cockerel's violin pupils and a reading by Mrs. O. C. Harrison. Mrs. Rupe and Mrs. Cockerel were very much congratulated on their pupils. The piano pupils were Jeanett Plants, Peggy Moilliet, Elaine Harrison, Olive Jane Rupe, Elizabeth Donehoe, Nicholas Mitchell, Martha Florence Ward; violin pupils were John Veale Wheat, Eldred Andrews, Noah Scott and Harriett Allison.

Baccalaureate Services.

Dr. J. D. Sandefer, president of Simmons College at Abilene, delivered the baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the grade school auditorium. The auditorium was full of interested patrons, parents, boys and girls, and Dr. Sandefer delivered a most eloquent and impressive sermon. The music, under the direction of Mrs. A. Buie was especially good.

Francis Fancher Host.

Francis Fancher was host to a number of his boy and girl friends at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fancher, last Saturday evening. Games furnished diversion for the evening. The young host is soon to leave for his new home at Amarillo. Mrs. Fancher, assisted by Miss Grace Fancher, served an ice course to Misses Margaret Jones, Harriet Allison, Annie Mae Swilling, Francis Buie, Aline Briggs, Inez Harrell, Kate Britton, Francis Cooper, Thelma Dickson, and Shelton Gibbons, John Onstott, Tom Britton, T. J. Crouch, Herman Burchel, Francis Fancher, Temple Dickson, W. T. Humphreys, Ed Robertson, Jeryl Davis.

Senior Play.

The Senior play "Just Plain Mary" was staged at the grade school auditorium last Friday evening. Many say it was the best play ever given here by a senior class. The class is indebted to Mrs. W. A. Baker, principal of the high school, who assisted in all the class activities and the publishing of the high school annual, the "Jack Rabbit."

A number much appreciated was the negro chorus by the juniors. They were trained by Miss Leola Campbell and the voices were particularly suited to such interpretations. The cast of characters for the play were, Misses Rosella Williams, Ruth Farmer, Valerie Buck, Jennie Parks, Gladys Waller, Mildred Ballew, Laitha Owen, Jennie Bowman, Aline Humphries, Georgia Britton, Ruth Melear, Nora Mae Horn, Ethel Cox, Troy Stallings, Clarence Lowry, John T. McLamore, Sam Harvey, Kenneth Brooks, Walter Melear. One hundred and forty-seven dollars was cleared, which will go to the "Jack Rabbit."

Parent and Teachers Meet.

The Parent and Teachers Club met Thursday at the high school. Mrs. R. H. McDavid presided. After the Lord's prayer and a short business session a program was enjoyed. A solo, "A Little Child Shall Lead Them," by Doris Humphreys; "Mother O' Mine," by entire audience, and a most enthusiastic report by the delegate, Mrs. A. Power to "Mother's Congress" at Amarillo. At the close of the program, the new officers came forward, after a few remarks to the club from Mrs. A. Power, the retiring president, in which she expressed her love and interest for the association. The next meeting will be third Tuesday in June at the court house lawn.

Bowie News

Chicken Barbecue.

Last Friday evening Hutchinson's pasture, north of town, was the scene of another picnic which was given in honor of Mrs. Herbert Carter of Globe, Arizona.

The menu consisted of barbecued chicken with all the fixin's.

The party included Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bailey, Miss Vivian Hutchinson, Mrs. Sibyl Corlett, Alvin Baccus, Dee Ball and the honoree.

Club Picnic.

Thursday evening, May 10, the Dramatic Art Club entertained the club husbands and a few friends with a picnic at Hutchinson's pasture.

The party left the Hutchinson home about 7 o'clock and upon arriving at the picnic grounds the lunch was spread under the trees. The menu consisted of sandwiches, salad, potato chips, cheese, salmon croquettes, olives, pickles, iced tea and Mrs. Mangum's famous filled raisin cookies.

The party included: Messrs. and Mesdames Charles Hutchinson, E. R. Mangum, Wilbur Morgan, Louis Ayres, Emmett Archer, Floyd Archer, Scott Avery, David Warren; Misses Carolyn Crisp, Alberta Jameson and Opal Culp and Charles Tune.

Pistol and Rifle Club Organized.

A pistol and rifle club, for the promotion of target practice among civilians, has been organized in Bowie under the recent regulations issued by the war department.

The department furnishes the guns and ammunition. Three hundred rounds is allowed each man and he is given a year in which to use it.

There is an indoor rifle range at the armory and both a pistol and rifle outdoor range.

Anyone can join and practice any time provided there is another with him.

The officers and directors of the local club are: F. [illegible] dent; Dr. E. W. [illegible] dent; Charles Tune, David Warren, treasurer; Avery, member of [illegible]

Alphas E[illegible]

Last Friday evening Sunday school class of Christian Church [illegible] at the home of Mrs. Elliott.

The living room were decorated with [illegible] and woodbine.

After several games guests were entertained program rendered by Texas Christian [illegible] Worth.

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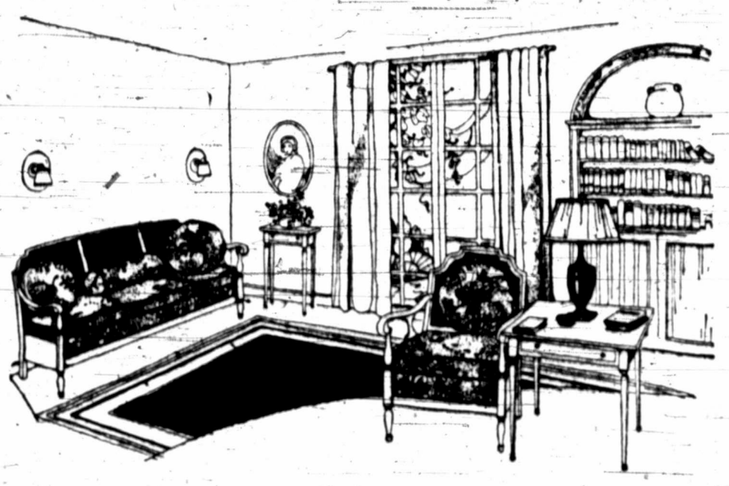

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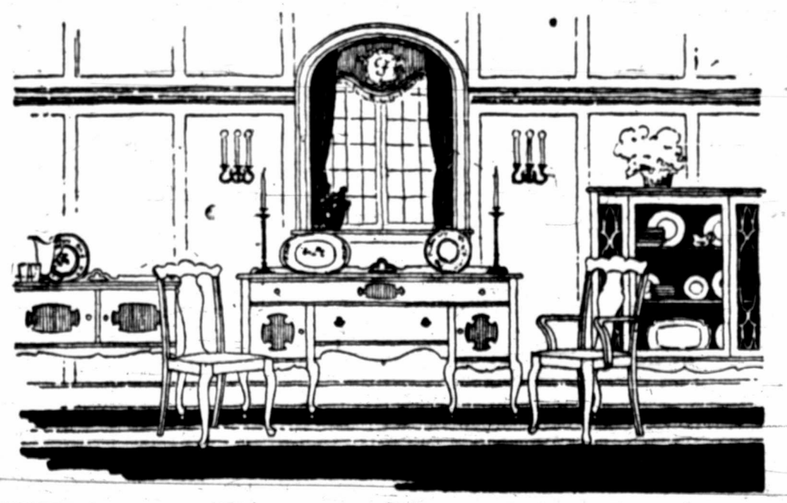

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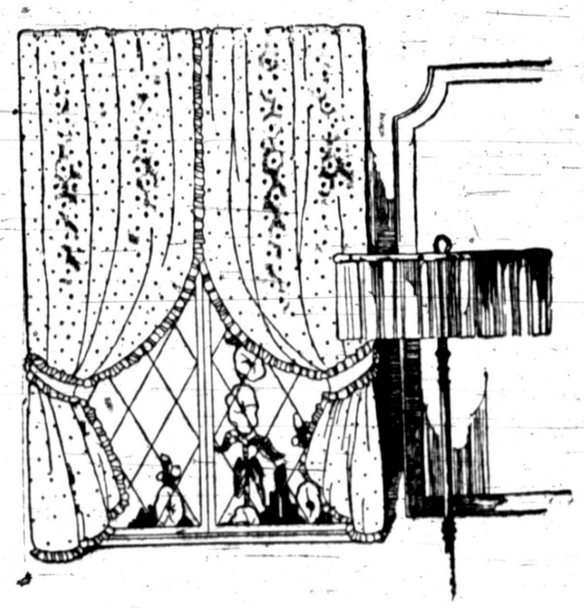

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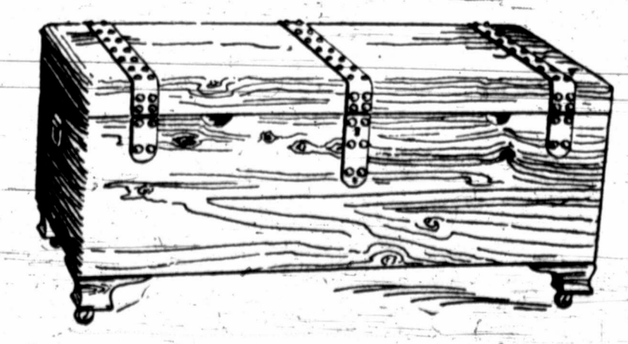

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SOCIETY NEWS FROM THE NEARBY NORTHWEST TEXAS TOWNS

rifle outdoor range at Camp Hiram.

Anyone can join the club and can practice any time he likes, provided there is another member with him.

The officers and directors of the local club are: F. A. Young, president; Dr. E. W. Wright, vice president; Charles Tune, secretary; David Warren, treasurer, and E. S. Avery, member of executive board.

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Alphas Entertain.

Last Friday evening the Alpha Sunday school class of the First Christian Church entertained friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnts Elliott.

The living room and dining room were decorated with roses, poppies and woodbine.

After several games of "42" the guests were entertained by a radio program rendered by pupils of the Texas Christian University, Fort Worth.

Miss Carolyn Crisp gave a reading, after which brick ice cream and wafers in the class colors were served to Misses Elva Strong, Glena Jameson, Carolyn Crisp, Helen Evans, Ruby Black; Messrs. Charles Tune, Frank Moss, Leslie Levy, Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Johnts Elliott and Mrs. V. M. Elliott.

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Mothers' Day Observed.

Mothers' Day was observed Sunday by a union meeting at the First Methodist Church. A carefully prepared program was rendered, the members of the various churches of the city joining to make the service a success.

The services were held under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers' Association and it is in a large measure due to the earnest effort of these ladies that such a successful program was given.

The choir was composed of singers from all the choirs in the city and directed by Miss Ines Rudy, Mrs. Harry Karlsberg the accompanist.

Dr. C. L. Altfather presided, and in his opening talk gave a short history on the origin of the Mothers' Day movement, after which he announced the numbers on the program as follows:

Invocation—Rev. J. D. Allen.
Mixed chorus—Choir.
Vocal solo—Miss Ines Rudy, with the congregation joining in the chorus.
Reading—Miss Carolyn Crisp.
Duet (instrumental) — Mesdames Henry T. Ayres and Emmett Archer.
Vocal solo—Miss Elizabeth Morgan.
Reading (original poem)—Mrs. Hooper of Brownsville.
A Mother's Part in Character Building—Rev. J. W. Cole.
Vocal solo—Mrs. David Warren.
Reading—Miss Nell Williams.

Mayor J. W. Chancellor gave a talk on the meaning of the white carnation, after which he presented bouquets of red carnations and fern to the oldest and youngest mothers present. Mrs. Lindsey was honored as the oldest mother and Mrs. Willis Walroup as the youngest.

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Susanna Class Meeting.

On Wednesday afternoon, May 9, Mesdames Tom Pierce andd T. B. Vastine were joint hostesses to the Susanna Sunday school class of the First Methodist Church at the home of Mrs. Pierce.

After a short business session the guests enjoyed a delightful social hour at which time angel food cake and ice cream was served to about seventeen guests.

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Mrs. Bridges Entertains.

Tuesday evening Mrs. J. W. Bridges entertained several of the girls of the younger set with a 6 o'clock dinner theater and slumber party.

Those present were Misses Estallie Quisenberry, Virginia Cady, Katherine Ayres, Irene Vermillian, Alta Williams, Eva Hahn and Le Nelle Boone.

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Mrs. Cady's Class Entertains.

Tuesday evening one-half of Mrs. R. C. Cady's Sunday school class entertained the other half with a line party at the Majestic theater.

Some weeks ago the class was divided and a contest started.

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The party included Mesdames R. C. Cady, Harry McMillan, W. R. Autenberry, D. C. Overfelt, T. D. Stallings, Sherwood Young, Charles Eastin, E. W. Wright, Misses Madge Smith, Neva Jo Burks, Oma Thompson and Agnes Hughes.

Recital.

Miss Carolyn Crisp presented the members of her expression class, "Students of the Spoken Word," in recital Friday evening at the chamber of commerce. The following was the program:

"Ingomar and Parthenia" (Flower Scene) Katherine Ayres and Jim Tucker.
"When Doctors Agree" (Elene Foster) Nell Williams.
"American Citizenship", (Webster) Fred Moore.
"Their Last Ride Together" (Maclaron) Pearl Overstreet.
"That Old Sweetheart o' Mine" (Riley) Pantomime.
"Toussaint L'Overture" (Phillips) Jim Tucker.
"How Tom Sawyer Whitewashed the Fepce" (Twain) Katherine Ayres.
"Maker of Dreams" (one scene). Pierott—Fred Moore; Pierette—Nell Williams; the manufacturer—Jim Tucker.
"An Abandoned Elopement"—Janice Causey.

North Ward P. T. A.

On Friday afternoon, May 11, as a closing feature of the work of the year the pupils of the different grades of the North Ward gave the Parent-Teachers Association a Mothers' Day and costume program under the supervision of the teachers and the general direction of Mrs. J. H. Blair, who is a member of the program committee.

Though seriously handicapped by the need of an auditorium each number showed careful work on the part of each teacher and the whole program was no exception to all Mrs. Blair's work with the children for she plans not only to entertain but to instruct and build character.

Though the vital work of the P. T. A. cannot in any sense be evidenced by facts and figures the final report of the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. L. B. Winder, gave a summary of the gifts to the school from the P. T. A. and some of the things accomplished.

A gravel walk has been placed on the school grounds, a picture bought and framed for each room, $43 in final payments made on "The World Book" placed in the school library, mud rugs and coat hooks supplied. $30.00 offered in prizes besides seeds and plants given for the encouragement of civic pride in the children, a donation made toward buying the community dishes and silverware. Christmas and P. T. A. birthday anniversary treats given children, substantial assistance given welfare committee in the way of clothing, etc., a welfare social for which the children made the posters and another social meting at which all the children were allowed to enjoy the "eats". This leaves a balance in the treasury of over $10 and a hand painted picture donated by Miss LeNelle Boone, to be given next year for a prize essay. The third grade has led this year in winning the attendance picture from time to time.

Mrs. Harry McMillian and Mrs. L. B. Winder, retiring president and secretary-treasurer, and all committees have rendered invaluable service.

Mrs. John B. Hunt and Miss Pierce have accepted the offices of president and secretary and Mrs. J. A. Speer and Mrs. Fred Young, first and second vice-president. The association looks forward to another year of progress under such leadership.

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Literary Society B. H. S.

Last Friday evening the Lincoln Literary Society, after a few numbers turned the program over to the Latin Club.

The first number, a reading by Edrye Raines, was followed by a solo and encore by Harold Altfather, a prophecy by Hazel Wales and saxaphone and piano accompaniment by Glenn Trout and Maurine Allred. Henry Bradley as Latin Club president made an introductory speech, and Launo Pressley followed with an amusing and expressive club history.

Ruth Hays played "America" on a piano composed of freshmen: Irene Vermillian, Julia Lancaster, Hazel Allred, Fred Holloway and Gale Bradley. Next came a duet, "When a Feller Needs a Friend," by Avis Trotter and Irene Vermillian. The concluding number was a dialogue by Earnest Brown and Henry Bradley.

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Personals.

John B. Hunt left last Monday morning for Caldwell, Texas, where he went to attend the home coming of the ex-students of the Caldwell school, a feature of the home coming to be the dedication of their new $125,000 school building. Mrs. Hunt accompanied him as far as Fort Worth, from there going to Mineral Wells to visit her brother for a week.

Miss Daisy Gowan of Bellevue was a week-end visitor in Bowie last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Shrecengost and little son of Roswell, New Mexico, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Slaughter. The Shrecengosts were enroute to Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Sherwood Young has returned from a month's visit in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Stephenson and Walter Jones spent last Sunday in Saint Jo. They were accompanied home by Miss Wayne Milliken.

Mesdames Paul Donald, Robert Meyer, D. Calaway, John B. Hunt and C. L. Altfather spent last Friday in Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McNeil and Prentis McNeil of Bellevue attended the Mother's Day program at the Methodist church Sunday.

Mrs. Yates and little grandson, of Comanche, Okla., are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Louis Ayres.

Miss Opal McDanjel of Fort Worth spent last Sunday in Bowie.

A golden eagle has been timed and has been found to fly at the rate of more than a mile a minute.

Mountain peaks 1630 feet high have been discovered under the sea 100 miles off the California coast.

Ninety-one periodicals are published by the Salvation Army in 48 languages.

The nightingale's song may be heard at a distance of a mile on a calm night.

Henrietta

Late Social News

Personals

Mrs. Fred Squires, Miss Anne Alma Squires and Mr. Bill Squires have returned to their home in Dallas after a visit with friends here.

Miss Gladys Wright of Bellevue has been the guest of her cousin, Miss Bula Mae Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith and children of Wichita Falls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ikard Sunday.

Messrs. Bryant and Kirk Edwards who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Lucian Parrish in Washington, D. C., are expected home in a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Ferriss have returned from Fort Worth.

Miss Mabel Edwards visited her sisters, Mesdames Fred Cummings and Carl Kerbow, in Electra, this week.

Miss Lois Wantland is the guest of Misses Annie Alma Squires and Estelle Barber in Dallas.

Miss Margaret Barry, who attended high school here this year, has returned to her home in Dallas.

Mrs. Elizabeth Irwin of Wichita Falls was the guest of Mrs. P. H. Boddy this week.

Miss Orleta Payne, expression teacher in the Henrietta high school, left Saturday for her home in Celeste.

Mrs. E. A. Graves has returned from Dallas.

Mrs. Finley Weldon of Wichita Falls was here Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Brown Hopkins of Wichita Falls visited here this week.

Mrs. Henrietta Welch has gone to Kansas City to attend the Southern Baptist convention.

Mrs. J. N. Self of Crowell visited her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Pelton, last week.

Mrs. J. G. Thompson of Chickasha, Okla., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Carter.

Miss Mamie Walker has returned to Denton to resume her duties as teacher at C. I. A.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Alexander announce the birth of a son May 16. He has been named Thomas Jackson.

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Shower for Bride-elect

Prominent among the many social courtesies extended Miss Bula Mae Cook, whose wedding will take place May 31, was a miscellaneous shower given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Arthur Eaton. The living suite was lovely in its array of spring roses. At the end of the living room a large archway had been constructed of roses and ferns. In the center was a large red heart from which emerged a small cupid in the person of little Evelyn Taylor, who very gracefully presented the honoree with a package. Previous to this a flower contest was given and the two lucky ones, Mesdames Louis Ikard and J. O. Gilliland, were accorded the honor of assisting the honoree in opening the packages containing the many lovely gifts.

The punch bowl was presided over by Miss Mary Cook. Dainty refreshments were served.

Mesdames F. F. Green and Elmer Eaton assisted the hostess. The guests included Misses Cora Neville, Dorothy Bear, Jimmay Norman, Sybil Holaday, Lu May McGlasson, Orleta Payne, Neelie Bates, Winnie Rice, Overby, Gladys Wright of Bellevue, Killilan, Mildred Jasper, Rita Burleson, Lydia Cook, Roberson, Mabel Edwards, Belle D. Jones, Bennie McGlasson, Inez Pellerin, Lula Johnson, Mary Cook, Vera Cook, Bula Bradley, Ida Hassell, Annie Alma Squires of Dallas, Minnie Brown; Mesdames R. J. Brown, J. Wayne Barker, Carl Barker, Willie Smith, Sina Royer, Pope, Vessie Maxwell, T. M. Gates, John Gates, Glenn Younger, John Firestone, Harry Myers of Jolly, Walter Graves of Byers, Cedric O. Taylor, Alvis Fuller, Lon Kelley, Dunn, Twilla Washburn, A. B. Staggs, Carl Green, J. O. Gilliland, F. O. Moore, Louis Ikard, M. M. Alexander, J. S. Dickey, Albert Greer, C. K. Brown, B. P. Schwend, P. H. Neville, W. H. Younger, Mae Puckett, Goodman, A. H. Bevering, Homer Hamm, W. L. Mount, Claude McKinney, A. B. Edwards, Lee Hamm, M. B. Powell, W. H. Cook, S. M. Brightwell of Wichita Falls, Louis Kerr, Will Neville, Frank Cook.

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Unity Club

The Unity Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Carl Worsham. The French Dramatist Bieux was the topic for study and Mrs. Carl Worsham was leader.

Those on the program were Mesdames G. A. Atwell, P. H. Boddy, Lon Kelly and Carl Worsham.

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Recital

Tuesday evening at the high school auditorium, Mrs. Vessie Maxwell and Miss Orleta Payne presented music and expression pupils in recital. Those on the program were Allene King, Naoma Townley, Mabel Christian, Veta Cathrine Hopkins, Carrie Jeanette Fortenberry, Mina Franke, Rose Bramer, Cathrine Walker, Mandelle Gentry, Viola Grace Doern, Stella Gay Morgan, Elsie Allgood, Robert Van Houten, Clyde Sandifer, Norman Olsen, John Firestone, O. T. Liles Jr. and Charlie Ingram.

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Senior Class Play

The senior class of the Henrietta High School gave their play, "Patty Makes Things Hum" Wednesday evening at the high school auditorium. Those taking part were: Harold Younger, Pierre Stine, Harry Olsen, Nell Brown, Anthony Grinke, Mildred Scudder, Mildred Clarihew, Catherine Carron, Ethel Campbell and Sevila Washburn. The boys quartette composed of Anton Mabry, Tommie Easley, Jack and Hassell, gave several selections between acts.

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Tuesday Evening Club

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bramer will entertain the Tuesday Evening Club this week.

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Thursday Bridge Club

Mrs. A. B. Edwards entertained the Thursday Bridge Club this week. Decorations of roses and scarlet poppies were used. Mrs. F. O. Moore made high score, Mrs. W. H. Myers won most games and each received a boudoir cap. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Luther Kelly of Dublin, in serving a two course luncheon to Mesdames P. H. Neville, B. P. Schwend, J. O. Gilliland, Cedric O. Taylor, W. H. Myers, Alvis Fuller, A. B. Staggs, E. C. Carter, R. J. Brown, Carl Barker, W. L. Mount, Luther Kelly, Carl Green, Mary Meehan, F. O. Moore and Miss Lu May McGlasson.

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Nurse Stacey's Suggestions to Middle Aged Women

MRS. H. STACEY
COLLINSVILLE, ILLINOIS

AMOST trying period of a woman's life is that of middle age, fraught with danger to some extent, and invariably with most annoying symptoms, such as hot-flashes, smothering spells, nervous troubles, irregularities and fainting spells.

When a woman like Nurse Stacey after many years of caring for the sick writes a letter of praise for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound like the following, it should influence other women who are passing through the Change of Life to try it.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a root and herb medicine especially adapted to act upon the feminine system. It helps nature to build up the weakened, nervous system, and enables women to pass this trying period with the least possible annoying symptoms.

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POPULAR STARS IN "QUICKSANDS" COMING TO THE EMPRESS

Richard Dix and Helene Chadwick Appear Opposite in Ideal Screen Production at Empress Wednesday

Admirers of Richard Dix will share his enthusiasm for the role he plays in "Quicksands," the Howard Hawks picture which comes to the Empress Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Besides the popular leading man, the cast is further enhanced by Helene Chadwick, Alan Hale, Noah Beery, J. Farrell McDonald, George Cooper, Walter Long, Edwin Stevens, Frank Campeau, Jean Hersholt, Dick Sutherland and others equally distinguished for strong acting.

In many pictures Richard Dix and Helene Chadwick have been cast to play opposite roles. So often indeed that they are looked upon as one of the ideal screen combinations. Their youth, contrasting types and their skill in portraying emotion and, best of all, their ability to make any situation or picture interesting—these qualifications have everything to do with the popularity now theirs. But to get back to the part played by Richard Dix in the new picture.

He is first lieutenant of a military post near the Mexican border and is in love with the right girl. On one of his visits of inspection to a "cantina" across the boundary in Mexico—a resort frequented by drug smugglers—he sees a Mexican belle mingling with the sinister crowd and is struck by her beauty and her curious resemblance to the girl who has promised to marry him.

In time he penetrates her disguise and learns that the girl masquerading as one of the evildoers is really his sweetheart. He cannot forgive the deception. She is aiding the nefarious traffic, he thinks, and so gives her up and resigns his commission, that he may go away and forget.

But when the girl, now in a desperate plight because of her discovery as an American spy by the Mexicans, telegraphs the post for aid, he cannot remain indifferent to her need for him. And so he goes to the cantina.

Subsequent events in that hotbed of vice and villainy test his physical courage to the utmost. The lieutenant plunges into a series of adventures among the most absorbing and heroic ever seen on the screen. Richard Dix's acting makes them real rather than part of a carefully planned scenario and at all times he makes you feel what the character must undergo when in the midst of experiences calculated to test the endurance of any man.

'A Blind Bargain' Coming Tuesday To Gem Theater

Two hundred barrels of soap—enough to wash an entire army, according to an ex-officer.

A metal sieve twenty by forty feet—large enough to strain the Styx.

Hundreds of feet of pipe, filled with steam.

Gallons of water.

Sounds like the specifications for a nation's general laundry, doesn't it? But, strange, to relate, these are just some of the unusual things listed by the Goldwyn art department for the biggest spectacle picture that studio has made this year.

Added to this, went gallons of gold and silver paint, a treasure ship full of silks and satins, pearls and plumes; dozens of lovely maidens. It would be romantic to say many rays of moonlight, so for truth's sake it must be recorded instead—enough spot lights to illuminate the Great White Way.

"A Blind Bargain," directed by Wallace Worsley, with Lon Chaney, Jacqueline Logan and Raymond McKee in the leading roles, accomplished all this splendor. The picture will be the attraction at the Gem theater Tuesday. The story itself is one of the strangest ever filmed. The director states he knows of no other motion picture based on the situation around which "A Blind Bargain" was written. It gives Lon Chaney, that most singular of all screen actors, the biggest role of his career, and the most difficult.

The scene marks the announcing of the engagement between Jacqueline Logan and Raymond McKee, and was filmed in a pavilion especially built for it. The vast dome is supported by gold pillars; the orchestra is housed in a balcony built of slender gold and silver standards, under which lie a miniature lake banked with ferns and flowers. Eight of the most beautiful children in movieland, specially selected to act as tiny cupids, float out upon the lake in a fragile gondola. The engagement ring is sent from the bow of the tiniest cupid.

The feature of the scene is a bevy of dancing girls from the Ernest Belcher School, clad in costumes that might have walked out of one of the famous Erte's illustrations (and actually made in part of inner tubes!) They weave in and out of a great mass of gleaming bubbles that constantly pour upon them, until they are obscured in the foam. The entire scene also is filled with myriads of floating bubbles, that seem to waft in from every angle of the pavilion.

Rehearsals for this scene occupied a week. The filming of the final performance lasted from seven o'clock at night until seven o'clock the next morning, while every department in the studio contributed workers.

Somebody has said "an author writes four lines and five hundred people work seventy-eight hours"—which applies to this picture very fitly. The scene, as shown in the photoplay, is but a few minutes on the screen. Yet it cost a small fortune, weeks of planning and days of manual labor.

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Big Gold Theft Feature of An Exciting Film

Lives there a man with soul so dead who never has thrilled to the melodrama of a finely produced crook photoplay? Is there a picture lover in Wichita Falls who, after seeing Alice Brady in "Missing Millions," a new Paramount picture which will be shown at the Empress Monday and Tuesday, will venture the opinion that crook films have no appeal? Not when such a star and such a picture are presented, we confidently predict.

Here's some of the story:

Mary Dawson, the heroine, is a crook and the daughter of a reformed burglar. Every time she makes a haul, however, her kind heart gets the better of her. She gives back the loot, be it diamonds or bullion cubes. Jim Cantwell, double crossing financier, becomes mixed up in Mary's affairs. She steals his wife's diamonds with the aid of her sweetheart, Boston Blackie. The same night her father, returning from the farm, is arrested by mistake for an attack on Cantwell. Mary promises to return the diamond if her father is released. Cantwell gets the diamond, but sends Dawson to prison. In revenge Mary plans to steal the bullion cubes which England is sending Cantwell to save him from financial ruin.

The trusting purser falls in love with Mary, which permits her to get impressions of the strong room keys. This permits a cleanup. But the purser gets the third degree. Mary gives away twenty-four thousand, all that remains in the dime savings bank, to her avaricious pals. She returns the gold—but what follows the picture reveals.

David Powell is leading man and Frank Losee is seen as Cantwell. Others in the cast are Riley Hatch, John B. Cooke, William B. Mack, Alice May, Cooper Cliffe, Sidney Dean, Beverly Travers and Sidney Herbert.

New Testament was divided into verses by Robert Stevens, a printer, in 1551.

EMPRESS FEATURE FOR WEDNESDAY

Helene Chadwick and Richard Dix in "Quicksands"

GEM ATTRACTION ON TUESDAY

Raymond McKee and Jacqueline Logan in "A BLIND BARGAIN"
A Goldwyn Picture

Fitzwater Speaks

QUITMAN, TEXAS, May 19.—W. W. Fitzwater, national president of the farm labor union, addressed more than 500 Wood county farmers here recently. He also spoke at Peach, this county. Officials of the organization report more than 3,000 members in this county.

First typewriter was produced in 1867 by Christopher L. Sholes of Milwaukee.

Although it has a huge tongue, the whale has very little sense of taste.

Flies live as long as five years.

"Rustle of Silk" Is Attraction at Olympic Monday

The following review was clipped from the May 19 issue of "The Moving Picture World" and gives the reader an idea of the treat in store for those who see this picture at the Olympic Theater Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday:

Romantically and materially, "The Rustle of Silk" abounds in audience appeal. It is the type of picture which has proved widely satisfactory and has been well acted and directed.

Betty Compson heads a cast of popular and accomplished players. Conway Tearle is brilliantly cast as an English parliamentary leader, Anna Q. Nilsson is exceptionally interesting in a rather unsympathetic part and Cyril Chadwick satisfies in his performance of the treacherous political opponent. The star is appealing in a Cinderella role. Close-ups do her beauty full justice, and the simplicity of her clothes is a good point because her natural charm is accentuated by this. Anna Q. Nilsson gets first honors as to wardobe. Her clothes are distinctive and most becoming.

Cosmo Hamilton's story has several angles of popular interest. Aside from the romance of the lady's maid who falls in love with a public hero, there is an intensely human note in regard to the bill for the soldiers' bonus. This is done with just enough emphasis to add character to the picture. The affair between Lady Fallory and Chalfont, too, is handled discreetly, rising to a strong point when Lady Fallory rallies to her husband's side. The ending is not the usual romantic one, but makes the story more effective for this reason. Trite, sentimental sub-titles weaken some of the dramatic moments, particularly at the close.

There is a richness in the shading of the scenes that makes it all very pleasing to look at. A shot of one of the parliament buildings on a rainy night is an effective moment, and there are several touches that show an appreciation of the romantic and beautiful. One of the novel interiors shows a Chauve-Souris entertainment. Herbert Brenon, aided by a good adaptation, has made a popular type of attraction from the Hamilton novel.

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EMPRESS STARTING ON MONDAY

Alice Brady and David Powell in a Scene from the Paramount Picture "Missing Millions"

OLYMPIC THEATRE MONDAY TO WEDNESDAY

Betty Compson, Conway Tearle and Anna Q. Nilsson in the Paramount Picture "The Rustle of Silk"

New Woman and Age-Old Love Is Theme of Unusually Interesting Picture at Olympic on Thursday

Modern marriage—the marriage of a twentieth century woman with a career ahead of her—is the theme of Thomas H. Ince's latest production, "What a Wife Learned."

Dealing with sympathetic understanding and liberal spirit with a problem that has been arresting the attention of educators, clergymen, judges and social workers no less than the apprehensions of men and women who believe that modern marriage is incompatible with a career, Ince has produced a picture that promises to cause excited discussion in every community where it is shown.

Something of the complex character of life today is reflected in every episode of the play. The twentieth century marriage, fraught with a multiplicity of social and economic phases that must be met, and met resolutely, is not the pastoral romance it once was. For the twentieth century woman has "arrived." She has taken her place in the world of affairs. She has come out of her obscurity into the world of business, the world of achievement, in which she is forging her way and making a name for herself in science and art and letters.

The word "Change" is written over the portals of the New World. "Ye who enter here must grow," runs an ancient proverb. It is woman's intellectual growth that brings the modern world face to face with the problem of modern matrimony.

The question, "Is marriage a failure?" has been superseded by the question, "Is marriage incompatible with a career?" Talented men and women have been answering the question by demonstrating that achievements of genius can go hand in hand with matrimony; that neither a woman nor a man need sacrifice a career and success. But where one such marriage has been successful, a thousand have failed. Incompatibility. It is this indefinable something that has wrecked too many marriages on the rock of misunderstanding. How best can the modern man and woman ready to marry avoid a similar fate? It is this big question with which Thomas H. Ince has dealt in "What a Wife Learned" an absorbing interpretation of the ideal modern marriage. The picture will be shown at the Olympic theater on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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'DOWN TO THE SEA IN SHIPS,' STRAND STARTING WEDNESDAY

Thrills Unusual In Pictures Are Seen in Masterful Production of Whaling on New England's Coast

Few motion pictures that have ever found their way to successful completion have been attempted on the scale with which the Whaling Film Corporation has produced "Down to the Sea in Ships," the Hodkinson super-special which comes to the Strand Wednesday for the remainder of the week. Formed by a group of the leading business men of New Bedford, Mass., this corporation set about to perpetuate for all time, through the medium of the screen, the wealth of tradition that surrounds the whaling industry of that New England city. It was their purpose to picture the smallest detail, the thrills, the romance and the hardships experienced by New Bedford whalesmen who have gone "down to the sea in ships" in pursuit of the biggest game the world provides.

The outstanding fact in conjunction with the filming of this picture, which serves to make it unique in its field, is that it is one of the few productions in the history of motion pictures that has for its locale the tempestuous waters of the high seas, and the principal character in this breath-taking drama of the Atlantic is a ninety-ton whale. Nature has provided not only a background utterly impossible to imitate through any trick of photography, but it places in this setting an enraged leviathan of the deep, stung to fury by a deeply embedded harpoon.

The great moment in "Down to the Sea in Ships" comes when the whale, realizing the futility of escape, turns on his captors, sweeps one side of he boat, leaving but the stumps of the broken oars in the hands of the fear-stricken crew. The harpoon is still embedded deeply in the back of the whale and in one last effort to rid itself of the life-taking iron, the giant mammal of the deep swims off to a distance of several hundred feet, turns, hesitates an instant, then charges the boat with the speed and force of the fastest express. It is only a matter of seconds until the whale has hit the boat square in the middle, smashing it to bits and tossing its crew into the air. Sharks are plainly seen ready to strike the instant any of the crew touch the water.

Back of all this action, however, is one of the most appealing love stories on the screen. Raymond McKee, in the part of a young engineer, returns to the scene of his childhood and finds Marguerite Courtot, his playmate of earlier days, grown to charming young womanhood. The decree of a stern father, owner of a whaling fluet, forbids his daughter's marriage to anyone but a whaleman who has sunk his harpoon into a whale. To answer this requirement, from which there was no appeal, McKee sets out to sign up as a whaleman, but before he has put his name to the articles he is shanghaied and carried to sea against his will, under as cruel a mate as ever walked the deck.

A mutiny gives the green hand his chance and McKee, in the bow of a long boat, amid a school of whales plainly discernible on the screen, sinks his iron to the shank into his prey.

At this point, there begins one of the most hair-raising scenes ever recorded by a motion picture machine. Tearing at express speed straight for the broad Atlantic, the whale sets off in a dash for freedom. There have been many hair-breath escapes to add thrills to motion pictures, but in practically all of them there have been due precautions taken to guard against accidents, but in "Down to the Sea in Ships" McKee and his boatmen face a situation beside which the stunts of the average screen dare devil fall into significance.

Utterly beyond the reach of the mother boat, and 3,000 miles of deep water before them, their only course is to stick to the boat until the efforts of their capture cease. Subsequently, two other boats are able to attach lines to the leading whale-boat and for hours the whale tows a weight estimated at 6,000 pounds through the water at a speed almost inconceivable.

This entire action takes place before the eyes of the astounded audience. Every foot of it rings with the dangers of the sea and is permeated with the tang of salt air. There is nothing posed or forced or stagey from the time the action starts until, utterly exhausted and unable to free himself from the harpoon, the whale comes to the surface and gives up the fight. It is realism raised to a degree that has heretofore been undreamed of in screen productions. It is the kind of picture that took eight weeks of constant cruising in whaling area of the Caribbean sea before a catch was made. It is the kind of picture that probably will never be made again, not only because of the enormous dangers attending it, but because of the thousand and one difficulties that beset the director and his assistant from the very outset of the cruise.

The mechanics of photography alone appeared at first to be insurmountable and at times, it seemed as though the special gyroscopic camera mountings would be utterly incapable of withstanding the terrific strain put upon them in the efforts of the cameramen to shoot every foot of the sanguinary battle being waged within a few feet of their own boat.

"Down to the Sea in Ships" would not have been possible to produce in its present state had it not been for the cooperation accorded the producer by the townspeople of New Bedford. Mr. Clifton had at the very outset the wholehearted cooperation of the Dartmouth Historical Society and as a consequence he was able to count upon the efforts of every man, woman and child in New Bedford in his endeavor to present a true picture of the whaling city and its curious customs. The whaling bark on which most of the action takes place is still the pride of the New Bedford fleet. Every foot of action on board, the stripping of the blubber, the trying out of the oil, and every step in the maneuvering of the whaler in approaching the school of whales, was guided by whalemen who have grown gray in one of the most daring pursuits known to America's merchant marine.

The captain, for instance, is one of the old school of New Bedford whalers, and once fought his way, alone, over 1,000 miles of ice pack to secure assistance for a helpless crew caught in the frozen wilds north of the Arctic circle.

In the handling of the story, the scenario of which was written by John L. E. Pell of Great Barrington, Mass., Mr. Clifton has revealed an ingenuity that departs sharply from the traditional use of motion picture material. He has never lost sight of the first requirement of a screen production, that it shall be above all things, entertaining, and the thread of the love story that begins under the ancient yardarm in New Bedford harbor is never for an instant broken even in the tempestuous waters of mid-Atlantic. In fact, "Down to the Sea in Ships" would still be a great picture without the hair-raising series of events which beset the ship and her crew a few hours after New Bedford light disappeared beyond the horizon.

It is so utterly different from what we have come to view as motion picture entertainment that comparison with great successes in the past would be futile. It is unlike any other picture that has ever been screened because never before have the forces of nature been pressed into service so successfully to produce effects wholly beyond the direction of any control that human ingenuity could devise.

PICTURE REVIVES ROMANCE OF WHALING DAYS

Top center: Whaling crew attacked by wounded monster, just before being capsized. (Note tail of whale under boat.) Left: Attacking party rescued by shipmates after small boat is smashed to splinters. Right: Ready to hurl the harpoon.

The Screen

Gem

Monday: House Peters in "The Storm."

Tuesday: Lon Chaney in "A Blind Bargain."

Wednesday: Franklyn Farnum in "The Man Getter."

Thursday: William Fairbanks in "Peaceful Peter."

Friday: Extra special production, "The Flirt"; also Will Rogers comedy.

Saturday: Richard Talmadge in "Lucky Dan."

Majestic

Monday and Tuesday: Gloria Swanson in "My American Wife."

Wednesday and Thursday: "The Great Patrol" with Herbert Rawlinson.

Friday and Saturday: Hoot Gibson in "Dead Game," and "Timber Queen."

Olympic

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: Betty Compson, Conway Tearle, Anna Q. Nilsson in "The Rustle of Silk."

Thursday, Friday, Saturday: Milton Sills, Marguerite de LaMotte and John Bowers in "What a Wife Learned."

Strand

Monday and Tuesday: Colleen Moore and Antonio Moreno in "Look Your Best."

Wednesday to Saturday: "Down to the Sea in Ships."

Gold cannot rust.

'Look Your Best' New Hughes Film Comes to Strand

Rupert Hughes, Goldwyn author-director, in his new photoplay, "Look Your Best," which comes to the Strand Monday and Tuesday, has reverted from middle western towns to New York City, mainly, for the locale of his new picture. It is not a story of the Irish either, as was his "Hold Your Horses," "From the Ground Up" and "Come On Over." The principal characters are all Italian-Americans. The story is a comedy-drama of small time vaudeville life. It begins in New York, shifts to the small towns covered by the vaudeville tour and comes back to the Metropolitan Opera House in New York.

Mr. Hughes has blended much comedy in the story of pretty Perla Quaranta, daughter of an Italian organ grinder, who is given a vaudeville engagement with Carlo Bruni's "butterfly dance act" when one of the girls becomes so fat that the wire which supports her in the air is likely to break. John Krug, Bruni's stage mechanic and wire man, discovered Perla and took a proprietary interest in her, expecting an amorous reward. But Perla did not welcome his advances and Krug plotted against her—he plotted to get her put on more avoirdupois than a butterfly girl should have—Perla was simply devoted to food—and then have a supporting wire break. But Bruni, himself in love with Perla, discovered Krug's treachery and the fight which ensued landed both in jail. But upon Bruni's release, Perla married him and their career lead them to the Metropolitan Opera House, but always they had to eschew the food and the sweets they loved for the sake of their art.

Goldwyn gave the director an excellent cast with Colleen Moore and Antonio Moreno in the leading roles of Perla and Bruni. Earl Metcalf was especially engaged for the part of Krug. Other players are William Oriamond, Orpha Alba, Martha Mattox and Francis McDenald. Norbert Brodin was the cameraman and Cedric Gibbons the art director. The picture holds a universal appeal—an appeal to which women particularly will respond.

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Morale of the Average American Home Is State of Jazz, Says Committee's Report on Sabbath

MONTREAT, N. C., May 19.—"The morale of the average American home is in a state of jazz. With jazz music, jazz amusements, jazz reading, jazz conversation, jazz ornaments, jazz dress, how can sanity, sobriety and dependability be expected in the world when homes keep pouring such poisoned streams into it?"

This statement with its accompanying question, is the climax of a report of the permanent committee on the Sabbath and family religion before the 63rd general assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church in session here today.

Asserting that the Christian home is the "greatest thing on earth, greater than a city, greater than a state, greater than a nation," the report makes extensive recommendations for improving the alleged condition, giving "Jesus Christ as the only hope." The document was referred to a standing committee.

Referring to causes which go toward breaking up the homes, the report says:

"In the state covered by our church there were 342,618 marriages and 34,352 divorces in one year, or almost exactly one divorce for every 10 marriages. West Virginia is the only state in our territory showing a decrease in a 10 year period. In Texas the proportion of divorces to marriages is about one to seven."

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WASHINGTON, May 19.—Leasing of the Dodge City and Cimarron Valley railroad in Kansas by the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe was approved by the interstate commerce commission. The stock of the Dodge City line is owned by the Santa Fe but the present lease covering its operation expires June 30. Today's decision authorizes continued operation as a part of the Santa Fe system.

Says This Section Lost $100,000 Last Year By Not Raising Eggs Without Hatch Spots—Urges Remedy

Farmers of northwest Texas lost more than $100,000 last summer and egg-consumers of northwest Texas paid that amount to Nebraska poultrymen for cold storage eggs, according to data obtained by M. B. Oates, agricultural agent of the Fort Worth & Denver.

The failure of poultry raisers in this section to "swat the rooster" and obtain infertile eggs caused 30 carloads of Nebraska cold storage eggs to be shipped to Wichita Falls, for distribution throughout this section, Mr. Oates learned.

"There are 400 cases of eggs to a car and eggs were bringing around $9 a case," Mr. Oates said, "that figures $3,600 a car, or $108,000 for the 30 cars. That much money went to Nebraska farmers when it could just as well have been paid to, and spent by, northwest Texas farmers.

"The chief cause of low priced eggs in summer is the hatch spot in the fertile egg. Another cause is heat, another staleness and last unscrupulous sellers of eggs purposely putting bad or heated eggs on the market.

"The remedy is to produce infertile eggs, gather them daily, keep them in a cool place to prevent heat damage, and sell them once or twice a week to prevent them from getting stale. These simple practices greatly increase poultry profits in summer; first by bringing a premium per dozen, second by permitting the sale of all eggs produced.

"Eggs are delicate and fragile. They were never intended by nature for marketing as an article of food. They were designed for natural incubation. The sooner the farmer gets this fact the sooner he will improve the quality of eggs. An egg begins to deteriorate in quality as soon as it is laid. A freshly laid egg is full. As soon as the animal heat leaves it, it shrinks. The longer it is kept on hand the more it shrinks. Shrunken eggs bring less per dozen. Heat or dry air blowing on eggs causes rapid shrinkage. Keep them in a cool place. Heat also causes the whites to become watery and weak. The egg man calls these weak or heated eggs. In such condition the yolk sack often breaks then we have an "addled" egg and the "mixed rot" results. All these things result from heat and staleness and help keep summer egg prices down.

"Egg buyers tell me that folks sell eggs that fail to hatch in the incubator. That practice doesn't help the farmers egg market one bit. Then some are just naturally careless. They permit the children to gather eggs who may by mistake get eggs from a setting hen's nest or they may discover a nest full of old eggs. If one intentionally puts in stale eggs or bad eggs he loses instead of gaining. A few folks getting by either intentionally or unintentionally hurts the egg market and the person getting by has to take a lower price later on because these few eggs reduce the price of a whole case and a little later the price offered is lowered enough to take care of this loss. Poor quality stuff is hard to sell. Good, fresh, full, infertile eggs are always in demand and will always sell for a fair price.

"Fertile eggs are no good in summer. They will not keep until they reach the consumer. It looks like we are going to have to produce better eggs before we can expect a better price. It looks like egg producers will have to quit 'passing the buck' to the produce man and get busy themselves producing and marketing eggs that there is a demand for. We have waited 1922 years to start. Let's do something in 1923."

BRYAN IS UNABLE TO ADDRESS PRESBYTERIANS

FAIRFIELD, ILL., May 19.—William Jennings Bryan today advised the general assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, in session here, that he would be unable to accept its invitation to address the judicatory.

The Rev. Hugh S. McCord of Marshall, Mo., retiring moderator, in an address, paid a tribute to the women's board of missions, asserting there was a broader field for women's endeavor since the enfranchisement of women. There was no session of the assembly this afternoon and there will be no sessions tomorrow. The visiting ministers will occupy local pulpits.

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—Boston Globe

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—Detroit News

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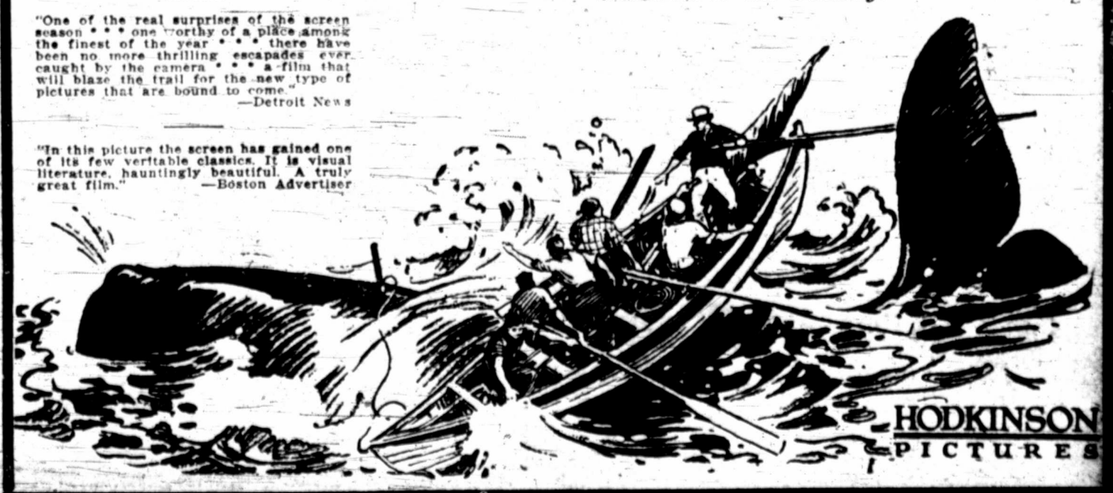

EXPERT SAYS U. S. TAKES WRONG COURSE WITH THE CHINESE

MEAN WELL BUT MAKE MISTAKES MAKE POLITICIANS NOT WORKERS OFFERS A PLAN TO CORRECT EVIL

Crimes of Brigands Probably the Work of Hungry Soldiers Disbanded but With No Provisions Made to Return to their Homes—Should Devise an Educational Degree Which Will Require Credits From Industrial and Other Practical Knowledge and Which Will Fit Young Chinese to Take Park in Reconstruction of Their Nation Along Modern Lines.

NEW YORK, May 19.—"Defense of a train robbery and a kidnaping, of course, would be impossible," said the most competent expert I know on Chinese affairs, governmental, economic and psychological. "But the wave of indignation which swept the American press was puzzling, since what the bandits did might have been worked from instructions formulated out of almost any American newspaper's ordinary reports of happenings in the United States. It was a robbery performed in the best manner of the civilized."

Dr. Robert M. McElroy, managing director of the China society, widely known in and widely knowing, for long resident in China, one of the great proponents of military preparedness in the United States, chief of the historical faculty in Princeton University and biographer of Grover Cleveland was the speaker.

"A student of affairs inclined to pessimism," he continued, "might read about street bandits in New York York, Ku Klux bandits in the south, reparations and anti-reparations bandits in Germany, oil bandits in the near east, boot-legging bandits anywhere in the United States and say of the Chinese, if of a thoughtful disposition:

"'They seem to be progressing toward attainment of the modern standard.'

"Only the fact that there was really so little violence, that the malefactors missed the glorious (for a bandit) opportunity of holding a relative of the world's oil millions for a handsome ransom, would tend to belie his judgment, indicating that the Chinese have not yet arrived at civilized standards of efficiency in crime.

"Of course, I have no feeling other than regret over the unfortunate episode of the Chinese train robbery. But it is manifestly unfair to judge any nation by what it is trying to get away from rather than by what it is seeking to attain.

"For the really characteristic, vital things of China, newspapers of the United Sttaes find it difficult to spare space, the thinkers of America cannot find time; but when the wires bring news of abnormalities there is space in abundance and indignant thought to the exclusion of the contemplation of our own offenses against law, order and civilization.

"If the newspapers of any foreign country siezed on any twenty lynchings in this country any year reporting them as if they were generally indicative of American public intent, and neglecting utterly the procedure of the American mass, when properly lead in their endeavor to solve constructive problems, we should regard as an unfriendly act.

China Has No Monopoly of Brigands

"That there are brigands in plenty in China is a melancholy fact; but there are brigands, hold-up men, train robbers, burglars, embezzlers, profiteers and all the other wicked persons elsewhere, too. There would be brigands in any country faced with such economic woes as confront the Chinese people while they are endeavoring in a decade to make the changes which in western lands have occupied the attention and the time of the best men available for one hundred, two hundred or three hundred years. The brigandage of the east differs from the amateurish efforts of the East principally in that it is efficiently organized and often carefully legalized.

"There is a Chinese proverb that says: 'When we see men of worth, we should think of equalling them; when we see men of the contrary character we should turn inwards and examine ourselves.'

"It is a searching saying, and a good one for Americans to call to mind when they are thinking about China at the present time.

"We shall be missing the vital meaning of the present crisis in China if we do not turn our contemplation inward and inquire if we have fully met our obligations with reference to China's gigantic struggle to bridge in a generation the chasm which yawns between midiaevalism and organized modern democracy.

"For over a decade it has been our chosen privilege and therefore our accepted duty to train annually between two and three thousand Chinese in this country. And for over a decade we have been content to allow these young men, for whose education we have accepted the responsibility and claim much credit, to return to China with a training poorly calculated to fit them for leadership in a nation which needs above all things practical knowledge of the commerce and industry of modern times. With men trained to introduce great factors and industries, engineering feats, etc., unemployment in China would vanish, and with it brigandage would largely disappear, for the brigand China robs that he may eat.

America as Well Will Lose.

"If America fails in the next decade as she has failed in that which has just passed, the disaster will not be entirely China's, but one which will be burdensome on Americans themselves for many generations. We cannot assist these Chinese youths to become leaders in their home lands by training them as if they were to be forever residents of the United States, but by training them to take the best they find here and when they go home adapt it to the needs of their Chinese environment.

"An American student after graduation enters social and industrial system for which his training has been especially designed to fit him and where there are those competent to point out to him the way. The Chinese student trained here goes back to the task of ushering in a new civilization wherein he can find no one to serve him as guide.

"Our gesture in returning the Boxer indemnity for the purpose of educating Chinese students here seemed to be magnificent. If the Chinese students educated here are really not benefited, then it loses its magnificence and becomes a sham.

"The problem, it must be admitted, has its difficulties. Our institutions of learning are organized, primarily and properly, for those to be absorbed in western life, and we cannot ask them to change in order to accommodate a small minority of orientals. Self interest, however, as well as the interest of the Chinese, demands that we carefully consider the matter.

"Setting aside our military needs of a strong friend in the east, it must be realized that China is bound to be in the near future the world's greatest market and the natural point of outlet for our enterprises which are capable of producing infinitely more of every kind of goods than can be possibly absorbed by our own market.

"Expansion of European markets has been rendered almost impossible by the European debt, twelve billions which cannot be paid! South America is too small in population to serve as an outlet for our production. These things being true, where is our future market if not among the four hundred million people of the Chinese race?

"Self interest demands that we shall seize this unprecedented opportunity for ourselves and that one detail of the process of its seizure shall be the administration to these Chinese students of a training which shall fit them to be leaders of their people in industrial, commercial and technical lines.

6000 Chinese Badly Trained Here.

"In ten years we have trained and sent back to China six thousand men who might have devoted their time since their return, with profit to themselves and with incredible gain to us, to the effort to create in China a market for American goods and with advice and counsel to America as to how best to supply that market.

"But no. The vast majority of these men have gone to China with no practical training and totally unable to take part in the industrial development of their country.

"Three students who recently came to this country decided to later enter the canning industry, preferring it to the study of Greek or Latin. But there is no American university where men can learn the canning industry so they are now studying Greek and Latin instead.

"They will go back to their own country where the canning industry is very badly needed, able to conjugate the verbs of several dead languages but unable to establish any industry whatever.

"Confucius, the great Chinese philosopher and teacher said 2500 years ago:

"'The educated man will be in a position to enrich himself. When, having used his education for this purpose, culture and art, literature and the things regarded necessary for the fullest life will come. But the man whose education disregarded his stomach in the end will be a philisophic pessimist and nothing else.'

"Of course, we cannot change the system of education which we have devised for our own students. Therefore we must change the method of approach for Chinese students.

"The solution, however is not difficult. Instead of putting a Chinese student into American institutions to follow one certain curriculum, we must devise a method by means of which they can study in various institutions the subject they specially need.

"They should then pass examinations in the special lines selected at the different institutions, husbanding their credits till a total equivalent of the full amount required of American students for graduation has been attained.

Give Degree of Real Efficiency.

"Then some central body, selected for this purpose from among the many in America and the proper dignity and standing, such as, for instance, the New York Board of Regions, should be called upon to count each student's credits and give to him a distinctive degree, testifying the fact that he is fitted for the task which really faces him in life. This might be designated the American-Oriental degree and if the matter were worked out with care would give to Chinese students in America who have earned it a distinction in their native country later on which could be gained in no other way.

The Board of Regions of New York is well known in China and respected there. It charters practically every Chinese educational institution which is not purely governmental. It might well take the responsibility of adding up the credits gained by Chinese students in various appropriate American institutions and administering that Oriental degree.

"If in addition those chambers of commerce throughout the United States whose interest lies in the opening of Chinese markets would see to it that these Chinese students after taking the desired course in American Universities could be allowed for a time to do practical work in business or factory something very real would be accomplished.

"The far sighted chamber of commerce of Buffalo has accepted this responsibility and defined its nature in a resolution passed March 13 of this year and sent to every chamber in this country within whose direction are Chinese.

"Students taken in charge by chambers of commerce are intelligently introduced to practical American industry, as a part of regular educational courses or in vocational work, will be equipped, after four or five years, to go home and do something really worth the while.

"That is one way to help China, one way to make travelers safe on Chinese railway trains. We cannot help the political situation. The Chinese must be let alone in that to win their own triumphs and make their own mistakes in their own way.

"Thus all nations have learned and must learn.

"But a revolution which has nothing to do with politics is now evident in China. It is an industrial revolution, and an industrial revolution is a trying thing for any country. In one with 85 per cent illiteracy and leaders who, if trained at all, lacked that practical knowledge which makes leadership effective, such a revolution offers an appalling problem.

Greatest Population Group in World

"America, through the wisdom of Theodore Roosevelt was given a tremendous opportunity of educating Chinese men to become effective leaders. When we have so educated them we may feel the satisfaction that in the end we shall gain profits from the process.

"To make a nation stable and a good customer make it prosperous. Napoleon said, an army travels on its stomach. This is equally true of nations. Once, when I was traveling through a Chinese city, I was approached by a small native boy who bowed until his head was in the dust and asked me for a copper. I said to him:

"'My child, citizen of a free republic cowtows to no one.'

"'Ah, yes; foreign official,' he replied, with characteristic Chinese philosophy, 'but even the citizen of a free republic may have an empty stomach.'

"We who are interested in China do not need to explain or to excuse the Chinese brigand. We may well feel relief because the news of our American brigandage is not circulated in China as is that of Chinese brigandery in the United States. Very likely the Chinese brigands learned their tricks from someone of the motion picture films which we have sent across to them for their amusement and their education in the arts of civilization.

"Very likely also, they were disbanded soldiers for whom no means of getting a home had been provided.

"Watching China we find ourselves impatient of old processes; but they operate; and their operation is on scale unprecedented, affecting the greatest population group in all the world.

"But I am confident in China's future. She has a territory capable of incomparable development; an industry unsurpassed; a remarkable good humor all things considered, and the proverbial patience of the east. In view of their difficulties, we should prove that there is also a patience of the west, demanding and enforcing our rights, but not exaggerating the meaning of our words."

SOCIALISTS TO DEMAND LIBERATION OF PRISONERS

NEW YORK, May 19.—A demand for liberation of several hundred socialists imprisoned in Russia and of political prisoners in all nations, will be made at the annual national convention of the socialist party which convened today with several hundred delegates, many of them women, in attendance.

The convention will have day and night sessions until Tuesday, when it will close with a public meeting at which the principal speaker will be Eugene V. Debs.

International relations of the socialist party will be discussed with particular reference to affiliating with the social-democratic international which meets this month in Hamburg.

One of the most important tasks before the convention, it is stated, will be an attempt to lay the foundation for an American labor party with the socialist party as a nucleus and including the non-partisan league, the farmer-labor party and labor union and cooperative organizations.

ALASKA PROGRESSING IN TRADE COMMUNICATIONS

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—While Alaska may not yet be ready for statehood, her progress indicates that when she is ready she will be more advanced in trade communications than were Oregon or Nevada at the time of their admission to the union, Colonel William B. Greeley, chief forester of the United States said today in an address to the Commonwealth Club here.

"The present governmental policy calls for a perpetual supply of paper wood in Alaska equal to one-fourth of the supply of the United States," Colonel Greeley said.

EXAMINE THREE HUNDRED SCOTTISH IMMIGRANTS

HALIFAX, N. S., May 19. (AP)—Three hundred Scottish immigrants, barred by the quota law from landing in the United States, arrived here on the steamship Cameronia today to find American immigration authorities ready to examine them and hoping they would be passed across the border into the country they are prevented from entering by water.

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SOCIAL EVENTS HONOR BRIDE OF PAST WEEK

Miss Beryl Dodson Is Married to Mr. George Self Thursday Evening.

CHILLICOTHE, TEXAS, May 19.—Contract has been awarded to R. H. Stuckey and Sons for the erection of three brick buildings, costing approximately $45,000. The buildings under construction are owned by the Guaranty State Bank, Wofford Bros. and J. P. McPherson. They will be erected on the lots opposite the Bank of Chillicothe.

The corner building, which will be the bank's new home, will have a floor space of 30x115 feet, will have a plate glass front, basement with latest heating devices, latest improved lighting system and every modern convenience that is needed in a bank building. When finished it will be one of the most attractive bank buildings in this part of the state.

The building adjoining the bank is owned by Wofford Bros. It will have a floor space of 30x110 feet. It is the intention of Wofford Bros. to finish their building with every modern convenience, such as lights, heat, etc. When completed it will be the attractive home of the E. W. Geeo Furniture store.

The third lot is the property of J. P. McPherson, and he intends erecting a brick building with a floor space of 40x110 feet. This building will also have a large basement with heating devices similar to the others. It will be finished to accommodate an enterprising business firm, as yet not announced.

Work started Monday morning and they will be rushed to completion, and the buildings should be ready for occupancy by September 1.

These buildings when finished will give Chillicothe a business corner that will equal any in convenience and beauty.

Honor House Guests

The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Dodson was the scene of one of the season's most delightful social events Tuesday evening from 8:30 until 10:30 o'clock, when their daughter, Miss Beryl received, honoring her guests, Mrs. Elmondore of Galveston and Miss Bragg of Kansas City, who are here to attend the nuptials of Miss Dodson and Mr. George Self. The chaming gueses were both Ward-Belmont girls, and were college chums of Miss Dodson.

The house was decorated with cut flowers. The guests entered the reception hall and passed down the receiving line, composed of the hostess and her charming guests. From here the guests were ushered into the specious drawing room where Mrs. Brown presided over the punch bowl. Passing from the drawing room into the beautiful dining room, the guests viewed the wedding gifts which were numerous and beautiful.

In the music room, Mrs. C. B. Carlock presided at the piano, rendering appropriate selections during the serving of a delicious salad course.

The charming hostess was attired in a beautiful dress of green and silver. Mrs. Elmondors was lovely in honeydew over green, and Miss Bragg presented a pleasing picture in orchid.

During the course of the evening about 150 guests called.

Miss Dodson Honored

Among the beautiful courtesies for Miss Beryl Dodson, whose marriage to George Self, which occurred Thursday evening, none proved more enjoyable or attractive than the shower given at the Methodist church by Mrs. C. E. Carlock and Mrs. Irvy Ayers.

The church was beautiful in its decorations of pot plants, ferns and spring blossoms. The mound was a veritable spring garden being banked with spring blossoms.

The guests were greeted by the hostess, and ushered into this fairy like garden where delicious punch was served. Mrs. J. E. Barnes presided at the piano, rendering many beautiful and appropriate selections.

The gifts for the honoree were attractively arranged on a table, and as she made her entrance to the gift table, she presented a picture of loveliness in a Lavin green flat crepe with black lace, and large black picture hat. In her own way Miss Dodson expressed her appreciation for the many beautiful gifts, which consisted of silver, cut glass and linens; also a recipe book in which the guests registered and left their favorite recipe.

During the registration of the guests, Mrs. Ben Wofford very sweetly sang "Will You Remember?" and Miss Kilgore in her own sweet way gave "Goodbye."

At the close of this very delightful evening, angel cake and ice cream in pre-nuptial colors of orchid and silver, ewer served the guests.

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The aim of the order is: To reward those who have distinguished themselves in the service of Jesus Christ, of humanity, of the order and of its apostolic and philanthropic work, and whose lives are exemplified by charity.

Saint Paulinus of Nola (409) mentions "the thorns with which our Lord was crowned" as being in Jerusalem at that time. They were removed to Byzantium about 1062. In 1238 Baldwin II, the Latin emperor of Constantinople, anxious to obtain support for his tottering empire, offered the Crown of Thorns to St. Louis, King of France. It was then actually in the hands of the Venetians as security for a heavy loan, but was redeemed and brought to France early in August, 1239.

The king St. Louis, accompanied by his mother, Queen Blanche of Castille; his wife, Queen Marguerite of Provence; his three brothers, the Counts of Artosis, Poitiers and Anjou, and all the ecclesiastical dignitaries and aristocracy of the time, went to meet the holy relic at Villeneuve 1' Archeveque, five leagues from Sens.

It was the tenth of August, 1239. The king first venerated the holy relic, and after him the queens, princes, knights, archbishops, bishops, priests, monks, soldiers, common people—a nation melting into tears and hardly daring to raise its head to look upon that branch of cruel thorns which the miscreants had twisted into a crown of derision for the divine victim.

Louis IX carried it himself, barefoot, to Paris, and for its final reception built the Sainte Chappelle (completed in 1248) in accordance with the plans of Pierre de Montereau; it is the most perfect pure Gothic monument in Europe.

Among those who have been honored with Dr. Alexander are: His Holiness Maran Mar Ignatius III, Patriarch of the Apostolic See of Antioch; His Beatitude Mar Julius I, Dionysius, Metropolitan of Malabar; His Eminence Joseph Mar Julius 'I, Exarch of Geo and Ceyn; the Rt. Rev. Mar Athanasius, Bishop of Kottanyam; the Rt. Rev. Mar Gregorius, Bishop of Niranam; the Rt. Rev. Bishop Uramchbank Kibarian, Eglise Armenian, Paris; the Rt. Rev., Vladimar, D. D., Russian Orthodox Bishop; the late Most Rev. Prince Khorene de Lusignan, Armenian Archbishop of Constantinople; H. R. H. Prince Guy de Lusignan, Prince Royal de Jerusalem de Chypre et d' Armenie; aron Louis de Girardo; General Valerius Douyon; Dr. Lisboa Pinto, F. E. A., L. M., Fellow of R. G. S. of Libson; Monsieur Jean de Bromont, Chevalier de 1' Orrde du et de la Croix Noire; Prince Aguiles de Arcancandid, Grand Cordan de la Constellation de Sud; Dr. L. Turmen de la Helandiere; Madam Vve T. Wirth, Officer d' Academie Paris; Sir Minas Teheras, M. R. A. S., Prof. of Armenian at King's College, London.

REPORT DEFECTION AMONG THE GOVERNMENT TROOPS

WASHINGTON, May 19.—A situation threatening defection among the government troops sent on pursuit of the bandit force in Shantung province China was reported today in state department advices. It was said that the soldiers had not been paid for 18 months and were reported to be replenishing their pockets by selling ammunition to bandits.

VACATION STARTS IN CITY AND RURAL SCHOOLS MONDAY

Vacation starts Monday for all the school children of the county, both city and rural schools closing Friday for the term. Picnics and like festivities marked the closing of most of the country schools.

A large number of both city and rural teachers will study during the summer.

All of the city public schools dismissed for the three months summer vacation Friday, when the pupils attending the schools wended their respective ways to the buildings for the last time to get their final report cards. In the high school Friday morning, the halls were filled with happy students, some elated over their high grades, but all smiling at the prospect of a long vacation.

Various awards were given in the high school and grammar grade schools. Many certificates of attendance and promptness were given, and those who had the record of not being tardy or absent a single day during the entire year were rewarded with an official recognition of the fact.

Not only among the students, but the faculty members of the public schools of the city are preparing for its vacation. While many of the teachers still have several days work ahead of them in recording the grades and straightening out the records of the students, the largest part of the teaching staff will leave within the next few days for different points of the country to spend their vacation.

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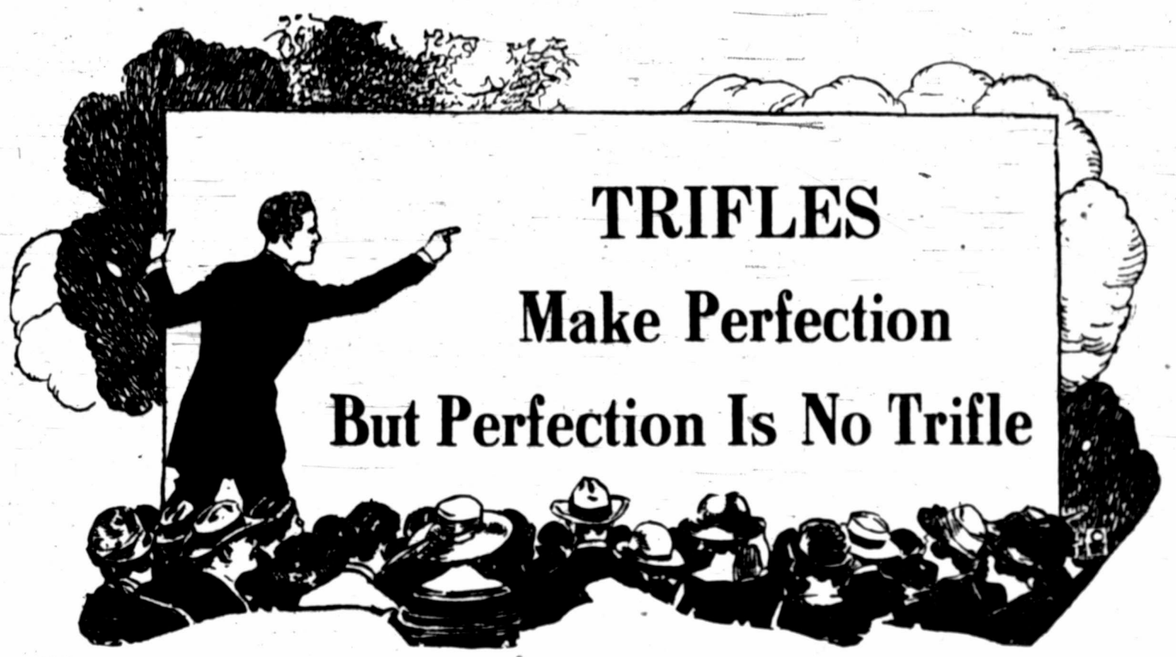

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RISING GENERATION MUST BE TRAINED IN CITIZENSHIP, SAYS EDUCATOR IN ADDRESS HERE

The address of Dr. H. Lewis Smith, president of Washington & Lee University, before the Rotary Club last Thursday on "Democracy's Perils" has been considered one of the ablest presentations of world conditions yet uttered, and members of the club have requested that it be published in full. Dr. Smith's lecture follows:

I wish to assure all these Rotarians that there is nothing in the world that gives me more pleasure than to meet a body of thinking men like these men that hold this whole community and I might also say this whole section in the hollow of their hand, to mould and to work with.

Now in trying to think what to talk about this morning—I have traveled north, south, east and west in the United States and I have been all over Europe, amid the devastation of the war. I spend my days and nights meditating on what in the world has brought Christianity to this awful condition. Whether I am right or wrong, one thing is sure, my own ideas on the subject have become perfectly crystalized, and it seems to me that in order that all of us may know what to do in these present circumstances there could not be a better thing than to investigate and find out what is the deep underlying cause of the present distrustful state of the world.

Why has Christendom, after 2,000 years owning and controlling the best stock of the world, owning and controlling the source of the world's wealth, holding in her hand all the inventions of applied science for the past 2000 years, the wealthiest part of the world, the most civilized part of the world, why is it that our Christendom, in the last 10 years, has broken down in a very carnival of hatred and bloodshed. What brought it all about, and how can we recover from such a disaster?

Now, I want to remind you, first, of what I would call the law of the progress of human civilization, and that is the law of the pendulum swinging from one extreme to another; or I would change the figure; those of us that have been to sea in sailing vessels, as I have often been, will know how a sailing vessel can get into harbor against a head wind.

Tacking Into Port.

Now, our civilization, in its tollsome progress, bringing man out of savagery and bestiality, is just like that of some mighty ship, freighted low with her precious cargo, afloat on a stormy sea, trying to reach a harbor in the face of a head wind; yet compelled to utilize for her forward movement the very winds of animal, brute and human nature which that movement must successfully oppose and overcome.

Now, what does a ship do in those circumstances? It never can go directly to its chosen goal, never; it must swing out to one side, farther and farther away from the line of direct progress, 'till some times, as I have known, the lighthouse or harbor or head lights, as you are trying to reach the port have simply disappeared on the horizon while the ship is trying to tack on one side. And then if her captain is wise enough, and if her crew knows what to do you can hear the creak and rattle of the rudder chains and then see the sails flap and turn and the ship's sails back again, and when it crosses its old line of direct progress it has accumulated momentum; it goes just as far on the other side 'till again the harbor has disappeared and the ship may be almost on an instant out of its course in that direction.

Now every one of the great civilizations of the past, every one of them, has on some great tacking of the ship proved unable to make the turn, and it has sunk with all on board, Babionian, Assyrian, Egyptian, Bavarian, Greek, Roman; they have all failed to make the turn and have gone down in wreck and ruin.

That now is the law of our human civilization and any appreciation of that is worth a great deal to any man in trying to interpret the tremendous swing of the pendulum of our modern history. That now is what I would call a background.

Democratic Movements.

Now let me say that in all the history of human civilization, the most extensive, the most important, and I might say also the most irresistible of these great tackings of the ship of civilization is what I would call the modern movement toward democratization originating in reaction 500 years ago from a bitter tyrrany of mediaeval autocracy. That movement began in the breast of the human spirit; it has been irresistible, that ever widening ever strengthening movement toward diffusion, the diffusion of power, of privilege, of wealth, of knowledge, among the many that were formerly held by the new or the few. That is, in its essence, what modern democratization has been; it began with the democratization of religious privilege and religious liberty and deluged Europe with blood; because no human hands ever surrender power willingly; never, and they never will.

It then began its second great element, and that was the democratization of political power, the steady, the resistless diffusion of governmental power among the many that hitherto been held by one or by the few, that has been marked for 400 years by the thunders of the downfall of throne after throne and despotism after despotism of kaiser, monarch and despot, one after the other. It has been marked by irresistible diffusion of the ballot, ever growing wider, all the time, 'till now we all know that the next generation is going to see political power in the hands of the many.

That had hardly started on its bloody and triumphal course before the growth of human wealth and harnessed all the forces of human endeavor. And after that started the third great revolution, what I would call the industrial revolution, the democratization of wealth, the democratization of industrial power That has been going on now for 200 years and has never been more eager, more insistent, more tremendous than it is today. One thousand militant organizations, of industrial leaders, capitalists and employers on the one side, and a thousand unions and organizations of laborers on the other side. That is the democratization of wealth and industrial power that has been going on for 200 years.

Diffusion of Education.

Now, the forth of those great movements toward democratization was begun only about 100 years ago; it is the educational revolution; the democratization of knowledge, hitherto held as the precious possession of the favored few. That has now reached in our country and in all lands what I might call an exposure outpost of human wisdom. Never in our history has any land been so wild with enthusiasm about any one revolution as we are right here in this educational revolution.

The diffusion among all of knowledge and education! Never were so many millions and hundreds of millions poured into the training of youth and old; never were so many millions put into new school buildings of every kind, from the kindergarten to the university. Never have the buildings of schools and universities been so crowded with eager students; our whole land is on fire with the educational democratization, the democratization of enlightenment.

Now, look, all four of these revolutions are in a whirlwind over our heads today, getting fiercer and more insistent, with every passing year.

My first point was, then, the law of human progress, the law of the human course. The second was the greatest of these, a great forward and upward movement.

Now let me mention the third point: Up to twelve years ago every one of us believed that the triumph of democracy would be a blessing to the world. Headed by the marvelous leadership of Woodrow Wilson only ten years ago, all of us believed that if we could overthrow every tyrant and displace every monarch and turn the reigns of government over to the peoples of the world, war would cease and concord and harmony would come to the nations of the earth and human welfare would be immeasurably advanced. Never, never, were the thinkers of the world so misled.

Why has advancing democracy proved such a failure? Why is it that now the thrones are tumbling into ruins and the whole world is given over to hatred and passion and national antagonism, is overwhelmed with irrelievable debt and the land is burdened with helpless children and it is as full of misery and starvation as it is of hatred?

The Lack of Training.

I will tell you why. I believe for us to realize why a democracy has failed to bring the happiness expected is one of the most wonderful thinking lessons a man can learn. Now look; there were four of those great revolutions, all of them belonging to the one process of diffusion among the many, something that had formerly been the treasured possession of the few. Of those four, two of them were political power, industrial power and the liberty of the many from control; the other two were diffusion of education or enlightenment and diffusion of moral training. Now just as long as the diffusion of education or enlightenment and moral training anticipated the diffusion of power and liberty just so long was advancing democratization the blessing of the world, 'till its very name had become something to conjure by, 'till democratization had become almost a religion. If they had continued to diffuse together the triumph of democratization would have been the salvation of our civilization; but, alas, alas, you and I know that there are no such futile gifts on earth as liberty without self-control and power without justice or mercy.

The world war broke up that beneficent equilibrium between diffusion of power and its antidote, diffusion of education and morality; with its bloody and devilish hand, it arrested all the purposes of diffusion of education, diffusion of culture, diffusion of religion and diffusion of morality; not only arrested them, but reversed them and turned loose over all Christendom the raging devils of hatred, hate, a religious duty of murder, hate, the chief occupation of all mankind; of destruction turned loose, everywhere, the very carnival of hatred, lust, brutal lust, destructiveness, outrageous cruelty; that is what the world war did to these two antidotes that were the only salvation of humanity. On the other hand the world war lessened, undermined or upset all the institutions of human authority that had formerly held the restless, ignorant, criminal millions in check: home authority, church authority, hospital authority and authority of the law, the authority of legislatures, the authority of all the intelligence of the law, the authority of courts; all of them were almost shaken to pieces by the world war, and the restless millions, untaught, under that principle of self-determination, seized the power too soon, before they were ready to exercise that power either wisely or justly or for the common good

Liberty Without Law.

Now, gentlemen, that is just what is the matter with the world today, our democracy, through the exposures of the world war, has triumphed too soon, and everywhere over the world the restless millions of the untaught and untrained, the ignorant and weak and criminal, they are all seizing liberty with an utter disregard of all law and order and are also seizing power before they are ready to exercise it.

Now, then, what is the one shadow on the horizon: what is the one appalling horror that grips every heart; it is not the millions and millions of graves over the world, no; it is not the staggering loss of the railroads and the factories and the mines; it is not the awful debts that burden the nations No, it is not that, we could get over all of those things! The deadliest shadow on the world today is the revolt of the ignorant and unprepared against all the institutions by which our civilization has slowly organized its mastery over the brute nature of man.

Every child in the United States is today less amenable to family discipline than a child of his age was ten years ago. You know it, and I know it. The laws are the joke of those who want to break them. It is unsafe to be on Broadway in the heart of New York City today with anything that looks like a payroll satchel; and murder Why the killings of human beings in our land here today would disgrace the Hottentots or the Indians whose lands we took. Never has there been such a carnival of crime and vice and utter disregard of the law as the World War has produced right here.

And when I hear these shallow brutes say, it is prohibition, that is what makes our boys and girls jazz all the time; that is what makes people so restless, it is prohibition.

Liquor No Remedy

I want to say right now, I have been over almost all of the United States excepting the far West. I have been over Europe. There is no prohibition there and lawlessness is ten times as bad as anything in this land of ours. No, it is not the idea that if you could bring back plenty of good liquor and let everybody drink it up our young people would be chivalrous and call all the girls, "Miss" and behave like they ought to and our people would quit murdering and holding up the country just give them plenty of good liquor and they would be just as good and lawabiding as possible.

Where on earth did any human experience ever teach us that lesson? Now what is the trouble with the world today? It is this, we have swung so far in the direction of democratization, we have given, or rather the millions have seized so much power before they were ready for it that our institutions are all in deadly peril here in this land, less so than anywhere else, but in Europe! You cannot imagine how the Christian civilizations of Europe are trembling today on the brink of ruin, and Russia, with her idealist, poetic, ideally wonderful people; Russia, having had less diffused education morality than the others, has gone over the brink and her whole civilization is lying in fragments and helpless ruin, in a carnival of misery and starvation and disease and pollution, bankruptcy, through whose darkness it is hard to see the faintest glimmer of a ray of hope, and the nations near her are trembling on the brink of the same ruin.

That is what is the matter with the world today. That brings me to the last point, as thinking citizens, seeing the whole problem, what are we going to do about it, how can we save her and the people of the countries abroad, because, you know as well as I that it is the act of selfish devils if we can help a distressed world, to let them follow Russia over the precipice while we are congratulating ourselves that the war has not shaken ours to pieces. No, we are one of the world's human brotherhood. Is there hope for the future? I want to say I am a great believer in the ultimate triumph of righteousness on earth. In spite of these things, I am a believer in the right over wrong, because I believe with all my heart in the moral government of God, who is training souls here below by all these marvelous experiences.

Now I would say there are three things going on here in this land today that to me are the rattle of the rudder chain that surely will spring the old craft back again on the rudder. You exemplify and illustrate it here in this marvelous movement toward human brotherhood. Never in all our history was there such a movement toward human brotherhood. Why twenty-five years ago all these business houses and their agents would be shaking their fists at one another. Business was a warfare twenty-five years ago; the church didn't like interdenominational enterprises they mistruted and opposed one another, and you and I know the believers among the princes of peace have filled the world with blood and tears for 1000 years.

Now, nobody taught it, it sprung up all over our land at the same time, a marvelous kingdom of human brotherhood: The Rotarians, the Lions, the Kiwanis, the Boy Scouts, the Girl Scouts, the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the Sunday School unions, the Federated churches of every kind and character, the gathering of missions to work together, the disappearance of all the old antagonisms of man to man; they at least are allowed, all of them, to get a chance to win the great war just as the Allies did when they began to work together under a common chieftain.

I can hear the rattle and creaking of the rudder as I have heard it many a time, wallowing in the trough of the seas. The other is the amazing activities of the churches, trying to convert people to the unselfish life, to the life of spirituality as against brutality, for instance, and animal nature. Never have the churches been so busy with young and old and especially the young. They are building Sunday Schools by the thousands; they are employing consecrated men and women to look after the girls and boys, more or less, by the thousands. That it is a kingdom and that sprung up simultaneously all over the United States; it did not start at one spot. I say it is the turning of the rudder by the all power hand of the Pilot.

The third is the spread of education. Never in all the world were the people so wrapped up in teaching our children more than their fathers and grandfathers ever heard of. Why is God doing that? To save us from the brute tyranny of the unintelligent. I will tell you if I must have a slave of a tyrent over me I will take an intelligent one rather than be trampled under the hoofs of the ignorant mob, however sincere. What are we to do? Well, those three great movements give us the key. The first thing we are to do is to carry on the movement of human brotherhood and weld together those who fight for righteousness and things of the spirit and against the brute in man; all those who fight for civilization, the dominence of the spiritual over the brute. Let us hasten every movement, to bring together all those who labor together for that cause; help on the human brotherhood in action regardless of political enemies, regardless of church connection, regardless of sectional prejudices; that is the first; the next is to hasten the spread of education and enlightenment among all the young people, who are to have charge of our civilization within the next 10 or 12 years; do everything we can to educate everybody because there is the trouble, it is the multitudinous uneducated that is going to hurt the reins of power in the next generation. You cannot prevent it, neither can I, but you can help them to choose that power well.

The third is this, to come together with and strengthen a determination that will shed its blood if necessary to hold in subjection during this period the weak and the criminal and the vicious lawbreakers of our land of every kind and enforce our laws and put an end to lawbreaking of every sort and reestablish the dominions of our courts, of our laws, of our institutions, of our legislatures, for when you turn ever our laws to a democracy to the jeering mob, flouted by all the populace you are sliding into hell.

That is the three-fold task that lies before us, if we can accomplish it successfully, I think we can and I think we will. If we can accomplish then, instead of the thought of Russia overcoming the United States, which God forbid, why here is what we will have instead of all the unintelligent, the spiritual and better trained being trampled into the mud under the hoofs of the ignorant and the criminal instead of that horrow, why we will have then countless millions of enlightened free men rising steadily together as a band of brothers into the perfection of all that democratization at its best can bring the world!; and I believe if we grown men of this generation can perform these three tasks our civilization fortunately anchored and protected by the great oceans around us, with our wonderful resources yet untouched and undeveloped, with the marvelous march of commerce and the traditions handed down to us by a long line of patriotic ancestors I believe we can work out a civilization in which those who have the power have already been trained to use their wealth and leisure wisely and to secure their wise power to the common good.

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SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES FOLLOW "INFLATION" OF CURRENCY

RECORD OF GERMANY AND OTHER NATIONS CITED AS EVIDENCE OF DEPRESSING EFFECT ON PEOPLE

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The purpose of the present article is to tell just what happens to a nation and a people whose unit of currency goes through the experience that is called "inflation." The purpose is to tell it in terms of the experience of Germany and the mark. Not only will it be of interest as a narrative of what has actually happened in Germany. It will also have some value as an example in the light of occasional hints—hints which the writer cannot help feeling are sinister—of what some persons would be willing to bring about at home in America. To get the analogy it will merely be necessary to imagine what has happened to the mark in Germany as happening to the dollar in America.

SULLIVAN

Before the war the value of the German mark was, roughly, 25 cents. Today it is worth so little you can call it anything you wish—for convenience, say one one-hundredth of a cent.

To a degree, an infinitesimal and comparatively harmless degree, something like this has happened to our dollar, for the dollar which was worth a hundred cents in 1914 is worth today, measuring in purchasing power, about 60 cents. To the degree that this has happened in America it has not been a matter of deliberate currency inflation, but chiefly a matter of credit inflation, a thing that accompanied the issuing of bonds to pay for the war and was largely unavoidable.

If there should be anybody in America who would like this depreciation of the dollar to go further, who thinks this sort of thing is good for a nation, the present narrative of what depreciation has done to the people of Germany will be enlightening. And America is not wholly inhuman from the possibility of being inflated from Europe by the views of what seems superficially to be alluring in deflation. We have among us at least a few of the kind of people who think inflation is a good thing. Without attempting to make, or even to hint, what would probably be as unpleasant a prediction as it would be possible to make about our future, it may be said that among the dangers of the campaign of next year is the possibility that somebody may arise with a cheap money panacea. Indeed, a phrase that one of our presidential aspirants let drop some months ago has already pointed in that direction.

Let us take the German people class by class.

For convenience, take first the class that had money in the savings banks. Those of the German people who saved their money and put it in the savings banks, and in the other German equivalents of savings banks, are precisely like those of our own people who do the same sort of thing. This class of people is the salt of every nation—the workers who make it a practice to spend a little less than they earn; who, every Saturday night, take some part of their pay and put it in the savings bank as a protection against sickness or old age, or for the education of their children.

The class of people in Germany has been robbed of everything they had. The word "robbed" implies violence. There was no violence in the process, but the end was the same. The marks which were worth 25 cents when they put them in savings banks are today worth practically nothing. Before the war—and even during the war, because deflation did not begin until near the close of the war—a good, hard-working German workman could pile up his savings mark by mark, and look forward to the time when he should have in the savings bank, let us say, 20,000 marks, and the interest from that sum would keep him adequately during his old age. Today that 20,000 marks would hardly buy him a single meal. He is on the world, he has no provision for the future, he is bewildered. He was taught that thrift finds that some mysterious power which he does not understand, some malevolent agency of government or business, or both combined, has made all his saving of no avail.

Take next the class of people who carry life insurance. This class in Germany is precisely like the same class at home—men with a care for the future and for their families, year by year they paid the premiums in the full confidence that when they should come to die they would leave behind them enough to save their wives and children from immediate want. They were as confident of the security of their life insurance, as sure the money would be there to take care of their families, as they were of death itself. But now they find that after paying 25 cent pieces to the insurance companies all their lives, their families will get back pieces of paper worth less than a hundredth of a cent. You can imagine the sense of outrage and dazed bewilderment with which these people contemplate their present position. They are outraged because the money they paid in patiently year by year has been taken from them; they are bewildered because they now have no possible means of providing for the future of their families after the breadwinner is gone.

Next, the owners of bonds and mortgages of one sort or another. These are of the same class as the patrons of savings banks, only a little higher in the business scale. These are the careful savers who put by each week and each month and each year a portion of their earnings, and, when they had enough, bought a bond of a city or of the German government itself, or of some corporation, or a mortgage on a farm.

These people, like the others, are utterly ruined. They have the bonds which assure them that the city of Hamburg, for example, or the government of Germany, will, in a given year, pay them one thousand marks or ten thousand marks, as the case may be. But this ten thousand marks at the present value will not buy them a meal of victuals. When they bought the bonds five or ten years ago they paid for them in marks that were worth 25 cents. The German government will pay the bond off to them in marks that are worth less than a hundredth of a cent.

The plight of these people is perhaps most pitiful of all. Many of them are the widows and children of persons who had built up little fortunes. Having these little fortunes they planned their lives so as to live economically but comfortably with a certain standard of comfort and taste. Now they have nothing. And, having been brought up in the expectation of an income, they haven't had any training for work or familiarity with work. This class of people today constitutes economically the lowest strata of the German population. They are now really the poorest class, because the class of people we would call "labor," whose wages change from time to time with the changing value of the mark, have gone up in the world, and to a slight extent are the beneficiaries of depreciation. The widows and daughters of business men, of lawyers and physicians, of university professors, are now lower in the economic structure than the socalled "working classes." These cultivated women have had to take up the hardest and lowest paid jobs.

One more will conclude most of the more important classes who have suffered by depreciation. This is the class of persons who have more or less fixed salaries, university professors, teachers in the schools, clergymen and the like. Schools and universities are commonly endowed. The means by which they are endowed is usually bonds, and out of this income pay their professors and teachers. Today the income from these old endowments is so little as to be practically nothing. If one were to differentiate among the various sufferers from inflation one would probably say that this class is the most unhappy of all. Not only are they personally and individually unhappy because of the distress following the cutting down of their incomes—a cutting down which practically amounts to wiping out—but, further than that, these people are largely the custodians of culture, of education, of music, of art, of science. This was the class of people that maintained the finer things of life as a living thing, the teachers through whom education was passed on from generation to generation. They are now, like the other classes already mentioned, reduced to practically the lowest level of the economic structure.

So much for the classes who have suffered from deflation. Let us now inquire, in the American phrase, Who got the money? Who are the beneficiaries of inflation?

First of all, the government itself—the imperial German government, the various state governments, and the city governments. All these governments had bond issues outstanding. All of them had obligations to pay to the bondholders certain stipulated numbers of marks, but now they are paying it in pieces of paper which represent substantially nothing at all. By the device of inflation the various governments of Germany have simply, in effect, wiped out their debts. Practically all the debts of the German state and municipal governments were held by the German people themselves. The war was financed by bonds sold to Germany's own people at 25 cents to the mark. Today the interest on those bonds is being paid in marks which are worth less than one one-hundredth and fiftieth of a cent each. This condition hits the German people in the broadest way, for these bonds were widely distributed. It was as if a citizen of Nebraska or Oregon, who had saved $1,000 and bought a liberty bond, and looked forward to getting $40 a year, should now get it in the shape of dollars whose value is less, let us say, than a tenth of a cent. To the saver, to the bondholder, this is deadly, but it is most profitable for the government that is wicked enough to be willing to play this kind of a trick on a trusting people.

Another class that has, on the whole, been helped rather than injured by inflation is the farmer. (At least for the present, and superficially, the farmer seems to be the beneficiary of inflation. The end of the chapter, when it ultimately arrives, may change the story, at least to some degree.) The farmer in Germany, like the farmer in America, commonly had a mortgage on his farm. By the terms of the mortgage he was obligated to pay a certain number of marks for each year's interest, and at the termination of the mortgage to pay the principal. By the inflation of the mark the farmer now finds himself able to pay his year's interest with a pound of butter and able to pay off the entire mortgage on his farm through the sale of half a dozen chickens. The farmers of Germany have been paying off their mortgages in this easy way and are now quite generally free from mortgages. Because of this condition, the farmer composes probably the least unhappy class of people in Germany. He has paid off his mortgages, he has his farm which no one can take from him, and to a large extent he is less affected by the unfavorable side of inflation than any other large class of the population.

Consider now the laboring man, the wage worker. He has not profited by inflation. At the same time, he has suffered less than the owner of bonds and mortgages, the teachers and professors who received fixed salaries, and the like. Of course, to the extent that the wage earner was also a saver, he has suffered through seeing his savings shrink to nothing. But as regards his weekly wages the laborer has suffered less than the other classes. As fast as the mark went down in value he was able to make his employer pay him an increased number of marks a week. Each Saturday he got a larger number of marks in his pay envelope. And yet the wage worker has always been a little behind the procession. His wages were never raised quite as fast as the process of inflation. Roughly speaking, the laborer has merely managed to get along. He got each week something like enough wages to buy his food and clothing and pay his rent for the week, but no more. As Mr. Garet Garrett points out, the labor unions could only raise wages once a week, while the merchants who sell goods to the laborers could, and did, raise the prices every hour.

Speaking broadly, one of the principal beneficiaries of inflation has been that class of people who in terms of American business we would call the stockholders, or the equity holders. On these the effect of inflation has been much like the effect on the farmer, only to an enormously greater degree. Consider the case of a corporation whose plant was worth, let us say, one hundred thousand marks. Let us say it was mortgaged for fifty thousand marks. The remaining fifty thousand marks composed the equity of the stockholders. Then came inflation. The mark went to practically nothing. The mortgage could be paid off with a song, leaving the stockholders with their plant intact.

Broadly speaking, all owners of things, of goods, have either profited by inflation or at least have been immune from its unhappy effects. A corporation which owned land, and buildings and machinery, continues to own this land, and buildings and machinery in spite of inflation. They are just where they were before, except that they have been greatly benefitted by their ability to pay off their mortgage with a song.

I am strongly inclined to think that it is the big stockholders of big corporations who have been the chief beneficiaries of inflation. I am strongly inclined to suspect, also, that it is this class of big business men (a definite class distinct from those business men and other rich men who had their wealth invested in bonds) who, being most benefitted by inflation, have been most willing to see it go on. Perhaps one might express this suspicion more definitely and say it is this class of profiteering business man who has been most in collusion with the German government (which, as I pointed out, is a great beneficiary of inflation) in promoting this whole policy. If a man were in a position to know that inflation was going to happen, it was the easiest thing in the world for him to enrich himself by means of it. If, for example, any of us knew that America were going to do the same thing that Germany has done; if any group of business men were so intrenched in our government that they could bring about the thing they wished for, and if they were willing to be malevolent enough, this would be their process: They would go to the banks; they would borrow every dollar they could on, let us say, a three-months' note; at the end of three months they could pay off their loan with fifty-cent pieces. They would repeat the process by again borrowing everything they could, by pyramiding their borrowing. Three months later they would pay off this second loan with twenty-five-cent pieces. And so on ad infinitum. This is the way that some of the big "industrials," as they are called in Germany—men whose names have come to appear in the newspapers frequently—made their sudden and enormous fortunes.

Most persons have come to wonder if it was not big "industrialists" who brought about inflation and pushed it to its present point. By it they have made themselves the owners of most of the property in Germany. They did this without rendering any service to the country, without any of that genius in manufacture or business which frequently justifies great fortunes. They did it merely by marking the cards and playing the game from the inside against the trustful, confiding German people. They impoverished the savers, the workers, the widows and orphans, and took it all to themselves. The "industrialists" who did this are not the old time leaders of German industry They are a "new rich" of the least pleasing kind. Sooner or later the German people will realize how the thing was done and who did it. Then, maybe, there will be an accounting. The French government already knows all about these German "industrialists" and is determined to make them disgorge some of their takings.

Of course, the worst of all the effects of inflation is the moral one. It has destroyed the faith of men in their most fundamental conceptions of morality business and human relations. The German people had been taught, as all people are taught, that thrift is one of the greatest individual and social virtues. Believing in that virtue, they practiced it. But they have now seen the fruit of saving come to nothing. It will take generations to restore the faith of the people in their government, in the sanctity of savings and in the fundamental ideas upon which organized society rests.

Dismissed the Case.

AUSTIN.—Joe Hilliard, negro, became somewhat alarmed recently when a case of theft against him was called in county court and the presiding judge announced that the case would be postponed until the leading witness is released from the penitentiary. The witness had been sentenced to 25 years. After noting the negro's alarm at having to wait 25 years, the county judge dismissed the case.

Large Graduating Class.

FORT WORTH.—The largest graduating class in the history of the school—108—were granted degrees from the Southwestern Baptist Seminary here this week. Dr. J. B. Campbell, Carson-Newman College, Tenn., delivered the baccalaureate sermon. Other speakers at commencement exercises included: Dr. Wallace Bassett, Dallas; Dr. Livingston Johnson, North Carolina, and Dr. L. R. Scarborough, president of the seminary.

War on Idleness.

PALESTINE.—War has been declared on idleness by city officials here. When an idle man is found he is hailed into city court and given the choice of a job or jail. The job usually is accepted and Chief of Police Lee Boyd is furnishing farmers in this vicinity with laborers by such methods.

Special Bond Election.

FLORESVILLE.—Wilson county commissioners have called a special election on June 23 to vote on the proposal to issue $300,000 of bonds to construct a hard-surfaced road from the Bexar to Karnes county line. The election was called on petitions filed.

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Regular dry cleaning more than pays for itself by keeping clothes free from this injurious matter and so gives them longer life, keeping you better dressed besides.

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AUTOMOBILE NEWS

Cotton Is Used as Much as Rubber In Making Tires

"If you ask the next five men you meet what automobile tires are made of, its a safe bet that four will answer 'rubber'" declared C. C. Randle last week.

"Well, there is quite a lot of rubber in automobile tires, but it would be just as near the truth to call them cotton tires instead of rubber tires because as a matter of fact the volume of rubber and cotton is about 50-50.

"You can easily see that the kind of cotton used in making the fabric or cord which goes into the tire has a lot to do with how many miles the tire will run.

"But you can't tell by looking at a tire what kind of cotton it is made of.

"Goodyear tires are made of long staple cotton, ranging from 1¼ to 1⅜ inches in length. It has a tensile strength of approximately 40 per cent more than short staple cotton which has a length of only ¾ to 1 1-16 inches, and please understand that the shorter length mentioned is commonly called long staple by some folks, in fact the short staple mentioned here is longer than what is known as Texas long staple cotton," declares Mr. Randle.

"The term, long staple, in regards to tires and in regards to cloth goods of cotton is entirely two different things, a bed sheet made of Texas long staple cotton, is worth about $1.50, while if the sheet was made of long staple tire cotton it would be worth about $4.50.

"Just think how much better a tire made of 1¼ inch staple cotton withstands the shocks and strains of an ordinary day's travel. This extra strength built into the carcass of Goodyear tires and the exclusive group ply construction are the chief reasons why these tires give such long and dependable service."

Says Old Hudson Is Object Lesson For Present Buyer

"What old Hudsons tell of the new is a most interesting story," declares Lloyd Weaver, local Hudson-Essex dealer.

"In the old Super-sixes automobile buyers see what they may expect of the Hudson they buy today. A great many of these earlier cars have passed their 100 thousandth mile and are in their seventh year of service.

"You see them on the street every day, not a few right here in Wichita Falls and hundreds in cities and towns throughout the country. Perhaps you mistake them for cars of recent production—how well they compare in performance to any car with which you measure them.

"Those who have had their Hudsons longest are perhaps our most ardent champions. They know it best. They have seen its easy mastery over every situation that can confront an automobile. Today their Super-sixes are giving service such as is literally beyond the capacity of many new cars that cost more.

"For these Hudsons that are now rolling up mileage toward their second 100,000 miles are the same car that set the world's stock car speed record, traveling at the rate of 102.53 miles an hour, that stood for five years. They are the same car that traveled 1819 miles in 24 hours, and in one continuous trip twice crossed the continent between San Francisco and New York in 10 days, 21 hours.

"Today the Hudson is even a better car—it is the new Hudson. Hudson retains all that has made it one of the country's largest selling fine cars and offers additional attractions as a real motor car value because of its lowered prices."

MOTOR DUST

Of Personal Interest to the Motoring Public and Dealers.

P. G. Putty was in Dallas and Fort Worth last week on business with the General Tire and Rubber Company.

Arthur Huff, of the Arthur Huff Motor Company, Oakland dealer, was in Tulsa, Okla., last week on business.

Mr. Gaston of the Lafayette-Gaston Motor Company of Dallas, was in the city on business with the local Lafayette dealer, Lloyd Weaver, last week.

Mr. Merritt, General Tire and Rubber Company representative for New Mexico and west Texas, with headquarters at El Paso, was here last week visiting the Dixie Tire Service Company for the purpose of getting ideas to carry back to dealers in his territory.

The Chevrolet dealer, Ben Lockhart, reports a new car load of cars on the track, which are very much needed.

The Lloyd Weaver Automobile Company report the following sales: A Hudson speedster, fully equipped to Mrs. Gladys Friedman; a Hudson speedster to J. H. Kennedy; an Essex coach to J. W. Rayzor and an Essex coach to T. W. Williams of Burkburnett.

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Factories May Set Another New High Mark This Month; Additional Plants Being Put Into Operation

By ROY C. HAYES
Universal Service Special Correspondent.

DETROIT, May 19.—Although the demand for automobiles continues in excess of production, manufacturers are preparing summer schedules which will result in a small decline in production early in June. With production facilities improved in nearly every plant and with various arteries of delivery available, production is making steady progress in catching up with the demand. Thousands of cars are leaving Detroit every day by rail, water and driveways.

There is little question but that production will reach the 370,000 mark for the month, topping all previous monthly marks. The seasonal decline which has not been felt so far this year will probably make its appearance early in June. A measureable reduction in output for that month is probable as a result.

However, production schedules already arranged for June seem to contradict statements that June will witness a slowing down. Ford, for instance, plans to make 6,750 cars a day during the coming month. This will be an increase of 212 cars and trucks a day over the daily grist for May.

In addition, Buick, Columbia, Dort and Maxwell plan to push production to new heights. Several others, including Hupp, Hudson-Essex and Dodge Brothers, who are now at capacity, intend to maintain the present schedule right through the summer.

Bodies continue to be the limiting factor on closed car production and glass the detriment of body production. So great has been the demand for closed cars that two new body companies have been organized in Detroit since the first of the month. They will produce closed car bodies almost exclusively.

The first is the Detroit Motor Body Corporation, Inc., with a capitalization of $100,000 of preferred stock and 800,000 shares of no par common stock, by a group composed of people both in and out of the automobile accessory groups. William Huriburt, formerly president of the Huriburt Motor Truck Company, has been chosen president. The corporation has taken over the Andrew C. Sisman plant and expects to get into production within four months. Walter Thompson, formerly associated with a London, England, coach builder, will be general manager, and Henry Brewster of Chicago the designer.

The Tripanses Manufacturing Company and the Everitt Brothers Corporation, automobile trimmers and top manufacturers, voted to consolidate the two concerns, putting the merger into immediate effect. Formation of a third company is pending.

Ford set another production record when the company made 29,303 cars and trucks during the week ended Tuesday night. This is 250 greater than the best previous week. The best day's output to date was reached May 9, when production totaled 6,615 cars and trucks. Lincoln output for the week ended Tuesday night was 185 cars, nine greater than the best previous week. Rickenbacker had a high day Tuesday when 73 cars were shipped.

Maxwell business for May will probably show an appreciable increase over the record for April, according to present outlook. Maxwell output ranges around 350 a day, with Chalmers running about 65 cars a day. Hupp is making about 190 cars daily with orders in advance of production. No revision in prices was made during the week and as I stated four weeks ago, no general change is expected in the near future.

The greatest safety drive in the history of Detroit opens today. An intensive campaign will be conducted by the police department, the Detroit Automobile Club and various other agencies to cut down accidents.

Europe to Show America How to Build Little Cars

Europe is coming to teach America how to build small cars.

The occasion will be the international 500-mile race to be held at Indianapolis on Decoration day. Then, for the first time since the war, foreign drivers will be at hand to take part in the event. South America, Italy, France, England and Germany will participate on an equal basis—if not more so—with the American drivers. And from these, engineers expect to learn much about the construction of the small car.

For this will be a small car race exclusively. The engine sizes are limited to 122 cubic inches piston displacement, quite a reduction from the 183-inch size of last year.

And who but the European engineers are greater experts at this kind of automobile? The war has made them so. High cost of fuel and machine parts have driven the foreign manufacturers to the smaller car. Now they have developed this motor to such a degree of perfection that America will have much to learn from them.

In the United States, not being so hard pressed for economy, the engineers have not exerted as much effort toward the construction of a smaller, more economical motor. But the demand for such cars has been increasing so steadily that it has finally come up for serious consideration on this side of the Atlantic.

The American cars this year will be motor freaks. They will have only one man each, the mechanic being eliminated, and they will be just wide enough in body to allow the driver to squeeze into place. From the radiator tip to the rear the whole car will be extremely streamlined to reduce wind resistance to a minimum.

What the European entries will look like is only a matter of conjecture. After the race, they will become subjects for investigation by American engineers.

How to effect further economies in motor car construction will be the chief problem, the solution of which is expected to come through the aid of these foreign cars. The Indnanapolis and other races have already helped considerably toward the perfection of engine and carburetor designs and the reduction of fuel consumption.

In these respects the Indnanapolis races are more than mere sporting events to the automobile driver. Their outcome points to the future development of the general run of automobiles seen on the roads today.

From the mechanical difficulties and experiences encountered on the race track will come the little corrections here and there that will make for better, more economical and cheaper automobiles in the future.

Eyesight Tests

Automobile drivers in France may have to undergo eyesight tests to insure against automobile accidents. A special committee, appointed by various medical associations here, has recommended to the government the adoption of such tests for all drivers, and the refusal of licenses to those suffering from certain eye troubles.

Cites Removal of Car Upholstery as Big Advantage

Frank Queisser, who has recently assumed the management of the Overland Sales Company here, has the following to say in regard to one of the most convenient features of the Overland.

"The Overland car is the only car being manufactured today having removable upholstery and those who drive Overlands realize and talk about the many advantages resulting from such an innovation," Mr. Quisser says.

"Today the automobile is the 'family car' and that application covers a multitude of phases in the everyday life of the average American family. While no one wants to ride in a car with the upholstering removed; there are times when the seat and back cushion of the tonneau can be taken out and the car used as a general carrier of household goods, without any damage being done to the upholstery.

"When moving day comes and the family are migrating from their city home to the country house or changing from one point of the city to another part, the tonneau of their Overland with upholstering removed can be readily utilized to convey many household articles. For the Overland owner who is perhaps using his car as much for business as he is for pleasure the same idea applies. The commercial traveler especially finds the removable upholstery a distinct asset. He can carry large sample cases, trunks, or grips and save the upholstering for pleasure trips only.

"For the farmer this feature is exceptionally serviceable. He can carry bags of grain, potatoes and other vegetables or crates of chickens and after the trip to the market he can wash the entire tonneau clean of all dirt. The method of binding the upholstering in place at the edge of the cushions and around the body is a high-class job on the Overland. A patent fastener is used which absolutely does away with the trouble found in upholsterers tacks, when the heads of these tacks fall off. The coil springs in Overland cushions are held in place at the bottom by metal strips which prevent their becoming displaced by handling and thus allow the corners of the springs to work through the fabric. The edges of the cushions are nicely padded for additional protection.

"Among the marked characteristics of the Overland, distinguishing it from all other cars are the triplex springs which give a riding ease equalled only by cars of much longer wheel base. The effect of these remarkable patented springs, combined with low seats, make the Overland an exceptionally comfortable car for long summer touring trips.

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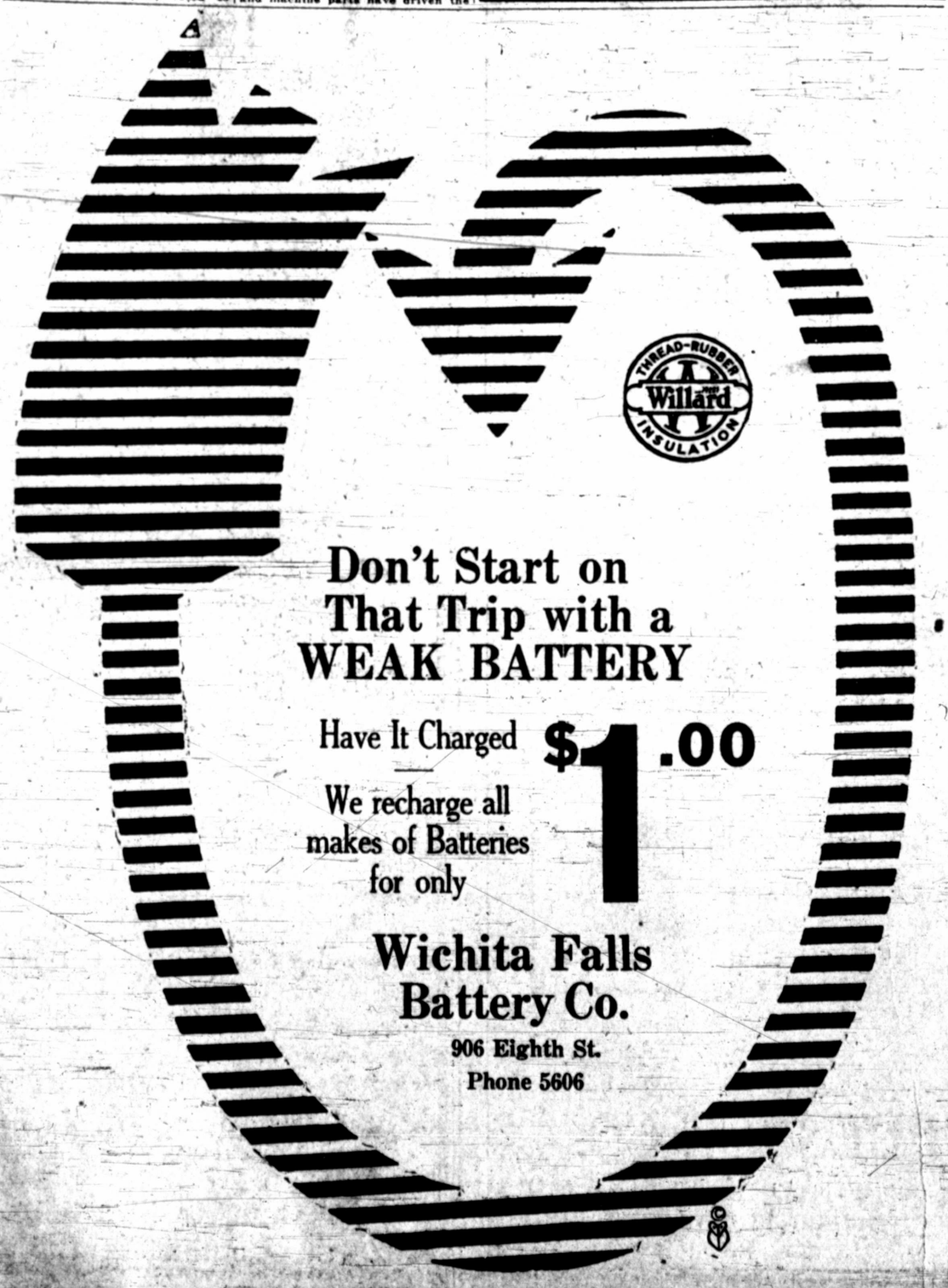

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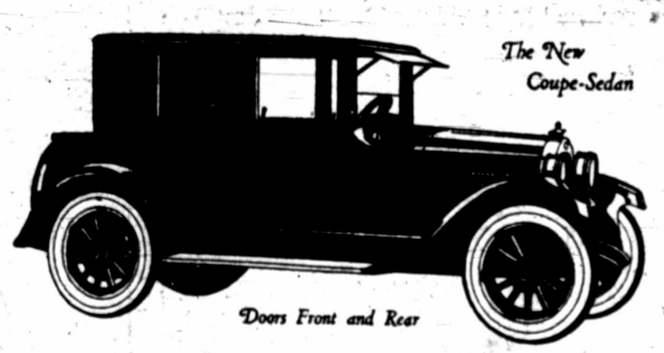

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Car's Big Part in Building Boom Is Important Factor

There is always something contagious about a building boom and the present nation wide renaissance of construction activity is no exception. There isn't a city or hamlet where folks are not keenly watching the emergence of one home after another, as previously barren land is transformed into captivating residential sections.

Each community invariably has slipped so far behind in its building operations that as soon as they are begun, every energy is directed toward rushing the work. This year, the belated spring has had its retarding influence, but now that the work is well under way, it is interesting to note the rapidity with which modern building operations are conducted.

One senses the speed and efficiency of the modern builder in the many instances where he employs the motor truck to save time and accelerate the entire scheme of construction activity. It begins as soon as the land is staked out—in fact, the surveyors are quite likely to arrive and depart by motor truck. Then comes the excavators and the earth they upturn is deftly picked up by the motor dump truck and quickly taken to the place where it can again be put to the most use.

The stone, sand, gravel and cement for the foundation is delivered by truck and while the masons are at work, the lumber, sheathing, flooring, trim, roofing, shingles, brick and other material arrive by automobile carries. Even when the house is ready for painting and occupancy, the painters and decorators are almost certain to bring their equipment by motor truck, thus cutting down their unproductive time and being of the most service at that period when their work is in greatest demand.

Much of the present building is being done in undeveloped sections, houses going up before streets are paved or even passable. To meet the situation many builders and building material dealers have found it practical to employ Pierce-Arrow dualvalve trucks to take the material over the open fields and deliver it directly on the homesite.

A fleet of Pierce-Arrows have been engaged in this service over several new building tracts in Brooklyn and Long Island, where new building is being conducted on a vast scale. The strength of the dual-valve engine has proven ample to disregard such thoroughfares as might not exist, and instead of delivering the material at the nearest roadside, the trucks run directly to the scene of the excavation, the material being unloaded in the exact spot where it can be most conveniently handled.

Builders recognize the commercial advantage of completing their structures while the housing demand is at its height and the motor truck is proving a versatile and valuable helper in overcoming delaying factors, thereby helping to make possible the early occupancy of those new dwellings for which the public has waited these many years.

THE MOTORISTS' PROBLEMS'

By WILLIAM H STEWART JR.

Motor Department: Is it injurious to use four dry cells with an induction coil designed for four volts?—C. N.

If a coil is described by the maker as a four-volt coil, it should be worked by two cells of a storage battery or four dry cells. The voltage of the latter will be somewhat higher, but since their internal resistance is also greater, the current delivered will be about the same. Most coils are made to operate on six volts.

Motor Department: If oil in crank case is not changed frequently what will be the result? Will bearings wear or burn out?—READER.

The oil will lose it lubricating qualities and engine will lose power. A thick muck will accumulate which will not circulate. The dirt and grit will get into the bearings and ruin them. Change the oil as often as recommended by the manufacturer, or at least every 1,000 miles, and avoid all this trouble.

Motor Department: I have a four cylinder roadster, compression perfect, cylinders smooth, rings fit fine, no leak. Climbs hills throttled down, can pull through sand on high, but oil gets by rings and out of exhaust without burning. Smokes when idle or slow; when up to twenty-five miles no smoke, but oil comes out just the same. Spark plugs wet with oil. Am using a medium grade oil, but changing oil does not seem to help trouble.—A. P.

Try a better grade of oil. Also lower the oil level in crank case if possible. You might change the connecting rod oil dipper slightly to reduce the amount of oil reaching the cylinders.

Motor Department: Please give me a remedy for squeaking brakes. —OWNER.

This is caused by brakes becoming too dry or badly worn. Also see that the brake band grips the drum with equal force at all points. Perhaps by peening the band on the drum or by a slight readjustment the trouble will be reduced. Sometimes it is advisable to reline the bands with a better grade of material.

Motor Department: Although the differential of my car is well lubricated, I cannot stop the singing. What can you suggest?—L. K.

It is very likely that the pinion gear on the end of the driving shaft is meshed too close to the master gear of the differential. The noise you speak of can be eliminated by moving the two gears slightly apart. Most cars are equipped with an adjustment so that the differential drive gears may be properly set.

Motor Department: I have a Buick four cylinder car and am bothered very much with its missing. At five to ten miles it perks and misses badly, ignition and firing system seems to be O. K. A garage man tells me it is due to the air adjusting spring in carburetor being stretched. Please advise me what you think is wrong, as it is very annoying.—READER.

The symptoms indicate carburetor trouble and would suggest that you install a new spring before incurring other expense.

Motor Department: There is a whistling noise and very little power in my 1917 Ford. I believe it to be an air leak in my inlet manifold. How can I locate it?—M. S.

A whistling noise usually indicates a leak in inlet manifold, and a hissing noise a leak from the exhause. Infect oil around joints of inlet manifold and see if it is drawn into the leak. Tighten all bolts. If noise does not stop remove both manifolds and replace the gaskets.

Motor Department: Please advise me how to adjust the bands on my Ford transmission. Where are they located and how can I tell when they are correctly adjusted?—OWNER.

The low speed adjustment can be made without removing the cover of the transmission case. Screw it up to the point where it takes hold without slipping when pedal is applied. If set up too tight the car will run forward when cranked. The reverse and brake adjustment are inside the case. Move pedal and tighten up the nut on the band you see moving.

Motor Department: What causes the gears to grind on my car and how can it be remedied? The car has been run about 4,000 miles and the gears drag more when putting them in first and second than when putting them in high and reverse. This is very annoying, as it causes such a disagreeable noise when starting off. Any information will be appreciated.—READER

Evidently your clutch does not release properly. This may be due to faulty adjustment. Also be sure that all the clutch parts are well lubricated. Sometimes a dry clutch thrust bearing or yoke will cause the trouble.

Motor Department: What is the cause of a greenish looking substance, presumably evaporated acid, collecting around the positive battery post where the starter wire terminal connects. This powdered substance collects almost as fast as I can clean it off. I have a hard time keeping my batteries charged. —A. P.

This is caused by the sulphuric acid from the cell creeping up the binding post and attacking the copper wire where it touches the lead post. Make sure that the cells do not leak around the posts. Fumes escaping from the cells at the vent caps will cause corrosion of the terminals. These must be cleaned from time to time and covered with vaseline.

HELPFUL HINTS

Keep your ear open for any noises from the engine so that the slightest change will be noticed. A loose connecting rod always gives plenty of warning and the careful driver will notice it and have repairs made as soon as possible.

An engine should not be permitted to labor even if it can be kept going. When running very slowly under a load the sudden blows acting against the resistance of the slow-moving crankshaft set up tremendous streeses that are unnecessary and very injurious.

The noise in the engine can often be reduced by installing new tappets in the valve lifters. These points are subjected to considerable wear and often wear to such an extent that the valve timing is affected.

Do not over-prime the engine. Gasoline does not vaporize readily at low temperatures. If over-priming is suspected it is well to open the compression reliefs to clear the cylinders.

When something seems to rattle around the body of your car and you don't know just what it is, get someone to hold the doors tight while you drive. If that stops the rattle, get some anti-rattlers for the door and apply them. One loose door will cause a lot of annoyance.

Limited Taxes Wanted

Automobiles ought to be taxed only so far as the revenue is spent for maintenance of improved highways and administration of state motor vehicle departments. This is advocated by the Motor Vehicle Conference Committee, representing various automobile organizations of the country. The state should be the sole taxing agency, the committee recommends.

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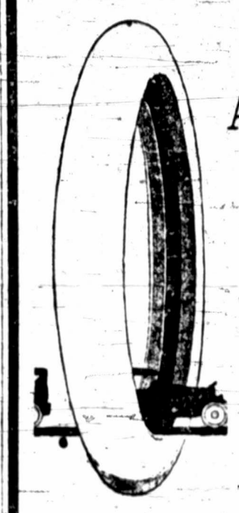

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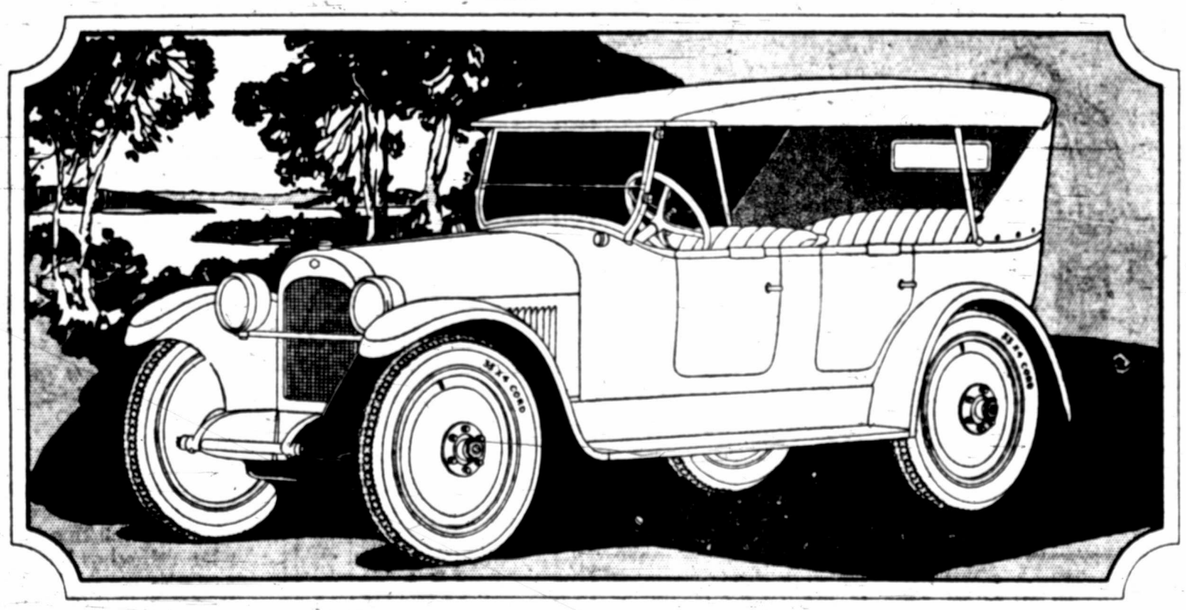

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Fisk Tire Agency Is Started Here, Sells to Dealers

The Fisk Tire Company, Inc., has established a wholesale branch in Wichita Falls, located at 702 Tenth street. Thus this territory receives the benefit of the Fisk policy of extending its direct srevice to the tire dealers wherever conditions make it economically possible.

"The demand for Fisk tires in this city and its contributing communities has grown rapidly, and the number of dealers has therefore increased sufficiently to require a factory branch," said Mr. Belt, the manager of the local house, last week.

"These branches sell to dealers only, and in addition to serving as the dealers source of instant supply, the organization at the branch is designed to furnish what is equivalent to factory contract on sales promotion, service and the coordination of all sales factors.

"Fisk dealers in Wichita Falls are now assured not only of almost instant service on special demands, but also are enabled to operate with the stock resources of a large enterprise, but only a comparatively small investment.

"The Fisk line is complete in every size and style of tire, for every use from the small, privately owned car up to the leviathan trucks which call for the huge 40x8 truck cords.

"The Fisk non-skid cord is the standard grade, supplemented by the Fisk Premier cord at a lower price. For specially heavy service and for large cars there is the Fisk flat-tread cord, a heavier tire in standard sizes which has made remarkable service records.

"For small cars on any road, good or bad, for any service including the most exacting demands under heavy loads, there is the Fisk Red-top, which is favorably known throughout the country and which appears on a great number of cars in and around Wichita Falls."

MOTOR DUST

Of Personal Interest to the Motoring Public and Dealers.

Buford Sharpe, of the Dixie Tire Service Company was confined to his bed several days last week. Futty says "too much golf."

The boys at the Lockhart Chevrolet Company started something when they built the "shop-made" sport model Mr. Lockhart says he is having calls right along for sport models.

Frank Quiesser has received a letter of congratulation last week from Al Booth, former manager of the Overland Motors Company here.

D. L. Fritz of the Fritz Motor Company says that business is good in the Marmon line, having made several sales last week.

Bill Cook and Hy Robertson of the Guarantee Tire Company have bedecked themselves in overalls and blue shirts just alike and promise the public better service than ever before at 811 Tenth Street.

Bill Robertson of the Parmenter Motor Company says that last Saturday's parade brought him three retail sales.

B. E. Segall of Dallas made the territory last week with Charles Morgan of the Cut Rate Tire Company in the interest of the Dayton and Howe tire companies. Mr. Segall is a brother of Gene Segall of the Cut Rate Tire Company.

Have 8,067 Scholastics

BRENHAM.—Washington county has a total of 8,067 boys and girls of school age, complete scholastic reports of the county show. This number includes both white and negro school children. The Brenham independent school district leads others in the county with a total of 1,310 scholastics. The census shows an increase of 14 students over last year, according to the county superintendent.

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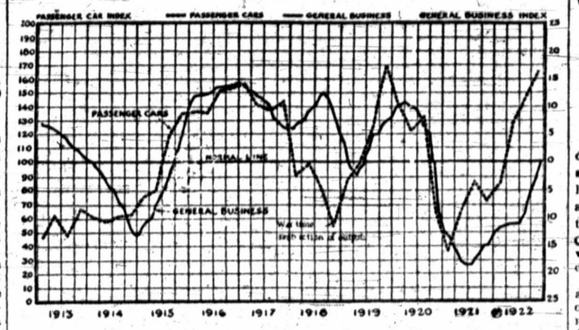

You can tell how business is developing by the demand for automobiles. This is shown by the chart above, comparing the rise and fall of automobile production with those of business.

The even trend of both business and auto production seems to have started in 1914. Until then there were factors of growth, seasonal fluctuations and development of a new business that kept the industry out of line with the general trend of business.

Except for the year or more when output had to be restricted during the war, the production of automobiles has led the general business trend by about three months.

Fireman 29 Years

McKINNEY.—John S. McKinney, chief of the local fire department, claims the distinction of being a member of the department for 29 years. The fire chief has been chief of police and fire marsha, in addition to his other duties for several years. He has served with the fire department all but seven years since its establishment. McKinney is former president of the Texas State Volunteer Firemen's Association.

Going to Canada

ABILENE, TEXAS, May 19.—Dr. George A. Klingman, dean of the school of Bible of Abilene Christian College, will leave here at the close of the present school term for Toronto, Canda, having resigned his position with the local school. Dr. Klingman will deliver the commencement sermon at Abilene Christian College on June 3.

Forty railroads are using motor buses on short lines.

Use of Oakland For Business Is Growing Steadily

Arthur Huff, local Oakland dealer, declares that the sale of two-passenger coupes and roadsters to large organizations for their sales and service departments has been the greatest in the history of the Oakland company, according to advices from the sales manager of the company.

"It is said that these cars increase as much as 25 per cent the number of calls made in the city and as much as 50 per cent in the rural districts and small towns. They are economical because they increase sales," declared Mr. Huff.

"Incidentally, too, we are told that the use of passenger cars by salesmen strengthens the morale of the sales organization, and the self-respect of the salesmen makes them like their positions better, and often gains for them a greater respect from their customers.

"The general opinion seems to be to standardize on one make of car, noted for performance, endurance and economy, and keep these cars in the same station, with repair men always on hand to keep the cars tuned up. This has been found more profitable than to encourage salesmen to purchase motor cars and allow them so much per mile, as it enables the company to keep closer tabs on the cars at all times. This system also allows the more economical purchasing of insurance, tire, tubes, gasoline, oil, etc. through one central organization."

Republic Line Is Now Adaptable To Every Purpose

"The Republic Tire Company at last is in a position to offer a complete line to the public, with the introduction of the Eagle cord and the New Republic cord, interchangeable at attractive prices, with fibers for light cars—we have a tire for every car and every pocketbook," declared Mr. Thomas at the local Republic tire dealers last week.

"Throughout this entire line the Republic high quality is maintained but it is not enough to put out a product of superior quality, the company demands that their dealers all over the country be dependable, courteous and efficient.

"We agree, absolutely that this is just as important as having a high quality tire to offer the public and endeavoring to "practice what we preach," we make a special effort to live up to those three words, 'dependable, efficient and courteous' in the very highest degree," declared Mr. Thomas.

Adapting Diesel Engine to Autos, Saving Claimed

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—A miniature Diesel engine designed to propel automobiles for great distances at a nominal cost with the elimination of the present gear shifts has been perfected by engineers of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Company here, it was announced here today by Joseph J. Tynan, vice-president and general manager of the corporation on the coast.

"The engine will propel a small automobile 50 miles on 2½ cents worth of fuel," Tynan said. "It is already in operation at our plant. One of the smallest size, about 50 horsepower, was installed in an old automobile of standard make. We have run it several months and have eliminated all of the difficulties that originally appeared.

"The fuel burned is a light oil, the same as that now used in naval submarines."

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A New Fisk Wholesale Branch for Wichita Falls

The Fisk Tire Company, Inc., has established and is now operating a factory branch in Wichita Falls at

702 Tenth Street

This is in pursuance of its policy of constantly extending the benefit of its direct wholesale service to dealers.

This step was taken because the satisfaction Fisk Tires are giving car owners in this section has so increased the demand and expanded the list of Fisk dealers that closer contact is essential in supplying their needs.

The new Fisk Branch will carry at all times a full stock of all types of Fisk Tires and Tire Sundries—which, of course, will be sold to dealers only.

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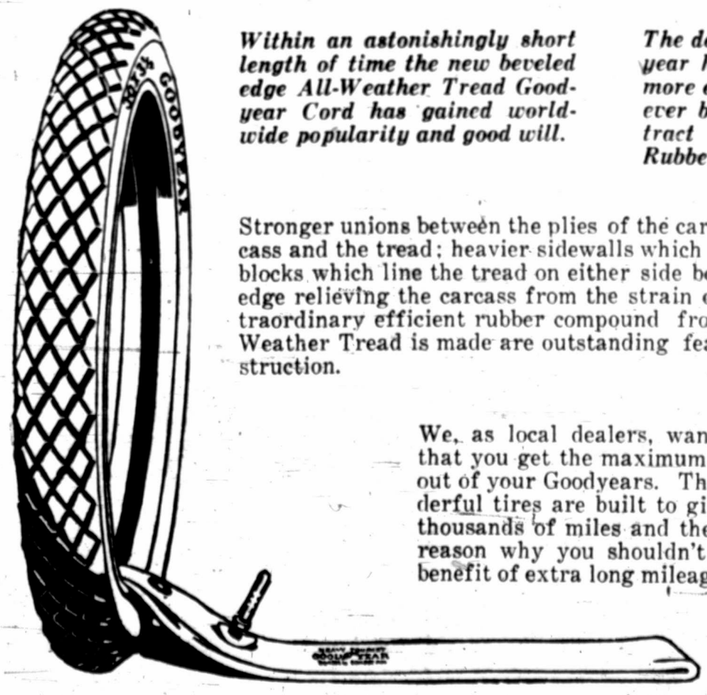

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Sincerity Is What Makes Men Trusted and Saved, Judge Kay Tells His Bible Class Sunday

"David" was Judge John C. Kay's subject last Sunday in his talk to his Methodist Bible class at the Olympic Theater. Sincerity was the attribute that David had, that made him great and beloved, Judge Kay said. His lecture follows:

KAY

I can imagine at the creation of the world and on the eighth day, after the high gods had said: "Let us make man in our image," after they had put water in the earth, and fire, and frost and rain, and the storm clouds, and the wild beasts in the jungles, that one of them said: "But, who shall guard man? Who shall protect him? Who shall cover him from the frost? Who shall save him from the flood? Who shall keep from him the heat of summer and the winds of winter? Who shall watch over him and save him from the wild beasts?" And, then, one great one said: "Against all these, and for him, we will put mother love in the world to guard him, to protect him, to watch with infinite jealousy and care over his welfare."

Looking a long ways back, on a moonlight night, when the moonshine lit up the southwestern slopes of Ararat and of Sinai, and in that desert country, we can hear the low growl of the lion, we can hear the sharp cry of the leopard, and steadily, quietly, we can hear the low, hoofbeat of a little donkey, and on that donkey, a woman, and in her arms, a little bundle, a mother carrying in great flight the little infant Savior through the desert to Egypt, to escape the wrath of Herod. What a great thing is the great mother. They are producers of the race and all that civilization can claim, and all the fine things that we can boast, and especially, all that is tender and loving and faithful in our natures, has come from that source. So, I pay my humble tribute to them here this morning, as much as any of you, touching in my own heart a sanctum sanctorum that I can scarcely dare to enter for personal speaking.

Now, we come to the lesson of this man David. We have got to learn the secret of his greatness, the secret of his importance in the world.

Once in a while here and there, perhaps by choice, perhaps by chance, there is one born into a community, into a state, into a nation, to which a whole people is attracted, as by a magnet.

Why was it that men loved David more than they loved themselves? Why was it that even Jonathan who, by law, was entitled to the crown, would say, "Let David have it rather than me"? Why was it that his soldiers stayed with him, and his friends stayed with him, and God stayed with him? Because, he had one virtue that great men have and, if you would be great and fine in your sphere of life, you must, must have that virtue. What was it? Sincerity! David wasn't perfect. He would fall from time to time into sin, and into wrong and into shame, but, with all that, he was great because the tide of life beat strong in him. That's what makes the difference in men. You find, here and there, a man whose pulses are just throbbing with life, ready to do and to dare, and to undertake and to accomplish anything that offers to do. Such was this boy. Such was this man.

Now, what was his preparation? His preparation wasn't altogether in the courts and in the camps. I see how he could have learned many of his virtues and many of his fine points, and the thought and the trend of them under fine conditions and fine scenes. But, when he said: When I consider the heavens, and the stars, and all thy handiwork, what is man that thou art mindful of him, or the son of man that thou visitest him. He learns that.

When he was a sheep herder out in the fields, and in the deserts, and when he said "He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside still waters." Ah, he learns that in the most lowly of all occupations.

What was it then that helped to make him great? It is because, as the musicians would say, he had run the whole gamut of life. He was not a man that played upon one string, and in one pitch, and one note, but, he was a soldier, and a poet, and a sheep herder, and more, and most of all, a king; and, one of the finest kings that the world ever saw.

I said that his greatness consisted in his sincerity. Now, he wasn't a fellow that said: I have lived right and I have done right and I am going to draw my cloak of righteousness about me. He never once said that to God or to man. But, after these sins were committed, he went down on his knees and prayed, and prayed, and prayed, and confessed his sins, and you will find no sin that he didn't confess, and no sin that he didn't repent, and no sin that the didn't ask forgiveness for. That's the difference between David's sins and a lot of other people's sins.

You will hear a great many people say: "He was a great sinner," and "He did things that I wouldn't do and that nobody ought to do." Yes, that's true, but that just shows the infinite power and the infinite mercy of God who can hear a man like that, that came to him with a broken and contrite heart, and asks for forgiveness. That's the thing that made him great. Because he acknowledged his imperfection and sought forgiveness. Almost half of his writings are a plea and a prayer for forgiveness for his wrong and his sin. He was big enough to do that. That's the reason he was a man after God's own heart.

I don't know whether God has thought, or dreamed, or planned that you and I were going to be perfect beings; perhaps, if He had intended that, He would have kept us in Heaven in the first place, but we are down here, as I think, among other sinful men, and He has not said that He is going to keep me pure and without sin. He hasn't said that to me or to you, as I understand the Bible, but He does say: If you have sinned, I have opened up a way, bloodless and bright, whereby you may be cleansed from your sins. That's the kind of religion I believe in, and that's the only kind I know that will do me any good. Not that I shall be perfect, but that I know where there is a fountain for my cleaning and for yours, if the stain comes upon you. Such is the teaching of Christ. Such was the belief of David.

Now, people have these heroes. There is bound to be something important, something great, about a hero, that everybody loves. There is bound to be much in such a man that attracts everybody, be he sinner or be he saint. There is bound to be. I remember how my heart, as a little boy, was attached to that great fellow Steerforth in David Copperfield's great story. Ah, what a fine, fine boy he was, thought I, as a little boy, and I think so yet, with all his imperfections, and his sins, and his shortcomings. How fine and attractive he was.

How are you going to be attractive? By being sincere. If you want men to believe in you, you let them know that you are a man that will stand hitched; that you are going to put the truth right over the center of the plate every time. How to be sincere? Let them know that you are a man that when you are at fault, will acknowledge it. I heard a fellow say not long ago: "I never apologized to anybody in my life." Well, I said to myself, that's not any boast. That's just the flag of a fool run up at the head of the mast. What ought you to say? The boast that I would like to make in Wichita Falls—I don't believe I will ever be able to make it, but I would like to be able to jump upon the stump and say: Nobody ever called on me for an apology in my life.

Can you acknowledge it when you are wrong? That's the stuff that David was made of. Can you go with a contrite spirit and seek forgiveness when you are wrong, confessing you are wrong? That's the way he was made up. Sincerity! He didn't claim to be something that he was not. He didn't boast about himself, but he just goes on and lives his life openly and sincerely, up one day and down the next, like you, but telling the truth and coming clean, seeking forgiveness for his errors and plunging onward and upward toward his high goal to be a man after God's own heart.

Now, it takes courage to do that. It is mighty easy to claim that we are always right. Now, the next time you get right set in your determination that the other fellow is wrong and you are right, and that you can't be wrong, I want you to remember that King David, in a hundred places, acknowledged that he was wrong. I want you to remember, too, Oliver Cromwell, who led an army that never lost a battle, continually confessed that he was wrong. I want you to remember George Washington, and Grant, and Lee, and Jackson, often confessed that they were wrong. It takes sincerity to do that, and it takes something even larger than sincerity. It takes courage to do it. And sincerity is the thing that calls, and calls, and calls for courage, and demands it in every walk of life.

A fellow goes out here to be something that he is not. What does that word "hypocrite" mean? You have heard a lot about it all your life. What does it mean? It is a Greek word and means play actors. That is, fellows on the stage, doing something that is just mere make-believe. There is no sincerity in the play, and none in the Greek word hypocrite, and none in any of us that try to be something that we are not. David didn't do that. None of these great men did it. Even the mean ones didn't.

I heard one fellow say, he wished his boy would be a Sam Houston or a Sam Bass. Now, what did he mean by that? He just meant that he wanted his boy to be strong, not one of these lukewarm, indifferent fellows that follows the crowd, but he wanted him to take his stand and be strong. That's all he meant. He didn't mean literally that he wanted him to be a Sam Bass.

Every once in a while you will hear a man say: "I have got a bad boy." Hear me, father! Hear me, mother! About these little fellows, that you call bad boys. Don't ever put a yardstick on a boy to measure him. It isn't the right time to measure him. But wait, and wait, until he comes to a better maturity. Many a man has fallen out with his boy and become estranged from him at a time when the boy was not to be measured; when, at his age he was not to be censored. Maybe it is the wild bubblings of youth. Maybe it is the strong tide of youth running in him. Don't measure him when he is young, but wait until he is more matured.

David was sincere. He was something more than that, and that's what makes men love him.

Who is the big fellow in the New Testament that is more like you than anybody you will find in there? It's Peter. Why, right on the eve of the crucifixion, he takes a sword and cuts off a fellow's ear and goes back on the Master right after shouting for him, and he will cuss a little sometimes, and yet, they gave him the keys of heaven, and said upon that rock the church should be built, because Peter was human.

Hear me, men! Hear me, women! Don't shut up your heart and shut up your soul and try to cease to be a human being. We are all fellow travelers, going down the road that isn't very long. There are not any great differences among us. There is not much difference in the situation of people in this life. I never felt that I was anything more than an ordinary human and a yoke fellow with other men that were walking by his side down this road that I have said was short.

David was human and you will find that the greatest men were human. The Master went around to the common people and that was one of the charges against Him, that He associated with the common folks. That's one of the serious charges in the indictments that they brought against Him, that He eats with sinners. How He could eat in this country, or any other country, without eating with sinners passes my comprehension, but that's the charge that the over-righteous brought against Him, and were published. Why, that man will associate with anybody, and so will I. I am never afraid, thank God, that anybody is ever going to contaminate me, or corrupt me. The only man I am afraid of is myself. I can go down any street, or up any alley, as far as other people are concerned, if I can keep command over myself, and so can you, as I think and as I like to believe.

Now, the thing that made David great was not the shouting of the army, nor the rustle of the battle flags, nor the dust of the battle, nor the music of his poetry. It is not these, nor any of these. But, the thing that made him great, and helped him to climb the "Great world's alter stairs," were these common, ordinary, every-day-in-the-week virtues that I have tried to talk to you about, like sincerity and like the effort to be human.

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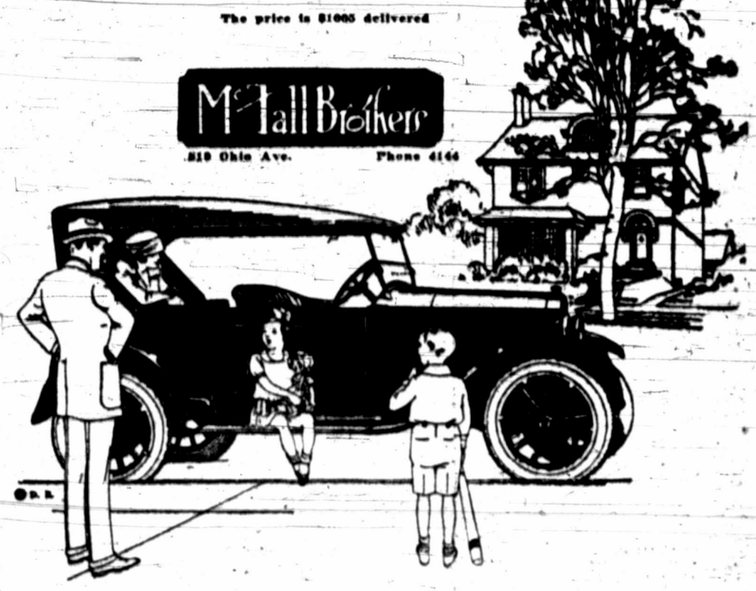

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Retail sales of passenger cars in Detroit during months of February and March. Figures taken from May 5th issue of Motor Age.

	Feb.	March
FORD	1507	2839
CHEVROLET	386	1146
BUICK	131	423
STUDEBAKER	153	387
HUPMOBILE	164	316
DODGE	62	185
STAR	58	179
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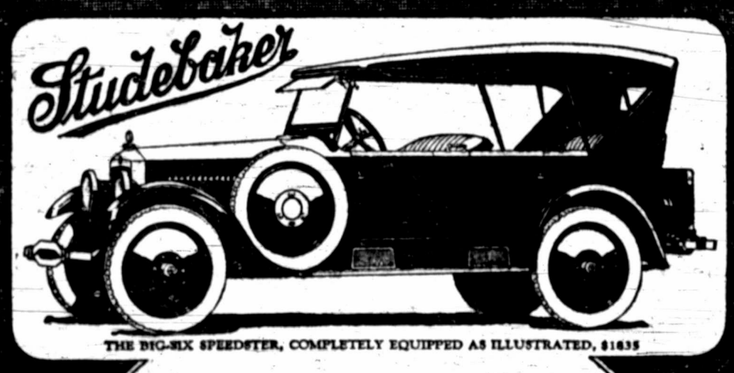

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They Have Twenty-five Restaurants, Twenty Banks, Four Theatres and Sixty Bookstores—Will the Germans and Russians Combine? The Wonderful Growth of Berlin—It is now Twice as Big as Philadelphia and Half Again as Large as Chicago—Changes Which Are Enraging the Kaiser—A visit to His Palace Where the Paintings and Furniture Were Stolen—A New Use for Sauerkraut.

CARPENTER'S WORLD TRAVELS
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BERLIN.—Berlin is growing faster than the gourd of old Jonah which came up in a night, shading the prophet as he lay nursing his grouch against the east wall of Nineveh. Notwithstanding the poverty, destitution, and almost despair, which hang over it in clouds so thick that no silver lining is visible, the city is one of the live municipalities of Europe. It thrives on misfortunes. The invasion of the Ruhr has caused many to flee to Berlin. Tens of thousands have come here from Alsace-Lorraine, and multitudes from that part of Silesia taken over by Poland, and from Latvia and Esthonia where the estates of the German Balts have been divided among the peasants. Something like a half million refugees have come in from Russia, and the total influx is such that the city has increased more than fifty per cent since the world war began. Berlin is now half again as large as Chicago, twice the size of Philadelphia, and next to New York and London among the cities of the world. The present population is estimated at four and one-half millions, and this means an addition of more than seven hundred thousand within two or three years.

P. G. Carpenter

The Russian Invasion.

So far the greatest invasion has been that of the Russians. With the revolution that overthrew the czar, the middle and upper classes had to flee for their lives and a great part of them came to Germany. They brought their jewels and other valuables, and settled in the different cities but in Berlin more than anywhere else. Indeed, some sections here have been Russianized and among these the most fashionable quarters which were formerly occupied by rich Germans and Jews who are now practically paupers. This is especially so of the famous street known as Kurfurstendamm which runs through Charlottenburg. Kurfurstendamm had formerly so many rich jews that the motor bus line running through it was called the "Palestine Express." The nickname has now been changed to the "Trans-Siberian Express," and the name of the street to "Neppski Prospekt," a caricature of the famous Nevski Prospekt, the main avenue of Petrograd. The word "nepp" is slang for overcharge.

Before the war Berlin had only one Russian bookstore. Now it has sixty and every day new ones spring up out of nothing. They are usually small stores and luxury shops where the Russians make their appointments and buy a book on the side. Some of the larger bookstores have shelves and counters filled with Russian books, newspapers, and magazines. The books are beautifully printed in the Greek script and wonders of topography and pictorial well illustrated, and are in fact art in these days after the war. Some magazines are printed in colors and some contain pictures of Boris Grigoriev, the Russian artist whose portraits are attracting world-wide notice, and especially in Berlin and Paris. The prices of the magazines and books seem ridiculously cheap to the foreigner. There are a dozen or more Russian publishing houses and the books they are getting out surpass any now printed in Germany.

Both nations are now on their uppers and are ready to work for wages one tenth or one twentieth those of the United States. They can manufacture goods so cheaply that no tariff we can enact will be high enough to keep out their products and neither nation is scrupulous as to the means by which it accomplishes its ends. We talk much of the "Yellow Peril," including therein the Japanese and Chinese, but should we not have a greater fear of this peril, consisting of a quarter of a billion Russians and Germans with an understanding of modern methods and the use of modern machinery?

I spent yesterday on Kurfurstendamm, going from one establishment to another and making notes of the business. There are from fifteen to twenty Russian banks, four Russian theatres, and seven film companies. There are a large number of Russian movies and dance halls, and a high school of music. There is a vodka factory, and a score or more of export undertakings which are doing business with Soviet Russia. There are Russian unions for doctors, lawyers, and engineers, and sport clubs of various kinds. There are hundreds of small stores where gold, diamonds and other jewelry are bought from private persons to be sold again, and there are picture galleries, antique stores, clothing stores, and shops for the sale and repair of automobiles.

Twenty-Five Restaurants.

Berlin has now 25 Russian restaurants of considerable size, and so many small eating places devoted to the Russians that it is difficult to count them. It has numerous cafes where these people crowd together about tables, drinking tea and eating cakes while they discuss politics, present and future. I lunched at one of the best of the restaurants the other day. It was in the fashionable quarter, was as well furnished as any first class restaurant in New York, and the bill of fare would cover half a page of this newspaper. I had my interpreter and secretary with me and we were about the only people in the room besides the Russians. We took the regular lunch and had, for 10 cents, a meal that could not be bought at any good restaurant in New York for less than two dollars. The lunch began with a Russian salad, which was followed by a delicious, clear soup, with croquettes of fish a la Russe. After this came some chopped veal fried with potatoes, and then a dessert. We had, in addition, three cups of excellent coffee and I drank three glasses of port as per my doctor's orders. All added together, including the waiter's fee, brought the total sum for the three people up to 50 cents, or less than 17 cents each.

Prosperous Amid Paupers.

I am surprised at the apparent prosperity of the Russians. Those who eat at the tables near me in this restaurant were better dressed than the average well-to-do German, and those I have met in the streets have an air of wealth which I do not see in other parts of the city. There are, of course, poor Russians, but there are many comparatively rich. They have made their money out of the rise and fall of the mark and in taking advantage of a financial situation which corresponds to that of Russia in the first days of bolshevism. They had witnessed the fall of the rouble and believed the mark would go the same way. Therefore they turned their diamonds, pearls and other belongings into foreign moneys and bought foreign securities. They bought, also, palaces, apartment buildings and other concrete German properties, making small cash payments and giving notes in marks for the balance. Their debts decreased as the mark fell and as a result they have secured this real estate for a song. A little more than a year ago, when the marks was two or three hundred to the dollar, the Germans thought it had reached bottom, but the Russians said it should have been some thousands to the dollar long before that and they made their speculations accordingly.

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Billboards are still barred in Berlin, but the city fathers now sell advertising privileges on light poles and mail boxes. Mr. Carpenter is here reading the posters on one of the hundreds of iron towers placed at street corners and rented to advertisers.

These Russians stick together and form a little community of their own. When asked about soviet Russia they will throw up their hands and tell you of the hardships they have undergone, saying they believe bolshevism will soon disappear and Russia be again on its feet. They patronize their own theaters and concerts, where the language is Russian; they applaud the Russian actors and singers, and still live, as it were, in the land of the czar.

Russia and Germany.

The Russians and Germans have closer business relations than many people imagine. The Krupps are manufacturing agricultural machinery for Russia, and nearly every other large factory I have visited has more or less Russian trade. The Borsig works in Berlin are making locomotives and cars for the soviet railways, and some German capital is being invested in Moscow and Petrograd. I spent some time in Russia before the world war, and found then that my German carried me farther than any other language. I met German merchants in nearly every city, and in many cases they had intermarried with the Russians and established permanent homes. The Germans have always given longer credits to the Russians than have the merchants of any other nationality, and as a result they have made for themselves a large place in the economic and mercantile life of the people. All this was destroyed by the bolshevists, but the tangled threads still exist and if a stable Russia should come they may be straightened out into the live wires of an international business.

The German-Russian Peril

Indeed, a business combination of Russia and Germany is one of the economic possibilities of the far future. There are 60,000,000 Germans and 180,000,000 Russians, or more than 240,000,000 in all. The Russians are industrious. They learn new trades quickly and as imitators are equal to the Japanese. The Germans are experts in science and business organization, and in building up foreign trade. If the two should work together it would seem they might accomplish the economic mastery of the world, especially as Germany has all the outlets by sea that Russia needs, and Russia the enormous resources, agricultural and mineral, and the great labor forces which can be so well exploited by Germany. As I write this I hear that the Krupps have leased 68,000 acres in the Don region for 36 years, which they intend to develop with machinery made at Essen. The territory is to be colonized by Germans and the Krupps agree to bring in one half of the workers. The land cannot be let except to employes of Krupp. The rent is to be paid in kind, giving the Russians from 10 to 15 per cent of the harvest.

The New Berlin

The rapid growth of the population is crowding Berlin to bursting. The city has been underbuilt for years and at no time has it been more crowded than now. Founded almost 200 years before Columbus discovered America, it had only 6,000 at the end of the Thirty Years War, and only 20,000 when Frederick the Great came to the throne. At the time of our Civil War it had half a million, and when the Germans conquered the French in 1870, it was larger than the Boston of today. The big indemnity received from France gave it a boom, and since then it has steadily grown until it now is by far the largest city on the continent of Europe.

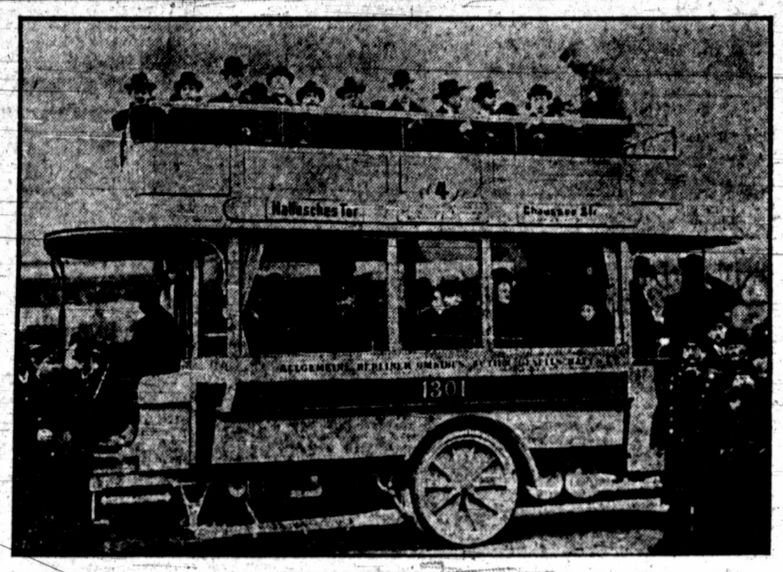
Today, notwithstanding the poverty, the bad currency, and the socialistic rent laws, buildings are going up in different parts of the city, and many of the large structures are being heightened to accommodate the business and living conditions. More than eighty years ago it was said that eight hundred families were without shelter and when the Franco-Prussian war closed something like six hundred families were living in public buildings. About the time Kaiser Wilhelm came to the throne I made a survey of the poorer quarters of Berlin. The town then had about two millions, and there were tens of thousands living in cellars. I was told that less than three thousand heads of families had at that time a whole house to themselves, and from then on the crowded conditions have steadily increased.

Berlin is a city of apartment houses. The buildings are usually of five or six stories, sky-scrapers being forbidden by the municipal regulations. In the basements one often finds cobblers, butchers, and grocerymen, while in the courts on the ground floor every imaginable business goes on, families living in narrow quarters and working at trades for their living. I remember one house in which I found four hundred families, comprising almost two thousand people. The building covered half an acre and it was only five stories high.

How the City Is Changing.

Everywhere one goes in Berlin he finds evidence of the revolution brought about by the war. In the times of the kaiser the sky line of almost every street was even throughout. The city regulated the height of the buildings, and one could not build a dog kennel without sending in the plan and specifications to the municipal architects. Today they are adding stories in all parts of the town and some of the streets begin to look like the ragged teeth of a ten year old boy. The Deutsche bank, which covers something like ten acres of ground, has until now been only five stories high, but it is covered with scaffolding and they are raising the roof for additional room. Similar building goes on everywhere. The town is trying to lift itself as it were by the bootstraps, and is gradually rising into the air.

Another conspicuous change is in the look of the streets. Under the kaiser everything was kept spick and span. A man might be arrested for throwing paper on the street, and the posting of bills on the walls was "am strengstens verboten." Today paper and scraps are to be seen even on Unter den Linden, and there are garbage piles here and there, each with its crowd of hungry scavengers looking for bits of fuel or food. The city fathers sell advertising privileges for the lamp and electric light posts and for the windows of the branch post offices and even the mail boxes on the streets. The mail wagons are decorated with advertisements, and announcements of pink pills for pale people hit one in the face as he makes his change at the stamp window. Indeed, the day may come when the postmaster will strut about as a sandwich man. So far no bill boards have been allowed. The circular towers made of iron, on which advertisements are pasted, still decorate the street corners and the advertisements there are often changed every day.



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During the past week I have visited by motor bus all parts of Berlin. The city is growing faster than the gourd of old Jonah and is now half again as large as Chicago.

In the Emperor's Palace.

I venture the kaiser would hop up and down in his rage if he could see what is being done to his palace. I mean especially that at the foot of Unter der Linden in which he spent the greater part of the time. That great building has been given over to the people. It is now used chiefly as a museum and as offices for city officials and others. For one-fourth of a cent one may go in and wander about as he pleases. This is the charge for the Germans. Foreigners pay ten times as much but the tourists rate is less than a nickel and I do not complain.

When I visited this palace two decades ago I had to put on felt slippers and was warned to speak under my breath. Now one may go through the palace in hob-nailed shoes without objection, and something like ten thousand often visit it in a day. There are guides if you want them, and they make their comments without fear or favour. My guide referred to some changes made by Frederick the Second when a German student broke in and said, "Why do you say Frederick the Second? Why don't you call him Frederick the Great, as he is set down in history?" Thereupon the guide replied with a sneer, "The title is of minor importance. We can now say that we please about these kings and queens. Sometimes I say Frederick the Great and sometimes I say Frederick Second. It is just as I please. What is the difference, anyhow?"

The Socialists Stole the Furniture.

I wish I had space to describe the beauties of the palace. It has one room covering a fourth of an acre, the decorations of which cost about one million dollars. The arched ceiling is a mass of gold carving, and you see your face in the polished parquet flooring. It was here that the great dances were held and here, also, after the opening of the Reichstag, the members came to be received by the emperor. The room then had fine Oriental rugs but these were stolen in 1918 when the revolutionaries had charge of Berlin. They took possession of the palace and when they left many paintings had been cut from the walls, and valuable art works had disappeared.

A New Use for Sauerkraut.

I passed through the dining room into a long vaulted corridor, walled with French tapestries, valued at about five thousand dollars a square foot. This valuation was recently put on them by an expert of the Metropolitan Museum in New York. It would make them worth about a half million dollars a picture.

Most of these tapestries looked old and some a bit dirty, but one stood out as new as when it came from the loom. I looked at the label and saw that it was made in 1775, one year before our Declaration of Independence was signed. I asked the guide how it had been kept in such a beautiful state of preservation. The man replied that the director in charge of the palace had cleaned the tapestry with raw sauerkraut. He had rubbed the whole, an area of more than fifteen square feet, with uncooked, well fermented kraut, and the result is that the color has come back as when new. Since then I have asked some well posted Germans if this can be true, and am told that such cleaning with fermented cabbage is frequently done, the chemical action of the sauerkraut apparently reviving and restoring the colors.

Frank G. Carpenter

Next Sunday Mr. Carpenter goes "Behind the Scenes in the Capital of Germany" and tells you strange stories of the people he saw there and the queer things they were doing to keep themselves alive under present conditions.

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