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MARINES KILL SCORES OF NICARAGUAN BANDITS

EARL CARROLL, KING AT FAMED BATHTUB PARTY, GIVEN PAROLE

NEW YORK SHOW PRODUCER WILL BE FREED SOON

PARDON BOARD GRANTS PETITION TO TAKE EFFECT AT ONCE

MODEL PRISONER

THEATRICAL MAGNATE MUST KEEP FROM "BAD COMPANY"

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—Earl Carroll, the New York theatrical producer, will be released from the Atlanta penitentiary within the next few days.

The resolution of the parole board for his release was approved late today by Attorney General Sargent and papers were forwarded immediately to warden of the penitentiary, directing him to liberate the prisoner.

Carroll began serving a sentence of a year and a day last June 8 for perjury in connection with his famous bath tub party on the stage of a New York theatre. He became eligible for parole October 8 and yesterday the board passed favorably on his application. This action, however, did not become known until today when it was signed by the attorney general.

In addition to his prison sentence, Carroll was fined $2,000. He was described in the parole application as a model prisoner with a marked improvement in health after his collapse on the way to prison, when he was removed from the train and kept for some time in a Geneva, S. C. hospital.

Conditions under which Carroll's parole was granted include one that during the term of his parole he is not to frequent saloons or other places where it is said liquors are found, sold or furnished and that he will not drink intoxicating liquors.

Carroll also will be required to abstain during the time of his parole from associating with persons of bad reputation, in all respects to conduct himself honorably and work diligently and honestly for himself and his employer, and to avoid "violating the law."

The conditions are the usual ones laid down for paroled federal prisoners.

REMUS TRIAL IS SET

Former Bootlegger King Formally Enters Plea of Insanity in Fight to Beat Chair

CINCINNATI, Oct. 18. (AP)—George Remus will be given a hearing November 7, when a jury of twelve will pass on the question of whether or not he was insane when he shot to death his wife, Mrs. Imogene Holmes Remus.

Remus entered a formal plea of insanity today and the court immediately appointed three alienists who will act with the jury to decide Remus' sanity. Charles Elston, attorney for Remus, and Carl Baxter, assistant prosecuting attorney, will at once begin a tour of the country taking depositions which will be introduced at the hearing.

Elston announced he would seek to prove with the depositions that Mrs. Remus with Frank L. Dodge, Jr., former prohibition agent who surprised the Remus gigantic gigantic bootlegging ring, conspired to kill him.

5 KILLED IN CRASH

Four Children Among Those Who Perish As Train Ploughs Through Automobile.

CAMBRIDGE, Oct. 18 (AP).—Five persons, four of them children, were killed, and a fifth child was seriously injured Tuesday afternoon when a Pennsylvania passenger train struck an automobile south of here. The dead are;

Russel Cox, 38, driver of the car; Ralph Cox, Russell's son; Raymond Kostellenk, 7; William Gooden, 7; Willard Breeden, 7; H. Stephen Gould, 7, suffered a fractured skull and is in a serious condition.

HOUSTON PLANE PLANT IS BURNED BY CARELESS BOY

HOUSTON, Oct. 18 (AP).—The airplane assembling factory of J. L. Schroeder was destroyed here Tuesday after a boy had accidentally dropped a lighted match in a can of paint. Loss was estimated at $20,000.

Wm. Penn—5 cents—A Good Cigar

Accusing Finger Pointing To American Oil Interests As Aftermath To Mexican Revolt



DWIGHT MORROW

RAILROADS SEE BRIGHT FUTURE

PENNSYLVANIA PRESIDENT IS CHIEF SPEAKER AT RAIL MEETING IN DALLAS

(By Associated Press)

DALLAS, Oct. 18.—A seven year term for state railroad commissioners, regular schedule and this is true competent, adequate salaries for commissioners, and recognition of the commission's independence were advocated by General W. W. Atterbury, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, in an address this afternoon before the 39th annual convention of the National Association of Railroad and Utilities commissioners meeting here.

General Atterbury was the principal speaker at the afternoon session at which more than 100 railroad and utility men representing virtually ever state in the union were present. The remainder of the session was consumed with committee reports.

Tonight members of the visitors delivered short messages to their home cities over a local broadcasting station.

Round Table Talk

The night session consisted of a round table discussion on "holding companies", presided over by James S. Benn of Pennsylvania.

The four-day convention had hardly started today when New Orleans and Glacier National Park Montana, began making overtures to secure the 1928 convention. Both places vied with alluring literature and souvenirs in support of their respective claims.

After briefly reviewing the history of the Pennsylvania railroad, General Atterbury sounded a note of optimism for the railroads of the United States. "Never before has there been such a period of prosperity", General Atterbury said. "Rail earnings have improved and at the same time the service has been vastly improved. The railroads have played an important part in the prosperity of the country.

"Up to ten years ago there was no regular schedule of freight moved over the Pennsylvania system. Now 96 percent of the freight moves on regular schedule and this true

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INSURANCE CASE TODAY

Following Two Days In Which Jury Selected, Argument Is Due To Begin.

Following two days in which the jury was selected and testimony presented, argument in the case of Texas Employers Insurance Association versus Walter Davies et al, will get under way this morning in Judge Clark M. Mullican's court.

The suit is being entered to set aside a ruling of the state industrial board.

STORM WARNING MADE

Tropical Disturbance Felt In Area Off Coast of Cuba; Moving Northeastward

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18. (AP)—The Weather Bureau tonight issued the following storm warning:

"Advisory 10 p. m. The tropical disturbance continues of slight intensity, being central off the coast of Southern Cuba in about latitude 20, longitude 78. There are some indications of its moving northeastward in which case an increase in intensity may be expected. Caution advised region of Bahama."

Wm. Penn—5 cents—A Good Cigar

Veteran Reporter Returns To New York And Tells Of Behind-Scenes Occurences

(EDITOR'S NOTE:—Robert Hammond Murray, has been a ringside observer of Mexican affairs since the closing days of the reign of Portfirio Diaz.

As a distinguished journalist in Mexico City he saw the coming and going of Madero, Victoriano Huerta, and Carranza—revolutionists all.

He saw Alvaro Obregon and then Calles come into power and succeed in staying there.

He has been a close observer of outside influences operating in Mexican politics. He knows Mexican statesmen, military chiefs, men of affairs, and the oil barons of the United States and other countries operating in Mexico.

He knows, too, the people of Mexico who wear no shoes—meaning the sorely exploited peons.

Murray is not a propagandist of any sort. He has no axes to grind. For 15 years he has watched the drama in Mexico. And from an unbiased viewpoint he tells the truth about what he has seen.)

BY ROBERT HAMMOND MURRAY
For NEA Service

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The recent abortive revolution in Mexico, speedily crushed by President Calles, is marked by these significant facts—which, as an impartial observer, I point out the developments of the past few months, I am able to point out:

FIRST—A revolutionary movement of the type so familiar in the past has raised its head, but a stable government still directs the country after slight loss of life and without any property destruction.

SECOND—Instead of thousands of poor peons being sacrificed upon the bloody altar of the ambitions of a few selfish leaders, less than a hundred lives were lost.

THIRD—It was the leaders, not their unlettered followers, who first paid the penalty. And it should be remembered that they were of the type of men who threatened the sword. They died as they chose to live.

FOURTH—In keeping himself and his country out of trouble, the Mexican executive who maintains order south of the Rio Grande be what peace-loving American citizens and American officials alike want.

I have just reached New York from Mexico City. During the past few months I have observed the unfolding of events that reached their climax in the revolt of garrisons, the cry of revolution, and then a succession of executions.

How The Rebellion Was Born

If you can imagine candidates for the presidency in the United States going about the country proclaiming that they have the support of most of the army, and that if they are not elected they will seize the power by force of arms, you may picture the recent campaign conditions in Mexico.

Meanwhile, imagine some of the candidates boring from within the army, offering lavish rewards in promotion or money, or both, to generals in return for their assistance in executing a military coup which will remove the existing government and place them in control of the treasury and the administrative machinery.

This was the situation in Mexico. Then Serrano and Gomez departed from Mexico City, accom-

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MORE BANKS O. K. OUSTER DEMANDS

TWENTY-FIVE CENTRAL WEST TEXAS BANKS ENDORSE MOVE STARTED HERE

(By Associated Press)

ABILENE, Oct. 18—Removal of Governor Lynn P. Talley of the eleventh federal reserve district was urged here today in resolutions adopted by 25 bankers representing seven counties in Central West Texas.

The meeting here was held by mutual agreement of the bankers of this section holding membership with the Federal Reserve bank at Dallas. J. P. Williams, president of the First National bank at Mineral Wells, addressed the conference by invitation.

The resolutions declared all bankers present were in accord with the Federal Reserve Act "in its proper functions."

The meeting here urged Williams to continue his campaign against Talley "to a successful end" and declared for the appointment of a "capable member banker" in Talley's place.

The application of federal reserve banks policies as practiced by Talley has caused the bank to lose its usefulness to a majority of member banks, it was declared. Talley's policies as to financing of the last cotton crop are understood to have precipitated the fight against him.

KRUM SUSPECT IN JAIL

Yancy Story, Bank Robbery Suspect Again Behind Bars In Dallas.

DALLAS, Oct. 18 (AP).—Yancey Story, charged with the robbery of the Krum, Denton county, bank robbery, was placed in the Dallas county jail Tuesday night by Ranger Captain Tom Hickman. His bond has been ordered forfeited earlier in the day by Judge C. A. Pippen when Story failed to appear for trial.

BRYAN BUILDING COLLAPSES BUT NO ONE IS INJURED

BRYAN, Oct. 18 (AP)—Expected all day, the collapse of the J. T. Turner grocery company building here occurred without injury to anyone Tuesday afternoon. Excavations are being made nearby for the La Salle Bryan's new $250,000 hotel.

LUMAN INDICTED IN BREEDING MURDER

BRILLIANT BATTERY LEGAL COUNSEL SUMMONED FOR TRIAL, NOVEMBER 5

(Special To The Avalanche)

POST, Oct. 18.—A grand jury in session here today returned an indictment against Will "Dutch" Luman, Garza county ranchman, charging him with the fatal shooting on the night of August 5, of Marvin Breeding at Post.

Immediately following the return of the indictment, District Judge Gordon B. McGuire changed the venue from Garza to Dawson county and set November 28 as the opening date for the trial.

Dayton Moses of Fort Worth, widely known criminal lawyer, has been engaged as a special prosecutor for the case. Assisting him will be District Attorney T. L. Price, of Post and Leon O. Moses, Garza county prosecutor. W. H. Murchison of Haskill, one of West Texas' leading attorneys, will be chief counsel for the defendant.

No cause has ever been given for the shooting of Breeding, 23-year old Post restaurant employe, who was shot while in a Post theatre. Breeding died a few days later in a Lubbock hospital. Luman was arrested at the time but released to await action of the grand jury.

The array of counsel summoned for the two sides of the case promises one of the most interesting court duels in Texas history.

UNDERTAKER CHARGED

Borger Funeral Director Waives Preliminary Hearing In Charge Following Investigation

BORGER, Oct. 18. (AP)—C. T. Bolins, undertaker charged with swindling in connection with the burial of Mildred Elson, seven, whose body was disinterred, waived preliminary hearing Tuesday and was bound over for action of the grand jury.

Bert D. Elston, father of the dead child, charged that he paid for a good burial, but that no shroud was provided by the undertaker. A coffin too short was used and several other details were not as they should have been.

Peace officers and rangers watched the disinterment.



ALVARO OBREGON

STINSON, PLANE MAGNATE, MISSED

MANUFACTURER, WITH WIFE, LOST IN AIRPLANE AS RAINSTORM RAGES

(By Associated Press)

BOSTON, Oct. 18.—Eddie Stinson, Detroit airplane designer and builder disappeared tonight into the scurring murk of a cold New England "norther" while flying from Hartford, Conn., to Boston, on the last lap of an 18,000 mile air tour to promote interest in airports. His wife was with him in his Stinson-Detroit airplane.

Hopping off from Hartford at 4 p. m. the Detroit flier, who should have reached Boston in an hour and a half had not reached his destination or reported down anywhere enroute shortly before 9 o'clock tonight. A telephone toll of regular landing fields in Massachusetts and Rhode Island failed to elicit any definite news of the missing airman, while a heavy rain, driven before a raw northeast gale, rapidly continued to turn landing fields into quagmires on which no plane could hope to land without an accident.

At the airport here, which has no regular facilities for night landing, a crew lighted huge flares at dusk and settled down for a vigil that was to last until some definite news of the flier had been received.

Reports of a plane heading east being sighted over Mansfield, south of here at 4:30 and again over Natick, 18 miles northwest, at about 7 p. m. led authorities to express the opinion that Stinson had been blown southward off his course and then begun to search for a safe landing place.

COOLIDGE OPTIMISTIC

Cabinet Reports Convincing That Present Prosperity Will Be Continued.

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—A national situation of satisfactory prosperity, giving good prospects for continuance into the future months, was portrayed today at the White House on the basis of reports to President Coolidge by his cabinet.

At the president's request his advisers sketched for him the conditions of industry, agriculture and labor as revealed by the government's agency for observation and action, convincing the president that the future outlook for productive industry in the United States was more than ordinarily good.

TELLS FARM REMEDY

Mileposts On Highway Toward Agricultural Restoration Told By Arizona Man.

WESTPADEN, Ind., Oct. 18 (AP)—Knowledge of the facts, courage, common sense and determination to use the facts are mile posts along the highway to agricultural restoration, Dwight B. Heard of Phoenix, Ariz., publisher of the Arizona Republican, declared today at a meeting of national councillors of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. Heard is also director of the national chamber.

Heard's report in behalf of the chamber's agricultural service committee came at a session in which agricultural restoration was discussed.

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TESTIMONY TO START TODAY IN SINCLAIR TRIAL

JURY COMPLETE WITH 2 WOMEN ACCEPTED OUT OF THREE

CASE ALREADY ON

MORE MATURED SET OF PEERS TO LISTEN IN OIL TRIAL

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—Two women are to have their say with ten men as to whether Albert B. Fall and Harry F. Sinclair criminally conspired together to defraud the government in the lease of the Teapot Dome naval oil reserve in Wyoming.

The twelve jurors, selected after a day and a half devoted to the examination of forty talismen today heard the opening statement for the government and part of that for the defense and will begin tomorrow to listen to the testimonies of nearly a hundred witnesses.

They will hear more argument by counsel and an expose of the law by Justice Siddons before they retire to deliberate on a verdict. Upon being locked up at that time they will elect a foreman and there was speculation whether the men would honor one of the women with that office.

Women Young and Comely.

The two women of the jury are young and comely, one married and the other single, and are the first to serve in an important criminal trial in the District of Columbia supreme court. They passed the careful scrutiny of qualifications by both counsel for the government and the defense.

Not so a third woman who tentatively had qualified. She was Mrs Pauline Levitt, a grey-haired mother, who was excused by counsel for Fall and Sinclair in the exercise of one of the six preemptory chal-

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BUILDING PERMITS NEARING MILLION

TOTAL OF $21,000 IN GRANTS ISSUED YESTERDAY FROM CITY HALL OFFICE

A decided increase in building activities was noted yesterday in Lubbock with the issuance of 5 permits for residences which will be erected at a total cost of $21,500. This brings the total of October's building to $46,400.

The building total for the year is now hovering near a million dollars, the total at present being $894,472.

Permits recorded in the city offices yesterday were $15,000 to E. R. Reese for three 5-room brick veneer residences for Charles F. O'Neall; to W. G. McMillan for the construction of a 5-room residence for Charles H. Read at a cost of $2,500 on lot 7, block 3, Ellwwod addition and $4,000 to W. B. Atkins for erection of a 6 room brick veneer residence on lot 11, block 65, Overton Addition for Mrs. Lydia Gunn.

"DAWN" STILL DELAYED

Disturbances Over Atlantic Make Early Start of Flight Seem Highly Improbable

OLD ORCHARD, Oct. 18. (AP)—A second start of the Sikorsky plane, "The Dawn," on a non-stop flight to Europe seemed more distant tonight than at any time since the ship landed here more than a week ago.

During that week, conditions were never perfect, but tonight a cold, misty drizzle was being borne in from the sea by a moderate east wind, with reports of disturbances moving in this direction it appeared highly improbable that the flight could be begun tomorrow.

GARNETT REEVES RETURNS FROM STATE FAIR, DALLAS

Garnett O. Reeves, publicity manager for the Chamber of Commerce, returned yesterday from Dallas, where he has been in charge of Lubbock county's agricultural exhibit at the state fair. He said that attendance at the exposition this year was breaking all records, with every indication that the goal of a million for the year would be reached.

Tech Plans Bonfire For Aggie Game

"Bring a Box."

That's the slogan which yell leaders at Tech started a-rolling last night when they announced preparations for the "dadgumdest" bonfire ever held in this section as a part of the preparations being made for extending a "hot" reception to the Aggies when they throw their powerful football team against the Tech Matadors here October 28. Date of the bonfire has been set as next Thursday night.

According to Scott Poage, one of the yell leaders, hot as the bonfire's flames will be they will be not more heated than the fighting spirit of the Matador team and student body.

The bonfire is planned for some spot on the campus, as yet unselected.

It will climax a week of yell practice and pep meetings, to be held along the following schedule, according to Poage:

Monday night, "pep" meeting for freshmen only.

Tuesday night, all-college "pep" meeting.

Wednesday night, freshmen only.

Thursday night, bonfire for all college.

ROTARY "ANNS" GIVE PROGRAM

ANNUAL LADIES' NIGHT OF LOCAL CLUB ENJOYED LAST EVENING

The Lubbock Rotary club was entertained last night by a program given by the Rotary Anns, in celebration of the occasion of the Rotarians having as their guests their wives and lady friends. There was a very full attendance to enjoy the program, which was arranged by Mesdames C. J. Wagner, E. L. Robertson, J. A. Rix and presided over by Mrs. Wagner.

After singing one verse of America, Mrs. W. T. Jennings gave the invocation and then the order was given for the Rotarians and the men present to scatter, and they were marched around the table till the music stopped. Then they were asked to be seated in the chair nearest to them, which jumbled them up and placed them by some lady, and enabled them to thus become acquainted with each other. They enjoyed the dinner together and then switched back to their former places.

Lubbock Song.

"Lubbock Town" was the song used in the first part of the program, and the words were written by Mrs. E. L. Robertson, and sung to the tune of Dixie.

A one-act play was given, and this furnished much amusements, especially when Nell Wright, Spencer Wells, Judge Bailey and others were called upon to fill in some of the characters who seemed to have failed to arrive.

A solo entitled "Sunshine of Your Smile" was given by Miss Helen Robertson and Mrs. Gus Shaw sang "A Birthday."

President Jennings made a short talk expressing the appreciation of the club members for the program of the evening and telling

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DEPUTY SHERIFF HELD

Charges of Driving Car While Intoxicated and Failing To Render Aid Are Filed

FORT WORTH, Oct. 18. (AP)—After charges of driving an automobile while intoxicated and failing to render aid had been filed against him today in connection with a collision between an automobile and a motorcycle in which Paul Denton, 18-year-old messenger was seriously injured, W. A. Miles, of Rest, deputy sheriff of Reagan county, was released on $2,000 bond, $1,000 in each case.

Young Denton tonight was in a hospital here, and attendants said his condition was critical.

HEADS GRAND JURY

L. C. Ellis, Lubbock Banker, Heads Federal Inquisitors Called Together at Amarillo

Answering the federal call, L. C. Ellis, vice-president of the Lubbock National bank, is in Amarillo where where he was named foreman of the grand jury of the Amarillo Federal district court which will be in session for several weeks. Members of the grand jury of which Mr. Ellis was named foreman are gathered from practically every town in this district.

W. L. Barnes, another Lubbock man, is a member of the grand jury.

Wm. Penn—5 cents—A Good Cigar

OUTLAWS TRY TO HALT HUNT FOR MISSING FLIERS

SIXTY-SEVEN BANDITS EITHER KILLED OR WOUNDED

NO MARINES SLAIN

CONSTABULARY AND U. S. TROOPS PLAN TO WIPE OUT BANDS

(By Associated Press)

MANAGUA, Oct. 17—American marines and Nicaraguan constabulary, in search of the message marine corps aviators, Second Lieutenant L. E. Thomas and Sergeant Frank E. Dowell, have been in battle with bandits contigents, killing or wounding sixty-seven of them.

Four members of the constabulary were killed, but there were no casualties among the marines.

A contingent of 600 constabulary is being formed to be dispatched against General Sandio, whose activities are increasing in Nuevasegovia. It was near Quilali in this department that the machine in which Thomas and Dowell were flying some weeks ago crashed and was burned. The two men were seen to run from the wreckage, but attempts to rescue them were frustrated by large numbers of bandits.

Lieutenant George J. J. O'Shea, U. S. marine corps, commanding a constabulary detachment at Jicaro, with Lieutenant J. B. O'Neil, marine corps, U. S. Navy, sends a report of a forced march to Quilali in search of Lieutenant Thomas and Sergeant Dowdell with joint forces of 40 marines and constabulary, on account of the long distance from Jicaro the report had been delayed.

It tells of terrific fighting between the bandits and marines, when the rescuing patrol of 40 was suddenly attacked by bandits numbering 300 from three sides. Heavy execution was inflicted on the bandits by several of the marines in individual engagements, and Lieutenant O'Shea's life was saved by private Kenneth by his killing of a bandit at close quarters.

PRO AGENTS INDICTED

Administrators Face Charges Of Conspiracy Against Justice In Protecting Brewer

COVINGTON, Ky., Oct. 18 (AP).—Charged with conspiracy to obstruct justice in the federal courts for a consideration of $30,000, George Griffin, acting deputy prohibition administrator and son Claude Griffith and Richard Mullins and Albert St. Clair were indicted by the federal grand jury here today.

The indictment charged that the four entered into a conspiracy to keep witnesses away from court and conceal material evidence in the government's case against the Wiedman Brewing company for which they were to receive $30,000.

Frank Benton, attorney for the Wideman company whose brewery has been padlocked by federal order, conveyed to district attorney Sawyer Smith the information upon which the indictment was primarily based.

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The Weather



WEST TEXAS—Wednesday and Thursday fair.

Yesterday's temperatures:

Maximum 85.

Minimum 53.

THE MORNING AVALANCHE'S PAGE OF NEWS

IN THE WOMAN'S REALM

BLANCHE E. BEAN, EDITOR PHONES 13 AND 14

Today in Society

Mrs. W. S. Posey, 1913 9th street, will be hostess to the Bluebonnet club at 3 in the afternoon.

Mrs. John F. Bacon and Mrs. L. C. Ellis are entertaining in the afternoon at 1620 Broadway complimentary to Mrs. Colby Thurman of San Antonio.

Mrs. C. L. Fowler Is Leader Delphian Lesson

Mrs. C. L. Fowler was leader of the Daleth Delphian chapter lesson on "Palestine" yesterday afternoon. The group met at the First Baptist church at 2:30 o'clock in the after. Mrs. Lee Ragland was appointed reporter by the president, Mrs. R. I. Tubbs.

Those who participated in the program were Mesdames Tubbs, C. E. Moreman, Ed O'Sullivan, Clementine Vaughn, T. B. Zellner, R. G. Shelton, C. M. Terry, C. G. Stinson, F. V. Brown, Ed Vaughn and J. H. Jenkins.

Wilda Bobo Is Given Party On Fourth Birthday

Wilda Bobo, four-year-old daughter of Mr and Mrs. H. L. Bobo, was given a birthday party yesterday afternoon by her mother at their home, 1802 Avenue L. Candies and pop corn were served during the afternoon and outdoor games were played. Later the birthday cake was passed with punch.

The hostess was assisted by Mesdames Webb Cammack, Mary Elizabeth Cammack, J. Campbell and Mrs. Carl Scoggins.

Guests were Harry Eppes, Alvin F. Junior, Joyce Halsey, Joe Edwin Baldridge, Lela Carrington, Allene Phillips, Caroline Davis, Ona and Mary Etta Lyne, argaret Cammack, Wilda Ray White, Tommie White, Cherrie Stahl, Lewis Howard, Joe Smith, Joe Paul Von Rosenberg, Dimple Michie, Junior, Wilda and Wynez Bobo.

Zone Meeting W. M. S. In Abernathy Successful

One of the largest and most successful zone meetings of the Methodist W. M. S. in this district was conducted yesterday at Abernathy. There were representatives from Levelland, Slaton, Abernathy and the three societies in Lubbock. Mrs. George C. Wolffarth of this city, is leader of the zone.

Those who attended from this city were Rev. E. E. White, Rev. and Mrs. D. B. Doak, Rev. and Mrs. R. P. Dunn, Mesdames W. W. Royalty, A. W. Evans, J. D. Peters, J. F. Edgar, E. W. Camp, A. G. Odom, E. I. Brown, A. B. Ellis, W. Y. Price, G. C. Wolffarth, from the First church W. M. S.; Mesdames J. W. Richards, Sidney Oglesbee, L. L. Kelso, A. T. Stewart, Allan Hill and H. R. Harmon, from the First church Mary Helm auxiliary; Mrs. W. S. Bonds and Rev. and Mrs. D. C. Ross from the 19th street church.

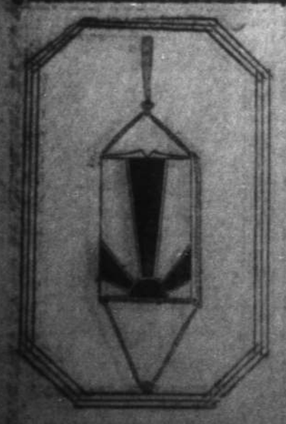
The Methodist pastor at Abernathy preached at 11 o'clock yesterday morning and talks were made throughout the day. Mrs Peters, supply secretary in the conference, talked on her work; Mrs. Stewart talked on social service; Rev. White talked on "What the W. M. S. means in the local church," and Mrs. Royalty gave missionary items. Devotionals were led by Rev. Doak and Mrs. Bonds. A resume of the mission study book, "A Straight Way Toward Tomorrow," that is being studied throughout the district, was given by Mrs. Camp and Mrs. Evans conducted an open forum. The "Missionary Voice" was by Mrs. Camp and Mrs. Evans conducted an open forum. The "Missionary Voice" was the topic of a discussion by Mrs. W. L. Bridges of Levelland.

A feature of the program was the discussion of the jubilee celebration in 1928, given by Mrs. S. H. Adams, of Slaton, district secretary.

The next meeting is to be in Lubbock in December.

A. L. Atkinson of Anton, was in Lubbock yesterday.

Fag Case



Newest of cigaret cases for evening is this uniquely designed one of gold with a sunburst enamel.

Standing Committees In Little Theater For This Year Appointed By Mrs. Goodman; Play Next Tuesday

Mrs. James H. Goodman, president of the Lubbock Little Theatre, yesterday announced standing committees for the year in the organization.

The Little Theatre this year has a new department in the form of a Children's Little Theatre and plays are to be prepared under the direction of Miss Lula Mae Cravens. Other directors in this division are Mesdames J. H. Hankins, G. G. Castleberry, O. L. Peterman, Maple Wilson, Elmer Conley, Misses Mary Scott, Mary Meador, Louise Jennings and Kate Pressley.

The first Little Theatre production for this fall is to be presented next Tuesday evening at the high school auditorium under the direction of Mrs. E. E. White. A full dress rehearsal for this was held Monday evening, Mrs. Goodman said yesterday, and the setting is being constructed.

The committee appointments are as follows: Play reading, Mrs. I. C. Enochs, Misses Annah Jo Pendleton, Mary Scott and Don Murphy; Finance, E. W. Provence, W. O. Stevens, Spencer Wells, Floyd Bowen and Byron C. Dickinson; Producing, Mrs. G. G. Castleberry, Dr. G. H. Ater and Harry Meyers; Properties, Ross McWhorter, Mrs. J. T. Hutchinson, Miss Verna Wilson and C. H. Shepard; Designing of sets, Edgar Shelton, Miss Bettie Lyn Harrison; Lighting, MiLse Annah Joe Pendleton and W. E. Street; Decorating, A. W. Mack, Mrs. Earl Hunt and Mrs. J. E. Vickers; costumes, Mesdames W. C. Rylander, I. C. Enochs, R. D. Erwin and Miss Eunice Cox; Casting, Miss Lula Mae Cravens, Mesdames O. L. Peterman, Paul Barrier, Miss Eunice Cox, C. R. Shepard and Ned Camp; Publicity, Mrs. J. H. Hankins, Messrs. Spencer Wells, Ralph Carpenter, Jack May, Misses Verna Wilson and Blanche Bean. Mesdames M. L. Price, F. R. Friend and Morton J. Smith; House, Byron C. Dickinson, Floyd Bowen, Mesdames W. B. Price, Byron C. Dickinson and E. E. White; Membership, Mesdames J. S. Johnson, Roger Pierce, A. V. Weaver, Charles F. O'Neal, Messrs. Neil H. Wright and Scott Ballard; Calendar, Mrs. W. C. Rylander, E. W. Province and Ross McWhorter; Music, Mrs. Hub Jones, Mrs. Homer Grant and Jimmie Allen.

Toykajo Camp Fire Is Meeting Thursday

The Toykajo Camp Fire troop is meeting at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the club room, 1917 15th street, for a council fire.

Mrs. Porter and Mrs. Steed Visiting In Lubbock

Mrs. Emmett Porter and Mrs. A. D. Steed, of Amarillo are visiting Mrs. Porter's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ottinger. They are enroute to Dallas where Mrs. Porter is to sing on October 28 in a national radio contest, after having won in Amarillo recently. The winner in Dallas sings in a district contest in which five states will be represented, before going into the final try-out at New York, Mrs. Steed is Mrs. Ottinger's accompanist.

PARTY POSTPONED

A meeting of the Merry Bidders club, scheduled for Thursday, has been postponed until next week.

PAN-HELLENIC TO MEET

Pan-Hellenic club is to meet at 1 o'clock Saturday at Hotel Lubbock, it was announced yesterday by Mrs. Carl Patton, who requested that sorority women of the city call her for reservations.

THERMOMETER SINKS TO 37 HERE EARLY TUESDAY

Lubbock shivered in the chilly morning air yesterday as the thermometer descended to the 37 degree mark in the wee, early hours.

In contrast with the early frigidity, however, during the afternoon 80—the summer heat mark — was reached.

A group of tourists were looking over the inferno of Vesuvius in full eruption.

"Ain't this just like hell," ejaculated a Yank.

"Ah, zese Americans," exclaimed a Frenchman, "Where have zey not been?"—Bursts and Duds.

Not So Fast

Joe—Ah, new car! How's that pickup?

Lee—Haven't had much chance to try it yet. My wife rides with me most of the time.

Local Briefs

B. B. Finley of Meadow, was in Lubbock yesterday.

Miss Frances Skinner of Waco is the guest of Miss Phyllis Burleson of the Lubbock sanitarium for several days.

Miss Thelma Anderson of Littlefield, was a visitor in Lubbock yesterday.

Mrs. Will Weaver of Stanton is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Watkins.

The Woman's Day By Allene Sumner



People sometimes wonder why "we can't get better teachers in our schools." Perhaps a reminder of the recent shame of Hazel Park, Mich., will answer them. The school board of Hazel Park ordered its 103 school teachers to report to work wearing smocks, which would reach no more than 10 inches from the ground. The school board explained that a view of teachers' silk-clad nethers was no proper sight for school children. The result was that a few teachers who had been wearing smocks to protect their clothing discarded them, and all 103 teachers appeared at school the next day with uncovered silk-clad limbs as usual.

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Hip, Hip, Hurray!

Good for them! They're the stuff our teachers should be fashioned from. If my child's teacher had meekly obeyed the order, I'd have snatched my progeny from such a namb-pamby, skimmed-milk influence. The thing wrong with our schools is not its teachers, but it's asinine school boards, who go about looking for sin with a magnifying glass.

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Puppets On String.

And how can you expect self-respecting, intelligent girls to enter a profession which invites such insults? There is a tendency for most any school board to regard its teachers as puppets on a string to be made to sing or dance or frown or pray or laugh at the will of a Bunty-Pulls - the - Strings school board. The inevitable result will be that girls will prefer to be typists where their souls may at least be their own, and our schools will be staffed by only dumb bells with such insipid individuality that they will meekly wear smocks or cotton hose when told to do so.

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If Tactful.

If the school board had made a reasonable plea to its teachers to help create a more sensible and feasible standard of living in pupils, and set an example in thrift by wearing cotton hose rather than silk; if the board had reminded the teachers that perenia were pushed to the economic wall by a silk-hose wearing younger generation, and had humbly asked the teachers' cooperation, it is rather probable that every one of the 103 teachers would have gladly tried out the scheme and very willingly encased her nethers in cotton hose. But to make a command and put silk-hose-wearing on a moral rather than an economic basis was too much for these girls!

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Silk Hose Woe.

Seriously, this silk stocking business literally haunts mothers of girls who have not begun to earn their own livings. It is a fairly simple matter for a $100-a-month typist or stenographer, living at home, with little to do with her money but buy clothes, lunches and pleasures, to spend $1.85 each week for a pair of silk stockings. But it is quite another problem for a mother who has, perhaps, $10 a week with which to run the house and clothe several children. But what can she do? Nothing so breaks a child's heart as to be "not like other girls."

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Cotton Is Pretty.

The irony of it is that intrinsically silk stockings are little, if any, more pleasing to the eye or touch than cotton ones. If only everybody would wear cotton so that one would not be conspicuous in her economy, how simple it would be! Of course the real question is if cotton hose would not be as high as silk ones now are, if everybody wore them, whereas the silk ones would be the price of cotton if everyone wore cotton? Funny, mixed-up world!

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The Morning Avalanche Menu for the Day

BREAKFAST—Orange juice, cereal, cream, baked hash with tomato sauce, corn bread, milk, coffee

LUNCHEON—Cream of celery soup, toasted crackers, pear and banana salad, bread pudding, grape juice.

DINNER—Filets of fish with spaghetti and mushroom sauce, steamed cauliflower, cucumber and lettuce salad, blueberry pie, milk, coffee.

Flounder or fluke could be chosen for the dinner fish. Haddock cut in small filets might be used but of course is not as delicately flavored as the other fish suggested.

Filets of Fish With Spaghetti

One-fourth pound spaghetti, 4 filets of fish, 1-2 cup grated cheese, 2 table-spoons cream, 1-2 pound mushrooms, 3 tablespoons butter, 1 1-2 tablespoons flour, 1 1-4 cups milk, salt and pepper.

Cook spaghetti in boiling salted water until tender, breaking the paste in two-inch lengths before cooking. Drain and arrange over the bottom of a hot deep platter or shallow serving dish. Pour over the mushroom sauce and place the prepared fish on top. Serve garnished with cress.

To make the sauce, melt better and add mushroom peeled and broken in small pieces. Cover and saute five minutes. Sift over flour and stir with a fork until flour is absorbed and blended. Slowly add milk, stirring constantly. Season with 1-2 teaspoon salt and 1-8 teaspoon pepper.

To prepare fish, sprinkle filets with salt and peper and saute in a hot frying pan until a delicate brown on both sides. Moisten cheese with cream and spread the top of each with the mixture. Slip the fish under a gas broiler blame and brown. Remove carefully to prepared platter and serve.

Dolls



This pretty little Turkish girl, whose father, Salahedd-in Bey is a cousin of Kemal Pasha. Turkey's boss, has toys given her by three dictators. The dog she is holding was the gift of Kemal; the doll was given to her by Premier Mussolini, and the cat was the gift of Primo Rivera, dictator of Spain.

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FOOTBALL FLIP-FLOPS EARLY THIS YEAR

WINNERS OF 1926 ARE EASY PREY THIS YEAR

BY ALAN J. GOULD
(Associated Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, Oct. 18. (AP)—College football is putting on its flip-flops earlier than usual this year.

Where the "dopes" usually are strong enough to weather most of October's shocks, it has already been knocked up against the ropes by a series of form reversals. It will be a topsy-turvy season as bewildering to keep up with as the rule changes, if November unlike anything like the one that October already has ushered in.

The climax battles are yet to come but the carnage so far fills defeat-seared ends of some of the eight major brains that fashioned 1926 campaign unbeaten.

Lafayette, the only eastern team neither conquered nor tied in 1926, is the only survivor of the unbeaten brigade and even this team is one to market somewhat revised so far this season. The Maroon juggernaut has been stopped in succession from West Virginia to Saturday and hasn't escaped with a 7 to 7 tie. Georgetown, which this week attempts to add Washington and Jefferson to its list of 1926 victims, is the third of last year's powers to suffer.

Others Beaten.

Alabama and Stanford, second and third ranking teams respectively in the nation New Year's day, met each other after dropping up all rival pretenders, met swift and sudden downfall this season. Georgia Tech's fighting Yellow Jackets and Alabama last week, handing the Crimson Tide its first defeat in three years. Little St. Mary's college toppled Stanford rather unceremoniously, 19 to 0.

In turn St. Mary's was trounced by California, whose Golden Bears appear to be making a comeback and bidding for the Pacific Coast conference title they held for so many years under the guidance of the late Andy Smith.

The Navy, Brown and Boston College undefeated clever the Dartmouth foes, last season all have bitten the dust as has Notre Dame, humbled the Middlebury Panthers, and then bowed Pennsylvania "Iron Men" while Coach Pete and Geneva shocked the prophets of Dame Rockne's Ramblers.

Utah, Rocky Mountain conference champions fell before Montana's powerful team. Vanderbilt, Southern conference leader, bowed to Centenary, a club not overful Louisiana eleven a boring one.

RUMOR SPEAKER TO MANAGE BRAVES

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Reports that Tris Speaker will succeed Dave Bancroft as manager of the Boston Braves persisted today in spite of lack of official confirmation.

Emil E. Fuchs, president of the Boston club, left early in the day for Boston without making any announcement. It was understood, however, that Speaker was one of the men Fuchs had under consideration, although Clark Griffith, president of the Washington Senators with whom Speaker played for seven, denied the outfielder had been released or that any deal for his services was under way.

BACK IN SCHOOL

Bobby Jones is again studying law at Emory University.

BEST BACK IN DIXIE

Quarterback Speaks of Vanderbilt is generally considered the best back in Dixie.

Former Tech Star Will Play Against Ex-Pals Saturday

Saturday's gridiron tilt between the Texas Tech Matadors and the Lobos of Sul Ross Teachers' college at Alpine will see Jean Alford, former Tech star and the man who scored the first touchdown for a team sporting the colors of the Bulldogs, appearing against his former teammates.

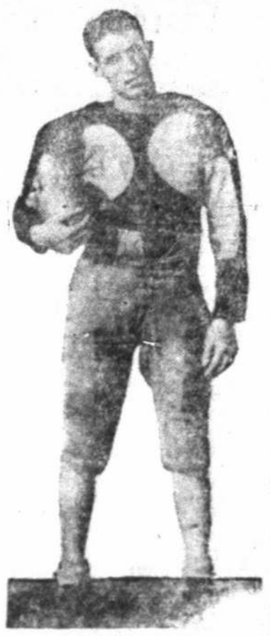
Alford is at Sul Ross this year, though he was a regular star halfback at the Tech.

Fans are awaiting with keen interest the outcome of the individual battle which Alford will go down here. They are wondering just how he will perform when thrown against the men with whom he once battled, shoulder to shoulder.

Alford is regarded as one of the main cogs in the Sul Ross offense.

The Matadors were busy this week brushing up their offense and defense for the Lobos. The work of the Bulldoggers, against Simmons was just good enough to win the game.

His Nickname Not Right, Fans Learn



FARRAR SMITH

There's nothing phoney about Farrar Smith's football ability, even though his Mexican surname may have given him the nickname of "Pony." This Waco, Tex., college giant is out of the game running back to Davis has made his record. Clearly this season a 47-yard run.

WALKER TOLD TO MEET TIGER FLOWERS

(By Associated Press)

TOLEDO, Oct. 18.—After approving Mickey Walker as middleweight champion of the world, the National Boxing association today ordered the New Jersey bulldog to drop Tiger Flowers, the Georgia negro, in defense of his title within 90 days. If, at the end of the 90 days, Walker has not met Flowers, the board of governors will decide whether or not Mickey shall be stripped of his title and barred in the 24 states and allied bodies of the association.

W. B. Miller, manager of the negro appeared before the association today and produced evidence that Jack Kearns, the champion's manager, had agreed to give Flowers a return match within 90 days after the Georgian lost his championship to Walker in Chicago in December, of last year. Before closing the annual convention the association named champions in every division of the boxing game with the exception of flyweight, which is vacant due to the retirement of Fidel Labarba.

Approved Champions.

The approved champions are:

Heavyweight, Gene Tunney.

Lightheavyweight, Jimmy Slattery.

Middleweight, Mickey Walker.

Welterweight, Joe Dundee.

Lightweight, Sammy Mandell.

Featherweight, Benny Bush.

Bantamweight, Bud Taylor.

Slattery was named light heavyweight champion through his victory over Maxie Rosenbloom. The National association had arranged an elimination tournament, but all withdrew except Slattery and his victim, in a recent bout. Tommy Loughran is recognized as champion by the New York state commissioners, which is not affiliated with the N. B. A.

Mandell Okayed.

There was a lengthy discussion concerning Sammy Mandell and his failure to defend his title against "Logical contenders" but the Illinois boy came through unscathed. Dundee, the welter king, is under suspension in the N. B. A. until January 1, 1928.

Thomas Donohue of New London, Conn., who ascended to the presidency upon the death of Allen Bacher, late of Cincinnati, was chosen to succeed himself. Paul Prehn, a member of the Illinois State Athletic Commission and Mr. Donohue's only rival for the presidency was named first vice-president. Lathrop Cornwell of Baltimore, Md., a former president was reelected secretary and treasurer.

The 1928 convention of the N. B. A. will be held in Toronto. The Canadian city won out in competition with Galveston, Texas; Lincoln, Neb., and Milwaukee.

Montana, Arkansas, Colorado, Missouri, the territory of Porto Rico and the city commission of Galveston were formally admitted to the National association.

LOSS WAS SURPRISE

Hilario Martinez's recent victory over Bill Terris was an upset in the fight world.

DEFENDS BAN JOHNSON

Robert Lee Hedges, former owner of the Browns, thinks Ban Johnson got a raw deal from league owners.

"Why did Louise marry Harold? He's such a blockhead."

"She says she is fond of hardwood trimmings in the house."

LUBBOCK HIGH IS PREPARING FOR ELECTRA

The High school Westerners are working long and hard for their second conference performance here Friday afternoon when they meet with the Electra Tigers on the Texas Tech athletic field. Since the local lads of the gridiron game dropped their initial football conference game to the Amarillo Sandies they have an uphill road to traverse for the remainder of the season.

Electra comes to Lubbock this week-end as an undefeated club in the Panhandle Class A circle. They whipped the Chiefs of the Quannah high school in an one-sided affair last week with a score of 46 to 0, which is, indeed, an indication of a well organized offensive machine.

Del Morgan and Henry Frnka, Westerner handlers, will likely be ready for whatever offense the Electra Tigers may select to use. The Westerners were set for the lateral pass, the play the Sandies had worked to a perfection over the clubs that played in Amarillo previous to the Westerner game. Several times the Butler machine elected to use it but the defense that was set for the play by the Westerner handlers crumbled the chances for its execution.

The same fighting spirit that was prevalent before the game with the Sandies is showing up in the Westerner camp now and should the lads of this school continue with that spirit and carry it through the game with the Tigers here Friday they will climb nearer and nearer to victory.

No serious injuries are in the Westerner camp now. Cap Parkinson and Raymond Barton, two of Henry Frnka's linemen, were injured in the last week-end performance; but they will both possible work a part of the game with the Tigers here Friday. The Westerners are in condition for the game with the Tigers and will be in much better shape for the exhibition of Friday afternoon.

REPORT ON PROPOSED MERGER PROGRESSING

NEW YORK, Oct. 18 (AP)—The report on the three southwestern roads, Missouri-Kansas-Texas, Kansas City Southern and St. Louis-Southwestern which L. F. Loree proposed to unify, and which is being prepared by the engineering firm of Coverdale and Colpitts, will be completed the end of next week. Part of the report is now being studied by Mr. Loree. The full report will be submitted to special committees of directors of the three roads on or about November 1.

Autofet: "I haven't paid a cent for repairs on my machine all the ten months I have had it."

Friend: "So the man who did the repairs told me."

Nurse (taking his temperature): Sir, you are in danger; your temperature is 104.

Business Man: When it reaches 105, sell.

The NUT CRACKER by Joe Williams

It seems there was once a Scottish gentleman who went up to a bookie and said, "I want to bet $10 on the winner of the next race."

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"Gambling Rife at Big Fight," complained reformers. Well, what with its gunmen and munitions, what more could you expect of Chicago than a shell game.

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They said Dempsey had dumb sparring partners. "Did you tip the waiter?" Jack asked a nose-busted. "Yeah," he says, "and he ain't got up yet!"

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The trouble with the average ball player is he seldom increases his average.

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"Ruth Now Umpires' Ideal." The Babe is getting so polite he apologizes when he cuts his chin with a razor.

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He who cheers last—has a bleacher seat.

CADETS TO SWAMP T. C. U. FOR GAME

HORNED FROGLAND PEOPLE AGOG OVER COMING OF AGGIE ROOTERS

(Special To The Avalanche)

FORT WORTH, Oct. 18.—Horned Frogland is agog over the visit to the T.C.U. campus next Saturday of the entire student body of Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College for the clash between the football teams of the two institutions.

The coming of the cadets is looked forward to by hundreds of ardent T. C. U. fans as well as the scores of alumni and ex-students of Aggieland who call Fort Worth home. So auspicious is the visit of the khaki-clad hosts that the football game has been made just one of the many occasions which have been arranged.

Officials of the two alumni associations, the mothers' clubs and parent-teacher associations and other organizations which have bearing on one or the other of the schools are cooperating in a mighty effort to make the visit of the Aggies one long to be remembered.

High points in the day's program will be a barbecue to be staged on the T. C. U. campus and a dance to be given the Aggie alumni at the Texas Hotel. Street car fare will be furnished all of the visitors and many entertainments for small groups in private homes are planned.

The Aggies will invade Frogland 2,300 strong to the accompaniment of the famous Aggie band. One entire side of the enlarged T. C. U. stadium has been reserved for the cadets. Additional seats for several thousand have been so constructed at each end of the stands to take care of the overflow crowd.

KID KAPLAN IS KNOCKED OUT IN BOUT

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—Jimmy McLarnin, of Los Angeles, knocked out Louis (Kid) Kaplan, the East's contender for the lightweight championship in the eighth round of a scheduled 10-round fight in the coliseum tonight.

Kaplan, who until a few months ago held the world's featherweight championship and gave it up because he no longer could make the weight, was dropped three times before he was counted out.

He was knocked down for a count of nine in the fifth round after having flogged McLarnin twice in the first and second rounds.

Roleaux Sagurero, the Cuban light heavyweight, scored a technical knock-out over Earl Blue of Fargo, N. D., in the third round of another bout scheduled to go 10 rounds.

Sagurero, a terrific puncher, had Blue helpless and reeling in the second round and was on the verge of finishing him in the third when a towel came from Blue's corner.

Blue fouled the Cuban southpaw a half dozen times. Sagurero weighed 170 1-2 and Blue scaled 174 pounds.

FOXY PHANN

Miller Huggins gets credit for winning the flag but Babe and Lou get the vaudeville contracts.



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manied by their chief advisors and supporters, including several army officers. It was common street talk that their plans had matured and that they were about to begin warfare against the federal government.

A Pronounced Odor of Petroleum

As usually happens when trouble breaks out in Mexico, a faint, but pronounced odor of petroleum permeates the wreakage of the Gomez-Serrano debacle. This indictment does not apply to all of the American oil companies operating there, but unquestionably it does to some.

It is an open secret in Mexico that Gomez made strenuous love to various American petroleum companies in an endeavor to enlist their financial support for his candidacy. Opinions differ as to whether any of the companies invested money in his chances, conditional upon his promises that if he got in office he would modify the prevailing Mexican petroleum legislation to their liking.

Friends Boasted of Support

Gomez friends, a month ago were boasting that he was being suported financially and sentimentally by one petroleum company and that arrangements had been made whereby he was to receive several large shipments of arms and ammunition from the United States. At all events, if certain American oil interests did not have a finger in the Gomez-Serrano pie it was the first piece of pastry of that description that they have overlooked in many years.

It was the petroleum friends of Gomez and Serrano who counseled them to advance the date of their revolt by at least two months. This was done because of the unexpected appointment of a new American Ambassador in the person of Dwight W. Morrow and the announcement of his intention to proceed to Mexico City without delay.

Wanted to Impress New Envoy

The desirability was represented to Gomez and Serrano of making prompt demonstration in the field with a view to impressing Mr. Morrow in advance of his arrival with the strength and seriousness of their movement and the presumptive weakness of the Calles government. Had they been left to themselves, it is exceedingly doubtful if they would have begun operations much before January or until they were better prepared and assured of a more substantial fighting following than the events of the past ten days proved them to possess.

Mexican ways and standards are not American. They are as different as day is from night. In Mexico the accepted custom of close adherence to the principle of "Doing unto others as they would do unto you if they were in your place," dictates the quality of mercy. Most Mexicans are so constituted that they regard an exhibition of mercy as an inherent and vulnerable weakness in him who bestows it.

Respect for Calles

Consequently, in their hearts, the people of Mexico, and in particular his enemies, today cherish a much more profound respect for President Calles than they did two weeks ago. The man has shown mettle, and an exhibition of that sort unerringly wins respect, if not love, down there. Mexican presidents do not rule by love. If they try to their names are apt to appear promptly in the obituary columns or among the list of distinguished exiles on foreign shores.

Without questioning their right to aspire, to the presidency, it is nevertheless, a fair statement of fact in which I am certain any competent, unprejudiced observer will bear me out, to say that neither Gomez nor Serrano had more than a negligible following or popular support. Serrano had almost none. Their only hopeful road to power lay through military usurpation.

Both Mediocrities

Both were mediocrities with no background of accomplishment, capacity, or character.

Gomez banked upon conservative and church sympathy, and his suppositious popularity with the generals of the armies. Serrano disputed this following with Gomez.

A humorous feature of the situation as between Gomez and Serrano was this: Both of them could not be president while, for temporary mutual convenience they were making common cause against Calles and Obregon. It was notoriously apparent that each was figuring on ways and devices where by at the proper time he might eliminate the other, by fair means or foul. Had they succeeded in ousting Calles and expunging Obregon politically, then it would have been dog-eat-dog between Gomez and Serrano.

Thus, after a fashion, for once the petroleum people unwittingly did Calles and Mexico and their own government a favor. Thanks to Calles' energy and to his control of the army, Washington may take satisfaction to itself for still having one reasonably well functioning and responsible government to deal with in Mexico. The alternative was no government at all or two or three rival revolutionary governments scattered over the landscape, each operating on its own hook and accepting no responsibility in the conduct of Mexico's international relations.

Any other outcome would have released upon the country armies of rival Mexican factions, to the inconveniencing, if not actual imperilment of Americans and their interests and a general reversion to the chaotic conditions which prevailed in Mexico for several years subsequent to 1914.

GOVERNMENT PROBES FREIGHTER'S SINKING

NEW YORK, Oct. 18 (AP).—Inquiry into the sinking of the Norwegian freighter Bessengen by the liner Paris will be turned over to federal authorities, District Attorney Banton said today, after he had questioned Captain Ludwig Hassel, of the freighter, and members of his crew.

The Bessengen was rammed early Saturday while anchored in the lower harbor. Twenty four of the crew were saved but Captain Hassel today conceded the loss of six men.

SWITCHMAN KILLED BETWEEN DRAW BARS

DODGE CITY, Kansas, Oct. 18. (AP)—John E. Page, 36, Kansas City, Santa Fe switchman, was crushed to death between the draw bars of two freight cars here today. His body held fast by the coupling, was found by fellow trainmen.

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He that believieth on Him is not condemned; but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten son of God." John 3:18.

A PRECEDENT FOR BRIDE

William W. Bride, corporation counsel of the District of Columbia, thinks that he has discovered the champion "tightwad" as a taxpayer who has raised a "rukus" because of the discovery that he had been called upon to pay to the tax collector exactly 1 cent more than he owes. The unnamed protestant declined to receive the picayune from the pocket of the corporation counsel, but demanded, as a matter of principle, that the books of the tax office be corrected and that the overcharge be formally refunded to him. Thus far his demand has met with no direct response.

However, Mr. Bride, as a lawyer, should look up the precedents. He will find one, at least, if he searches in the right place (although the action of Hall vs. Rich is not of record) among the official or private papers of the late Squire Isaac Gail, Justice of the Peace in and for the Town of Wales, County of Erie, State of New York.

In 1872 or 1873 Rich was collector of taxes in that town. Hall's school tax was $3.04. When Rich met Hall, the latter paid Rich $5, and Rich suggested that 4 cents remain on his books until a more convenient occasion. In the meantime the two men fell out over some trival matter which ended in Rich demanding "them 4 cents." Hall responded with a nickel coin and demanded the change. Rich replied that he would keep that cent as "intrust." Hall declared he would sue. Rich dared him to do so and the celebrated case to which Counsel Bride is referred was the result. Two juries disagreed, but the third awarded judgment for Hall "in 1 cent damages and costs." The old papers of Squire Gail, if still in existence, would furnish many valuable precedents in like cases arising out of supposedly trival controversies. In most of them "principle," and not much "principal" was involved.

BUSINESS INCENTIVE

John F. Sinclair, a Minneapolis banker, in a current magazine cites facts warranting the statement that the United States has become the "banker of bankers among the nations of the world," and then concludes: "It is my firm conviction, based on a close study of both national and international finance for 20 years, that world reconstruction and lasting peace will finally come, when it does, not so much through the political organization of nations as through the will-to-peace of the gigantic banking and business organizations, whose leaders have come to know that war is financial and economic suicide to every nation and every people engaging in it." Of course, this does not mean that an international ordering will not come through political organizations of nations. Mr. Sinclair is emphasizing the view that this political organization will come because of bank-ing and business demands and organization. He is thoroughly right in saying that world ordering will come because of recognition in the fact that it not only is good business but also is necessary business. But it will come, through political processes. In precisely the same way various have developed, political ordering of nations has answered the need for business order. With international business steadily devolping, international ordering

TARIFF DISCUSSION

Some of the conditions under which the French Government evidently hopes to enjoy a tariff discussion with the United States are such as, in fairness to itself, this country cannot accept. Now that it is reported to be ready to decognize that America does not propose to swerve from her established tariff policy at French behests, it still remains for the Frenchmen to learn that nothing can be gained by any attempt to constraint on this part. The special duties decreed against American imports by France were frankly intended to serve as bargaining points in what Paris thought would be reciprocity negotiations. They will be grossly discriminatory in many instances even when reduced by 50 per cent, as the French offer to do pending the conclusion of a new tariff arrangement. The American objection to such duties is consistent with the general American position, which is, that whatever discussions may ensue there cannot be any question of reciprocity in the usual meaning of the word, hence no possibility of bargaining over tariff quid pro quos. In these circumstances the specially raised duties lose all of their purpose they may have had, and they can only impede the kind of accommodations that the Washington Government may find it possible to offer under the flexible clauses of our tariff legislation. Whatever these amendments may be they cannot be obtained by any form of intimidation and can result solely from a matter-of-fact, businesslike investigation in Washington of French production costs as compared with production costs in America. As President Coolidge points out a matter of principle is involved.

MAY HAVE FAVORITE

Ohio went uninstructed to the last Democratic National convention, but it would not be surprising if, as former National Chairman George White suggests, this important block of delegates should next year present a favorite son. In case he proved to be Newton D. Baker, former Secretary of War, his name would appeal strongly to the Wilson and league wings of the Democratic Party. For Mr. Baker was one of those nearest to him as President Wilson, who once referred to him as "America's best public servant." His excellent record in the War Department is just beginning to be appreciated — as shown in the recent tributes to him by General Pershing and Vice President Dawes. While likelihood of his nomination seems slight, when compared with the strength already shown by Governors Smith and Ritchie and Senator James A. Reed, he might prove a welcome refuge in a storm. Mr. White adds what had been heard in New York before—that Governor Smith has many friends in Ohio. That "no effort has been made to organize Ohio for Smith," as Mr. White says, is equally no news in this State, where it has been clearly understood that the Governor's friends are making no moves in any State which may have a favorite son. This view is strengthened by Governor Smith's clear-cut disclaimer of connection with any attempts to raise funds in his interest. He seems to be resolute in his position that, if he is chosen, the nomination will have to come to Albany after him; the rock of detachment will fly from its strong base" as soon as he.

MORNING-GLORIES

Old-fashioned gardens never were wanting in morning-glory vines, which during the early hours of the late summer or the autumn day overshadowed all other blossoms and lent gorgeous color to the scene. Although they were easily grown, the owner took a warranted pride in them. What if these flowers were almost as evanescent as the clouds which gathered about the rising sun? A fresh crop would open up the next morning, seemingly more abundant than before—a symbol of Mother Nature's lavishness in ever renewing herself. An analogy to human life might be drawn in some respects, but the bloom of youth does not so readily return, once it has faded. Observing the effects obtained by flower-growers who still like the morning-glory, one heartily wishes there were more of them. The vine supplies such a lovely profusion at a time when more substantial blossoms are fading, as almost to create the illusion of another spring. The rank growth may cover an unsightly spot in the back yard—a ragged fence, a scraggy stump, a dilapidated wall or a rubbish pile. It is indeed useful for such purposes. Or, it may climb an artistic trellis on the lawn or close beside a chimney. This flower is by no means incongruous to such a setting. It confers fresh splendor on the mansion, as well as the humble jacal. Twined above the front door it is right hospital, proclaiming an accupant devote to the simple tastes and adornments of a more quiet age. The morning-glory grows in a single season, from the seed. It requires no attention occasional watering. Rarely can so much beauty be had at so little cost of money and effort.

If the cradle of American freedom was religion, the spirit of Protestantism rocked the cradle in which freedom grew. That spirit broke the shackles of an imposed external authority and freed the individual. It created an individualism that could pioneer and blaze the way for a new civilization. Now under the tides of progress that individualism is being socialized. We are growing from a protesting individualistic independence into a constructive social interdependence. The inner compulsions of brotherhood are creating a social order that corporate power once sought to create through the outer compulsions of authority. While religion cannot function successfully in the individual's life unless he is personally free, neither can it successfully function in society until he is socially bound in the common service of all.

Sinclair loses again on appeal to the United States Supreme Court—and there is still more of the Teapot Dome litigation!

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



SO THINK WE

We think that it will be only a matter of a few weeks now until the women will be looking for the new spring hats.

We think that if you look at the sunny side of everything it will certainly make your optimism come true.

We think that the cow, sow and the hen will put most any farm on the cash basis.

We think that the West Texas exhibits in the Texas State Fair at Dallas are making a great impression.

We think that experience is the harvest of life, and every harvest is the result of sowing.

We think that too many women expect their husbands to bring home the bacon and then fry it.

We think that during these days the average fellow is undecided in whether he should buy a new car or attend the heavyweight fight.

We think that Lubbock will have plenty of gridiron classics to attend to this week as both the high school and the college play here.

We think that the building permits of this city have not let up in the least—just a steady and continual building program going on in Lubbock.

We think that this gas business is alright to think about but when it comes to preparing for it is something different at least on the pocket-book but yet we guess it is worth it.

We think that Texas Tech's greatest day will soon be here when the Matadors clash with the Texas Aggies on October 29. Thousands of visitors will gather here for the occasion.

We think that there is nothing as great as the last payment on the installment system. It is a long road and a happy culmination.

We think that the new ruling of the boxing commission will possibly stir up lots of "we told you so, fellows."

We think that it has taken more than five years to prove it but the nation knows that Harry Sinclair has no Teapot Dome.

We think that the fellow who said that the automobiles were ruining the younger generation really meant that the younger generation was ruining Daddy's new automobile.

OPINIONS

EVENTUALLY.

Sooner or later, of course, the United States will have three distinct arms for national defense, ah Air Department taking its place with that of Army and Navy. There will be a secretary of equal ranking, with place in the President's cabinet—and rashing, unless the trend of the times is entirely misleading, the Air Department will rank at first fmportance.

All ideas die slowly. Power gives up its throne ungraciously. It has always been thus. Great minds have usually been persecuted and punished for daring to try to change the order of things—even for distinct advancement of mankind.

Former Colonel William E. Mitchell of the U. S. Army Air Division dared some two or three years ago to tell us what we needed in the air to keep abreast other nations. He advocated an Air Department under its own head and detached from Army and Navy—to the extent that those departments have always been separated. It was not long until he found himself back in private life.

The American Legion in its Paris convention, just closed, has gone on record for an Air Department—as a new and separate unit of our defense. Of course it will not come soon because Washington does not operate that way. But eventually—

Does the reader of these lines know of a man better qualified to head the department than William E. Mitchell? The nation owes it to him.—Hall County Herald.

We shall simply have to build more and bigger stadiums, that's all. It looks like they are being born even faster than one a minute.—American Lumberman.

Commander Savage, of the American Legion, said in Paris: "It is a splendid sight to see Europe at peace." It isn't but it would be.—American Lumberman.

"Science," says a news item, "has discovered how coal may be saved." And landlords were at least a decade ahead of science on that one. —New York Evening Post.

"Paris Delighted Over Convention's Success," says one head-line. "Legion Spends $15,000,000," says another. And putting the two together . . . —New York Morning Telegraph.

YOUR HEALTH

DIPHTHERIA WAR MUST BE WAGED CONTINUALLY

BY DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

Editor Journal of the American Medical Association and of Hygeia, The Health Magazine

The battle with diphtheria is a campaign of eternal vigilance. The medical profession has shown in its laboratories that the injection of toxin anti-toxin will develop a resistance to the disease and that cases seen early and treated promptly with anti-toxin are likely to recover.

Unfortunately, there are still thousands of persons who neglect to provide their children with protective measures and who delay calling competent medical advice even when the disease appears.

Immunization Among 1700.

In a period of 19 years all of the boys in Girard college were immunized against the disease and in that time there was only one case of diphtheria among 1700 boys, and that occurred in a boy who had just entered and who had not been protected.

The death rate for diphtheria is diminishing every year, falling from a rate of 50 per one hundred thousand people in 1890 to rates of 9 to 20 in 1926.

New York City had 1239 deaths and 14,614 cases of diphtheria in 1919 and the rate for that city has fallen so that there were 374 deaths in 10427 cases in 1925, and 477 deaths in 7581 cases in 1926. Bear in mind that New York is a city of some 7,000,000 people, and that a rate similar to that of 1890 would have meant hundreds of thousands of cases and many thousands of deaths.

Occasional Increases.

Occasionally there are sudden sharp increases in the number of cases of diphtheria and in the number of deaths even in communities that have been thoroughly protected against the disease.

There are several factors involved which explain these sharp rises. Most significant is the fact that the bacterium is a living organism the same as the human being and that it sometimes becomes more virulent than it is at other periods.

A special investigation made in New York City of 140 cases of diphtheria revealed the fact that two or three per cent had received preventive injections and that even in those that had received the preventive injections sufficient time had not elapsed to permit immunity to develop.

IT IS REPORTED

It is reported that there are more pupils in the Lubbock high school this year than there ever have been. That means that Lubbock is still growing.

It is reported that the South Plains is in better condition from standpoint of agriculture than any other section of the state. That is getting to be a common condition in Texas.

It is reported than when a husband and wife think alone, the woman is doing the thinking for the family.

It is reported that this week-end will furnish the football fans with plenty of gridiron exhibitions as the college and high school will have games here.

It is reported that the old Teapot Dome case is again taking the front page. We all know that Harry Sinclair does not have the Dome.

It is reported that Calvin has a vision of prosperity for the United States this year.

It is reported that the I. W. W. organization again leads a giant strike. The coal fields of Colorado face a tie-up movement.

It is reported that a quarter of a billion of dollars tax reduction is in view for the tax payers of the U. S.

It is reported that Earl Carroll, the famous Bath Tub showman, has received a pardon from the Federal penitentiary.

It is reported that the building permits of Lubbock indicate that this city is enjoying one of the most consistent growths of any city in West Texas.

His Waterloo

"Don't you think he is a convincing talker?"

"I did, till he talked back to a traffic cop."

SOUTH PLAINS PRESS

COTTON COMPRESS IN LITTLEFIELD TO START WORK SATURDAY.

The cotton compress, being built in Littlefield, by the Union Compress & Warehouse Co., is being finished this week, and will begin operations Saturday, several bales of cotton now being on their platforms awaiting compression.

The storage capacity of this compress is 20,000 bales, giving approximately 80,000 square feet of room or sufficient to handle 2,000 bales of cotton at one time. They have installed a Webb high density type press, one of the largest to be found in any compress in West Texas. The total cost of this compress is around $80,000, according to A. S. Underwood, one of the principal stockholders of the company, who is here superintending the construction of the buildings and installation of the machinery. He states there is no better compress to be found anywhere throughout the entire state, and that this is the largest one to be placed in any town in the state the size of Littlefield.

It used to be that a cotton compression on the plains of Texas was a something that very few towns had, and most of them wanted a bonus from the towns for building one, but the cotton industry has developed so rapidly that it is nothing unusual for towns to have one or more of these very useful plants. Littlefield is in the heart of a very rich agricultural community, and we are sure that the business enjoyed by the new enterprises will be very satisfactory from the first day it fires up.

What's Going On In Russia

BY JEROME DAVIS

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MOSCOW, Oct. 17.—Of all the institutions in Moscow—communistic militaristic or economic—none is more fascinating or picturesque than "The University for the Laboring Masses of China in the Name of Sun Yat Sen."

America is accustomed to oriental students, but here in the heart of Moscow, facing the mammouth Cathredral of our Savior, is an entire communistic university operating simply and solely for the Chinese. Here are club rooms, dormitory accommodations for both men and women, class rooms, lecture halls, moving picture auditoriums and all the varied necessities of a modern university plant.

The idea of a Chinese university curiously enough was first brought forward by the Russian Society of Hands Off China. It had about 800,000 members and collected money for the school. The government donated a former middle school of the tsar and the buildings are being elaborately remodeled. The Russian trade unions, have made donations, and even the Communist International has contributed money but the primary credit belongs to the society which in order to keep "hands off" China reached out their hands to China.

Now 800 Students

The university formally opened its doors in November, 1925, with a student body of 100 which by February, 1926, had risen to 300 and now accommodates 800. The students are selected by the central committee of the People's Revolutionary Party of China (the Nationalists) and virtually only its members are eligible. The intention was to accept only those who speak a foreign language—English, French or German. Actually less than 10 per cent came so qualified. Among this minority English was predominant.

Finding themselves flooded with a student body which spoke only Chinese, the administration was in difficulty. There were no available textbooks in Chinese, nor were interpreters available. The dilemma was solved by using the advanced 10 per cent as interpreters for the rest.

Tremendous competition developed in China for places at the school. In Canton alone 200 qualified students desired entry, although the allotment for that city was supposed to be only 50. A clever scheme of elimination was finally used, compelling all applicants in Canton to study Russian for one year first. During this time so many had been drafted into revolutionar work that there were only 90 left. From this number 70 were finally selected.

During the two-year course, every student is given money sufficient to pay his expenses to and from China. In addition he receives free tuition including everything needed in the way of technical equipment such as: notebooks, textbooks, pencils and laboratory supplies. Besides this, room and board are free and there is a monthly stipend of 15 roubles to cover incidentals. Men with families are not accepted. Since, however, 15 percent of the student body are women some married have occured. In fact, the Chinese population has already been increased by six children.

The students represent a variety of different social classes, including peasant, merchants and militarists, but the majority come from the intellectual class.

The chief aim of the university is to share with the youth of China the fundamental guiding principles of Communism and the experience of the "Proletarian Revolution." Here they should learn, for instance, the imperative necessity, of a union between peasants and workers if any basic revolutionary movement is to be built. This the Russian feel is one of the great principles which have come from their revolution.

Each class comes three times a week and lasts one and one-half hours. Besides regular classes there are laboratory trips to all the varied institutions of the city. These occupy at least four hours a week. Eventually it is planned to have one teacher for every five students.

Communistic Principles

Besided teaching the theory of Communism, the school itself is a living demonstration of its principles. The students are completely organized and pay 50 kopeks (25 cents) a month in dues. On every commission appointed by the university authorities, the students have representation. The chief ones are: sanitation, educational matters, literary, economic, cultural. The last committee has charge of all the recreational activities, including movies, lectures and theatre. Students are at liberty to form supplementary committees along any line of their interests. These range all the way from music and radio to athletics.

The entire university is run by a council of six in which the students are represented and have one vote.

The school year begins on September fifth and lasts nine and one-half months. During the summer vacation all the Chinese are sent to a mammouth "rest-home" named after Kalinin, the president of the republic, some 50 miles outside Moscow. It covers an area several miles in circumference and provides accommodations for 2000 workers from the trade unions of Moscow. Each worker can here take his two weeks vacation free of charge. Although the Chinese have special quarters and eat in a special dining room they are not otherwise isolated. During their stay the camp has a turnover of about ten thousand, thus providing adequate opportunity for the Chinese to talk with a fair sample of the ordinary Russian workers as well as learn the languages.

Not All Communists

I spent a day at this camp talking with the Chinese. They seemed extremely well satisfied. By no means were all Communists, probably less than half belong to the Chinese party. Yet it was certainly true that the experience was revolutionizing their thinking and outlook.

There are other universities in Moscow where Chinese are being trained as, for instance, "The Communistic University of the Laboring Masses of the East in the name of Stalin." Here there are only 30 Chinese, all Communists, out of a student body of one thousand. None of these can be compared to Sun Yat Sen University. From this latter institution three hundred students are leaving yearly to enter China. They are going into all sorts of work and assuming all kinds of responsibilities. The impress which this group will make on Chinese life and politics is incalculable. Granted that the education which they are getting is permeated with a Communistic slant, nevertheless it is likely to make them more valuable to China if only because they will know Russian and something real about what the Communists are doing.

LAUGHS

Great Expectations

Lady of the House—As cook I shall expect you to rise at five o'clock, and I will allow you one evening off every week.

Applicant—You ain't been married long have you, dear?—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Sure Thing

Wife—What would you do if you had no wife to mend your clothes?

Hubby—In that case I'd have new clothes.

Not a Member

Doctor—Your husband is a hypochondriac, isn't he?

Patient's Wife—Oh, no doctor; he doesn't belong to any society but the Odd Fellows.

In Dutch

Aunt—Did I hear you greet your friend with "Hullo, old Rip"? I don't think it's very nice.

Niece—No, and not "Rip"—"Rep" such a mouthful to say reptile every time.

No Aviator Is in Any Hurry

"Aviation has taken possession of the popular mind."

"Yep. Nobody in the village choir wants to sing anything except 'I Want to Be an Angel.'"—Washington Star.

LET'S TRY THE OTHER

Child—May I have a dark supper tonight?

Mother—What do you mean, dear Child—You gave me a light supper last night and I didn't like it at all.

Sweet Revenge

Mrs. A.—That woman next door bought a hat exactly like mine.

Husband—And how I suppose you won't speak?

Mrs. A.—Not after she finds I've given mine to her cook.

Today's Poems

HAPPINESS, FAITH, HEALTH

Talk Happiness. The world is sad enough
Without your woes. No path is wholly rough;
Look for places that are smooth and clear,
And speak of these to rest the weary ear
Of earth so hurt by one continuous strain
Of human discontent and pain.
Talk Faith. The world is better off without
Your utter ignorance and morbid doubt.
If you have faith in God, or man or self,
Say so; if not, push back upon the shelf
Of silence all your thoughts till faith shall come;
No ears will grieve because your lips are dumb.
Talk Health. The dreary, never changing tale
Of mortal maladies is worn and stale;
You cannot charm or interest or please
By harping on that minor chord, disease.
Say you are well, or, all is well with you,
And God shall hear your words and make them true.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

POLITENESS

"I thank you," "pardon me," and "please"—
Oh, very easy words are these.
Not hard to read, not hard to spell
Priscilla knew them very well;
But saying them was different,
Quite!
She found it hard to be polite.
Nor when she was polite and kind,
Then others were the same, she'd find.
So, "please," and "thank you," she would say,
And found it easier every day.
Priscilla now is happier, for,
To count and kind her manners are.

—Lena B. Ellingwood—Copyright, National Monitor.

SLAYER TELLS OF HORRIBLE CRIME

RUSSIAN WATCHMAKER SAYS HE SLEW GENERAL TO AVENGE JEWS

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Oct. 18.—Facing the red and black robed judges and lawyers in the district court of Paris, Samuel Schwartzbard, blonde Russian watchmaker today, exultingly told the story of how he determinedly tracked down General Simon Petlura and cold bloodedly slew him to avenge the deaths of thousands of Jews he believed were instigated by his victim.

Shocked by the story, the 31-year-old watchmaker told with gleaming eyes and hysterical grimaces, the 400 court room spectators gasped with surprise. White-bearded Jaws from central and eastern Europe sat beside flappers with bobbed hair and exchanged shocked glances with Slavic-featured Ukrainians as Schwartzbard told his story of relentless pursuit and death before the muzzle of his revolver.

Outside heavy reinforcements of gendarmes patrolled the corridors to prevent disorders. Inside the gleam of candelabra struggled with the gloom of a murky Paris day, and a hush fell upon the court room as Schwartzbard began his story of the assassination.

Then Swartzbard rose to tell of his crime. He described in minute detail the trailing of his victim. He told of carrying a photograph of his victim-elect, and of comparing it with the features of the men he met. He related how he encountered him "by chance." He did not answer, simply lifting his heavy cane. "I knew it was him. I shot twice, three, four, five times. He fell the crowd rushed in on me. My only worry was whether it was really Petlura. I might have killed the wrong man. When a policeman told me it was Petlura I threw my arms about his neck in joy."

At this point, Schwartzbard, who had been gesticulating and demonstrating his crime, threw his arms about the neck of the gendarme sitting beside him.

Schwartzbard denied that he had accomplices, saying his crime was the result of his own conviction that General Petlura was the instigator of Pogroms in which thousands of co-racialists were killed. He denied Petlura had begged for mercy, as witnesses had testified. He also denied he shot General Petlura after the latter had tumbled on the roadway.

TAX SURVEYORS TO START THIS WEEK

SEVERAL CREWS OF MEN TO OBTAIN MEASUREMENTS OF CITY BUILDINGS

Employing a feature of the new tax system which has been planned for Lubbock by the city commission, several crews of men will be started out over the city this week to obtain measurements of all buildings and structures in the city and valuations for taxable purposes, it was announced yesterday from the office of R. A. Holland, city tax collector.

Three men will work to a crew and all outside measurements will be obtained of each building.

The tax plan is a new one with the city but officials believe that it will be of much benefit to the citizens. It is employed by various other cities of the south and southwest and is proving a success.

Building Exceeds Hopes At Lockney

(Special To The Avalanche)

LOCKNEY, Oct. 18.—Development along all lines, far exceeding the estimate placed by the most optimistic, is now taking place in the city of Lockney and surrounding territory. Already there has been practically one million dollars spent in industrial and municipal building in the city this year not taking into consideration the new rail line of the Fort Worth and Denver South Plains railway. With the advent of autumn weather comes an era of residential building unprecedented in the history of the city.

Workmen are now busy on the last mile of grade to be constructed for the new rail line in the city of Lockney, and with its completion all of the grade will be up from Estelline, where the South Plains extension starts, to Lubbock, the terminus. Denver officials expect to have trains running over this line in time to help carry the wheat crop of the coming year.

Money from the $35,000 bond issue has been received and workmen are now busy preparing for the building of an adequate sewer system in Lockney. When completed this city will be able to offer any convenience for the home or industrial plant that is offered by much larger cities, as the West Texas Gas company are now serving natural gas to local concerns.

25 PASSENGERS ON GROUNDED SHIP SAVED

LONDON, Oct. 18 (AP).—Twenty five members of the crew of the American steamer Nile, which went aground in the Mediterranean near Durgis, near Albania several days ago, have been taken aboard the British steamship Moreton Bay, says a radio message to Lloyds from the master of the Moreton Bay.

The message adds that all the holds and engine room are level with the sea, bow and stern on the rocks, with deep water amidship.

(The steamer Nile, 3,260 tons, sailed from Philadelphia September 15 and New York October 1, for Port Said, Suez, Aden and Bombay.)

Royal Lovers



Boris, bachelor king of Bulgaria, at last has found a bride, 'tis said. He is expected to marry Princess Giovanna, third daughter of King Emmanuel of Italy. They're pictured above.

BIDS OFFERED FOR MOHAIR ARE REFUSED

EL PASO, Oct. 18 (AP).—Bids on about 250,000 pounds of New Mexico and Arizona mohair were rejected here yesterday at a meeting of growers and buyers. The growers decided to hold another sale here on October 31. The biggest bid yesterday was said to have been 46 5-8 cents per pound while the growers said they expected to get 52 or 53 cents.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Oct. 18 (AP).—Two men entered the postoffice and general store at Fairmount Leavenworth county, today, kidnaped Frank Diefendorf, postmaster, drugged his wife, and escaped with $60 in government funds. Diefendorf was released several miles from the town.

Masons Advanced To Higher Ranks

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18 (AP).—Two hundred and twenty-six Scottish Rite Masons today were elected to the thirty-third degree, Inspector General Honorary, and 452 were elected knights commander of the courts of honor in their respective states by the members of the Supreme Council Ancient and Accepted Scottish rite of the Southern jurisdiction.

The formation of the Knights Commander degree took place tonight with John H. Cowles grand commander of the southern jurisdiction, presiding. The ceremonies for the thirty-third degree will be held Friday night.

Among those named knights commanders for Texas were: B. H. Henry, Memphis; Albert Ellis, Wichita Falls; James O. Guleke, Amarillo; Henry J. Line, Panhandle; Henry J. Price, Lamesa; Sam Reed, Abilene; James D. Stamper, Big Spring; Otto Stoehr, Wichita Falls; E. E. Stricklin, Ozona; Fred H. Talbot, Sanderson.

Among those named inspector generals were: James D. Avis, Wichita Falls; William P. Bishop, Crockett; L. G. Hawkins, Vernon.

Polish Actress Has Close Call At Hands Of 'Spanking' Pair

(By Associated Press)

SKIERNIEWICE, Poland, Oct. 18.—Miss Mary Malicka, the Mary Pickford of Poland, almost got a spanking from two irate old ladies of this provincial town when she appeared on the street with rouged lips required by one of her roles.

The artist, who is very young and tiny, was to play the role of a high school student. Liking exercise, she came one morning on foot dressed in the school uniform, to the place where the picture was to be taken. Two elderly ladies noticed her, and became extremely indignant at seeing a school girl with rouge on her cheeks and lips and dark circles under her eyes. They stopped her, scolded her for perversity, and were about to spank her with their umbrellas when the director of the picture came up, explaining to the two intransigent censors the story of the "depraved school girl," and saved her from a beating.

RUMANIAN ROYAL FOLK FAVOR GUM

QUEEN MARIE AND REST NOW DEVOTEES OF POPULAR AMERICAN PASTIME

(By Associated Press)

BUCHAREST, Rumania, Oct. 18.—American chewing gum may now count Queen Marie and the entire Rumanian royal family among its devotees.

It was first introduced into Rumania by Princess Helena after her visit to the United States. At first the members of the royal circle swallowed the gum as they would candy, but apparently experienced no unpleasant results. Helena then initiated them into the real art of chewing the elastic confection, drawing it from her mouth in a long string in American shopgirl fashion. Since then they have all taken a decided fancy to it.

Princess Helen, mother of little King Michael and an inveterate smoker of cigarettes, finds that chewing gum relieves her craving for tobacco. She makes no secret of the fact that she thoroughly enjoys the pleasant flavor of the American minted gum.

An American friend recently sent her a large carton of American candy-coated chewing gum, but it wasn't in the house a day before her kingly son, 'Mischievous Mickey,' got hold of it and had a royal banquet all his own.

The little sovereign's dog, "Brown Mumbo," has a sweet tooth also, and Mickey shared the gum with him, but rather disastrous results. The gum got entangled in Mumbo's long hair and teeth, and gummed up his jaws. The palace chef had to be called to extricate him from his predicament.

GHOSTS IN PALACE REPORTED

Famed Hampton Court Palace of England is said to be tenanted by ghosts. Jane Seymour, one of the wives of King Henry VIII, is said to be one of the most frequent visiting spectres. From time to time is heard the sound of a spinning wheel, although no spinning wheel is seen and in the quarter whence the sound is heard there was formerly no chamber which might contain one. The noise seemed from behind a door wall. So persistent were the assertions that authority to pierce the wall was granted. It was then found that the partition bricked up a small room in which stood a spinning wheel. On two occasions Queen Catherine was said to be seen standing by the great staircase wringing her hands and sobbing. Catherine Howard, who was lodged at Hampton Court before her execution, is said to have been another spectral visitor.

"What is that thing dear?"

"It's a pawn ticket, honey."

"Why didn't you get two, so we could both go?"

ALTER MINE TO BALK MUTINIES

SITE OF RECENT PRISON RIOT TO BE CHANGED TO MAKE ANOTHER IMPOSSIBLE

(By Associated Press)

LANSING, Kan., Oct. 18.—After four mutinies in the prison coal mine 720 feet below the earth's surface, officials at the Kansas state penitentiary believe they have taken precautions which will prevent further trouble.

A steel and iron cage has been placed at the foot of the main mine shaft in which a picked guard can command the approaches to the elevator. A specially connected telephone, arranged so its wires cannot be cut, communicates with the mine top above.

Four times prisoners working in the mines have revolted, tied down the mine elevator and attempted to dictate terms to officials. Each time the mutinies have been suppressed without loss of life, but Warden W. H. Mackey says such occurrences break down the morale of the prison and that the cage will prevent further trouble.

Last June 50 prisoners overpowered 16 guards and the other 250 prisoners working in the mine and took command in the tunnels. For three days they held the 250 prisoners in the back of the mine and attempted to dictate terms to Warden Mackey. The 250 unwilling "strikers" finally became enraged from hunger and staged a pitched battle with the 50 mutineers at the foot of the mine shaft. They emerged victorious and came to the top.

The other strikes were in 1926, 1915 and 1902.

During the trouble last June cell mates of the mutineers attempted to burn the twine plant and stage a demonstration on top of the earth. One guard was stabbed and several others were injured when the guards rushed the rioting convicts and began to drive them back into their cells.

Ringleaders in last June's demonstration were still breaking rock and subsisting on bread and water October 1, and Warden Mackey declared discipline at the institution was better than it had been for several years.

YOUTH "FED UP" ON AVIATION

"Fed up" on aviation, a young mechanic of the Royal Air Force deserted the flying field at Donibristle, Scotland, stole an automobile and started on a tour before he realized what he was doing. In Edinburgh Sheriff Court, an official of the air force, testified that the youth left the camp Saturday night, and on Sunday night drove off in a doctor's car which he saw standing in a street in Portobello. He drove to Stow, left the machine in a quarry at the roadside, then walked to Galashiels, but before reaching there he sent back to the doctor and the Galashiels police telling where he had left the car. Later he gave himself up to the police. The accused said that he had wanted to learn a certain trade in the air force, and the duties assigned him were so unpleasant that he could not stand them any longer. He was sent back to his corps.

Irate Customer: "When I buttoned up my coat the seams split in the back."

Salesman: "Well, madam, that just goes to show how well the buttons are sewed on!"

"And when you eloped with Fannie, did her father follow you?"

"Did he," said the young man, "he's living with us yet."—Selected.

Lowden and His Daughters



Frank O. Lowden, war-time governor of Illinois, regarded as a strong presidential possibility, is pictured here with his two daughters. Lowden withheld his final "yes" from more than 2000 farmers and business men who recently visited him at his farm near Oregon, Ill., asking him to declare his candidacy, but he has declared that "no man would run from the presidency."

TEXAS TECH TOPICS

By C. W. Ratliff, Phones 13 and 14

NEW BUILDING TO BE READY FOR CLASSES SOON

The latter part of this week will find new class rooms in the Tech agriculture building ready for use, according to information given out by officials of the college yesterday. The construction work on the building is practically complete and workmen are doing the finishing work now. Officials plan to have all rooms in use in a short time.

Work on the home economics practice house is progressing at a rapid rate and it is expected to be complete in a short while also.

PEP SQUADS TO HAVE BIG PART IN TECH-A. AND M. DAY

The two pep squads of the college are spending a greater part of their spare time in preparation for the game with Texas A. and M. here on October 28. The leaders of the two squads plan to leave nothing off in the way of entertainment and welcome to the visitors in Lubbock for the day and are making plans toward that end.

The girls pep squad under the leadership of Miss Anna Belle Collins plan to have charge of the social side of the Tech's welcome. They are to greet the A. and M. team and students when they arrive in Lubbock and plan to show them over the school. After the game the girls will be hostesses at the dance which will be given in honor of the visitors.

The boys pep squad headed by Jim Cloud also have a number of plans for the entertainment and greeting of the visitors. They will have cars at the station for the visiting team and students and will aid in every way possible with details during the day.

The two pep organizations have 28 members each.

CENTRAL TEXAS CLUB TO HAVE PARTY SATURDAY

At their meetings Monday night, the students of the Central Texas club, accepted several new members as well as the invitation of Miss Mary Lillijahadl to be guests at her home on 18th street for a party Saturday night.

The club by-laws and constitution were ordered drawn up during the meeting and Tom Graham, president of the group, issued a call for more members. About 200 students are eligible for the club, he said.

MUSICAL PROGRAM TO BE GIVEN AT CONVOCATION

Prof. W. R. Waghorne, head of the department of music, will have charge of the program of the regular weekly convocation program this morning at 9 o'clock, it was announced yesterday by Dean James M. Gordon. A variety of musical numbers including vocal solos, glee club selections and band music will be given during the hour.

The students association will have matters of importance to place before the students, leaders said.

TECH TO HAVE FOUR MEN FOR RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS

Texas Technological college is entitled to have four applicants for Rhodes Scholarships to Oxford University in England, according to information given out in the 1927 bulletin of the foundation. Texas is allowed two representatives this year as winners of the scholarships which entitle a student to three years of study in Oxford and a yearly stipend of $2000 to cover expenses.

At a meeting of the faculty, Thursday afternoon, the Tech representatives to the state selection committee will be named, President Paul W. Horn said yesterday. A number of students are considering the application, he said. The selection of the two Texas boys will be made in December.

Word was received on the campus yesterday by friends of the birth of a baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Montgomery of Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery are former students of the Tech, having attended here during its first year and took major parts in student activities. Mr. Montgomery was editor and founder of the Tornado, the school paper, and also editor and founder of The Prairie Fire, a magazine published on the campus last year. He was a member of the debating squad and took a leading part in all activities. At present he is a member of the Amarillo News staff. Mrs. Montgomery was known before her marriage as Miss Pauline Trimpet, and was also a popular student.

Application blanks for membership in the Southern Education association are being prepared this week by administrative officials of the college preparatory to sending them off to the membership board. The association is composed of all of the leading accredited schools of the South. Tech's application will be submitted to the association to meet in Jacksonville, Florida in December.

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IN

VOGUE

Paris Fashions Number
(October 15th)

The Following Lines Are Featured

On Front Cover
STEHLI SILKS
A real quality line of fine silks shown here at all times.

On Page 10
GOLFLEX
One of America's outstanding lines of fine Sport Garments.

On Page 24
VANITY FAIR
Silk Undergarments, glove silk of the finest texture.

On Page 28
I. MILLER SHOES
Real elegant footwear for the most particular.

On Page 29
SHAGMORE COATS
Exclusive sport coats in both solid and novelty weaves.

On Page 30
PRINTZESS COATS
Both dress and sport models in this fine make are featured here.

On Page 32
VAN RAALTE UNDERWEAR
Here you find this line featured with in undergarments and hosiery.

On Page 114
DEL MONTE HICKEY COATS
A wonderful collections of copies of imports in sport models.

On Page 115
WAMSUTTA SHEETS
The finest of fine sheets and cases.

On Page 117
CANNON TOWELS
Featured here at all times in every weight and size.

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A line known for years for its quality items.

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Toilet preparations that are well and favorably known.

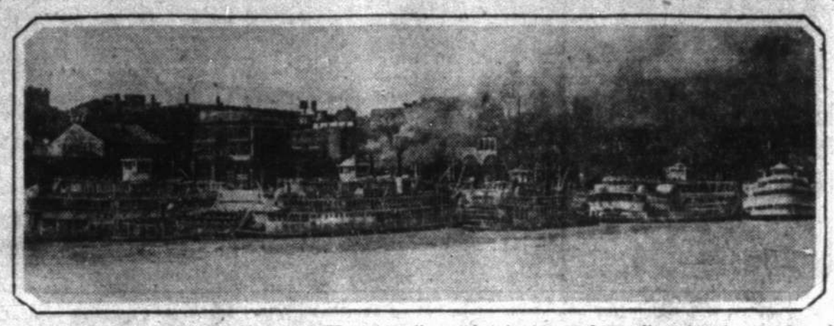
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COTY'S PERFUMES
Complete assortments of both perfumes and powders.

On Page 168
MODART CORSETS
Featured here in front lace models and girdles.

Every One of These Lines is Featured at Lubbock's Finest Department Store.

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Mississippi Stages Comeback in Commerce



Tonnage being carried on the Father of Waters by the packet boats and barge lines has increased so in the last few years that commerce is again almost as great as in the glorious '80s when the river was the chief carrier of the Mississippi valley. Here are pictured steamboats at the St. Louis levee about to depart for points along the river from Keokuk, Ia., to New Orleans. Last year more than 1,000,000 tons of river freight moved through St. Louis alone.

cerely believe that the office will give me an opportunity to render a greater service to the state than I can possible render in my present position.

Desires Good Program

"I believe that Texas needs and desires a constructive educational program—a program that will give to every child the educational opportunity to which he is justly entitled, and to every tax payer a just return in service for the money he pays to the schools.

"I am convinced that the State Department of Education can be made to render its greatest service to the people by securing and maintaining the co-operation of the educational forces in the state.

"Of course I believe in a practical economy, but I believe in genuine efficiency and progress also. The principals upon which my campaign will be based will be announced at a later date."

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Voice (outside door): Here's a message from your friend in the next room sir.

Gentleman (in bed) Push it under the door.

Voice: I can't sir, I should spill it.

Justice: "How did the accident happen?"

Defendant: "Why, I dimmed my lights and was hugging the curve".

Justice: "yeah, that's how most accidents happen.

SINCLAIR TRIAL

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lenges they used before the completion of the jury met their approval.

Mrs. Anneta Bailey, a clerk in a piano store here, but formerly a resident of Boulder, Colo., has the distinction of being juror number one, while Miss Bernce Heaton, an instructor of long-distance telephone operators, and a native of Washington, is juror number two. Both are in nature of volunteers for jury service since such service is not compulsory upon women in the District of Columbia.

While the attorneys omitted to elicit the ages of the two women it is said that it is certain the jury is a much more mature one than that which acquitted the former interior secretary and Edward L. Doheny in the same court last December.

The average age of the ten men in the present case is 42. The oldest is 63 and only one is under 30. The Fall-Doheny jury was the youngest chosen to try an important case here in many years, the average age of the twelve men being 33. The oldest member of that jury was only 43 years and the youngest 23, while six were under thirty.

To Be Free.

While the Fall-Doheny jury was locked throughout the long weeks of that trial, the Fall-Sinclair jury is to be allowed its freedom with a solemn admonition from the court not to read any newspaper accounts of the trial; not to discuss the case among themselves as the hearing proceeds and not to formulate any conclusions in their own minds until they have retired to seek an agreement on a verdict.

Owen J. Roberts, for the government, and Martin W. Littleton for the defense, outlined to the jury what both sides will undertake to prove. The special oil counsel for the government will present substantially the same set of facts as passed upon by the United States supreme court in holding that the lease resulted from "collusion and conspiracy" between Fall and Sinclair and in characterizing Fall as a "faithless public officer. Under the law that decision cannot be introduced in this case. The jury starts with a clean slate and an open mind and is sworn to return its verdict upon the evidence adduced in Justice Siddon's court.

Addressing the jury for only twenty minutes in a tone rarely raised above the conversational, Roberts said the government would show that as a result of the conspiracy between Fall and Sinclair the government was defrauded of:

First, Teapot Dome and the oil contained in it.

Second, the service of Fall as a faithful public officer.

Third, the policy of retaining oil in the ground for the future needs of the navy and,

Fourth the policy of competitive bidding in leasing public oil lands.

In undertaking to convince the jury of these things, he said evidence would be adduced as to secrecy attending the leasing negotiations and that Fall came into possession of liberty bonds of high value immediately after negotiations with Sinclair were concluded.

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CHURCH ARGUES ON WORSHIP IN HOME

CREATION OF NEW BRANCH FOR EPISCOPALIANS AT LUBBOCK BOOSTED

(By Associated Press)

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 18.—A sharp debate on the present status of home religious worship marked the first session of the three day meeting of the Episcopalian synod of the southwest here today.

The very Rev. R. Chambers, dean of St. Mathew's cathedral in Dallas brought up the question when he said that family religious worship had become stereotyped and that the family Bible on the marble topped table too often collected dust and was not opened from month to month. He advocated daily Bible reading in the home.

The right Rev. Frederick Howden bishop of New Mexico defended present worship and declared that even if the Bible did rest on the marble topped table, it was a constant inspiration in the home. He said, however, that home worship should be earnest and frequent.

Recommendations that the church concentrate its new mission efforts on Lubbock, Texas, the Rio Grand valley and Norman, Okla., were made by the Rev. W. P. Witsel of Little Rock. The church at Lubbock, seat of Texas Technological College he said, is a shack, seating only about 50 people. A church at Norman, home of the Oklahoma State University is badly needed there, the report said. A church should be built at once seating at least 500 and costing between $75,000 and $100,000 he said.

Representatives from Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico and Arizona are attending the meeting.

CONCORD GIRL MAY BE FIRST AS MAYOR

24-YEAR-OLD WOMAN IS FIRST TO BE NOMINATED FOR OFFICE OF MAYOR

(By Associated Press)

CONCORD, N. H. Oct. 18.—Miss Helen Gwendolyn Jones 24-year-old Concord girl, may be the next mayor of this city, capital of New Hampshire. Miss Jones is the first woman in New Hampshire ever to be nominated for mayor.

Although unversed in practical politics she defeated two other candidates and ran second only to the present mayor, Fred N. Marden, in the primary contest. On November 8 she and Mayor Marden will be the candidate for election. In the meantime an intensive campaign is in progress that will make new political history in Concord.

Miss Jones was graduated from the University of New Hampshire last June and intended to enter the Yale Law School this fall.

When the vacation season closed she startled the voters by announcing that she was a candidate for the mayor's chair.

With the aid of her brother, Joseph, who is a garage mechanic, she began a "whirlwind" speaking tour. Visiting every section of the city, she spoke nightly to large audiences.

Miss Jones now must overcome a political tradition here that the high man in the primary is slated to win the municipal election.

At college she made an enviable reputation, being not only a leader in scholastic standing, but a member in the student council and active in debating and athletics. Her training as a speaker made her one of the best orators in this section.

Wm. Penn—5 cents—A Good Cigar

"I hear that you and Bill are on the outs again."

"He's too darn fresh! I told him my father had locomotive ataxia and the brute wanted to know if he whistled at crossings."

A Scotchman sent his sweetheart a package of flower seed with these directions. "Plant these now and you will have a nice bouquet for your birthday."

A photographer says that most politicians are good sitters. Unfortunately they are seldom photographed in their characteristic attitude sitting on the fence.—Punch

ROTARY ANNS

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the ladies present how glad the men were to have them with them, and extended an invitation for them to come any time.

The meeting last night will take the place of the regular luncheon Wednesday, and will count on attendance the same as a regular meeting.

The song composed by Mrs. Robertson was:

LUBBOCK TOWN
CHORUS

Oh! I'm glad I live in Lubbock,
Hooray! Hooray!
In Lubbock town I'll build a Home.
To live and die in Lubbock,
'Tis fine, 'Tis fine away out west in Lubbock!

Away out West in the State of Texas
Where the wind does blow the sand like blizzens
It is fine; it is fine; it is fine,
Lubbock-town.
In Lubbock-town where cotton does grow
And everything else, Oh! don't you know.
It is fine; it is fine; it is fine.
Lubbock-town.

We, of the South Plains are truly the Hub
And the best thing here is the Rotary club.
It is fine; it is fine; it is fine,
Lubbock-town.
Beautiful homes and churches grand,
And the sturiest youth in all the land,
It is fine; it is fine; it is fine,
Lubbock-town.

We're proud of our city, yes, 'tis true,
Since we have the Tech, so nice and new.
It is fine; it is fine; it is fine,
Lubbock-town.
Here Mother, sister, bud and dad
Can get some learning we never had,
It is fine; it is fine; it is fine.
Lubbock-town.



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Whenever good fellows get together—you always find a couple of Bradleys! For Bradley knitted outerwear has earned its reputation for good-fellowship by long wear—Come in and see the new Bradleys for Fall. New styles, new colors, new patterns. Sweaters, shakers, caps, sox—everything! Our size range is complete.

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DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE

Beauty Weds War Captain By Proxy; Finds Husband Died Before Ceremony

(By Associated Press)

VIENNA, Austria, Oct. 18.—A tragic story is written between the lines of a decree of nuulty of marriage handed down by the Austrian supreme court of justice.

The first chapter began before the war, when the outbreak of hostilities in 1914 interrupted arrangements for the marriage of Lieutenant Franz Hierath of the Austrian Gunners and a pretty Viennese brunette named Margarethe.

Hierathwas drafted with his regiment to the Polish front, and was unable to get leave because of the shortage of horse gunners in the Austrian army, but he and his fiancee swore eternal love in countless letters.

Captured By Russians.

In 1917 Hierath was captured by the Russians and sent to an internment camp in Siberia. From there he continued his correspondence with hte girl in Vienna until the war ended. But after the end of the war he was kept in internment.

When the prospect of their marriage seemed remotely in the future, the girl discovered in 1919 that under the Austrian law it is possible to marry by proxy. She broached the idea to her lover, and he welcomed it. In Vienna in 1920 a brother officer of Hierath married the girl in his friend's name.

Shortly after the ceremony letters ceased to come from Hierath. A year later, when the Bolsheviste sent back the prisoner, Hierath was not among them. At last two officers who had been interned with him brought word that he had died in 1920.

Refused To Believe.

For four years Margarethe Hierath refused to believe herself a widow. She maintained that the Bolsheviste detained her husband because of his monarchist sentiments. Two years ago she abandoned all hope and applied for pension as the widow of an officer. The war office summoned the two officers who had reported Hierath dead, and they said that the officer had died seven months before the date of the proxy marriage and a few weeks after Hierath's letter authorizing the marriage arrived.

The case passed through many courts. Now the high court has decided against the young widow.

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RED RIPE ?

RAILROADS

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also of all railroads in the United States. The big freight trains now move on schedule, just as passenger trains.

Investments Responsible

"Huge investments are responsible for this better service. We now are given proper returns on capital invested. Men are paid higher wages and last but not least our employes are cooperating, thus giving the best service with the least cost.

"Railroads are looking forward and planning enormous programs for the future. Investments are made in confidence. They are doing new things—they are cooperating with the air mail and air service. It is the job of the railroads to cooperate with all new enterprises."

In speaking of the muchly discussed question of valuation, General Atterbury said that the matter of determining valuation is not so important a question now as it was when it first arose. "A fair return on our investments is our chief concern. The real question is what are we actually able to pay on our investments. We must protect rail rates from unwise reductions."

The rail president here praised the railroad and utilities commission for the results of their work in the various states and he concluded his address by advocating a seven year term for commissioners.

President John F. Shaughnessy of Nevada, in commenting upon his morning address in which he advocated a flat 10 cent per ton rate as an aid to agriculture and livestock said that under his plan freight earnings would be pooled. However, he said this is not a question that he would go into now, saying that it was a matter which must be worked out.

MAINE KEEPS PRIMARY

'No's' Lead In State When Issue Of Primary Repeal Is Put Up To Vote Of People.

PORTLAND, Maine, Oct. 18 (AP).—First returns from today's special election in Maine on the repeal or retention of the direct primary law showed the "no's" leading by a considerable margin.

Returns from 34 election precincts out of 622 in the state representing 34 towns and cities gave:

For repeal 1,158.
Against 1,705.

GIRL SUICIDES

Was Despondent For Several Days Says Friends; Shotgun Was Used To Inflict Fatal Wound.

GOOSE CREEK, Oct. 18 (AP).—Miss Louise Dittman, 26, died near here almost instantly Tuesday as a result of gunshot wounds. The discharge from a shotgun entered just above the left breast.

Friends of the family said she had been despondent for several days. Miss Dittman was employed by the Humble Oil and Refining company in Houston. Her father Carl Dittman, operates a hotel in Goose Creek.

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JAMES ANNOUNCES FOR STATE OFFICE

DIRECTOR OF TEXAS COUNCIL OF SAFETY MAKES RACE FOR SUPERINTENDENT

AUSTIN, Oct. 17.—W. E. James of Austin will be a candidate in the 1928 campaign for the office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction he said here Saturday.

Mr. James has been engaged in school work in Texas since 1902, except for the past 18 months during which he has devoted activities of the Texas Council of Safety, and was connected with the State department of education as rural school supervisor for four years. He has taught in the rural schools of his native county, in the North Texas State Teachers College and in each of the Universities of which he is a graduate.

A native Texan, reared on the farm, James first attended a rural school in his community and later the Edgewood High School. He is a graduate of the North Texas State Teachers College, B. A. Graduate University and an M. A. graduate of the University of Texas. He has practically completed the courses required for the Ph. D. degree in the University of Texas, and is well known as a public speaker.

He made the following statement regarding his candidacy:

"I am going to make the race for the important office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction because I want to be State Superintendent, and because I sincerely believe that the office will give me an opportunity to render a greater service to the state than I can possible render in my present position.

Wm. Penn—5 cents—A Good Cigar

APPORTION STOCK OF DEFUNCT LINE

UNITED STATES COURT CLERK ACTING AS RECEIVER FOR ORIENT RAILROAD

(By Associated Press)

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 18. — Apportionment of the stock of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railroad company was completed today by Frank L. Campbell, Topeka, clerk of the United States district court in Kansas, and special master appointed by the court to receive applications of note holders for the stock.

The American note holder's committee received approximately 57 per cent of the stock. Both the English and American committees paid in cash the full amount of $71.61 a share for the stock, under the terms of a decision, of the circuit court of appeals at St. Louis.

The next step will be a report of the special master on the apportionment and a formal order of the court approving the division.

When that is done the Orient [illegible] may function under the reorganized plan, with the English note holders having about 41 per cent of the stock and two per cent in the hands of independent note holders.

The reorganized railroad is headed by William T. Kemper, Kansas City, receiver for the last eight years.

City To Enforce Gas Law Ruling

Stringent enforcement of section 4, of Gas Ordinance 350 which governs the piping of gas into houses of Lubbock, was pledged yesterday by city officials. Under this ordinance anyone desiring to have gas piped into his home, or to do the piping himself, must first secure a permit from the city offices, located on the second floor of the city hall. Charges of the licenses are $1.50 each.

IN THE PRAISE OF YOUTH

Orville Wright, praising Charles A. Lindbergh at a dinner in Dayton, said:

"Only a young man could have achieved this feat. For youth is braver than age. It is more generous, too more honorable. Yes, it's better all around."

The great airman smiled rather sadly.

"The good don't really die young" he said, "They outgrow it."

Post Office Helps Big Spring Serve

(Special To The Avalanche)

BIG SPRING, Oct. 18. — The postoffice department at Washington has recognized the tremendous growth taking place in Big Spring and Howard county. Many changes and extensions have been made in service. In every instance the change has been made necessary due to the fast development taking place.

According to J. W. Ward, post master at Big Spring there has been an increase of more than $2,000 in postal receipts for the quarter ending September 1, over the same quarter for last year. During the recent period of development taking place in Howard county, there has been established a postoffice at Vealmoore, 20 miles north of Big Spring and a Star route to that place that serves the entirely new community that has been built there by he new farmers who have purchased homes in the Slaughter pastures, and put them into farms of 160 to 320 acres.

Orr To Speak At Opening of Gin

President John T. Orr of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton association will make the principal address for the opening of the new Farm Bureau cotton gin at Levelland on October 27. Other speakers for the opening have been announced as M. E. Hays, director of field service and Leon Stokes, manager of the state gin association.

This will be followed by a program from the school children and a picnic at the school house at 2:30 in the afternoon. The gin has been in operation about 10 days.

Three Suits Are Filed Yesterday

Three suits, all of different nature, were filed in the courts here yesterday. Suit for debt was entered in the seventy-second district court by the Temple Trust company ain'nst J. H. Patrick, Mattie L. Patrick, R. B. Patrick and Moore Patrick. The Panhandle Construction company has entered suit on a pavement lien against C. J. Lane, Charles J. Lyne and George Lyne. Then, in the ninty-ninth court, a suit for divorce was filed.

Big Spring Buys New Water Pump

(Special To The Avalanche)

BIG SPRING, Oct. 18.—In addition to the 30,000 feet of water mains recently installed in the city of Big Spring, a booster pump has been purchased and will be installed within the next few days, according to a report of City Manager Mentin. With this pump the pressure can be increased to a maximum pressure even in the residential districts at the foot of Big Spring mountain. Pressure valves placed in the main lines which regulate the pressure not allowing it to run too high in the lower part of the business district.

Arrest Couple In Robbery of House

Officers believe that the robbery of a house belonging to S. Replin, a Lubbock merchant, at 1494 Texas avenue has been solved with the arrest here yesterday of Buck Sharp and his wife, Myrtle Sharp, on charges of burglary and theft.

The pair were arrested on a farm about seven miles east of town. Part of the loot was recovered including a suit of clothes, men's hats and dress goods.

The pair came here from Borger and have been here only about two months, according to Sheriff Johnson.

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Lockney Now Has Restricted Part

(Special To The Avalanche)

LOCKNEY, Oct. 18.—Lockney's residential section is to have its first restricted addition.

D. R. Shields and M. W. Stokes California operators and more recently of Midland, Texas, are now preparing for the sale of 50 residential lots of their addition in West Lockney. Every modern convenience is to be furnished, streets graded, and trees and shrubbery planted, making this addition one of the most desirable in the city. Only high class, modern homes are allowed to be built in this addition as it is the ideal of the developers to leave it as a monument of their work of which they can justly be proud.

The name of the addition has not been chosen and according to the owners, a suitable reward will be given to the person suggesting the name chosen.

The clearing of the ground has already begun, however, the opening day of the sale has not yet been announced due to the fact that a large amount of work, consisting of the laying of gas, water and sewer mains, will be necessary before the lots are ready for sale.

Stokes and Shields have just completed the Belmont Addition to the city of Midland, Texas.

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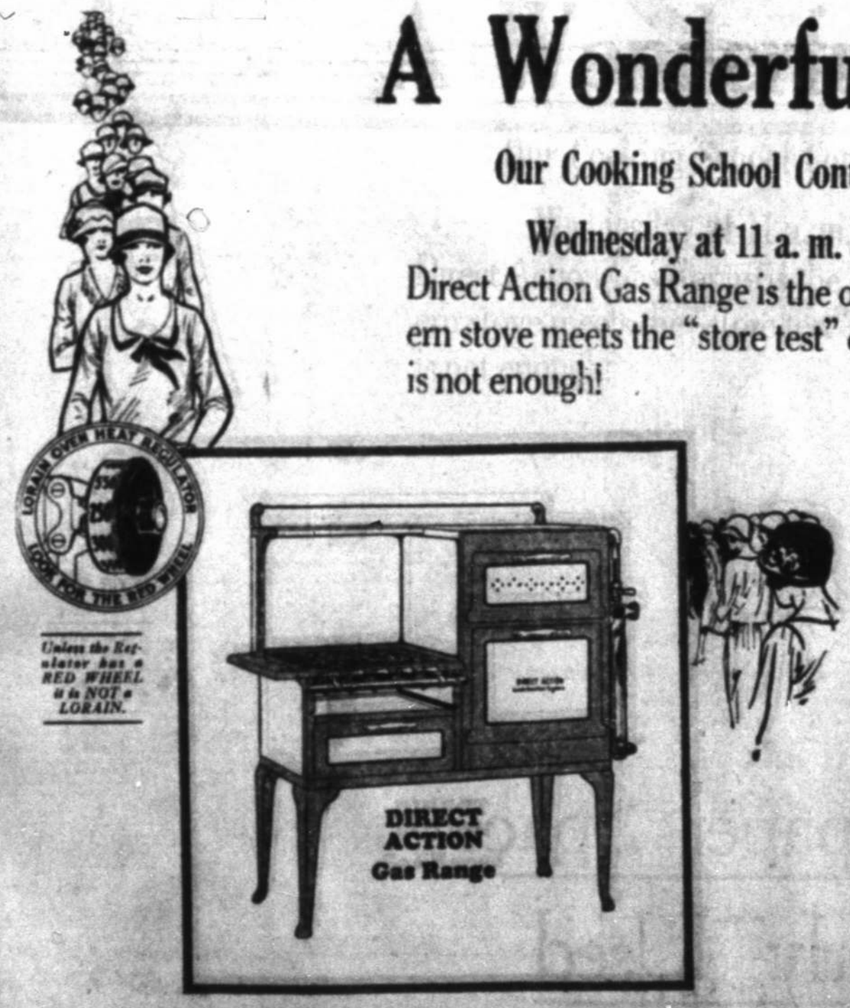
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Continues at same hours Wednesday and Thursday

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1114 Broadway Lubbock Branch Phone 1646

Our cooking school will teach you about gas cooking, as well as gas ranges. It is to your advantage to attend it.



WHAT HAS BEEN TOLD:

Frank Norfleet, a Texas rancher swindled out of $45,000 by the old stock exchange game by members of an international confidence ring at Dallas, Texas, resolves to sacrifice his last dollar, if necessary, to break up the ring. Vague clues lead to Corpus Christi, and to San Antonio and then a peculiar hunch takes him to San Bernardino, California where he finds two of his men in jail. Norfleet returns to Ft Worth to get grand jury indictments before he can take his men from the state of California and on the way to Fort Worth meets an elderly Georgia woman on the train who had been a detective in her younger days. She promises to watch for the men and advise him quickly if she gets a trace of them. The two swindlers are brought to Fort Worth where one of them is identified by Peter J. Nee of Washington as a man who swindled him out of several thousand dollars. Norfleet learns from one of the swindlers that, when the money taken from him had been divided by the gang at San Antonio a poker game was rudely interrupted by Reno Hamlin, a member of the gang, who, armed with two six shooters broke up the game and confiscated the spoils. The men are left in the Fort Worth jail and Norfleet returns to his hotel where he finds a letter from the Georgia woman whom he had met on the train in which she describes a man she had seen while traveling who surely was a confidence man and who might have been Spencer, one of Norfleet's swindlers and who was headed for Florida. Norfleet leaves immediately for Jacksonville where he makes a thorough search. He then goes to St. Augustine to watch the crowds of summer vacationists to find his men.

Chapter Nine

From Tampa I drifted with the tide of gayety down to St. Petersburg. This little watering place was not as lively as Miami, Palm Beach and Jacksonville, but I could not afford to overlook it. Perhaps it might be the more logical place to search, since it was inhabited and patronized by more of the common folk who were out for a vacation and who did not care to mingle in the snobbish atmosphere of the more popular places. It was this sort of common, solid, well-to-do people that the confidence men sought as victims.

I spent a good bit of time at the boat landing, watching the newcomers as they came ashore.

Faces . . . . Faces . . . Faces. . . .

At the end of the day, my brain reeled with the memory of them. Seldom did I see one that I had seen before. It was tiresome work.

There is a strain, physical as well as mental, in watching for a certain face among thousands. One must scan them all, quickly passing from one to another, hesitating now and then when a slight resemblance to the face one seeks shows in a fleeting smile or frown. It is a heart breaking task to give one's whole mind to such an undertaking and to have the day to end with no reward for one's effort.

One early afternoon, I decided to call it a day and go back to the hotel. I left the boat landing where a great white liner had emptied her human cargo into the swarming stream of pleasure seekers. On the way I took a turn through the home section of the little city. I had gone but a short way when my attention was attracted to an old couple in the yard before a modest cottage.

The little lawn was enclosed by a low picket fence. In the middle of the grassy plot sat an old lady who was very short and fat. Her voluminous skirts were spread about and she looked like a great umbrella opened out in the sun to dry. She was sobbing heartbrokenly, and an old man by her side was striving to console her. He patted her shoulder soothingly, but she cried all the harder. The old gentleman reached behind him and took hold of the leg of a man's union suit which hung from a near-by clothesline, and, stretching it from the taunt line, wiped the tears from her face. Seeing that her weeping was out loose in real earnest, the old fellow stood up and looked about him helplessly.

I leaned over the gate.

"What's the trouble?" I asked.

The old man turned toward me, the leg of the union suit still clutched in his hand. In a vague, stunned way he replied.

"Nothin' much. No, nothin'—much—"

"Nothin' much?" the old lady interrupted, bursting out a fresh torrent. "Pa! How can you call it 'nothin' much'?"

The old gentleman brought the leg of the union suit into play again straining the clothesline to a danger point. He blotted her face. She paid little attention to his well-intentioned ministrations and started to talk, catching her sobbing breath between words.

"Nothin' much the matter? Everything's the matter! We've lost ever' cent we have in the world. If that's not much, I'd like to know what is!" she nodded toward her husband. "Husban' always takes things so calm. I don't know what would happen if we were both that way."

I stepped inside, asking if I could do anything to help matters.

I felt inclined to turn the weeping old lady over a rain-barrel, let nature take its course and find out from the old man what was wrong. However, things presently began to dry up slightly and they told me their story.

They had come to St. Petersburg to bask in the winter warmth. Soon after moving into the little cottage where I found them, they casually became acquainted with three men. During the conversation with them one day, the old man said that he and his wife liked Florida so well that they figured on buying a little home in the midst of an orange grove and settling down there. One of the men spoke up and said that he was a realtor and that, if they were interested in St. Petersburg property, he had the very thing they were looking for.

"I am the agent for the property and," indicating one of the men with him "this man owns it."

The old couple—their name was Bockerman, I learned—went the next day to view the little estate. It consisted of several acres under cultivation and a charming bungalow. The orange grove appealed to them, as the fragrant blossoms would renew the honeymoon of Junes gone by.

They were very happy at the prospect.

The price was set at $10,000, a much smaller sum than the place could have commanded in the hands of genuine real-estate operators. The old couple did not know this and no doubt considered themselves fortunate at being able to get so perfect a home so reasonably. The deal was agreed upon.

The property owner, so the agent said, required the money in cash. This suited the Bockermans. It was decided to transfer the money and complete the deal at Clearwater, the county seat.

Accordingly, the Bockermans instructed their bank in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, to transfer their savings to a Clearwater bank which had been designated by one of the three men. The old people engaged an attorney who was an official of the Clearwater bank to make sure that the deal was properly handled.

By appointment, the property owner, his agent and the third man met the Bockermans and their attorney in the directors' room at the bank. The attorney called the Bockerman's attention to a slight typographical error in the deed and cautiously ordered that a new one should be made out.

Th old people congratulated themselves upon their choice of such a careful advisor. When the new deed was mentioned, the third man spoke up:

"I happen to have a portable typewriter with me. I'll be glad to type a new copy for you. It will save time and money."

The old people thanked him. Everyone was so kind to them. Perhaps it was because they were elderly, Mrs. Bockerman thought.

The attorney reported that the abstract and title were perfect.

The young typist made an error in the first copy he prepared, and again, at the end of the second copy he made a grievous mistake. He was sorry, but it would not take long to type another. The third copy was also ruined. Something was wrong with his typewriter. He promised a perfect copy on the fourth attempt.

Mr. Bockerman noticed the clock. He nudged his wife.

"It's almost four," he said.

"So I see. I hope he gets through soon. We mustn't have this cash on our hands all night."

She wound the strap of her brown bag once more about her wrist. They both fidgeted, watching the clock, and she spoke again to her husband, from behind her hand. "Tell him to hurry. If the bank closes before he finishes we won't get this money into a safety deposit box. Tell him to hurry."

The keys of the typewriter clicked rapidly. No one seemed inclined to talk. The owner of the property was reading a newspaper. Then he dozed, while the flies made merry in his stiff beard which stuck out his chin like a whisk broom. The hand on the clock crept nearer the hour of four. The Bockermans twisted uneasily.

"I'm going to ask our lawyer to see that a box is left open for this money, if that fellow doesn't get through in time," Mrs. Brockerman whispered to her husband.

He nodded acquiescence and they turned about to speak to their attorney. His chair was vacant. He had been there just a moment before. Neither had seen him leave. He had sat on a straight line with Mrs. Bockerman. There was a door leading somewhere just at his elbow. The old lady was nervous; she leaned over and spoke in an undertone.

"He must have gone when I leaned over to speak to you. He was there before. Where do you suppose he is?" She gripped the brown bag tighter. "What shall we do?"

One! Two! Three! Four!—the clock chimed out.

The Brockermans rose.

"The bank is closing for the day. See, they have closed the front doors," said Mr. Brockerman. "We'll have to wait and close the deal tomorrow. It's too bad, but the bank is shut."

The agent suddenly became alert. All three of the men sprang to their feet.

"It may be shut for you, but it's never closed for us!" the pseudo-property owner exclaimed. He snatched the bag on the old lady's wrist. She flung her hand up and tried to evade him; one of the others caught her hand in the air and yanked it backward, tearing the bag from her grasp and cutting her arm cruelly with the tight strap.

(Continued Tomorrow)

Big Spring Host To Hardware Assn.

BIG SPRING, Oct. 18. — Big Spring has donned her entertainment clothes for the coming of hardware dealers over West Texas who will be the guests of this city on October 18. This is a district meeting of the West Texas Hardware and Implement Dealers association of Texas. Field Representative Pfaff arrived in Big Spring Friday, October 14 and has been busy whipping details into shape for the occasion. Joye Fisher of the J. & W. Fisher company of Big Spring will be chairman of the meeting. A banquet will be given the visiting delegates Tuesday night at the First Methodist church. This affair will be complimentary from the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce.

Delegates will be here from 15 West Texas counties, according to reports received by Joye Fisher, district chairman for the convention.

The banquet will be served in the basement of the new Methodist church. It will be prepared and served by the ladies of the Methodist congregation.

Find No Trace Of Comanche Thieves

No trace had been found last night, it was reported, of the men who were said to have robbed a store in Comanche of $1500 worth of goods, including men's suits, ladies' dresses, coats and other articles, this week.

A sharp lookout for men answering the description given in the robbery report out of Comanche was being kept here.

A reward of $250 has been offered for apprehension of the marauders and return of the merchandise.

"Your grandfather is a witty old man. He seems to be full of originality."

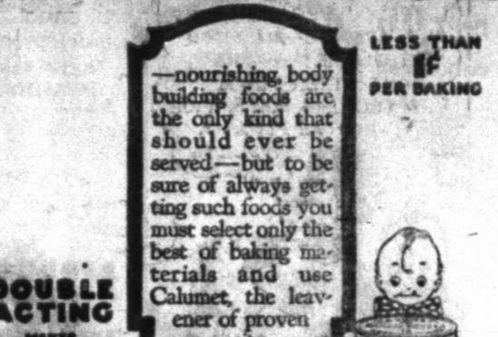
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LOST—Sunday night, man's wrist watch, leather band, somewhat worn. Finder please return to 1308 Ave. Q or phone 1874-J. Reward.

2. MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Young man for clerical position in wholesale firm, opportunity for advancement. Address Box 474, care Avalanche.

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FOR RENT—Nice house, close in. Phone 1427.

FOR RENT—5-room house and garage. 618 Avenue L. Phone 1121-J.

Five room brick house, modern, oak garage. 2702 31st street; six room house, 618 Ave J; three room house, 214 Ave. H. Phone 149-J at 1918 10th.

Five room house, 1945 Ave. N $30.00 per month. Apply Goodyear Shop.

FOR RENT—6-room stucco between High school and Tech. See Bernice O'Neal, Grollman's Store.

10. FURNISHED HOUSE-KEEPING ROOMS

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10. FURNISHED HOUSE-KEEPING ROOMS

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FOR RENT—4-room apartment 702 Ave. O. Phone 470.

Two furnished housekeeping rooms to couple. Private entrance. 1631 9th street.

Two light housekeeping rooms furnished. Close in. Phone 247.

Nicely furnished front rooms. Near college. Phone 256-W.

FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, close in. Phone 751-J. 1529 Ave. J.

11. UNFURNISHED APARTMENTS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, close in. Phone 979-J. 716 Ave. L.

12. FURNISHED APARTMENTS FOR RENT

Furnished three room apartment, water and light furnished, modern, garage if desired. Adults only. 1411 Ave. L. Phone 1673-J.

Furnished apartment for rent on 13th between M and N. Phone 347.

Three room furnished apartment. Private bath. 1607 Ave. S. Phone 1419-W.

Modern 3-room furnished apartment, close in. Call 241.

Two room furnished apartment. Call at 1915 Ave. O.

Furnished 2-room apartment, electric range, modern, close in. Adults only. 1516 Ave. G.

13. BED ROOMS FOR RENT

Two bed rooms furnished, private bath, private entrance. Call 77.

Two nicely furnished south bedrooms, private southeast entrance, furnace heat, nice bath. Phone 518 1413 Broadway.

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms with kitchen privileges. Mrs. H. O. Watts, 1801 Broadway. Phone 684.

FOR RENT — Nicely furnished front bedroom, adjoining bath, on pavement. Phone 642-W.

FOR RENT—Corner bedroom, modern conveniences, 1 block from Tech Ave. Phone 766.

Nice large east front furnished bedroom in brick home, convenient walking distance to town. Avenue O. First door south Broadway.

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LARGE corner bedroom for ladies only. Gas heat. 1602 Broadway. Phone 767.

FOR RENT—Furnished room for 1 or 2 boys. 2020 13th street.

14. BOARD AND ROOM

ROOM AND BOARD FOR TECH BOYS. 2203 8TH ST. PHONE 1353J.

WANTED—Roomers and boarders 1916 Ave. R. Phone 1415-J.

BOARD AND ROOM — CLOSE IN, GENTLEMEN PREFERRED. PHONE NO. 1354W

Cheap bedrooms, also room and board. 1304 Ave. N. Phone 1138.

SPURLOCK HOTEL

15. OFFICE SPACE

Double office in Temple Ellis building with lease at $30 per month. Call 917-J.

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Phone 324

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Five room house for sale or trade. Apply Goodyear Shoe Shop.

FOR SALE — Modern four-room house, 1-2 block school at end of pavement. Will consider good car as part payment. See H. B. Thornberry at Lubbock Fruit and Vegetable Co.

20. FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE — Modern six-room house in Slaton. Desirable location. Telephone 1554J, Lubbock.

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WANTED
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Conley Bldg. Phone 115

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27. REAL ESTATE

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We maintain quite an extensive farm and land agency—and concentrate on city property—We have some real bargains. See us before you buy—

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Six room brick veneer, modern, paving paid, near High school $6500; 50 foot lot, 17th street, good value, $750; 5 room brick veneer, dandy location, $4650 cash, balance easy, $4500; 50 foot lot, paving paid 19th street, $325; 5 room brick, new on 15th street, terms, only $4650. See A. H. Martin or Chas. P. O'Neall. Phone 328.

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New 6-room brick, open fireplace, oak floors, cemented basement, gas, garage, paint bill, will take car or lot or $250 as first payment at bargain price. Write Box 5, care Avalanche-Journal.

Nothing down and only $40 per mo buys this extra good modern 5 room bungalow, gas, garage, also rent house; lawn and shade. Fine neighbors. Write at once. Box 100, care Avalanche-Journal.

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320 acres raw land eight miles northeast of county seat, being the south half of Section 6, Block V. Debt $2,500.00. Price $17.50 per acre. Will trade for good automobile or town property.

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202 Leader Bldg. Lubbock

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LOTS, CLEAR, TO TRADE FOR HOUSE.
FOUR-ROOM HOUSE AND CHEVROLET COACH, '27 MODEL—BOTH CLEAR, TO TRADE FOR FIVE-ROOM HOUSE. WILL ALSO TRADE FOR LAND.
HAVE NEW HOMES FOR SALE AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES AND TERMS.
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27. REAL ESTATE

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104 acres raw cat claw 30 miles from Lubbock, $5.00 per acre down, 10 years on balance, 6 per cent.

777 acres Hockley county, near school, gin and town of Smyer on Santa Fe railroad. Price $35.00 per acre. $5.00 per acre payment. Deferred payments, 6 per cent, 10 years years.

254 acres improved in cultivation on highway, near good town. See the growing crops, price $55.00 per acre. $10.00 per acre down and balance $10.00 per acre down and balance 10 years 6 per cent.

160 acres Gaines county. Price $11.00. No oil lease. Easy terms.

We are offering over 500,000 acres of choice South Plains farm lands from $11.00 to $40.00 per acre. Best terms possible, at 6 per cent. We will be glad to furnish all information on the South Plains to you and the newcomer. Ask us. Write or see—

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GAINES COUNTY

Have several tracts near Seagraves. 160 acres, 320 acres, 640 acres. Price $20.00 and $25.00 per acre. Leased for oil. Rentals 50 cents per acre. Will accept town property, good car or livestock as part payment.

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AT A BARGAIN
My land near Levelland.
MARY L. BEARD
Route No. 2 Box 217,
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WANTED TO RENT on or before Nov. 15, a strictly modern five- or six-room house, piped for gas and with garage. Couple desiring house appreciate value of taking care of desirable property. Write box 86, care Avalanche.

29. FINANCIAL

CITY LOANS
Payments semi-annual, average only $12.25 per month. No commissions or attorney fees.
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Lowest interest rates. No commissions and no stock to buy. The only contract permitting payment of part any time during year without penalty. We make inspections.
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New or refinanced monthly loans at $7.50 per $1000. Annual loans on residences at 8 per cent and 7 per cent on business property; 60 per cent valuation and quick commitments.
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CITIZENS NAT'L BANK
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CITY LOANS
Let us refinance that old high priced loan into cheaper rate at $12.50 per thousand per month. We will make you a five year loan at 7 per cent. Cannot be beat in Lubbock.
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33. LIVE STOCK

FOR SALE TWO FRESH MILK COWS. PHONE 187. W. M. RICHARDSON.

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Will pay highest cash price for fat cattle and hogs. M. System Markets. Phone 168.

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33. LIVE STOCK

FOR TRADE—Clear lot for Jersey or Holstein cows. Phone 230-W. P. O. Box 1451.

35. WOMANS COLUMN

SHUR WAVE BEAUTY SHOP
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36. NOTICES

REMOVAL NOTICE
To my friends and customers
C. C. HOLT, Watchmaker
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NOTICE TO GAS FITTERS AND PROPERTY OWNERS IN LUBBOCK

From this date the following provision in Section IV, of Gas Ordinance No. 360 will be enforced:

"No individual, firm or corporation shall enter upon the installation, construction or reconstruction of any work provided for herein until a permit has been issued by the Plumbing Inspector, covering each installation or addition to be made, and when required by said City Plumbing Inspector plans and specifications for the proposed work must be filed with him before the permit is granted or during the progress of said work."

Signed at Lubbock, Texas, this 18th day of October, A. D. 1927.
G. C. MERRILL,
Plumbing Inspector.

SPECIAL SALE
OF FINE FURS

See our display window at 1111 Ave. J.

Also remodeling of all kinds of furs.

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1111 Ave. J. Phone 732

37. AUTOMOBILES

WHITE COW SERVICE STATION
601 BROADWAY. PHONE 865
Cities Service Gas and Oils.
Fisk Tires and Tubes
Cars Washed, Greased and Polished.
Mechanical Service in building.
Reasonable charges on storage.

USED CARS FOR SALE

1926 Nash Brougham, runs and looks like new $375.00
1926 Hudson Brougham, lots of extras, the best buy we have ever had at $350.00
1925 Star coupe, new tires, good shape throughout, a bargain at $275.00

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—1928 Nash Coupe
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—1925 Nash Sedan
—1925 Ford Touring
—1923 Buick Touring
—1924 Nash Touring
—1927 Essex Coach
LUBBOCK NASH CO
PHONE 305

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The following used cars have much real service in them and are priced to sell. Come to see us.
—1924 Ford Coupe
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Now is a good time to purchase one of those amazing quality new Chevrolets. Bring the used car in for appraisal.

RUTHENDALL CHEVROLET COMPANY

LEBERGER NAMED TO TAKE PLACE OF EUGENE V. DEBS

NEW YORK, Oct. 18. (AP)—Election of Congressman Victor Leberger, secretary of Wisconsin, to succeed the late Eugene V. Debs, as chairman of the National Executive Commission of the Socialist party was announced at the local headquarters of the socialist organization here tonight.

37. AUTOMOBILES

USED CAR SALE

Hupp Six Sedan.
Hupp Four Sedan
Chrysler "70" Sedan.
Buick Six Coupe.
Buick Six Touring
Hudson Coach.
Oldsmobile Sedan.
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THE BUICKS LISTED BELOW
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1924 Buick 4 passenger coupe.
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1927 Buick coach Master.
1927 Buick coupe standard.
1924 Studebaker coach.
1924 Wyllis-Knight Sedan.
Small down payment, balance easy
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Phone 726 Cor. 19th and J

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lubbock County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon James W. Brown by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the Seventy-second District Court of Lubbock County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Lubbock, Texas, on the first Monday in November A. D. 1927, the same being the 7th day of November A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 6th day of October A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 3021, wherein Mildred Brown is Plaintiff, and James W. Brown is Defendant, and said petition alleging that Plaintiff is now and has been an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas for a period of more than twelve months prior to exhibiting the petition herein, and has resided in the said Lubbock County, Texas for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit; that on or about the 13th day of November A. D. 1924, Plaintiff was lawfully married to Defendant; that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 4th day of MAY, A. D. 1925 when by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of Defendant toward Plaintiff she was forced and compelled to permanently abandon him, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. This suit is brought for divorce and for dissolution of the marriage relations between Plaintiff and Defendant, and for custody by Plaintiff of one child born to said marriage; for restoration of Plaintiff's name back to what it was before said marriage and for special and general relief in law and in equity.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Lubbock, Texas, this the 4th day of October A. D. 1927.

FLORA GREEN
Clerk, District Court, Lubbock County.
(SEAL)

ATTORNEY GENERAL O. K.'S BONDS FOR CITY BEEVILLE

AUSTIN, Oct. 18. (AP)—Finding no errors in records, the attorney general's department today approved $179,750 worth of bonds, $125,750 in City of Beeville refunding bonds and $54,000 Dimmit county special road bonds.

Don't—Please Do!

George—What would you do if I kissed you?

Helen—I'd call grandma—dear old grandma, who is so very deaf.

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Port Arthur, Texas.—"I have taken Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription off and on when I would feel rundown in health and it always built me up and helped me a great deal in many ways. I can highly recommend it to be a wonderful medicine for ailing women. I don't believe it ever fails if given a fair trial."
—Mrs. D. D. Williams, 927-10th St.

Obtain Dr. Pierce's Prescription now, in liquid, large bottles $1.25, or tablets, 65c, from your druggist or send 10c for trial pkg. of tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo. Ever tried Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets for the stomach and bowels? 60 Pellets, 30 cts.

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ECONOMY MILLS
PHONE 1266

CRUDE OUTPUT IS STILL DECREASING

ALL TEXAS FIELDS SHOW DECLINE DURING WEEK JUST CONCLUDED

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The daily average gross crude oil production in the United States decreased 32,450 barrels for the week ended October 15, totaling 2,494,350 barrels, says the weekly summary of the American Petroleum Institute today. The average production east of California was 1,865,150 barrels, a decrease of 28,650 barrels.

Daily average (barrels). difference (barrels.)

Oklahoma, 790,200; decrease 16,900.

Kansas, 140,750; decrease 50.

Panhandle, 90,200; decrease 450.

North Texas, 82,150; decrease 850

West Texas, 62,400; decrease 1,650.

West Texas, 205,950; decrease 5,200.

East Central Texas, 28,700; decrease 1,200.

Southwest Texas 27,350; decrease 200.

North Louisiana 51,600; decrease 250.

Arkansas 101,050; increase 850.

Coastal Texas 120,250; decrease 5,000.

Coastal Louisiana 15,200; increase 900.

Eastern 112,000; increase 1,000.

Wyoming 50,000; increase 950.

Montana 13,750.

Colorado 6,400; decrease 300.

California 629,200; decrease 3,500.

Total 2,494,350; decrease 32,450.

Daily average imports of petroleum at principal ports for the week ended October 15 totalled 192,715 barrels compared with 128,754 barrels for the previous week and 187,893 for the four weeks ended October 15. Daily averages receipts of California oil at Atlantic and gulf ports for the week ended October 15 totalled 14,929 barrels compared with 107,857 for the previous week, and 106,750 for the four weeks ended October 15.

New Church To Be Built At Lockney

(Special To The Avalanche)

LOCKNEY, Oct. 18.—A church building, modern in every respect and to be built with the needs of the future in view, that is the plans of the Church of Christ at this place.

The site has been purchased and the excavation contract let and the work is expected to be under way within one week, pending the arrival of construction materials that have been ordered.

Practically one year previous under the leadership of Elder Early Arceneaux, the campaign was started, and now, although all of the money has not been raised, the church is starting the new edifice with the hope of having all of the money necessary upon completion.

The building will involve an expenditure of approximately $17,000 and will be large enough to take care of an increasing congregation in keeping with the advancement of the city.

Realty Transfers

W. L. Pattilo et ux to A. J. Sanders WD 10-11-27, $8001, S, 1-2 section 94 block C.

Max Borger et ux to C. P. Neal WD 10-7-27, $1, N. 1-2 section 33 block D-5.

William J. Weaks et ux et al to W. L. Ellwood WD 9-17-27, $1499, lot 4 block 106, Overton.

Action R. Baker et ux to W. I. Curtis WD 2-2-27, $6102, lot 20 block 102, Overton.

James H. Goodman to J. W. Baze WD 10-14-27 $750, lot 19 block 77, Overton.

Bertha Robertson et vir to W. F. Martin Jr. et al WD 8-29-27, $16,400, block 17 Kokernot subd. of League 2, and W 1-2 league 2, S. A. C. S. L.

T. W. Jackson et ux to B. F. Conday Jr. et ux WD 10-2-27, $4160, lot 15 block 80, Overton.

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Business Manager

A chartered Training School for Nurses is conducted in connection with the Sanitarium. Young women who desire to enter training may address the Lubbock Sanitarium.

DAILY MARKETS

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Oct. 18. (AP)—Early advances were followed by reactions in the cotton market today under continued southern and local selling. December contracts sold off from 20.80 to 20.55 and closed at the lowest the general market closing steady, at net declines of 4 to 12 points.

The market opened steady at an advance of 6 to 16 points on reports of light frosts in the south and relatively firm late cables from Liverpool. Southern selling and realizing around the opening figures, was absorbed on slight setbacks, the market working up to 21.02 for March contracts during the forenoon, or about 17 7to 21 points above yesterday's closing quotations.

The official weather details showed rather lower temperatures in some parts of the belt than had been anticipated earlier, and a temperature of 30 degrees was reported at Decatur, Ala., these reports brought in a little more buying, but not active enough to suggest that the cold snap was causing any general anxiety over the crop, and the afternoon market was easier. Trading was quiet and toward the close therde was increased southern hedging and local liquidation which sent prices off to 20.75 for March, or about 27 points from the high level of the morning, 6 points net lower. Closing prices were about the lowest of the day.

Yesterday's narrowing of the difference between December and later deliveries seemed sufficient to facilitate the liquidation of the position, as December was offered a little more freely today and at the close was just 20 points under March or unchanged, compared with the closing difference of Monday.

Private cables from Liverpool reported a quiet steady market, with a steady undertone and more trade calling.

Exports today 18,927 making 1,892,270 so far this season. Port receipts 95,483. U. S. port stocks 2,003,281.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 18. (AP)—Hedge selling, the continued good weather and selling by scalpers carried the cotton market 28 points below the highs established in the early trading. December declined from 21.04@20.76 and closed at 20.78, 10 points net down. The general market closed steady at a net loss of 4 to 10 points.

Although Liverpool was lower than expected at the opening here first trades showed gains of 8 to 9 points, due to the reported spot sales of 12,000 bales in the English market. The market continued to advance in the early trading on reports of light frost in the eastern belt and fears of the tropical storm until January traded up to 21.07 and March 21.13, 13 to 17 points above the previous close.

The better weather over the belt generally, induced scalping operations and there was considerable hedge selling against recent heavy purchases in spots. As a result the market turned easy near midday and continued on the downgrade for the remainder of the session with but minor rallies, and reaching the lows in the late trading, with January at 20.80 and March 20.91, 22 to 27 points below the highs and 9 to 10 points under yesterday's close.

There was some covering at the close and prices rallied 1 to 4 points.

The late decline was aided materially by official advices stating that the storm would not reach the cotton region.

Exports for the day totalled 18,927 bales.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Oct. 18. (AP)—Wheat, corn and oats all toppled over today to the lowest prices yet this season. Heavy selling, especially of wheat and corn came from future delivery holders unable or unwilling to face new loses. An outstanding bearish factor was word of resumption of threshing on a general scale in Canada.

Closing quotations on wheat were unsteady, 2 1-8 cents to 2 1-2 cents net lower, corn 1 3-4 cents to 2 1-2 cents down, oats 12 to 5-8 cents to 7-8 to 1 cent off and provisions varying from 100 decline to a rise of 120.

For the most part, provisions were responsive to setbacks in the value of cotton and hogs.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Oct. 18. (AP)—Cattle 10,000; fed steers and fat she stock strong to 15 higher; bulls steady to weak; vealers steady; best fed steers 16.90; yearlings 16.35; most fed steers 13.25@15.35; cows 8.00 downward; stockers slow, weak to 25 lower.

Hogs 26,000; generally 10 to 15 lower; top 11.75; lights 11.00@11.60 mediums 11.45@11.75; butchers 11.00@11.60; sows 9.85@10.15; pigs 9.75@10.25; estimated hold over 10,000.

Sheep 21,000; fat lambs 15 to 25 lower; best natives 13.75; bulk 13.00@13.25; buck lambs 11.00@12.50; fat ewes 5.50@6.25; feeding lambs firm; bulk 13.50@14.00.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOC

FORT WORTH, Oct. 18. (AP)—Declines of 10 to 15 cents were recorded on a slow market tolay. Pigs and sows generally were steady.

COTTONSEED OIL

NEW YORK, Oct. 18. (AP)—The cottonseed oil market continued under pressure today and closed 10 to 13 points net lower, with trading fairly active. The development of an easier undertone in the seed and crude situation, coupled with the decline in corn and cotton, promoted renewed liquidation, with refiners also selling the late months apparently against purchases of crude. Sales 22,800 barrels.

Prime crude 9.25; prime yellow spot 10.75; October closed 10.80; December 10.82; January 10.84; March 11.03; May 11.22.

COTTON GOODS

NEW YORK, Oct. 18. (AP)—Cotton goods markets were generally quiet today. New prices on dress ginghams for spring are expected to become effective tomorrow. Mitten flannel prices have been revised for the new association in keeping with higher cotton values. Yarns were in moderate demand, with prices irregular. Wool goods for future fall use in onrthewestern markets were being ordered. Filling-in orders on wool goods were light, but steady. Burlaps showed little change for the day.

WOOL MARKET

BOSTON, Oct. 18. (AP)—Medium grade wools, both fleece and territory and the fine fleece wools as well show less activity. In some instances higher asking prices are factors in slowing up trade. Dealer report standing bids on medium wools at the old prices but the amount they can offer on some lines is limited and replacement is impossible except at higher figures.

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UNION BUS TERMINAL SCHEDULES

LUBBOCK TO AMARILLO

NORTH BOUND—READ DOWN					SOUTH BOUND—READ UP			
8:00AM	10:30AM	2:30PM	5:00PM	LUBBOCK	1:00PM	4:35PM	7:15PM	9:40PM
8:00AM	11:10AM	3:10PM	5:35PM	ABERN'TY	1:00PM	4:00PM	6:36PM	9:00PM
9:20AM	11:45AM	3:45PM	6:10PM	HALE CN'T'R	12:25PM	3:25PM	5:55PM	8:25PM
9:45AM	12:10PM	4:10PM	6:30PM	PLAINVIEW	12:00N	3:00PM	5:30PM	8:00PM
10:18AM	12:35PM	4:35PM	7:00PM	KRESS	11:25AM	2:25PM	4:55PM	7:25PM
10:45AM	1:10PM	5:05PM	7:30PM	TULIA	11:00AM	2:00PM	4:30PM	7:00PM
11:15AM	1:50PM	5:35PM	8:05PM	HAPPY	10:20AM	1:20PM	3:55PM	6:30PM
12:00N	2:25PM	6:25PM	8:45PM	CANYON	9:40AM	12:40PM	3:15PM	5:40PM
12:45PM	3:15PM	7:15PM	9:30PM	AMARILLO	9:00AM	12:00N	2:30PM	5:00PM

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LUBBOCK TO SWEETWATER

SOUTH BOUND—READ DOWN					NORTH BOUND—READ UP			
7:05AM	2:00PM	5:00PM		LUBBOCK	4:05PM	9:00PM		2:00AM
8:25AM	2:35PM	5:40PM		SLATON	3:15PM	8:15PM		1:20AM
8:45AM	3:00PM	6:00PM		SOUTHLAND	2:55PM	8:00PM		1:00AM
9:15AM	3:45PM	7:00PM		POST	2:15PM	7:15PM		12:15AM
9:45AM	4:15PM	7:30PM		JUSTICEBURG	1:50PM	6:30PM		11:30PM
10:35AM	5:00PM	8:10PM		DERMOTT	1:10PM	5:50PM		10:50PM
10:45AM	5:20PM	8:30PM		SNYDER	12:50PM	5:30PM		10:30PM
11:15AM	5:50PM	8:50PM		HERMLEIGH	12:00N	5:10PM		10:10PM
11:30AM	6:15PM	9:15PM		INADALE	11:40AM	4:45PM		9:45PM
11:45AM	6:40PM	9:40PM		ROSCOE	11:20AM	4:20PM		9:20PM
12:00N	7:00PM	10:00PM		SWEETWATER	11:00AM	4:00PM		9:00PM

Connections at Sweetwater for Abilene and Ft. Worth at 6:20AM, 12:15PM, 4:30PM and 7:00PM. Connections at Sweetwater for San Angelo at 6:20AM, 12:15PM, and 8:00PM. Connections at Snyder at 10:30AM and 5:30PM for Breckenridge, Fort Worth and Colorado.

LUBBOCK TO CLOVIS

WEST BOUND—READ DOWN				EAST BOUND—READ UP		
8:00AM	2:30PM		LUBBOCK	12:00N		4:00PM
8:25AM	2:53PM		SHALLOWATER	11:30AM		4:30PM
8:50AM	3:20PM		ANTON	11:05AM		3:40PM
9:25AM	3:30PM		LITTLEFIELD	10:45AM		3:20PM
9:45AM	4:10PM		AMHERST	10:20AM		2:50PM
10:10AM	4:30PM		SUDAN	10:00AM		2:45PM
11:00AM	5:20PM		MULESHOE	9:10AM		2:00PM
11:45AM	6:10PM		TEXICO FAM	8:20AM		1:05PM
12:00N	6:30PM		CLOVIS	7:00AM		11:45AM

Car leaving Lubbock at 8:00 AM goes through to Roswell.
Car leaving Lubbock at 2:30 PM goes throughs to Portales.
WE PICK UP AND DELIVER

LUBBOCK TO BIG SPRING

READ DOWN				READ UP			
8:00AM	2:00PM	7:30PM	LUBBOCK	10:30AM	4:30PM	9:30PM	
9:00AM	3:15PM	8:30PM	TAHOKA	9:20AM	3:15PM	8:15PM	
9:45AM	4:00PM	9:15PM	O'DONNELL	8:40AM	2:45PM	7:30PM	
10:30AM	4:30PM	10:00PM	LAMESA	8:00AM		7:00PM	
12:30N	7:00PM		BIG SPRING	10:00AM		5:00PM	

Connections at Lamesa for Midland and Odessa at 10:30AM, and 4:30PM, and at Big Spring for San Angelo at 8:00AM, and 12:30PM.

LUBBOCK TO BROWNFIELD

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9:00AM	12:30PM	5:00PM	LUBBOCK	9:30AM	7:00PM	6:30PM
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9:00AM	1:35PM	6:00PM	MEADOW	8:25AM	1:50PM	5:25PM
9:30AM	2:00PM	6:30PM	BROWNFIELD	8:00AM	12:30PM	5:00PM

LUBBOCK TO SPUR AND WICHITA FALLS

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8:00AM	12:30PM	5:00PM	LUBBOCK	10:00AM	4:30PM	8:00PM
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9:00AM	1:30PM	6:00PM	LORENZO	9:00AM	3:30PM	7:00PM
9:30AM	2:00PM	6:30PM	RALLS	8:30AM	3:00PM	6:30PM
10:00AM	2:30PM	7:00PM	CROSBYTON	8:00AM	2:30PM	6:00PM
11:05AM	3:30PM		DICKENS		1:30AM	4:45PM
11:30AM	4:00PM		SPUR		1:00PM	4:15PM

Connections at Spur for Stamford, Breckenridge, Ft. Worth at 12:00 Noon and at Dickens for Monday, Seamore, Wichita Falls, Stamford, Ft. Worth and Breckenridge at 4:00PM and at 12 N.

DICKENS TO WICHITA FALLS

READ DOWN			READ UP
11:00AM		DICKENS	1:30PM
12:30PM		GUTHRIE	12:00N
2:00PM		BENJAMIN	10:30AM
3:15PM		SEYMOUR	9:00AM
5:30PM		WICHITA FALLS	7:00AM

Connections at Wichita Falls for Oklahoma and Fort Worth points.

RALLS TO QUANAH

9:30AM		RALLS	3:00PM
11:40AM		FLOYDADA	1:00PM
12:40PM		MATADOR	12:30PM
2:30PM		PADUCAH	9:30AM
4:30PM		QUANAH	7:30AM

Connections at Quanah for Oklahoma and other points.

EXTRA!

Special Announcement

On Saturday night, October 29th, we will give away at our Store at 8 p. m. a beautiful all white Detroit Jewel Gas Range.

We are also going to sell two other stoves at that time to the highest bidder, so if you want a stove at your own price, or one free be at our Store on the above date and time.



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We will have a factory expert with us during the week of October 17th to 22nd, and can go over this wonderful Range with you and show you the many points it has over many other ranges on the market.

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MARINES KILL SCORES OF NICARAGUAN BANDITS

EARL CARROLL, KING AT FAMED BATHTUB PARTY, GIVEN PAROLE

NEW YORK SHOW PRODUCER WILL BE FREED SOON

PARDON BOARD GRANTS PETITION TO TAKE EFFECT AT ONCE

MODEL PRISONER

THEATRICAL MAGNATE MUST KEEP FROM "BAD COMPANY"

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—Earl Carroll, the New York theatrical producer, will be released from the Atlanta penitentiary within the next few days.

The resolution of the parole board for his release was approved late today by Attorney General Sargent and papers were forwarded immediately to warden of the penitentiary, directing him to liberate the prisoner.

Carroll began serving a sentence of a year and a day last June 6 for perjury in connection with his famous bath tub party on the stage of a New York theatre. He became eligible for parole October 8 and yesterday the board passed favorably on his application. This action, however, did not become known until today when it was signed by the attorney general.

In addition to his prison sentence, Carroll was fined $2,000. He was described in the parole application as a model prisoner with a marked improvement in health after his collapse on the way to prison, when he was removed from the train and kept for some time in a Geneva, S. C. hospital.

Conditions under which Carroll's parole was granted include one that during the term of his parole he is not to frequent saloons or other places where it is said liquors are found, sold or furnished and that he will not drink intoxicating liquors.

Carroll also will be required to abstain during the time of his parole from associating with persons of bad reputation, in all respects to conduct himself honorably and work diligently and honestly for himself and his employer, and to avoid "violating the law."

The conditions are the usual ones laid down for paroled federal prisoners.

REMUS TRIAL IS SET

Former Bootlegger King Formally Enters Plea of Insanity in Fight to Beat Chair

CINCINNATI, Oct. 18 (AP)—George Remus will be given a hearing November 7, when a jury of twelve will pass on the question of whether or not he was insane when he shot to death his wife, Mrs. Imogene Holmes Remus.

Remus entered a formal plea of insanity today and the court immediately appointed three alienists who will act with the jury to decide Remus' sanity. Charles Elston, attorney for Remus, and Carl Baxter, assistant prosecuting attorney, will at once begin a tour of the country taking depositions which will be introduced at the hearing.

Elston announced he would seek to prove with the depositions that Mrs. Remus with Frank L. Dodge, Jr., former prohibition agent who surprised the Remus gigantic gigantic bootlegging ring, conspired to kill him.

5 KILLED IN CRASH

Four Children Among Those Who Perish As Tr in Ploughs Through Automobile.

CAMBRIDGE, Oct. 18 (AP)—Five persons, four of them children, were killed, and a fifth child was seriously injured Tuesday afternoon when a Pennsylvania passenger train struck an automobile south of here. The dead are:

Russel Cox, 38, driver of the car; Ralph Cox, Russell's son; Raymond Kostellenk, 7; William Gooden, 7; Willard Breeden, 7; H. Stephen Gould, 7, suffered a fractured skull and is in a serious condition.

HOUSTON PLANE PLANT IS BURNED BY CARELESS BOY

HOUSTON, Oct. 18 (AP)—The airplane assembling factory of J. L. Schoreder was destroyed here Tuesday after a boy had accidentally dropped a lighted match in a can of paint. Loss was estimated at $20,000.

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Accusing Finger Pointing To American Oil Interests As Aftermath To Mexican Revolt



DWIGHT MORROW

Veteran Reporter Returns To New York And Tells Of Behind-Scenes Occurences

(EDITOR'S NOTE—Robert Hammond Murray has been a ringside observer of Mexican affairs since the closing days of the reign of Porfirio Diaz.

As a distinguished journalist in Mexico City he saw the coming and going of Madero, Victoriano Huerta, and Carranza—revolutionists all.

He saw Alvaro Obregon and then Calles come into power and succeed in staying there.

He has been a close observer of outside influences operating in Mexican politics. He knows Mexican statemen, military chiefs, men of affairs, and the oil barons of the United States and other countries operating in Mexico.

He knows, too, the people of Mexico who wear no shoes—meaning the sorely exploited peons.

Murray is not a propagandist of any sort. He has no axes to grind. For 15 years he has watched the drama in Mexico. And from an unbiased viewpoint he tells the truth about what he has seen.)

BY ROBERT HAMMOND MURRAY
For NEA Service

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The recent abortive revolution in Mexico, speedily crushed by President Calles, is marked by these significant facts—which, as an inquiring observer throughout the developments of the past few months, I am able to point out:

FIRST—A revolutionary movement of the type so familiar in the past has raised its head, but a stable government still directs the country after slight loss of life and without any property destruction.

SECOND—Instead of thousands of poor peons being sacrificed upon the bloody altar of the ambitions of a few selfish leaders, less than a hundred lives were lost.

THIRD—It was the leaders, not their unlettered followers, who first paid the penalty. And it should be remembered that they were of the type of men who threatened the sword. They died as they chose to live.

FOURTH—In keeping himself and his country out of trouble, the Mexican executive who maintains order south of the Rio Grande be what peace-loving American citizens and American officials alike want.

I have just reached New York from Mexico City. During the past few months I have observed the unfolding of events that reached their climax in the revolt of garrisons, the cry of revolution, and then a succession of executions.

How The Rebellion Was Born

If you can imagine candidates for the presidency in the United States going about the country proclaiming that they have the support of most of the army, and that if they are not elected they will seize the power by force of arms, you may picture the recent campaign conditions in Mexico.

Meanwhile, imagine some of the candidates boring from within the army, offering lavish rewards in promotion or money, or both, to generals in return for their assistance in executing a military coup which will remove the existing government and place them in control of the treasury and the administrative machinery.

This was the situation in Mexico. Then Serrano and Gomez departed from Mexico City, accom-

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ALVARO OBREGON

RAILROADS SEE BRIGHT FUTURE

PENNSYLVANIA PRESIDENT IS CHIEF SPEAKER AT RAIL MEETING IN DALLAS

(By Associated Press)

DALLAS, Oct. 18.—A seven year term for state railroad commissioners, regular schedule and this is true competent, adequate salaries for commissioners and recognition of the commission's independence were advocated by General W. W. Atterbury, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, in an address this afternoon before the 39th annual convention of the National Association of Railroad and Utilities commission meeting here.

General Atterbury was the principal speaker at the afternoon session at which more than 100 railroad and utility men representing virtually ever state in the union were present. The remainder of the session was consumed with committee reports.

Tonight numbers of the visitors delivered short messages to their home cities over a local broadcasting station.

Round Table Talk

The night session consisted of a round table discussion on "holding companies", presided over by James S. Beam of Pennsylvania.

The four-day convention had hardly started today when New Orleans and Glacier National Park Montana, began making overtures to secure the 1928 convention. Both places vied with alluring literature and souvenirs in support of their respective claims.

After briefly reviewing the history of the Pennsylvania railroad, General Atterbury sounded a note of optimism for the railroads of the United States. "Never before has there been such a period of prosperity", General Atterbury said. "Rail earnings have improved and at the same time the service has been vastly improved. The railroads have played an important part in the prosperity of the country.

"Up to ten years ago there was no regular schedule of freight moved over the Pennsylvania system. Now 90 percent of the freight moves on regular schedule and this true

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INSURANCE CASE TODAY

Following Two Days In Which Jury Selected, Argument Is Due To Begin.

Following two days in which the jury was selected and testimony presented, argument in the case of Texas Employers Insurance Association versus Walter Davies et al, will get under way this morning in Judge Clark M. Mullican's court.

The suit is being entered to set aside a ruling of the state industrial board.

STORM WARNING MADE

Tropical Disturbance Felt In Area Off Coast of Cuba; Moving Northeastward

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18 (AP)—The Weather Bureau tonight issued the following storm warning:

"Advisory 10 p. m. The tropical disturbance continues of slight intensity, being central off the coast of southern Cuba in about latitude 20, longitude 78. There are some indications of its moving northeastward in which case an increase in intensity may be expected. Caution advised region of Bahama."

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MORE BANKS O. K. OUSTER DEMANDS

TWENTY-FIVE CENTRAL WEST TEXAS BANKS ENDORSE MOVE STARTED HERE

(By Associated Press)

ABILENE, Oct. 18—Removal of Governor Lynn P. Talley of the eleventh federal reserve district was urged here today in resolutions adopted by 25 bankers representing seven counties in Central West Texas.

The meeting here was held by mutual agreement of the bankers of this section holding membership with the Federal Reserve bank at Dallas. J. P. Williams, president of the First National bank at Mineral Wells, addressed the conference by invitation.

The resolutions declared all bankers present were in accord with the Federal Reserve Act "in its proper functions."

The meeting here urged Williams to continue his campaign against Talley "to a successful end" and declared for the appointment of a "capable member banker" in Talley's place.

The application of federal reserve banks policies as practiced by Talley has caused the bank to lose its usefulness to a majority of member banks, it was declared. Talley's policies as to financing of the last cotton crop are understood to have precipitated the fight against him.

KRUM SUSPECT IN JAIL

Yancy Story, Bank Robbery Suspect Again Behind Bars In Dallas.

DALLAS, Oct. 18 (AP)—Yancey Story, charged with the robbery of the Krum, Denton county, bank robbery, was placed in the Dallas county jail Tuesday night by Ranger Captain Tom Hickman. His bond has been ordered forfeited earlier in the day by Judge C. A. Pippen when Story failed to appear for trial.

BRYAN BUILDING COLLAPSES BUT NO ONE IS INJURED

BRYAN, Oct. 18 (AP)—Expected all day, the collapse of the J. T. Turner grocery company building here occurred without injury to anyone Tuesday afternoon. Excavations are being made nearby for the La Salle Bryan's new $250,000 hotel.

LUMAN INDICTED IN BREEDING MURDER

BRILLIANT BATTERY LEGAL COUNSEL SUMMONED FOR TRIAL, NOVEMBER 5

(Special To The Avalanche)

POST, Oct. 18.—A grand jury in session here today returned an indictment against Will "Dutch" Luman, Garza county ranchman, charging him with the fatal shooting on the night of August 5, of Marvin Breeding at Post.

Immediately following the return of the indictment, District Judge Gordon B. McGuire changed the venue from Garza to Dawson county and set November 28 as the opening date for the trial.

Dayton Moses of Fort Worth, widely known criminal lawyer, has been engaged as a special prosecutor for the case. Assisting him will be District Attorney T. L. Price, of Post and Leon O. Moses, Garza county prosecutor. W. H. Murchison of Haskill, one of West Texas' leading attorneys, will be chief counsel for the defendant.

No cause has ever been given for the shooting of Breeding, 23-year old Post restaurant employe, who was shot while in a Post theatre. Breeding died a few days later in a Lubbock hospital. Luman was arrested at the time but released to await action of the grand jury.

The array of counsel summoned for the two sides of the case promises one of the most interesting court duels in Texas history.

UNDERTAKER CHARGED

Borger Funeral Director Waives Preliminary Hearing In Charge Following Investigation

BORGER, Oct. 18 (AP)—C. T. Bobbins, undertaker charged with swindling in connection with the burial of Mildred Elson, seven, whose body was disinterred, waived preliminary hearing Tuesday and was bound over for action of the grand jury.

Bert D. Elston, father of the dead child, charged that he paid for a good burial, but that no shroud was provided by the undertaker, a coffin too short was used and several other details were not as they should have been.

Peace officers and rangers watched the disinterment.

STINSON, PLANE MAGNATE, MISSED

MANUFACTURER, WITH WIFE, LOST IN AIRPLANE AS RAINSTORM RAGES

(By Associated Press)

BOSTON, Oct. 18.—Eddie Stinson, Detroit airplane designer and builder disappeared tonight into the scurring murk of a cold New England "norther" while flying from Hartford, Conn., to Boston, on the last lap of an 18,000 mile air tour to promote interest in airports. His wife was with him in his Stinson-Detroit airplane.

Hopping off from Hartford at 4 p. m. the Detroit flier, who should have reached Boston in an hour and a half had not reached his destination or reported down anywhere enroute shortly before 9 o'clock tonight. A telephone toll of regular landing fields in Massachusetts and Rhode Island failed to elicit any definite news of the missing airman, while a heavy rain, driven before a raw northeast gale, rapidly continued to turn landing fields into quagmires on which no plane could hope to land without an accident.

At the airport here, which has no regular facilities for night landing, a crew lighted huge flares at dusk and settled down for a vigil that was to last until some definite news of the flier had been received.

Reports of a plane heading east being sighted over Mansfield, south of here at 4:30 and again over Natick, 18 miles northwest, at about 7 p. m. led authorities to express the opinion that Stinson had been blown southward off his course and then began to search for a safe landing place.

COOLIDGE OPTIMISTIC

Cabinet Reports Convincing That Present Prosperity Will Be Continued.

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—A national situation of satisfactory prosperity, giving good prospects for continuance into the future months, was portrayed today at the White House on the basis of reports to President Coolidge by his cabinet.

At the president's request his advisers sketcher for him the conditions of industry, agriculture and labor as revealed by the government's agency for observation and action, convincing the president that the future outlook for productive industry in the United States was more than ordinarily good.

TELLS FARM REMEDY

Mileposts On Highway Toward Agricultural Restoration Told By Arizona Man.

WESTEADEN, Ind., Oct. 18 (AP)—Knowledge of the facts, courage, common sense and determination to use the facts are mile posts along the highway to agricultural restoration, Dwight B. Heard of Phoenix, Ariz., publisher of the Arizona Republican, declared today at a meeting of national councillors of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. Heard is also director of the national chamber.

Heard's report in behalf of the chamber's agricultural service committee came at a session in which agricultural restoration was discussed.

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TESTIMONY TO START TODAY IN SINCLAIR TRIAL

JURY COMPLETE WITH 2 WOMEN ACCEPTED OUT OF THREE

CASE ALREADY ON

MORE MATURED SET OF PEERS TO LISTEN IN OIL TRIAL

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—Two women are to have their say with ten men as to whether Albert B. Fall and Harry F. Sinclair criminally conspired together to defraud the government in the lease of the Teapot Dome naval oil reserve in Wyoming.

The twelve jurors, selected after a day and a half devoted to the examination of forty talismen today heard the opening statement for the government and part of that for the defense and will begin tomorrow to listen to the testimonies of nearly a hundred witnesses.

They will hear more argument by counsel and an expose of the law by Justice Siddons before they retire to deliberate on a verdict. Upon being locked up at that time they will elect a foreman and there was speculation whether the men would honor one of the women with that office.

Women Young and Comely.

The two women of the jury are young and comely, one married and the other single, and are the first to serve in an important criminal trial in the Distrct of Columbia supreme court. They passed the careful scrutiny of qualifications by both counsel for the government and the defense.

Not so a third woman who tentatively had qualified. She was Mrs Pauline Levitt, a grey-haired mother, who was excused by counsel for Fall and Sinclair in the exercise of one of the six preemptory chal-

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BUILDING PERMITS NEARING MILLION

TOTAL OF $21,000 IN GRANTS ISSUED YESTERDAY FROM CITY HALL OFFICE

A decided increase in building activities was noted yesterday in Lubbock with the issuance of 5 permits for residences which will be erected at a total cost of $21,500. This brings the total of October's building to $46,400.

The building total for the year is now hovering near a million dollars, the total at present being $894,472.

Permits recorded in the city offices yesterday were $15,000 to E. R. Reese for three 5-room brick veneer residences for Charles F. O'Neall; to W. G. McMillan for the construction of a 5-room residence for Charles H. Read at a cost of $2,500 on lot 7, block 3, Ellwood addition and $4,000 to W. B. Atkins for erection of a 6 room brick veneer residence on lot 11, block 65 Overton Addition for Mrs. Lydia Gunn.

"DAWN" STILL DELAYED

Disturbances Over Atlantic Make Early Start of Flight Seem Highly Improbable

OLD ORCHARD, Oct. 18. (AP)—A second start of the Sikorsky plane, "The Dawn," on a non-stop flight to Europe seemed more distant tonight than at any time since the ship landed here more than a week ago.

During that week, conditions were never perfect, but tonight a cold, misty drizzle was being borne in from the sea by a moderate east wind, with reports of disturbances moving in this direction it appeared highly improbable that the flight could be begun tomorrow.

GARNETT REEVES RETURNS FROM STATE FAIR, DALLAS

Garnett O. Reeves, publicity manager for the Chamber of Commerce, returned yesterday from Dallas, where he has been in charge of Lubbock county's agricultural exhibit at the state fair. He said that attendance at the exposition this year was breaking all records, with every indication that the goal of a million for the year would be reached.

Tech Plans Bonfire For Aggie Game

"Bring a Box."

That's the slogan which yell leaders at Tech started a-rolling last night when they announced preparations for the "dadgumdest" bonfire ever held in this section as a part of the preparations being made for extending a "hot" reception to the Aggies when they throw their powerful football team against the Tech Matadors here October 28. Date of the bonfire has been set as next Thursday night.

According to Scott Poage, one of the yell leaders, hot as the bonfire's flames will be they will be not more heated than the fighting spirit of the Matador team and student body.

The bonfire is planned for some spot on the campus, as yet unselected.

It will climax a week of yell practice and pep meetings to be held along the following schedule, according to Poage:

Monday night, "pep" meeting for freshmen only.

Tuesday night, all-college "pep" meeting.

Wednesday night, freshmen only.

Thursday night, bonfire for all college.

ROTARY "ANNS" GIVE PROGRAM

ANNUAL LADIES' NIGHT OF LOCAL CLUB ENJOYED LAST EVENING

The Lubbock Rotary club was entertained last night by a program given by the Rotary Anns, in celebration of the occasion of the Rotarians having as their guests their wives and lady friends. There was a very full attendance to enjoy the program, which was arranged by Mesdames C. J. Wagner, E. L. Robertson, J. A. Rix and presided over by Mrs. Wagner.

After singing one verse of America, Mrs. W. T. Jennings gave the invocation and then the order was given for the Rotarians and the men present to scatter, and they were marched around the table till the music stopped. Then they were asked to be seated in the chair nearest to them, which jumbled them up and placed them by some lady, and enabled them to thus become acquainted with each other. They enjoyed the dinner together and then switched back to their former places.

Lubbock Song

"Lubbock Town" was the song used in the first part of the program, and the words were written by Mrs. E. L. Robertson, and sung to the tune of Dixie.

A one-act play was given, and this furnished much amusements, especially when Nell Wright, Spencer Wells, Judge Talley and others were called upon to fill in some of the characters who seemed to have failed to arrive.

A solo entitled "Sunshine of Your Smile" was given by Miss Helen Robertson and Mrs. Gus Shaw sang "A Birthday."

President Jennings made a short talk expressing the appreciation of the club members for the program of the evening and telling

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DEPUTY SHERIFF HELD

Charges of Driving Car While Intoxicated and Failing To Render Aid Are Filed

FORT WORTH, Oct. 18. (AP)—After charges of driving an automobile while intoxicated and failing to render aid had been filed against him today in connection with a collision between an automobile and a motorcycle in which Paul Deaton, 18-year-old messenger was seriously injured, W. A. Miles, of Best, deputy sheriff of Reagan county, was released on $2,000 bond, $1,000 in each case.

Young Deaton tonight was in a hospital here, and attendants said his condition was critical.

HEADS GRAND JURY

L. C. Ellis, Lubbock Banker, Heads Federal Inquisitors Called Together at Amarillo

Answering the federal call, L. C. Ellis, vice-president of the Lubbock National bank, is in Amarillo, where where he was named foreman of the grand jury of the Amarillo Federal District court which will be in session for several weeks. Members of the grand jury of which Mr. Ellis was named foreman are gathered from practically every town in this district.

W. L. Barnes, another Lubbock man, is a member of the grand jury.

Wm. Penn—6 cents—A Good Cigar

OUTLAWS TRY TO HALT HUNT FOR MISSING FLIERS

SIXTY-SEVEN BANDITS EITHER KILLED OR WOUNDED

NO MARINES SLAIN

CONSTABULARY AND U. S. TROOPS PLAN TO WIPE OUT BANDS

(By Associated Press)

MANAGUA, Oct. 17—American marines and Nicaraguan constabulary, in search of the message marine corps aviators, Second Lieutenant L. E. Thomas and Sergeant Frank E. Dowell, have been in battle with bandits contigents, killing or wounding sixty-seven of them.

Four members of the constabulary were killed, but there were no casualties among the marines.

A contingent of 600 constabulary is being formed to be dispatched against General Sandio, whose activities are increasing in Nuevasegovia. It was near Quilali in this department that the machine in which Thomas and Dowell were flying some weeks ago crashed and was burned. The two men were seen to run from the wreckage, but attempts to rescue them were frustrated by large numbers of bandits.

Lieutenant George J. J. O'Shea, U. S. marine corps, commanding a constabulary detachment at Jicaro, with Lieutenant J. B. O'Neil, marine corps, U. S. Navy, sends a report of a forced march to Quilali in search of Lieutenant Thomas and Sergeant Dowdell with joint forces of 40 marines and constabulary, on account of the long distance from Jicaro the report had been delayed.

It tells of terrific fighting between the bandits and marines when the rescuing patrol of 40 was suddenly attacked by bandits numbering 300 from three sides. Heavy execution was inflicted on the bandits by several of the marines in individual engagements, and Lieutenant O'Shea's life was saved by private Kenneth by his killing of a bandit at close quarters.

PRO AGENTS INDICTED

Administrators Face Charges Of Conspiracy Against Justice In Protecting Brewer

COVINGTON, Ky., Oct. 18 (AP)—Charged with conspiracy to obstruct justice in the federal courts for a consideration of $20,000, George Griffin, acting deputy prohibition administrator and son Clarke Griffith and Richard Mullins and Albert St. Clair were indicted by the federal grand jury here today.

The indictment charged that the four entered into a conspiracy to keep witnesses away from court and conceal material evidence in the government's case against the Wideman Brewing company for which they were to receive $20,000.

Frank Benton, attorney for the Wideman company whose brewery has been padlocked by federal order, conveyed to district attorney Sawyer Smith the information upon which the indictment was primarily based.

Wm. Penn—6 cents—A Good Cigar

The Weather



WEST TEXAS—Wednesday and Thursday fair.

Yesterday's temperatures:
Maximum 89.
Minimum 57.

THE MORNING AVALANCHE'S PAGE OF NEWS

IN THE WOMAN'S REALM

BLANCHE E. BEAN, EDITOR PHONES 13 AND 14

Today in Society

Mrs. W. S. Posey, 1913 9th street, will be hostess to the Bluebonnet club at 3 in the afternoon.

Mrs. John F. Bacon and Mrs. L. O. Ellis are entertaining in the afternoon at 1620 Broadway complimentary to Mrs. Colby Taurman of San Antonio.

Mrs. C. L. Fowler Is Leader Delphian Lesson

Mrs. C. L. Fowler was leader of the Daleth Delphian chapter lesson on "Palestine" yesterday afternoon. The group met at the First Baptist church at 2:30 o'clock in the after. Mrs. Lee Ragland was appointed reporter by the president, Mrs. R. I. Tubbs.

Those who participated in the program were Mesdames Tubbs, C. E. Moreman, Ed O'Sullivan, Clementine Vaughn, T. B. Zellner, R. G. Shelton, G. M. Terry, C. G. Stinson, F. M. Brown, Ed Vaughn and J. H. Jenkins.

Wilda Bobo Is Given Party On Fourth Birthday

Wilda Bobo, four-year-old daughter of Mr and Mrs. H. L. Bobo, was given a birthday party yesterday afternoon by her mother at their home, 1802 Avenue L. Candies and pop corn were served during the afternoon and outdoor games were played. Later the birthday cake was passed with punch.

The hostess was assisted by Mesdames Webb Cammack, Mary Elizabeth Cammack, J. Campbell and Mrs. Carl Scoggins.

Guests were Harry Eppes, Alvin F. Junior, Joyce Haisey, Joe Edwin Baldridge, Lela Carrington, Allene Phillips, Caroline Davis, One and Mary Etta Lyne, argaret Cammack, Wilda Ray White, Tommie White, Cherrie Stahl, Lewis Howard, Joe Smith, Joe Paul Von Rosenberg, Dimple Michie, Junior, Wilda and Wynes Bobo.

Zone Meeting W. M. S. In Abernathy Successful

One of the largest and most successful zone meetings of the Methodist W. M. S. in this district was conducted yesterday at Abernathy. There were representatives from Levelland, Slaton, Abernathy and the three societies in Lubbock. Mrs. George C. Wolffarth of this city, is leader of the zone.

Those who attended from this city were Rev. E. E. White, Rev. and Mrs. D. B. Doak, Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Dunn, Mesdames W. W. Royalty, A. W. Evans, J. D. Peters, J. P. Edgar, E. W. Camp, A. G. Odom, E. I. Brown, A. B. Ellis, W. Y. Price, G. C. Wolffarth, from the First church W. M. S.; Mesdames J. W. Richards, Sidney Oglesbee, L. L. Kelso, A. T. Stewart, Allan Hill and H. R. Harmon, from the First church Mary Helm auxiliary; Mrs. W. S. Bonds and Rev. and Mrs. D. C. Ross from the 19th Street church.

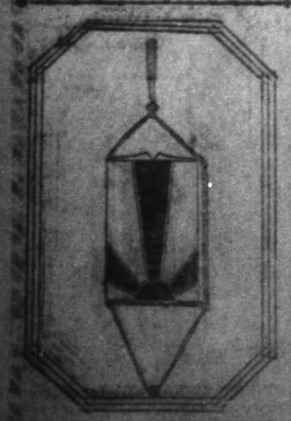
The Methodist pastor at Abernathy preached at 11 o'clock yesterday morning and talks were made throughout the day. Mrs. Peters, supply secretary in the conference, talked on her work; Mrs. Stewart talked on social service. Rev. White talked on "What the W. M. S. means in the local church," and Mrs. Royalty gave missionary items. Devotionals were led by Rev. Doak and Mrs. Bonds. A resume of the mission study book, "A Straight Way Toward Tomorrow," that is being studied throughout the district, was given by Mrs. Camp and Mrs. Evans conducted an open forum. The "Missionary Voice" was by Mrs. Camp and Mrs. Evans conducted an open forum. The "Missionary Voice" was the topic of a discussion by Mrs. W. L. Bridges of Levelland.

A feature of the program was the discussion of the jubilee celebration in 1928, given by Mrs. S. H. Adams, of Slaton, district secretary.

The next meeting is to be in Lubbock in December.

A. L. Atkinson of Anton, was in Lubbock yesterday.

Fag Case



Newest of cigaret cases for evening is this uniquely designed one of gold with a sunburst enamel.

Standing Committees In Little Theater For This Year Appointed By Mrs. Goodman; Play Next Tuesday

Mrs. James H. Goodman, president of the Lubbock Little Theatre, yesterday announced standing committees for the year in the organization.

The Little Theatre this year has a new department in the form of a Children's Little Theatre and plays are to be prepared under the direction of Miss Lula Mae Cravens. Other directors in this division are Mesdames J. H. Hankins, G. G. Castleberry, O. L. Peterman, Maple Wilson, Elmer Conley, Misses Mary Scott, Mary Meador, Louise Jennings and Kate Pressley.

The first Little Theatre production for this fall is to be presented next Tuesday evening at the high school auditorium under the direction of Mrs. E. E. White. A full dress rehearsal for this was held Monday evening. Mrs. Goodman said yesterday, and the setting is being constructed.

The committee appointments are as follows: Play reading, Mrs. L. C. Enochs, Misses Annah Jo Pendleton, Mary Scott and Don Murphy; Finance, E. W. Provence, W. O. Stevens, Spencer Wells, Floyd Bowen and Byron C. Dickinson; Producing, Mrs. G. G. Castleberry, Dr. G. H. Ater and Harry Meyers; Properties, Ross McWhorter, Mrs. J. T. Hutchinson, Miss Verna Wilson and C. H. Shepard; Designing of sets, Edgar Shelton, Miss Bettie Lyn Harrison; Lighting, MiLss Annah Joe Pendleton and W. E. Street; Decorating, A. W. Mack, Mrs. Earl Hunt and Mrs. J. E. Vickers; costumes, Mesdames W. C. Rylander, I. C. Enochs, R. D. Erwin and Miss Eunice Cox; Casting, Miss Lula Mae Cravens, Mesdames O. L. Peterman, Paul Barrier, Miss Eunice Cox, C. R. Shepard and Ned Camp; Publicity, Mrs. J. H. Hankins, Messrs. Spencer Wells, Ralph Carpenter, Jack May, Misses Verna Wilson and Blanche Bean, Mesdames M. L. Price, F. R. Friend and Morton J. Smith; House, Byron C. Dickinson, Floyd Bowen, Mesdames W. B. Price, Byron C. Dickinson and E. E. White; Membership, Mesdames J. S. Johnson, Roger Pierce, A. V. Weaver, Charles F. O'Neal, Messrs. Nell H. Wright and Scott Ballard; Calendar, Mrs. W. C. Rylander, E. W. Province and Ross McWhorter; Music, Mrs. Hub Jones, Mrs. Homer Grant and Jimmie Allen.

Toykajo Camp Fire Is Meeting Thursday

The Toykajo Camp Fire troop is meeting at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the club room, 1917 15th street, for a council fire.

Mrs. Porter and Mrs. Steed Visiting In Lubbock

Mrs. Emmett Porter and Mrs. A. D. Steed, of Amarillo are visiting Mrs. Porter's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ottinger. They are enroute to Dallas where Mrs. Porter is to sing on October 26 in a national radio contest, after having won in Amarillo recently. The winner in Dallas sings in a district contest in which five states will be represented, before going into the final try-out at New York. Mrs. Steed is Mrs. Ottinger's accompanist.

PARTY POSTPONED

A meeting of the Merry Bidders club, scheduled for Thursday, has been postponed until next week.

PAN-HELLENIC TO MEET

Pan-Hellenic club is to meet at 1 o'clock Saturday at Hotel Lubbock, it was announced yesterday by Mrs. Carl Patton, who requested that sorority women of the city call her for reservations.

THERMOMETER SINKS TO 37 HERE EARLY TUESDAY

Lubbock shivered in the chilly morning air yesterday as the thermometer descended to the 37 degree mark in the wee, early hours.

In contrast with the early frigidity, however, during the afternoon 80—the summer heat mark — was reached.

A group of tourists were looking over the inferno of Vesuvius in full eruption.

"Ain't this just like hell," ejaculated a Yank.

"Ah, zese Americans," exclaimed a Frenchman, "Where have zey not been?"—Bursts and Duds.

Not So Fast

Joe—Ah, new car! How's that pickup?

Lee—Haven't had much chance to try it yet. My wife rides with me most of the time.

Local Briefs

B. B. Finley of Meadow, was in Lubbock yesterday.

Miss Frances Skinner of Waco is the guest of Miss Phyllis Burleson of the Lubbock sanitarium for several days.

Miss Thelma Anderson of Littlefield, was a visitor in Lubbock yesterday.

Mrs. Will Weaver of Stanton is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Watkins.

The Woman's Day By Allene Sumner



People sometimes wonder why we can't get better teachers in our schools." Perhaps a reminder of the recent shame of Hazel Park, Mich., will answer them. The school board of Hazel Park ordered its 103 school teachers to report to work wearing smocks, which would reach no more than 10 inches from the ground. The school board explained that a view of teachers' silk-clad nethers was no proper sight for school children. The result was that a few teachers who had been wearing smocks to protect their clothing discarded them, and all 103 teachers appeared at school the next day with uncovered silk-clad limbs as usual.

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Hip, Hip, Hurray!

Good for them! They're the stuff our teachers should be fashioned from. If my child's teacher had meekly obeyed the order, I'd have snatched my progeny from such a namb-pamby, skimmed-milk influence. The thing wrong with our schools is not its teachers, but it's asinine school boards, who go about looking for sin with a magnifying glass.

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Puppets On String.

And how can you expect self-respecting, intelligent girls to enter a profession which invites such insults? There is a tendency for most any school board to regard its teachers as puppets on a string to be made to sing or dance or frown or pray or laugh at the will of a Bunty-Pulls - the - Strings school board. The inevitable result will be that girls will prefer to be typists where their souls may at least be their own, and our schools will be staffed by only dumb bells with such insipid individuality that they will meekly wear smocks or cotton hose when told to do so.

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If Tactful.

If the school board had made a reasonable plea to its teachers to help create a more sensible and feasible standard of living in pupils, and set an example in thrift by wearing cotton hose rather than silk, if the board had reminded the teachers that parents were pushed to the economic wall by a silk-hose wearing younger generation, and had humbly asked the teachers' cooperation, it is rather probable that every one of the 103 teachers would have gladly tried out the scheme and very willingly encased her nethers in cotton hose. But to make a command and put silk-hose-wearing on a moral rather than an economic basis was too much for these girls!

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Silk Hose Woe.

Seriously, this silk stocking business literally haunts mothers of girls who have not begun to earn their own livings. It is a fairly simple matter for a $100-a-month typist or stenographer, living at home, with little to do with her money but buy clothes, lunches and pleasures, to spend $1.85 each week for a pair of silk stockings. But it is quite another problem for a mother who has, perhaps, $10 a week with which to run the house and clothe several children. But what can she do? Nothing so breaks a child's heart as to be "not like other girls."

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Cotton Is Pretty.

The irony of it is that intrinsically silk stockings are little, if any, more pleasing to the eye or touch than cotton ones. If only everybody would wear cotton so that one would not be conspicuous in her economy, how simple it would be! Of course the real question is if cotton hose would not be as high as silk ones now are, if everybody wore them, whereas the silk ones would be the price of cotton if everyone wore cotton? Funny, mixed-up world!

Thousands Suffer Needlessly From Stomach Trouble



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"Gordon's" is sold by good druggists—$1.50 for 24 doses—less than 7 cents a dose. Your druggist will refund your money if one bottle fails to benefit. Ask for "Gordon's."

The Morning Avalanche Menu for the Day

BREAKFAST—Orange juice, cereal, cream, baked hash with tomato sauce, corn bread, milk, coffee

LUNCHEON—Cream of celery soup, toasted crackers, pear and banana salad, bread pudding, grape juice.

DINNER—Filets of fish with spaghetti and mushroom sauce, steamed cauliflower, cucumber and lettuce salad, blueberry pie, milk, coffee.

Flounder or fluke could be chosen for the dinner fish. Haddock cut in small filets might be used but of course is not as delicately flavored as the other fish suggested.

Filets of Fish With Spaghetti

One-fourth pound spaghetti, 4 filets of fish, 1-2 cup grated cheese, 2 table-spoons cream, 1-2 pound mushrooms, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 1-2 tablespoons flour, 1 1-4 cups milk, salt and pepper.

Cook spaghetti in boiling salted water until tender, breaking the paste in two-inch lengths before cooking. Drain and arrange over the bottom of a hot deep platter or shallow serving dish. Pour over the mushroom sauce and place the prepared fish on top. Serve garnished with cress.

To make the sauce, melt butter and add mushroom peeled and broken in small pieces. Cover and saute five minutes. Sift over flour and stir with a fork until flour is absorbed and blended. Slowly add milk, stirring constantly. Season with 1-2 teaspoon salt and 1-8 teaspoon pepper.

To prepare fish, sprinkle filets with salt and peper and saute in a hot frying pan until a delicate brown on both sides. Moisten cheese with cream and spread the top of each with the mixture. Slip the fish under a gas broiler blame and brown. Remove carefully to prepared platter and serve.

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-LYRIC-

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FOOTBALL FLIP-FLOPS EARLY THIS YEAR

WINNERS OF 1926 ARE EASY PREY THIS YEAR

BY ALAN J. GOULD
(Associated Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, Oct. 18. (AP)—College football is putting on its flip-flops earlier than usual this year.

Where the "dope" usually is strong enough to weather most of October's shocks, it has already been knocked up against the ropes by a series of form somersaults. It will be a topsy-turvy season, as bewildering to keep up with as the rule changes, if November unfolds anything like the upsets that October already has ushered in.

The climax battles are yet to come, but the carnage so far finds defeat escaped only by one of the eight major teams that finished the 1926 campaign unbeaten.

Lafayette, the only eastern team, neither conquered nor tied in 1926, is the only survivor of the unbeaten brigade and even the Leopards have one tie marked against the record so far this season. The Maroon juggernaut ran into unexpected opposition from West Virginia last Saturday and barely escaped with a 7-7 score. Lafayette may stumble this week against the old rival, Washington and Jefferson, to complete the downfall of last season's powerhouses.

Others Beaten

Alabama and Stanford, intersectional rivals who fought to a tie in mid-New York's wet postseason battle after mopping up all rivals previously, met with sudden downfall this season. Georgia Tech's Golden Tornado swept over Alabama last week, handing the Crimson Tide its first defeat in three years. Little St. Mary's college toppled Stanford rather unceremoniously, 16 to 6.

In turn, St. Mary's was trimmed by California, whose Golden Bears appear to be staging a comeback and bidding for the Pacific Coast conference title they held for so many years under the guidance of the late Andy Smith.

The Navy, Brown and Boston College undefeated champions, fierce rivals last season, all have bitten the dust so far. Notre Dame humbled the Cadets in a Pennsylvania snowstorm, and then battled Brown "from 60th" while both Duke and Georgia plucked the feathers of Boston College's Eagles.

Out in the wide open spaces the University of Utah and Southern Methodist both entered the 1927 campaign undefeated but both also have taken the long count from early season foes this year.

Utah, Rocky Mountain conference champions, fell before Northwestern's powerful team. Southern Methodist's Mustangs, titleholders in the Southwestern conference for the past two years, suffered a small but powerful Louisiana eleven a forfeit game.

RUMOR SPEAKER TO MANAGE BRAVES

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Reports that Tris Speaker will succeed Dave Bancroft as manager of the Boston Braves persisted today in spite of lack of official confirmation.

Emil E. Fuchs, president of the Boston club, left early in the day for Boston without making any announcement. It was understood however, that Speaker was one of the men Fuchs had under consideration, although Clark Griffith, president of the Washington Senators, with whom Speaker played last season denied the outfielder had been released or that any deal for his services was under way.

BACK IN SCHOOL

Bobby Jones is again studying law at Emory University.

BEST BACK IN DIXIE

Quarterback Spears of Vanderbilt is generally considered the best back in Dixie.

Former Tech Star Will Play Against Ex-Pals Saturday

Saturday's gridiron tilt between the Texas Tech Matadors and the Loboes of Sul Ross Teachers' college at Alpine will see Jean Alford, former Tech star and the man who scored the first touchdown for a team sporting the spangles of the Buffaloes, appearing against his former teammates.

Alford is at Sul Ross this year, though he was a former star halfback at the Tech.

Fans are awaiting with keen interest the outcome of the individual battle which Alford will no doubt wage. They are wondering just how he will perform when thrown against the men with whom he once battled shoulder to shoulder.

Alford is regarded as one of the main cogs in the Sul Ross offense.

The Matadors were busy this week brushing up their offense and defense for the Loboes. The work of the Buffaloes against Simmons was just good enough to win the game.

His Nickname Not Right, Fans Learn



FARRAR SMITH

There's nothing phoney about Farrar Smith's football ability, even though his Mercer teammates have given him the nickname of "Phoney." The Macon, Ga., college gridder is one of the best running backs in Dixie, having to his credit already this season an 87-yard run.

WALKER TOLD TO MEET TIGER FLOWERS

(By Associated Press)

TOLEDO, Oct. 18.—After approving Mickey Walker as middleweight champion of the world, the National Boxing association today ordered the New Jersey bulldog to meet Tiger Flowers, the Georgia negro, in defense of his title within 60 days. If, at the end of the 60 days, Walker has not met Flowers, the board of governors will decide whether or not Mickey shall be stripped of his title and barred in the 24 states and allied bodies of the association.

Walt Miller, manager of the negro, appeared before the association today and produced evidence that Jack Kearns, the champion's manager, had agreed to give Flowers a return match within 90 days after the Georgian lost his championship to Walker in Chicago in December of last year. Before closing the annual convention the association named champions in every division of the boxing game with the exception of flyweight, which is vacant due to the retirement of Fidel LaBarba.

Approved Champions

The approved champions are:
Heavyweight, Gene Tunney.
Lightheavyweight, Jimmy Slattery.
Middleweight, Mickey Walker.
Welterweight, Joe Dundee.
Lightweight, Sammy Mandell.
Featherweight, Benny Bass.
Bantamweight, Bud Taylor.

Slattery was named light heavyweight king through his victory over Maxie Rosenbloom. The National association had arranged an elimination tournament, but all withdrew except Slattery and his victim in a recent bout. Tommy Loughran is recognized as champion by the New York state committeemen, which is not affiliated with the N. B. A.

Mandell Okayed.

There was a lengthy discussion concerning Sammy Mandell and his failure to defend his title against "Logical contenders" but the Illinois boy came through unscathed. Dundee, the welter king, is under suspension in the N. B. A. until January 1, 1928.

Thomas Donohue of New London, Conn., who ascended to the presidency upon the death of Allen Bacher, late of Cincinnati, was chosen to succeed himself. Paul Prehn, a member of the Illinois State Athletic Commission and Mr. Donohue's only rival for the presidency was named first vice-president. Lathrobe Cogswell of Baltimore, Md., a former president was reelected secretary and treasurer.

The 1928 convention of the N. B. A. will be held in Toronto. The Canadian city won out in competition with Galveston, Texas; Lincoln, Neb., and Milwaukee.

Montana, Arkansas, Colorado, Missouri, the territory of Puerto Rico and the city commission of Galveston were formally admitted to the National association.

LOSS WAS SURPRISE

Hilario Martinez's recent victory over Sid Terris was an upset in the fight world.

DEFENDS BAN JOHNSON

Robert Lee Hedges, former owner of the Browns, thinks Ban Johnson got a raw deal from league owners.

"Why did Louise marry Harold? He's such a blockhead."

"She says she is found of hardwood trimmings in the house."

LUBBOCK HIGH IS PREPARING FOR ELECTRA

The High school Westerners are working long and hard for their second conference performance here Friday afternoon when they meet with the Electra Tigers on the Texas Tech athletic field. Since the local lads of the gridiron game dropped their initial football conference game to the Amarillo Sandies they have an uphill road to traverse for the remainder of the season.

Electra comes to Lubbock this week-end as an undefeated club in the Panhandle Class A circle. They whipped the Chiefs of the Quannah high school in an one-sided affair last week with a score of 46 to 0, which is, indeed, an indication of a well organized offensive machine.

Del Morgan and Henry Fruka, Westerner handlers, will likely be ready for whatever offense the Electra Tigers may select to use. The Westerners were set for the lateral pass, the play the Sandies had worked to a perfection over the clubs that played in Amarillo previous to the Westerner game. Several times the Butler machine elected to use it but the defense that was set for the play by the Westerner handlers crumbled the chances for its execution.

The same fighting spirit that was prevalent before the game with the Sandies is showing up in the Westerner camp now and should the lads of this school continue with that spirit and carry it through the game with the Tigers here Friday they will climb nearer and nearer to victory.

No serious injuries are in the Westerner camp now. Cap Parkinson and Raymond Barton, two of Henry Fruka's linemen, were injured in the last week-end performance; but they will both possible work a part of the game with the Tigers here Friday. The Westerners are in condition for the game with the Tigers and will be in much better shape for the exhibition of Friday afternoon.

REPORT ON PROPOSED MERGER PROGRESSING

NEW YORK, Oct. 18 (AP)—The report on the three southwestern roads, Missouri-Kansas-Texas, Kansas City Southern and St. Louis-Southwestern which L. F. Loree proposed to unify, and which is being prepared by the engineering firm of Coverdale and Colpitts, will be completed the end of next week. Part of the report is now being studied by Mr. Loree. The full report will be submitted to special committees of directors of the three roads on or about November 1.

Autoist: "I haven't paid a cent for repairs on my machine all the ten months I have had it."

Friend: "So the man who did the repairs told me."

Nurse (taking his temperature): Sir you are in danger; your temperature is 104.

Business Man: When it reaches 105, sell.

The NUT CRACKER by Joe Williams

It seems there was once a Scottish gentleman who went up to a bookie and said, "I want to bet $10 on the winner of the next race."

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"Gambling Rife at Big Fight," complained reformers. Well, what with its gunmen and munitions, what more could you expect of Chicago than a shell game.

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They said Dempsey had dumb sparring partners. "Did you tip the waiter?" Jack asked a nosebuster. "Yeah," he says, "and he ain't got up yet!"

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The trouble with the average ball player is he seldom increases his average.

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"Ruth Now Umpires' Ideal." The Babe is getting so polite he apologizes when he cuts his chin with a razor.

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He who cheers last—has a bleacher seat.

CADETS TO SWAMP T. C. U. FOR GAME

HORNED FROGLAND PEOPLE AGOG OVER COMING OF AGGIE ROOTERS

(Special To The Avalanche)

FORT WORTH, Oct. 18.—Horned Frogland is agog over the visit to the T.C.U. campus next Saturday of the entire student body of Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College for the clash between the football teams of the two institutions.

The coming of the cadets is looked forward to by hundreds of ardent T. C. U. fans as well as the scores of alumni and ex-students of Aggieland who call Fort Worth home. So auspicious is the visit of the khaki-clad hosts that the football game has been made just one of the many occasions which have been arranged.

Officials of the two alumni associations—the mothers' clubs and parent-teacher associations and other organizations which have bearing on one or the other of the schools are cooperating in a mighty effort to make the visit of the Aggies one long to be remembered.

High points in the day's program will be a barbecue to be staged on the T. C. U. campus and a dance to be given the Aggie alumni at the Texas Hotel. Street car fare will be furnished all of the visitors and many entertainments for small groups in private homes are planned.

The Aggies will invade Frogland 2,300 strong to the accompaniment of the famous Aggie band. One entire side of the enlarged T. C. U. stadium has been reserved for the cadets. Additional seats for several thousand have been so constructed at each end of the stands to take care of the overflow crowd.

KID KAPLAN IS KNOCKED OUT IN BOUT

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—Jimmy McLarnin, of Los Angeles, knocked out Louis (Kid) Kaplan, the East's contender for the lightweight championship in the eighth round of a scheduled 10-round fight in the coliseum tonight.

Kaplan, who until a few months ago held the world's featherweight championship and gave it up because he no longer could make the weight, was dropped three times before he was counted out.

He was knocked down for a count of nine in the fifth round, after having flogged McLarnin twice in the first and second rounds.

Roberto Saguerro, the Cuban light heavyweight, scored a technical knockout over Earl Blue of Fargo, N. D. in the third round of another bout scheduled to go 10 rounds.

Saguerro, a terrific puncher, had Blue helpless and reeling in the second round and was on the verge of finishing him in the third when a towel came from Blue's corner.

Blue fouled the Cuban southpaw a half dozen times. Saguerro weighed 170 1-2 and Blue scaled 174 pounds.

FOXY PHANN

Miller Huggins gets credit for winning the flag but Babe and Lou get the vaudeville contracts.



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panied by their chief advisors and supporters, including several army officers. It was common street talk that their plans had matured and that they were about to begin warfare against the federal government.

A Pronounced Odor of Petroleum

As usually happens when trouble breaks out in Mexico, a faint, but pronounced odor of petroleum permeates the wreakage of the Gomez-Serrano debacle. This indictment does not apply to all of the American oil companies operating there, but unquestionably it does to some.

It is an open secret in Mexico that Gomez made strenuous love to various American petroleum companies in an endeavor to enlist their financial support for his candidacy. Opinions differ as to whether any of the companies invested money in his chances, conditional upon his promises that if he got in office he would modify the prevailing Mexican petroleum legislation to their liking.

Friends Boasted of Support

Gomez friends, a month ago were boasting that he was being supported financially and sentimentally by one petroleum company and that arrangements had been made whereby he was to receive several large shipments of arms and ammunition from the United States. At all events, if certain American oil interests did not have a finger in the Gomez-Serrano pie it was the first piece of pastry of that description that they have overlooked in many years.

It was the petroleum friends of Gomez and Serrano who counseled them to advance the date of their revolt by at least two months. This was done because of the unexpected appointment of a new American Ambassador in the person of Dwight W. Morrow and the announcement of his intention to proceed to Mexico City without delay.

Wanted to Impress New Envoy

The desirability was represented to Gomez and Serrano of making prompt demonstration in the field with a view to impressing Mr. Morrow in advance of his arrival with the strength and seriousness of their movement and the presumptive weakness of the Calles government. Had they been left to themselves, it is exceedingly doubtful if they would have begun operations much before January or until they were better prepared and assured of a more substantial fighting following than the events of the past ten days proved them to possess.

Mexican ways and standards are not American. They are as different as day is from night. In Mexico the accepted custom of close adherence to the principle of "Doing unto others as they would do unto you if they were in your place," dictates the quality of mercy. Most Mexicans are so constituted that they regard an exhibition of mercy as an inherent and vulnerable weakness in him who bestows it.

Respect for Calles

Consequently, in their hearts, the people of Mexico, and in particular his enemies, today cherish a much more profound respect for President Calles than they did two weeks ago. The man has shown mettle, and an exhibition of that sort unerringly wins respect, if not love, down there. Mexican presidents do not rule by love. If they try to their names are apt to appear promptly in the obituary colomns or among the list of distinguished exiles on foreign shores.

Without questioning their right to aspire, to the presidency, it is nevertheless, a fair statement of fact in which I am certain any competent, unprejudiced observer will bear me out, to say that neither Gomez nor Serrano had more than a negligible following or popular support. Serrano had almost none. Their only hopeful road to power lay through military usurpation.

Both Mediocrities

Both were mediocrities with no background of accomplishment, capacity, or character.

Gomez banked upon conservative and church sympathy, and his supposititous popularity with the generals of the armies. Serrano disputed this following with Gomez.

A humorous feature of the situation as between Gomez and Serrano was this: Both of them could not be president while, for temporary mutual convenience they were making common cause against Calles and Obregon, it was notoriously apparent that each was figuring on ways and devices where by at the proper time he might eliminate the other, by fair means or foul. Had they succeeded in ousting Calles and expunging Obregon politically, then it would have been dog-eat-dog between Gomez and Serrano.

Thus, after a fashion, for once the petroleum people unwittingly did Calles and Mexico and their own government a favor. Thanks to Calles' energy and to his control of the army, Washington may take satisfaction to itself for still having one reasonably well functioning and responsible government to deal with in Mexico. The alternative was no government at all or two or three rival revolutionary governments scattered over the landscape, each operating on its own hook and accepting no responsibility in the conduct of Mexico's international relations.

Any other outcome would have released upon the country armies of rival Mexican factions, to the inconveniencing, if not actual imperilment of Americans and their interests and a general reversion to the chaotic conditions which prevailed in Mexico for several years subsequent to 1914.

GOVERNMENT PROBES FREIGHTER'S SINKING

NEW YORK, Oct. 18 (AP).—Inquiry into the sinking of the Norwegian freighter Bessengen by the liner Paris will be turned over to federal authorities, District Attorney Banton said today, after he had questioned Captain Ludwig Hassel, of the freighter, and members of his crew.

The Bessengen was rammed early Saturday while anchored in the lower harbor. Twenty four of the crew were saved but Captain Hassel today conceded the loss of six men.

SWITCHMAN KILLED BETWEEN DRAW BARS

DODGE CITY, Kansas, Oct. 18. (AP)—John E. Page, 36, Kansas City, Santa Fe switchman, was crushed to death between the draw bars of two freight cars here today. His body, held fast by the coupling, was found by fellow trainmen.

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He that believieth on Him is not condemned; but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten son of God." John 3:18.

A PRECEDENT FOR BRIDE

William W. Bride, corporation counsel of the District of Columbia, thinks that he has discovered the champion "tightwad" in a taxpayer who has raised a "rukus" because of the discovery that he had been called upon to pay to the tax collector exactly 1 cent more than he owes. The unnamed protestant declined to receive the picayune from the pocket of the corporation counsel, but demanded, as a matter of principle, that the books of the tax office be corrected and that the overcharge be formally refunded to him. Thus far his demand has met with no direct response.

However, Mr. Bride, as a lawyer, should look up the precedents. He will find one, at least, if he searches in the right place (although the action of Hall vs. Rich is not of record) among the official or private papers of the late Squire Isaac Gail, Justice of the Peace in and for the Town of Wales, County of Erie, State of New York.

In 1872 or 1873 Rich was collector of taxes in that town. Hall's school tax was $.04; When Rich met Hall, the latter paid Rich $5, and Rich suggested that 4 cents remain on his books until a more convenient occasion. In the meantime the two men fell out over some trival matter which ended in Rich demanding "them 4 cents." Hall responded with a nickel coin and demanded the change. Rich replied that he would keep that cent as "intrust." Hall declared he would sue. Rich dared him to do so and the celebrated case to which Counsel Bride is referred was the result. Two juries disagreed, but the third awarded judgment for Hall "in 1 cent damages and costs." The old papers of Squire Gail, if still in existence, would furnish many valuable precedents in like cases arising out of supposedly trival controversies. In most of them "principle," and not much "principal" was involved.

BUSINESS INCENTIVE

John F. Sinclair, a Minneapolis banker, in a current magazine cites facts warranting the statement that the United States has become the "banker of bankers among the nations of the world," and then concludes: "It is my firm conviction, based on a close study of both national and international finance for 20 years, that world reconstruction and lasting peace will finally come, when it does, not so much through the political organization of nations as through the will-to-peace of the gigantic banking and business organizations, whose leaders have come to know that war is financial and economic suicide to every nation and every people engaging in it." Of course, this does not mean that an international ordering will not come through political organizations of nations. Mr. Sinclair is emphasizing the view that this political organization will come because of banking and business demands and organization. He is thoroughly right in saying that world ordering will come because of recognition in the fact that it not only is good business but also is necessary business. But it will come, through political processes. In precisely the same way nations have developed, political ordering of nations has answered the need for business order. With international business steadily devolping, international ordering

TARIFF DISCUSSION

Some of the conditions under which the French Government evidently hopes to initiate a tariff discussion with the United States are such as, in fairness to itself, this country cannot accept. Now that Paris is reported to be ready to decognize that America does not propose to swerve from her established tariff policy at French behests, it still remains for the Frenchmen to learn that nothing can be gained by any attempt to constraint on their part. The special duties decreed against American imports by France were obviously intended to serve as bargaining tion points in what Paris thought would be reciprocity negotiations. They will be grossly discriminatory in many instances even when reduced by 50 per cent, as the French offer to do pending the conclusion of a new tariff arrangement. The American objection to such duties is consistent with the general American position, which is, that whatever discussions may ensue there cannot be any question of reciprocity in the usual meaning of the word, hence no possibility of bargaining over tariff quid pro quos. In these circumstances the specially raised duties lose all of their purpose they may have had, and they can only impede the kind of accommodations that the Washington Government may find it possible to offer under the flexible clauses of our tariff legislation. Whatever these amendments may be they cannot be obtained by any form of intimidation and can result solely from a matter-of-fact, businesslike investigation in Washington of French production costs as compared with production costs in America. As President Coolidge points out a matter of principle is involved.

MAY HAVE FAVORITE

Ohio went uninstructed to the last Democratic National convention, but it would not be surprising if, as former National Chairman George White suggests, this important block of delegates should next year present a favorite son. In case he proved to be Newton D. Baker, former Secretary of War, his name would appeal strongly to the Wilson and league wings of the Democratic Party. For Mr. Baker was one of those nearest to President Wilson, who once referred to him as "America's best public servant." His excellent record in the War Department is just beginning to be appreciated — as shown in the recent tributes to him by General Pershing and Vice President Dawes. While likelihood of his nomination seems slight, when compared with the strength already shown by Governors Smith and Ritchie and Senator James A. Reed, he might prove a welcome refuge in a storm. Mr. White adds what had been heard in New York before—that Governor Smith has many friends in Ohio. That "no effort has been made to organize Ohio for Smith," as Mr. White says, is equally no news in this State, where it has been clearly understood that the Governor's friends are making no moves in any State which may have a favorite son. This view is strengthened by Governor Smith's clear-cut disclaimer of connection with any attempts to raise funds in his interest. He seems to be resolute in his position that, if he is chosen, the nomination will have to come to Al any after him; the rock of detachment will fly from its strong base" as soon as he.

MORNING-GLORIES

Old-fashioned gardens never were wanting in morning-glory vines, which during the early hours of the late summer or the autumn day overshadowed all other blossoms and lent gorgeous color to the scene. Although they were easily grown, the owner took a warranted pride in them. What if these flowers were almost as evanescent as the clouds which gathered about the rising sun? A fresh crop would open up the next morning, seemingly more abundant than before—a symbol of Mother Nature's lavishness in ever renewing herself. An analogy to human life might be drawn in some respects, but the bloom of youth does not so readily return, once it has faded. Observing the effects obtained by flower-growers who still like the morning-glory, one heartily wishes there were more of them. The vine supplies such a lovely profusion at a time when more substantial blossoms are fading, as almost to create the illusion of another spring. The rank growth may cover an unsightly spot in the back yard—a ragged fence, a scraggy stump, a dilapidated wall or a rubbish pile. It is indeed useful for such purposes. Or, it may climb an artistic trellis on the lawn or close beside a chimney. This flower is by no means incongruous to such a setting. It confers fresh splendor on the mansion, as well as the humble jacal. Twined above the front door it is right hospital, proclaiming an accupant devote to the simple tastes and adornments of a more quiet age. The morning-glory grows in a single season, from the seed. It requires no attention occasional watering. Rarely can so much beauty be had at so little cost of money and effort.

If the cradle of American freedom was religion, the spirit of Protestantism rocked the cradle in which freedom grew. That spirit broke the shackles of an imposed external authority and freed the individual. It created an individualism that could pioneer and blaze the way for a new civilization. Now under the tides of progress that individualism is being socialized. We are growing from a protesting individualistic independence into a constructive social interdependence. The inner compulsions of brotherhood are creating a social order that corporate power once sought to create through the outer compulsions of authority. While religion cannot function successfully in the individual's life unless he is personally free, neither can it successfully function in society until he is socially bound in the common service of all.

Sinclair loses again on appeal to the United States Supreme Court—and there is still more of the Teapot Dome litiga-

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



SO THINK WE

We think that it will be only a matter of a few weeks now until the women will be looking for the new spring hats.

We tink that if you look at the sunny side of everything it will certainly make your optimism come true.

We think that the cow, sow and the hen will put most any farm on the cash basis.

We think that the West Texas exhibits in the Texas State Fair at Dallis are making a great impression.

We think that experience is the harvest of life, and every harvest is the result of sowing.

We think that too many women expect their husbands to bring home the bacon and then fry it.

We think that during these days the average fellow is undecided in whether he should buy a new car or attend the heavyweight fight.

We think that Lubbock will have plenty of gridiron citadins to attend to this week as both the high school and the college play here.

We think that the building permits of this city have not let up in the least—just a steady and continual building program going on in Lubbock.

We think that this gas business is alright to think about but when it comes to preparing for it is something different at least on the pocket-book but yet we guess it is worth it.

We think that Texas Tech's greatest day will soon be here when the Matadors clash with the Texas Aggies on October 28. Thousands of visitors will gather here for the occasion.

We think that there is nothing as great as the last payment on the installment system. It is a long run and a happy culmination.

We think that the new ruling of the boxing commission will possibly stir up lots of "we told you so" fellows.

We think that it has taken more than five years to prove it but the nation knows that Harry Sinclair has no Teapot Dome.

We think that the fellow who said that the automobiles were ruining the younger generation really meant that the younger generation was ruining Daddy's new automobile.

OPINIONS

EVENTUALLY.

Sooner or later, of course, the United States will have three distinct arms for national defense, an Air Department taking its place with that of Army and Navy. There will be a secretary of equal rank-ing, with place in the President's cabinet—and ranking, unless the trend of the times is entirely misleading, the Air Department will rank of first importance.

All ideas die slowly. Power gives up its throne ungraciously. It has always been thus. Great minds have usually been persecuted and punished for daring to try to change the order of things—even for distinct advancement of mankind.

Former Colonel William E. Mitchell of the U. S. Army Air Division dared some two or three years ago to tell us what we needed in the air to keep abreast of other nations. He advocated an Air Department under the control and management of the air, separate from Army and Navy, to the extent that those departments have always been separated. It was not long until he found himself back in private life.

The American Legion in its Paris convention, just closed, has gone on record for an Air Department—as a new and separate unit of our defense. Of course it will not come to pass because Washington does not operate that way. But eventually—Does the reader of these lines know of a man better qualified to head the department than William E. Mitchell? The nation owes it to him.—Hall County Herald.

We shall simply have to build more and bigger stadiums, that's all. It looks like they are being born even faster than one a minute.—American Lumberman.

Commander Savage, of the American Legion, said in Paris: "It is a splendid sight to see Europe at peace." It isn't but it would be.—American Lumberman.

"Science," says a news item, "has discovered how coal may be saved." And landlords were at least a decade ahead of science on that one. —New York Evening Post.

"Paris Delighted Over Convention's Success," says one head-line. "Legion Spends $15,000,000," says another. And putting the two together . . .—New York Morning Telegraph.

YOUR HEALTH

DIPHTHERIA WAR MUST BE WAGED CONTINUALLY

BY DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

Editor Journal of the American Medical Association and of Hygeia, The Health Magazine

The battle with diphtheria is a campaign of eternal vigilance. The medical profession has shown in its laboratories that the injection of toxin anti-toxin will develop a resistance to the disease and that readily seen early and treated promptly with anti-toxin are likely to recover.

Unfortunately, there are still thousands of persons who neglect to provide their children with protective measures and who delay calling competent medical advice even when the disease appears.

Immunization Among 1700.

In a period of 10 years all of the boys in Girard college were immunized against the disease and in that time there was only one case of diphtheria among 1700 boys, and that occurred in a boy who had just entered and who had not been protected.

The death rate for diphtheria is diminishing every year, falling from a rate of 50 per one hundred thousand people in 1826 to rates of 8 to 10 in 1926.

New York City had 1239 deaths and 14,814 cases of diphtheria in 1919 and the rate for that city has fallen so that there were 574 deaths in 10,417 cases in 1922, and 477 deaths in 7531 cases in 1926. Bear in mind that New York is a city of some 7,000,000 people, and that a rate similar to that of 1890 would have meant hundreds of thousands of cases and many thousands of deaths.

Occasional Increases.

Occasionally there are sudden sharp increases in the number of cases of diphtheria and in the number of deaths even in communities that have been thoroughly protected against the disease.

There are several factors involved which explain these sharp rises. Most significant is the fact that the bacterium is a living organism the same as the human being and that it sometimes becomes more virulent than it is at other periods.

A special investigation made in New York City of 150 cases of diphtheria revealed the fact that in three per cent there received preventive injections sufficient to immunize but not enough to permit immunity to develop.

IT IS REPORTED

It is reported that there are more pupils in the Lubbock high school this year than there ever have been. That means that Lubbock is still growing.

It is reported that the South Plains is in better condition, from standpoint of agriculture than any other section of the state. That is getting to be a common condition in Texas.

It is reported than when a husband and wife think alone, the woman is doing the thinking for the family.

It is reported that tait week-end will furnish the football fans with plenty of gridiron exhibitions as the college and high school will have games here.

It is reported that the old Teapot Dome case is again taking the front page. We all know that Harry Sinclair does not have the Dome.

It is reported that Cuba was a vision of prosperity for the United States this year.

It is reported that the I. W. W. organization again leads a giant strike. The coal fields of Colorado face a tie-up movement.

It is reported that a quarter of a billion of dollars tax reduction is in view for the tax payers of the U. S.

It is reported that Earl Carroll, the famous Bath Tub showman, has received a pardon from the Federal penitentiary.

It is reported that the building permits of Lubbock indicate that this city is enjoying one of the most consistent growths of any city in West Texas.

His Waterloo

"Don't you think he is a convincing talker?"

"I did, till he talked back to a traffic cop."

SOUTH PLAINS PRESS

COTTON COMPRESS IN LITTLEFIELD TO START WORK SATURDAY.

The cotton compress, being built in Littlefield, by the Union Compress & Warehouse Co. is being finished this week, and will begin operations Saturday, several bales of cotton now being on their platforms awaiting compression.

The storage capacity of this compress is 50x165 feet, giving approximately 20,000 square feet of room, or sufficient to handle 5,000 bales of cotton at one time. They have installed a Webb high density type press, one of the largest to be found in any compress in West Texas. The total cost of this compress is around $80,000.00, according to A. S. Underwood, one of the principal stockholders of the company, who is have superintending the construction of the building and installation of the machinery. He states there is no better compress to be found anywhere throughout the entire state, and that this is the largest one to be placed in any town in the state the size of Littlefield.

It used to be that a cotton compression on the plains of Texas was a something that very few towns had, and most of them wanted a bonus from the towns for building one, but the cotton industry has developed so rapidly that it is nothing unusual for towns to have one or more of these very useful plants. Littlefield is in the heart of a very rich agricultural community, and we are sure that the business enterprises will be very satisfactory from the first day it fires up.

What's Going On In Russia

BY JEROME DAVIS

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MOSCOW, Oct. 17.—Of all the institutions in Moscow—communistic militaristic or economic—none is more fascinating or picturesque than "The University for the Laboring Masses of China in the Name of Sun Yat Sen."

America is accustomed to oriental students, but here in the heart of Moscow, facing the mammouth Cathredral of our Savior, is an entire communistic university operating simply and solely for the Chinese. Here are club rooms, dormitory accommodations for both men and women, class rooms, lecture halls, moving picture auditoriums and all the varied necessities of a modern university plant.

The idea of a Chinese university curiously enough was first brought forward by the Russian Society of Hands Off China. It had about 500,000 members and collected money for the school. The government donated a former middle school of the tsar and the buildings are being elaborately remodeled. The Russian trade unions have made donations, and even the Comminist International has contributed money but the primary credit belongs to the society which in order to keep "hands off" China reached out their hands to China.

Now 500 Students

The university formally opened its doors in November, 1925, with a student body of 100 which by February, 1926, had risen to 300 and now accommodates 600. The students are selected by the central committee of the People's Revolutionary Party of China (the Nationalists) and virtually only its members are eligible. The intention was to accept only those who speak a foreign language—English, French or German. Actually less than 10 per cent come so qualified. Among this minority English was predominant.

Finding themselves flooded with a student body which spoke only Chinese, the administration was in difficulty. There were no available textbooks in Chinese, nor were interpreters available. The dilemma was solved by using the advanced 10 per cent as interpreters for the rest.

Tremendous competition developed in China for places at the school. In Canton alone 300 qualified students desired entry, although the allotment for last city was supposed to be only 50. A clever scheme of elimination was finally used compelling all applicants in Canton to study Russian for one year first. During this time many had been drafted into revolutionar work that there were only 90 left. From this number 75 were finally selected.

During the two-year course, every student is given money sufficient to pay his expenses to and from China, in addition he receives free tution including everything needed in the way of technical equipment such as; notebooks, textbooks, pencils and laboratory supplies. Besides this, room and board are free and there is a monthly stipend of 15 roubles to cover incidentals. Men with families are not accepted. Since, however, 15 percent of the student body are women some marriages have occurred. In fact, the Chinese population has already been increased by six children.

The students represent a variety of different social classes, including; peasant, merchants and militarists, but the majority come from the intellectual class.

The chief aim of the university is to share with the youth of China the fundamental guiding principles of Communism and the experience of the "Proletarian Revolution." Here they should learn, for instance, the imperative necessity of a union between peasants and workers if any basic revolutionary movement is to be built. This the Russian feel is one of the great principles which have come from their revolution.

Each class comes three times a week and lasts one and one-half hours. Besides regular classes there are laboratory trips to all the varied institutions of the city. These occupy at least four hours a week. Eventually it is planned to have one teacher for every five students.

Communistic Principles

Besides teaching the theory of Communism, the school itself is a living demonstration of its principles. The students are completely organized and pay 50 kopeks (25 cents) a month in dues. On every commission appointed by the university authorities. And students have representation. The chief ones are sanitaries, educational matters, library, economic, cultural. The last commission has charge of all the recreational activities, including moving pictures and theatre. Students are at liberty to form supplementary committees along any line of their interests. These range all the way from music and radio to athletics.

The entire university is run by a council of six in which the students are represented and have one vote.

The school year begins on September fifth and lasts nine and one-half months. During the summer vacation all the Chinese are sent to a mammouth "rest-home" named after Kalinin, the president of the republic, some 20 miles outside Moscow. It covers an area several miles in circumference and provides accommodations for 5000 workers from the trade unions of Moscow. Each worker can here take his two weeks vacation free of charge. Although the Chinese have special quarters and eat in a special dining room they are not otherwise isolated. During their stay the camp has a turnover of about ten thousand, thus providing adequate opportunity for the Chinese to talk with a fair sample of the ordinary Russian workers as well as learn the language.

Not All Communists

I spent a day at this camp talking with the Chinese. They seemed extremely well satisfied. By no means were all Communists, probably less than half belong to the Chinese party. Yet it was certainly true that the experience was revolutionizing their thinking and outlook.

There are other universities in Moscow where Chinese are being trained as, for instance, "The Communistic University of the Laboring Masses of the East, in the name of Stalin." Here there are only 30 Chinese, all Communists, out of a student body of one thousand. None of these can be compared to Sun Yat Sen University. From this latter institution three hundred students are leaving yearly to enter China. They are going into all sorts of work and assuming all kinds of responsibilities. The impress which this group will make on Chinese life and politics is incalculable. Granted that the education which they are getting is permeated with a Communistic slant, nevertheless it is likely to make them more valuable to China if only because they will know Russian and something real about what the Communists are doing.

LAUGHS

Great Expectations

Lady of the House—As cook I shall expect you to rise at five o'clock, and I will allow you one evening off every week.

Applicant—You ain't been married long have you, dear?—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Sure Thing

Wife—What would you do if you had no wife to mend your clothes?

Hubby—In that case I'd have new clothes.

Not a Member

Doctor—Your husband is a hypochondriac, isn't he?

Patient's Wife—Oh, no, doctor; he doesn't belong to any society but the Odd Fellows.

In Disfavor

Aunt—Did I hear you greet your friend with "Hullo, old Rip"? I don't think it's very nice.

Niece—No, no; not "Rip"—"Rep." Such a mouthful to say really every time.

No Aviator Is In Any Hurry

"Aviation has taken possession of the popular mind."

"Yep. Nobody in the village choir wants to sing anything except 'I Want to Be an Angel'."—Washington Star.

LET'S TRY THE OTHER

Child—May I have a dark supper tonight?

Mother—What do you mean, dear?

Child—You gave me a light supper last night and I didn't like it at all.

Swift Recenge

Mrs. A.—That woman next door bought a hat exactly like mine.

Husband—And how I suppose you won't speak?

Mrs. A.—Not after she finds I've given mine to her cook.

Today's Poems

HAPPINESS, FAITH, HEALTH

Talk Happiness. The world is sad enough
Without your woes. No path is wholly rough;
Look for places that are smooth and clear
And speak of these to rest the weary ear.
Of earthly ills hurt by one continuous strain
Of human discontent and pain.
Talk Faith. The world is better off without
Your utter ignorance and morbid doubt.
If you have faith in God, or man or self, say so; if not, push back upon the shelf
Of silence all your thoughts till faith shall come;
No one will grieve because you like are dumb.
Talk Health. The dreary, never changing tale
Of social maladies is worn and stale.
You cannot charm or interest or please
By harping on that minor chord disease.
Say you are well, or, all is well with you,
And God shall hear your words as I make them true.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox

POLITENESS

"I thank you," "pardon me," and "please"—
Oh, very easy words are these
Not hard to read, not hard to spell.
Priscilla knew them very well;
But saying them was different quite.
She found it hard to be polite.
But when she was polite and kind,
Then others were the same, she'd find
So "please," and "thank you," she would say,
And found it easier every day.
Priscilla grew to happier days,
For sweet and kind are always praised.

—Jane B. Ellingwood, Christian Science Monitor.

SLAYER TELLS OF HORRIBLE CRIME

RUSSIAN WATCHMAKER SAYS HE SLEW GENERAL TO AVENGE JEWS

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Oct. 18.—Facing the red and black robed judges and lawyers in the district court of assises Samuel Schwartzbard, blonde Russian watchmaker today, exultingly told the story of how he determinedly tracked down General Simon Petlura and cold bloodedly slew him to avenge the deaths of thousands of Jews he believed were instigated by his victim.

Shocked by the story, the 31-year-old watchmaker told with gleaming eyes and hysterical grimaces, the 400 court room spectators gasped with surprise. White-bearded Jaws from central and eastern Europe sat beside flappers with bobbed hair and exchanged shocked glances with Slavic-featured Ukranians as Schwartzbard told his story of relentless pursuit and death before the muzzle of his revolver.

Outside heavy reinforcements of gendarmes patrolled the corridors to prevent disorders. Inside the gleam of candelabra struggled with the gloom of a murky Paris day and a hush fell upon the court room as Schwartzbard began his story of the assassination.

Then Swartzbard rose to tell of his crime. He described in minute detail the trailing of his victim. He told of carrying a photograph of his victim-elect, and of comparing it with the features of the man he met. He related how he encountered him "by chance." He did not answer, simply lifting his heavy cane. "I knew it was him. I shot twice, three, four, five times. He fell the crowd rushed in on me. My only worry was whether it was really Petlura. I might have killed the wrong man. When a policeman told me it was Petlura I threw my arms about his neck in joy."

At this point, Schwartzbard, who had been gesticulating and demonstrating his crime, threw his arms about the neck of the gendarme sitting beside him.

Schwartzbard denied that he had accomplices, saying his crime was the result of his own conviction that General Petlura was the instigator of Pogroms in which thousands of co-racialists were killed. He denied Petlura had begged for mercy, as witnesses had testified. He also denied he shot General Petlura after the latter had tumbled on the roadway.

TAX SURVEYORS TO START THIS WEEK

SEVERAL CREWS OF MEN TO OBTAIN MEASUREMENTS OF CITY BUILDINGS

Embodying a feature of the new tax system which has been planned for Lubbock by the city commission, several crews of men will be started out over the city this week to obtain measurements of all buildings and structures in the city and valuations for taxable purposes, it was announced yesterday from the office of R. A. Holland city tax collector.

Three men will work to a crew and all outside measurements will be obtained of each building.

The tax plan is a new one with the city but officials believe that it will be of much benefit to the citizens. It is employed by various other cities of the south and southwest and is proving a success.

Building Exceeds Hopes At Lockney

(Special To The Avalanche)

LOCKNEY, Oct. 18.—Development along all lines, far exceeding the estimate placed by the most optimistic, is now taking place in the city of Lockney and surrounding territory. Already there has been practically one million dollars spent in industrial and municipal building in the city this year not taking into consideration the new rail line of the Fort Worth and Denver, South Plains railway. With the advent of autumn weather comes an era of residential building unprecedented in the history of the city.

Workmen are now busy on the last mile of grade to be constructed for the new rail line in the city of Lockney, and with its completion all of the grade will be up from Estelline, where the South Plains extension starts, to Lubbock, the terminus. Denver officials expect to have trains running over this line in time to help carry the wheat crop of the coming year.

Money from the $85,000 bond issue has been received and workmen are now busy preparing for the building of an adequate sewer system in Lockney. When completed this city will be able to offer any convenience for the home or industrial plant that is offered by much larger cities, as the West Texas Gas company are now serving natural gas to local concerns.

25 PASSENGERS ON GROUNDED SHIP SAVED

LONDON Oct. 18 (AP.—Twenty five members of the crew of the American steamer Nile, which went aground in the Mediterranean near Bourgia, near Albania several days ago, have been taken aboard the British steamship Moreton Bay, says a radio message to Lloyds from the master of the Moreton Bay.

The message adds that all the holds and engine room are level with the sea, bow and stern on the rocks, with deep water amidship.

(The steamer Nile, 5,340 tons, sailed from Philadelphia September 15 and New York October 1 for Port Said, Suez, Aden and Bombay.)

Royal Lovers



Boris, bachelor king of Bulgaria, at last has found a bride, 'tis said. He is expected to marry Princess Giovanna, third daughter of King Emmanuel of Italy. They're pictured above.

BIDS OFFERED FOR MOHAIR ARE REFUSED

EL PASO, Oct. 18 (AP)—Bids on about 230,000 pounds of New Mexico and Arizona mohair were rejected here yesterday at a meeting of growers and buyers. The growers decided to hold another sale here on October 21. The highest bid yesterday was said to have been 46 5-8 cents per pound while the growers said they expected to get 52 or 53 cents.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Oct. 18 (AP)—Two men entered the postoffice and general store at Fairmount Leavenworth county today, kidnaped Frank Diefendorf, postmaster, drugged his wife, and escaped with $69 in government funds. Diefendorf was released several miles from the town.

Masons Advanced To Higher Ranks

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18, (AP)—Two hundred and twenty-six Scottish Rite Masons today were elected to the thirty-third degree, Inspector General Honorary, and 435 were elected knights commander of the courts of honor in their respective states by the members of the Supreme Council Ancient and Accepted Scottish rite of the Southern jurisdiction.

The formation of the Knights Commander degree took place tonight, with John H. Cowles grand commander of the southern jurisdiction, presiding. The ceremonies for the thirty-third degree will be held Friday night.

Among those named knights commanders for Texas were: D. H. Henry, Memphis; Albert Sl'e; Wichita Falls; James O. Guleke, Amarillo; Henry J. Line, Panhandle; Henry J. Price, Lamesa; Sam Reed, Abilene; James D. Stamper, Big Springs; Otto Stehlik, Wichita Falls; E. E. Strickler, Ozona; Fred H. Talbot, Sanderson.

Among those named inspector generals were: James D. Avis, Wichita Falls; William P. Bishop, Crockett; L. G. Hawkins, Vernon.

Polish Actress Has Close Call At Hands Of 'Spanking' Pair

(By Associated Press)

SKIERNIEWICE, Poland, Oct. 18—Miss Mary Malicka, the Mary Pickford of Poland, almost got a spanking from two irate old ladies of this provincial town when she appeared on the street with rouged lips required by one of her roles.

The artist, who is very young and tiny, was to play the role of a high school student. Liking exercise, she came one morning on foot dressed in the school uniform, to the place where the picture was to be taken. Two elderly ladies noticed her, and became extremely indignant at seeing a school girl with rouge on her cheeks and lips and dark circles under her eyes. They stopped her, scolded her for perversity, and were about to spank her with their umbrellas when the director of the picture came up, explained to the two intransigeant censors the story of the "depraved school girl," and saved her from a beating.

RUMANIAN ROYAL FOLK FAVOR GUM

QUEEN MARIE AND REST NOW DEVOTEES OF POPULAR AMERICAN PASTIME

(By Associated Press)

BUCHAREST, Rumania, Oct. 18.—American chewing gum may now count Queen Marie and the entire Rumanian royal family among its devotees.

It was first introduced into Rumania by Princess Ileana after her visit to the United States. At first the members of the royal circle swallowed the gum as they would candy, but apparently experienced no unpleasant results. Ileana then initiated them into the real art of chewing the elastic confection, drawing it from her mouth in a long string in American shopgirl fashion. Since then they have all taken a decided fancy to it.

Princess Helen, mother of little King Michael and an inveterate smoker of cigarette, finds that chewing gum relieves her craving for tobacco. She makes no secret of the fact that she thoroughly enjoys the pleasant flavor of the American minted gum.

An American friend recently sent her a large carton of American candy-coated chewing gum, but it wasn't in the house a day before her kingly son, "Mischievous Mickey," got hold of it and had a royal banquet all his own.

The little sovereign's dog, "Brown Mumbo," has a sweet tooth also, and Mickey shared the gum with him, but rather disastrous results. The gum got entangled in Mumbo's long hair and teeth, and gummed up his jaws. The palace chef had to be called to extricate him from his predicament.

GHOSTS IN PALACE REPORTED

Famed Hampton Court Palace of England is said to be tenented by ghosts. Jane Seymour, one of the wives of King Henry VIII, is said to be one of the most frequent visiting spectres. From time to time is heard the sound of a spinning wheel, although no spinning wheel is seen and in the quarter whence the sound is heard there was formerly no chamber which might contain one. The noise seemed from behind a dead wall. So persistent were the assertions that authority to pierce the wall was granted. It was then found that the partition bricked up a small room in which stood a spinning wheel. On two occasions Queen Catherine was said to be seen standing by the great staircase wringing her hands and sobbing. Catherine Howard, who was lodged at Hampton Court before her execution, is said to have been another spectral visitor.

"What is that thing, dear?"

"It's a pawn ticket, honey."

"Why didn't you get two, so we could both go?"

ALTER MINE TO BALK MUTINIES

SITE OF RECENT PRISON RIOT TO BE CHANGED TO MAKE ANOTHER IMPOSSIBLE

(By Associated Press)

LANSING, Kan., Oct. 18.—After four mutinies in the prison coal mine 720 feet below the earth's surface, officials at the Kansas state penitentiary believe they have taken precautions which will prevent further trouble.

A steel and iron cage has been placed at the foot of the main mine shaft in which a picked guard can command the approaches to the elevator. A specially connected telephone, arranged so its wires cannot be cut, communicates with the mine top above.

Four times prisoners working in the mines have revolted, tied down the mine elevator and attempted to dictate terms to officials. Each time the mutinies have been suppressed without loss of life, but Warden W. H. Mackey says such occurrences break down the morale of the prison and that the cage will prevent further trouble.

Last June 50 prisoners overpowered 16 guards and the other 250 prisoners working in the mine and took command in the tunnels. For three days they held the 250 prisoners in the back of the mine and attempted to dictate terms to Warden Mackey. The 250 unwilling strikers" finally became enraged from hunger and staged a pitched battle with the 50 mutineers at the foot of the mine shaft. They emerged victorious and came to the top.

The other strikes were in 1926, 1915 and 1902.

During the trouble last June cell mates of the mutineers attempted to burn the twine plant and stage a demonstration on top of the earth. One guard was stabbed and several others were injured when the guards rushed the rioting convicts and began to drive them back into their cells.

Ringleaders in last June's disturbance were still breaking rock and subsisting on bread and water October 1, and Warden Mackey declared discipline at the institution was better than it had been for several years.

YOUTH "FED UP" ON AVIATION

"Fed up" on aviation, a young mechanic of the Royal Air Force deserted the flying field at Donibristle, Scotland, stole an automobile and started on a tour before he realized what he was doing. In Edinburgh Sheriff Cour, an official of the air force, testified that the youth left the camp Saturday night, and on Sunday night drove off in a doctor's car which he was standing in a street in Portobello. He drove to Stow, left the machine in a quarry at the roadside, then walked to Galashiels, but before reaching there he sent cards to the doctor and the Galahiels police telling where he had left the car. Later he gave himself up to the police. The accused said that he had wanted to learn a certain trade in the air force, and the duties assigned him were so unpleasant that he could not stand them any longer. He was sent back to his corps.

Irate Customer: "When I buttoned up my coat the seams split in the back."

Salesman: "Well, madam, that just goes to show how well the buttons are sewed on!"

"And when you eloped with Fannie, did her father follow you?"

"Did he," said the young man, "he's living with us yet."—Selected.

Lowden and His Daughters



Frank O. Lowden, war-time governor of Illinois, regarded as a strong presidential possibility, is pictured here with his two daughters. Lowden withheld his final "yes" from more than 2000 farmers and business men who recently visited him at his farm near Oregon, Ill., asking him to declare his candidacy, but he has declared that "nobman would run from the presidency."

TEXAS TECH TOPICS

By C. W. Ratliff, Phones 13 and 14

NEW BUILDING TO BE READY FOR CLASSES SOON

The latter part of this week will find new class rooms in the Tech administrative building ready for use, according to information given out by officials of the college yesterday. The construction work on the building is practically complete and workmen are doing the finishing work now. Officials plan to have all rooms in use in a short time.

Work on the home economics practice house is progressing at a rapid rate and it is expected to be complete in a short while also.

PEP SQUADS TO HAVE BIG PART IN TECH-A. AND M. DAY

The two pep squads of the college are spending a greater part of their spare time in preparation for the game with Texas A. and M. here on October 28. The leaders of the two squads plan to leave nothing off in the way of entertainment and welcome to the visitors in Lubbock for the day and are making plans toward that end.

The girls pep squad under the leadership of Miss Anna Belle Collins plan to have charge of the social side of the Tech's welcome. They are to greet the A. and M. team and students when they arrive in Lubbock and plan to show them over the school. After the game the girl's will be hostesses at the dance which will be given in honor of the visitors.

The boys pep squad headed by Jim Cloud also have a number of plans for the entertainment and greeting of the visitors. They will have cars at the station for the visiting team and students and will aid in every way possible with details during the day.

The two pep organizations have 25 members each.

CENTRAL TEXAS CLUB TO HAVE PARTY SATURDAY

At their meetings Monday night, the students of the Central Texas club, accepted several new members as well as the invitation of Miss Mary Lillijahnd to be guests at her home on 16th street for a party Saturday night.

The club by-laws and constitution were ordered drawn up during the meeting and Tom Graham, president of the group, issued a call for more members. About 200 students are eligible for the club, he said.

MUSICAL PROGRAM TO BE GIVEN AT CONVOCATION

Prof. W. R. Waghorne head of the department of music, will have charge of the program of the regular weekly convocation program this morning at 9 o'clock, it was announced yesterday by Dean James M. Gordon. A variety of musical numbers including vocal solos, glee club selections and band music will be given during the hour.

The students association will have matters of importance to give before the students, leaders said.

TECH TO HAVE FOUR MEN FOR RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS

Texas Technological college is entitled to have four applicants for Rhodes Scholarships to Oxford University in England, according to information given out in the 1927 bulletin of the foundation. Texas is allowed two representatives this year as winners of the scholarships which entitle a student to three years of study in Oxford and a yearly stipend of $2000 to cover expenses.

At a meeting of the faculty, Thursday afternoon, the Tech representatives to the state selection committee will be named, President Paul W. Horn said yesterday. A number of students are considering the application, he said. The selection of the two Texas boys will be made in December.

Word was received on the campus yesterday by friends of the birth of a baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Montgomery of Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery are former students of the Tech, having attended here during its first year and took major parts in student activities. Mr. Montgomery was editor and founder of the Toreador, the school paper, and also editor and founder of The Prairie Fire, a magazine published on the campus last year. He was a member of the debating squad and took a leading part in all activities. At present he is a member of the Amarillo News staff. Mrs. Montgomery was known before her marriage as Miss Pauline Tarpett, and was also a popular student.

Application blanks for membership in the Southern Education association are being prepared this week by administrative officials of the college preparatory to sending them off to the membership board. The association is composed of all of the leading accredited schools of the South. Tech's application will be submitted to the association meet in Jacksonville, Florida in December.

Hot Dog!



Fido is Billy Wallace's bodyguard, and he's dependable. So when the Wallace family, residents of Holdenville, Okla., left Fido in Muskogee at the home of relatives, Fido didn't like it. He hiked the 60 miles and arrived home soon after the Wallaces. For he was a hot dog, and tried, when he got there.

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One of America's outstanding lines of fine Sport Garments.

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Silk Undergarments, glove silk of the finest texture.

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Real elegant footwear for the most particular.

On Page 29
SHAGMORE COATS
Exclusive sport coats in both solid and novelty weaves.

On Page 30
PRINTZESS COATS
Both dress and sport models in this fine make are featured here.

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Here you find this line featured with in undergarments and hosiery.

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A wonderful collections of copies of imports in sport models.

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The finest of fine sheets and cases.

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Featured here at all times in every weight and size.

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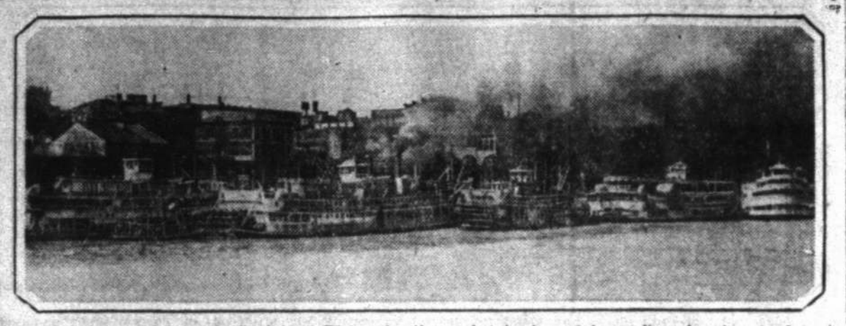
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MODART CORSETS
Featured here in front lace models and girdles.

Every One of These Lines is Featured at Lubbock's Finest Department Store.

Hemphill-Price Co.

Mississippi Stages Comeback in Commerce



Tonnage being carried on the Father of Waters by the packet boats and barge lines has increased so in the last few years that commerce is again almost as great as in the glorious '80s when the river was the chief carrier of the Mississippi valley. Here are pictured steamboats at the St. Louis levee about to depart for points along the river from Keokuk, Ia., to New Orleans. Last year more than 1,000,000 tons of river freight moved through St. Louis alone.

cerely believe that the office will give me an opportunity to render a greater service to the state than I can possible render in my present position.

Desires Good Program

"I believe that Texas needs and desires a constructive educational program—a program that will give to every child the educational opportunity to which he is justly entitled, and to every tax payer a just return in service for the money he pays to the schools.

"I am convinced that the State Department of Education can be made to render its greatest service to the people by securing and maintaining the co-operation of the educational forces in the state.

"Of course I believe in a practical economy, but I believe in genuine efficiency and progress also. The principals upon which my campaign will be based will be announced at a later date."

Wm. Penn—5 cents—A Good Cigar

Voice (outside door). Here's a message from your friend in the next room sir.

Gentleman (in bed) Push it under the door.

Voice: I can't sir. I should spill it.

Justice: "How did the accident happen?"

Defendant: "Why, I dimmed my lights and was hugging the curve".

Justice: "yeah, that's how most accidents happen.

SINCLAIR TRIAL

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lenges they used before the completion of the jury met their approval.

Mrs. Anneta Bailey, a clerk in a piano store here, but formerly a resident of Boulder, Colo., has the distinction of being juror number one, while Miss Bernice Heaton, an instructor of long-distance telephone operators, and a native of Washington, is juror number two. Both are in nature of volunteers for jury service since such service is not compulsory upon women in the District of Columbia.

While the attorneys omitted to elicit the ages of the two women it is said that it is certain the jury is a much more mature one than that which acquitted the former interior secretary and Edward L. Doheny in the same court last December.

The average age of the ten men in the present case is 42. The oldest is 62 and only one is under 30. The Fall-Doheny jury was the youngest chosen to try an important case here in many years, the average age of the twelve men being 33. The oldest member of that jury was only 42 years and the youngest 23, while six were under thirty.

To Be Free.

While the Fall-Doheny jury was locked throughout the long weeks of that trial, the Fall-Sinclair jury is to be allowed its freedom with a solemn admonition from the court not to read any newspaper accounts of the trial, not to discuss the case among themselves as the hearing proceeds and not to formulate any conclusions in their own minds until they have retired to seek an agreement on a verdict.

Owen J. Roberts, for the government, and Martin W. Littleton for the defense, outlined to the jury what both sides will undertake to prove. The special oil counsel for the government will present substantially the same set of facts as passed upon by the United States supreme court in holding that the lease resulted from "collusion and conspiracy" between Fall and Sinclair and in characterizing Fall as a "faithless public officer." Under the law that decision cannot be introduced in this case. The jury starts with a clean slate and an open mind and is sworn to return its verdict upon the evidence adduced in Justice Siddon's court.

Addressing the jury for only twenty minutes in a tone rarely raised above the conversational, Roberts said the government would show that as a result of the conspiracy between Fall and Sinclair the government was defrauded of:

First, Teapot Dome and the oil contained in it.

Second, the service of Fall as a faithful public officer.

Third, the policy of retaining oil in the ground for the future needs of the navy and,

Fourth, the policy of competitive bidding in leasing public oil lands.

In undertaking to convince the jury of these things, he said evidence would be adduced as to secrecy attending the leasing negotiations and that Fall came into possession of liberty bonds of high value immediately after negotiations with Sinclair were concluded.

Wm. Penn—5 cents—A Good Cigar

CHURCH ARGUES ON WORSHIP IN HOME

CREATION OF NEW BRANCH FOR EPISCOPALIANS AT LUBBOCK BOOSTED

(By Associated Press)

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 18.—A sharp debate on the present status of home religious worship marked the first session of the three day meeting of the Episcopalian synod of the southwest here today.

The very Rev. R. Chambers, dean of St. Mathew's cathedral in Dallas brought up the question when he said that family religious worship had become sterotyped and that the family Bible on the marble topped table too often collected dust and was not opened from month to month. He advocated daily Bible reading in the home.

The right Rev. Frederick Howden, bishop of New Mexico defended present worship and declared that even if the Bible did rest on the marble topped table, it was a constant inspiration in the home. He held, however, that home worship should be earnest and frequent.

Recommendations that the church concentrate its new mission efforts on Lubbock, Texas, the Rio Grand valley and Norman, Okla., were made by the Rev. W. P. Witsel of Little Rock. The church at Lubbock, seat of Texas Technological College he said, is a shack, seating only about 50 people. A church at Norman, home of the Oklahoma State University is badly needed there, the report said. A church should be built at once seating at least 500 and costing between $75,000 and $100,000 he said.

Representatives from Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico and Arizona are attending the meeting.

CONCORD GIRL MAY BE FIRST AS MAYOR

24-YEAR-OLD WOMAN IS FIRST TO BE NOMINATED FOR OFFICE OF MAYOR

(By Associated Press)

CONCORD, N. H. Oct. 18.—Miss Helen Gwendolyn Jones 24-year-old Concord girl, may be the next mayor of this city, capital of New Hampshire. Miss Jones is the first woman in New Hampshire ever to be nominated for mayor.

Although unversed in practical politics she defeated two other candidates and ran second only to the present mayor, Fred N. Marden, in the primary contest. On November 8 she and Mayor Marden will be the candidate for election. In the meantime an intensive campaign is in progress that will make new political history in Concord.

Miss Jones was graduated from the University of New Hampshire last June and intended to enter the Yale Law School this fall.

When the vacation season closed she startled the voters by announcing that she was a candidate for the mayor's chair.

With the aid of her brother, Joseph, who is a garage mechanic, she began a "whirlwind" speaking tour. Visiting every section of the city, she spoke nightly to large audiences.

Miss Jones now must overcome a political tradition here that the high man in the primary is slated to win the municipal election.

At college she made an enviable reputation, being not only a leader in scholastic standing, but a member in the student council and active in debating and athletics. Her training as a speaker made her one of the best orators in this section.

Wm. Penn—5 cents—A Good Cigar

"I hear that you and Bill are on the outs again."

"He's too darn fresh! I told him my father had locomotive ataxia and the brute wanted to know if he whistled at crossings."

A Scotchman sent his sweetheart a package of flower seed with these directions: "Plant these now and you will have a nice bouquet for your birthday."

A photographer says that most politicians are good sitters. Unfortunately they are seldom photographed in their characteristic attitude sitting on the fence.—Punch

ROTARY ANNS

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the ladies present how glad the men were to have them with them, and extended an invitation for them to come any time.

The meeting last night will take the place of the regular luncheon Wednesday, and will count on attendance the same as a regular meeting.

The song composed by Mrs. Robertson was:

LUBBOCK TOWN
CHORUS

Oh! I'm glad I live in Lubbock,
Hooray! Hooray!
In Lubbock town I'll build a Home,
To live and die in Lubbock,
'Tis fine, 'Tis fine, away out west in Lubbock!

Away out West in the State of Texas
Where the wind does blow the sand like blixens
It is fine; it is fine; it is fine.
Lubbock-town.
In Lubbock-town where cotton does grow
And everything else, Oh! don't you know
It is fine; it is fine; it is fine.
Lubbock-town.

We, of the South Plains are truly the Hub
And the best thing here is the Rotary club.
It is fine; it is fine; it is fine,
Lubbock-town.
Beautiful homes and churches grand,
And the starliest youth in all the land
It is fine; it is fine; it is fine,
Lubbock-town.

We're proud of our city, yes, 'tis true,
Since we have the Tech, so nice and new.
It is fine; it is fine; it is fine,
Lubbock-town.
Here Mother, sister, bud and dad
Can get some learning we never had,
It is fine; it is fine; it is fine,
Lubbock-town.



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DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE

Beauty Weds War Captain By Proxy; Finds Husband Died Before Ceremony

(By Associated Press)

VIENNA, Austria, Oct. 18.—A tragic story is written between the lines of a decree of nullity of marriage handed down by the Austrian supreme court of justice.

The first chapter began before the war, when the outbreak of hostilities in 1914 interrupted arrangements for the marriage of Lieutenant Franz Hierath of the Austrian Gunners and a pretty Viennese brunette named Margarethe.

Hierath was drafted with his regiment to the Polish front, and was unable to get leave because of the shortage of horse gunners in the Austrian army, but he and his fiancee swore eternal love in countless letters.

Captured By Russians.

In 1917 Hierath was captured by the Russians and sent to an internment camp in Siberia. From there he continued his correspondence with his girl in Vienna until the war ended. But after the end of the war he was kept in internment.

When the prospect of their marriage seemed remotely in the future, the girl discovered in 1919 that under the Austrian law it is possible to marry by proxy. She broached the idea to her lover, and he welcomed it. In Vienna in 1920 a brother officer of Hierath married the girl in his friend's name.

Shortly after the ceremony letters ceased to come from Hierath. A year later, when the Bolshevists sent back the prisoner, Hierath was not among them. At last two officers who had been interned with him brought word that he had died in 1920.

Refused To Believe.

For four years Margarethe Hierath refused to believe herself a widow. She maintained that the Bolshevists detained her husband because of his monarchist sentiments. Two years ago she abandoned all hope and applied for pension as the widow of an officer. The war office summoned the two officers who had reported Hierath dead, and they said that the officer had died seven months before the date of the proxy marriage and a few weeks after Hierath's letter authorizing the marriage arrived.

The case passed through many courts. Now the high court has decided against the young widow.

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He Leading a Dog's Life Now



A dog's life is what Castallian, imported racing greyhound, seems to be leading. The hound, winner of many prizes on tracks in this country, is shown in the dental chair of Dr. C. E. Raschor of Hagerstown, M. D., having two molar cavities filled.

RAILROADS

(Continued from Page 1)

also of all railroads in the United States. The big freight trains now move on schedule, just as passenger trains.

Investments Responsible

"Huge investments are responsible for this better service. We now are given proper returns on capital invested. Men are paid higher wages and last but not least our employes are cooperating, thus giving the best service with the least cost.

"Railroads are looking forward and planning enormous programs for the future. Investments are made in confidence. They are doing new things—they are cooperating with the air and air service. It is the job of the railroads to cooperate with all new enterprises."

In speaking of the muchly discussed question of valuation, General Atterbury said that the matter of determining valuation is not so important a qestion now as it was when it first arose. "A fair return on our investments is our chief concern. The real question is, what are we actually able to pay on our investments. We must protect rail rates from unwise reductions."

The rail president here praised the railroad and utilities commission for the results of their work in the various states and he concluded his address by advocating a seven year term for commissioners.

President John F. Shaughnessy of Nevada, in commenting upon his morning address in which he advocated a flat 10 cent per ton rate as an aid to agriculture and livestock said that under his plan freight earnings would be pooled. However, he said this is not a question that he would go into now, saying that it was a matter which must be worked out.

MAINE KEEPS PRIMARY

'No's' Lead In State When Issue Of Primary Repeal Is Put Up To Vote Of People.

PORTLAND, Maine, Oct. 18 (AP)—First returns from today's special election in Maine on the repeal or retention of the direct primary law showed the "no's" leading by a considerable margin.

Returns from 34 election precincts out of 633 in the state representing 34 towns and cities gave:

For repeal 1,158.
Against 1,705.

GIRL SUICIDES

Was Despondent For Several Days Says Friends; Shotgun Was Used To Inflict Fatal Wound.

GOOSE CREEK, Oct. 18 (AP)—Miss Louise Dittman, 26, died near here almost instantly Tuesday as a result of gunshot wounds. The discharge from a shotgun entered just above the left breast.

Friends of the family said she had been despondent for several days. Miss Dittman was employed by the Humble Oil and Refining company in Houston. Her father Carl Dittman, operates a hotel in Goose Creek.

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JAMES ANNOUNCES FOR STATE OFFICE

DIRECTOR OF TEXAS COUNCIL OF SAFETY MAKES RACE FOR SUPERINTENDENT

AUSTIN, Oct. 17.—W. E. James of Austin will be a candidate in the 1928 campaign for the office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction he said here Saturday.

Mr. James has been engaged in school work in Texas since 1909, except for the past 18 months during which he has devoted activities of the Texas Council of Safety, and was connected with the State department of education as rural school supervisor for four years. He has taught in the rural schools of his native county, in the North Texas State Teachers' College and in each of the Universities of which he is a graduate.

A native Texan, reared on the farm, James first attended a rural school in his community and later the Edgewood High School. He is a graduate of the North Texas State Teachers College, B. A. Graduate University and an M. A. graduate of the University of Texas. He has practically completed the courses required for the Ph. D. degree in the University of Texas, and is well known as a public speaker.

He made the following statement regarding his candidacy:

"I am going to make the race for the important office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction because I want to be State Superintendent, and because I sincerely believe that the office will give me an opportunity to render a greater service to the state than I can possible render in my present position.

APPORTION STOCK OF DEFUNCT LINE

UNITED STATES COURT CLERK ACTING AS RECEIVER FOR ORIENT RAILROAD

(By Associated Press)

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 18. — Apportionment of the stock of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railroad company was completed today by Frank L. Campbell, Topeka, clerk of the United States district court in Kansas, and special master appointed by the court to receive applications of note holders for the stock.

The American note holder's committee received approximately 57 per cent of the stock. Both the English and American committees paid in cash the full amount of $71.61 a share for the stock, under the terms of a decision of the circuit court of appeals at St. Louis.

The next step will be a report of the special master on the apportionment and a formal order of the court approving the division.

When that is done the Orient ixourt-athoughdlu shrdlu shrdlu may function under the reorganized plan, with the English note holders having about 41 per cent of the stock and two per cent in the hands of independent note holders.

The reorganized railroad is headed by William T. Kemper, Kansas City, receiver for the last eight years.

City To Enforce Gas Law Ruling

Stringent enforcement of section 4, of Gas Ordinance 360 which governs the piping of gas into homes of Lubbock, was pledged yesterday by city officials. Under this ordinance anyone desiring to have gas piped into his home or to do the piping himself, must first secure a permit from the city offices, located on the second floor of the city hall. Charges of the licenses are $1.50 each.

IN THE PRAISE OF YOUTH

Orville Wright, praising Charles A. Lindbergh at a dinner in Dayton, said:

"Only a young man could have achieved this feat. For youth is braver than age. It is more generous, too more honorable. Yes, it's better all around."

The great airman smiled rather sadly.

"The good don't realy die young" he said, "They outgrow it."

Post Office Helps Big Spring Serve

(Special To The Avalanche)

BIG SPRING, Oct. 18. — The postoffice department at Washington has recognized the tremendous growth taking place in Big Spring and Howard county. Many changes and extensions have been made in service. In every instance the change has been made necessary due to the fast development taking place.

According to J. W. Ward, post master at Big Spring there has been an increase of more than $2,600 in postal receipts for the quarter ending September 1, over the same quarter for last year. During the recent period of development taking place in Howard county, there has been established a postoffice at Vealmoore, 20 miles north of Big Spring and a Star route to that place that serves the entirely new community that has been built there by he new farmers who have purchased homes in the Slaughter pastures, and put them into farms of 160 to 320 acres.

Orr To Speak At Opening of Gin

President John T. Orr of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton association will make the principal address for the opening of the new Farm Bureau cotton gin at Levelland on October 27. Other speakers for the opening have been announced as M. E. Hays, director of field service and Lynn Stokes, manager of the state gin corporation.

This will be followed by a program from the school children, and a picnic at the school house at 5:30 in the afternoon. The gin has been in operation about 10 days.

Three Suits Are Filed Yesterday

Three suits, all of different nature, were filed in the courts here yesterday. Suit for debt was entered in the seventy-second district court by the Temple Trust company against J. H. Patrick, Mattie L. Patrick, R. B. Patrick and Moore Patrick. The Panhandle Construction company has entered suit on a pavement lien against C. J. Lyne, Charles J. Lyne and George Lyne. Then, in the ninty-ninth court, a suit for divorce was filed.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE — By Ahern



Big Spring Buys New Water Pump

(Special To The Avalanche)

BIG SPRING, Oct. 18.—In addition to the 30,000 feet of water mains recently installed in the city of Big Spring, a booster pump has been purchased and will be installed within the next few days, according to a report of City Manager Mantin. With this pump the pressure can be increased to a maximum pressure even in the residential districts at the foot of Big Spring mountain. Pressure valves placed in the main lines which regulate the pressure not allowing it to run too high in the lower part of the business district.

Arrest Couple In Robbery of House

Officers believe that the robbery of a house belonging to S. Rep'in, a Lubbock merchant, at 1404 Texas avenue, has been solved with the arrest here yesterday of Enoch Sharp and his wife, Myrtle Sharp, on charges of burglary and theft.

The pair were arrested on a farm about seven miles east of town. Part of the lost was recoveried including a suit of clothes, men's hats and dress goods.

The pair came here from Borger and have been here only about two months, according to Sheriff Johnson.

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Lockney Now Has Restricted Part

(Special To The Avalanche)

LOCKNEY, Oct. 18.—Lockney's residential section is to have its first restricted addition.

D. R. Shields and M. W. Stokes California operators and more recently of Midland, Texas, are now preparing for the sale of 50 residential lots of their addition in West Lockney. Every modern convenience is to be furnished, streets graded, and trees and shrubbery planted, making this addition one of the most desirable in the city. Only high class, modern homes are allowed to be built in this addition as it is the ideal of the developers to leave it as a monument of their work of which they can justly be proud.

The name of the addition has not been chosen and according to the owners, a suitable reward will be given to the person suggesting the name chosen.

The clearing of the ground has already begun, however, the opening day of the sale has not yet been announced due to the fact that a large amount of work, consisting of the laying of gas, water and sewer mains, will be necessary before the lots are ready for sale.

Stokes and Shields have just completed the Belmont Addition to the city of Midland, Texas.

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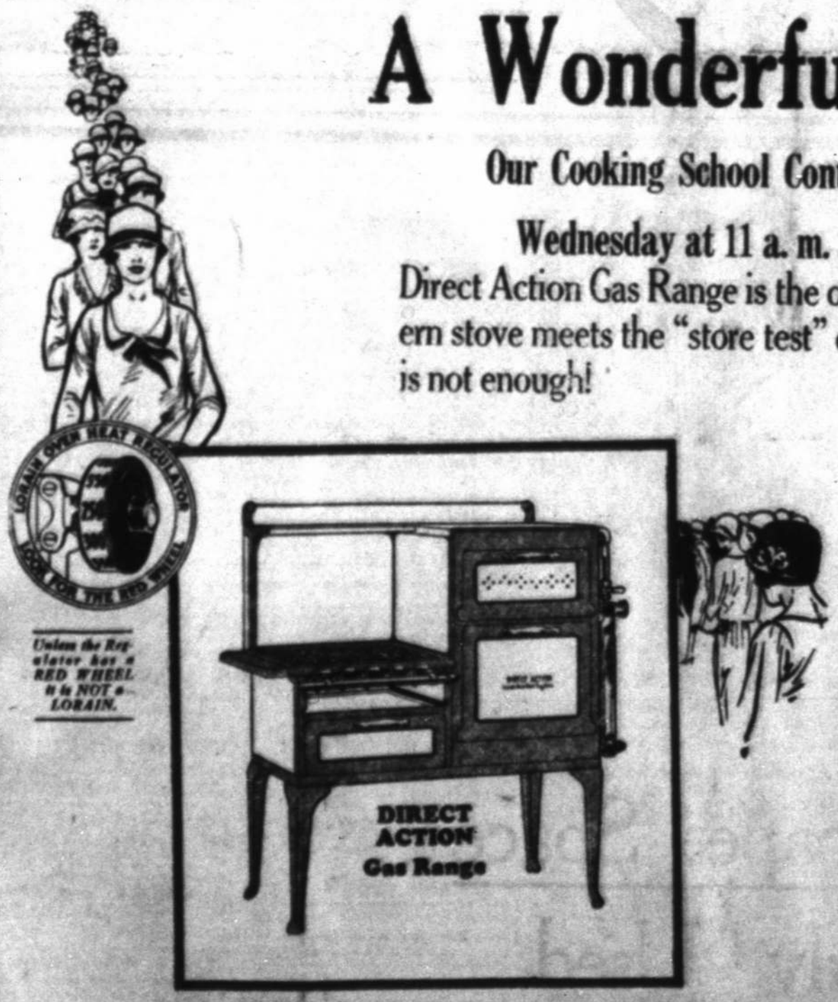
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Continues at same hours Wednesday and Thursday

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Our cooking school will teach you about gas cooking, as well as gas ranges. It is to your advantage to attend it.



WHAT HAS BEEN TOLD:

Frank Norfleet, a Texas rancher, swindled out of $43,000 by the old stock exchange game by members of an international confidence ring at Dallas, Texas, resolves to sacrifice his last dollar, if necessary, to break up the ring. Vague clues lead to Corpus Christi, and to San Antonio and then a peculiar hunch takes him to San Bernardino, California, where he finds two of his men in jail. Norfleet returns to Ft. Worth to get grand jury indictments before he can take his man from the state of California and on the way to Fort Worth meets an elderly Georgia woman on the train who had been a detective in her younger days. She promises to watch for the men and advise him quickly if she gets a trace of them. The two swindlers are brought to Fort Worth where one of them is identified by Peter J. Nee of Washington as a man who swindled him out of several thousand dollars. Norfleet learns from one of the swindlers that, when the money taken from him had been divided by the gang at San Antonio a poker game was rudely interrupted by Reno Hamlin, a member of the gang, who, armed with two six shooters broke up the game and confiscated the spoils. The men are left in the Fort Worth jail and Norfleet returns to his hotel where he finds a letter from the Georgia woman whom he had met on the train, in which she describes a man she had seen while traveling who surely was a confidence man and who might have been Spencer, one of Norfleet's swindlers and who was headed for Florida. Norfleet leaves immediately for Jacksonville where he makes a thorough search. He then goes to St. Augustine to watch the crowds of summer vacationists to find his men.

Chapter Nine

From Tampa I drifted with the tide of gayety down to St. Petersburg. This little watering place was not as lively as Miami, Palm Beach and Jacksonville, but I could not afford to overlook it. Perhaps it might be the more logical place to search, since it was inhabited and patronized by more of the common folk who were out for a vacation and who did not care to mingle in the snobbish atmosphere of the more popular places. It was this sort of common, solid, well-to-do people that the confidence men sought as victims.

I spent a good bit of time at the boat landing watching the newcomers as they came ashore.

Faces . . . . Faces . . Faces. . . .

At the end of the day, my brain reeled with the memory of them. Seldom did I see one that I had seen before. It was tiresome work.

There is a strain, physical as well as mental, in watching for a certain face among thousands. One must scan them all, quickly passing from one to another, hesitating now and then when a slight resemblance to the face one seeks shows in a fleeting smile or frown. It is a heart breaking task to give one's whole mind to such an undertaking and to have the day to end with no reward for one's effort.

One early afternoon I decided to call it a day and go back to the hotel. I left the boat landing where a great white liner had emptied her human cargo into the swarming stream of pleasure seekers. On the way I took a turn through the home section of the little city. I had gone but a short way when my attention was attracted to an old couple in the yard before a modest cottage.

The little lawn was enclosed by a low picket fence. In the middle of the grassy plot sat an old lady who was very short and fat. Her voluminous skirts were spread about and she looked like a great umbrella opened out in the sun to dry. She was sobbing heartbrokenly, and an old man by her side was striving to console her. He patted her shoulder soothingly, but she cried all the harder. The old gentleman reached behind him and took hold of the leg of a man's union suit which hung from a near-by clothesline, and, stretching it from the taunt line, wiped the tears from her face. Seeing that her weeping was cut loose in real earnest, the old fellow stood up and looked about him helplessly.

I leaned over the gate.

"What's the trouble?" I asked.

The old man turned toward me, the leg of the union suit still clutched in his hand. In a vague, stunned way he replied.

"Nothin' much. No, nothin'—much—"

"Nothin' much?" the old lady interrupted, bursting out a fresh torrent. "Pa! How can you call it 'nothin' much'?"

The old gentleman brought the leg of the union suit into play again straining the clothesline to a danger point. He blotted her face. She paid little attention to his well-intentioned ministrations and started to talk, catching her sobbing breath between words:

"Nothin' much the matter? Everything's the matter! We've lost ever'thing we have in the world. If that's not much, I'd like to know what is!" she nodded toward her husband. "Husban' always takes things so calm. I don't know what would happen if we were both that way."

I stepped inside, asking if I could do anything to help matters.

I felt inclined to turn the weeping old lady over to rain-barrel, let nature take its course and find out from the old man what was wrong. However, things presently began to dry up slightly and they told me their story.

They had come to St. Petersburg to bask in the winter warmth. Soon after moving into the little cottage where I found them, they casually became acquainted with three men. During the conversation with them one day, the old man said that he and his wife liked Florida so well that they figured on buying a little home in the midst of an orange grove and settling down there. One of the men spoke up and said that he was a realtor and that, if they were interested in St. Petersburg property, he had the very thing they were looking for.

"I am the agent for the property and," indicating one of the men with him "this man owns it."

The old couple—their name was Bockerman, I learned—went the next day to view the little estate. It consisted of several acres under cultivation and a charming bungalow. The orange grove appealed to them, as the fragrant blossoms would renew the honeymoon of Junes gone by.

They were very happy at the prospect.

The price was set at $10,000, a much smaller sum than the place could have commanded in the hands of genuine (real-estate operator) The old couple did not know this and no doubt considered themselves fortunate at being able to get so perfect a home so reasonably. The deal was agreed upon.

The property owner, so the agent said required the money in cash. This suited the Bockermans. It was decided to transfer the money and complete the deal at Clearwater, the county seat.

Accordingly, the Bockermans instructed their bank in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, to transfer their savings to a Clearwater bank which had been designated by one of the three men. The old people engaged an attorney who was an official of the Clearwater bank to make sure that the deal was properly handled.

By appointment, the property owner, his agent and the third man met the Bockermans and their attorney in the directors' room at the bank. The attorney called the Bockerman's attention to a slight typographical error in the deed and cautiously ordered that a new one should be made out.

The old people congratulated themselves upon their choice of such a careful advisor. When the new deed was mentioned, the third man spoke up:

"I happen to have a portable typewriter with me. I'll be glad to type a new copy for you. It will save time and money."

The old people thanked him. Everyone was so kind to them. Perhaps it was because they were elderly, Mrs. Bockerman thought.

The attorney reported that the abstract and title were perfect.

The young typist made an error in the first copy he prepared, and again, at the end of the second copy he made a grievous mistake. He was sorry, but it would not take long to type another. The third copy was also ruined. Something was wrong with his typewriter. He promised a perfect copy on the fourth attempt.

Mr. Bockerman noticed the clock. He nudged his wife.

"It's almost four," he said.

"So I see. I hope he gets through soon. We mustn't have this cash on our hands all night."

She wound the strap of her brown bag once more about her wrist. They both fidgeted, watching the clock, and she spoke again to her husband, from behind her hand.

"Tell him to hurry. If the bank closes before he finishes we won't get this money into a safety deposit box. Tell him to hurry."

The keys of the typewriter clicked rapidly. No one seemed inclined to talk. The owner of the property was reading a newspaper. Then he dozed, while the flies made merry in his stiff beard which stuck off his chin like a whisk broom. The hand on the clock crept nearer the hour of four. The Bockermans twisted uneasily.

"I'm going to ask our lawyer to see that a box is left open for this money, if that fellow doesn't get through in time," Mrs. Brockerman whispered to her husband.

He nodded acquiescence and they turned about to speak to their attorney. His chair was vacant. He had been there just a moment before. Neither had seen him leave. He had sat on a straight line with Mrs. Bockerman. There was a door leading somewhere just at his elbow. The old lady was nervous; she leaned over and spoke in an undertone.

"He must have gone when I leaned over to speak to you. He was there before. Where do you suppose he is?" She gripped the brown bag tighter. "What shall we do?"

One! Two! Three! Four!—the clock chimed out.

The Brockermans rose.

"The bank is closing for the day. See, they have closed the front doors," said Mr. Brockerman. "We'll have to wait and close the deal tomorrow. It's too bad, but the bank is shut."

The agent suddenly became alert. All three of the men sprang to their feet.

"It may be shut for you, but it's never closed for us!" the pseudo-property owner exclaimed. He snatched the bag on the old lady's wrist. She flung her hand up and tried to evade him; one of the others caught her hand in the air and yanked it backward, tearing the bag from her gasp and cutting her arm cruelly with the tight strap.

(Continued Tomorrow)

Big Spring Host To Hardware Assn.

BIG SPRING, Oct. 18. — Big Spring has donned her entertainment clothes for the coming of hardware dealers over West Texas who will be the guests of this city on October 18. This is a district meeting of the West Texas Hardware and Implement Dealers association of Texas. Field Representative Pfaff arrived in Big Spring Friday, October 14 and has been busy whipping details into shape for the occasion. Joye Fisher of the J. & W. Fisher company of Big Spring will be chairman of the meeting. A banquet will be given the visiting delegates Tuesday night at the First Methodist church. This affair will be complimentary from the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce.

Delegates will be here from 15 West Texas counties, according to reports received by Joye Fisher, district chairman for the convention.

The banquet will be served in the basement of the new Methodist church. It will be prepared and served by the ladies of the Methodist congregation.

Find No Trace Of Comanche Thieves

No trace had been found last night, it was reported, of the men who were said to have robbed a store in Comanche of $1600 worth of goods, including men's suits, ladies' dresses, coats and other articles, this week.

A sharp lookout for men answering the description given in the robbery report out of Comanche was being kept here.

A reward of $200 has been offered for apprehension of the marauders and return of the merchandise.

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WANTED—Young man for clerical position in wholesale firm, opportunity for advancement. Address Box 474, care Avalanche.

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10. FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

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Nicely furnished front rooms. Near college. Phone 256-W.

FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, close in. Phone 751-J. 1529 Ave. J.

11. UNFURNISHED APARTMENTS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, close in. Phone 979-J. 716 Ave L.

12. FURNISHED APARTMENTS FOR RENT

Furnished three room apartment, water and light furnished, modern, garage if desired. Adults only. 1411 Ave. L. Phone 1673-J.

Furnished apartment for rent on 13th between M and N. Phone 347.

Three room furnished apartment. Private bath. 1907 Ave. S. Phone 1419-W.

Modern 3-room furnished apartment, close in. Call 241.

Two room furnished apartment. Call at 1915 Ave. O.

Furnished 2-room apartment, electric range, modern, close in. Adults only. 1516 Ave. G.

13. BED ROOMS FOR RENT

Two bed rooms furnished, private bath, private entrance. Call 77.

Two nicely furnished south bedrooms, private southeast entrance, furnace heat, nice bath. Phone 515 1415 Broadway.

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms with kitchen privileges. Mrs. H. O. Waters. 1524 Broadway. Phone 494.

FOR RENT — Nicely furnished front bedroom, adjoining bath, on pavement. Phone 642-W.

FOR RENT—Corner bedroom, modern conveniences, 1 block from Tech Ave. Phone 755.

Nice large east front furnished bedroom in brick home, convenient walking distance to town. Avenue O. First door south Broadway.

East front bedroom, private entrance. Phone and bath convenient to rooms. 1208 Ave. O. Phone 631.

FOR RENT — Nicely furnished front bedroom and adjoining bath on pavement. Phone 642-W.

NICELY furnished bedroom, next to bath, thermite heat, private entrance. Phone 1132W.

LARGE corner bedroom for ladies only. Gas heat. 1602 Broadway. Phone 767.

FOR RENT—Furnished room for 1 or 2 boys. 2220 13th street.

14. BOARD AND ROOM

ROOM AND BOARD FOR TECH BOYS. 2203 8TH ST. PHONE 1353J.

WANTED—Roomers and boarders 1016 Ave. H. Phone 1419-J.

BOARD AND ROOM — CLOSE IN. GENTLEMEN PREFERRED. PHONE NO. 1354W

Cheap bedrooms, also room and board. 1304 Ave. N. Phone 1119.

SPURLOCK HOTEL

15. OFFICE SPACE

Double office in Temple Ellis building with lease at $30 per month. Call 917-J.

17. WANTED TO BUY

WANTED
5,000 Sacks
Will pay 3 1-2c
No Holes
THOMAS GRAIN COMPANY
Phone 324

WANTED TO BUY—Will pay cash for all classes of hogs and cattle. McDonald Packing Co.

SELL US YOUR SECOND-HAND FURNITURE. WE DO REPAIRING OF ALL KINDS.
SPIKES BROS.
PHONE 369 1212 AVE. H

WANTED SECOND HAND TYPEWRITER DESK AND CHAIR. CALL ARMOUR & CO.

20. FOR SALE OR TRADE

Some good 5 and 10-acre tracts on Groomfield and Levelland highways small cash payment and terms on balance. Room 204 Leader Bldg., John W. Jarrott.

Five room house for sale or trade. Apply Goodyear Shoe Shop.

FOR SALE — Modern four-room house, 1-2 block school at end of pavement. Will consider good car as part payment. See M. E. Kimberlin at Lubbock Fruit and Vegetable Co.

20. FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE — Modern six-room house in Slaton. Desirable location. Telephone 1554J, Lubbock.

FOR SALE OR TRADE
1926 STUDEBAKER COACH. FORDSON TRACTOR AND TANDEM DISC. WILL TRADE FOR SMALL HOUSE OR TOWN LOTS.
R. Q. STUBBS
509 Broadway Phone 652-J

TO TRADE
ABILENE REIDENCE TO TRADE FOR LUBBOCK PROPERTY
Box 935, Abilene, Texas

FOR SALE—Meat market, up-to-date fixtures, good cash business, best location in Slaton. Write box 78, Avalanche for information.

LOOK

FOR SALE—New, strictly modern, six room home, large shade trees. 1612 16th street.

Also five room home. Plastered. Hand stippled. See this home. Centrally located. Attractive terms. Phone 78-J.

160 ACRE FARM nine miles S. E. Farwell, Texas, in good community, to trade for home in Lubbock. Box 84 Farwell, Texas.

18. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE
BRICK THEATRE BUILDING, 25x120

In good town, no opposition; seventeen to twenty thousand dollars worth of maize and cotton marketed daily. Write—

E. T. DANIELL
OWNER
Idalou, Texas

21. FOR EXCHANGE

FOR TRADE
ONE LABOR OF LAND IN BAILEY COUNTY, AND ONE IN LAMB COUNTY, FOR LUBBOCK PROPERTY, IMPROVED OR UNIMPROVED. ADDRESS D. L. J. AVALANCHE-JOURNAL.

22. FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED EVERY HEN IN LUBBOCK COUNTY TO EAT BEWLEY'S EGG-LAY. EGGS SCARCE — PRICE HIGH.—HAY DAVIDSON

FOR SALE—McCormick Deering tractors. See or call F. N. Griffith, care Nislar Hardware, International Harvester representative.

Fresh Country Eggs
35c Dozen
Come and Get Yours
Lubbock Feed & Hatchery
819 Main St. Phone 1534

SAND and GRAVEL
Phone 324
Thomas Sand and Gravel Co.

For Sale Brick Chili
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
WE DELIVERY
Waffle & Chili Parlor
1008 13th. Phone 48

FOR RENT, SELL OR TRADE—7-room house, good location. Phone 902. P. O. Box 2204, Lubbock.

STORAGE WANTED
ANY KIND—BONDED WAREHOUSE—1208 AVE. H
PHONE 670

OVERFELT
AMARILLO—LUBBOCK

23. MISCELLANEOUS

BELL PLUMBING COMPANY
PLUMBING AND GAS WORK
27 YEARS' EXPERIENCE
PHONE 842
1911 AVENUE K

C. M. HAWES MATTRESS AND UPHOLSTERING CO. NEW MATTRESS TO ORDER; ALSO RENOVATING. OLDEST PLANT ON THE PLAINS. PHONE 868—509 BROADWAY.

YOUR CHANCES are better of getting good results if you run your Ad from three to six times. It costs little more.

23. MISCELLANEOUS

Expert Radio Repairing
Radio Parts
Owens Electric Co.
Phone 718 Dyke Cullum Bldg

ROCHE NEWTON & CO.
Plumbing, Gas Heating
"The Better Kind"
Phone 28 1216 Texas Ave.

INTERIOR DECORATORS
First class painting and paper hanging. All work guaranteed satisfactory.
W. L. KNIGHT & SON
Phone 978-J 712 Ave. L

24. FURNITURE FOR SALE

Good five burner oil stove. Phone 967-J or call at 2317 16th street.

FOR SALE — BED AND DRESSER. PHONE 1353J. 2203 8TH STREET.

WANTED
Your old stove in trade for a New Process GAS RANGE!
NEW PROCESS APPLIANCE CO.
Conley Bldg. Phone 115

26. HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—New five room modern residence at actual cost. Good terms. Phone 1554-W.

27. REAL ESTATE

MR. PROSPECTOR

We maintain quite an extensive farm and land agency—and concentrate on city property—we have some real bargains. See us before you buy—

LEWELLIN & LEWELLIN
Phone 771-M Brown Bldg

If you want a farm read this! 356 acres 2 1-2 miles north Levelland on Levelland-Littlefield highway. $7000.00 worth improvements, 250 acres cultivation. $65.00 per acre. Also some real buys in city property.
TOM JONES REALTY CO.
Office Hotel Lubbock

HOMES

Six room brick veneer, modern, paving paid, near High school, $6500; 59 foot lot, 17th street, good value, $750; 5 room brick veneer, dandy location, $4500 cash, balance easy, $4500; 50 foot lot, paving paid 19th street, $325; 5 room brick, new on 18th street, terms, only $4650. See A. H. Martin or Chas. F. O'Neall. Phone 226.

Your ad in the Avalanche and Journal goes to 6,000 South Plains homes.—There is no other possible way to reach so many people daily —at such a small cost as there is through a newspaper — Avalanche and Journal classified ads bring results.

New 6-room brick, open fireplace, oak floors, cemented basement, gas, garage, must sell, will take car or lot or $300 as first payment, at bargain price. Write Box 9, care Avalanche-Journal.

Nothing down and only $40 per mo. buys this extra good modern 5 room bungalow, gas, garage, also rent house; lawn and shade. Fine neighbors. Write at once. Box 100, care Avalanche-Journal.

COCHRAN COUNTY

320 acres raw land eight miles northeast of county seat, being the south half of Section 4, Block V. Debt $2,800.00. Price $12.50 per acre. Will trade for good automobile or town property.

P. F. MURRAY
202 Leader Bldg. Lubbock

FOR SALE OR TRADE
LOTS, CLEAR, TO TRADE FOR HOUSE.
FOUR-ROOM HOUSE AND CHEVROLET COACH, '27 MODEL —BOTH CLEAR, TO TRADE FOR FIVE-ROOM HOUSE. WILL ALSO TRADE FOR LAND.
HAVE NEW HOMES FOR SALE AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES AND TERMS.
RALEIGH MARTIN
Avalanche Bldg.
PHONE 1423

Avalanche-Journal Want Ads Pay

27. REAL ESTATE

BUY A FARM—DO IT NOW

194 acres raw cat claw 20 miles from Lubbock, $5.00 per acre down, 10 years on balance, 6 per cent.

177 acres Hockley county, near school, gin and town of Smyer on Santa Fe railroad. Price $35.00 per acre. $7.00 per acre payment. Deferred payments, 6 per cent, 10 years years.

254 acres improved in cultivation on highway, near good town. See the growing crops, price $65.00 per acre. $10.00 per acre down and balance $10.00 per acre down and balance 10 years 6 per cent.

160 acres Gaines county. Price $11.00. No oil lease. Easy terms.

We are offering over 300,000 acres of choice South Plains farm lands from $11.00 to $40.00 per acre. Best terms possible, at 6 per cent. We will be glad to furnish all information on the South Plains to you and the newcomer. Ask us. Write or see—

P. F. MURRAY
202 Leader Bldg. Lubbock Texas
"The Hub of the Plains"

GAINES COUNTY

Have several tracts near Seagraves, 160 acres, 320 acres, 640 acres, Price $20.00 and $25.00 per acre. Leased for oil. Rentals 50 cents per acre. Will accept town property, good car or livestock as part payment.

P. F. MURRAY
202 Leader Bldg. Lubbock, Texas

YOUR CHANCES are better of getting good results if you run your Ad from three to six times. It costs little more.

AT A BARGAIN
My land near Levelland.
MARY L. BEARD
Route No. 2 Box 217,
Gardena, Calif.

28. WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT on or before Nov. 15, 5 strictly modern five or six-room house, piped for gas and with garage. Couple desiring house appreciate value of taking care of desirable property. Write box 26, care Avalanche.

29. FINANCIAL

CITY LOANS

Payments semi-annual, average only $12.25 per month. No commissions or attorney fees.
CHAS. H. READ
Rush Building. Phone 824

FARM LOANS

Lowest interest rates. No commissions and no stock to buy. The only contract permitting payment of part any time during year without penalty. We make inspections.
CHAS. H. READ
Rush Building Phone 824

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New or refinanced monthly loans at $12.50 per $1000. Annual loans on residences at 8 per cent and 7 per cent on business property; 60 per cent valuation and quick commitments.

INSURANCE AND BONDS, ALL KINDS
J. A. McCELVEY, AGENCY
223 Ellis Bldg. Phone 1111

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NEW OR RE-FINANCED
Quick service, convenient monthly payments, home capital. Exceptional repayment privileges.
LUBBOCK BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION
Ground floor Lub. Nat'l Bank Bldg.
Phone 290

INSURANCE
LOANS—BONDS
GILLON & McAFEE
416 Ellis Bldg. Phone 234

FRANK JONES, AGENT
LOANS—INSURANCE, OIL INVESTMENTS
CITIZENS NAT'L BANK
PHONE 336

29. FINANCIAL

CITY LOANS

Let us refinance that old high priced loan into cheaper rate at $12.50 per thousand per month. We will make you a five year loan at 7 per cent. Cannot be beat in Lubbock.
GREEN BROS.
206 Leader Bldg. Phone 1107

SAM J. CULWELL INSURANCE
Lands, Leases and City Loans
220 TEMPLE ELLIS BDG.
Phone 1401

33. LIVE STOCK

FOR SALE TWO FRESH MILK COWS. PHONE 187 W. M. RICHARDSON.

WANTED TO BUY

Will pay highest cash price for fat cattle and hogs. M System Markets. Phone 189.

Try an Avalanche-Journal want ad and watch the results

33. LIVE STOCK

FOR TRADE—Clear lot for Jersey or Holstein cows. Phone 630-W. P. O. Box 1411.

35. WOMANS COLUMN

SHUR WAVE BEAUTY SHOP
MARCELS 50c
1316 16th St. Phone 946-W

36. NOTICES

REMOVAL NOTICE
To my friends and customers
C. C. HOLT, Watchmaker
Formerly with G. K. Watkins will be located at
MEYERS JEWELRY AND MUSIC STORE
1008 Broadway

WILSON ABSTRACT CO.
Plant Established 1902
One of the best equipped abstract plants in Texas covering every foot of land in Lubbock, Hockley and Cochran counties.
(In Our Own Home)
904 Wilson Bldg. Phone 183
Notary Work

NOTICE TO GAS FITTERS AND PROPERTY OWNERS IN LUBBOCK

From this date the following provision in Section IV, of Gas Ordinance No. 360 will be enforced:

"No individual, firm or corporation shall enter upon the installation, construction or reconstruction of any work provided for herein until a permit has been issued by the Plumbing Inspector, covering each installation or addition to be made, and when required by said City Plumbing Inspector plans and specifications for the proposed work must be filed with him before the permit is granted or during the progress of said work."

Signed at Lubbock, Texas, this 19th day of October, A. D. 1927.
G. C. MERRILL
Plumbing Inspector

SPECIAL SALE
OF FINE FURS
See our display window at 1111 Ave. J.
Also remodeling of all kinds of furs.
MRS. L. M. CRUNK
1111 Ave. J. Phone 732

37. AUTOMOBILES

WHITE COW SERVICE STATION
601 BROADWAY. PHONE 663
Cities Service Gas and Oils.
Fisk Tires and Tubes
Cars Washed, Greased and Polished.
Mechanical Service in building.
Reasonable charges on storage.

USED CARS FOR SALE

1926 Nash Brougham, runs and looks like new $375.00
1926 Hudson Brougham, lots of extras, the best buy we have ever had at $950.00
1925 Star coupe, new tires, good shape throughout, a bargain at $375.00

HUB MOTOR CO.
HUDSON-ESSEX
106 Ave. H Phone 1178

BATTERY SERVICE
Lubbock Battery & Electric
CALL 262

—1926 Nash Coupe
—1926 Dodge Touring
—1924 Ford Coupe
—1925 Nash Touring
—1926 Dodge Sedan
—1926 Nash Sedan
—1925 Ford Touring
—1923 Buick Touring
—1924 Nash Touring
—1926 Essex Coach

LUBBOCK NASH CO.
PHONE 905

CHEVROLET
12th and Ave. J
BUSINESS IS BRISK

The following used cars have much real service in them and are priced to sell. Come to see us:

—1924 Ford Coupe
—1926 Ford Touring
—1926 Chevrolet Coach
—1925 Chevrolet Coupe
—One Dodge Touring
—1923 Chevrolet Truck

Now is a good time to purchase one of these amazing quality new Chevrolets. Bring the used car in for appraisal.

KUYKENDALL CHEVROLET COMPANY

LEBERGER NAMED TO TAKE PLACE OF EUGENE V. DEBS

NEW YORK, Oct. 18. (AP)—Election of Congressman Victor Leberger, secretary of Wisconsin, to succeed the late Eugene V. Debs, as chairman of the National Executive Commission of the Socialist party was announced at the local headquarters of the socialist organization here tonight.

37. AUTOMOBILES

USED CAR SALE

Hupp Six Sedan.
Hupp Four Sedan.
Chrysler "70" Sedan.
Buick Six Coupe.
Buick Six Touring.
Hudson Coach.
Oldsmobile Sedan.
Star Coach.
Ford Touring.

If you want a late model automobile at a substantial reduction in price, come and see these cars.

OPEN EVENINGS
WEST TEXAS MOTOR CO.
1312-14 Broadway Phone 1191

Chrysler "52" Chrysler "62"
LOOK! LOOK!
Chrysler "50" Coach.
Chrysler "70" Brougham.
Chrysler "58" Coupe.
Hudson Coach, late new paint.
Chevrolet Coupe, 1926 model.
Studebaker Duplex, roadster.
Don't overlook these bargains. Get our prices and terms first.
JOE HILTON CO.
Used Car Department
919 Texas Ave. Phone 627
Chrysler "52" Chrysler "50"

BROWN BATTERY & ELECTRIC CO
All Kinds of Electrical and Battery Work
PRICES REASONABLE
1014 Ave. H Phone 442

THE BUICKS LISTED BELOW

are all guaranteed and have new paint and casings, motors in first class shape.

1924 Buick 4 passenger coupe.
1925 Buick 4 passenger coupe.
1925 Buick roadster.
1926 Buick coach.
1926 Dodge Coupe.
1927 Buick opera Master.
1927 Buick coupe standard.
1926 Studebaker coach.
1924 Wyllis-Knight Sedan.

Small down payment, balance easy.
SLAUGHTER MOTOR CO.
Phone 795 Cor. 19th and J

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lubbock County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon James W. Brown by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the Seventy-second District Court of Lubbock County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Lubbock, Texas, on the first Monday in November A. D. 1927, the same being the 7th day of November A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 4th day of October A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 9091, wherein Mildred Brown is Plaintiff, and James W. Brown is Defendant, and said petition alleging that Plaintiff is now and has been an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas for a period of more than twelve months prior to exhibiting the petition herein, and has resided in the said Lubbock County, Texas for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit; that on or about the 13th day of November A. D. 1876, Plaintiff was lawfully married to Defendant; that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 4th day of May, A. D. 1925 when by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of Defendant toward Plaintiff she was forced and compelled to permanently abandon him, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. This suit is brought for divorce and for dissolution of the marriage relations between Plaintiff and Defendant and for custody of Plaintiff of one child born to said marriage; for restoration of Plaintiff's name back to what it was before said marriage and for special and general relief, in law and in equity.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Lubbock, Texas, this the 4th day of October A. D. 1927.

FLORA GREEN
Clerk, District Court, Lubbock County
(SEAL)

ATTORNEY GENERAL O. K.'S BONDS FOR CITY BEEVILLE

AUSTIN, Oct. 18. (AP)—Finding no errors in records, the attorney general's department today approved $172,750 worth of bonds, $125,750 in City of Beeville refunding bonds and $54,000 Dimmit county special road bonds.

Don't—Please Do!

George—What would you do if I kissed you?

Helen—I'd call grandma—dear old grandma, who is so very deaf.

Women! Defeat Your Ills!



Port Arthur, Texas.—"I have taken Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription off and on when I would feel rundown in health and it always built me up and helped me a great deal in many ways. I can highly recommend it to be a wonderful medicine for ailing women. I don't believe it ever fails if given a fair trial."
—Mrs. D. D. Williams, 627-10th St.

Obtain Dr. Pierce's Prescription now, in liquid, large bottles $1.35, or tablets, 65c, from your druggist or send 10c for trial pkg. of tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo. Ever tried Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets for the stomach and bowels? 60 Pellets, 30 cts.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

NEW WALLPAPER NOW IN STOCK WILL MAKE YOUR HOME MORE ATTRACTIVE AND CHEERFUL DURING THE LONG WINTER MONTHS AHEAD

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Surgery
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Complete Diagnostic Laboratory, including X-Ray and Modern Physic Therapy
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T. C. GENTRY
X-Ray and Laboratory Technician
H. S. Ellwood
Business Manager

Everlay Egg Mash
"EGG INSURANCE"
ECONOMY MILLS
PHONE 1266

CRUDE OUTPUT IS STILL DECREASING

ALL TEXAS FIELDS SHOW DECLINE DURING WEEK JUST CONCLUDED

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The daily average gross crude oil production in the United States decreased 32,450 barrels for the week ended October 15, totaling 2,494,350 barrels, says the weekly summary of the American Petroleum Institute today. The average production east of California was 1,865,150 barrels, a decrease of 28,650 barrels.

Daily average (barrels), difference (barrels.)

Oklahoma, 790,200; decrease 16,900.

Kansas, 140,750; decrease 50.

Panhandle, 90,200; decrease 450.

North Texas, 82,150; decrease 850

West Texas, 62,400; decrease 1,650.

West Texas, 205,950; decrease 5,200.

East Central Texas, 28,700; decrease 1,200.

Southwest Texas 27,350; decrease 200.

North Louisiana 51,600; decrease 250.

Arkansas 101,050; increase 850.

Coastal Texas 126,250; decrease 5,000.

Coastal Louisiana 15,200; increase 900.

Eastern 113,000; increase 1,000.

Wyoming 50,000; increase 950.

Montana 13,750.

Colorado 6,400; decrease 300.

California 629,200; decrease 3,800.

Total 2,494,350; decrease 32,450.

Daily average imports of petroleum at principal ports for the week ended October 15 totalled 192,715 barrels compared with 128,758 barrels for the previous week and 187,893 for the four weeks ended October 15. Daily averages receipts of California oil at Atlantic and gulf ports for the week ended October 15 totalled 14,929 barrels compared with 107,857 for the previous week, and 106,750 for the four weeks ended October 15.

New Church To Be Built At Lockney

(Special To The Avalanche)

LOCKNEY, Oct. 18.—A church building, modern in every respect and to be built with the needs of the future in view, that is the plans of the Church of Christ at this place.

The site has been purchased and the excavation contract let and the work is expected to be under way within one week, pending the arrival of construction materials that have been ordered.

Practically one year previous under the leadership of Elder Early Arceneaux, the campaign was started, and now, although all of the money has not been raised, the church is starting the new edifice with the hope of having all of the money necessary upon completion.

The building will involve an expenditure of approximately $17,000 and will be large enough to take care of an increasing congregation in keeping with the advancement of the city.

Realty Transfers

W. L. Pattilo et ux to A. J. Sanders WD 10-11-27, $3001, S. 1-2 section 94 block C.

Max Borger et ux to C. P. Negl WD 10-7-27, $1, N. 1-2 section 33 block D-5.

William J. Weaks et ux et al to W. L. Ellwood WD 9-17-27, $1499, lot 4 block 106, Overton.

Action R. Baker et ux to W. I. Curtis WD 2-3-27, $6102, lot 20 block 103, Overton.

James H. Goodman to J. W. Baze WD 10-14-27 $750, lot 19 block 77, Overton.

Bertha Robertson et vir to W. F. Martin Jr. et al WD 8-29-27, $10,400, block 17 Kokernot subd. of League 3, and W 1-2 league 2, S. A. C. S. L.

T. W. Jackson et ux to B. F. Condray Jr. et ux WD 10-3-27, $6160, lot 15 block 80, Overton.

"Have you ever given your husband the acid test?"

"It's no use; he can drink anything."

Lubbock Sanitarium

and

LUBBOCK SANITARIUM CLINIC

(A Modern Fireproof Building)

DR. J. T. KRUEGER
Surgery and Consultations

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Diseases of Children

DR. J. P. LATTIMORE
General Medicine

DR. F. S. MALONE
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

DR. J. H. STILES
General Medicine

DR. L. P. SMITH
General Medicine

DR. H. L. GARLAND
General Medicine

MISS AILSIE HERNDON
X-Ray and Laboratory

C. E. HUNT
Business Manager

A chartered Training School for Nurses is conducted in connection with the Sanitarium. Young women who desire to enter training may address the Lubbock Sanitarium.

DAILY MARKETS

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Oct. 18. (AP)—Early advances were followed by reactions in the cotton market today under continued southern and local selling. December contracts sold off from 20.80 to 20.55 and closed at the lowest the general market closing steady, at net declines of 4 to 12 points.

The market opened steady at an advance of 6 to 16 points on reports of light frosts in the south and relatively firm late cables from Liverpool. Southern selling and realizing around the opening figures, was absorbed on slight setbacks, the market working up to 21.02 for March contracts during the forenoon, or about 17 7to 21 points above yesterday's closing quotations.

The official weather details showed rather lower temperatures in some parts of the belt than had been anticipated earlier, and a temperature of 30 degrees was reported at Decatur, Ala., these reports brought in a little more buying, but not active enough to suggest that the cold snap was causing any general anxiety over the crop, and the afternoon market was easier. Trading was quiet and toward the close therde was increased southern hedging and local liquidation which sent prices off to 20.75 for March, or about 27 points from the high level of the morning, 6 points net lower. Closing prices were about the lowest of the day.

Yesterday's narrowing of the difference between December and later deliveries seemed sufficient to facilitate the liquidation of the position, as December was offered a little more freely today and at the close was just 20 points under March or unchanged, compared with the closing difference of Monday.

Private cables from Liverpool reported a quiet steady market, with a steady undertone and more trade calling.

Exports today 18,927 making 1,892,270 so far this season. Port receipts 95,483. U. S. port stocks 2,003,281.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 18. (AP)—Hedge selling, the continued good weather and selling by scalpers carried the cotton market 28 points below the highs established in the early trading. December declined from 21.04@20.76 and closed 20.78, 10 points net down. The general market closed steady at a net loss of 4 to 10 points.

Although Liverpool was lower than expected at the opening here first trades showed gains of 8 to 9 points, due to the reported spot sales of 12,000 bales in the English market. The market continued to advance in the early trading on reports of light frost in the eastern belt and fears of the tropical storm until January traded up to 21.07 and March 21.13, 13 to 17 points above the previous close.

The better weather over the belt generally, induced scalping operations and there was considerable hedge selling against recent heavy purchases in spots. As a result the market turned easy near midday and continued on the downgrade for the remainder of the session with but minor rallies, and reaching the lows in the late trading, with January at 20.80 and March 20.91, 22 to 27 points below the highs and 9 to 10 points under yesterday's close.

There was some covering at the close and prices rallied 1 to 4 points.

The late decline was aided materially by official advices stating that the storm would not reach the cotton region.

Exports for the day totalled 18,927 bales.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Oct. 18. (AP)—Wheat, corn and oats all toppled over today to the lowest prices yet this season. Heavy selling, especially of wheat and corn came from future delivery holders unable or unwilling to face new loses. An outstanding bearish factor was word of resumption of threshing on a general scale in Canada.

Closing quotations on wheat were unsteady, 2 1-8 cents to 2 1-2 cents net lower, corn 1 3-4 cents to 2 1-2 cents down, oats 12 to 5-8 cents to 7-8 to 1 cent off and provisions varying from 100 decline to a rise of 120.

For the most part, provisions were responsive to setbacks in the value of cotton and hogs.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Oct. 18 (AP)—Cattle 10,000; fed steers and fat she stock strong to 15 higher; bulls steady to weak; vealers steady; best fed steers 16.90; yearlings 16.35; most fed steers 13.25@15.35; cows 8.00 downward; stockers slow, weak to 25 lower.

Hogs 26,000; generally 10 to 15 lower; top 11.75; lights 11.00@11.60 mediums 11.45@11.75; butchers 11.00@11.60; sows 9.85@10.15, pigs 9.75@10.25; estimated hold over 10,000.

Sheep 21,000; fat lambs 15 to 25 lower; best natives 13.75; bulk 13.00@13.25; buck lambs 11.00@12.50; fat ewes 5.50@6.25; feeding lambs firm; bulk 13.50@14.00.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Oct. 18. (AP)—Declines of 10 to 15 cents were recorded on a slow market today. Pigs and sows generally were steady.

COTTONSEED OIL

NEW YORK, Oct. 18. (AP)—The cottonseed oil market continued under pressure today and closed 10 to 13 points net lower, with trading fairly active. The development of an easier undertone in the seed and crude situation, coupled with the decline in corn and cotton, promoted renewed liquidation, with refiners also selling the late months apparently against purchases of crude. Sales 22,800 barrels.

Prime crude 9.25; prime yellow spot 10.75; October closed 10.80; December 10.82; January 10.84; March 11.03; May 11.22.

COTTON GOODS

NEW YORK, Oct. 18. (AP)—Cotton goods markets were generally quiet today. New prices on dress ginghams for spring are expected to become effective tomorrow. Mitten flannel prices have been revised for the new association in keeping with higher cotton values. Yarns were in moderate demand, with prices irregular. Wool goods for future fall use in ourthewestern markets were being ordered. Filling-in orders on wool goods were light, but steady. Burlaps showed little change for the day.

WOOL MARKET

BOSTON, Oct. 18 (AP) — Medium grade wools, both fleece and territory and the fine fleece wools as well show less activity. In some instances higher asking prices are factors in slowing up trade. Dealer report standing bids on medium wools at the old prices but the amount they can offer on some lines is limited and replacement is impossible except at higher figures.

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UNION BUS TERMINAL SCHEDULES

LUBBOCK TO AMARILLO

NORTH BOUND—READ DOWN					SOUTH BOUND—READ UP		
8:00AM	10:30AM	2:30PM	5:00PM	LUBBOCK	1:40PM	4:35PM	7:15PM
8:40AM	11:10AM	3:10PM	5:35PM	ABERN'T'Y	1:00PM	4:00PM	6:36PM
9:20AM	11:45AM	3:45PM	6:10PM	HALE CN'T'R	12:25PM	3:25PM	5:55PM
9:45AM	12:10PM	4:10PM	6:30PM	PLAINVIEW	12:00N	3:00PM	5:30PM
10:10AM	12:35PM	4:35PM	7:00PM	KRESS	11:25AM	2:25PM	4:55PM
10:45AM	1:10PM	5:05PM	7:30PM	TULIA	11:00AM	2:00PM	4:30PM
11:15AM	1:50PM	5:45PM	8:05PM	HAPPY	10:20AM	1:20PM	3:55PM
12:00N	2:25PM	6:25PM	8:45PM	CANYON	9:40AM	12:40PM	3:15PM
12:45PM	3:15PM	7:15PM	9:30PM	AMARILLO	9:00AM	12:00N	2:30PM

Convenient connections with Panhandle Oil Fields, Colorado and Oklahoma.

LUBBOCK TO SWEETWATER

SOUTH BOUND—READ DOWN				NORTH BOUND—READ UP		
7:45AM	2:00PM	5:00PM	LUBBOCK	4:00PM	9:00PM	2:00AM
8:25AM	2:35PM	5:40PM	SLATON	3:15PM	8:15PM	1:20AM
8:45AM	3:00PM	6:00PM	SOUTHLAND	2:55PM	8:00PM	1:00AM
9:15AM	3:45PM	7:00PM	POST	2:15PM	7:15PM	12:15AM
9:45AM	4:15PM	7:30PM	JUSTICEBURG	1:50PM	6:30PM	11:30PM
10:30AM	5:00PM	8:10PM	DERMOTT	1:10PM	5:50PM	10:50PM
10:45AM	5:30PM	8:30PM	SNYDER	12:50PM	5:30PM	10:30PM
11:15AM	5:50PM	8:50PM	HERMLEIGH	12:00N	5:05PM	10:10PM
11:30AM	6:15PM	9:15PM	INADALE	11:40AM	4:45PM	9:45PM
11:45AM	6:40PM	9:40PM	ROSCOE	11:20AM	4:20PM	9:20PM
12:00N	7:00PM	10:00PM	SWEETWATER	11:00AM	4:00PM	9:00PM

Connections at Sweetwater for Abilene and Ft. Worth at 6:20AM, 12:15PM, 4:20PM and 7:50PM. Connections at Sweetwater for San Angelo at 6:20AM, 12:15PM, and 5:00PM. Connections at Snyder at 10:30AM and 5:30PM for Breckenridge, Fort Worth and Colorado.

LUBBOCK TO CLOVIS

WEST BOUND—READ DOWN				EAST BOUND—READ UP	
8:00AM	2:30PM	LUBBOCK		12:00N	4:00PM
8:25AM	2:55PM	SHALLOWATER		11:30AM	4:05PM
8:50AM	3:20PM	ANTON		11:05AM	3:40PM
9:25AM	3:30PM	LITTLEFIELD		10:40AM	3:20PM
9:45AM	4:10PM	AMHERST		10:20AM	3:00PM
10:10AM	4:30PM	SUDAN		10:00AM	2:45PM
11:00AM	5:20PM	MULESHOE		9:10AM	2:00PM
11:45AM	6:30PM	TEXICO-FAR		8:20AM	1:05PM
12:00N	6:30PM	CLOVIS		7:00AM	11:45AM

Car leaving Lubbock at 8:00 AM goes through to Roswell.
Car leaving Lubbock at 2:30 PM goes through to Portales.
WE PICK UP AND DELIVER

LUBBOCK TO BIG SPRING

READ DOWN				READ UP		
8:00AM	2:00PM	7:30PM	LUBBOCK	10:30AM	4:30PM	9:30PM
9:00AM	3:15PM	8:30PM	TAHOKA	9:20AM	3:15PM	8:15PM
9:45AM	4:00PM	9:15PM	O'DONNELL	8:40AM	2:45PM	7:30PM
10:30AM	4:30PM	10:00PM	LAMESA	8:00AM	2:00PM	7:00PM
12:30N	7:00PM		BIG SPRING	10:00AM		5:00PM

Connections at Lamesa for Midland and Odessa at 10:30AM, and 4:30PM, and at Big Spring for San Angelo at 8:00AM, and 12:30PM.

LUBBOCK TO BROWNFIELD

READ DOWN				READ UP	
8:00AM	12:30PM	5:00PM	LUBBOCK	9:30AM	2:00PM
8:40AM	1:15PM	5:45PM	ROPES	8:45AM	1:10PM
9:00AM	1:35PM	6:00PM	MEADOW	8:25AM	1:00PM
9:30AM	2:00PM	6:30PM	BROWNFIELD	8:00AM	12:30PM

LUBBOCK TO SPUR AND WICHITA FALLS

READ DOWN				READ UP		
8:00AM	12:30PM	5:00PM	LUBBOCK	10:00AM	4:30PM	8:00PM
8:40AM	1:10PM	5:40PM	IDALOU	9:20AM	3:50PM	7:20PM
9:00AM	1:30PM	6:00PM	LORENZO	9:00AM	3:30PM	7:00PM
9:30AM	2:00PM	6:30PM	RALLS	8:30AM	3:00PM	6:30PM
10:00AM	2:30PM	7:00PM	CROSBYTON	8:00AM	2:30PM	6:00PM
11:00AM	3:30PM		DICKENS		1:30AM	4:40PM
11:30AM	4:00PM		SPUR		1:00PM	4:15PM

Connections at Spur for Stamford, Breckenridge, Ft. Worth at 12:00 Noon and at Dickens for Monday, Seamore, Wichita Falls, Stamford, Ft. Worth and Breckenridge at 4:00PM and at 12 N.

DICKENS TO WICHITA FALLS

READ DOWN		READ UP
11:00AM	DICKENS	1:30PM
12:30PM	GUTHRIE	12:00N
2:00PM	BENJAMIN	10:30AM
3:15PM	SEYMOUR	9:00AM
5:30PM	WICHITA FALLS	7:00AM

Connections at Wichita Falls for Oklahoma and Fort Worth points.

RALLS TO QUANAH

9:30AM	RALLS	3:00PM
11:30AM	FLOYDADA	2:00PM
12:45PM	MATADOR	12:30PM
2:30PM	PADUCAH	9:30AM
4:30PM	QUANAH	8:30AM

Connections at Quanah for Oklahoma and other points.

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