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$500 FOR KIDNAPERS 'DEAD OR ALIVE'

FEDERAL JURY VOTES SIXTEEN FELONY BILLS

Three Men Indicted After Postoffice Raided At Thalia, Foard Co.

NOCONA MAN NAMED

Theft From Mails Charge Brought Against Floyd Tidwell

Sixteen indictments charging various offenses against federal statutes were returned by the grand jury in the federal court Monday night shortly before 9 o'clock. The jury was finally dismissed by Judge William H. Atwell.

Charges of theft of government property and receiving and concealing stolen government property were returned against Finis J. Jones, William J. Price and J. Albert Holt. The charges were brought in connection with the burglary of the postoffice at Thalia, Foard county.

James H. Hathcox and Lonnie L. Stonecipher were indicted for passing and attempting to pass raised government bills.

Otis R. Ford and George Thompson were billed by the grand jury on charges of violation of the Dyer act. Oscar Woodruff was indicted also for violation of the Dyer act.

Floyd Tidwell alias Floyd Turner was indicted on charges of theft from the mails at Nocona. Allan McDonough and Wayne H. McBride were charged with robbery of the postoffice at Crosscut, Brown county.

Jack Hill and two defendants were billed for violation of the national prohibition laws. Narcotic charges were brought against H. L. Hudzletz, O. D. Stevens of Fort Worth; Hubert Welborn, Henry Clay Taber, Albert Devro Ard, Aubrey Smith, Henry Claude Maserang, Thomas Hart Erwin and Charlie Herbert Harper. All defendants named in the indictments were in jail or free on bonds, it was announced.

10 PLEAD GUILTY BEFORE ATWELL

Ten pleas of guilty to the violation of the federal prohibition law entered Monday in the federal court before Judge William H. Atwell resulted in three jail sentences being meted out and heavy fines assessed.

Heavy Sentences

Pleas of guilty were entered by Frank Wilson, 60 days in jail; Arthur Marsh, 50 days in jail; Raymond McCollough, $200 fine and forfeiture of automobile; Sarah McDaniel, $75 fine; W. A. Box, $100 fine; Robert Bartlett, $25 fine; Frank Turner, $100 fine; Leo Kelm, $250 fine, and Mrs. Agnes Schuler, 24 hours in jail and $100 fine. A companion case against H. G. Schuler was dismissed.

The cases were prosecuted by Miss Sarah Menezes, assistant United States district attorney, and entered by Georg W. Parker, United States district clerk.

When Judge Atwell convened court Monday morning, the first order issued was for the empanelling of the grand jury. The grand jurors are:

Grand Jury

M. B. Allman, Vernon; W. H. Wadley, Graham; R. W. Brantley, Tolbert; G. U. Daniels, Wichita Falls; Sam Apple Wichita Falls; Welch Morgan, Wichita Falls; S. R. Crim, Vernon; T. L. Spponts, Megargle; W. H. Roberts, Bowie; Frank Hurn, Henrietta; R. R. Hartman, Wichita Falls; John Carmenati, Montague; Henry Brown, Wichita Falls; Roy Peery, Wichita Falls and Henry T. Ayres, Wichita Falls.

Judge Atwell charged the jury to be fearless in its duty and to use its best efforts in the investigation of cases, especially those concerning violations of the prohibition law.

HAMBONE MEDITATION



Under Suspicion



DR. KNUTE HOUCK.

WASHINGTON, March 28. (AP) A coroner's jury today decided that Mrs. Glady's W. Houck, wife of a former psychiatist at St. Elizabeth's hospital here, died "by drowning in an unknown manner."

Mrs. Houck's body was found floating in the Potomac river last week after she had been missing since December 15. Her husband, Dr. Knute Houck, held for investigation at Albany, Oregon, was not brought here for the inquest. Two days after his disappearance he was found wandering about Hornell, N. Y., in a highly nervous condition and was returned to Washington where he was under treatment for several months.

No marks of violence were found on the body of Mrs. Houck.

WACO CENSORS 'ARREST' SHOW

Musical Comedy Cast Held After Performance

WACO, March 28. (AP)—Nineteen members of George Wintz' version of Irving Berlin's Music Box revue were arrested after a performance here tonight on orders of the local board of censors. They were released on bonds of $10 each, to appear in court later.

Wintz, the manager, and 19 chorus girls were taken to the city hall where a private examination was held. While no formal charges had been filed, the city attorney stated that cash bonds of $10 has been required.

INDECENT PLAY

New York Author And Producers Land In Jail

NEW YORK, March 28. (AP)—William Francis Dugan, author of the police-raided play "The Virgin Man," and Mack Cohan and Jacob Kromberg, its co-producers here, were sentenced to 10 days in the workshop and fined $250 each today for producing an allegedly immoral theatrical offering.

$4000 HOTEL FIRE

Blaze Breaks Out On Fifteenth Story of Hotel

FORT WORTH, March 28. (AP)—Loss estimated at between $3000 and $4000 was sustained by the Texas hotel early today when fire, believed to have been caused by a carelessly thrown match or cigarette, broke out in the storeroom of the establishment on the fifteenth floor and destroyed 12 mattresses and springs, at the same time ruining plaster on the walls.

FLAPPER DRY AGENTS

NEWARK, N. J., March 29. (AP) Two bobbed flappers, described as the last work in attractiveness, are to help keep the Jersey beaches, including Atlantic City, from being wet except by the wild waves, the federal prohibition officer announces. They have been borrowed from New York where their looks gained them entree to night clubs.

LANDS IN HOOSEGOW

MEXICO CITY, March 29. (AP) The manager of a big movie house is in the hoosegow for advertising "fifteen bolshevik propaganda films, duly authorized by the government." The government announced it has not and will not do any such authorizing.

THE WEATHER

OKLAHOMA: Tuesday cloudy, local showers; Wednesday partly cloudy.

EAST TEXAS: Tuesday and Wednesday cloudy, local showers; moderate to fresh southerly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Tuesday and Wednesday partly cloudy; colder in west portion Wednesday.

Local conditions for the [illegible] as reported by [illegible] Service com- temperature, 77; temperature at 5 p. [illegible]15; southeast average wind ve- per hour; maxi- per hour; barome-

MOODY SIGNS 54 BILLS TO BECOME LAWS

$1,500,000 Fund Provided For Financing Texas Prison System

JUDICAL BILL OKEH

Many Measures of Smaller Importance Also Get Governor's Pen

AUSTIN, March 28. (AP)—Governor Dan Moody late today sent to the secretary of state, with his signature, fifty-four bills and resolutions passed by the recent session of the legislature.

Among them is the house measure appropriating more than $1,500,000 to put the prison system on a cash basis, the house motor license fee bill giving counties more road money than they used to get, and the house resolution referring to popular vote next August the question of abolishing the fee system among county officers.

Judicial Bill Signed.

Others of only slightly less importance include the house bill dividing the state into nine administrative judicial districts with a presiding judge for each to facilitate handling of district court business and the measure providing for a state service office to handle Texas ex-service men's claims, of which there are 7,000 pending.

In a statement, Moody explained that nearly $900,000 of the prison appropriation is to pay the old indebtedness of the prison system, now outstanding, or which will mature before end of the fiscal year ending Sept. 1.

"The state has been paying interest on that amount at a higher rate than the state ought to have to pay on its obligations," Moody declared, as he did several weeks ago when he recommended passage of the bill in a special message to the legislature.

Current Expense Fund.

"More than $700,000 of the sum appropriated," the governor continued, "is to operate the prison system from now until the end of the fiscal year. This represents only a part of the system's indebtedness inherited by this administration.

"Under this bill, the prison system will discontinue the practice of operating on a credit basis and entailing losses to the state in the purchase of small quantities of supplies on credit and paying interest on such items. Financial affairs of the state prison system, under this, will be handled exactly as the other affairs of the state government.

"It will have cash to pay for its supplies, and will have opportunity to buy for cash and in large quantities. In the past the funds of the prison system have been carried in the various banks over the state, but in the future these funds will be in the state treasury where all public funds belong."

Companion Measure.

The motor license fee bil lis the companion of the gas tax measure, both of which are designed to produce about $10,000,000 additional revenue for the highways and public schools of the state.

WICHITA COURT BILL STILL HAS CHANCE

Special to The Record News.

AUSTIN, March 28.—Wichita Falls prospect for keeping newly created 12th court of civil appeals was enhanced today when Governor Moody approved one of the pending court reform bills but withheld action on the one which would have repealed the Wichita court.

He approved the measure creating nine administrative judicial districts within which district judges may be sent around like the old time circuit rider to hold court in other counties where dockets are crowded.

He did not approve, among the 60 bills signed over Sunday, the measure which would have limited the state to 11 courts of civil appeals and put Wichita county back into the present Fort Worth district.

Vigorous protests were made to Moody last week by the bar of Wichita county against approval of this bill, and the governor is known to be dissatisfied otherwise with the measure.

NO BLOWOUTS

Mexico Uses Old Tires To Make Sandals For Peons

DALLAS, March 28. (AP)—A new use for old automobile tires is revealed in reports compiled by 19 American vice consuls in Mexico. Mexicans use the discarded tires for making "guaroches" or sandals.

The foot is placed on the rubber a sharp knife is run around the foot outline, leather thongs are attached and the Mexican has a serviceable footpiece.

The consul reports were received by Robert J. Smith, foreign trade secretary of the Dallas chamber of commerce. The information is transmitted to Texas rubber companies which plan to make guaroches.

TALKS TOO MUCH

Student in Dry Debate Must Tell Where He Got Rum

MANHATTAN, Kan., March 28. (AP)—Walter G. Gage, county attorney of Riley county, today announced he had issued a subpoena for Stanford Clinton, member of the debating team of Northwestern university, Chicago, who in a debate here last night is alleged to have asserted that liquor could be obtained in Manhattan "in less than five minutes."

Gage said he would question Clinton tomorrow on his source of information. The subpoena was sent to Lawrence, Kan., he said, where the Northwestern team is scheduled to debate with Kansas university.

In the debate in a church here the Northwestern men argued that the Volstead law should be repealed.

CANDIDATES AT LABOR TEMPLE

Labor Delegates Hear Office Seekers in Warm Speech

Approximately 200 delegates representing every labor union in Wichita Falls heard the nine candidates for election to posts on the city council present their platforms Monday night at the Labor Temple. Each candidate was allowed five minutes with the privilege of having three minutes for rebuttal if desired.

War On Hijackers

Roy E. Carter opened the fireworks in a short but potent talk in which he promised a new chief of police and a complete re-organization of the department if elected. Mr. Carter declared that he was a friend to labor but that he had no special promises to make to labor or any other group.

"If I am elected police and fire commissioner the police department is going to be organized so that systematic effort can be made to eliminate these hijackings and robberies," Mr. Carter declared. Former Commissioner John T. Young told the laborers that he would try to have a civil service system installed for the police department if he is the successful candidate.

"Twelve hours is too long for a policeman to have to work in a day and I hope to cut that shift by at least two hours," Mr. Young said and he was heavily applauded.

Thomas R. Wynn in a short address told of his past record, declared his friendliness toward organized labor and stated that he favored a police alarm system for Wichita Falls.

Cut Working Day

J. O. Cowart promised to give his entire time to superintending the fire and police departments and declared that if elected that he will see that the entire city is giv-

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BODIES ARRIVE

Waggoner Funeral Cortege Reaches Fort Worth

FORT WORTH, March 28. (AP) The bodies of Guy L. Waggoner Jr., and his young wife, killed when their automobile overturned near Douglas, Ariz., last Thursday, arrived here today and are being held in an undertaking establishment while Guy Waggoner Sr., returns from the Atlantic coast. At the time of their deaths the young couple were en route to their home here following their marriage at Hollywood, six days before.

SILK FROM CORN

New Textile Process Uses Corn Stalk Pulp

NEW YORK, March 28. (AP)—Artificial silk and other synthetic products may be made from corn stalk pulp, says a report prepared in connection with proposed construction of plants in the middle west corn belt for reclamation of waste corn stalks.

TRAINS COLLIDE

Six Hurt In Oklahoma Train Accident Monday

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 28. (AP)—Six persons were injured in a collision early today of a Rock Island passenger train and a freight train, one mile west of Banner, a small station between Oklahoma City and El Reno but it was not believed any of the injured were serious.

HODGINS AND M'CLURE SPEAK AT REVIVAL

Police and Fire Department Heads Tell of Work At Tabernacle

FAITHFUL REWARDED

God Helps Those Who Believe in His Law, Says Biederwolf

A large majority of the members of the Wichita Falls police and fire departments attended Monday night the union revival services held in the tabernacle.

Before Dr. W. E. Biederwolf started his sermon, addresses were made by George Hodgins, chief of police, and Fire Chief J. L. McClure. A musical program by the jubilee colored singers from the colored Methodist church was also given before the sermon.

Hodgins spoke on the subject of "Law Enforcement" and McClure on "Fire Prevention."

Dr. Biederwolf took for sermon text: Book of John, fifth chapter, eighth verse. "Rise, take up thy bed and walk."

Some Lose Faith.

Some men and women lose faith in God because He does not come to their assistance when they think they need it, said Dr. Biederwolf.

"God helps men and women who believe in His word and law", said the evangelist, "when He believes that they ne help. But, the trouble is that the men and women want God to do all the work in helping them out of the troubles they are in, and they will not help themselves."

It is impossible to reach Heaven without working to get there, said Dr. Biederwolf.

"No real reward is ever received without hard work. The way to

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NOT ACT OF GOD

Court Rules That Death By Lightning Accident

DENVER, March 28. (AP)—Death by lightning is not necessarily an act of God, the state supreme court ruled today in awarding state compensation insurance to Mrs. Laura C. Oakley for the death of her son, Lyle, killed by lightning. Oakley was employed on a ranch last summer and the industrial commission held he was killed while in the line of duty.

The insurance company appealed on the ground his death did not result from his labors, but was through an act of God.

SEEK ASSAILANT

Man Who Shot Five Escapes At Austin

AUSTIN, March 28. (AP)—Travis county peace officers are searching for a man who early Sunday shot one woman and four men at a dance following a Mexican wedding two miles from Turnville.

Two of the men are in a hospital here with serious bullet wounds in the stomach and side.

INJURIES FATAL

Waco Man, Victim In Crossing Crash, Dies

WACO, March 28. (AP)—J. C. Crippen Sr., 69., Waco grocer died in a Hillsboro hospitaly shortly after noon today from injuries received Sunday when an automobile driven by Crippen was struck by an interurban express car near Hillsboro.

Be Careful

Help Make Streets and Highways of Wichita County Safe

LAST 24 HOURS

Accidents	1
Injured	1
Dead	0

THIS YEAR

Accidents	97
Injured	46
Dead	2
January Accidents	32
February Accidents	33

TRAFFIC PRIMER

Be sure your brakes are in good working order; they may be called in service to save life.

Cloudburst Floods Electra's Streets As Inch Rain Falls in 40 Minutes

Scattered showers were reported Monday from various points in the Wichita and Red river valleys with clouded skies constantly threatening a heavy downpour during the entire day.

Electra was the only point to report a heavy rain however, with a veritable cloudburst recorded there during the afternoon. During a 40-minute period shortly after 3 o'clock more than an inch of rain fell at Electra, accompanied by a fall of hail. Stones as large as bird eggs were reported. Streets of the city were flooded sufficiently to have floated canoes during the heavy downpour.

Slight drizzles fell in Wichita Falls during the day Monday with lowering clouds threatening a heavy downpour late in the day. Precipitation here during the day amounted to less than two tenths of an inch, however.

Precipitation in small amounts was reported at Iowa Park, Burkburnett and intermediate points. Some rainfall was also reported along the Wichita Valley railroad southwest of the city.

Additional cloudy weather with the promise of rain was forecast for the Wichita Falls section for Tuesday.

Europe Loses Another Beauty



Underwood and Underwood

An export tax on beauty may be Europe's defense against continued raids upon its stage and screen talent by American producers. Stockholm is bewailing the loss of Mona Mortensson, famed beauty of the Royal Dramatic theater there, who is Hollywood bound.

Rich Oklahoma Indian Maid Kidnaped By Plotters After $400,000 Fortune

U. S. Government Agents in Frantic Search For Girl Against Whom Violence Is Feared

MUSKOGEE, Okla., March 28. (AP)—Millie Naharkey, known as the "poor little rich Indian girl," who has an estate valued at $400,000 tied up in litigation, but who has been virtually an object of charity for nearly four years, is missing from her home here. A Kansas automobile, a glib tongue stranger, sleek of hair and handsome of feature, figure in the disappearance of the girl. Friends fear she has been kidnaped.

Government agents who have been searching for the girl who disappeared Saturday from the home of T. N. Roach, employe of the five civilized tribes here, today said they had but few leads on which they placed much hope for locating her.

The girl who is more than 20 years old and whose career rivals that of the famous Maud Lee Mudd, stopped at a farm house near Tulsa, traveling with the stranger who called to see her at the Roach home Saturday. The automobile in which the pair was traveling left the farm house, traveling towards Tulsa and has not been seen since.

Violence Feared.

With rumors of contemplated violence cropping out, efforts of investigators were redoubled today to locate the girl before she is delivered at a point believed to be the destination of abductors in Missouri.

Credence was given to the reports of an alleged plot by past adventures of the girl.

In June 1923 she disappeared from her mother's home at Red Fork, after an extensive search she was found in abject poverty, washing dishes in Kansas City.

During her absence, she said, she was taken to various places in Oklahoma and Missouri, and finally to summer camp on Roaring river, in Missouri. She told stories of how she was held prisoner in lonely places and was forced to watch her abductors throw dice to see who would strike her or otherwise mistreat her.

Inherits Wealth.

The girl, a Creek Indian, did not become rich from her government allotment but through lands inherited from her father and his relatives. The litigation involving her estate grew out of

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BANDITS ESCAPE

No Trace Reported of Houston Robber Pair

HOUSTON, March 28. (AP)—No trace had been found Monday of the two white unmasked bandits who invaded the home of J. S. Tamborello here Saturday night and escaped with $2000 in diamonds and $55 in cash after tying Tamborello, his wife and a neighbor boy.

$4200 CRAP GAME RAID

DALLAS, March 28. (AP)—An unmasked man held up a crap game in a Dallas hotel robbing the players of $4200 Sunday, police learned here Monday.

MODERN TEA PARTY

HALIFAX, N. S., March 28. (AP) A stock of tea valued at $200,000 went up in smoke here today when fire destroyed the stone building of J. E. Morse and company, tea merchants.

PARENTS GIVE $3333 TO GET INFANT BACK

Former Chattanooga Policeman Arrested as Suspect In Kidnaping

BABY IS UNHARMED

Stolen Child Is Returned As Parents Pay Ransom Asked in Note

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 28. (AP)—Arrested tonight on a warrant charging kidnaping and demanding a ransom, Frank A. Baskett, 47, was spirited out of town for safe keeping, in custody of officers engaged in pursuit of the abductors of Virginia Jo Frazier, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Frazier, who was stolen from her crib last Tuesday and returned last night for $3,333 ransom.

While Baskett tonight was being conducted to a place of safety, city detectives arrested Mrs. Annie Tominson of North Chattanooga, in connection with the kidnaping and took a second woman into custody for questioning. The name of the latter was not divulged and no charge has been preferred against Mrs. Tominson.

Detective Chief W. H. Hackett declined to discuss the evidence.

Baskett formerly lived in Dayton, Tenn., where Fred B. Frazier and Mrs. Frazier, the parents of Virginia Jo, also lived. Eight years ago he was acquitted of the murder of Tom Fugit, a brother-in-law. Mr. Frazier represented him at that time as counsel. What connection this may have had with the kidnaping officers have been unable to determine.

$500 REWARD POSTED FOR KIDNAP PLOTTERS.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 28. (AP)—The city of Chattanooga offered a reward of $500 for the capture, dead or alive, of the kidnapers of two-year-old Virginia Jo Frazier, daughter of Commissioner and Mrs. Fred B. Frazier, who was stolen from her crib Wednesday night and returned to her parents last night after they had paid ransom of $3333.

CHILD FREED AFTER $3333 RANSOM PAID.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 28. (AP) — Virgina Josephine Frazier, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Frazier, held by kidnapers for four days was left on the front porch of a minister's home last night, dirty and only partially clothed, but apparently unhurt. Mr. Frazier had paid a ransom of $3333 earlier in the evening. Mrs. John Venecable, wife of the pastor of the First Presbyterian church, found the baby when she answered the door bell. Her husband immediately communicated with Mr. and Mrs. Frazier, a physician and the police and the reunion was quickly effected.

A drug the kidnapers administered to the baby in small quantities caused drowsiness, but in a few hours the effect had worn off. A physician said there was nothing to fear.

Nurse Finds Loss.

The Fraziers were out of the city last Wednesday when the baby disappeared. A nurse maid who watched over the six-year-old son in a room adjoining the baby's sleeping place observed early Thursday that the child had not called for her brother. She peeped into the room and saw an empty crib; only the baby's shoes and a few little garments were there.

Every policeman in the city, private detectives and many citizens began an organized search to no avail. Hundreds of stories were investigated while the father and mother waited for some word.

Not until the baby was found did the parents make known the true situation. Some indication was given, however, for they had requested police to press for arrests.

Friday afternoon the Fraziers received a special delivery letter. "We have your baby," it said, "it will take $3333.33. She is all right, but last night was cold, we don't know what will happen this cold weather. Be ready with the money when we call you. This is not my writing so you needn't try to trace me."

Worn By Anxiety.

Worn by anxiety to the point of breaking, the parents decided to take the writer at his word. Fearing that an effort to apprehend the abductors would result in tragedy, Mr. Frazier obtained the money and waited in his office for the next move. It was soon made. A police sergeant brought a letter delivered to him by a Western Union messenger who had in turn received it from a negro boy with the instruction: "Take it to Mrs. Frazier; she'll pay the charges when you get there. I'm in a hurry."

The letter demanded that the ransom be handed to a negro boy who would be found at a designated place holding a broom handle. "Tell him to give it to Frank. He thinks that's my name," the letter said.

"The baby is well and singing and laughing and dancing. After the money is delivered your baby will be left in the home of a friend."

Mr. Frazier rushed to the designated intersection after first tel-

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SAPIRO TELLS STORY OF LIFE

Man Who Would Have Ford Pay Off On Stand

DETROIT, Mich., March 28. (AP) Aaron Sapiro, sleek haired, 42-year-old Chicago Jew, who does not look his age by a dozen years, took the witness stand late today to relate the story of his life in his $1,000,000 libel suit against Henry Ford.

It was a picture of a most unpromising start which culminated in internationally recognized success which he left with the jurors, because his narration was broken by adjournment before he reached any of the story of alleged personal harm and injury to his efforts as an organizer of farmers' cooperatives done by articles printed in Ford's weekly, the Dearborn Independent.

An hour and a half tomorrow will suffice for the last part of the story, William Henry Gallagher, cousel for Sapiro, said at adjournment.

Sapiro, keenly black eyed, alert, slim and swarthy, leaned far forward in the witness chair, hands grasping a roll of paper in his lap. A vivid flush spread over his face as he crackled answers to his counsel's volley of questions.

They seemed well drilled and question and answer piled into the voluminous trial record at such a pace that United States Senator James A. Reed, chief of Ford's counsel, appealed to Judge Fred M. Raymond to enforce more deliberation.

FINE STALLIONS

U. S. Army Becomes World's Greatest Breeder of Horses

WASHINGTON, March 28. (AP)—With recent purchases bringing its number of stallions up to 510, the United States army now claims to be the greatest horse breeder in the world. Major General Cheatham, the quartermaster general, said the stallions have produced 25,000 colts, 7,000 having been foaled last year alone.

The stallions, most of which are thoroughbred, are scattered throughout the country and are available at a nominal cost to farmers who wish to use them for breeding purposes. The total value of the colts has been placed at $3,744,000.

MILLER BURIAL RITES MONDAY

Mrs. A. E. Miller, 28, Dies Sunday Morning

Funeral services for Mrs. A. E. Miller, 28, who died at the home, 408 Virginia street, at 4:20 o'clock Sunday morning, will be held from the chapel of the Hines Mortuary at 3 o'clock, Monday afternoon. The Rev. J. L. Walters of the Walnut Street Baptist church will conduct the services and burial will follow in Riverside cemetery.

Mrs. Miller is survived by her husband and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wells of Wichita Falls.

Pall bearers have been selected as follows: E. K. O'Brien, R. H. Stocks, F. R. Jones, Charles H. Stahala, John T. Abbott and B. R. Taylor.

MRS. FANNIES E. BEACH.

Mrs. Fannie E. Beach, 82, died at a local hospietl at 5 o'clock Sunday morning and the body will be forwarded to Sadler, Texas, Monday morning at 7 o'clock by the Merkle Undertaking company. A nephew, W. B. Beach, 2004 Pearl street, will accompany the body.

PETER HEINTZELMAN.

Peter Heintzelman, 90, died at a local hospital at 10 a. m. Sunday. The body is being held at the Merkle Undertaking company pending the funeral arrangements, which will probably be held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Mr. Heintzelman was a farmer living nine miles southeast of Wichita Falls.

MRS. BONNIE MEFFORD.

Funeral services for Mrs. Bonnie Mefford, 36, who died at the home of her son, Roy Mefford, 2218 Burnett street, at 6 o'clock Sunday morning, will be held at the Merkle Undertaking company chapel at 10:30 Monday morning with the Rev. Gaines B. Hall, pastor of the First Southern Presbyterian church conducting. Burial will be in Riverside.

SIMON GREENBERG.

The body of Simon Greenberg, 54, of Ada, Okla., who died at a local hospital at 2:10 a. m. Sunday was forwarded to Waco, his old home, by the Burris-Shepherd Undertaking company at 11 o'clock Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Ike Marcus, 1612 1-2 Fourteenth street, accompanied the body. Mr. Greenberg was Mr. Marcus' brother-in-law. Mr. Greenberg is survived by his widow and two sons of Ada.

Texas Radio Fan Turns Deep-Sea Diver To "Listen In" On Radio Concert From Bottom Of Corpus Christi Bay

Special to The Record News.

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex., March 27.—Harry L. Paige is one of the most enthusiastic radio fans in Corpus Christi. In the evenings he sits with the ear phones over his head and twiddles the dials. These nightly sessions were a never-ending source of pleasure and enjoyment to Paige; but he couldn't listen in enough to satisfy himself.

Paire couldn't tune in on radio programs during the day—at least he thought he couldn't—for he's a deep sea diver. He works far out in the Bay of Corpus Christi on a pipe line project. He passes the best part of the day down on the bottom of the bay. It's his job to connect up the pipe line. His only companions are a host of fish.

Being such an enthusiastic devotee of radio, it was only natural that Harry should miss it while working alone in 12 or 15 feet of water.

Finally he determined to conduct some experiments to see just what could be done about the matter. The following day, when he went to the barge from which he worked, he took his beloved radio set with him.

He found a convenient box for the set itself and placed it upright on the barge. Then he strung aerials up to the top of the large steel crane on top of the barge. After making the necessary connections, he plugged in the ear phones and tuned in on a favorite station. The music came in clear and strong. His radio was working perfectly and just as smoothly as it had in his home in Corpus Christi.

Then he figured out a method by which he could "listen in" while under water. He took a long coil of heavily insulated wire, 40 or 50 feet of it in all, plugged one end of his coil into the radio box and attached the other end of it to his ear phones. The music continued to come in perfectly.

His helpers placed the cumbersome diving suit on him, laced on the 25-pound leaden shoes and then were all ready to put the diver's helmet over his head. Paige had his helpers run one end of the long coil of insulated wire up his sleeve. He had them place the ear phones over his ears and then connect the insulated wire with the ear phones.

Then he made a final adjustment on the dials of his radio set, told them to put the big helmet over his head and bolt it tightly down. He then climbed down the ladder at the side of the barge and disappeared under the waves.

When he rose to the surface late in the afternoon and his helmet was removed there was a rapt look in his eyes and a happy, satisfied grin on his face. One of his helpers asked him whether the apparatus really worked.

"Did it work? I'll say it did and there wasn't even any static either," he answered.

Paige has invited several radio fans, who were inclined to be just a wee bit skeptic, to don his diving suit and go down to "listen in" for themselves; but none has taken advantage of his offer.

'Dead Girl' Comes Back Living Ghost



MARY VICKERY, FOR WHOSE "MURDER" CONDAY DABNEY WENT TO JAIL FOR LIFE, AND SCENES IN HER MYSTERIOUS ESCAPADE.

Woman Who Falsely Swore Man Into Prison For Life Herself Faces Pen Cell

HARLAN, Ky., March 27.(EFS).—Back from the grave came the plump person of 16-year-old Mary Dickery, very much alive and in excellent health. Then Condy Dabney, convicted of Mary's murder and serving a life term at Frankfort penitentiary was released, but Marie Jackson, whose evidence convicted Dabney, was held for a grand jury probe, which may send her to prison for perjury.

The Dickery girl disappeared in September, 1925. She left no word or indication of her intention to run away from home, and the police began a vigorous search of the surrounding country, which ended when they found the body of a girl in an abandoned coal pit.

Identification of the dead body as that of Mary Vickery followed. The girl had been assaulted and beaten, but the authorities were still at a loose end, lacking any clue to the killer.

Then Marie Jackson appeared. She knew Mary Dickery and she knew Condy Dabney. She swore that she had seen Dabney take Mary to a secluded spot, assault her, beat her, and afterward throw her body down the disused mine.

On this evidence, though protesting his innocence, Dabney was convicted by a jury and taken to Frankfort to remain until death should release him.

Meanwhile Mary had made her way to Williamsburg, Ky., where police authorities recently located her.

Three striking mysteries are involved in this strange case: Was Marie Jackson sincerely mistaken in her identification of Dabney, or was she actuated by lust for a cruel revenge? Dabney says she swore him into jail from malice, because he would not take her away from her home.

Whose is the body found in the coal mine and buried as Mary Vickery?

Why did Mary Vickery remain silent so long, while an innocent man languished in prison?

Recent news dispatches from Harlan, Ky., state that Mary Jackson has been indicted for perjury in connection with the conviction of Dabney, and that the body, which she had sworn was Mary Vickery's had been identified as that of Mrs. Lucy Williams, wife of a Harlan coal miner. Williams has been arrested and is being held on a charge of murder in connection with the Kentucky mine tunnel mystery.

BRINGS "BIRDS"

MIDLAND, March 27. (AP)—The stork brought "drake" and a "crane" to Midland this week. And the bird season is closed, too.

The first of the week the stork brought an eight-pound boy to Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Drake and three days later he brought an eight-pound boy to Mr. and Mrs. Claude O. Crane.

Africa Romance Ends In Hospital

By Universal Service.

PARIS, March 27.—The condition of Countess De Janze, formerly Miss Alice Silverthorne, of Chicago, who shot and seriously wounded young Raymond De Thafford at the railway depot yesterday and then turned the gun on herself, was reported to be critical at La Riboisiere hospital tonight.

De Trafford is in the same hospital. His condition is less serious, it is said.

The tragedy occured when De Trafford was on board the Boulogne train at the Gare du Nord. He was leaving Paris to go to London.

The countess sought him out in his compartment, and just as the train was pulling out, she shot him, then attempted suicide, eye witnesses told the police.

The shooting is believed to have been caused by De Trafford's intention to end a romance with the countess which started in the Kenya colony, Africa, friends of the two principals in the tragedy say. The two met in Africa.

De Trafford was wounded near the heart. He is the son of Sir Humphrey De Trafford, noted English sportsman.

Viennese Jurist Okehs Free Love

By Universal Service.

BERLIN, March 27.—"Free love is neither indecent, nor dishonorable, for either man or woman in this modern age.

"Allegation that a girl has indulged in free love does not constitute libel or slander, providing she is not already engaged."

Such is the decision of Judge Sieber, in Vienna.

The case:—

A girl sued a man for libel because he had claimed that he had been on intimate terms with her.

The verdict:—

Action dismissed.

The reason (by the judge):—

"Both sexes are free and equal, this means that the woman must take' the consequences. Nobody would consider it a libel if it were stated of a man that he was on intimate terms with a woman, providing both were free. The same view must be applied to a woman.

"Conversely, if the court were to decide that such an allegation of free love against a woman was libel, it would mean that all girls and women who do have such relations were acting indecently. This would deprive them of honor and deliver them up to public scorn.

"This is contrary to the spirit of the times."

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GAYETY-SORROW

Two Young Bloods From Memphis Skid Into Jail.

Two gay young bloods from Memphis who came to Wichita Falls Saturday night in a Buick sedan belonging to the father of one of them, pulled their intended party but landed in the city bastile where one of them was still trying to sober up Sunday afternoon while the other had been carried back to the parental roof Sunday morning by his father.

CAROWAY HURT

Four In Narrow Escape As Automobile Does Flip.

W. H. Caroway was painfully bruised when the car in which he was riding with three other men left the pavement and turned over on the Iowa Park road early Sunday morning. Caroway was carried to the General hospital and was dismissed early Sunday afternoon. The other three occupants of the car were unhurt. The car was badly damaged.

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Men Object To Church Because It Doesn't Fit Their Ways, Says Kay

"Men object to the church because it doesn't fit their way of life," Judge John C. Kay told 374 members of Kay's Bible class Sunday morning at the Strand theater. The definition of religion was the subject of Judge Kay's lesson.

The full text of the sermon follows:

"The lesson this morning is what every lesson ought to be. It is about religion, and the definition of religion. Now, all the definitions of religion in the Bible show it is a thing of the heart and not of the head. Let's think about that a moment. It is not a thing to be reasoned out, worked out with mathematical formula, or in the crucible of the chemist, but a practical every-day thing.

Savior Tempted.

"This lawyer that tempted the Savior with his questions was not a lawyer in our sense of that word, although he may have been just as good a man. He was a fellow that studied the Hebrew theology and taught it. So, he comes to the Savior and says: 'What shall I do to inherit eternal life?' Now, that certainly is large, down a proposition that would cover the whole field of religion, all of that, and thou thalt love thy neighbor as thyself.' Now, that is a large order. And, when he had read that, or said it to the Savior, the Savior immediately said: 'That is enought. That will bring you into the Kingdom. That is all there is to it.' There is no use to spin any great cobweb of a creed beyond that. There is no use to build a great theology beyond that, but this is enough.

Cites St. James.

"Now, if men would think about religion that way, I think they would get more out of it. What does St. James say about it? He wasn't a great theologist like Paul, or a great philosopher like John. James just took a little ink and sketched out for the common man his every day thought. And, what did he say? Did he say that you have got to have a great minister, with bells and chimes? Did he say that you have got to have this, or that, or the other kind of priest or preacher, or that you shall make sacrifice of this, that or the other? No, he wrote it as we read it in the magnificient English of Queen Elizabeth. Pure and undefiled religion before God is to visit the fatherless and the orphan, and to keep yourself unspotted from the world. That is, don't be contaminated by it. Literally, don't catch something from it. Don't poison yourself with the world.

"Then the fellow says, 'Who is my neighbor?' And, He tells him this great parable of the Good Samaritan.

"The object of a bank is to make loans. Now, a big bank that didn't have a hundred dollars in loans would be liquidated, and the object of the church is a charitable religion. You can't turn that over to other people. You have got to do it yourself. How do you feel about it? We need to get a different view of things.

Who's Your Neighbor?

Who is my neighbor? Here's this fellow down here in these limestone caves and hills, on what they thought was a road, gets robbed, and the priest and Levite pass by and don't stop and finally a fellow comes along, and he was his neighbor. I won't stop to go over the details of that.

How much some men have done for charity and for the world! Pasteur, that great Frenchman, has kept many hundred of millions of people from burning with fever. "Oh," they say, "he was a scientist." Yes, he was, and he was the kind of scientist that got down on his knees every night and every morning, and talked to God.

Over there in England, they had hundreds of men rotting in the debtors prison. In jail just because he owed some money that he couldn't pay. Of course, that wasn't under the modern system. They wouldn't have enough jails now. And, Charles Dickens comes along, himself a great Christian, and writes "Pickwick Papers" and laughs away the debtors prison and laughs every prisoner out of jail, and quoted from this very book and page and chapter that we are talking about here today.

And, there was Shakespeare, with his matchless colors, threw upon the screen his great tragedy of King Lear. A terrible story, but when he wrote it, and when it was printed, it made it softer and easier for every old father, and every old mother under the English dominions.

And, so it goes, and all of it goes back to this, that Christianity is intended to make this world a nicer place to live in. The Samaritan stopped and cared for this man that had been robbed and beaten. Probably that is all he could do. But, hear me, you grown men, when I say business, in this day and age, to see that he doesn't get robbed in the first place. I want to see the soil of Texas made too hot for the hi-jacker, and the robber and the criminals. We can do that. It is not enough to bind up his wounds in these days to take care of the victim, but we must see that he doesn't get robbed and beaten in the first place.

What was the matter with these other fellow that didn't stop and help this victim! Oh, they were going to a club meeting in Jerusalem, or going up to a director's meeting. Going up to make a speech at a church meeting, maybe; going down there to make a trade, I don't know what. Anything except to help this man that needed help.

Now, I don't mean to say here, this morning, that Wichita Falls is not charitable. I don't mean to say here that the church is not charitable. I do mean to say that their bookkeeping shows it up badly. No doubt, they do a great many things that are covered in other items of this bookkeeping that could properly be credited to charity, but let us do more of that.

Now, I don't know how you people feel about it, but I am not partial to an organized statistical charity. A fellow comes to my office or sees me on the street and says: "Can you make me a meal?" I don't like to point out a card on the wall and say: 'Brother, I belong to the big organization.' What good is your membership to him! It won't do to rely on those things. But, religion ought to have a little more of a personal touch, and you ought to help a fellow when you can and wherever you may, whether men see it or not.

Charity Necessary.

I made up my mind, I never want another card stuck up in my office saying that "we have contributed to this, that and the other. Let us alone." I would rather feel like, if I have got a loaf of bread I can break it half in two with the first fellow that comes along that is hungrier than I am. Because, this Book says Cast your bread upon the waters. Know ye not that it shall return unto you may days hence! Give a portion unto seven and also unto eight, for know not what evil shall come upon the earth.

Let me beg of you, this morning, that you think more about the example of the good Samaritan. Think more of the example of those men who have done something to alleviate suffering in the world. Think more about the great example of the Master who went about doing good, telling wherever He could, and healing wherever the opportunity presented itself.

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NEW SERVICE ACROSS NATION

Fast Pullman Train To Be Instituted

FORT WORTH, March 27.(AP) A through Pullman train from New York to Los Angeles, the route running through the heart of Texas, will be instituted by a combination of railroads within thirty days, authoritative circles here learned today.

It will be the only through Pullman train from coast to coast operated south of the Ohio river, and is expected to cut the time between New York and Los Angeles fourteen hours.

From New York to St. Louis the train will run over the Pennsylvania lines, from St. Louis to Texarkana over the Missouri-Pacific, from Texarkana through Marshall, Dallas, and Fort Worth to El Paso over the Texas and Pacific and from El Paso to Los Angeles by way of the Southern Pacific railway.

It was estimated that the time for running between Fort Worth and Dallas and St. Louis will be reduced by three hours, while one hour less time will be required to go from Fort Worth and Dallas to El Paso.

From St. Louis to Texarkana the sleepers will be attached to the Sunshine Special, crack train of the Missouri Pacific and at El Paso to a fast train of the Southern Pacific.

BOONE TO TEXARKANA

Freddie Boone for several years a well-known infielder in the Wichita Falls Twilight league, left Saturday to report to the Texarkana team of the newly former Lone Star league.

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FEDERAL JURY VOTES SIXTEEN FELONY BILLS

Three Men Indicted After Postoffice Raided At Thalia, Foard Co.

NOCONA MAN NAMED

Theft From Mails Charge Brought Against Floyd Tidwell

Sixteen indictments charging various offenses against federal statutes were returned by the grand jury in the federal court Monday night shortly before 9 o'clock. The jury was finally dismissed by Judge William H. Atwell.

Charges of theft of government property and receiving and concealing stolen government property were returned against Finis J. Jones, William J. Price and J. Albert Holt. The charges were brought in connection with the burglary of the postoffice at Thalia, Foard county.

James H. Hathcox and Lonnie L. Stonecipher were indicted for passing and attempting to pass raised government bills.

Otis R. Ford and George Thompson were billed by the grand jury on charges of violation of the Dyer act. Oscar Woodruff was indicted also for violation of the Dyer act.

Floyd Tidwell alias Floyd Turner was indicted on charges of theft from the mails at Nocona. Allan McDonough and Wayne H. McBride were charged with robbery of the postoffice at Crossett, Brown county.

Jack Hill and two defendants were billed for violation of the national prohibition laws. Narcotic charges were brought against H. L. Hudzletz, O. D. Stevens of Fort Worth; Hubert Welborn, Henry Clay Taber, Albert Devro Ard, Aubrey Smith, Henry Claude Maserang, Thomas Hart Erwin and Charlie Herbert Harper. All defendants named in the indictments were in jail or free on bonds, it was announced.

10 PLEAD GUILTY BEFORE ATWELL

Ten pleas of guilty to the violation of the federal prohibition law entered Monday in the federal court before Judge William H. Atwell resulted in three jail sentences being meted out and heavy fines assessed.

Heavy Sentences

Pleas of guilty were entered by Frank Wilson, 60 days in jail; Arthur Marsh, 50 days in jail; Raymond McCollough, $200 fine and forfeiture of automobile; Sarah McDaniel, $75 fine; W. A. Box, $100 fine; Robert Bartlett, $25 fine; Frank Turner, $100 fine; Leo Kelm, $250 fine, and Mrs. Agnes Schuler, 24 hours in jail and $100 fine. A companion case against H. G. Schuler was dismissed.

The cases were prosecuted by Miss Sarah Menezes, assistant United States district attorney, and entered by Georg W. Parker, United States district clerk.

When Judge Atwell convened court Monday morning, the first order issued was for the empanseling of the grand jury. The grand jurors are:

Grand Jury

M. B. Allman, Vernon; W. H. Wadley, Graham; R. W. Brantley, Tolbert; G. U. Daniels, Wichita Falls; Sam Apple Wichita Falls; Welch Morgan, Wichita Falls; S. R. Crim, Vernon; T. L. Spponts, Megargle; W. H. Roberts, Bowie; Frank Hurn, Henrietta; R. R. Hartman, Wichita Falls; John Carmenatt, Montague; Henry Brown, Wichita Falls; Roy Peery, Wichita Falls and Henry T. Ayres, Wichita Falls.

Judge Atwell charged the jury to be fearless in its duty and to use its best efforts in the investigation of cases, especially those concerning violations of the prohibition law.

HAMBONE MEDITATION



Under Suspicion



DR. KNUTE HOUCK.

WASHINGTON, March 28. (AP) A coroner's jury today decided that Mrs. Glady's W. Houck, wife of a former psychiatist at St. Elizabeth's hospital here, died "by drowning in an unknown manner."

Mrs. Houck's body was found floating in the Potomac river last week after she had been missing since December 15. Her husband, Dr. Knute Houck, held for investigation at Albany, Oregon, was not brought here for the inquest. Two days after his disappearance he was found wandering about Hornell, N. Y., in a highly nervous condition and was returned to Washington where he was under treatment for several months.

No marks of violence were found on the body of Mrs. Houck.

WACO CENSORS 'ARREST' SHOW

Musical Comedy Cast Held After Performance

WACO, March 28. (AP)—Nineteen members of George Wintz' version of Irving Berlin's Music Box revue were arrested after a performance here tonight on orders of the local board of censors. They were released on bonds of $10 each, to appear in court later.

Wintz, the manager, and 19 chorus girls were taken to the city hall where a private examination was held. While no formal charges had been filed, the city attorney stated that cash bonds of $10 has been required.

INDECENT PLAY

New York Author And Producers Land In Jail

NEW YORK, March 28. (AP)—William Francis Dugan, author of the police-raided play "The Virgin Man," and Mack Cohan and Jacob Kromberg, its co-producers here, were sentenced to 10 days in the workshop and fined $250 each today for producing an allegedly immoral theatrical offering.

$4000 HOTEL FIRE

Blaze Breaks Out On Fifteenth Story of Hotel

FORT WORTH, March 28. (AP)—Loss estimated at between $3000 and $4000 was sustained by the Texas hotel early today when fire, believed to have been caused by a carelessly thrown match or cigarette, broke out in the storeroom of the establishment on the fifteenth floor and destroyed 12 mattresses and springs, at the same time ruining plaster on the walls.

FLAPPER DRY AGENTS

NEWARK, N. J., March 29. (AP) Two bobbed flappers, described as the last work in attractiveness, are to help keep the Jersey beaches, including Atlantic City, from being wet except by the wild waves, the federal prohibition officer announces. They have been borrowed from New York where their looks gained them entree to night clubs.

LANDS IN HOOSEGOW

MEXICO CITY, March 29. (AP) The manager of a big movie house is in the hoosegow for advertising "fifteen bolshevik propaganda films, duly authorized by the government." The government announced it has not and will not do any such authorizing.

THE WEATHER

OKLAHOMA: Tuesday cloudy, local showers; Wednesday partly cloudy.

EAST TEXAS: Tuesday and Wednesday cloudy, local showers; moderate to fresh southerly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Tuesday and Wednesday partly cloudy; colder in west portion Wednesday.

Local weather conditions for the past 24-hour period as reported by the Texas Electric Service company: Maximum temperature, 77; minimum, 57; temperature at 5 p. m. 67; precipitation, .15; southeast breeze; cloudy; average wind velocity, 10 miles per hour; maximum, 19 miles per hour; barometer, 29.19.

MOODY SIGNS 54 BILLS TO BECOME LAWS

$1,500,000 Fund Provided For Financing Texas Prison System

JUDICAL BILL OKEH

Many Measures of Smaller Importance Also Get Governor's Pen

AUSTIN, March 28. (AP)—Governor Dan Moody late today sent to the secretary of state, with his signature, fifty-four bills and resolutions passed by the recent session of the legislature.

Among them is the house measure appropriating more than $1,500,000 to put the prison system on a cash basis, the house motor license fee bill giving counties more road money than they used to get, and the house resolution referring to popular vote next August the question of abolishing the fee system among county officers.

Judicial Bill Signed.

Others of only slightly less importance include the house bill dividing the state into nine administrative judicial districts with a presiding judge for each to facilitate handling of district court business and the measure providing for a state service office to handle Texas ex-service men's claims, of which there are 7,000 pending.

In a statement, Moody explained that nearly $900,000 of the prison appropriation is to pay the old indebtedness of the prison system, now outstanding, or which will mature before end of the fiscal year ending Sept. 1.

"The state has been paying interest on that amount at a higher rate than the state ought to have to pay on its obligations," Moody declared, as he did several weeks ago when he recommended passage of the bill in a special message to the legislature.

Current Expense Fund.

"More than $700,000 of the sum appropriated," the governor continued, "is to operate the prison system from now until the end of the fiscal year. This represents only a part of the system's indebtedness inherited by this administration.

"Under this bill, the prison system will discontinue the practice of operating on a credit basis and entailing losses to the state in the purchase of small quantities of supplies on credit and paying interest on such items. Financial affairs of the state prison system, under this, will be handled exactly as the other affairs of the state government.

"It will have cash to pay for its supplies, and will have opportunity to buy for cash and in large quantities. In the past the funds of the prison system have been carried in the various banks over the state, but in the future these funds will be in the state treasury where all public funds belong."

Companion Measure.

The motor license fee bil lis the companion of the gas tax measure, both of which are designed to produce about $10,000,000 additional revenue for the highways and public schools of the state.

WICHITA COURT BILL STILL HAS CHANCE

Special to The Record News.

AUSTIN, March 28.—Wichita Falls prospect for keeping newly created 12th court of civil appeals was enhanced today when Governor Moody approved one of the pending court reform bills but withheld action on the one which would have repealed the Wichita court.

He approved the measure creating nine administrative judicial districts within which district judges may be sent around like the old time circuit rider to hold court in other counties where dockets are crowded.

He did not approve, among the 60 bills signed over Sunday, the measure which would have limited the state to 11 courts of civil appeals and put Wichita county back into the present Fort Worth district.

Vigorous protests were made to Moody last week by the bar of Wichita county against approval of this bill, and the governor is known to be dissatisfied otherwise with the measure.

NO BLOWOUTS

Mexico Uses Old Tires To Make Sandals For Peons

DALLAS, March 28. (AP)—A new use for old automobile tires is revealed in reports compiled by 19 American vice consuls in Mexico. Mexicans use the discarded tires for making "guaroches" or sandals.

The foot is placed on the rubber a sharp knife is run around the foot outline, leather thongs are attached and the Mexican has a serviceable footpiece.

The consul reports were received by Robert J. Smith, foreign trade secretary of the Dallas chamber of commerce. The information is transmitted to Texas rubber companies which plan to make guaroches.

TALKS TOO MUCH

Student in Dry Debate Must Tell Where He Got Rum

MANHATTAN, Kan., March 28. (AP)—Walter G. Gage, county attorney of Riley county, today announced he had issued a subpoena for Stanford Clinton, member of the debating team of Northwestern university, Chicago, who in a debate here last night is alleged to have asserted that liquor could be obtained in Manhattan "in less than five minutes."

Gage said he would question Clinton tomorrow on his source of information. The subpoena was sent to Lawrence, Kan., he said, where the Northwestern team is scheduled to debate with Kansas university.

In the debate in a church here the Northwestern men argued that the Volstead law should be repealed.

CANDIDATES AT LABOR TEMPLE

Labor Delegates Hear Office Seekers in Warm Speech

Approximately 200 delegates representing every labor union in Wichita Falls heard the nine candidates for election to posts on the city council present their platforms Monday night at the Labor Temple. Each candidate was allowed five minutes with the privilege of having three minutes for rebuttal if desired.

War On Hijackers

Roy E. Carter opened the fireworks in a short but potent talk in which he promised a new chief of police and a complete re-organization of the department if elected. Mr. Carter declared that he was a friend to labor but that he had no special promises to make to labor or any other group.

"If I am elected police and fire commissioner the police department is going to be organized so that systematic effort can be made to eliminate these hijackings and robberies," Mr. Carter declared. Former Commissioner John T. Young told the laborers that he would try to have a civil service system installed for the police department if he is the successful candidate.

"Twelve hours is too long for a policeman to have to work in a day and I hope to cut that shift by at least two hours," Mr. Young said and he was heavily applauded.

Thomas R. Wynn in a short address told of his past record, declared his friendliness toward organized labor and stated that he favored a police alarm system for Wichita Falls.

Cut Working Day

J. O. Cowart promised to give his entire time to superintending the fire and police departments and declared that if elected that he will see that the entire city is giv-

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BODIES ARRIVE

Waggoner Funeral Cortege Reaches Fort Worth

FORT WORTH, March 28. (AP) The bodies of Guy L. Waggoner Jr., and his young wife, killed when their automobile overturned near Douglas, Ariz., last Thursday, arrived here today and are being held in an undertaking establishment while Guy Waggoner Sr., returns from the Atlantic coast. At the time of their deaths the young couple were en route to their home here following their marriage at Hollywood, six days before.

SILK FROM CORN

New Textile Process Uses Corn Stalk Pulp

NEW YORK, March 28. (AP) Artificial silk and other synthetic products may be made from corn stalk pulp, says a report prepared in connection with proposed construction of plants in the middle west corn belt for reclamation of waste corn stalks.

TRAINS COLLIDE

Six Hurt In Oklahoma Train Accident Monday

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 28. (AP)—Six persons were injured in a collision early today of a Rock Island passenger train and a freight train, one mile west of Banner, a small station between Oklahoma City and El Reno but it was not believed any of the injured were serious.

HODGINS AND M'CLURE SPEAK AT REVIVAL

Police and Fire Department Heads Tell of Work At Tabernacle

FAITHFUL REWARDED

God Helps Those Who Believe in His Law, Says Biederwolf

A large majority of the members of the Wichita Falls police and fire departments attended Monday night the union revival services held in the tabernacle.

Before Dr. W. E. Biederwolf started his sermon, addresses were made by George Hodgins, chief of police, and Fire Chief J. L. McClure. A musical program by the jubilee colored singers from the colored Methodist church was also given before the sermon.

Hodgins spoke on the subject of "Law Enforcement" and McClure on "Fire Prevention."

Dr. Biederwolf took for sermon text: Book of John, fifth chapter, eighth verse, "Rise, take up thy bed and walk."

Some Lose Faith.

Some men and women lose faith in God because He does not come to their assistance when they think they need it, said Dr. Biederwolf.

"God helps men and women who believe in His word and law", said the evangelist, "when He believes that they ne help. But, the trouble is that the men and women want God to do all the work in helping them out of the troubles they are in, and they will not help themselves."

It is impossible to reach Heaven without working to get there, said Dr. Biederwolf.

"No real reward is ever received without hard work. The way to

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NOT ACT OF GOD

Court Rules That Death By Lightning Accident

DENVER, March 28. (AP)—Death by lightning is not necessarily an act of God, the state supreme court ruled today in awarding state compensation insurance to Mrs. Laura C. Oakley for the death of her son, Lyle, killed by lightning. Oakley was employed on a ranch last summer and the industrial commission held he was killed while in the line of duty.

The insurance company appealed on the ground his death did not result from his labors, but was through an act of God.

SEEK ASSAILANT

Man Who Shot Five Escapes At Austin

AUSTIN, March 28. (AP)—Travis county peace officers are searching for a man who early Sunday shot one woman and four men at a dance following a Mexican wedding two miles from Turnville.

Two of the men are in a hospital here with serious bullet wounds in the stomach and side.

INJURIES FATAL

Waco Man, Victim In Crossing Crash, Dies

WACO, March 28. (AP)—J. C. Crippen Sr., 69, Waco grocer died in a Hillsboro hospitaly shortly after noon today from injuries received Sunday when an automobile driven by Crippen was struck by an interurban express car near Hillsboro.

Be Careful

Help Make Streets and Highways of Wichita County Safe

LAST 24 HOURS	
Accidents	1
Injured	1
Dead	0

THIS YEAR	
Accidents	97
Injured	46
Dead	3
January Accidents	32
February Accidents	33

TRAFFIC PRIMER

Be sure your brakes are in good working order; they may be called in service to save life.

Cloudburst Floods Electra's Streets As Inch Rain Falls in 40 Minutes

Scattered showers were reported Monday from various points in the Wichita and Red river valleys with clouded skies constantly threatening a heavy downpour during the entire day.

Electra was the only point to report a heavy rain however, with a veritable cloudburst recorded there during the afternoon. During a 40-minute period shortly after 3 o'clock more than an inch of rain fell at Electra, accompanied by a fall of hail. Stones as large as bird eggs were reported. Streets of the city were flooded sufficiently to have floated canoes during the heavy downpour.

Slight drizzles fell in Wichita Falls during the day Monday with lowering clouds threatening a heavy downpour late in the day. Precipitation here during the day amounted to less than two tenths of an inch, however.

Precipitation in small amounts was reported at Iowa Park, Burkburnett and intermediate points. Some rainfall was also reported along the Wichita Valley railroad southwest of the city.

Additional cloudy weather with the promise of rain was forecast for the Wichita Falls section for Tuesday.

Europe Loses Another Beauty



Underwood and Underwood

An export tax on beauty may be Europe's defense against continued raids upon its stage and screen talent by American producers. Stockholni is bewailing the loss of Mona Mortenson, famed beauty of the Royal Dramatic theater there, who is Hollywood bound.

Rich Oklahoma Indian Maid Kidnaped By Plotters After $400,000 Fortune

U. S. Government Agents in Frantic Search For Girl Against Whom Violence Is Feared

MUSKOGEE, Okla., March 28. (AP)—Millie Naharkey, known as the "poor little rich Indian girl," who has an estate valued at $400,000 tied up in litigation, but who has been virtually an object of charity for nearly four years, is missing from her home here. A Kansas automobile, a glib tongue stranger, sleek of hair and handsome of feature, figure in the disappearance of the girl. Friends fear she has been kidnaped.

Government agents who have been searching for the girl who disappeared Saturday from the home of T. N. Roach, employe of the five civilized tribes here, today said they had but few leads on which they placed much hope for locating her.

The girl who is more than 20 years old and whose career rivals that of the famous Maud Lee Mudd, stopped at a farm house near Tulsa, traveling with the stranger who called to see her at the Roach home Saturday. The automobile in which the pair was traveling left the farm house, traveling towards Tulsa and has not been seen since.

Violence Feared.

With rumors of contemplated violence cropping out, efforts of investigators were redoubled today to locate the girl before she is delivered at a point believed to be the destination of abductors in Missouri.

Credence was given to the reports of an alleged plot by past adventures of the girl.

In June 1923 she disappeared from her mother's home at Red Fork, after an extensive search she was found in abject poverty, washing dishes in Kansas City.

During her absence, she said, she was taken to various places in Oklahoma and Missouri, and finally to summer camp on Roaring river, in Missouri. She told stories of how she was held prisoner in lonely places and was forced to watch her abductors throw dice to see who would strike her or otherwise mistreat her.

Inherits Wealth.

The girl, a Creek Indian, did not become rich from her government allotment but through lands inherited from her father and his relatives. The litigation involving her estate grew out of

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BANDITS ESCAPE

No Trace Reported of Houston Robber Pair

HOUSTON, March 28. (AP)—No trace had been found Monday of the two white unmasked bandits who invaded the home of J. S. Tamborello here Saturday night and escaped with $5000 in diamonds and $55 in cash after tying Tamborello, his wife and a neighbor boy.

$4200 CRAP GAME RAID

DALLAS, March 28. (AP)—An unmasked man held up a crap game in a Dallas hotel robbing the players of $4200 Sunday, police learned here Monday.

MODERN TEA PARTY

HALIFAX, N. S., March 28. (AP) A stock of tea valued at $200,000 went up in smoke here today when fire destroyed the stone building of J. E. Morse and company, tea merchants.

SAPIRO TELLS STORY OF LIFE

Man Who Would Have Ford Pay Off On Stand

DETROIT, Mich., March 28. (AP) Aaron Sapiro, sleek haired, 42-year-old Chicago Jew, who does not look his age by a dozen years, took the witness stand late today to relate the story of his life in his $1,000,000 libel suit against Henry Ford.

It was a picture of a most unpromising start which culminated in internationally recognized success which he left with the jurors, because his narration was broken by adjournment before he reached any of the story of alleged personal harm and injury to his efforts as an organizer of farmers' cooperatives done by articles printed in Ford's weekly, the Dearborn Independent.

An hour and a half tomorrow will suffice for the last part of the story, William Henry Galagher, cousel for Sapiro, said at adjournment.

Sapiro, keenly black eyed, alert, slim and swarthy, leaned far forward in the witness chair, hands grasping a roll of paper in his lap. A vivid flush spread over his face as he crackled answers to his counsel's volley of questions.

They seemed well drilled and question and answer piled into the voluminous trial record at such a pace that United States Senator James A. Reed, chief of Ford's counsel, appealed to Judge Fred M. Raymond to enforce more deliberation.

FINE STALLIONS

U. S. Army Becomes World's Greatest Breeder of Horses

WASHINGTON, March 28. (AP)—With recent purchases bringing its number of stallions up to 510, the United States army now claims to be the greatest horse breeder in the world. Major General Cheatham, the quartermaster general, said the stallions have produced 25,000 colts, 7,000 having been foaled last year alone.

The stallions, most of which are thoroughbred, are scattered throughout the country and are available at a nominal cost to farmers who wish to use them for breeding purposes. The total value of the colts has been placed at $3,744,000.

PARENTS GIVE $3333 TO GET INFANT BACK

Former Chattanooga Policeman Arrested as Suspect In Kidnaping

BABY IS UNHARMED

Stolen Child Is Returned As Parents Pay Ransom Asked in Note

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 28. (AP)—Arrested tonight on a warrant charging kidnaping and demanding a ransom, Frank A. Baskett, 47, was spirited out of town for safe keeping, in custody of officers engaged in pursuit of the abductors of Virginia Jo Frazier, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Frazier, who was stolen from her crib last Tuesday and returned last night for $3,333 ransom.

While Baskett tonight was being conducted to a place of safety, city detectives arrested Mrs. Annie Tominson of North Chattanooga, in connection with the kidnaping and took a second woman into custody for questioning. The name of the latter was not divulged and no charge has been preferred against Mrs. Tominson.

Detective Chief W. H. Hackett declined to discuss the evidence.

Baskett formerly lived in Dayton, Tenn., where Fred B. Frazier and Mrs. Frazier, the parents of Virginia Jo, also lived. Eight years ago he was acquitted of the murder of Tom Fugit, a brother-in-law. Mr. Frazier represented him at that time as counsel. What connection this may have had with the kidnaping officers have been unable to determine.

$500 REWARD POSTED FOR KIDNAP PLOTTERS.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 28. (AP)—The city of Chattanooga offered a reward of $500 for the capture, dead or alive, of the kidnapers of two-year-old Virginia Jo Frazier, daughter of Commissioner and Mrs. Fred B. Frazier, who was stolen from her crib Wednesday night and returned to her parents last night after they had paid ransom of $3333.

CHILD FREED AFTER $3333 RANSOM PAID.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 28. (AP) — Virgina Josephine Frazier, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Frazier, held by kidnapers for four days was left on the front porch of a minister's home last night, dirty and only partially clothed, but apparently unhurt. Mr. Frazier had paid a ransom of $3333 earlier in the evening. Mrs. John Vencable, wife of the pastor of the First Presbyterian church, found the baby when she answered the door bell. Her husband immediately communicated with Mr. and Mrs. Frazier, a physician and the police and the reunion was quickly effected.

A drug the kidnapers administered to the baby in small quantities caused drowsiness, but in a few hours the effect had worn off. A physician said there was nothing to fear.

Nurse Finds Loss.

The Fraziers were out of the city last Wednesday when the baby disappeared. A nurse maid who watched over the six-year-old son in a room adjoining the baby's sleeping place observed early Thursday that the child had not called for her brother. She peeped into the room and saw an empty crib; only the baby's shoes and a few little garments were there.

Every policeman in the city, private detectives and many citizens began an organized search to no avail. Hundreds of stories were investigated while the father and mother waited for some word.

Not until the baby was found did the parents make known the true situation. Some indication was given, however, for they had requested police to press for arrests.

Friday afternoon the Fraziers received a special delivery letter. "We have your baby," it said, "it will take $3333.33. She is all right, but last night was cold, we don't know what will happen this cold weather. Be ready with the money when we call you. This is not my writing so you needn't try to trace me."

Worn By Anxiety.

Worn by anxiety to the point of breaking, the parents decided to take the writer at his word. Fearing that an effort to apprehend the abductors would result in tragedy, Mr. Frazier obtained the money and waited in his office for the next move. It was soon made. A police sergeant brought a letter delivered to him by a Western Union messenger who had in turn received it from a negro boy with the instruction: "Take it to Mrs. Frazier; she'll pay the charges when you get there. I'm in a hurry."

The letter demanded that the ransom be handed to a negro boy who would be found at a designated place holding a broom handle. "Tell him to give it to Frank. He thinks that's my name," the letter said.

"The baby is well and singing and laughing and dancing. After the money is delivered your baby will be left in the home of a friend."

Mr. Frazier rushed to the designated intersection after first tel-

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FAITHFUL FIND GOD'S REWARD

Many Give Up Too Soon, Says Evangelist

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get to Heaven", said Dr. Biederwolf, "is to work hard for the cause of God."

Dr. Biederwolf's sermon in full follows:

And so I come to you with the message of Jesus Christ tonight. I don't care who you are or how far away from God you've been. If you want to be made whole Jesus can do the business for you. You say you're always been troubled with doubt and the way is dark. Rise and the light will shine and Christ will lead you out. You say your temptation is bitter and your passion is too strong. Rise and the chains will snap and Christ will set you free, and God's might will take the place of your weakness.

There are hundreds of you in this city and in this tabernacle, poor, poised, paralytic, hell-bound souls, who need Christ as much as ever did that poor fellow at the pool of Bethesda, but the great trouble with so many of you is that you are not willing to test the reality of religion and put to the proof the thing that Jesus says.

Western Water Pool.

In some parts of the west the stockman build a wall around the big pool of water to keep the cattle from wading in and making the water muddy. Then they build a platform over the pool and put a trough at one side of it. The trough can't be seen from the outside. One day an old ox reared up on his hind feet and looked over the platform and said to the rest of them: "There ain't a drop of water in it!" Huxley got up and looked and said, "There's nothing in it," and Haeckel and Spencer and Andy Carnegie say, "There's nothing in it," but an old ox thirsty for water says to the rest, "Come on," and he goes around the wall and walks out onto that platform and the weight of his body forces the pure, gurgling water up into the trough and he drinks and is satisfied. Yes, they say: "There's nothing in it," but you let the poor sinner walk out on the promise of God and the water of life will spring up in his soul and he can drink and see that it is good.

Oh, my brother, do you want to know God? Do you and to be made whole? Do you want a faith that will satisfy you while you live and when you come to die, then hear the great Christ of God saying to you now, RISE! And God help you to take Him at his word.

"Take Up Thy Bed."

And then what? "Take up thy bed." You'll not have any farther use for it. Roll it up. Tie it up. Lug it away.

One reason why we have so many cross-grained, cantankerous, paralytic, no account back-sliders in the church is because they made provision for a relapse when they took the cure.

Jesus wanted this poor fellow to realize that he was filed up for keeps and that he didn't expect him to take a few feeble steps and then lie down again.

It was sad enough, God knows, to see that poor paralytic lying there on his dirty bed but it would have been a good deal sadder to have found him there the next day after Jesus had met him and poured his poor, palsied body full of palsitating, red-corpuscled health. And the saddest thing in the universe is to see a soul once touched with the glorious health of Jesus go bobbling back to Bethesda and lie down on a bed of paralysis.

One day last July I saw a large vessel launched from the Cramp Shipyards in Philadelphia—one of the largest they ever put out. As she shot down the greased runners she seemed to be a living, breathing thing, throbbing with a mighty ambition for the sea.

Launching Ships.

It's great to see the way they do it. They take two long runners at an angle of twenty-three and on each of them place two others with grease enough between them to start a soap factory. They bolt them at the upper end and then on the top of the runners the ship is built, first the keel and then the ribs of steel and then a million bolts grip fast the mighty sheets of iron that make her sides. And as they rise from keel to deck, everywhere the thanle thing is stayed by timber props until as you walk beneath it you seem to be wandering among a forest of branches of trees. Next goes in the heart—deep down in its breast—giant engines of 10,000 horse power whose mighty throbbings are to laugh the fury of the sea to scorn. And when the stacks are raised and the decks are laid, promenade and main and all the rest, the hour has come for launching. The flags of every nation, Old Glory above them all, stream from stem to stern. At the stern of the vessel rises a stand where distinguished guests assemble. Some favored girl is there to break a bottle of wine over its nose—she's going to christen it. Where the fool custom of using wine came from I don't know. You might as well bust a bottle of booze over your baby's head at the Baptismal font. When the Tennessee was launched Miss Warfield christened her with a bottle of water—me for Miss Warfield!

"All ready now boys, "we'll let her go."

What are those thundering, thumping sounds? It's the music of battering rams swung by a jolly host of brawny-built toilers bumping down the promenade. Everybody is on the "qui vive." Every window is crammed; every roof is crowded and every pier is packed.

And now listen, some one is sawing timber. Those top runners on which the great ship is resting and which are bolted down only at the top are being sawn in two. The band begins to play. The crowd holds its breath and the mighty monster of the deep, as if anxious to get away, as the saw has nearly done its work, tears the fibers from the bolted end that holds it back. The bottle smashes! A voice says, "I christen thee Great Northern" and the old greyhound of the ocean shoots down the greased plank to the music of the band and thousands of shouting throats, and into the water as gracefully as a seagull dips down from the skies.

And now in fancy I see that boat putting out from the wharf for the somewhere of other lands. The flags are flying; the bands are playing; loved ones on the dock are shouting. "Good bye; God bless you" and the journey is begun. All nature seems interested in the trip; the skies smile and the shining sun kisses the ocean's face and turns its ripples into silver and its feathery foam into gold.

But just outside the bar the winds rise, the air grows dark and the hurricane comes. The ocean is lashed into a fury and the proud strong ship begins to show its metal. She rolls and tosses and rides waves until her twin screws buzz in midair, but she sticks her steel nose into the black banks of the scowling waves and plows on.

Sin's Breakers.

But a cry is heard, "Breakers dead ahead," shouts the Captain, but its too late. They said she couldn't sink but when she ran her proud steel head into that mountain of rock just bulging up through the surface of the sea, she gave one deep-seated groan and trembling like a thing of life, she settled over on her side and went down to a watery grave.

And how sad it is! And how it makes your heart ache! And how you sympathize with those whose loved ones went down! Maybe some one you loved was on board, and how sad it is! But, Oh, its sadder than that when its the shipwreck of a soul. You started out full of fun; you came down to a meeting like this maybe and gave your heart to Christ, and you thought and everybody else did, you were going to sail well across the sea of life. But just a little beyond the bar and things became unsettled—temptations came—old companions got about you; your old lust stood up before you again and it was too much for you and you went down and today you're away from God and back again to the old life of sin where you used to be.

There's a picture in one of our galleries of an old derelict of a vessel, an old battered hulk on a rough sea with threatening clouds. No canvas ever spoke with plainer voice its message. I might describe it; I might comment on it, but down underneath the painting is a verse that tells the whole wierd, pathetic story. Listen to the words.

"Storm-beaten, torn and tossed
By night and day,
Lone, Lorn, Lamented, Lost;
Drifting away."

What a picture of many a soul I know and you know. And I didn't make any mistake when I said that such a wreck is sadder than that of any Titanic or any ship that ever sailed the seas.

Now why is it? It's because you don't take up your bed. You leave the thing in a way that makes it easy to go back.

The Drunken Churchman.

Judge Culpepper tells us that one time the church officers had one of his members up for drunkenness. The fellow's name was Johnson and he was very penitent and said he was ashamed of his own weakness, and Mr. Culpepper told him he was not surprised at all and that seemed to hurt the fellow's feelings and he said, "Brother Culpepper I thought you believed in me and was expecting me to hold out." and Mr. Culpepper said, "Johnson I did believe in you and was expecting you to hold out, but the first time I see you in town after you had joined the church you hitched your horse to the same old hitching post that you had tied too for years and fifteen feet from the door room where you've spent thousands of dollars and gotten drunk hundreds of times and I said to myself then, "If old Johnson don't change his hitching post he'll be dead again in six months. If you had been afraid of yourself and afraid of the saloon keeper and afraid of your old associates and afraid of the devil and tied your horse way around yonder to the Methodist church horse rack and asked me or Bill Hayes to go down town with you for the first few times I would have expected you to make the steep grade." And I tell you that old hitching post explains the difficulty with about nine-tenths of the old backsliders you find in the church today.

You've got to cut loose from the old life and the farther you can get away from it the better it will be for you. We prayed till midnight with one fellow who wanted to be a Christian, but he didn't want to give up his cigarette. How much do you suppose he would ever have amounted to as a Christian if he had stuck to that senseless, fool habit.

What Keeps You Back?

Now what is the thing in your life more than anything else that's been keeping you away from God? Is it the booze on your sideboard, the card-table in your home, the Christ-dishonoring crowd you've been training with? Well, do you think for one minute you can become a Christian and stay one and not say "Good bye" absolutely to that thing? There's no power in the universe can save some people unless they make a clean cut with the world. Get a new hitchingpost; get rid of the trifling, godless crowd you've been training with; change your track and your drive; say "Good bye" to the old life and the dirty deeds of the flesh. Be a man and be true like you know you ought to be. Don't be a mollycoddle.

John 5:8, "Rise, Take Up Thy Bed and Walk."

There are some fellows who won't go into the Kingdom of God at all unless they can go in head-first. But God never said, "My son, give me your head." He said, "My son, give me thy heart." You tackle this thing of becoming a Christian with your head alone and you'll have a head-on collision about one minute after you get started. If nothing else will do you but head work, about the best thing that could happen to you would be to run your old head up against some of the solid and mysterious facts of God and get a little horse-sense knocked into it, and then maybe you'd call your heart up along side of your head and move on the way God meant you to.

If ever there was a hopeless case it was this man at the pool of Bethesda.

There was a portico, a pentagonal peristyle, around the pool and it was crowded every day with patients, and this poor fellow I'm telling you about had lain there for thirty-eight years, a hopeless paralytic with his dreamy eyes fixed on the healing waters he couldn't reach. It was an intermittant spring and the waters only boiled up for a few minutes at a time and I suppose he had tried a thousand times to get there just in the nick of time but always someone else less helpless than himself had beat him to it.

No Man to Aid.

He had waited there so long that despair akin to utter imbecility was written all over his face, and one day a magnetic looking stranger came along and asked him if he wanted to be healed. He said to him, "Wilt thou be made whole?", and I can hear the poor fellow begin to talk while the hope that was dead within him commenced to revive and he says, "Why, yes, man that's what I'm lying here for; I've been coming here for thirty-eight years to be healed and don't look like I need it. I have been here gazing on these healing waters and I've seen others healed and I know it can heal me and yet here I am. Am I willing to be made whole? Why, of course I am, but "I have no man to put me into the pool when the water is troubled." Now stranger you stand by and when the water is troubled get me in quick, and when I'm cured if there's anything I can ever do for you all you've got to do is to let me know." And while he was talking his eye met the stranger's gaze and there was a tenderness in it he had never seen in any human's eye before and he had a countenance such as he had never before seen any mortal being bear, and as he looked the stranger spoke again with a voice that seemed to thrill the hopeless limbs with vigor, and Jesus said, "Rise, Take up thy Bed and Walk."

To Them That Obey.

Rise? How could he rise? If he could rise he would not have been lying there for eight and thirty years. But he did rise when Jesus told him to for when he made the effort, though utterly helpless, into lifeless crippled limbs quicker and more powerful than the current of the mightiest dynamo passed all the energy and might of the living God himself.

Oh, my brother, here is a great truth: "To them that obey Him he is the author of eternal life." Do you remember the ten lepers that came to Jesus and asked Him to heal them, and Jesus said, "Go show yourself to the high priest, the health officer" and did they say as they held their diseased hands out, "Why Lord, we can't go this way!" No, but they went and "As they went they were healed."

Rich Indian Girl 'Stolen'

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concessions she is alleged to have made during her last absence.

Her disappearance Saturday from Muskogee was as sudden and as mysterious. Late Friday a young man representing himself as a resident of Oswego, Kan., and an acquaintance of the girl, appeared at the ranch home here and asked to see the girl, it was said.

The girl introduced the man to Mr. and Mrs. Roach, it was said, as a friend of hers whom she had met while she was staying at the home of Mrs. Roach's sister in Oswego.

The theory that the strange young man from Kansas has something to do with the mystery was substantiated today when Roach received a telephone call from a farm house south of Tulsa. The message said that Millie, who was known to the woman of the house, was there Sunday afternoon and was accompanied by a man whose description tallied with that of the man who called on her here.

Government Witness.

Added interest was given to the disappearance of the girl because she was a star witness for the government in a suit charging "giving liquor to an Indian" growing out of her disappearance in 1922. Two men both Tulsans are accused in connection with the charges. They were convicted in federal court at Joplin, Mo., and their cases now are pending in the circuit court of appeals.

She is the government's main witness in another case involving the same two men in which violation of the Mann act is charged.

$500 Offered For Kidnapers

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ephoning his brother, Jim, to bring the money.

A youthful negro, wearing a handkerchief well over his face, walked nervously at the corner when Frazier arrived.

"Are you looking for me?" he asked.

"Yes."

Produces Broom Handle.

"Where's your broom handle?"

The negro produced one from behind a fence.

"I didn't get the message until eight. I have sent for the money and will have it here in 20 minutes."

Thirty minutes later Frazier delivered the money to the negro with a bundle containing the letters received from the abductors which had been requested.

In a few minutes the Rev. Mr. Venable called and the Frazier family were informed their baby had been found.

70 NAMED FOR TEXAS SPECIAL

J. H. Allison and J. A. Kemp Named as Members

DALLAS, March 28. (AP)—Newspaper men, chamber of commerce and railroad officials, and representatives of business interests of widely scattered sections of the state gathered in Dallas today to launch plans for an all-Texas products exhibit in the middle west, east and New England states.

It was definitely decided that a special train, carrying a hundred or more Texans, will be run the latter part of May and early June, to Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, Cleveland, Washington, Philadelphia, New York, Boston and other cities. Final details will be worked out at another conference to be held in Fort Worth April 11.

At today's conference, Lowry Martin, Corsicana, was named general chairman and S. W. Papert, Dallas, general secretary.

The plan originated with the Texas Daily Press League of which these are officials, but all Texas interests will be invited to participate equally in putting over the tour. A steering committee of three was named, composed of Lee Greer, Denison; Wilbur Hawk, Amarillo and Roy Christian, Corsicana, and this committee picked the executive committee of seventy which will be in charge of arrangements from this time on.

The personnel of this committee: Dan Moody, governor of Texas; Roy Christian, Corsicana; J. H. Allison, Wichita Falls; J. L. Greer, Denison; S. W. Papert, Dallas; W. V. Crawford, Waco; Cato Sells, Fort Worth; Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth; Tom H. Etheridge, San Antonio; Wilbur Hawk, Amarillo; Bernard Hanks, Abilene; Tom C. Gooch, Dallas; Porter A. Whaley, San Antonio; Homer D. Wade, Stamford.

Houston Harte, San Angelo; Sam P. Harben, Richardson; John Spellman, Dallas; Louis Eibert, Galveston; W. N. Blanton, Longview; Ray Leeman, San Antonio; D. W. Stevick, Texarkana; J. L. Mapes, Beaumont; John J. Carpenter, Dallas; Oscar F. Holcombe, Houston; J. E. Bell, San Benito; J. A. Kemp, Wichita Falls; Ernest O. Thompson, Amarillo; John Hill, Amarillo; John H. Kirby, Houston; A. G. Mayse, Sherman; J. K. Hughes, Mexia; May Bentley, Abilene; G. C. Richardson, Brownsville; Lowrey Martin, Corsicana; John D. Mid eton, Greenville; A. L. Smith, Hillsboro; E. H. Blunte, Nacogdoches; R. Q. Lee, Cisco; D. R. Harris, Henderson; Benton McMillian, Uvalde; Will C. Edwards, Denton; George W. Fry, Abilene; Clifford B. Jones, Spur.

Ike Herman, Marshall; E. H. Astin, Bryan; C. C. Walsh, San Angelo; Arthur P. Duggan, Littlefield; Ewing Thomason, El Paso; R. K. Kelly, Longview; W. S. Scott, Cleburne; Carl Pool, Sherman; R. S. Sterling, Houston; Carl Estes, Tyler; W. W. Rix, Lubbock; Oscar Anderson, Mineral Wells; J. M. Penland, Waco; T. N. Carswell, Abilene; H. R. Stroube, Corsicana; Louis Lipsitz, Dallas; Jesse R. Jones, Houston; Clarence Gilmore, Austin; Lynch Davidson, Houston; A. L. Burge, Port Arthur; Guy Caldwell, Paris; Frank Huntress, San Antonio; G. M. Knebel, San Antonio; R. M. Morrison, San Antonio; H. J. L. Stark, Orange.

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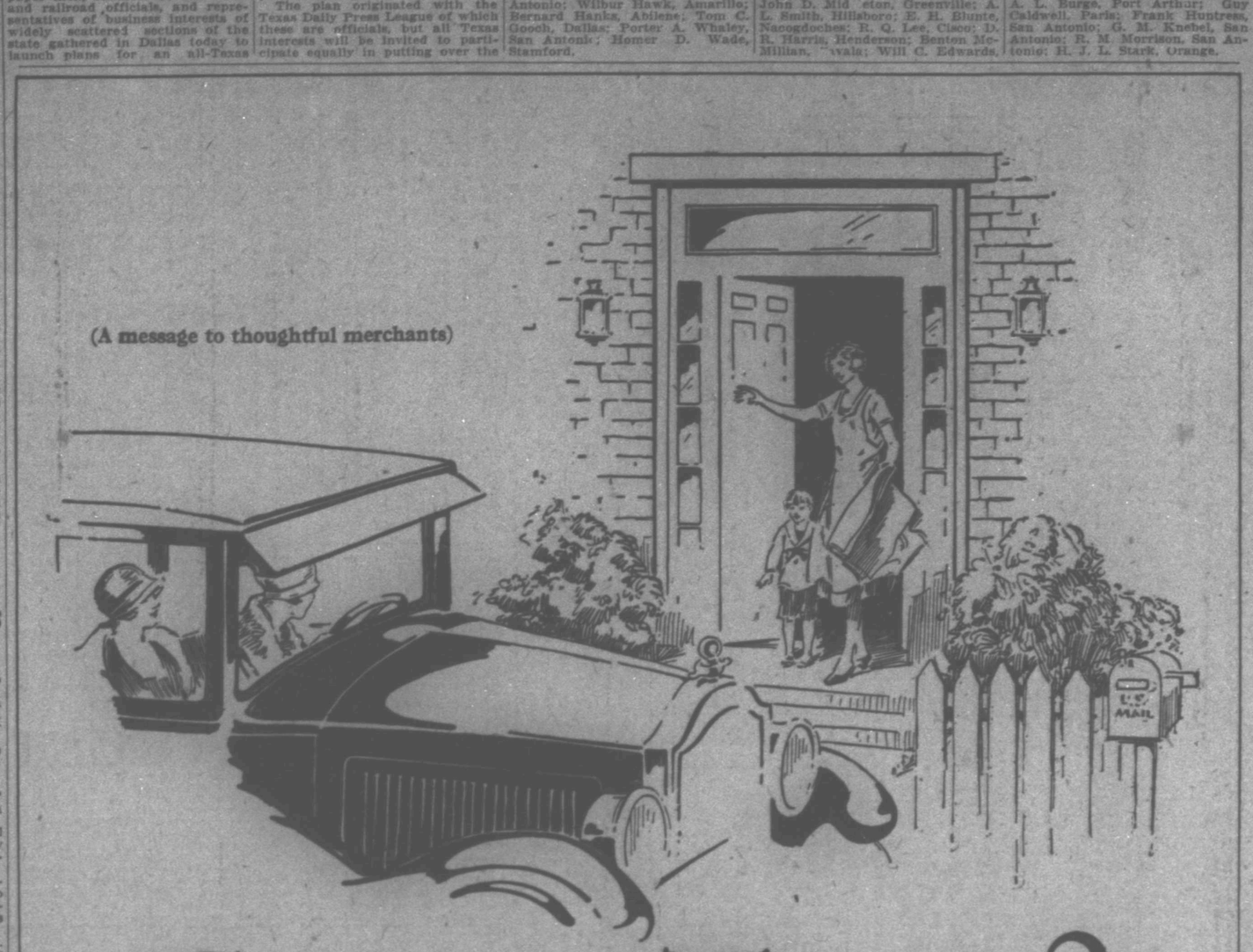
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The RECORD NEWS

PLOTS SEEN IN NANKING RAIDS

Attack On Americans By Chinese Premediated

SHANGHAI, March 28. (AP)—Foreigners who suffered the Cantonese attack at Nanking, in which one American was killed and four injured, believe it was premediated and engineered by persons familiar with the foreign interests in the city.

This is the conclusion of a statement drafted by authorized representatives of 67 Americans, mostly missionaries, who arrived at Shanghai today aboard the American destroyer Preston.

"It was obviously under official control and directed against all foreigners, irrespective of nationality," the statement says.

The Preston brought as causalties Miss Anna E. Moffet, who was shot twice by Cantonese soldiers, and E. T. Hobart, manager of the Nanking branch of the Standard Oil who suffered a broken akle in escaping from Socony Hill under cover of Thursday's naval bombardment. Both were removed from the Preston to the hospital.

Another passenger was Mrs. J. E. Williams, widow of the murdered vice-president of Nanking university. Dr. Williams, shot by a looter, was buried by Chinese friends in the Nanking foreign cemetery just before the last of the Americans left.

Saddened Refugees.

The refugees on the Preston—39 men, 22 women and six children—were a saddened group. Their dejection was heightened by the fact that many were still suffering the effects of ptomaine, with which nearly half were stricken aboard the destroyer Noa before they were transferred to the Preston for the trip to Shanghai. Their baggege was of the scantiest and many were entirely without funds having been robbed by the Cantonese. The majority had only the clothes they wore, while some were dressed in Chinese garments, having been stripped to their under clothing by the soldiers marauders.

The most pitiful feature, however, was the seeming brokenspiritedness of the majority who are missionarics who have devoted their lives to China. They are bitterly disappointed.

The refugees brought the first connected story of what happened in the southern part of Nanking, where more than 120 American missionaries, concentrated in Nanking university were cut off from the river for an entire day. Their statement tells the story:

"The southern (Cantonese) soldiers entered the city by the west, south ad east gates and proceeded by degrees across the city to Hsia-Kuan (the port section of Nanking), where the northerners were hastily crossing the river to Pukow.

Raid Foreign Houses.

"By 6 o'clock Thursday morning the southern soldiers were entering foreign houses, evidently directed by those knowing Nanking.

"Experiences differed but the general method was to push right into the compounds with bayonets fixed, firing as they came, forcing their way into the houses, threatening the occupants and demanding money; beginning looting, then calling in the populace from the streets, who completed the destruction. These resisting were shot; also some who did not resist.

"Some soldiers distinguished between Americans and other foreigners, but most said definitely that they were out to kill all foreigners. Where money could not be obtained, in some cases foreigners were bound and led through the streets to places where money could be obtained to secure their release.

"Foreigners were saved by one of three means: first, by fleeing and hiding until rescued; second, by the help of Cantonese officers who finally appeared and restored order, and third by Chinese friends interceding.

"Dr. Williams was killed by a bullet in the head while being robbed of his watch. Most of the foreign men were stipped of all but their underclothes and had to borrow from Chinese friends.

"All the foreign houses except those of the Ginling college were completely looted; in some all the wood work was torn out, including the floors; doors and window frames.

Buildings Burned.

"Nine buildings were burned at the Hillcrest school excepting the gymnasium, the old dormitory, the Bible women's training school and the residences of Lewis H. Lancaster, A. C. Hutcheson, S. J. Mills, F. W. Dieterich, Mrs. Kenne and Mr. Blackstone and Mr. Wilson.

"After the firing from the foreign war ships Thursday afternoon the soldiers kept order. Foreigners obtained military escort or were hunted out by Chinese friends and assembled in one building of Nanking university. Tie university students procured the protection of this building by the military.

"However, not a few foreigners had to spend the night in hiding, and reached the university only when hunted out by foreign or chinese friends.

"More than 120 men, women and children were finally assembled at the university. A committee was formed, and efforts were made to get into contact with the United States consulor the destroyers in the Yangtz.

FROWNING WAR GUNS DETER CHINESE RIOTERS

SHANGHAI, March 28.—(Monday)—Under the protecting muzzles of American and British war vessels, an almost complete foreign evacuation of the great Yangtz valley was under way today in the midst of a rising tide of anti-foreignism all along the river.

From virtually every Yangtz port and from many inland stations the waterway sand landways are dotted with groups of foreigners mostly Americans, fleeing from nationalist territory to the now certain haven of Shanghai.

The evacuation is under official supervision and is impelled by the fear of the anti-foreign wave now sweeping the Wangtz valley as a reation of the Nanking bombardment to protect the foreigners on Socony hill.

Consul General Clarence E. Gauss has asked the department of state at Washington to advise the home mission boards to bring some of the missionaries home to relieve Shanghai's refugee congestion which is growing more acute daily.

500 Reach Shanghai

During the last 48 hours more than 500 refugees, most of them missionaries, have reached Shanghai, and have overcrowded the emergency quarters. Today nearly 500 are expected more are expected and beds are being placed in the navy Yong Men's Christian association gymnasium in churches and schools.

Five river boats lie fog-bound outside of Shanghai with nearly 500 refugees aboard. Scores of foreigners coming from Giangsu and Chekiang are swelling the totals and the tide is only i nmidflow. Missionaires who hitherto had refused to leave their posts, or having once withdrawn had returned, are coming out with the rest. One of the five ships now lying off Shanghai, the Suiwo, brings 250 refugees, mostly women and children, from Hankow whence the evacuation was hastened by the attitude of labor there.

About 100 refugees from Hankow arrived Sunday morning aboard the Lungwo, virtually completing the evacuation of the American women and children there. Approximately 100 American men, however, still remain.

Three steamers are bringing approximately 715 refugees from Nanking, while 39 Americans and 31 Brtishers embarked on a steamer at Chenkiang under the protection of the United States destroyer Paul Jones. The Preble is working along the lower Yangtze, picking up 30 or more Americans at smaller ports.

Revenge Is Demanded

Propaganda emanating from Hankow, is demanding revenge for the Nanking incident and is widespread. At Wuhu where all foreign women and children have been evacuated anti-foreign agitation is rampant and soldiers are mounting guns on a hill overlooking the river for the alleged purpose of obstructing foreign shipping.

At Shenkiang, Chinese servants, loyal to their foreign employers urgently warned them to leave the city. Only five foreign men remain in that city.

The Noa, which played so prominent a part in the Nanking incident has gone to Wuhu where the Stewart also has been ordered from Shanghai. The Isabel is now the only United States warship remaining at Nanking.

Yangtz travel is growing increasingly hazardous and a majority of the refugee ships are being convoyed by naval vessels. The Stewart, Preston and Preble all were fired on Saturday and Sunday between Shanghai and Chekiang and naval officers report that both sides of the river are now in nationalist hands and that all firing was by nationalist troops.

U. S. Ships On Guard

Fearing Nanking repercussions United States destroyers are taking up stations at Amoy, Swatow, and Foochow, while the United States consul at Cheefo has asked for similar protection.

Sunday evening a military train brought 40 refugees from Kangchow and Kashing while others came from Foochow. The Hangchow refugees reported that Nanking was the climax to a steadily rising anti-foreignism even those who had had a life-long confidence in their safety, expressing belief that it was perilous to continue to live among the Chinese people.

Manslaughter Elimination May Result In Miscarriage of Justice, Gov. Fears

AUSTIN, March 28. (AP)—Questions as to the validity and practicability of a bill passed by the 40th legislature eliminating the offense of manslaughter today were raised by Governor Dan Moody in a letter to Attorney General Claude Pollard. The bill was recommended by Moody and was an administration measure. Moody expressed fear that the bill, which he has not signed, in its present form would affect pending and untried indictments for murder because the substitution of a new definition for murder and change of penalty "in the absence of a provision in the bill for the survival of such cases."

The bill, he added, could not become a law prior to 90 days after adjournment of the legislature.

Under the present law a person indicted for murder and convicted of manslaughter could secure a murder acquittal if the court of criminal appeals should reverse the conviction, Moody said.

Moody Asks Ruling

Moody asked whether a special session before the manslaughter bill becomes law could enact a statute providing for the survival of such cases.

The letter in part, follows:

"Let me state that I am very much in favor of the repeal of manslaughter and the punishment of all voluntary homicides as murder, having suggested such a statute to the legislature in a message to it.

"The bill in its present condition raises in my mind several questions upon which I should like the advice of the department of the attorney general. They are:

"Assume that a person has been indicted for the offense of murder and upon trial was convicted of manslaughter and upon appeal to the court of criminal appeals the conviction was reversed. Under the law existing, such a verdict would amount to an acquittal of murder. If senate bill No. 169 (manslaughter bill) should become law in its present form, no provision having been made for the survival of such pending cases would a person whose conviction for manslaughter had been reversed escape punishment by reason of the repeal of the law defining manslaughter as an offense and making all voluntary killing punishable?

Another Issue Put

"If you conclude that under the law a man who had received a conviction of the offense of manslaughter and whose case had been reversed, could not, after senate bill No. 168 becomes the law, be again tried then I desire to ask advice on the following question:

"Senate bill No. 168 could in no event become a law prior to 90 days after adjournment of the legislature. Could a special session of the legislature held before this law becomes effective enact a statute providing for the survival of such cases, and thereby make provision to insure that the state could further prosecute such pending cases?

"Would the substitution of a new definition for murder and the change of the penalty therefor, as provided by this bill affect such pending and untried indictments for murder in the absence of a provision in the bill for the survival of such cases?"

HOW TO SLEEP

ATLANTIC CITY, March 29. (AP) Another secret about Tom Edison's four hours sleep nightly is out. Dr. Alfred P. Haake of New York says he has been experimenting and has found that the average person gets but 11 minutes sleep in a night—that is sleep while perfectly still and Edison has learned how to get real slumber.

LEARNS TO WALK ANEW.

By Universal Service.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Mrs. John P. Schuh, recovering from an operation for infantile paralysis, is learning to walk all over again, this time with her 8-months old baby, Lawrence.

Look Him Over



Students at Oglethorpe university, Atlanta, decided Peter Davenport was the handsomest man on the campus.

BOY SCOUT DIES

Rock Fall In Cave at El Paso Fatal for Youth

EL PASO, March 28. (AP)—Thomas O. Brooks, 14, a Boy Scout of San Antonio was almost instantly killed late Sunday in the hills at Hueco Tanks, 25 miles from here where a huge rock fell on his head. The boy was one of a party of 10 scouts enjoying a Sunday afternoon outing. He was exploring a small cave when the rock in some unknown way became dislodged.

"K. K. K." BAN ON CHAPLIN

NEW YORK, March 29. (AP) Having received letters on K. K. K. stationery threatening violence if Charlie Chaplin pictures were shown as advertised, three movie theaters in the borough of Queens withdrew them. The proprietors explained they were not afraid as the police offered protection, but they thought it best to bow to the community's sentiment.

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"REMEDY" FOR NAGGING WIFE

Midday Siesta Proposed By Student Scientists

By Universal Service.

COLUMBIA, Mo., March 28.—A remeedy for nagging wives, irritable stenographers and bored saleswomen, as well as for listless students, has been evolved at Stephens college for girls here. It is the mid-day siesta.

After a month's trial of the siesta, college authorities have decided to adopt it permanently in the school's daily schedule. Not only has a great conservation of energy been accomplished under the plan but the students' health and dispositions have improved.

Teachers report that the studets are more alert in their afternoon classes and that they think more clerly than foremerly. Nervousness and fatigue have been lessened and fewere studnts now are confined in the college infirmary.

The siesta hour is observed immediately following luncheon. The studets are allowed a later bedtime because of it, retiring at 11 o'clock instead of 10 o'clock as formerly.

The siesta, long observed among women of South American countries, was tried out at the school on recommendation of Dr. W. W. Charters, professor of education at the University of Chicago and director of research for Stephes college.

FIRE ON MARINES

Nicaragua Snipers Make Attempt On Americans

WASHINGTON, March 28. (AP)—Two members of an American marine patrol assigned to the Leon district in Nicaragua were fired upon yesterday by four natives while making a survey of that city's outskirts, Admiral Latimer advised the navy department today.

Moody Endorses Auto License Law

Governor Signs New Bill Distributing Fees

AUSTIN, March 28.(AP)—The automobile license fee bill, companion of the new gasoline tax measure, was among the sixty or more bills signed by Governor Dan Moody over the week-end, it was learned today although an official list of the measures will not be given out until the governor makes statements in connection with some of them.

The fee bill gives counties 30 per cent of the car weight fees, none of which they received before, and all of the horse power tax, which was sustained after a hard fight between the house and senate in the recent legislative session. The house held out for repeal of the horse power tax.

Most of this year's license fees have been collected and the new bill will affect only those of 1928, giving the counties more money for lateral roads.

An example of the fee bill is that counties next year will get $6.28 of the fees collected for small touring car licenses, instead of only $4 as formerly.

60 DIE IN MINE

By Universal Service.

TOKIO, March 28.—Sixty men were killed, fifty entombed and 99 escaped when fire broke out in the Iwaki coal mine in the Fukushima prefecture today. Scores of volunteers were fighting desperately at a late hour tonight in an effort to rescue the 50 men known to be entombed. Whether the fire had reached them is not known. The cause of the fire is being investigated.

LOCUSTS IGNORE GUNFIRE

Apparently paying no heed to gunfire, armies of giant locusts have been invading India. Of three swarms that settled in the Bombay presidency, one was 20 miles long and 90 feet wide. When the insects had settled heavy gunfire was directed at them without effect.

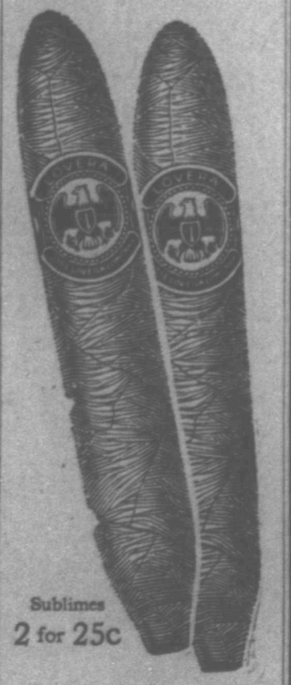
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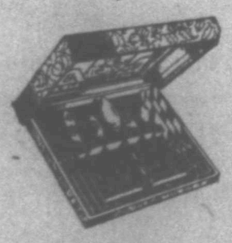
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INVENTOR TO ASSIST GENIUS

Young Russian, Newly Rich, To Aid Others

NEW YORK, March 28.(AP)—Charity and struggling inventors were in line today to share in a million dollars—the proceeds of the sale of a slot machine automatic camera, conceived by a young Russian socialist in a dingy ping pong shop in China and sold to blase Broadway.

Anatol Josepho arrived in New Yok via Ellis Island three years ago, a penniless dreamer envisioning the sale of an idea to American finance. The dream came true.

Several business leaders yesterday handed Josepho his check, named the inventor vice-president of the Photomaton, Inc., and announced plans for a nation-wide chain of studios where the public might photograph itself, eight shots for a quarter.

To Aid Inventor.

The inventor holds to his socialistic theories despite his admission to capital. "I plan to create a trust fund with half of this money, to be devoted to general charity", he said. "The other half I plan to administer in the interests of various inventions I consider worthy of development.

"The average inventor has a hard life and it is a rare instance for him to reap the rewards of his inventions as I have done. I shall dedicate much of my life and new wealth to helping my brother inventors to similar success."

Josepho was born in Omsk, Siberia, 31 years ago. He was interested in Prague during the revolution, but escaped through Turkey to Siberia. After the war he opened cheap studios in China and Japan and while there conceived his automatic photographic device.

Months of poverty and days and nights of experimenting followed his arrval in New York. He finally interested Henry Morgenthau, former ambassador to Turkey, and an experimental studio was opened in Broadway.

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Mr. Morganthau is chairman of the company and Raymond B. Small, former vice-president and general manager of the Postum Ceral company, is president. James G. Harboard, president of the Radio Corporation of America, and John T. Underwood, president of the Underwood Typewriter company, are directors.

MAN MUST HANG

California Slayer Awarded Death Penalty by Jury

JACKSON, Cal., March 28. (AP)—Williard Shannon, convicted of slaying Harold Lage, automobile salesman, today was sentenced to hang June 3. He appeared to take the sentence calmly. Shannon was arrested at Salt Lake City.



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MEXICO ADDS BORDER GUARD

Action Taken as U. S. Cancels Smuggling Treaty

BROWNSVILLE, March 28.(AP)—Reinforcements for all border patrols have been ordered by the Mexican government as a result of the termination today of the United States-Mexican smuggling treaty.

New instructions issued to all border posts by the Mexican government stress the necessity for maintaining utmost vigilance to prevent smuggling contraband, including arms and ammunition from the United States.

The Mexican customs bureau has informed inspectors that a new system of border patrol is being worked out and pending its completion patrols will be increased.

Officials said termination of the treaty would have little effect on the American side of the Rio Grande.

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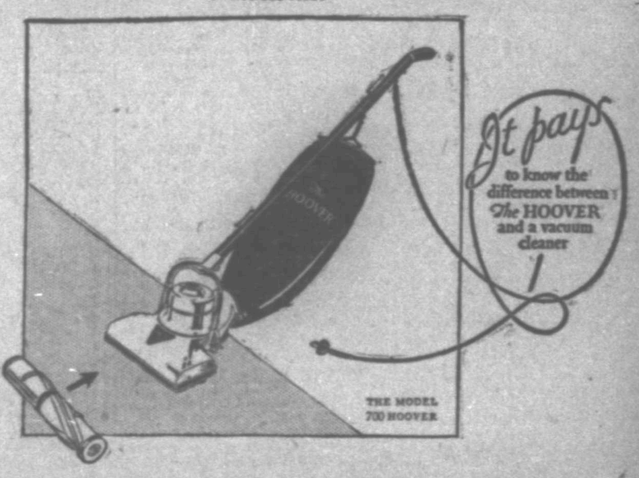
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The Social Side—Wichita Falls' Woman's Interests—Clubs and Churches

First Christian Women Study Interesting Lessons On China

Members of the First Christian Woman's Council met in divisions Monday and studied interesting lessons on "China."

Mrs. C. G. Tevis, assisted by Mesdames J. E. Parker and T. A. Bradley, joint hostesses, entertained Division One at a 1 o'clock luncheon, and the program was opened with devotionals led by Mrs. J. L. Elliott. Mrs. J. Lem Keevil led in prayer and roll call was responded to with the names and locations of missionaries in China. Mrs. S. P. Jones gave a map talk on China, its history, people, commerce and other details, and Mrs. T. A. Bradley talked on Chinese literature, language and commerce. Mrs. R. H. Newsome played a piano Chinese lullaby, and Mrs. G. D. Rigsby discussed "Our Part in China" from the World Call. Current events were given on the present Chinese situation.

Covers were laid for Mesdames Strange, G. D. Rigsby, J. B. Hatchitt, J. C. Thompson, J. W. Hopper, J. L. Elliott, W. E. Rutledge, H. C. Young, S. P. Jones, H. Donohoe, R. H. Newsome, D. Ellis, Williams, McDaniel and Floyd Allen Bash.

Division Two

Division Two met at the home of Mrs. D. A. Lundien Monday with Mesdames F. B. Griggs, E. E. Fisher and Fannie Wheeler, joint hostesses. Devotionals were led by Mrs. Wallace from the textbook, "The Golden Rule" and papers on "China" were read by Mesdames Derden, W. F. Sims and T. P. Kelm. A brief business session was held followed by a social hour.

A three-course luncheon was served to Mesdames S. A. Sims, L. Y. Woodruff, Ray Morgan, R. S. Harper, J. W. Pond, L. B. Cummings, T. P. Kelm, J. J. Wallace, W. S. Owensby, W. F. Sims, M. S. Thomas, Earl A. Pickle, J. H. Sides, James Morgan, Dick Wheeler, W. P. Glade, George Glade, F. B. Griggs, J. H. Terrell, and C. V. Derden.

Division Three

Division Three met with Mrs. King Davis with Mrs. Harry May, joint hostesses. Devotionals were led by Mrs. C. E. Stevens and Mrs. Frank Creighton read an interesting paper on China, the members discussing the present situation there. Mrs. M. B. Bolton gave the "Hidden Answers." During a brief business session cards were distributed to be filled with 20 dimes on special offering days preceding Easter.

Guests of the afternoon were Mesdames Floyd Allen Bash and J. Lem Keevil. Refreshments were served during the social hour, and members present were Mesdames Bolton, Frank Creighton, J. E. Strong, Levi Gamble, F. D. Shepherd, C. E. Stevens, J. B. Meissner and Henry Sonnamaker.

Division Five

Mrs. H. T. Smart was hostess to Division Five at her home on Eleventh street with Mesdames Sam Sproles and E. W. Corder, joint hostesses. Devotionals were led by Mrs. R. L. Ligon followed by a brief business session.

Mrs. J. W. Snow led the program assisted by Mesdames E. Vandeventer, A. W. Weaver and Hill. Mrs. Ira L. Cain talked on "What Our Love Gifts Meant to Us."

Refreshments carrying out the Easter color motif were served to Mesdames Ames Morris, Ira L. Cain, C. H. Parker, J. H. Hill, A. W. Weaver, L. N. Richey, P. F. Davis, R. L. Ligon, J. W. Snot, Kloman, C. R. Balles, T. H. Tribble, W. P. Bennett, C. K. Bromley, Tom Laster, W. T. Wight, E. Vandeventer, Klpsos, J. T. Cumley, Foster and A. C. Williams.

Division Six

Mrs. Joe Tyson and Mrs. J. M. Clements entertained members of Division Six at the home of Mrs. J. Lem Keevil, Mrs. M. P. Rogers conducted the program and Mrs. Hiatt talked on "Love" following the scripture led by Mrs. A. D. Pattilo and a song, "Melody of Love," sung by the assembly. Mrs. N. O. Horning gave an interesting talk on "China" stating that five of her relatives were doing missionary work there. Miss Mozelle Revere sang a Chinese lullaby accompanied at the piano by her mother.

A plate lunch was served to 20 members and guests.

Division Seven

Mrs. Howard Renfro was hostess to Division Seven assisted by Mrs. L. D. Parnell. The program was opened with devotionals led by Mrs. R. E. Hilburn who referred to various phases of Chinese life, the present war in China and its effect on missionaries who are now in that field.

Devotionals were given by Mrs. J. M. Isbell.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Earl Estep, J. M. Isbell, Rose Hubbard, A. E. Miller, R. T. Tackett, B. F. Dutton, W. J. Howard, Frank Roberts, J. F. Hickman, J. E. Howell, R. E. Hilburn, Harry Hines, L. R. Trout, Edna Rouse, L. J. Beauregard, C. C. Hampton and L. E. Grant.

Division Eight

Mrs. Dan McGrath, assisted by Mrs. J. H. Weidman, joint hostess, entertained members of Division Eight. Mrs. J. V. C. T. Christenson led the lesson, and devotionals were given by Mrs. Hostettler. Sentence prayers followed, also a brief business session presided over by the division leader, Mrs. W. T. Willis.

Mrs. J. Lem Keevil talked on "Love" and roll call was responded to with the names, locations, and bits of history of missionaires in China. Mrs. L. C. Tyson gave a map talk on China, its history, literature and commerce, also read a letter from a missionary over there and displayed a collection of Chinese souvenirs. "Our Part in China" was discussed by Mrs. Bain and current news of China was given by Mrs. F. E. McConnell. Mrs. J. A. Staley gave "Hidden Answers." A salad plate with hot tea was served to 17 members and two guests.

Division Ten

Mrs. J. E. Shipley, assisted by Mesdames H. J. Lewis, W. R. Parker and John Harris was hostess to Division Ten at a lovely two-course luncheon. Mrs. Lewis led the program and devotionals were given by Mrs. Chester Wynne. Mrs. Grady England and Miss Iva Willis read interesting papers on the lesson and Mrs. O. Abernathy read a poem.

Covers were laid for Mesdames Gary Pebensen, Homer Karrenbrock, George Gutzman, Chester Wynee, Wayne Holmes, Grady Taylor, R. E. Shepherd, Porter Oakes, T. R. Krohn, England, Gerald Pond, Gordon West, O. Abernathy, J. D. Parnell, H. I. Pate, Skinner, Van Leslie, Marvin Parks, Gene Montgomery, T. H. Conrey, Staley and Miss Iva Willis.

Lamar Avenue Baptist Circles Hold Meetings

Circle Three of the Lamar Avenue Baptist W. M. U. met at the home of Mrs. C. S. Richardson Monday afternoon and planned prayer services to be held preceding the revival which begins at the church Sunday. Devotionals were led by Mrs. Richardson, and during the social hour refreshments were served to Mesdames W. H. Townsend, Fred L. Core, G. C. Joyce, J. L. Beavers and J. E. Strain.

Circle Five

Mrs. J. B. Conant was hostess to Circle Five and devotionals were led by Mrs. N. B. Rawls. During the business session enlistment work was planned, and it was decided that the women will finish a quilt they are making at a meeting to be held Friday at the home of Mrs. McMinn, 902 Broadway.

Those present were Mesdames J. F. Price, G. D. Brown, J. W. Hamilton, G. R. McMinn, N. B. Rawls and B. F. Holmes.

Floral Heights Women Hold Meetings Monday

Members of the Floral Heights Baptist W. M. U. met in circles Monday afternoon as follows:

Mrs. L. Stokes was hostess to the Humphrey circle and taught the lesson from the text book on "How to Pray." Mrs. E. R. Featherston led the devotionals.

Those present were Mesdames W. L. Ross, L. A. Dulaney, R. T. Tomlinson, R. I. Owens, E. R. Featherston, and L. W. Proctor.

Lankester Circle.

Mrs. M. H. Hines was hostess to the Lankester Circle when the program was opened with devotionals led by Mrs. J. J. Warren. Mrs. G. L. Musick led the devotionals on "Stewardship and Missions." Those present were Mesdames J. J. Warren, E. L. Musick and J. W. Crouch.

Lockett Circle.

Members of the Lockett Circle met at the church and devotionals were led by Mrs. B. M. Berger who talked from the text book, "Stewardship and Missions." Those present were Mesdames Lon Jones, Bergen, W. H. McDonald, J. E. Morgan, Noah Daves, N. A. Lee, R. E. Lee and S. L. Flatt.

SCHOOL CIRCUS SUCCESS

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Mar. 28.—The Ringless Ballhay and Barndoor Circus presented by the senior class of Memphis high school at the high school building Friday night, was a signal success. The show was well attended and proved to be an occasion of great merriment, each performer being an expert in his chosen line.

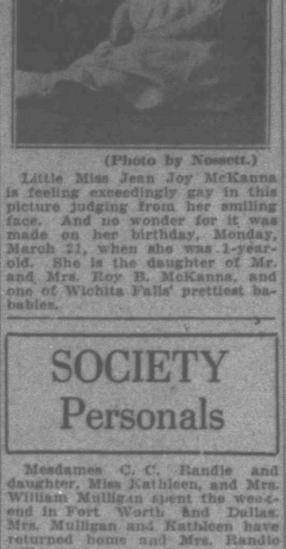
HE CONQUERS "GERM"

WASHINGTON, March 28. (AP) The distinction of being the only member of the United States senate who has had the "presidential germ" and from whom it has been "thoroughly eradicated" was claimed today by Senator Hiram Johnson of California.



"If this dieting fad keeps up," says corpulent Cora, "the prodigal sons are going to be out of luck." By Gettler.

Young Wichita Falls



(Photo by Nossett.)

Little Miss Jean Joy McKanna is feeling exceedingly gay in this picture judging from her smiling face. And no wonder for it was made on her birthday, Monday, March 21, when she was 1-year-old. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. McKanna, and one of Wichita Falls' prettiest babies.

SOCIETY Personals

Mesdames C. C. Randle and daughter, Miss Kathleen, and Mrs. William Mulligan spent the week-end in Fort Worth and Dallas. Mrs. Mulligan and Kathleen have returned home and Mrs. Randle will remain a few days in Dallas where she is visiting her son, C. C. Jr., a student at S. M. U., and other relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Mazza and M. T. Jr. of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Goodale and son, Lewis, of Harold, have returned home after spending the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Fuller on Eighth street. They were called here by the serious illness of Mr. Fuller.

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Miss Dorothy Shamburger, student at National Park seminary, returned to school Sunday afternoon after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Shamburger.

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Mrs. Eli Willis of Pampa is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCallster. Mrs. Willis will be remembered by a host of friends here as Miss Janie McCallster.

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Mrs. Robert Campbell of Houston has returned home after a visit with her mother, Mrs. E. B. Carver, and her sister, Mrs. Merrill Blair at Kemp Kort.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reynolds and son, John, have returned from Fort Worth where they spent the week-end.

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Mrs. J. W. Shackleford is reported ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. N. Pound, 1021 Eighth street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stoval of Spur, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Riggs for the past 10 days have returned home.

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Mrs. Wm. Bonner has returned from Vernon where she spent a few days with her parents.

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Mrs. L. E. Sheldon and small daughter are spending a few days with relatives in El Reno, Okla.

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FORUM BOOKS NOTED READER

Mrs. Bertha Kunz Baker Here in April

A dramatic reader of national reputation, Mrs. Bertha Kunz Baker of New York City, has been secured by the Woman's Forum as the special April number for the general Forum session attractions. The play that Mrs. Baker will give here will be announced later, according to Mrs. Ben G. Oneal, program chairman.

Mrs. Baker will be presented at the Palace theater April 5, and the artist comes recommended as one of the foremost speakers and interpreters of literature in the United States. She is now filling engagements in Colorado returning to New York during April by way of Texas.

It is planned to make an entertaining event of a social nature for forum members and a musical program will also be given.

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Presbyterian Women Hold All-Day Session

Members of the First Presbyterian Missionary society met in an all day session at the church Monday when the program was conducted by the Biederwolf revival party. Dr. Biederwolf led in prayer and George Dibble sang. Mrs. Dibble led the devotionals and a duet was sung by Mr. and Mrs. Griewe. Dr. L. D. Grafton of Electra gave an informal talk, and the Rev. Dan Grieder concluded the program with prayer.

A three course luncheon was served to Mesdames E. E. Cranfield, Charles Moore, R. L. Eckerty, John Davenport, E. E. Scannell, N. F. Grafton, H. La Strief, O. Bullington, Everett Jones, W. N. Maer, J. A. Kemp Jr., George Hodgins, Frank Hodgins, O. Slopansky, John H. Wilson, O. W. Wilson, W. B. Omohundro, J. W. Crews, J. A. Kemp, A. H. Carrigan, F. A. Welty, C. N. Cameron, John Prewitt, Frank Kell, J. W. Culbertson, O. T. Gorsline, C. E. McCutchen, L. R. Buchanan, E. W. Nicholson, R. P. Willis, J. R. Farabee, Stanley McGregor, A. W. Burnside, S. H. Burnside, D. G. Whitney, Rhea Howard, R. L. Hargrave, C. C. Cabiness, F. M. Kell, J. C. Hunt, George H. Wharton, Hatie McGee, Clarence Beavers, B. L. Fain, D. E. McKanna, J. H. Barnard, W. S. Abbott, J. H. S. Bonner, R. O. Harvey, W. E. Brothers, E. S. Morris, O. L. Wood, C. O. Nickel, W. C. Krause, Ed Howard, W. E. Cobb, J. M. Bell, W. H. Apple, E. T. Duff, J. M. Maddrey, W. B. Jarrell, W. M. McElheran, Frank M. Jones, C. M. Robinson, F. E. Bradberry, J. Graves, John H. White, S. B. Heard, M. A. Rutis, Raymond Gutzler, Jerniga, B. H. Hunter, Walter Priddy J. H. Thompson, William T. Wade, John McMinn, J. H. Parker, Emory Morgan, J. D. Robertson, W. W. Hines, C. W. Beavers, J. V. Rich, John T. Munsey, and Dr. L. Grafton and Nat F. Grafton, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Biederwolf, Mr. and Mrs. Griewe, Mr. and Mrs. George Dibble, and Misses Mary Lewis, Fay Goss, Dot Slopansky, Nellie May Mann, and Jodie Haynes.

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Callaway-Blakney Nuptials Announced

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Gladys Blakney and W. C. Callaway, the ceremony being read at the parsonage of the Church of Christ by the pastor the Rev. L. S. White in the presence of a group of relatives and friends who accompanied the couple.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Lilah Blakney and is connected with the De Luxe Cleaners, while Mr. Callaway is with the American Refining company. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Callaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Callaway will make their home in Wichita Falls.

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First Baptist Auxiliary Meets Monday For Missionary Lesson

Members of the First Baptist Woman's Auxiliary met in circles Monday afternoon and studied interesting lessons from the textbook, "How to Pray."

Circle One met with Mrs. Frank Cripliver and completed the study of the textbook. Devotionals were led by Mrs. E. Palmer, and those present were Mesdames Palmer, W. H. Davis, John Nossett, J. H. Martin, A. P. Barnhart and A. C. Bennett.

Circle Four.

Mrs. W. K. Guinn was hostess to Circle Four at her home, 1505 Bluff street, when the program was opened with prayer led by Mrs. R. H. Hall. Mrs. McIver led the lesson. During a brief business session a box was packed for Burckner Orphan's home.

Those present were Mesdames W. M. Dameron, R. Lee, Joiner, E. P. Ridley, George B. Dunn, J. M. Bridges, R. H. Hall, Ray Black, Galipp, J. H. Brooks, A. I. Taylor, B. W. Morgan, C. A. Woodward, S. P. Chandler and P. S. Russell.

Circle Five.

Circle Five met with Mrs. H. B. Gilbert who also led the devotionals. Mrs. W. B. Reeves taught the missionary lesson.

Those present were Mesdames W. A. Freear, M. S. Snoddy, A. F. Kimmell and W. B. Reeves.

Circle Six

Mrs. John Covanes was hostess to Circle Six and during the lesson completed the study of the mission book, "How to Pray," under the leadership of Mrs. R. O. Grant. Series of prayers were given for the Biederwolf revival.

Those present were Mesdames T. B. Martin, R. W. Morgan, B. A. Buzbee, I. F. Manning and R. O. Grant.

Circle Seven

Mrs. R. V. Blankenship was hostess to Circle Seven. The program was opened with prayer led by Mrs. Ada Moore and Mrs. W. A. Barber led devotionals. Mrs. C. B. Mims conducted an examination on the text book.

Those present were Mesdames C. W. Rountree, B. M. Bell, W. A. Baber, C. B. Mims, C. B. McCalley, S. A. Covington, Moore, E. F. Albritton and M. L. Tittle.

Circle Nine

Circle Nine met with Mrs. L. D. Naylor at her home on Pearl street and the program was opened with prayer led by Mrs. C. T. Spangler. Mrs. A. W. Eichenberger led the devotions and Mrs. J. N. Catter conducted an examination on the text book. Mrs. Cliff Everts presided over the business session and the program was concluded with prayer by Mrs. R. P. Davis.

Those present were Mesdames Catter, Eichenberger, Spangler, Davis, D. I. Hill, George R. Cullin, Ella F Tarman and Everets.

Circle Ten.

Mrs. J. A. Hood was hostess to Circle Ten and Mrs. O. M. Smith presided over the session. Devotionals were led by Mrs. D. E. Jordan and Mrs. C. C. Peters gave chapters 11 and 12 from the text book, "How to Pray."

Those present were Mesdames D. E. Jordan, C. C. Peters, Smith, Florence Guilin, Tarry and C. F. Lorenz.

Circle Eleven.

Mrs. Robert Basham was hostess to Circle Eleven when Mrs. John Finch taught the lesson from the text book, giving chapters 10, 11 and 12. A box of linens was packed for Buckner Orphan's home.

Those present were Mesdames E. E. Henry, A. R. Duke, W. M. Scott, Finch, W. M. McGinnis, A. B. Maples, E. O. Howery, W. L. Holloway, A. R. Cotton and W. H. Pence.

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First Spiritualist Ladies Aid Meets

Members of the First Spiritualist Ladies Aid society met at the home of Mrs. F. A. Erickson Monday afternoon in a business and social session. Refreshments were served to Mesdames F. H. Denison, M. W. Blithe, Tom Oden, W. H. Godfrey and A. H. Hale.

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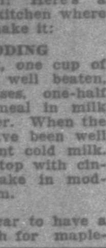
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Some persons appear to have a particular sweet tooth for maple-flavored edibles. Here's a cake for them:

MAPLE NUT CAKE

Use one-half cup butter, three eggs, two and one-fourth cups flour, one-fourth teaspoon salt, one cup chopped walnut or pecan meats, one and one-half cups brown sugar, three fourth cup of milk, three teaspoons baking powder, one teaspoon of maple flavoring. Sift flour once before measuring, cream shortening, add sugar gradually, then beaten egg yolks. Add flour sifted twice (putting baking powder in second sifting), alternately with milk; add maple, salt and walnuts. Lastly add white of eggs beaten until stiff. Bake in moderate oven in layers. Of course you'll want an icing.

Mrs. Charles Rosenthal is in Austin where she is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. William Roen. She will spend a few days in Waco before returning home.

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SHOULD WIFE TAKE QUITTER

Dorothy Dix Gives Reply To Hard Question

Shall She Take Back the Husband Who Deserted Her and Left Her Penniless?—Advice to a Henpecked Man Who Does the Housework—Will the Boy of 18 Who Joins the Navy Come Out Good for Nothing?

Dear Miss Dix—I have been married to a man 15 years. For 12 years of that time he was the most wonderful husband a woman could have. Suddenly he met another woman, became infatuated with her, leaving me penniless, friendless and jobless. For three years he has lived in different cities with this other woman as his wife. Now she has deserted him. Since they have separated he has taken up a fiery correspondence with me, and as we are not divorced he is trying to get me to come back to him. I have been through the agony of disillusion and have just started to look at life again through a clearer view, when this comes to upset me again.

What would you advise me to do? Take my husband back, trust him again and give him as he says, a "chance to prove his sincerity," or keep on as I am.

LONELY.

ANSWER:

That is a question which you must decide for yourself. No one else can do it for you, because it is entirely a matter of how you feel toward your husband. When a man has treated his wife as your husband has treated you she has no duty toward him. He has broken the bond between them and forfeited every claim he has upon her and she is in no way bound to condone his sins against her or to take him back into her life again.

Sometimes a man's faithlessness toward his wife kills every particle of love in her heart for him, and after she has got over the hurt to her pride and her bitter disappointment in seeing all of her dreams broken through she finds that she is happier without him than she was with him. After the long turmoil of jealousy and suspicion that tore her very soul to tatters there comes the peace of finality, of having it all over and done with. She has nothing to worry over any more. Nobody to wait and watch for. The quarrels are ended. There is calm after the storm.

Very often such a woman goes to work and makes more money than her husband ever gave her. She is free of his tyrannies. She begins a new life that is far pleasanter than the old. And so when a woman finds that separation from her husband has brought her peace and happiness she is more than foolish if she ever goes back to him again.

But there are other cases when a man's ill-treatment does not alter the devotion of his wife. No matter what he makes her suffer she loves him still, and life without him simply has no meaning to her.

Such a woman with this doglike heart is bound to have a master, and she will be happier with a brute who beats and kicks her around than she would be without him.

And, of course, whether a woman takes her husband back or not should depend a great deal upon the man himself. Men whose wives have had to leave them because of drink or gambling or laziness or jealousy or tyranny are poor risks for a second trial. They usually never change, and as soon as the reconciliation is over and their wives are back in their old places they go back to their old ways.

But very often the man who has been lured away from his wife by a passing infatuation for some other woman does come back to her in true repentance and thereafter walks the straight and narrow road. Even to themselves it seems ever afterward as if they had been the victims of a temporary madness, and having known the worst of a bad woman they appreciate all the more a good one.

But it takes a woman of a marvelously forgiving spirit and one who is an incurable optimist to wipe off the slate for a husband who has deserted her and left her penniless. DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Dorothy Dix—I am a man of 26 and have been married nearly six years. We have no children. wife, who is a strong, healthy woman, depends on me for everything, even to do the housework. I gave up my position on her account. I cannot even go to the lodge or business meetings or downtown unless she must go, too. I used to love her dearly but I have lost all affection for her. What is your advice?

WORRIED HUSBAND.

ANSWER:

My advice to you is to spunk up and have a little backbone.

Your wife evidently considers you as an easy thing and is working you to the limit, and she probably has an utter contempt for you, for no woman in the world ever respected the man she could henpeck. So, if you want to have any peace and comfort in your home and retain your wife's affections, read the riot act to her and tell her and that you are going to be a man and not a housemaid; that you have washed your last dish and cooked your last meal and made up your last bed, and that henceforth you will make the living and she will do the housework or else you will break up such an unequal partnership.

No man can possibly make a greater mistake than to let a quitter wife lay her burdens on his shoulders. He should require her to do her part of the labor of making a comfortable home, and if a woman refuses to do this, if she won't keep a neat and tidy house and serve her husband prompt, well-cooked meals, he is perfectly justified in leaving her.

A wife can divorce her husband for nonsupport and a man is equally entitled to divorce his wife for bad housekeeping.

She falls just as much in doing her duty if she isn't a good housekeeper as he would be if he was too lazy and shiftless to support the home. And if women knew that they had to turn out a good job or else lose it they would get busy with the broom and the cookbook.

Of course, if a woman is sick and physical unable to do the housework, that is a different story. Then her husband should help with the work. But when a woman is well and husky she should not ask a tired man to come home after his day's work in office or factory and do her work for her.

And he's a poor weakening if he does. DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Dorothy Dix—I'm a boy 18 years of age and want to join the navy, but my step-mother says that boys who come out of the navy are good for nothing. What do you think? J. O. U.

ANSWER:

Your step-mother is entirely mistaken. Boys who go in the navy not only get to see the world but they are given a splendid discipline and a fine training which develops them into men that are respected everywhere.

In addition, a boy in the navy is given a good supplementary education, and he has the choice of learning a great number of trades any of which fits him for earning a good living if he decides to leave the navy when his term is up.

I have been told that the big electrical companies, for instance, grab up every boy they can find who has been trained by the electrical experts in the navy. Go and talk over the advantages of the navy at the nearest recruiting station and they will tell you that there are few better openings for a boy, especially if he happens to have a wandering foot.

DOROTHY DIX.

MODISH MITZI — *Tiers and Flounces are Fashionable* — By JAY V. JAY



"It's all the smarter," says Mitzi to Polly, "for having a two-tiered jumper." To be sure, the two tiers are only in front—in back one tier is all there is to see. Tiers and flounces being as smart as they are, however, something more should be done about it and so—



Mitzi tries the effect of this frock of navy blue silk crepe with five tiers to its skirt and a polka dotted vest to its blouse. The tiers aren't flat—that's how they differ from last season's flounces. They frill out just enough to change the silhouette.



This is a fascinating frock—the tiers are shown on the blouse as well as on the skirt. The top one is cut like a bolero and the others just follow along. There is a wide belt, too, at the normal waistline and if there's anything newer than a normal waistline—



"You know," Mitzi is saying meditatively to Polly, "tiers are really flounces and flounces are really ruffles, and I think I need an evening gown wrose than I need any of the others—" Under the circumstances no one will think she needs to apologize for buying this!

SOPHIE IRENE LOEB Says—

Persons Who Steal Petty Things.

A couple of days ago a woman pleaded guilty to grand larcency after a pair of silk stockings she had stolen was found on her clothes line. There is something to be said about this petty thieving that the everyday human is bound to meet.

One woman told me that she can gauge the honesty of a worker by the length of time which he or she has held previous positions. "It is so disconcerting to have little things that one depends on to be in their places, and then find that some one has taken them," she said. "Contempt is too mild for a person who has purloined trifles."

It is deplorable, to say the least, that one would be willing to lose the respect of others, to say nothing of her own, in stooping to steal. I have rarely known it to fail that a thief is found out some time. The pathetic feature is that the good, honest, trustworthy worker sometimes suffers as a consequence from being mistrusted until found reliable.

One of the finest things in life is to be able to look every one squarely in the face and feel that you have robbed no one of anything. Those who steal are defrauding somebody, no matter how slightly, and if they will steal they will lie. And somehow some time, if the law doesn't get them "the still small voice" within does.

A burglar in Sing Sing once told me that he traced all of his troubles to the time when he stole marbles from his little boy playmates. To throw off suspicion he would continue to play with them, he said, and when they had discovered their loss and he saw their pain, he would have a pang of remorse—but momentary. As long as he wasn't discovered he went right on.

"And nok, he says, "I feel that I am suffering everything that they suffered. I have taken something away from myself—my freedom and my self-respect."

And, besides, there is the real hurt, the inconvenience and the discomfort that the person who steals pretty things inflicts on those he wrongs. The state police of New York are confronted oftener with the troubles that result from petty thieving than ay other form of crime.

In the rural districts sometimes it is difficult to get things, and when a neighbor steals something from another considerable hardship results.

I cannot think of any punishment too great for him who stoops so low as to take away from somebody something which he knows he will need. Such people never prosper. The law of balance is ever present. It works when you least expect it.

Another woman told me that her servant girl almost kept a small family by the aid of the things she took home. This woman is kind-hearted and would have been glad to have given gratuitously from her own provisions had she been asked by the maid, but the girl preferred to steal.

In this particular case there was no need. The girl sought to provide the family with delicacies which they could not buy. She had worked in many places and doubtless had acted in the same way, and was unable to hold a position for any length of time.

Most of these criminal acts are due to wanting to have more than one is entitled to. One of the most important commandments is:

"Thou shalt not covet."

After all, what greater joy, no matter how poor one may be, than the glow of gladness which comes with the feeling of being honest—honest with your neighbor and yourself.

SUSIE UPSETS EUROPE

NICE, March 29. (AP)—Such a stir was caused by the beaucoup francs that Suzanne brought from the United States that her Mr. Baldwin Baldwin is having a hard time to sign up other tennis players for barnstorming. The recipient of an offer considers himself a potential millionaire.

POOR MATHEMATICIAN

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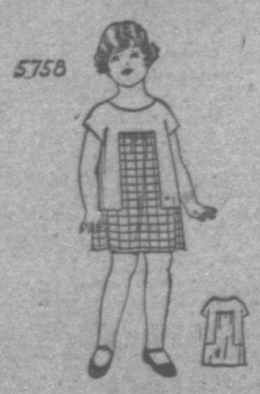
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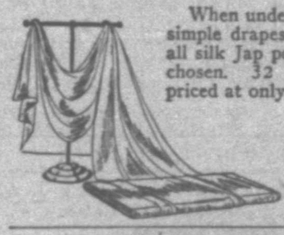
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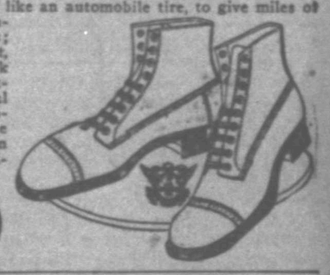
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WHO IS THE CHICAGO BOSS

SAMUEL INSULL of Chicago is known as the public utility king of the windy city. He is a multi-millionaire. He plays a powerful hand in the game of politics. He is a republican. He is the man who is said to have financed the campaign of Col. L. Smith for a seat in the United States senate.

Smith is on the outside looking in. He is one of the central figures in a most maladorious scandal which involved the expenditure of vast sums of money to control a primary election in Illinois. Samuel Insull was called before the Reed committee. He was asked pointed questions by Senator Reed. He stood upon his rights, whatever they are, and declined to answer certain questions.

Now he has been cited to appear before the senate at the proper time. Chicago is in the throes of a bitter municipal campaign. There are three candidates; Mayor William E Dever, former Mayor William Hale Thompson and Dr. John Dill Robertson. Dever is the democratic nominee, Thompson a republican while Robertson is making the race on a platform calling for public ownership of utilities and the smashing of crime rings.

It is a spectacular battle. Registration of voters is the heaviest in the history of the city. Samuel Insull is said to have his finger in the pie. He is backing Thompson, backing the former mayor with his money and his influence and his vote control ability. This is the direct charge made by Chicago newspapers, as well as leading citizens who do not take kindly to the Insull political methods.

William Hale Thompson was mayor eight years. He publicly proclaimed himself the boss of Chicago poltics. Now republicans who are close to Thompson say that Insull was the real boss for eight years and that Thompson was the dummy. Mayor Dever was elected four years ago. Boss George E. Brennan backed Dever and the democrats made a clean sweep of all the offices.

Thompson is the pride of the black belt. There is a negro colony in Chicago and its voting strength is placed at 100,000. Brennan is backing Dever. In his race fo rthe senate Brennan carried Chicago and Cook county by a large majority, but the down state vote defeated the democratic boss by a scant majority.

Thompson is a wide open town man. He is college bred. He is the scion of an old family. Political prognostigators predict a comeback for Thompson on April 5, unless Dr. John Dill Robertson, "the people's candidate," draws heavily from the republican ranks.

There are two big machines. One is backing Thompson; the other is backing Dever. A victory for Thompson will be victory for Samuel Insull, the silent boss whose influence elected Frank L. Smith to the senate and who snubbed the Hon. James A. Reed of Missouri and the senate of the United States.

ORGANIZED LABOR IS SATISFIED

ORGANIZED labor in Texas is satisfied with the work of the fortieth legislature. George H. Slater is executive secretary of the Texas Fedration of Labor. He represented the organzied workers under the Big Dome while the session was on. His review shows that there was many bills, 11 in number at least, considered inimical to the interest of labor in the state that failed of passage.

In addition, the bill of Senator H. L. Triplett of the Beaumon district, validating a dubious question in connection with the workman's compensation law was enacted. As for the Triplett bill, it requires compensation to be paid for the first week of incapacity of a man injured in industrial employment, if his disability lasts beyond the four weeks period.

At present under the law he receives nothing for the first week, no matter how long he may be deprived of employment by his injuries. Secretary Slater let it be known that the only bill before the legislature in which the federation was dirctly interested was senate bill No. 71 submitted by the Honorable Thomas B. Love of Dallas, and which was designed to establish the eight-hour day; in fact on public work in Texas.

This bill was defeated. Contractors did not take kindly to it. Highway builders did not take kindly to it. Taxpayers are investing millions in modern highways and hordes of taxpayers did not flock to Austin to push along the Love bill. Farm organizations did not send representatives to the capital to urge their lawmakers to vote the measure. It was excellent publicity for the lawmaker who submitted it, and shrewd politicians never overlook the publicity side of the game.

ABOLISH THE FEE SYSTEM

TEXANS who are qualified voters are reminded that an election will take place the coming month of August authorizing the legislature to abolish the fee system and fix salaries for all officers. This is a constitutional amendment that should be adopted. All officers should be placed on a salaried basis.

There is another amendment to be passed upon by the qualified voters in August. It provides for nine members of the supreme court. This is a most important measure. A third amendment authorizes the fixing pay of legislators after 60 days, same as during the regular session instead of the present $2.0 per day.

A fourth amendment is one permitting the legislature to fix the salaries of all state officials. Be it known that the salary of the district attorney of Bexar county is $10,000 per annum. Texas pays its governor $4000 per annuam. Texas pays its secretary of state $2000. Texas pays its state treasurer a beggarly salry. It pays its state comptroller a most inadequate salary.

If a Texan isn't worth $10,000 a year while filling the office of governor then he should not be called to the office Adequate salaries should be paid by the people. High class service calls for high class compensation.

AN ITEM OF INTEREST

AND now the Texas & Pacific railroad plans to spend $5,000,000 in the city of Fort Worth for freight houses and terminals and other improvements. Magnates of the rail are not overlooking Texas. It is one of the great shipping state of the union.

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A STORY OF MYSTERY, SUSPENSE AND LOVE

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WHAT HAS HAPPENED

DIANA BROOKS, beautiful daughter of ROGER BROOKS, owner and publisher of the Catawba City Times and a chain of nine other newspapers, had been kidnaped and then released. Her father is engaged in a persistent fight against the corrupt administration of Catawaba City and through the medium of the Times, redoubles his scathing attacks on politicians of the Ring and defies the Underworld.

Later Brooks himself disappears. In an attempt to locate him, DONALD KEENE, literary editor, and TEDDY FARRELL, his ward and Sob Sister, are entombed in a cellar for 50 hours. Teddy saves Don's life and out of gratitude, he asks her to marry him. Although she is deeply in love with him, Teddy refuses, knowing that he does not really love her. After five days, Brooks reappears to find that his newspaper stock is being manipulated. He suspects JOHN W. WALDEN, member of a prominent law firm, of being involved in the plot to wreck the Brooks' organization.

Don proposes to LOLA MANTELL, Diana's charming cousin, who makes her home with the Brooks' and she gives him an indefinite answer until after his mother's death. Diana holds the secret knowledge that Mrs. Keene has the power to change the contingency in the will.

Teddy goes with DINNY MORRISON, young reporter, who is in love with her, to a dance given by Diana's social set, and is snubbed by Lola.

NOW GO ON.

CHAPTER XX.

"No liquor, Don. I never touch it!"

"Thy will be done, Teddy. Here, I'll fill it up with pure sweet juice. All right?"

"Fine!"

Teddy was lifting the drink to her lips, but stopped midway. Diana Brooks with John Walden Jr., at her elbow, had entered the room.

Both Teddy and Don started. Diana's greeting was thick. Her manner was one of exaggerated buoyancy. She lurched slightly as she held out a hand to Teddy.

"You're awright, dear, an' besht comp'ny you ha'n th' worl! I mean him—" blinking at Don.

John Walden, hovering in the background, grinned. Then he moved up, joining the little group.

"C'mon, Diana," he said, reaching for her arm, "we have this dance."

"Not till I have 'nother cocktail, Jawn."

The girl's lovely gray eyes were casting about as if in fever.

"I wouldn't, Walden," Donald Keene threw in as Diana's escort reached for his flask.

"All right—nev' mind. I'm crazy t' dance!" said Diana pacifically. "Hear that—listen—that music—" She waltzed out of the ante room, Walden in her wake.

"I've never seen her like that before, Don," said Teddy, genuine concern in her voice. "I wonder if she's worried over something?"

"I don't know," he replied shortly. "But I don't like it. And with that fellow, too. Come, let's go back to th' ballroom, Teddy. Finish your drink first. Dinny is waiting."

Teddy rejoined Dinny Morrison and Don went back to Lola, who by that time was surrounded by a group clamoring for dances. The realization that other men also found her desirable and attractive sharpened Don's own desire for her.

Teddy's misgivings about her dress wore away early in the evening. She was really enjoying herself even though the arms about her were not, save for a dance or two, those of the man she adored.

Dinny danced well. Teddy found some pleasure in that and tried to cast out the longing in her heart for the other man.

Don, by his absence, had forfeited several dances with Lola. He almost regretted his fleeting harshness.

"But, damn it!" he swore softly to himself, "Lola had no right to snub little Ted that way!"

He looked around for Diana. The polished floor threw up reflections of the couples swaying to the mad strains of a Hungarian one-step.

He failed to see Diana among the confusion of gay colors. But he found her a few moments afterward in the ante room. She was sipping another highball. Walden at her side was pouring himself a drink from his flask.

"Welcome—reform candidate!"

Diana uttered her words even more thickly than a half hour before, following them with a silly smirk toward Don.

"May I have this dance, Dia?"

He approached her, ignoring what she had said. "If you don't mind, Walden," he added, including Diana's escort.

"Not 'tall. Ol' frien's, you'n Dia—don' min' leasht bit." John Walden Jr., was in a serenely acquiescent mood. His flask was nearly empty.

Don piloted Diana through the maze of dancers, guiding her out in the direction of the veranda.

"Tho't you said you wanted t' dance," she reminded him querulously.

"Not in your condition, Diana," he answered gently. "You need air, my dear. What's th' idea, drinking all that stuff, anyway?"

"Quit preaching," she retorted crossly.

"I don't intend to preach, Dia. But I do want to avoid, for your sake, any nasty impression these people might get. After all, this is entirely unlike you, girl. Promise me, won't you, that you'll not touch any more of th' stuff?"

"I resent your interference!" she flashed back at him, her beautiful gray eyes almost black with anger. "I'm not a kid. One would think I was 16 years old, th' way you're ordering me about. Go an' 'tend to Lola. She's th' one you came here with!"

Jerking her arm free Diana turned with an angry toss of her head and walked away. Don watched her, seriously disturbed, as she glided across the floor, her slight unsteadiness accentuating her sinuous movements. He could not free himself from perturbation at her unusual behavior which persisted throughout the remainder of the evening. He voiced this worry to Teddy during their next dance together.

"She seems almost hysterical," his little protege admitted, although for the moment little else concerned her outside the sweetness of Don's arms about her waist.

"A kind of bravado, as if she were defying someone or something."

His words spoken close to her ear were barely audible above the din of the music.

"'Driftwood'—that's what they're playing, isn't it, Don?"

Teddy's voice trembled, but Don Keene was unaware of it.

"I believe it is," he answered matter-of-factly. "Good tempo."

"'Driftwood from the ship of dreams,
Still drifts back to me;
All that's left to me, it seems—'"

A tenor in the orchestra was singing it. Teddy steeled herself against the tide of emotion that insisted upon surging to the surface of her.

It was 2 o'clock in the morning when Dinny and Teddy, Lola and Don departed. Don had lingered, undecided about Diana who was careening about the floor obvious to her friends' very existence. He finally concluded she would be safe enough with Walden, who had brought her to the dance. Walden was a gentleman.

Fully an hour passed after her four friends had gone before Diana admitted she was tired—that she wanted to go home.

"Don was right. Th' air is wonderful," she remarked to Walden as they stood for a moment waiting for his car. She moved to the edge of the porch where the scent of lilac blossoms dripped from the shadows. Their clean fragrance struck her nostrils like a balm, shaming the fumes of liquor with which she had been surrounded all the evening.

"Sweet—like a precious elixir," she murmured softly, her nostrils dilated, drinking in the flowers' delicate perfume.

"Poetizing, Dia?"

Walden tried to keep his voice free of cynicism, but his thin lips were drawn back over his teeth in a sneer. Diana, standing in the shadows, did not see his face.

"Th' wages of gin is breaths and headaches, and oh, such a horrid state all around."

The girl spoke lightly, but her voice was edged with a tinge of sadness as she snuggled down in the front seat and stretched out her tired limbs. Walden started the motor.

"Poor child," he said, simulating sympathy, "put your head against my shoulder and rest."

"Suits me. Goodness knows it feels like a stone," she replied carelessly and allowed her head to rest lightly against his arm.

"You can kill that hang-over with another drink, Dia," suggested Walden cautiously. "I refilled th' old container with some of Mortie's."

"That theory isn't going to be tried just now," laughed the girl. "I am of th' opinion it would just about annihilate me."

The cool night air fanning her face made her drowsy. She dozed off. She was jerked back to wakefulness by the cessation of the motor's throb. Walden had stopped the car.

"Anything wrong?" she asked, straightening up.

Instead of replying in words Walden flung an arm around her waist pinioning her to him.

"Please don't do that," Diana pleaded, a mild terror assailing her. The next moment she realized the futility of pleading. The beast in John Walden was unleashed. He was passionately kissing her throat, her lips, unmindful of the girl's slender hands pushing against him.

Struggling in his embrace she managed to loosen one of her arms and found the knob of the door. She opened it and then bringing all the power she could summon to her aid struck her fist into Walden's face. A thin stream of red trickled down to the man's lips. But Diana did not see that. She was running down the road, back in the direction of the Bradhurst Country club.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Diana has escaped Walden, but she is not yet finished with danger—as you will read in tomorrow's installment.



"Please don't do that," Diana pleaded

BO BROADWAY .... By Joseph Van Raalte

NEW YORK, March 28.(EFS.—New York not having enough to worry about has begun to lose sleep over the question of whether or not a college education pays. The heads of several leading metropolitan employment services say the diploma is no longer the best stepping stone to business success and that the "culture" achieved in a university is just a bit of a handicap.

Did Gloria Swanson go to college? She did not.

Did Adolph Zuker study trigonometry?

Did the Bambino ever wrinkle his alabaster brow over the intricacies of differential calculus?

Did "Tex" Rickard, or his female mental equivalent, "Tex" Guinan, sit up nights massaging their mental processes until they could tell the difference between an iambic foot and a paralyzed parallelogram?

If Henry Ford, the Eminent Sparrow Eradicator of Detroit, had ever flirted with the mirth-provoking peculiarities of syntax, do you suppose his Dearborn Independent would have the circulation it enjoys today on the newsstands of Palestine?

About all any college can do for a young man under the existing dispensation, is to teach him to spell God in lower case, tote a hip flask without walking lop-sided, and swap effective badinage with a truculent traffic cop.

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One of the Horn-rim Brothers of the Metropolitan Free Lance Brigade, occupies a "stew-dyo" in the Grammercy Park section where he is wearing out his young life writing erotic yarns in a brand of Gawd-forsaken English that would bring tears to the eyes of a night club hostess.

Everyone knows he's a misfit, except his wife who has high hopes, firmly believing that when the conspiracy among publishers to keep her husband down has finally been dissipated, Balzac will have to move over in the Hall of Fame to make way for Willie.

Thus, every Monday morning the poor lady answers the doorbell and smiles at the butcher, baker, milkman and gas collector, in an endeavor to persuade them to be less mercenary and to share a little of her unbounded faith in the ability and the ultimate success of her goggle-eyed spouse.

I found him the other night sitting in a soiled dressing gown in a litter of books and papers, puffing at a Camel's-hair cigaret and more cheerful than he had been in many a long day.

"Well," said the grave fellow, "the gloom has been pierced. There's a ray of sunshine lighting up the old rat hole."

"Sell a story?"

"No-o-o," he said, with his soft-crushed Edgar-Gest-smile, "the Missus has taken a job."

The man who perfected the typewriter has a lot to answer for.

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A newspaper man moved into a ginger-bread apartment house recently, in the Park Lane section. A canopy extends beyond the front door like the bandaged finger of a juvenile patriot and 4 o'clock on the afternoon of the Fourth day of July. There are three hall attendants in uniform, a doorman, three elevator runners, a bevy of switchboard operators and enough goldleaf and ornate ostentation to equip half a dozen Tut's Tombs.

The newspaper Brother had to get letters of recommendation from Al Smith, Jimmy Walker, his bootlegger, his pastor and the president of the bank before he could sign a lease to take possession of a 6 3-4, B width, boy's size apartment.

After he had been living there a week a young lady moved into the apartment adjoining. She had henna hair, a nose like the girl in the cigaret ad, violet eyes, a breath like new-mown hay, a chow dog, a liver-colored limousine and no visible means of support.

Several days after her advent she pulled a party and proceeded to make Rome howl.

The newspaper man was incensed. He complained to the owner of the building. If he had to fork over a bushel of gilt-edge references, how come A Lady Like That could horn into the building?

"She had one more reference than you did," said the mystified owner. "She had a letter from John Roach Straton."

There's no use trying. You can't convince the average New York real estate owner that a beautiful single woman with a wedding ring can muster better references than the average business or professional man.

Fellowship of Prayer

Daily Lenten Devotion

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Topic for the Week
"SPIRITUAL INTERCOURSE"
Tuesday
"We Should Pray With Others"

SCRIPTURE: Read—John 17.

"If two of you shall agree on earth as touching anything that they shall ask, it shall be done for them of my Father who is in heaven" (Mt. 18:19). "Confess therefore your sins one to another, and pray one for another" (Jas. 5:16). See—Acts 1:4, 14; 2:14, 46, 47; 4:31.

MEDITATION: We cannot be Christian unless we are unselfish. Prayer quickens the feelings. We can love men better when we pray. When people really get together sympathetically their hearts are warmed. When we thus become more sensitive to human souls we are naturally more sensitive to the divine spirit. The heart like the radio may be tuned in on heart wave lengths. Let me yield myself to Lenten sympathy, and let me broaden that out into brotherhood, into right race relations, into international friendships.

"My spirit cannot live on an island and be one with God's Spirit, for the Spirit of God's Spirit, for the Spirit of God is brotherhood, and brotherhood is the continent of souls.

HYMN:

Dear Lord and Father of mankind,
Forgive our feverish ways;
Reclothe us in our rightful mind,
In purer lives Thy service find,
In deeper reverence, praise.

Drop Thy still dews of quiteness.
Till all our strivings cease;
Take from our souls the strain and stress,
And let our ordered lives confess
The beauty of Thy peace.

Breathe through the hearts of our desire
Thy coolness and Thy balm;
Let sense be dumb, let flesh retire;
Speak through the earthquake, wind and fire,
O still small voice of calm.

—JOHN G. WHITTIER, 1782.

PRAYER: Pray for—sympathy; mastery of the unexpected; officers of the law.

Collect—Our Father in heaven, whose patience knows no bounds, we thank Thee for the oncoming of Thy kingdom in the world, and for the means of grace in our lives. We bless Thee for the Son of Man; serving in Galilee, loving in Judea, triumphing in Gethsemane, atoning on Calvary and rising from the grave. We rejoice in our redemption through Him and in the hope of immortality brought to light by Him. Yet in our weakness we have set our hearts on things on the earth. We have thought success better than righteousness and ease desirable above service. In Thy patience brood over our dull spirits till love awakens in us. We commit ourselves to the Son of Man in holy living, and loving service, for His name's sake. Amen.

The ONE-MINUTE PULPIT

Better is a dry morsel, and quietness therewith, than an house full of sacrifices with strife.

A wise servant shall have rule over a son that causeth shame, and shall have part of the inheritance among the brethren.

The fining pot is for silver, and the furnace for gold: but the Lord trieth the hearts.

A wicked doer giveth heed to false lips; and a liar giveth ear to a naughty tongue. — Proverbs, 17:1-4.

BURKBURNETT NOTES

Special to The Record News.

BURKBURNETT, March 28. — Mrs. Lulu Bell of Fort Worth is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. D. Laney and family, in this city this week.

The A. and P. store in this city is soon to install a new meat market, according to announcements this wek.

Mrs. George Armstrong is spending a few days with her parents in Tencha, Texas.

Mrs. Ed Grifin and G. C. Henson visited relatives in Oklahoma City this week.

Miss Vera Owens, of the Denton Teachers' College, is visiting her uncle, R. D. Owens and family, this week.

O. B. Davidson left this week for Alvalon, Calif., and his family will join him in that city when the double school closes in this city.

H. Sampson has sold his dry goods store, known as The Hub, to Messrs. Ison and Miller of Lawton, Okla.

John P. Wright, who was called to New Mexico by the illness of his mother, has returned home reporting her condition much improved.

Mrs. J. M. F. Gill returned Thursday from Dallas where she attended the Texas Woman's press association.

The little foster daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nichols is reported very ill with pneumonia. She is eight years of age and was attending school here.

Mrs. B. B. East, who has been residing in Borger, Texas, has returned to Burkburnett and will remain here with her daughter until the close of the public school.

Among the business changes of the week, Fred Flanagan has accepted a position in the Burkburnett dry goods store.

Dr. J. M. F. Gill left Thursday night for a wek-end visit with his daughter, Mrs. C. H. McCall and family, in Port Arthur. He will return to Burkburnett Monday.

Mrs. Albert Hoehn was painfully burned on her back and hand this week when her clothing caught fire while dresing a child near the gas stove in her home on Seventh street.

Clarence E. Mitchell, who has been with the First National bank for several years, has resigned his position and is now with the North Texas Building and Loan company, in this teritory.

Mrs. Martha Wagnon of Fort Worth is in Burkburnett and has accepted a position in the Fashion Beauty shop.

A. A. Allen, of the Roxchill Oilcompany, and his wife are business and pleasure visitors this week in Tulsa, Okla., and Webb City, Mo.

Tom Pruett, a local insurance man, has added two more pet squirrels to the number donated by Paul Browning to the Hardin Home park, and the little animals are a source of much enjoyment to the park visitors from day to day.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Wilcoxen and children have returned from Fort Worth where they spent several months.

George Barr one of the Doak Roberts' Texas league umpires, was a recent visitor of his former college friend, H. D. Smith in this city.

Art Green of Olney, Texas, is in the city this week visiting his mother, Mrs. J. G. Green, on Second street.

ELECTRA SOCIETY

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, March 28.—One of the prettiest pre-Easter affairs was given Friday afternoon by Mesdames H. R. Magee and M. R. Stipes, at the Magee home on West Summitt avenue. Decorations of Easter lillies, hyacinths and carnations were unsed attractively throughout the rooms and the suggestions of Easter was also carried out in the two-course luncheon and tallies. Mrs. A. Fisher received the cut prize in the bridge, which was a lace boudoir pillow; Mrs. Jere Barnes was given two pretty hand painted handkerchiefs as the low score and Mrs. J. H. Harris received a Pan Briggle pottery vase as high score.

Guests of the afternoon included Mesdames: George LeBus, J. Dave Brown, I. K. Williams, J. H. Harris, Byron T. Johnson, H. T. S. Totten, George Enell, Paul Green, Homer Jones, S. B. Marchant, Johnnie Marriott Jr., H. M. Tarleton, Bennett Nance, Jere Barnes, C. F. Kolp, Matt Chaffee, B. V. Magee, R. P. Prince, E. R. Brown, A. Fisher, G. J. Gillis, Mitt Williams, Walter R. Skinner, C. E. McDanneld, Misses Jennings, Lydia Sheldon, Vera Prince and Katherine Barr.

Informal Dance.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Austin of the County Line community complimented Jesse Austin, brother of A. G. Austin with an informal dance at their beautiful country home, Thursday evening. The evening was spent in dancing and delightful refreshments were served to a group of guests later in the evening. Those from Electra attending included Mr. and Mrs. Caster Zimmerman, Mrs. C. Newborn, Misses Thais Newborn and Doris Laughlin.

Geography Club.

The Geography club of the Waggoner Ward school met Friday afternoon with a very interesting program being rendered. There was no business taken up. The program was as follows: Ukelele. Solo, by Raymond Kurman, Poem, by Gertrude Gamblin; Theme, by Emmett Arlington; Story about England, by Herbert Splawn; Poem by Kinch. Curt; Ukelele numbers by Helen Story; Song, Minnie Gay McDonald, Poem by Gladys Lawflin, Theme by Mary Lee, and song by Joe Ella Garrett.

Stitch and Chatter Club.

Mrs. Eugene Crass entertained the Stitch and Chatter club Thursday afternon in a very pleasing manner. The afternoon was spent in sewing and playing parlor games, while late in the afternoon refreshments were served to Mesdames. Lolo Stearns, Jewel Crass, Carl Dungan, Tevis Bickley, Eugene Crass and Lloyd Groves. Mrs. Groves will be hostess next week.

Rebekah Notes.

The members of the local Rebekah lodge received a message from the Vernon lodge Friday night inviting them to that city next Friday evening, April 1st for an old fashioned April Fools party, with games and amusements during all the evening, and a good number is expected from here. Vernon also says that a number of other lodges are expected. The members of the local order will have a short lodge session at six o'clock Friday afternoon and leave in a body for Vernon.

Lodge Meting.

At a meeting of the local Rebekah lodge Friday night plans were discussed for the Wichita County association which will be held in this city April 18th. The exact place of meeting has not been definitely decided upon but Messrs. Guy Ragland and Marvin Dees who are members of the committe hope the definite plans made by the first of next week. The Lower Panhandle association will also meet in Electra this year with the date being August 2.

Lampas Society.

The Lampas society met at the home of Mrs. J. M. Knight Thursday afternoon and the meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. Knight, after which roll was called and the minutes of the last meeting read and approved. Mrs. S. D. Shaw had charge of the devotional and Mrs. Fred Cummings gave a book report on "From Over the Border" which deals with the Mexican situation. This meeting was the regular book report meeting, and the report was very much enjoyed. Mrs. Sid Gamblin dismissed with prayer. New members of the occasion were, Mesdames R. N. Richardson, Jack Henderson and Bruce Cawthorn. Others present were, Mesdames J. C. Brackeen, W. T. Benbow, Fred Cummings, C. A. Franklin, Carl Hemby, J. M. Knight, Clara Kreaps, Bennett Nance, J. A. Oprr, Frank Overton, C. E. Pye, R. M. Riggs, Russell Scheurer, Claud Suggs, T. A. Seymour, S. B. Shaw, H. A. Shaw, Paul Tally, Tom Vandeventer, L. C. Noack.

The ladies will be entertained next Thursday by the Friendship Sunday school class of the Methodist Country club.

"The Adventures of Grandpa."

The scene of the play "The Adventures of Grandpa", was taken in the Hunter Academy, Chicago, as presented by the students of the Junior class, at the high school auditorium Friday evening. The play was presented before a well filled house with the Senior class sitting areserved place in the building. The play is said to be the best of the amateur playlets presented this season, and the proceeds will go towards paying the expenses of the annual and the Junior-Senior banquet. Those taking part were, Johnnie Sanders, Richard Houser, Sylvan Cloninger, Bruce Alexander, Misses Leona McDonald, Evelyn Mount, Gladys Ray, Grace Head, Myrtle Russell and Mrs. Jodie D. Smith coached the play.

Boy Scouts.

The Flaming Arrow troup of Boy Scouts met Friday evening at the Thompson ward school building with Scoutmaster Taylor Nash in charge of the meeting. The first part of the evening was devoted to games, and then a contest between troups 1 and 2 were announced. The first of the contests will begin April 2nd, and archery will be taken up, with other things to follow and the troup winning will be given an over night hike. Stunts came next in the evening, and Scoutmaster Cash made a speech and the meeting dismissed with the oath. There were about sixty present at this meeting.

Men's Bible Class.

The Men's Bible class of the First Methodist church enjoyed a very fine program Sunday morning when Mrs. Jewel Nesbit, of Stanfield, delighted them with several vocal numbers, accompanied by Mrs. Louis Moad. Homer Hill had charge of the devotional services, and a prayer service was held, with Rev. H. E. Anderson dismissing in prayer. There were 45 present.

"The Janitor's Broom."

"The Janitor's Broom" was the name of a very clever entertainment given by the Senior Epworth league Sunday evening in the Epworth league room at the Methodist church. This was given in the presence of a fine attendance, and under the direction of Mrs. F. M. Baker. The cast was as follows: The Preacher, Charles Klingman, Elder Berry the Secretary, Howard Doors, Deacon Blocker, Oren Sargent; Miss Knitfast, Thelma Coffey; Mrs. Gossip, Ines Igou; Miss Faithful, the Missionary; Ella Lee Jackson; The Janitor, Clyde Martin, and a special selection by Mrs. C. W. Coffey.

Musical Program at Church.

A very fine musical program was given at the First Presbyterian church Sunday evening in the presence of a fine attendance. Prelude, Mrs. S. E. Cramer at the piano; "Softly Now the Light", by congregation; Hymn; High School orchestra; Reading, by little Inez Igou; Duet by Miss Jimmy Hatter and Mr. King; Solo, by Miss Helen Schaffer; Reading by Mrs. Earl Anderson; Anthem by choir; Announcements by pastor, Rev. L. D. Grafton; Solo, by Miss Jimmy Hatter; Offertory; Solo, R. B. Richardson; Reading, by Mrs. Jodie D. Smith; Orchestra selection; Solo, by Mrs. L. D. Grafton, and benediction by Rev. Grafton.

Delphian Society.

The Second Chapter of the Delphian society will be organized in Electra and will met in the Kum-Join-Us Sunday school class room of the Christian church Friday, April 1st, at 2:30 and will meet for the purpose of electing officers. There will be about twenty-five members. Mrs. Margaret Small, state organizer, is in the city at the present time getting this work before the public. The charter of both chapters will remain open for some time.

ELECTRA PERSONALS

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, March 28.—Clinton Miracle of San Pedro, California was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Crass Wednesday evening. Mr. Miracle who is well known in Electra is enroute to Washington, D. C. to accept a position.

Miss Olive Gant is in South Texas visiting relatives for a few days.

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Dal Wilkerson is reported ill at the family residence, the little fellow being taken home from school ill Friday.

C. P. Peterson is ill at his home on West Michigan avenue.

Miss Marguerite Baird has recovered after an illness of the past few days.

Clarence Newburn of the Whitedeer Oil fields spent a few days with his family the first part of the week.

H. C. Casey of Fort Worth is in the city for a few days in interest of an insurance company and is guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. McBride.

Mrs. Arch Cameron of Wichita Falls was the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. E. Cramer, on Sunday.

Mrs. R. D. Horton is reported ill at her home.

Bert Handy of Mineral Wells was the guest of his daughter, Miss Mildred, of the local high school, over the week-end. Mr. Handy leaves soon for Indiana to make his home.

Miss Jaunita White spent the week-end in the country.

The announcement was made Sunday that Mrs. George McGann who has been in the Wichita Clinic hospital for several days will return to her home in this city, Tuesday.

Guests of Mrs. John Houser who is in the Wichita Clinic hospital were Mr. Houser and sons, Richard and Homer, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wofford, Ray Wofford, and others.

Miss Guendoyn and Tiney Garrett, daughters of Mrs. Willie Garrett, who attend the School of Mary Emaculate in Wichita Falls were week-end guests of their mother.

D. M. Whitworth, who has been at the Electra hispital for the past two months, as the result of burns is reported to be sitting up.

Miss Norma Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Andrews, is returning Monday afternoon to the State University to resume her studies after a mid-term vacation at home.

Mrs. William Latham is recovering after an operation for tonsils.

J. A. Scandland went to Ardmore, Oklahoma last week for a visit with relatives.

A. B. McKinnis and brother, H. C. McKinnis, of Wichita Falls spent Sunday in Olney looking after business interests in that city.

D. R. Preston, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Preston, is recovering after being confined to his home with influenza for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Floyd returned Monday morning from Commerce, Texas where they visited Mrs. Floyd's mother, Mrs. R. C. Welch, returning by the way of Dallas and Decatur, for brief visits with relatives at those places.

Dal Wilkerson Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Dal Wilkerson, is recovering after an attack of influenza.

CHARLEY PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hardwick went to Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wilcoxen announce the arrival of a daughter, born Thursday, March 17th.

Mrs. Jack Arrington of Quay, New Mexico spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Perry.

Edd Bevering went to Wichita Falls Monday.

Mrs. G. L. Brown is spending a few days with her mother who is seriously ill at Walters, Okla.

The following guests enjoyed the birthday dinner at the home of Mrs. G. L. McClure Sunday, that being Mrs. McClure's sixty-fifth birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tutor, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Tom McClure and daughters, Ruby and Aleen, Mr. and Mrs. Willie McClure and son, Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Everett McClure and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brazier entertained the young people with a social Saturday evening.

H. C. Currington and Lee Bryan went to Henrietta Saturday.

W. J. Pinkerton went to Henrietta Thursday.

The cotton house of the Devaney gin here burned Wednesday afternoon about 3 o'clock. A strong north wind was blowing at the time carrying the heat away from the gin and other nearby buildings.

BURK SOCIAL NEWS

Special to The Record News.

BURKBURNETT, March 28. — The ladies of the Auxiliary, Oscar Fry post, report a good fund from their recent bake sale amounting to more than thirty dollars. It will be used for the Children hospital playground in Legion, Texas and for the improvement of the New Legion home in Burkburnett.

The joint revival of the Presbyterian and Methodist congregations will begin April 3rd, with Rev. J. Ed Morgan of Texarkana in charge of the preaching. A great religious meeting is expected, in which the entire citizenship is invited to take part.

On Thursday, March 31st the Cemetery committee announce a fence building day around the cemetery to raise the iron fence planned some time ago. The ladies of the Federated Missionary society will prepare the dinner on the ground for the men.

The ladies of the Pythian Sisters have contracted to put on a home talent play, "The Flapper Grandmother" during the month of May. The funds will go to the payments of the new piano of Temple.

Relatives and friends of the family of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Long have received invitations to the wedding of their daughter, Miss Jewel Lee Long, to Mr. Walter Eugene Loughbridge on April 5th, 1927 in the Presbyterian church at San Antonio. The bride is the niece of W. L. Long and has been a visitor in this city where she has friends who will be interested in her happiness, extending congratulations and good wishes.

GRANDFIELD NOTES

Special to The Record News.

GRANDFIELD, March 28.—S. J. Samuels and E. Chase of Tonkowa are visiting here with the former's son, Glen Samuel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mounts were visitors in Wichita Falls Thursday.

Mrs. Albert Owen and daughter, Flo, of Wichita Falls, arrived Thursday evening to visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Owen.

Mrs. W. R. Brown and children, Walter Jr. and Daisy Bess, Mrs. Rosa Johns and sons, J. L. and Roy, and Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Childress, left Friday for Lawton to attend the Methodist District conference.

Charles Garner motored to Waurika Friday.

Jake Smart, Hugh Riley and Norman Clemmer motored to Burkburnett Thursday evening.

R. H. Williams of Albany, Missouri is visiting here with his sister, Mrs. F. M. Crane.

Rev. W. D. Wilkening was a visitor in Devol and Randlett Friday morning.

J. P. Holt of Burkburnett was visiting his son, Allen Holt, of this city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lear transacted business in Lawton Friday afternoon.

Mrs. E. Taylor and Mrs. Ben Jackson of Devol were in Grandfield Friday shopping.

Frank Parrish was a business visitor in Devol Friday.

C. A. Chall of Oklahoma City was a business visitor in Grandfield Thursday.

GRANDFIELD SOCIETY

Special to The Record News.

GRANDFIELD, March 28. — The Methodist Ladies Missionary society met at the Methodist church Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Rosa Johnson led a very interesting lesson study on "The Sermon on the Mount." This was followed by a short business meeting which time delegates for the State Missionary conference to be held at Norman March 29, 30, 31, were chosen. They were Mrs. W. A. Fuqua, Mrs. C. C. Childress and Mrs. Rosa Johns. Alternates chosen were Mrs. Woodruff, Mrs. W. R. Brown and Mrs. C. C. Lear.

Mrs J. W. Caldwell was hostess to the Christian Ladies Aid society at her home Thursday afternoon. The ladies pieced a quilt during the afternoon after which delicious refreshments of meat salad, hot rolls and cake topped with whipped cream and apricots were served to Mrs. John Riley, Mrs. Charles Warhurst, Mrs. G. R. Morton, Mrs. E. D. Burke, Mrs. A. V. Hogan, Mrs. Martin Boone, Mrs. Harry Warhurst, Mrs. Leslie Stanley, Mrs. Ray Moore, Mrs. Claud Hogan, Mrs. Fred Wilkening and Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Wilkening.

Mrs. George Hipp was hostess to the Laf a Little at her home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. J. T. Broyles won high score and was presented a bottle of perfume. Mrs. Floyd Hubbard was awarded guest prize and was presented with a cut glass vase. After an enjoyable afternoon a delicious refreshment was served to Mesdames L. Loper, Frank Parrish, Henry Douglas, Dan Chapman, Floyd Hubbard, Lawrence Gaurley, J. T. Broyles, Claud Lear Jr. and George Hipp.

ELIOT NOVEL DRAMATIZED

"Daniel Deronda," the novel written by George Eliot 50 years ago, has been dramatized and produced in London this season. The essential parts of the original dialogue have been retained, and the result is said to be a finely-worded but rather pompous drama.

CHURCH OFFICIAL DIES

NEW YORK, March 28. (P)—Dr. S. Edward Young, 62, Presbyterian clergyman and a pioneer exponent of church publicity, died here today.

Labor disputes in Germany caused a loss of 1,250,000 working days last year, 17,000,000 in 1925, and $36,000,000 in 1924.

MACHINE GUNS SPOUT DEATH

Detroit Gang War Takes On New Angle

DETROIT, Mich., March 28. (AP) The first machine gun fire in the history of Detroit's gang war killed two men and probably fatally wounded another as they walked down a corridor of an apartment building early today. The machine gun was entrenched behind a steel fire door. The slain men are believed by police to be George Cohen and Josepn Bloom, addresses unknown.

The third man, taken to a hospital wounded nearly a dozen times, is Frank Wright, alias Burke, 23, of Chicago. He has been living at a downtown hotel for several weeks. In his room were found Chicago newspaper accounts of beer and gambling feuds in which machine guns have figured.

Wright told Phillip A. Neudeck, assistant prosecuting attorney, he and his companions, Bloom and Cohen, were summoned to the apartment in Alexandrin avenue to release "Fish," an acquaintance, who had been kidnaped.

"As we were walking down the corridor a steel fire door swung open and three men began shooting at us," said Wright. "The man with the machine gun was in the middle and on each side of him was a man firing away with a pistol."

Police believe the shooting is an outbreak of a war between rival gambling house proprietors of Detroit and that gunmen from New York and Chicago have been brought here to carry on the feud. The sawed-off shotgun heretofore has been the favorite weapon of gang shootings in Detroit.

In the apartment where the three were said by Wright to have been summoned police found three sawed-off shotguns, a rifle and several cartridges.

LOANS FOR VETS

Blanks Received Here for Compensation Applications

Application blanks for loans on adjusted compensation certificates issued to world war veterans were received Monday by O. P. Maricle, postmaster.

The blanks will be issued by Maricle to all veterans desiring to make applications for loans from the veterans' bureau.

The applicant, according to instructions received by Maricle, will have to forward the signed application to the veterans' bureau office in Dallas, where a check for the amount of the requested loan will be issued.

HIT BY AUTO

L. D. Kinkead Injured In Street Accident

L. D. Kinkead, 23, received a broken leg and minor bruises when struck by an automobile between Grace and Holliday on 14th street about 6:30 o'clock Monday night.

Mr. Kinkead had gotten out of a car across the street from his home and was crossing the street on foot when struck. He was carried to the Clinic hospital in a Merkle ambulance. His leg was broken just above his knee. The driver of the car gave assistance.

The injured man is employed by the Ray Sheet Metal works and makes his home with his brother, H. A. Kinkhead, 1515 14th street.

TRIAL POSTPONED

Trial of J. E. Edgar, charged with the slaying of Walter Culver, called Monday in the 89th district court was continued until May 11 by Judge P. A. Martin on motion of defendant's counsel.

The motion set out that W. H. Odem, a material witness for the defendant, could not be located at this time.

Accused of having 10 pints of liquor in his possession when county officers raided Sunday his premises near the poor farm, a charge of violating the state prohibition law was filed Monday against W. H. Vicars. The charge was filed in Justice of the Peace Gwinn's court by E. F. Fruechte, assistant district attorney.

Jack Gotcher, one of the proprietors of the Gotcher-Van Barber shop, is reported ill at the General hospital.

Wichita Falls Courts

DISTRICT COURT.

Miss Eunice Jackson, District Clerk.

Ex Parte, G. Touchstone, removal disabilities.

Edith Sims vs. George Sims, divorce.

Bessie Irene Bauch vs. K. E. Bauch Jr., divorce.

Dorris Mae Edwards vs. Louis T. Edwards, divorce.

Miss Eunice Jackson, District Clerk.

Julius F. Vogel vs. Clarice Vogel, divorce.

V. W. Iver vs. Bessie Ivey, divorce.

Bawley Mills vs. T. B. Weddle, debt.

NEW AUTOMOBILES.

Guy Raley, County Tax Collector.

C. G. Moore, Chevrolet cabriolet, 955-214.

Ligget-Myers Tobacco company, Ford roadster, 955-216.

D. D. King, Star coupe, 955-217.

E. C. Wilson, Buick coupe, 955-222.

W. F. Hamilton, Buick sedan, 955-224.

L. R. Slaughter, Buick coupe, 955-225.

W. D. Rhodes, Star coupe, 955-226.

G. W. Minnick, Ford roadster, 955-234.

J. C. Wells, Ford sedan, 955-234.

D. A. Aldridge, Chevrolet coupe, 955-235.

M. B. Riley, Ford coupe, 955-139.

A. A. Benson, Ford coupe, 955-140.

G. D. Taylor, Ford touring, 955-141.

Gulf Production company, Ford truck, 113-654.

Northwest Casing company, Chevrolet truck, 113-655.

NEW AUTOMOBILES.

Guy Raley, County Tax Collector.

D. M. Wiley, Buick, 955-174.

J. W. Moody and Mrs. Clydie Parks.

Bernard Poduska and Miss Elva Herndon.

J. A. Keel, Childress and Miss Carrie Elizabeth Wallace, Childress.

Lewis Earl Dickey and Miss Lanvelle Elrod.

W. P. Calloway and Miss Gladys Bleakney.

Jack Armstrong and Miss Billie Tipton.

Lonnie Richie and Mrs. Dora Trimble.

Jack Mays and Miss Ilora Devers.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Miss Elizabeth Hall, County Clerk.

J. A. Kemp to City National Bank, interest in lots 6 and 7, block 382, Wichita Falls.

J. H. Hill to E. D. Fritz lot 11, block 13, Sibley-Taylor. $2200.

J. W. Henderson to Mrs. J. B. Leijols block 4, Kemp and Newby subdivisions. $3510.

A. R. Cotton to A. L. Huey lots 1 and 2, block 58, Floral Heights, $7500.

L. E. Cowling Jr. to Edgar C. Norwood lot 9, block 94-A, Highland. $5750.

G. E. Tipton to T. J. Preston lots 15 and 16, block 51, Electra. $1000.

R. E. Stout to E. M. Carpenter lot 5, block 17, Sibley-Taylor. $1918.

H. O. Spence to Mrs. L. M. Boyd lots 10 and 11, block 14, Hillcrest. $3500.

Chas. Rathgeber to E. A. Jentsch 100 acres of the J. Poitevent survey, abstract 350. $4200.

THAT'S THAT

McBroom Confesses to 32, But Doesn't Know About City

"What's the news?"

Thus sayeth a reporter Monday to W. E. McBroom, city secretary.

"What'cha wanta know? Something about me or the city?"

"Both," sayeth the reporter again.

"Well, I'm 32 years old today but I'm a sun-of-a-gun if I know how old the city is."

CONVICT GIVES UP TO MOODY

Man He Sent Up Walks in On Governor

By Universal Service.

AUSTIN, March 28.—Because he was tired of evading the law, Sevelano Lopez, escaped convict, calmly walked into Governor Dan Moody's office late today and surrendered.

"I am tired and weary of dodging the law; my wife and two children have quit me; my conscience bothers me and I am now ready to serve the balance of my term," Lopez declared to the astonished governor, who, as district attorney, convicted Lopez on a burglary charge.

Lopez, who escaped from the Blue Ridge prison farm in 1924, asked the governor to confine him in a penitentiary that had high walls. "I can't control myself when I see an easy way to escape, and I want to be good," he said.

In asking for immediate medical attention, Lopez said he was suffering from 23 buckshot in his head and shoulders as a result of being shot by a night watchman in Rockwall when he tried to break into a seed house to sleep.

Candidates At Labor Temple

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en police protection. He promised to place members of the police department on an 8-hour day and at the same time better the service given. A declaration that he will employ only Wichitans who can show a poll tax receipt was applauded.

Frank Quesse:, present fire and police commissioner, stated that he is running for reelection on his record of the past two years and declared that the police department is now second to none in Texas for efficiency.

"I don't claim that I haven't made mistakes but I do claim that I have profited by the mistakes that I have made. It is the continual change in officers that is the greatest mistake and if I am given the office again I promise to conduct the affairs of the fire and police departments to the very best of my ability."

Candidates Warm Up

A. W. King, candidate for park and sanitary commissioner, promised a sane and constructive administration. He stated that his years of business experience had qualified him for the post and that he felt that he could be of real service to the city of Wichita Falls.

Ollie M. Reeves, candidate for the same office, was introduced.

In a short reouttal following a talk by Commissioner J. H. Patton, Mr. King said: "I entered this race absolutely unsolicited. So far as I know there is no organization supporting me and if elected I will be under no obligations to anybody."

It remained for Park and Sanitary Commissioner J. H. Patton to cop the palm for oratory. Mr. Patton declared that there has always been a bunch of the "big fellows" fighting him and that they are fighting him now. He recited a number of accomplishments effected under his administration and asked for another term in which to finish out his program of work. His opponents are "too young for the office," Mr. Patton declared.

"My influence with the council is very slight," Mr. Patton said. "I sit at the northwest corner of the big table in a nice soft chair and vote "no" occasionally and that is about as far as I get at the council meetings.

"Let's not swap horses in the middle of the stream. I want two more years to finish up my sewer lines and to displease those big guns who are fighting me."

Oral Jones, who is making the race for finance commissioner unopposed, made a short address and was followed by Mayor R. E. Shepherd.

During an intermission H. H. Roberts addressed the gathering on the principles and ideals of organized labor.

DROPS COURT CASE

Father Withdraws Writ Asking Custody of Children

Writ of habeas corpus filed by Sam Washburn against the state for the release of his daughters from the custody of the Children's Home and Aid society was withdrawn Monday morning when the hearing was called in the 78th district court.

No reason was assigned by Washburn or his attorney for the withdrawal of the habeas corpus writ.

LANDMARK GOES

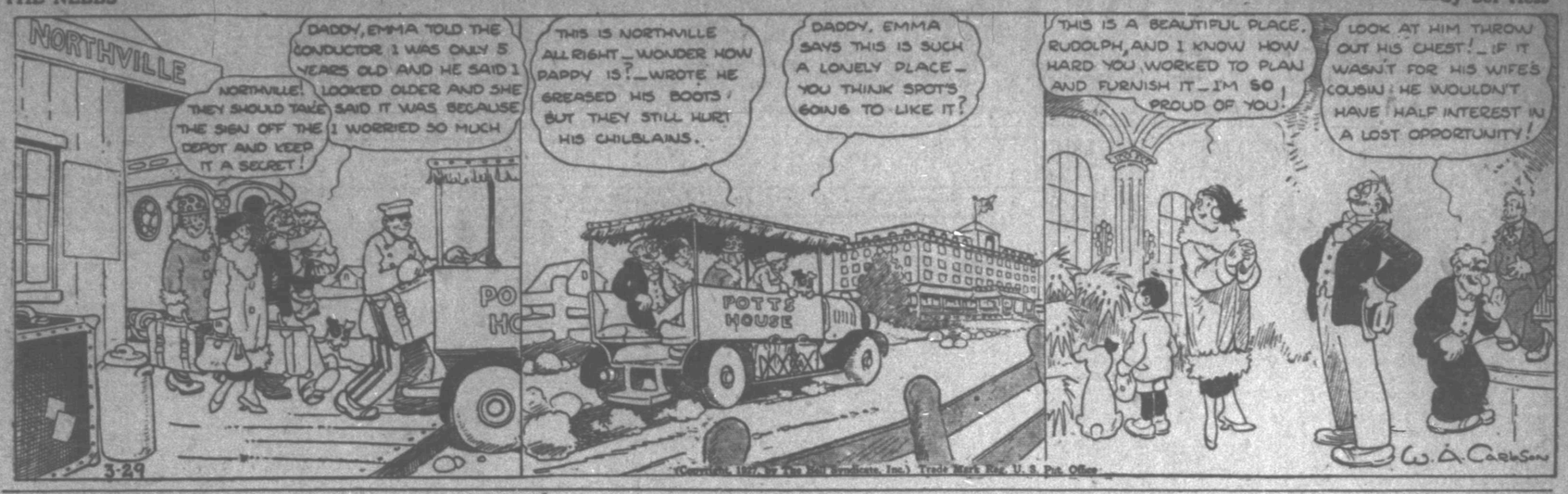
Old 'Dobe Falls in March Of Progress.

MIDLAND, March 28. (AP)—Property increases of more than 400 per cent in Midland during the past 11 months has caused the oldest building in Midland to fall before the march of progress. The old adobe building known as the Curtis place, built 25 years ago, on a lot that cost $50, and was offered less than a year ago for $10,000, will be razed for the 150-room Scarbur hotel. The price paid for the lot was $40,000.

DAWES TO PANAMA

PANAMA, March 28. (AP)—Vice President Dawes and members of his party left last night for Pearl Island on the Gulf of Panama for some deep sea fishing.

THE NEBBS —By Sol Hess



THIMBLE THEATRE —By Segar.



DUMB DORA —By Chick Young.



KID DUGAN By Dick Dorgan



Radio Program

International Radio Programs.

ETHER'S WHITE-CAPS.

7:30 P. M.—WAMD (344)—Mips—Bobby Burns Entertainers with the Windjammer.

7:30—P. M.—KOIL (306) Omaha—Council Bluffs women's musicale program.

8:00 P. M.—KLDS (441) Independence—Senior Exercises Madrigal, baritone.

8:15 P. M.—WBZ (333) Springfield—The Alpaulmi trio musicale.

SILENT TONIGHT.

Eastern: CWCA, WABC, WLIT, WRVA. Central: KFUO, WAMD, WHA, WOS, WRMB, WSUI. Western: KLN, WJAD.

EVENING CONCERTS.

5:00 P. M.

KFAB (341) Lincoln. Musicale.

6:00 P. M.

KOIL (306) Omaha. Program.

6:15 P. M.

WOAI (326) San Antonio. Organ recital.

6:30 P. M.

WJR (517) Detroit. Studio feature.

WBZ (333) Springfield. Ikarde Minstrels.

WLW (422) Cinci. Theatrical Review.

6:45 P. M.

WEAO (294) Columbus. Music.

6:55 P. M.

WPG (200) Atlantic City. Features.

7:00 P. M.

WMBB (226) Chicago. Trianon Duo.

WEAF (492) N. Y. The Vikings to WEEI, WFI, WGR, WBAL, WOC, WTAG, KSD and WCSH.

WFAA (476) Dallas. Music.

7:30 P. M.

WEAF (492) N. Y. Jolly Buckeye Bakers, to WTAG, WFI, WTAM, WBAL, KSD and WCCO.

WOC (484) Davenport. Musicale.

WAMD (344) Mpls. Entertainers.

KOIL (306) Omaha. Studio program.

WGHP (270) Detroit. Studio program.

8:00 P. M.

WEAF (492) N. Y. "Eveready Hour," also from KSD, WCAE, WCCO, WEAR, WEEI, WFI, WGR, WGN, WJAR, WOC, WBAL, WTAG and WWJ.

KDKA (309) E. Pitts. Grand Opera program.

KFAB (341) Lincoln. U. of Nebraska program.

WGHP (270) Detroit. Minstrels.

WHO (526) Des Moines. Harmony Singers.

WIP (509) Phila. Royal Hawaiian quartette.

WPG (309) Atlantic City. Concert.

8:30 P. M.

WHO (526) Des Moines. Pianist and composer.

8:45 P. M.

KPRC (297) Houston. Vocal program.

9:00 P. M.

KMA (461) Shenandoah. May's musicians.

WJZ (454) N. Y. Don Amazio, the Wizard.

WHB (366) Kansas City. Studio feature.

WSM (282) Nashville. Ward-Belmont conservatory.

WOKT (340) Rochester. Mack-Will trio.

KTHS (375) Hot Springs. Scotch and Irish Songs.

WFAA (476) Dallas. Ballads.

10:00 P. M.

KGO (361) Oakland. The Pilgrims.

WCCO (417) St. Paul-Mpls. Studio program.

10:30 P. M.

KTHS (375) Hot Springs. Piano solos.

10:45 P. M.

WSB (428) Atlanta. Love's Revue.

11:00 P. M.

WMAK (266) Buffalo. Organ recital.

KOIL (306) Omaha. Studio program.

CNRV (291) Vancouver. Feature program.

11:30 P. M.

KGO (361) Oakland. Surprise broadcast.

12 Midnight.

WEBH (370) Chicago. Popular studio.

FEATURE TALKS.

6:45 P. M.

WCSH (509) Portland. Health talk.

7:15 P. M.

WJZ (454) N. Y. "Ro-Be-Weds," also broadcast by WBZ, KYW and KDKA.

9:00 P. M.

WEAF (492) N. Y. Auction bridge instruction to WEEI, WCSH, WTAG, WJAR, WGR, WCAE, WTAM, WFI, WWJ, WBAL, WGN, WOC, WCCO and KSD.

9:30 P. M.

WOC (484) Davenport. Travel lecture series.

10:00 P. M.

WGN (302) Chicago. "Sam 'n' Henry."

WANT TO DANCE?

6:30 P. M.

WLW (422) Cinci. Castle Farm.

7:00 P. M.

WRC (469) Wash. Mayflower.

7:30 P. M.

WHB (366) Kansas City. Metropolitan Orchestra.

WEOA (294) Columbus. Scarlet Mask.

8:00 P. M.

WGY (380) Schenectady. Keystoners.

9:00 P. M.

CNRR (312) Regina. Verne's Revellers.

WLW (422) Cinci. Castle Farm.

9:30 P. M.

WCAU (278) Philadelphia. Cathay Garden.

WTIC (476) Hartford. Palais Royal.

WCSH (256) Portland. Carlton.

WJZ (454) N. Y. Pennsylvania.

10:00 P. M.

WPG (200) Atlantic City. Silver Slipper Club.

WHK (272) Cleveland. De Sure's.

CNRR (312) Regina. Capitolians.

10:30 P. M.

WHAD (276) Milwaukee. Wisconsin.

WKRC (326) Cincinnati. Dance Music.

WCAU (278) Phila. Normandie.

11:00 P. M.

WHO (526) Des Moines. Dance Program.

WMC (500) Memphis. Palace.

11:45 P. M.

WDAF (366) Kansas City. Nighthawks.

12 Midnight.

KGW (492) Portland. Multnomah.

1:00 A. M.

WGN (302) Chicago. Drake Hotel Dance.

BALL HITS NOSE

Dallas County Player Almost Bleeds to Death

DALLAS, March 28. (AP)—R. R. Broyles, 24, almost bled to death Sunday afternoon after being struck in the nose by a baseball while playing a game at Elam, 12 miles south of here. He was brought to the emergency hospital here and doctors worked over him for an hour before the flow of blood was stopped. The ball broke his nose.

UP GOES DEATH TOLL

NEW YORK, March 29. (AP)—Up goes the motor death toll. The total in the country last year is estimated at 23,000 by R. I. Catlin, secretary of the Aetna Life Insurance company. This was an increase of five per cent in a year.

MANY BOOZE FINES

FORT WORTH, March 28. (AP) Eight men and one woman were given fines aggregating $2150 for liquor law violations in Federal Judge James C. Wilson's court here today. Four jail sentences ranging from 30 to 90 days were assessed.

PEACE PACT SIGNED

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 29. (AP)—Harvard and Princeton are at peace in one respect. Their teams are to meet in two games which has a high standard of etiquette and which involves no physical contact or hurling a ball toward somebody else—golf.

SHE HAS SIX HUSBANDS

NEW YORK, March 29. (AP) Mme. Alexandra Kollontay, soviet minister to Mexico, who has had six husbands, is the author of a book entitled "Red Love." She cannot come to this country. The book will be sold here.

REGULAR FELLERS —By Gene Byrnes.



SPORTING NEWS — THE RECORD NEWS — FIRST ACCURATE COMPLETE

RUNYON SAYS

One Great Pastime—Minding Other Fellow—He Stands the Loss—Jake and Babe Ruth—Mr. Rickard's Minders—

By DAMON RUNYON

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One of the most popular of all American pastimes is minding the other fellow's business. It has vogue in every walk of life, and evry field of endeavor, but it is especially most popular in the world of sport.

I confess I am somewhat addicted to it myself. I am one of those I'll-tell-you-what-you-ought-to-do guys. And in the ringing words of the old song, there's a hundred million others like me.

Fortunately, in sport the pastime of minding the other fellow's business is less hazardous than in other racket, or dodge, as we say at the club. There are men in other lines so churlish that if you attempted to mind their business to the same extent that is considered quite permissable in sport, they would say:

"G'wan, or I'll but you in the snoozle!"

Yes, some men are quite that way.

But in sport one can, and does, mind everybody else's business and while the fellow whose business is being minded may occasionally secretly resent one's good offices he makes no public manifestation lest he be set down as ill natured.

One of my greatest regrets is that I was ill and unable to take part in the general minding of Colonel Jake Ruppert's business when Mr. Ruth came along demanding that $100,000. I would have been pleased to tell Colonel Jake to give Mr. Ruth the $100,000.

Fortunately, there were so many others to tell the Colonel about it that perhaps I was not missed. Also it seems that the colonel drove a better bargain with Mr. Ruth than he might have done had I been on hand minding his business for him.

In former years I was a great hand for minding the baseball magnate's business. I would tell them what they ought to pay their baseball players, and what managers to hire, or fire, as the case might be. In other times I even went in for minding the managers' business, telling them what pitcher to use the next day and what players they ought to trade and all that sort of thing.

Sometimes I felt that my efforts were not appreciated. There is nothing that more deeply wounds a devotee of the manly art of minding the other fellow's business than to feel that his efforts are not appreciated. In fact, one manager once curtly told me to mind my own business, a shocking fatuous request because I had no business to mind, except his.

However, the pastime of minding the other fellow's business in baseball never permitted quite the same scope as minding the other fellow's business in boxing. You see, in boxing you can mind the promoter's business, telling him what matches to put on, and what to charge for his tickets, and a thousand and one other things, and besides the promoter there are the boxers and their managers.

The boxer's business presents unlimited opportunity for minding. You can tell him how poorly he is being handled, and how he ought to along with that guy instead of hooking him, and where he ought to train and how.

Of course if the boxer chances to get clipped on the chin following your advice, he has no more business to be minded for the time being. The beauty of minding the other fellow's business is that there is no after responsibility.

Minding a manager's business is a cinch if he has a fighter of sufficient prominence to justify it. The most ardent minder of the other fellow's business rarely cares to mind a manager's business if the manager's fighter is a plumb beezark, unknown, obscure. But if the fighter is up in the picture it is really a pleasure to mind the manager's business.

You can tell him what opponents to pick for his man, and what percentage he should demand, and how to handle his bum so he can win the fight. If the bum fails to win, you can dismiss the matter easily by saying the manager was a chump to take the match.

I suppose Mr. Tex Rickard has his business minded by more expert minders of the other fellow's business than any man in the country, and I am not including the members of the New York State Athletic Commission, the greatest minders of the other fellow's business ever produced.

Mr. Rickard's business is so well minded, in fact, that he finds time for diversion in the popular pastime of minding the other fellow's business. Scarcely a day passes that he does not tell Mr. Jack Dempsey, the boxer, just what Mr. Dempsey can or can not do with reference to fighting again, whereupon Mr. Dempsey recounts the $1,000,000 he has made in the ring to make sure it hasn't evaporated.

The beauty of minding the other fellow's business is that it doesn't cost a dime. If Colonel Jake Ruppert, or any of those other baseball magnates, have a tough season after I have devoted my efforts to minding their business for them, I do not have to make good the deficit.

If Mr. Tex Rickard loses a batch of dough through the efforts of those who have been minding his business, including the members of the New York State Athletic Commission this time, he stands the loss himself. No one but Mr. Rickard has to dig up.

NOTED SPORTSMAN DEAD

WASHINGTON, March 28. (AP)—Will H. Dilg, 58, of Chicago, founder and organizer of the Izaak Walton league of America, is dead here after a years illness. He came to Washington to interest President Coolidge in the creation of a department of national conservation in the government.

FARMER BURNS REAL PHENOM

Veteran Will Startle Many At Match Tonight

All the great men and little men alike were said to be present or accounted for Monday night by Matchmaker A. S. Ross for the boys' band wrestling program Tuesday evening at the Palace theater.

Charley Grip was on hand spewing around about how, "I make weight all right and I beat dat guy, too. Me, I'm he next champ," or maybe he said chump.

Jack Reynolds, defending welterweight champion who meets Grip in the feature, a Police Gazette finish bout, was expected in late last night.

Gorman Talks

Jack Gorman, who meets Billy Londos in a finish squabble, was running around loose, too, and yapping to the world how he would like a shot at Reynolds, Grip or almost anybody after he beats (?) Londos.

The one, only and original Farmer Burns, the old warhorse himself, blew in yesterday, also. Farmer is going to give some kind of an exhibition and he'r going to referee the championship match.

Grand Old Man

Burns, the grand old man of the wrestling game, will startle the uninitiated. At 66 years he still is a great athlete. His muscular development is nothing short of phenomenal. There is little reason to believe there is even one other man in the world today anywhere within 20 years of Burns' age who can equal him in strength alone, much less wrestling science and several other departments of athletics in which he is adept. That includes Stan Zbyszko.

The Burns of today has changed very little from the Burns of yesterday. Perhaps his one-time great speed is gone, but the strength is still there, power in supple muscles that when relaxed are as soft as the flesh of a baby, but when flexed are as hard as seasoned oak.

The veteran's neck development is startling and his chest expansion enormous.

TIGERS AGREE CHICAGO GAME

Princeton Signs Home-Home Grid Agreement

By Universal Service.

PRINCETON, N. J., March 28. Princeton has re-entered the national inter-collegiate field. Announcement of home and home gridiron contests with the universities of Chicago and Ohio State was made here today by Dr. Chas. W. Kennedy of the Princeton board of athletic control.

The last western trip Tiger football teams have made was in 1922, when Princeton played Chicago. The new arrangement released today provides for a contest with Ohio State at Princeton in 1927, with a return game at Columbus in November, 1928. Chicago university will invade Tigertown on Nov. 2, 1929, and the Princeton team will journey west the next year for a return contest.

During the big three agreement which was broken when Princeton severed athletic relations with Harvard last fall, contests "involving long and expensive trips or extended absences from the university," were not permitted. Under the new dual arrangements made with Yale since the break, home and home contests are permissible and Princeton authorities have looked with considerable favor on the demands of western alumni that the Nassau teams resume their national competition.

All the games with Ohio State and Chicago, with the exception of the Ohio State next fall, have been scheduled for two weeks before the annual encounters with Yale.

The Princeton-Tal series is the oldest football series in the country.

Longhorns Defeat Mustangs Handily

AUSTIN, March 28. (AP)—Jumping on Miller in the first inning, the Longhorns gathered in 13 hits to beat the S. M. U. Mustangs in the conference opener for both teams, 11 to 4. The game was Texas' all the way as the Longhorns led by a nice margin all the way through. Baker, who went five innings for the Longhorns pitched effective ball, but Armstrong who finished the game was hit four times for three of the Pony runs.

Score:

S. M. U.	..	100	002	100	—	4	8	2
Texas	....	201	120	04x	—	11	13	2

Batteries: Miller, Woolridge and Kimbrough; Baker, Armstrong and Allen.

Detroit Blossoms Out In Pennant Style



Here are a few of the lads who are doing the hardwork for George Moriarity in his spring camp. No. 1, Johnny Mugn, of the infield; No. 2, Rubel, of the outfield; No. 3, George Redfun. infield; No. 4, George Rubel, going or coming he's always fine same.

NOTE: George Moriarty and his ambitious Detroit Tigers are scheduled to exhibit their wares before Wichita Falls fandom with the Spudders Thursday and Friday of next week. That's April 7 and 8. Extensive plans are being made by Prez Gardner and Manager Carl Williams for reception of the pennant-contending American league team.

SAN ANTONIO, March 28.—Ambition and his careless cousin, indifference, are often in evidence in the spring training camps. There are the countless youngsters who are trying to impress the various managers in every workout, and the established stars who constantly strive to eradicate some weakness that has been in their makeup for years.

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One of the most outstanding cases of the "I don't care" ball player, fell to my lot this spring at San Antonio. The irony and disappointment was more than the average dose, because it happened on the initial practice day, which marked my first day of handling the managerial reins of a major league club.

After practice was over, I came to the hotel, and was accosted by the player in question. He had missed the first practice. Close scrutiny was unnecessary in discovering the player's utter disregard of training rules, as he bore unmistakable odor of strong liquid. Here is a player who had waited eight years to get a chance in the big show, and lost the opportunity in less than eight minutes.

To condone such an offense would manifestly be the wrong course. The penalty, stern as it is, may urge him on toward greater efforts to make good.

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On the other hand, there is a young ball player in camp, by the name of Bob Holland, who merely has been borrowed from the Toronto club in order to fill in on the Detroit second team for exhibition games. This young man is one of the first on the field every morning, and one of the last to call it a day.

He plays the infield and the outfield and races over the lot with the Tiger regulars, who envy his company and encourage him in his hopes to be a big leaguer.

Lefty Leifield, who is a most accomplished fungo hitter literally runs Holland dizzy every day, but he always comes back for more.

One may measure his disposition for baseball by the remark he made to Leifield the other day after practice: "If I was a millionaire," he painted, "I would hire a couple of guys to hit fungoes for me all day long, and every day in the week." Too bad that Bob Holland isn't having the opportunity to try for a major league berth.

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The San Antonio club also has two example of players who are extremely zealous in their efforts to make the grade. One is a player named Moss, who paid his own fare to come here for a tria and early indications point to his ultimate success as a slugger type of batsman.

Another San Antonio player answering the name of Klein loves the game as much as Bob Holland. Honus Mitze, the manager of the local club, told me today that Klein practiced hitting and outfielding to such excess that it was necessary to bar him from the park excepting the regular practice period, to keep him from going stale.

GRID STAR DESPONDENT

PERPIGNAN, France, March 28. (AP)—Disheartened because his team lost a rugby football game despite his own brilliant playing, J. Wisser returned to the dressing room and shot himself in the head. He will live.

SPORT a la CARTE

BY ROY GROVE

A lot of the lads around the smoldering fire, as the winter stove league melts into the spring camps, aren't saying very much about Bob Meusel. There was a time when battering Bob (that was in 1925) led the American league in smacks. He was the champion home run hitter, while Ruth was out, and the leading left fielder held other modest honors.

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Bob battered in more runs, fanned 55 times, sent across 138 runs and 33 homers were included in the list. His record at that time was more valuable, inasmuch as he had men on the sacks in breaking up the major league games.

Earl Coombs scored 117 runs runs on the strength of this slaughter.

Why is Bob, the reliable, not reckoned with for this year? He is as dangerous as at any time of his career. He would be the showman of the Yankees if it were not for Babe Ruth, and still he sits by to send the big Bambino across.

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Rogers Hornsby went to bat the other day against his old teammates, the world champion St. Louis Cardinals, and after three attempts he went away hitless.

Anyone else could do that and get away with it, just like Ruth can strike out. He isn't supposed to be going hitless when no managerial duties worry him.

Rogers is booked to break his former records, as they tell it in the major leagues, but that is a terrific pace to be setting the youthful captain at this time of his career and with a new outfit.

Rogers is very apt to slump this season, because he will try too hard to deliver for McGraw and the Giants. The more he works, probably the worse he may get, or vice versa. He is under a greater mental strain with new surroundings.

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Rogers must beat his average of .403 when he batted over .400 for the third time, holding all records for the game.

Rogers led both leagues with the stick and both leagues with home runs when he numbered 39. He scored 133 runs, made 203 hits, including 40 two-baggers, 10 triples and 39 home runs. He has a team batting record which is close to .336.

Rogers has set a terrific pace for himself. Can he equal it?

Read On, Roderick! Here's Couple Yarns More For the Big Book

CHICAGO, March 28 (AP)—Alpine, Tenn., with no railroad trains nor electric lights has for the time being had its population of 75 inhabitants reduced to 65.

That is the doings of Mr. Amos Alonzo Stagg, director of athletics at the University of Chicago for 33 years. Stagg cut down Alpine's population by inviting one tenth of the inhabitants here to compete in the national interscholastic basket ball tournament which opens at the university tomorrow.

The tournament, atracting 42 high school teams from 38 states, 35 of them state champions, will wind up next Saturday night with the title deciding contest. Nearly 400 boys from all over America will compete in the 200 games.

Figure This One Out.

Mr. Stagg probably never heard of Alpine when he planned his national tournament, but he knows about Alpine now. He knows, for example, that lace of 75 inhabitants can produce a basketball team that thinks it is good enough to play with the best high school teams of 48 states. He knows that this little hill country school, five miles from a railroad, thinks enough of its basketball team to rake and scrape up the dollars necessary to bring the team and its principal coach here to a city of millions to compete for the honor.

Toledo, Ohio; Colorado Springs, Colo.; Florence, Miss.; Durham, N. C.; Roswell, N. M., and other towns have sent their rangy cagemen.

Tough of muscle and strong of courage are the Tennessee state basketball champions of Alpine. That sinew and courage will get its first, perhaps its only test tomorrow on the stroke of 12 against Lincoln, Neb., champion of the Cornhusker state.

Champions Not On Hand.

The tournament, including the consolation rounds, will see nearly 200 games played. If there are any favorites to win the title nobody seems to know anything about them because all the teams consider themselves high class. The team that won the 1926 championship, Pittsburg, Miss., is not competing this year because it was licked in the Massachusetts tournament and the winning team was ineligible for the national tournament.

The basketball squad began dropping off every train today. Fresh from the wide open spaces were the Safford and Gilbert, Ariz., teams, with their two-gallon hats and cowboy chaps.

The basket shooters from Durant, Okla., alighted from their train without either overcoats or hats, an omission which while undoubtedly quite proper in Durant, was uncomfortably chilly along Lake Michigan. The boys from Athens, Texas, rattled into town in two dilapidated flivvers, having made the 800-mile trip in a week.

CAN SPUDDERS WALLOP PILL?

Lissen, Brother, Don't Talk Interrogations

Your Wichita Falls baseball gentry flopped back to normalcy Monday, as blue a Monday as she was, and coasted along through a light workout, the second rest session allowed in the past 11 days. Murky skies and moist ground thwarted efforts to stage anything like a serious drill period, so Pilot Carl let the boys rock along just about as they willed.

The great man, meaning Williams, knocked off a few moments during the day to peruse statistics on his club compiled by the boy wonder, Ichabod, during the exhibition span that closed temporarily Sunday afternoon. If spring batting averages indicate anything Mr. Williams will send a wickedly clouting team into the flag scramble this summer. Everybody walloped the agate at a noble pace. Your youthful friend, J. Mann, shortstopping person, whammed the leather at .440 gait. LaFayette and Kimbrough pecked along at a measly .429 speed. The figures were doped over a period of 11 games, including the Frederick two-game series.

Everybody's been slamming 'em but Swenson and Turgeon. Pete is expected to come around just as soon as he loses his charley horse and sore finger. T. Jenkins will tell you that Wally is going to wallop 'em wildly before long, too. And that's so much of that.

Numerical resume of the exhibition games played to date follows:

Player—	AB.	R.	H.	Pct.
Mann, ss.	50	10	22	.440
LaFayette, 1b	21	11	9	.429
Kimbrough, 2b.	14	5	6	.429
Jenkins, c.	12	5	5	.417
Tobin,	15	4	6	.400
Fitzgerald, cf.	38	6	14	.389
Benton, 1b-2b.	32	5	12	.375
Jenkins, lf.	40	10	15	.375
Francis, c.	14	3	5	.357
Bullock, 3b.	9	2	3	.333
Trexler, cf.	6	1	2	.333
Leech, rf.	48	9	14	.292
Swanson, 2b.	28	8	8	.286
Jones, cf.	9	4	3	.333
Turgeon, 2b.	21	3	4	.190
Peschek, c.	3	0	0	.000

Standings.

	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Wichita Falls	11	6	5	.545
Opponents	11	5	6	.455

Pitchers Records.

Player	G.	W.	L.	IP.	SO.	BB.	R.	H.	Pct.
Fussell	3	2	0	15	8	4	7	16	1.000
Hayes	3	1	0	15	4	4	6	18	1.000
White	2	1	0	10	3	4	6	11	1.000
J. Roberts*	1	1	0	4	1	1	0	4	1.000
Estell	2	1	1	8	3	3	3	5	.500
Hodge	2	1	1	9	3	5	3	7	.500
Williams	1	0	0	4	1	2	1	3	.000
Reid*	1	0	0	4	2	2	4	5	.000
Morefield	1	0	0	5	2	1	6	10	.000
Hilgwrth*	1	0	0	3	2	2	4	3	.000
Ross	1	0	0	4	1	2	3	4	.000
Kiefer	1	0	0	4	0	3	11	11	.000
J. Roberts	1	0	1	5	0	2	4	6	.000
Stegrfs	2	0	1	10	2	2	7	11	.000
Burvid	2	0	1	6	1	6	5	8	.000
Cobb	1	0	1	4	1	2	8	11	.000

*Not with team now.

	R.	H.	E.
Wichita Falls	8	12	1
Frederick	3	8	3

White, Hollingsworth and Peschek; Fuller and Wade.

	R.	H.	E.
Wichita Falls	24	28	2
Frederick	8	11	2

Fussell, Morefield and Francis; Parish, D. Faulkner and Wade, Banks.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Paul	10	15	1
Wichita Falls	8	16	2

(12 innings.)

Reimach, Zahniser, Betts, McQuade and Gaston, Tenner; White, Reid, Burvid and Tobin, Lapan.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Paul	6	6	3
Wichita Falls	4	6	1

Weiss, Shealy and Gaston, Tenner; John Roberts, Steengrafe and Lapan, Francis.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	5	10	2
Wichita Falls	4	10	2

T. Blankenship, Jacobs, Connally and Schalk, McCurdy; Fussell, Estell and Tobin.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1	4	0
Wichita Falls	6	11	0

Lyons, H. Blankenship and McCurdy; Crouse, Payne, Hodge and Lapan.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	12	15	3
Wichita Falls	5	8	3

Thomas, Kennedy and McCurdy; Crouse, Cobb, Rose and Tobin.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	12	11	0
Wichita Falls	6	8	2

Barnabee and Crouse, Fenner; Jim Roberts, Keifer and Lapan, Francis.

	R.	H.	E.
Oklahoma City	7	10	2
Wichita Falls	7	10	2

Lyons, Brown and Groft, Jorgens; Buvid, Steengrafe, White and Tobin.

	R.	H.	E.
Oklahoma City	6	14	4
Wichita Falls	8	7	1

Lahale, Darrow and Jorgens, Groft; Payne, Estell and Lapan.

	R.	H.	E.
Oklahoma City	5	9	2
Wichita Falls	11	21	1

Tubbs, Craig and Jorgens, Groft; Fussell, Williams and Tobin.

LANDIS TO TEXAS

SAN ANTONIO, March 28. (AP)—Baseball Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis arrived here today to hold a hearing in the row between the Gulf Coast league owners and H. A. Dupuy, president of the league. Dupuy has refused to vacate his office, insisting that he holds a contract that cannot be broken. The hearing will be held some time tomorrow.

MRS. W. G. PRICE, 65, DIES

Special to The Record News.

WELLINGTON, March 28.—Mrs. W. G. Price, for many years a resident of Wellington, died at her home here Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock, following an illness of several months. Mrs. Price was 65 years old at the time of her death. She was born Aug. 6, 1861.

In Action Again



Handsome Jack Reynolds, welterweight king, as he looks when not in ring togs. Jack's a gentlemen of the old school both on and off the mat. Everybody knows that. But his gentlemanly attributes do not hinder him from being a veritable demon when facing a strong adversary. And there isn't anybody who will tell you Jack won't meet a powerful antagonist Tuesday night at the Palace in Charley Grip, the well known Bufalo bullethead.

Grip has placed a $250 weight forfeit. If he comes in at 145 or under, she'll be a real championship affair refereed by a real champion, none other than the venerable Farmer Burns.

GOLDEN WINS $4000 PURSE

Southern Open Prize Is Play-Off Trophy

ATLANTA, Ga., March 28. (AP)—John Golden, Paterson, N. J., professional, won first money, $4000 of the southern open golf tournament here today by beating Johnny Farrell, New York, in an 18-hole play-off match. Golden took 70 strokes and Farrell 71. The latter got the second money prize of $1750.

Bobby Jones, amateur, won the tournament which ended Saturday with a brilliant 284. Farrell and Golden, both professionals, tied for second place, with 289 each. They decided to play an additional 18-holes to determine who would win first money.

Goldens accuracy and steadiness gave him a par round in 70 while Farrell was one over par with a 71. Golden came near equalling Bobby's sensational 66 in the second round of the tournament proper and had he not blown up on the 13th would have come within one stroke of it.

EXHIBITION GAMES

At West Palm Beach, Fla.—

Baltimore (I)	....	000	702	300	—	3	14	1
Cincinnati (N)	....	002	120	000	—	5	10	2

Hudnomore, Freitga and Lake; May and Picinich.

At Sanford, Fla.—

Philadelphia (A)	..	020	000	010	—	3	6	0
Indianapolis (AA)	..	010	000	100	—	2	7	2

Pate, Gray and Cochrane; Schupp and Florence.

At Tampa, Fla.—

Brooklyn (N)	..	000	020	110	00	—	4	11	1
Washington (A)	..	000	010	020	00	—	4	11	2

(Tie, 11 innings.)

Petty, Vance, McSweeny and Henline, Doherty; Coveleskie, Jones and Hoot, Tate.

At Shreveport, La.—

Chicago (A)	..	000	001	000	001	1	—	3	9	0
Shreveport	..	000	030	000	020	0	—	1	6	0

(13 innings.)

Faber, Thomas and Crouse; Clark, Raisey and Wilder.

At St. Augustine, Fla.—

St. Louis (A)	..	105	001	200	—	12	17	1
New York (N)	..	400	020	000	—	6	9	4

Wingard and Dixon; Cheves, Thomas and Deverger.

BLUEGE SHIFTED

Ossie Bluege, third sacker for the Washington ball club, has been shifted permanently to shortstop by Manager Bucky Harris, who declared he would not be able to win a pennant with Bluege "in any other position."

Inability of other players to give satisfaction on double plays between first and second prompted the change, the manager said. Myer is slated to take up the work at the hot corner.

INFIELD STARS

Critics who could see nothing useful in Wilbert Robinson's kid infield at Clearwater early in the training season are beginning now to congratulate the Brooklyn pilot on his budding stars. Partridge and Barrett are playing fine ball at second and third, respectively, and Babe Herman, first baseman, is whanging the ball to distant places.

HALLMAN WINS POINT TROPHY

Sharpe-Bynum to Award P. B. M. Star

To little Miss Erin Hallman, brilliant P. B. M. forward, goes the Sharpe-Bynum Tire company high point trophy in the women's basketball league. Compilation of scores through last week's titular game between P. B. M. and the Texas Electric Service company five gives Miss Hallman a total of 56 points. Her nearest competitor was Ollinger, a teammate, who scored 43 points. Francis Garner of the Electrics tagged 40 points and tied for third honors with her teammate and captain, Josie Doke.

Hallman is to be awarded a pretty wrist watch. The Goodrich tire people (that's Sharpe and Bynum locally) plan giving of two other trophies, also, one to the best sport in the league and one to the best all-around player. These two winners have not been decided yet. There are a number of young women under discussion, all eligible to cop the prizes. It is not certain just when officials of the league will be able to settle on the victors.

Individual scores for the entire season follows:

	Pts.
Hallman, P. B. M.	56
Ollinger, P. B. M.	43
F. Garner, Electrics	40
J. Doke, Electrics	40
Abbott, Conocos	38
T. Holt, Conocos	36
Parker, P. B. M.	24
East, P. B. M.	19
M. Garner, Electrics	18
Smith, Whippets	15
Stoval, P. B. M.	16
Walker, Whippets	14
Oliver, Electrics	13
Holcomb, Whippets	11
Ash, Electrics	11
Crump, Conocos	9
R. Doke, Electrics	9
Boyse, Conocos	8
Brown, Electrics	7
Blackmon, P. B. M.	4
Peterson, P. B. M.	4
Pierce, P. B. M.	2
Bryant, Electrics	2
Godfrey, Conocos	1

Twilight Crew Buzzes Busily

New Baseball Park in Store For Amateur Loop

The Wichita Falls Twilight league will play a 36-game schedule this summer, each team participating in 16 contests, it was decided in session of team managers Monday night. The season is to open April 24. Schedule is to be drawn up and adopted in meeting carded for Wednesday noon at Landon-Hill. Officers are to be elected in the Wednesday palaver and acceptance or rejection of a new park proposal is to be made, also.

Club leaders went into heavy discussion of plans to construct a first class baseball park near the Panhandle refinery and indications were the project more than likely will run through smoothly.

The league is composed of four teams, Panhandle, American Refiners, Continental Oilers and Tex-Electrics.

Electra Netters Win Over Vernon

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, March 28.—Electra and Vernon tennis teams met on the Vernon high school court at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon in the first interscholastic net game played this season. The Electra girls doubles won, and the Electra boys' doubles and singles won. Electra was represented by Worth Shanafelt and Clifford Cramer in the boys' doubles, R. C. Simmons in the boys' singles. Leona Mae Parr and Mary Dean Reneau in the girls' doubles and Euphima Forbes in the girls' singles. Vernon was represented by Charley Withers and Charles Norwood in the boys' doubles, Whitney Anderson in the boys' singles, John Kelly Houssels and Alice Stokes in the girls' doubles, and by Anna Fern Bickley in the girls' singles.

INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET

Special to The Record News.

SAN ANGELO, March 28.—With 275 pupils from 22 schools participating before more than 500 spectators, Wall and Lakeview tied for rural school honors in the University Interscholastic league meet for Tom Green county here. Lack of time prevented the staging of all events and the meet will be concluded next Saturday. Though its score is the same as junior high's (San Angelo), Wall virtually has clinched the championship. The winners will enter the district 18 meet here on April 22 and 23.

PITCHERS RELEASED.

SAN ANTONIO, March 28. (AP)—"Dutch" Vogel, Bear rookie who pitches with his right hand was released today to the Edinburg club of the Valley league. The release is the first cut in an extensive pruning which will probably get into full swing tomorrow. A number of Bear supernumeraries are slated to go to the farm, or to be released outright.

REDFERN TO PANTHERS.

By Universal Service.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 28.—George Redfern, former Nashville shortstop and now in training here with the Detroit Tigers, may go to Fort Worth to fill the shoes of Horace Kibbie, Panther short fielder who broke a leg in Saturday's exhibition game, according to rumors flitting in the Tiger camp today.

MOSTIL QUITS HOSPITAL.

SHREVEPORT, La., March 28. (AP)—Johnny Mostil, Chicago White Sox outfielder, who attempted suicide here March 6, left the hospital today with the assertion that he expected to be able to return to the game about May 15.

Are Phillies Destined to Start and Finish in the Cellar?

Financially Ignored—They Gallop Merrily On

BRADENTOWN, Fla., March 28. For a ball club that is destined to start and finish in the same place—which in this instance happens to be the cellar position in the National league, the Phillies have been galloping through their spring training as if they had something else on their mind.

Here is an organization that is entitled to sympathy from all of its fraternity brothers. The playing section of the Phillies has been practically ignored by the financial end, yet the Phils, the players, travel merrily on.

Since the championship machine of 1915 lived its time the Phillies have been floundering around the deep sea of the cellar. Occasionally they have reached seventh place only to return to their familiar place of abode and judging by what is going on around the National league this spring the Phillies of 1927 will be at home to friends and enemies at the bottom next fall.

Nevertheless the Phillies are trying to impersonate a regular major league ball club. And "Stuffy" McInnis, who succeeds Art Fletcher in the managerial chair, is not doing much popping off, but he is confiding to those who appear interested in his welfare that a surprise or two will be in store for the opponents all of next summer.

McInnis guarantees more than the hustling stuff that was featured by Fletcher. He is optimistic enough to see a ball club that is better than its predecessors and those who are willing to ease up in their hammer throwing agree with "Stuffy."

The most important change going on so far is the appearance of Russell Wrightstone at first base. He's a fellow who has been able to sock in the .300 class, but without finding a regular place in which to reside. He has been tried out on the infield and outfield without success.

This spring, McInnis, a finished product at first basing, has been teaching the inside points of the trade to Wrightstone. If Russell memorizes the tricks half way he will be an improvement over the other first basemen for the simple reason he carries a solid smash when he is around the plate.

The Phillies also have improved at second base with Frankie Thompson, once with the Pirates, and in the International league last season with Buffalo in charge. Those who have followed the Phils for years and years say Thompson is the best second baseman they have had since Otto Knaube passed along to another profession.

Heinie Sand at short and Barney Friberg, moved over to third base, complete the infield.

The outfield may lack finesse on the defensive angle, but in Fred Leach, Johnny Mokan and Cyrus Williams, there are three pretty shifty boys with the willow. With Wrightstone added to the Quakers will have a punch from at least four of their batters.

Johnny Wilson, who shoved "Butch" Henline out of the first string catching job, is back to do the bulk of the work.

Now for pitching—which was terrible for the Phillies last season when the staff scattered exactly 900 runs to the opposition—far more than anybody else in either league.

The pitching may not be classified up to the pennant class but McInnis has a fair collection of hurlers. Of course Hal Carlson heads the list. Next comes Wayland Dean, while Alex Ferguson, who aided the Senators to their 1925 pennant and John Scott, formerly of the Giants, give the Phillies the best staff of regulars they have had in many moons.

Incidentally two phenoms are sprouting this spring with the Phils. They are Edward Taber, a six-footer who wears glasses and was a semi-pro last year, and Hubert Pruett, who made Babe Ruth break a dozen or more home run bats while striking out the the Babe as a member of the Browns three years ago.

Taber and Pruett are attracting more attention at the training camps than any pitchers of higher rank. Art Decatur has returned to the Quaker ranks, while Clarence Mitchell, Claude Willoughby, Frank Ulrich and Edward Baecht also are around.

The Phillies should not get out of the cellar, but they promise to fulfill McInnis' forecast of being an improvement over the 1927 edition.

TWO YEARS IN PEN FOR FRAUD

Former Church Official To Serve Two Years

FORT WORTH, March 28.(AP)—Charley E. Smith, former local agent of the Standard Savings and Loan association of Detroit, Mich., and the Farm and Home Savings and Loan association of Nevada, Mo., was given two years in the penitentiary by a jury here today on each of five charges of forgery following his plea of guilty. Sentence was deferred by Judge George E. Hosey.

Smith, 40, one time Sunday school superintendent of the Baptist church of Hillsboro, Texas, told the jury he had already repaid part of the $24,000 he admitted obtaining fraudulently and would repay the balance as soon as he had served a sentence in expiation of his crime.

As local agent of the loan companies, checks had been sent customers of the companies through him and he had forged endorsements and deposited these checks to his own account, Smith told the jury.

BEEF CANNING

Demonstration to be Conducted In Young County

OLNEY, March 28.—Miss Norfleet Grimes, county demonstration agent, will hold another beef canning demonstration in northern Young county the latter part of the week. This will be the fifth beef to be caned in this territory during the past few months. The farmers from the Bitter Creek school district have asked that Miss Grimes hold a demonstration in their community and arrangements have been made through the chamber of commerce for the demonstration to be held next week.

The entire beef is cooked and put up in cans so that fresh or cooked meat can be had at any time during the year. Every bit of meat is utilized in these demonstrations and the ordinary value of the beef is increased about three-fold by canning. Since the first demonstration held here at John Groves pace last fall considerable interest has been aroused and numerous calls have been made for demonstrations to be held. The actual date for this demonstration has not been set but will probably be on Thursday or Friday of next week. Miss Grimes will fix the date this Saturday and all those living in the Bitter Creek district will be notified the first of next week.

SITE FOR DAM

Engineers Complete Survey On Water Power Project

Special to The Record News.

SAN ANGELO, March 28.—A preliminary survey of a site for a dam on the Pecos river in Pecos county has been completed for the Kansas City Power and Light company, whose representative, A. B. Taylor, has made several trips to McCamey and the oil fields surrounding it. The site selected is near the Orient railroad bridge over the Pecos east of Girvin, but no definite plans have been announced by the company. It is understood that the construction of a power dam is contemplate, as is also a power plant of large capacity to supply oil field operations with electric power.

CAR WRECK BURNS

Two Injured in Acident at San Angelo

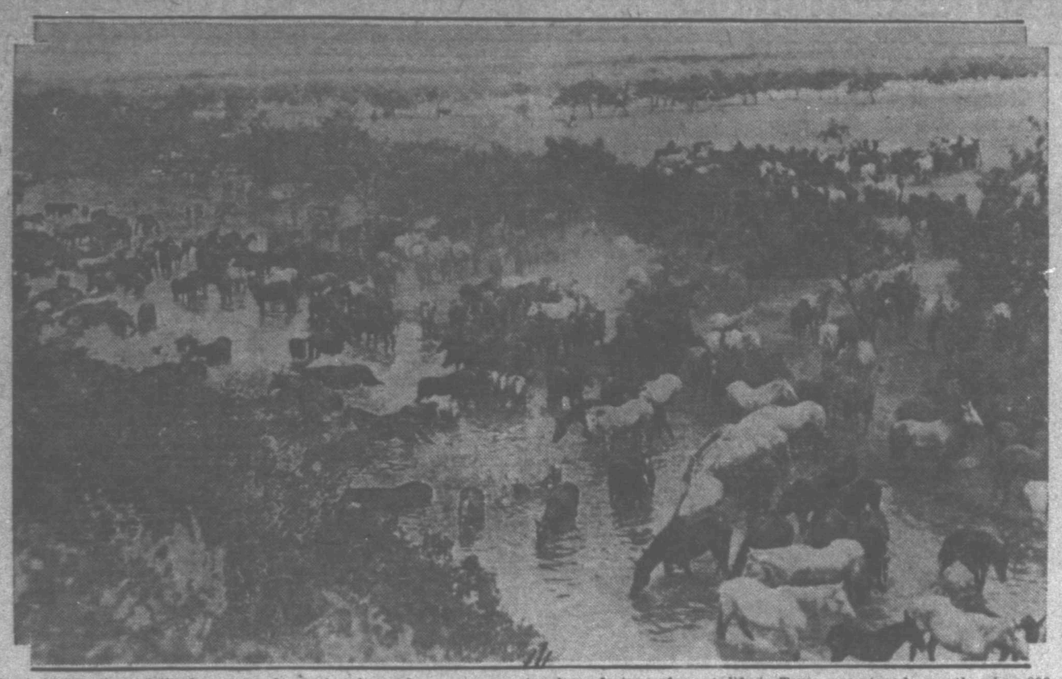
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SAN ANGELO, March 28.—No fatalities, it is thought, will result from the overturning of a closed car Saturday on the highway 16 miles east of San Angelo. J. F. McIntyre, local barber, sustained injuries about the head and shoulder and C. L. Rosson was bruised about the body, both being brought to a local hospital. Jewett Hardy, third passenger in the car, was hurt less seriously. The men were motoring from Waco to San Angelo. The accident happened within view of passengers and crew of a west bound Santa Fe passenger train, No. 75.

SUITS GOOD AS NEW

NEW YORK, March 29. (AP) Yes, prosperity is with us. An old clothes curb exchange on the east side has cut prices 25 per cent. Suits "as good as new" find no takers at little more than it would cost to have them pressed. Everybody is getting new duds, it is explained.

Colorful Spectacle of Old Days Enacted for Last Time



Probably the last of the horse round-ups that formerly were so spectacular a feature of ranch life in Texas was staged recently when 800 head of horses were driven into Old Mexico from the 7-D and OH Triangle ranches of the late J. D. Suggs, after his West Texas estate was divided among the heirs. The horses, sold at $7.50 each, went to Gen. Enrique Vega Gutieres, for use in plantation work near Torreon.

Britisher Shot At Paris By Countess In Love Affair Close Friend Of Prince

By Universal Service.

LONDON, March 28.—Raymond De Trafford, the young man who is reported to have been seriously wounded in Paris yesterday by the Countess De Janze, a beautiful American-born noblewoman, was one of the Prince of Wales' group of friends, it was learned today.

The prince recently despatched De Trafford to a birthday party to convey the Royal congratulations to a mutual friend.

When De Trafford returned to London from Kenya, Africa, six weeks ago, many parties were given in his honor by his cronies, who frequent the fashionable night clubs.

He rents a beautiful Mayfair apartment and is a member of Hald a dozen exclusive London clubs.

Aside from his reputation as a card player for high stakes at the various clubs and deauville, he is regarded as a fine shot and horseman and it was on the hunting field that the Prince of Wales made his acquaintance.

De Trafford went to the Kenya colony in Africa a year ago and took up farming. According to reports reaching his frienrs here, he prospered to such an extent that he recently purchased an estate of 20,000 acres. His declared intention was to spend nine months of the year in Kenya and the remaining three months in London and Paris.

His friends here are stunned by the news of the shooting affair in Paris, as his life was not believed to be complicated by any love tangle.

The De Trafford family is ancient, tracing its descendents from 1030. The present head of the family is Sir Humphrey De Trafford, who once owned a big estate in Manchester which he sold to a company for $1,900,000. He became a bankrupt in 1924, when, it was stated, he inherited an income of $250,000 a year, which owing to debts, ultimately shank to $7,500.

Sir Humphrey now lives at Eastbourne, where he is so ill that he has not yet been informed of the tragedy in which his son is a principal.

Olney To Get Modern Milk Station As Contract Is Let For Building

OLNEY, March 28.—According to announcements from E. S. Cunningham, local manager of the Butler dairy, work will commence next week on the erection of a new building for the milk and cream station to be installed here by J. C. Butler. A lot on Second street between Avenue C and Grand avenue has been purchased by Mr. Butler and plans for the building are being drawn at the present time. With the entry of this new business in Olney, the farmers in this district can be assured of a ready market for their milk products.

Recently a survey was made throughout the farming district and the number of producing milk cows was exceptionally low, but at the same time practically every farmer assured the committee making the survey that if a market could be provided they would increase their milking herd considerable. In fact, one man who at the present time is milking one cow stated that he would guarantee to bring in 25 to 30 gallons of fresh milk per day if a market could be provided. A decided increase in the market is expected following the assurance of this market.

POULTRY FARMER

Electra Man Establishes New Chicken Farm

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, March 28.—H. Rippy, owner of the Jefferson cafe, has recently established a new poultry farm at the location of his new modern home which is being built between "Punkinville" and the Country club four miles northeast of this city. The house, modern structure throughout, will be equipped with electric lights, water and gas, while the poultry farm, although not the largest in this section of the county will be thoroughly modern, and will be operated in connection with the cafe, supply eggs and chickens for the consumption of the trade.

MAY QUEEN ELECTED

CLARENDON, March 28—Miss Thelma Lowe, senior of Clarendon college, was elected May ... in an election held in the college Saturday. Miss Lowe is a popular resident of Clarendon and will preside at the annual May fete to be held under the auspices of the fine arts department of Clarendon college on May 1, 2 and 3.

ELECTRA VETS TO U. C. V. MEET

Aged Civil War Survivors To Go to Tampa

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, March 28.—The following Confederate veterans of Electra expect to leave Friday morning on the 10:52 train for Tampa, Fla., to attend the annual U. C. V. reunion. They are Col. Ed O. Wilson, W. H. Miller, W. H. Ballard, T. C. Dial, J. C. McCracken and John B. Garner and there will probably be several sons and daughters of this place who will attend.

The local merchants have made up the sum of $221.70 to send these veterans, to pay all the expenses to and from the convention.

An effort is being made to enroll all Confederate veterans of Wichita county in the "Gold Star Memorial Book" of the "Stone Mountain Memorial association."

This work is being done by the Wiliam R. Scurry camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans and the Wichita county chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Mrs. William P. Smith of Wichita Falls was a recent visitor in Electra in interest of the movement and C. R. Miller, vice president of the local national bank agreed to sponsor the enrolment of the eight Confederate veterans who reside in Electra. The names of the veterans who are enrolled will be carved in the stone of the "Stone Mountain."

The undertaking is one of the marvels of the age and it would be to the interest of all relatives of soldiers of the "lost cause" to see that all veterans were placed on the memorial tablet and these names will be published in "The Gold Star Book."

Nearly 2,000,000 American bathing caps were donned in foreign lands last year.

ENLARGE BUILDING

San Angelo Owner Lets Building Contract

Special to The Record News.

SAN ANGELO, March 28.—The addition of a second story to the C. A. Probandt building on West Beauregard avenue, that will give the Angelo Furniture company 32,000 square feet of floor space under one roof is provided under a contract just awarded to A. W. Belfanz and brother of Abilene. The addition and complete renovation of the store will cost $22,000. Work will start the first week in April and will be finished by Aug. 1. The furniture company, organized in 1907, has grown from capital of $30,000 to $75,000. T. C. Atwood is president.

WATER TEST WELL

CLARENDON, March 28—Work on the test water wells of the city of Clarendon is progressing to such a stage that a water development company will soon be called in to improve the water supply of the city. The wells are being put down in an effort to find a larger supply of water for the town. Water Commissioner A. L. Chase states that the new well encountered at a greater depth than the present supply.

Mounting luxury taxes in Belgium have caused many automobile owners to refuse to run their cars.

DEDICATION OF CHURCH HELD

Electra Presbyterians Conduct Ceremony Sunday

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, March 28.—The Presbyterian church of this city was filled to capacity Sunday morning when the services for the dedication of the church was held. The program was arranged for the occasion in splendid style and included special music numbers by Mrs. S. E. Cramer, Mrs. Arch Cameron of Wichita Falls, prayer by Rev. S. H. Holmes, Christian minister; and sermon on "The Altar First," by Rev. Nat F. Grafton of Wichita Falls. Rev. L. D. Grafton, local minister, burned the note on the church in very impressive manner, and the dedication service was read, with the congregation participating in the service.

The church was erected just one year ago and completed three weeks lafer at a cost of $6500 and is splendid frame structure.

Manufacturers from practically every nation were entered at the Milan Sample fair this year.

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Test Extends Range of Oils For Manufacturing Motor Lubricants

The possibilities of producing good lubricants from crude oils that today are not being refined for this purpose are promised by a series of tests conducted by the bureau of mines, department of commerce, at its San Francisco field office. The results of the experimental work indicated that, for use in automative equipment, lubricating oils need not be refined to as high degree as for use in turbines and similar machinery, and that considerable savings may therefore be made in present oil-refining processes.

This series of engine service tests of internal-combustion engine lubricating oils made from California crude petroleum was undertaken co-operatively by the bureau of mines and the American Petroleum institute. The purpose of the work was to conduct engine tests to determine the relative merits of western oils that do and do not pass the acidity and emulsion tests as set forth in the federal specifications for class C oils.

Four pairs of oils, each pair made by a different refiner from California crude petroleum, were tested in an engine of a type commonly used for a motor-bus service. The test was severe, the engine running continuously for 5 hours at high speed under nearly full load. No oil was added during the test period. Consequently if differences in the oils were of importance, they should have caused variation in the operation or in the mechanical condition of the engine or in the characteristics of the oils themselves after use.

One oil of each pair was non-emulsifying and had a low alkali-absorption number. The other oil of each pair emulsified readily and had a high alkali-absorption number. Each oil was analyzed both before and after use, and the results on engine conditions of the use of each oil were carefully studied. It was concluded that "differences indicated by alkali-absorption number (and emulsion, demulsibility, and oxidation numbers) are without significance with regard to engine service."

A lubricating oil for an internal-combustion engine can be considered as giving good service if it lubricates effectively, if with its use there is minimum danger of lubrication failure, and if its consumption is not excessive, states Martin J. Gavin, refinery engineer, U. S. bureau of mines, and Gustav Wade, dynamometer engineer, American Petroleum institute, in Technical Paper 387, just published by the bureau of mines.

All of the oils used in these tests seem to lubricate effectively. The oils of high alkali-absorption numbers seem to have lubricated as effectively as those of low alkali-absorption numbers. The test conditions were much more severe than the average conditions of practical service, yet no differences in lubricating efficiency were dectable.

Two distinct types of lubricating oil are made from petroleum, and they differ fully as much in their characteristics as do anthracite and bituminous coal, the report further points out. The terms "paraffin base" and "naphthene base" are often used to describe these oils. In brief, it can be said that a "paraffin-base" oil is mainly composed of hydrocarbons with relatively high boiling points, low specific gravities, and low viscosities. A "naphthene-base" oil is composed of hydrocarbons with relatively low boiling points, high specific gravities, and high viscosities.

MARLAND TAPS EXTENSION PAY

Hutchinson County Field Is Enlarged By Strike

AMARILLO, March 28.—The producing area of the Panhandle oil field was given an extension of approximately 12 miles early Saturday, when the Marland Oil company's No. 1 Carver, in the William Heath survey, north of the Canadian river, and in western Hutchinson county, found an oil pay at 3,250 feet.

The gas found from 3,200 to 3,215 feet, and approximating 10,200,000 feet, is causing the oil to spray, and reports from the well say that it is an attractive sight.

The formation changed from shale to a sandy lime at 3,250 feet, and just in it, the oil was found. The elevation there is 3,365 feet, showing that they can drill 115 feet more.

The drillers suspended work to notify the Panhandle district officials of the find. Saturday afternoon they resumed drilling, seeking a hard shell so the 6 1-4 inch casing can be lowered to it and seated, so a test can be made.

The Marland company has a block of around 5,000 acres, including the Heath lands in Hutchinson, and other lands to the west in Moore county.

News of The Fields

PANHANDLE, MATTHEWS.

The Panhandle Refining company has completed its No. 6 Matthews in the A. Rohus survey, northeast Young county, and after pumping five days the well is making 95 barrels daily from 42 feet of sand topped at 705 feet. No. 5 Matthews, located north of the new well, is pumping 45 barrels daily after being in about one month.

BARNSDALL-TRAHAN, PERKINS.

The Barnsdall Oil company and Paul Trahan are skidding 300 feet south for their No. 2 J. J. Perkins in block 26, league 3, Denton county school land of north Archer county. The No. 1 well which was drilled in the past week is being placed on the pump with an estimated daily output of 125 barrels.

HINES, GANDY.

Harry Hines is drilling at 2,835 feet in his No. 1 Gandy, a wildcat of the wildest sort, located southwest of Mount Vernon in Franklin county, Texas. Added importance was given this well with the completion by the Humble Oil and Refining company its No. 1 Elliott in Cherokee county, about sixty miles south of the Hines well. The Hines test is a try at the Woodbine sand from which the 10,000 barrel Humble gusher is producing.

SHAPPELL, K-KEMPNER.

The Shappell Oil company No. 1 Kemp and Kempner in block 51, Kemp's Wichita Valley land, Wichita county, is drilling at 1,980 feet in a lime. This test will probably go below 2,000 feet in search of a pay formation.

ARCO, PARKEY.

The Arco Oil company and W. C. Young have reached a depth of 17,510 feet in their No. 1 J. R. Parkey, located in S. P. R. R. survey, abstract 419, and four miles southwest of Holliday in Archer county.

FAIN-McGAHA, OTTO.

The Fain-McGhaha Oil company is skidding the rig 300 feet west to offset its No. 1 A. A. Otto which opened up a new pool four miles northwest of Muenster, Cooke county, by being completed as a 40-barrel well last week.

PETROLEUM, LOVE.

Petroleum Producers company is completing one well and has two others ready to be drilled in as soon as they have set a sufficient length of time. Petroleum and United Producers have set and cemented on the regular 1,890-foot sand in their No. 6 M. A. Love, southwest of Iowa Park in Wichita county. Petroleum Producers' No. 5-C Turbeville in block 142, R. Carson survey, Archer county, is also set on the sand. Petroleum Producers et al. were drilling in their No. 1 Wilson, block 111, A. T. N. C. L. survey of Archer county, Monday.

HINES, STATE.

Harry Hines has made location to drill his No. 5 River Bed (state land) in the Griffin pool of southwest Wichita county. The new test will be put down 300 feet west of No. 5 which is pumping 75 barrels daily.

NEAR PAMPA.

AMARILLO, March 28.—The Gulf Production company may extend the Pampa field to the northeast with its No. 1 Saunders, in the southeast of the southwest of section 40, block 3, of I & G. N. survey, that had a good showing of oil at 2955 feet. The elevation was 3085 feet.

IN DONLEY COUNTY

Special to The Record News.

CLARENDON, March 28.—Work on the A-T well ten miles north of Clarendon was resumed on the arrival of six and five-eights chasing. The new casing will be used to cut off the flow of water and to allow drilling further that the contract might be completed to production. A strong flow of gas is being held under control and will be used in a commercial way if a paying oil and is not encountered. A good showing of oil has been seen but operations have been shut down for a week while the hole was being reamed to take the new casing. Messrs. Adams and Thompson are optimistic over their outlook and have discontinued the sale of leases for the present.

SALES MEETING

A party of officials from the Dallas sales offices of the Magnolia Petroleum company will be in Wichita Falls Tuesday for a luncheon at the Kemp hotel which will be attended by salesmen and agents of Wichita Falls and vicinity, it was announced Monday. The meeting will be taken up with sales discussions and will be purely of a business nature.

GEOLOGISTS BACK

Wichita Falls geologists were back "in harness" again Monday following their trek to Tulsa last week to attend the annual convention of the National Association of Petroleum Geologists. It was a great convention, according to a majority of those who attended. The entertainment feature was the "Rock Hound's Revue" staged by Tulsa talent and femininity. This number was described by one local delegate as "damn raw and damn good."

ENLARGE PIPELINE

Special to The Record News.

AMARILLO, March 28.—The Humble Pipe Line company has started taking up its present four-inch pipe line from the Shamrock pool in Wheeler county to Lela, on the Rock Island. The loading rack at Lela will also be abandoned. In its place will be a new six inch pipe line from its station in Section 18, block 27, of H. & G. N. survey, Wheeler county to its new pump station in section 41, block 25, of Gray county.

READ THE WANT ADS

Young Railroad Man Accepts Offer Of $500,000 For Cherokee Tract

Excitement is rife in Southeast Texas over the discovery by the Humble Oil and Refining company of a great oil pool in Cherokee county, according to B. A. Smith of Houston who was in Wichita Falls on business Monday.

That landowners are realizing profits of which they could never have dreamed is attested by an incident related by Mr. Smith. A young railroad employe who was making $3.50 daily at his job owned a tract of land near the well and was offered $500,000 by a major concern. Dumfounded, the young man went to Houston and sought the advice of railroad officials there and was told to not allow grass to grow under his feet. He returned home with the avowed intention of accepting the offer, according to Mr. Smith.

Mr. Smith is a veteran operator in the Texas and Oklahoma fields and was for nine years active in the Wichita Falls area. After drilling a number of wells during the Northwest Burkburnett excitement and others in the first Archer county boom, Mr. Smith left this city in 1921.

He is now active in the field of Jim Hogg and Webb county, which he describes as one of the largest in the state. Like all other Houstonians Mr. Smith stated that the Bayou city is growing rapidly.

Cotton--Stocks--Latest Market Quotations--Grain--Cattle

Cotton

NEW YORK COTTON.

NEW YORK, March 28. (AP)—The cotton market showed continued steadiness today, but trading was very quiet and prices fluctuated within a range of 8 or 10 points. July contracts sold up from 14.28 to 14.35 and closed at 14.31, or net unchanged.

The general market closed steady, net 1 point lower to 2 points higher.

The opening was steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 3 points under a little southern selling and liquidation. Liverpool made a fairly steady showing, but favorable weather news from the south probably brought in some selling and liquodation. Comparatively small offerings were absorbed at about the opening prices with trade interests reported buyers of near months to fix prices, while there appeared to be some commission house or speculative demand for new crop positions, particularly October. This steadied the forenoon market and prices worked up from 14.07 to 14.13 for May and from 14.49 to 14.55 for October.

Offerings increased slightly at these figures and fluctuations later in the day were narrow, some irregular. Evening up of May contracts was in evidence at times, with traders exchanging May for July and October deliveries at about the recent differences between months. The opinion was expressed in some quarters that there was a considerable interest outstanding in May but the first May notice day is still nearly a month away, and the liquidation of near month commitments is no considered likely to become active for another week or two.

Private cables said continental buying had absorbed hedging and some Bombay selling in the Liverpool market but reported buyers of cotton cloths holding aloof in anticipation of lower prices.

Advices received in the trade here from Osaka said the Chinese situation had not influenced the cotton spinning industry in Japan, but that Chinese mills might suffer from possible labor disturbances.

Exports today 23,399 bales, making 8,616,952 so far this season. Port receipts today 40,709. U. S. port stocks 2,353,142.

NEW YORK COTTON TABLE.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous Close.
May	14.13	14.07	14.09-10	14.10
July	14.35	14.28	14.31-	14.31
Oct.	14.55	14.49	14.51-52	14.50
Dec.	14.72	14.65	14.68-69	14.66
Jan.	14.74	14.68	14.70-	14.69

Opening—May 14.10; July 14.28; October 14.49; December 14.66; January 14.68.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, March 28. (AP)—Trading on the cotton market today was mianly restricted to scalping for quick turns through the quiet session price levels turns and after fluctuating narrowly stood unchanged to four points higher at the close.

The opening was steady, first trades showing no change to one point down. Immediately after the call, lack of rain over the week-end eased prices down to 14.11 for May and 14.28 for July, one to two points under the previous close.

A mid-session rally based on reports of rains in several sections of Oklahoma regained the loss and carried prices to 14.17 for May, 14.34 for July and 14.44 for October, six points above the lows and four to six points above Saturday's close.

Prices eased off later two to four points but a rally in the closing hour carried May to a new high for the day at 14.18, seven points above the lows. Prices again edged down ward in the final trading but the close was steady a little above the lows.

Exports totaled 24,206 bales.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON TABLE.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous Close.
May	14.18	14.11	14.13-14	14.12
July	14.34	14.28	14.31-32	14.29
Oct.	14.44	14.38	14.42-	14.38
Dec.	14.53	14.50	14.52-	14.49
Jan.	14.55	14.55	14.55-	14.51

Opening—May 14.12; July 14.29; October 14.38; December 14.48 bid; January 14.53 ask.

COTTONSEED OIL.

NEW YORK, March 28. (AP)—The cottonseed oil market was weak today, especially in early dealings, when the March position broke 50 points under liquidation, following tenders of 500 barrels. Other months declined 14 to 23 points in sympathy and under selling by commission houses and cotton interests as well as on the easiness in lard. Toward the close there was a partial recovery on covering, but the close was barely steady to 14 to 35 points net decline. Sales 27,600 barrels. Prime crude 7.50; prime summer yellow spot 8.70; March 8.90; May 9.11; July 9.32; September 9.42; October 9.35.

HOUSTON SPOT COTTON.

HOUSTON, March 28. (AP)—Spot cotton steady, unchanged; middling 14.10; sale 1,162 bales.

GALVESTON SPOT COTTON.

GALVESTON, March 28. (AP)—Spot cotton steady, unchanged; middling 14.15; sale 851 bales.

DALLAS SPOT COTTON.

DALLAS, March 28. (AP)—Spot cotton steady, unchanged; middling 13.20; sale 2,621 bales.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

LIVERPOOL, March 28. (AP)—Spot cotton quiet; prices unchanged. American strict good middling 8.71; good middling 8.36; strict middling 8.01; middling 7.16; strict low middling 7.26; low middling 6.81; strict good ordinary 6.51; good ordinary 6.06. Sales 6,000 bales, including 5,000 American; receipts 15,000 bales, including 11,200 American.

Futures closed quiet: March 7.41; May 7.51; July 7.65; October 7.75; December 7.80; January 7.82.

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS.

NEW ORLEANS, March 28. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, unchanged. Sales 1,447; low middling 12.22; middling 14.12; good middling 15.07; receipts 15,681; stock 660,447.

CHICAGO FUTURES

CHICAGO, March 28. (AP)—Cotton futures closed May 14.17; July 14.31; October 14.44.

DAILY COTTON TABLE.

Port movement—	Mid.	Repts.	Exp.	Sales.
New Orleans	14.12	15,681	.....	1,447
Galveston	14.15	6,623	.....	851
Mobile	13.80	411	.....	364
Savannah	13.95	2,673	12,559	64
Wilmington	....	15	.....	....
Norfolk	13.88	1,117	.....	170
New York	14.40	49	416	500
Boston	....	162	807	....
Houston (Pt)	14.10	8,865	8,185	1,112
Minor ports	....	1,224	1,224	....
Total today	....	29,980	24,200	4,208
Total week	....	61,424	57,822	....
Total season	....	11,470,929	8,449,015	....
Interior movement—				
Memphis	13.50	5,178	6,272	2,000
Augusta	13.75	750	553	122
St. Louis	....	2,025	2,044	....
Ft. Worth	13.20	.....	.....	....
Little Rock	13.40	28	.....	690
Atlanta	13.55	.....	.....	1,000
Dallas	13.20	.....	.....	2,621
Montgomery	13.15	.....	.....	50
Total today	....	7,983	8,869	6,483

COTTON GOODS.

NEW YORK, March 28. (AP)—Cotton goods were quiet and barely steady in the gray cloth divisions today. Finished goods orders were numerous in small lots. Some lines of fine worsted dress goods have been advanced. Burlaps were higher in Calcutta and locally with trading light. Raw silk was irregular.

SCHOOL PRESENTS PLAY

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, March 28.—The play, "Deacon Dubbs," was presented by the Lodge high school Friday night in the high school auditorium, and according to Mrs. L. C. McCoory, one of the teachers, the attendance was good, the net proceeds being more than $40, which will be used for the benefit of the school.

DEATH MESSAGE

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, March 28.—J. E. Alston received a message Saturday morning announcing the death of his father at Longview, and left Saturday night for that place to attend the funeral. Mr. Alston is employed with the Greene dry goods store here.

MARKET GOSSIP

J. H. Baldwin and Co., brokers, basement Bob Waggoner building, today received the following from New York, New Orleans and Chicago connections:

Wheat—Opened somewhat higher on the unexpected advance in Liverpool, which was due to world's shipments showing a sharp falling off as compared to last week. At the higher prices commission houses were free sellers and market continued to show an easier undertone throughout the entire session, with closing prices only slightly above the low point of the day. The May futures showed relatively more strength than the new crop, due in part to some bidding here and was said to be against sales in Winnipeg, but principally on account of the continued favorable crop reports on the new crop from the west and southwest along with very good weather conditions. Rising temperatures and some unsettled weather is predicted for the next day or two. Demand for cash wheat shows some improvement and is reflected in firmer premiums at the gulf for hard winters and at the seaboard for soft wheat, while at interior points mills continue to absorb the choice qualities at a firm basis. Export sales today in all positions were estimated at 400,000 to 500,000, but largely of Manitobas. Visible showed a decrease of 1,524,000, which was about as expected. Locally, demand does not improve very much except for the choice hard wheat, as medium and low grades are still slow here. Even with the firmer basis elsewhere, our market is still out of line, and as a result very little shipping demand is in evidence. A continued advancing tendency in premiums at the seaboard might readily bring about improved situation, but until a more urgent demand is actually in evidence and while new crop conditions remain satisfactory, we are inclined to feel that sales on firm spots are advisable.

Corn—Market opened slightly higher, but immediately declined on scattered selling, some of which was for locals, only to firm up again after the visible supply statement was given out showing a decrease of 507,000 bushels, quite a little short covering was again in evidence and cash interests were buying May and selling July in a moderate way. Country offerings continues light. Shipping demand here shows no improvement. Stocks at Chicago last week only decrease 35,000. Market has had a good decline and any better shipping demand would likely bring about better prices.

Oats—Market followed the action of other grains, particularly corn. Visible decreased 1,356,000 and further decreases are looked for as soon as navigation opens. There is a good demand on for oats.

Rye—Showed considerable shortly after opening, buying credited to cash interests, presumably against recent sales for export, but offerings increased on the upturn, and later on the decline in wheat, turned easy. Visible decreased 301,000 bushels.

Cotton—The eastern situation attracts more attention. While business has not suffered seriously so far, if we are to credit reports from China, it is obvious that a prolonged civil war will not help the textile trade. Weather news indicates seasonable conditions in the south, and the new crop is going into the ground with increased speed. A few days of bright warm weather are needed to offset the delay which arose from cold and excessive rain. The market displays a steady tone, and buyers and sellers appear content with prevailing quotations since a fair volume of business is being transacted.

Stocks—Mixed trend again today, tidy, rails and high priced stocks showing considerable strength. Steel stocks were more active and appear headed for higher prices along with rails. General Motors made a new high, we continue to favor buying side of high grade stocks, but only on reasonable set backs. Reiter Foster, sales 109 at 8.

Grain

TEXAS CASH GRAIN.

FORT WORTH, March 28. (AP)—Wheat did the unexpected Monday when it closed about a cent below the opening quotations. Operators expected it to show a gain during the day when the market opened.

Corn and oats were also up and down a fraction throughout the day. They closed at about opening quotations.

Wheat No. 1 dark hard milling $1.44 @1.45; No. 1 ordinary hard milling $1.43@1.44; No. 1 red milling $1.42@1.44; No. 1, 13 per cent red milling $1.40@1.42.

Corn No. 2 white corn 79@81c; No. 2 yellow 92@94c; No. 2 mixed 75@77c.

Oats No. 2 red 43½@44½c; No. 3 red 41½c.

Snapped corn 65@70c; No. 2 barley 74@76c; No. 2 milo $1.12@1.16; No. 3 milo $1.08@1.12; No. 2 kaffir $1.08@1.12; No. 3 kaffir $1.06@1.09; maize heads $17@19; kafir heads $16@17.

CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW.

CHICAGO, March 28. (AP)—Bright prospects for the new domestic crop brought about liberal selling of future deliveries of wheat today and consequent lower prices. Export demand was disappointing. Wheat closed heavy 1⅜ to 2c net lower, corn unchanged to ¼c off, oats ⅛ to ⅝c down and provisions showing 10 to 30c decline.

Investment buying of corn developed after word came that the corn visible supply had decreased. Earlier the corn market was depressed by absence of any improvement of shipping demand here. Oats followed corn.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE.

	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—			
May	1.35¼	1.33⅝	1.33⅝
July	1.30¼	1.27⅞	1.28⅛
Sept.	1.28	1.26⅛	1.26⅝
Corn—			
May	.72⅛	.71¼	.71¼
July	.76⅝	.76	.76⅝
Sept.	.80⅛	.79⅛	.80
Oats—			
May	.47⅝	.45	.45⅝
Sept.	.43⅝	.42⅝	.43
Rye—			
May	1.02	.99⅝	1.00¼
July	1.00¼	.97⅜	.98⅛
Sept.	.96⅛	.94⅝	.95⅛
Lard—			
May	12.40	12.30	12.36
July	12.60	12.52	12.60
Ribs—			
May	14.62	14.60	14.62
July	.....	.....	14.20
Bellies—			
May	16.65	16.60	16.60
July	.....	.....	16.20

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

CHICAGO, March 28. (AP)—Wheat: No. 2 red $1.33½; No. 2 hard $1.35¾.

Corn: No. 4 mixed 63½@64½c; No. 4 yellow 63@65c.

Oats: No. 2 white 48c; No. 3 white 41@44½c.

KANSAS CASH GRAIN.

KANSAS CITY, March 28. (AP)—Wheat: No. 2 hard $1.27@1.54; No. 2 red $1.25½@1.26½; May, old $1.26⅝; May, new $1.26; July $1.21⅝.

Corn: No. 2 white 70@71½c; No. 2 yellow 72@75½c; No. 2 mixed 69@72c; May 71⅝c; July 74⅝c; Sept. 78c.

CURB MARKET PRICES.

By Universal Service.

NEW YORK, March 28.—High, low and close of stocks active on the Curb Market today:

Am Pow Lt pfd	101	100¾	100¾
Am Roll M	50⅛	49⅛	50
Celotex	75½	75	75½
Common Pw rts	50	49	49
Durant Mot	14⅞	12⅞	14⅞
Elec B and Sh pf	106⅝	106¼	106⅜
El P Lt 2n pfd	93	92⅝	93
Gen Fire	79	71½	75⅜
Metro 5 10 Ct pfd	24	23⅝	23⅝
Palmolive	69	66⅝	69
Un L Pow A pfd	91½	91	91½
U S Dis new	14⅝	14⅝	14½
Standard Oils.			
Buckeye P L	60⅞	60	60
Continen Oil	19⅞	19⅝	19⅞
Cumber Pipe	93	93	93
Galena Sig pfd old	50	50	50
Hum Oil Ref	59⅞	58⅞	59⅞
Illinois P L	137	137	137
Imperial O Can	45½	43¼	45¼
Inter Pet	32¼	31	32¼
National T	14½	14½	14½
Ohio Oil	58⅞	58¼	58⅝
Prairie O Gas	49½	49	49
Prairie P L	148½	147¼	148¼
Solar Refin	185	185	185
So Penna Oil	36⅝	36¼	36⅝
So Pipe Line	19½	19	19½
S O of Indiana	67⅝	67⅝	67⅝
S O Kan	18⅞	18	18⅞
S O Ken	114⅝	114¼	114¼
S O Neb	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝
S O Ohio pfd	119	119	119
Vacuum Oil	109½	106	107⅞
Miscellaneous Oils.			
Am Maracaibo	6¼	5⅝	5⅞
Cities Serv new	51⅝	51⅝	51⅝
Creole Synd	14⅝	13⅝	13⅝
Tidewater As Oil	19½	18½	19
Transcon pfd	72	71½	71½

Livestock

TEXAS LIVESTOCK.

FORT WORTH, March 28. (AP)—The cattle end of the live stock trade Monday functioned on a steady basis and active. Hogs quarter lower; calves alone among cattle sold lower; sheep fully steady.

Beef steers moved out at once as soon as shown; heavy cake fed cattle $8.75; moderately fed steers $8.50 and meal fed steers $7@7.50.

She stock cleared at steady figures, good beef cows $5.75@6.50; butchers $4.50@5.25; cutters $3.85@4 and canners $3.25@3.65.

Heifers made the scales at $9 for choice and yearlings in the $7 spread, steady.

Calves developed slowness that turned at lower rates, about a quarter being taken off. Calves $7.75 and medium weights $6@7.

Bulls steady $5.85.

The hog trade was still undetermined at one o'clock. Western markets quarter to fifty cents lower and matters here at a standstill. Stocker pigs $10.50.

Sheep steady at $8.75 for fresh shorn wethers and $12.50 for shorn lambs. Genuine lambs $13@14.

Cattle—Receipts 4,500 including 900 calves; market steady; beeves $6.50@9; stockers $5@6.50; fat cows $4.25@7; cutters $3.50@4; canners $3@4; bulls $3.50@5.85; calves $5@10.

Hogs—Receipts 2,500; market quarter lower; lights $11.50@11.65; medium $11.40@11.50; heavies $11.30@11.40; mixed $11@11.20; common $10@12.25; pigs $10.50.

Sheep—Receipts 1,800; market steady; easter lambs $14@15; genuine lambs $11.50@12; shorn lambs and yearlings $10@12; shorn feeder lambs and yearlings $9.50@11.75; shorn wethers $7.50@8; shorn ewes $6@7; culls $1@3; stockers $5@6; goats $1.75@5.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO, March 28. (AP)—Hogs—Receipts 65,000; market uneven; heavy hogs $10.50@11.10; medium $10.65@11.75; light $11.15@12; packing sows $9.65@10.25; slaughter pigs $11.25@12.

Cattle — Receipts 20,000; market steady; fed steers and yearlings $9.50@12; best yearlings $12; stockers and feeders $8@9; light vealers $9@10.

Sheep—Receipts 1,300; market active; wool lambs $15.75@16.25; choice clipped ewes upward to $9.

KANSAS LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, March 28. (AP)—Hogs—Receipts 17,000; market slow; top $11.75; packing sows $9@9.75.

Cattle—Receipts 14,000; calves 1,800; market steady; good heavy steers $11; bulk grain fed $9@10.50; plain Oklahoma $7.75; veal top $10.

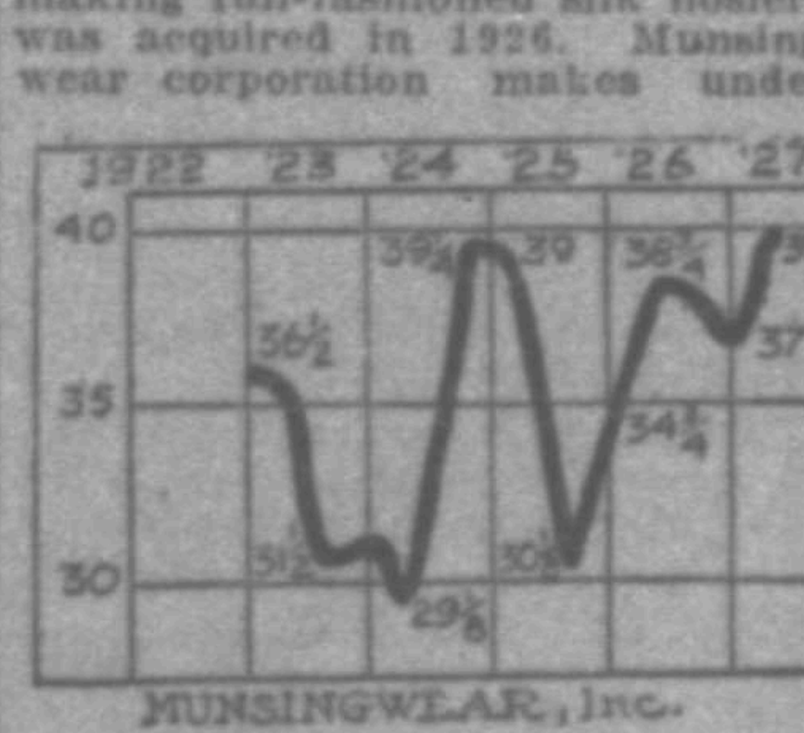
Sheep—Receipts 5,000; market higher; fed lambs $15.25@15.50; spring lambs $16.50@17.



MUNSINGWEAR, Inc.

5-Year Record.

Munsingwear, Incorporated, is a holding company, organized in Delaware in 1923 to acquire the control of the Munsingwear corporation of Minneapolis and the Wayne Knitting mills of Fort Wayne, Ind. Control of Thieme Brothers company of Fort Wayne, making full-fashioned silk hosiery, was acquired in 1926. Munsingwear corporation makes under-



MUNSINGWEAR, Inc.

wear of knitted or woven fabrics for men, women and children in cotton, wool, silk and combinations of these raw materials. The Wayne Knitting mills makes hosiery from similar materials.

The company has no funded debt and capital stock consists of 200,000 shares of no par common. An initial dividend of 75 cents a share was paid Sept. 1, 1923 and dividends have been continued at the rate of 75 cents a quarter since then. Combined sales of the subsidiaries for the year ending Nov. 30, 1926 were $17,962,601 compared to $15,775,600 in 1925. Net income amounted to $1,327,005 or $6.65 a share.

As of Nov. 30, 1926, current assets amounted to $11,866,890, current liabilities to $3,651,413 and net working capital to $8,215,477. While the holding company has no preferred stock, there is outstanding $2,000,000 in the 7 per cent preferred of the Munsingwear corporation and $1,000,000 in the 6 per cent preferred of the Wayne Knitting mills. On Nov. 30, 1926, book value of the common stock was placed at $11,235,557 or $56.18 a share.

Vegetables

TEXAS VEGETABLES.

SAN ANTONIO, March 28. (AP)—The surprising volume of spinach shipments was a feature of the week-end movement of vegetables from Texas points. Rollings were 35 cars on Saturday and two on Sunday and there was a pick up for Friday of thirty cars. It had been thought the deal was rapidly drawing to a close. Other Texas movements of the two day period were as follows: Saturday, cabbage 101 cars; string beans, five; potatoes, 22; strawberries, two; sweet potatoes, mixed vegetables, 85; onions, 17. Sunday, onions, 14; mixed vegetables, 52; strawberries, three; potatoes, three; sweet potatoes, two; cabbage, 21.

Not enough shipping point trading in spinach was reported to establish a market but an occasional roller brought as high as 84@90c but that was exceptional. Cabbage was steady at $1.80@2.00. String beans unchanged at $2.75@3 bushel, potatoes weaker at $4.50 cwt.; beats unchanged $1@1.10; carrots $1.25.

POTATO SHIPMENTS.

FORT WORTH, March 28. (Texas Market News Service.)—Potato shipments in the United States Saturday totaled 799 cars. Colorado 78, Florida 42, Idaho 95, Texas 22, Washington 26. Sunday totaled 11 cars. Colorado four, Florida three, Texas three. Arrived at Fort Worth today 8 cars, on track nine cars. No car lot sales. Carloads delivered Texas common points asking on Idaho sacked rurals U. S. No. 1s, $2.95@3.05.

OLD-TIME BOX SUPPER

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, March 28.—Approximately 150 visitors from Vernon, Iowa Park, Electra, Dundee, K. M. A., Jacksboro and the community near the diversion dam, 25 miles south of Electra, were present at the most delightful affair of the week, when an old-time box supper was held at the new Eagle Bend school, south of the city, last Friday evening.

AN ELDERLY FAMILY

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., March 29. (AP)—There is a family party here. Two sisters whose ages total 186 years and whose descendants number 190 are visiting relatives. Mrs. Emil L. Esperance is 92 and Mrs. Rosilla Trudell, 94. Each had 15 children.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE.

NEW YORK—Stocks, strong; representative shares touch new peak figures.

Bonds, firm; high grade lines active.

Foreign exchanges, mixed; Spanish pesetas cross 18 cents to new high.

Cotton, barely steady; trade buying.

Sugar, steady; commission house selling.

Coffee, firm; importers buying.

CHICAGO — Wheat, easier; fine western weather.

Corn, barely steady; moderate country selling.

Cattle, steady.

Hogs, easy.

Financial

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, March 28. (AP)—Foreign exchanges, mixed; quotations in cents:

Great Britain, demand $4.85 5-16; cables $4.85¾; 60-day bills on banks 4.81⅝. France, demand 3.91¾; cables 3.91¾. Italy, demand 4.58; cables 4.58½. Demand: Belgium 13.89½; Germany 23.70½; Holland 39.98; Norway 26.06; Sweden 26.77; Denmark 26.65¼; Switzerland 19.23¼; Spain 18.03½; Greece 1.29; Poland 11.40; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96; Jugo-Slavia 1.76; Austria 14.12½; Rumania .68; Argentina 42.27½; Brazil 11.87½; Tokyo 49.18⅝; Shanghai 61.25; Montreal 100.12½.

NEW YORK BONDS.

Foreign.

Argentine 6s, 1959 Oct.	99½
Austrian gtd 7s, 1943	104
Belgian 7s, 1955	104⅝
British 5½s, 1937	104⅝
Czechoslovak 7½s, 1945	105⅜
French 7s, 1949	103⅛
German 7s, 1949	107½
Italian 7s, 1951	96
Japanese 6½s, 1954	101⅛
Norwegian 5½s, 1965	100⅜
Polish 8s, 1950	97⅜
Rhinelbe Un. 7s, 1946	100⅜
Seine 7s, 1942	101⅞
Domestic.	
Am. Agr. Chem. 7½s	103⅝
Am. Smelting 5s	102½
Am. Sugar 6s	105½
Am. Tel. and Tel. db. 5s 1960	102¼
Anaconda Cop. 6s, 1953	104⅝
At. T. and San. Fe gen. 4s	95⅛
Baltimore and Ohio cvt. 4½s	99
Bethlehem Steel con. 5½s	99⅝
Bklyn and Man Trans s f 6s	99⅛
Central Leather 6s	102
Chesapeake and Ohio cvt 4½s	99⅝
Chic and East Illinois 5s	82½
Chic Great Western 4s	71½
Chic R I P rfg 4s	94⅝
Chic and West Ind 5½s	105
Consumers Power 5s	101⅝
Denver and Rio Grande con 4s	92⅛
Dodge Bros deb 6s	91½
Erie cvt 4s D	93⅛
Florida E Coast Ry 5s 1974	97
General Pet 5s 1940	100⅛
Goodyear Tire 8s 1931	110½
Great Northern 5s A	114
Hudson and Man adj inc 5s	88⅝
Int Rap Trans ref 5s	76½
Int and Gt Northern 1st 6s A	107
Inter Merc Marine s f 6s	101½
Inter Tel and Tel cvt 5½s 1945	109½
Kansas City Southern 5s	99⅝
Midvale Steel cvt 5s	99
Mo K and T new adj 5 A	102⅛
Mo Pacific gen 4s	77
New Orl Tex and M 5½s	105⅜
N Y C and H rfg and imp. 5s	107
N Y C and St L 5½s A 1975	106¼
Norfolk and Western con 4s	96
Northern Pacific 6s B	114⅝
Pan Am Pet and Tr 6s	104⅝
Penn R R 5s 1964	103⅝
Public Serv of N J 6s	104½
St L and S Fran inc 6s	98
Seaboard Air Line con 6s	88⅝
Sinclair Con Oil 6s 1927	110⅝
Southern Pacific rfg 4s	98
Southern Railway gen 6½s	122
Southern Railway gen 4s	87⅝
Southwest Bell Tel 5s	103½
Union Pacific 1st 4s	97⅛
U S Rubber 5s	96⅝
U S Steel s f 5s	107
Virginian Railway 5s	105½
Western Electric 5s	102⅜
Wilson and Co 1st 6s	101¼

LIBERTY BONDS.

NEW YORK, March 28. (AP)—United States bonds:

Liberty 3½s 100.30; first 4¼s 102.8; second 4¼s 100.12; third 4¼s 101.2; fourth 4¼s 103.27; treasury 3¾s 105.16; 4s 103.4; 4¾s 113.20.

CALL MONEY.

NEW YORK, March 28. (AP)—Call money, firm; high 4½; low 4; ruling rate 4; closing bid 4½. Time loans, steady; 60-90 days 4⅛@4¼; 4-6 months 4⅛@4¼; prime mercantile paper 4@4¼.

RECEIPTS AT ALL UNITED STATES.

Ports.

	This Day.	This Season.	Last Season.
Galveston	7,208	3,494,122	3,512,643
New Orl.	15,681	2,191,935	2,062,080
Mobile	411	247,280	206,233
Savannah	2,673	978,588	898,276
Charleston	1,361	487,491	278,164
Wilmington	15	116,652	112,119
Norfolk	1,117	280,421	420,706
Baltimore	....	61,167	24,453
New York	....	29,563	47,462
Boston	162	24,927	27,612
Philadelphia	....	4,689	9,683
Texas City	....	160,535	18,147
Port Houston	8,865	3,357,386	2,490,929
Pensacola	....	12,911	14,260
Pacific Ports	1,224	239,377	167,921
Other Ports	....	684	14,042
Total	38,021	11,427,565	9,526,305
Last year	22,750	9,396,309	
Galveston Daily Statement.			
Gross Recpts	7,208	3,494,122	3,296,885
Foreign	....	2,460,116	1,727,496
Coastwise	....	624,953	650,387
Total exports	....	3,085,069	2,377,883

Galveston Stock Statement.

On shipboard, not cleared:

	Today.	Last Year. This Day
For Great Britain	15,800	6,800
For France	6,400	3,500
For other foreign ports	45,400	21,700
For coastwise ports	7,000	2,000
In compress and depots	464,379	469,574
Total stock	538,979	503,574

LOCAL MARKETS

The following prices are those quoted by the Wichita Falls wholesalers to retailers to retailers in the city Wednesday:

White potatoes	3½c
Lettuce	3½c
Colorado celery, dozen bunches	$1.25
Oregon celery, dozen bunches	$1.75-2.00
Cabbage	2½ and 3c
Onions, California white	3½@4c
Onions, Utah yellow	2¼c
Onions, per dozen bunches	75c
Carrots, bulk	8c
Beets, bulk	8c
Bell peppers	15c
Hot peppers	20c
Turnips, dozen bunches	90c
Turnips, per pound	5c
English peas	15c
Corn, fresh, dozen	35c
Tomatoes lug	$3.75
Okra	8c
Beans, green	15c
Radishes, per dozen bunches	75c
Mustard, per dozen bunches	75c
Yams, new crop	2½c
Cauliflower	15c
Parsnips	6c
Rutabagas	4½@5c
Spinach	10c
Santa Claus melon	8c
Casaba melon	8c
Honey Dew melon	8c
Fruits.	
Bananas	7c
Oranges	$4.50-$5.50
Lemons, per box	$4.50
Red Emperor Grapes, lug	$3.50
Concord grapes, basket	35c
Apples, Jonathan, per box	$2.50@3.00
Apples, Delicious, per box	$3.50@3.75
Pears, Bartletts, box	$3.75
Cocoanuts, sack	$7.00
Cranberries, per half barrel	$5.50
Grapefruit, box	$5.50
Milk and Cream.	
Butter	47c
Cream, per lb. butter fat	37c
Milk, per lb. butter fat	65c

Poultry and Eggs.

The following prices are being paid by wholesale poultry houses in Wichita Falls for poultry:

Heavy hens	20c
Light hens	15c
Boilers, 2 lbs. and under,	25c
Broilers, 2-3½ lbs.	15c
Old roosters	7c
Ducks	15c
Geese	15c
Turkeys, No. 1	27c
Turkeys, No. 2	14c

Paris' latest hair-dressing fad is the low side-parting, with a short lock waved and flattened down over the eye opposite the part.

N. Y. Stocks

NEW YORK STOCKS.

NEW YORK, March 28. (AP)—Buoyancy of the high priced industrials and rails, several of which established record high prices, featured the resumption of the upward movement in today's stock market. U. S. Steel common, American Telephone, General Motors, Delaware and Hudson, Baltimore and Ohio and Norfolk and Western were among the favorites to reach new high ground. Net gains, which ran from one to 10 points were interspersed with a few losses of one to three points. Total sales again fell short of the 2,000,000 mark.

The market appeared to find its chief inspiration from Secretary Mellon's optimistic forecast of business and credit conditions on the eve of his departure for Europe last Saturday. The rally which started soon after the opening, was temporarily checked in the noon hour when the call money rate was marked up from four to 4½ per cent and an outbreak of selling developed in the oil shares, but operators for the rise quickly regained control and final prices generally were around the highest of the day.

The weekly federal reserve report on brokers' loans issued after the close of the market showed a drop of $28,582,000 in the week ended last Wednesday.

U. S. Steel common touched 165⅝, the highest prices ever recorded. Strength of the steel shares was based on reports of a further expansion in mill operations by independents.

General Motors moved up over three points to 182⅝, a new peak for the present stock in further reflection of Vice President Raskob's recent prediction that first quarter earnings and possibly those for the first half of 1927 would set a new high record. DuPont which has large General Motors holdings, jumped over seven points to a new top at 216⅝.

Expectations of a stock split-up were behind the further accumulation of commercial solvents "B" which soared nearly 10 points to a new maximum at 294. National Biscuit moved up 2¼ points to 113, also a record, on rumors of an increase in dividends. Reports that the company was to absorb Fleischmann company, which crossed 53 to a new high were denied.

Steady accumulation of Delaware and Hudson, which jumped 10 points to 195½, the highest figure reached since 1909 when the stock sold at 200 was based on belief that the road would follow the action of Lackawanna in segregating its treasury assets. A strong demand also developed for Atchison, Chesapeake and Ohio, Texas and Pacific, Union Pacific and Norfolk and Western, all of which closed two to nearly six points higher on the day.

Marking up of the call money rate followed the withdrawal of above $25,000,000 by out of town banks, presumably in anticipation of month-end demands. Time money and commercial rates were unchanged.

Foreign exchanges held relatively steady with demand sterling quoted around $4.85 5-16 and French francs above 3.91 cents.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Al Ch and D	54	146⅝	139¼	139⅝
Amer Can	67	47¼	46½	46½
Am Loco	5	111¼	110½	110¼
Am Sm and Ref	103	146⅞	145⅝	146⅝
Amer Sug	6	82⅝	82¼	82⅝
Am Sum Tob	50	51½	49½	51½
Am Tel Tel	74	169	167⅝	168
Am W W El	6	77⅝	77	77⅝
Am Tob B	6	125⅝	125	125⅝
Am Woolen	7	21⅛	20⅝	21
Anacon Cop	11	47	46⅝	47
Atch T S Fe	206	178½	177⅛	178¼
Atl Cst Line	4	185¼	185⅛	185⅛
Baldwin Loco	154	184	183	183⅝
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Balti and O	137	115⅝	114½	115¼
Beth Steel	333	52⅝	51⅛	52⅝
Califor Pet	12	28¼	27⅞	27⅞
Cent Leath pf	9	68	67	68
Chesa and O	144	165¼	162⅝	165
Ch M St P pfd	3	21¼	21	21¼
Ch and North	25	82¼	81⅝	82¼
Ch R I and P	135	88	85⅝	88
Chrysler Motor	125	41⅝	40¼	41
Coca Cola	7	191⅛	190⅝	191⅛
Com Solv B	67	294	285	294
Consolid Gas	2	98½	97⅝	97⅝
Corn Prod	122	54⅝	53⅝	54
Dodge Bros	282	21⅝	20	20¼
Dun de Nem	260	216⅝	210	216⅝
Elec P and L	25	20	19½	19⅝
Elec Refrig	240	29	26¼	27⅛
Erie Rail	84	46¼	44½	46⅝
Pam P-L	42	109⅝	103⅝	109
Fisk Rub	60	18⅝	18⅛	18⅛
Freeport T Co	64	56⅝	55⅝	55⅝
Gen Asphalt	140	85	81½	82⅞
Gen Electric	36	86⅛	84⅝	85½
Ger Motors	1689	182⅝	179⅝	182¼
Great N pfd	8	86⅝	86	86⅝
Gulf Sta Stl	2	60½	60	60½
Hudson Motors	680	70¼	68⅝	69⅝
Ind O Gas	23	24⅝	22⅞	22⅞
Int Harvest	6	155⅛	155	155⅛
Int M Mar pfd	12	41	40	40
Int Nickel	14	40½	39¾	40
Kenne Cop	17	62⅞	62⅝	62⅝
Louis and N	5	135	134⅛	134½
Mack Truck	44	105⅝	104¼	104⅝
Marland Oil	64	50⅝	49⅝	50
Mid Con Pet	58	24¼	24	24
Mo K T	54	39½	38¼	39½
Mo Pac pfd	66	102	100⅛	101⅝
Mont Ward	5	66¼	65⅛	65⅛
National Bis	101	113	110⅝	113
N Y Cent	201	145	144⅛	145
N Y N H H	425	51⅝	49	50⅝
Norfolk Weset	327	179	174	178⅝
N Amer Co	44	48⅝	47⅛	47⅝
North Pac	22	86½	85⅝	86⅝
Pan Am P B	85	64⅝	63⅛	64½
Pennsyl	33	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝
Phillips Pet	145	50⅛	50⅛	50⅛
Pierce Arrow	15	21⅝	20½	21
Radio Corp	205	49⅝	47⅛	49
Reading	242	110⅛	109⅝	110⅝
Rep I and Stl	6	71⅝	71⅝	71⅝
Reyr Tob B	21	109⅛	109	109
St L S Fran	26	112⅝	111⅝	112
Sea Air Line	25	31½	31⅛	31⅝
Sea Air L pfd	6	26⅛	25⅝	26
Sears Roe	2	54⅝	54⅝	54⅝
Shell Un Oil	26	29¼	28⅝	29
Sinclair C Oil	27	18⅝	17⅞	18
Skelly Oil	32	31⅝	30⅝	30⅝
South D B	26	11⅛	10½	11
South P	115	113	111⅝	112⅝
South Ry	15	124⅝	124½	124½
Stand O Cal	19	56⅛	56⅛	56⅛
Stand O N J	42	37⅝	37⅛	37⅝
Stude Corp	110	53¼	52⅛	53
Tex Gulf Sul	242	62¼	60⅝	61
Tex and Pac	160	65⅝	62¼	64⅝
Tex Pac C O	11	13⅛	12⅛	12⅝
Tob Prod	29	104¼	103⅝	103⅞
Trans Oil	19	4¼	4⅛	4⅛
Union Pac	75	170½	168	170⅝
Unit Cig Strs	3	89	89	89
U S Ind Al	25	72⅝	72⅝	72⅝
U S Rubber	82	62¼	60⅝	62⅛
U S Steel	290	165⅝	164⅝	165½
Wabash Ry	288	71⅝	69⅛	71⅛
West Elec	180	76⅝	74¼	76⅝
White Mot Co	17	56⅛	56	56⅛
Willys Over	461	22⅛	21⅝	21⅝
Wool and Co	142	126⅝	126	126⅝
Hudson Man	1	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝
Pan P R	3	11	10⅝	10⅝
Simms Pet	7	19¼	19	19
Stand O N Y	26	31¼	31¼	31¼
Sun Oil	1	30½	30½	30½

BUTTER AND EGGS.

CHICAGO, March 28. (AP)—Butter higher; receipts 18,070 tubs; creamery extras 50½; standards 50½; extra firsts 49½@50; firsts 48½@49; seconds 46½@47½.

Eggs steady; receipts 50,742 cases; firsts 23¾@24c; ordinary firsts 22¾c; storage packed extras 26¼c; storage packed firsts 26c.

POULTRY PRICES.

CHICAGO, March 28. (AP)—Poultry alive, steady; receipts 4 cars; prices unchanged; fowls 27@28c; springs not quoted; broilers 25@50c; turkeys 20c; roosters 18c; ducks 20@32c; geese 16c.

ACALA COTTON SEED FOR SALE

I have a limited amount Rogers certified pure ACALA COTTON SEED for sale from last year in three bushel sacks as received at two dollars per bushel. Also several tons of seed produced this season from above certified seed at one dollar per bushel unsacked at my farm on lower Charley road. Call on S. D. JOHNSON, Manager

R. O. HARVEY

BUYING PUTS STOCKS HIGH

Optimistic Business Picture By Mellon Cause

By BROADAN WALL.

Universal Service Financial Expert.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Secretary Mellon's optimistic views on the money market and business conditions brought about a flood of buying of high grade securities in Wall street today and the demand for stocks continued up to the close. Strength prevailed despite a rise in the money market to 4½ per cent. Steadiness prevailed in commodities and foreign exchange.

One reason for the continuance of prosperity is believed to be the hand-to-mouth buying of goods throughout the country. Another reason given is the increase in business morality—a higher standard of business ethics. The real reason for prosperity, economists point out is the stabilized purchasing power of the dollar. In discussing the situation, the Alexander Hamilton Institute says:

"We are now living in a new era. Never before has any country been in a position to stabilize employment and the cost of living by stabilizing the value of money. For generations economists have discussed stabilization as an ideal to be hoped for. This ideal seemed hopeless of realization before the war; wild fluctuations in employment and prices were inevitable under our old banking system."

Railroad stocks were the outstanding features. Impressive absorption was noted in such stocks as Delaware and Hudson, Baltimore and Ohio and New York Central. Delaware and Hudson reached the highest price since 1909 and Baltimore and Ohio sold near the high of this year. Many other new high records were made in the rails and industrials. In regard to Delaware and Hudson the rumor persisted that stockholders will receive in the near future a share in the transportation company and a share in a coal property for the holdings now held. Delaware and Hudson is in a strong position and earnings are running high. The dividend of $9 a share has not been increased in a number of years, although earnings this year are more than double the present dividend requirements.

Other stocks of high grade caliber were Union Pacific and Atchison. Lower priced rails also came in for attention and a demand prevailed for such stocks as the Wabash issues, New Haven and Missouri Pacific.

Other new high records included a new top for the year for General Motors on the bullish remarks of Chairman Raskob of the big corporation that business would be good this year. Steel common sold at the highest price since the corporation was formed and American Telephone reached the highest level in twenty-four years! Something in the way of an extra distribution is said to account for the persistent buying of A. T. and T.

Some of the equipments were active. While Baldwin did little pricewise the stock was active, indicating a resumption of the constructive campaign by the syndicate formed in the stock some months ago. Pressed Steel Car made a new high at 70. There has been a large short interest in this stock. Bear selling has been based on an undervaluation of the company.

Oil stocks were quiet although negotiations are understood to be going on in connection with consolidation plans. The Pan American, controlled by Standard of Indiana is negotiating for South American companies. Special developments are said to be pending in Atlantic Refining and a few other companies.

Universal Pipe sold at a new high for the move. A large short interest is said to be lodged in this stock at a time when an important announcement is expected regarding special developments. Large buying orders have been placed in this stock which should sell much higher. Eaton Axle reached a new high for the year. This company, it is said, may figure in a new combination of auto and auto accessories companies. Kelsey Wheel recovered six points as other specialties closed with gains for the day.

LODGE NOTICES

Lodges.

Benevolent Protective Order of Elks—Wichita Falls lodge No. 1105, meets every Monday at 719½ Eighth. H. H. Bray E. R.; H. C. English, secretary.

Knights of Columbus—Council No. 1473 meets every Monday at 1309 Ninth street. Jas. L. Duffy, G. K.; John J. Block, F. S.

Knights of Pythias—Pioneer Lodge No. 49 meets every Tuesday 7:30 at 912½ Ninth. Ben F. Dancer, C. C.; P. L. Myers, K. of R. and S.

Masonic Bodies.

Masonic Temple, northeast corner Tenth and Scott.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M.—Meets second Fridays. V. E. Wratten, H. P.; George W. Lawler, secretary.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59—K. T. Meets first and third Thursdays. Leslie R. Stringer, E. C.; Geo. W. Lawler, recorder.

Wichita Falls Council No. 140, R. and S. M.—Meets first Monday. George B. Harpin, T. I. M.; George W. Lawler, recorder.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 35, A. F. and A. M.—Meets first and third Fridays—Martin Littrell, W. M.; George W. Lawler, secretary.

Squire Walkup Chapter No. 427, R. A. M.—Meets first Wednesday night each month. G. W. Curd, H. P.; Lawrence Rollins, secretary.

Shrine, Maskat Temple—Meets first Thursday of each month at 813 Scott. Guy Rogers, potentate; Albert Ellis, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237, Order of Eastern Star—Meets Masonic Temple on first and third Tuesdays. Edna Vogt, W. M.; Mrs. Margaret Bradley, secretary.

Faith Lodge No. 1155, A. F. and A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays, 813 Scott. Jacob R. Price, W. M.; G. W. Curd, secretary.

Hope Chapter, Order of De Molay—Meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays at the Masonic Temple at 7:30. Hope Patrol meets every Tuesday night. Jack Wiech, M. C.; Gordon Brown, secretary.

Faith Chapter No. 713, O. E. S.—Meets the second and fourth Thursday nights of each month at 813 Scott. Mrs. Callie Greenwood, W. M.; Lucille Campbell, secretary.

Rainbow Assembly No. 17 — Meets the second and fourth Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple. Harry Peterson, M. A.; Betha Delany, secretary.

Modern Woodmen of America

Lone Star Camp No. 4106, Royal Neighbors—Meets the first and third Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. Mrs. Eula Islar, O.; Mrs. Susie Boone, secretary.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 1266, Modern Woodmen of America — Meets every first and third Friday night at I. O. O. F. hall. C. R. McConnell, consul; E. G. Cook, clerk.

Odd Fellows.

Wichita Canton No. 16, P. M.—Meets the second and fourth Tuesdays at I. O. O. F. hall. C. R. McConnell, consul; Dunn captain; J. W. Busseye, clerk.

Wichita Encampment No. 6, I. O. O. F.—Meets on second and fourth Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. J. T. Martin, C. P.; J. W. Bussey, scribe.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday at 810½ Ninth. A. L. Ayer, N. G.; J. W. Bussey, secretary.

Rebekah Degree No. 236—Meets second and fourth Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. Mrs. Kate Russell, N. G.; Mrs. Fannie Calbath, secretary.

Woodmen of the World.

Wichita Camp No. 2001, W. O. W.—Meets on first and third Wednesdays at 705 Travis. R. C. Carr, C. C.; R. J. Claypool, clerk.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Under this heading will be published the names of the candidates for public office. The fee for announcement will be $20.

All political ads must be cash with order.

Park and Sanitary Commissioner:
A. W. KING.

Park and Sanitary Commissioner:
J. H. PATTON.
(Re-election).

Fire and Police Commissioner,
J. O. COWART.

Fire and Police Commissioner,
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Harry Katz and family.

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WRITE 215 N. NOGALS
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LOST—Brown leather purse, near 15th and Holliday. Phone 7420.

LOST—In the Strand theater Saturday evening, a pair of child's shell rim glasses. Return to Record News. Reward.

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SHAMPOO 40c, wax marcel 75c. Phone 6336. 1315 Ninth.

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FOR SALE—1926 1-ton Ford Truck, in good condition. Phone 4173. R. McKinley.

We Will Buy Your Car.
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DRESSMAKING, alterations and spring coats. Phone 2-4607. 2172 Ave. K.

HEMSTITCHING, dressmaking, buttonholes made. Mrs. Hattie Robinson, on balcony Miller-Ferguson.

Heating, Plumbing & Roofing 18

QUICK, satisfactory plumbing work Call us first. Phone 6300. Moore Plumbing company.

PLUMBING, the satisfactory kind done and guaranteed by Chas. D. Hughes. Phone 5444.

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PRACTICAL housemoving, raising and leveling, Jack Humphrey, residence phone 7665.

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PALACE TAILORS—Suits cleaned and pressed, $1. Call for and deliver. 604 Seventh St. Phone 2-1517.

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Look through the Record News Classified Ads if you want to find a bargain.

Repairing and Refinishing 29

INVEST IN REST
PATTON'S MATTRESSES
MAKE LAYING EASY.
We make every mattress we sell and sell direct to consumer. Try our Kapok and Felted rest-well mattresses, both guaranted. Call us for renovate and pillow work.
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Prices reasonable. Wichita Mattress Co. Phone 4052.

Wanted—Business Services 30

WINFREY FIXIT SHOP
We repair any old thing and do it right. 816 Scott Avenue. With Landon-Hill Co. Phone 5213.

Bicycles 33

HERMAN MUNDEN, Bicycles and supplies, radio aerials put up, phonograph work, welding, repairs of all kinds. Work called for and delivered. Phone 6942. 713 Tenth Street.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female 34

WANTED—White, unincumbered housekeeper. Apply Eldora hotel.

Help Wanted—Male 35

WANTED—Barber. Times Barber Shop, 717 Seventh St.

WANTED—Live-wire salesmen, good personality and appearance. Maytag Shop, 707 10th street.

Situations Wanted—Female 37

POSITION wanted as nurse gird, or would consider house work. 2013 Ninth St. Phone 6265.

WANTED—Place to earn room and board by young lady attending Draughons College. Phone 5656.

STENOGRAPHIC, general office work. Ten years' experience. Phone 5948, Mrs. Johnston.

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MONEY on weekly, semi-onthly or monthly payments. See Empire Loan Co., 710 1-2 Indiana Ave. Room 2.

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RAY PUCKETT, 805 Lamar.

CASH for your used furniture. Our bid will make you money. Home Furniture Co., 816 Ohio. Phone 3228.

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FOR SALE—A high grade Kimball piano, suitable for Sunday school room or school. Call 7845. 906 Baylor.

ATTENTION OFFICE MEN

Have for sale at half price, complete office furniture, including Shaw-Walker safe, three Underwood typewriters, Burroughs adding machine, two steel cabinets and steel files. Also three typewriter desks, one flat desk, two oak tables, large size, three revolving chairs, five arm chairs. This furniture practically new, will sell all or part.

See M. J. Lindsey, 235 Harvey-Snider Bldg. Phone 5985

FOR SALE—Singer sewing machine, in good condition. Also Electric sweeper. 1404 Holiday. Phone 6556.

HIGHEST cash prices paid for used furniture. See us before you sell. Bolton Furniture Co., 807 Tenth St. Phone 3289.

Furniture 47

FURNITURE for sale. 710 12th St., a bargain.

CHRIS AND SONS, 113 INDIANA—The home of furniture bargains. Buy, sell and exchange Phone 7750.

HIGHEST cash prices for your used Furniture. Phone 4219, Winter's Furniture company.

FURNITURE of 16-room apartment house for sale. Can give one year lease. Inquire 1006 Seventh street.

WE PAY cash or trade for your furniture. Home Furniture Co. 816 Ohio Ave. Phone 3223.

Dogs, Cats and Pets 54

FOR SALE—A beautiful white angoria kitten, with blue eyes. Call 906 Baylor.

TWO good singers, three round cages. Phone 8016. Will sell cheap.

Machinery and Equipment 55

BARGAIN—Small water well drill. Bundy, 205 Mississippi. Phone 6369.

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FOR SALE—6 1-2 ft. select Cedar posts 25c each. Texas Lumber Co. 1110 Ohio. Phone 7427-4443.

FOR SALE—White Pine screen doors, $2.75 each. Texas Lumber Co., 1110 Ohio. Phones 7427-4443.

FOR SALE—1-2x6 Bevel White Pine siding, $2.50 per 100 feet. Texas Lumber Co., 1110 Ohio. Phones 7427-4443.

Wanted—To Buy 61

SELL us your used clothes and men's shoes and clean rags. 1104 Ohio. Phone 8869.

REAL ESTATE—RENT

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Rooms With Board 62

ROOM and board for one man. 1801 Ninth St. Phone 2-2352.

BOARD and room for young lady. Phone 9421. 1404 Austin.

ROOM and board, in newly decorated home. 1106 16th. Phone 3316.

FRONT bedroom, large closet, adjoining bath and telephone. 1609 Austin. Phone 8081.

ROOM AND BOARD—1500 Austin. Phone 2-2786.

THOMPSON'S rooms and cafe. Home cooked meals 35c. Board $1 per day, rooms $2.50 per week. Half block from new city auditorium now building. 705 Bluff. Phone 2-4631.

Rooms Without Board 63

LARGE front bedroom for rent. Phone 5997. 1100 Burnett.

FRONT bedroom to working couple or gentlemen. 904 Austin.

BEDROOM for gentlemen. 1315 Ninth street. Phone 6336.

NICELY furnished bedroom, 806 Austin. Phone 2-2315.

NICE, large bedroom, for men; garage. 1706 Taylor. Phone 6852.

SOUTH bedroom and garage; meals if desired, in new home. Phone 4220.

NICELY furnished sleeping room at Kemp Court at Tenth and Travis. Phone 5473.

DESIRABLE south bedroom, convenient to bath. Close in. 1306 Travis.

BEDROOM for young gentleman, private entrance, bath adjoining, $3.00 per week. 1311 14th Street.

SOUTH bedroom, private entrance convenient bath, telephone, garage. Phone 5314.

SOUTHEAST bedroom, private entrance, on bus line. Prefer employed lady. Phone 2-4466.

Rooms For Housekeeping 64

ONE light housekeeping, one bedroom. 1512 Eighth. Phone 9730.

ONE light housekeeping room. Phone 4071. 919 Eighth street.

THREE nicely furnished rooms, modern, private front and back entrance; garage. 1608 Bluff.

TWO furnished rooms, on pavement: 1317 16th street.

ONE room for light housekeeping. 1106 16th street. In newly decorated home. Phone 3316.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms. 809 Van Buren.

TWO housekeeping rooms unfurnished. 1410 Seventeenth street.

LIGHT housekeeping rooms for rent. 1217 North Fourth.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms and garage. 1207 Sixth St.

TWO or three furnished housekeeping rooms. 1011 Seventh. Phone 2456.

LIGHT housekeeping rooms. 703 Fourth. Phone 6317.

TWO large housekeeping rooms, furnished, south exposure. 1801 9th St. Phone 2-2352.

TWO large unfurnished housekeeping rooms, convenient to bath. Front bedroom, 1404 Holiday. Phone 6586.

ONE extra large housekeeping room furnished. South exposure; $25 per month, bills paid. 712 Brook. Phone 2-2316.

CLEAN housekeeping rooms. Bills paid. 502 Austin.

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms; sink in kitchen, hot and cold water, all bills paid. Phone 8674.

TWO nicely furnished housekeeping rooms to couple. 1206 Tyler. Phone 9781. One block from Monroe bus line.

TO adults only: Three well furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 6877.

ONE furnished light housekeeping room for rent. Phone 6823.

Apartments and Flats 65

THREE unfurnished rooms, near Alamo. Phone 7663. 1819 Lucille.

WELL furnished four-room apartment. 2109 Avenue B.

TWO-ROOM apartment, also garage. Phone 4853. 1203 Austin.

FURNISHED 3-room apartment. 908 Austin. Phone 4479.

FOR RENT—Furnished 3-room apartment, and one bedroom. Phone 2-2758.

NEATLY furnished 3-room apartment to adults. No garage. Rent reasonable. 2101 Filmore.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, $9.00 a week, bills paid. Close in. 802 Fifth.

FOR RENT—3-room furnished apartment. All bills paid. Phone 7420.

FOR RENT—Three-room unfurnished apartment, all clean and modern. Adults only. 1502 Polk street.

FURNISHED two-room garage apartment, $5 per week, bills paid. 2215 Austin. Phone 9536.

One unfurnished apartment for rent. 1511 12th street. Reasonable rent to permanent tenants.

FURNISHED four-room duplex apartment. Call 6-4420; located 1609 Broad.

FOUR ROOMs and bath duplex apartment. 2155 Broad. $30. Phone 9248.

THREE-ROOM apartment furnished, connecting bath, new house. Phone 4626. 2133 Princeton.

FURNISHED or unfurnished 3-room apartment, built-in cabinet, private front and back entrance. Available the first. 1504 14th St. Phone 2-1729.

TWO furnished rooms, strictly private. 1509 Burnett. Phone 5867.

APARTMENT nicely furnished. Phone 9700. 1509 Travis.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, also one room furnished apartment or can be used for bedroom. Phone 6259.

TWO or three-room apartment, in a home, all bills paid. Phone 7845.

NICELY furnished three-room apartment, built-in features, breakfast nook; private bath. Phone 8488.

1713 KEMP—Five or six rooms, strictly modern, newly papered, $40. 2109 Ave. E, one side new 10-room duplex, oak floors, on pavement $50. Look 'em over before phoning. L. E. Cowling & Co. Phone 9544.

REAL ESTATE—RENT

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Houses For Rent 66

THREE-ROOM and bath, furnished. Call 2-2951 for George.

TWO-ROOM house, partly modern. $15 per month. 2202 Brown St.

NICE modern six-room unfurnished house. 2905 Tenth street. Phone 9827.

ONE-ROOM house for rent 1502 Burnett. Phone 9423.

FIVE-ROOM modern house, furnished or unfurnished. Leaving town. Will rent to responsible people. Phone 2-4216.

ON THE HILL—2303 King's Highway, almost new 5-room home, garage, $40. H. G. Helgerson. Phone 9573.

Large five-room home partly furnished, double garage and servant's house, all in excellent condition. Will give lease if desired at $75 monthly. H. G. Helgerson. Phone 9573.

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REAL ESTATE—SALE

Business Property For Sale 74

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good business location, grocery store and a nice home on same lot. First payment late model car and some cash, or $1000 cash. Party occupying store will continue renting if desired. 2127 Ave. E. Phone 2-1415.

FOR SALE—A garage; good location; good income. Location 6 miles south of Holliday at Dad's corner. R. W. Egger.

I CAN SELL or rent your store and warehouse property. S. Y. Ferguson. Phone 9084.

Farms and Lands For Sale 75

HALE COUNTY land for sale or exchange for Wichita property. Phone 4992. Call W. F. Raby.

Houses For Sale 76

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Six-room modern house, corner lot, three-room house in the rear. 1216 21st street.

WANTED—A good sedan worth $1300 or $1400 for equity in five-room house. Twenty months old. Balance $27 per month. Phone 9951.

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Oil Lands and Leases 78

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To Exchange—Real Estate 80

BRITTAN ST. home, will sacrifice my equity or trade for rooming house or what have you? Phone 8456.

Wanted—Real Estate 81

DO YOU want to sell your home? If so, I shall be glad to help you. Call me—
MRS. F. C. LYON, Realtor
Phones 2252-7529
241 Harvey-Snider Bldg.

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554 Harvey-Snider Bldg. Ph. 4979

GROVER MONROE—REALTOR
See Mrs. Brewer, 9953 or 2-4003

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THE WICHITA FALLS & SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY STOCKHOLDERS' NOTICE
Wichita Falls, Texas, March 8, 1927.
Public notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wichita Falls & Southern Railway company will be held at the general office of the said company in the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita county, Texas, on Saturday, the 2nd day of April, 1927, at 1:30 p. m. for the election of a board of directors of said Wichita Falls & Southern Railway company will be held at the same place and on the same day, immediately after the adjournment of said stockholders' meeting.
Frank Kell, president,
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Motor brand new, good tires. A real bargain.

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COUNTY PAYS $78,000 BONDS

Warrants For $155,730 Cover Principal, Interest

Payment of interest and principal on county bonds was authorized Monday by the county commissioners' court.

Following the court's order E. P. Walsh, county auditor, approved the issuing of checks payable to the Hanover National bank and the National Bank of Commerce, both of New York, totalling $155,730.37. The two banks are the owners of the county's bonds.

The principal paid was $78,000, the balance being interest on the county's bonded indebtedness. One thousand dollars of the principal payments was to retire part of the General Hospital bonds, the balance of the principal payments were for road bonds.

Bonds furnished by the City National bank as school fund and county fund depositories were approved by the court. The school fund bond was $115,000 and the county fund, $848,200.

A fee of $891.75 for the assessing of taxes in road district No. 1 was ordered paid to Arthur Howard, county tax assessor, who also received $316.51 as ex-officio fees of office upon order of the court.

Appointments of Wade Taylor, as deputy constable at Burkburnett, and T. C. Pauls, as deputy constable in Wichita Falls, were approved by the court.

Bids for the furnishing of lumber, gasoline and oil to the county were all rejected by the court because of the opinion expressed by the commissioners that the bids were too high.

DEATHS

REV. PRICE B. KLINE

The body of the Rev. Price B. Kline, 48, was forwarded to Pittsburgh, Kan., Monday afternoon by the Meeks Undertaking company. The Rev. Kline, who was a Christian church minister of Chatanooga, Tenn., died at a local hospital at 4 a. m., Monday. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. W. H. Storms of Kansas City, Mo., and a brother-in-law, Colonel Lanyon of Iola, Kan.

SERVICE FOR PIONEER

Funeral services for Peter Heintzelman, 80, will be held at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning at the Sacred Heart church, Ninth and Holliday streets. Burial will be in Sacred Heart cemetery. Mr. Heintzelman died at a local hospital Sunday morning.

MRS. VONIE MEFFORD

Funeral services were held Monday morning at the Merkle Undertaking company chapel for Mrs. Vonie Mefford, 58, who died at the home of her son, Roy Mefford, 2218 Burnett street, Sunday morning. Burial was in Riverside.

He Gets New Country and New Name

Apostalas Venetsanas Konstantacopaulos Becomes Plain Paul Kostas In Federal Court Hearing

Apostalas Venetsanas Konstantacopaulos now has a new country and a new name. He was granted United States citizenship Monday and permission to change his name to Paul Kostas.

Kostas, who is engaged in the restaurant business in Wichita Falls, appeared Monday before C. F. Tucker of Fort Worth, district director of naturalization, for his final papers which were granted. He also presented a petition for a change of name to Judge William H. Atwell, which was also granted.

A native of Greece, Kostas filed his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States in 1920.

Tucker also granted Monday, United States citizenship to Nathan Marantz, Russia; Fred Charles Rachan, Canada; Theodore Vakrinos, Greece; William Davies, England and William Brinkmeir, Germany. All of the new citizens liva in Wichita county.

Seven petitions for the granting of United States citizenship at the next term of federal court in November were filed Monday with Tucker.

Kiwanis Club Distributes Pigs To 16 Boys, One Girl in New Club

Pigs are pigs to most people but to 15 boys and one girl in Wichita county there is "only one pig in the world," the one each boy and the girl received Monday as a gift from the Kiwanis club.

Miss Helen Baben of the Thornberg community, was the lone girl recipient of a hog. Although only nine years old, she asserted that before long she was going to be the "leading pork grower" in the county.

Guests at Luncheon.

The boys receiving gifts of hogs were: Jack Pepper, Lester Howard, John Brown, Virgil Evans, Jack Maris, Wilford McLlhg, Bryce Fitzgerald, Ira Cartlinger, John Tyner, Clovis Childers, Robert Jeter, Lewis Koepse, Homer Mae Murray Williams and Robert Lee Barrington.

Miss Baben and the boys were the guests of the club at the weekly luncheon held in the Kemp hotel. At the conclusion of the luncheon the guests of the club drew slips of paper from a dish to ascertain which hog they were to receive.

The hogs were named Kiwanis Queen No. 1 to 15. After the drawing, the guests and members of the club adjourned to the Lamar street side of the courthouse where the hogs were placed in pens Monday morning. After each boy and Miss Baben had found the pen containing the hog which they had drawn, automobile trucks were backed up to the pens and the hogs went on their journeys to Wichita county farms.

During the luncheon, Paul Tolbert explained the contract between the recipients of the hogs and the club.

Prize for Best Showing.

The boys and Miss Baben will enter their hogs and litters in the stock show in connection with the Texas-Oklahoma fair. The winner will receive $20 from the club in addition to any prizes received at the fair.

Each recipient of a pig will give the Kiwanis club a percentage of the first litter received from the hog. The pigs received will be distributed to another set of young men and women next fall when the club will start another pig club.

Other speakers at the luncheon were Fred Haskett, newspaper publisher of Childress, who assisted the Kiwanis club in securing the hogs, and J. T. Howell, of the City National bank.

One Potato Admits Wichita Boys And Girls to Scout Movie Today

"Ma—gimme a potato!" will be the youthful command of many an eager boy and girl in Wichita Falls as they hurriedly leave their homes Tuesday afternoon for the "potato matinee" at the Mission theater given by The Record News and the Mission.

It means that one potato will be the only admission for all children 11 years of age and under to the special program offered by John L. Gray, manager of the Mission. From 12 o'clock at noon until 6, each child bearing the necessary requisite and of the specified age will be admitted. "Three Bad Men" starring George O'Brien, is the main picture but the cream is Ben Alexander in "Scotty of the Scouts," the first chapter of a new serial.

Every boy—and nearly every girl—knows Ben and will vouch for his popularity on the screen. He is only 14 and made a hit with the juvenile world, as well as adults, when he starred in "Penrod" several years ago. He also played in "Boy O' Mine" and as a kidnaped waif in "Jealous Husbands." And the mother cast in the new picture, "Scotty of the Scouts," is none other than Ben's own mother.

The opening chapter offers its supreme thrill, dear to the heart of every youngster. Aside from Ben's exciting escapades, the picture is a graphic illustration of scout training in every phrase of the organization. It is in 10 installments.

If you are 11 years old are under, bring the potato and see "Scotty." Your potato will be turned over to the Salvation Army to satisfy the hunger of some needy boy or girl.

C-C Asks Closing of 12th Street At Scott and Lamar For Convention

Petition of the chamber of commerce to close 12th street, between Scott and Lamar, during the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention was presented Monday night to the city council, which took the request under advisement.

The petition set out that the chamber of commerce expected to erect a tent on a vacant lot facing on Scott street, at 12th, for the purpose of holding meetings during the convention. The tent is expected to cover 12th street the council was advised. Final action of the petition was withheld to allow members of the council to inspect the proposed tent site.

Quarters for Vets

Roy Daniel, state representative, appeared before the council, on behalf of the American Legion, relative to the furnishing of quarters for the legion, Spanish war and civil war veterans in the municipal auditorium. Daniels was advised that the council has planned in the past and is still planning to furnish quarters for the veterans.

G. A. Remington, representing the officials of Water Improvement District No. 1, protested to the council the amount of office rent that will have to be paid by the district when it occupies quarters in the auditorium building. Remington was advised that the councilmen were of the opinion that $150 was low rent and that the amount would not be lowered.

The vacating of Front street, west of Indiana avenue to the Wichita river bank was ordered by the council. Bids for the purchase of the condemned street will be received April 11. The length of the property is 40 feet.

Payment of $8,341.23 to T. M. Johnson company for electrical installation in the auditorium building was authorized.

Bids for the furnishing and erection of a water tower standard in Indian Heights will be received by the council April 18, according to an order issued Monday night.

The water department was authorized to purchase a new onston truck at a price of $871.

Unable to select scenery for the auditorium according to the present specifications the council ordered a special meeting for Tuesday morning when new specifications will be compiled.

SCOUTS PROMOTED

29 Advanced In Rank At Board of Review Meeting.

Promotions were given to 29 Boy Scouts at examinations held Monday afternoon at 820 1-2 Ohio avenue. The promotions Monday were to the rank of first class and second class scouts and the merit badges will be awarded Tuesday afternoon, it was announced.

Scouts raised to first class Monday were Harold Gerock, James Thornton and Fred Barron Jr., Troop 16; Charles Ware and Bonner Barton, Troop 12, and Malcolm Bucker, Troop 11.

Those promoted to second class were Aldrik McClellan, Troop 8; Clarence Darby, J. L. Dixon, Ted Booker, Billy Meurey, Mack Taylor, Melvin Edmonds, Travis Lee, Howard Douglas and James Walker, Troop 3; Billy Welty, Troop 16; Harry Smith, Allen Clark, Moullon Harrison, Harrell Adair and Trenton Broday, Troop 11; Edward Fry, Troop 18; Orry Hodges, and Warren Griffin, Troop 12; John James Jr. and Frank Tins, Troop 14, and Milton McDaniel, Troop 2.

The board of review is composed of Don Boss, Bill Ward, Kenneth Erwin, D. N. Burgan, James Hoyles and Claude Billingsley.

VICK FREED ON $7500 BOND

State's Attorneys Here Accept Court Ruling

Release of Dr. J. T. Vick, held several weeks in the county jail on two charges of murder, was affected Monday afternoon when Sheriff W. G. Bralley was advised by E. F. Fruechte, assistant district attorney, to accept bonds totalling $7500.

Intention of the state to file a motion for a re-hearing with the court of criminal appeals relative to the appellate court's decision allowing Dr. Vick bond of $2500 in one case, after it had been denied in district court, was not carried out due to the receipt Monday of a copy of the appellate court's decision. Members of the district attorney's office found, on receiving the full opinion, that it would be doubtful if a motion for a rehearing could be sustained.

Charges against Dr. Vick were preferred several weeks ago after the deaths of two Wichita Falls married women. The state charges the two women died following illegal operations.

ACCIDENT CAUSE

Carelessness Blamed For Majority of Cases By Board Member.

Carelessness is to blame for 75 per cent of the accidents reviewed before the Texas industrial accident board, according to J. M. Pattillo, member of the board, in Wichita Falls in connection with the hearings being held here.

"We think little of safety rules, or of accident prevention, until we are injured," said Mr. Pattillo.

"We always expect it to the other fellow who is hurt, and few of the persons most vitally interested know of the provisions of the industrial accident law or its benefits."

The board reviewed cases here Monday involving approximately $40,000, and will complete its work Tuesday. Other members of the board are Jas. W. Swayne of Fort Fort, chairman; Mrs. Espa Stanford, J. M. Pattillo, and Miss Verle Bartlett of Austin, acting secretary.

TWO PAY OFF

Fines Assessed After Arrest of 8 At Cock Fight

Of the eight men arrested Sunday afternoon in connection with a cock fighting tournament 18 miles northwest of Wichita Falls, two paid fines of $100 and costs for carrying pistols and the other six are expected to enter pleas of guilty to charges of cock fighting in the county court at law.

The arrests were made when four deputy sheriffs swooped down upon a crowd of over 500 spectators watching the fights in a specially constructed pen near the Wichita river.

There were scores of chickens assembled to be entered in the fights and the spectators had come from points in Texas and Oklahoma in over 100 automobiles.

SMALLPOX CASES

11 quarantined in City During Past Week

Eleven cases of smallpox in Wichita Falls were quarantined during the past week, according to a report issued Monday by the city health department.

Fourteen cases of chickenpox were quarantined; two, mumps; three, scarlet fever; 25 measles and two diphtheria.

There were 17 deaths during the past week reported.

Today { At the Theaters

By Ruth Morrison

Majestic: "The Scarlet Letter," starring Lillian Gish; Topics of the Day, Aesops Fables and Pathe News.

Olympic: Norma Shearer in "The Demi-Bride," comedy, Fox News, and special vaudeville attraction.

Strand: "The Understanding Heart," Peter B. Kyne's famous story; and comedy.

Mission: "Three Bad Men," starring George O'Brien; and chapter 1 of a new serial, "Scotty of the Scouts."

Gem: Patsy Ruth Miller in "King of the Turf," and Educational comedy.

Garden: "More Pay, Less Work," western picture and comedy.

"The part of 'Monica' in 'The Understanding Heart,' will make Joan Crawford one of the foremost leading women in pictures."

This is the statement of Jack Conway, who directed this production, now playing at the Strand theater, and when it is remembered that Conway made a like observation concerning William Haines when that player was making "Brown of Harvard," it bears more than an ordinary amount of weight, for every prediction made by Conway for the young actor has since been fulfilled.

"Miss Crawford has all the qualities necessary for screen success," declares Conway, "and more, for she has a definite, electric personality that she manages to project on the screen without any apparent effort.

"As 'Monica,' I believe she gives a performance that will be numbered among the best ten of the year. She plays the role with intelligence, has never looked so beautiful, and gives the part an innate refinement that is unusual in a girl so young. With each succeeding picture her face is becoming more plastic, and she has completely overcome the self-consciousness that at first handicapped her."

Francis X. Bushman Jr., plays opposite Miss Crawford as "Tony" the young forest ranger.

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For sheer entertainment, for dazzling stage pictures, rich and colorful, featuring youth, beauty and talent, Irvin Berlin's "Music Box Revue," coming to the Palace theater Thursday, March 31, is in a class by itself. It is claimed to be a theatrical entertainment of the highest type. The fourth edition of "The Revue" will be one of the most elaborate productions booked for Wichita Falls this season.

Seats are now on sale at the Palace box office, so make the most of an early opportunity.

STOLEN AUTO FOUND

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, March 28.—A roadster belonging to Dick Borders of the Wright and Borders filling station was stolen in front of that place of business Sunday night and has been found abandoned in Vernon.

DANIEL HONORED

Wichita Falls Solon Placed In Appropriations Committee

Representative Roy J. Daniel, Wichita Falls member of the lower house of the Texas legislature, left Monday night for Denton where he will join members of the house appropriations committee in a tour of Texas state schools now in progress.

Representative Daniel, in a long distance telephone message from Speaker Lee Bobbitt at Austin, was notified late Monday of his appointment as a member of the committee.

AD CLUB MEETING

El Paso Man to Speak at Luncheon Today.

A. H. Wheeler of El Paso, who is here with the advertising department of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, will be principal speaker at the Advertising club luncheon to be held Tuesday at the Kemp hotel. Mr. Wheeler will speak on "Advertising We Seldom Hear About," according to an announcement made Monday.

STATE LEGION MEET SOUGHT

District 13 Organized At Graham Sunday

Approximately 100 attended the first convention of the 13th district of the American Legion which was held in Graham Sunday in an all-day session. The meeting was for the purpose of organizing the district, and it was decided that a session will be held three times a year. The district will meet in Wichita Falls in June, according to the announcement.

Plans were made to bring the state organization of American Legion to Wichita Falls in 1928. O. T. Alles of Wichita Falls gave a talk in the afternon session. Those who attended from this city were O. T. Alles, W. H. Caldwell and Victor Nobles.

OWN YOUR HOME

Stone to Present Plans to Realtors Today.

William A. Stone, executive secretary of the Texas Real Estate association, will outline a plan for the presenting of a "Own Your Own Home" show at the Real Estate board luncheon Tuesday at the Kemp hotel. This show will probably be given in Wichita Falls in the near future, but all plans have not been perfected, according to an announcement Monday by A. L. Huey, president of the board.

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