

LONNIE LOWRANCE IS PARDONED BY GOVERNOR

FATE OF FERGUSON'S RECESS APPOINTEES TO COME UP TODAY

WILL CONSIDER NOMINATIONS THIS MORNING

HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS NAMES BEFORE HOSTILE COMMITTEE

CALL IS SURPRISE

SENATE HAD EXPECTED TO WAIT TILL MOODY GOES IN

(By The Associated Press) AUSTIN, Jan. 12.—The fate of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson's recess appointees...

Hall of Houston, chairman of the committee of governor's nominations Wednesday afternoon announced that he had called a meeting of the committee to consider the appointments...

This action came as a surprise, as several members of the committee who will oppose confirmation admitted they expected a delay in the report until Governor-elect Dan Moody is inaugurated...

Love of Dallas said before Hall had called the committee that he would not be surprised if the committee should not meet until Moody has been sworn in.

Friends of the Ferguson administration admitted that a delay would not surprise them.

The upper house had its first sharp tilt of the session Wednesday when the governor's nominees were discussed.

The stir which the disagreement over the time for the report of the committee caused, was regarded as indicative of the importance which both sides attach to it.

The Appointees Governor Ferguson's highway commissioners are chairman Eugene T. Smith of San Antonio, members George P. Tolbert, Miriam and Scott Woodward, Fort Worth.

House Gets Busy With Legislation

AUSTIN, Jan. 12 (AP)—The house of the forty-first legislature, after lagging far behind the senate in getting organized, got its machinery in motion today and received 26 bills to be considered by committee not yet appointed by Speaker R. L. Bynum.

Among these measures were two providing respectively for the construction of the Texas prison system in Central Texas, and an "Enabling Act," designed to put into effect the constitutional amendment voted at the last election to abolish the present prison commission and supplant it with a paid manager of its own choice.

Both bills were introduced yesterday in the senate. They were submitted to the house by Representative Teer.

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SHOT BY BANDITS

H. S. Garrett, 51, of Fort Worth, is wounded when Negroes hold up his store.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 12 (AP)—H. S. Garrett, 51, has a bullet wound through the side of his face and in a serious condition. He was shot by one of two negro bandits who held up his grocery store Wednesday night.

The grocer was shot as he made a dash to get behind the ice box instead of complying with an order to hold up his hands.

The negroes escaped.

BEATEN BY NEGROES

Brother of Harris Jurymen Goes to Hospital After Distressing Collection Trip

AUSTIN, Jan. 12 (AP)—C. A. Galbreath, sixth juror chosen to try the Rev. J. Frank Norris, is in a local hospital as the result of a beating he received from three negroes near Bastrop Wednesday. The negroes are being held for investigation by the Bastrop county grand jury. Sheriff Woody Townsend said Galbreath, representing an automobile collection agency, was said to have been attacked when he called at the farm home of one of the men being held.

SULLIVAN MAY LIVE SOME MONTHS, SAY DOCTORS

There is a hope that G. W. Sullivan, Shallowater farmer who sustained a broken back while heading maize, November 13, will live, at least for some months, reports from a local hospital stated last night. He is paralyzed from the hips down, his spinal cord being severed.

Mullican Okeys Bexar Court Move

Commending the action of the Bexar county district courts in discontinuing the trial of criminal cases until Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson is no longer in office as governor, Judge Clark M. Mullican of the 22nd district court was said Wednesday that, since no criminal cases in his court were set for trial before Dan Moody takes office, it would not be necessary to take such action here. "However," he said, "I would have taken such action, otherwise." The action in Bexar county was taken "in view of the pardoning proclivities of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson."

KELLOGG QUOTES FROM BOLSHEVISTS

BRINGS DOCUMENT IN PROOF OF RED MENACE IN LATIN AMERICA

(By The Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Documentary evidence of why the government is concerned with reports of a Mexican-fostered bolshevist movement intervening between the United States and the Panama Canal was laid before the public today by Secretary Kellogg through the medium of a statement to the foreign relations committee of the senate.

Extensive quotations from denunciations by soviet leaders in Russia, resolutions adopted by the communist party in Russia, the United States and Mexico; proceedings of the legislative committee of the communist international and the red international, all proclaiming that Mexico and Latin America are to be bases from which an attack is to be led on the "imperialistic" United States, composed the principal parts of Secretary Kellogg's speech.

Prolonged Session After a session of the foreign relations committee that was so prolonged that it necessitated a recess, and after having heard the secretary's statement, the only comment by Chairman Borah, who has taken issue with the government's policy, was that nothing had been presented with which he was not already familiar.

Senator Shipstead, farmer-laborer of Minnesota, declared he had heard nothing which in his opinion justified the government's course in Nicaragua.

Senator Moses, republican, of New Hampshire, said few members of the committee had not been impressed by Secretary Kellogg's statement, and Senator Gilbert, republican, of Massachusetts, said it had confirmed his belief that the government was acting wisely and was consistently in the Nicaraguan matter.

FARMERS MEET AGAIN

Attend Second Short Course at Malibu; Session at Slaton Today

Over eighty farmers and farm wives of the Idaho trade territory attended the short course held there Wednesday in the Idaho Community Club House, one of the series of four that are now in progress in Lubbock county under the direction of County Agent D. F. Eaton. The Malibu Chamber of Commerce served as host to the farmers in attendance and to the speakers. The program was identical with that at Acuff Tuesday.

A similar meeting will be held in Slaton today and in Shallowater tomorrow. Farm picture needs will be shown at the Canyon school, east of here tonight.

ICE IN KANSAS CITY

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 12 (AP)—A sheet of ice formed from rain during the day underlaid a blanket of snow over this area tonight as a cold wave swept down from the Rockies to dispel a week of balmy weather.

SUBMARINE READY

Navy Holds Boat Subject to Call Either to China or to Nicaragua

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12 (AP)—The navy department announced today that the submarine tender "Holland," 243, being held in readiness at Sandiego for moving the marine reserve battalions, organized there for emergency use, in the event such a step became necessary. It is indicated that the movement depended largely upon developments in Nicaragua or in China.

BUILDING IS \$150,750

First Third of January Shows More Permits Than Whole of December

Issuance of a permit yesterday for the construction of a \$3,700 residence brought the January total of building in Lubbock to \$30,750, or more for the first third of January than for the entire month of December.

WOOD DISAPPROVED

President's I. C. G. Nominee Gets Thumbs Down in Senate Committee, 5 to 6

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12 (AP)—An unfavorable report on President Coolidge's nomination of Cyrus E. Woods of Pennsylvania, to be a member of the interstate commerce commission was voted today by a senate committee, eight to six.

THE WEATHER

ITS NICE TO MOVE IN TO A SETTLEMENT OF BILLS

COAL OFFICE

Lubbock Temperatures: Maximum 25, minimum 15. West Texas: Thursday cloudy, rain in south, snow in north portion, cold; Friday fair, not so cold.

Rev. J. Frank Norris Goes to Trial Fort Worth Baptist Fundamentalist Pastor Faces Bar of Justice at Austin, for Slaying of Dexter E. Chipps



"Howlers," Says 'Ma' of Pardon Critics

REVOLT BLAZES ACROSS MEXICO

CONTRIVERSY OF CHURCH AND STATE BREAKS OUT IN BATTLE

(By Associated Press) MEXICO CITY, Jan. 12.—After smoldering for six months, the fires of controversy between the Mexican government and the Catholic church are flaming in various parts of the republic concurrently with the troubled relations between Mexico and the United States over the petroleum and alien land laws and the Nicaraguan question.

Long existing economic and business depression and a certain amount of general political unrest add potential fuel to the blaze which may die down or be extinguished, or may spread into a conflagration.

Catholics in numerous states are, the Mexican government declares in an official statement, in armed revolt and are fighting under the battle cry of "Long live Christ the King."

Other groups, described as bandits, are burning bridges, attempting to wreck railroad tracks, holding up residents and tourists alike and looting small villages. The distinction between bandits and revolutionists is often merely theoretical in Mexico, but whatever they may be called, the war department persists in its declaration that the federal soldiers are suppressing the disturbances.

Gov. Ferguson criticized the granting of bond by Judge McCrorey to Dan Morgan, an escaped convict from Indiana, and laid her pardon record before "the people" for its verdict. Dispatches from Houston stated that Harris county court officials probably will not sentence persons convicted of felonies until Governor Ferguson's tenure ends, and others from Lubbock quoted Judge Clark Mullican as endorsing the Bexar county officials in their stand.

RESERVE SENTENCE TILL "MA" IS GONE

ABLENIA, Tex., Jan. 12 (AP)—C. F. Kerns pardoned last week by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson before serving a day of a three year sentence for violation of liquor laws, will not be sentenced to the one year term assessed against him Monday in 42nd judicial district court here until Governor Ferguson goes out of office next week.

W. L. Eby, judge of the court here, said tonight.

Kerns withdrew his appeal to the court of Criminal Appeals last Thursday. On that day he was granted a pardon by Governor Ferguson and a second indictment charging prohibition law violation was returned against him by the grand jury here. He pleaded guilty to the charge Monday morning and was sentenced. Judge Eby decided last Monday not to sentence Kerns until next week.

NO MORE CHANCES AT HARRIS COUNTY CONVICTS

HOUSTON, Jan. 12 (AP)—Persons facing penitentiary sentences from Harris county may not be sentenced until after January 15, the date on which Governor Miriam Ferguson quits office, Judge Will Boyd of criminal district court said Wednesday. The judge, replying to a request of District Attorney Hecate Soule that he withhold sentence on all convictions until after that time said that he had not changed his sentence any person before January 15. Soule said Wednesday he was spurred on by the fact that one recently convicted man had received a full pardon and that it was his understanding that another was to receive full clemency.

SEIZE PROPERTY

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 12 (AP)—A substantial portion of the estimated \$16,000,000 fortune, which Charles Spencer Chaplin gathered together with a trick cane, a big derby hat, a pair of floppy pants, and grotesque footgear, tonight was in the hands of receivers appointed to handle the comedian's property pending trial of the divorce action instituted by Lita Grey Chaplin Monday.

HAYS DENIES RENDEVOUS

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 12 (AP)—Will Hays, czar of the movies, tonight said that his appearance here today had no bearing on the Charles Chaplin divorce case. It was rumored that Hays was to meet Chaplin here and discuss the case.

BLEDSOE HEADS COMMITTEE

AUSTIN, Jan. 12 (AP)—Senator W. D. Bledsoe of Lubbock was appointed as chairman of senate contingent expenses committee today. He succeeds Senator Bowers of Caldwell.

WOMAN MAYOR PUTS QUESTION UP TO CENSORS IN DIVORCE SCANDAL

(By Associated Press) SEATTLE, Jan. 12.—Mayor Bertha K. Landes announced tonight that she will ask the Seattle censor board to decide whether motion pictures in which Charles Spencer Chaplin appears should be barred from exhibition here.

TERRIBLE, SAYS CHAPLIN

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 12 (AP)—It's terrible, too terrible for words, repeated Charles Chaplin, over and over again, concerning the divorce suit of his wife, Lita Grey Chaplin, as the film comedian stepped from a Santa Fe train at the Dearborn station here tonight. He said little else, and murmured those words several times.

South Plains Get R. R. Rate Relief

DALLAS, Jan. 12 (AP)—Staff special to the News tonight said that the South Plains section of Texas will be relieved of paying the western differential under an order to be made by the railroad commission following an agreement Wednesday between shippers and representatives of the Santa Fe. The differential will be cancelled on all main line points on the Panhandle and Santa Fe and also on the Lubbock-Farwell cut off, thereby relieving Lubbock, Slaton, Plainview, Littlefield, Muleshoe and all intermediate points from its payment. It will continue to apply to points on the smaller branches of the Santa Fe radiating from Lubbock.

EIGHT JURORS FOR NORRIS TRIAL

TRIAL OF BAPTIST PASTOR IS MOVING SLOWLY AT AUSTIN

(By Associated Press) COURT ROOM, AUSTIN, Jan. 12.—The Norris murder trial moved slowly along in district court here today with the tedious process of selecting a jury.

Three jurors had been selected after five hours of questioning bringing the total up to eight by 4:30 p. m. Five of these were taken yesterday. A butcher, a blacksmith, two laborers, a dairyman, a machinist, a retired merchant and a former sheriff still to constitute the peers who will sit in judgment on the Fort Worth Baptist preacher and evangelist who is charged with the murder of D. M. Chipps, lumberman.

Those Selected The first eight jurors are: W. D. Miller, 57, former sheriff; C. J. Brown, 37, laborer; O. D. Moore, 34, laborer; Walter Johnson, 37, dairyman; Will J. Dill, 61, retired; C. A. Galbreath, 37, butcher; W. T. King, 46, blacksmith; G. V. Potter, 34, machinist, all married.

The lawyers worked down the list to the first gentleman to obtain the eight "good men and true" whom they believed qualified in every respect to give their side a fair and impartial trial. The majority of these 61 were excused because they had opinions.

The state had exercised eight of its 15 peremptory challenges and the defense four. Prosecution attorneys explained that most of the gentlemen whom they considered undesirable for their side were well up on the list and that they would need fewer challenges as they proceeded.

Both sides said they were eminently satisfied with the jurors thus far.

27 Pardons Bring Total to 3,205

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, Jan. 12.—Clemency acts of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson Wednesday—six days before the end of her two year term—mounted to 2,565, when she granted 27 full pardons and one conditional pardon.

In less than two years, Governor Ferguson, who has always stoutly defended her pardon policy, has succeeded by 765 the clemency total of the next highest governor, her husband, James E. Ferguson.

Records compiled by Mrs. Emma Grigsby Meharg, secretary of state, shows that Ferguson from January, 1915, to September, 1927, granted clemency in 4,448 cases. However, Ferguson granted 1,774 full pardons, while his wife has granted 392 full pardons.

Appeals Dismissed A number of those pardoned had their appeals in the court of criminal appeals here dismissed Wednesday, the

COMMISSION TO MEET

Underpass on Santa Fe At Avenue H To Be Brought Up At Meeting

The city commission will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the city offices. Among the regular business, the commission will take up the project of the North Side Improvement league of an underpass of the Santa Fe tracks at Avenue H. Supt. J. E. Alton of the Santa Fe will be at the meeting to discuss the possibility of the pass.

DENIES RUM PLOT

Andrews Says He Knows Nothing of Alleged Story From "Under Cover" Agent

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12 (AP)—Ferguson charging that he was connected with a rum running scheme was denied today by Assistant Secretary Andrews, in charge of prohibition enforcement, who said he knew nothing of the alleged story told in court by an "under cover" agent.

CONVICTED OF MAKING HOME BREW, GETS 1 YEAR

MOUNT PLEASANT, Jan. 12 (AP)—The first conviction in this judicial district for possession of home brew was returned against Thomas Hinds here today. He was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

PEACE IN NICARAGUA

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Jan. 12 (AP)—The newspapers of Nicaragua say that liberals in the interior of the country are considering "making peace" with the conservative government in view of the recent action of the United States.

Hassell Sentenced to Die February 25

FARWELL, Tex., Jan. 12 (AP)—George J. Hassell, confessed slayer of his wife and eight step children, this afternoon was sentenced by Judge Reese Tatum to die in the electric chair on February 25. He received the sentence without show of emotion.

Hassell was convicted early today of the murder of his eldest step son and nephew, Alton Hassell, 21, after the jury had deliberated less than two hours.

THE MORNING AVALANCHE'S PAGE OF NEWS

In The Woman's Realm

BLANCHE E. BEAN, EDITOR

PHONES 13 AND 14

Today in Society

The M. C. G. ... association will meet at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the school to study "Health Hygiene" with Mesdames R. A. Studhalter and George Pickle making talks.

Mrs. L. E. Davis, 1602 Avenue O, will entertain the Entree Noun club at 8 o'clock in the afternoon.

Dr. J. C. Granbery of the Tech, will address the George M. Hunt school P. T. A. on "Complexes" at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the school.

The Dupre P. T. A. will meet at 8:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the school house for a program and business session.

Mrs. Horace B. Hawkins, New President of S. S. Class

Mrs. Horace B. Hawkins was elected president of the Buffers class, of the First Methodist church, Tuesday evening at the monthly business session at the church, filling the vacancy left by the resignation of Mrs. J. A. Humphreys. Mrs. Edgar Shelton was elected reporter following the resignation of Mrs. Hawkins from this place. Mrs. Vernon Brown presided at the meeting and Mrs. William Dingus led the devotional.

Among those who were in attendance were Mesdames Vernon Brown, William Dingus, N. A. Payne, E. F. Alford, C. H. Smith, M. K. Foster, William J. Miller, G. L. Tice, J. G. Hargrave, Tom Foster, Claude E. Rux, Horace Hawkins and Misses Stella Thurman and Lula Jones.

Sunowa Camp Fire Girls to Have Picnic

The Sunowa group of Camp Fire girls is to attend a picnic Friday evening, meeting at the home of Mrs. Sam Henry, 1901 13th street, at 5 o'clock in the evening and going to the county park. Each girl is to bring her lunch. It was announced.

Dr. M. E. Corbin, of Post, is in Lubbock with a patient whom he brought to a local hospital yesterday for an operation.

Miss Julia Johnson and James Pryor Are to Marry January 26, Is Announcement Made at Tea in W. S. Posey Home

Miss Julia Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Johnson, is to marry James Pryor, of Amarillo, on January 26. It was announced yesterday afternoon at a tea in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Posey with Mrs. Posey and her daughter, as joint hostesses. About one hundred and fifty guests called during the afternoon.

The house was illuminated with soft lights for the afternoon and a color scheme of purple and lavender was carried out in the dining room with cut flowers in pink and white in the other rooms. The announcement was made in scrolls of paper on each refreshment plate, tied in lavender ribbon and violets. Lavender iced cakes carried out the scheme.

Wisteria blossoms hung from streamers of lavender making draped from a light in the center of the dining room to the corners of the table, which was covered with a beautiful linen and lace cloth. Tall lavender tapers burned and a miniature bride and groom stood under an arch covered with foliage in green and purple under which hung a wedding bell.

Large House Party
The house party consisted of Miss Johnson, Mesdames J. S. Johnson, Frank Jones, D. D. Roderick, T. B. Duggan, Claude Hurbin, C. J. Wagner, E. O. Nichols, of Plainview, J. A. Rix, H. A. Davidson, W. B. Powell, Floyd Beall, Neal H. Wright, H. T. Kimbro, A. V. Weaver, W. H. Meador, Roscoe Wilson, W. O. Stevens, Sam Demman, Hub Jones, G. L. Slaton, M. L. Price, G. M. Cosby, Lawrence Bacon, Kenneth I. Kimbro, Misses

Episcopal Mission Will Have Crusade During Two Months

Under the bishop's leadership, every Episcopal church in America will conduct a crusade of prayer and spiritual uplift during January and February and special services, days of intercession and cottage prayer meetings will be held during the time. Saint Paul's congregation of Lubbock will start with a service of Holy Communion at 8 o'clock Friday morning and intercessions will be offered throughout the day, closing at 5:30 o'clock in the evening.

Four-Table Forty-Two Party Given in C. Wilson Home

A four-table forty-two party was given Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson at their home, 922 Avenue M. Highest scores were made by Mrs. O. W. English and Mr. Wilson and Mrs. J. G. Biffle scored low. A plate of light refreshments was served to Messrs. and Mesdames A. H. Travis, J. C. Granbery, J. E. Hamilton, O. J. Branch, O. W. Faglesh, Jim Branch, Mesdames A. E. Herring, J. G. Biffle, E. A. Cowden, John Stiles, Ray Arnold and R. L. Good.

Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Milling and Mrs. R. C. Browder of Mineral Wells, are visiting Mrs. Lena McElroy, Mrs. Milling and Mrs. Browder are sisters of Mrs. McElroy's.

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Society Briefs

There is to be a meeting of the entire membership of the Lubbock Little Theater at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, it was announced last night.

The meeting of the Loyal Sister's Needle club, postponed from Tuesday afternoon because of the funeral for George Benson, Jr., will be held this afternoon with Mrs. D. H. Mansell, 1104 M. Officers will be elected.

Mrs. J. F. Hankins Is Athenaeum Club President

Officers were elected Tuesday afternoon at a meeting of the Athenaeum club in the First Baptist church parlors and changes were made in the constitution making the term of all office two years instead of one. This was the annual business session and Mrs. A. B. Davis, vice-president, was in charge.

1921 Bridge Club Is Entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Conley

The 1921 Bridge club was entertained Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Conley at their home, 2113 Main Street. A buffet supper was served early in the evening with the games following. Mrs. O. L. Peterson and Elmer Conley received high scores among the members in bridge and Mrs. John B. Crisler and Walter Myrtle, Jr. scored high among the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Give Forty-Two Party

A forty-two party was given Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Norwood at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Trinkle, 2411 14th street. Dr. W. S. Ferguson scored high in the games, Little Mollie Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Davis, gave a number of enjoyable readings during the party. Roman salad, bread and butter sandwiches, olives and hot chocolate were served to Messrs. and Mesdames H. W. Stanton, A. B. Ellis, Temple H. Ellis, Sam T. Davis, O. B. Trinkle, Mesdames Norton Baker, J. E. Barr, Dorcas K. Moss, Dr. W. S. Ferguson and W. C. Rylander.

Mrs. B. F. Conroy, whose husband is a member of the Tech faculty, is in following a minor operation at a local hospital.

Mrs. H. L. Johnston is hostess to Triangle Bridge Club.

Mrs. H. L. Johnston was hostess to the Triangle club Tuesday afternoon at her home, 1619 Broadway. Bridge was played with Mrs. Amos Howard making high score among the members. Mrs. Hub Jones was a guest of the club in addition to the following members: Mesdames Glen Hess, J. T. Hutchinson, R. B. Hutchinson, Amos Howard, Louis Howard, Herbert Maxwell, E. L. Klett, E. B. Adcock, Fred Standley, John B. Crisler and Miss Ruth Bradley. A salad course was served by the hostess.

Paul E. Woods, of Oklahoma City, who formerly was an insurance agent headquartered in Lubbock, is in the city for a few days on business. He is now a district manager for the Elza company.

Mrs. J. F. Hankins was elected president after serving during an unexpired term in that office. Other officers were named as follows: Vice-president, Mrs. Gus L. Ford; recording secretary, Mrs. Temple H. Ellis; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. S. Ferguson; treasurer, Mrs. E. C. Wilson; auditor, Mrs. O. B. Trinkle; parliamentary, Mrs. J. C. Granbery; critic, Mrs. Mary W. Doak; federation counselor, Mrs. W. F. Scherick. Mrs. Fred Sparks was received as a new member.

Jackie Peters, 5, Given Party on Birthday Tuesday

Jackie Peters, who is five years of age, was given a birthday party Tuesday afternoon by his mother, M. S. N. L. Peters, assisted by Mesdames J. H. Mardough and S. E. Haynes. Games were played at the home, 2421 F. H. street, after which the birthday cake was cut and served with popcorn balls and homemade candy. Guests were Jack and Jean Northington, John Robert Moxley, Dorothy and Hubert Allen, Jr., Winifred and Dalton Woods, Roger and Martha Kuykendall, Tom Priddy, Margaret and Walter Studhalter, Oscar Hulseb, Marilyn Riggs, Berley, and Harold Hanson. Juvenile Mardough, Polly and Jackie Peters and Mrs. H. D. Woods.

Miss Lucile Bowles Is Given Slumber Party Tuesday Night

Miss Lucile Bowles, who is leaving today for California to attend school, was honored at a slumber party given Tuesday night by Miss Sallye Bean, 1610 15th street. Mrs. George R. Bean, the hostess' mother, served dinner to the group at 6 o'clock in the evening. Those in attendance were Misses Lucile and Mary Bowles, Lucille Jordan, Leliese Hays, Marjorie Mitchell, Margaret Trigg and Maurine Herderson.

National Club Workers of Delphians Here for Visit

Miss Emma Lou Walton, of Chicago, national field organizer of the Delphian club, is in Lubbock for a few days visiting with members of the local chapter and clubs in surrounding towns. She came here from Amarillo where she has spent several weeks and does not know how long she will be in Lubbock. Miss Walton said yesterday that she is arriving particularly to help the local chapters correlate their work specifically with the plans of the headquarters office.

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Now's the Time to Plan Wardrobe

FEWER AND BETTER CLOTHES IS GOOD RULE FOR BUYING; SELECT YOUR COLOR SCHEME BEFORE YOU SHOP



A white crepe de chine frock from Lanvin. The pockets and cuffs are of gold cloth.



This frock from Chanel has a brown crepe de chine blouse and printed foulard skirt.



Appropriate for more formal day wear is this jumper of silver cloth with stripes of black and green.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—While budgeting the resolutions for the New Year, why not include one or two regarding clothes? Better, why not plan your wardrobe for the year in January and then keep to your schedule, and see how much better you fare than when you buy from season to season.

The modern rule in clothes is fewer and better models. Just as the smart woman has eliminated unnecessary details and meaningless decoration from her gowns, so has she banished the superfluous frock.

Clothes have become much more adaptable. Each now can play more than one role if called upon to do so. The same dress that may be worn with propriety in the morning need not be inappropriate for the theater or tea.

Many women have simplified their clothes problems by wearing the modified sport type for practically every day occasion. Then with smart evening attire they can take care of any social demands.

One-Color Scheme
As you budget for the year, select your main color scheme, and buy within your color harmony so that you

get with one or more of your stock of hats and coats.

Believe that beige and brown or beige and black or navy blue and gray makes the most practical color structure. By keeping your hats, wraps and shoes within a two-color limit, you introduce no jarring note in the essentials.

While your main and your most important day clothes can come within these color limits, you can vary as much as you like in your occasional and incidental frocks.

I have had photographed for today three frocks that make charming additions to any well-planned wardrobe. While they were specially designed for Florida or the Riviera, they are easy to wear and becoming to almost any type of woman.

Practical indeed is the Chanel creation which combines a brown crepe de chine blouse with a printed foulard skirt. The blouse is trimmed with self-covered buttons, the skirt pleated on the side and bound with the brown crepe, and the blouse is cuffed and washed with the foulard. Here is a typical—all-the-frock which has

achieved both smartness and distinction.

Silver, Green and Black
Right in line with the general modification of the sport frock so that it is appropriate for more formal wear is the two-piece model consisting of a jumper of silver metal cloth with horizontal stripes of black and green and a skirt of black satin, very finely pleated. The collar and cuffs are of the black satin, and the narrow belt is a mere string of silver cloth. This type of frock has made it quite difficult more elaborate day clothes to have any representation at all in smart gatherings.

The third model is one of Lanvin's creations—a hand-made frock of white crepe de chine, with pockets and cuffs of gold cloth, and shirtings of the material. That shoulder bow and pocket, both quite unexpected, are typical of the femininity of the latest imports.

While nothing could be more charming than the white and gold combination, this same model could be effectively copied in endless combinations of light and dark shades.

Headache Caused By Nerve Tension

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The Woman's Day

By Allene Sumner

APPRECIATION

A bill of more than \$4000 for eight years of taking care of her father was presented in court in a certain city a few days ago. Thus did a daughter appreciate her job as worthy about \$500 a year. That sounds like a rather good year for his job? Funny thing—parents give and give and give and do and do and do and never think of collection. But watch the offspring when it's their turn.

BLAME THE DAME!

Perhaps we should blame Old Dame Nature. She makes bumps like that—makes them, as parents, willing to do more for offspring than self, but makes them, as offspring, never think of retrospective about the same way. Perhaps she has a good reason. Perhaps she slips in the parent-negligence trail so that as parents in their own turn, offspring can concentrate on that job as did their own parents. After all, the only thing the dame cares about is the generation. But perhaps it would not be asking too much for offspring to use a quality of mercy unknown to Mother Nature.

AMEE'S "RADIO MAN"

The Radio Man news Aimee Semple McPherson with a "great burning fervid love." This, according to the alert reporter who has chaperoned each waking and sleeping moment of Aimee's existence, missing man of mystery, who had been sought for months to clear up some mysteries in the case of the woman evangelist.

While Aimee denies that the red-haired evangelist was the "Miss X" in his cottage by the sea, he shouts plaudits to her name and testifies to his devotion and belief in her. If Aimee is like most women, this public avowal will do much to atone for the slings and arrows of outrageous fortune which she has known the past months. Aimee is an unusual woman. Indeed, if a man's most any man's public avowal of praise and devotion does not mean enough to be worth most any price.

NOSE THAT KNOWS

If you have a nose that knows, you are one of those women who always smell the cabbage burning in a kitchen seven blocks away, or know exactly with what kind of soap the woman next door washed little Johnny's face, you may be interested to know of a fairly new, hugely-scaled profession known as "perfume testing."

NO LONGER VULGAR

The use of perfume has grown into almost a cult, certainly, an art. Time was when the really fastidious woman scoffed at perfume and regarded its use as vulgar. But, thanks to the high art of advertising, today's woman who knows, gives as much thought to her perfumes as her gowns. "Perfume testing," therefore, are hired by the big perfume plants to serve in the same capacity as the long used "nose testers." My best of women—and men—whose noses are insured for hundreds of thousands of dollars. So keen is their sense of smell that they are able to detect the omission of one floral odor from a bouquet made of, perhaps, 100 blends of fragrances.

Technical Topics

BY C. W. RATLIFF

HOME ECONOMIC CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY

The Home Economics club will meet tomorrow at 4 o'clock in room 285 of the home economics building, club officials announced yesterday. A new plan for the club is to be presented and every member is urged to attend.

COLLEGE FROLIC DATE SET

With plans going forward, Rex Keys manager of the annual College Frolic announced yesterday that the affair would be staged February 25 at the Lindsey Theatre. Keys plans to make the frolic "big and better" and the last in being held with more. For several years it has been the hope of Miss Ruth Pirtle, having charge of the production.

BOY SCOUT WORK TO BE ADDED IN TECH

J. P. Fitch, regional scout executive has been in Lubbock the past few days and yesterday completed arrangements for a course in scouting which will be taught in connection with the regular education courses of the college and credit allowed on the work. A representative of the organization from national headquarters is to be here and instruct in the course which will be given mostly to boys who plan to teach school in later life. The course will be given in the Tech in March, it was decided yesterday.

DR. GRANBERRY TALKS AT CANYON

Dr. J. C. Granberry, left yesterday afternoon for Canyon where he addressed a meeting of the Sociological club of that school last night. He was the guest of Dr. DuBois of the college, who made a talk to the Pi Gamma Mu society here several weeks ago.

APPROPRIATIONS NOT CERTAIN

"It is likely that the appropriations bill will not be taken up in the regular session," Dr. F. W. Horn said yesterday after his return from Austin where he discussed the needs of the Tech with legislators. The special session will likely be the time for the appropriation, Dr. Horn said.

PI GAMMA MU TO MEET TODAY

The first of the group discussions of Pi Gamma Mu, national social science society will be held this eve-

ning at 7:30 in the home of Dr. J. C. Granberry, 1622 Avenue X. H. B. Carroll, president of the organization announced yesterday. The subject of the evening will be "Religion and what it has to offer to the social sciences," and will be carried on by the members of the biology department. President Carroll urges that every member attend as important matters will be brought up.

PAGEANT TO BE STAGED AGAIN

The Tech will stage another pageant at the close of school, Miss Ruth Pirtle, director announced yesterday and plans are already going forward for the production. The affair this year will be more elaborate than last year and will carry a different theme. The queen is to be elected by the students at large. Miss Pirtle said, Prof. W. R. Washburn, who had charge of the musical part last year, will again take charge this year and is now writing a prologue for the play. The Spirit of West Texas pageant which was staged last year proved very popular with the crowd and those in charge are planning on a much larger production this year. The settings will be more gorgeous and a May Fete will be held in connection with the play. The date has not been set but it is understood that it will be before the examinations.

PRESS CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

Tom P. Morrison, junior, special arts student was elected president of the Press Club in its first regular meeting of the term has night. The new president was business manager of the school last year until forced out of school and is active in journalistic circles on the campus. H. C. Hovey, student at historic manager was elected vice president and Russ McBride was elected secretary and treasurer. Many things are being planned for the club during the coming terms and a very active program is on schedule for the publications. The club discussed sending delegates to the Texas Intercollegiate Press association meet which is to be held at Trinity university, at Waco, Texas, in April. Tech will likely bid for a membership in the association.

Phyll Miller expects to leave today for Dallas on business. He is recuperating from a tonsil operation.

THE PAPERS SAY

By Knick



Avalanche-Journal Want Ads Get Results

LOCAL BRIEFS

Sam J. Culwell, formerly of Bridgeport is now associated with the Southwestern Adjustment company here.

S. E. Pierson of Ropes, was visiting here yesterday.

Sim O'Neal of Lamesa, was here on business yesterday.

G. M. Mason, of Littlefield, was transacting business here yesterday.

Kred Robbs and Richard Lynn, of Lorenzo, cotton buyers, were in Lubbock Wednesday.

R. L. Durham, of the Durham mercantile company, Lamesa, was in Lubbock on business yesterday.

Rev. E. E. White is expected home today from Austin where he attended a meeting of the Methodist Board of Education and student activity workers as a representative of the Northwest Texas conference of the Methodist Church, South, this week. He is pastor of the First Methodist church.

Mrs. Allen T. Stewart, is ill in a local hospital.

Miss Mildred Horton, district home demonstration agent, and R. R. Report, both of College Station, are in Lubbock this week assisting in conducting the County Agricultural school course.

Mrs. Archie G. Tusho, 1007 Avenue S., expects to leave today for California for a visit.

Miss Muri Ratliff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Ratliff, 2023 20th Street, is in Marlin receiving treatment for rheumatism but is not yet able to walk, according to word received here.

"One-Eyed" Autos Are in Danger

"One-eyed" autos are in jeopardy, Justice G. R. Scott announced yesterday. Spurred by the fact that no less than seven cases with only one headlight each had passed him as he was walking home Tuesday night, Judge Scott has issued instructions to Constable J. C. Roberts to make arrests for the violation of the highway law, as well as for lack of tail lights on cars. He points out that either of these commissions is punishable by a fine of from \$5 to \$200.

by friends, Miss Ratliff, who was a student at the Tech, has been ill for several weeks.

Among the business visitors here are Abdon Scott, of Abilene; Albert B. Hill, of Dallas; O. B. Kircher, of Fort Worth; C. L. Sparks of El Paso; T. O. Stiffens of Dallas; C. W. Kuman, of Dallas; Louise Eiler, Jr., of San Antonio; C. M. Youngkin, of Galveston; Fred Cook of Fort Worth; E. Staudacker, of New Orleans; J. H. Cantrell of El Paso; R. T. Johnson of Bleisoe, and Arthur B. Ruf, of Amarillo.

Y. W. A. MEMBERS ATTEND SOCIAL MEETING TUESDAY

Thirteen members of the First Baptist Y. W. A. attended a social meeting at the church Tuesday evening with Mrs. Vaughn E. Wilson, sponsor in charge.

"Heinie" Hines Breaks Three Ribs

Feed Hines, veteran pressman with the Avalanche-Journal was knocked unconscious and suffered three broken ribs when he fell into the cellar under the press yesterday, while adjusting the machinery.

After being treated by Dr. Sam Stewart, "Heinie" went back to work. Accidents mean nothing to him. A year ago he suffered a crushed foot on the press at the Journal plant, and prior to that he was burned when a stove exploded in his home.

75 Drunks in 3 Months Are Jailed

Vagrancy, that unfeeling source of arrests to the police of most cities, gets little play with the Lubbock constabulary. During the past three months, according to a report from Desk Sergeant J. T. Inniss which will be submitted to the city commission today, only seven persons have been "vagrated." Speeding let the list with 106 arrests, disregarding stop signals brought 91 to grief, 75 persons tampered with John Bailey's car to the extent of being judged as drunks, nine were charged with fighting, and three held for theft. A total of \$2,752.70 was collected.

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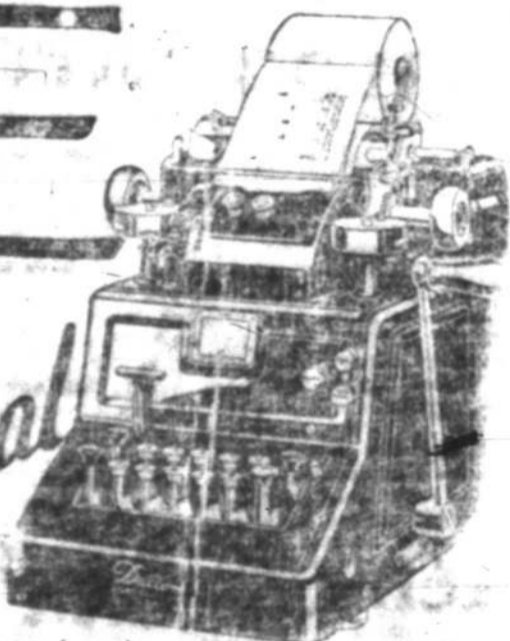
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THE OMNISCIENT GUIDE:—The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord. Psalm 37:23.

PRAYER:—Enable us, O Lord, to study thy word faithfully. Then it shall be a lamp to our feet and a guide to our path.

THE SOUTH AND POULTRY

The poultry industry, is just at this time attracting a great deal of attention. One of the leading poultry men of the South in discussing the poultry business says the growth of the poultry industry has been tremendous during the past few years in practically every Southern state. Mongrel chickens are as scarce today as purebreds were a few years ago. Hatcheries will hatch this year over 35,000,000 chickens. This industry is comparatively new in the South. Just why, you might ask, has this industry developed so rapidly? First, because our people have been making a good profit from chickens. No industry will develop very much unless it is making money for the operator. Figures show that good profits are being made from poultry. Second, because our products are ready to be marketed during the season of high prices. Third, we are almost ideally located in regard to the larger markets and we have an undeveloped home market. Fourth, because we have been forced to diversify. Fifth, because we started right and are building a new industry rather than trying to rebuild an old one. In other words, we are growing into rather than jumping into the poultry business. There are many other advantages that develop from the ones stated above. For instance, climate. Because of the mild winter climate, our buildings and equipment do not have to be expensive. We have a long breeding and growing season which allows a minimum number of brooders, brooder houses, etc., to suffice. We hatch early, produce eggs early, have early fryers to market, and, in fact, have the bulk of our poultry and poultry products marketed while prices are good. Because of our mild winters we obtain better hatching eggs, better hatching conditions, and hatch a greater per cent of chicks than do breeders in the colder localities. We also have fewer diseases and epidemics. That our climate is ideal for egg production has been demonstrated at our Southern egg-laying contests. Our contests this past year made average records, pen records, and individual records second only to two on the Pacific Coast and better than a large number of contests scattered all over the United States. Similar records are being made on well managed poultry farms. A few years ago, one who contemplated making a living from chickens was thought by his neighbors to be a fit subject for an insane asylum. Today many of the larger poultry farms are owned and operated by real business and professional men, and it is a business and not bobby with them. They invested for profit as well as pleasure. It is only a few years since there were no commercial flocks. A flock of 500 layers was considered a giant poultry ranch. Today hundreds of general farms in every Southern state have sideline flocks of 500 or more birds and large commercial flocks are common sights. The strange part about the increase is the fact that prices paid for chickens and eggs have increased with production in the South. This increase can be attributed to two causes. First, the improved quality of both chickens and eggs and improved prices, and second, the increased production made possible more systematic and efficient marketing practices. In many states cooperative carload poultry sales improved prices for poultry greatly. Carload sales removed birds that could not be disposed of at home. They netted the farmer several cents a pound more than he could get elsewhere, and, above all, these sales taught farmers the wisdom of selling poultry by the pound rather than by the head. What about the future of this great industry? The writer is of the opinion that we have but started. In the first place, the South as a whole does not produce enough poultry and eggs to feed her own people. In the second place, we can produce eggs and chickens more economically than most sections, and if a national overproduction should result other sections will feel the depression first and go out of the business. Another point in our favor is the great migration of people South. Authorities state that it will continue for years. The consumption of poultry and eggs in the South will increase greatly during the next few years due to increase in population and due to increased consumption by ourselves. Our people at this time eat fewer eggs than the average person in the United States and several dozen eggs less per person a year than our Western farmers. It is quite likely that per

capita consumption will increase. In order to make the growth and profits we should, however, we must consider a few fundamental management principles. First of all, we must have suitable quarters for our birds, obtain the best stock possible for a foundation, and then pay more attention to management details. We must keep the cost of production down by feeding most economically, culling closely, and marketing most advantageously. We must cooperate with each other in buying, selling, and keeping down dishonest breeders. We must coordinate our efforts to see that state organizations have the financial support necessary to experiment more with Southern feeds, work on diseases, and investigate any and all causes of leaks in the poultry business. Southern poultrymen are at a disadvantage in that experimental and investigational work has been sadly neglected in our section. The industry is large enough to receive more attention from the states on production, management, diseases, and marketing, and poultry raisers can obtain this help if they go after it. There is no doubt, but that the poultry industry is here to stay and the next few years will see a greater increase than the past few years. Raisers should, however, be cautioned about going in too heavily until they have had considerable experience and have been successful. Southern breeders should patronize the shows more, enter more birds in egg-laying contests, and advertise their goods to demonstrate to our people that we have as good breeding stock in the South as can be found anywhere in the country.

WEST TEXAS LEADS 'EM ALL

Of course there is the old howl from East Texas and other portions of the State that the people of West Texas are starving out and having to return to their old homes in the various parts of the state, but at the same time there come announcements from time to time that knocks these little prejudicial stories higher than a kite and makes some of those little fellows who call themselves newspaper writers silly. For instance, the recent award of the gold medals for excellence of display at the recent Sesqui-Centennial exposition held in Philadelphia.

The people of Texas have not been backward in asserting their claims to superiority in agriculture as well as in most every other product of soil and including the wealth of yields of the under regions. Statistics have borne out the claims in so many instances that they have had expert testimony as to the justice of what they boastfully would assert with regard to their state. Statistics are dry reading, however, and are not impressive to the multitude and it has taken something understandable to bring the true situation to anything like general knowledge. In the great national exposition, with many states contending for superiority in their exhibits, there was actual eye-sight view of Texas' agricultural products, alongside the exhibits from other states. Texas won the gold medal. Ohio had to be content with second place and another southern state, North Carolina, came in for third prize. Comparatively few of the citizenship of the country got to see the actual displays but the many mediums of news purveying carried the tidings over the land. Along the line of correcting false ideas regarding Texas and of giving surprised shock to citizens from other sections of the union the Bankhead highway bests the Philadelphia show buildings. Thousands of automobiles from north, east and central western part of the country plan their summer or winter vacation in a trip to Texas, often with California as final destination. They come with preconceived ideas of moving picture heroes and expect to see "truly western" people, cattle and other ideals of our state, such ideals as were in great exaggeration formed long ago when Texas really was a cow country and the scene of operations of pioneer characters. The cars of tourists, with their occupants often rigged out in costumes deemed to be in harmony with those worn by the people of the country which they expect to pass, are woefully disappointed when they do not see the six-shooter cowboys, the herds of cattle, primitive buildings and the many other characteristics of the screened portrayals or novels' scenic, settings of dark crimes and heroic deeds of the Texas frontier. They are disappointed when they drive day after day through communities which furnish them with paved roadways, and they can hardly believe that the well-built cities and towns with their inhabitants dressed like the folks back home are real. The only clutch or "roughing it" is when at first, they "camp," if that word may be descriptive of the eastern copy of what they imagine the "out in the open" means. Their outfits and their comforts and canned foods are far removed from what they are trying to imitate, and most of the visitors soon get enough of putting on all the show themselves. West Texas hotels cannot accommodate the hordes of travelers who started in to "rough it" through to California.

All these things are to be desired. The exposition in its way gave many a better understanding of what Texas is and the tourists carry back home, and incidentally also to California. Stores of a Texas civilized and of taking the lead of "back home" in so many ways. The gold medal should be worth much to Texas in backing statistical demonstration of what Texas is and leaven of personal touch with West Texas particularly is going to spread, movie pictures and jokesmiths notwithstanding.

FAVORITE BIBLE VERSES

In them and Thou in me, that they may be made perfect in one; and that the world may know that Thou hast sent be, and has loved them as Thou hast loved me.—John 17:23.

OUT OUR WAY



OPENING A CONVERSATION.

By Williams

Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST

INDOLENT
Let the pleasures go, I say,
I've got work to do today!
Still the laughter seems to call
And the shouting in the hall
And the racing, running feet
Tell of pleasures mighty sweet,
And I know the setting sun
Will not find my duty done.

Tell the friend to go away,
I've got work to do today!
But I hear an old-time voice
And I change that stern command:
Just to take him by the hand,
In he comes, and there we stay
Talking precious hours away.

So it goes, and so it will
Till my form lies cold and still,
For a friend means more to me
Than my little victory,
And their laughter and their love
Have a value far above
Any gain which I might know,
And I let my duties go.

LAUGHS

"When he fell out the window, did he hurt himself much?"
"No, he had on his hair-fall overcoat."
—Brown Jug.

"Are you familiar with the score of this Opera?"
"No, it doesn't matter to me, so long as it doesn't go into extra innings."
—Exchange.

Sam—"Do you return to pay me that two dollars I lent you?"
Hastus—"Oh, no, sah, Ah don't refuse ah jes' refrains."
—Houston Transcript.

SO THINK WE

We think it should be a violation of the laws of the state for a judge or a jury to sign a petition for the pardon of a man whom the jury has convicted for crime. If he was not guilty and did not deserve the punishment, then why should they have convicted him to begin with?

We think the business men of Lubbock should learn if possible what they can do toward making a better market for the farmers in this country. The best market on the plains at Lubbock would be one of the best advertisements that the town could get, and it would bring a great amount of business here.

We think the fellow who said that there were more beautiful women in olden days than now, possibly does not realize that there are more women now than ever before, and that there were no so many women who were covered up under layers and layers of point and powder.

We think in all probability the legislature will repeal the Ferguson amnesty law. It is to be hoped that they will help to redeem the Texas legislature. The only trouble it may be that some of the Ferguson family will conceive the idea that they must run for governor to vindicate the other two members of the family.

We think politicians have a hard old life. The Ferguson recently appointed Fritz Smith of Snyder as Judge of the judicial district in which Judge Leslie resided, and which branch was made vacant when Leslie was elected to the appeal court, and now come a disgruntled bunch of politicians who say that Ma should not have appointed this judge because her term of office was too near at end, and are fighting the ratification of the appointment in the senate. Such is the life of the politician.

We think that home ownership is one of the biggest questions in Texas, and it seems to receive the least consideration.

IT IS REPORTED

It is reported that it did not take the jury long to decide the fate of George Russell who murdered his entire family at Fossil in December, 1925. Texas juries are not always slow in expressing their opinion in cases of this kind.

It is reported that the Lubbock county grand jury will have a very busy time, and they will no doubt go to the bottom of the various reports that have been brought to their attention through judges charges, etc. It is time for the people of this state to wake up and give the officials the support they are entitled to.

It is reported that many people are looking forward to 1927 as the "banner" year of this country.

It is reported that the farmers are taking a greater interest in the short courses that are being given at several community places this year than ever before. They are interested in diversification, the cow the sow and the hen, and that will result in a community that is not dependent upon wheat, cotton or any other one commodity.

It is reported that many automobiles are still being operated without the 1927 auto license plate. So far they have not been molested, but there will come a time when you will have to pay. Possibly it is easier to pay now than further down the line.

It is reported that many people are about as anxious for the 18th day of January to come as they are for the Eighteenth amendment to be enforced. Both are very important eighteens.

It is reported that the Lubbock county grand jury will possibly have a very interesting session during the present term of court, and some of the

SO THINK WE

roughnecks will possibly have to be away from home several weeks in order to avoid a sitting with this honorable dozen.

It is reported that only five percent of the people of America close a door without slamming it.

It is reported that an effort will be made to get a subway on Avenue H at the railroad crossing. This is badly needed as is also the one on Broadway.

DIVERSIFICATION BEING PROVEN

Hogs Pay Well
B. Wittkamp, who farms between Lubbock and Slaton was here Wednesday. He says they are still gathering cotton on his farm. He is using the sleds, and will have about two weeks' work yet to complete the job. If the weather is so they can work. He has made good crops every year since coming to the plains, and is devoting considerable time now to raising hogs. He has some very fine ones on his farm, and believes the hog business will develop into a great business. He also has a nice bunch of poultry, and some fine milk cows. The low price of cotton does not worry him. He has a living and money made in these three industries. He is a great believer in diversified farming, and never depends upon one crop to carry him over.

Feed Crop Brings Good Money
The farmers of the community have been selling a great deal of headed maize during the past ten days or two weeks, nine car loads of heads having been shipped in that time.

Ten dollars per ton has been paid for this feed, which is a low price for the feed, but which at the present price of cotton will return as much or more net money per acre as cotton will. Mitchell county has raised plenty of feed this year but the farmers would probably have been a little better off if the cotton acreage had been cut down and some of the feed planted in the place of it, and chickens and hogs raised to consume a good portion of the feed.—Lorraine Leader.

Floyd County Diversifying
LOCKNEY, Jan. 12.—For 43 years farmers in the Lockney community have made good crops, and during that period there has not been a single crop failure. Lean years have been few. However, at this time, 1927 gives promise of being a banner year. Cotton acreage in this community will be reduced and wheat acreage will be increased this year. Many farmers are turning their attention to the production of poultry, hogs and dairy cattle.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

One year ago today, E. P. Norwood let the contract for three good brick buildings.

Col. Owsley addressed a large number of farmers in a Farm Bureau meeting.

One year ago a mammoth hatchery was started at Hereford.

One year ago the district court officials were seeking a revision of the court terms in order to better take care of the court docket.

One year ago the Slaton Tigers received their football jerseys.

One year ago fire destroyed the Coffee home on Ave. H.

One year ago Sheriff Johnston was having trouble with bootleggers. Some of them were even threatening bodily injury to some of the witnesses used to convict them.

Mussolini's Sceptre—Who's Going to Wield It?

SPECULATION ABOUT DUCE'S SUCCESSOR POINTS TO FARINACCI AND FEDERZONI

By MILTON BRONNER
NEA Service Correspondent
LONDON, Jan. 12.—After Mussolini, the duce?

It's a question one asks very discreetly in Italy.

Those who hate Mussolini and all his works, freely predict that when he passes off the stage Italy will be in chaos in which all kinds of disreputable elements will seek to cut each other's throats and seize power.

But the Fascist themselves don't agree. They say the only question will be whether Luigi Federzoni or Roberto Farinacci will succeed the master.

If the man you interview is young and ardent and a believer in action he will cast his vote for Roberto. If he is older and more thoughtful he will tell you Luigi is the man.

Two Men Extreme Contrasts

These two men are extreme contrasts. Farinacci acts first and thinks afterwards. Federzoni thinks before he acts. Farinacci started out as a workman, a railway employe, Federzoni belongs to the cultured classes. Farinacci is restless and believes in doing things. Federzoni is calm and is a philosopher. Farinacci stirred Mussolini to action. Federzoni supplies him

supporter than Farinacci. Later, the latter started at his native town of Cremona, a paper whose whole purpose was to support the Duce. He ran for the Chamber of Deputies as a Fascist and was elected. In the Chamber one of his joys was to punch a Communist in the jaw.

When the Socialist deputy, Matteotti, was assassinated the scandal threatened to ruin the Fascist. There was a change in the office of the party and Farinacci was chosen secretary-general. As such he had more power than a cabinet officer.

In assuming office, he said the chief problem for the Fascist organization were the press, the banks, the bureaucracy, syndicalism and secret societies, notably the Masons. These societies were suppressed, and later unions were forcibly converted into Fascist organizations.

Mussolini put through these measures, but it was rumored it was Farinacci who conceived them. Then suddenly last March he resigned his job and went back to Cremona and comparative obscurity. Nobody knows why. "Mussolini's jealousy," is the whispered explanation.

Luigi Not Real Fascist

Federzoni is a college man of Bo-



Premier Mussolini, Roberto Farinacci (left, above) and Luigi Federzoni

loma where he edited the "Giornale d'Italia." He has never been a real Fascist. With Signor Enrico Corradini he founded the Nationalist Party and was elected a deputy for Rome. In 1923 Mussolini made him minister for the colonies. It wasn't much of a job, so last year the Duce gave him the most important portfolio, he hasn't taken for himself that of minister of the interior. As such he has charge of all the police forces of the kingdom. He isn't a finger on the pulse of the nation. He is responsible for the keeping of order within the state.

A combination of a hostile army and a hostile minister of the interior might topple even a Mussolini from his pedestal. And Benito trusts his Luigi implicitly. They are close friends and intimates. For Luigi knows how to advise and then keep his mouth shut.

Farinacci advised and then told all the world about it. Which is why Farinacci is in Cremona while Federzoni is in Rome.

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WESTERNER FIVE INVADES SLATON TONIGHT

LUBBOCK HIGH FIRST AND SECOND CAGE AGGREGATIONS TO MEET TIGERS IN PAIR OF RETURN TILTS

The Westerners will invade the Tigers floor tonight at Slaton in a two game contest; both the first and second teams of Lubbock high school will meet with the Tigers and the girls in a recent two game tilt of the Westerners and the Slaton clubs they drew with the first team of the Westerners winning over the first team of the Tigers, and the second team of Lubbock losing to the Slaton second team.

For the past few weeks the Westerners have been under strong training rules and are gradually whipping into shape; however, much more work is needed for a good combination—this will all be looked after before Coach E. J. Von Tungen places his quintet in the county meet.

Gus Miller, who for the past few years has had charge of the Tiger forces, is also developing a strong club and it is thought that this evening's contest will be open worth seeing with plenty of action and a well balanced game in general.

The game will be called promptly at seven o'clock at the Slaton gymnasium located in Slaton High school building.

BASKETBALL

At Chicago 24; Northwest 27. At Atlanta, Ga. Georgia Tech 31; Oglethorpe 31. At Morgantown, W. Va. West Virginia 28; Allegheny 26. At Gambier, Ohio; Kenyon 45; Oberlin 26. At Louisville, Ky. Louisville 36; Hanover college 29.

Backers of Game Get Choice Seats

Citizens who underwrote the Tech-Aggie game for next October 28 will be given preference in choice of seats for the game when advance sales open. Business Manager E. W. Province of Texas Technological college announced yesterday.

COUNTY REJECTS ONLY ROAD BID

ONE CONTRACTOR ONLY ASKS FOR WORK; TOO HIGH, SAY COMMISSIONERS

Bids for grade and drainage construction on state highway No. 59 in Lubbock county were rejected by the county commissioners court here Wednesday afternoon and the county clerk was ordered to re-advertise for bids on the same project to be received by the court here February 17. Unanimous action favoring the order was registered by the court.

Only one bid, that of R. B. Stroup, of Albany, was submitted, and this was considered by officials as high. Several additional bids were expected by the court, some of them virtually promised, and the reason for failure of contractors to file proposals was, in the opinion of officials, the present unsettled financial conditions now existing in the state highway department.

Money Tied Up

The state, which is to share equally in the expense of the work, must approve the contract as awarded by the court before it is valid, and it was explained that several contractors now have funds tied up in contracts, and due to prevailing conditions in the state department these contractors are unable to be reimbursed by the state.

The bid of Mr. Stroup was a little more than \$24,500, but the bid had on various parts of the contract was not disclosed.

Myrick to Buy Bonds

Additional business of the court included acceptance of a proposition by W. A. Myrick, Sr., in connection with the sale of county warrants. Mr. Myrick's proposal was that he will buy all county six per cent warrants, maturing monthly over a thirty year period, and that the warrants will be taken up here when ready for delivery.

The court also ordered transfer of \$500 from each the fourth and third precincts into precinct two, the money to be taken from the road and bridge fund.

George Benson, Jr., Funeral Is Held

Funeral services for George Benson, Jr., were conducted by the Rev. W. A. Bowen from the First Baptist church yesterday at 2:30 p. m. Burial was in Lubbock cemetery. Rix Furniture and Undertaking company being in charge.

Young Benson, who was a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Benson, died at 11:15 p. m. Tuesday, of an ailment in his head, from which he had suffered since December 25.

The second grade of the Dupre school, and the same grade of the K. Carter school, of both of which classes he had been a member, with their teachers, attended the services in a body.

Pall bearers were Sam G. Arnett, Tom Ivey, Harry Morris and Jo Dick Staughter.

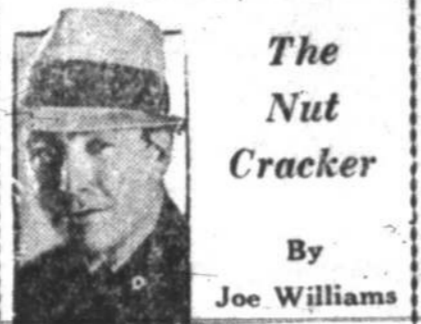
SAYS U. S. ASSURED SACASA OF FORMAL RECOGNITION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12 (AP)—State department officials were accused tonight of having assured Juan R. Sacasa, whose government in Nicaragua has been recognized by Mexico in opposition to that headed by Adolfo Diaz which has been recognized by the United States, that they would soon secure his restoration to power.

R. Carlos Morales, former secretary of the Nicaraguan legation here and Secretary to Sacasa during his visit here last year, made the charge in a formal statement which said that each time Sacasa visited the state department "he was urged by officials of the Latin-American division to remain in Washington."

BUILDING DECREASES

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP)—Trade-streets report on building operations for 1926 shows a decrease of \$230,542,54 compared with 1925, thereby ending a streak of seven consecutive annual gains.



The Nut Cracker

By Joe Williams

Dr. Hrollicka, the scientist, steps to first tee with crack that the "famous pithecanthropus erectus" is not the skull of a man after all. In the absence of evidence to the contrary we are willing to accept it as a typographical error and let it go at that.

The good doctor thinks it might have been an elephant's knee. We are in no mood to engage a scientist in controversy on that point, but it would be no surprise to us if it turned out to be a wrestler's head.

This bird Bob O'Parrell is a game guy. He has agreed to make the Louis fans forget about Rogers Hornsby.

Dutch Leonard denies he got any money for those two squaw letters he turned over to the American league. This seems entirely probable, the Dutchman being one of those high-minded noble souls whose chief interest in life is to see that everybody gets along well.

Boston, the home of the Red Sox, is a unique city. They don't need a scandal there to provoke a boycott of the park.

Despite the fact that Mr. Critz, the Cincinnati second-baseman, is noted for his steadiness, the averages show he had 588 assists last summer.

This is almost as funny as it is a holiday reveler needs wending his way home from a New Year's orgy.

Even if Al Johnson, the comedian, does buy the Cardinals we doubt that he would be able to pull anything quite as funny as the release of Hornsby after winning the pennant.

The A. A. U. and the N. A. A. F. have started an athletic war and it is feared the casualties will be at least forty columns of publicity.

Criminal Appeals

AUSTIN, Jan. 12 (AP)—Proceedings in the court of criminal appeals Wednesday include: Affirmed: W. H. Whitworth, Gillespie; R. Battle, Harrison; W. H. Odell, Taylor; J. G. Ransy, Denton; Greenville-Jackson, Kerr; Hugh Davis, Wilberger; G. Gaudin, Galveston; Deming, Philadelpia; Jefferson; D. F. Jones; Deaf Smith; Owen Davis, alias C. E. Strickland, Ford.

Reversed and remanded: Fletcher, Mansurum, Hunt. Appeal dismissed at request of appellant: C. E. Myrick, Station; Coaling, Grande, Fails, Paul, Bedmore, Live Oak; Herman Garza, Williams and Cruz Martinez, Webb; Charlie Akln, Coleman; W. H. Jellison, Orange; Oscar Gray, Dallas; W. A. Glascock, Fayette; Luis Gonzalez, Sisco; J. L. Hawk, Falls; Paul, Bedmore, Live Oak; Cecil M. Paris, Collins; G. C. Allen, Stephens; Matt Tyson, Milan; W. G. Donn, Jewell; Dock Trinkle, Wood; Will Schille, Milan; L. S. Bryant, Ellis; Andy Meadows, Tom Green; Fred Shannon, Dallas; E. W. Nations, Sabine; H. C. Owen, Taylor; C. N. "Bob" White, Stephens; Eley Simmons, Potter; Fred Jenkins, McLennan; John Skaggs, Wichita; L. A. Talley, Stephens.

Appellant's request to withdraw motion for releasing and dismissing appeal granted: Ed Chubb, Taylor.

ANNOUNCES REVOLT

El Paso Man Issues Manifesto and Then Goes Into Hiding; Garza Names President

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 12—A manifesto announcing a revolution had been leaving in Mexico for two months was issued here today by Jose P. Gandara, an El Paso business man who is proclaimed chief of military operations for the revolt. The manifesto recouped Rene Capistran Garza of Mexico City as provisional president of the movement.

Gandara went into hiding as soon as the manifesto was issued and Garza was said to be trying to enter Mexico at some point east of El Paso.

Midget of Major Leagues Delivers After Bad Start



They call him the "Midget of the Major." And he is just that. "Doc" Gautreau is only a mite. He towers a mere couple of inches above the five-foot margin but he's quite a ball player in the "Doc."

Gautreau made his big league debut last season. He made it with Connie Mack's Athletics. He made it as a second baseman. After a brief trial, however, the team Mr. McGibbon started the lot to go. The Braves grabbed him and he starred with the Beantown gang.

Big Spring Bank Deposits Increase

BIG SPRING, Jan. 12—The substantial financial condition of the Big Spring territory is manifested in the deposits now in the Big Spring bank. Big Spring is receiving revenues from farming interest, cattle interest and a present of development. The deposits in the Big Spring banks on December 31 amounted to \$2,124,792.38. This amount exceeds the amount of the December call of 1925 by several thousand dollars. The banks have declared a substantial dividend for 1926 business.

COOLIDGE STANDS PAT

President Tells Congress He is Acting To Protect American Rights in Nicaragua

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12 (AP)—In a special message to congress today, President Coolidge minced no words in telling where he stands on the Nicaraguan crisis.

Laying bare the facts which underlie the government's policy, the President told house and senate that he was acting not only to preserve American lives and property, but to protect the interests of this government itself, whether assailed by internal strife or "outside interference."

RISBERG-GANDIL CHARGES WIPED OFF BOOKS BY CZAR LANDIS; SPEAKER, COBB, AND OTHERS ARE EXONERATED

(By Associated Press) CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—The charge of the two baseball outcasts—Charles "Swede" Risberg and Arnold "Doc" Gandil—that the Chicago White Sox of 1917 bought four games from the Detroit Tigers so that the White Sox would beat out Boston in the tight race for the American league pennant was wiped off baseball's record books today with scarcely a blench left to show trace of it.

Kenesaw Mountain Landis, baseball's \$65,000 a year commissioner, in a 2,000 word decision, completely exonerated 21 accused stars of the past and present. There was no punishment of any description—the decision was a complete vindication.

The pool of 1926, admittedly "passed" by the White Sox of 1917, commissioner Landis ruled went to pay the Detroit pitchers as a reward for their achievement in beating Boston, Detroit rival of the White Sox, pennant in an important series, and not as a bribe to the "Tigers" for "bloughing" four game series to the White Sox.

The decision dissected the testimony of the two accusers, Risberg and Gandil, pointed out the weakness of their statement and wound up by saying that commissioner Landis could not find any truth in what they said.

Landis weighed the words of the defending players against the two outlaw accusers, and decided to place his faith in the honesty of the accused.

In his blanket absolution, the commissioner ruled that Risberg and Gandil had scarcely a reason for basing their framing charges. He cited the fact that no money whatever was mentioned when Gandil said he first James, the tiger pitcher under the grandstand before the first game here September 2, which James denied; that if the money had been promised for that purpose the Detroit players would have been yelling for it long before it was paid; that the money in

fact, was not turned over to James until after the Boston series and that no mention of it was made at any meeting of the White Sox until after that series.

Mr. Sullivan explained that it is with a great deal of pleasure that officials of A. and M. have entered the contract, and that the athletes as well as the entire student body are looking forward eagerly to the game, partly because it will be the first appearance of the Farmers in this part of the state, and also that the Aggies are expecting a real boom when they meet the Matadors.

\$10 JUDGMENT BRINGS MANDAMUS PETITION

A \$10 judgment against a local merchant, given on December 31, in Justice W. S. Clark's court, and later dismissed on January 11, is the subject of a mandamus petition brought in the 72nd district court yesterday by A. C. Becker and company of Chicago, who arranged the sloughing with Bill James, the tiger pitcher under the grandstand before the first game here September 2, which James denied; that if the money had been promised for that purpose the Detroit players would have been yelling for it long before it was paid; that the money in

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MEN'S APPAREL

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WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE? To the home of PRATT and MOLLIE ELWELL, in Camdenville, Ind., one night in October, 1898, is brought a woman who had fainted on a train. That night she bears twin girls and dies without revealing her name.

The story then moves forward 18 years. The twins, now growing to beautiful womanhood, have been adopted and named MARGARET and ELIZABETH. They are called RUSTY and BETTY. JIM ELWELL, the son, enlists in the World War. He then discovers that one of the twins leaves him.

He is shot, checked at the Battle of Sedan and at first is reported dead. Finally he is identified at a New York hospital and his mother's father is taken to him, to find that the traffic is gone, that he is like a living dead man.

Specialists despair of his recovery. They believe an operation might be fatal. His parents decide to take him home. The day his parents take him home, Jim wanders away, and Mollie, Prof. NELLIE DOWNING, nurse, and MIKE HENNEGAN, take up the pursuit. JACK NEVIN, a newspaper man, joins them.

Nevin learns that Jim had had his skull fractured in a traffic accident and has no chance to live. He tells this to Nellie Downing, who starts to faint.

NOW BEGIN THE STORY
CHAPTER XXXIV
"Come, now, Nellie," said Jack Nevin. "Bring up, old girl."
He caught her in his free arm and supported her.
But Nellie Downing straightened almost instantly. "I'm not going to faint," she said firmly. "I'm not the fainting kind."
"Maybe you're not," said Nevin a little grimly, "but those lips of yours have a mighty funny look."
One of her hands flew to her throat. "What shall we do? What shall we do?" Mollie and Prof. Elwell—how can we tell them?"
He considered this, noting that she was collecting herself and evidently had passed the point of fainting.
"Well," he hedged, "your man isn't dead—yet, so we'll just say he's been found and then on the way down to Twenty-sixth street, I'll break it to his father. Mike Hennegan, then when we get her to Bellevue we'll have help in case she collapses. That's the best plan I can think of."
"Even so, Jack, it's a cruel plan. Oh, why can't we spare her this terrible news? It's going to break her. Jack, as sure as we're alive."
"I'm sorry," he said sheepily. "I'm not much good at such things."
They returned to their taxicab. There Jack Nevin saw the eager question in Mollie Elwell's eyes and lied. "That is, he had died."
"Mistake," he said laconically. "The man they got here is not Jim Elwell. But we've got the correct information now and we'll see your son very shortly."
"Where is he?"
"At Bellevue hospital. At least," he said quickly to forestall another question before it should come to quickly, "we're pretty positive the man at Bellevue is your son. They found a letter in his coat addressed to Mrs. Edwin Elwell."
The letter was accounted for by Mollie. She had placed it in his pocket the day before, she said. "It was a letter from a neighbor at home and I had it with me when I took Jim for a walk."
"How," asked Prof. "does he happen to be at Bellevue hospital? Has he been hurt?" He looked at Jack Nevin keenly.
Nevin found that breaking the news to Prof. without letting Mollie know the truth was not so easy. While as Nellie Downing had said he was a good newspaper man, he was not a very good actor.
And neither was the little nurse. They were unable to hide from Mollie's intuitive gaze the story their

TWELVE AND A HALF MILLIONS WILL BE SPENT BY BELL TELEPHONE CO. IN TEXAS FOR EXTENSIONS

Approximately \$12,500,000 will be spent by the Southwestern Bell Telephone company in Texas during 1927 in extensions and expansion of service, according to announcement of T. A. White, district manager of the Southwestern Bell company here today. This expenditure will provide facilities to take care of the expected growth in telephone business during the year.

This enormous sum will be expended throughout every Bell company in the state. In some sections new central office buildings will be erected and new and improved central office equipment installed. In others the present central office equipment will be enlarged and expanded to care for service needs.

Other Changes Planned
Other exchanges, where new buildings and central office equipment are not needed, will benefit by outside plant extensions including new local and distance cable facilities and other improvements. In these areas every office of the company in the state will benefit from the extensions planned.

According to plans of the company \$4,750,000 will be spent for additions to aerial circuits throughout the state, including both local and long distance lines. This expenditure includes the cost of poles, wire and lead cables. In addition to this amount \$1,049,000 will be spent in placing overhead wires underground.

To care for the increasing long distance business over the state, the company will construct approximately 7,000 miles of additional long distance lines. With these new lines the long distance service throughout the entire state will be vastly improved. In addition to this improvement in long distance facilities 174,138 miles of wire enough to reach around the world seven times, will be placed in overhead cables and underground cables in the local central office areas.

This extensive expansion program is part of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company in Texas for this year is necessary to take care of the increasing demands for telephone service, both local and long distance, and to adequately provide for near future service demands. Mr. White said. "Unlike a great many organizations, the telephone company must determine where service will be needed in advance of the actual need and

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FOR SALE—Farm and ranch near Roswell, New Mexico. 160 acres irrigated alfalfa farm. 8 room house, 150 ton hay barn, tenant house, etc. 18 section sheep or cattle ranch, leased at 2 cents per acre. Ranch fenced and well watered. Excellent sheep and 70,000 pounds of wool annually. Price of farm and ranch \$25,000. Good reasons for selling. Wyatt Johnson, Box 137 Roswell, New Mexico.

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Want to talk to ten responsible people who have had experience in poultry business. Will run up debt, insure tracks and income for poultry farms. These farms will be sold with reasonable cash payments. Balance easy terms. A large hatchery will be installed in connection with these farms and the buying of one of these tracts will give you an interest in the hatchery.

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LOST—On Ave. I between 12 and 14th streets, one green Shafter fountain pen, with narrow gold band and \$5.75 list price stamped on one end of pen. Finder returns to A. W. May at Cicerio-Smith Lumber Co. and get reward.

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On City and farm property in Lubbock and surrounding counties. Rates and services the best.

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CITY LOANS FOR RESIDENCE AND BUSINESS PROPERTY. We represent the United Savings Bank of Detroit, Michigan, and are in position to offer you the best loans to buy, build or improve residence or city property.

We can handle some first class business loans at 4 per cent interest annual or semi-annual payments. We can finance any good proposition. GREEN & HURLBUT 'A Financial Institution' Citizens National Bank Building.

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6 HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One half duplex, located at 17th and N. \$25 p'r month. See J. H. Moore, Phone 529, E. L. Nooy.

FOR RENT—East Side Duplex, located at 1616 Ninth St. \$25 per month. See J. H. Moore, Phone 529, E. L. Nooy.

ONE Half new brick duplex, three rooms and bath, modern. Phone 1284. 1614 5th St. \$25-30 month.

FOR RENT—5 room house also one side duplex, bath, modern, good location. Myrick addition. Phone 537.

FOR RENT—House of five rooms, bath, NICE unfurnished duplex, modern, reasonable. 1614 Ave. K.

Your ad in two papers for the price of one will bring sure results.

FOR RENT—Nice little new house for couple, modern. 1916 19th St. Phone 376-W.

SIX ROOM modern brick veneer. Phone 466-J.

FIVE ROOM house close in Garrison & Holt. Phone 564.

FOR RENT—Six room modern home. 2116 Main. Phone 1287 M or 15.

Your ad in two papers for the price of one will bring sure results.

FOR RENT—Two furnished light house-keeping rooms, garage. 1316 17th.

FOR RENT—Two house-keeping rooms furnished, reasonable. 612 15th.

FOR RENT—Two completely furnished light house-keeping rooms with connecting bath. Phone 1124W.

FOR RENT—To employed party, couple only, two furnished light house-keeping rooms, water, lights and garage. Phone 524, Jonnie's Cash Store.

TWO furnished house-keeping rooms or bedroom and garage to adults. 1621 9th.

TWO or Three furnished light house-keeping rooms, garage. 1316 17th.

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There is an engineering organization, the foundation of which was laid over ninety years ago, and whose services are sought today by manufacturers and financiers in practically every civilized country in the world.

The service of the little Wand Ad Engineers whose dependability for selling, trading, buying, renting and financing is a demonstrated fact, is being sought by more and more people every day.

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AVALANCHE-JOURNAL

14 BUS. OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE—Three chair Barber shop, excellent location, exceptional terms. 1516 Ave. N.

16 FURNITURE FOR SALE

WANTED—To buy your old second-hand furniture. We do repairing of all kinds. Spikes Brothers. Phone 365, 1212 H.

WE REPAIR any kind of furniture, buy and sell all kinds of used furniture. Joe Seale, 1215 Ave. H. Phone 1172.

FURNITURE for sale, bed springs dresser and chairs. 2512 18th. Phone 783-J.

FOR SALE—Nice iron beds, springs and mattresses, heating stoves and dressers. 1914 17th.

17 FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE—An extra good quarter section, improved farm, 3 miles of Lubbock, \$26 per acre, good terms. G. W. Brown, Box 553, Phone 907.

Your ad in two papers for the price of one will bring sure results.

FOR SALE—3 acres well improved, south Tech. Phone 907. C. C. McCarty.

TO TRADE

Have 200-acre farm one mile from Lovren, 125 acres in cultivation, well improved, moderate loan. A real farm. Will trade for city property or notes. Also have some good notes to trade for clear residence lots.

J. O. GARLINGTON

Phone 561-J

19 AUTOMOBILES

UNUSUAL MOTOR CAR VALUES

1924 Chevrolet Touring.

1924 Ford Roadster, with steel pick up body.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—Used Dodge Touring Car, New Tires and top. Phone 1285-M.

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Maxwell Touring, A-1 condition, the car you want for pleasure.

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1 1925 Dodge Touring.

1 1925 Ford Coupe.

1 1925 Ford Touring, Balloon equipped, priced to sell.

1 1927 Ford Roadster, a snap.

1 1925 Jewett DeLux Touring. CALL US FOR DEMONSTRATION.

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DAILY MARKET

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 12. (AP)—The cotton market was fairly active during the greater part of today's session and prices developed an upward trend. The large spot sales of 10,000 bales in Liverpool for the third consecutive day started the market upward and the advance was further stimulated by the official forecast for a return of bad weather in the belt. In addition to covering there was fairly good trade and some outside investment buying. The bulk carried prices up 29 to 22 points from the lows. Against noon and closing the early afternoon prices reacted seven to eight points from the highs by realizing from recent buyers. The market rallied again in the late trading making new highs for the day and closing 24 to 22 points from the 24 to 26 points. The close was very steady showing net gains of 17 to 20 points.

The opening trades here showed losses of three points due to lower Liverpool futures but as spot sales in the market were large, the forecast for a spell of bad weather in the belt, considerable buying activity developed which ultimately carried prices up to 13.27 for March, 13.45 for May, and 13.50 for July. Towards noon and during the early afternoon the market reacted 7 to 8 points from the highs by realizing from recent buyers. The market rallied in the late trading making new highs at 13.31 for March, 13.49 for May and 13.65 for July. The close was near the best.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Jan. 21. (AP)—The cotton market showed activity and firmness in today's trading. March contracts selling up to 13.32 or 20 points higher and 152 points above the low level of early last month and closing at 13.31, with a point of the best. The general market closed very steady at net advances of 15 to 19 points.

20 REAL ESTATE

SALE OR TRADE We are now located in Lubbock, Ellis Bldg., Room 211 and have several good farms to trade for city property. Should you want to sell or trade, see us. Alexander Bros.

22 WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—Have a buyer for 160 acre farm, must be priced right, can make a good cash payment. Welfon Winn, 968 12th St.

23 FUR APARTMENTS

Clean furnished apartment \$25.00, lights and water furnished. Phone 1290W.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished 3 room apartment, hot and cold water, private entrance, 1914 Ave. H.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartment. Lights, water, furnace heat, all so garage, near Tech. Phone 595J.

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FOR RENT—Two furnished apartments, one unfurnished apartment and one furnished bed room. Call 822-J, 1612 15th St.

FURNISHED three room apartment, modern, lights and water furnished. Adults only. Phone 1673-J, 1411 Ave. L.

NEW three room furnished apartment, 2118 Broadway, Phone 788-J, garage if desired.

MODERN furnished apartment, close in, adults. 703 L. Phone 1255-W.

OR 4 room furnished apartment—all modern. 2093 9th. Phone-114-W.

36 FOR LEASE

FOR RENT—Farm, unless you can furnish yourself do not apply. Phone 9022F22.

Legal Notice

Notice to Bankers and Banking Institutions (County Depository) Notice to Banking Corporations, Banking Associations and Individual Bankers, is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Lubbock County, Texas, will receive sealed bids to become the County Depository of Lubbock County for the next ensuing two years from and after the 15th day of February, 1927. Said bids will be received up to and including the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., on said date February 15th, 1927.

24 MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Cotton seed salesman to sell Russell's Pedigreed and State Certified Seed. Must have ability to sell, organize and work sub-agents in county. Exceptional proposition to good man. Strictly confidential. Furnish references with first letter and be ready to start work immediately. Russell Cotton Breeding Farms, Ansonia, Texas.

25 SITUATIONS WANTED

WILL care for children in my home, for information call 1662-W.

WANTED—Good breaking, have extra good equipment. Phone 2422-W.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Jan. 12. (AP)—The live stock market here today was generally steady and active. About the only exception was in the hog trade where prices advanced 10 per cent. The count was for 2,000 crown cattle, 1,700 hogs and 1,900 sheep.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Jan. 12. (AP)—Cattle 11,000; strong, bulls 12.25; vealers 11.00@11.50; Hogs 16,000; 5 to 10 lower; bulk 11.90 @12.00; sows 10.65@11.15; pigs 11.75@12.00; estimated holdover 8,000.

COTTON SEED OIL

NEW YORK, Jan. 12. (AP)—Cotton seed oil was less active today, but continued steady, active positions closing at net advances of six to 17 points. The upturn was due to commission house and local buying, promoted by the strength of crude and tallow, and the steadiness of cotton. Sales were 13,800 barrels. Prime crude 7.00; prime summer yellow spot 8.50. January closed 8.75; March 8.79; May 8.93; July 9.05.

Texas Oil

NEW YORK, Jan. 12. (AP)—North central Texas oil company reports earnings of \$335,183 for the first ten months of 1926 against \$324,843 in the same period of 1925.

COTTON GOODS

NEW YORK, Jan. 12. (AP)—Cotton goods were more active today, new lines of flannels are being opened, the average reduction from last year running from 15 to 20 per cent from opening prices for the fall season of 1926. Wash fabrics were in better demand. Raw silk was firmer. Silk goods were a little better in sales. Wool goods are opening the year rather slower than anticipated, buyers hesitating in part because of the changing styles of fabrics and colors. Durships were steady at Calcutta and quiet here.

PUBLIC RECORDS

J. M. Fondy et ux to Mrs. Anna Grigg lots 1 and 2 block 115 S. Slaton.

J. L. Brabham et ux to T. B. Walker lots 1 to 6, inclusive and 15 to 20, inclusive block 18 Paul Hufstetler subdivision of Ross addition to Idalton.

J. L. Brabham et ux to R. A. Brabham 8 1/2 of NE 1/4 section block 25-D, J. L. Brabham et ux to H. B. Stewart 10 acres of 8 1/2 of NE 1/4 section 41 block D-7.

C. M. McCaughan et ux to W. C. Norwood NW 1/4 section 20 block X.

Mrs. Ada L. Kershner et vir to O. V. King lot 3 block 12 O. T. Hurlwood.

L. R. Castle et ux to R. Sherrod lot 15 block 33 Overton.

L. L. Stone et ux to J. B. Hankins lot 12 block 27 S. Slaton.

J. K. Rogers et ux to C. A. Tevis lots 11 and 12 block 59 S. Slaton.

R. J. Murray et ux to James L. Dow lots 1 and 2 block 42 Overton.

J. M. Jones to J. B. Morrissett lot 10 block 73 Highland Heights.

Annie L. Haeker to John T. Halbert lot 21 block 3 College Park, lots 29 and 30 block 2 College Park.

Building Permits Kerschner Construction Company, contractor, brick and tile residence for Jack Twitty, \$5,700.

Lubbock Sanitarium and Lubbock Sanitarium Clinic

(A Modern Fireproof Building)

DR. J. T. KRUEGER Surgery and Consultation

DR. J. T. HUTCHINSON Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

DR. M. C. OVERTON General Medicine

DR. J. P. LATTIMORE General Medicine

DR. J. H. STILES General Medicine

DR. J. W. ROLLO General Medicine

DR. F. E. MALONE Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

DR. H. L. GARLAND General Medicine

DR. L. P. SMITH General Medicine

MISS MABEL McCLENDON X-Ray and Laboratory Technician

C. E. HUNT Business Manager

A chartered Training School for Nurses is conducted in connection with Sanitarium. Young women

Mullican Says if People Favor Pro Law They Don't Show It; Officers Get No Encouragement, He Declares

Declaring that "those who favor prohibition are either in the minority or they are exercising mighty poor citizenship generally, for we rarely receive aid or encouragement from them," Judge Clark M. Mullican yesterday issued a statement replying to the published criticism by Dr. John C. Granbery of Judge Mullican's charge to the grand jury Monday, in which the judge said that "the people do not want prohibition."

Judge Mullican said that far from finding aid and comfort to those who favor prohibition, he had no intention of trying to break down the law as Dr. Granbery charged. Before I had my breakfast Tuesday I received telephonic congratulations from the family of one of our leading ministers, and "throughout the day I received like congratulations from many good people" and none from the criminal element. To the contrary, he charged, such criticism as Dr. Granbery's encouraged the criminal element as being "a wedge sufficiently strong to divide the forces of the law-abiding."

Not Far Apart

Judge Mullican says that "Dr. Granbery and I are so nearly together on law enforcement that there is little to debate" and that he had no inclination to debate the prohibition question, said that the only apparent difference between him and Dr. Granbery was in "the sort of charge I should deliver to the grand jury." This, he said, was

strictly the court's own business. His statement follows: "I am not very interested in the statement of Dr. Granbery criticizing my charge to the grand jury. I was merely trying to lay the whole situation before the jurors in order that they might be fully advised. In my official position I represent all classes of people, and both sides of every question, pro and anti—the good doctor would not have the judiciary otherwise. The grand jury understood that my charge attempted to cover both sides; it is now busy engaged with the prosecution results. I was not merely guessing, any more than the learned doctor was in his article, when I stated 'The people do not want prohibition. Those who do are either in the minority or they are exercising mighty poor citizenship generally, for we rarely receive aid or encouragement from them.'"

"Dr. Granbery takes me severely to task because I seemed 'confused and confusing.' I certainly admit I was, and am. Perhaps I am not so clear a thinker as the learned professor. Bigger men than he and I are greatly confused over the question, and the only solution of the problem advanced by the doctor himself is the one now being so hopelessly used. 'The expenditure of millions and millions of dollars and try, try again.'"

Minister Congratulates Him

"I am greatly surprised at Dr. Granbery's criticism. I always welcome con-

structive criticism, but his is not constructive. Before I had my breakfast Tuesday morning I received telephonic congratulations from the family of one of our leading ministers. Throughout the day I received like congratulations from many good people. Not once was I commended by any other class of citizens, but my information is that the criminal element, as ever, was severely criticizing. Notwithstanding the good doctor charges me with 'encouraging' aid and encouragement to the enemies of law and order, my information today is that the enemies of law and order are finding much encouragement in the article of Dr. Granbery, believing they have found in him, by his attack of a public official, a wedge sufficiently strong to divide the forces of the law-abiding. They are jubilant over a new found leader who, by crossing swords with the judge of this court, shifts the public mind from their activities, and reduces the power, respect and strength of the court. If the good man had expended the same thought and effort against the 'enemies of law and order' that he has criticizing my efforts, I might expect some benefit to follow. He can not be very familiar with my official problems and duties at this time, any more than I am with his. I certainly would not attempt to criticize an address of his to his co-workers on purely school problems.

"Surely the good doctor, filled with good intentions, just felt inspired to write, believing a favorite theory of his was being attacked. He seized upon two words of mine, 'The people' used extemporaneously by me, and in the privacy of his study, carefully prepared his theme. He and I are so nearly together on law enforcement that there is little to debate, and I have neither time nor inclination to

debate the prohibition question. Where we differ is merely in the kind of charge I should deliver to the grand jury. If we both stick to our professions we may each be able to do as well as welcome the good doctor to my office, and to receive his advice and encouragement, but I insist on my right to discuss with the grand jury, problems pertaining to my office, in the manner that seems fair, right and best to me, and this I certainly intend to do."

PARDONS

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Last day such action could be taken before Dan Moody, succeeds Governor Ferguson, January 15.

Emmett Vestal, whose death sentence from Dallas county recently was commuted to life imprisonment, and Edd Goss of Denton and Harris counties, under two life sentences on murder convictions, were Wednesday granted full pardons Wednesday.

Governor Ferguson also issued full pardons to Gibb Howard, Brown county; W. W. Wilman, Hamilton county and Ed Walker, Brown county. They were convicted of the murder of Jack McCurdy in the March term of court, 1925. Wilman received a 65 year sentence, Walker and Howard each 25 years. McCurdy's body was found near a railroad track mutilated apparently by a train, according to testimony in the trial.

Among Those Pardoned

Among those pardoned today were Lonnie Lowmance, Lubbock county; bigamy; five years; convicted November term, 1926; recommended by pardon board.

J. D. Booker, Wheeler county, liquor; one year; recommended by jury. Judge and others, various offenses.

Bill Loven, Taylor county, robbery; 10 years; served two years; recommended by various officials.

Paddy Wilcoxson, Baylor county; statutory offense; five years. Convicted in January term, 1926; pardon recommended by 11 of the jury and others.

Ed Jackson, Coleman county, murder; five to 50 years; convicted August, 1925; recommended by members of jury and his mother and brother.

G. C. Allen, Stephens county, larceny; three years, convicted in 1925; pardon recommended by jury.

Ray Funnell, Callahan county, robbery with firearms; five years; recommended by jury.

LEGISLATURE

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of Williamson county. A bill that would let county school boards in counties having more than 2,000 scholastic census appoint their county superintendent, heretofore chosen by popular election, was introduced by Representative Daniels of Wichita Falls. Salary would be not more than \$4,000, with maximum expenses of \$1,500 allowed.

Efforts to bring all public utilities under close state regulation were renewed in a bill presented by Representative Nathan Jackson of Dallas. It would be known as the "public utilities act" and would create supervisory functions in the state railroad commission, holding accountable to the state all telegraph, telephone, gas, electric, interurban, motor bus, street railway, ice and cotton gin companies. Their rules, rates, and regulations would be subject to state control. One-tenth of one per cent of their profits would be assessed to provide an administrative department in the railroad commission.

The prison relocation bill, which passed both houses of the 38th legislature and was vetoed by the governor, provides that construction contracts for new buildings to establish and operate a modern, fire proof prison system in a closer radius from the state capital. Sale of the present scattered units is provided for. Proceeds from that, and a million dollars to be appropriated by a provision of the bill would be used to finance the relocation.

Just 3 More Days!

Of Our January Clearance Sale

Men's Work Clothes at These Radical Reductions

<h4>Corduroy Suits</h4> <p>Heavy weight and best quality, expertly tailored. Regular \$18.50 Values now at \$13.75</p>	<h4>Men's Leather and Corduroy Caps</h4> <p>\$2.50 Caps, Leather with Corduroy Tie Top \$1.85 \$2.00 Caps, Leather with Corduroy Tie Top \$1.65 \$1.50 Corduroy Tie Top Caps, at \$1.19 \$1.25 Corduroy Tie Top Caps, at \$.95 \$1.00 Corduroy Caps \$.79</p>
<h4>Men's Corduroy Pants</h4> <p>Heavy Weight—Extra quality regular \$6.00 and \$7.50 Sellers reduced to only \$4.65</p> <p>Medium Weight Corduroy Pants, regular \$3.75, \$4.50 and \$4.85 sellers, now your choice only \$2.98</p>	<h4>Men's Leather Jackets</h4> <p>\$18.50 Vests, now only \$12.45 \$10.00 and \$12.50 Vests, only \$ 7.95 \$8.50 Vests, now only \$ 5.45 \$6.00 Vests, now only \$4.25 Fine grade Duck Coat, thirty-six inches in length, heavy sheep lined, regular \$12.50 seller reduced to \$8.85 Heavy Mole Skin Coat, thirty-six inches long, fall sheep lined, extra fine quality—regular price \$16.50 on Sale now at only \$10.95</p>
<h4>Heavy Cotton Flannel Shirts</h4> <p>In Gray, Tan and Heather Mixtures regular \$1.75 sellers reduced to \$1.15</p>	<h4>Men's and Boy's Lumber Jacks</h4> <p>\$3.50 Lumberjacks, now only \$2.75 \$4.50 Lumberjacks, now only \$3.55 \$4.75 Lumberjacks, now only \$3.65 \$7.50 Lumberjacks, now only \$4.95</p>
<h4>Outstanding Values in Men's Work Pants</h4> <p>Heavy Khaki, or Duck Pants regularly priced \$1.95, \$2.25 and \$2.50, now being offered at your choice only \$1.49 \$1.00 Derrick Work Shirts in blue, or gray, special at .69c</p>	

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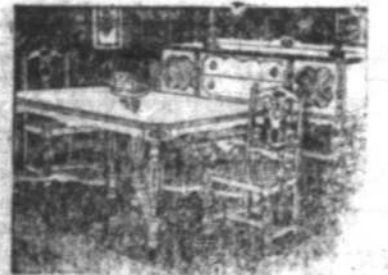
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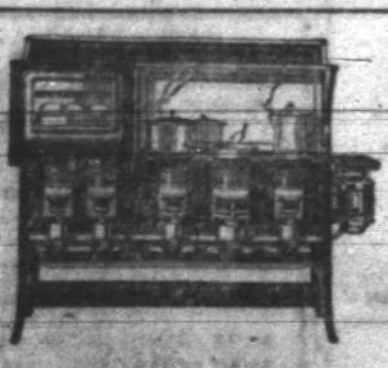
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