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FATHER, BROTHER DEMAND SISTER HANG

WALTHALL GETS CONFIRMATION DESPITE PA'S OUSTER MOVES

Wilford Harrison, Wichita Falls, to Pharmacy Board

PRO-NEFF SENATE

Ma's Husband Not Given a Chance To Start a Contest

By W. BOYD GATEWOOD. Record News Staff at Austin

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 16.—If James E. Ferguson, the Texas warwick, sought to test his strength in the senate by throwing certain counted appointments at it for confirmation, then the test proved a boomerang here Friday and flew back in his face.

That appear to be the concensus of impartial opinion about the capitol and in hotel lobbies tonight where the surprising report of the senate committee on nominations is the chief topic of wonder and comment.

Didn't Wait for Jim.

The extraordinary hates with which the usual deliberate committee and senate moved to act on the touchy matter of appointments has thrown legislators and political watchful waiters into a foment of gossip. Without even waiting to receive Governor-elect "Ma" Ferguson's patronage list, the important anpointees of which were counter to Governor Neff's, the nominations committee hastened unexpectedly into executive session and emerged equally as hastily with every counter appointment recommended in favor of the Neff list.

To be specific, the committee recommended and the senate confirmed R. B. Walthall, named by Neff for a place on the board of control, without officially considering Roy I. Tennant of Temple, designated by Mrs. Ferguson for the same post. Of course, the committee was aware of the fact that Tennant's name would be sent to the senate by Mrs. Ferguson for confirmation. But the committee, contrary to expectations, didn't wait. The same course was followed by the senate with regard to Turner Hubby of Waco, named by the Fergusons for game, fish and oyster commissioner in the face of the appointment by Neff of W. W. Boyd. The senate confirmed Boyd.

Similiar proceedure prevailed on the confirmation of Tom Garrard and Grover Morris, named by Neff for assistant attorneys general to the court of criminal appeals. Ferguson had designated Sam A. Stinson, of Greenville and Nat A. Gentry for those positions.

Not Even A Contest.

In short, in the expected Pa Ferguson-Pat Neff duel, the senate committee nor the senate waited for Neff and his seconds to come on the field but ruled for the retiring governor without formally awarding Jim a contest.

The why and the wherefore of such action has observers here in something of a quandry. Some advance the theory that there were so many appointments to be confirmed and that so many had friends on the committee that it was a case of barter and trade, a sort of "you scratch my back and I'll scratch yours" affair. But if that were true, then it would appear that Ferguson friends on the committee were in the minority and without outspoken leadership on the floor of the senate. Certain it is that Ferguson challenged for leadership in the senate by his appointments made counter to Neff's and pitched the issue directly between him and the retiring executive.

A Slap At "Pa"

It was Ferguson who was quoted as saying he was opposed to Neff "perpetuating himself in office." Whether it was Ferguson opposed such perpetuation through the fact he felt Neff appointees would be out of tune with his wife's administration or whether it was that these persons formed the nucleus of a Neff machine in future political ambitions, no one knows, although many venture both considerations as the cause.

Just now interest has turned to the consideration of whether or not Ferguson will attempt, through some channel or another, to oust the principal Neff appointees just confirmed. The weight of opinion is that he will.

Regents Are Next.

As one angle of the sudden confirmations against Ferguson favorites some dopesters advance the thought that perhaps Ferguson himself, faced with formidable opposition in committee, compromised, accepting the Neff appointees confirmed yesterday so as to block confirmation of certain board of regents nominations. Only about half of the Neff appointees were considered and confirmed, among them Lynch Davideon of Houston as a member of the Texas historical society. Other confirmations of Houston appointees included Mrs. Hortense Wade as a special chief justice of the supreme court and Miss Ruth Virginia Brazzil of Galveston for a similiar post others included in confirmations were:

Walter Lacy of Waco, member of the board of directors of A. and M. college; Wilford Harrison, Wichita Falls, pharmacy board; Dr. W. L. Crosthwait, Waco; Dr. Jno. T. Moore, Houston; Dr. J. M. Watkins, Luling; Dr. H. C. Morrow, Austin; Dr. J. F. Bailey, Waco, members medical examiners. Dr. T. Christian of Waco was confirmed as a member of the veterinary examiners.

NO ARMS CONFERENCE NOW

Coolidge Does Not Believe Conditions Right In Europe At Present

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Conditions in Europe still preclude any move by the United States toward another arms conference in the opinion of President Coolidge.

The Washington government consequently is making no further move toward the calling of such a conference.

HARREL HEADS C OF C WORK FOR NEW YEAR

Hubert Harrison Re-Elected Chamber's General Manager

DIRECTORS ELECT

Over $40,000 Reported On Hand In Big $50,000 Drive

J. T. Harrell, vice president of the City National bank, was elected president of the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce for 1925 at a meeting of the directors held last night at the Kemp. He succeeds A. H. Britain who has served in that capacity for the past year.

Others Elected.

Other officers elected were J. C. Mytinger, first vice-president; P. A. Rogers, second vice-president; A. M. Miller, treasurerer; Hubert Harrison, re-elected general manager. G. C. Wood was elected as a director to fill the vacancy caused last week by the resignation of E. S. Goodner. The latter resigned shortly after his re-election to the directorial board, assigning the pressure of business affairs as the reson.

Included in reports and discussion of the business matters taken up were statements from the various team captains now conducting the chamber's 1925 membership and financial campaign. It was reported that over $40,000 was now on hand and that prospects for reaching the mark of $50,000, set by the board as the minimum necessary for 1925 requirements, were good. All prospects have as yet been approached.

Adopt Resolution.

The meeting closed with the adoption of a resolution expressing the thanks and admiration to the retiring president, Judge Britain, for his work as head of the organization in 1924. The resolution follows:

Whereas, our friend and fellow citizen, A. H. Britain, is now completing a remarkably active year as president of the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce and

Whereas, those of us who have been associated with him on the board of directors have enjoyed his friendship and have learned to appreciate his wisdom, judgment, courage, vision and tact

Therefore be it resolved by the board of directors in regular session at Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 16th day of January, 1925, that we express our heartfelt thanks to Judge Britain on behalf of the membership of this organization and the entire community for his distinguished services and that we shall always recall with the utmost pleasure the year of 1924 in chamber of commerce work with Judge Britain as our leader and we shall remember him particularly for his unfailing gentlemanly courtesy and his careful wise counsel.

Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the chamber of commerce and a copy furnished Judge Britain.

Fire In a Studio

Shamlin Photographic Studio Destroyed By Flames Friday

Fire, believed to have started in the developing room of the Shamlin studio, photographic parlor, 916 Scott avenue, gutted the place and caused considerable damage at the J. W. Reasor battery service station in the same building at 9 o'clock last night. Fire Chief McClure estimated the loss at $1,500. The plant of the De Luxe dry cleaners at 914 Scott was smoked up, but no damage was done.

Neither of the operators of the two establishments burned out could be located last night.

Assign Legislators

Roy Daniel Vice-Chairman Eleemosonary Institutions

Vice chairmanship of the committee on state eleemosonary and reformatory institutions and a place on the educational committee were alloted yesterday to Roy J. Daniel, representative from this district, according to the list of house appointments sent out from Austin. Cecil Story of Vernon was given the chairmanship of the criminal jurisprudence committee and was also placed on the judiciary committee.

THE WEATHER

The weather as observed by the Wichita Falls Electric company: Maximum 48, minimum 23, 5 p. m. 34, precipitation 0, northeast breeze, clear wind velocity average 8 miles per hour, fastest 12 miles, barometer 29.24.

Oklahoma: Saturday and Sunday fair, rising temperature.

East Texas: Saturday fair, colder in southeast portion; Sunday fair, not so cold.

West Texas: Saturday fair, not so cold; Sunday fair.

Citizen Cup To Kemp and Make It Unanimous Asked In Petition to Rotarians

A movement to make a unanimous presentation to J. A. Kemp of the Rotary cup emblematic of the most distinguished public service by a private citizen in 1924 has been started here with the circulation of a petition asking that this be done. Several prominent Wichitans are backing the idea and have already obtained a large number of names. The petition will be presentued to the Rotary club as soon as it is thoroughly signed up.

The completion last year of the irrigation project, made possible mainly through the vision and persistence of Mr. Kemp, is assigned as the reason for selection of Mr. Kemp as recipient of the honor. In a preface to the petition, which is drafted in the form of a letter to the Rotary club, those championing Mr. Kemp set forth the following:

To The Rotary Club,
Wichita Falls, Texas.
Dear Sirs:

Relative to your announcement of the gift of a loving cup to the citizen of Wichita Falls who during the year 1924 rendered the most valuable service to this city, we, the undersigned, are pleased to place in nomination for this cup our distinguished citizen, Mr. J. A. Kemp, and as the reasons showing his eligibility therefor we submit the following:

The outstanding worth while event during the year 1924, overshadowing all other things, was the completion of the great Wichita Valley Irrigation System, which cluminated in the turning of the waters into the canals and on the farm lands of the valley. This, as has been well said, was Mr. Kemp's vision, and while not having all been consummated in one year, yet the climax of this great vision was reached during the year 1924, with the turning of the water on the lands.

We are not unmindful of the fact that there are many of our citizens entitled to great credit for their efforts in behalf of this great enterprise. Many of them are entitled to signal recognition for their part of the work, and this nomination does not undertake to minimize in the least re-

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FLOWER OF THE METHODISTS IS VIEWED AT FETE

Over 250 Young Church People Make Merry At Club Friday

Father Time in robes of gray, trailing beard and historic scythe, followed by over 250 frolicking sons and daughters dressed to represent the months of their birth held high court Friday evening at the Wichita club when "The Fete of The Months," one of the cleverest of recent New Year's parties was presented by the Young People's council of the First M. E. church south, acting as hosts to the young people from Floral Heights M. E. and Grace Methodist churches of the city.

Like a Story Book

Under the soft glow of the shaded lights in the elaborately decorated club rooms trooped the groups of masqueraders. Notable among them were dainty Martha Washington with powdered wig and full skirts representing her famous husband's month, February; The Winter Girl in white sweater and tam and her escort, a stalwart youth in fur cap, muffler and sweater with skates slung over his shoulder represented January. Miles Standish and dainty Priscilla were there for November, Santa Claus and his wife were there lending Chrisimas cheer; girls in sport togs with tennis rackets brought memories of August and vacation, and July boasted a miriature Uncle Sam and his lady in the persons of little Miss Martha Mazelle Akin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Akin, Jr., and Master Mabry Johnston, little son of Rev. and Mrs. Walter J. Johnston.

The guests as they arrived found a table appropriately decorated for each of the twelve months of the year. Hunting the table of their birth month, they registered their names there. May's table, decorated in

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TAX LIMIT DRAWS NEAR.

Jan. 31 Last Day in Wichita Payments May Be Made, Hyer Warns.

A reminder that Jan. 31—the last day of grace for payment of city and schools taxes, is not far away was made Friday by W. R. Hyer, city assessor and collector. It was also stressed that no extension would be granted this year by the city council and school board and that the 10 per cent penalty would become effective on and after Feb. 1.

COLD WAVE NOT SO COLD.

Winter's Latest Assault on North Texas Fades Out Friday Morning.

Winter's latest assault on north Texas was not as determined as had been expected and the result was a cold, snappy wind and not much else Friday. The day proved to be considerably cooler than Thursday, but nothing like a blizzard or even a severe freeze made an appearance.

The dense cloud blanket that hung over this section all day Thursday broke away at daylight Friday.

GREEN JURY SELECTED.

Panel Selected to Try Winona Green at Little Rock Completed.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 16.—Selection of the jury for the trial of Mrs. Winona Green for the slaying of her father-in-law, J. R. Green, last August, was completed shortly after noon today. All women called for jury duty were excused by attorneys for the defense. The defense will plead insanity at the time of the killing

ANOTHER FORT WORTH HUSBAND KILLED BY WIFE

John Land, Ft. Worth, Dying From Wounds, Claimed Accidental

FORT WORTH, Jan. 16.—John Land, 32 years old, is dying in a local sanitarium as a result of being shot by his wife, Daphina Land, 31 years old, at 8 o'clock tonight. The bullet pierced Land's forehead. The shooting occurred at the Land apartment in a fashionable part of the city. Mrs. Land was immediately under arrest by police. In a statement she declared the shooting was accidental. The shot was fired through a door. Mrs. Land was in the bed room while her husband was in the kitchen.

RURAL TRUSTEES NAMED.

Vacancies in School Districts of County Filled by Appointment.

Several new trustees for rural schools in the county were appointed Friday afternoon at a meeting of the general county trustees held in the office of County Superintendent Burl Bryant.

In the Deep Creek district, J. J. Burnam and J. M. Blagg were named to fill vacancies in the board; in the Cooper district J. D. Cooper was appointed as a member of the trustees and in the Barwise district W. E. Palmer was named.

Those attending the session were D. E. Hooks, E. A. Dale and N. B. Singletary.

NEW BUSINESS BUILDING.

New $14,000 Structure to Be Put Up at Indiana and Tenth Streets.

A new one-story brick business building to house a number of small stores will be built immediately at the corner of Tenth and Indiana, just next to the Wichita theatre. A permit for the new structure, which will involve an investment of $14,000, was issued Friday morning by Building Inspector Fred A. Smith. The new building will be 25 by 150 feet.

BREAD COST ON INCREASE.

Waco Bakers, After Boosting It Once, Consider Another Advance.

WACO, Jan. 16.—Following an advance of a cent a pound in bread, a week ago, Waco bakers were today considering an additional advance of one and a half cents a pound.

At the present price of flour, lard and eggs, an additional advance is justified, they say.

MERRIL COMPTON IS WANTED.

Police Asked to Find Man Whose Father Died in Oklahoma Thursday

City police are looking for Merril Compton, a young man supposed to have worked at one time in one of the glass factories here because he is wanted at his home in Blackwell, Okla., where his father died Thursday night.

CONFIDENSE IN MUSSOLINI

ROME, Jan. 16.—A vote of confidence in Premier Mussolini which implies approval of the basic principles of the electoral bill now pending, was given today by the chamber of deputies. The vote was 303 to 35.

DEATH PENALTY FOR MASKER IS ASKED IN BILL

Minimum Sentence of Ten Years Demanded By Rep. Mankin

POLL TAX A CRUX

Purchasers Must Swear to List of Organizations They Belong To

By W. BOYD GATEWOOD Record News Staff At Austin.

AUSTIN, Jan. 16.—Death as the penalty for masked assault will be asked of the 39th Texas legislature in a bill to be introduced on the first day of its session and will signalize the beginning of a drive designed to unmask and expose membership in the Ku Klux Klan.

Such was the announcement here today of Representative Luke Mankin of Georgetown, scene of the first klan prosecutions, who is author of two bills drawn frankly as anti-klan legislation.

Mankin's first measure is an act to prohibit masking in public or private with penalties therefor ranging from a fine to capital punishment.

Information On Oath.

The second bill would compel all persons paying poll tax to supply under oath, with other information, "the names of all fraternal, benevolent, secret and other societies, lodges and orders of which he (or she) is or has been a member within two years next preceding the payment of his poll tax."

"Extreme?" he repeated to a question. "Perhaps. But no more extreme than the platform upon which I pitched my campaign for election. My sole purpose of coming to the legislature was to introduce these two measures and to work determinedly for their adoption."

The Mankin anti-mask bill begins by making it a misdemeanor for any person, masked or disguised, to go into or near any public place or to disturb or intend to disturb "the inhabitants thereof."

The purposed act then proceeds with swift strides to what it defines as a felony and to the extreme climax of its punishment——the death penalty.

Heavy Penalties Asked.

"If any person," reads the bill, "who is masked or in disguise shall go into or near, or shall demand entrance or admission into any private house within this state, or shall disturb ny inhabitant of such private house, said person shall be guilty of a felony, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by confinement in the state penitentiary for a term of not less than two years nor more than ten years."

Kinley Before Realtors

Board Will Hear Discussion Of Proposed Legislative Act.

Judge R. O. Kinley of the firm of Kinley, Aiken and Kinley, will address the Wichita Falls real estate board at 12 o'clock noon luncheon today at the Wichita club. His subject will be the real estate license bill presented to the current legislature.

Today's meeting is a bi-monthly one, and reports will be heard from delegates on the mid-winter session of realtors just closed at Dallas.

MORE FUN WITH LIGHTS.

Public Gets Its Second Lesson From New Beacon at Eighth and Indiana

More woe to the motorist, more work for the cops and more fun for the curbstone managers was the result of Friday night's operation of the new traffic signal at Eighth and Indiana—the second time it was in use.

Police found the public adapting itself more readily to the dictates of the glowing lights, and while numerous sharp reminders were necessary when a car or man sought to amble across in the face of the crimson beacon, things as a whole ran more smoothly.

KATY EARNINGS INCREASE.

Surplus of Over $5,000,000 Made for Preferred Stock in 1924.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Estimated earnings of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad for 1924 indicated a balance of $5,360,000 available for the preferred stock, which would be equal to $21.78 a share on the outstanding $24,600,000 seven per cent preferred. Earnings the year before were at the rate of about $12 a share.

T-O FAIR WILL ORGANIZE.

Election of Officers and Planning of Work to Be Made Tonight.

Election of officers, organization and planning for the work of 1925 will be completed by the Texas-Oklahoma Fair association at a meeting of the directors to be held at the Wichita club tonight.

"Life of the Party" is 16 yr Old Jazz Maniac Who Killed Her Mother

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 16.—Still the "life of the party" 16-year-old Dorothy Ellingson, confessed slayer of her mother, continued today to get the "same big kick" out of life that characterized her jazz path to a prison cell.

Twelve hours of questioning and posing found her ready to continue today when police orders shut off further interviewers. Only when her father and brother visited her in her cell—both sternly accusing her—did her sangfroid break.

Then she for a moment forgot pose and sought to beguile their sympathy.

Brother Scorns Her.

"Don't touch me—you killed my mother," her slim legged, serious faced brother, Earl, shouted as she sought to throw herself in his arms.

"My god, go away—don't you know I can't talk to you. Why do you come to me like this?" came from her taut lips in bitter tones. They turned and left and left and slowly her smile returned—again she was "the life of the party."

The youthful figure in California's most unusual matricide will not hang though her brother expressed the wish that she might. The state law prevents the extreme penalty being imposed on persons aged under 18. But the state will likely demand life imprisonment for Dorothy. This was indicated when jurisdiction over the case was retained by the superior court instead of the juvenile authorities.

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Baffles the State.

District Attorney Brady interviewed the girl and said he was at a loss to know just what to do.

"It is the first case of the kind on record in this state that I know of. Her youth, the circumstances surrounding the killing all are unusual," he said.

The girl's arraignment set her hearing for Thursday, January 22. A perfunctory coroner's inquest will be held today.

Authorities early today had not decided whether the girl would be present but it was expected she would. Her brother was to testify concerning the finding of his mother's body and another dramatic meeting between the estranged sister and brother was in prospect.

Police today continued the "sheik" roundup. Warrants were issued fo rseventeen young men as a result of the girl's stories and three of them had been arrested early today.

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Blames "Jazzland."

"They are just as guilty of this as I," she snapped when told that her erstwhile associates in "jazzland" were to be arrested.

"They started me and kept me going on the way to this."

She had a good word for only one of the seventeen. It was for Keith Lord, popular young banjoist, now in Los Angeles.

"Keith was a gentleman—different from the others," she said.

Lord, Dave Stein and Harry Chinitz were the three under arrest today. They were charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor and later the charge against Chinitz was changed to a statutory offense.

As a precaution against her suicide, Police Woman Sullivan spent the night in the girl's cell.

Worst Is Life.

If Dorothy is tried in superior court she could receive a life sentence but if her case is transferred to juvenile court the most severe sentence likely to be imposed upon conviction would be confinement to a state juvenile institution until she is 23, officials said today.

Possibility that she would plead guilty and throw herself on the mercy of the court if her case is permitted to go into juvenile court.

Dorothy was told this morning that she would not be permitted to attend the funeral of her mother. The move did not seem to visibly affect her.

"Some how I don't think of mother dead," she said.

"I loved her more than any one else. But she told me if I went to Dave Stein's party. "I'd find the door locked and the police waiting for me when I came home. Well, I went and I had a good time while it lasted."

The stern attitude of her brother, Earl, and father, Sam, gave Dorothy no concern.

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Ready for Worst.

"I don't care what they do with me," she said several times. "I'm ready for the worst. My brother wants me hanged and that won't bother me either. I'm ready for anything, I tell you."

Worst in 30,000 Cases

NEW YORK, Jan. 16—The Dorothy Ellingson case is the worst I ever heard—more shocking by far than any of the 30,000 I have handled."

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Calls Her a Moron

That was the comment today of Miss Stella A. Miner, director of the Girls' Security leader of America and nationally known welfare worker, on the confession of Dorothy Ellingson, 16, of San Francisco, that she killed her mother to clear the way for her dance down the trail of jazz.

Miss Miner, who has come into contact with girls from every walk of life during her 17 years experience in welfare work, characterized the shooting as the act of a "feeble minded, diseased moron."

"I have studied girls who were thieves, moral degenerates and criminals of the lowest type," she said. "But this case is beyond my comprehension.

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The Primitive Supreme

"The girl evidently was carried away by her primitive instincts—her desires were those of a girl of 16, but her mind was that of a six-year-old. Probably she would have shot her mother when prevented from carrying out any intense desire."

Asked if she believed the jass craze was entirely responsible for crime, Miss Miner said:

"No; society is to blame. Girls don't become wicked all at once. Dorothy Ellingson must have been in trouble before.

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"At the first sign that she is delinquent or feeble minded a girl should be placed where she cannot get into more serious difficulties. Physicological examinations should be given in all grades at school and the child who is unmistakably a moron or a degenerate, should be placed in a colony of feeble minded and kept there for life.

MURDER IN LOVE NEST?

Pretty Woman and Clandestine Lover Find Tragedy At End of Trail.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 16.—The romance of Mrs. Emily Bush, 23, a beautiful blonde, and Frank Michaels, 26, who left their married mates a year ago to live together, ended in tragedy when the woman's body clad in sheer silk pajamas and with one hand clutching a cheap sex magazine, was found in bed at heir apartment on the north side today.

Although no trace of violence could be discovered, police said the case did not appear to be suicide and ordered Michaels held for the inquest.

BODY FOUND ON TRACKS.

Insurance Policy Expires Night Before Man Is Killed By Train

MERIDIAN, Tex., Jan. 16.—The body of Aubrey Leonard was found on the Santa Fe railway tracks here this morning.

Leonard was enroute from Colorado Springs, Colo., to Temple, Texas. A five thousand dollar Traveler's Insurance company policy was found, but it was reported expired last night.

"MA" IS IN AUSTIN

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 16.—Governor-elect Miriam Ferguson, accompanied by her husband, James E. Ferguson, arrived in Austin this afternoon at 5:25 o'clock from her home in Temple.

"JAZZ MANIAC" MORON LOSES KIN SYMPATHY

Brother of Ellingson Girl Joins In Refusing Aid To "Jazz Queen"

KILLED HER MOTHER

She Still Shows No Remorse For Her Part In Death of Exacting Parent

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 16.—We will take no step to defend her. We want to see her hang.

This was the bitter declaration of the father and brother of Dorothy Ellingson, 16 year old confessed matricride at police headquarters today.

"I tried to correct the girl" said Sam Ellingson, the father. "Time and time again I tried to get her to mend her ways but she came to this and now she much suffer."

Decline Offers.

The brother, Earl, who discovered his mother's body, voiced the same sentiment as they refused offer after offer from attorneys to defend the girl.

"I'm here just because I craved excitement."

The cool bravado which appears to have been unbroken since the moment Tuesday morning when she had confessed she fired shot which killed her mother, was still with her as Dorothy sat at the end of her short trail of pleasure in the city jail here today and made this statement.

All My Fault.

"Of course, its all my fault," she hastened to add. I guess my mother wasn't strict enough with me."

As she made the statement, police officials were moving to place a formal murder complaint against her as a result of her signed confession that she shot her mother after a quarrel over her conduct.

NO JAILS FOR BOOZERS

Coolidge Says Pen Penalties for Offenders Is "Too Drastic."

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Legislation to make jail sentences mandatory for prohibition law offenders is held by President Coolidge to involve excessive punishment.

Late

BASKETBALL: At Fort Worth: Arkansas 26; T. C. U. 28.

AT COLLEGE STATION: Texas Aggies 35; Rice 17.

DALLAS—Mrs. Sallie E. Givens, 80, Texas pioneer who died here last night, will be buried here Saturday.

DALLAS—E. E. Vogel, recently arrested and later exonerated on a charge of malicious mischief in local courts, resigned here tonight as United States commissioner.

LOS ANGELES—Dr. David Starr Jordan, chancellor-emeritus of Stanford university was formally presented with the Raphael Herman $25,000 peace award in the University of Southern California auditorium here today.

MARSHALL—Fire which broke out in the coach shops of the Texas and Pacific railroad here early tonight caused damage, which is estimated will approximate $200,000.

TOPEKA—That former Governor Jonathan M. Davis and his son, Russell G. Davis will waive preliminary hearing on charges of conspiracy to accept a bribe in the instance of a pardon to Fred W. Pellman, convicted banker, was indicated tonight.

CHEYENNE—The first act of an American legislature ever made law by a woman's signature, was signed by Governor Nellie Tayloe Ross at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon. It was act one of the present Wyoming legislature making appropriations to cover expenses of the legislative session.

DALLAS—William Newman, 16, who has been sought in connection with the shooting of Julius Jordan, 16, in an alleged duel December 26, was arrested by detectives here today. The alleged duel was over an argument about marksmanship and a score of friends witnessed its settlement. Jordan was in a serious condition for several days.

WASHINGTON — President Coolidge plans to await courtation in the matter of processes now awaiting on the naval general board's recommendation for promotion of Rear Admiral John E. Robison, who, as chief of the navy department's bureau of engineering, approved the lease of the Elk Hills reserve to Edward L. Doheny.

KEEWATIN, Minn.—Three children, the oldest six years old were burned to death when fire destroyed their home at St. Paul Location, late today. They were consumed by the flames when their mother, Mrs. Joseph Etonenich left them alone while she went to milk a cow in a barn in the rear of the house.

CLEVELAND—Before leaving today for his home in Galion, Bishop William Montgomery Brown, who was deposed from the ministry after having been found guilty of heresy at a church trial here yesterday said he had received a telegram from Orpaz Ledoux, 130 Zero) in New York inviting him to become pastor of Ledoux's church of the Messiahs in New York.

Louisiana Gas Up

Companies Announce 1 1-2 Cent Raise; Pierce In Texas.

SHREVEPORT, La., Jan. 16.—Since noon Thursday, gasoline consumers have been paying 18 cents a gallon at filling stations and 16 cents tank wagon, the first change in price since last November.

Standard Oil company of Louisiana led the procession announcing the advance of one and one-half cents in filling station and tank wagon prices effective at 12 o'clock, Gulf Refining company, Louisiana Oil Refining corporation and others following suit immediately.

So far as could be learned last night an increase of two cents in the tank-wagon price and retail price by Pierce was the only change made in Texas, no other companies making increases.

WANT HIDE TARIFF

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Jan. 16.—(AP)—The American National Live Stock association at the closing session of its annual convention here today adopted a resolution "earnestly urging congress, before its adjourns to fix a tariff of six cents per pound on green hides and 15 cents per pound on dry hides."

Wortham 200,000 A Day Doubtful as Completions Fail to Stem Decline

3,000 Bbls. Drop Recorded With 4 Big New Wells In

Barkley And Meadows Complete 4,000 Barrel Producer In No. 1

168,000 PEAK

Cold Weather And Natural Drop May Present Expected 200,000

FORT WORTH, Jan. 16.—Wortham's future, insofar as a peak of 200,000 barrels is concerned, clouded Friday when, with four completions for 6,600 barrels new oil, the field's estimated production fell 3,000 barrels to 163,000 as compared with Thursday. A still greater decline is seen for the immediate future with the arrival of rain and cold weather. Operators are expecting much unfavorable weather for the next several weeks, says a dispatch from the field.

The weather, coupled with the normal output decline may prevent Wortham ever attaining a peak of 200,000 barrels.

Barkley and Meadows No. 1 Bonner, lot 2, block 8, Wortham townsite was biggest well it had Friday, pay at 2,967 feet to 3,000 feet, good for 4,10[illegible] barrels.

E. L. Smith 3 Beal, which should have been completed last week but for burned rig, did but 500 barrels initial. It is a west offset of Smith's 1 Beal.

Simms-Marland 7 Simmons, south offset of Atlanta-Peerless, 1, Roy Simmons, and a north offset of Simms-Marland's 2, good for 1,000 barrels.

Humble 1, Fingh, 4,000 feet northeast of Humphreys-Boyd's No. 1, Boyd on the line to Humphreys-Boyd's No. 1, Roy Simmons, two locations south of Gulf, 1, W. D. Wilson, [illegible] 1,000 barrel well.

Owenwood Oil corporation's No. 1, T. L. Simmons, north offset of Mutual Oil company formerly Shafer's lease), No. 1, Manning, dry hole, is to be abandoned at 3,010 feet.

Locations

A list of locations for the second week in January as filed with the oil and gas section of the railroad commission shows 38 during that seven days as against 36 during the seven days just preceding.

County—	Past week	Previous week
Archer	20	17
Baylor	3	1
Clay	1	1
Montague	1	..
Throckmorton	1	1
Wichita	5	9
Wilbarger	4	3
Young	3	4
Totals	38	36

YESTERDAY'S OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS

Sales in

	Sales	Bid.	High	Low	Close
Calif Petroleum	130	26¼	25⅞	26¼	
Consolidated Gas	164	77¾	76¾	76¾	
Cosden Oil	108	30¼	29⅞	⅓	
Houston Oil	40	80⅝	79¾	80⅝	
Marland Oil	539	43	41⅝	43⅛	
Middle St Oil	30	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	
Pacific Oil	183	55⅜	54⅞	55⅜	
Pan-Am Pet "B"	229	65¼	63⅝	65⅛	
Phillips Pet	136	39⅝	38⅝	39	
Prod & Ref	22	22⅞	22	22⅛	
Pure Oil	88	30½	29⅝	30⅛	
Shell Union Oil	338	25⅞	25	25⅝	
Sinclair Con Oil	42	19	18⅛	18⅝	
Stand O of Cal	30	66⅜	67	66⅜	
Stand O of N J	76	41⅝	41	41⅝	
Texas Co	63	44¼	44	44⅜	
Trans Oil	138	5¼	4⅞	4⅞	

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—(AP)—Advances in gasoline prices and the drop in crude oil production last year have drawn attention to the recent improvement in the industry, Wall street compilation showing that the average of 15 leading oils listed on the stock exchange had risen to 80 from the 1924 low of 36.46, or a gain of 18.34 points. Compared with 1924 highs of 54.32 the same group showed a decline of 4.73 points.

Drill Permits

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 16.—Coleman, Garza, King, Culberson, Uvalde and Fort Bend were among counties in which oil operations were listed among oil well locations filed Wednesday. The wells reported for the three-day period ending Thursday were:

Gulf Production Co., 7 Lindley, Freestone, 3,000 feet.

Humble Oil & Refining Co., 5 Lindley, Freestone.

Gulf Production Co., 1 Hirsch, State land, Goose Creek, Harris, 4,500 feet.

Trammell & Trammell, 1 Spikes, King, 3,500 feet.

Magnolia Petroleum Co., 18 Boyd, Limestone, 3,000 feet.

Port Arthur Oil and Development Co., 1 West, Jefferson, 3,500 feet.

E. W. Skinner Oil Co., 1 Hook, Hardin.

A. C. Scott, 1 Vaughan, Harrison, 950 or 1,950 feet.

Acom Oil Co., 51 Paraffine, Hardin, 700.

Armanda Oil Co., 1 Connell, Garza, 2,500 feet.

Archie Shaw, 1 Burns, Coleman, 1,200.

Gulf Production Co., 8 Nichols, Archer, 1,600.

Gulf Production Co., 9 Nichols, Archer, 1,600.

Shamrock Oil Co., B-6 Richardson, Archer, 2,000.

Sheldon & Hoyl, 1 Campbell, Archer, 1,200.

Hamlin & Anderson, 1 Hall Culberson, 500.

Humble Oil & Rfg. Co., 2 Kincade, Uvalde, 3,000.

Humble Oil & Refining Co., 13 Pipkin-Lee, Brazoria, 1,500.

Union Sulphur Co., 7 fee, Ft. Bend, 4,000.

Inca Production Corpn., 1 Scourge, Harris.

Christie, Farmers Bank

Christie et al. are setting casing on a sand encountered at about 1,300 feet on their No. 1, Farmers State bank, in the northeast corner of the Farmers State Bank lease in block 13, South Anderson Ranch sub-division, southwest of Swastika, south west Archer county.

Texhoma Leases

Jackson.

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company's No. 1, Jackson, north of Holliday, and the Shappel production has been plugged and abandoned at a total depth of 1,850 feet.

Portwood.

Texhoma's No. 1, Portwood, in the southeast corner of Baylor county, is drilling below 1,200 feet.

Gambrell.

The Texhoma No. 1, Gambrell, southwest of the Murchison and Fain discovery well, is drilling past 600 feet.

M. Phillips.

Texhoma's No. 1, Morrits Phillips, BBB&CRR survey, abstract 825, west of the Carey district, is down past 1,050 feet, and shut down for rig repairs.

Shamrock, Swastika

The Shamrock Oil company has completed its No. 19, Goldsmith, center of the south line of the Shamrock's Goldsmith lease, block 5, South Anderson Ranch Sub-division, and have a 125-barrel in eleven feet of sand below 1,330 feet. Rig has been skidded a location east in the southeast corner of the lease for No. 20.

The No. 5, Richardson B, is on the sand with an oil in the hole and showing for a nice well, drilling in with a Star to take place in a day or so.

McNamara-Pace, Justice

Completion of the McNamara-Pace, No. 1, Justice, William Patton survey, abstract 345, southwest of Anarene, when after bailing to within 250 feet of the bottom of the hole the packer failed to hold. The well at the time was showing some gas.

It is understood that an attempt will be made to cement the casing, and save the hole.

Kinder Ranch Test

The Southern Exploration company and the Superior Oil Producing company have finished up their No. 1, Kinder, located in block 52, Clark and Plumb sub-division, block 5, east of the railroad and Archer City, total depth given as 1,354 feet. The hole will be plugged and the movable rig skidded across the tracks to the Pace farm.

Simms, Carpenter

The Simms Oil company has completed its No. 2, Carpenter, northwest offset to the Litchfield discovery well, block 237, TE&LCO survey, abstract 484, and have a 200-barrel well from sand at 1,020-36 feet.

No. 3, two locations south, is drilling at 900 feet, while No. 4 is a location on the west side of the lease, across from No. 1.

Magnolia, Portwood

The Magnolia Petroleum company is plugging and abandoning their No. 2, Portwood, located in the southwest corner of their lease, block 2412, Baylor county, total depth given as 1,428 feet. The well would have made a little oil in the sand above.

A cynic is a man so sophisticated that he doesn't believe anybody except a bootlegger.

Who's Who--- And What of It?

There Is a Woman At the Beginning of All Things Under the Sun

Sidelights on the Legislature

By W. BOYD GATEWOOD

"There is a woman at the beginning of all great things."

So said Lamartine, the great French poet, who, among other things, was something of a philosopher.

And yet, Lamartine notwithstanding, there was no woman at the beginning of the Thirty-ninth Texas legislature—no woman in an era of women, no woman in a political school of women already beginning to graduate governors, congresswomen, secretaries of state.

Isn't it a rather singular thing that there is not a single woman in the house of representatives? Nor a woman occupying a sedate seat in the state senate of Texas?

Perhaps the poet in Lamartine draped the judgment of the philosopher. Perhaps, again, the Thirty-ninth legislature is not to be a thing very great. It has no women. Philosophy, however, is not always infallible.

How time and custom change in a decade!

Who, do you suppose, gave vent to the following—Bailey? Culberson? Barry Miller, now lieutenant governor?—

"Women famed for their valor, their skill in politics, or their learning, leave the duties of their own sex in order to invade the privileges of ours I can no more pardon a fair one for endeavoring to wield the club of Hercules, than I could a man for endeavoring to twirl her distaff."

Sounds like Bailey of old, doesn't it? But he didn't say it. Nor Culberson nor Miller. Goldsmith, who fashioned thought in meter and rhyme, wrote it years ago when even politicians dared to scoff at women in public life and when the old "Woman's place is in the home" idea obtained. The politician who said it now would be sent to the cleaners in great haste, never to return.

There may be no woman member of the first and second house in this Texas legislature, but it will take its executive message from the hand of a woman governor; its upper house will be asked to confirm the appointment of a woman secretary of state—and will do so with characteristic chivalry none the less young in things political.

Then, turn to the traditional "Third Chamber." It scintillates with brilliant feminine members to the court of the legislators. Their hands may be expected to guide the course of considerable and important legislation. They've already stolen a march on their male colleagues and have seized the choicest location in the Capitol. They intend to outlaw the drug store saloon. They want prison reforms, child labor ratification, educational betterment, and a dozen welfare matters.

Whatever may be the laws and the customs of a country, the women decide its morals and its higher duties. They give it a soul.

And while I'm lauding the ladies, don't forget that a woman, Mrs. J. D. Claybrook, is going to take Texas' presidential vote back to the electroial college. And be reminded that another woman, Mrs. G. Frank Coffey of Fort Worth, was her cordial rival for that rare distinction. It will be the first time Texas ever so entrusted a woman.

Incidentally, there was something of a tempest in a teapot over the Claybrook-Coffey messenger matter. Hotel lobbies hummed with the topic the other night. The ku klux klan was accused of stealing a march on their foemen and putting Mrs. Claybrook across. She acknowledged voting for Robertson and then for Dr. Butte. Devout partisans howled treason, all 'round. They pointed to Mrs. Coffey's impeccable record as a democrat and champion of the first "Ma" who'll ever sit in the executive mansion.

But there doesn't appear to have been anything "put across." Electors, proxies, klan, anti-klan and non-klan joined in Mrs. Claybrook's vote. But the klan ember was fanned, just the same. And then some there are who say, "Oh, it's a dead issue."

Rats!

It must annoy a brilliant young man to depend on his old-fogy dad for spending money.



Extermination of the boll weevil, scourge of the South's cotton fields, within a few years, is predicted by Dr. E. N. McIndoo, of the U. S. bureau of entomology, as a result of discoverics made by the bureau.

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Boys' School Pants 45c
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$4.00, $5.00 and $6.00 values
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"I Owe Nothing To Posterity," Wife Says Bill Avered

Winifred Westover Hart Gives Inside Story of Her Domestic Trouble

CRIES ON STAND

She Declares Movie Star Said He Didn't Want Her In The House

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 16.—Winifred Westover Hart took the witness stand in court here today in her suit to break the separation agreement with her husband, William S. Hart, film star, and told for the first tiem the inside story of their domestic troubles.

Between fits of crying while her husband looked on stoically and her baby boy frolicked in his nurse's lap nearby, the former screen actress told of Hart's frequent demands that she get a divorce from him and her repeated refusals on her baby's account.

Don't Want You.

They were married, she said, in December, 1921, and all went well until May day, 1922, when following a disagreement between her and Hart's sister Mary, he told her "if that's the kind of stuff you are going to pull, I don't want you in the house."

Her husband added, she testified, that he had $400,000 and that he would create a trust fund of $163,000 to provide an income for herself and another of $100,000 to take care of the expected child.

Mrs. Hart retorted that she did not believe in divorce, she said, and that she would not handicap her child by starting him in life with divorced parents.

"I Owe Nothing."

Then, she testified, Bill drmatically declared:

"I owe nothing to posterity."

Several times, she continued, her husband urged her to go to Reno and obtain a divorce, but she as often refused and their relations became so strained that at times he denied her their home. On such occasions, she said, she went to her mother's.

Mrs. Hart is attempting to break that provision of the trust fund settlement which bars her from returning to the screen. Yesterday the court held that the agreement appeared to be one "in restraint of trade," but he ordered testimony presented today to determine whether such was the case.

Hart next took the stand, denied any knowledge of trouble between his wife and his sister, said he had barred his wife from the screen to prevent his name being "commercialized" and produced for the court's inspection his picture of the family skeleton.

$50,000 THEFT REPORTED

Royal Bank of Canada Reports Loss of Cash in Shipment to Havana

HAVANA, Jan. 16.—Theft of $50,000 shipped by registered mail from the Royal bank of Canada branch at Guantanamo, Cuba, to its branch at Santiago de Cuba January 12, was announced here today. Postal inspectors are working on a theory that a substitution of a brick wrapped in paper for the bills was made before the post office received the package. The money was insured and the bank loses nothing, it was stated.

TRAIN SCHEDULE

M-K-T LINES

Eastbound

		Leaves
36	"Katy Flyer" to St. Louis, Kansas City, Dallas and San Antonio	6:45 a. m.
32	"Texas Special" to Kansas City and St. Louis	4:09 p. m.
38	"11 o'Clock Katy" to Dallas, San Antonio and Houston	11:20 p. m.

Westbound

		Arrives
37	"11 o'Clock Katy" from Houston, San Antonio and Dallas	6:15 a. m.
31	"Texas Special" from Galveston, San Antonio, St. Louis and Kansas City	2:15 p. m.
35	"Katy Flyer" from St. Louis and Kansas City	9:30 p. m.

NORTHWESTERN DIVISION

Northbound

		Leaves
54	To Forgan, Wellington and intermediate points	7:15 a. m.
51	To Elk City and Oklahoma City	7:00 p. m.

Southbound

		Arrives
53	From Forgan, Wellington and intermediate points	7:40 p. m.
51	From Elk City and Oklahoma City	7:15 a. m.

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Legislative Hopper

From The Record News Legislative Bureau at Austin, Edited by Martin Anderson, in charge

S. RAYMOND BROOKS — MARGARET STALLINGS
W. BOYD GATEWOOD — GEORGE S. WRIGHT

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 16.—Judge Norman G. Kittrell of Houston, one of the keenest minds of the state, a writer of wide note, a jurist of long experience, has returned to Austin as a member of the delegation from Harris county in the legislature.

Judge Kittrell was appointed by Gov. W. P. Hobby as a member of the commission of appeals, supreme court adjunct, and served there until the close of his term.

Kittrell's father and his grandfather, as well as his son have served in the Texas legislature.

An interesting coincidence is that Judge Edwin Hobby, father of former Gov. W. P. Hobby, served on the same commission of appeals many years ago.

Rep. John H. Veatch of Joshua has prepared the bill to consolidate the markets and warehouse department with the agricultural department. This merger is advocated by both the markets and warehouse commissioner and the elected agricultural commissioner.

It isn't often that a new member and a young member gets his maiden speech off his chest the first day of the session; but this happened to Felix A. Raymer of Austin, when he was selected to make one of the seconding speeches in the speakership race. And he spoke like a veteran—no stage fright, no amateurishness about it.

Lieut. Gov.-elect Barry Miller picked out a true friend of education when he selected Senator Edgar E. Witt of Waco to again be chairman of the educational committee. Without discrimination against other higher educational institutions, Witt has a deep love for the University of Texas, and every phase of education will have a warm supporter and an earnest advocate in him.

The warm sympathy of Senator Charles A. Murphy for the laboring man, his interest in upholding the cause and protecting the interests and welfare of labor, were recognized by Lieut. Gov. Miller in again placing him at the head of the labor committee.

Holbrook of Galveston was reappointed chairman of the banking committee, Senator Wirtz of Seguin, in addition to being president pro tem., is chairman for state affairs, the committee which gets probably more bills than any other. Holbrook heads the constitutional amendments committee, which may be important at this session.

Senator A. E. Wood of the Austin district was given charge of the committee on state institutions and departments.

Parnell of Wichita Falls heads the military affairs committee, having succeeded Senator J. H. Baugh of Ballinger, who headed the committee during the sessions of the thirty-eighth legislature. Baugh is now associate justice of the third court of civil appeals at Austin.

One Killed In Crash

Plane Goes Into Tail Spin And Falls At Brooks Field Friday

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 16.—Falling into a tail spin from an altitude of 800 feet, Staff Sergeant Robert I. Lee was instantly killed and First Lieutenant Charles M. Beatty, reserve officer, sustained a broken leg at 2:30 this afternoon on the flying field at Brooks Field.

The ship crashed in the view of cadets and pilots on the line who rushed to the wreck and took the wounded and dead man from the debris. Lieutenant Beatty was flying the ship on the last day of his instruction in the primary flying school. Sergeant Lee was a member of the 26th squadron, 23 years old, single, a Mason and came from Demopolis, Ala., where his father is mayor of the town. Lieutenant Beatty is from Memphis, Tenn.

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Leather Vests

Genuine horse hide full length. Leather collars and cuffs. Full lined. Special sale price

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Men's Sweaters

Extra special—195 in the lot. Regular $5.95 and $6.95 values, sizes 36 to 44; coat style and pullovers. Rope and shaker knit. All wool. Special

$3.95

Buckskein Shirts

The most serviceable outdoor shirts made. Looks and wears like buckskin. Olive tan color. Special sale price

$2.45

Felt Hats

Regular $5.00 values, newest shapes and colors. Satin lined, silk trimmings. Special

$2.85

Velour Hats

Big selection of the season's newest shapes. Poudre blue, brown, black and tan. Regular $5.50 values.

$3.85

Sheepskin Lined Coats

Full length. Full lined; an extra special value.

$5.45

New Caps

Regular $3 values, advanced spring shipments have arrived. Offering a wide range of patterns and styles, in the most popular colorings of the new season. Very special

$1.75

French Flannel Shirts

Including all our higher grade French flannel dress shirts. Regular values up to $4.00. Complete range of sizes and patterns. Special

$2.45

Buckskein Jackets

Made of the same material as the shirt. Full button front. Elastic jersey collar, cuffs and band around the bottom. Special sale price.

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Men's all Leather Shoes $5 Values $3.95

1 LOT OF J. P. Smith Shoes $10 Values $7.95

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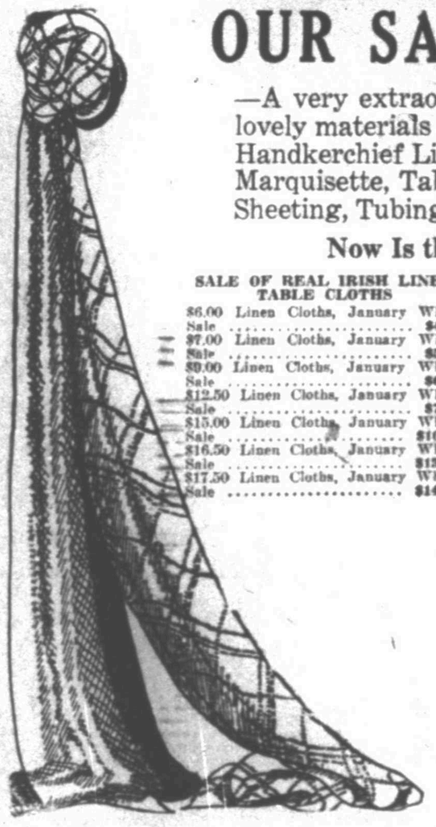
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—A very extraordinary clearance of fine white fabrics and other lovely materials such as Dimities, Nainsooks, Long Cloth, Batiste, Handkerchief Linens, Nurses Linens, Voiles, Poplins, Broadcloths, Marquisette, Table Damask, Lunch Cloths, Pillow Cases, Sheets, Sheeting, Tubing, Bed Spreads, Linen Sheeting and other materials

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$6.00 Linen Cloths, January White Sale $4.45
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$9.00 Linen Cloths, January White Sale $6.95
$12.50 Linen Cloths, January White Sale $7.50
$15.00 Linen Cloths, January White Sale $10.95
$16.50 Linen Cloths, January White Sale $13.50
$17.50 Linen Cloths, January White Sale $14.95

January Sale of Bath Mats, Bath Sets, Bed Spreads, Bolster Sets, Sheetings, Pillow Tubing, Indian Head and Bleached and Brown Domestic.

42x36 Pillow Cases, January Sale, each 27½c
42x36 Pillow Cases, hemstitched, January Sale, each 39c
81x90 Sheets, January Sale, each $1.10 and $1.45
81x90 Sheets, January Sale, each $1.75
50c Turkish Towels, January Sale, each 39c
35c Linen Guest Towels, January Sale, each 25c
$1.00 Linen Guest Towels, January Sale, each 69c
39c Linen Huck Towels, January Sale, each 33c
25c Glass Toweling, January Sale, yard 15c

HANDKERCHIEF LINENS

$1.25 grade, January Sale, yd. 98c
$1.50 grade, January Sale, yd. $1.23
$1.75 grade, January Sale, yd. $1.49
$1.95 grade, January sale, yd. $1.69
$2.25 grade, January Sale, yd. $1.98
$2.50 grade, January Sale, yd. $2.19
$2.95 and $3.00 grade, January Sale, yard $2.69

COTTON NAPKINS

$1.25 and $1.50 grade, January White Sale, dozen 98c
$1.75 grade, January White Sale, dozen $1.39
29c Nainsook, January Sale, yd. 19c
50c Madras Shirting, January Sale, yard 39c
75c English Broadcloth, January Sale, yard 65c
$1.50 English Broadcloth, January Sale, yard $1.29
50c Colored Lingerie, January Sale, yard 39c
85c Colored Lingerie, January Sale, yard 69c
39c Plisse Crepes, January Sale, yard 25c
75c Plisse Crepes, January Sale, yard 59c
$1.25 Everfast Linens, January Sale, yard 98c
49c Everfast Suitings, January Sale, yard 45c
98c Crepe Alpacas, January Sale, yard 74c
$1.50 Kimono Flannels, January Sale, yard 69c
$1.25 All Wool Challies, January Sale, yard 98c

MERCERIZED LUNCH CLOTHS

$1.49 grade, January White Sale, each $1.29
$1.95 grade, January White Sale, each $1.69
$2.39 grade, January White Sale, each $1.98

DIMITIES

25c grade, January Sale 19c
29c grade, January Sale 23c
39c grade, January Sale 25c
50c grade, January Sale 39c
75c grade, January Sale 59c

(Main Floor)

JANUARY CLEARANCE of FINE FOOTWEAR for MEN and WOMEN

An unusual Selling event today in the Shoe Section—Main Floor

One Lot Stacy Adams Shoes for men in black, brown and tan, medium toe, English last, good styles, January Sale $9.85

One Lot Men's Packard Shoes, blacks and brown, English and conservative lasts, special January Sale $7.45

One Lot Men's Shoes, broken sizes, all colors and lasts, January Sale $3.50

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SENATOR RALSTON AGAIN TO THE FORE.

Senator Ralston of Indiana has given proof of his political vitality by offering his party the best advice it has received since going down to defeat in the presidential campaign. The Indiana senator declares the great need of the democrats is an entirely new leadership. Calling upon them to rally and march on, he tells them their party will live, "not because of many of its present so-called leaders, but in spite of them."

The spirit of sacrifice and loyal devotion to a cause, in which Ralston twice rejected the democratic nomination for president when it seemed within his reach, entitles him to be heard as the prophet of a new day for democracy. He has demonstrated that he prefers his party's future to his own personal success. With his advanced years he will not be able to discharge the duties of any other office than the one he now holds. He distinctly does not seek any further benefits at the hands of his party. His sole intention is to serve it, and this should be recognized by other democrats.

Knowing that Ralston does not seek anything for himself, his fellow democrats should heed his admonition not to continue following the leaders who have led them nowhere. His implied strictures do not, of course, fall on John W. Davis who fought bravely and well, almost alone, and had the happiness of seeing the democracy make some advance from its position of four years ago. Davis is no longer a contender. He has quit the arena of politics. Without the wreath of victory, he has borne away with him the flowers of gratitude, and he is seemingly content with them.

The leaders against whom Ralston gives warning are those who scramble for place and power. These leaders, it is reported, are keeping alive the ill-feeling between east and west which was so much in evidence at the New York convention. Those seeking western support charge the east with "knifing" the democratic national ticket, while those who look to the east for their following hurl the same charge at the west. It is a foolish strife, a quarrel between pot and kettle.

If the democrats of the east did not deliver their promised strength neither did the boasted vote of the west materialize. It was expected that the democrats would capture the votes of many dissatisfied western republicans but the returns from the west demonstrated that, whether that section was, at heart, republican or whether it was progressive, it was not democratic. The east was lost too, but it has behaved in that fashion before and yet has come back again into the democratic fold.

Only the south remains to democracy, with a slight scattering of support from congressional and senatorial districts in other sections. The party must rebuild itself as it has done before. Its best course is to hold on to the south, make no direct concessions to other sections, but reach out to all, and especially to the east and middle west, for succor and support. Its one advantage is that having been reduced to its historic starting point, it can begin all over again.

WHY THEY DIED.

Woodrow Wilson died to guarantee to humble man a fairer chance and a juster world, according to Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, the eloquent president of the University of Virginia. Well, the lowly Nazarene died to guarantee to humble man a fairer chance in a juster world and after humble man had passed on to a mansion in the sky. The Nazarene is the immortal of all the ages. Will Woodrow Wilson have a place in history two thousand years hence?

What Today Means to You

CAPRICORN.

Today's planetary aspects are quite unfavorable for business risks or the assumption of financial obligations. Only ordinary and minor affairs should receive your attention. Speculation and hazard, if disaster is to be avoided, must be eschewed. Neither arguments, promises or contracts should be made. Conditions improve somewhat after sundown, although they continue to tend to mental stress. Self-control and restraint must be exercised, and an assured frame of mind can be induced by careful reading, or by light indoor recreation and amusement.

A child born today will be robust and strong, not subject to many ailments, and, if properly trained and developed, will undoubtedly possess, as it grows up, exceptional strength and more than ordinary powers of endurance. It will have, so far as its character goes, a strong will, a keen mind and shrewd judgment. It will be bright, witty and entertaining, and a general favorite, never abusing or making unfair use of its physical prowess. It will receive the earnest, steadiest love of its mate, and is destined to lead a very happy, although uneventful life.

If today is your birthday, you are pretty sure to succeed in life, as a result of your perseverance and application. You are fair-minded, just and loving, and true happiness—such as you experience, is found only in true love—the love of trust and confidence.

You have no outstanding or abnormal abilities. You have no special talents or attainments. You, however, have a great capacity for work, and stick at a job until you see it through to the finish. The material success that has so far attended your efforts is attributable to the fact that you are a constant plodder, and as loyal to your friends and associates as you are devoted to your work.

So far as spiritual success is involved, your very character ensures this in a marked degree, as you are kind, considerate of others, and invariably even-tempered.

Successful people born on this date are:
Benjamin Franklin, statesman and scientist.
Ossian B. Hart, jurist and governor.
Henry M. Baird, author and educator.
Mary G. Barbosa, colored missionary.
John A. Mitchell, editor and author.
Arthur B. Frost, artist and illustrator.
Thomas Alexander Harrison, artist.

More Truth Than Poetry

THE WOES OF OFFICE.

(Governor Bryan of Nebraska complains that he cannot support his family on his official salary.)

Oh! Pity the heroes who run every fall
For the jobs that the people bestow,
Who never are deaf to the popular call,
Though their pay is disgustingly low.
Their wives and their children may beg them for bread;
The wolf may glare in through the gate,
But still they discharge—though their hearts are like lead—
The duties ordained by the state.

"Oh! Mother!" a governor's baby will wail
As it wakes at the dawn of the day,
And writhes in its cradle, all shrunken and pale,
"Can't I have one small biscuit today?"
"Not today, precious darling," the mother replies
With one hand on the little one's brow;
While the mother is dashing a tear from her eyes
"For father's the governor now."

"Dear Mother," another child whimpers anon
In a tone of pathetic desire,
"The bitter chill blizzard blows hither and yon,
Put a small hunk of coal on the fire!"
"Alas!" says the mother, "we sold all the coal
For money to go toward the rent,
You'll have to get under the mattress, poor soul,
For father's last cent has been spent!"

Their children are starving, their wives are in need,
They eat once a week at the most,
But never a man of this unflinching breed
Has been known to abandon his post.
And in spite of their troubles and sorrows and cares,
Their motto is "Never say die!"
And when new men are needed for governors' chairs,
There's a fresh and unfailing supply!

A NOTABLE EXCEPTION.

An American visitor to Scotland was surprised by the antiquity of everything. He is evidently a teetotaler.

FOOLISH THEORY.

Why try to run a country on a system of checks and balances when every bank depositor knows how easy it is for a check to wipe out a balance?

HELPFUL.

One good thing about the movies is that they don't reach the increasing number of people who spend their evenings at the radio.

By Dr. Frank Crane

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Anyone that believes anything strongly, and expresses it clearly, is a propagandist.

A propagandist is one who wants to bring other people to his way of thinking.

Most of us are propagandists, some of us are hostile, offensive in manner, positive, dogmatic and full of rough corners. Some of us are smooth and politic. But anybody who believes in what he believes in and is not swayed by the opinions of anybody he is with, is pretty apt to be a propagandist.

A great many people have moral convictions. That is, they think some things are right and some are wrong. When people who have no convictions at all, or a conviction that everything is wrong, come up against a man who thinks some things are right, they are pretty apt to criticize him.

Most critics have no moral background. They have no positive beliefs of their own. Their belief consists in merely disbelieving in other people's beliefs.

Whatever a man thinks, they are against it, and especially if he thinks something cheerful and optimistic.

For some reason, it is assumed to be very superior to be cynical—to believe in nothing and to hate everybody. People who believe in things and love everybody are called Pollyannas and slobs, and other hard names. But the fact remains that the world wants more cheer than it wants people who are ready to pull its nose.

It may seem superior to love rainy days, and want to see the hospitals full, to hate women and children, and to be offended by laughter, but this sense of superiority is hardly shared by others. Edgar Saltus said that "Whoever commiserates with all mankind, and sympathizes with everything that is, cannot see life otherwise than as an immense and terrible affliction." This unhappy belief was held by Mr. Saltus, and he labored hard to make it popular.

Just what the pessimists want to bring about, whether misery on this earth or annihilation hereafter, it is hard to say. But whatever it will be, it will be unpleasant.

Sub Rosa

By MIMI.

Dull Colors the Best.

"Oh, Mimi!" wails one despondent young social aspirant. "I do want to be popular with the very nicest boys. But they all go with such well-dressed girls. And I can't possibly afford to keep up with them. I've got so little money for clothes that when I do buy a new dress, it has to be just a plain conservative old thing that I won't get tired of too soon."

Well, you've done the very wisest thing in the world, when you've chosen a plain conservative dress, in place of some showy frock trimmed with cheap fur. With a plain dress you can do wonders. In the first place, a straight-line dress of dark material will show off your figure, and make you look more graceful.

Then too, with a plain dark frock, you can wear so many of the charming new accessories, which although cheap are really the finishing touches which give a dress most of its smartness. For instance an imitation gardenia, worn on the shoulder gives a decided air to any frock.

Three new chokers, and three strand necklaces, which they're making nowadays to look so nearly like the real jewels show off the line of your neck and make you look smart and Frenchy.

With a dark untrimmed dress you can wear all the newest shades of hosiery, and after all you must remember that a dress is only half the costume. Shoes and hose must be trim and fashionable, or you're a total loss.

Brightly colored handkerchiefs and scarfs to match will take you out of the ordinary looking class and put you right in with the girls who always look rather distinguished and different.

You have no idea, yourself, just how much can be done with a straight one-piece frock until you've tried it. Don't try to buy lots of new dresses. Buy just two or three, and then spend all the rest of your allowance on those little accessories that make a costume.

You'll hear people saying about you one day, that "that Allen girl always manages to look like one of those advertisements in Harper's Bazaar. I don't know how she does it, because the Allens haven't as much money to spend on their daughter as we have."

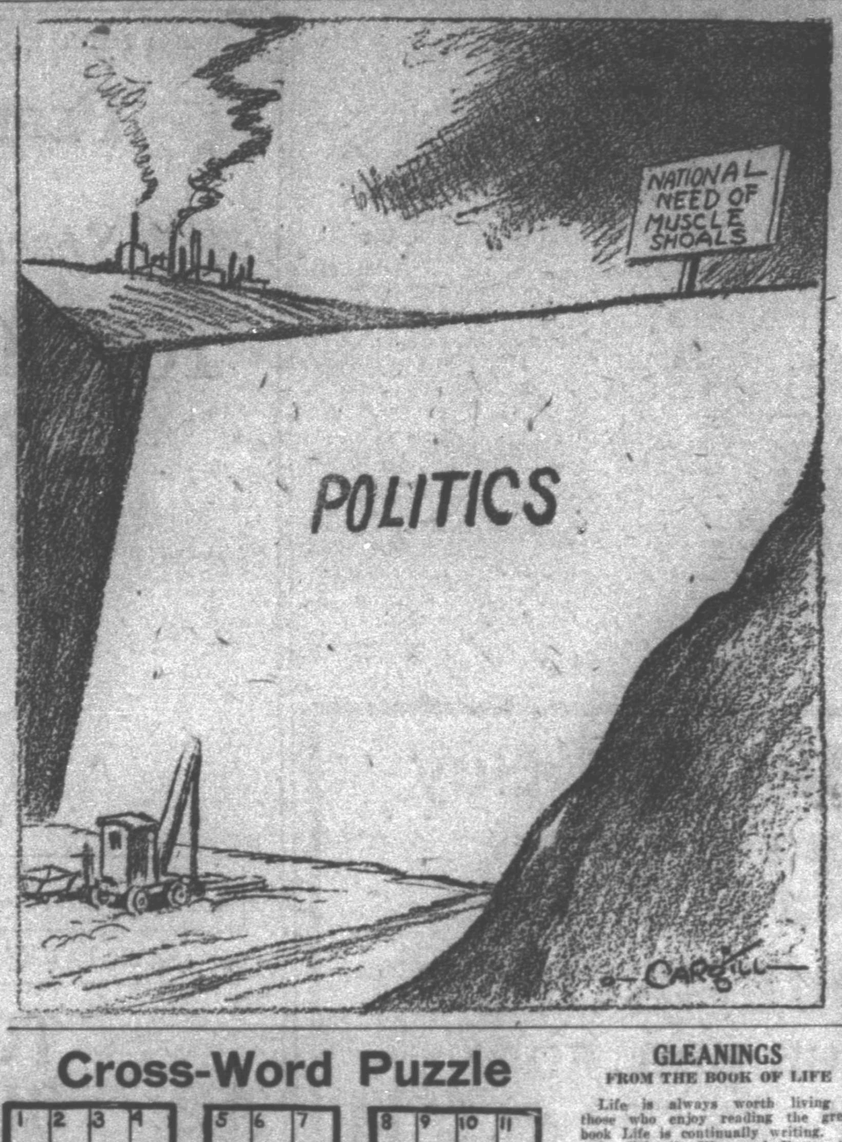
Don't pine for smart new clothes. Make those you have, smart.

Pointed Paragraphs

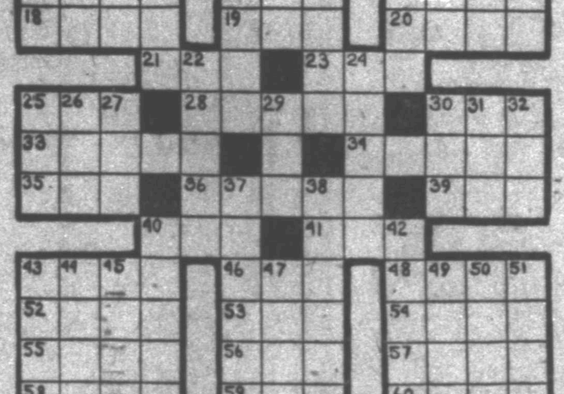
A red menace is visible only to the crowd that needs it to get elected.

Very few barbers have yet learned to talk entertainingly about embroidery.

Ignorance causes fear. No boy really dreads a spanking after he gets one.



Cross-Word Puzzle



Every number in the form represents the beginning of a word, reading either horizontally or vertically. If there is a black square to the left of the number, the word is horizontal; if above it, the word is vertical. The same number may of course begin both a horizontal and a vertical. The definitions for the correct words to fill the form are found below, with numbers corresponding to those on the form. Run through the definitions till you find one that you recognize, and put it in its proper place on the form, one letter for each white square. This will furnish several cross-clues to the words linking with it at right angles. Continue in this manner till the form is completely filled. If you have solved the puzzle correctly it should read both horizontally and vertically with words corresponding to the definitions.

Horizontal.

1. To note the time of writing.
5. A wooden or metal supporting pin.
8. Price.
12. In bed.
13. A short poem.
14. Not early.
15. To guide.
16. Over.
17. Member of a tribe of Siouxan Indians.
18. A character in the opera "Lohengrin."
19. To wrack (slang).
20. A certain thing.
21. To go to court to gain legal redress.
23. Belonging to it.
25. Assistance.
28. A very short time.
30. A quid of tobacco.
33. To concede.
34. A loop in a lasso.
35. Even (contraction).
36. Levels.
39. A golfing term.
40. Part of the verb "to be."
41. An elongated fish.
43. A social group.
46. An immature insect.
48. A precious stone.
52. Not short.
53. A small spot.
54. To pierce, as with the horn.
55. To stake or put up.
56. The female sheep.
57. Related by blood.
58. A dam in a river.
59. Father.
60. Tidy.

Vertical.

1. A valley.
2. Son of Adam and Eve.
3. Social afternoon gatherings.
4. Two works in the old Norse.
5. One who trifles.
6. An incipient plan.
7. Pertaining to the skin.
8. Conguluns.
9. A solemn affirmation.
10. A portion.
11. An examination
22. To speak.
24. Intent and rapt.
25. To grow old.
26. Anger.
27. A boy's name shortened.
29. Frozen liquid.
30. A small bed.
31. To employ.
32. A river in Wales.
37. Peddled.
38. Gained as clear profit.
40. Wrath.
42. Name of Californian who produced a hybrid between a raspberry and a blackberry.
43. An animal's nail.
44. Single.
45. A prefix signifying "against."
47. A western state.
49. To prod with something pointed.
50. A melody.
51. Opposite of borrowed.

This puzzle took fifteen minutes to solve. How long will it take you?

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

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GLEANINGS

FROM THE BOOK OF LIFE

Life is always worth living to those who enjoy reading the great book Life is continually writing.

In Tolstoi's War and Peace, the hero, Peter, is supposed to be the richest man in the Russian empire. During the French revolution he is taken prisoner and dragged through much of the retreat. Cold, vermin, hunger and every form of misery assails him, the result being a revelation to him of the real scale of life's values.

"Here only, and for the first time, he appreciated, because he was deprived of it, the happiness of eating when he was hungry, of drinking when he was thirsty, or sleeping when he was sleepy, and of talking when he felt the desire to exchange some words. . . Later in life he always recurred with joy to this month of captivity and never failed to speak with enthusiasm of the power and ineffaceable sensations, and especially of the moral calm which he has experienced at this epoch."

William James observes that the occasion and the experience are nothing. It all depends on the capacity of the soul to be grasped, to have its life currents absorbed by what is given.

Life is always worth living if one has such responsive sensibilities as Tolstoi's hero.

The reason most of us do not enjoy life equally well, it seemed to James, is that most of us have got far, far away from nature.

"We are strained to seek the choice, the rare, the exquisite exclusively, and to overlook the common. We are stuffed with abstract conceptions and glib with verbalities and verbosities; and in the culture of these higher functions the peculiar sources of joy connected with our simpler functions often dry up, and we grow stone-blind and insensible to life's more elementary and general goods and joys."

The remedy under such conditions as James sees it, is to descend to a more primitive level.

To be imprisoned or shipwrecked or forced into an army would permanently show the good of life to many an over-educated pessimist, he observes.

"Living in the open air and on the ground, the lop-sided beam of the balance slowly rises to the level line; and the over-sensibility and insensibilities even themselves out. The good of all the artificial schemes and fevers fades and pales; and that of seeing, smelling, tasting, sleeping, and daring and doing with one's body, grows and grows.

"The savages and children of nature, to whom we deem ourselves much superior, certainly are alive, along these lines; and, could they write as glibly as we do, they would read us impressive lectures on our impatience for improvement and on our blindness of the static goods of life.

"Ah, my brother," said an Indian chieftain to his white guest, "thou wilt never know the happiness of both thinking of nothing and doing nothing. This, next to sleep, is the most enchanting of all things."

There are 87,642 dumb in America, but this doesn't include the dumb who can talk.

Another way to use mercury to make gold is to be a coal dealer when the mercury is down.

The thing for America to remember is that Rome didn't fall while it was run by Romans.

Americanism: "They're so poor they pay cash."

Nearly every good cause is injured by its loyal support of its crooks.

"Concealed weapons invariably invite disaster." Ask Germany; she knows.

We wonder at times if a bedroom ever is called a boudoir except in print.

Correct this sentence: "With the curtains up," said she, "we find it as warm as a closed car."

HOW IT STARTED

"Thug."

Here we have another of those words which in its few letters conceals an interesting tale of another age and another clime. It comes, by way of England, from India which has contributed a good many words to our language, unconscious as we are of this fact when we use them.

"Thug" was originally the Hindoo "thag," a member of a former religious fraternity in India which lived by robbery and assassination. With much in common with the modern gunman who is named after him, the Thag, however, was unique in that he looked upon his occupation as his by divine right and each act of ruffianism or murder as another offering to the particular goddess who was supposed to protect his order.

English rule and the spread of enlightenment in India has seen the last, we are told, of the "Thag," or thug, but his name has survived to name his modern counterpart in the commission of crime and violence.

Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE.

Making Time.

Twenty or more years ago, I rode from Portland to Ashland in the State of Oregon with a new superintendent who had been transferred to that particular railroad line.

He rode in a day coach, and as this was his first official trip he was unknown to the train crew.

Whenever the train stopped, he would get out, and standing on the platform watch the conductor and engineer.

At the third stop, when considerable time was spent getting the engineer's pipe lighted, he stepped up to the conductor and said:

"Why don't you give the signal to go ahead?"

"What business is that of yours?" said the conductor.

"The train is ten minutes late already," returned the superintendent. "We lost one minute at the first station, two at the second, four at the third, and he rest at other stops. We are going to lose a couple of minutes here. We'll be twenty-five or thirty minutes late at the end of the division."

"You seem to be in a h-l of a hurry," said the conductor. "Who are you?"

"I am in a hurry and I'll tell you why on board," was the reply. "The engineer's pipe is getting started, so we can be going on."

On board the train the superintendent told the conductor quietly and without any ostentation who he was and why he was interested in getting trains through on time. "The road is getting a bad name," he explained. "We lose connections, and we lose money on account of it. Just a little briskness at every station will cut all that out. I wanted to find out why the trains were all late, and now I know. There won't be any more delay, will there?"

"Not if I can help it," said the conductor with a grin, which was born of the unexpected good nature of the "Super."

After that, trains ran on schedule on that line, unless there was an accident of some sort to cause delay.

All the unnecessary waste, caused by a little idling here and there, a little too much conversation between trainmen and station men, was eliminated.

There was a difference in the dividends, and a tremendous difference in the reputation of the road, merely because the superintendent, instead of sitting in his home office and issuing orders, had gone over the route, found out the trouble, and showed the train men how easy it would be to avoid it.

"Making time" is an inaccurate expression, although it is used widely on American railroads.

Time cannot be "made" but it can be saved, which amounts to the same thing.

We all waste far too much of ours, and regret it later when we are rushed and hurried and have to half do our work in order to catch up.

But if we will go over our own lines and find out where the wasting is, they can be easily remedied as were those on this railroad.

And the extra time we gain can be put to good use, even if it goes to more careful doing of our work, which is the only way that it can be done as it ought to be done.

CHILDREN'S CROSS WORD PUZZLE

HOW TO SOLVE PUZZLE.

The words start in the numbered squares and run either across or down. Only one letter is placed in each white square. If the proper words are found each combination of letters in the white squares will form words. The key to the puzzle—the first word—is given in the drawing. Below are keys to the other words.



(RUNNING ACROSS)

Word 1. In picture.
Word 5. "The land of the free and the home of the——."
Word 6. What one of the boys has in his hands.

(RUNNING DOWN)

Word 2. An important city in Nebraska.
Word 3. Nickname of a wartime president.
Word 4. Ocean.

YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE ANSWERED



Britain is strong enough to combat anything that may happen in Egypt except the boll weevil.

A hick town is a place where you can address a stranger without being shot in self defence.

Irrigation

The Water in the Diversion Lake.

The other day we gave the analysis of the water in Lake Kemp as it was made for the Wichita Falls Technical club. The technical club also took samples of water from the diversion lake and from the canals. It will be remembered that the proportion of calcium to sodium in Lake Kemp was 905 to 703 or about one and one-fourth to one in favor of the calcium. A good water.

It would naturally be supposed that the water in the diversion lake would have a greater proportion of impurities than the water in Lake Kemp. The water has to travel 14 miles down the channel and should of course accumulate more impurities. This is proved true to a limited extent.

The following is an analysis of the water in the diversion lake, the figures denoting the number of parts of the salts thentioned per million parts of water:

Sodium chloride	625
Magnesium chloride	21.8
Magnesium carbonate	325
Calcium carbonate	464.7
Calcium sulphate	192.7

The ratio of calcium salts to sodium salts is 1005 to 712 or a little more than one and one-fourth to one in favor of the calcium. The sodium chloride or table salt content is only nine parts in a million greater in the diversion lake.

Calcium sulphate or gypsum is less in amount in the diversion lake while there is considerably more lime or calcium carbonate in it than in Lake Kemp.

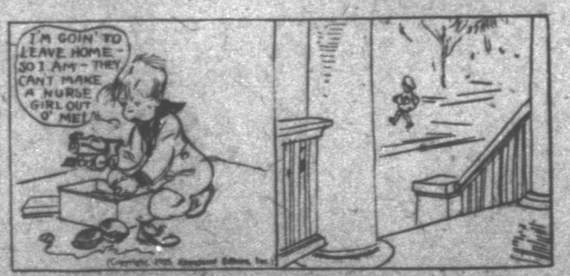
The sample of Lake Kemp water was a composite one taken from three points widely separated. The sample from the diversion lake was taken at one point only and probably does not represent the average content of the water nearly so well as does the composite one.

POEMS THAT LIVE

The mill goes toiling slowly 'round
With steady and solemn creak,—
And my little one hears in the kindly sound
The voice of the old mill speak.
While round and round those big white wings
Grimly and ghost-like creep,
My little one hears that old mill sing:
"Sleep, little tulip, sleep!"
The sails are reefed and the nets are drawn,
And over his pot of beer
The fisher against the morrow's dawn
Lustily maketh cheer.
He mocks at the winds that caper along,
From the far-off clam-roe deep;
But we, we love their lullaby song,
Of "Sleep little tulip, sleep!"
Old dog Fritz in slumber sound
Groans on the stony mart!
Tomorrow how proudly he'll trot you round
Hitched to the new milk-cart!
And you shall help me blanket the kine
And fold the gentle sheep,
And set the herring a-soak in brine,—
And now, little tulip, sleep!
A dream—one comes to blanket the eyes,
That wearily droop and sink:
While the old mill buffets the frowning skies,
And scolds at the stars that blink.
Over your face the misty wings
Of that beautiful dream—one sweep
And rocking your cradle, she softly sings
"Sleep, little tulip, sleep!"

—By J. H. Striebel

Pantomime





Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

TO BE IDEAL, MARRIAGE MUST BE AN UNDERSTANDING OF "HOW THE OTHER HALF LIVES"—THAT'S WHY A WOMAN WHO HAS EARNED HER OWN LIVING AND A BACHELOR WHO HAS DARNED HIS OWN SOCKS OUGHT TO BE HAPPY TOGETHER.

A correspondent wants to know what I consider the ideal marriage. Of course, there isn't any such thing as an ideal marriage, nor is there any such an animal as a perfect husband or wife. Matrimony, like all other human institutions, is a makeshift relationship, full of faults and blemishes and weaknesses. And husbands and wives still remain blundering human beings, with nerves and temper, and cranky ways, and general cussedness.

But the nearest approach to an ideal marriage that I can think of would be for a business woman who had earned her own living for ten years to marry a bachelor who had kept house and done his own cooking and darned his own socks for a similar length of time.

If that wouldn't establish matrimony on a platform of mutual sympathy, and understanding, and forbearance, and tolerance, and appreciation, then I don't know what would.

For the biggest fly in the ointment of matrimony is the secret belief that both husbands and wives cherish that each got the hot end of the bargain in the domestic partnership, and that he or she has to do all the work and bear all the burdens, while the party of the other part loafs on the job and leads a gay and carefree life.

The woman who has never earned a dollar in her life thinks that making money is the simplest trick in the world. You do something with a thing called business, and voila, there it is!

Going downtown is always a sort of a spree for her, and she pictures it that way for her husband. She sees him in her mind's eye meeting other men, exchanging good stories with them, smoking cigarettes, going out to lunch, and what there is in this to tire a man so much that he comes home too exhausted to want to go out to the theater or to a party she can't understand.

If he had been through all the worries and vexations that she has been through, cooking, and cleaning, and scrubbing, and taking care of a fretful baby, he would have a right to talk about his nerves and complain of being weary. It is women who have the hard time in married life.

And the man smiles cynically at his wife's grumbling over her lot. Home means to him a place of rest and relaxation, and when his Mary complains about the endless work of keeping a family comfortable he tells her she doesn't know when she's well off; and, by Jove, he wishes he had nothing to do but stay at home and look after the children and get a few meals and sweep up the floors.

Now, the average man does not begrudge the hard labor it takes to support his family. Nor does the average woman rebel at the endless sacrifices required of a wife and mother. All that both the man and woman really want is to be pitied a little, praised a little, appreciated a little, and for the other one to realize that matrimony isn't all beer and skittles for him or her, either.

That is why the business woman makes such a good wife. The woman who has earned her own bread and butter doesn't think of a man's office or store as a pleasure ground. She knows it far a battlefield on which he fights daily for his own life and those who are dearer to him than his own life. She knows that every dollar he earns is wet with blood and sweat, and that by the time that night comes he is worn to a frazzle in mind and body. She knows how easy it is to fail, how hard to succeed.

And so when she marries she knows just how exhausted her husband is after a hard day's work, and she does not drag him out to parties. She knows how nerve-worn he is, and she does not even try to talk to him until she has fed him. She keeps his morale up by continually expressing her appreciation of all he does for her and she bolsters up his courage by her faith in him.

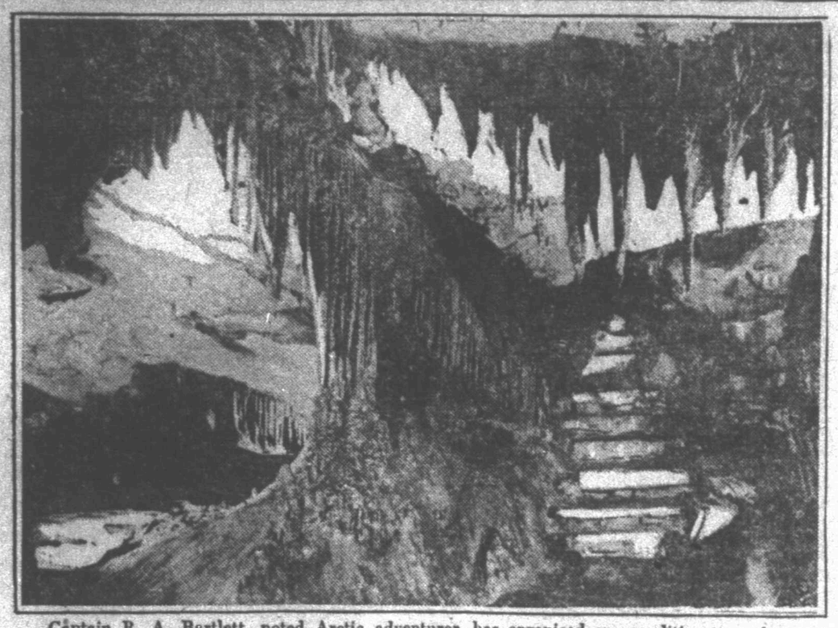
Many men in these days are getting business women for wives. Unfortunately, few women ever have the luck to get a man for a husband who has had any domestic training and who knows experience that you do not conjure three good meals a day out of the air, but that they are the result of foresight, and prudent buying, and skill, and work, and time and patience.

Nor are many women wise enough to go off every now and then and leave their husbands to wrestle with the children and ascertain for themselves that you do not wash a baby as you do a setter pup, and that a 3-year-old child can walk the strongest man off his legs, and that there isn't a minute in the day when Johnny, and Jimmie, and Mary, and Sadie are not fighting, and quarreling, and wanting to go somewhere or tearing their clothes, and that it takes all of the dishes in the house, and then some, to serve a meal.

Believe me, if any man in the world would undertake his wife's job for three consecutive days he would never again think of it as a soft snap. Instead, he would beg for a chance to break rock on the street or engage in some other similar light employment.

The old adage, "One-half of the world does not know how the other half lives," has no truer exemplification than in married life. If they did, husbands and wives would have more sympathy and patience with each other.

DOROTHY DIX.



Captain R. A. Bartlett, noted Arctic adventurer, has organized an expedition to explore and reach the end of the maze-like Endless caverns, near New Market, Va., which have never been penetrated. The party will build a cabin a mile and a half down from the entrance, and work out from there. The photo shows a section of the interior of "Skyland cavern."

A REWARD FOR BANDITS.

Pittsburgh Bank Offers $10,000 for Capture of Two Who Shot Man.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 16.A reward of $10,000 has been offered by the board of directors of the First National bank at Pittsburgh for the furnishing of information leading to the arrest of two holdup men who sought to force Lawrence E. Sands, president of the bank, to pay them $20,000 on January 6, officers of the bank announced today. The bandits shot and wounded the banker's son, John W. Sands, a former army captain, when he ran to call for help.

LEGAL TENDER FLOODED.

Dollar Design Woven in Carpet Held To Be Counterfeit Money.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 16.—An importer here recently ordered a large carpet woven in Greece with a facsimile of the American dollar as its feature pattern. The Turkish authorities now have refused to allow the carpet to pass through the customs on the ground that it is "counterfeit money."

RAMONA JR., INTRODUCED.

Only Living Child of California Heroine Now A Proud Mother.

HEMET, Cal., Jan. 16.—Birth of a baby girl at the Indian reservation home near here of Condino Hopkins, only living child of Ramona, the romantic heroine of Helen Hunt Jackson's novel of early California days, was announced yesterday. Ramona's grandchild is welcomed with particular affection in this community where each year a Ramona pageant celebrates the memory of the bride of Alesandro.

PASTOR'S HOME IS BOMBED

Chicago Reformer Suffers $1,500 Loss for Raids on Booze Vendors.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—A bomb explosion last night at the home of the Rev. Elmer Williams, prominent reformer, caused damage estimated at $1,500. He attributed the attack to retaliation for his activities as chairman of the law enforcement committee of the Better Government association in participating in raids on saloons.

TEXAS POSTMEN NOMINATED

Beaumont Man Among Nominations Sent President Coolidge to Senate

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Postmasters nominated by President Coolidge today included:

Beaumont, Texas: Charles P. J. Ledyidge.

Brownwood, Texas: William I. Turner.

27 CHILDREN ORPHANED

Explosion in Mine Kills Six Kentuckians, Fathers of Big Families

PROVIDENCE, Ky., Jan. 16.—Twenty-seven children were made fatherless late yesterday afternoon when an explosion in the Diamond Coal company's mine No. 1 snuffed out the lives of six miners who composed the power gang. One miner escaped. All bodies have been recovered.

FLINT SAYS SHE'S DRY.

Michigan City Blows the Horns on Anniversary of 18th Amendment

FLINT, Mich., Jan. 16.—Flint rejoiced today in prohibition.

Commemorating the fifth anniversary of the day on which the 18th amendment became effective, church and school bells were rung and whistles were tooted, with dry forces champioining what is believed to be the first civic celebration over the body of Barley Corn ever held.

HUBBY SPANKS; SHE SUES.

He Didn't Like Bobbed Hair and Said She Was A Nut; Now He's in Court.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 16.—(INS)—Because she says her husband spanked her while she bobbed her hair telling her "no woman who bobs her hair is morally fit to become a mother," Maud Brown sued her husband, Walter Borwn, Los Angeles business man, for divorce here today.

"Now that your hair is bobbed, you make a good looging nut" Brown told his wife, according to Mrs. Brown's complaint.

Who dreamed that an era of open diplomacy would transfer boudoir rites to the street car.

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WACO NOT WHIPPED YET.

Although Secretary Farrell of the National association of baseball leagues has ruled against Waco in the controversy with the Texas association caused by that city's desire to withdraw from the association and enter the Texas league, Waco sport circles still consider that Club Owner Dupuy holds the whip hand.

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Waco fans will attempt to freeze out the T. A. by the simple process of not attending association baseball games played in Waco, declare the more headstrong of the enthusiasts who are agitating withdrawal from the organization.

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In the meantime somebody is going to be left holding the burlap if Texas league officials don't hustle up and place the orphan Galveston franchise, that is, if the Texas association fails to give in to Waco's demands.

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The T. A. meets early next week, and it is very likely that although Farrell did back the association in his decision the loop will come to some agreement or other with Waco. And it appears hardly possible that the association will still insist in keeping a team in Waco in face of the attitde of the fans there.

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The past week was one in which Baylor cagers didn't lose a game, boasts one of the college sports experts. They didn't play any.

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FIRPO JUST SPOOFING?

Eddie Kane, Gibbons manager, says that all talk of a Gibbons-Firpo match in England, for the National Sporting or any other club, is pure bunk. Kane says one experience of English promoters and purses is enough. The National Sporting club, of course, would make good any purse offered. It is the oldest and most celebrated sporting club in England.

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Kane thinks Firpo hasn't any idea of fighting Gibbons in England or anywhere else, and that all the talk he has succeeded in stirring up is the pure and unadulteredate bullyhoo, intended to work up a new interest in Firpo when he comes back to this country. Luis hasn't played in much luck lately. He came here to fight Wills, and his training was broken up completely by "reformers" who acquired much publicity by dragging him before various federal and judicial bodies on very unpleasant charges. Firpo was exonerated, eventually, but that didn't do him much good. He had lost to Wills in a sloppy bout. Then, without taking the trouble to train, he fought Charlie Weinert and was hopelessly outlapped. Firpo has an agreement to go under De Forest's care on returning from Europe, and perhaps De Forest can take his fat off, put some pep into him, and resurrect the "Wild Bull" but Firpo will have to show an inclination to work hard before anyone will pay to see him fight again. Nobody loves a fat fighter.

SUPER-FIGHTER ALWAYS WHIPS SUPER-BOXER IN GLOVE BATTLES, HISTORY OF FISTIC GAME SHOWS

Dempsey, Walker, McGovern, Ketchel, and Jeffries Examples of Unpolished But Winning Scrappers

Whatever you may think about a good boxer being able usually, to beat a good fighter, the case of the super-boxer against the super-fighter should stir up no such heated discussions. Skill, studied or natural science is up against it when berserk fury combines with genius to the attack. The ring type incorporating these latter two ingredients is a rare one. But when he does pop up all the boxing finesse and ring cunning in the universe cannot cope with him. A few examples of the kind—Jack Dempsey, Stanley Ketchel and "Terrible Terry" McGovern. The most exquisite boxing skill represents a barrier of tissue paper to terror-tigers of this type.

This lesson was driven home quite convincingly in a recent bout in Newark. Mickey Walker is something of a super-fighter type in the welter ranks at present. Powerful as a young bullock, he overwhelms his opponents with the sheer physical might of his attack. Mickey rips in beam-like blows to head and body with amazing rapidity. Jock Malone, perhaps the most polished middle weight boxer in the ring today, discovered, to his dismay what it was to encounter the super-fighter whirlwind. Jock flashed all the ring wizardly at his command. Yet at times the lusty young Walker buffeted him about pretty much as he would an unschooled novice. The clouts came all too fast and too violently to be blocked or "slipped." It was a discouraging night for the supporters of skill, the "highbrow" precepts of fisticuffing. Such a master-boxer as Malone isn't often so humiliated. The super-fighter, fortunately for the Malones, isn't a common specimen.

Boxing skill of rare degree is often obtained at the expense of the rougher, iron and flint ring qualities. The showy boxer usually lacks the knockout wallop. Also frequently the necessary staying powers. Nevertheless his bewildering cleverness can carry him far, sometimes to a championship. Prominent among ringmen of the type today are Malone, Jimmy Slattery, Young Stribling and Mike McTigue. None of these is a hard puncher, and only one—McTigue—has thus far gained a title.

At the moment we cannot think of a single instance of a super-boxer ever whipping a super-fighter in the latter's prime. Corbett, the super-boxer, it is true, vanquished John L. Sullivan, but the latter had first been whipped by John Barleycorn. Corbett's bewildering skill may have beaten Sullivan in the Old Roman's prime. John had never before sampled anything approaching Corbett's boxing genius. Yet how many are sure that Fitzsimmons, Jeffries and Tom Sharkey, all conquerors of the master boxer, Corbett, were more formidable than Sullivan in his palmy days?

The present day Jack Dempsey is assuredly a super-fighter. The keenest boxing science is nothing in the "man-killer's" life when Jack is "right." Tom Gibbons, Bob McAllister and Battling Levinsky rate as remarkably skilled boxers. The former, in fact, is a super-boxer. There are those who argue that Dempsey possesses boxing skill in his own way. Perhaps this is so. Yet we can think of him as nothing other than an extraordinary fighter type. At Shelby we saw him slam the brilliant Gibbons about pretty much as he pleased after he had struck his stride. Tom managed to "ride" with some of the wallops. At other times he was severely pounded. Dempsey swarmed over Tom, breaking through the St. Paul phantom's usually perfect guard as easily as he did Harry Drake's in the training camp at Great Falls.

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The writer has always felt that Dempsey could have scored a knockout that afternoon had he so elected.

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McGovern Ran Wild Against Stylists.

Bob McAllister was the fastest and cleverest boxer turned out on the coast since Jim Corbett's day. The super-fighter, Dempsey, mauled him plentifully in a four-rounder, earning the decision. But Levinsky, a supertactician of the defense, was knocked senseless in three rounds by Dempsey.

Deft boxing skill, minus the knockout drive, failed utterly against "Terrible Terry" McGovern and Stanley Ketchel, two of the super-fighter breed. McGovern ran wild against the "highbrow" stylists. Such accomplished boxers as Harry Forbes, Patsy Haley, Pedlar Palmer, Eddie Santry and Frank Erne were helpless before the Brooklyn Terror's whirlwind attack and murderous punching power. In his shortest fights with them it took Terry but an even dozen rounds to dispose of this glittering array of science.

Ketchel could almost name the round on most of his fancy opponents. Philadelphia Jack O'Brien would easily be the light heavy weight champion were he in his prime today. Yet the Michigan Assassin punched him out in three rounds in their last meeting. Willie Lewis, Hugo Kelly, the dazzling Joe Thomas, Jack and Mike Twin Sullivan, artists in defensive tactics, were easy for him.

Jack Dillon was a sawed-off Jack Dempsey, minus the champion's crushing wallop. Dillon, also nicknamed the "Man Killer," was a punishing hitter. He was the original busy bee in his day. Science bothered him not a whit. Perhaps his best efforts were the defeats of clever Charlie Weinert, perhaps the fastest and showiest big fellow since Corbett. Dillon, who was somthing of a super-fighter type, twice whipped the speedy Weinert, really ruining the Newark man's career. Weinert was knocked out in the first meeting in two rounds. In their second tilt, in Madison Square Garden, pasted the wonder boxer all over the ring for ten rounds.

Jim Jeffries, Les Darcy, Billy Papke, Kid Williams and Kid Lavinge were super-fighter types in front of which mere boxing skill nimbly bowed out of the picture. Jeff's bulk helped him considerably. Still that he could use it to advantage in addition to his terrific punching was to his credit. He overcame pure science in his joust with Jim Corbett. Against Gus Ruhlin he triumphed over science and a punch.

Darcy, the Australian, has been likened to Ketchel. He was a marvelous fighting type, though short in boxing. However, that didn't prevent him from beating such clever ones as Jimmy Clabby and Eddie McGoorty.

Papke was a furious fighting man. They called him the thunderbolt.

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Duke Trammel, local welterweight, with a bit more pep and snap added to his fighting makeup, may develop into one of these superfighters. He is no doubt one of the hardest hitting scrappers of the day in his weight.

Farrell Rules Against Waco

T. A. Hopes To Settle Waco Controversy Next Week

WACO, Jan. 16.—President J. G McIntosh of the Texas association, has called a meting of the owners of the clubs of the association to meet in Waxia next Wednesday at 10:30 a. m. The meeting is called primarily for the purpose of threshing out the Waco situation, of determining whether or not Waco shall be allowed to withdraw from the Texas association to become a member of the Texas league.

President McIntosh made this decision late this afternoon after he had received a wire from J. H. Farrell, president of the association of Minor League, upholding the Texas association owners in their stand against the withdrawal of Waco from the league.

In calling the meeting Wednesday morning President McIntosh stated that a committee from Waco would be welcome at the meeting in order that the entire situation might be thoroughly discussed. Thus it is quite likely that a committee of sportsmen from this city who are endeavoring ot place Waco in the Texas league, will attend the meeting. Officers for the ensuing year will also be elected at this meeting.

H. A. Dupuy who had contended that the minutes of the first meeting held by the Texas association stipulated that Waco could withdraw from the circuit at any time during the off-season, declared that he had heard nothing definitely from Farrell and expressed his disappointment that he was overruled by Farrell, "but" stated the Waco president, "I feel sure that same agreement will be made at the meeting Wednesday and that Waco will be in the Texas league before February 1."

Oklahoma A & M Drubs Varsity

STILLWATER, Okla., Jan. 16.—University of Texas cagers after playing two years without a defeat, lost to Oklahoma A. & M. colege 46 to 10 in the first game of a series of two here tonight. The second game will be played tomorrow. The visiting team only two field goials, one in each half.

Clyde Hall, Aggie center, scored fifteen individual points for his team.

LANDIS DECLINES TO TALK.

Evidence Sought for Prosecution of O'Connell and Dolan.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Commissioner K. M. Landis declined to state today whether or not he would provide district attorney Banton of New York with the necessary evidence to prosecute O'Connell and Dolan for their part in the alleged deal to bribe Heinie Sand, Philadelphia shortstop, at the climax of the 1924 season.

Banton had indicated that he would not take the initiative but was willing to prosecute if supported.

"I have no comment to make; none at all," was all Landis would say.

Tom Carroll, 67 Years Old, Still Strong Athlete

Was World's Greatest Pro Athlete When Youth of 40

HOLDS PAIR OF TITLES

Fighter, Wresler, Weight Man And Constable Now

By ROBERT EDGREN

In Fruit Yale, California, Constable Tom Carroll is known as the officer who never put a boy in jail. When boys in Tom's bailiwick made too much trouble he spanks them. The become good immediately. Tom's right hand is just twice as wide as Jack Dempsey's. Incidentally Tom Carroll, at 67, stands six feet seven, has a reach of 86 inches, and can throw a 56 pound weight 36 feet, which is a championship performance anywhere in the world.

A quarter of a century ago, when Carroll was a mere youth of 40, he was the world's greatest professional athlete. He could throw a hammer farther with one hand than any other man could with two. He could high jump six feet, break any kind of a world's record with the weights any time he wanted to, run a fast half mile, and wrestle or box anybody who cared to take a chance with him. Today he is the strongest man of his age in the known world, and still an athlete. As he has trained and competed constantly for 37 years and hasn't known a day of sickness in all that time he is probably the finest example in the world of the real benefit of athletics. Incidentally Carroll isn't like the century old Irishman who crops up in newspaper paragraphs every few months, who has smoked a pipe and drunk whiskey all his life. He drinks about a gallon of good well water every day, and never drinks anything else. Once in a great while he smokes a couple of cigars, then has an attack of conscience and swears off for the rest of the year.

Took 'em All to Cleaning.

When he was 20 Carroll travelled around the world beating all the big Scotchmen in feats of strength. All athletes were Scotch in those days. Carroll has a Scotch strain himself and is a good member of the Caledonian club. While throwing weights at eames in Nanaimo, Vancouver Island, Carroll was challenged to fight a heavyweight bruiser who was champion of the lumber camps. He accepted. The local champion suggested that they "go easy," as there was no use in two fine big fellows slaughtering each other just to make a lumber camp holiday. In his youth and innocence Carroll agreed. In the second round the local champion, who had been waiting for an opening, swung from his heels and hit Carroll on the chin. Tom got up in a few seconds covered his face with his hands, and reeled backward, while the local man rushed wildly to finish him. After stalling a moment Carroll swung a right from the floor and lifted the lumber camp champion clear over the ropes of the ring on the Nanaimo Opera house stage. In his fall the champ broke three chairs, and he was unconscious for 24 hours. Carroll never fought again because he was afraid of killing someone. But he used to wrestle all the Big Turks that came to this country, which afforded some amusement.

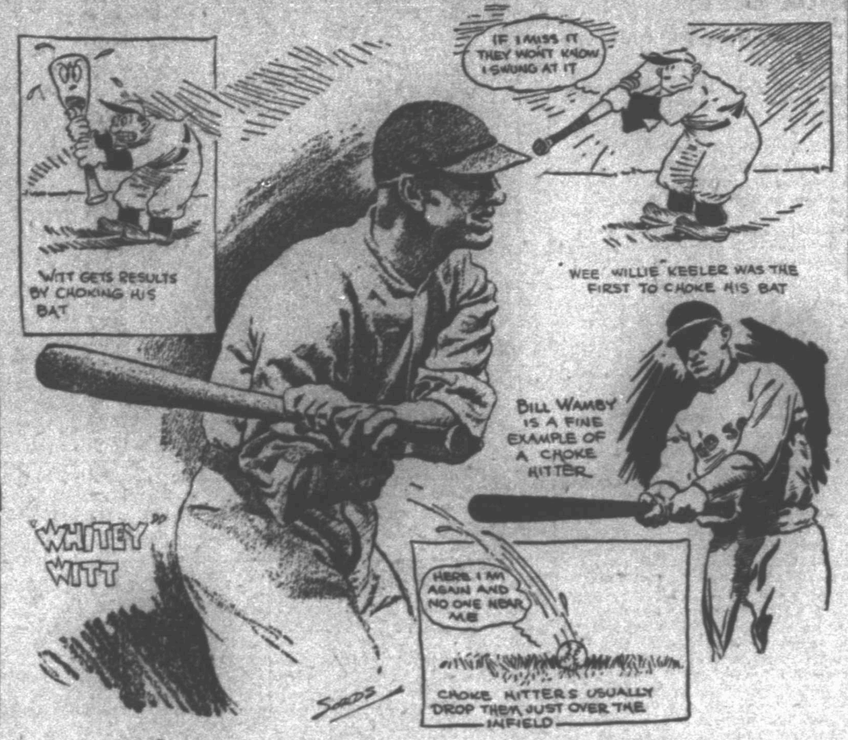
Still A Champion.

He still holds all the world's professional hammer and weight throwing records. He celebrated his 45th birthday by breaking six world's hammer throwing records. When the two hundred foot wide canal between Oakland and Alameda was finished Carroll was asked to try to throw a sixteen pound hammer across as a feature of the opening celebration.

He had six hammers made. Five fell short or hit the bank, but the sixth went ten feet over. The throw was made with a run and follow, Irish style, but he couldn't follow without falling into the canal, which marks the performance as one that never will be beaten. He took twenty foot run and turned five times.

Tom Carroll's hobby for many years has been encouraging athletic sports among the boys of his home town. He has developed several intercollegiate and world champions. The one thing Tom won't stand for, among his boy athletes, is cigarette smoking. There are fewer cigarettes smoked within a mile of Tom Carroll's house than in any other like area in the United States.

Present Type of Pitching Forces Batters to Change Style



By NORMAN E. BROWN.

The season of 1924 was the best the pitchers in baseball have enjoyed since the advent of home run hitting as a popular pastime.

This circuit clouting craze, with Babe Ruth as its chief booster, altered batting as a science. In their efforts to stretch their hits to extra-base wallops, batters lengthened the grip on their clubs. The free-swinging hitters were in their glory. Those who normally choked their bats slipped their hands down the handles slowly but surely, loosened their elbows and joined the "natural" boys. There were just enough exceptions to prove the rule.

The success of the pitchers last season, however, in checking noticeably the murderous attack of the ball sockers may bring a reversion to the old and more scientific style again, however. It might be well to point out that some of the men who held to their batting averages last year in the big show were "choke" hitters who held to their style through the "free-booter" period or adopted that style despite the cry for the round-house batters.

Joe Judge of the Senators smacked the horsehide around for the neat average of .324 with a choked style. Maurice Archeacon, fleet-footed youngster with the White Sox, rang up a .319 average with a chopping swing.

Whitey Witt, tow-headed Yankee who is destined to move on this year, came within three points of the .300 mark.

Wee Willie Keeler, the man who chopped his way to the hall of baseball immortals with his choked bat, demonstrated what can be done with that style. No player has ever equalled his record. Keeler slammed out more than 200 safe hits for eight consecutive seasons. His yearly average never went below .355 — his eighth year's mark. One year he hit .432. His grand average for the eight campaigns was .383.

He hit safely in 44 consecutive games in 1897, going from April 22 to June 15 without going hitless a game.

Keeler, to use his own expression, "hit 'em where they ain't." He dropped them over the infielders' heads in the short outfields, where the outfielders, playing out, found themselves looking foolish.

Archeacon, Witt, Judge and Dudley Lee of the Red Sox are the more prominent choke hitters among the lefthanded batters. Bill Wambsganss, a right hand batter, is a "choke" artist. He has never been a formidable batter but is a timely one and an expert at the bunting game.

Another big year for the pitchers —and there is every reason to indicate that the hurlers will have another big one—may see more batters passing up the slugging tactics to collect more baseshits, or at the request of managers who showed a tendency last season to revive base running and "inside" baseball.

Finn Smashes Seventh Mark In 10-Day Span

Joie Ray Loses Out In Mile And Three-Quarters Event

CLOCKED AT 7:55 4-5

Paavo Boards Train For Race In Gotham Tonight

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—(AP)—Paavo Nurmi, super-runner of the world, smashed his seventh world's indoor record tonight since making his American debut in New York ten days ago, when he decisively defeated Joie Ray, America's champion miler, by half a lap or nearly 80 yards, in a special mile and three-quarters race featuring the Illinois A. C. handicap meet at the Coliseum.

The phantom Finn, after riding all night and all day from New York where he smashed three records last night, ran Ray to defeat in 7:55 2-5, clipping a fifth of a second off the world's indoor mark established by himself in his New Pork triumph last night. Nurmi leading from start to finish, ran the mile in 4:26, the mile and a quarter in 5:37 4-5 and the mile and a half in 6:44 2-5.

A half hour after his sensational victory Nurmi was aboard a crack train bound for New York to compete in another race tomorrow night, making his third in as many nights. He was in Chicago less than three hours. He arrived at 8:10 p. m. hopped into a taxicab awaiting him at the station, sped to the coliseum raced and was off again on another 1,000 mile ride back to New York.

Hudson-Essex Beats Draughon

Hudson-Essex cagers beat Draughons on the legion court last night in handy manner by a 42 to 24 score. Metzler of the losers played almost a lone game, scoring more than half of his teams points via the field basket route. He tossed seven goals. Dickson hit the loop for three goals from the floor.

Captain Don Fritchney of Hudson-Esser continued to score at will, tossing nine field baskets and two foul goals for a total of 20 points.

Daniel at center got away for a quintet of two-pointers.

Hudson-Essex	FG	FT	TP	Draughons	FG	FT	TP
Allen, lf	3	0	6	Clark, lf	1	0	2
F'chney, rf	9	2	20	Metzler, rf	7	0	14
Daniel, c	5	0	10	Norrine, c	1	0	2
T'man, rg	2	0	4	Fisk, lg	0	0	0
Sheen, lg	0	0	0	Maloney, rg	0	0	0
G'sucker, lf	1	0	2	Dickson, rf	3	0	6
Totals	20	2	42	Totals	12	0	24

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Leonard Vacates Boxing Throne

Commish To Hold Elimination Tourney To Decide New Champ

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—(AP)—The world's lightweight champion, vacated by Benny Leonard yesterday, after a seven-year reign will be placed on the market for open competition by the New York State Athletic commission in an elimination test similar to that conducted recently to determine a featherweight title holder.

Leonard today addressed a letter to the commission, relinquishing his crown. At the same time he indicated a desire to have an elimination title tournament conducted to select his sucressor, and George E. Brower, chairman of the commission intimated that body's willingness to go a head with such a project as soon as official word is received of Leonard's retirement.

Tex Rickard, Madison Squar Garden promoter, has placed a diamond studded belt at the disposal of the New York commission to give to the winner of the tournament.

Leonard left for Chicago today to begin a 15-week vaudeville tour. His mother and brother, Charles Leonard, accompanied him. He refused to discuss his withdrawal other than to say that his mother's feelings in the matter were respected by him and that no other motive prompted his retirement. He has apparently covered from his recent illness and looked in good condition.

Wainwright to Try Channel Swim.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—(AP)—Helen Wainwright, national all-around swimming champion of 1924, will attempt to swim across the English channel next summer.

Delaney Kayos Tiger Flowers In Two Rounds

Victor Fights Defensively, Then Suddenly Shoots Sight Up

A powerful right uppercut delivered with triammer rapidity to the negro's jaw, floored him for the full count, 43 seconds after the start of the second round.

The end came with dramatic suddenness, Delaney, who had been fighting a defensive fight suddenly opened up with his first real offensive. He led with a left jab and then his driving right came through, crashing with terrible impact against the negro's jaw.

Fight Thrilling.

The negro sank to the canvas in a helpless heap and was flat on his back as the referee called the final ten.

The fight was as thrilling as it was short. Delaney, his long arms ever impeding the progress of the negro's vicious attack assumed a defensive attitude at the start, content to feel out the negro and find out what he could do.

Several wild rushes sent Delaney back to the ropes. Only once in the first round did Delaney open up, letting go with his right to the negro ribs.

Clean Knockout.

The second round opened as the first, Delaney on the defensive and Flowers endeavoring to get inside Delaney's long arms. Flowers rushed Delaney to the ropes and poured his furious attack at him, hitting him in the face and body with several blows. Then came the knockout. A left lead, the right uppercut and Flowers toppled.

BASKETBALL

At College Station: Rice, 17; Texas Aggies, 35.

At Stillwater, Okla., A. & M., 46; Texas university, 10.

At Southbend, Ind., Notre Dame, 37; Michigan Aggies, 14.

California-Nevada Shooters Meet.

DEL MONTE, Calif., Jan. 16.—The California-Nevada Trapshooting association will hold a general meeting in San Francisco Saturday to complete plans and arrange schedules for the coming year. At this time, too, the interstate trapshooting championship, to be held at Del Monte, May 29-31, will come in for discussion.

Ten Foursomes Country Club Tourney Today

Ten foursomes are scheduled to swing into action this afternoon in a two-ball foursomes mixed tournament over the Country club course, the first golf tourney of the year for Wichita Falls. Play is to begin at 1:30 o'clock. Losers are to give a dinner next Thursday evening for club members.

The pairings: C. O. Davis and Mrs. C. O. Davis vs. T. P. Adams and Mrs. W. C. Witcher, A. R. Cotton and Mrs. A. W. Fisher vs. H. F. Weldon and Mrs. J. H. Fletcher, F. T. Couper and Mrs. G. H. Hampshire vs. J. L. Mayfield and Mrs. F. T. Couper, G. C. Wood and Mrs. E. W. Marriott vs. E. W. Marriott and Mrs. McCorry, B. Greenwood and Mrs. W. S. Abbott vs. W. S. Abbott and Mrs. C. S. Wyatt, A. M. Miller and Mrs. H. L. Ruehl vs. R. K. French and Mrs. J. B. Hatchett, L. R. Stringer and Mrs. H. F. Weldon vs. J. B. Hatchett and Mrs. W. W. Silk, L. R. Haney and Miss Crystelle Waggoner vs. B. G. Sharpe and Miss Adele Marcus, Earl Clayton and Mrs. L. R. Stringer vs. Doc Garrison and Mrs. Julien Bobo, Luke McCrory and Mrs. D. G. Whitney vs. F. T. Kingery and Mrs. W. T Bolding.

Indians Defeat Electra, 57-26

The Junior college Indians flashed to a 57 to 26 victory over Electra high school Friday night at the college gym in the final practice contest before the Juniors romp off next week on their first cage tour of the year.

Coach Mosley used nine of his athletes in all, and each performed in good style. Rawls and Crites split the scoring honors, each tossing six field goals. Thurman tabulated 11 points, four baskets from the floor and three from the free throw line.

The Indians will take a workout this afternoon at 1 o'clock as the tapering off process in preparation for the road jaunt.

Electra	TG	FT	TP	Indians	FG	FT	TP
Hayes, rf	2	0	6	Beck, rf	2	0	5
Thomas, lf	4	3	9	Tr'man, lf	4	3	11
Ca'han, c	0	1	1	Timmons, c	3	1	7
Tram'l, rg	1	0	2	Clary, rg	0	0	0
H'mond, lg	0	0	0	Cauley, lg	1	0	2
Preston, rf	2	0	4	Rawls, rf	6	0	12
Kent, rg	1	0	2	Kelm, lf	0	0	0
Gonce, c	0	2	2	Crites, c	6	0	12
				Tyson, lg	2	3	7
Totals	10	6	26	Totals	25	7	57

Referee, Deems.

Another high explosive is made by mixing a busy day and a caller who has plenty of time.

Rupert Against Federal Control Of Baseball

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—"The New York Yankees are not in favor of any plan that would take the control of baseball away from its present administration and place it in the hands of the government.

"Baseball is fully capable of taking care of itself and has proved it whenever necessary."

In these words, Col. Jacob Rupert, president of the Yankees, condemned today the plan whereby the control of baseball would be placed in the hands of the federal authorities a plan that has received the endorsement of Ban Johnson.

When informed that one of the features of the project called for all ball players in a league to be paid the same salary, the colonel said, briefly:

"That's the joke. Some one must have fed the authors raw meat."

Stribling And Tunney Matched

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 16.—Gene Tunney, American light heavyweight champion and young Stribling of Atlanta, Ga., have been matched to meet in a ten round no-decision bout here on either March 2 or March 9, it was announced here tonight. The bout was arranged at a conference between Billy Gibson, W. L. (Pa) Stribling and Ed. Douglas, a local promoter.

Dempsey About Ready To Retire

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 16.—Jack Dempsey is through with the prize ring unless some one can fix up a fight for him before he marries Estelle Taylor, motion picture actress, which probably will be next May or June, the heavyweight champion admitted here tonight.

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ROSALIE BLANCHARD, Concerning the joys and sorrows of—

CHARLES FERGUSON, a pretty little country school-ma'am who has many ambitions and

EUNICE FERGUSON, her finance, whose only ambition seems to be to marry her, and

his middleaged cousin who is a teacher in a fashionable school for girls. A sudden attack of appendicitis makes it impossible for her to return to the school, and Rosalie eagerly offers to substitute for her until she recovers. Soon after Rosalie's arrival at Pendleton Hall she meets

R. STURVESANT CONVERSE, a bachelor cousin of Mrs. Stuyvesant Perry, who is just entering her eleven year old granddaughter, Nannette, at Pendleeton. Converse is a squire of dames—usually rather elderly dames!—and he finds Rosalie's youthful prettiness decidedly refreshing.

Against her better judgment she goes clandestinnely with him to a supper dance at a smart little country restaurant known as The Foxes' Nest where she meets a few socially prominent persons who snub her, and a few not so socially prominent ones who tease her. Her escort, after a drink or so too many, goes casually off to another party leaving a friend of his to see that she gets back to the school. But the next day, Sunday sober, he attempts to apologize to her, when Mrs. Perry takes her home with the little granddaughter for luncheon. His apology is interrupted by the unexpected return from the west of Nannette's widowed father.

Dick remarks that Rosalie looks like Nannette's mother.

HARRISON QUIMBY,

"We'll omit the drinks," Mr. Quimby decreed.

And when Dick had disappeared he turned to his mother-in-law to ask: "Everything all right while I was gone?"

"Except that I sprained my ankle," the older woman answered mournfully. "That's why I have had to have Dick here so much. I know how you feel about him but, after all, he is good hearted and jolly and so helpful."

"Specially when Rosy Lee's around!" Nannette giggled impishly. "Daddy, Dick has a most awful crush on Rosy Lee. But I think she doesn't care a teensy scrap about him. She's just as cross with him as you are. She most nearly wouldn't speak to him just now."

Again her unexpected host came gallantly to the embarrassed little teacher's rescue.

"She probably didn't get a chance to get a word in edgewise with a chatterbox like you around. Run ahead and wash your smudgy little hands before luncheon is announced." He held the door for Rosalie. "Don't be dismayed!" he added gaily. "Those aren't big caterpillars running around the hall, they're just Mrs. Perry's Pekes."

Two frisking, yelping bits of dogs snapped about Rosalie's ankles. Her host stooped for one, picked it up by the scruff of its neck and held it out to its limping mistress.

"Which one is this? Mah Jong or Pa Jong?"

The elderly woman caught the beast to her breast and kissed it rapturously.

"You know perfectly well her isn't named any such silly name. Her's named Orange Queen, her is. Pick up Tawny Lass for me, Miss—er—Blanch, will you? I can't stoop with this ankle, and—her is jealous her is," she kissed the other dog as Rosalie handed it to her.

The girl was standing near a superb old sofa over which hung a charming portrait of a dark eyed woman in gorgeous evening dress.

"By gad!" cried Dick, popping from a doorway, "Rosy Lee, I do think you look a little like Cousin Grace up there. The resemblance is er—elusive but it's there."

CHAPTER 14.
Wherein a Teacher Learns Something About Men.

Mrs. Perry's quick exclamation as Dick made his little speech was not at all complimentary to Rosalie to say the least.

"How utterly absurd of you, Dicko. My darling daughter was the stateliest, most beautiful creature that ever walked." She sighed deeply. "Harrison," she added hastily, as she observed that her son-in-law was still staring at their youthful guest. "What on earth is the matter with you today. You act half asleep."

"Very much awake, thank you, in spite of three nights in a sleeper," he responded courteously. "Is luncheon ready or shall we wait in the library?"

Nannett, her hands still damp from hurried washing, came tumbling down the broad stairway to clutch at her adored teacher.

"Not in the booky spot, daddy," she begged immediately. "Let's show Rosy Lee our 'dorable old sitting room," she began pulling Rosalie across the hall to a room that was two steps lower than the rest of the house. "It is the sweetest."

The others did not follow them immediately. The pleasant rumble of the men's voices came faintly as the eager child shoved Rosalie into a great, shadowy, low ceilinged room.

"It's the very, very oldest part of the house," the little girl boasted. "The rest is quite new, only about as old as I am. But this was my great-grandma's kitchen. See. There's the old fireplace and her Dutchy oven and her kitchen settle—daddy says it was built high to keep the wind out on cold nights but Dick says it was for pre-revolutionary petting parties. And those book cases over there used to be just cupboards. And those lights by the fireplace used to be funny old warming pans. Don't you love it? Isn't it the sweetest room you ever saw anywhere?"

Rosalie laughed.

"It's certainly not like any kitchen I ever saw before," she answered as she stared with frank curiosity about the charming spot.

The original rafters, hand hewn and softly mellowed with age, were so low that a man could touch them. The walls had evidently been replastered but in so clever an imitation of old stained plaster that they blended perfectly with the old wide boards of the floor that had been waxed until it was shining. Over the floor were spread quainted hooked rugs.

The only modern looking thing in the room was a grand piano that stood in a sort of alcove, but the rest of the furniture was old and quaint, mostly Windsor chairs and butterfly tables, though there was a splendid secretary desk behind whose glassed doors gleamed lustre-ware. A gay chintz, with sprightly birds and colorful hollyhocks printed upon it, served for casement curtains at the tiny paned windows and a wide sofa before the fireplace was summer swathed with the same charming material.

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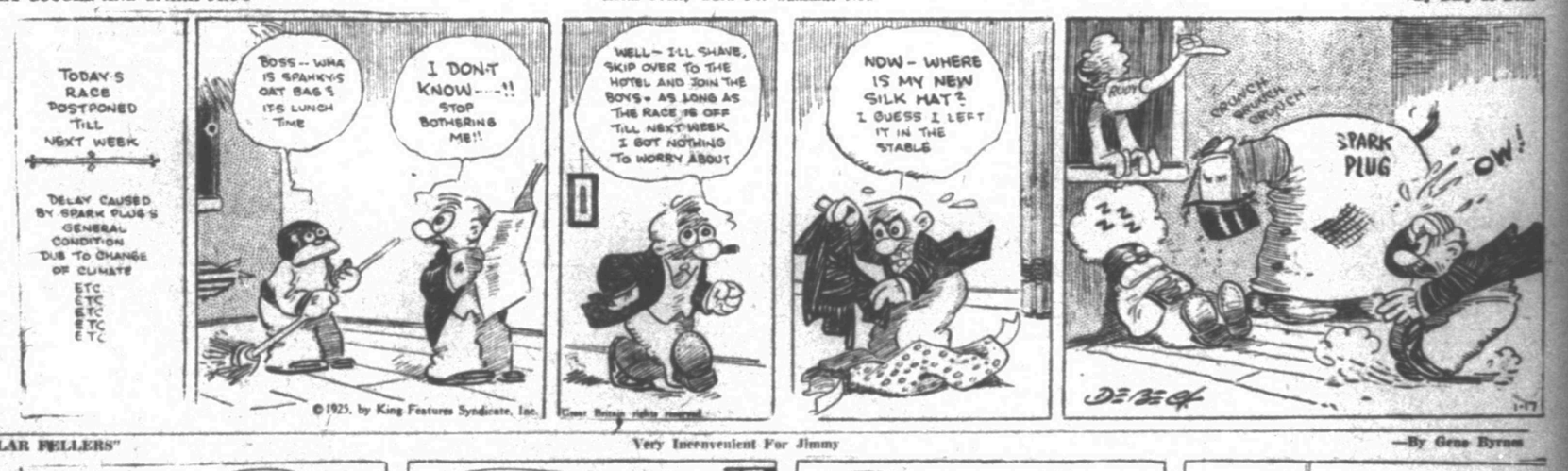
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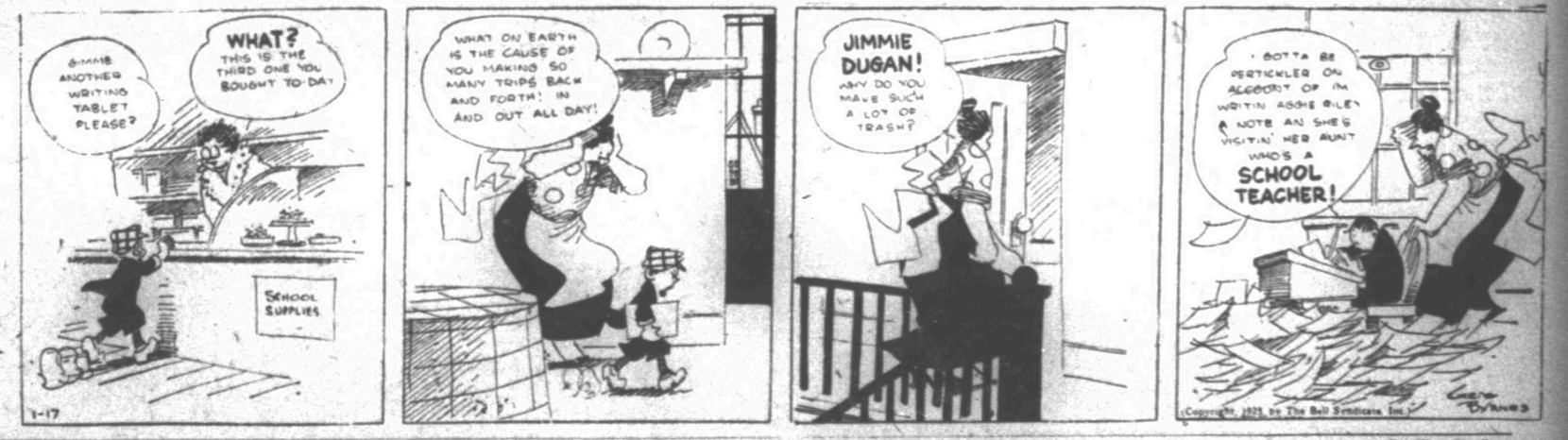
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In Wichita Falls and 15000 feet at Olney will sell at a bargain. Call 3484. WICHITA PIPE & SUPPLY CO. 1113 Ohio Ave.

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For the Best Used Ford Values
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We need the room so have put special low prices on our Used Cars—Now is your chance to get a Good Used Ford for less!

COUPES
From $200 to $450.

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From $100 to $295.

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From $200 to $275.

Special in 1924 Four-Door Sedan at $475.

DELIVERIES
Priced $100 to $225.

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All the way from $85 to $250.

If it's a Ford you need, this is the place to find the bargains.

Terms if wanted.

Langford Motor Co.
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"Ford Products"

GIVE YOUR CAR A REST—
WHILE WE WASH & GREASE IT TO MAKE IT SHINE LIKE A NEW ONE.
S T O R A G E
COMPLETE FACILITIES.
OPEN DAY & NIGHT.
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For Sale, Ford Sedan—1924 Model. Four door newly painted; mechanically O. K., good rubber, Fritz Motor Co. Phone 5954, Auto Market, 908 Ohio.

AUTOMOBILES

A real buy, Ford Truck, 1924 model. Closed cab, stake body, starter, new rubber. Fritz Motor Co. No. 2. Phone 5954 Auto Market 908 Ohio

EVERYBODY KNOWS
H-U-P-M-O-B-I-L-E
Here are two very special values.
1922 Model Hupmobile touring car.
1921 Model Hupmobile roadster.
Both of these cars have been thoroughly reconditioned. Have new paint, good tires. Priced to move.
Good Terms.
Also have 1924 Ford touring with everything on it at a low price.
Motor Sales Co.
"Courtesy after the Sale."
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Have You A Large Family?
THIS CADILLAC IS WHAT YOU NEED.
57 model, 7-passenger, (room for 'em all); new motor, six good cord tires, paint in perfect condition, good top. The price IS right.
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DEPENDABLE USED CARS

1—Ford Coupe	$350
1—Ford Coupe	$300
1—Ford Coupe	$250
1—Ford Touring	$300
1—Ford Touring	$250
1—Ford Touring	$200
Essex Cab	$750
Dodge Coupe	$550
Maxwell Touring	$650
Buick Touring	$575
Hudson Speedster	$750

See us for Bargains

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FORD—A1 shape, individually owned Nuff said. Phone 2835 during day.

Greater Values
SEE THESE NOW.
1924 DODGE BROTHERS TOURING
Run less than 5,000 miles, all equipped and same as new at real bargain. Some saving.
1922 DODGE BROTHERS ROADSTER
Completely overhauled and all prettied up. A real bargain, $380.
1923 DODGE BROTHERS COMMERCIAL CAR.
Thoroughly overhauled. Just right for a lot of service.
1923 DODGE BROTHERS ROADSTER.
Just as good as new, lots of extras. It's a snap.
1922 FORD TOURING CAR.
Just a real good car for an unreasonable price in your favor.
1924 FORD ONE TON TRUCK.
Ready for real hard service.
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LATE MODEL Dodge Roadster, new top, reconditioned throughout. At a real low price. 803 Lamar.

AUTOMOBILES

FOR quick sale, Cadillac Roadster—59. Owner must sell quickly, mechanically O. K., 6 good casings. Fritz Motor Co. No. 2. Phone 5954, Auto Market, 908 Ohio Ave.

You can steal them, 2 Chevrolet tourings, 1922 models, good condition, all around good rubber. Fritz Motor Co. No. 2. Phone 5954, Auto Market, 908 Ohio.

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Auto Painting, Top-Curtain Makers
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DEPENDABLE USED CARS
Big Six Studebaker, run 4,800 miles, a bargain, $1,000.

1—Ford Coupe	$350
1—Ford Coupe	$300
1—Ford Coupe	$250
1—Ford Touring	$300
1—Ford Touring	$250
1—Ford Touring	$200
Essex Cab	$750
Dodge Coupe	$550
Maxwell Touring	$650
Buick Touring	$575
Hudson Speedster	$750

See Us for Bargains.
LLOYD WEAVER MOTOR CO.
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1924 DODGE Brothers Touring, slightly used. Some extras at a reasonable discount. 803 Lamar.

HERE'S YOUR FORD
Worth More—Costs Less.
Good Ford Sedan runs fine. $150
See it now.
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Open Evenings
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A Bargain—Ford Touring—1924 model. Newly painted, good mechanical condition, good rubber. Fritz Motor Co. No. 2. Phone 5954, Auto Market, 908 Ohio Ave.

Better Used Cars
That combine pleasing performance, beauty of appearance, pride in ownership with honest value.
We will gladly demonstrate.
Call us now.
Four-passenger, 61 Cadillac. Victoria sedan. New paint. Reconditioned, a splendid buy.
Studebaker 7-passenger touring new paint, good tires. Excellent shape mechanically.
'57 model Cadillac coupe. New paint, new rubber, good mechanical order.
THIS CADILLAC COUPE HAS BEEN RECONDITIONED AND IS IN PERFECT RUNNING ORDER; BEAUTIFUL NEW PAINT JOB AND LOOKS LIKE NEW. NEW RUBBER ALL AROUND. COME AND SEE IT.
Lincoln 4-pass. Touring in excellent shape mechanically. Has new paint and new rubber—used for a while as demonstrator.
Buick roadster (lots of mileage in this one).
Lincoln 7-pass. touring, in A-1 mechanical order, upholstering and paint good, practically new rubber.
MARMON SEDAN
that "just needs an owner"—in dandy mechanical order, upholstering all in A-1 shape. Such a car could well be added to your gift list.
We will arrange terms.
Langford Motor Co.
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A PICK up, Nash roadster,—1922 model, newly painted, new seat covers, mechanically O. K. Fritz Motor Co. No. 2. Phone 5954, Auto Market, 908 Ohio.

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READY TO GO!
1924 Model Special Six Studebaker Touring
Newly painted, balloon tires, completely equipped.
A demonstration will convince you its worth the money.
Open evenings.
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Ask us to demonstrate this
1923 Studebaker Special Six Roadster
fully equipped, performs like a new one. Priced to sell.
RING 4156
Salesman will call.
Keim Motor Co.
605 Scott.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Faith Chapter, No. 713 O. E. S.—Meets second and fourth Monday evenings in each month, 7:30 p. m., 813 Scott. MRS. PEARL VEROS, W. M., 1307 Polk street, phone 4830. LILLIE MAE EDMONDS, Secretary, 2504 Tenth, phone 7673. Faith Study Club will meet every first and third Thursday of each month.

Wichita Falls Council No. 349 R. & S. M. Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m. Ed. Bunnenberg, T. I. M.
W. J. Webb, Rec.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 58—Stated conclave first and third Thursdays of each month.
R. E. NOLEN, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M.—Stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
J. N. LYLE, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Secy.
Instruction in the E. A. Monday, Tuesday and Friday, Jan. 12, 13 and 16, 7 p. m.
Work in the E. A. Wednesday, January 14, 6:30 p. m.

Wichita Falls Council No. 1473 K. of C.—Meets every first and third Mondays at 8 p. m., 1208 9th St.
C. K. WALSH, G. K.
212-14 Morgan Bldg.
CLEM GALLAGHER
800 Harrison
P. S.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M.—Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y
W. J. WEBB, Secy

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M.—Stated meeting the first and third Tuesday nights of each month. Visitors cordially invited to attend. 813 Scott street.
Will confer the Masters Degree Friday, January 16th, beginning at 6 o'clock p. m. T. R. Wynn, master in charge.
Stated meeting and examination Tuesday, January 20th, 7:30 p. m.
THOS. R. WYNN, W. M.
Q. W. CURD, Secy.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 557 of the Eastern Star meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month.
MRS. MARGARET BRADLEY, Phone 5760. W. M.
MRS. NENA FRITZ McGLYNN, Secy. Phone 2629.

Wichita Falls Assembly No. 17, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, sponsored by the Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237, meets second and fourth Tuesday at 7 p. m. in Masonic Temple, Miss Margaret Coleman, worthy advisor; Miss Dorothy Coleman, secretary.

Pat Carrigan Post No. 129 Amgrican Legion — Meets every second and fourth Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Legion Hall, 812½ Ohio Ave.
—VOYLE N. ARMSTRONG, Post Commander.
R. J. CLAYPOOL, Adjutant.

Maskat Temple A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Monday each month at Faith Lodge rooms in Chenault Bldg., 813 Scott. All visiting Nobles invited to attend.
Recorder's office 813 Scott street. Phone 3884.
W. W. GARDNER, Potentate.
AL ELLIS, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1105 B. P. O. E. meets first and third Monday at Elks club corner Eighth and Scott Sts. Visiting members invited to attend.
O. K. JOHNSON, Exalted Ruler.
R. G. ENGLISH, Secy.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 3001 — Regular meeting first and third Wednesday nights, Labor Temple.
J. T. James, Council Commander.
R. J. CLAYPOOL, Clerk.
Office 2337, Res. 6474. 713 718.

MARKETS

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 16.—Cotton futures closed steady at net decline of 7 to 15 points.

	High	Low	Close	P.Close
Jan.	23.87	23.45	23.60	23.57
Mar.	24.05	23.58	23.74-75	23.82
May	24.32	23.84	23.98-24	24.13
July	24.43	24.02	24.19	24.30
Oct.	23.80	23.34	23.48-50	23.60

Opening: January 23.75; March 23.97; May 24.27; July 24.45 bid; October 23.73 bid.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 16.—The cotton market developed somewhat more activity today and prices fluctuated in a wider range. At one time in the early trading month, March, showed gains of 23 points over the close of yesterday, but later the market turned reactionary due in a measure to weakness in stock and also to fears of large ginnings in the next census report. March eased off 47 points from the high but a rally in the final trading due to some recovery in stocks cut the net loss for the day on the March position to eight points.

Wichita Spots

Spot cotton again dropped below 23 cents today, following a sharp decline in futures after the day's two reports had failed to come up to expectation.

Buyers bid around 22.80 to 22.90 for middling spots.

Spot News

HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 16.—The spot market closed steady 15 down. Sales 7,766 bales. Low ordinary 17.15; ordinary 18.40; good ordinary 19.65; strick good ordinary 20.90; low middling 22.15; strict low middling 23.05; middling 23.65; strict middling 24.00; good middling 24.15; strict good middling 24.40; middling fair 24.65.

GALVESTON, Texas, Jan. 16.—The spot market closed steady 15 down. Sales 1,553 bales. Lower ordinary 16.65 ordinary 16.65; ordinary 18.15; good ordinary 19.65; low middling 22.15; middling 23.65; good middling 24.30; middling fair 24.65.

DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 16.—Spots closed steady, 5 points lower; sales 4,919 bales. Middling fair 24.00; strict good middling 23.85; good middling 23.73; strict middling 23.48; middling 23.10; strict low middling 21.47; low middling 21.50; strict good ordinary 20.35; good ordinary 19.10.

WACO, Texas, Jan. 16.—Waco spots steady; 10 down. Middling 22.95. No sales reported.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 16.—Spot cotton steady, 10 points down. Sales on the spot 348; to arrive 150. Low middling 22.15; middling 23.65; good middling 24.15. Receipts 10,053; stock 441,683.

Grain

FORT WORTH, Jan. 16.—The following shows range of values on the Fort Worth cash grain market, basis delivered group three or Texas common points, based on bids, offered and sales of Fort Worth dealers, according to the Fort Worth grain and cotton exchanges.

Wheat: No. 1 export 20 days shipment 1.90¾; No. 1 dark hard 2.02@2.03; No. 1 ordinary hard 2.01@2.02; No. 1, 75 per cent red 2.07@2.08; durham 1.92@1.93.

Corn: No. 2 white 1.43@1.44; No. 3 white 1.42@1.43; No. 2 mixed 1.39@1.40; No. 3 mixed 1.38@1.39.

Oats: No. 2 red 72@73; No. 3 red 71@72.

Snapped corn 1.33@1.38; No. 3 barley 1.01@1.03; No. 3 milo 2.15@2.19; No. 3 kaffir 2.00@2.02; maize heads 36.50@38.50; kaffir heads 35.50@37.50.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	1.83⅞	1.85⅝	1.82⅜	1.85
July	1.58⅜	1.59⅜	1.57¼	1.59¼
Sept.	1.47¼	1.48½	1.47¼	1.48⅜
Corn—				
May	1.32½	1.33⅛	1.31¼	1.33¼
July	1.32⅜	1.34⅛	1.31⅞	1.33⅞
Sept.	1.32⅝	1.34⅛	1.32	1.33⅝
Oats—				
May	.61⅜	.61⅞	.61	.61⅝
July	.61⅜	.62	.61⅛	.61⅞
Sept.	.59	.59¼	.58⅞	.59¼
Rye—				
May	1.58	1.59½	1.56¼	1.58⅜
July	1.38⅜	1.39⅜	1.38⅜	1.39¼
Lard—				
Jan	15.75	15.92	15.75	15.77
May	16.30	16.45	16.20	16.32
Ribs—				
Jan	.....	.....	.....	15.25
May	15.60	15.60	15.57	15.60
Bellies—				
Jan	.....	.....	.....	16.90
May	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00

Livestock

TEXAS LIVE STOCK

FORT WORTH, Texas, Jan. 16.—On the opening rounds cattle and calves were selling on a steady basis Friday, but later the calf trade weakened and the close was fully 25c down. Receipts were posted at 2,200 head of cattle and 500 calves. Mixed shipments again figured rather extensively in the day's receipts and quality average was not very high.

Salesmen were not in possession of any high priced beef steers and did not have many of the fair to medium kinds. In fact, receipts in this division, were the smallest of the week. Trading made fair progress and sales indicated a steady swing.

Cattle receipts, 2,200; steady; beeves 4.25@8.00; stockers 3.25@7.00; cows 1.50@5.50; cutters 2.00@2.50; canners 1.50@2.00; heifers 3.25@8.50; yearlings 3.50@9.00; bulls 2.50@4.50; calves 2.50@8.00.

Hogs receipts, 2,500; 20 to 25c down; best medium weight 10.60@10.70; good mixed 10.50@10.60; good light 10.25@10.50; fair mixed 9.75@10.25; fair light 9.50@9.75; common 8.00@9.00; packing sows 9.00@9.75; pigs 8.00@8.50.

Sheep receipts, 600; market unchanged; lambs 12.50@16.50; feeders 12.50@14.50; yearlings 10.50@11.50; wethers 8.50@10.50; ewes 7.50@9.25; culls 1.50@3; stockers 3.00@5.00; goats 1.50@3.25.

Financial

MONEY

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Call money, easier; high 3½; low 3¼; ruling rate 3½; closing bid 3½; offered at 3¾; last loan 3½; call loans against acceptances 3. Time loans, steady; 60-90 days 3½@3¾; four-six months 3¾@4; prime commercial paper 3¾@3⅞.

U. S. BONDS

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Liberty 3½'s 101.8; first 4¼'s 101.19; second 4¼'s 100.26; third 4¼'s 101.8; fourth 4¼'s 101.25; government 4¼'s 104.24; treasury 4's 100.18.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Foreign exchanges, irregular; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.77; cables 4.77¼; 60-day bills on banks 4.73⅞. France demand 5.39½; cables 5.40; Italy 4.11 and 4.11½; Belgium 5.01¼ and 5.02; Germany demand 23.80; Holland 40.33; Norway 15.34; Sweden 26.92; Denmark 17.82; Switzerland 19.26; Spain 14.13; Greece 1.72; Poland 19¼; Czecho-Slovakia 3.00½; Jugo-Slavia 1.62; Austria .0014¼; Rumania .51⅝; Argentina 40.12; Brazil 11.75; Tokio 38⅜; Montreal 99⅝.

STOCKS

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Stock prices were subjected to selling pressure throughout the greater part of today's session in further readjustment of the market's weakened technical position resulting from nearly 10 weeks of almost steadily rising prices. The reaction in most issues was an orderly one with many of the popular rails and industrials making a regular recovery on short covering in the final dealings.

Opening prices were firm, fresh buying having come into the market over night as a result of the continuance of the local federal reserve rediscount rate at 3 per cent. Except in a few instances, however, operators on the long side showed little disposition to follow up the advance with the result that bear selling was resumed by professional traders in a number of issues, forcing some rather sharp reactions, particularly among the specialties.

TEXAS-CHICAGO PRODUCE

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 16.—Hay market continues steady for good grades of timothy. Lower grades are dull, as compared with New York and Boston where prices have declined slightly. Alfalfa grades are heavier and country loans indicate continued heavy receipts to western markets. Prairie prices are steady but demand is only of fair volume.

No. 1 timothy Boston 26.50; New York 27.00; Kansas City 16.75; Atlanta 26.00; Minneapolis 17.50; No. 1 alfalfa, Kansas City 23.00; Omaha 19.50; Memphis 31.00; No. 1 prairie Kansas City 10.75; Minneapolis 17.

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 16.—Texas rolled 56 cars of fruits and vegetables yesterday, the movement including one of 100 cars of grapefruit, 23 of 107 cars of mixed vegetables, 16 of 25 cars of spinach and 16 of 125 cars of cabbage.

The tone of trading at shipping point markets was very strong for spinach, the wire order market advancing to as high as 1.40 in Laredo, a previously untouched price. Cash cars there were worth 1.10 to 1.25 per bushel. In the lower valley of the Rio Grande yesterday, growers received $20 a ton for their cabbage offered in wagon loads, the cash buyers paid $22 a ton for carlots and wire order sales were registered around $27@$30.

Beets and carrots were steady, Harlingen reporting a price range of 80 to 90 cents per bushel to growers and of $1.25@$1.35 per bushel for cars on a usual terms basis.

AUSTIN, Jan. 16.—Steady tones and unchanged prices were characteristic of poultry and eggs markets today both in the state and on the exchange boards of the larger trading centers. Fresh gathered firsts in Chicago moved for 57 cents and refrigerator firsts for 46½@47 cents.

Butter on the board was firm to possibly one cent higher, 33 tubs of extra selling for 38½ cents. The range of prices at Texas wholesale centers was about as follows: Eggs, fresh gathered firsts 55 to 50c dozen, $17 case; No. 1 infertile $15, candled $14.

Butter: Packing stock country butter 18c pound; creamery "A" grade 43c; "B" grade 41c. Poultry: Hens 18c; springs 27 to 30c; mostly the latter old roosters 8c; turkeys, No. 1's 25@27c; ducks 25c each $9 dozen; geese $1 each, few high as $1.50.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Poultry alive, lower; fowls 16@21½c; springs 22c; roosters 15c; turkeys 23c; ducks 23c; geese 18c.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Butter, higher; creamery extras 39c; standards 39c; extra firsts 37½@38c; firsts 35½@36½c; seconds 32@34c.

Eggs, higher; receipts 2631 cases; firsts 57c; ordinary firsts 50@53c; refrigerator firsts 46½@47c.

WOOL

BOSTON, Jan. 16.—The Commercial Bulletin will say tomorrow:

Business has been rather slow and irregular this week with some tendency to clean up small lots of wool at slight concessions. There is little new in the west. Quotations:

Scoured basis, Texas fine 12 months selected 1.70@1.75; fine 8 months 1.55@1.60.

A fountain pen isn't like a man. It never gets cussed if it remains upright.

The whole art of making up a husband's mind consists in letting him think he is doing it.

AUTOMOBILES

CHEVROLET for Economical Transportation

Don't Buy Your Used Car

UNTIL YOU HAVE SEEN THIS LIST OF GOOD VALUES. WE HAVE A HOUSE FULL OF USED CARS; MANY OF THEM VALUES.

Ford touring car, good rubber, thoroughly overhauled, $125.

Five 1923 Fords. All of these are in A-1 running order and are priced right.

1923 Chevrolet roadster, thoroughly overhauled, and a real value, $250.

1923 Ford coupe, worth the money.

Seven-passenger Hudson sedan, practically new tires, looks good, $350.

We Have Others.
Terms to Responsible Parties.

Pool Chevrolet Co.
Used Car Department.
808 Lamar-st. Phone 21

CHEVROLET for Economical Transportation

LOTS AND ACREAGE

Vacant Lot

50x100 feet fronting on Sixteenth street, rear of 1601 Buff, $1,050. This is a real bargain.

Patton & Morris
Phone 2375-5632.

TRUCKS AND TRAILERS.

TRUCK

Ton and half Graham Brothers truck, completely overhauled, good rubber, cab and body only $675. Terms. See this good buy at 803 Lamar street.

AUCTION AND PUBLIC SALES.

NOTICE OF SALE

One Republic 2-ton truck to be sold on February 15th by Automotive Service Co., 523 Indiana for $123.53 (plus advertising cost) covering 1 year storage charge.

REAL ESTATE

Floral Heights

Dandy five-room house, all conveniences, paved street, it's unusual to buy a place like this for this money. $4500. Small cash payment; balance easy. N. G. Blacklock. Phones 2957-5993. Basement First Nat'l. Bank.

$3500 HOME, near Austin school, five rooms and bath, garage, $500 cash, balance good terms. N. G. Blacklock. Phone 2957-5993. Basement First Nat'l. Bank.

JUNIOR COLLEGE DISTRICT, FIVE ROOMS AND BREAKFAST ROOM, $3750, $500 CASH; BALANCE MONTHLY. N. G. BLACKLOCK. PHONES 2957-5993. BASEMENT FIRST NAT'L. BANK.

WANT to sell your property? See C. R. Seals, 216 Staley. Phone 6496.

FARM AND RANCHES

FOR SALE—A few one-acre blocks with building restrictions, near Country Club. For price and terms
PHONE 6901
B. Seal, with Chandler and McKenzie, 802 Tenth.

REAL ESTATE WANTED

WANTED to buy house to be moved off the lot. Phone 6352-7881.

Use a Dead Man's Tire Again? Naw, Boss, Says Dusky Owner to Police

A negro suffering from the treachery of an erstwhile companion in criem chooses to bear the cross rather than court closer relationship with the dead.

A negro man, declared by the police to have had prior acquaintance with jail bars, came into the city hall a few days ago and reported that a tire had been taken from his automobile. He also declared he had located it and knew the offending thief.

That was where the rub came, though, for the culprit that got it had sold or traded it into hands that eventually placed it on the hearse used by a negro undertaker here. And so the owner wanted justice to take its course, but he was leary of the casing that had carried dead men around.

"Ah dunno," he observed doubtfully after the tire had been recovered by Detective Bryant and taken to the city hall, "ah dunno. Ah don'e like to mess with daid things." And so the tire still adorns the store room of the police station, awaiting the pleasure of the skeptic.

The police said that about two years ago the same two—the thief and the victim—were mixed up in another embroglio, but this time it was the former that squealed on the latter for stealing something from him.

The Day In Washington

White House denied another arms conference would be called soon.

Early retirement of Prohibition Commissioner Haynes was indicted at the White House.

The senate debated the question of navy policy and gun elevation.

The senate agreed to give the postal increase bill right of way next Thursday.

The public debt of the United States at the end of 1922 was $30,845,626,000, the census bureau announced.

The house commerce committee endorsed a bill for a bureau of civil aeronautics in the commerce department.

Captains of lake freighters testified before the senate committee on the effects of diversion of Great Lakes waters.

A bill to give the federal trade commission greater power to prevent misbranding of goods was reported to the house.

It was announced that President Coolidge believes proposals making jail sentences mandatory for prohibition law offenders involves excessive punishment.

President Coolidge offered to transfer Secretary Hoover to the department of agriculture but the secretary announced he preferred his present post.

Chairman Couzens of the senate committee investigating prohibition enforcement criticized the prohibition units' handling of the Fleischman Yeast Co., complaint.

CITIZEN CUP

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spect the gerat part played by many others of our citizens in connection with this project. After giving due consideration to these it must be recognized, we believe, that the great spirit of our distinguished citizen, who conceived this great work and who had it on his heart for so many years, and who still labored on it in the year 1924, is entitled to this recognition. In fact, it is of such outstanding character that very few of the most ardent enthusiasts on the subject of irrigation can scarcely recognize the magnitude which irrigation is bound to assume in the years to come.

We believe that by common consent the nomination should be closed and the bestowal of this cup made unanimous by our citizens and your committee.

N. Y. Stocks

Sales in	Hds.	High	Low	Close
Allied Chem & Dye	289	82¼	81⅝	82
Am Can	405	161	158	161
Am Car & Fdry	19	200¼	198	198
Am Inter Corp	11	33⅝	33⅜	33½
Am Loco	114	116	112¼	116
Am Smelt & Ref	163	99⅜	97⅞	98
Am Sugar	29	49½	47¾	49
Am Tel & Tel	24	133¾	133	133½
Am Tobacco	25	87⅝	76	76⅝
Am Woolen	55	61⅝	61	61⅜
Anaconda Cop	26	46⅛	45⅝	46
A T & S Fe	61	117⅛	116⅜	117⅜
Atl Coast Line	5	148	147	147
Baldwin Loco	192	133⅜	131¼	133⅜
B & O	101	78⅜	77⅝	77⅝
Bethlehem Steel	64	51⅝	50⅝	51⅜
Calif Petroleum	130	26⅜	25⅜	26⅛
Canadian Pac	19	148⅜	147⅜	148½
Cen Leather pfd	11	19⅝	19	19⅜
Cerro de Pasco	59	54	53¼	53⅝
Chandler Motor	49	32⅜	31⅝	32
Cpeake & Ohio	70	98	96⅜	97½
C M & St P pfd	147	25¼	24⅜	24⅜
Chic & Nwestern	13	72⅜	71⅜	72
C R I & Pac	153	45⅝	44⅜	45½
Chile Copper	56	36⅜	35⅜	35⅜
Coca Cola	209	91	88⅜	90⅜
Congoleum Co	37	41	40⅜	40⅜
Consolidated Gas	164	77⅜	76⅜	76⅝
Consol Ttile	32	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Conti Can	47	68⅜	67	68⅜
Corn Prod	68	39	38⅜	38⅜
Cosden Oil	108	30⅜	29⅜	30⅜
Crucible Steel	82	75	72⅜	75
Cuba C S pfd	11	56¼	56⅜	56¼
Cuban Am Sugar	9	29⅜	29⅜	29⅜
Davison Chem	40	45	43⅜	45
Dupont de Nem	85	144	141¼	144
Erie	35	31⅜	31⅜	31⅜
Famous Players	41	96	95	95½
Gen Asphalt	50	58	57⅜	57⅜
Gen Elec	136	311¼	304	310⅜
Gen Motors	465	72⅜	71⅜	72½
Gt Northern pfd	57	69	68⅜	68⅜
Gulf St Steel	38	86	84	86
Houston Oil	46	80⅜	79⅜	80⅜
Ill Central	16	115⅜	113⅜	115
Inter Harv	15	106	105⅜	105¼
Inter M M pfd	44	44⅜	44⅜	44⅜
Kelly Sfield		17	16⅜	16⅜
Kennecott Cop	135	55⅜	55	55⅜
L & N	6	108	106	106
Mack Truck	58	119	117	118⅜
Mariand Oil	339	43	41⅜	42⅜
Middle St Oil	30	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
M K & T	100	29⅜	28⅜	28⅜
Mo Pac pfd	54	78⅜	76⅜	78
N Y Central	246	121⅜	120⅜	121⅜
N Y N H & H	98	30⅜	29⅜	30⅜
Nfolk & Wtern	25	128	127	127⅜
Northern Pac	54	69⅜	68	68⅜
Pacific Oil	132	55⅜	54⅜	55⅜
Pan-Am Pet "B"	229	65⅜	63⅜	65⅜
Penn	55	48⅜	48⅜	48⅜
Phillips Pet	136	39⅜	38⅜	39
Prod & Ref	22	29⅜	29	29½
Pure Oil	88	30⅜	29⅜	30⅜
Reading	116	77	76	76⅜
Republic I & Steel	64	60	58⅜	59
Reynolds Tob "B"	10	74⅜	74⅜	74⅜
St L Swestern	15	49⅜	48⅜	49
Seaboard A L	5	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜
Seaboard A L pfd	8	37⅜	37⅜	37⅜
Sears Roebuck	160	162⅜	157	160⅜
Shell Union Oil	338	25⅜	25	25⅜
Sinclair Con Oil	42	19	18⅜	18⅜
S-S Steel	8	85⅜	85	85⅜
Southern Pac	250	104⅜	103⅜	104⅜
Southern Ry	85	80⅜	79⅜	80⅜
Southern Ry pfd	4	85	84⅜	85
Stand O of Cal	36	62⅜	62	62⅜
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Stewart Warner	83	74⅜	72	74⅜
Studebaker Corp	100	44⅜	43⅜	43⅜
Tenn Copper	5	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜
Texas Co	63	44⅜	44	44⅜
T & P	35	44⅜	43⅜	44⅜
Tobacco Prod	70	75⅜	74	74⅜
Trans Oil	128	5⅜	4⅜	4⅜
Union Pacific	47	149⅜	148⅜	149⅜
U S C I P	54	165⅜	160⅜	165⅜
U S Ind Alcohol	106	83⅜	81⅜	81⅜
U S Rubber	68	42⅜	42	42⅜
Va Caro Chem pfd	3	25⅜	25⅜	25⅜
Whouse Elec	62	76⅜	75	76⅜
Willys Oland pfd	48	73⅜	72⅜	73

State To Fight Ban On Rangers

Attorney General's Department to Take Up Arms In Their Behalf

AUSTIN, Jan. 16.—The state of Texas is determined to "fight to a finish," the injunction holding its ranger law unconstitutional and prohibiting Adjutant General Thomas D. Barton from paying, or equipping the ranger forces, it was declared today.

The first step to appeal will be taken at San Antonio tomorrow by Assistant Attorney General C. A. Wheeler before the 57th district court where the injunction was issued when he argues a motion to appeal. The state will ask the court to suspend the perpetual injunction pending appeal, Mr. Wheeler said. The case will be appealed to the fourth court of civil appeals at San Antonio.

Meantime Texas is without ranger protection for the first time in more than ninety years, an era that extends back into the provincial days of the commonwealth immediately after it had declared its independence of Mexico and preceding its organization as a republic.

Beg Your Pardon

Legislative Bureau Record News.

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 12.—Senator J. D. Parnell of Wichita Falls called attention to a quotation attributed to him which did not carry his intended meaning. He was quoted as saying he favored requiring life insurance companies to file rates with the secretary of state; whereas the saement he made was that he favors bringing fire insurance companies under the regulations now governing life companies, requiring them to file rates with the secretary of state, and prohibiting discriminations.

METHODISTS

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pink and yellow centered by a tiny maypole, the streamers of which were held by cunning all-day sucker dolls, was arranged by Miss Margaret Akin, and won first prize. November's table, decorated by Drummond Harris featured a miniature football field with the lines correctly chalked. On the field, the football men cleverly fashioned of peanuts and toothpicks, their sweater stripes and numbers painted realistically, were in squad formation. The football itself was a shelled peanut, and on the side lines, the little peanut subs were interestedly watching the big game. June's table, decorated by Miss Zora Bachman, contained a full wedding party of dressed dolls. October's table by Edmund Williams and Miss Elizabeth Moffatt was bedecked in witches and black cats and in the center swung the huge black witches' kettle from which cider was served during the evening. January's table was heaped with snow drifts in which stood a snow man, a sand clock, and a Kewpie bearing a streamer for 1925.

March of the Months

Raybon Porter, religious educational director for First M. E. south was master of ceremonies and directed the formation of the guests for a grand promenade, "The March of the Months." Coming down the long ballroom of the club, the guests representing each month in turn mounted the stage at the end of the room and filed off. Appropriate music for the various costumes was furnished by Mrs. J. W. Akin, Jr., at the piano.

Guests were then requested to group about their month table to compose an impromptu song, yell or poem. These were presented by the groups in turn, and the prize was awarded to Miss Margaret Haynie, leader of the October group, whose followers gave a peppy yell beginning with "Witches," and ending up with "Wichita Falls."

Mr. Porter, in an address of greeting to the guests, stated that the party was the beginning of great things to take place during the coming year among Methodist young people of the city. He explained that the occasion was a courtesy extended by the Young People's Council of the First M. E. church, to foster the probable organization of an association of Methodist young people to include young people of all Methodist churches in Wichita Falls.

Talks Are Given.

Short talks were made by Rev. Walter J. Johnson, pastor of the First M. E. church, South, by Rev. Leslie Miller of the Grace Methodist church, and by Cecil Porter, financial secretary of Floral Heights M. E. church in behalf of Rev. S. E. Barnes of that church who was unable to be present.

A musical program of interest, arranged under the headings of the 12 months was an enjoyable part of the evening's entertainment. Rev. Leslie Miller drew enthusiastic applause with his Irish songs representing St. Patrick's day. Mrs. J. W. Akin was at the piano. St. Valentine got in some fine work, sending his quartet to sing "Love's Old Sweet Song" and "I'll Take You Home Again Kathleen." The singers for February were Misses Glenore and Josephine Fisk, and Messrs. Raybon and Cecil Porter. Miss Lucille Ballard draped in Old Glory posed in pantomime for July, while Geo. Ashley Brewster, here with the Presbyterian revival, sang "The Star Spangled Banner." Mr. Brewster also gave an enjoyable songfest. Other numbers completed the attractive program.

Pioneer Of Foard County Burned To Death In Flames

Joel Collins, Aged Cromwell Resident, Loses Life As Home is Destroyed

SMOKING IN BED

Neighbors Believe Spark From Cigarette Caused Fatal Fire

CROWELL, Jan. 16.—Joel Collins, an aged resident of this place, was burned to death here last night when his residence caught fire and was destroyed. The origin of the fire is unknown but the man, who lived by himself, was fond of smoking in bed and it is supposed that a spark from his cigarette probably ignited the covers and he was smothered before awaking.

It was not suspected until after the fire was out that any one was inside, when some neighbors recalled seeing the man about the place that afternoon and search was made, resulting in the discovery of the body. Mr. Collins was a pioneer resident of Foard county, having lived here since 1890. He is survived by several children living here and at Vernon.

MUST WAR ON FOWL PESTS

Co-operation of Entire Industry Needed to Eliminate Embargos

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—It will require the co-operation of every one in the poultry business to exterminate the present fowl pest in such a way that the various embargoes may be lifted, Dr. L. E. Day, of the pathological laboratory in charge of the bureau of animal industry told the national poultry, butter and egg association and others at a conference opened today.

THE TIGER CARRIES BULLET

Wound Inflicted By Anarchist Cotton Still Remains.

PARIS, Jan. —The bullet which the anarchist Emile Cotton fired at Premier Clemenceau in 1919 still remains imbedded in the deep chest of the "Tiger." An X-ray photograph in which a black spot marking the bullet is plainly visible near the lung, has been shown by Clemenceau to Emile Bure, his former chief of cabinet, now managing editor of L'Eclair.

ZANNI TO TRY ONCE MORE

Argentine Aviator to Make Another Effort On World Flight

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 16.—Major Pedro Zanni, Argentine, who reached Japan from England last year on a flight around the earth, is pressing in Tokio all preparation to complete the journey next summer, Geo. E. Masters, Tokio newspaper man said today.

EVERYBODY TO PRAY.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—A prayer conference, the announced purpose of which is to "pray, and to call others to pray, for a continent-wide revival," will be held by the Baptist Bible Union of North America for three days, beginning January 25.

HAYNES MAY RETIRE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Retirement of Roy A. Haynes of Ohio as prohibition commissioner, at an early date was indicated today at the White House.

E. E. Reynolds is seriously ill at his home, 1915 Kemp boulevard.

Lee Wofford of 2009 Filmore is the possessor of a new car and a broken arm. When he was cranking his car Thursday morning, preparing to go down town, trade it in on his new car which had arrived, and drive the new one home, the old car kicked him in the arm for spite, breaking one of the large bones just above the wrist.

G. H. Watson, manager of the branch office of the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance company, has returned from Miami, Florida, where he went on business in connection with his company.

A high grade revolver, an equally high grade kodak and a motometer, all recovered here from youngsters who have overstepped the bounds, are in the possession of Juvenile Officer W. G. Bralley, who is anxious that they be claimed as soon as possible.

Whites and Blacks Merge In Huge Insurance Firm; Will Do Joint Business

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 16.—Probably the first firm of its dimensions in the south which has a directorate composed of both whites and blacks, the Southern and Standard Life Insurance company of Atlanta and Nashville today was preparing to resume business after the merger of yesterday.

The new firm, which represents the assets of the Standard Life Insurance company of Atlanta, a negro organization, and the Southern Insurance company of Nashville, a white firm, is said to have combined resources totalling $5,000,000 and an outstanding business of approximately $75,000,000.

Leading negro business men from various sections of the south were present yesterday when President Will G. Harris of the Southern Insurance company appeared at a meeting of the stockholders of the negro organization here and presented a statement of the assets of his own company. A motion to merge by Herman E. Perry, negro, president of the Standard Life Insurance company, followed and was unanimously adopted.

The headquarters of the Standard Life Insurance company here will be maintained. The firm is said to have an agency force working in 13 states.

Methodist Guest

These guests registered last night under their birth month at the "Fete of Months" held at the Wichita club and given by the Young Peoples society of the First Methodist church as a courtesy to all young people of other Methodist churches in Wichita Falls:

January: Misses Verena Claer, Evelyn Yates, Velma Hall, Ruth Talley, Miriam Hughes, Mesdames J. W. Thorne, J. R. Bachman, Messrs. M. P. Albritton, C. C. Donaldson, Will Murphy, Thomas J. Hardeman, Cecil Porter, Dick Warren, Donald Bright, Springer Williams, A. J. Humphrey, Lynn Carter, G. F. Sibert.

February: Misses Rae Marion, Florence McCulloch, Grace Downing, Gladys Faye Haney, Peggy Schwalbe, Thelma Ernst, Gertrude Price, Ada G. Gregg, Louise Ramey, Eleanor Gulible, Irene Swain, Mae Bryans, Sarah Watson, Glenore Fisk, Loreign Russell, Juanita Bachman, Elizabeth Moffat, Mesdames Thos. Holcombe and Ed Peterson, Messrs. Alfred Kass, Harold Robertson.

March: Misses Maud Murphy, Josephine Fisk, Jewell Rose Akin, Bernice Shell, Martha Akin, Ellen Wright, Lois Petty, Mesdames F. P. Warren, Ora Hughes, Messrs. Jas. R. Bachman, Evarts Martin.

April: Misses Lucile Warren, Ethel Andree, Alice Reese, Claudean McCarty, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carter, and Messrs. James Jennings, B. L. Bryans, S. B. Bacher, Willis Lawson.

May: Misses Margaret Akin, Thelma Pross, Magdaline Miller, Ethel Faye Bain, Eula Lee Gribble, Marcell Trevathan, Ora Lee Smith, Mesdames J. D. Bright, B. L. Bryans, Messrs. J. D. Bright, Wallace Bond, Bill Evans, Donald Bright, Springer Williams.

June: Misses Thelma Howle, Doris Ragland, Betty Tribble, Frankie Jackson, Mattie Humphrey, Nell June Smith, Elsie Marie Cotton, Evelyn Barker, Bessie Petty, Florence Lee Witherspoon, Adelyn McGregor, Eunice Jenkins, Ruby Nance, Mary Tancred, Lucile Warren, Mrs. Warren, Messrs. J. D. Pinkston, Raybon Porter, Bob McCullough, Guy Hawkins, Weldon Johnson, Roy Clay, M. G. Boone, J. Lewis Jackson, Dr. H. T. Green.

July: Misses Reba Calhoun, Hilda Ingram, Marie Beaty, Birdie Simmons, Mary Byman, Maude Soule, La Verne Frazer, Marguerite Gerhardt, Agnes Turner, Marion Goss, Alta Saye, Zona Marie Bachman, Messrs. Roy Reeder, Howard Mankins, Lee Ray, A. A. Oxford, L. V. Bedford, Raymond Smith.

August: Misses Gladys Faye Johnson, Hilda Masters, Nina Watts, Eula Saye, Cliftine Butler, Jean Fisk, Verma Thomason, Katheryn Harbison, Dorothy Fletcher, Lucile Ballard, Zona Jackson, Mattilyn Wilson, Audra Faye Darby, Eunice Culbertson, Adelyn Dixs, Mesdames M. P. Albritton and B. P. Williams, Messrs. John McMahon, and Evan Harris.

September: Misses Ruth Frank, Nell Warmean, Edna Love, Lucile Campbell, Mable Winfrey, Pansy Stanfill, Ada M. Hall, Gladys Smith, Viola Griffith, Lucile Hill, Evelyn Bently, Lucile Downing, Vera Douglas Cain, Alva Ruth Walker, Harriet Peterson, Frankie Jackson, Mrs. L. B. Ward, Messrs. H. D. Harris, M. B. Boone, Weldon Johnson, Bill McClure, W. J. Johnson, Harry Simmons, Charles E. Pfeifer.

October: Misses Stella Covey, Helen McPherson, Eva Betts, Gladys Mackechney, Alice Whitehead, Ruth Slaon, Elizabeth Wright, Grace Haynie, Marguerite Haynie, Josephine Smith, Bonita Humphries, Maxine Pope, Therresa Kauffman, Mesdames J. W. Akin, Jr., Murrell Hopper, T. M. Underwood, Messrs. Ira B. Lynn, Harold White, Murrell Hooper, Mabrey Johnson, W. R. Scott, Billie Hood.

November: Misses Ida Mary Taylor, Carrie Koenig, Opal Threadgill, nie Mae Peyton, Elna Stovall, Mary Clara Lee Leeter, Alene Covey, Minnie Louise Cox, Doris Bradley, Temple Jordan, Mrs. Annie W. Backer, Messrs. J. W. Thorne, Ernest R. Highfill, Vernon Bullard, J. W. Akin Jr., Dr. T. H. Myers.

December: Misses Winnie Foster, Ona Saye, Vallie Hern Lowry, Lucille Jones, Martha Alice Lyon, Margaret Walton, Lucille Clay, Lucille Keith, Louise White, Wiry Lee Kuehn, Evelyn Hurdon, Bernice Witherspoon, Mary Bingham, Mrs. J. Pat Pope, Mr. Jimmie Warren.

ITALY WORRIED; LIRE DROPS

Whole Italian Press Comments On Decline of Money

ROME, Jan. 16.—The entire Italian press is commenting on the rapid decline of the lire compared with the dollar and the pound sterling. This decline is attributed by some of the newspapers to international stock exchange maneuvers aiming to strike at the financial credit of Italy.

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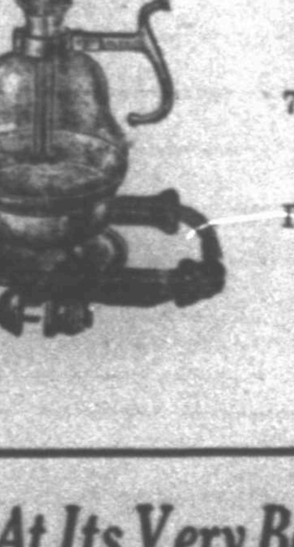
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All Over Texas

BEADY.—C. N. Richie, 51, farmer of Melvin found dead in field.

DALLAS—Ernest Briggs, 32, Fort worth, driver of a stage injured seriously when hit by an automobile.

SAN ANTONIO—Thieves desecrated the church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

BEAUMONT—H. A. Ashy, Jasper drygoods merchant, filed petition in voluntary bankruptcy.

FORT WORTH—Robbery losses of the First State bank of Newark will not exceed $300.

FORT WORTH — Temperature dropped 28 degrees in Fort Worth from 2 a. m., Friday.

HOUSTON—In the 24 hours ending at 7 o'clock this morning, there was 1.6 inches of rain.

DALLAS—A cold wave in east Texas was forecast by the United States weather bureau today.

SHERMAN—William B. Traylor, 19, Austin, college student died here this morning of pneumonia.

DALLAS—Miss Clara Dahl, 19, severely burned when her clothing became ignited from an open stove.

DALLAS—W. G. Wood, 53, was struck by an automobile and painfully injured.

DALLAS—For third time since December 1, thieves broke open safes in the office of the City Ice Delivery company.

SAN ANTONIO—Continuing a drive against gambling and vice detectives arraigned 25 persons in police court today.

SAN ANTONIO—A white man, 30, in jail following an unsuccessful attempt to kill Manuel Calvan, patrolman.

SAN ANTONIO—Officers seeking hospitals for a man who was wounded early today in a gun fight in Ruise street.

SAN ANTONIO—Officers without a clue to the identity of an infant whose decomposed body was found in a cotton field.

DALLAS—Rufus Hoxy, 23, Farmers Branch seriously injured when an automobile collided iwth a stage line bus.

DALLAS—Matthew Gill, Dallas cotton dealer, was notified today, that he has been appointed British consul in Dallas.

DALLAS — Yeggmen continuing their activities in Dallas. Thursday night the knobs were knocked off of three safes.

DALLAS—Tentative selection of a site for the proposed $300,000 municipal art gallery was made by a party of city officials.

WACO—The Texas Laundry Owners' concluded their three-day session here today with the election of officers and the adoption of resolutions.

BONHAM—Mrs. L. H. Phillips, 93, was burned to death at her farm home near here when her clothing was ignited by fire in an open fire place.

FORT WORTH—Additional officers were detailed today to patrol the seventh ward in which a negro home was dynamited last night and a negro house burned ten days ago.

DALLAS—An arrest is expected today as a result of the solution of the mysterious shooting of Mary Deloy here December 12, according to federal agents.

BEAUMONT— Announcement of the nomination of Charles Ledwidge as postmaster of this city follows a period of several months during which the city has had only an acting postmaster.

WACO—George F. Lindsey of Amarillo, following a meeting of the executive committee of the Laundry Men's association, said the committee had selected Amarillo for the mid-summer meeting.

FORT WORTH—Coach W. B. Chapman of the Cisco Loboes, west Texas high school football champions last fall, was given $250 in cash and a traveling bag at a banquet last night in Cisco.

AUSTIN—Country or interor cotton mills were joined by Texas railroads today in opposing a proposition submitted to the Texas Railroad commission, that a special rate on milling and storage of cotton seed in transit be established.

SAN ANTONIO—A saving of half a million dollars a year to tax payers and a curtailment of the powers of Texas governors is predicted by D. B. Chapin, San Antonio, as a result of the decision of Judge R. B. Minor yesterday in holding the ranger law unconstitutional.

DALLAS—Co-operation between the national association of Real Estate boards and the national city planning conference, called to meet during the coming year by Secretary of Commerce Hoover, was pledged at a meeting of the board of directors of the association.

AUSTIN—For the first time since 1874, when the Texas ranger forces were organized, the state of Texas was without ranger protection today in compliance with a perpetual injunction granted yesterday by the fifty-seventh district at San Antonio.

SAN ANTONIO—A mere rope, one end tied about his neck and the other about a tree, could not keep a large Russian wolf hound in captivity. During the wee hours of the night, after he had been tied up to the tree by alien hands, he appeared at the home of his master, Dan Breen, local sportsman, from whom he had been stolen Thursday morning.



THE OLD HOME TOWN

I. H. Roberts has returned from a week's business trip to Plainview.

C. K. Warren of Dallas is in the city on business looking after property interests.

J. H. Verner, an attorney of Springfield, Mo., was in the city Friday on legal business.

Jon Blocker of the city police force has returned from Little Rock, Ark., where he delivered a shell-shocked war veteran to a government hospital for treatment.

R. K. Roberts of Lake Kemp is in the city on business for a few days. He is a guest in the home of his brother while here, Harris H. Roberts of 1105 Austin street.

Children's Story Hour will be observed at the library this afternoon at 3 o'clock when Mrs. H. G. Tolbert will be in charge. Mrs. Tolbert will tell original stories and continue a group of others previously begun.

Business in Friday morning's police court session was limited to half a dozen traffic violation cases and a drunk or two. Bonds were forfeited in most of the cases and minimum fines assessed in the others.

The marriage license business showed more activity Friday than it has for any single day so far this year. Whereas one and two license a day have been the average, five were given out yesterday.

A year ago, D. E. Lewis opened his first gasoline and auto supply station at 413 Bridge street. His business has grown to such an extent that he has added two more stations. The third station will open today at the corner of North Tenth and Broadway. Each purchaser of five gallons of gasoline will receive a box of chocolates.

Marriage licenses issued Friday at the county clerk's office were as follows: John Parker, Holliday, and Miss Marie Franklin, Wichita Falls; R. W. Ramming, Wichita Falls, and Miss Ruth Marcelle Stopp, Greenville; Harold Milton Hall, Wichita Falls, and Miss Willie Belle Hollinger, Wichita Falls; Adrain Morgan, Electra, and Miss Opal Groves, Electra; J. M. Patterson, Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Hattie McCrety, Wichita Falls.

New Element To Be Sought When Sun Is Eclipsed

Savant to Hunt For Coronium as Dirigible Parks Above Clouds

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Prisms of Gas Highly Heated To Be Used In Making Research

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—One of the many scientific investigations to be made in the solar eclipse January 24 will be a search for a new element.

Dr. C. C. Keiss of the bureau of standards, one of the observers on the airship Los Angeles, will photograph the sun's corona which becomes visible at the moment of eclipse totally, with a specially designed camera that may be able to abstract conclusive proof that "coronium," a metal merely suspected now to exist, is an actuality.

Above the Clouds.

From the Los Angeles, which will take a position at sea above cloud levels for the observations, Dr. Keiss' camera will seek to photograph the spectra of the momentarily extinguished orb, the process involving the filtering of the light through a glass prism. It has been proven possible to establish the identity of a given element by so analyzing the light which it gives off when highly heated, a constant condition of all elements on the sun.

Sun Obscured.

At the moment of eclipse the central body of the sun is completely obscured and the only light given off comes from the sun's "corona," which is the halo of incandesent gases which spring out from the central body. Past observations with the spectroscopic camera have given the ground for suspicion that a hitherto unknown element tentatively named "coronium" exists in the corona mixture of intensely hot gaseous elements.

As a matter of incidental interest Dr. Kiess points out that helium, the gas which will sustain the Los Angeles in the observations, was first discovered by spectroscopic observation of the sun and later identified among and put to use from the earth's own stock of elements.

ROTARY OFFICE IN ALPS

International Secretary Leaves Chicago to Establish Foreign Branch

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Chesley R. Perry of Chicago, international secretary of Rotary clubs, sails tomorrow from New York to open a Rotary secretariat office in Zurich, Switzerland, for the better administration of 200 or more Rotary clubs in Europe. The organization, started by four men in Chicago in 1905, now boasts a membership of 105,000 in 28 nations.

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Lettuce, per head	12c	6 lbs. Flour	40c
Beans, large white, 10 lbs.	$1.00	Peas, No. 2 can, per dozen	$1.65
Beans, Pinto, 10 lbs.	$1.00	Beans, No 2 can, per dozen	$1.75
Beans, Lima, 6 lbs.	$1.00	Corn, No. 2 can, per dozen	$1.75
Rice, 11 lbs.	$1.00	Tomatoes, No. 2 can, dozen	$1.35
Peaches, dried, 7 lbs.	$1.00	Hominy, No. 2 can, dozen	$1.00
Rasins, dried, 9 lbs.	$1.00	Hominy, No. 2 1-2 can, dozen	$1.35
Prunes, dried, 9 lbs.	$1.00	Pumpkins, No. 2 1-2, per can	15c
Apples, dried, 5 lbs.	$1.00	Salt, 1 1-2 lbs., Jack Frost	5c
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