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YOUTH DIES UNDER TRAIN'S WHEELS

Series of Tragic Deaths and Violent Accidents Mar Holiday

BROKEN SKULL COSTS LIFE OF OTTO ALLEN, 28

Falling Elevator Crushes Out Life Of Oil Well Worker

WIFE, FIVE CHILDREN

Funeral Arrangements Held Up Sunday Night By Relatives

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Feb. 13.—Otto Allen, 28, an oil field worker employed by Frank Baldwin of this city, was almost instantly killed about 4:30 p. m. Sunday when he was struck by falling elevators on the Baldwin et al, Waggoner well, a wildcat, five miles south of here.

Allen was working on the floor of the derrick, it is said, and did not see the steel elevators in time to leap to safety. His head was crushed.

Until two weeks ago Allen was employed by the State Barber shop in Electra, going to the oil fields because of the high standard of wages paid oil field workers, it is said. He moved to Electra about a year ago from Nocona.

Allen is survived by his widow and five children. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

J. A. GAFFORD INJURED IN OIL WELL BLAST.

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Feb. 13.—A. J. Gafford, 49, was seriously injured about 1 p. m. Sunday when a leaking gas valve caused an explosion at a well on the Rio Bravo lease, three miles south of Electra.

Gafford, who is foreman of the lease, was superintending the pulling of a crank shaft on a 25 horse power Superior engine. A heavy piece of steel from a piston of the engine struck his left leg in the explosion, breaking the bone in two places.

He was taken to the Wichita Falls Clinic hospital in a Totten Brothers ambulance.

CHILDRESS TOT INJURED BY FATHER'S AUTO

Special to The Record News.

CHILDRESS, Feb. 13.—Billy Hudson, two-year-old son of Gus Hudson, was seriously injured late Sunday afternoon when an automobile which his father was driving backed over the child.

Hudson was backing the car out of the garage, preparatory to taking the family for a pleasure ride. He did not see his son back of the car.

The right rear wheel of the car passed over the boy's chest. Physicians, Sunday night, held out little hope for the child's recovery.

SALVAGE SUPPLIES

Million Pounds of Old Equipment Brought to Fort Bliss.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.(AP)—A million pounds of surplus supplies which have been lying 11 years at the Columbus, N. M., base of the Pershing punitive expedition into Mexico in quest of the late Pancho Villa have been salvaged by army wagon trains and conveyed to the quartermaster depot at Fort Bliss. The movement represents the redistribution of these stores by hauling them 92 miles, nine round trips of trains numbering as high as 80 wagons of the first cavalry division having been made.

BIG JEWEL HAUL

Thieves Carry off $10,000 Jewels at Hillsboro.

HILLSBORO, Texas, Feb. 13. (AP)—One of the heaviest individual losses from burglary in the history of Hillsboro was recorded here this morning when local authorities discovered that sometime Saturday night or early Sunday morning, thieves had climbed to the awning in front of the J. E. Pennington Jewelery store and cutting the glass from a window entered the place and took about $10,000 worth of jewelry and cash from the safe. The knob was knocked from the safe.

STINESS SPEAKS

Major to Address National Guard Banquet Monday.

DALLAS, Feb. 13.(AP)—Major Henry W. Stiness, U. S. A., is to be the principal speaker at a banquet of company E, 144th infantry, Texas national guard, to be held at 8:30 o'clock Monday night at the Adolphus hotel. Col. Holman Taylor, Fort Worth, commanding officer of the 144th infantry, will be present.

Capt. Clayton P. Kerr is commanding officer of the company.

Youths Today Hold Command

Noted Woman Evangelist Decries Pessimism of Reformers

(The following article on "The Youth of Today" was written for the Chicago Herald and Examiner and Universal Service by Aimee Semple McPherson.)

AIMEE SEMPLE McPHERSON
Famous Evangelist of Los Angeles.

LANCASTER, Pa., Feb. 13.—The youth of today is as intelligent, brilliant, active—in fact, more so, I think, than the youth of any other century.

Isn't it a fact that a few years ago practically all the business places were owned by middle aged or elderly people? Yet today there are the most surprisingly young people at the heads of great business concerns and financial projects. In other words, this is essentially a young people's age.

The youth of today does not worry me for one moment. I take absolutely no stock in the harangue of the pessimists who say the youth of today is going to the dogs. Their environment and circumstances are different from those of a century ago, and the modern youth is pursuing different lines of endeavor than before; but underneath the heart, the mind, the desire for truth, morality and the old-time religion is just as great as ever.

Youth today is like a great, rushing Niagara with all the power in the world, which must be spent in one way or another. Niagara Falls flowed on for years, and people said what a waste of water, yet how beautiful. Then one day somebody conceived the idea of making that mighty force turn wheels of industry.

Church Must Enlist 'em

So it is with the young people of today. There is no use calling them hopeless or beyond reach. The thing to do is to turn all that energy into a channel that will turn the wheels of the church.

The reason young people do not go to church is because other things are made so much more appealing. The thing for us to do is mend our ways. The churches are great stone buildings with heavy, dark doors swinging slowly on long iron hinges, lighted dimly Sunday and perhaps on Wednesday evening.

In contrast to the church is the theater ,brilliantly lighted every night of the week, and inside is the appealing music.

The thing to do is build a bright, interesting place of worship, such as we have in Angelus Temple. Light it and have music inside—not worldly jazz music, nor yet the old, doleful tunes that are oppressing to young, vivacious hearts—but real, live, revival music, that stirs the heart and straightens the shoulders and brings out the best in every boy and girl.

Attractions Needed

Prove to the young people of today that the church has something better to offer them than the world can give and that in the church one can really have a better time.

It is no trouble to persuade people to give up mud pies or mince pies or to give up imitation jewelry for the real priceless kind.

The world, after all, is very much like the young lady who loved jewelry, but, being unable to afford costly gems, went to the 10-cent store and purchased rings, bracelets and cheap imitations of pearls. Then the pleadings of her fiance could not persuade her to give it up. She said it was the best she could afford and she would keep it because she loved it.

One day the young man came in with pockets bulging with packages which, when opened, proved to contain a necklace of real pearls, a diamond brooch and beautiful rings.

She Recites Moral

"Now will you give up the cheap ones?" he asked.

"Will I?" she cried as she eagerly clasped the beautiful pearls about her neck and cast the cheap imitations into the fireplace.

If we of the church can show to the young people of today that we have the secret of happiness and peace—real peace that is deep, satisfying and everlasting—there will be no difficulty in persuading them to come to church.

POOR OLD CANINES!

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—George B. Cutten, president of Colgate university, is an optimist who believes in young folks of the present day. At a dinner of the New York alumni he recited:

"My grandad, viewing earth's worn cogs,
Said things were going to the dogs.
His grandad in his house of logs.
Said things were going to the dogs.
His grandad in the Flemish bogs.
Said things were going to the dogs.
His grandad in his old skin togs,
Said things were going to the dogs.
There's one thing that I have to state:
The dogs have had a long, long wait."

BURNS FATAL FOR GIRL IN AMATEUR PLAY

Miss Catherine Gwynne, 21, Dies Sunday After Long Suffering

OFTEN VISITOR HERE

Local Relatives Leave For Fort Worth Sunday to Attend Burial

FORT WORTH, Feb. 13.(AP)—Miss Catherine Gwynne, 21, died Sunday at 6 a. m. of burns received when her flimsy stage costume caught fire between acts of a play at the Little Theater in January.

Miss Gwynne, granddaughter of Neil P. Anderson, was acting the part of Consulo, bareback rider in the play "He Who Gets Slapped," that called for her make-believe death in the final act.

Her costume caught fire from a gas heater in the dressing room.

MISS GWYNNE OFTEN VISITOR IN THIS CITY.

Miss Katherine Gwynne is well known in Wichita Falls, where she has often visited. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Neil P. Anderson of Fort Worth and the cousin of Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Gwynne and Mrs. E. Gwynne of Wichita Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Gwynne and Mrs. E. Gwynne left Sunday for Fort Worth to attend the services.

U. S. LEADS TRADE

Lead in Russian Exports Held By America Again.

MOSCOW, Feb. 13.(AP)—The United States has again taken the lead over the world in the export trade to Russia.

For the first quarter of the current operating year America sent $17,000,000 worth of manufactured goods to Russia which is about one million greater than for the same period last year.

Germany was a close second, England third and Poland fourth.

BANKS MERGE

$9,500,000 Combine Made by Waco Institutions.

WACO, Feb. 13.(AP) — Announcement was made Sunday of merger of the Provident National bank with the First National bank, the latter taking over all interests of the former in a deal consummated Sunday afternoon.

The First National bank in a recent statement pointed out that it had in deposits $8,000,000. The merger, it is understood, will increase this total to at least $9,500,000, making it one of the foremost institutions in central Texas.

FATAL CAR FLIP

One Killed, One Injured in California Accident.

SALINAS, Calif., Feb. 13.(AP)—Mrs. Jeffery K. Armsby, daughter-in-law of J. K. Armsby, wealthy California fruit packer was killed and her husband was critically injured when the automobile he was driving on the state highway near here today skidded and overturned. Until her recent marriage Mrs. Armsby was Miss Jane Russell, daughter of a Wheeling, W. Va., steel manufacturer.

DIVERSIFICATION

Farmers Meeting Endorses Dairying and Poultry Raising.

LULING, Texas, Feb. 13.(AP)—Dairying, swine and poultry raising and home canning were recommended for encouragement by the Edgar B. Smith million dollar foundation at a farmers' meeting here Saturday night.

Bankers and county judges, agricultural and home demonstration agents made the recommendations, which were heard by Mrs. Davis.

DALLAS MAN SHOT

Brother-In-Law Surrenders Following Sunday Shooting.

DALLAS, Feb. 13.(AP)—Gaston Davis, 27, was treated at hospital here Sunday afternoon for wounds about the face, neck and shoulders caused by a charge of small shot from a shotgun. A young brother-in-law of the man surrendered a few minutes after the shooting and was lodged in the county jail.

Optimist at 72



Despite activities of Mars in China, Latin America and the Balkan, David Starr Jordon, 72, famed California educator, and winner of $25,000 peace prize, is confident the world is on the threshold of peace. He believes nations will soon find a way to abolish war. Newest photo of Mr. Jordon.

WIFE BATTLES OTHER WOMAN

San Antonio Park Scene of Gladiatorial Tilt

By Universal Service.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 13.—Throwing their social prominence to the four winds, two wealthy young San Antonio women, one of whom is the wife of the man they both love, fought until they dropped from exhaustion in front of the Witte Memorial museum in Brackenridge park early tonight.

Overhearing her husband make a telephone date with the "other woman," the wife went to the museum where her husband and his friend had planned to tryst among its silent surroundings.

As they approached the museum, the wife stepped up to her husband's companion and challenged her to fight for his love.

"If you love him as I do, you will fight for him!" the wife said.

Then the fur began to fly. Leaping at each other with cries that brought scores of patrons tumbling out of the museum who formed a circle about the contestants, the two infuriated women scratched and clawed one another. They closed in, grappled, fell to the ground and rolled in the mud. Both leaped to their feet screaming when teeth sank into flesh.

The police riot squad arrived as the two women fell exhausted to the ground. Revived, the avenging wife took the other woman in her arms and sobbed that she was sorry for what had happened. Both left the battle ground in the wife's car.

Search for the husband was futile. He had silently slipped away when the two women clashed.

SAVE POWDER HOUSE

Tunnel Workers Keep Fire From Dynamite Magazine

EAST PORTAL, Colo., Feb. 13. (A.P.)—All workmen engaged in boring the Moffat tunnel under the continental divide here were called to fight fire today and their efforts kept the flames from reaching a powder house where 200 cases of dynamite and black powder were stored. The fire destroyed the steel sharpening shop, the blacksmith shop and the oil storage house. The contractors who are boring the tunnel placed no estimate on the loss.

TO CIRCLE WORLD

Italian Aviators Sets Out on Daring Exploit.

CAGLIARI, Sardina, Feb. 13. (AP)—Commander Francesco de Pinedo, chief of staff of the Italian air forces, started at 7 o'clock this morning for the military aeronautical base near here on the first lap of his four continent flight. He will skirt the coasts of southwestern Europe and northwestern Africa and continue on to various points in North and South America.

ANTI-AMNESTY BILL TO FORE IN LEGISLATURE

Warm Contest Over Measure Aimed At Ferguson Predicted

HOUSE ALSO AGOG

Plenty Of Pepper Foreseen In Week's Session Of Solons

AUSTIN, Feb. 13.(AP)—Past the half way post of its 40th session with the most important business still pending, the Texas legislature is expected to speed up work while a galaxy of items is yet expected.

Several incipient floor rows are certain to come to a head before the week is over. The house without doubt will engross the prison reorganization and consolidation bill the biggest measure yet considered, but is sure to see a hot time when supporters of the King-Cummings bill to repeal "Senate Bill 180" of the 39th legislature, attempt to get the measure before the house on a minority favorable report. The committee stands six to five against the bill.

The long delayed "anti-amnesty" bill by Sen. Tom Love may finally get action in the senate. It has been pushed into the background for the last three weeks, but probably will make up for lost time by the tiff it will cause. It seeks repeal of the action which gave amnesty to former Gov. James E. Ferguson. He has enough friends in the senate to give Love's repeal bill a run for its money.

Light in House

Reps. A. H. King of Throckmorton and E. C. Cummings of Abilene, who introduced the repeal bill directed at the act giving foreign corporations right to acquire holdings and vote in Texas concerns, have been marshalling their forces for a fight since the judiciary committee reported adversely. Lynch Davidson, who made repeal of "Senate Bill 180" his gubernatorial campaign issue, renewed before the committee meeting last week his campaign charges that the present law "virtually repeals the anti-trust act." This contention was combatted by Humble Oil company counsel.

Only 10 committeemen were at the meeting, which voted six to four against the repeal bill. Since then, however, the bill authors have gotten another signature to their minority report, and promise of support when effort is made, probably Monday, to get the bill printed and a consequent house vote.

Some disposition probably will be made in a few days with the Shoats resolution proposing investigation of the lobbying activities of W. W. Chamberlin, Houston optometrict, whose testimony resulted in expulsion of Reps. F. A. Dale and H. H. Moore on bribery charges. A motion to cite Chamberlin for contempt was pending when the house committee on public affairs adjourned Thursday night without action. Further consideration of the resolution will be deferred until Chamberlin and his lawyer return to Austin.

Defend Chamberlin

Chamberlin has warm defenders in the house and if the committee reports favorably on the Shoats resolution, or recommends Representative Reagans move to cite him for contempt, a formidable floor fight will result.

The committee on education has not yet reported on split investigating committee report charging and denying mal-administration of John Tarleton Agricultural college at Stephenville, some action is looked for soon, however. Supporters of the minority faction on the investigating committee, charging that the majority report is exaggerated, won a hard fight to leave the reports to a committee some 10 days ago.

The prison bill, which consolidates the proposals of four bills embodying a program to reorganize the Texas prison system, probably will be engrossed Monday without further major amendments. The bill follows the general line of one by Rep. Lee Satterwhite. Expenditure of several millions of dollars to buy new prison properties and probably new land for a concentrated relocation, is involved.

THE WEATHER

OKLAHOMA: Monday and Tuesday partly cloudy, somewhat unsettled, moderate temperatures.

EAST TEXAS: Monday and Tuesday partly cloudy, mild temperatures; light to moderate southerly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Monday and Tuesday partly cloudy, moderate temperatures.

Weather conditions in Wichita Falls and vicinity for the past 24-hour period reported by the Texas Eelectric Service weather bureau: Maximum temperature 67; minimum 42; at 5 p. m. Sunday 67; precipitation 02; west breeze; clear; maximum wind velocity 13 miles per hour; average wind velocity 8 miles per hour; barometer 29.00.

Mexico Concerned Over Appearance Of Mysterious Vessels Off Shore Fearing Them As Rebel Gun Runners

By Universal Service.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 13.—The appearance of mysterious vessels believed to be filibusters along the Gulf coast has caused Mexican military and naval forces to receive orders to be on the alert and to dispatch gunboats from Vera Cruz for investigation, according to official reports here.

The unidentified craft, not flying flags, are reported to have been seen along the shores at Vera Cruz, Campeche and Tabasco, causing considerable alarm in official circles lest they seek to land guns and munitions for the rebels.

Others believe the mysterious vessels are merely rum runners enroute between their liquor caches along the Mexican coast to American ports.

FOUR MEXICAN REBELS SUMMARILY EXECUTED

By Universal Service.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 13.—The summary execution of four rebels caught destroying railroad property near Torreon and further arrests in connection with the revolutionary plot discovered at Tampico are reported in dispatches received in Mexico City tonight.

The rebels were discovered by a federal patrol and were captured after a brief engagement with a larger force of insurgents that endeavored to protect their comrades from seizure. The troop commander is reported to have compelled the quartet to repair the damage done before executing them.

The confession of a prisoner at Tampico is declared to have implicated many others in the revolutionary plot there. Priests throughout the Tampico region are being rounded up and will be sent to Mexico City.

NEW AIR MAIL

Dallas to Mexico City Service Is Planned.

By Universal Service.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 13.—Early inauguration of air mail service between Dallas, San Antonio, Laredo and Mexico City is forecast in a dispatch from Monterrey.

E. Jay Mitchell, of Dallas, accompanied by postoffice representatives from various Texas cities, are reported leaving soon for Mexico City for final conferences before inauguration of the new service.

ROBBERY ORGY

Safe Crackers Break Six Vaults at Nowata.

COFFEYVILLE, Kan., Feb. 13. (AP)—A safe cracking orgy staged by burglars at Nowata, Okla., early today in which six safes were looted, netted the cracksmen but $209. In all, nine places were burglarized. Two safes were demolished by an explosive, three were opened by pounding off the combination dial and one was found open, undamaged.

ROLL OF DEAD

Heavy Toll Taken in Storm in Queensland.

LONDON, Feb. 13.(AP)—The death roll in the cyclone that swept over the Carins district of Queensland several days ago, already numbers 35, according to a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company. Whole families are reported to have been drowned at Ingham, where rows of houses were washed away. Rivers two miles apart are running now as one stream.

DANCE IN CHURCH

Ritualistic Numbers Given in New York Act.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.(AP)—With a cast of ten persons, the Rev. William Norman Guthrie, rector of St. Marksin-the-Bouwerie, today resumed ritualistic dances in his church.

Two years ago the dances were suspended after a discussion between Dr. Guthrie and Bishop William T. Manning as to their propriety.

GUARD TO SHOOT

Range Practice At Altus To Be Started

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Okla., Feb. 13.—Range practice of members of the Howitzer company, 179th infantry, of the Oklahoma National guard will be started soon at the range, near LaHoma lake, officials announced.

Several of the men were qualified last year for marksmen and all are expected to be qualified by the time the summer camp opens in August.

Denny Recovers



Reginald Denny, above, movie actor, has recovered from an appendicitis operation.

'LIFE FOR LIFE' STATE DEMAND

West Texan Held As Slayer of Customs Officer

By Universal Service.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 13. —"A life for a life" will be the plea of the state when Bob Bates, of San Angelo, charged by indictment with the slaying of Customs Officer James Wallen, goes to trial here Monday.

The officer was shot to death on March 6, 1923, near the international bridge at Del Rio but Bates was not arrested until the following November. He was tried in January, 1924, found guilty and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

Granted a new trial by the court of criminal appeals because of the failure of the trial judge to charge the jury on manslaughter, a change of venue was asked for and the case was sent to Bexar county.

56,579 BALES

Hall County Gins Turn Out Large Production

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Feb. 13.—According to the government report of cotton ginnings to January 16, Hall county takes the lead in this section of the state, with 56,579 bales ginned to that date, compared to 52,697 the same date last year. This report places Hall county eighteenth in the entire state on cotton ginned, and with the fleecy staple still coming in at a good rate, this county will rank much higher at the end of the season.

REV. GRANT DIES

Noted New York Devine Succumbs After Operation.

By Universal Service.

NEW YORY, Feb. 13—The Rev. Dr. Percy Strickney Grant dies today at the Northern Westchester hospital in Mt. Kisco. The former rector of the Church of the Ascension of New York City was stricken with appendicitis last Monday. He was operated on the following day.

HE'S NOT IN RACE

Butler Has No Designs For President. He Says.

By Universal Service.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university, is not a candidate for the republican nomination for president in 1928, a statement issued by him today declares.

BUSTER WILLIS KILLED SUNDAY AT HENRIETTA

Body Of Boy With His Head Severed From Torso Found Sunday

TRIED TO HOP TRAIN

Boy's Foot Slips From Rung Of Ladder Causing Fall to Death

Special to The Record News.

HENRIETTA, Feb. 13.—Buster Willis, 18, was instantly killed at 8 a. m. Sunday when he fell beneath a moving southbound Missouri, Kansas and Texas freight train. Willis was attempting to board the train, employes of the railroad said. His foot slipped from the lower rung of a ladder on a box car and he fell beneath the wheels. Willis' head was severed from his body.

The deceased was employed on a ranch near Henrietta. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Willis.

BODY HELD FOR BURIAL IN HENRIETTA MORGUE.

The body of Lloyd Willis, 18, is being held at an undertaking establishment pending funeral arrangements, the Henrietta correspondent of the Record News stated Sunday night. Funeral arrangements had not been announced then.

Willis' body was found about 2:30 Sunday morning near the Missouri, Kansas and Texas water tank by a brakeman. The body was decapitated and the head was found some distance from the body.

GRAVE ROBBER

Negro Denies Knowledge of Skulls Found in His Trunk

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Feb. 13. (A.P.)—At the state penitentiary here where he is serving a three to ten year sentence for grave robbery in Hammond, Ind., James Coynor, a giant negro today denied any knowledge of the four women's skulls found in a trunk in a house at Forndale, Mich., although he admitted ownership of the trunk and his residence in the Detroit suburb, Warden E. H. Daly said after questioning the convict.

STUDENT SUICIDES

Princeton Man Inhales Gas to End His Life

PRINCETON, N. J., Feb. 13. (A.P.)—Martin A. Gerhart of Batavia, Ia., 33-year-old student of social science at Princeton graduate college, committed suicide in his apartment in Vandeventer avenue by inhaling gas.

Gerhart's wife has been in a sanitarium near here for several months suffering from a nervous breckdown. A sealed letter addressed to her was found on a kitchen table. The couple had a two-year-old child.

WAR SCOUTED

No Danger of War in Central America, Claim

By Universal Service.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 13.—A report that Guatemala is contemplating war with Nicaragua is characterized as absurd by the Guatemalan foreign office, according to radio dispatches to the newspaper Excelsior, which published in yesterday's editions a radio dispatch from Guatemala City relative to the supposed impending hostilities.

HAMBONE MEDITATION



Cradle Of Ancient American Race Located By Scientists In Yucatan

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 13.—Discovery of a new and important altar of ancient American civilization in excavations at Chichen Itza, Yucatan, is reported telegraphically from the scene of the Archaeological work by Dr. Sylvanus Morley, chief of the Carnegie institution works conducting explorations of the ruins.

Dr. Morley says the altar which is being uncovered intact, is revealing remarkable sculptures and paintings of the greatest value in connection with Archaeological studies into ancient Maya civilization. The discovery is regarded as probably the most important thus far made in the Chichen Itza excavations.

Judge Kay Defends Divorce Court In Lecture To His Sunday Audience

Replying to those who advocate the repeal of all divorce laws, John C. Kay addressed Sunday an enthusiastic group of 376 men and women who attended the Kay Bible class in the Palace theater. "The preachers often talk about the divorce courts," Kay said, "and bewail the law. There is nothing the matter with the divorce courts. There is nothing the matter with the divorce law.

"You hear me?

"The trouble lies in injudicious marriage, in foolish marriages."

Kay, who took as his lesson for the day, "How to Get Along With

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The Social Side—Wichita Falls' Woman's Interests—Clubs and Churches

United Daughters Of Confederacy Hold Monthly Meeting Saturday

With Mesdames F. L. Shackelford, J. P. Tarry and C. B. Felder, assistant hostesses, members of the W. R. Scurry chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy met at the home of Mrs. B. L. Fain Saturday afternoon. During the business session, plans were discussed for raising funds for the state convention to be held in Wichita Falls in October, and 18 applications for new members were accepted by the chapter. Mrs. S. M. Gose Sr., gave a report on the social features of the U. D. C. convention held in Richmond during November and also of the state convention held in Dallas in December.

The program included a reading given by Miss Berniece Martin and a paper read by Mrs. Annie Barker on "Humorists of the South." The session was presided over by the president, Mrs. C. C. Hagmann.

Refreshments were served to 50 members and guests.

Lace Trimmed



By MME. LISBETH

A good deal of lovely lace is used in the composition of a lovely new boudoir robe, which is pictured here. It is of American design.

The fabric of the robe is chiffon voile in cream white tone. The sleeves are long and flowing, the lace being used in wide borderings on the bottom of the robe, a facing down the front of the jacket-like front, forming the upper portion of the sleeves and as a yoke.

A corsage of daintily colored silk flowers fastens the "coat" across the front.

STYLE WHIMSIES

Pony coats are being trimmed with floral motifs. An otherwise plain pony coat was distinguished by two large rose decorations formed by slashing the fur to show red duvetyne beneath.

Paris hats are sporting long, fancy shaped tortoise shell pins.

Fullness is the outstanding feature of the sleeves of the new gowns.

Little bunches of porcelain fruit are worn on the right shoulder of their frocks by fashionable English women.

A London fashion is glass heels for dancing slippers. They catch the light. They have a foundation of wood so are serviceable as well as pretty.

Taffeta and tulle are combined in some of the prettiest dance frocks for the junior miss. Use a plain taffeta bodice with two flounces of tulle edged with tinsel for the skirt. A cluster of flowers should be placed at the waist.

SOCIETY Personals

Mrs. Ben G. O'Neal has returned from a month's stay in Austin, San Antonio and Fort Worth.

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Mrs. A. R. Bleakley has returned from Dallas where she spent a week visiting relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Priddy are leaving Tuesday for a three weeks' visit in Chicago, New York City and Virginia. They will visit Mr. Priddy's parents in Virginia.

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Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Stredenick of Medidien, Conn., are expected to arrive Tuesday for a few days' visit with their cousin, Mrs. P. P. Langford.

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Mrs. A. W. Von Stowe left Sunday for a visit with her parents at Knox City.

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A meeting of the executive board of the Woman's Forum will be held at the Y. W. C. A. Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock, according to an announcement.

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Alva Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Willgus is reported ill with an acute attack of rheumatism.

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Mrs. R. Wright is reported ill at her home on Taylor street.

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Miss Vera Cain left Saturday for Gainesville where she went to represent this district in the oratorical contest.

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J. W. Thorne has gone to Farmersville where he will attend the McKinney Epworth league conference.

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Mrs. J. W. Akin has returned from St. Louis where she spent a month taking special work in pipe organ music.

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Mrs. George Thorburn of Dallas is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Robers Cobb and her sister, Miss Ethel Cobb.

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Mrs. Leigh Lesley of Omaha, Neb., is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Godfrey.

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Mrs. Orville Hairston of Cameron has returned home after spending the week-end with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds on 1002 Fourteenth street.

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Ralph Woolsey of Texarkana and Mrs. Mary Woolsey of Beverly Hill, Calif., are here at the bedside of Frederick Woolsey who is ill with pneumonia.

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Christian Endeavor Enjoys Candy Pull

Thirty members of the senior and young people's Christian Endeavors of the First Presbyterian church enjoyed an old fashion taffy pull in the church kitchen Friday evening. Songs were sung and games played.

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Dr. Collard Will Talk To Class

Dr. F. R. Collard will talk to members of the food selection class at the Y. W. C. A. at the meeting to be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. His subject will be "Under Weights and Over Weights and the Cause."

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Southside Baptist W. M. U. Will Meet

W. M. U. circles of the Southside Baptist church will meet Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock as follows:

Circle One with Mrs. Ferrell, 2511 Princeton street.

Circle Two with Mrs. McSpadden, 1514 Wilson avenue.

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Wetamachick Group Valentine Party

Members of the Wetamachick Camp Fire group enjoyed a Valentine party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coombs Friday evening. Dancing, games and contests furnished the diversion, and refreshments were served to Katherine Keller, Daisy and Goldie King, Lois McAfee, Evelyn and Myrlen Huffman, Gladys Butler, Mrs. M. H. Dosier and Mrs. Pauline Huffman.

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Missionary Society Will Meet Monday

Members of the Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock for Bible study. Mrs. N. H. Martin will discuss social and religious conditions in the time of Amos, and Mrs. T. P. Lynch will discuss "The Man Amos."

SONGS of a HOUSEWIFE

Cers by Marjorie K. Rawlings

HOUSES



Some houses fill me with a strange delight;
Houses that stand aloof upon a hill,
Looming like castles in the stormy night—
So bitter-proud, so haughty—and so still.

I have known houses on a lonely road,
Sunk like dead eyes within a grove of pine,
Where only night-hawks keeps their dark abode,
And bats infest the honeysuckle vine.

Houses of mystery and pride and gloom,
You stir my mind to swift imaginings.
But oh, make way within my heart! Make room
For that which gives my tingling spirit wings;

A little house tucked down a cozy lane,
Rosy within, where logs are burning red;
A candle gleaming through the window-pane,
Where one sits listening for a loved one's tread.

MODISH MITZI — *Mitzi Discovers Her Life Work* — By JAY V. JAY



Well, it's my own inspiration," answers Mitzi modestly to Polly who is admiring her new two-piece dress. She designed it herself. (The dressmaker made it.) How does one get inspired like that Polly wants to know. Through the V lines they are using, admits Mitzi.

"Would you have designed it differently, Mitzi?" asks Polly "No," critically advises our heroine. The embroidered bodice is smart and peplum of tiny pleats is very new. No, she couldn't have done better herself. "Moreover, Polly," says Mitzi, "it is a dress that just suits you."

"You should go into the business, Mitzi," encourages Adelaide holding one of Mitzi's swetches in mid air. Adelaide does not forget that she is wearing a new blouse embroidered in circles made of braid. Notice the tight-across-the-hip effect. The skirt is finely pleated.

It's odd what one smart dress will do. Mitzi's black and white costume with the black felt hat with the white ornament has set her thinking. She'll be a designer! She has found her career! Next, how much capital is required. Dad is disturbed. He'd rather pay for her clothes.

Tomorrow—COATS AND DRESSES

Just AMONG US GIRLS

by Kathryn Kenney Cers



CHILDS PLAY.

"YOUNGER EVERY YEAR"

If you really grow younger every year, it's a case of grafting, skin and otherwise!

It's almost as hard to act your age nowadays as it is to look it. People no longer grow old gracefully, but they don't fall down on the job.

What could be nicer than a mother with all her children about her—if you could only tell them apart!

Nowadays women not only have their second childhood, but their third and fourth.

With the "little girl" movement going full force a man doesn't know whether to call a taxi or a kiddie kar. Instead of wearing the hoop skirts, they're rolling 'em.

Women have gone back to dolls and they're wearing the doll clothes themselves. It's a wise child who can get anyone to believe that it's her mother. Whether there's a sale or not, all the dresses have been "reduced."

It's all very well to keep young at heart, but the women are wearing their hearts on their sleeves. And a lot of good hair dyes young!

Even the men are in knickers and the fountain of youth seems to have overflowed the banks.

Nowadays every grandmother looks twenty in the shade and not a day over forty with the son.

A lot of child's play is carried on with baby talk. A man who follows a woman is foolish, he should get ahead of her so that her age will show!

The older people are back to childish games and toys. Woman has always played "Drop the Handkerchief" and man has always been "It."

Doctors say that short dresses lengthen life and if that's the case, the women will live forever.

They say that women don't vote because they don't want to give their right age, when every age is wrong nowadays, anyway.

You used to hide the cigarets so that grandma wouldn't see them when she came for a visit, now you hide them so she can't smoke them all up!

When you go into a room you just know that with so much smoke there must be flaming youth. And it takes a better man than father to put it out!

Women have discovered that a face is only a face and that men have gotten out of the habit of looking at it anyway. If you dress the part you don't have to live up to it.

Episcopal Guild Entertains At Party

An enjoyable affair of the week-end was the party given by the Woman's Guild of the Episcopal church at the new parish house on Friday evening. Music was furnished by the Gordon Shay orchestra for dancing, and tables were also arranged for cards.

Punch was served by Mesdames Stanley Marsh and H. E. Terrell, assisted by Isabell Marsh and Catherine Pennington.

Among those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Carl Waelder, W. J. Hunter, E. C. DeMontel, W. H. Sanford, A. C. King, W. H. Godfrey, Carl Eckman, Duncan Bell, A. C. Ludlam, G. O. Danielson, J. H. Allison, the Rev. and Mrs. Fred T. Datson, Dr. and Mrs. Whiting and Mesdames Bartlett Jones, George Thorburn of Dallas, Robert Collier, C. H. Rugeley, Tracey, S. L. Lawing, Carrie Wilcox, Leigh Lesley of Omaha, Neb., H. E. Terrell, M. C. Hall, Mollie McElroy, and Misses Cram, Mary and Fannie Godfrey, Mary Collier, Mary Virginia Barron, Ethel Cobb, Betty Love Rugeley, Marie Harris, Jennie Louise Hindman, Dorothy Allison, Jean Hunter, Eleanor Stovall, Isabel Marsh, Genelle King, Mary Cecelia Terrell, Catherine Pennington, Calista Nolen, Hulda Maud Cole, Frances Gaston, Florence Datson and Messers. Frank Rugeley, Clinton Holt, Sheffield, Page, Cram, Fred Datson Jr., Louis Reison, W. E. Lowrey, Luther Thompson, Sammie Marsh, George Baya, Robert Collier, Hamlin Rugeley, Jack Allison, Ivan Allred, Cecil Moran, Emmett Bauknight and Mororison.

ROBBED BY A "GHOST."

MAYS LANDING, N. J.—Although, he claims, Percy Smith, spiritualist medium, was given warning by a ghost's spirit hand, he was robbed. Smith, who has many wealthy patrons, told Judge William H. Smathers that he saw the ghostly hand reaching toward a cupboard where the money was hidden, but failed to heed the warning. He accused John Clark of taking the money when at work on a painting job in the Smith home. Clark acted as his own attorney and was acquitted in criminal court.

Towaya Group Plans For Doughnut Sale

Plans fo rthe doughnut sale to be held Saturday, were discussed by the Taweya Camp Fire girls of the Sam Houston school at the meeting held Friday afternoon.

Those present were Naomi Dot Lynn, Mary Frances Roueche, Grace Warman, Frances Collins, Edith Pearsol, Mildred Owens, Virginia Smith, Anna Bell Palmer, Lucille Palmer, Annetta White, Elizabeth Morgan, Marian Bromley, Willene Hackley, Rebena Nelson, Lillie Mae Baggett, Anna Joe Howard, Cora Lee Ludolphus and Miss Edith Denton.

Fort Worth Barber Wins 6-Year Fight

Racked by illness, now splendid specimen of vigorous manhood. Credits comeback to Tanlac.



E. C. Mitchell's barber shop at 1316 N. Houston St., is well known in Fort Worth, Texas. "For six years," says Mr. Mitchell, "life was a nightmare to me. Chronic indigestion ruined my appetite and what little I ate cause hours of agony. Gas, bloating, and knife-like pains kept me in misery. Robbed of restful sleep, morning found me tired and listless.

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Mrs. Kemp's Sunday School Class Meets

Members of Mrs. J. A. Kemp's Sunday school class of the First Presbyterian church met in monthly social session at the home of Mrs. R. L. Hargrave Saturday afternoon with Mesdames O. W. Wilson and R. A. Walker, joint hostesses.

Devotionals were led by Mrs. O. R. Hartt, after which Mrs. C. M. Robinson gave a vocal number, "A Winter's Lullaby."

Refreshments carrying out the Valentine colors, were served to Mesdames Kemp, C. J. Pate, A. E. Hull, Leon Cygon, R. J. Irvine, W. D. Thomas, W. B. McClain, Brenneman, C. M. Robinson, C. O. Nickell, W. C. Krauss, F. C. Utts, O. R. Hartt, Frank W. Jones and Misses Daisy Slopansky, Louise Lotspiech, Mary Dickson, Mabel Winfrey and Mary McIlheran.

Mrs. Lindien Observes Husband's Birthday

Observing her husband's birthday, Mrs. D. A. Lundien entertained with a surprise party and dance at her home Friday evening. Valentine decorations were used and in the games, Mrs. A. D. Patillo won the high score favor among the women, and Mrs. V. E. Ashford second high. Miss Eva Wallace was awarded the cut prize. Allen Mater scored high among the men.

Refreshments carrying out the Valentine color scheme were served to Messrs. and Mesdames William Glade, E. D. Steward, V. E. Ashford, Walter Smith, Shady Hale, Claude Hamilton, Homer Sanderford, Jim Clements, Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Krohn, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Patillo, Carrico, and Misses Winnie Summers, Blackburn, Ruth Hill, Eva Wallace and Messrs. Lynn Calendar, Hugh McDowell, Wilson and Allen Mater.

North Side League To Have Meeting

A meeting of the North Side Civic league will be held at the community house Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water relieves sore eyes. Doesn't burn or hurt. All druggists 25c—Adv.

Sunday School Class Gives Valentine Party

One of the delightful affairs of Friday night was a Valentine party given by members of the Escalator Sunday school class of the First Methodist church in the basement of the church. Games for the party were arranged by Miss Winnie Foster and were in charge of T. H. Myers.

Valentine motifs and decorations were used in the decorations and also noted in the refreshment plate. Those present included Misses Ruth Hampton, Thelma Howell, Valley Fern Lowery, Jewel Mayes, Johnnie Graves, Marie Hannon, Thelma Cunningham, Winnie Foster, Rubertina Davis, Roberta Clay, Josephine Fisk, Ethel Bain, Emma Cox, Susie Downing, Grace Downing, Carrie Koenig, Ida Mae Taylor, Alta, Eula and Ona Saye, Allie Anderson, Ida Langley, Vivian Potts, Oma Graham, Minnie Bedford, Flory Smith, Lucile Gamble, Nora B. Stewart, and Messrs. Lewis Payton, Ira B. Lynn, J. B. Lowry, Carnes, McIntyre, Kent, Baker, Sick, Corley, Hodges, Gamble, Bond, Highfil, Boon, Kass, Dills, Palmer, T. H. Myers, and Albritton, and Mesdames Albritton, Jennings, Nelms and Kass.

Mrs. Yeager Hostess To Demonstration Club

"Parental Education" was discussed by Miss Ethel Louise Webb, county demonstration agent, at a meeting of the Bowie Home Demonstration club held at the home of Mrs. R. A. Yeager Friday afternoon. Other talks on the subject were given by Mesdames E. F. Moore and McShan.

Those present were Mesdames Moore, W. W. McCreary, H. Nicholson, L. B. Bruner, W. B. Smith, W. D. McShan, R. F. Lane and R. D. Russell.

The next meeting of the club, will be held at the home of Mrs. Moore, Feb. 25.

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JIM CASSELL

LET'S SEE YOUR PURSE!

CHICAGO.—Willie, whose pockets used to contain fishhooks, marbles, string, colored glass, gadgets and chalk, has given away as chief common carrier to his flapper sisters, married and all, it appears. Mrs. Veronica Beebe, 22, who asks a divorce from Martin M., bond salesman, says their marital blow-up came when she dropped her vanity case. Mr. Beebe, who wanted to be polite and pick up the items, was astonished to see what the case had disgorged—lipstick, puffs, gum, etc. Mrs. Beebe said he told her she carried far too much trash, and then threw most of it away.

TAIL LIGHTS FOR HORSES.

LONDON.—"Tail lights," for horses are to be instituted in Bradford, north of England city. Some time ago a mounted policeman was run down by a motor car. Experiments resulted in the adoption of a small electrical lamp to be carried on the crupper.

SEEKS DUCK, GETS SEAL

GREENWICH, Conn. —William Metzger, while duck hunting, shot and killed a 125-pound seal. It was the first time in nearly half a century that a seal has been captured in Long Island Sound.

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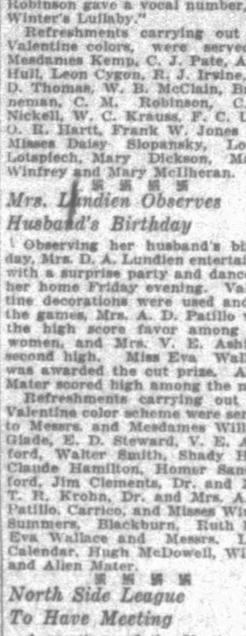
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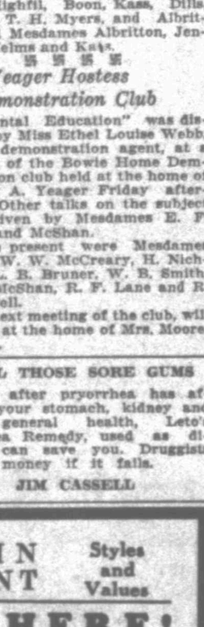
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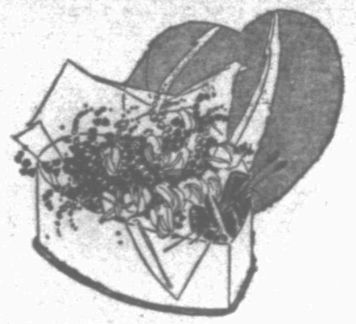
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Don't Get Married Until You're Ready To Settle Down, Dix Advises

If You Want to Be Happy Though Married, Mr. Man, Don't Propose Until You Are Ready to Settle Down and Can Afford Luxury of A Wife—Then Pick Out Type of Girl Who Fits Your Needs and Make Her Your Partner.

DON'T GET MARRIED UNTIL YOU ARE READY TO SETTLE DOWN

Don't take a girl out of a good home, where she has companionship, and dump her down into a house where she is expected to stay put alone while you step out somewhere else to enjoy yourself. It isn't giving her a fair deal.

Women marry to get a fireside companion and until you are prepared to be one, keep away from the altar. No woman's ideal of happy wifehood is being Sister Annie on the Watch Tower sitting up by her lonesome waiting for her husband to stagger in at 3 G. M.

So don't marry until a home looks better to you than a cabaret, and you feel that you would get more fun out of walking a colicy baby than you would dancing the Charleston, and a bigger kick out of holding your wife's hand than you would out of holding a straight flush in a poker game.

And, above all, don't get married until you care enough for some one woman to be vamp proof. As long as you want to run with the boys and flap with the flapper, have a heart. Pity some girl enough not to marry her.

DON'T GET MARRIED UNTIL YOU HAVE THE PRICE

Take no stock in the old theory that two can live as cheaply as one. It is a wicked lie.

It takes three or four times as much to live on when you are married as it does when you are single, because a man can live in many places to which he could not take his wife: a woman's clothes cost more than a man's does, and, besides, there are generally more than two in the family. Sometimes there are seven or eight.

You never can know how many bills there are until you get married and have to pay doctor's bills and druggist's bills and gas bills and electric light bills and rent bills and food bills and clothes bills and so on, ad infinitum, world without end.

Now, no matter how much a man loves his wife, he gets mighty little pleasure out of matrimony if life is just one long, agonized effort to keep a lap ahead of the sheriff. Nor does it add to a man's happiness to see men of inferior ability passing him in the race and to know that the reason why he is beaten is because he handicapped himself so heavily by marrying that he cannot run. Neither are many men generous enough to really enjoy sacrificing all of their little personal tastes and whims and giving up all of their little indulgences for their families.

Face the fact that a wife is just as much a luxury as an automobile, so don't contract for one until you can afford the price and don't have to count the cost of gasoline, nor have heart failure every time it has to go in the shop for repairs.

Pick Out the Kind of a Wife You Want.

Most men don't do this. They marry on the grab-bag principle and trust to luck that the thing they have pulled out will be what they want when they get it home. And it generally isn't. They haven't brought one particle of human intelligence to bear on deciding the most important matter that will ever come up in their whole existence. And when they have the nerve to rail at fate!

So before you pick out a wife, study yourself and find out what you require in one. If you love to eat, marry a girl who is a good cook. If you are intellectual, pick out a highbrow for a mate. If you are a rounder and yearn for the bright lights, there are plenty of wild women to be had for the asking.

But for heaven's sake don't marry a baby doll and expect to spend an improving evening discussing Plato with her, or feel yourself ill-used because the fashion-plate you led to the altar runs up staggering bills at the milliners, or pity yourself because you are bored to death with the beautiful but dumb creature you picked for your wife.

Every man's wife represents his taste and judgment, and he alone is to blame if he shuts his eyes and selects one without finding out whether she will suit him or not.

Make Your Wife Your Partner.

Don't marry any woman who has not intelligence enough to understand a few elementary principles of business, and who isn't honest and loyal enough for you to be able to trust her. The reason that middle-aged couples so often drift apart and sit up in silence when they are alone together is because they have no common interest except the children. The husband lives in a business world; the wife lives in a domestic world and neither knows what the other one thinks or does.

Avoid this by talking over your business with your wife and making her the confidant of your hope and plans. No two people who can talk shop together are ever bored with each other. Besides it's the best possible way to get a woman to economize. Let her feel that she is helping to pay off a note, or expand the business and she will galdly do without the new car, or fur coat on which she had set her heart.

DEAL FAIRLY WITH YOUR WIFE ABOUT MONEY

Give her an allowance to run the house on and for her own personal use, and don't ask her what she did with that quarter you let her have week before last.

There is nothing that a wife resents so bitterly as having to go like a beggar to her husband for every penny of the money that she earns a hundred times over by her work as wife, and mother and household drudge.

There isn't a wife in the world with a tightwad husband who doesn't secretly hate him and look forward to the day when she'll get his insurance money to spend.

If you don't want this to happen to you, give her her share of the family income without her having to chloroform you to get it out of you.

But more of this on Wednesday.

DOROTHY DIX.



"The hand-across-the-sea idea would be all right," says pondering Ponzella, "if they didn't always extend palms upward." By Gettier.

WEDDINGS HELD ILLEGAL.

GENEVA.—As Swiss law recognizes only such marriages as legal as have been contracted before a legal representative of the government, all the couples wedded in the last two years in the District of Zurzach, must go through the clerk's office a second time or figure themselves as divorced. Two years ago the clerk of the bureau in Zurzach was removed from office because of old age. His son was appointed in his place. The old gentleman, however, was so devoted to his work that he continued to perform the duties of his one-time office, while his son drew the pay check.

ONLY BATH TUB ISN'T USED.

MERTAIN, France.—This little town of 1605 population, in Normandy, has a bathroom on its hands and doesn't know what to do with it. This modern convenience, the only one in town, is in the supprefecture which parliament recently discontinued along with many others as part of its economy plan. It was installed at the department's expense, and M. Giroult, councillor general of the district, now complains to the prefect that the bathroom has become a useless burden.

Woman Gets a Share

CHICAGO.—When a Chinese woman in native dress, except for galoshes and sheer hose, invaded a hotel barber shop and had her face shaved and her hair trimmed, a crowd watched with interest. Two flappers who entered for "boyish" trims stood spellbound. Barbers do not expect the incident to establish a fashion.

Write Draughon's College, Wichita Falls, Texas, if interested in office position. Catalog M explains all.—Adv.

Woman's Day Of Work and Play

Keep Your Shelves Stocked

There is nothing more annoying to the busy housewife than to find that she is out of some staple food at the moment when it is most inconvenient for her to go to the store and after all deliveries have been made. Aside from the fact that shelves should always be well stocked with canned goods there are other staples which are necessary to the getting of even the simplest of meals.

Potatoes, both white and sweet, should be kept on hand in an amount corresponding to the needs of the family, onions, lettuce, parsley and cabbage and other vegetables which may be converted into essential dishes. Fruits, of course, should be in every well-filled larder.

It is a labor-saving and fuel-saving device to cook enough potatoes for two meals at one time. They may be creamed or fried on the second day. It must be remembered that as sweet potatoes do not keep as long as do the white variety they must be bought in smaller quantities. Lemons for tea, for flavoring and garnishing are of course indispensable.

Grapefruit keeps very well and a supply may be laid in provided it is not too ripe at the time of purchase. Bananas may be bought in various degrees of ripeness so that there are always some on hand. Parsley and celery may be kept fresh in the same manner as lettuce by keeping in a covered can in the ice box. A small head of cabbage keeps well also.

Women As Mill Workers

Statistics seem to prove that women who are once mill workers continue as such until they die. It has been shown that most women who work in the cotton mills begin their wage-earning career there and spend most of their working life in the same occupation. After they have once learned to tend a machine they seldom leave for other jobs, or if they do they soon return.

The fact that cotton operatives enter the mill at an early age and usually remain there during most of their working life naturally results in a longer service period than is found in other industries.

According to a recent report the worst features of the mill-villages is their isolation and lack of social and educational opportunities. There does not seem to be enough line drawn between the private and industrial life.

Bachelor's Lives Shortest

Dr. Eugene Lyman Fiske, medical director of the Life Extension institute, makes the oft-repeated assertion that married men live longer than bachelors and proceeds to tell just why. He says that the nagging of most wives has its source in their concern for the physical well-being of their husbands. A man may not like his wife's complaining about his wearing rubbers, over-smoking and other forms of dissipation but he lives longer and is happier in consequence.

Dr. Fiske says that most women are doctors at heart, but he proposes that they be given a "nagging text-book" so that they may obtain the best and most scientific results.

"Back-to-Nature" Gowns

Embrodery done with pumpkin seeds, oats, buckwheat, barley and rye, all arranged in intricate designs, are being used on the new "back-to-nature" gowns. All sorts of vegetable designs are being employed in decoration from the grains of corn to the entire cob. Women who do not now take their vitamins, may now wear them!

Fainting Female Gone

It is said that the founding of the first college was what sounded the doom of the fainting female. The modern girl goes in for the most strenuous sports fostered by her alma mater. This athletic activity is mainly responsible for the increase in size of the feminine foot, although the child is brought up in comfortable, scientifically made shoes, and when she grows up she doe snot depart from them.

The Austrian hairdressers are very temperamental indeed. They have decided, without any cooperation on the part of the women, that "the bob must go." Not because they object to its appearance, but because they are not able to "express themselves" in an individual manner. Evidently, even barbers have their moments!

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SALLY'S SALLIES



A woman doesn't feel unclothed until she has misplaced her powder-puff.

SOPHIE IRENE LOEB Says—

FABLES OF EVERYDAY FOLKS

The Woman of Woe

Once upon a time there was a woman who was brought up in the bosom of a good family, and had many friends; but this woman had one fault. She was very impressionable.

Now it is not such a bad trait to be impressionable, if you have the safeguard; which is to have an opinion of your own as a standby when you need it—which this woman didn't seem to possess. One day a friend said to her:

"How pale you are, my dear! There must be something the matter with you."

The woman immediately took this to heart, and began worrying about herself and continued to worry. She took all sorts of medicines, and her family, being effectionate and kind, humored all her whims.

As time went on she began more and more to think about herself and her possible ailments. She pampered herself, and seemed actually to enjoy it when others pitied her.

She almost became an invalid, and went to all kinds of specialists. One said she was on the verge of a nervous breakdown, and another suggested a course of his favorite treatment, which, of course, she took. She began studying diseases, and every time she read a new one she thought she had a symptom of it.

At the same time she also found another thing. One by one her friends dropped off, and when she was spoken of it was always said that she was "still ailing."

She went on taking "treatments," and continually imagined herself on the verge of something. Life was just one groan after another, until even her family nearly lost patience.

One day along came a friend—a friend with a punch—who spoke her mind something like this: "For heaven sake, cut it out! There is nothing in the world the matter with you. You are making yourself the champion hypochondriac of the community.

"People are avoiding you, and will continue to do so as long as misery.

"You are no more sick than I am. There is nothing the matter with your appetite, and there is nothing wrong with your appearance, except your long, self-pitying face. Get this idea out of your system.

"Go out in the air and get some walking exercise, and for goodness sake smile, smile! Forget your ills and be ready to take a thrill when the occasion offers.

"Don't bury yourself in morose musings. Get out among your friends and make merry. It's all in your mind, and the sooner you eliminate it the better for all concerned. Do something .

"The world has no time or place for women who are whining about their imaginary woes. It wants folks who radiate life-giving qualities. Forget your foolish feelings for a little while, and make yourself fit. Nobody loves a grouch."

The woman reflected and realized.

Moral: A friend in need is one who tells you the truth when you need it most.

Bandit Kisses Victim

PARIS.—A beautiful kissing bandit is the latest sensation. An attractive and well-dressed blonde entered an antique store. The dealer bent over to select some object. The girl struck him on the head. Falling on her knees, the young woman implored forgiveness and kissed him on both cheeks. Saying she was in need of money, she rifled the till and walked out.

Cats Get Estate

BATH, N. Y.—Cats owned by the late Mrs. Emma Presho Bennett, 78, will live on the cream of the world for the remainder of their respective nine lives, as sole heirs of the $10,000 estate left by Mrs. Bennett. The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is residuary legatee for the eight felines.

Kinfolks Call Often

DELAVAN, Wis.—Appropriately, the stork is a regular visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Storck in this city. The seventeenth arrival is a daughter, giving the feminine voice of the family an edge over the boys, who number only seven. Their ages range from the youngest to Margaret, 22.

WHO CARES.

COLUMBIA, Mo.—Professor Jess E. Wrench hasn't been the most popular professor on the University of Missouri campus since he ruled that one "date" a week is enough for a college student.

Legacy for Parrot

NORTH BERGEN, N. J.—A trust fund of $500, the income from which is to be used in caring for "Polly Durham," a parrot, was established by the will of Mrs. Nellie Hutchinson.

MAKING MODERN MENUS



There are many ways in which eggs may be prepared so that they may serve as a main luncheon dish. Sometimes, in combination with fish or vegetables they may compose the family dinner when a particularly heavy one is not required.

Eggs With Tomato Sauce

Melt one tablespoon of butter in a saucepan. Blend with it a tablespoon of flour, one-fourth teaspoon of salt and a dash of paprika. Stir two minutes. Then add a half cup of cold milk, stir and cook until the boiling point is reached. Add one cup of cooked peas and pour all upon a hot platter. Around this mixture place eggs which have been slowly fried in butter and around the entire dish place a tomato sauce made as follows: Chop an onion and carrot to make a tablespoon of each. Cook these with one spray of parsley and one small piece of bay leaf in three tablespoons of butter until well browned. Add four tablespoons of flour, one-half teaspoon of salt and one-fourth teaspoon of pepper. Cook until all is browned then add a cup of strained tomatoes and a half cup of brown meat stock and stir until boiling. Strain the sauce before using.

Eggs, Southern Style

Brown half an onion in two tablespoons of butter. Add a pint can of tomatoes, a small bottle of stuffed olives, chopped, and half a green pepper chopped fine. Put the mixture into a casserole and cook for an hour in a slow oven. By this time the mixture should be thick and if there is still too much moisture add stale bread crumbs. Add six hard boiled eggs cut in quarters, cover the whole with a half cup of buttered bread crumbs and bake until nicely browned.

Gets Rebate From Robber

BOSTON.—When a robber took $60 from Charles M. Jones in a street holdup, Jones appealed to him to pick on somebody else. "I'm from Philadelphia," Jones remarked to him. "I have no more money and I don't know what I will do over Sunday." "That's tough on you," replied the highwayman. "This will help some." He returned a $10 bill and walked rapidly away.

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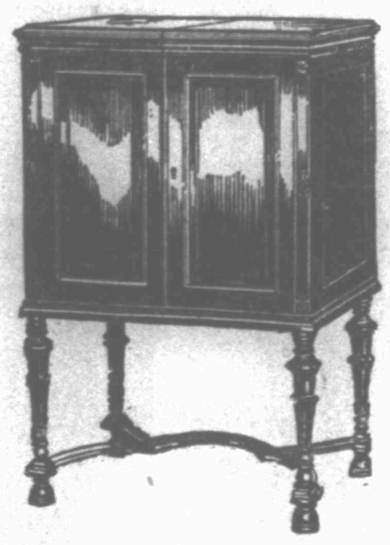
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PERSECUTION OF HOLY INNOCENCE

THIS is a cold world for the good and the true and the beautiful. Senator Heflin of Alabama is pursued daily by anonymous writers who threaten to terminate his brilliant career.

Senator Bruce of Maryland, a brave and revered cavalier of ante-bellum days, finds himself flooded with unsigned letters coming from unseen foes who hide in the brambles and the underbrush.

Rev. J. Frank Norris is another who believes that his life is in danger and insists that typewriters of hidden foes are rolling out threats against his spiritual self as well as his heroic frame.

Governor Gibbs Graves of Alabama has advertised it to the world that his life has been in danger since his inaugural day.

Aimee Semple McPherson, beautiful and luring and magnetic apostle of a nobler life here and hereafter, has let the world know that countless persons keep the postman busy carrying her letters from unknown scribblers, and these letters are awful for a modest woman to read.

Is this the penalty for political rectitude? Is this the reward for tracking Satin and Sin to their hidden lairs. In this the appreciation shown by the masses for politicians and evangelists who are willing at all times to bare their breasts and charge hell without even the aid of a bucket of water?

It must be true that ingratitude is the great crime of the nation and that ingrates are as numerous as grains of sand on the seashore.

IN OLD MISSOURI

MISSOURI is the state of James A. Reed. It was the state of George Vest and Thomas H. Benton. An anti-evolution bill, which would prohibit teaching of the theory of evolution in Missouri, was defeated in the state house of representatives by a vote of 82 to 62. It came on a question of engrossment and the bill was put off the calendar by the majority against it. Rev. David Evans, a noted Baptist minister of Kansas City, former president of the William Jewell college, a Baptist institution of learning, led the fight against the bill, speaking for the laymen of the state who insirted that "the church should keep its hands off the state."

This settles the issue for two years at least in Missouri. Missouri, by the way, is the native state of Thomas B. Love and the adopted state of former State Senator T. H. McGregor. Love came from the Ozark mountain country and McGregor, after his college days in Tennessee, journeyed to Missouri and began the practice of law in the county of Green in the city of Springfield.

Former Senator W. H. Sebastian of Stephens county, member of the pardon board of the first Ferguson administration, as well as the last Ferguson administration, came to Texas from Missouri more than 50 years ago. There are thousands of 'em in Texas.

DIVIDENDS FOR JONES

REDUCTIONS in the taxes on admissions and automobiles and estates provided by the federal revenue law of last year, saved taxpayers in these classes approximately $30,000,000 in 1926. This is a reminder that officials of the federal treasury department say that John D. Rockefeller Jr. is the only American billionaire and that Henry Ford is the richest American. John D. Jr. didn't make it. His billions were passed on by his father, the inventor of the petroleum industry in America.

WHERE TEXAS STANDS

COLONEL RENE CREAGER of Texas declared that President Coolidge will be the choice of Texas republicans for another term, and he hopes that the president will name Col. Harry M. Hines of Texas for interstate commerce commissioner. If Col. Creager of Texas is able to win ICC representation for the southwest, then it is a lot more than Texas senators and representatives and the 40 immortals could win when Woodrow Wilson held the reins of government.

FRANKLIN AND HIS GOD

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN was not a church man. This was his creed: "There is one God who made all things. He governs the world by His Providence. He ought to be worshipped by adoration, prayer and thanksgiving. BUT THE MOST ACCEPTIBLE SERVICE TO GOD IS DOING GOOD TO MEN. THE SOUL IS IMMORTAL." The reader should not let these words go over his head, "The most acceptable service to God is doing good to men."

ON A PAYING BASIS

MINNESOTA has a penitentiary that has been on a paying basis for a quarter of a century. It is located at Stillwater, and according to Charles Fields of Dallas, this prison "is scientifically, humanly, efficiently and honestly managed and instead of being a heavy burden on the tax payers, as our prison has been for years, it has been an asset to the state of Minnesota, as evidenced by a sworn financial statement." Isn't it possible to make the state prison of Texas a self-supporting institution?

IN THE MORGUE

A SENATE committee killed the measure seeking to license plumbers and a house committee killed a measure seeking or rather proposing the licensing of automobile drivers. New York state licenses automobile drivers. This law or similar laws prevail in many states. For a second or third offense or violation, the driver forfeits his license and that's that. Why should a dumbbell or a mad man or a speed maniac be permitted to drive a car?

The HOLLYWOOD GIRL

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By Beatrice Burton
Author of
"Love Bound," "Her Man," "Honey Lou," Etc.

READ THIS FIRST:

BOBBIE RANSOM, a little school teacher, is movie struck and wildly eager to break into pictures. Neither her widowed father nor her AUNT GERTRUDE will lend her the money she needs to take her to Hollywood. Neither will ANDY JERROLD, who wants to marry her to stay at home and marry him.

Finally she borrows $500 from the WIDOW PARKINS, who is to marry her father, and starts out. At MRS. MANGAN'S boarding house she meets STELLA DELROY, an extra girl. Through Stella she gets a few days' work at the Magnifica lot in a picture directed by ROY SCHULTZ. She becomes great friends with Roy's jealous wife, LOTTIE; and the assistant director, GUS MacCLOUD, falls in love with her and she with him.

She learns that Lottie has a poor opinion of Gus, who takes Roy out to "wild" parties at the flat of MONICA MONT, a film actress. Monica is a born vamp and gold-digger, and light-fingered besides. By some hook or crook she is going to get everything she wants, and she makes no secret of the fact that she wants MacCloud.

Stella kills herself leaving behind her a letter telling about her unhappy love affair with Gus, and Bobbie hears about his amours from Lottie Schultz. But Bobbie goes right on caring for him, although she makes up her mind not to trust him too far. He tells her that his wife is divorcing him, and she feels sure that when he is free he'll ask her to marry him. But he doesn't. Instead he wants all the privileges of an engaged man without being engaged. He lends Bobbie some money on a bracelet that was Andy's Xma spresent to her. Then she shows him a diamond brooch left her by Aunt Gertrude, who dies suddenly and asks him to lend her some more on that to pay her expenses. He promises to and takes the bracelet. Then he offers Bobbie the part of Gretchen in a picture he is to direct, and sends her one of the costumes for it. Then they quarrel over the casual way Gus treats Bobbie, and she tells him to "keep his old part." But he writes to her, telling her to keep the part herself and not to be a fool. Monica says he's offered the part to her and Bobbie decides to take the costume back to the studio.



She Carried It Back to the Wardrobe Mistress

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER L

On Saturday afternoon at one o'clock, Bobbie carried the Gretchen costume back to the wardrobe mistress of the Magnifica studios.

She went then because it was the time when Gus MacCloud was usually eating his lunch. She didn't want him to see her. She didn't want to see him—and yet, somehow, she longed to see him. Like most women in love, she didn't know just how she did feel about him.

"It's terrible to be in love with a man, and yet to hate him at the same time," she told herself as she started up at narrow unpainted stairs that led to the wardrobe.

At the top she bumped into Roy Schultz. At first he didn't see her. He was coming along, head down, cap pulled over his eyes, hands stuck into the pockets of his knickers. And he was whistling very softly to himself, the way people do when they are thinking hard.

"Hello, Bob," he said when he saw her, and started to pass her without another word or a smile. Then suddenly he swung around and caught her by the arm. "Wait a minute. I want to talk to you a minute. . . . . Where were you Sunday night?"

"Sunday night," thought Bobbie. "Where was I on Sunday night?"

"Oh, yes, I went over to Monica's," she was beginning aloud, "but she had company—"

"Remember that, will you?" he asked sharply, stopping her. "If Lottie asks you anything about last Sunday night, just remember you were with Monica that night, will you?"

Bobbie did not answer. She didn't want to tell Lottie Schultz a lie, just in order to shield Roy and Monica. If Roy had spent Sunday evening at Monica's flat, she wasn't going to try to keep Lottie from knowing it! She wasn't going to help pull the wool over Lottie's clear kind brown eyes. Lottie was her friend.

"Why, Roy, I wasn't at Monica's house for more than a minute," she said coldly. "She said that Gus MacCloud was going to have supper with her, so I didn't even sit down. If Lottie asks me about it, I'll have to tell her just that, I'm afraid."

She looked fearlessly and frankly into his eyes, that always had struck her as being so friendly and wise, and saw the look of trouble in them.

"All right, I dare say you're right," he said, and went on down the stairs.

She looked after him. What trouble had Monica got him into now, she wondered. And why would a man with a wife like Lottie, bother with a cheap little flapper like Monica Mont? Men were puzzles. They seemed actually to prefer jazzy silly little good-for-nothings, who knew how to paint and drink and wise-crack, to fine, sensible women like Lottie Schultz. There was a low common streak in all men, it seemed.

She opened the door of the wardrobe department and went in. The wardrobe mistress was a high-nosed aristocrat of a woman who had seen better days. She was always dressed in stunning black, and looked as if she ought to be pouring tea at an afternoon party instead of looking after the Magnifica Studios' wardrobe.

"And where did you get this?" she asked Bobbie haughtily, and her sharp chin went up. "This costume belongs here. How did you get it?"

Bobbie smiled her very sweetest smile, but she said nothing. She couldn't give Gus away, in case Gus had taken the Gretchen costume out of the place.

And while she was wondering just how she was going to manage not to tell, the glass-paned door of the room opened and he came in.

He came straight up to Bobbie, his eyes deep in hers as he came.

"Roy told me you were here," he said, and before the eyes of the wardrobe mistress, he kissed her square on the mouth.

Bobbie never knew how she got out of the place. But presently she found herself in a big luxurious office. Pongee curtains hung in the windows, and the deep blue rug on the floor was soft and thick.

On the glass-topped mahogany desk stood a framed photograph of Lottie Schultz and Jolly. All of the desk articles were sterling silver ones, marked with Roy's initials.

"Nice business-like sort of place. Looks more like a movie set than a director's office, doesn't it?" asked Gus, whose own office was no luxurious spot like this.

He opened the bottom drawer of the desk and took out a squat bottle of Irish whiskey and a tumbler. He poured himself a stiff drink and sat down on the leather couch beside Bobbie.

"Now, then, Honey, let me talk to you," he said, and put his hands over hers that lay crossed in her lap. "Why do you act this way? Why did you bring back that Gretchen rig?"

Bobbie's lips, that nature had formed into sweet soft curves, straightened into a thin bitter line.

"Why, you've given the Gretchen part to Monica Mont, Gus!" she answered him sharply. "So why should I keep the costume? It belongs to her."

He shook his head. "It's not too late for you to change your mind," he told her. "I can still take the part away from her and give it to you, you know. Directors often change their minds about their cast."

But Bobbie shook her head. "No, I don't want the part, Gus," she said. "You gave it to me, not because you thong I'd do a good job for you, but because—" Her voice stopped. She couldn't tell him the truth; that he'd given her the part because he was in love with her in his selfish way.

But he said it for her. "I gave it to you because I care so much for you that I want you to succeed."

"But not enough to want me to marry you!" Bobbie wondered afterward how she had ever screwed up enough courage to say that to him.

"You see, Gus," she went on, "I'm old-fashioned. Either a man cares enough about me to ask me to marry him, or he doesn't care about me at all. That's the way I look at it."

He smiled crookedly. "But, Bobbie, ever since the beginning of time, men have helped women in their careers because they loved them. And they haven't been husbands and wives, either! Remember Solomon and Sheba, and Anthony and Cleopatra . . . and even Sarah Bernhardt and Sardou, who wrote plays for her—"

"Yes, but all that doesn't mean anything in my life," Bobbie began when he interrupted her again.

"And anyway, you came to Hollywood for a career — not a wedding ring," he said with a laugh. "I offer you a career on a silver platter, and you throw it in my face. Now, what do you want me to do—propose to you? Marry you and make an honest woman of you?"

They laughed together. But after a second Bobbie's face sobered and she said, "Yes."

She was ashamed of herself, and she turned and buried her hot face in the leather cushions of the couch. To actually ask a man to marry her! How terrible!

"But then, I know that he cares for me," she was thinking in her confusion, when she heard the door of the office swing open.

She looked up. Lottie Schultz stood in the doorway.

Bobbie had never seen her look so well. For once, Lottie had really taken pains with her appearance. She was all in tobacco brown silk, and there was a velvety pink rose pinned on the lapel of her coat.

She had the faintest touch of shell-pink color on her cheek bones, and a dusting of powder on a nose that usually was shiny.

"Portrait of a lady trying to win back her husband," thought Bobbie.

"Hello, Lottie," she said aloud. "Come on in and sit down. We're making ourselves at home in your husband's office."

But Lottie shook her head in its smart little hat of brown silk.

"I'm looking for Roy," she said, and as she spoke Bobbie noticed that she had not so much as looked at Gus MacCloud. "I suppose he's down on the lot somewhere. By the way, Bobbie, were you at Monica Mont's last Sunday night? I want to know for a very special reason."

Before Bobbie had a chance to open her lips, Gus was answering for her, "Why, sure, she was there, Lottie and so was I," he said. "Anything wrong about Monica Mont's flat?"

Lottie looked at him then, and her eyes were filled with quiet scorn.

"I didn't ask you, Gus," she told him flatly. "When I want the truth about anything I don't go to you for it. Bobbie, were you at Monica Mont's on Sunday?"

"Yes, but only for a minute." Bobbie blurted out the truth, even though she felt Gus nudge her sharply, and knew that he wanted her to back him up in his lie. "You see, Gus was going to have supper with her she said, and—"

"All right. That's all I wanted to know," Lottie broke in. "I'll call you up some time soon. Bye-bye, dear." And with a rustle of her silk clothes she was gone.

Bobbie sniffed the air of the room. Perfume! And not, only perfume, but the heavy French kind that Monica fairly poured all over herself! Poor Lottie, going in for all the lures and arts known to womankind in her struggle to hold her husband.

"Now, there's a Hollywood marriage for you!" Gus remarked triumphantly. "I tell you, Bobbie, there's no such thing as a successful marriage among these movie people. There's too much jealousy and temptation mixed up with married life here."

"Nonesense!" It might have been Aunt Gertrude speaking instead of Bobbie. Her voice was thin and acid. "There are dozens of happy marriages among movie people. I could name you fifty in no time."

She got up and shook out her short silk dress that was beginning to be shiny along the seams.

"Gus," she said in that same thin sharp voice, "if anyone had told me six months ago that I'd ask a man to marry me—why, I just wouldn't have believed it. Now, I'm going to ask you something else? Will you give me that part of Gretchen purely as a business proposition? Will you forget that you and I know each other as friends? Will you let me see you just here in the studio, and forget that I'm alive outside of it? That's the only way we'll ever get along."

She waited breathlessly for him to answer.

It seemed to her that everything—her whole future—hung upon what he was going to say.

(To Be Continued)

What would be your guess as to GusMacCloud's answer to Bobbie? Read the next chapter of this story of the films.



He that is despised, and hath a servant, is better than he that honoureth himself, and lacketh bread.

A righteous man regardeth the life of his beast: but the tender mercies of the wicked are cruel.

He that tilleth his land shall be satisfied with bread: but he that followeth vain persons is void of understanding.

The wicked desireth the net of evil men: but the root of the righteous yieldeth fruit.—Proverbs, 12:9-12.

JAMES HENRY SIMS, 70

ELECTRA, Feb. 13.—Funeral services for James Henry Sims, age 70, were conducted from the residence on East Roosevelt avenue, at 2:30 Saturday afternoon by Rev. E. M. Francis of the First Baptist church and burial in the local cemetery.

BURK NEWS NOTES

Special to The Record News.

BURKBURNETT, Feb. 13.—The Camp Fire Girls, under the direction of their leader, Mrs. Hallie M. Douggan, held tag day here today and not withstanding the rainy weather, report a generous donation by the citizens for this worthy organization.

Two-Year-Old Girl Dies

Peggy Joe Melton, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. B. (Bordie) Melton, died Friday night following a brief illness and will be buried Sunday afternoon in the Burkburnett cemetery from the Collier funeral home where the services will be held.

Few Smallpox Cases

A few scattering cases of smallpox, scarlet fever and diptheria are being reported over the city and surrounding leases. All thus diagnosed are under quarantine and medical observation; and there is no thought among physicians that these diseases will spread to any extent among the people.

Dogs Must Be Taxed

City Manager Walter Roberts announced this week that all dogs of Burkburnett must have their taxes paid this month. Also that all chicken and stock must be kept in proper enclosures, and rigid enforcement of the stock laws of the city would be made.

Auxiliary to Meet

The auxiliary of the American Legion will hold its regular meeting next Friday night. It is time to pay dues for 1927, elect new officers and do many other things that have been postponed because of the extreme weather. Every Burkburnett woman of the Oscar Frye post is urged to come and join its auxiliary.

CLARENDON NOTES

Special to The Record News.

CLARENDON, Feb. 13.—Boy scout anniversary week was finished here in good form by many of the scouts of the three troops here making an over-night hike to the river where most of the day Saturday also was spent in camp.

Several hundred pounds of nails, staples, tacks, bits of glass and other small particles that are likely to puncture a tire were picked up by the troops from the main streets of the city in their "Annual Good Turn Event."

Banquet at Church.

Homer Mulkey member of the First Christian church was toastmaster of a banquet for the young people of the different churches of the city here this week at which time it was voted unanimously to make the affair of annual occurance.

Superintendent Morgan of the high school here was principal speaker taking for his talk the admoniton of every person to make a stand religiously with as much endeavor to carry out the Christian teachings of love as exemplified in the life of Christ.

Young people from the Methodist, Baptist, Christian, Presbyterian and Episcopal churches were present and each church gave a short stunt by some class in each church that was enjoyed to the full extent. Covers were laid at the banquet for one hundred twenty people.

Panhandle Pioneer Dies.

Oliver Morrison, pioneer settler of the Panhandle of Texas, 90 years of age, died at the home of a daughter at Afton, Dickens county and was buried here today. Besides the daughter in Dickens county, he is also survived by a son, Lee Morrison in business in Clarendon and another daughter who lives in Dumas, Moore county.

ENROLLMENT GAINS

Altus School Attendance Shows Increase

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Okla., Feb. 13.—A total enrollment of 253 students have been made at the Warren school. There were 191 on roll the last day of the third month with 33 gains and 11 students dropped during the fourth month, leaving 213.

The average daily attendance was 193.5 and the per cent a little more than 91.

The Man Nobody Knows

INSTALMENT IX

An Ideal Parent

Is it not high time for a larger reverence to be given to that quiet unassuming Joseph? To Mary the church has assigned a place of eternal glory; and no thoughtful man can fail to be thankful for it. It is impossible to estimate how great an influence has been exerted for the betterment of woman's life by the fact that millions of human beings have been taught from infancy to venerate a woman.

But with the glorification of Mary, there has been an almost complete neglect of Joseph. The same theology which has painted the son as soft and gentle to the point of weakness, has exalted the feminine influence in its worship, and denied any large place to the masculine.

This is partly because Mary lived to be known and remembered by the disciples, while nobody remembered Joseph. Was he just an untutored peasant, baffled by the genius of a foster son whom he could never understand? Or was there, underneath his self-effacement a vigor and faith that molded the boy's plastic years? Was he a happy companion to the youngster?

Was he full of jokes at dinner table? Was he ever tired and short-tempered? Did he ever punish? To all these questions the narrative gives no answer. And since this is so—since there is none who can refute us—we have a right to form out own conception of the character of this vastly significant and wholly unknown man, and to be guided by the one momentous fact which we do know.

It is this. He must have been friendly and patient and fine; he must have seemed to be an almost ideal parent — for when Jesus sought to give mankind a new conception of the character of God, he could find no more exalted term for his meaning than the one word "Father."

Thirty years went by. Jesus had discharged his duty. The strange stirrings that had gone on inside him for years, setting him off more and more from his associates, were crystallized by the reports of John's success. The hour of the great decision arrived; he hung up his tools and walked out of town.

What sort of looking man was he that day when he appeared on the bank of the Jordan and applied to John for baptism? What had the thirty years of physical toil given him in statute and physique? Unfortunately the gospel narratives supply no satisfying answer to these questions; and the only passage in ancient literature which purports to be a contemporary description of him has been proved a forgery. Nevertheless, it requires only a little reading between the lines to be sure that almost all the painters have misled us. They have shown us a frail man, under-muscles, with a soft face—a woman's face covered by a beard—and a benign but baffled look, as though the problems of living were so grievous that death would be a welcome release.

This is not the Jesus at whose word the disciples left their business to enlist in an unknown cause.

FORGER DOWNED

Flying Tackle Stops Check Passer

Special to The Record News.

CHILDRESS, Feb. 13.—Houston Crump, boys' work director for Childress, made a flying tackle Friday afternoon that put an end to the flight of a forger, who had plied his trade in the Childress stores that afternoon, and that ended a chase in which heads of business firms, clerks and citizens participated.

Checks for from $1 to $3 had been forged on Lon Alexander, Harrison-Fagg, M. A. Harwood and the Grand Leader, the checks being on all three of the local banks, one of them having the name of the bank changed in ink.

BO BROADWAY ..... By Joseph Van Raalte

NEW YORK.—Some days ago a stranger hit town from Michigan. He had been reading in his home newspaper a New York column of phoney comment about the habits, costumes and style of feed obtaining in the Metropolis and what he thought he knew about Suptown on the Subway was worth a million dollars.

Well, he got here, looked around, found conditions along Broadway and the Bowery pretty much the same as those in his own burg—with the one possible exception that the scale in the Capital of the Commonplace was a bit broader.

He didn't want to admit he was disappointed and that his dream of glory had been shattered, so he stuck here, hoping against hope, until his money began to give out and then he realized his one chance lay in adroit retreat.

There's as much art in graceful and effective retreat as ever resided in advance. Old General Robert E. Lee taught that to the world in an example it will never forget. Honor may be found at either end of the Big Road.

So back home started our young traveler—back home on foot. But before he started, ambling aimlessly through the dusk hour of a Sunday evening in a downtown street he encountered a man kicking a dog. The traveler intervened. There was a fight and when it was over a joyous mutt found himself being taken into a restaurant by a country boy who loved and understood homeless bone polishers.

They crossed the ferry that night together and through the wet and fog—for the night had turned mussy—struck out over the Jersey meadows in the general direction of the state of Michigan.

Several motorists offered the young man a lift but he insisted upon the pup sharing the comforts of the tonneau, the Samaritans balked, so the journey was maintained on foot.

Near the town of Harrison on the farther edge of the meadows, a driver ran down the dog, injuring one of its legs and for the remainder of the journey toward town the lad held the dog in his arms.

He purchased iodine and splints in a drug store and that night the pals shared a cot in a police station.

The following morning his scanty bank roll augmented by a voluntary contribution on the part of the cops, the gentlemen on tour, still hugging the mutt, resumed his trip.

He figures the journey will take the better part of three weeks—that is, if nobody offers a "lift." They may, of course; but if they do the invitation will have to go two ways and include his little friend. With his recent indifferent experience he is counting on no such good fortune.

When he gets back home and tells his story his friends will probably kid him about the futility of his journey and the likelihood is that he, himself, will not see its import.

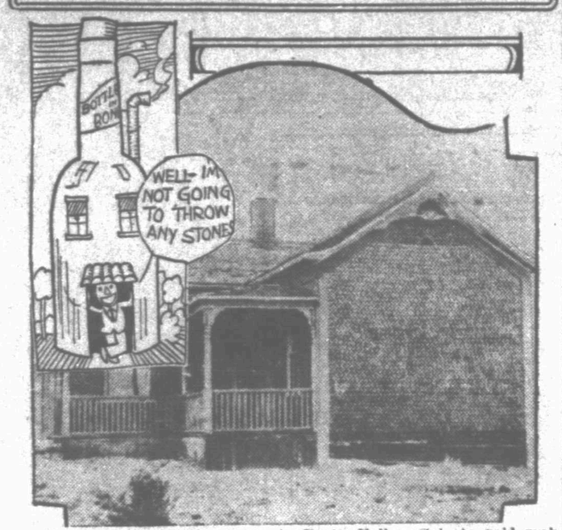
But surely it was worth while. That little jaunt to the Town of Queer Percentages resulted in a wonderful friendship and when the lad gets back to the place he started from he will have something in his heart that all the money on earth couldn't buy.

How many men who have come to New York, remained here and who enjoy the reputation of having "prospered," have succeeded half as well as the Michigan boy who went back in apparent defeat?

King's Son Goes To Bind Australia To Crown

Special significance is attached to trip to Australia of Duke and Duchess of York, because of new relationship of King George to the dominions, established in recent imperial conference. Hence the excitement in Britain over the junket. Royal party is seen going aboard H. M. S. Renown at Folkestone. Below is a goodbye scene: (left to right) Duchess of York, the Duke, Gen. Sir J. Seeley, Prince of Wales, Princes Henry and George.

13,000 "Dead Soldiers" In House



House built in mining camp in Death Valley, Cal., in gold rush days, and still standing, was constructed of 13,000 whisky bottles. Empty, of course.

Radio Program

International Radio Programs.

ETHER'S WHITE CAPS.

7:30 p. m. WBZ (333) Springfield, The Vesper-quartet program.

7:30 p. m. CNRO (375) Ottawa, French concert, "Petit orchestra de concert."

9:00 p. m. WEAF (492) New York, "L'Elisir 'd Amore," by the Grand Opera Co., to WJAR, WLIT, WRC, WCSH, WCAE, WEAI, KSD, WDAF and WTAG.

10.00 p. m. WAMD (242) Minneapolis, Skyrocket frolic from the flame room with Johnson's Aristocrats.

SILENT TONIGHT.

Eastern: CNRA, CNRO, WFI, WGBS, WIP, WREO.

Central: KLDS, KYW, WBBM, WCFL, WEBH, WGN, WHAS, WHT, WIBO, WJAZ, WJJD, WLS, WMAQ, WOC, WQJ.

Western: KHJ, WOAI.

EVENING CONCERTS.

6:30 p. m.

WCAU (278) Philadelphia, Recital.

WEEI (340) Boston, Vocal.

WRC (469) Washington, Emerson hour.

7:00 p. m.

WKAQ (341) Porto Rico, Studio program.

WTAM (390) Cleveland, Studio program.

WLW (423) Cincinnati, Ford and Glenn.

7:30 p. m.

KFKX (286) Hastings, Concert program.

WSOE (246) Milwaukee, Concert.

WEAF (492) N. Y., Hire's Harvesters to WEEI, WGR, WLIT, WCSH, WCAE, WTAM, WWJ, WSAI, KSD and WCCO.

WHO (526) Des Moines, Vocal.

WAMD (275) Minneapolis, Musicale.

WSM (282) Nashville, Music.

8:00 p. m.

WBZ (333) Springfield, Aleppe Drum corps.

WCSH (500) Portland, Entertainers.

WSB (428) Atlanta, Studio program.

WHO (526) Des Moines, Program.

WLW (423) Cincinnati, Program.

8:30 p. m.

WFAA (476) Dallas, Studio program.

WGHP (270) Detroit, Instrumental.

WHAD (275) Milwaukee, Atlas quartet.

9:00 p. m.

WCAU (278) Philadelphia, Allegro Singers.

WCCO (417) St. Paul-Minneapolis, Orchestra program.

WEAF (492) N. Y., "L'Elisir 'd Amore" —Grand Opera—to WJAR, WLIT, WRC, WCSH, WCAE, WSAI, KSD, WDAF, WTAG.

9:15 p. m.

KOA (322) Denver, Denver Auto show.

9:30 p. m.

KPRC (297) Houston, Vocal selections.

WBAP (476) Fort Worth, Studio program.

10:00 p. m.

KOIL (306) Council Bluffs, Popular music.

WDAF (366) Kansas City, Baker university program.

10:20 p. m.

KTHS (375) Hot Springs, Musicale.

11:15 p. m.

WSUI (484) Iowa City, Organ recital.

11:30 p. m.

WCCO (417) St. Paul-Minneapolis, Organ recital.

FEATURE TALKS.

5:45 p. m.

WJR (517) Detroit, Business Men's digest.

6:00 p. m.

WABC (316) New York, Boy scout address.

WANT TO DANCE.

6:00 p. m.

WRC (469) Washington, Mayflower.

6:40 p. m.

WLW (423) Cincinnati, Visconti's.

7:00 p. m.

WHB (366) Kansas City, Sweeney's.

8:30 p. m.

WMC (500) Memphis, Pappalardo Bros.

9:00 p. m.

WEEI (348) Boston, Lido Venice.

WSM (282) Nashville, Dance music.

9:30 p. m.

WJZ (455) N. Y., Waldorf-Astoria.

WHK (272) Cleveland, Entertainers.

10:00 p. m.

WEAF (492) N. Y., Palais D'Or.

WTAM (390) Cleveland, Bambo Garden.

WGR (268) Buffalo, Statler.

WRVA (256) Richmond, Richmond.

WAMD (244) Minneapolis, Skyrocket frolic.

10:15 p. m.

WOR (405) Newark, Berkeley.

10:30 p. m.

WPG (290) Atlantic City, Silver Slipper.

10:00 p. m.

WAMD (416) Minneapolis, Skyrocket.

WHO (526) Des Moines, Dance program.

11:45 p. m.

WDAF (366) Kansas City, Nighthawks.

12 Midnight.

KGW (492) Portland, Cinderella Roof.

KPO (428) San Francisco, Mandarin Cafe.

1:00 a. m.

KNX (337) Hollywood, Cocoanut Grove.

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RICE RUNNERS LOST TO TEAM

Scholastic Scythe Cripples Owls' Chances

HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 13. (A.P.) — Prospects for the first championship which Rice has won in a major sport in recent years were dimmed by the result of the mid-year examinations of last week, rumor on the institute campus Sunday night revealed. While nothing official is announced it is reported that three key men on Coach Ernie Hjertberg's track squad will be ineligible for competition, while it is possible that other of his warriors cannot compete in the spring meets.

While the reports concern track men chiefly, a baseball mainstay, a member of the basketball first string and several candidates for football berths have been rendered horse de combat by these academic tests.

SPORT a la CARTE by ROY GROVE

Hagen's defeat at the hands of Harry Cooper should cause no little stir in professional golfing circles.

It was predicted through these columns a year ago that Harry would be the most dangerous of the lot as soon as he became accustomed to the "moneyed ways" of the professional player.

Cooper has the Hagen qualities, that is to say, he has the nerve to "shoot the works" in a pinch. His greatest golf lesson has been learned when he played Walter Hagen and beat him 10 and 9.

This, of course, is one of the biggest upsets in Hagen's caree, enthusiastically as it was by Cooper and the gallery. Cooper now possesses that confidence that should carry him to the top in match play, Hagen's long suit.

Cooper's great test will come when he must play grueling medal golf. Playing a match against par is Harry's weak point, in eastern tournaments, while he is the hardest individual to catch in the game during the progress of a coast tournament.

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Cooper comes up in the same light as Bobby Cruickshank. Once either are up in winning form there is nothing to stave them off. Their game, as is general with golf, will come along subconsciously, as was the Von Elm mental game and his greatest enemy.

The game holds a new list of amateur and professionals for the season of 1927. For many years the top-notchers reigned supreme. It looks as if the break is to come during the summer tournaments or even to be reckoned with as early as the north and south open.

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But Hagen is still to be feared where golf is concerned, whether medal or match. This great master possesses the qualities that will carry him on to the last stroke of his old age. He will outlive Taylor, Herd, etc.

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Connie Mack builds one of the strongest baseball machines in the majors when he lands Ty Cobb and Eddie Collins to start off his 1927 season.

The effect this will have on baseball will not be noticed until the game has progressed to a dangerous point.

Eddie Collins left a great bunch of boys back in Chicago; every man of them was for Eddie, and they profited by the typical Collins tricks.

Ty Cobb built a wonderful hitting aggregation at Detroit, but lacked the seeming personality to put them over.

With such a combination as Ty and Eddie, and with the managing ability of Connie Mack, the Athletics should be the winning team in a few years. Eddie will show the lads new ideas around the bases and Ty, with his stick, and defensive work, will leave his teaching to ripen with time.

With this building material and Connie's judgment (also his youngsters), there will be few to deny the sensational rise of the "lowly Athletics."

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Rosenberg is ousted from another state. It is New York this time, joining hands with Illinois and California in refusing to grant the ex-champion even a chance as a preliminary fighter.

It is rumored that Rosenberg and Graham went into agreement after the original terms. Graham, it seems, was to take only 5 per cent of the winnings if he dethroned Rosenberg of his title. That balance was to be paid from Bushy's pocket.

The business of making a fight nowadays is the hardest game in the world when staggering sums are paid and charged for seats.

The most startling revelation of recent years was looked upon as insane when Paolino, the Spaniard, offered to fight a guy he didn't like for nothing and behind locked doors.

CATALINA WINS AGAIN

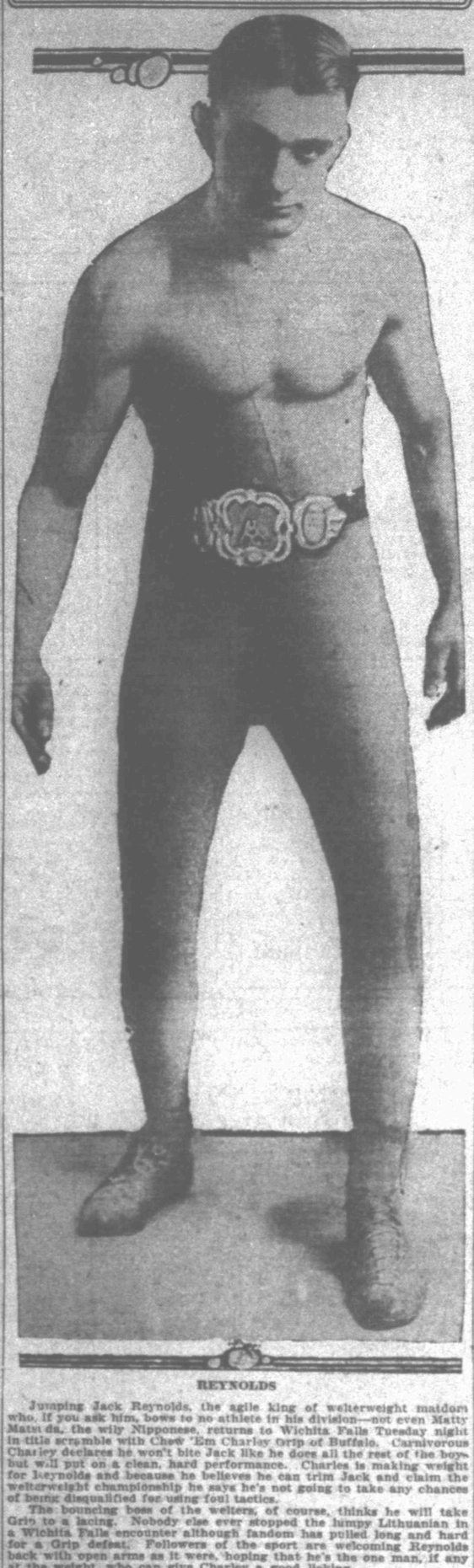
WILMINGTON, Del., Feb. 13. (A.P.) — Jack Wolvenlee, former Atlantic coast swimming star, failed today for the third time to swim the 20-odd mile San Pedro channel separating California's mainland from Santa Catalina Island.

ATHLETE'S WIFE DIES

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13.(AP)—Mrs. James T. Burke, wife of the coach of the Chicago National baseball club and former manager of the St. Louis Browns, died at a local hospital here today following an operation. Mrs. Burke had been ill for a month.

No hard times for office help. Big demand. Write for Catalog M today. Draughon's College, Wichita Falls, Texas.—Adv.

Will Grip Meet His Master, At Last?



REYNOLDS

Jumping Jack Reynolds, the agile king of welterweight matdom who, if you ask him, bows to no athlete in his division—not even Matty Matsuda, the wily Nipponese, returns to Wichita Falls Tuesday night in title scramble with Cheer 'Em Charley Grip of Buffalo. Carnivorous Chasley declares he won't bite Jack like he does all the rest of the boys, but will put on a clean, hard performance. Charles is making weight for Reynolds and because he believes he can trim Jack and claim the welterweight championship he says he's not going to take any chances of being disqualified for using foul tactics.

The bouncing boss of the welters, of course, thinks he will take Grip to a lacing. Nobody else ever stopped the lumpy Lithuanian in a Wichita Falls encounter although fandom has pulled long and hard for a Grip defeat. Followers of the sport are welcoming Reynolds back with open arms as it were, hoping that he's the one man, if any at the weight, who can give Charley a good licking.

HOLLIDAY WINS

Fast Cagers of Holliday Bump Archer Team.

HOLLIDAY, Feb. 13.—Flashing an offense that would make any class A team stop, look, and wonder, the Holliday five took the Archer City basketeers down yesterday 24-22. At the end of the first half Ligon's screaming Eagles led 14-3. The game was fast from whistle to whistle, but there was a noticeable absence of fouls each team drawing only two. Parker, speedy Eagle forward, was high point, ringing eight goals from the floor. Larkin, lanky Archer City center whose specialty is long shots, was effectively covered throughout the game and accounted for only three of his team's field goals. This was scheduled as the county tournament but on account of inclement weather the meet was postponed until next Tuesday.

The line-up:

Archer City	Holliday.
Larkin	Davis
Center.	
Morrison	Hudson
Forward	
Solomon	Parker
Forward	
Spain	Brand
Guard.	
Howell	Holloway
Guard.	

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Hull—Forward.
Hutchinson—Guard.

MAYOR ENTERS RACE.

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Feb. 13.—Mayor S. E. Hickman announced that he will be a candidate for re-election as mayor of Altus.

COL. HINE DIES

NEW YORK, Feb. 13. (AP)—Col. Charles Delano Hine, railroad and industrial organization expert died today at the Roosevelt hospital. During the World war Col. Hine commanded the 69th infantry.

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FIST FANS EYE FRIDAY'S BOUT

Delaney and Maloney Vie For Chance At Gene

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.(AP)—Jimmy Maloney of Boston, and Jack Delaney, light heavyweight champion, face the turning point of their ring careers in Madison Square Garden next Friday night.

Ahead of the winner of this 10-round indoor bout lies a road to the position of challenger for Gene Tunney's heavyweight title next September.

As the fighters entered their final week of training, betting odds on Delaney which had been quoted as high as eight to five a week ago, slipped down to a bare six to five.

Then French Canadian, Delaney, is rated the better boxer, a more accurate puncher, and credited with a crushing right hand wallop. Maloney, only 23 years old, has developed at an amazing pace in the past year, wherein overwhelming victories over three foreign threats, Dekuh, Persson and Diener, were added to his string.

Although Maloney is expected to enter the ring weighing 200 pounds, and advantage of 35 over Delaney, the Boston youth must concede handcaps of height and reach to his opponent. While the Bridgeport boxer has but a quarter-inch advantage in height his reach extends 76 1-2 inches to 72 for Maloney.

Nocona Wins Cagers Title

Special to The Record News.

NOCONA, Feb. 13.—The Nocona High school quintet won the Montague county basketball championship Friday night at Bowie from the fast five from Hardy. The game was fast from the beginning to end although the Nocona five kept the lead throughout the game. At one time the Hardy boys were within one point of knotting the score but the next three minutes saw them fall behind as Latham, star forward for Nocona, shot three beautiful goals from the field.

Mitchell for Hardy was the outstanding player for them with 23 points while Latham for Nocona led in points with 24 to his credit. Maddox, although retired from the game in the last half with four personals, played a stellar game well assisted by Crites, Buch and Hall.

The Nocona five will represent Montague county in the district tournament next Friday and Saturday at Wichita Falls and are expected to rate with the highest. The probable players to go to the tournament are: Maddox, captain; Latham, Crites, Buck, Hall, Wall, Russell, Byrd, Howard and Goldsmith.

PAPA STEPS IN

Father Lenglen Forbids Any Tennis Contracts.

NICE, France, Feb. 13.(AP)—"Papa" Lenglen has sent a message to Mlle. Suzanne, the lawn tennis expert now in the United States, instructing her not to sign any future contracts. A deluge of offers for her professional services have been received on this side of the water. It is reported that a continental promoter is offering 20,000 francs weekly for a European tour.

"Papa" Lenglen in anticipation of a full and profitable tennis season says: "Let us wait and see."

TOYS VS. CRIME

Children Need Entertainment Says Crime Expert.

By Universal Service.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Toys as antidotes for crime were advocated today by Mrs. Eda Cash, a probation officer of the Children's court. Expounding her theory, Mrs. Cash urged the establishment of circulating sets as well as libaries to divert the minds of children from wrong doing.

EX-GOVERNOR DIES

OAKLAND, Calif., Feb. 13.(AP) Frank Bell, 87, ex-governor of Nevada and for three terms warden of the Nevada state penitentiary, died here today at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Gregory. He was a native of Toronto, Canada.

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Champion Wichita Falls Poloists Open Title Defense Today



Wichita Falls' proud poloists, haughty champions of the southwestern circuit, open title defense Monday in San Antonio against attack launched by the swift-moving Second Infantry detachment. The Army quartet is rated a wonderful opportunity to turn back the champions and is expected to give the swashbuckling Wichita Falls four a noble fight for the laurels. The champs were supposed to have sallied forth to do battle Saturday but the opening melee was postponed to this afternoon.

In Horrace Robbins, Charley Featherston, Dave Whyte and Jim Minnick, Wichita Falls places its strongest array in the field today and mounted better than ever before. Competition in this tournament has been doped out as much tougher than when Whichita Falls galloped through the field last year to cop the championship, but the champs feel thoroughly capable of triumphing again. Two more tournament victories and the circuit trophy, which is up for competition three seasons running, will be awarded Wichita Falls permanently.

In the picture, the Wichita Falls team (left to right): Charley Featherston, Jim Minnick, Horrace Robbins and Dave Whyte.



Ed Hughes' Column

BE HOT IN PHILLY

The coming summer in Philadelphia bids fair to be much more interesting to most of the folk there than the last one—without the disastrous financial results of the Sesquicentennial.

For instance, there's the baseball situation.

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Not only are Eddie Collins and Stuffy McInnis, two famous members of the old White Elephants, getting ready to cavort in the town ball yards again, but the fans will witness the debuts of two of the most talked-of young infielders of the year. These are Joe Boley, new shortstop of the Athletics, and Lafayette Thompson, new second sacker of the Phillies.

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Boley is the veteran member of the Baltimore Orioles finally won away from Jack Dunn, owner of the Oriole team. Connie Mack paid $40,000 in real money for him. Dunn could have received $100,000 for Mr. Boley a couple of years ago, but kept him in the cooler so long that he ceased to be fresh meat. He is now a thoroughly experienced campaigner, however, and should strengthen the Mackian infield.

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Thompson Once Wore Cutlass

Thompson is the young man who was given a tryout by the Pirates a year or so ago. He was with the Buffalo club last season and joined the Phillies via the Giants this winter in the four-cornered deal which made Burleigh Grimes of the Dodgers a Giant and Butch Henline of the Phils a Trolley Dodger.

He is called the greatest young infielder to be held momentarily, at least, by a New York club since Frankie Frisch flashed across the big league horizon some years ago with the dust of the Fordham campus on his feet.

Which is a pretty compliment, if true. Frisch was good enough to step right into the Giant infield and play pennant baseball along with a great crew of infielders. Thompson played 159 games at second in the International league last year, hit .330 and fielded .966.

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Connie Mack is counting on Boley to play short in Chic Galloway's place from the first bell on. That's how high he rates the Baltimore veteran.

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With these lads cavorting afield, Eddie romping once more at second now and then for the Athletics, and McInnis handling the reins for the lovely but struggling Phils, the Quaker City ought to have a few interesting days, if its nights aren't disturbed.

WOMEN GOLFERS

DELMONTE, Calif., Feb. 13. (A.P.) — Feminine golfing stars representing the pick of the Pacific coast and numbering many brilliant performers from other parts of the country, tee off tomorrow in the qualifying round of the five-day Pebble Beach championship annual western classic for women.

The finest field in the history of the tournament will strive to dethrone Miss Marion Hollins of New York, former national champion and winner of the Del Monte event every year since its inauguration in 1923.

BIG TEN CAGERS CLOSE

CHICAGO, Feb. 13. (A.P.)—The Big Ten conference basketball standing was given a vigorous shuffle during the last week and both Wisconsin and Perdue tonight crowded close behind the leading Michigan five.

A Perdue victory against Michigan Tuesday night would throw the three squads into a triple tie for leadership.

HE SCORES 83 POINTS

CHICAGO, Feb. 13. (AP)—Bill Hunt of Ohio State, forged further ahead of the big ten basket shooters during the last week and led all the conference players tonight with 83 points scored in eight games. He added 19 points to his string in the last two games both of which Ohio lost.

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Trick Golfer Wins In Match

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Feb. 13. (A.P.) — Bobby Cruickshank and Joe Kirkwood defeated Ed Dudley and Cyril Walker, two and one in an 18-hole exhibition golf match over the Oklahoma City golf and country club course this afternoon.

Kirkwood, the Australian trick shot expert, led the foursome in medal play, turning in a 70 despite a slow course and high wind. Par on the course is 73. Walker, former national open champion, negotiated the 18 holes in 71 strokes, while Dudley, who goes to the Hollywood Country club as pro soon, turned in a card of 73 on his home course. "Wee Bobby" shot a 74.

Cruickshank has just ended a successful winter tournament season in which he won the California, Texas and south central open meets.

HE DRIVES WEST

Mobile Man to Bat Golf Ball To Pacific.

MOBILE, Ala., Feb. 13.(AP)—Accompanied by Happy Kirby, volunteer caddy, Doe Grahame, teed off at the Country club here today with Los Angeles as his objective.

About 100 persons braved a heavy rain to watch the youth start his avowed undertaking of driving a golf ball from Mobile to California, a taks which mathematical calculations indicate would require 1,500,000 strokes.

Motorists followed Grahame as he left the Country club links and started west on the three-notch road. The youth's first stroke was a long drive. He conceded that many of the remaining 1,499,999 would have to be chip shots and estimated the time it would take him to reach Los Angeles at five months to five years.

BIG TRACK PROGRAM

NEW YORK, Feb. 13. (AP)—The cream of eastern indoor track talent gathered in New York today for the annual indoor games of the New York Athletic club in Madison Square Garden tomorrow night. About 200 stars of the wooden ovals and board straight aways are entered in the 15 events on the classic program.

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To those indebted to or holding claims against the estate of Mrs. R. I. Helsby, deceased:

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Mrs. R. I. Helsby, deceased, late of Wichita county, Texas, by the Hon. E. W. Nicholson, judge of the County Court of Wichita county, on the 9th day of February, 1927, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his residence in Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, where he receives his mail.

This the 10th day of February, 1927.

J. S. PITMAN,
Administrator of the estate of Mrs. R. I. Helsby, deceased.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Wichita.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 30th District Court of Wichita County, on the 4th day of February, 1927, by Eunice Jackson, clerk, of said District Court for the sum of Eight Hundred Thirty-Two and 98-100 Dollars, and costs of suit, under a certain Judgment, in favor of New Melle Bank in a certain cause in said Court, No. 19238-A and styled New Melle Bank vs. H. C. Fitzgerald et al, and placed in my hands for service, I, W. G. Bralley as Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did, on the 5th day of February, 1927, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Wichita County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: All of lot No. 2, in block No. 62, of the Floral Heights Addition to the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, and levied upon as the property of Ruby F. Nicholson and J. D. Maxwell, E. L. Beck, H. C. Fitzgerald, R. B. Nicholson, and that on the first Tuesday in March, 1927, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Court House door, of Wichita County, in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy, and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said E. L. Beck, H. C. Fitzgerald, R. B. Nicholson, Ruby F. Nicholson and J. D. Maxwell.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week

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Lita's Father On Honeymoon



"If Lita had been reared properly, she wouldn't be in trouble," says Mrs. Chaplin's father, Robert E. McMurray, who now is honeymooning with a second wife, Mrs. Nella Benjamin, divorcee. Lita's mother and father were separated when she was a babe, her mother keeping her and later remarrying. Photos show Mr. and Mrs. McMurray, residents of Wichita, Kan.

KAY DEFENDS DIVORCE LAW

Courts Not To Blame For Failing Marriages

(Continued From Page One.)

Your Wife and Children," said:

"I want to thank the ladies for singing here this morning. If I could sing like that, I wouldn't speak to the Prince of Wales. I want to thank our friend, the artist, Mr. Dunton from Taos, N. M., for coming here this morning. Art is another grapevine that grows beyond my reach. A man with a paint brush seems to me a being dwelling apart from where I stay. I have often been to Taos; have stood and watched its purple peaks, its prehistoric country, the beauty of its panorama. I think it is one of the most wonderful spots in the world, but how much more the artist sees than I am able to see there.

"The Sunday school lesson this morning is about how to get along with your wife, and the children, and, of course, it is written by a bachelor, St. Paul. He kind of slips out of the Bible and he says that he didn't have any inspiration for some of this, but he says he is just giving his private opinion in spots. It is a difficult thing to talk about. It is a difficult thing for a man that has tried to rear as many children as I have, to tell how to do it. It is a long, long road, hard work, difficult. It is a real man's job and a real woman's undertaking.

Divorce Law Satisfactory

"Now, the preachers often talk about the divorce courts, and bewail the law. There is nothing the matter with the divorce courts. There is nothing the matter with the divorce law. You hear me! The trouble lies in injudicious marriages, in foolish marriages.

"There is a scientist just beginning to be heard, nameless yet, of whom I am afraid. I don't like to think about it, I don't like to read what he writes, but I must read it. He is this fellow who hasn't been honored with a name by scientists yet, who writes about heredity. His voice is pretty feeble now, pretty weak. We are just beginning to hear him, like the low notes of a wood bird in the deep forest, but I think the time is approaching when his voice will break a storm and when all the world will stand and listen. Now, what does all that mean! It just means that I am afraid for you to go out here and marry a scrub. It means that I think, that the next time when you go to see Sarah, that you say: 'Sarah, what kind of a man was your grandfather?' And, Sarah, that great uncle who got into trouble, what kind of trouble was that?' And, when Willie comes to see the girl, find out something about Willie's history.

"Now, what I am saying is not going to be popular here, this morning, but the Bible is a book full of what I am saying. So, when you go out to select a life mate, a wife or a husband, try and see that the family coat-of-arms is not emblazoned with a cups, or a hundred other bad signs.

"Now, this is a pitiful, pitiless, rough doctrine. Heredity. In the Bible, when the Savior made that immortal poem in the Sermon on the Mount—That exquisite gem in human thought. We must know that there flowed in his veins the blood of that David who wrote, later, the Twenty-third Psalm, 'I Shall Not Want.' Do you want to know something about family life! There are two great poems that will teach you more about it than many books. I want to beg you, this morning, to read Whittier's 'Snowbound.' Some of you know it. Many of you have read it. Not to know it is to remain ignorant. And, above that and beyond that, that exquisite story of Scotland's immortal bard, 'The Cotter's Saturday Night.' Read that poem. Watch Burns as he sketches that humble home with the father acting as the priest of his own household with the song, with the reading of the book, and the prayer.

"And, of course, at his conclusion, where he says:

"'It is from scenes such as these
That Old Scotia's grandeur springs.
Scotland's "Poor" Country

"Now, Scotland is the poorest country in the world. Scotland is the hardest country in the world to make a living in; and yet,—and yet,—the Scotch boys, reared in poverty, and toil have come out above and beyond every other race, and have captured the world. What Scotch boy, raised in toil and poverty, built the Canadian Pacific railroad? What Scotch boys, trained in hardships and in economy, own the great ranches in Texas? What Scotch boys, coming up through bitter circumstances, stand today at the head of the world's great universities? It is because they come out of homes where the family is respected, and where God is worshiped.

"Coming up on the train one day from Houston, I got into conversation with a gentleman, rather a small man, but rather a remarkable looking man. I didn't learn his business, but he did tell me about how he grew up on a little stony South farm, where the winters were long and the summers short, and of some of the hardships that he had there, and he passed me like shine that pass in the night. But, the next day, I picked up the Dallas Dollar and there was this fellow's picture in big size. The same fellow. It said, 'Dr. Gunn, the World's Greatest Bacteriologist.' He attended some great meeting they had at Fort Worth.

World Better Today

"If there is to come out of your home a great man, if there is to be to come out of your home a daughter that measures up to womanhood, then that home has got to be the kind of place where such a one can grow up. One of the biggest mistakes we make, and I make it, and all of us make it, is to expect some fruit and flowers and trees where we have planted the seed. Are we planting them? Do we plant them? I think the great trouble with our people today—not that I believe this great sermon that is going all over the country that the world is going to the dogs. (I have been knowing the world 50 years myself, and it is a better world today than it ever was before. I don't know how you feel about it, but if we want good fruit, we have got to plant the seed before we expect it to come up. I was talking about a flower show that I was going with his wife. I have always noticed that the man who will hit you with his fist down town never hits anybody at home. He will come home and strike his wife at home will run like a turkey if anybody gets after him down town. Hear me, you great, big, rough man, it is cowardly not to get along with your wife. I am assuming that she is a reasonably good woman. And, the shabbiest undertaking that a white man ever got into was to get down and try to hold up his end of a quarrel with a woman. And, yet, these things do go on at some places.

"You know, doctors, if you get smallpox at your house, or scarlet fever, or measles, they stick up a little red or yellow card telling folks to stay away from there, that is not there but is temporary. But, some of these homes ought to have a yellow card nailed up outside saying 'There is a fight going on in this house. These people are not able to make it. This old man that lives here on this corner is a tyrant, and, I won't say anything about the woman. I wouldn't, after what I have said here. Now, if they would stick up a card like that at your house, you would send for the doctor, and try to do something for it like you do when these other cards go up, wouldn't you?

"Home" a Happy Place

"Well, it doesn't especially need a card. If you are not getting along at home mister, or mistress, the story of that disaster, the dust of that fight, the loss of manhood and womanhood that is involved in it, is impressed on your face better than it could be on a quarantine card. A home ought to be a happy place. It ought to be a place where folks ought to get along. And there ought to be some rules to run it by. I am not the kind of anarchist that believes that God set the world in motion and intended for it to run always without the control of law. I believe in a little puritanism in the homes, and I believe in the rules and I believe in keeping them.

"And, having said that, may I say something else? I don't know, standing in the presence of my neighbors here, whether you will think that I have been much of a successful home owner, or raiser of children, but, let me tell you one of the secrets I think there is about raising children, or, as my more cultured friends would, perhaps say, rearing them.

"And, when you have got a bunch of children around the house, you don't want to see too much. Lots of people have run their children off just by saying: 'Don't, don't.'

"I do not believe that you ought to take the home and made a little justice court out of it. I do not believe that it is intended that the father should be a justice of the peace in his house and always have some of the children arraigned before him for some minor infraction of the law. I believe that the father and the mother, if they are to train their children, must walk before them in a life of such beauty that the right connection is set and that the children can only look up and follow the example.

MILLER FAMILY MOVES

The Rev. and Mrs. Leslie Miller have moved from the parsonage at 611 Lamar street to 1307 Lucile street.

KAYGRAMS

Outstanding Quotations From Judge Kay's Weekly Lesson

The preachers often talk about the divorce courts and bewail the law. There is nothing the matter with the divorce courts. There is nothing the matter with the divorce law. You hear me? The trouble lies in injudicious marriage, in foolish marriages.

If there is to come out of your home a good boy, a strong boy; if there is to come out of your home a daughter that measures up to womanhood, then that home has got to be the kind of a place where such a one can grow up.

I have been knowing the world 50 years myself and it is a better world today than I ever saw before.

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I believe that the father and the mother, if they are to train their children, must walk before them in a life of such beauty and in a life of such consecration, that the children can only look up and follow the example.

"CRYING SHINE" MUST "PAY-UP"

Owes State Four Years On Robbery Sentence

Eli Rogers, 55, negro, who was arrested about 2 o'clock Friday morning by City Officers Belcher and Allen after he had been found in a small building in the 1100 block on Indiana avenue by a night watchman, will probably be turned over to state prison authorities, police announced Sunday.

Rogers, who was without hat, shoes or coat when arrested, has confessed that he escaped from the Harland state farm about eight months ago. He said that he had sacrificed his clothing in making his escape, having placed it in a tree to elude blood hounds that were trailing him. He said he still had to serve four years and three months of a sentence for highway robbery.

Local officers have made a number of runs on calls concerning a negro fitting Rogers' description and have searched for him in connection with the theft of a handbag from the American Railway Express company. He is being held in the city jail pending the arrival of a special agent of the express company who may file charges on the black.

The negro possesses a peculiarity which he says has brought him the nickname of "Crying Shine" wherever he goes. It is his ability to shed tears at any time and the glitter of his eyes when doing so.

His record shows that he has served terms in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan., and in the Oklahoma state prison at McAlister.

JUMP MARRIAGE

Wichita Falls Couple Marry in Altus.

Marriage of Robert Jump, living in the Bachelor apartments, and Miss Lucille Lyon, 1601 14th street, in Altus Saturday night came as a surprise to their friends in Wichita Falls.

Jump is the North Texas representative of a Boulder, Colo., company and Miss Lyon has been attending school in Wichita Falls.

VALENTINE PARTY

Epworth League Will Entertain Church Members.

A Valentine party will be given Monday night by the Ansil Lynn chapter of the Epworth league of the First Methodist church.

The party will be held in the pastor's home. All members of the church are invited to attend. Games will be played and refreshments served.

BURK NEWS NOTES

Special to The Record News.

BURKBURNETT, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Chester Bell was hostess to the Humble Get Together club this week, which was an honor occasion for Mrs. H. D. Andrus and Mrs. W. E. Johnson.

Merry contests and amusements followed the business hour which was presided over by Mrs. N. C. Sheffler, the president of the club.

Mrs. Andrus was presented with a beautiful picture and Mrs. Johnson a large unique Valentine filled with dainty gifts.

A refreshment course was enjoyed by the guests in the closing hour. Those present were Mesdames A. N. Pausky, Jess Griffin, Sheffer, E. R. Simons, Bill Petty, J. D. Stemle, E. E. Greeson, C. D. White, O. B. Roark, the honorees mentioned, and Mrs. S. T. Caude of Wichita Falls.

The Bida-a-Wee club was entertained at the home of Mrs. John Anderson this week where Mrs. Cunningham presided.

A sprightly game of "42" and a delicious plate luncheon featured this little gathering of ladies, who were the following: Mesdames Cunningham, Ray, Gray, Smith, Simons, Brannon, Dace, Whitehouse, Wiggins, Gage, Henderson and Blackburn.

Mrs. E. V. Williams, who is leaving for her new home in Eastland, Texas, was the honoree of a pretty party given by the M. S. and C. club at the home of Mrs. J. W. Smith.

A program centering around a friendly little tribute to Mrs. Williams, and a progressive game were the main amusements of the hour, which was closed with a dish towel shower for the honoree, and the enjoyment of a dainty refreshment. The guests were Mesdames F. A. Whiteacre, Coy Jones, G. T. England, W. W. Jackson, H. G. McRea, Hargis, Sam Baker, H. J. Meyers, Northcutt, Cline Smith and Williams.

KING FOR HUNGARY

By Universal Service.

BERLIN, Feb. 13.—The first steps toward providing a king for the "royal republic" of Hungary are reported in a Budapest paper which claims that Archduke Friedrich has placed an order with one of the best-known tailors in Budapest for several hundred uniforms for court officials.

More calls for office help than we can fill. Write Draughon's College, Wichita Falls, Texas, for Catalog M today.—Adv.

MEMPHIS FIRE BOYS BANQUET

City Officials Attend Annual Meeting

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Feb. 13.—The annual banquet of the Memphis volunteer fire department was held here Thursday night with the members of the city council, mayor and city secretary as invited guests.

Many interesting subjects pertaining to fire protection and prevention were discussed by members of both organizations. A great spirit of co-operation was in evidence and a better understanding of the duties and possibilities of the two civic groups created.

H. King Stephens, assistant chief of the department, acted as toastmaster. Music was supplied by the Melody Mixers, youthful orchestra of this place.

Following is the program rendered:

Welcome address, D. H. Arnold, father of the department; response, Mayor Penhall; "Fire Equipment," Silas Wood, chief; "Traffic at Fires," Bill Huddleston, fire marshal; "Our Fire Boys," Sam Harrison, councilman; "Duties of Firemen," King Stephens, assistant fire chief; "Relations of Council to Department," Jack Figh, councilman; "Value of Department to City," Earl C. Johnson; "Better Protection," W. E. Wilson; "Co-operation," C. T. Matkins.

ELECTRA SOCIETY

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Byron Wilbanks was hostess to the Stitch and Chatter club at her home Thursday afternoon when a most delightful afternoon was spent in games and contests, with sewing and mending playing a small part of th eafternoon. A most delightful plate luncheon in keeping with the season of Valentine was served, the dessert being in heart shape.

Rotary Club Meeting.

A very fine meeting of the Rotary club was held Friday at their regular luncheon, when a new member, Ragan Andrews was accepted into the club, and Walter Skinner was appointed secretary to fill out Homer Grizzles unexpired term. W. P. Slaton, the president, was in charge of the meeting. E. W. Barr, T. T. Weatherall and Sam J. Dotson were appointed on the committee "On To Waco," with the convention to be held in Waco, March 24 and 25.

Visitors of the club were, former Rotarian John A. Wise, now of Wichita Falls, Alfred Harris, A. L. Warren and Phillip Campbell of Wichita Falls.

No program was rendered and there was a fine attendance.

Abraham Lincoln Program.

A most delightful celebration of Abrahama Lincoln's birthday was observed in the auditorium of the Waggoner ward school Friday afternoon, when the A. T. T. W. club of the low seventh grade put on a very nice program. The program opened with singing, "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," and then Helen Dinsmore, president of the club took charge and Buelah James, Hattie Lee McDannald, Opal Edwards, Helen Lewis and Edward Terril took park on the program giving events in the life of Lincoln. Principal J. V. Harrison made an address as did Juvenile Officer J. T. Cabe of Wichita Falls. The meeting dismissed.

W. W. G. Club Elects Officers.

At a meeting of the W. W. G. club of the Waggoner ward school Friday Miss Gladys McDannald presided in the absence of the president, Robert Cloninger. The principal business of the club was the election of officers and the following were elected: President, Evelyn Kilpatrick; vice-president, Royal Wood; secretary, Lola Mercer; sargeant at arms, Ray Bolin; treasurer, Frank Kilburn; reporter Nettie Mae Melton. The color of blue was selected and this will be worn by each member of the class.

The following program was given: Reading, by Trellis Maroney; pictures by Martha McNeely; jungles of Africa, by Joe Smith; song, by Misses Gladys McDannald, Imogene King, Trellis Maroney, Lola Mercer, Lillie Mae Melton, Martha McNeely and Evelyn Kilpatrick; the Sahara Desert, by Cecil Eaton, and music on the victrola by the president, Miss Evelyn Kilpatrick. The meeting adjourned. Miss Vera Graham, the class sponsor was present also.

Lampas Society Meets.

The Lampas society met Thursday afternoon at the church, with Mrs. J. M. Knight the president in charge, and a number of questions of business were taken up and discussed, with definite plans for the Martha Washington tea on February 18, being discussed, and this is to be at the home of Mrs. Claud Conyers. Plans were also discussed for the church banquet on the night of February 23, to be held at the church. A card of sympathy was sent to Mrs. C. M. Bryson whose brother recently died and cards were to be sent Mrs. Kirk Moore who is at Oklaunion, for Valentine greetings. Mrs. John Houser sent a letter of thanks, she having recently been in the hospital.

Rebekah Lodge Notes.

About 100 were present at the meeting of the Rebekah lodge last Friday evening, when the Green side, who lost in a contest which has been in progress for some weeks, served a most delightful luncheon to the Pinks or the winning group. Three candidates were initiated, they being Misses Doma Porter, Green and Mrs. Ada Hicklen. Plans are being made for the members of the Rebekah degree team to attend the home coming of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs in Wichita Falls on the night of February 19 and the local team will put on the work for a large class of candidates.

DEBATERS ACTIVE

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Feb. 13.—Frances Elsea, Cleo Sessions and Lalah Byerly are among the most prospective members of the Altus debating team.

Only two southern conference debates are included in the list for the Altus team this year and no other debates have been scheduled.

The team will go to Anadarko for the first trial February 18, and the Duncan team will debate here March 4.

Today { At the Theaters

By Ruth Morrison

Majestic: Clara Bow in "It," an Elinor Glyn novel; comedy, Topics of the Day, and Pathe News.

Olympic: "Everybody's Acting," with Betty Bronson; comedy, Fox News. Also special vaudeville attraction.

Strand: "Risky Business" starring Vera Reynolds; "Bill Grimm's Progress," Kenogram News.

Mission: "Ramblin' Galoot" with Buddy Roosevelt and Century comedy.

Gem: Harrison Ford in "Hell's Four Hundred" and western picture.

Garden: Harry Carey in "The Frontier Trails," comedy and last episode of "The Fighting Hearts."

Not since her appearance as the elusive and whimsical "Peter Pan" has Betty Bronson had the opportunity of displaying her varied talents and piquant personality to better advantage than in her current role of the adorable little orphan in the comedy-drama "Everybody's Acting," now playing at the Olympic.

As evidence of her versatility, she first appears as a little girl of eight—a mischievous little minx, under the loving care of five foster fathers, who had adopted her when she was orphaned at 18 months. Later she blossoms out as a charming miss of 18, whose romance with a youthful society millionaire is threatened by the shadow of her tragic past.

Betty plays both phases of this difficult characterization with consummate skill and convincing sincerity. She has a remarkable flair for comedy, but she is equally at home in the dramatic scenes and rises splendidly to the emotional moments. Ford Sterling, Louise Dresser, Lawrence Gray, Henry Walthall and Raymond Hitchcock are the other principals in the cast. Neilan both wrote and directed the story which is laid in a theatrical background.

Phonograph Shop Invites Wichita Music Lovers To Valentine Party

Tonight the public is invited to a Valentine party.

Roy Coffee, manager of the Phonograph Shop, has planned a fitting celebration of the third anniversary of the establishment. For the past three weeks interior decorators have been at work remodeling the interior of this shop, and it is to present this new idea and conception of just what a music shop should be that the event takes the form of a Valentine party.

Manager Coffee spent several weeks in studying plans of various music houses over the country before letting the contract for remodeling.

"I believe," he said, "that I have incorporated the best features that have been brought out in the music store architecture and treatment. The Phonograph Shop ranks today as one of the outstanding examples of the very finest in music shops.

"I am justly proud of my organization," continued Mr. Coffee. "I believe that this group of courteous experts are without peer in their respective lines. Don McCauley, radio technician, has achieved a most enviable record in the radio field of the southwest. Miss Lucille Bagwell is in charge of the Brunswick record department. R. E. Collier and Frank Allday are in charge of the sales of Brunswick Panatropes and radios. J. W. Shipley is bookkeeper for the firm.

The Phonograph Shop is an authorized Radio Corporation of America dealer and carries a complete line of the R. C. A. radios in conjunction with the radios in combination with the famous Panatrope. The radio business has changed from the experimental game of yesterday to a scientific business. No longer need the public worry over radio reception. Any R. C. A. model will give the buyer just what he purchased—radio reception at all times.

Manager Coffee and the balance of the staff extend to all a cordial invitation to call.

Electra Boy Scouts Observe Ceremony In Celebration Of Scout Anniversary

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Feb. 13.—As in many other cities, Boy Scouts week or the celebration of the 22nd anniversary of the Boy Scout movement has been observed in Electra in splendid style. Troop 3, the Wildcat troop of Boy Scouts were feasted at a banquet at the Presbyterian church Friday evening, when the entire troop attended with their scoutmaster, William Latham and assistant scoutmaster, Jimmy Warden.

Rev. L. D. Grafton returned thanks before the meal, which was a two-course affair, and after the guests were seated the scouts led by Ancell Vaught gave the laws and oath of the scouts. As the meal was nearing completion, Miss Eloise Gafford, who was formerly interested in Camp Fire work read several selections. Rev. L. D. Grafton made a talk on "The Significance of Scout Work."

The scouts then took charge of the program, with Claud Burnham, T. L. McCracken and Edwi.: Lewis giving an exhibit in bandaging and first aid; Ashley Little and Rapael Wilson gave a message in signaling; Ancell Caught and Papheal Wilson and Albert Woods some work in tying knots. Scoutmaster Latham then made a short talk and introduced the committee back of the scouts, Messrs. D. F. Pierce, W. C. P'Pool and Rev. L. D. Grafton with Mr. Warden assistant scoutmaster.

About 45 were present and the meeting adjourned.

Burial Services For Pioneer Electra Woman Conducted At Beaver Creek

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Feb. 13.—Rev. Finis Crutchfield, presiding elder of the Dallas district of the First Methodist church, conducted the funeral for Mrs. Maude Carter Ancell, 47, wife of Charles F. Ancell, prominent ranchman who resides 16 miles south of the city. Funeral services were conducted from the old Marvin Chapel Methodist church, on Beaver creek, south of the city, which church figured in pioneer days of Wichita county, and was formerly the scene of many camp meetings under brush arbors and lasted for many days.

Mrs. Ancell was buried in the old historic Marvin Chapel cemetery, at 2:30 Saturday afternoon, in which cemetery lies the remains of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carter, who helped to survey Wichita county and build up the country back in 1855, when this part of the country was divided into counties, and was converted from a huge open prairie to a few farmlands and trading posts.

Mrs. Ancell died at 9:30 Friday morning at the old Ancell homestead which althought has recently been remodeled, has stood as a land mark for cowboys and pioneers for the past half century, but which now stands as the gateway to the Diverson dam, a part of the huge irrigation system. She died after an illness of less than a week.

Surviving relatives are her husband, and three children, Wayne Ancell, 27, prominent young ranchman, and a son, W. E. Ancell, 12, and daughter, Lucille, 9. Two brothers, Tom Carter of Post, and John Carter of Alpine, with a sister, Mrs. Dave Melton of Beaver Creek, were at her bedside when death came, but a second sister, Mrs. Ethel Bradley of Dallas, arrived Friday. A sister-in-law, Miss Bell Ancell, also of Dallas, attended the funeral, as did a great many pioneer citizens from Vernon, Wichita Falls and Electra, many making the journey to the home early Friday and Thursday over almost impassible roads.

Deputy Sheriffs Confiscate Truck Cnstructed For Hauling Of Liquor

A specially built truck, apparently designed for the transportation of liquor, and containing 18 half-gallons and five pints of corn whiskey, was seized by members of the sheriff's department late Saturday evening in the alley between Bluff and Burnett streets on the 900 block.

The officers received a tip which led to the seizure but no one was near the truck when they arrived.

The body of the truck was of the ordinary type, without a top and with high side-boards but had a strongly built cabinet inside of the outer boards. It appeared that to fill the cabinet with liquor and then cover it with other cargo would have been a simple matter.

Liquor, Automobile and Three Men Are In Custody Of City Detectives

Three half gallon jars and one pint of whiskey and a Ford coupe were taken in tow by City Detectives Persky and McCoy Sunday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock when they located the "catch" between Ohio avenue and the Denver tracks on Seventh street.

Two men found near the car were arrested but denied any knowledge of the liquor loaded car. One of the men was standing near the car when the officers arrived on the scene and while the three were conversing another man walked up and attempted to hand a ring of keys to the first one apprehended. Both denied ownership of the car. The door of the car, steering wheel and switch were unlocked by the officers with the keys taken from the man.

HONOR KIPLING

RIO DE JANIERO, Feb. 13.—Rudyard Kipling arrived here today. He was received officially by the government whose guest he will be during his stay in Brazil. He plans to visit a number of South American countries before returning to England, it was reported today.

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BALDRIGE SEES NEED OF FAITH

He Tells Sunday Class What Christ Can Mean

The climax in the life of Peter, the Apostle, was the basis of the study Sunday of the Baldridge Bible class, conducted by William Baldridge, of the Highland Heights Christian church.

"The climax of Peter's whole life was his clear-cut testimony of the Messiahship and divinity of Jesus," Baldridge told the class.

"The twelve had been with him for more than two years, had heard his wonderful teachings, had seen him heal the sick, give sight to the blind, and give strength to the withered arm, had roved all the country from the north to the south had been aroused by the teachings of this Galilean reformer.

"Matthew tells us in the 16th chapter that on this occasion when the Master and the disciples were alone, he asked them, "Whom do men say that I, the Son of Man, am? Of course, this question was for the purpose of getting the opinion of his followers as to who the Son of Man was.

Advises Own Belief.

"They replied, "Some say you are John the Baptist, returned from among the dead, and some say you are one of the old prophets come to earth." Just here, I want to suggest that it is not very material for you to know what the other fellow thinks of Jesus. The question is: What do you think of Him? And Jesus arrived at this point when he suddenly asked, "But whom say ye that I am!"

"Peter, true to his impulsive nature, answered for the apostles and said, "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God." Peter did the thing the Master wanted him to do. He was the first to openly confess that Jesus was what he claimed to be—that he was the Christ, the Son of the living God. I pity the men who can't make this confession.

Peter Is Blessed.

"After Peter had made this statement, the Master pronounced his blessings upon him and told him that upon this rock he would build his church: That is upon the proposition that he was the Christ and that he was the Son of God. If he were not the Son of God, then the whole structure of the Christian religion falls. His teachings on immortality and a more perfect and higher life after death would likewise crumble.

"The man who cannot with an abundance of faith make the same confession Peter made, must be a most miserable man. Think of the man whose faith, or rather the lack of faith, has shut himself off from the great principal of life, death and the hereafter as taught by the Master. I can think of nothing I would change for this.

Child Gives Lesson.

"Some years ago when I was a younger man, and my first baby boy was about two and one-half years old, this lesson was very indelibly impressed upon my mind. We had a very kind and gentle old family horse that the boy and his mother drove nearly every afternoon for recreation. The youngster became very much attached to the very gentle old nag. One day the horse died. The boy was very much worried about it. His childish mind could not grasp exactly what it meant. The next morning he climbed on my knee and asked many questions about when Old Gray would come back. I told him that Old Gray would not come back. Then he queried, "Won't he live no more?" I told him he would not. Then he paused and was to apparent study for a moment or two. Then he gathered me around the neck and said: "Daddy, if I die, won't I live no more?" I quickly replied, "Yes, Son, you will live again when you die." He did not comprehend it all, but he was satisfied.

We Live Again.

"I would not have exchanged the privilege of telling that boy that I believed he would live again for all the riches of the Indias. If I could not make the confession Peter made, I could not have said to the child, "You will live again."

"We often hear it said that it must have been delightful to have talked with Jesus. I am not so sure. Of course, I love him and a sense of adoration comes over me as I contemplate him as the Son of God and the Savior of Man, but I stand tremendously in awe of him.

"It has been said that a man is like an iceberg. Sometimes one has to row all around it before one finds a place to land. Could any figure more adequately represent what Jesus always did? Was he not a man? He rowed around his life until he saw the real problem and then he landed. You remember the rich young ruler that came to him seeking the way of eternal life. The Master landed upon his riches, and so with Zaccheaus, the publican, he landed upon his unholy extortion of taxes. Zaccheaus was ready to make amends for the old after his talk with the Master. You remember Nichodemus, one of the arrogant rulers of the Jews, who came to Him by night that he might learn more of Him. The Master immediately rowed around him and landed upon his unspiritual materialism, and told him that he must be born again. To the Samaritan woman he put up the moral code. He knew men and their weaknesses—the things that keep them from making the confession that Peter made.

Confess The Christ

"When you go as far as Peter did and confess the Man of Galilee to be the Christ, the Son of God, you may not know it, but you have accepted all the fundamentals of Christianity. You have accepted by that confession his teachings of life, his kingship over a spiritual kingdom that shall hereafter shape your life. Can you think of a man as inconsistent as to stand in the presence of the Master and confess him openly and then not accept all the duties he imposes upon him? No, the beautiful faith that prompts you to do that will impel you to do it all. That is the reason so much was said by the Master about faith. Faith is that beautiful but silent force that turns you toward him. I cannot think of a man being happy or holy until he can say in all sincerity with Peter, 'I know thou art the Son of the living God.'

"There is no doubt in my mind but that Mr. Bryan is a man of faith, but in all probability some of his associates did not know of it, therefore the demand on the part of Jesus for an open confession. This confession may be made before men with the mouth, with acts and with the life we live.

Bryan Is Cited

"Mr. Bryan tells the story that when he was a young man and very jealous in the defense of the divinity of Christ, he happened to read one of Bob Ingersoll's lectures. He interpreted Mr. Ingersoll as saying in that lecture that he did not believe in immortality of the soul, that he did not believe that Jesus was divine. Mr. Bryan says that this was so unthinkable from his view point that he wrote Mr. Ingersoll a letter, asking him if he understood him correctly.

"The great infidel was away from home but his secretary answered Mr. Bryan and enclosed one of Mr. Ingersoll's lectures which he said would answer Mr. Bryan's questions. With eagerness he read the lecture and in substance Mr. Ingersoll said, 'I do not say that man is not immortal, I simply say, 'I do not know.' I do not say that Jesus of Nazareth was not divine, I simply say, 'I do not know, do you?'

"Mr. Bryan says that from that day until this he could not understand how any man could take from any human soul the beautiful belief in life after death and in the divinity of Jesus, and substitute therefor the cold and cheerless doctrine of: 'I do not know.' Such a doctrine has no compensation here or hereafter.

Beauty of Faith

"If Mr. Ingersoll had been correct, I still have lost nothing by the life built on the beautiful faith on which Christianity is founded. I will still be no worse off in death than will be the great infidel.

"On the other hand, if immortality is a fact and Christianity is a reality, where will the man be in that great and final day if he has been unable by an abundance of faith to make the confession that Peter made.

"The teachings of Christ are not to get men to accept a formula, but to get them to reproduce a life. It is life here and life Over There that Christianity is interested in, and the life Over There depends upon your life here."

CAR HITS WOMAN

Mother and Daughter Escape Injury

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Feb. 13.—Mrs. L. D. Gowdy, mother of Mrs C. P. Bodine, sustained painful injuries late Saturday afternoon when the car in which she and Mrs. Gowdy and infant daughter were riding, was struck by a car driven by two men, who said they were enroute to New Mexico.

The accident occurred three miles west of the city on the Vernon-Electra highway, and after the accident the women were brought to the city. Mrs. Gowdy was given treatment at the office of Dr. T. H. Parmley, where it was revealed that she was suffering from a scalp wound, which is not thought to be serious. She was taken to her home after being given first aid.

Mrs. Bodine and small daughter miraculously escaped more serious injury as Mrs. Bodine was at the wheel of the car, which was a complete wreck.

BOYS INJURED

Car Goes Through Bridge Railing

Special to The Record News.

CHILDRESS, Feb. 13.—Four Childress boys drove a car through the railing of the Buck Creek bridge on Friday night about 11:30 o'clock, and the car dropped to the bed of the creek, about 18 feet, being completely demolished and the four boys somewhat injured, though none of them seriously.

The boys in the car were Messrs. W. E. (Scotty) Scott, Abernathy, Strickland and Kinney. A passing car occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Tollie Norris and two others came by shortly afterward and found Abernathy climbing up the back to get assistance to get the other three boys out from the wreckage, in which they had been pinned.

The boys were brought in to town, suffering only bad body bruises. Scott had to have three stitches in a gash in the back of his head and his leg was also cut. One of the boys had a fractured collar bone.

HOTEL DAMAGED

Stove Explosion Starts Memphis Fire

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Feb. 13.—The explosion of a gasoline stove at the negro hotel, near the Seago and Simmons gin, caused a slight damage to two of the rooms and destroyed a quantity of clothing, about 5 p. m. Friday.

The stove exploded while a negro woman was cooking supper and set fire to the walls and ceiling. The gasoline-soaked walls burned rapidly but the blaze was extinguished by a bucket brigade before the arrival of the fire department.

The hotel is the property of E. S. Jones.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Grace Methodist church will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock instead of at the home of Mrs. Hal Shirey as previously announced.



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TWO MEN FACE THEFT CHARGES

Thought To Have Been Driving Stolen Automobile

Two young men who were found in a Ford roadster in Henrietta early Saturday morning with a sledge hammer, chisels and other knob-knocking paraphenalia in their car, may be brought to Wichita Falls Monday to face charges of theft, stated Sheriff W. G. Bralley Sunday night.

Sheriff Bralley and Deputy Sheriff Cliff Kelrsey went to Henrietta Sunday to aid Clay county officers in identifying the men. The license plate on their car was identified as one which was stolen here Saturday night from the car of Troy Eubanks, 1419 12th street and a spare casing as the one stolen from a garage near Eubanks' home.

The two men, one of whom lives here and the other in Wilson, Okla., told oficers that they had left Wichita Falls Saturday night for Fort Worth in search of employment. The car they were driving is thought by officers to be a stolen automobile.

They were at first arrested in connection with the death of Lloyd Willis, who was killed in Henrietta Sunday morning when he fell under a moving train. The two men were located near the scene of Willis' death.

RIDE GOAT

Close of 24 Initated Into Eagles Here Sunday.

Thirty-four candidates were initiated by the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Sunday afternoon at the Eagle's hall. The class of 34 was initiated in honor of the worthy president of the Wichita Falls Aerie No. 1859. A class of 20 will be initiated Wednesday night at 8 p. m. in honor of the Texas Atate Aerie convention to be held here in May.

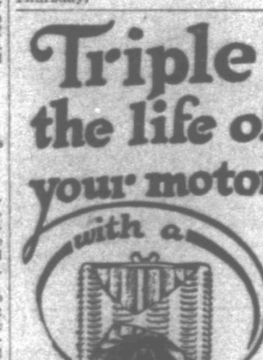
The following were initiated Sunday: J. M. Smith, L. E. Hudgens, S. M. McCreary, J. O. Ozmant, W. L. Palmer, I. H. Ryle, Winston Mitchell, C. L. Stokes, Clarence Sims, W. M. Austin, Ralph J. Rhader, Theo. B. Smith, Roy M. Ware, Theo. Marken, J. J. Lane, B. J. Littleken, M. B. Conner, Joe S. Davis, Thos. G. Simmons, J. E. Wilson, Jno. G. Cameron, Riley Regan, W. M. Williams, L. E. Giles, Jos. H. Brube, E. G. Wood, C. R. Fulright, Frank Fly, John Kelly, L. E. Zannella, W. G. Howell, H. C. Power, W. L. Kaneasle and O. A. McDaniel.

MINISTER LEAVES

Rev. Leslie Miller Will Speak At Kansas City.

The Rev. Leslie Miller, pastor of the Grace Methodist church, left Sunday afternoon for Kansas City, where he will address the council of life work secretaries of the Epworth league in the Kansas City area Monday afternoon. The Rev. Miller expects to be back here Thursday.

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