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Pres. Coolidge Warns Europe

HEAVY BAIL DEMANDED OF YOUNG TRIO FROM DUNCAN

Three Youths of Prominent Families Released Under Heavy Bonds Monday

TAKEN TO WAURIKA

Investigation of Sale of Vile Mexican Drug Follows Serious Accusations

WAURIKA, Okla., May 4.—Harry Sledge, Ted Elliot and Bill Brown, sons of prominent Duncan, Okla., families, were arraigned before District Judge William M. Pugh at Waurika today on serions charges in connection with the Ethel Sreywas case of the night of Feb. 21, 1925, and pleaded not guilty.

New bonds were named in the case of each boy. Sledge is now at liberty under bond of $25,000; Elliot made bond of $10,000; and Brown made bond of $10,000.

Further disposition of the case of the three prominent Duncan youths was postponed by Judge Pugh until May 15, at which time it is expected definite announcement will be made as to the date and place of the trial. It probably will not be held in this county, but a change of venue from Stephens county will be taken.

An intertesting development in the case today was announcement that D. M. Bridges of Waurika, prominent criminal lawyer, had been retained to assist in the defense of the three youths.

Duncan Breathless In Anticipation Of 'Sreywas' Outcome

DUNCAN, Okla., May 4.—Duncan, municipal pride of southern Oklahoma—a beautiful city among the hills and timber of Stephens county—doesn't care to talk about the Sreywas case. There still slumbers in that community the ember of vengeance, born of impatience at justice's delay; a fear that laws of the land may yet fail to bring punishment to the despoilers of the 18-year-old French-American orphan who all but killed her. Besides, there is the companion in crime, marajuana, Mexican drug whose addicts know not the moral responsibility they owe society; to whom virginity is but a plaything and womanhood only a vehicle with which to revel their lusts.

Duncan wants justice for the wreckage of Ethel Sreywas' life, but wants the law to take it course. If, as some allege, there are 21 addicts of marajuana in Duncan's fair midst, addicts enrolled by club membership to the practices of that vicious opiate, Duncan folks demand a pitiless ridance. That's why the best people of Duncan are giving whole-hearted support now to the investigations of Mrs. W. T. Goodwin of San Antonio, Texas, sent to Duncan by the department of corrections and charities of the state of Oklahoma.

On February 21, 1925.

Incidents of the night of February 21, 1925, smothered Duncan and some of its prominent families with a heavy hand of sorrow. Its incipiency a downtown street corner; its climax, the J. E. Sledge ranch house on the outskirts of Duncan; its pitiful aftermath the call of a physician to repair the wounded form of Ethel Sreywas at the home of her sisters. Then the law—and Harry Sledge, wealthy rancher's son; Bill Brown, scion of prominent family whose father is a banker and retired capitalist; and Ted Elliot, son of the postmaster of Duncan, were locked behind steel bars. Locked and guarded behind steel bars for two purposes; first, to insure their bodies to the course of justice; second, to insure their lives from an enraged sentiment among the people with whom they had lived and moved, a sentiment fast approaching the powder point which with but a single touch might explode its vengeance and block the youths' guaranty of a "fair and impartial trial by a jury of their peers."

Duncan stands aghast, too, at the frivolity with which other maidens of the county at various times have been handled by youths yet unnamed, yet unpunished for their assaults.

There is the story of Albert Eaton, who in company with five young ladies one night last September, was brutally set upon by a band of youths and almost killed in his efforts to protect the womanhood of those he was escorting to Comanche. Eaton lived. But it was almost with his life that he saved the young ladies who accompanied him. Three young men were arrested in connection with the case, but the law has its civil cases to take care of; brutal assaults in the night time are not the only felonies on justice's crowded docket.

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Then there is the story of another girl—beautiful, at the threshold of womanhood, who was held suspended in a deep farmhouse cistern by a youth until on threats of drowning she promised to submit to his demands.

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But this story has to do with Ethel Sreywas. Let her recount the

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Mentioned In Sreywas Case At Duncan,



Herewith are presented the first pictures published in connection with the Ethel Sreywas case at Duncan, Okla., which resulted in serious charges being filed against three of Duncan's most prominent young men. In another column is told the story of the attack upon Ethel Sreywas, a French orphan girl.

In the pictures are: upper left the palatial Sledge town home; upper right, the deserted city natatorium, alleged rendezvous; center, Lillian (Billy) Morrison, who was one of the girls in the alleged party who was not injured; lower; the Sledge ranch house on the outskirts of Duncan where Ethel Sreywas has testified she was brutally attacked.

MEDICS CLOSE ONE SESSION, OPEN ANOTHER

Officers of Three Ass'ns. In Austin Elected Monday

AUSTIN, May 4—(AP)—The three medical associations in session in Austin today brought their conventions to a close tonight with elections of officers for the ensuing year, and the visiting doctors turned their attention to the 59th annual session of the Texas Medical association opening tomorrow.

The Texas Railway Surgical and Hygienical associated elected Dr. A. P. Howard of Houston, president; Dr. W. M. Sherwood of Temple, vice-president, and Dr. Ross Trigg of Fort Worth, was re-elected secretary treasurer.

The Texas Radiological society elected the following: Dr. C. L. Martin of Dallas, president; Dr. E. D. Crutchfield of Galveston, president-elect; Dr. W. G. McDeed, Houston, first vice-president; Dr. R. E. Barr of Orange, second vice-president, and Dr. Davis Spangler of Dallas, secretary-treasurer.

Officers elected by the Texas Pathological society included: Dr. E. Cooke of Houston, president; Dr. Marvin Bell of Dallas, vice-president, and Dr. W. W. Coulter of Houston, secretary-treasurer.

In addition to these three meetings, about 50 city and county health officers met in conferences with Dr. H. O. Sappington of Galveston, to formulate plans of reducing the danger of communicable diseases, and to better guard the public health during the coming summer.

Discussion of the doctors brought out that there "are too many rabid dogs and too much small pox in the state at present," all of which is preventable, it was said.

Los Angeles Reaches Porto Rico Safely

PLAYA, Mayaguez, Porto Rico, May 4.—The dirigible Los Angeles was sighted here at 6:19 p. m.

The airship was moored to the mast of the tender Patoka at 7:45 p. m.

REALTY COMPANY ORGANIZES

Westmoreland Park Company Names J. A. Kemp As President

Westmoreland Park company completed its organization yesterday at a call meeting of all stockholders. Officers and directors were elected.

The company controls a tract of land west of Wichita Falls which it plans to open into an exclusive residential section in the near future.

J. A. Kemp was elected president; W. M. Priddy vice president; J. W. Thomas, vice president, and A. W. King, secretary.

The following directors were elected: W. M. Priddy, John W. Thomas, J. A. Kemp, Rhea Howard, Leslie Humphrey, A. C. Camp, J. T. Young, A. W. King and D. M. Bernard.

RAILWAY CONDUCTORS MEET

Development on Railway Industry Discussed at Minneapolis Session.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 4.—Discussion of developments in the railroad industry, including competitive problems and a long series of business session headed the program of the thirty-eighth triennial convention of the Order of Railway Conductors of America, which opened here today.

Several thousand delegates and visitors were registered. Officers of the order said the convention would last at least two weeks.

PACKING PLANT BOUGHT

DES MOINES, Ia., May 4.—Swift and company, packers, bought a receivers' auction the plant of the Iowa Packing company. The purchase price was $495,000.

Say It To Buds With Melodies

CHICAGO, May 4.—Flowers will retain their original bloom for many days if subjected to the rhythmic strains of music, C. F. Billings, Milwaukee, said today. He will present his conclusions along this line in an address before the silver jubilee convention of the Music Trade to be held here June 8 to 11.

"I've tried music on flowers and I know it will work", he said. Flowers must have music in their daily diet for certain atmospheric waves set up by the rhythmetic musical tones he said have a beneficial effect similar to light waves.

Commissioners Will Adjust Tax Disputes In Week of May 10

The county commissioners court will meet during the week of May 18 as a board of equalization to adjust disputes over county tax reditions, it was announced Monday. Sittings will probably start Tuesday, May 19, to continue for the balance of the week or as long as is necessary to give proper attention to such tax matters as may be brought before it.

It had been hoped that the hearings could be started next week, but a little more work will be necessary before the tax rolls are in proper shape, Assessor Arthur Howard has found, and for that reason the start has been delayed.

In acting as a board of equalization the commissioners review all tax renditions which property owners protest over and, if in their judgement a rearrangement is necessary, the adjustment is made.

JUAREZ CLUB CELEBRATES

Public Invited to Attend Meeting of Mexicans Here Tuesday Night

All Wichitans are cordially invited to attend the anniversary meeting tonight to be held by Mexican of the city at the Benito Juarez club in commemoration of the sixty-third anniversary of the "Battle of Cinco de Mayo," or battle of May 5. The conflict figured prominently in Mexican history.

Addresses in Spanish and probably some in English will be provided. Other entertainment features will also be offered during the evening.

The club rooms are located at 400 Tulsa street.

SWEET LOSES OUSTER SUIT

Supreme Court Rules Government Has no Right to Remove Official.

DENVER, Colo., May 4.—The fight of former Governor William E. Sweet to oust William V. Roberts, president of the civil service commission, was frustrated today when the state supreme court ruled that Colorado civil service commissioners can be removed only by impeachment.

The supreme court held that civil service amendment to the constitution intended to remove civil service from politics and that if the governor were given the power of removal the commission would be clearly subject to the will of the chief executive of the state.

LOSES DIVISION SUIT

Widow of Lee's Grandson Asks That Heirlooms Be Divided

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Mrs. Mary E. Lee, widow of the late Colonel Robert E. Lee a grandson of the confederate general, lost her suit today in the District of Columbia courts for a division of a quantity of heirlooms of the confederate general and of George Washington.

Mrs. Lee sought an injunction against George Bolling Lee executor of the estate of Mrs. Mary Tabb Lee mother of her husband to compel a division.

STUDENTS IN BIG HIT WITH AMATEUR PLAY

Miss Woolsey a Star Of Lustre in "Lil' White Rose"

In a bower of roses, and springtime, with a background of southern darkies in the mountains of old Virginny, Miss Marjorie Woolsey as "Rose," a mountaineer orphan captured completely the hearts of a large and enthusiastic audience at the Junior college auditorium last night when she starred in "Mammy's Lil' Wild Rose." presented by the Blue Curtain club, the college dramatic club, as the climax to dramatic activities at the school for the season.

The "Stars."

Her pretty blond head smiling its way through the rose bedecked scenes of the production, and her charming personality winning for her this crowning climax to an enviable college dramatic career, Miss Woolsey distinctly "starred" the play. Eddie Kadane playing the male lead was superior to his usual good style, and as Daniel, Rose's lover, he proved his versatility with a pleasing portrayal. Comedy leads were played ably by Jerry Vincent and Janie McCalister. Louise Scott and Conan Cantwell were fine in the roles of the old negro couple, and the remainder of the cast, well trained, and working with a happy understanding of their various roles, proved the high degree of dramatic work done by the Blue Curtain club under the direction of Miss Juanita Kinsey.

Best Ever.

The production, in beauty, and in effect surpassed "Am I Intruding?" the former Blue Curtain club offering which was so enthusiastically received upon presentation several months ago. The audience Monday evening was uproarous in applause, and parents and friends of the large cast were duly proud of the ovation received by the young players. The stage settings were beautiful, and the special rose scenery depicting mountain scenes in the hills of Virginia converted the college stage into a veritable rose garden.

"Mammy's Lil Wild Rose" will be repeated at the college Tuesday evening, and the proceeds of the performances will go toward financing the first Junior college annual.

HERB GRIFFIN IS BROUGHT TO WICHITA JAIL

Transfer is Made Monday Night on Orders Of Judge Wilson

ORDER FROM WILSON

Transfer is Made After Allred Goes Before District Judge

Herbert Griffin, under a 25-year sentence on charge of murder in connection with the death last summer of Hugh Reilley, a neighboring rancher near Griffin's Dundee ranch, was lodged in the county jail here Monday night following his transfer from the Young county jail at Graham. He was brought in by Sheriff Fred K. Smith who went to Graham after him.

Wilson Orders It

The transfer was made on order of Judge H. R. Wilson, it is understood, after District Attorney James V. Allred had gone before the court and asked for Griffin's move. Sheriff Smith was summoned to Archer City Monday afternoon on order from the court and was directed to bring Griffin to Wichita Falls. The change came following Griffin's being taken in custody at his ranch early Sunday morning after he had been in this city a short time Saturday afternoon. He was brought here by Sheriff Foster of Young county in preparation for an impending civil suit in which his testimony was wanted. Sheriff Ikard of Archer county took Griffin Sunday morning.

Allred Gone

District Attorney Allred was on his way to Mineral Wells Monday night and Judge Wilson, who is in Archer City, could not be reached by phone. The reason for the transfer, therefore, could not be learned.

Griffin is being held in custody pending an appellate court decision on his 25-year conviction.

Damage Suit Filed After Car Accident

Damages of $10,600 are asked in a suit which went on trial Monday before Judge P. A. Martin and a jury in the 89th district court in which Mrs. Helen Ferguson and her husband, B. A. Ferguson, are plaintiffs and the Wofford Fuel Oil company defendant.

In an automobile collision at the corner of Seventh and Austin streets last November it is alleged in the plaintiff's petition Mrs. Ferguson was severely injured. It is further alleged the accident was attributed to the driver of the defendant's car.

Several witnesses were examined Monday afternoon and the trial will be resumed Tuesday morning.

K. P.s TO MEET HERE

Large Attendance Ebpected at District Meeting Tonight

Knights of Pythias from all parts of Wichita and Clay counties will be in Wichita Falls Tuesday night for a district meeting of the K. P. lodges. A large attendance is expected.

Reports from the various deputy grand chancellors of the district, as well as reports from other officers will be presented at the session. An interesting program has been arranged.

The meeting will be held in the local Pythian hall.

92 CASES IN CITY COURT

Records Tumble When Police Docket Is Full.

Records went tumbling Monday in the city police court session when a total of 92 cases were called by Judge E. S. Whitelaw. More than 70 were new cases, originating in violations Saturday and Sunday, while the balance were holdover charges from previous dockets.

Traffic violations, as usual, headed the list. A large number of vags and drunks, however, were also included.

Maskat's Shrine Circus Opens To Large Crowds

With an estimated crowd of over 6,000 fans, the Shrine circus opened last night on the base ball fields pleasing the capacity audience that fairly taxed the big tents of the Bob Morton Circus company. No better all circus program has been seen in this city in years.

The first tent, or the annex tent containing the bazaar features was the scene of gay animation throughout the evening and hundreds were compelled to spend the time there not being able to get into the main circus. The main tent comfortably seats over 4,000 persons and all sections were packed to overflowing with applauding circus fans.

The program offered by Bob Morton is brilliant from start to the finish and is replete with plenty of thrillers, dare-devil acrobats and assorted tumblers. The act of the famous Mangean troupe is a riot in itself and one of the best all-star acrobatic offerings ever seen in this section.

Seven people, all top line tumblers go through a fast routine of top-mounting, passing in mid air, two and three high shoulder stands and with a teeter board they catapult members of the act through the air executing triple and double flips and twisters. Jack Mangean, the originator of the catapaulting act is here, with Carrie, Hazel, Fred, Chris and Nick.

The Beckman-Sheppard trio of sensational casting and return artists have a clever offering and with Frank Sheppard, Tom Beckam and brother Edward, accomplish wonders in the way of flying trapeze artists. The Flying Franklins in another display, created no end of daring stunts.

The Luckey Sisters and their aerial ballet, billed "The Act Beautiful," are all of that and a lot more. The Four Terrible Terrys, European knockabouts in a comedy tumbling turn, evoked rounds of applause and laughter with their slapstick comedy acrobatic work.

The Conley Brothers, "The Apollos of the Circus" have a fine aerial offering and as gymnasts of grace and poise have no peers in their line. The

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Co-Operative Marketing To Be C-C's Aim

Special Train On Way to Convention

At 10:30 o'clock last night a long special Pullman train set out on its night journey for Mineral Wells where today over 200,000 delegates from all parts of Texas, West Texas especially, will meet in the 1926 convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce.

Inside the train were nearly 150 Wichita Falls supporters on their way to bring back to this city the 1927 convention. A 50-piece band went along to liven things up a little and to be one of the 54 other bands at the meet. The delegation, swelled as it will be this morning in the session halls by the 40 Wichitans who went through yesterday in automobiles, will present one of the largest bodies at the meet.

Two prominent figures were lost to the train at the last moment. R. E. Shepherd, who was to have gone along as mayor-leader, has been confined to his home lately with the mumps; and W. B. Hamilton was called to Dallas suddenly, by the death of Mrs. Hamilton's brother.

The train carried 5,000 special copies of The Record News to Mineral Wells where they will be distributed today.

"WAR TO HILT" DECLARED ON RUM RUNNERS

Eastern Prohi Forces In Favor of Complete Extermination

NEW YORK, May 4.—A war of extermination was declared on rum row today when Captain W. V. E. Jacobs, divisional commander of the United States coast guard announced that the entire force of men and vessels under his command tomorrow would launch the largest anti-rum offensive in the history of American prohibition.

Five speedy cutters, six patrol boats and 12 chasers were at Clifton Bay, Staten Island base with the supply ship Argus, being overhauled for the drive. Engines were tuned up in expectation of speed contests with the more courageous of the whisky buccaneers, and many guns were put into condition for an emergency.

Watch Each One.

A part of the plan will be the assignment of one or more coast guard boats to watch each of the floating warehouses on the row every hour. In this manner the government men believe they will be able to prevent the transfer of stocks into small boats plying between the illicit fleet and the shores of Connecticut, Long Island and New Jersey.

Captain Jacobs denied reports that he had received or given any orders to "shoot to kill."

THE WEATHER



Little Willie tried to chew tobacco Saturday. Late that evening he told his mother he was going to join the church and be a missionary.

Weather for Wichita Falls Monday, May 4, as reported at 5 p. m. by the Wichita Falls Electric company follows: Maximum temperature, 82; minimum, 64; present, 71; no precipitation; northeast breeze, clear; maximum wind velocity, 24 miles per hour; average wind velocity, 18 miles per hour; barometer, 29.20.

WEST TEXAS: Tuesday and Wednesday, fair, warmer in north portion Wednesday.

EAST TEXAS: Tuesday fair, cooler except in northwest portion; Wednesday fair, except showers on west coast.

OKLAHOMA: Tuesday and Wednesday fair; warmer Wednesday.

TODAY IN WICHITA FALLS

MISSION: Louise Fazenda in "A Broadway Butterfly."

OLYMPIC: "A Kiss in the Dark" with Adolphe Menjou and Lillian Rich.

PALACE: George Larkin in "Mysterious Goods," "Our Gang" comedy, and Jolly Flappers Musical comedy.

University Club, regular noon luncheon at the Kemp hotel.

WEST TEXAS CONVENTION RESOLUTIONS WILL BE PRESENTED

M. WELLS IS OVERRUN

Thousands of Visitors Turn City Into a Carnival

MINERAL WELLS, May 4—(AP) Co-operative marketing as one of the next great developments in West Texas is to be urged as a major policy of the West Texas chamber of commerce which began its seventh annual convention here today. The proposal that this form of marketing West Texas' products be taken up in earnest was made before the resolutions committee by Lynch Davidson of Houston, following a noon-day address in which he discussed the plight of the unorganized farmer.

There are very few co-operative marketing agencies in this part of Texas. The Wheat Growers' Co-operative association of Amarillo, and several grain sorghum associations are exceptions to the general rule that co-operation in marketing has not yet been developed in the great territory known as West Texas.

Committee Considers.

The resolutions committee, which held an executive session today, considered a marketing plan for submission to the convention tomorrow or Wednesday.

Colonization, new railroads, road and city streets, development of local chambers of commerce, and a host of other activities in which the organization indulges are to be considered in the next two days.

The convention started this morning with fair weather and optimistic prospects. Speeches for the most part were merged in a virtual flood of song and instrumental music. With 50 bands, orchestras, quartets, choruses and soloists present, the early hours of the convention were turned into a festival of music and no speaker was permitted long to shut out the players and the singers. No business was transacted at today's session, the time being devoted to addresses and music which gave the great gathering a camp meeting atmosphere in its enthusiasm and spirit.

Town a Carnival.

The throngs which streamed into the city throughout the day, turned the town into a carnival. Every few minutes a band paraded. Then there was singing, and then more bands, while cowboys, Indians and people from all over the plains exchanged neighborly greetings.

The little symphony orchestra from Abilene, gave a concert this afternoon, and a band contest for former official bands, five years old, three years old, and high school bands was held in the First Baptist church. Before the convention ends, $3,500 in prizes for the best bands in several classes are to be awarded.

At a dinner tonight of commercial executives and unit directors, plans for the coming year were discussed. J. A. McCurdy, secretary of the Sweetwater chamber of commrce, presided. Ewing J. Clapp of the New York American spoke on "Building the West." R. R. Loah, U. S. district engineer spoke on "Orderly Construction of Highways." J. N. North Jr., of Fort Worth, delivered an address on "Publicity."

Blue Moon Presented.

"Once In a Blue Moon," a musical revue, was presented the under the auspices of the board of city development of San Angelo. The principal social event of the day was a ball for honorees and escorts.

According to Porter Whaley of Stamford, manager, the West Texas chamber of commerce this year expects to carry on extensive publicity

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PASCHALL FUNERAL TODAY

Services to be Conducted at 4 o'Clock at Twenty-first Street Home

Funeral servcie for Mrs. Mickey Paschall, 22-year-old Wichita Falls woman who was killed in an automobile accident in Wichita, Kan., late last week will be held at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the girl's home, 1304 Twenty-first street. The body reached here Monday afternoon and was taken in charge by the Merkle Undertaking company.

Services will be conducted by Rev. Walter J. Johnson, pastor of the First Methodist church, south. Burial will be in Rosemont burial park.

WOULD REVISE P. O. RATE

Permanent Changes Discussed To Provide Pay Raise for Clerks.

Washington, May 4.—Hearings looking to a permanent revision of the postal rates to take care of the $68,000,000 increase in salaries to postal employes will be opened by a joint committee of the senate and house here on July 20 and carried forward in half a dozen cities, east south and west.

OLDEST SALESMAN DIES

MACON, Mo., May 4—William Edward Critchlow, said to be the oldest traveling salesman, dies at his home at Sheibina today. He was born in Kentucky November 4, 1829.

ENGLAND TOLD AMERICA'S AIM BY U, S, ENVOY

Profound Impression Results From Ambassador Houghton's Maiden Speech

AT PILGRIM DINNER

Opinion Accepts Remarks As Almost Direct Mandate From The President

LONDON, May 4.(AP).—The new American ambassador, Alanso B. Houghton, speaking tonight before a distinguished audience here which included the prime minister of Great Britain, declared in friendly but firm terms that unless peace, based on good will, were re-established in Europe he feared American assistance for the reconstruction of Europe must cease. The ambassador made it clear that he referred not only to moral, but monetary aid.

The Voice of Coolidge

Coming as it did from the former ambassador to Germany following his recent visit to the United States and conference with President Coolidge, the pronouncement was calculated to create a profound impression upon the statesmen and diplomats gathered to hear the new ambassador and perhaps be regarded as among the most important delivered by America's envoys to the court of St. James in years. Because of its importance and the authoritative note which it sounded it was assumed by those trained in diplomacy that he must undoubtedly be voicing the views of the administration at Washington.

Special significance was attached at a time when considerable suspicion to the fact that the statement comes and distrust of Germany are being voiced in various parts of Europe, particularly France, because of the election to the presidency of Field Marshal Von Hindenburg, who is asserted by some to represent those reactionary forces which are inimical to the peace and interests of at least some of the allies.

Security Pact

Interlocked with this idea, it has been commented, may be the fate of the security pact promised by Germany and warmly seconded by England as a great step toward the re-establishment of real peace. Indeed, there has been some speculation as to whether the effective working of the Dawes plan might be impaired by this fanning of the smouldering fire of distrust.

Whether Ambassador Houghton had any of these things in mind was open to conjecture. He referred to none of them, but contented himself with making it plain not only that the re-establishment of peace was essential to the continuation of assistance from the United States, but the answer to the question of whether there was to be peace must come from the people of Europe themselves. If there was to be peace then America would help in the reconstruction to the extent of her ability.

Peace Is Demanded

"The full measure of American helpfulness," Ambassador Houghton declared, "can be obtained only when the American people are assured that the time for destructive methods and policies has passed and that the time for peaceful upbuilding has come."

The guest of honor of the Pilgrims, Mr. Houghton, was making his maiden address in the capacity of ambassador to Great Britain. Among the most important gathered to welcome him in addition to Premier Baldwin, to introduce him, were the Duke of York, former Premier MacDonald, the ambassadors from Belgium, Japan, Germany, Portugal and Brazil, the archbishop of Canterbury, Colonial Secretary Amery, Sir Auckland Geddes, the Earl of Craven and Lord Astor.

Postal Receipts for City During Month Show Gain of $3,000

Postal receipts for the Wichita Falls postoffice during the month of April showed a gain of $3,164.02 over those for the corresponding month in 1924. Postmaster Maricle announced Monday. Total receipts for the month were $22,873.45, against $19,709.43 in April, 1924.

A gain was also shown for April over March, the month preceding rolling up a total of $22,107.18.

NEW FLOORS IN HALL.

Plans Being Completed for Rejuvination of City Hall.

The plan of rejuvinating the city hall had proceeded Monday to such an extent that new floors were being put down in first story offices and corridors.

The city hall, worn by the thousands who pass through it each week, has been showing unmistakable signs of wear lately and the putting down of new flooring was decided on as a needed step toward keeping it in operation.

TEXAS HIGHWAY COMMISSION STUDY STATE AID PETITION

AUSTIN, May 4.—The highway commission met in executive session today to consider applications for state and federal aid and highway designations filed at the meeting of last week. Conferences were held with several county representatives during the morning.

Wife Turns in Fire Alarm After Spouse Shoots Her and Self

CHICKASHA, Okla., May 4.—After she had been shot and perhaps fatally injured by her husband, who later killed himself, Mrs. G. Rinehart arose from her bed early today, dressed her six small children and turned in afire alarm before she collapsed.

Firemen rushed her to a hospital where her condition was declared critical. Police said her husband evidently shot her while she lay asleep. They attribute the shooting to temporary insanity. Rinehart died instantly.

HOUSTON HAS SCHOOL MEET.

Marrs Calls Two-Day Sectional Conference.

HOUSTON, May 4.—Meeting at the Taylor school auditorium at the call of State Supt. S. M. N. Marrs, city and county superintendent of nistruction and interested school patrons held the first session of a two-day sectional conference on education Monday.

"Professional supervision," led by S. M. N. Marrs, and "School finances and methods of accounting," led by T. P. Walker, auditor of state department of education, were the subjects discussed at Monday's meeting.

SAN ANTONIO SEEKS MEET.

City Will Ask for 1927 C. of C. Convention, Says Report.

SAN ANTONIO, May 4.—Preceding the departure to night of nearly 200 San Antonio business men to the West Texas chamber of commerce convention at Mineral Wells, telegrams inviting the chamber to hold its 1926 convention in San Antonio were sent by San Antonio business houses, luncheon clubs and banks. The mesages were directed to Col. C. C. Walsh, president of he chamber.

THIEVES WORK SAFE LOCK AND ESCAPE WITH LOOT

FORT WORTH, May 4.—Burglars Sunday night broke into the office of the Keen Bottling company, 254 West Fifteenth street, worked the combination on the safe and escaped with $125, a non-negotiable note for $80 and $50 in checks, it was reported to police Monday.

Thousands Cheer As Wales Leaves in Car

CAPETOWN, Union of South Africa, May 4.—The Prince of Wales with the chorus of enthusiasm aroused by his unification speech at Saturday night's dinner still resounding through the city, left today on an automobile tour through the old Huguenot country His departure was cheered by thousands of people who had left their work to line the streets and wish him good luck.

WACO DELEGATES LEAVE FOR MINERAL WELLS MEET

WACO, May 4.—Business and professional men of Waco left early today on a special train via the Katy for the annual convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce, Mineral Wells. The trip is being made under the auspices of the Waco chamber of commerce and there were 135 in the party.

ACCUSED THIEF IS DEPORTED.

Mexican Gets a Free Trip to Homeland Instead of to Pen.

SAN ANTONIO, May 4.—A free trip to Mexico, even if it is in charge of immigration authorities, is far better than a term in the Texas penitentiary, Elias Cortesar, who pleaded guilty to burglary in the 37th district court, decided. A suspended sentence was granted and through agreement with the district attorney the prisoner was immediately turned over to immigration officials for deportation.

FRENCH OUTPOSTS ISOLATED

Food Is Brought to Forces Hemmed In by Moroccan Rebels

FEZ, Morocco, May 4.—(AP)—A slight action by the French troops today along the Ouergha river at a point where it was necessary to get food and other supplies to French advanced posts which had been surrounded in the first drive by the Riffians, sufficed to bring comparative calm all along the front. These isolated posts had defended themselves single handed until today when General Colombat sent forward a small column to clear that region.

FRENCH REPORT SUCCESS AGAINST MOROCCA REBELS

PARIS, May 4.—Official reports from Rabat, French Morocco, say the French forces have had several successes over the Riffs, in one of which the tribesmen lost 50 killed, considerable war material and some prisoners.

Pneumonia Takes a Toll of Six Lives In Wichita In April

Pneumonia continues to take its monthly toll of victims in Wichita Falls, and still stands as the most deadly single malady here, the April report of Dr. J. M. Whitworth, city physician reveals. Six deaths were recorded in the city during the month as a result of pneumouia, three from palagra, one each from influenza and tuberculosis and the balance classified as miscellaneous.

Births during the month were more than double the nurmer of deaths 94 newcomers being listed.

Contagious diseases reported were as follows: chicken pox 7, small pox, measles and scarlet fever one each.

ALLEYTON EDITOR'S WIFE IS BURIED ON MONDAY

SCHULENBURG, May 4.—Funeral services will be held this afternoon at Alleyton, for Mrs. E. A. Bosl, who died here yesterday. Mrs. Boal was the wife of the editor of the Schulenberg "Sticker". Her husband and two small sons survive.

IDEAL SUMMER DAY.

Wichita Draws Good Day From Weather Lottery Wheel.

What could have been described as "an ideal Indian summer day" had it come along in November sometime was Wichita's apportionment of North Texas summer weather Monday. It was bright and clear for the most part, cool and by eliminating the morning sand storm it could have been all that could have been desired.

As it was, the sand was a disturbing facotr for a while but this lessened in severity in the afternoon.

Colder Monday night and warmer Tuesday was the prediction last night.

TO ASPHALT COUNTY ROAD.

Six Miles of Highway to Get New Surfacing.

Asphaltic surfacing is tq be laid on six miles of gravel road in the county, the commissioners court decided Monday in awarding a contract for doing the improving to Hill, Wilson and Watson of Dallas. The work is to cost $36,538.59 and is to be completed within 60 days.

The roads to be improved include two and a quarter miles on the Petrolia road, and two miles each on the Park-Clara and Park-Jonesdale roads.

ADMITS KILLING CHILD

Mother Pleads Guilty to Beating Girl to Death

TILLEMOOK, Ore., May 4.—Mrs. M. C. Patton today pleaded guilty to a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of her grand child, Silvia Louise Descamps, 4, who died from the effects of a beating. She was sentenced to a term in the state penitentiary not to exceed 15 years. The child died April 21.

Removal Sale

—The carpenters and painters are still at work on our new home and we will be unable to move for a few more days, so we are continuing our big Removal Sale.
—You know the kind of dependable merchandise that we carry, and the prices we are making are substantial savings to you, so don't miss this opportunity.

Ladies' Outing Clothes

Khaki Suits, with either knickers, breeches or skirts, our regular $8.50 seller for..$5.95

Sleeveless Khaki Coats for $3.75

Knickers in the Khaki, $2.75 seller for $1.95

Khaki Skirts for $2.50

All-Wool Tweed Suits, $12.50 value $9.45

Tweed Suits with the sleeveless coats $6.95

Khaki Shirts and Middie Blouses $1.50

Tweed Knickers, $4 sellers for $2.95

Ladies' Boots for $6.95

The "Chippewa" Ladies' Boot, a $10.50 value for.....$8.95

Men's Work Clothes

SCOTT'S LEVEL BEST HONG KONG KHAKI PANTS—Best grade, regular $2.50 value, for $1.75

HONG KONK KHAKI SHIRTS, two pockets, coat style, 36-inch tail, $1.75 value $1.15

TEST BRAND KHAKI SHIRTS, you all know what a Test Shirt is, for $1.85

Pool's Interurban Brand Union Made Hong Kong Khaki Pants and Shirts, each..... $1.85
$3.50 per Suit
GUARANTEED TO BE POOL'S FIRST QUALITY

$2.00 KHAKI PANTS for $1.50

SCOTT'S LEVEL BEST OVERALLS, blue or stripes for....$1.50

CARPENTER'S and PAINTER'S $2.50 OVERALLS for $1.75

BIG YANK KHAKI SHIRTS, a $1.25 seller, for.....75c

Men's Dress Shirts

Genuine Imported English Broadcloth Shirts, collar attached, $3.00 seller, "Ritz" brand, for $1.95

Imported English Broadcloth Shirts, $2.00 values for..$1.50

"Balloon Cloth" Shirts, coolest and most durable fabric made, $2.75 seller for $1.95

Fancy checks and stripes, $1.50 sellers for 85c

Irish Poplins in the Khaki color, the best shirt for field wear, $2.50 value for ...$1.85

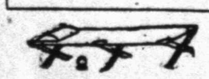
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Auto Turist Tent $8.95
Covers 7x7 space, made from all white mildew-proof duck, folds into compact space when traveling.

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14-oz. Khaki Duck Cover, extra strong.



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Burners, tank and everything folds up inside. Burns gasoline and makes an intensely hot flame.

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The Famous Coleman Camp Stove with the oven. Sold the world over for $12.50, Our special sale price $9.95

7x7 Khaki Waterproof Auto Tent for ..$10.95

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Auto Lunch Kits, complete, priced $3.65, $4.65, $5.50, $6.75 on sale

Water Bags 95c
2 1-2 gallons capacity

Umbrella Tents
We have 15 Palmetto Umbrella Tents, made from a mildew-proof Khaki drill, some with floor, some without floor, regular $25 and $30 Tents for

Without Floor ..$15.45

Without Floor..$18.50

Therm-A-Jug
Guaranteed unbreakable, keeps food or liquids hot 12 hours, cold 24 hours, $4.00 values for $2.95

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609 Eighth Street

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Total Fire Premiums Written in Wichita Falls for 1924 ..... $460,424.44

Total Fire Loss $284.161.44

—Thanks to our good friends and patrons we wrote in our office alone $106,074.52—nearly one-fourth of the entire premiums.

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Polaire, flannel, velour, and bolivia are the worthy materials. These Coats are silk lined. The most popular Spring styles are shown—the side panels and the contrasting color effects.

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You can choose a pretty and stylish Spring hat here and save money at the same time. There are many clever new shapes and materials at the low price named below.

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Lace and insertion trimmed with sweet little embroidered yokes.

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Cowley County Kansas Has 190 Producing Wells

Daily Output There Considerably Better Than 20,000 Bbls.

WICHITA, May 4.—Evidence of how the new Waite Phillips company, Independent Oil and Gas company and Marland Oil company No. 3 Dora Jackson, in the southeast corner of 20-28-3e, the Rainbow Bend pool of Cowley county, Kansas, which came in for 3,040 barrels initial 24 hours from 3,221 to 3,266 feet, has revived that area is shown by the following 24-hour gauge reports:

April 28 ..... 8,152 barrels
April 29 ..... 9,915 barrels
April 30 ..... 11,487 barrels

The three companies have topped the sand at 3,200 feet in No. 3 E. Nelson, in the northwest of the southeast of the northeast of 20-23-3e, and are now drilling ahead. The same is true of their No. 2 Snyder, in the northwest corner of the southwest of 21-33-3, which had sand at 3,254 feet..

The seven major pools of Cowley county, Kansas, along with the minor and miscellaneous oil areas in that county, are yielding better than 20,000 barrels a day at this time.

Rainbow Bend, of course, is the best with 35 completed wells doing approximately 12,000 barrels a day; the Graham pool across the river from it, is producing 3,000 barrels; the Winfield pool, east of that city, is prducing 2,500 barrels a day; the Eastman pool is yielding 1,122 barrels a day, and the Carson pool is doing 1,060 barrels a day. The Rock pool is doing 525 barrels a day; the Clark-Trees pool, 140 barrels a day and the miscellaneous areas 440 barrels, or a total of 190 producing wells for 20,487 barrels a day.

Deepen Eight-Year-Old Well, Makes 800

TULSA, May 4.—Another answer to "What will we do when the oil runs out" has been given by the Papoose Oil company by deepening its old No. 8 Osborne in 21-15-14, north of Bald Hill, to the Wilcox sand at 2,192 and one foot in, it is doing 400 barrels a day. It will be slowly deepened into the Wilcox. The well is about eight years old and was originally completed in the 1,700-foot Glenn sand. The Papoose is deepening No. 22 Osborne in 21-15-14, and it is now due in the Wilcox.

Silkwood-Brashear

Silkwood and Brashear were reported through with their fishing job and drilling at 1,792 feet, an interesting depth, in their No. 1 Fasset and Tuttle, southwest of Iowa Park, Wichita county.

County Line, S-R

The County Line Oil company expects to start up soon on its lease in block 2408, TE&LCO survey, southwest Archer county. Water for drilling has been obtained and development con proceed now. The next well to be drilled will be the No. 6, second location south from the northwest corner of the east lease, Stampfli-Roberts farm.

Petroleum Producers

Petroleum Producers have made a location for a test in the southwest corner of their lease, Lula Pace a subdivision, Mrs. R. J. Scott survey, north of the Underwood well, and east of the Beaver Creek stuff, south Wichita county.

Underwood, Pace

Location for the No. 2, Pace of Underwood and Cullum is 750 feet from the east line and 50 feet from the north line of the sub-division 5, of the Lula Pace farm, R. J. Scott survey, south Wichita county.

Danciger, Gray County

Danciger Oil and Refining company is drilling past a last reported depth of 2,580 feet in their No. 1 Bowers, south of Pampa, Gray county. The hole is being drilled wit ha rotary.

Danciger, New Mexico

Danciger Oil and Refining company is spudded and drilling on both of its New Mexico tests, the second and third it has started in this state, one located in 17-18-28 and the other in 4-18-28, both on practically proven Eddy county acreage.

Burton et al, Myers

Burton et al. have erected a derrick and expect to get started soon on their No. 1 Meyers, located in the northwest corner of TEL&CO survey, block 160, North Young county, just southwest of Olney and between that town and the Peter Kemp area.

Kemp-Allen Area

The area surrounding the new Gates and O'Donohoe well on the Kemp and Allen lands, northeast corner of lot 9, block 26, shows three new locations. Petroleum Producers are offsetting the well, a producer from a 1,400-foot sand, to the east. The Texas company has made a location 300 feet to the north while the Gates and O'Donohoe No. 2 is 300 feet south of the No. 1.

Burton-Ruff Empire

Burton and Ruff and the Empire Gas and Fuel company have a hole full of water at a depth of 1,985 feet in their No. 1 Waggoner, in the northwest of the southeast of the southeast of section 49, H&TCRRCo survey, block 14, eastern Wibarger county.

The well missed the Gulf sand expected below 1,700 feet entirely, going out of the lime into shale.

M-S Waite Phillips

Maer-Staniforth and Waite Phillips have a sand and are setting casing in their No. 1 Keys, in the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of the southwest quatrer of block 17, Wisher survey, north of the Waite Phillips Wolfe well, depth given as 1,425-27 feet, southwest Archer county.

N. D. GRAIN ACT ILLEGAL

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The North Dakota grain grading act was declared invalid and unconstitutional today by the supreme court.

News Of The Fields

Mooers, Routin

Clifford Mooers et al are rigging up and about ready to spul in on the No. 1, Routin, in the northeast corner of the south forty acres of block 9, Crawford Pasture sub-division, Young Archer county line between the Teckert and the Gambrell pools, northwest of Olney.

Texhoma, Burnett

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company and Cullum have junked their No. 7-A, Burnett, G. R. Meade survey, section 6, south of Fowlkes Station, at a total depth of 1,823 feet and are skidding south fifty feet for A-S, Wichita county.

Ray-Massie, Wilbarger

Ray and Massie have completed their No. 9, Bond-Hawkins-Williams, for a possible 250 barrel or better well in the 2,300-foot sand, section 100, H&TCRRCO survey, block 14, south Vernon, Wilbarger county. The No. 10 is a fishing job at about 2,300 feet with a lost drill collar. These wells were to be finished according to the terms of the deal with Staley and Wynne with whom a deal for this property was recently completed.

Personals

A. P. Nichols of Kansas City is spending a few days in Wichita Falls and Archer county looking after his interests here.

James Jones was expected back late yesterday from a visit to Gray county.

James H. Jenkins, manager of the Texas division of the Tiday Oil company, a subsidiary of Tide Water Oil company of New Jersey, has been made vice-president in charge of Texas operations. Jenkins has been in charge in Texas for the Tidal since 1920, previously being with Tide-Mex Oil company in Mexico from 1919 to 1920. Previously to 1919, Mr. Jenkins was with the Mid Co Petroleum company at Tulsa as a geologist. His oil career was begun in West Virginia.

C. R. Boling, Marland Oil company of Texas, in charge of north Texas land department of that company is in Midland, but expected back in Wichita Falls in a few days.

Atlantic Duster

The Atlantic Oil Producing company et al have abandoned their No. 1, Waggoner, in the northwest corner of the south half of the southeast quarter of section 24, block 4, H&TCRRCO survey at a total depth of 2,422 feet, with the leases expiring today.

This was the old hole that was taken over at a depth of 2,108 feet and washed out and redrilled to the Noble horizon and past.

Cromwell-Weleetka Show Small Increase

TULSA, May 4.—The Cromwell field in Seminole and Okfuskee counties for the past fiscal week produced 43,813 barrels a day from 344 wells, a gain of 682 barrels a day and with four new wells in.

Wetumka field, including Papoose and Gilcrease pools, of Hughes and Okfuskee counties, did 25,127 barrels a day from 161 wells, a decline of 000 barrels and with six new wells in.

Wewoka field did 13,156 barrels a day from 126 wells, a decline of 881 barrels a day and the same number of wells.

South Weleetka field did 1,989 barrels a day from 28 wells, a gain of 24 barrels a day.

Yeager district is doing 419 barrels a day from one well, which fell off 17 barrels a day the past week.

The Tonkawa deep sand on the last day of April dropped to 40,950 barrels a day from 97 completed wells.

Kentucky, Wilson

Kentucky Oil corporation has made a location and will get started right away on a test in the northeast corner of the north 20 ares of the south 40 ares of the west 100 ares fo the east 700 ares of the south half of the Ben Howard survey, Tad Wilson land, northwest Arher ounty.

The well will be approximately 1,200 feet east and 1,250 feet north of the southwest corner of the survey, and about half a mile west and south of the new Waite Phillips Mankins well.

M-F, Waggoner

Murchison and Fain have a fishing job at about 2,300 feet after bailing dry, no oil or water in sand, the bottom of which was about 2,290 feet, in their No. 1, Waggoner, southwest corner of the southeast 40 acres of the southeast quarter of section 32, block 4, H&TCRRCO survey, southeast of the Noble well, Wilbarger county.

Texhoma, Gambrell

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company swabbed 100 barrels in 24 hours out of their No. 9, Gambrell, BBB&CRRCO survey, abstract 31, Gambrell pool, and is now coring a little deeper with the sand record yesterday given as 1,221-29 feet, north Young county, northwest of Olney.

Foster, Andrews

Foster Drilling company's No. 1, Andrews, J. Collingsworth survey, abstract 68, southeast Archer county, the 3,600-foot cable tools test there is drilling past a last reported depth of 2,512 feet with the eight-inch set below 2,500 feet. This test is attracting more than usual attention since it is one of the first deep tests ever drilled in the county. The well is located in the Miller pool and would have made the usual small producer of that area, it is believed, at about 900 feet.

Loofburrow-Duffy

Loofburrow and Duffy are rigging up rotary on their No. 1, Jamison and Sams, located 2,790 feet west and 1,470 feet south of the northeast corner of the south half of section 4, J. J. Cockrell survey, abstract 1,332, about eight miles south of Seymour, southern Baylor county.

Moores, Logan

Clifford Mooers is drilling at about 800 feet on the No. 1, W. J. Logan, across the road from the Teckert wells to the souts in the lot W18, Crawford pasture subdivision, north Young county.

Jones, Bassett

Edwin M. Jones was drilling yesterday morning at a depth of 1,612 feet in his No. 1, Basset, located just north of the road, Mrs. Grace Basset et al farm, James Smith survey, west and south of Westover, abstract 291, southeast Baylor county.

Atlantic, Waggoner

The Atlantic Oil Producing company has spudded and is drilling at about 150 feet in its Waggoner-B-2, 300 feet north of the No. 1, which is in the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of section 51, block 14, H&TCRRCO survey, Levy district, eastern Wilbarger county.

Daniels- Rutis, Salmon

Daniels and Rutis have completed and shut in their gas well, Chambliss survey, Salmon farm, north Nocona, with an estimated 15,000,000 cubic feet of gas from sand at 872-96 feet, Montague county.

Magnolia, Waggoner

The Magnolia Petroleum company is drilling below a last reported depth of 1,680 feet on their No. 1, More-Waggoner, located in the northwest corner of the south half of the southeast quarter of section 59, block 4, H&TCRRCO survey, Wilbarger county.

Atlantic, Zipperle

The Atlantic Oil Producing company has set a casing on a good looking sand at 2,110-20 feet in their No. 1, Supperle, southwest corner of their forty acres in the NW of the S of section 80, block 14, H&TCRRCO survey, South Vernon, and are testing. Nos. 2 and 3 are pumping from the 1,300-foot sand, while the No. 4 is drilling at past 1,200 feet expecting to reduce the hole and look for the sand at 1,250 feet.

Atlantic, Parrish

The Atlantic Oil Producing company was drilling yesterday past a last reported depth of 1,230 feet on its No. 8, Parrish, in the northeast corner of its east forty acres in section 26, H&TC RRCO survey abstract 1197, Archer county.

Farmers In Kansas Get Gas Tax-Free

WICHITA, Kan., May 4.—The new Kansas gasoline tax law, enacted by the last legislature and effective on May 1, gives the farmer buyers opportunity to get their tax refunded on gasoline used for farm purposes. The gasoline dealer will charge the farmer the tax, and the farmer can recover by making a statement at the end of the quarter, which he will present to the county commissioners, showing what gasoline he purchased, where he purchased it and where he used it. A penalty of $500 and a jail sentence of 90 days is fixed for false statements.

NO NEGROES IN HUTCHINSON.

All White Farmers Reported in Texas County.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—All of the 155 farms in Hutchinson county, Texas, in 1924, were operated by white farmers, according to a statement of the 1925 agricultural census taken by the department of commerce, issued today. In 1920 the 134 farms were all operated by white farmers, 95 being owners, four managers and 35 tenants.

HUBLEY TO INSPECT COAST.

Fish and Oyster Conditions to Be Inspected by Commissioner.

AUSTIN, May 4.—Inspection of fish and oyster conditions along the gulf coast between Corpus Christi and Matagorda is to be made by T. E. Hubby, game, fish and oyster commissioner. Mr. Hubby left Austin tonight for Corpus Christi. The trip along the coast is to be made in state boat "Texas."

TRINITY GETS ROAD FUND.

Allotment of $800,000 Is Granted County.

AUSTIN, May 4.—(AP)—Trinity county was granted $800,000 allotment for road maintenance today by the state highway commission. The funds are to be distributed over a period of three years as follows: $200,000 the first year and $300,000 the second and third years.

ALLEGED THIEF ESCAPES

SAN ANGELO, May 4.—H. L. (Blondy) Darr, charged with burglary and theft from a store in Sterling City, escaped from the Sterling county jail there Sunday by sawing the bars of his cell, Sheriff Byron Davis of Sterling county reported to officers here today.

Darr and R. E. L. Meek of San Angelo were to be brought to trial in district court in Sterling City this morning. Meek did not escape.

MA OFF TO BEAUMONT

Texas to be Without Governor in Austin for One Week

AUSTIN, May 4.—(AP).—The Texas capitol will be without the presence of her woman governor for a week beginning tonight when Governor Miriam A. Ferguson leaves for a combination official-pleasure trip to Beaumont, Orange and Houston.

Governor Ferguson will be guests of William E. Leo of Orange a colonel of her official staff, fishing and boating until Saturday when she will officially open the new bridge across the Neches river. Mrs. Ferguson is scheduled to speak before the women attending the Associated Advertising clubs of the World convention in Houston Sunday night.

INVESTIGATE INCENDIARISM.

Louisiana Officers Inquire Into Arson Reports in Church Fire.

SHREVEPORT, La., May 4.—Authorities of Cedar Grove today were investigating the possibility of incendiarism in the fire which destroyed the Baptist church there yesterday.

Several men, alleged members of a band of floggers which has been operating in the Cedar Grove community, are members of the church. One of them, A. C. Stewart, turned state's evidence in the trial last week of W. E. Miller and W. C. Oliver on charges of conspiracy to commit assault in the John Barker flogging case. Stewart is under peace bond for alleged threats made against the Rev. Roy Cellum, paster of the church.

BOOZE VERDICT CONFIRMED.

Conviction of Pro Agent for Whiskey Removal Is Upheld.

NEW YORK, May 4.—The conviction last July of Gaston B. Means, former department of justice agent, on a charge of having conspired to illegally remove liquor from a bonded warehouse, today was confirmed by the United States circuit court of appeals.

Means was ordered taken into custody to begin the two-year term in the Atlanta federal penitentiary to which he was sentenced. A $10,000 fine also was imposed.

W. VIRGINIA GLASS CO. RECEIVERS ARE NAMED

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., May 4. V. L. Highland, Clarksburg banker, and R. A. Holl of Kane, Pa., have been named receivers for the Interstate Wuldow Glass company, a West Virginia corporation, it became known today. They were appointed by Federal Judge W. E. Baker at Wheeling on Saturday.

HOUSTON CONFECTIONER KILLS SELF WITH GUN

HOUSTON, May 4.—James Gussman, 62, who conducts a small grocery and confectionary here, took his own life about midnight Sunday, according to a verdict returned today by Justice Ray, following an inquest.

Gussman was found dead, lying across the bed in his room, a .38 calibre revolver between his legs about 6:30 this morning.

Miss Rogers Gained 15 Pounds in 6 Weeks

Skinny Men and Women Gain 5 Pounds in 30 Days or Money Back

My Dear Friends:

After my attack of Flu I was thin, run down and weak. I had a sallow complexion, my cheeks were sunk in and I was continually troubled with gas on my stomach. felt stuffy and lost my appetite. I had read about McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets and decided to give them a trial. At once, I began to pick up an appetite, my cheeks filled out and my complexion became healthy looking and I gained 15 pounds in six weeks and am very thankful for what McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets did for me.

Miss Alberta Rogers, 264 W. Cerro Gordo St., Decatur, Ills.

To take on weight, grow strong and vigorous, to fill out the hollows in cheeks and neck, try McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets for 30 days. 60 Tablets—60 cents at Smith Drug Co., Tipton Drug Co., and live druggists everywhere. If they don't give you wonderful help in 30 days, get your money back—you be the judge. But be sure and ask for McCoy's, the original and genuine.—Adv.



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Milady who makes dress an art will appreciate and most certainly choose Cinderella's — for their distinctiveness — their inimitable patterning—and too,—because she knows the quality to be the utmost.



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You can't fight the Devil with cream puffs



BILLY SUNDAY is called sensational. He is. He doesn't believe in fighting the devil with cream puffs. He gets audiences—and converts. TRUE STORY has been called sensational. It is. This magazine believes in fighting the devil with his own weapons—it gets readers and results.

Hundreds of thousands of people jam the biggest auditoriums in the United States to hear Billy Sunday. He doesn't believe the road to heaven is paved with soft words.

Yes, TRUE STORY is sensational—the Master Himself was sensational—when He turned to those who were about to stone a fallen woman, and said, "He that is without sin among you let him first cast a stone,"—when He advised the rich young man to sell all he possessed and give the proceeds to the poor—when He scourged the money changers and drove them from the Temple.

Perhaps you decry sensationalism and because TRUE STORY is sensational, you think "something ought to be done about it."

Then you have never read TRUE STORY with an unprejudiced mind.

If you read TRUE STORY with the thought of getting something uplifting out of it, something you can pass along to others, who perhaps need the lessons it teaches more than you—then you cannot be disappointed.

TRUE STORY is life's mirror. It will not change—unless truth changes. It will be tomorrow what it is today—the most frank, sincere and helpful magazine in America.

We have not known a single instance of any human being, young or old, that has been harmed by reading TRUE STORY. On the contrary thousands have told us that TRUE STORY has guided them through mazes of evil forces and evil influences, into the light of moral sanity and reason.

A ministerial board passes on every story submitted to this magazine. TRUE STORY is the only magazine that ever adopted this policy to protect the moral and spiritual welfare of its readers.

Indeed, TRUE STORY is such a great moral force that many ministers recommend it to the young people of their congregation and it goes into millions of homes and helps solve the problems of religious workers where the searchlight of truth is needed.

If to fight the devil with real weapons is sensational, then TRUE STORY is sensational—just as Billy Sunday is sensational.

TRUE STORY is truly the Billy Sunday among magazines.

Read These Heart-Stirring Stories in True Story for June

"His Wife's Past"—The dream of Celeste's life was to engage in an exciting romance. And her dream came true when she met and married the fascinating adventurer, Andre de Rohan. The result of that foolish marriage was an ever-growing load of sorrow and misery. A true-life story of unusual interest.

"I Came Home in Disgrace"—Lured to New York by glowing tales of success, Mary expected to have an easy time finding work. There were plenty of positions to be had but—well Mary's own story which tells what she found out and what she finally did and why. A story every girl who longs to go to New York should read.

"The Fool That I Was"—Alice thought beautiful clothes, and a superior manner were marks of good breeding. She determined to make a "lady" of herself, cost what it might. But she failed to foresee the price she would have to pay. A startling story of intrigue, adventure and excitement frankly told.

Other Thrilling Stories in the June Issue Include:

"When Jealousy Is Good"
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FARMERS PAY THEIR LOANS.

According to a recent bulletin farm loans banks operating under the federal government supervision have loaned to eligible farmers in the eight years of their existence more than $1,500,000,000, while up to the beginning of this, their ninth year, only approximately one-half of one per cent of the maturing underlying obligations were more than 90 days delinquent.

There were 47,000 borrowers from federal land banks last year and 11,000 borrowers from joint stock land banks. Many of these loans have been made to Texas farmers and the reports made by the officials of the federal land bank at Houston prove conclusively that these Texas farmers who have been borrowers always meet their obligations promptly. And yet former Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois in a recent address, declared America agriculture on the brink of disaster.

This former governor is one of the great farmers of America. He has millions at his command. He is said to be a very successful farmer. If agriculture is on the brink of disaster the bulletins of these farm loan banks do not furnish the evidence. They point to the very reverse of the attitude taken by the gentleman who married the daughter of the house of Pullman.

BETTER LATE THAN NEVER.

Now the federal government has brought suit against the Southern Pacific Railway company, the Southern Pacific Land company and two New York trust companies to recover 400 acres of land near Goffs, Cal. The tract of land was granted to the railroad in 1866 as agriculture land. And is since said to be identified as mineral bearing.

It is located at the base of the San Bernardino mountain, in California, and is said to contain gold, silver, lead, tungsten, coal, iron and other mineral. Its potential value is placed at upward of $3,000,000. Another suit has been filed against the same defendants for the recovery of 80 acres of land in the Imperial valley for similar reasons.

Federal attorneys say this is the beginning of a legal campaign on the part of the government to recover western mineral lands granted to railroads in the belief that they were agricultural tracts and non-mineral bearing.

All this is interesting, but how will big business take it. This is a big business administration, and "to have and to hold" was the slogan of big business in the years when the Huntingtons and the Crockers and the Goulds and the Harrimans were in the saddle.

Has there been any change in the big business program or slogan.

AN IMPOSSIBLE DISTINCTION.

General Lord, director of the National Budget, has made a curious addition to the saying that there are hundreds of organizations to get money out of the treasury and but one, the bureau of the budget, to protect the treasury. "The bureau of the budget, in its effort to protect the treasury," says the general, "urgently needs the watchful, earnest support of the taxpayers. When the director of the bureau of the budget becomes popular, he should immediately be dismissed."

To secure popular support for an office and yet preserve its occupant from popular favor is a task for a political magician. The thing simply cannot be done. The people usually require that even fundamental principles of government be personified and dramatized. Certainly the mechanical routine of the bureau of the budget cannot hold their interest while they remain indifferent to the man in charge.

AGE OF MAN.

Now the scientists have discovered in the wilds of Arizona relics of prehistoric man and prehistoric animals which have convinced the aforesaid scientist that man was in evidence, at least in Arizona, more than ten million years ago.

Edward L. Doheny, the oil king, financed the expedition which made the remarkable discovery. No man had an existence ten million years ago who carried in his pocket a check for $38,000,000 and no captain of the industry in existence ten million years ago ever loaned a friend a hundred thousand dollars without security and forwarded the money in a suit case carried by a member of his own family.

Really the garden of Eden must have been located somewhere on the Pacific coast.

EUROPE IN PAWN.

Senator William Borah of Idaho is fearful that America may have to go to war some day to protect the foreign loans made by American bankers and investors. American investments in foreign countries, which were not in excess of $2,000,000,000 before the world war are now nearing the $10,000,000,000. This amount at 6 1-2 per cent interest, which is considered conservative, means an annual of about $650,000,000 to the American investors.

Investments in Latin America have been growing rapidly and are said to be in excess of $3,000,000,000.

These figures do not include the war loans of the government to foreign nations, which with interest are now about $12,000,000,000. In other words the government of the United States and individual investors have about $22,000,000,000 planted in foreign countries.

WHAT IS WRONG WITH MICHIGAN?

Michigan is said to be a prohibition state. Last year Senator James Couzens defied the anti-saloon league, declared for light wines and beer and won a re-election to the senate.

Now two of the leading newspapers of Detroit have changed their pro-prohibition policy and editorially declare that prohibition is a failure.

This is not all, Congressman John B. Sosnowski of Detroit, who calls himself a Coolidge republican, is demanding a modification of the Volstead act.

Isn't Sosnowski a grand old Anglo Saxon name, with a ring to it as dry as the Sahara desert?

By Dr. Frank Crane

THE EASIEST WAY.

Force is the easiest way.

Every once in awhile we hear a statement of parents that it is much simpler to flog children than to use moral suasion.

If one has superior force, the simplest method is to exert it in order to accomplish his object.

The same is true of nations. There are some who cannot get over what seems to them to be an indubitable fact that the nation's safety depends upon its power to use force.

History shows us, however, that this is a delusion.

In other words there are greater forces in the world than mere physical predominance. In the long run right and justice have their way in spite of the trained battalions and elaborate tyrannies formed to overcome them.

In the home it may be used to flog children. It may be easy to rule by fear. But when you have punished a child you have demonstrated one thing—that you are a stronger man than he. His spirit remains rebellious. You have made an enemy of him and you arouse all his cunning in order to overcome you or evade you.

If on the contrary you control him by moral suasion by suggesting an example, you have secured his enthusiastic co-operation; you have allied yourself to what is best in him.

This is hard because the right training of children implies that we should be right ourselves.

No man who gives way constantly to a hasty temper can hope to overcome bad temper among his children. Only by self-control ourselves can we hope to inculcate self-control among children.

Their eyes are very sharp and see past our words and teachings to our deeds. It is difficult to deceive a child.

When we do so we have aroused the spirit of deception in him. We need not be surprised if our children lie to us if we lie to them. If we are honest and frank with them, they will be honest and frank in all their dealing with their fellowmen.

It is much easier to do as we please and seek to enforce righteousness by physical punishment. But if we think that we are training children in this fashion, we deceive ourselves.

To them, as well as to other people, what we are shrieks so loudly that they cannot hear what we say.

WHAT HAPPENED TO CLARA.

Clara Kimball Young, screen and stage star, reported to the New York police that she had been robbed of jewels having the value of $70,000. Clara has been before the public as a screen favorite for low these many years and this is the tenth time that she has been robbed of jewels having a value of not less than $70,000.

And her jewels are never recovered.

Clara Kimball should engage the services of a body guard, a private detective, to escort her jewel box from place to place. It is nothing short of criminal for the handsome woman to be constantly placing temptation before the lovers of diamonds and other precious stones. Publicity is the life of trade. Advertising pays. If one wishes to hold the center of the stage, then spectacular methods are ever necessary.

AN EXCELLENT SIGN.

Cotton spinning in the United States showed increase activity in March as compared with February. Spindles operated showed a 99 per cent capacity on a single shift basis. Regardless of the croakers the cotton manufacturers of America are in the dividend making business this year.

Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE.

Superiority.

I was talking to a man the other day who expressed disapproval of a mutual acquaintance.

When I inquired the cause of this disapproval he said, "He is the kind of a fellow who is always joining societies of all sorts."

Becoming interested in this reason for disliking a fellow mortal I asked this person about other people whom we both knew.

He disapproved of most of them. One, he said was the kind of a man who took his wife and family to moving picture shows.

Another was the kind of a man who was always telling stories.

Still another was the kind of a man who was always visiting around at the neighbor's houses in the evening.

In short, these men were the kind of men which my interlocutor didn't happen to be, and for that reason he despised them.

This particular person wasn't anybody in particular. But he associated with a little coterie of people of his own sort, all of whom devote so much time to looking down on other people that they never get to any place which necessitates others looking up to them.

There is so much of this petty and cheaply snobbing superiority in the world that it is worth talking about now and then.

It often begins very young, simple and direct as childhood is supposed to be.

Many a youngster has had his life made intolerable for him in school because he lisped, or wore clothes unlike the others, or was in some way a little different from the herd.

Many a boy in college who didn't quite catch the mob spirit that dominates many of these institutions has looked back on the days of his education with horror.

We have no way of knowing by a man's general habits anything about him.

Abraham Lincoln was despised in the early years of his life by people who were not fit to serve him in the most humble capacity.

It has been the misfortune of many great men to be a little different, and for that reason their lives have been made miserable by their inferiors.

The "joiner," the "hail fellow well met type" may be very able, very unselfish, very straightforward and square dealing.

But he does not meet certain standards of some of his top lofty fellows because he is somewhat boisterous in manner, and so stupid persons like the man I have referred to, think him "common."

There is probably no one on this earth today who can afford to be superior.

And there is probably no superior person who would not grovel at the feet of a man who could make or break his fortunes.

The habit of despising people is fortunately limited. But it seems to be spreading among those who have been educated beyond their intellectual capacity. And while it hurts them more than it does others, it sometimes cuts sensitive people to the quick and for that reason, it is the duty of all level headed people to frown on it whenever they happen to encounter it.

Only the person who is beyond reproach can consistently despise others, and there is at present no such person in the world.

The Minute That Seems A Year. By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



JUST AS YOU'RE RAKING IN THE POT ON YOUR ACE HIGH FLUSH THE POOR FISH WHO'S BEEN JUST TAGGING ALONG IN THE BETTING GUESSES HE MUST BE ASLEEP OR SOMETHING - THOUGHT HE HAD THREE KINGS AND WHAT DO YOU KNOW, HE'S GOT A LITTLE PAIR WITH THEM HE DIDN'T KNOW HE HAD © McClure Newspaper Syndicate

What Today Means To You

By MARY BLAKE.

Today's conditions are, until noon, a continuation of those that prevailed during the latter part of yesterday, and they counsel aggressive effort along any lines of a constructive nature. After noon, the planatory aspects become rather unsettled, and although they are not definitely adverse, neither are they as favorable as earlier in the day. It will be well, provided it is practicable, to "stop, look and listen". In the evening vibrations are stimulating and will have a marked effect on the emotions, especially those related to love and affection. This is an excellent opportunity for putting your love to the test, as the signs clearly indicate responsiveness.

Subject to many ailments in its early infancy, a child born today will require more than ordinary care and attention. Once, however, this ticklish period is passed, it will be normally healthy and strong. Temperamentally, it will be very self-willed, and have a compelling, but necessarily attractive personality. It will, from babyhood and on through life, always know what it wants, and will be ready to go to great lengths in order to attain its desires or satisfy its wishes. It promises to excel in study and will be an omnivorous reader, with a very retentive memory. It will not make friends readily or easily, but will have an ideal home life.

You, who were born on May the fifth, are more visionary than businesslike, and success has not singled you out for its votary, if you are engaged in humdrum occupation. You are not well equipped to handle everyday affairs, but seem more adapted to shine in literary or artistic lines of endeavor.

You have a strong predilection for good clothes, and are more than ordinarily vain of your personal appearance. You absorb flattery, and have a great craving for social standing, rather than for the intellectual pleasures to be derived from good society.

You have very great ambition, but are too adverse to plodding to realize your hopes and dreams.

Your disposition is a happy one, and your affections are deep-rooted and inspire reciprocity. You are easy to get along with, and your home life is happy and contented.

Successful people born on this date are:

Frederick A. P. Barnard, educator. A president of Columbia college.

John W. Draper, chemist and physiologist.

John B. Stetson, merchant and philanthropist.

Hubert Howe Bancroft, historian.

William Potts, author.

Elmer Gates, inventor and scientist.

MATTERS OF HEALTH

It's what we eat that's oft' at fault
When wise old Nature calls a halt.

Run a mile and run a risk.

If we'd retire before the blowout
we'd save our inner tubes.

Oh, had some doctor
A cure to give!
To June Grass pollen
I'm sensitive.

Who hath a cough should laugh it off and sleep out in the open.

When the mosquito dines the doctor does.

Constituting civic blots—
Overgrown with grass and weeds;
Turn them into beauty spots—
Planting there these flower seeds.

In densely populated districts, raw river and shallow well waters are invariably polluted, and the indifferent tourist is usually the victim.

Exercises that carry one to exhaustion are worse than no exercise.

And the pollen of roses will tickle our noses and start us all sneezing again.

Cease, Oh, mother, cease that sweeping,
Lest some microbe, slyly creeping,
Changes laughter into weeping—
Changes gladness into grief.

Men, like motors, require different mixtures; it depends altogether on the man, or the motor, and the weather.

There are more be rts crippled by over-indulgence in play than by over-indulgence in work.

POEMS THAT LIVE

THE CONSTANT LOVER

Out upon it, I have loved
Three whole days together,
And am like to love three more,
If it prove fair weather.

Time shall moult away his wings
Ere he shall discover
In the whole world again
Such a constant lover.

But the pite on 'tis, no praise
Is due at all to me:
Love with me had made no stays
Had it any been but she.

Had it any been but she,
And that very face,
There had been at least ere this
A dozen dozen in her place.

—Sir John Suckling.

Auto's Death Toll For Year Reaches Total of 19,000

NEW YORK, May. 4.—Automobiles caused 19,000 deaths and injuries to 450,000 persons in the United States in 1924, state statistics made public by the National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters revealed today. This represents a daily average of 52 dead and 5,650 injured.

Notwithstanding the death total, the largest ever reported, the bureau found signs of encouragement in a pronounced fall in the rate of increase of accidents. The increase in the number of deaths in 1923, over figures for 1922, was 20 per cent, while the increase in 1924 over the preceding year was only 4 per cent.

KLANSMEN ARE STONED

300 Members Are Stoned by Young Men In Mass.

BERLIN, Mass., May 4.—A clash between ku klux klansmen and anti-klansmen sympathizers, occurred near here today when 300 members of the order including a scattering of women and children, were stoned by a mob of 100 young men as their meeting broke up. Stones flew from both sides but no injuries were reported. The crowd was dispersed by police.

FLEET OFFICERS HONORED.

Picturesque Lantern Parade Staged in Honolulu.

HONOLULU, May 3.—The most picturesque greetaings extended to the officers, men and guests of the United States grand fleet thus far on its cruise was tendered last night by the Japanese community of Oahu. The welcome was in the form of a lantern parade in which hundreds of persons marched representnig the various clubs of the Japanese colony.

There were also many floats illuminated by thousands of lights.

BANDITS ROB CHURCHGOERS.

Nine Victims Identify Them When Police Make Capture.

CHICAGO, May 3.—Church goers in the northwest section of suburban Chicago were beset for an hour today by two young bandits who committed more than a dozen minor holdups before they were run down by police squads and identified by nine of their victims.

They said their names were Norman Misdeno, 21, and James Linahan, 22.

FIGHT TO WAR DEP'T

Steamship Association Takes Bridge Opposition Higher

NEW ORLEANS, May 4.—The New Orleans Times-Picayune says today that the fight by the American Steamship Owners' association against a proposed bridge across the Mississippi river at New Orleans has been carried to the war department in the form of a memorandum addressed to Secretary Weeks opposing the plans submitted for the bridge.

Irrigation

Rain and Irrigation.

Perhaps few people have ever stopped to reflect upon the amount of water put on the land in an irrigation as compared with the amount from a rain.

A rain of one inch is considered a good rain. Three or four inches in 24 hours is a heavy rain in any man's country.

A three-inch irrigation is not a heavy irrigation. A three-inch irrigation and a three-inch rain put the same amount of water on a field.

As the tendency is always to irrigate more than necessary and to use more water than required it is perhaps poor advice to say that a farmer should not stop irrigating when it rains. But unless a rain actually puts the water required in the soil it should be disregarded.

There is no need for the farmer who understands to make a mistake. He should pay but little attention to surface indications. It is the subsurface conditions which should guide him.

Just wetting the surface does no good. It is the moisture conditions around the roots of a plant which govern its growth. Unless the soil about the roots has been moistened by a rain it should have water through irrigation.

Very often a rain unless it is followed by a cultivation will cause a far greater loss of moisture from the soil than it put into it. This is caused by the fact that a rain destroys the protecting dust mulch and allows capillary attraction to begin pulling the water out of the soil to the surface where it is evaporated.

If you need to irrigate don't stop irrigating unless the rain really puts the water required into the soil. Don't forget to cultivate after every rain or irrigation.

HOW IT STARTED

The Lifeboat.

It may seem to travelers on great ocean liners, observing the lifeboats fastened to the upper deck, that such small craft were shells as they seem on the giant steamships and would stand slight chances of braving an open sea. The fact is, however, that although it looks like a shell, a lifeboat is specially constructed with various contrivances for saving people from wrecked or imperiled vessels in storms or heavy seas when an ordinary open boat would be impractical and dangerous. And unless a boat is provided with some distinctive properties such as self-bailing and self-righting, it is not a lifeboat in the strict sense of the word. It would be merely a "surf boat" the name applied to small open boats that are launched from the beach to take fishermen through the surf.

The invention and the origin of the lifeboat as we know it today, are credited to an Englishman, Lionel Lukin. In 1785, Lukin, a coachmaker of an inland town near London, put afloat on the Thames a boat which was the result of some years of experiment with water tight compartments and other essentials of bouyancy and stability which are the cardinal equisites and the feature of the modern life boat. Because of several defects, however, Lukin did not succeed in bringing his invention into practical use. It was not until after his death, through improvements on his product made by expert boat builders of English harbor towns, that the middle of the last century saw theevolution of the modern lifeboat. And though practically every coast town in this country is equipped with lifeboats of the most approved types, it was from the English models that they were built and it is as a British contribution to invention that the lifeboat must be credited.

BIG HOLDING CAUSED FALL

Grain Man Believes Slump in Grain Prices Caused by Speculators

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The recent collapse in grain prices after their advance of last fall and winter in the opinion of G. E. Marcy, chairman of the board of managers of the Grain Markzeting company of Chicago was caused by the tremendous holdings of speculators and the misleading of the public as to the condition of the world grain market.

More Truth Than Poetry

JUST POSSIBLE

Although my parents always said
The crusts were better than the bread,

And that I'd soon grow strong and tall
If I'd make sure to eat them all,

In simple truthfulness I state
That I hid mine beneath my plate,

And when detected I confessed
That it was bread I liked the best.

Today I find that bread contains
Rich food for bone and brawn and brains,

And that the brown and crumbling crust
Is but a dietetic bust.

Which, even though it's finely chewed
Is of but little use as food.

When parents murmur, as they do,
"What are our children coming to?"

"How can they have the impudence
To think their parents have no sense?"

I think about the crusts I hid
When but a very callow kid,

And wonder if the kids today
Have not a right to get that way.

ALL SETTLED

Mussolini is writing a play. We know who will be the hero.

THE FARTHER AWAY THE BETTER

DX lends enchantment to a radio program.

BARELY POSSIBLE

We hope the entry of Henry and Edsel Ford into aviation will raise the level of the Ford jokes.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

SHALL A BRIDEGROOM BUY A HOME OR CONTINUE TO LIVE WITH HIS PARENTS AND PUT THE MONEY INTO BUSINESS?—SHALL MIDDLE-AGED WIROW REMARRY OR LIVE WITH HER SONS?— PROPOSING TO MAN-HATER

Dear Miss Dix—I am a young man and am soon to be married. My parents have made the suggestion that we make our home with them after we are married, so that I may save my money in order that I may go into business for myself.

My sweetheart insists that we get a home of our own right away. I would be glad to do so, but if I have to furnish a home now all my savings will be gone and I will have to wait until I can save up some more money on which to start business.

What do you think? H. D. S.

Answer—If your sweetheart was a broad-minded, forward-seeing girl, with a lot of common sense and philosophy, she would gladly accept your parents' generous offer to live with them while you are getting on your feet. She would realize that in that way she could best help you and push your fortunes, which are also her fortunes, after she becomes your wife.

But, my dear boy, broad-minded, common sense, philosophical young girls are about as scarce as hen's teeth. The average girl doesn't see an inch beyond her nose, and she wants what she wants when she wants it. You can't make here realize the advantage of denying herself the little things she desires at the moment, in order that she may get the bigger things later on, so before you ever get married make up your mind that you are going to deal with your wife as she is, and not as she might, would or should be.

Your sweetheart has made up her mind to go to housekeeping at once, so you had as well submit gracefully. For if you take her against her will to live with your parents, she will go into the door with a chip on her shoulder, and before you know it you will be in a family quarrel that will embitter the balance of your days. So don't run the risk. It is better for the business to wait than for you to be estrayed from your parents and have your mother and wife endure each other instead of being friends.

If your bride would go to live with your parents gladly and wholeheartedly, determined to make the best of the situation, and thinking it mighty nice of them to help you out, it would certainly be a wise thing for you to accept their proposition. But if she is opposed to it, don't do it. It will end disastrously to you.

Of course, as a general thing, it is far better for a young couple to start housekeeping in their own home and alone. The first year of married life, when a man and woman are adjusting themselves to each other, is a stormy one, and it doesn't throw oil on the troubled water to have either family sitting around putting in advice on how to navigate their boat through the tempestuous sea. Many a young couple land on the rocks who would have come through safely if they had been left alone.

When they quarreled, they would have kissed and made up, and the man would have called himself a brute, and the girl wept on his neck and no harm would have been done, if they had been alone. But they couldn't do that. They had to stand ptt on their dignity when the man's mother was urging him to be the master of his house, andthe girl's mother was warning her not to let her husband make a doormat of her.

Therefore, as the girl is right from her point of view, and you are right from your point of view, why not compromise, and put off the wedding until you have enough money to furnish the house, and go into business? DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Miss Dix—I am a middle-aged woman, a widow with grown sons, who are still at home. I have a chance to marry a good man of my own age. Willit be best for me to marry, and have a husband and home of my own, or always live with my boys? SARAH.

Answer—Take the good man, Sarah. That will secure you your own home, your independence. It will enable you to maintain your own identity and to have somebody of your own to love and care for, somebody to whom you are necessary.

Your boys will soon be leaving you and establishing homes of their own That is nature, and what you wish them to do, but it leaves their mother at loose ends and with empty, idle hands.

No matter how much your sons love you, nor how kind and good they are to you, when they marry they enter into a new life on which you have small part. Their wives and children will absorb their interest, their attentions and their pocketbooks, and you will feel yourself a burden upon them and know what it is to eat the bitter bread of dependence.

No woman who has been at the head of her own house ever enjoys taking second place in another woman's house. It gets on hernerves to see her daughters-in-law doing things the way she did not do them, perhaps wasting her son's money and poisoning him with bad cooking. And she either has to be hated as a nagging, interfering mother-in-law or else chew her tongue off to keep from giving utterance to the protests and advice with which she is sloshing over.

Save yourself from this fate if you can, Sarah. Marry the man who wants to marry you, who can give you your own home, and with whom you can jog contentedly and happily down the last lap of the journey of life.

Dear Miss Dix—How would you propose to a girl who is a man-hater, and says she doesn't believe in love and never intends to marry ROGER.

Answer—Why I would use cave man tactics in dealing with that kind of a girl. I would slug her with a club, metaphorically speaking, and drag her by her bobbed hair to the parson, where, believe me, she will be tickled to death to say "Yes."

"Methinks the lady doth protest too much," and that she just wants some man to make her marry him, whether she will or not. There are no genuine, bona-fide man-hater among girls, Roger. The man hater is like the Phoenix, a purely mythical bird.

There never was yet a woman who didn't believe in love, who didn't want to love and pray to be loved, and who wasn't on the lookout for a husband. Don't take any stock in this man-hater business. It's all blah! DOROTHY DIX.

Wichita Falls Invites You to Come Back Home 1927

THE entire population of Wichita Falls extends an invitation to West Texas to hold its Chamber of Commerce Convention in this city two years hence.

Marvelous strides will have been made in the development of the great Irrigation Project by that time; additional hotel facilities will be available; Wichita Falls will give you a royal welcome and a splendid entertainment.

As the center of a network of highways and many railroads this city is extremely accessible to all of West Texas.

In 1919 the West Texas Chamber of Commerce was born in Wichita Falls. Come back home in 1927 and let's all enjoy a great family reunion.

Wichita Falls in 1927

Society

SIX WOMEN HOSTESSES AT LAST MUSINESS LUNCHEON

Mesdames Jasper Jasper Ferguson, P. A. Welty, V. W. Cain, John Prewett, E. A. Sterling and Harry Wilson were hostesses at the last regular business meeting and luncheon of the season at the Kemp Kourt Saturday.

Mrs. Elmer DeMontel was leader for the meeting which followed the luncheon. Mrs. W. A. Harblin read an interesting paper on "The Department of Agriculture"; Mrs. L. M. Fisher read a paper on "The Department of Labor" and Mrs. John R. Hyatt read a letter from the D. A. R. representative, Mrs. S. H. Burnside who attended the Continental congress which has just met in Washington. In this letter Mrs. Burnside told the members of the new two million dollar D. A. R. memorial continental hall. The auditorium is to have a seating capacity for four thousand people and is to be one of the most beautiful in Washington.

Those who attended the luncheon were Mesdames C. W. Deavors, Laura Bristol, Ben Bell, W. J. Burt, V. W. Cain, A. H. Carrigan, Helen Ducker, Jasper Morgan, L. M. Fischer, W. L. Herblin, John R. Hyatt, J. L. Jackson, Carrie Joline, Paul Pond, J. E. A. Railey, C. F. Reid, A. E. Sterling, Hugh Weaver, James Waggener, John Prewett, Clifford Deaton, Charles Borland, E. B. Bailey, A. C. Ludlam, McCrary, E. H. Gipson, O. A. Sharp, of Dallas, S. Y. Ferguson; Misses Mary Sipert Clark, Emma Carter, Earle Carter, Gibbs, Cram, Fogel of Dallas, Killough of Vernon and Rowe of Electra.

JUNIOR COLLEGE PREPARING FOR MUSIC CONTEST.

Daily rehearsals are being held for the concert which the music department of the Junior college and high school, under the direction of Miss Winefred Alvis, is to have Thursday evening at the college auditorium. According to announcement from Miss Alvis this is to be one of the best of its kind that has ever been held here. Miss Elizabeth Peters and Loreign Russell, both well-known college girls, who have exceptionally good soprano voices will take solo parts. The college quartet consisting of Miss Russell, soprano; Miss Leota Tucker, alto; James Zetzsche, tenor, and Evan Harris, bass, will give several special numbers. The high school trio including Misses Edmontine Friberg, Loreign Tucker and Marguerite Goodner will be a delightful addition to the program. The high school quartet with Misses Lucille King, Loreign Tucker, Tom McCarty and James Williams will appear with several members. Besides these the high school girl's and boy's glee clubs and the college glee clubs will make their appearance. The accompanists will be Misses Marie Beaty, Vivian Ross, Lee Erwin and Shumake Baber. The concert will be held at the college at eight o'clock and the general public have a cordial invitation to attend. There will be no charges.

ALVA RUTH WALKER LEADS IN CIRCUS QUEEN LIST

Miss Alva Ruth Walker is heading the list of those nominated for the candidacy of Queen of the circus which the young people of the Methodisit church will have May 29. Miss Walker leads the list with 480 votes.

According to announcement received the others nominated and their standing are as follows:

Miss Margaret Akin, 277 votes.
Miss Thelma Ernst, 265 votes.
Miss Zona Bauchman, 260 votes.
Miss Geinore Fisk, 260 votes.
Miss Marguerite Gerhart, 260 votes.
Miss Marguerite Fisher, 260 votes.
Miss Gretchen Stelle, 250 votes.

Mrs. R. A. Faver has charge of the coronation ball which will be on the evening of the 29th. It is announced that all Methodist churches in Wichita Falls district will be represented at the coronation. Each church will send its representative in the form of one of the Royal party.

Mrs. Faver announces that she is planning a May fete pageant which will include 100 young people of the church and will be presented in the Queen's royal court.

Murrell Hooper, of the Mission Realty company has charge of the contest and asks that each girl bring her weekly reports to him at his office.

MRS. FRANK RICHARDSON CONDUCTS MISSIONARY MEET

In the all day meeting of the Missionary society of the Floral Heights Methodist church, Mrs. Frank Richardson had charge of the devotionals. Circle Five were hostesses for the day.

Mrs. W. Guthrie, president of the society presided over the meeting. Mesdames W. S. Curlee, S. A. Barnes, R. H. Davidson, L. E. Sterling and W. A. McGee, officiers, gave interesting reports.

Mrs. S. E. Travathan, the newly elected district secretary of the North Texas conference reported on her work. A card of thanks was read from an absent member, by the secretary, Mrs. Merle Waggoner.

Mrs. O. H. Harvey, chairman of the ticket committee of the Floral Heights Methodist women announced that she had 100 tickets for sale for the new day nursery show which is sponsored by the Kiwanis club and the Federated Missionary society.

Circle Five of the church was leading in attendance.

LAMAR BAPTIST WOMEN HOLD ALL-DAY SESSION

The women of the Lamar Baptist church met Monday in an all-day meeting at the church.

The business session was held in the morning with Mrs. G. W. Collins, president of the society, as leader. She gave an interesting talk to the new members of the church. Good reports were given from all circles of the church. Plans were made to send clothing and two crates of eggs to the Buckner's Orphan Home. A social for the women of the church was planned which will be held May 21.

Circle Three were hostesses for the luncheon after which an interesting mission program was held. Thirty-one members were present.

COUNTRY CLUB HOSTESSES FOR TODAY ANNOUNCED

Mesdames J. G. Dixon, G. T. Drinkard, T. P. Duncan, and George R. Burch will be hostesses Tuesday at the Country club for ladies day. The games of bridge will begin at two o'clock and there will be refreshments late in the afternoon. Those wishing a reservation for lunch are asked to call early in the morning.

MISSES COLE AND DAVIS TO HAVE JOINT RECITAL

Miss Elizabeth Cole of Wichita Falls, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cole at 1506 Austin, and Miss Eunice Davis of Iowa Park, both prominent young musicians, will be presented in a joint recital Tuesday evening at the First Baptist church as advanced students of Ernest Katz.

Miss Cole is well known locally, playing a prominent part in the musical life of the First Baptist Sunday school, and Miss Davis is widely known here and in Iowa Park for her talent and ability. The young women, besides being fast friends, are studying work of a similar character under Professor Katz. the joint recital, furnishing a delightful social occasion, will present two individual types of brilliant musical talent. Handel, Schumann, Beethoven, Chopin and Moskowsky, all favorite old masters, are found in the offerings of the program which will be as follows:

Suite in G Major (Handel), piano transcription by Whiting; Prelude, Allemande, Menuet, Gavotte, Sarabande, Pascaille, and Fugue, Miss Cole.

Soaring, Romance in F Sharp, and Whims, a Schumann group, Miss Davis.

Sonata, Op. 10, No. 3 Presto, Mesto, Menuetto and Rondo (Beethoven), Miss Cole.

Arabesque (Debussy), Terpsichorean Vindobona, and Little Tango (Godowsky), and The Juggeress, (Moskowsky), Miss Davis.

Valse (Rebikoff), Romance (La Forge) Etude, Op. 25, No. 9, (Chopin), Guitarre and Valse in E (Moskowsky), Miss Cole.

Carneval, Op. 9, (Schumann), Miss Davis.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH TO OBSERVE CHILDREN'S WEEK.

The First Christian church will observe Children's Week with a story hour Tuesday evening, May 5, at 6:30 o'clock in Bellvue park. An informal good time is planned for the kiddies, and all boys and girls in the city of primary and junior age are invited to attend.

Believing that "the race moves forward in the feet of little children", Wm. J. Spreen, A. B., B. D., who is director of religious education for the First Christian church, has enlisted the assistance of Mrs O. Abernathy, dramatic reader, who holds the degrees of B. O. and A. B., in arranging the program for Tuesday's story hour.

Mrs. Abernathy will conduct the hour, teling three types of stories. After supervised dramatic play and special musical numbers on the victrola, the reader will tell "A Pickaninny's Lullaby" and "Slumber Boat". Conversation regarding birds that come in the spring, and a discussion of bird life with the children will precede the reading of the poem "May" for the children by Miss Frances Tyson which closes the program. Games will then be conducted on the park lawn, where the group will hear the stories.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN MEET MONDAY AFTERNOON

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church held their weekly meeting on Monday afternoon at the church. An interesting discussion was enjoyed by the following members: Mesdames C. W. Beavers, J. M. Ball, J. C. Butts, A. H. Carrigan, J. W. Culberson, J. H. Crumpler, E. Cobb, C. C. Hageman, E. Howard, F. Humphrey, A. Humphrey, W. B. Jarrell, F. Kell, B. Martin, E. B. Morris, Morgan, J. L. Mears, J. O. Newton, N. M. Nathan Skallinder, H. Thompson, White Wolff.

POLLYANA CLASS OF THE FIRST BAPTIST TO MEET

The Polyana class of the First Baptist church will entertain with a mother-daughter banquet Thursday evening, 7:45 at the Wichita club. All members, associate members and mothers of the class are cordially invited to attend. Each daughter and her mother will count as one guest. Reservations must be made not later than Thursday noon through Misses Stella Smith or Grayce Price at the First National bank.

MRS. FELIX COLLARD LEAVES FOR DALLAS

Mrs. F. R. Collard left Monday night for Dallas where she will attend the Organist convention and be the guest of Mrs. Ada Sandel Knaur. Mrs. Knaur will be remembered here as Miss Sandel. She visited Mrs. Collard last summer and played the organ several times at the Baptist church.

Special Court Will Inquire Into Gaming In City of Houston

HOCSTON, May 4.—Lawrence Dumars, assistant district attorney was instructed by District Attorney Horace Soule Monday to prepare testimony which it is said will be presented to the court of inquiry to be instituted in the next day or so for the express purpose of airing activities of alleged gambling rings operating in Houston.

The district attorney indicated that at least five men will be charged in complaints to be filed tomorrow. It is expected that the court will set aside one day during the week for the preliminary hearings to be held in the court of inquiry.

Mr. Soule, in discussing the proposed hearing, stated "it is his purpose to have witnesses summoned for the hearings when their testimony will be made a matter of public records."

"We wish to complete the work of taking testimony in the gambling cases before they are presented to the grand jury for that body's investigation," the district attorney explained. "Stenographic record will be made of all public hearings, which must be signed by each witness in the different cases."

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Epworth League Workers Hold Annual School Of Training; Opens Monday

With 124 pupils from Wichita Falls and seven surrounding towns and communities, the fourth annual session of the Wichita Falls District Standard Training School for Sunday School and Epworth League workers opened for active work Monday evening at the Floral Heights Methodist church.

Classes were held in two sessions with a 20-minute assembly period between. In this manner, 12 class sessions will meet in six evenings, the 12 lessons completing a course. The faculty of five experts, all of them imported from out of the city, taught the opening lessons of the five courses offered in the school.

Various Teachers

Mrs. E. J. Briggs of San Antonio, taught beginner organization; Mrs. S. W. Ray of Fort Worth, taught primary worship; Mrs. G. R. McDonald of San Antonio, was teacher for the course on junior worship; Mrs. F. V. LaBountie of Dallas, taught intermediate-senior psychology; and Rev. C. W. Moerner, conference superintendent of Dallas, taught the course on worship. At the intermission hour Monday evening, an old fashioned hand-shaking get-acquainted meeting was enjoyed when it was discovered that of the pupils present, two were from Archer City, nine from Holliday, 12 from Burkburnett, two from Electra, nine from Iowa Park, six from Byers, six from Texline, 33 from Floral Heights, and 44 from the First M. E. Church, South. Rev. Frank M. Richardson, presiding elder of the Wichita Falls district, gave his residence as Jolly.

Rev. Moerner expressed his delight at the interest expressed by the students in the first evning's work.

Training School Value.

"The value of the training school in the Sunday school and church work of a city is of great importance, I am glad to see this active response on the part of church workers in the city and surrounding territory. Stick to the courses you have chosen." Rev. Moerner told the students, "and pass the examinations at the close so that you may receive a standard credit for your work."

The schools will take up at the regular hour, 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, and at the intermission hour at 8:20 o'clock, Rev. Moerner will address the assembly on "The Standard Training Course," telling them of the vital part the course plays in modern Christian education.

No admission or tuition is charged for the courses, and all church workers and those interested in Christian education of any type are cordially invited to attend the school and enroll in one of the courses.

METHODIST TRAINING TEACHERS GIVEN LUNCHEON

The teachers who are to teach in the Standard Training school which started Monday evening at the Floral Heights Methodist church were the guests for luncheon on Monday of the Missionary society of the First Methodist church. Each was introduced and made a short talk.

Circle Four of the society was hostess for the luncheon which was followed by a business session which was presided over by the president, Mrs. J. C. A. Quest. Mrs. M. D. Rowe, with Mrs. D. J. Carithers led the organization in singing "Blessed Be the Tie that Binds".

Gary Police Seek Husband of Slain Girl For Murder

GARY, IND., May 4.—Satisfied with the identification of the dismembered and charred body of a girl found a week ago alongside the Furnissville road east of here as that of Mrs. Josephine Desidiro the Gary police tonight were seeking her husband, Luis, to charge him with the murder.

The identification was clinched, the officers said, by statements of Miss Florence Boto Kish, who said she was Mrs. Desidiro's companion at gay parties in Gary, Chicago and South Bend, Ind. The Kish woman identified garments found on the barely recognizable body of the girl, as clothing she had loaned Mrs. Desidero and was also positive in her identification of the body at H. A. Flynn's undertaking establishment at Chesterton.

Some persons remained skeptical as to the recognition despite assent of Mr. and Mrs. Bernado Genero, Mrs. Desiderio's mother and father and Sam Ross who said he had lived with the young woman two weeks.

Today's Calendar

"Mammy's Lil' Wild Rose", college play, auditorium, evening.

Professor Katz presenting Misses Elizabeth Cole and Eunice Davis in piano recital, First Baptist church, evening.

Carrigan school pupils, benefit program for Mother's club, at the school, afternoon and evening.

Story hour, children of First Christian church, Bellvue park, 6:30 p. m.

Standard Training school, Methodist churches.

Dinner at Wichita club for junior board of stewards, First Methodist church.

SOCIETY PERSONALS

Dave Paul has returned from an overland trip to Lawton.

Jimmie Ryan and H. E. Stanton spent the week-end in Medicine Park.

Miss Agnes Wiley is the guest of her sister Mrs. T. H. Shappard in Duncan, Okla., for a few weeks.

Mrs. J. A. Hughes has returned from Lawton where she visited her sons, Herman and Garrett Hughes and families.

Mrs. Ed Ballew is ill at her home.

Mayor R. E. Shepherd is reported recovering rapidy from his recent illness, and is expected to return to his office before the end of the week.

Miss Florence Jackson, publicity director for the chamber of commerce, spent the day in Vernon Monday on business.

Mrs. Faye E. Weimer of Okmulgee, Okla., is the guest for a week o Miss Edna Black at 1616 Monroe street.

Mrs. Frank Dooley of Minneapolis has returned home after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. Donald McCauley at 1103 Polk.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McGee and daughters Willie Mae and Cusie were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McDonald of Iowa Park.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Nail are in Austin attending the medical convention which is in session there and also visiting in the home of Mrs Nail's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams.

Mrs. T. L. McDaniel of 2606 Ninth who has been quite ill is reported to be improving.

Lloyd Bland, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bland is reported to be quite ill at his home, 1415 Buchanan.

Miss Mary Allison will leave Wednesday for Fort Worth where she will undergo an operation.

Miss Chrystelle Waggoner has returned from a week-end visit in Deton. While there Miss Waggoner attended the wedding of Miss Virginia Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Edwards, to Elbert O. Hooper.

JUNIOR STEWARD BOARD POSTPONES BANQUET.

The meeting of the junior board of stewards which was to have had their banquet Tuesday evening at the Wichita club, has been postponed until Wednesday evening, according to announcement received Monday afternoon.

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Late Music Recitals and Doings Of Pre-Vacation Days Take the Stage

MUSIC recitals and the doings of school folk keep parents and friends of the students busy this week attending all the lovely spring functions which bring to a close the work of the winter season just passed.

A piano recital wherein Professor Ernest Katz presents Misses Elizabeth Cole of Wichita Falls and Eunice Davis of Iowa Park will be given Tuesday evening at the First Baptist church among the affairs scheduled for the early part of the week. The second performance of the highly successful Junior college play, "Mammy's Lil' Wild Rose" is also booked for Tuesday evening. Judging from the popularity of the two young pianists, and the hit scored by the first performance of the play, both affairs will boast of record crowds.

Students of the music departments of the high school and Junior college will be presented in recital at the college Thursday evening under the direction of Miss Winifred Alvis, musical director. The program promises to be exceptionally fine, comprising an accomplished array of talent. Numbers by the high school orchestra, the faculty male quartet, the Junior college mixed quartet, the high school mixed quartet, the girls' Glee club of the high school, the Junior College Choral club, the high school and Junior college boys' glee clubs and by several soloists will display the training and ability of the various musical organizations of the institution.

On Wednesday evening, also, Mrs. Mary B. Adams will present her advanced pupils in the Dunning system of piano, at the Adams studio. The pupils have been given the guest privilege and may invite one friend beside their parents.

Miss Katherine Kilander, promising young pupil of Ernest Katz, will be presented in recital Friday evening at the Junior college auditorium. Miss Kilander's talent and ability were disclosed perhaps at their height when she appeared recently at the Junior college in the grand concert given by the Musicians' club. Music lovers are anticipating the recital as a musical treat.

Mrs. Hermoine Stewart Vaughn, director of music at the junior high school will present her voice pupils in recital with the expression pupils of Miss Marguerite Fisher, talented local reader. The joint recital will be given at the First Methodist church south, Friday evening and will close the musical activities for the current week.



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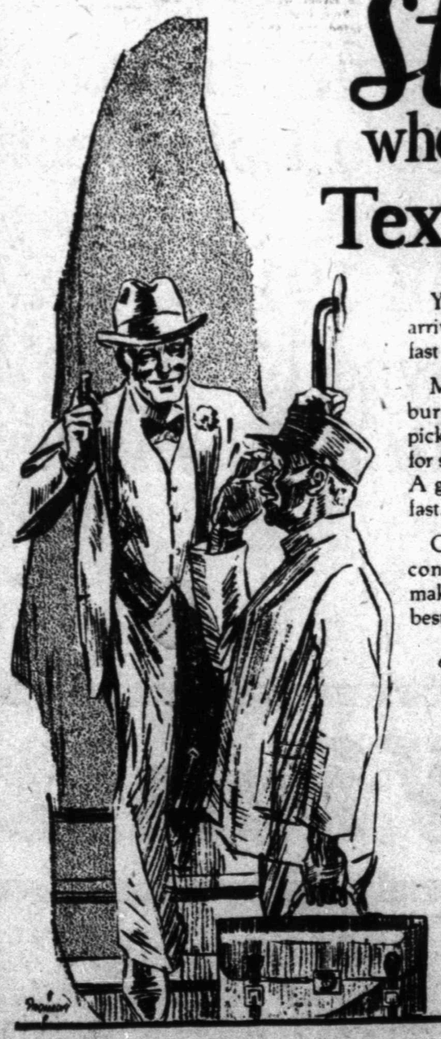
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terror of that February night in these words as she told it to the court at the examining trial and to newspaper representatives.

The Story Ethel Tells.

"My two sisters and I were walking down the street on the night of February 21, doing a little shopping. A Ford coupe containing two boys, and a third boy I did not know, passed us, turned around and came back and drove up near where we were walking, one calling us over to the car. He wanted us to go riding with them, but when we told him we couldn't he wanted to come around to the house. We told him that we had no place to entertain him. He wanted to know how long it would be before we got home and if it would be all right for him to get another girl and come around and we all go riding.

"We did not agree in so many words, but told him we would be home in about 30 minutes. They all three came around then, and I agreed to go with them if they would get Lillian "Billy" Morrison to go too. They tried to get my sister, Lillian, to go too, but she wouldn't. It was understood that I was to go with one of the boys, the only one I had ever met up until that time, and that we were to go by and get Billy Morrison for another boy, and that the third was to get a girl called "Fern," and were to go from there to the Sledge home on Ninth street where a few couples were to meet and play the victrola, and one of them was to sing.

"I got in the car and we went to Mrs. Ford's house where Billy was spending the night. She said that she could not go as she had a date. They begged her to break her date and go anyway but she refused. It was raining and she got in the car and after some persuasion she agreed to get "Fern," who it turned out, when one of the boys went in after her, was sick and could not go.

"We wanted them to take us home then, but they went to a place on Spruce street and tried to get some whiskey but were unsuccessful. They drove down to "Taxi-corner" then but couldn't get any there. All of this time we were begging them to take us home. They kept promising that they would. Then one boy said that he had to meet a man at his farm first, and that he would take us home then.

"We drove out to the farm house and all of them got out and went inside except me. In a minute one boy came out and asked me if I was going to stay out in the car all night. I told him yes, that I had no business there. He took hold of my hand, and half pulled me from the car. I made very little resistance. He had lit the fire and turned on the lights, and told me everything was all right, so I went on in.

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"We went straight into the middle room where the light and fire was. When I looked around I saw that there was no one there except this boy, another one and I. I heard Bill Morrison begin to scream and I told the boy with me to go help her, that she was a good girl and that I didn't want to see her hurt. He left me in the room with the other boy. I asked the boy to take me home. I started for the door behind him when the third boy walked in between me and him and shoved me hard against the wall. I fell flat on the floor.

Turned Out the Lights.

"I got up and asked him why he had done that, that I had never harmed him. All had left the room by then and there was no one in there but this boy and me. I heard the car drive off. I begged him then to take me home but he said, "You're at my mercy now that they have all gone and left us here alone.'

"He turned out the light saying he did not want anyone at the oil rig nearby to see that we were in the house. I told him that I did not care, that he had no business trying to keep me there when I didn't want to stay.

"He told me to come on over and 'love' him a little, and took me and threw me down on the cot and choked me. I kicked him and tried to push him off until I was exhausted. I screamed every time he would let go of my throat, thinking that someone would hear me at the rig. I supposed then that they had all gone and left me. He told me that if I would quit screaming and let him accomplish his purpose he would quit beating me. I told him that I would die before I would let him do that. He told me, 'I'll teach you that I'm not the only person in Duncan that's as bad as they make out I am.' I continued to fight until I was entirely exhausted and gasping for breath. He told me to get a good long one as that was the last I ever would get. My throat and hair were covered with blood. When his face got close enough to mine I bit him just as hard as I could. He swore and hit me under the eye."

Miss Sreywas has a prominent scar under her left eye, she says, resulting from this blow.

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"I had to give in then. There was nothing else I could do. When he left me I saw another one of the boys at the window looking in. The boy with me told the other one to come in and I said, 'My God, are you going to turn me over to him too?"

"He told me to shut my mouth. I told him I wanted to go home, and he told me to stop crying or he'd keep me there all night. I asked him if I'd wash my face if he'd take me home, and he said yes. Harry went into the other room and got a towel and some water and told me to wash. I was left in the room to wash and while I was washing I thought I heard my name called. About this time the two boys came back into the room.

Called Assailant a Brute.

"I called one of them a brute, and he said he ought to knock my other eye out. My left eye was swollen shut. The third boy came back in and this one told the whole bunch what he had done to me. Two of them told me to say that I had been in an automobile wreck when I got back home, that it would ruin my reputation if I told what had happened. They told me that it did not make any difference if I did tell, that one's father had plenty of money and could get him out of it. They all tried to persuade me to tell the wreck story.

"I tried to get them to take me home but they kept putting it off trying to make me agree to the wreck story. About this time someone knocked on the back door and one boy left the room. As he left he turned around and said to the other two that they had better take the girls home before something happened. I did not see him again. Two of them put us into the car and drove us to town. They drove around a long time before they took me home trying to get me to agree to the wreck story. They took me home about midnight, where I found my sister. She put me to bed and called Doctor McGregor."

Miss Sreywas denies knowledge of the use of drugs by Duncan young people. She answered a question regarding marajuana with the statement that she did not know what marajuana was, and noticed nothing in the demeanor of any of the three boys that night to make her think that they had been drinking or taking any kind of "dope."

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Ethel Sreywas is a tall, rather good looking, quiet appearing girl of 18 years, with brown hair and blue eyes. She is an orphan girl, living with two sisters, one older and one younger, in Duncan. She helped Mrs. R. W. McClure, wife of the manager of the Southwestern Light and Power company, and had come to be accepted almost as a daughter in the household.

The Sister's Story.

The evidence of Doctor Don McGregor, D. Long and J. P. Bartley was introduced at the examning trial. Lillian Sreywas, sister of Ethel, told at the trial of one boy coming after her about 9 o'clock on the night of the assault and wanting her to come with him, saying that Ethel had left him for another boy. Lillian testified that she did not believe it of Ethel and feeling that something had happened, called a friend, Charlie Beckindorf, and asked him to go with her after Ethel.

"We drove up to the place, my younger sister accompanying us there," she said. "As we drove up a boy came out of the front door and we asked him where Ethel was. He said 'Ethel who?' I told him I meant my sister. He insisted that she was not there, and after some argument we went to town and got the sheriff, who after questioning the same boy, was told that Ethel had left about 30 minutes before. It was just a few minutes after I got back home that Ethel and two boys and the Morrison girl drove up to the house. Ethel told me, 'I am dying. He has killed me.'

"I put her to bed and called Doctor McGregor."

Billy Morrison's story, that of the other girl in the affair, substantiates the others in every detail. She states that when she heard Ethel screaming that one of the three boys held her in a chair to keep her from going to the nearby rig for help. She testified at the trial that as soon as she went in to the Sledge ranch house that night that one boy grabbed her, and she screamed. Her request to another boy to go help Ethel was met by his refusal, she says, he stating that it "wouldn't do any good."

Billy Morrison is 17 years old, a small, rather dark complexioned girl and pretty. She lives with her mother at Duncan.

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But as to those three young men, scions of the most prominent families in Duncan, now out on bonds. Three young men—three boys, one might say—they're none of them past their early twenties—three boys who will come to trial outside of their own county.

There is Ted Elliott, tall, good looking, son of the postmaster at Duncan. Then there is Bill Brown, son of S. J. Brown, Duncan's retired capitalist. And then Harry Sledge, the rancher's son. Harry's parents are wealthy.

The three of them until recently were lodged behind the bars on the fourth floor of the court house at Duncan. They had the freedom of the roof, too. It is nearly a hundred feet to the ground and there were watchful deputies to prevent any attempt at suicide or escape in that direction. But there three boys were warned continually to "keep away from the edge during their incarceration.

In another part of Duncan is Mrs. W. T. Woodfin, working under the direction of the Oklahoma state board of charities and corrections, who makes the statement: "There is a club containing 21 or more members in Southern Oklahoma formed for the stated purpose of indulging in the use of marajuana," vicious Mexican drug.

The Rotary club, the Kiwanis, the city government itself, of Duncan, and the chamber of commerce are assisting in the work of purging the city of any drug habit among suspected addicts. Marajuana, it may be explained, is a Mexican weed, which is prepared and smoked in much the same manner as tobacco. It has an effect very much like the oriental hashish, lowering and absolutely depriving the addict of moral standards and lessening his responsibility.

Investigation shows it was first introduced in Southern Oklahoma by an addict returning from California, where it is said to be easily obtainable. It produces a "jag" much pleasanter and without the after illness of intoxicating liquor, and immediately became popular.

The club has several meeting places, according to Mrs. Woodfin. One, she says, is the old dried up natatorium in the park out east of Duncan. Down inside its walls the drug was sold to the young people and smoked, she declares.

The blame for the predicament of that little French American orphan uptown is laid at the door of the drug, although no proof of this has been brought forward yet. But the days of marajuana in Southern Oklahoma are over, say those in charge.

And so, who knows but that that tragedy of a February night will be the insurance of better days for Southern Oklahoma, and will be the means of starting the fight against drugs there, the fight against a menace to every ideal of that state and its citizenry.


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GARY, Ind., May 4.—Mystery surrounding the death of a young woman whose partly burned body was found a week ago in the Indiana dunes near Chesterton, appeared to be disintegrating today with the identification of the torso by a girl friend.

Florence Kish Boto said the body was that of Mrs. Josephine Desiderio, 21, of Gary. This corroborated the recognition made by Mrs. Desiderio's mother. Miss Boto said she had been with Mrs. Desiderio the day before the murder. Miss Boto was arrested yesterday at South Bend and was said by police to have been preparing to flee to Detroit.

Miss Boto said she and Mrs. Desiderio took a train from Gary to Chesterton with two male companions the day before the crime. She was held for further questioning today.

TWO INJURED WHEN CAR OVERTURNS AFTER BLOWOUT

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Senator To Defend Rules Against Dawes

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Senate rules will be defended from the attacks of Vice President Dawes by Senator Moses, republican, New Hampshire, in a speech at Syracuse, N. Y., next Friday. Senator Moses is president pro tempore of the senate and as such presides in the absence of the vice president. He also is a member of the rules committee.


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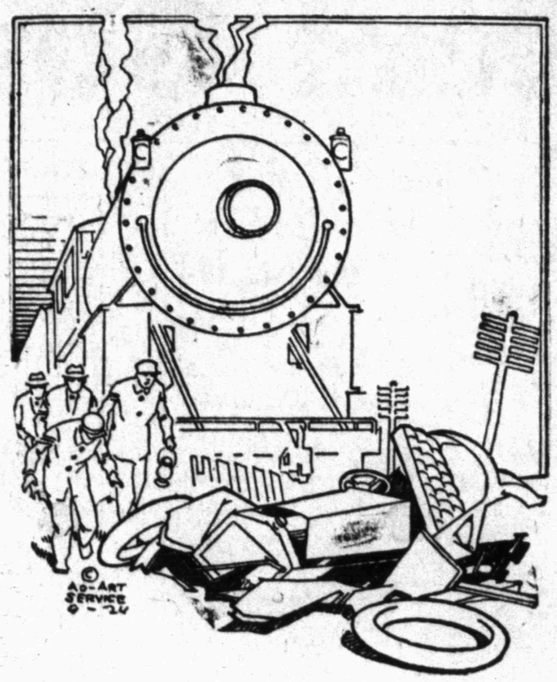
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Poor Pitching Again Cause Of Wichita Falls' Downfall

JACKIE IS EFFECTIVE

Shuman Holds Ball Mauling Tannermen to Seven Safties

DALLAS, May 4.—With Osborn and Williams out of the way, the Dallas Steers hopped the cripples of Bud Tanners sore armed pitching staff today to win the off game of the series 12 to 3.

Dick Shuman in great form hurled a seven-hit game against the Spuds while Pigg, Ira Morgan and Reed spelled out the long, drawn, free hitting contest in which only Wee Jackie showed effectiveness and with good support, he would have blanked Dallas in the last three innings.

Dallas scored in the second when Pigg walked Huhn, the first batter, and Segrist drove the ball against the boards in right center for two bases, scoring Huhn from first. A short fly and two grounders retired the side.

Spuds Score in Third.

The Spudders scored twice in the third. With one out, Jonnard doubled and took third on Pigg's infield hit. He scored on Callaghan's sacrifice to right. O'Brien, interfered with by Miller, dropped Distell's long fly and Pigg scored from first. Distel tried to steal third and went out.

In the Dallas half O'Brien was hit, Harris poked a Texas leaguer to left and both runners scored on Miller's double to left when Bodie's throw hit Harris as he went into third and bounded away. Miller took third after a pop fly and an out, but when Segrist walked, Jonnard, White, Distel and Tanner broke up a double steal.

In the Steer's fourth with one out Hungling walked and Shuman singled. Hungling score on OBriens pop to left. After Harris grounded out, Miller's short single to center scored the other two runners. Miller was out stealing.

Harris Robs Buddy.

I. Morgan started pitching for the Spudders in the fifth and White's high throw to first, a pass to Huhn, and Segrist's singled scored a run. Patterson's single past White scored Huhn. Hungling forced Patterson, but Segrist scored when Turgeon threw wide to first to complete a double play. Shuman and O'Brien rolled out. Harris singled to center, scoring two runs, and Reid replaced I. Morgan. Miller grounded out.

In the sixth with one out the Spudders scored a run on singles by Callaghan and Distel and Fitzgerald's double. Bodie popped out and Tanner was out at first on a great stop by Harris.

In the eighth with two out, Williams was safe on a Texas leaguer and scored when Jonnard threw to center field to stop him stealing.

W. FALLS:	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Callaghan, rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Distel, 1b	4	0	1	9	3	0
Fitzgerald, cf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Bodie, lf	4	0	0	3	0	1
Tanner, 3b	4	0	0	2	1	0
Turgeon, 2b	4	0	1	1	0	2
White, ss	4	0	0	2	2	1
Jonnard, c	3	1	1	2	5	1
Pigg, p	1	1	1	1	2	0
I. Morgan, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Reid, p	2	0	0	1	3	0
Dorman x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	7	24	17	5

Dorman batted for Reid in ninth.

DALLAS:	AB	H	PO	A	E	
O'Brien, cf	4	2	2	2	0	1
Harris, ss	5	1	2	0	4	0
Miller, rf	5	0	3	2	0	0
Williams, lf	5	2	1	3	0	0
Huhn, 1b	3	2	1	10	0	0
Segrist, 3b	2	1	2	2	2	2
Patterson, 2b	5	0	1	4	2	0
Hungling, c	3	2	0	4	1	0
Shuman, p	3	2	1	0	3	0
Totals	35	12	13	27	12	3

Wichita Falls	002	001	000—3
Dallas	012	350	01x—12

Two-base hits, Miller, Segrist, Jonnard, Fitzgerald, Huhn, Turgeon; stolen bases, Williams; sacrifice hits, Callaghan; hits and runs off Pigg, 7 hits, 6 runs in 4 innings; I. Morgan, 3 hits 5 runs 2-3 inning; struck out by Pigg 1, by Reid 1, by Shuman 3; bases on balls, Pigg 2, I. Morman 2, Reid 2, Shuman 1. Batsmen hit by Pigg (O'Brien). Left on bases, Wichita Falls 7, Dallas 4. Double plays, Patterson to Huhn. Time 2:15. Umpires Estill and Coe.

Ebbetts Bequeathed Ball Club to Widow

NEW YORK, May 4.—Charles H. Ebbetts, late president of the Brooklyn league baseball club, bequeathed his interest in the club equally among his widow, his son, Charles Jr., and his three daughters it was reported this afternoon. The baseball property must be disposed of within ten years it was said.

BUFFS TRIM ROSTER

HOUSTON, May 4.—The Buffs trimmed the roster of the club to 17 players Monday by sending John Belry, to Spartanburg of the South Atlantic league and third baseman Lynton Boggess to Springfield of the Three-Eye league. Both players go to class B clubs under an optional agreement.

Floral Heights Nine Nips First Methodists, 10-7

Parker Strikes Out Nine, But Walks Same Number

Floral Heights Methodists got to Allen in the second frame with gusto to score five runs during the inning, and then punched McDuffy in the fourth, fifth and six for five more counters, defeating First Methodists, 10 to 7, Monday.

Jimmy Parker, Floral Heights moundman, struck out nine batters but was very wild. He walked the same number. The contest went but six innings, and then was called because of darkness.

An interesting feature of the tilt was a two-base hit made by Rawls in the fourth. The cushions were full. Parker pitched inside to him. Rawls ducked, but the ball hit his bat and rebounded over first base for a double, cleaning the runways.

First Methodist took the lead in the first canto and things were looking bad for the Floral Heights club. G. Boone led off with a base on balls. Boone stole second while Parker was whiffing McMahon. Ward slashed a grounder down to first and was out, unassisted. Boone took third. Gordon walked. Cannon singled to center scoring Boone. Gordon started for third on the hit and Horton heaved wild in an effort to nail him. Gordon scored. Rawls forced Cannon at second, Thurman to Bullard.

Horton and Crites Triple

Floral Heights got to Lefty Allen in the second for five markers. Horton tripled to deep left. Parker went out, Allen to Walker. Allen held Horton at third before he threw to first. Timmons doubled to right scoring Horton. Hershi grounded out, second to first. Harris walked and stole second. Crites sent a long triple to center, scoring Timmons and Harris. Adams doubled to left sending Crites over the pan. Thurman walked. While Boone was yanking Allen, Adams and Thurman pulled a double steal, Adams scoring and Thurman taking second. McDuffy took the hill at this stage. While McDuffy was winding up Thurman stole third. Bullard walked and stole second. Horton grounded out, short to first.

A hit batsman, a triple by Gordon, and a wild heave by Timmons let over a couple of tallies in the third for First Methodist.

A walk, an error and a single by Thurman gave Floral Heights another score in the fourth.

The breaks seemed to favor the First Methodist nine in the fourth canto. McMahon was safe on an error. Ward and Gordon walked. With two out and the bases full Jimmy Parker sent one inside to Riley Rawls, who in ducking the ball, let it hit his bat and sail into right for two sacks, cleaning the bases, and giving First Methodist a 7 to 6 lead.

Crites Ices Game

Three walks and two hit batsmen were the only threats of the First Methodist lads for the next two frames. They didn't score.

In the fifth Parker was safe on an error and stole second. Timmons hit to short who made a try for Parker at third and threw low. Parker scored and Timmons took second. Hershi grounded out, short to first, Timmons taking third. Harris walked and stole second. "Skinny" Crites then put the game on ice with a single to center, scoring Timmons. Johnnie McMahon's perfect whip to the plate nailed Harris as he tried to score.

A single by Adams, Bullard's hit to the infield on which Gordon tried for Adams and failed, Horton's sacrifice fly and an error were responsible for the final two Floral Heights counters.

F. H. M.:	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Adams, lf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Thurman, ss	3	0	1	1	1	1
Bullard, 2b	3	1	1	1	0	0
Horton, c	3	1	1	10	1	1
Parker, p	4	1	0	0	3	0
Timmons, 3b	3	3	1	0	0	0
Hershi, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Harris, cf	0	2	0	0	0	0
Crites, 1b	3	1	2	6	0	0
Totals	26	10	8	18	5	2

FIRST M.:	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
G. Boone, 3b	2	1	0	0	1	2
McMahon, cf	4	1	0	1	1	0
Ward, c	1	2	0	8	1	0
Gordon, ss	1	3	1	0	3	1
Cannon, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Rawls, lf	4	0	2	0	0	0
F. Boone, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	1
Walker, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Allen, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
McDuffy, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
x Herring	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	22	7	4	18	9	4

x Batted for F. Boone in sixth.

F. H. Methodist	050	122—10
First Methodist	202	300— 7

Two-base hits, Timmons, Adams, Rawls; three-base hits, Horton, Crites, Gordon; sacrifice fly, Horton; stolen bases, Adams 3, Thurman 3, Bullard, Parker, Harris 2, B. Boone, Gordon, Cannon; hit by pitcher, Wahr 2, Herring; left on bases, Floral Heights Methodist 4, First Methodist 8; struck out by Parker 9, McDuffy 4, Allen 2; bases on balls, off Allen 1, McDuffy 3, Parker 9; umpire, Montgomery.

Ludlam-Riggs Vs. Americans Today

American Refinery and Ludlam and Riggs are slated to cross bates on the Twilight diamond this afternoon at 5 o'clock. The Americans have at present splita pair of contests while Ludlam and Riggs have played only once and lost in the league race.

Probable starting lineups:

Ludlam & Riggs—	American Refinery
Gordon, cf.	Heffner, 2b.
Davis, c.	Medford, 1b.
Brown, 2b.	Andree, cf.
Shaw, ss.	Windham, ss.
Hart, 3b.	Francis, 3b.
Powell, 1b.	Cannon, rf.
Griffin, rf.	Skeen, lf.
Leslie, lf.	Rounsaville, c.
Smith, p.	Glidewell, p.

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BING TRIPLES TO BEAT YANKS

NEW YORK, May 4.—The Yankees lost their fifth straight game today when Bing Miller, whose home run decided yesterday's game, delivered a 9th inning triple which scored Dykes with the run that gave Philadelphia the victory, 8 to 7. Heavy hitting, much substitution of new pitchers and numerous pinch hitters marked the bitter struggle of the Yankees to stop their slump. The score:

PHILADELPHIA—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bishop, 2b	5	1	3	2	3	0
Dykes, 3b	5	2	2	2	1	0
Lamar, lf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Welch, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Simmons, cf	5	2	4	4	0	0
Miller, rf-lf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Poole, 1b	5	0	1	9	1	0
Galloway, ss	4	0	1	4	4	0
Cochrane, c	3	0	1	3	1	0
Baumgartner, p	1	0	0	1	1	0
Walberg, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
French, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Groves, p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Rommel, p	0	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	40	8	16	27	14	1

xBatted for Walberg in 5th.

NEW YORK—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Paschal, cf	6	1	2	4	0	0
Dugan, 2b	5	0	1	3	1	0
Combs, lf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Meusel, rf	4	2	1	1	0	0
Pipp, 1b	5	2	2	9	0	0
Ward, 2b	3	1	2	3	3	0
Witt, x	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scott, ss	4	0	0	3	3	0
E. Johnson, xx	1	0	0	0	0	0
O'Neil, c	2	0	1	2	1	2
Schang, xxx	1	0	0	0	0	0
Shawkey, p	2	0	1	0	1	0
Hoyt, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Francis, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gehrig, xxxx	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	7	11	27	10	2

xBatted for Ward in 9th.
xx Batted for Scott in 9th.
xxxBatted for O'Neil in 9th.
xxxxBatted for Francis in 9th.

Philadelphia	101	002	202—8
New York	000	310	300—7

Two-base hits, Lamar, Simmons, Dykes, Paschal. Three-base hits, Miller 2. Home runs, Simmons, Ward, Bishop. Stolen base, Poole. Sacrifice hit, Welch. Double plays, Ward to Scott to Pipp; Galloway to Bishop to Poole. Left on bases, New York 12, Philadelphia 7. Bases on balls, off Groves 6, off Rommel 1, off Hoyt 1. Struck out, by Groves 3, by Holt 2. Hits, off Baumgartner 4 in 3 innings (none out in 4th), off Walberg 3 in 1 inning, off Groves 4 in 4 innings, off Rommel none in 4 inning, off Shawkey 10 in 5 1-3 innings, off Hoyt 4 in 2 2-3 innings (none out in 9th), off Jones 2 in 2-3 inning, off Francis 0 in 1-3 inning. Hit by pitcher, by Groves, (O'Neil). Wild pitch, Groves. Winning pitcher, Groves. Losing pitcher, Jones.

BROWNS DOWN TIGERS, 5-4

ST. LOUIS, May 4.—George Sisler, manager of the St. Louis Browns, had a field day today and was largely responsible for the 5 to 4 defeat administered Detroit. In addition to getting two singles, Sisler hit into the right field bleachers with two men on the bases and then in the 8th inning pitched home on a double steal. It was the 19th consecutive game in which he has hit safely. Davis, although issuing nine passes, held Detroit safe until the 9th, when he had to be relieved. The score:

DETROIT—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Blue, 1b	1	0	1	10	1	0
O'Rourke, 2b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Tavener, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cobb, cf	3	1	2	2	0	0
Heilmann, rf	2	0	1	2	0	0
Wingo, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Rigney, ss	2	0	0	2	4	0
Burke, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, 3b	4	0	0	2	3	0
Woodall, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Dauss, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Manush, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Haney, xx	1	1	1	0		00
Neun, xxx	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	4	7	24	11	0

xBatted for O'Rourke in 8th.
xxBatted for Woodall in 9th.
xxxBatted for Dauss in 9th.

ST. LOUIS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Robertson, 3b	3	1	1	2	2	0
Bennett, rf	4	2	2	2	1	0
Sisler, 1b	4	2	3	6	2	0
Williams, lf	3	0	0	3	0	0
McManus, 2b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Jacobson, cf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Severeid, c	4	0	0	6	1	0
Gerber, ss	3	0	0	4	3	0
Davis, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Gaston, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	5	8	27	13	0

Detroit	001	000	012—4
St. Louis	103	000	01x—5

Home run, Sisler. Stolen bases, Bennett, Sisler and McManus. Sacrifice hit, Williams. Double plays, Davis to Gerber to Sisler, Robertson to McManus to Sisler, Sisler to Gerber to Sisler. Left on bases, Detroit 9, St. Louis 5. Bases on balls, off Dauss 2, off Davis 9, off Gaston 1. Struck out, by Dauss 2, by Davis 5. Hits, off Davis 6 in 8 1-3 innings, off Gaston 1 in 2-3 innings. Winning pitcher, Davis; losing pitcher, Dauss.

CHICK BAT SHY NO MORE.

"Chick" Fewster, doomed to go to the minors a couple of years ago because of "bat shyness" as a result of being hit on the head with a batted ball, is now playing a star game for the Cleveland Indians. All indications that he wants to "pull away" from the ball when at bat have disappeared.

NOT ON YOUR LIFE HE DID.

Johnny Dundee, former featherweight champion of the world, shook hands with President Coolidge the other day. But Dundee probably didn't try to explain why he ran out of his match with Fred Bretonnel in France, an act which threatened to cause international fistic complications.

BRAVES NOSE ROBINS, 6-5

BOSTON, May 4.—Marriott's single in the 9th inning with two out scored Bancroft with the run that gave the Braves a 6 to 5 victory over the Brooklyn Dodgers this afternoon. Jess Petty and Rube Marquard were the rival pitchers until the 8th inning. The score:

BROOKLYN—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Mitchell, ss	4	1	0	2	3	0
Johnston, rf	3	0	2	1	0	0
Wheat, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Fournier, 1b	4	1	2	11	0	0
Brown, cf	4	1	2	4	0	0
Tierney, 3b	4	1	1	0	2	0
Stock, 2b	3	0	2	3	3	0
Deberry, c	3	0	0	4	1	1
Petty, p	2	0	0	0	4	0
Cox, x	1	1	1	0	0	0
Osborne, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	33	5	10	y26	14	1

xBatted for Petty in 8th.
yTwo out when winning run scored.

BOSTON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Neis, cf	4	1	0	3	0	0
Bancroft, ss	4	3	2	4	2	0
Marriott, 3b	5	0	3	1	1	1
Harris, lf	4	0	1	6	0	0
Welsh, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Burrus, 1b	4	0	1	8	0	0
Padgett, 2b	4	0	2	3	3	0
O'Neil, c	3	1	1	1	1	0
Stengel, x	1	0		00	0	0
Gibson, c	0	0	0	1	0	0
Marquard, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Graham, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	37	6	12	27	9	1

xBatted for O'Neil in 8th.

Brooklyn	020	000	030—5
Boston	002	000	301—6

Two-base hits, Johnston, Tirney, Cox, Bancroft, Marriott. Three-base hits, Marriott, Fournier. Home run, Bancroft. Stolen bases, Burrus, Bancroft. Sacrifice hits, Deberry, Johnston. Double play, Padgett to Bancroft. Left on bases, Brooklyn 5, Boston 7. Bases on balls, off Petty 1, off Osborne 2, off Marquard 1, off Graham 1. Struck out, by Petty 1, by Osborne 2, by Marquard 1, by Graham 1. Hits, off Tetty 10 in 7 innings, off Osborne 2 in 2 innings, off Marquard 8 in 7 innings, off Graham, 2 in 2 innings. Wild pitch, Graham. Winning pitcher, Graham. Losing pitcher, Osborne.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

GIANTS BEAT PHILS, 12-2

PHILADELPHIA, May 4.—The Giants won the opening game of the series with Philadelphia today, 12 to 2. Travis Jackson, Giant shortstop, hit two home runs in consecutive times at bat in consecutive innings. Frank Frisch also made a home run. The score:

NEW YORK—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Southworth, cf	4	2	2	2	1	0
Frisch, 2b	4	1	3	3	6	0
Young, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Kelly, 1b	5	1	2	12	0	0
Lindstrom, 3b	5	2	2	1	3	0
Meusel, lf	5	2	2	3	0	0
Jackson, ss	5	2	2	2	2	1
Gowdy, c	5	1	1	3	1	0
Bentley, p	3	2	1	0	2	0
Totals	39	12	15	27	15	1

PHILADELPHIA—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Burns, lf	5	0	3	3	0	0
Kimmick, 2b	5	0	2	2	3	0
Schultz, rf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Mokan, cf	3	0	2	2	0	0
Hawks, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
Henline, c	2	0	0	3	0	1
Wilson, c	2	0	0	1	0	0
Sand, ss	3	1	1	3	3	0
Huber, 3b	4	1	3	2	0	0
Decatur, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Fillingim, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ulrich, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wendell, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	2	13	27	7	1

xBatted for Ulrich in 9th.

New York	000	123	060—12
Philadelphia	000	000	002— 2

Two-base hits, Southworth 2, Huber 2, Lindstrom. Home runs, Jackson 2, Frisch. Stolen bases, Frisch, Southworth. Sacrifice hits, Mokan, Frisch. Double plays, Kimmick to Sand to Hawks. Sand to Hawks. Left on bases, New York 5, Philadelphia 10. Bases on balls, off Bentley 1, off Decatur 3, off Ulrich 1. Struck out, by Bentley 8, by Ulrich 1. Hits, off Fillingim, 6 in 1 2-3 innings, off Ulrich, 2 in 1 1-3 innings, off Decatur, 7 in 6 innings. Losing pitcher, Decatur.

TEXAS ASSOCIATION

Results Monday.

The score:	R.	H.	E.
Mexia	4	7	1
Corsicana	5	11	3

Batteries: Perryman, Snow and Nichols; Barnhart and Vann.

The score:	R.	H.	E.
Terrell	4	11	7
Temple	16	14	2

Batteries: Howard, Biggers, McGaw and Lewis; Pipkin and Henderson.

The score:	R.	H.	E.
Marlin	6	9	4
Austin	5	7	4

Batteries: Meeks and Donaldson; Scott, Brooks and Banner.

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE

Results Monday.

The score:	R.	H.	E.
Texarkana	2	15	2
Mount Pleasant	4	14	0

Batteries: Keck and Clayton; Appleton and Erwin.

The score:	R.	H.	E.
Greenville	9	8	0
Sulphur Springs	3	8	3

Batteries: Robertson and Gardner; Brown and Heath.

The score:	R.	H.	E.
Marshall	5	6	3
Paris	6	8	3

Batteries: Garcia and Sterry; Turner, Payne and Stagner.

The score:	R.	H.	E.
Tyler	11	13	0
Longview	6	8	3

Batteries: Rodriguez, Lybrand and Kitchens; McCullough, Finley, Swartz and Wooley.

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TEXAS LEAGUE.

WACO BUSTS SHIPPERS, 11-6

WACO, May 4.—Roy Crumple's pitching and Johhny Reider's three home runs combined to give Waco an 11 to 6 victory over Beaumont here today in the Cubs' last home game before invading North Texas, for the first time this season. The score:

BEAUMONT—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Ormand, lf	5	0	1	1	1	0
Woehrs, 3b	5	0	2	0	1	0
Deviveros, ss	3	0	0	3	7	1
Leach, cf	5	2	2	3	0	0
Schwab, 1b	2	0	0	6	1	0
Mitchell, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
McCarty, rf	5	1	1	0	0	0
Lord, 2b-1b	3	2	3	5	1	0
Hale, c	5	1	3	4	1	0
Pinto, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
McNeill, p	1	0	0	1	1	0
Foreman, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	6	12	24	13	1

WACO—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Reider, rf	5	3	3	1	0	1
Foss, 3b	4	1	1	3	3	0
Brown, lf	4	3	2	3	0	0
Wilson, cf	4	1	1	5	1	0
Galloway, 1b	3	0	1	6	0	0
Stumpf, 2b	4	1	2	2	1	0
Bondurant, ss	4	2	3	4	2	0
Morrow, c	4	0	0	4	0	0
Crumpler, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	36	11	14	27	8	1

Beaumont	000	210	012—6
Waco	322	012	10x—11

Two-base hits, Woehrs, Lord, Brown. Home runs, Reider 3, Lord, Stumpf, McCarty, Leach. Double plays, Wilson to Bondurant, Woehrs to Lord to Schwab. Struck out, by McNeill 2, by Crumpler 4. Bases on balls, off Crumpler 6, off Foreman 1, off Pinto 2, off McNeill 3. Stolen base, Bondurant. Pitcher's record, 3 runs 3 hits off Pinto in 1.3 inning, 4 runs 4 hits of McNeill in 2 1-3 inning. Losing pitcher, Pinto. Time of game, 2:15. Umpires, Weir and Kane.

SPORTS STOP CATS, 3-1

SHREVEPORT, May 4.—Joe Bonowitz came out of his long batting slump today to hit in the pinch and start the scoring for the Shreveport Sports that resulted in a 3 to 1 victory for the locals over Fort Worth in the final game of the series. Bonowitz's hit scored the tying run in the sixth and Rabbitts' triple and McGaffigan's double after Burns walked scored the deciding tallies. McCall pitched good ball for Shreveport. The score:

FORT WORTH—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Davis, cf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Mullen, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Sears, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Koney, 1b	4	0	1	12	2	0
Palmer, 2b	4	0	1	2	4	1
Edington, rf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Windle, ss	3	1	1	5	3	0
Moore, c	3	0	1	2	0	0
Wachtel, p	3	0	0	0	4	0
Kemner, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kirke, xx	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	1	6	24	15	1

xBatted for Windle in 9th.
xxBatted for Kemner in 9th.

SHREVEPORT—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Rabbitt, lf	3	1	1	2	0	0
McGaffigan, 2b	4	0	2	1	2	0
Ostergard, rf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Luderus, 1b	4	0	0	8	0	0
Bonowitz, cf	4	0	1	6	0	0
McDonald, 3b	4	0	2	3	1	0
Shay, ss	4	0	0	3	4	0
Burns, c	3	1	1	4	0	0
McCall, p	1	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	31	3	9	27	9	0

Fort Worth	000	010	000—1
Shreveport	000	001	20x—3

Two-base hits, Davis, Ostergard. Three-base hit, Rabbitt. Sacrifice hit, McCall. Double plays, Palmer to Windle to Koney, McDonald to Luderus. Wild pitch, McCall. Bases on balls, off Wachtel 3, off McCall 3. Struck out, by McCall 3, by Kemner 1, by Wachtel 1. Pitcher's records, 9 hits 3 runs off Wachtel in 6 1-3 innings. Left on bases Fort Worth 7, Shreveport 8. Time of game, 1:50. Umpires, Osborn and Daly.

BEARS POLE FIVE HOMERS

SAN ANTONIO, May 4.—Of seven hits made by the San Antonio Bears, five were home runs in the final game with the Houston Buffaloes Monday, which was won by the Bears, 7 to 4, making a clean sweep of the Houston series and strengthening their lead, with Fort Worth and Wichita Falls being defeated by Dallas and Shreveport. Raymond Benge, the young college pitcher, was the best the Bears faced during the Houston series and had the distinction of holding Rosenthal hitless for the first time on the home lot this season. Frank Watt helped win his game with a home run, scoring Booe ahead of him. The score:

HOUSTON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Kane, ss	5	1	2	0	3	0
Powell, cf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Hollohan, 2b	4	1	2	4	0	0
Gainer, 1b	4	1	1	9	1	0
Compton, rf	4	0	0	5	0	0
Peel, lf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Gallagher, 3b	3	0	0	0	3	1
McCurdy, c	3	0	0	7	1	0
Benge, p	3	0	0	1	1	0
Garnes, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	4	9	24	9	1

SAN ANTONIO—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Brovold, ss	4	1	1	4	2	0
Gonzales, 2b	4	0	0	3	3	0
Rosenthal, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Washburn, 1b	4	1	1	6	1	0
Clark, 3b	4	0	1	2		00
Meyers, cf	2	1	1	4	0	0
Booe, lf	2	2	1	1	0	0
Warwick, c	4	1	1	4	0	0
Watt, p	4	1	1	1	3	0
Collins, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nason, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	7	7	27	9	0

xBatted for Booe in 7th.

Houston	102	001	000—4
San Antonio	100	312	00x—7

Innings pitched by Benge 6 1-3 7 runs 7 hits. Two-base hits, Meyers, Powell. Home runs, Brovold, Peel, Booe, Warwick, Washburn, Hollohan, Watt. Stolen bases, Brovold, Gonzales. Sacrifice hits, Gainer. Struck out, by Watt 4, by Benge 5. Bases on balls, off Watt 0, off Benge 5. Hit by Benge (Gonzales). Left on bases, Houston 10, San Antonio 7. Double play, Watt to Brovold to Washburn. Passed ball, Warwick. Time of game, 2:15. Umpires, Hill and Fanning.

CLUB STANDINGS

TEXAS LEAGUE

Results Monday.

DALLAS 12; WICHITA FALLS 3.
Shreveport 3; Fort Worth 1.
Waco 11; Beaumont 6.
San Antonio 7; Houston 4.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct
San Antonio	18	14	4	.818
Fort Worth	17	12	5	.706
WICHITA FALLS	17	9	8	.529
Houston	18	8	10	.444
Waco	19	8	11	.421
Dallas	17	7	10	.412
Beaumont	19	7	12	.368
Shreveport	17	6	11	.353

Games Tuesday.

BEAUMONT AT WICHITA FALLS.
Houston at Fort Worth.
San Antonio at Dallas.
Waco at Shreveport.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Results Monday.

Boston at Washington; rain.
Chicago at Cleveland; rain.
Philadelphia 8; New York 7.
St. Louis 5; Detroit 4.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct
Philadelphia	15	11	4	.733
Washington	15	11	4	.733
Cleveland	15	11	4	.733
Chicago	18	11	7	.611
St. Louis	19	9	10	.474
Boston	15	4	11	.267
New York	15	4	11	.267
Detroit	19	5	14	.263

Games Tuesday.

Detroit at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cleveland.
Boston at Washington.
Philadelphia at New York.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Results Tuesday.

Cincinnati at Chicago; wet grounds.
Boston 6; Brooklyn 5.
New York 12; Philadelphia 2.
Only three games scheduled.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct
New York	15	11	4	.733
Cincinnati	16	11	5	.688
Chicago	17	10	7	.588
Philadelphia	17	8	9	.471
Pittsburgh	15	6	9	.400
Brooklyn	15	6	9	.400
Boston	15	6	9	.400
St. Louis	16	6	10	.375

Games Tuesday.

Brooklyn at Boston.
New York at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh.
Cincinnati at Chicago.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Results Monday.

Nashville 2; New Orleans 0.
Birmingham 4; Memphis 3.
Chattanooga 6; Mobile 1.
Little Rock-Atlanta; rain.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
Atlanta	20	12	8	.600
Memphis	21	12	9	.571
New Orleans	20	11	9	.550
Nashville	20	11	9	.550
Chattanooga	22	11	11	.500
Birmingham	20	10	10	.500
Little Rock	19	8	11	.421
Mobile	22	7	15	.318

Games Tuesday.

Chattanooga at Mobile.
Little Rock at Atlanta.
Memphis at Birmingham.
Nashville at New Orleans.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Results Monday.

Minneapolis 8; Indianapolis 5.
Kansas City 10; Columbus 4.
Other games postponed; cold.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
Minneapolis	21	13	8	.619
Indianapolis	18	10	8	.556
Columbus	18	9	9	.500
St. Paul	18	9	9	.500
Toledo	18	9	9	.500
Louisville	16	7	9	.471
Milwaukee	16	7	9	.438
Kansas City	18	7	11	.389

Games Tuesday.

Toledo at Milwaukee.
Columbus at Kansas City.
Indianapolis at Minneapolis.
Louisville at St. Paul.

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE

Results Monday.

Mount Pleasant 4; Texarkana 2.
Greenville 9; Sulphur Springs 3.
Paris 6; Marshall 5.
Tyler 11; Longview 6.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
Tyler	13	12	1	.923
Texarkana	12	7	5	.583
Paris	12	7	5	.583
Greenville	12	7	5	.583
Marshall	12	5	6	.455
Mount Pleasant	11	5	6	.455
Longview	12	3	9	.250
Sulphur Springs	13	2	11	.154

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Results Monday.

No games scheduled.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
San Francisco	25	20	5	.800
Salt Lake City	26	16	10	.625
Los Angeles	28	17	11	.607
Seattle	26	13	13	.500
Sacramento	26	11	15	.423
Portland	24	10	14	.417
Oakland	24	9	15	.375
Vernon	24	8	16	.333

Games Tuesday.

San Francisco at Vernon.
Salt Lake City at Sacramento.
Seattle at Portland.
Los Angeles at Oakland.

WESTERN LEAGUE

Results Monday.

Omaha 18; Wichita 4.
St. Joseph 14; Lincoln 5.
Tulsa 6; Des Moines 4.
Denver 10; Oklahoma City 5.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
Oklahoma City	14	8	6	.571
Denver	15	8	7	.533
Des Moines	15	8	7	.533
Wichita	15	8	7	.533
St. Joseph	15	8	7	.533
Lincoln	14	7	7	.500
Tulsa	15	7	8	.467
Omaha	15	5	10	.333

Games Tuesday.

Wichita at Denver.
Tulsa at Lincoln.
Oklahoma City at Omaha.
St. Joseph at Des Moines.

SPUDDER BLUDGEONS

Player—	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	Pet.
Fitzgerald,cf	79	15	30	10	0	1	.380
Distel,ss	74	20	26	5	2	0	.351
Turgeon,2b	20	0	7	2	0	0	.350
Golvin,1b	53	5	18	5	0	2	.340
Jonnard,c	38	3	12	4	0	2	.316
Bodie,lf	76	16	23	4	0	5	.303
Dorman,3b	62	9	23	4	0	5	.238
Callaghan,rf	80	18	19	3	0	0	.238
Tanner,util	17	2	4	1	0	0	.235
White,2b	74	5	17	3	0	2	.230
Query,c	26	3	4	0	0	1	.153
Cochlin,c	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000

Pitchers—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Williams	5	5	0	1,000
Osborn	4	3	1	.750
I. Morgan	7	1	1	.500
Reid	6	0	1	.000
Pigg	4	0	2	.000
E. Morgan	5	0	2	.000

Dempsey to Get European Offer

NEW YORK, May 4.—Jack Dempsey today announced that he had received a cable from Samuel Rachman, motion picture producer in Germany offering Jack Dempsey $150,000 for a heavyweight bout in Berlin while the champion is abroad on his honeymoon trip.

Hans Breittenstraetter, the German heavyweight, or K. O. Sampson, who boxed in America a few years ago, probably would be selected as Dempsey's opponents said Curley, who added that he was acting as Rachman's manager in America. Curley said he expected to discuss the offer with Dempsey before the latter embarks tomorrow for Europe.

Sampson failed to reach the pugilistic height during his American tour; Breittenstraetter was knocked out in seven rounds three years ago by Ermino Spalla, the Italian champion.

TEXAS LEAGUE HOME RUN HITTERS

Rosenthal, 8.	Wilson, 5.
Clark, 8.	Reider, 4.
Brovold, 8.	McCurdy, 4.
Galloway, 7.	Deviveros, 4.
Peel, 6.	Luderus, 4.
Davis, 6.	Foss, 4.
Brown, 6.	Booe, 4.
Bodie, 5.	Warwick, 3.
Washburn, 5.	Ostergard, 3.
Stumpf, 5.	Moore, 3.

Dallas Gets Pitcher From American A.

DALLAS, May 4.—Jim Lindsey, former Cleveland pitcher, with the Kansas City American association last year, has been unconditionally released by the Dallas, Texas, league management. The action was taken on instructions from Kansas City when the local club desired to return Lindsey. The release makes room on the Dallas team for Curley Brown, southpaw, purchased from Rochester, who is expected to report here tomorrow.

KILLIFER HAS PITCHING.

Cubs Staff Wages Great Brand of Ball So Far.

While other big league clubs are suffering because of the lack of good pitching Bill Killefer, Cub manager, has the satisfaction of seeing his formidable pitching crew of 1924 repeating in grand style. Despite the loss of offensive strength through the absence of Maranville, Hollocher, Grigsby and others from the lineup the Cubs are plunging along at a great pace in the National league race due to the sterling pitching of Alexander, Keen, Kaufman, Blake, Bush and Cooper.

TEXAS ASSOCIATION

Results Monday.

Corsicana 5; Mexia 4.
Temple 16; Terrell 4.
Marlin 6; Austin 4.

Standings.

Clubs—	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
Mexia	13	10	3	.769
Temple	12	7	5	.583
Corsicana	13	7	6	.538
Austin	12	5	7	.417
Terrell	11	4	7	.364
Marlin	13	4	9	.308

BASEBALL
—TODAY—
GAME CALLED 4 P. M.
SPUDDERS
Wichita Falls
vs.
EXPORTERS
Beaumont
—Tickets on sale at Tipton's and Miller drug stores, Noble Gray's news stand and City National news stand.

Harris Swaps Six-Gun For Baseball Bat

And New Brave Fielder Is Good Shot With Latter

Most ball players have individual peculiarities — hobbies —that distinguish them on the field, especially at bat.

Tris Speaker, Indian pilot, and centerfielder superb, always draws a line in front of his feet when he goes to the plate.

Eddie Collins grabs his chewing gum off the button of his cap when he approaches the rubber in a pinch.

Joey Sewell, Indian shortstop, always leaps over—not on—the foul line when he trots from the dugout to his place in short.

And Dave Harris, young outfielder with the Boston Braves, shines up his deputy sheriff's badge in the pinches.

For Harris is the only officer of the law now cavorting in the big show.

Makes Good Quickly.

He is the dashing young outfielder who is delivering the goods for Davey Bancroft in his second season in league baseball.

Harris made good with a vengeance. He fielded brilliantly from the first day out and is now giving the National league gardeners a run for fielding honors. His batting is equally as brilliant.

Harris is young in years as well as in baseball experience. He's 22. His home's in Greensboro, N. C. That's where he got his baseball start—playing sandlot ball between sessions on a huckster wagon, peddling his folks' farm products. Two years of amateur ball drew him a chance with the Greensboro team in the South Atlantic league last season. That he delivered the goods is apparent in the record book, which gives him a neat batting average of .356 for the year.

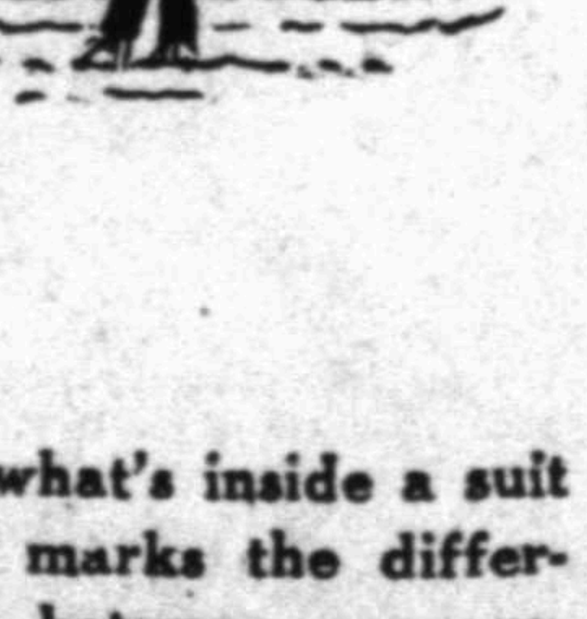
Once A "Law"

Last winter Harris broke into the "law" business by appointment as a deputy sheriff of Gilford county. He spent most of his time chasing moonshiners and white mule dispensers. He carried a he-man's fun. The next size comes on wheels.

He left the gun at home when the call came to join the Bravelets. He figured a bat would do for the summer months. He does seem to be a fairly good shot with a bat. In his first six games he hit .391.

MERELY IN APPRECIATION.

White Sox, under Eddie Collins' leadership, drew the biggest Sunday crowd of any big league team the first Sunday of the season. Which will probably cause Owner Comiskey and his aides to sign up all the boys to smaller salaries next year.



It's what's inside a suit that marks the difference between a scarecrow and a man
It's the Tailoring in a suit that marks the difference between a Kuppenheimer and the ordinary kind!
Summer Weights
$22.50 to $45.00
The Montgomery Co. Inc Men's Wear
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The GILDED ROSE



by May Christie

WHO'S WHO IN THE STORY

Rosilyn Page, the hard-worked daughter of a Long Island inn keeper, finds herself on his death, heiress of a huge fortune. She is deeply in love with

Landis Ridgeway, a charming young fellow in financial difficulties, who visits the inn regularly for 10 years, and was always kind to the lonely girl. His heart has been broken by the faithlessness of

Lydia Harbrook, beautiful and utterly heartless woman of the world who is planning to marry

Stevie VanVorst, a wealthy old roue, although she is fond of Landis.

Mrs. Florence Ridgeway, Landis' mother fearing poverty invites Rosilyn to visit her and her son, and induces Landis to marry Rosilyn, although he loathes himself for taking her advice. Immediately after the ceremony, Rosilyn overhears gossip in which she learns that Landis has married her for her money—she hears herself spoken of as a Gilded Rose. Heartbroken, she prepares to leave on her wedding journey.

Lydia Harbrook meanwhile is in Paris, revelling in a glorious spring day.

Rupert Briscoe, an old friend of Landis' meets Lydia at one of the night clubs and breaks the news to her of Ridgeway's marraige to Rosilyn.

CHAPTER 18.
Love Dies Hard.

The luggage was brought upstairs. Landis' cases were deposited in the dressing room.

Then he himself appeared.

When they were alone, he approached Rosilyn rather awkwardly, and stooped to give her a perfunctory kiss.

She drew back with a little laugh that sounded almost natural. Her swift resolution had consolidated.

"Landie, there isn't any need for that, you know. I think you and I understand each other."

He reddened.

"What d'you mean?"

"That neither of us need play at—at loving—when we both know that the marriage—our marriage—was purely a matter of convenience." She got the words out somehow, though each one was a stab of agony to her loving, sensitive young heart."

Dumbly he stared at her. She continued bravely:

"It's a fair enough bargain on both sides. You lifted me up from nothing to a—a fine position—as your wife. On my side I can give you something, too. But we needn't keep up the pretense of caring—" she chocked back the lump that would rise in her throat—"for each other, any longer, beyond being just—just friends. See?"

"No, I don't see." He hit his lip, disturbed and startled.

"Then you will in time. And be grateful to me. I'm thinking of you as well as of myself." Then she added, as though it were an afterthought: "I've ordered the bed made up for you in the dressing room. You'll be quite comfortable in there—or there are plenty of other larger rooms to choose from—"

He looked gravely, intently, at his young wife.

"A marriage—in name only—Rosilyn? Is that what you mean?"

"Yes, Landis, that is what I mean," she answered, very low.

Young Mrs. Landis Ridgeway, slowly descending the staircase of the great, gloomy country house for the first honeymoon breakfast with her husband, looked anything but a radiant and happy bride.

"'The maiden all forlorn' I'd call her! Not much class of style, is she?" whispered one servant to another, on the upper landing.

To which the second one replied:

"When I took in their morning tea, you could have knocked me down with a feather, for the bridegroom wasn't in her room at all, but sleeping soundly in the dressing room, and she broad awake, with her eyes all swelled as though she'd spent the night crying! I'm right sorry for the girl, I am!"

Unconscious of these whispered comments, Rosilyn found her way to the dining room, where the morning meal was laid for two.

There was no sign of Landis.

Rain was pouring down the windows, as though the very heavens had opened. Torrential rain, as heavy as last night! The odd idea came to Risilyn that the sympathetic skies were weeping for the travesty of this—her honeymoon!

To be married for one's money!

Oh! humiliating thought!

And such irony of fate to learn the truth when it was just too late, and the ceremony was over!

"Good morning, Lady Fair!" Landis strode into the room with a determined air of making the best of things, and deposited a light kiss upon her cheek. To the sensitive, unhappy bride, the effort of the marital salute—so passionless and so perfunct—made the hurt ache more bitterly.

She replied, mechanically:

"Horrible day, isn't it? Worse than yesterday!"

He flung a keen look at her. Gad! the poor child did look bad this morning. Yesterday's festivities had been too much for her. Not that there had been anything "festive" in the affair . . . he had loathed the inane formality, the pomp, the crowd of inquisitive spectators—he had loathed his own part in the business, too. If it hadn't been for his mother and the thought that Rosilyn's affections were involved, darned if he would have had the courage to go through with it!

But what a relief it had been last night to learn that his bride looked on the whole thing merely as a marriage of convenience!

When she had first told him so, he had been utterly astounded, believing, as he did, that she was fond of him.

Yet—once the shock was over—he was thankful that the child had shown such common sense. He never would have thought it possible.

"A fair enough bargain on both sides," she had informed him, coolly. "You've lifted me up from nothing to a fine position as your wife. On my side I can give you something, too. But we needn't keep up the pretense of caring—"

That had definitely "let him out"—the knowledge that her motive in accepting him and not been any foolish love, after all, but an understandable social ambition.

And yet—

From a talk they once had had together—it was on the very night her father died, wasn't it?—she had seemed so simple and unworldly, so capable of genuine emotion. He had kissed her, lightly and unthinkingly, and her reaction to that careless kiss had startled him, proving—as he had thought—that there were hidden and volcanic fires.

Her inheritance had killed all that, it seemed, bringing to the surface of her character all the worldly instincts that, in his cynicism, he now accredited to every woman.

Well, Rosilyn was no worse than himself, was she?

And Lydia was worse than Rosilyn, since Lydia—determined to marry money—still vowed she loved him. She was untrue to love, untrue to womanhood.

His lip gave a little quirk of pain at thought of Lydia. How he had loved her beauty and her gaiety and charm!

He had sworn to kill that love of his—but love dies hard.

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AUSTIN school district, good 6-room house, full size lot, only $3,150; small cash payment, and rental terms. N. G. Blacklock, basement First National bank. Phones 9957; residence 5993.

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Six rooms, double garage, near pavement and car line. $750 cash, balance easy. N. G. Blacklock, basement First National Bank. Phone 9957; res. 5993.

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is all that you have to pay for fire insurance on this brick home and after having paid $750 in cash, the balance will be like rent.

It has six large rooms, large closets, four solid hardwood floors, nice mantle, lots of nice built-in features, including breakfast room; glassed in back porch, garage and driveway, located in the best part of town near good school and on pavement.

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Six-room house, all modern, all kinds built-in features, breakfast room and bath, all rooms extra large, extra large screened-in proch, many other attractive features. Lot 50x150, street paved. This home is located close to the high school and is in an excellent neighborhood. Price $6,500. Good terms.

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In a two-story home (will sell furnished), has seven large rooms, three bedrooms and tile bath on second floor, extra large living room, very attractive mantel and light fixtures. Double garage and servant's house. THIS HOME IS LOCATED ON ELIZABETH STREET, west of brook. Will take smaller home as part payment. Look this place over and make an offer.

MAKE OFFER
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Lovely two-story home on Tenth street, west of the 2200 block, consisting of eight rooms, breakfast room, bath, sun porch and music room. This is an ideal home. You'll have to see it to appreciate its value. WANT A BETTER HOME? See this one before you buy. Terms.

BRAND NEW

Five-room bungalow for $3,250. Yes, it's all modern, has all kinds built-in features. Small cash payment, balance like rent.

$4200—WONDERFUL BUY—$4200 ON TAYLOR street, close to the Junior college, five rooms, garage, drive, walks etc., street paved, $500 cash, balance to suit. WANT A BARGAIN? This is it. Act quick.

LOTS LOTS! LOTS!

Choice building site in the restricted district, 100x150, $3,500.

Choice east front lot on Garfield for $1,250.

Choice corner lot on Pearl street, paved, for $1,650.

Several choice lots near the Junior college, priced $750 to $900.

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And the location is good. It is on a paved street, and is a very pretty bungalow. Has six rooms, bath and breakfast room, three porches; the rear porch is entirely closed in. All the floors are highly finished edge grain, and this home has an unusually pretty mantel. It has every modern built in feature, and is designed to meet the requirements of the latest modern home. Has good double garage. It is not necessary to do much "home shopping" when you can buy property like this for $6,600, when only a small cash payment is required.

ETATON & STATON
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Street Car Operator Shoots Boy Bandit With Own Gun

HOUSTON, May 4.—J. W. Lindley, operator of a North Main street car, gambled with death just after midnight Sunday—and won.

After being shot twice in the left arm and once in the forehead by a 17 year-old hijacker, he wrested the youth's gun from him and emptied the five remaining shells into the fleeing bandit.

Shortly before 6 o'clock this morning police found a youth, alleged to be the bandit, critically wounded, in a vacant house four blocks from the scene of the holdup.

He has a bare chance of living. Lindley told the story of the holdup attempt from his bed at a hospital.

"Stick 'Em Up."

A youth boarded the car when there were no other passengers.

"Stick 'em up," he commanded with his gun leveled on Lindley. "They're as high as they'll go," Lindley assured him, holding up his hands.

Without another word the youth opened fire, shooting Lindley twice in the left arm, and then point blank in the forehead.

The metal number plate on Lindley's cap caught the third bullet and it glanced upward, merely plowing a slight furrow in the operator's scalp.

"When he fired right at my head, I figured I was fatally wounded and then nothing mattered so I grabbed for his gun and jerked it away from him," Lindley said.

Then the operator fired after the bandit who had leaped from the car in the meantime, emptying the chamber which held eight shells.

From Memphis.

The youth under arrest, who said his name was Jack Henderson, was taken to a hospital where, barely able to talk, he told polce that Jack Wilson and Jack Smith were aliases of his. A police checkup revealed that last Saturday he was arrested for gambling and gave the name of Joe Winfield.

His home was in Memphis, he said, but would give police no addresses to communicate with.

Examination at the infirmary developed that four bullets fired hit the youth below the belt in the abdomen and one struck him on the right hip. He was "broke" he said and did not know any other way to get money. He had been in Houston about three weeks, he said.

WALTERS WOMAN DECLARED INSANE IN MURDER CASE

WALTERS, Okla., May 4.—Mrs. A. B. Forrest, indicted jointly with her husband for the murder last February of their 19-year-old son-in-law, George Hicks, of Walters, was declared insane here by District Judge Wells this morning and ordered sent to the Oklahoma state insane asylum at Norman. A plea of insanity was entered by her attorneys at the beginning of the trial today, and a motion filed that she be sent to the asylum. After a short hearing, Judge Wells sustained the motion for Mrs. Forrest but denied a like motion for her husband.

Seven jurors were selected for Forrest before adjournment of court Monday evening until 9 o'clock Tuesday morning. Little trouble was encountered, contrary to general belief, it being thought that public opinion would force a change of venue. Many talesmen were dismissed for cause when they admitted to scruples against the death penalty or stated they had already formed opinions in the case.

It is thought that testimony will be started by noon tomorrow, as little trouble is expected in securing the necessary five jurors from the remaining fifty talesmen of the panel summoned today.

The state has shown by its questioning of jurors that it will ask the death penalty, while the defense pleads not guilty. Whether the defense will request acquittal or ask that Forrest be sent to an asylum was not indicated in the questioning.

The fatal shooting occurred last February when Hicks and his young bride returned from their elopment. The grand jury was unable to decide which of the two accused had fired the fatal shots, and a joint indictment was returned.

Bail was refused and an appeal was made. Last month Forrest had bond set at $15,000, but his wife was refused bail by the district court. He was unable to complete the amount however and returned to jail.

CO-OPERATIVE

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work in Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Central, North and East Texas to bring settlers to West Texas. More than 8,000 settlers were placed on West Texas farms in 1924, he said, and the goal is even greater for 1925.

Activities of the chamber became so extensive last year that some states excluded the exhibits which th chamber sent out for fear their own farmers would be induced to leave, it was said. Missouri, Ohio and Minensota were among those to exclude the chamber exhibit, Mr. Whaley said.

Co-operation from the railroads in advertising and settlement plans is hoped to be obtained at a meeting between West Texas chamber of commerce officials and officials of West Texas railroads.

Need Paved Streets.

In developing local communities one of the principles laid down by the organization, is that every town of 1,000 or more population should have paved streets. Dozens of West Texas towns were induced to pave their streets in 1924, it was said.

One of the problems in West Texas, closely allied with the co-operative marketing proposal, is that of marketing the grain sorghums which grow in abundance in West Texas, according to Colonel C. C. French of Fort Worth. New farmers are having trouble obtaining finances to produie these grains, Colonel French said. "It is th same problem," he said. "which Joseph and his brethren had when they went into Egypt in Biblical times—the problem of drouth; of lack of storage against bad seasons; for sorghum grains were the farm products of Joseph's country as they are among the important products of West Texas.

"Farmers sell their grains at $8 and $9 a ton, then a drouth comes and they have to buy them back at $20 a ton. What they need," Colonel French continued, "is sufficient capital to enable them to store a portion of the crop for their own needs." He pointed out that in one year Lubbock spent $600,000 to bring in grain sorghums after a bad crop.

Discussions are to be held on the problem of financing the farmers so they can build storehouses to hold reserve crops.

Plans for a "pork barrel on every farm," are urged by Colonel French, who said that Texas is spending $75,000,000 a year out of the state pork products that should be raised in the state. Combining pork production with cotton raising is the solution, he said.

Tomorrow is the day of the big parade. All West Texas, it is predicted, will attempt to crowd into this town. The parade, considered the greatest feature of the convention, will start at 1:30 o'clock.

REAL ESTATE

FOR RENT—Two of the most desirable rooms in town furnished in a new house to young men. This is the coolest place in town. Call 8505.

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Texas Electric Co.

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Hendricks Baldwin Co., with their flying rings and revolving ladders while high in the lofty dome of the big top, seemed at home and act at ease on this high perch.

The Paul Brachard trio of society contortionists is an extraordinary act.

The two boys with but two feet are here and welcomed back. Here is a superb exhibition of skill and strength, combined and with leaping, hand balancing and difficult hand to hand catches. This is Large and Morgner.

The Baldwin girls, as exponents of the slack wire, have an act that is quite unique.

Hank Slyow proudly led the clown contingent through many merry chases and his assistants kept the youngsters and many of the elders in a continual round of laughter. Charley Nelson was there and has not missed a spot in clown circle for over 30 years, Mickey Blue, Tom Walters and Lee Norris with a clever dance number as "Mme Coco Cola" was a riot. Allie Johnson as "Tarzan of the Circus," created many monkey shines and Glyndon Burn, "The Texas Whirlwind," juggled, danced and walked the wires with his feet encased in a box.

Bob Morton directed the performance and greeted friends after the show.

HIS CONSCIENCE HURT HIM

Man Gives Himself Up to Police For Eight-Year-Old Theft.

DETROIT, Mich., May 4.—George D. Komar, 53, walked into a police station here today and asked to be arrested for the theft of $10,000 from the city of Maplewood, Mo., a St. Louis suburb of which for eight years he was treasurer. The money he said, had been lost at the gambling tables.

Komar said he left Maplewood two weeks ago.

"No one there knows where I am," he said, "but I couldn't go on. My conscience would not let me. I want to go back and face the music."

Officers Unable To Clear Up Death Of Wash. U. Ex-Athlete

ST. LOUIS, May 4.—Continuing investigation today of the killing of Dr. Willia A. Dillon, whose body with bullet wounds in the head and left knee was found on Washington university's athletic field Friday, Lieutenant Aylward of the detective department said, "we have covered the ground thoroughly only to find ourselves at the starting point.

"The theory that a well-known University City business man and his wife would be able to throw light on the case has been discarded," he added. "And we discredit the statement of Miss Eleanor Lynn."

Miss Lynn, hotel telephone operator, told of threats made by an unidentified man to Dr. Dillon during a telephone conversation between Dr. Dillon, who lived at the hotel, and the stranger.

NEW CAPITAL TRAFFIC CODE

Only Few Arrests Made When Code Is Enforced.

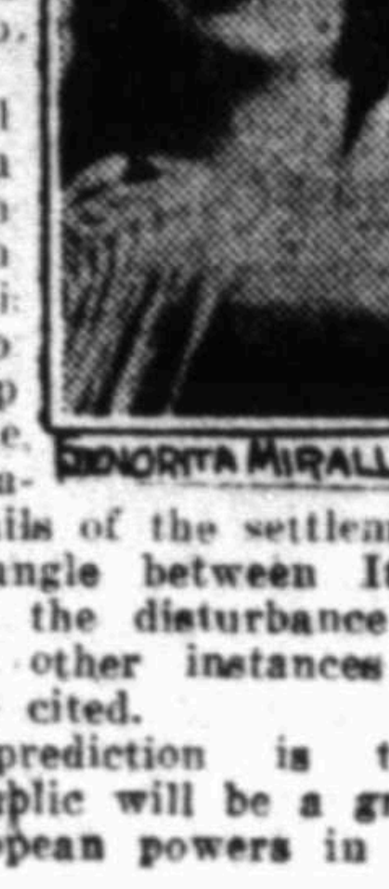
WASHINGTON, May 4.—The Capital's traffic code, imposing many new regulations on motorists, got its first real test today with week-end traffic. It went in effect yesterday inauspiciously as the police records were concerned. Less than a dozen arrests for violations of the code were made the first day and police reported that few drivers had taken advantage of the new speed limit, raised from 18 to 22 miles an hour.

NOTED ASTRONOMER DEAD

VIENNA, May 4.—Dr. Johannes Palise, noted Austrian astronomer and director of the Vienna University observatory, is dead. His discovery without photography of 124 planets is said to have been unequalled. He also was the author of a stellar encyclopedia and was known for his compilation of photographic stellar

Unusual Slants

MADRID, May 4.—Gypsies have more or less faith in the prophetic powers of certain members of their tribe, but none of those who rove with the caravan to which La Miralle belongs believed ardently until she began to exercise her remarkable talent for prophecy.



SENORITA MIRALLE

Seniorita Miralle whose ability has taken her from the roving road to the Madrid theatre, is given credit for predicting the Japanese earthquake, the Spanish military coup, the details of the settlement of the Corfu tangle between Italy and Greece, and the disturbance in Bulgaria. Many other instances of her foresight are cited.

Her latest prediction is that Greece as a republic will be a great strength in European powers in the future.

Although the matter has not been touched on by the press, it is known she is being consulted from time to time by high officials.

Guards Preparing To Start War Against Atlantic Rum Fleets

NEW YORK, May 4.—Units from the coast guard of the entire Atlantic seaboard with the revenue cutters Gresham, Seneca and Mohav were mobilized at the Clifton coast guard base on Staten Island today for a new war of extermination against rum fleets lying off the coast from New Jersey to Connecticut.

The fleet comprises more than 60 vessels. Armed, manned and equipped as for battle most of them are motor craft between 40 and 60 feet long and capable of great speed.

The fleet which is expected to put to sea tomorrow will operate under orders to shoot first and investigate afterward in the case of suspected rum runners.

Boy Shoots Self At Home of Girl Friend

PORT ARTHUR, Texas, May 4.—Ike Rodrigue, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rodrigue, is in a hospital here probably fatally wounded as a result of being shot through the left breast Sunday evening. He was on the front porch of the home of Miss Nellie Usey at Cobbs Crossing and had suffered a fainting spell, according to the girl. She was sent to the kitchen after water for the young man and while she was away from him heard a shot fired. Frank Todorz, who resides across the street from the Usey home, said he witnessed the young man fire the shot.

UNION OFFICIALS ACCUSED

Railway and Steamship Clerks Make Charges Against Officials.

KANSAS CITY, May 4.—Frequent opposition to seating delegates and a charge that the grand lodge officers had violated the constitution of the brotherhood, were incidents of the initial session here today of the convention of the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers and Express and Station employes. The charge against the grand lodge officials was brought about by the granting of a charter to a lodge of employes of the grand lodge offices at Cincinnati.

BOOZE JOINTS PADLOCKED

Nine More New York Places Draw Penalties

NEW YORK, May 4.—Padlocks today were ordered clamped on the doors of nine additional places where the government alleged liquor had been illicitly sold. This was the result of the first full day sitting of the "padlock court", organized by the United States district attorney, Emory R. Buckner in his padlock war on New York "speak easys".

The places ordered padlocked are to be kept so for various terms ranging from 2 to 6 months, beginning June 1.

CATTLEMEN SEEK DAMAGE

Kansas Cattle Damaged By Texas Fever Alleged Fault of Inspector.

WICHITA, Kan., May 4. — Suit against the United States government for amounts aggregating $251,703.16 was instituted late today in federal court by 32 Kansas cattlemen whose stock was damaged to that extent in 1919 by Texas fever alleged to have been caused by the negligence of federal authorities.

TRY OPERATOR FOR FRAUD

GREAT FALLS, Mont., May 4.—Closing arguments in the trial of Gordon Campbell, oil operator for alleged misuse of the mails in the promotion of the Gordon Campbell-Kevin Syndicate No. 2, took up most of the day in United States district court before George M. Bourquin. The case is expected to go to the jury late today.

Houston Grand Jury Warned Against Too Much Press Talking

HOUSTON, May 4.—Judge C. W. Robinson rapped the former grand jury and cautioned the new grand jury against talking too much, or any one else, about what is going in the secret portals of the investigating body, when he charged the new grand jury this morning.

"At the end of your term," said Judge Robinson, "I hope you will not find it necessary to fill the newspapers with stuff, saying that the county is going to the bow-wows on account of this, that, or the other thing, when you have brough down no bills.

"Bring the bills down; that's the way to stop it. Don't raise a long row through the newspapers.

Haskell Sends Big Delegation to Meet

HASKELL, Texas, May 4.—Turner E. Campe, secretary of board city development, headed a delegation of 150 for the Mineral Wells convention Monday at 7 a. m. The Haskell band accompanied them.

OLD COPS GIVEN JOBS

St. Louis Votes to Have Old Patrolmen Take Place of Telephone Girls

ST. LOUIS, May 4.—Michael Richard Fay, 70, today began duty at a district station under the recent decision of the St. Louis police commissioners to replace girl switch board operators with aged patrolmen.

The board announced to avoid discarding members of the force too old for duty positions left open by present operators would be filled from the ranks of the police. The girl operators were paid between $65 and $85 per month, but the board has not yet decided on a salary for the retired policemen. Fay had served for 37 years.

Smuggling Hearing Against Poli Negri Set For This Week

NEW YORK, May 4.—Pola Negri's hearing before customs authorities on allegations that she failed to declare jewelry valued at $15,000 when she arrived Friday night on the Berengaria, today was postponed until late this week.

The outcome of the case, custom officials said, probably would depend upon whether the actress is proved to be a foreign subject. Miss Negri said she had taken out first citizenship papers in this country.

When the Berengaria arrived the customs agents confiscated 16 bottles of alleged liquor found in Miss Negri's trunks.

Policemen Called To Handle Mob Wanting To Hear Debs Talk

NEW YORK, May 4.—Two hundred police were called out yesterday to handle a crowd of 10,000 men and women who jammed the streets around Madison Square Garden after 15,000 others had crowded into the building to hear Eugene V. Debs and others speak at the opening of the Workmen's Circle national convention.

In the rear of the garden police had difficulty in making a lane through the crowd for a group of children who crowd was demonstrative, but orparaded at the convention hall. The crowd was large but orderly.

Mr. Debs, former socialist candidate for president of the United States urged the workers of the United States "to show enough patriotism not to fight in any war," and to join the international labor movement which he termed "the only movement that will put an end to war."

Everybody is for peace, he said, but "if Wall street said the word tomorrow all the editors and the preachers would be for war."

Egyptian Catholics Hold First Congress

CAIRO, Egypt, May 4.—The first Catholic congress ever held in Egypt opened here yesterday with 12,000 in attendance. Seven masses were celebrated according to various Oriental rites. The presiding officer, Zaki Bey, sent a telegram to King Fuad wishing him in behalf of the congress long life and prospertiy.

MORE TEXT BOOK SUITS.

Seven Companies Now Seek to Enjoin State School Department.

AUSTIN, May 4.—(AP)—Petitions asking for permission to file mandamus suits to force recognition of text book contracts, now awaiting disposition by the state supreme court, were increased to seven today when the MacMillan company filed its petition.

Theatre Co. Held Not Guilty of Collapse

WASHINGTON, May 4.—A verdict in favor of the Knickerbocker theatre company was upheld today by the court of appeals of the District of Columbia in a case growing out of the disastrous collapse of the theatre roof during an evening performance January 28, 1922. Nearly a hundred patrons lost their lives. The appellate court found that the charge of negligence had not been substantiated.

OVER 200 SAN ANTONIO DELEGATES TO C-C. MEET

SAN ANTONIO, May 4.—More than 200 San Antonio boosters, accompanied by a 30-piece Boy Scout band, will leave here at 7:55 Monday night to take the West Texas chamber of commerce convention at Mineral Wells by storm and bring it back to San Antonio in 1926.

GRAIN EXPORTS INCREASE.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Grain exports from the United States last week amounted to 6,638,000 bushels compared with 4,843,00 the previous week.

MARKETS

N. Y. Stocks

NEW YORK, May 4.—Stock prices made further recovery in today's active market, which was featured by revival of speculative interest in the railroad shares and a continuaiton of bullish demonstrations in the public utility issues, many of which soared to new high levels for the year. Easy money rates, strength of sterling exchange, which mounted to the highest level in 10 years and a moderate rally in wheat prices had a bullish effect on sentiment.

Buying of the rails centered largely in shares which have been prominently mentioned in connection with impending merger or favorable dividend developments Southern Railway, Frisco common, Seaboard Air Line common and preferred, Gulf, Mobile and Northern common, and Hudson and Manhattan, all broke through to new high levels for the year. New York Central closed more than a point higher at 118 in reflection of the expiration of the bond conversion privilege.

Other strong spots in the rail group included Atlantic Coast Line, Baltimore and Ohio, Rock Island, Lackawanna, Louisville and Nashville, "Nickel Plate," Peoria and Eastern, Texas and Pacific and Wabash preferred A all up 1 to nearly 3 points.

Virginia Railway and Power led the advance in public utilities by climbing more than 5 points to a new peak at 107. American Telephone touched a new 1925 high at 137 and Consolidated Gas at 80¾.

American Can was the principal feature among the standard industrials, closing 1¾ points higher at 183⅛ after fluctuating between 181 and 184⅝. United States Steel common closed fractionally higher at 114⅛ and Baldwin at 113.

	Sales	High	Low	Close
All Chem and Dye	5	86⅛	85½	86⅛
Allis Chalmers	24	78⅜	78	78⅜
Am Bosch Mag	10	29⅝	29	29⅝
American Can	424	184⅝	181	183⅛
Am Loco	13	120½	120	120⅝
Am Sm and Ref	8	94⅝	93¾	94⅝
Am Tel and Tel	28	137	136⅝	137
Am Tobacco	21	93¼	92	92
Am Woolen	17	38	37⅛	38
A T and S F	84	120	118¾	119½
Atl Bir and Atl	30	5½	5	5½
Atl Coast Line	17	163¼	162	163
Baldwin Loco	72	113⅝	111⅝	113
Balt and Ohio	96	77⅛	75½	76½
Beth Steel	25	41	40	40⅝
Calif Pet	88	30¼	29⅛	30
Cen Leath pfd	4	54	54	54
Cerro de Pasco	6	46¼	46	46
Chandler Motor	14	35½	34½	35
Ches and Ohio	13	94½	93⅝	93¾
C M and St. P pfd	30	8½	8¼	8½
Chi and N W	77	53⅛	52¼	52⅝
C R I and P	79	45⅝	44¼	45
Chile Cop	21	32½	32	32½
Coca Cola	50	108¼	107¼	107½
Consol Gas	232	80⅝	79½	80½
Consol Tex	4	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Con Can	57	66¼	65⅝	65⅞
Corn Prod	39	37⅛	36½	36½
Crucible Steel	9	68	66⅝	68
Cu Cane Sug pfd	32	51¼	49	51¼
Davison Chem	21	30½	29⅝	30
Dupont de Nem.	40	148	145½	147½
Erie	8	29⅝	29¼	29⅝
Fam Play-Lasky	154	102¼	100⅝	101¼
Gen Asphalt	76	53⅝	51	52¾
Gen Electric	24	271½	268½	271½
Gen Motors	104	74¼	73½	74¼
Gt North pfd	29	63⅝	62⅞	63⅝
Gulf States Steel	3	71½	70½	71½
Houston Oil	5	61½	61	61½
Inter Harvester	3	107¼	107	107¼
Int Mer Mar pfd	1	115½	115⅛	115½
Inter Nickel	82	30⅝	30	30
Kelly Spring Tire	6	16⅞	16½	16¼
Kennecott Cop	80	49⅛	48	49½
Louis and Nash	21	112⅝	110⅝	112⅝
Mack Truck	261	151⅝	148½	151⅛
Marland Oil	236	39⅜	38¼	39
Max Motor B	480	88⅝	83⅝	88⅛
M K and T	77	35½	34⅝	35
Mo Pacific pfd	63	79⅛	78½	78⅝
Montgom Ward	212	52⅞	50	52½
N Y Central	198	118⅝	117⅛	118
N Y N H and H	56	32¼	31½	31½
Pacific Oil	45	58⅝	57½	57½
Pan-Am Pet B	263	77½	76⅛	77⅛
Pennsylvania	37	43½	43½	43½
Phillips Pet	86	40⅝	39½	40
Pure Oil	11	27	26⅝	27
Radio Corp	487	58½	55⅛	56¾
Reading	150	80	78⅛	79⅝
Rep I and Steel	17	43⅝	42⅝	43
Reyn Tob B	8	75	74½	74½
St L and S F	252	77⅛	75¼	76⅝
Seab Air Line	17	28⅝	26⅝	28⅛
Seab A L pfd	89	45½	44	45½
Sears Roebuck	147	169¼	164⅝	167½
Shell Union Oil	36	24⅝	24½	24¼
Simms Pet	20	23½	23	23½
Sinclair Con Oil	30	19½	19	19½
South Pacific	56	103⅛	102⅝	103¼
Southern Ry	174	95½	94	95¼
Stand Oil Cal	15	59⅛	58⅝	58⅝
Stand Oil N J	107	42½	42	42½
Stewart Warner	60	[illegible]	67¾	68½
Studebaker	83	45⅛	45¼	45⅛
Texas Co	4	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛
Tex Gulf Sul	36	108½	107½	108
Tex and Pac	26	53⅞	52⅞	53⅝
T-P Coal and Oil	37	15½	15	15⅛
Tob Products	8	75⅝	75⅝	75⅝
Transcon Oil	43	4¼	4	4
Union Pacific	23	139⅛	139	139
U S Cast I Pipe	18	154⅝	149	154⅝
U S Ind Alcohol	287	90	87¼	88
U S Rubber	103	41⅛	40¼	41½
U S Steel	198	115	114⅝	114⅛
Westinghouse El	7	68⅝	68½	68⅝
Willys Over	110	16⅝	16¼	16⅝
Woolworth Co	89	126⅛	124⅝	126⅝
Worth Pump	47	46¼	44⅛	46

Grain

FORT WORTH CASH GRAIN

FORT WORTH, May 4.—The following shows range of values on the Fort Worth cash grain market, basis delivered group 3 or Texas common points, based on bids, offers and sales of Fort Worth dealers, according to the Fort Worth grain and cotton exchange:

Wheat: No. 1 export, $1.70@1.72; No. 1 dark hard, $1.82@1.86; No. 1 ordinary hard, $1.79@1.82; No. 1, 75 per cent red, $1.79@1.82.

Corn: No. 2 white, $1.22@1.24; No. 3 white, $1.21@1.23; No. 2 mixed, $1.17@1.19; No. 3 mixed, $1.16@1.18.

Oats: No. 2 red, 63@64c; No 3 red, 62@63c; No. 3 white, 56½@57½c.

Snapped corn, $1.20@1.40.
No. 3 milo, $2.10@2.16.
No. 3 kafir, $1.95@1.96.
Maize heads, $34.00@35.00.
Kafir heads, $31.00@32.50.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	$1.61	$1.63¼	$1.59½	$1.61½
July	1.50½	1.54¼	1.50⅝	1.53¼
Sept.	1.42	1.46⅝	1.42	1.45¼
CORN—				
May	1.07	1.07	1.05¼	1.05⅝
July	1.09¾	1.10⅝	1.08⅝	1.09⅝
Sept.	1.09½	1.10⅝	1.08½	1.09½
OATS—				
May	.48⅝	.43½	.42¼	.43
July	.43	.43⅝	.43⅛	.43¼
Sept.	.44	.44⅛	.43⅛	.44
RYE—				
May	1.14¾	1.24	1.14¾	1.23¾
July	1.10¼	1.18	1.10¼	1.17
Sept.	1.02	1.09	1.02	1.07¼
LARD—				
May	14.95	15.12	14.95	15.12
July	15.22	15.45	15.20	15.45
Sept.	15.47	15.72	15.47	15.72
RIBS—				
May	16.37	16.37	16.37	16.37
July	16.50	16.60	16.50	16.60
Sept.	16.50	16.65	16.50	16.65
BELLIES—				
May	18.50	18.60	18.50	18.60
July	18.25	18.65	18.25	18.65

HAY

AUSTIN, May 4.—Except for top and medium grades of hay, there is practically no demand for present liberal offerings, alfalfa continues to hold steady, but timothy and prairie are easier.

No. 1 alfalfa, Kansas City, $19.25; Omaha, $16.50; Memphis, $27.50; Atlanta, $34.

No. 1 prairie, Kansas City, $9.25; Omaha, $11.25; Chicago, $16; St. Louis, $15; Minneapolis, $15.

No. 1 timothy, Boston, $25; New York, $26.50; Pittsburgh, $26; Cincinnati, $17; Chicago, $22; St. Louis, $21.50; Kansas City, $14.75; Memphis, $21.50; Atlanta, $25.50.

Livestock

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, May 4.—Cattle: Receipts, 5,700, including 1,000 calves; market steady; beeves, $3.50@9.50; stockers, $3.25@7.50; fat cows, $3.25@5.50; cutters, $2.00@2.75; canners, $1.50@1.85; heifers, $3.50@8.50; yearlings, $3.50@10.50; bulls, $3.00@5.50; calves, $2.50@9.50.

Hogs: Receipts, 2,400, including 500 direct; market steady; top, $11.25; bulk, $13.75@11.50; best medium weight, $11.00@11.25; good mixed, $10.75@11.00; good light, $10.50@10.75; fair mixed, $10.25@10.50; fair light, $9.75@10.25; common, $8.00@9.00; packing sows, $7.00@10.00; pigs, $8.00@9.25.

Sheep: Receipts, 500; market steady; lambs, $12.00@14.50; feeders, $9.00@11.00; yearlings, $9.00@10.00; wethers, $7.00@8.00; ewes, $6.00@7.00; culls, $1.00@2.00; stockers, $3.00@5.00; goats, $1.50@3.50.

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS, May 4—Cotton futures closed steady at net decline of 21 to 29 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
May	23.94	23.72	23.77-78	23.95
July	24.00	23.85	23.90-91	24.11
Oct.	23.2.	23.07	23.08-09	23.37
Dec.	23.28	23.12	23.15-18	23.44
Jan.	23.32	23.18	23.19	23.45

Opening: May, 24.00 asked; July, 23.95; October, 23.22; December, 23.26; January, 23.27 bid.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, May 4.—The cotton market today experienced alternating periods of activity and dullness. The general trend was downward, mainly due to much lower Liverpool cables than due and unfavorable cotton goods reports and favorable reports of new crop progress.

The market opened 13 to 16 points lower on the unfavorable cables and the first trades proved to be the day's highs with July at 24.00, October at 23.24, and December 23.28. From these levels prices continued downward during the morning with a few short rallies until July reached 23.85, October 23.07 and December 23.12, or 26 to 32 points below Saturday's closing levels. There was a moderate rally in the last half hour of trading on short covering but all of the recovery was not held and the close showed net losses for the day of 21 to 29 points.

Private cables attributed the weakness in Liverpool to discouraged longs and continent selling. The weather map showed no rain in the cotton belt except a few showers along the northern rim of the central division. There were some private reports of rains in Alabama during the day. Although sentiment among traders was bearish, there were some buying orders under the market which led to brief rallies. The official forecast for fair and colder weather in the west with frost probably in northern Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas led to a rally late in the morning, but it did not hold as traders believed that the season was too far advanced for light frost to amount to much. The frost prediction was more than offset by a forecast of showers in portions of the eastern belt where moisture is needed.

DALLAS SPOT COTTON

DALLAS, May 4.—Spots steady and 35 points lower; sales, 72 bales. Middling fair, 25.58; strict good middling, 24.70; good middling, 24.58; strict middling, 24.33; middling, 23.95; strict low middling, 23.82; low middling, 22.35; strict good ordinary, 21.20; good ordinary, 20.15.

Financial

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET

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

UNITED STATES BONDS

NEW YORK, May 4. — Liberty 3½'s, $101; first 4¼'s, $102.4; second 4¼'s, $101.12; third 4¼'s, $101.31; fourth 4¼'s, $102.11; U. S. treasury 4's, $101.19; U. S. treasury 4¼'s, $105.18.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 4.—Foreign exchanges irregular; quotations in cents:

Great Britain demand, 4.84⅝; cables, 4.85; 60-day bills on banks, 4.80⅝. France demand, 5.23¼; cables, 5.23⅝; Italy 4.10¼ and 4.10¾; Belgium demand(5.06¾; Germany, 23.80; Holland, 40.13; Norway, 16.95; Sweden, 26.73; Denmark, 18.81; Switzerland, 19.32; Spain, 14.65; Greece, 1.81; Poland, 19½; Czecho-Slovakia, 2.96¼; Jugo-Slavia, 1.62; Austria, .0014¼; Rumania, 46¼; Argentina, 38.75; Brazil, 10.70; Tokio, 42⅛; Shanghai, 75; Montreal, 100 1-32.

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Hubby Didn't Come To Lunch—Wife Kills

STEAMBOAT SPRINGS, Colo., May 4.—Because he would not come home to dinner Pearl Aldrich, 23, shot and instantly killed her husband, Leo Aldrich, 27, at Oak Creek, near hear, last night, she told officers to whom she surrendered. She is being held.

FOUND DEAD IN ROOM.

San Antonio Resident Believed to Have Killed Self.

SAN ANTONIO, May 4.—E. W. Parker, 58, was found early Sunday morning dead in a room of his home with a bullet wound through the forehead.

His family was awakened by a shot and rushed to his room to find him dead with a .45 calibre pistol nearby. Mr. Parker had been despondent for some time over a business transaction.

OLD VAUDEVILLE STAR DIES

Headliner of Eighties Succumbs At Age of 70.

GLENDALE, Calif., May 4.—John Russell, 70, vaudeville "headliner" of the eighties and former comedian with Weber and Fields, died at his home here yesterday. His body will be sent to New York, his birthplace, for burial.

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Kiwanis Club To Finish Drive For Day Nursery Soon

Kiwanians will complete the drive for the Day Nursery building fund within the next two weeks, according to plans made at the regular weekly luncheon Monday noon at the Kemp hotel.

Team chairmen were requested by President J. T. Gant to turn in all prospect cards to Secretary Frank Queisser for a re-issuance and talks were made by Kiwanians suggesting ideas for bringing the campaign to a rapid close.

Promising Prospects.

It was pointed out that several promising prospects were as yet unapproached in the course of the team work, and Dr. Jack Fletcher reported the most cordial and generous spirit expressed by citizens visited by his team.

"We have not had a single refusal, though several business men put us off from day to day," Dr. Fletcher said, "but by staying with each prospect, we secured substantial pledges from them all."

Others who offered suggestions were Don Bernard, W. H. Caldwell, Rex Watland and J. L. Jackson Jr.

Datson Speaks.

Rev. F. T. Datson spoke briefly on the photo play to be shown by Kiwanians for the benefit of the Day Nursery at the Strand theatre four days beginning Monday, May 11, "Janice Meredith," starring Marian Davies. The story was said to be of value for the accurate and thrilling presentation of events of American history, and for the beautiful and wholesome love story featured in the plot. Dr. Datson declared the picture well worthy of Kiwanis fostering and urged the Kiwanians to back the ticket selling campaign.

Alva Willgus, baritone soloist at the First Presibyterian church, entertained Kiwanians with three vocal numbers. He was accompanied at the piano by J. S. Pitman.

Trustees Order Big School Bond Issue; Teachers Incomplete

The city school board met last night with the intention of settling outstanding matters regarding the recent bond issue passed in the school election, and then deciding on what members of the city school faculties it would retain during the school year of 1925-26.

Due to complications arising over the school bonds, only a few of the teachers were passed on and the entire list will not be ready for publication until next week, according to W. W. Brown, school board secretary. Mr. Brown stated that a special meeting of the trustees would be necessary to complete the list and to handle incoming teachers applications, for as is customary practically the entire school faculty will be selected before the beginning of vacation.

A bond order for $500,00 was authorized. The bonds are to be each for $1,000, at 5% and for the 40-year variety. Under the terms of the contract order, the bonds are made returnable at the rate of $12,000 per year for the first 20 years and for the last 20 years at the rate of $13,000 per annum. This is considered very agreeable terms, according to Mr. Brown. The bonds are to be delivered by July of this year, allowing the trustees to carry out their plans for striking while the iron is hot, and building a new school in the city and repair those now in use.

WICHITANS BROTHER DEAD

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hamilton Leave For Dallas After Death of Brother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hamilton were called to Dallas yesterday by the death of Mr. Hamilton's brother, Harold W. Walker, well-known lawyer of that place.

Walker was found dead in a Dallas warehouse yesterday morning. It is believed that he climbed a ladder leaning on the fence surrounding the yard and fell. County authorities scout the idea that he was murdered in spite of the unusual conditions. hTe coroner rendered a verdict indicating there was no foul play.

The Old Home Town

W. E. McBroom, City clerk, was suffering Monday from a severe attack of tonsilitis.

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N. W. Clifford, cashier of the Security National Bank, has gone to Tennessee on a brief business trip.

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P. B. Curd, public utilities commissioner, has returned from Louisville, Ky., where he attended the National Waterworks Association convention held there the latter part of last week.

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Mayor R. E. Shepherd, who has been confined to his home for two weeks with a severe case of mumps, is slowly improving. He hopes to be able to return to work by the end of the week.

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Dr. A. H. Douglas, manager of the city water department, is recovering from an attack of influenza.

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Two marriage licenses were issued Monday by the county clerk. They were as follows: Harry Geyer, Wichita Falls, and Miss Eula Estes, Wichita Falls; E. W. House, Wichita Falls, and Mrs. A. A. Gilbert, Burkburnett.

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Two automobiles were slightly damaged early Monday morning when they collided at the corner of Seventh and Lamar. One man whose name was not obtained by police, was slightly bruised in the crash.

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PICNIC IS PLANNED

The Young Men's Bible class of the First Baptist church will give a picnic supper and weiner roast at Scotland Park for all members, their wives and sweethearts, prospective members and their friends Tuesday evening.

Meeting at the church at 7:15 o'clock, the party will proceed to Scotland Park in cars. Stunts, games and a musical program have been arranged for the entertainment of the guests. A male quartet composed of Bark Lindsey, Lester McNeill, "Windy" Beckham and Mr. Spangler will sing during the evening accompanied on the guitar by Miss Josephine Fisk who will give a group of songs. The picnic, which was to have been held on two former occasions within the last few weeks was postponed from time to time because of inclement weather.

Wichita Students To Attend School Meet

To morrow afternoon Miss Juanita Kinsey, public speaking director at the high school, will lead her annual delegation to the state meet at Austin May 7-8-9. There will be seven in the group this year who will attempt to carry off major honors in several of the literary contests and three tennis divisions at the state.

Representatives to go from Wichita Falls are: Emmett Bauknight and Price McCullough, boys debate; Dorothy Reed, girls senior declamation; William Atkinson, extempore speaking; Marjorie Bright, girls' tennis singles; Oscar Powers, boys' tennis singles and doubles; and Sam Bashara, boys' tennis doubles.

KIDNAPING FAILS.

Mother and Escort of San Antonio Fight Then Flee.

SAN ANTONIO, May 4.—An alleged attempt to kidnap a 5-year-old child was thwarted Sunday night in a desperate battle between Maria Amaya, 23, mother of the child, Jim Morales, her escort, and two men who boldly attempted to take the little boy away from his mother by force.

Knives were quickly resorted to and both of the attackers received wounds but Morales and the young woman, seeing they were outnumbered, fled with the child and thus escaped death or injury and saved the child from being abducted.

FREIGHT CARS IN NEED OF REPAIR SHOW INCREASE

WASHINGTON, May 4.—A total of 190,165 freight cars in need of repair on April 15 or 8.2 per cent of the number on line was shown in reports filed by the carriers today with the American Railway association. This was an increase of 3,748 over the number of April 1.

J. H. Patton Serves As Mayor Pro Tem In Council Meeting

Park Commissioner J. H. Patton served as mayor pro tem of the city of Wichita Falls at the meeting of the city council last night in the absence of R. E. Shepherd, ill, and N. M. Clifford, otherwise head, who is absent from the city. Due to the absence of the mayor and Commissioner Clifford action on paving matters and other business was deferred until next week when a full attendance at the meeting is expected.

The council put itself on record as favoring the exclusion of business houses in desirable residential districts in an action rescinding a permit granted for a filling station at the corner of Fillmore and Tenth street. Walter Curlee and George Smoot presented petitions signed by a large number of residents of that locality and by a large number of the congregation of a nearby Baptist church, emphatically protesting the erection of the station at that corner.

The petition was heard by the council, which voted unanimously to rescind the permit as the first step in such legal process as may be necessary to formally stop the erection.

The petition of the Korioth Plumbing and Heating company to install a fuel oil storage tank, underground type, in the alley back of the new Harvey Snyder building was approved, and the installation authorized under the supervision of the city engineer.

An adjustment on a cemetery lot was granted to B. F. Brown, and the petition of residents near 1701 Burnett street, requesting that the council allow no business house to enter that locality filed until a request for such a permit was made.

The petition of residents on Pearl street to have a section of West Clark street between Collins and Pearl provided with a concrete sidewalk was referred to Commissioner Clifford.

Commissioner Curd was authorized to proceed with the laying of 750 feet of 2-inch water line from Rosewood street west to Cleveland to supply six houses, and 350 feet of 2-inch line west on Avenue M from Garfied street.

Criminal Cases Set In County Law Court

A large number of criminal cases have been set for trial in the county courtsat-law during the week of May 11, it was announced Monday by County Attorney Wayne Somerville. The following list of settings has been made:

Monday, May 11

8114—H. N. Williams, gaming.
8115—J. D. Lee, gaming.
8117—E. P. Vaught, gaming.
8118—E. H. Thorne, gaming.
8119—A. C. Hollingsworth, gaming.
8085—Robert Nelson, child desertion.
8086—R. D. Moore, swindling.
8127—James Davis, carrying pistol.

Tuesday, May 12

8205—Jennie V. Ellis, theft.
8206—Jennie V. Ellis, theft.
8207—Jennie V. Ellis, theft.
8204—John M. Speigner, speeding.
8178—J. A. Bell, wife desertion.
8152—L. B. Elizabeth, aggravated assault.
8218—Ora Lufkin, vagrancy.
8216—R. L. Dale, aggravated assault.

Wednesday, May 13

All cases now pending in which the defendants are charged with unlawful practice of medicine and violation of the medical laws.

Thursday, May 14

8211—R. S. Sturdevant, carrying pistol.
8225—Raymond Orman, vagrancy.
8235—Elmer Godfrey, speeding.
8230—F. P. Mayfield, alluring and procuring.
8233—C. C. Duren, carrying pistol.
8234—W. A. Ogle, aggravated assault.

Friday, May 15

8061—Homer Bettes, negligent homicide.

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Mattress "Bootleggers" To Be Scorned At Texas Retail Furniture Convention

"BOOTLEGGERS" in mattress and furniture have arisen to disturb peace of the retail furniture dealers in Wichita Falls and in all of Texas, J. W. Bradley, local furniture dealer disclosed in announcing a foremost issue of the Retail Furniture Dealer's convention in Dallas May 12, 12, and 14 at which he is slated to give the response to the address of welcome to delegates by A. N. Rogers of Dallas.

The "furniture bootlegger" according to Mr. Bradley, is one who, like the bootlegger of liquor, sells his wares by what are considered unconventional methods. "Adulteration" in the furniture line is said to be quite as rampant as that in the line of doubtful liquors by the "bootleggers." A practice more dangerous than selling bad liquor is declared by Mr. Bradley to be that of selling bad mattresses.

Factory Overnight.

Specifically, Mr. Bradley explained that it was very easy for a manufacturer to set up a small factory overnight at little expense, collect old mattresses, run through his machinery, fluff up the old cotton batt, clothe it in a new tick and sell it for a new mattress. The unsuspecting buyer, he pointed out, will take the mattress into his home and place his little children upon it to sleep, expose them to the menace of years of filth and of the dangerous germs of infectious and contagious disease held in old batt.

"Mattresses made in this manner cost very little and are sold at an enormous profit," declared Mr. Bradley, "not only is the buyer charged several prices for an inferior article, but he is misled as to the quality and sanitation of the goods, and the health and life of his family are endangered. One can imagine the germs that could accumulate from the occupants of one bed in from three to ten years use, and there is no legal protection in Texas from this practice.

One of Big Issue.

"One of the big issues of the convention will be the attempt to secure legislation in Texas to require the label 'all material new' on all mattresses and pillows manufactured in the state." Mr. Bradley declared. "We have no desire to discourage the manufacture of these goods, but we feel that their product must be regulated for the good of the furniture trade by this pure bedding law."

A discussion of how to overcome the "bootlegging evil" in the furniture business will take place the morning of May 13 at the annual convention at Dallas, and T. F. Kelly of Minneapolis, Minn., will address the convention on "The Bootlegger and Fair Methods in Merchandising."

The poor construction of upholstered furniture with cheap lumber, shoddy padding, and inferior springs which are covered with nice looking, prettily colored fabric was heavily scored as a popular fraud with unscrupulous dealers. The auction sale conducted by strangers who come into a city, rent a vacant building, sell inferior goods for cash through misleading advertisements and then leave the city before the goods fail was also described by Mr. Bradley as another prevalent local form of "bootlegging" which would be discussed at the coming convention.

TO BUILD NEW CULVERTS.

A Contract for Project Is Awarded Monday.

A contract for the construction of culverts on the diversion lake road was awarded Monday by the county commissioners to Dan Ballew on his bid of $5,187.82. Ballew's was the lowest of four bids submitted on the job.

Work of installing the culverts is to be started immediately.

Special Program Is Planned in Schools For Big Music Week

National Music Week, May 3 to 9, will be observed in Wichita Falls with fitting ceremony by the schools when Miss Winifred Alvis presents on Thursday evening all the musical organizations of the Wichita Falls high school and junior college behind the famed blue curtain of the Junior college stage in the huge auditorium of the building. The recital will be one of many musical programs in the city which will express the spirit of Music in Wichita Falls during the seven days set aside all over the nation as a tribute to one of the greatest of the arts.

Besides numerous private recitals over the city, special programs have been arranged in the public schools dealing with music and music history. The First Christian church, at the story hour they are holding for children at Bellvue Park on Tuesday afternoon, are devoting part of the time to music, and Mrs. O. Abernathy, who is conducting the hour, will play special selections on the victrola for the children, telling them the stories of the songs.

Misses Elizabeth Cole and Eunice Davis are being presented Tuesday evening of Music Week by Professor Ernest Katz at the First Baptist church in a piano recital. Thursday evening, the advanced pupils of Mrs. Mary B. Adams will be presented in a piano recital before parents and friends at the Mary B. Adams studio. Friday evening, Mrs. Hermoine Stewart Vaughn will present her voice pupils with the expression pupils of Miss Marguerite Fisher. Miss Katherine Kilander, promising young pupil of Ernest Katz will appear in a pretentious piano recital at the junior college auditorium Friday evening.

Music Week will be mentioned in club and organization circles, and even the radio fans will have ample reason to observe the occasion. Several of the large stations are presenting special Music Week programs, among them station KOA at Denver which will trace musical history from the earliest time through the presentations in unique noon day concerts during the seven days. Performers will work in costume from Denver's great civic auditiorium, broadcasting before immense crowds there, for the entertainment of the listeners "on the air".

NEWSIES TO SEE CIRCUS

Carriers and Newsboys to be Guests of Bob Morton Circus

All aboard for The Record News carrier boys' circus party, together with the boys of the street sales department they will be the guests of Bob Morton at the big Shrine circus tonight. The boys will have the very best seats and "Bob" stated that he would show them a real circus party. The boys will be there for the performance which starts at 8 o'clock and they will be escorted by Circulation Manager Belle, who will see that they do not fall in love with the ladies of the flying acts, go into hysterics at the antics of the funny clowns nor go over their quota of circus goodies such as ice cream, peanuts, and who knows—perhaps a lot of red lemonade.

Auto Is Abandoned After Wagon Crash

City police are wondering when, where and how they can dispose of an automobile seized late Saturday night following a crash with a wagon on the lake road. The machine was abandoned by the driver following the mix-up and no call has as yet been made for it.

The accident happened shortly before midnight when a wagon drawn by a horse was struck by a car. A small boy, riding with his father in the wagon, was thrown out and slightly hurt. The driver of the machine stopped, rendered all assistance he could and took the lad and his father to the hospital. While they were gone a second car evidently came along and hit the wagon at the side of the road, completely demolishing it.

The auto was then abandoned while the driver fled.

Fire Hose Drivers Add to City's Funds

The municipal coffers were enriched perceptibly Monday when the 17 defendants in cases arising out of Sunday night's fire at the Freear furniture warehouse came in to settle up. All were arrested on charges of driving over fire hose as it was in use combatting the flames.

Fines of $15, $20 and $25, depending on individual circumstances, were assessed by Judge E. S. Whitelaw. Police and firemen have waged an unremitting battle of long duration against those offenders who, once at a blaze, find it necessary to hustle away as soon as the excitement is over and in so doing use fire lines for a pavement.

In connection with all the arrests a warning was issued by Chief McClure of the fire department and Chief Hodgins of the police department that such prosecutions would continue in the future.

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Building Permits On New Week With Total of $62,500

Monday started with a rush in the building permit line when 14 permits with a total valuation of $62,500 were issued by Inspector Fred A. Smith. This is an unusually high record for one day.

The largest permit was for a $24,000 rectory for the Sacred Heart church here, work on which has started at 1507 Ninth street. Plans for the building call for a two-story, brick veneer residence, 53 by 41 feet, which will also include a suite of offices and studies for Father Lawrence Hoyt.

Excavation work for the rectory has already been started and it is planned to push the construction work as rapidly as possible.

A permit was also issued for a new $16,000 residence to be erected by J. P. Coleman at 350 Morningside drive. This will also be of brick veneer, two stories in height, 39 by 30 1-2 feet in dimensions.

Construction work on both the buildings is being done by the Whitehill Construction company.

Other permits issued Monday were for smaller structures, most of them residences.

WOMAN CONVICTED

LOS ANGELES, May 4.—Ber... Day was convicted by a jury ... superior court here late today ... throwing acid into the fact of ... estranged husband, Darby L. D... Jr., the son of a Chicago capitalis... The offense carries a penalty o... one to four years in the penitentiary. Sentence will be passed Thursday.

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31 College Students To Receive Diplomas Here May 15th Commencement

Thirty-one students of the Wichita Falls Junior college and 124 students of the Wichita Falls high school, providing they pass successfully through the hectic week to come of exams and final tests, will step proudly forward to receive their diplomas Friday evening, May 15 at the commencement exercises held in the college auditorium.

Commencement proper occupies about two weeks, and began Monday night with the presentation of the Junior college play which will be repeated Tuesday night, May 5. The recital of the college and high school glee clubs and orchestra at the college Thursday night May 7; baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning, May 10; a play by the high school Seniors some night next week, and the crowning event of commencement on May 15, fills the calendar.

Bizzell to Speak

The commencement address will be delivered by Dr. W. B. Bizzell, president of the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical college. Diplomas and medals for scholarship will be presented. Music will be furnished by the high school girls' glee club, who will sing "Wanderer's Evening Star" by Rubenstein, and by the Junior college choral club, who will sing "God Is Love," by Barnaby.

The Rev. Leslie Miller, pastor of the Grace Methodist church, will preach the bacalaureate sermon at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. The Junior college and high school glee clubs will sing "The Lord Is Great" from "Athalie." Gounod's "Holy, Holy, Lord" will be given by J. C. Mathis and the chorus. The high school orchestra will play the processional and the recessional.

The Roster

Following are Wichita Falls Junior college students in the Senior class, 1925:

Margaret Akin, Maurine Apple, Zoda Bachman, Stanfill Bailey, Wade Bartlett, Preston Beck, Al Brothers, Thelma Cain, Margaret Coleman, Anna Crews, Audra Faye Darby, Isabel Delp, Earl Dosch, Eleanor Gribble, Marie Johnson, Joe Johnston, John Kecvil, Helen Knotts, Janie McCallister, Macie McClure, David Perkins, Elizabeth Peters, Dorothy Rugeley, Loreign Russell, Judith Sherrod, Henry Skaggs, Eleanor Spalding, Marjorie Woolsey, Ellen Wright, Ruth Marie Yates, Stella Whiters.

Members of the Senior class 1924-1925, Wichita Falls high school are:

Helen Ackerman, Vera Adams, William Audree, Bernice Apple, William Atkinson, Shumake Baber, Juanita Bachman, Louie Barrett, Sam Bashara, Charlie Blakeney, Fredda Boardman, Marjorie Bright, Fern Briscoe, Porter Bristol, Doris Brown, Teddy Brown, Roscoe Burks, Vera Cain, Rebal Calhoun, George Camp, Frances Carter, Harold Carter, Robert Catter, Hazel Champion, Viola Chewning, Duncan Clark, Clifton Clay, Ida Cohen, Isadore Cohen, Lucile Collier, Noel Copeland, Elizabeth Cowper, Virginia Creath, Edith Crump, Opal Culp, James C. Cumley, Lillian Deaton, Homer Doke, Eva Dee Evans, L. H. Faught, Eleanor F leming, Julia Fowler, Helen Fowler, Iris Francis, Edmontine Friberg, Ollie Green, Johnnie Harris, Olin Harvey, Guy Hawkins, Evelyn Hawthorne, Alice Hunter, Aileen Hurt, Edith Jackson, Ethel Johnson, Anna Ruth Kahn, Theresa Kaufman, Louise Kay, Carl Kuehn, Eugenia Lane, Jessie Mae Lawler, R. E. Lee, Nellie lewis, Robert Ludolphus, Roma McCarty, Price McCulley, Margaret McPherson, Gladys Mackechney, Elizabeth Massier, Mary Meredith, Mary Moore, Ruby Fay Myrick, Rufus Neel, Eugene Nesbit, Dorothy Newman, Robert Norris, Morris Norton, Allen Norvell, Marjorie Norwood, John Pankonin, Lucile Parish, Joylette Patterson, Dolores Peavy, Mary Peters, Lucile Pitts, Wilbur Presson, Dorothy Pronger, Viva Riley, Larry Robertson, Ina Myrl Robinson, Dorothy Rollins, Harland Ross, Edna Rundell, Joyce Samuels, Willie Saunders, Janette Scott, Jewel Seals, Glen Shoemaker, Alma Jo Short, Edna Skaggs, Dorothy Skeen, Edward Smith, Margaret Smith, Mary Tancred, Roy Lee Taylor, Morell Trevathan, Paul C. Thomas, Ruth Turner, Dorothy VanDeventer, Herbert Wales, John Waller, John Warmuth, Joe Tom Warren, Jack Welch, Frances Willis, John Wolf, Analee Womack, Cleo Wood, Preston Wood, Virginia Woodall, Retta Barnard, Clarence Norris and Ruth Moore.

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