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EX-GOVERNOR CAMPBELL DIES

KRUPP OFFICIALS HELD ON CHARGE OF INCITING RIOT

Nine Persons Killed And More Than Score Wounded

BISMARK "ROPED"

Crowd Shocked at Seeing Rope Around Neck Of Statue

Associated Press Dispatch

ESSEN, April 1.—Four directors of the Krupp works were arrested by the French military authorities today on charges of inciting the attack by the German workmen on the troops Saturday, which culminated in the killing of nine Germans and the wounding of 34.

The casualties occurred when a French lieutenant with eleven men went to the Krupp works to requisition motor trucks for the French army. There were only a few cars in the garage at the time, as it appears that the Krupp authorities had a previous intimation of the requisitioning and removed some of them.

The directors arrested were Hartwig, Oesterlin, Bruhn and Ritter. They were taken at their homes in Essen at 5 o'clock this morning. The French have not announced when they will be tried.

The funeral of the nine victims will probably be held Wednesday, with services for all at one time. The Krupp works, by order of General Director Schoffer, will be closed until Wednesday, possibly longer, if necessary for the workmen to recover their calmness.

The Easter crowd today was much shocked to see a rope around the neck of the famous statue of Bismarck, the anniversary of whose birth was today.

Rail Owner Attacks Government Policy

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, April 1.—Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania railroad company, asserts in his annual report to stockholders made public tonight that the government's railroad regulatory policy "which since 1908 has allowed a return upon the railroad's investment averaging only about four per cent per annum, for this fifteen years period, is not regulation, but confiscation of investments.

WICHITA GIRLS IN PLAY AT DENTON

Special Dispatch to Record News

DENTON, Texas, April 1.—Miss Leona Maricle of Wichita Falls and Miss Edith Dennis of Iowa Park took leading parts Saturday night in "Nothing But the Truth," a three-act comedy staged by the junior class of the College of Industrial Arts. Miss Maricle took the part of John Bennett, and Miss Dennis that of Clarence Van Dusen. Both students have achieved a high record in their expression work at the college.

The management of the play was under the direction of Miss Maricle.

CARRIERS TO MEET

Associated Press Dispatch

TEMPLE, April 1.—The Texas Rural Letter Carriers' association will hold its annual convention in Temple on Aug. 5, 6 and 7, it was announced today by C. L. Hawkins, member of the executive committee of the organization who returned today from Dallas where he attended a meeting of the committee.

Notorious Bandit Killed on Border

Associated Press Dispatch

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, April 1. Alfredo Luna, alleged murderer of Marie Schroeder, near Rio Hondo, in 1920, and who it is also charged murdered Guadalupe Moreno and kidnaped Moreno's wife, was shot and killed late Saturday afternoon by posses under Deputy Sheriff Ortegh, 20 miles east of Rio Hondo.

Luna entered the home of Moreno, and after killing him with an axe, kidnaped Mrs. Moreno, who is said to be only 16 years old, carried her on his horse to his camp, 20 miles from Rio Hondo, and kept her prisoner until the posse surprised him and killed him while attempting to escape.

During the time Mrs. Moreno was held captive Luna boasted to her that he had assaulted and killed Marie Schroeder; that he had made an attack in January on E. F. Ehlers farmer, near Ro Hondo, and was also responsible for attacks on several girls in that vicinity. He said he intended to kill her, as he had killed her husband.

THE WEATHER

West Texas: Monday partly cloudy; Tuesday unsettled, colder.

Oklahoma: Monday cloudy, colder in west portion; Tuesday partly cloudy, colder.

East Texas: Monday cloudy and unsettled, warmer in east and south portions; Tuesday unsettled, probably showers, colder in the interior.

Posse Captures Two Bandits After Fight In Hills Of Arkansas

Members of Alleged Band Taken After Chase Lasting For Twenty-four Hours.

Associated Press Dispatch

BENTONVILLE, Ark., April 1.—Clark Pitts, aged 20, and Campbell Keyes, aged 22, alleged to be two of the four men who Saturday afternoon robbed the First National bank Gentry, Ark., and fled into the hills along the Arkansas-Oklahoma boundary, were placed in jail here tonight by Sheriff George Maples of this county, leader of the posse which pursued the alleged bandits for 24 hours.

Another man whose name cannot be learned is said to be under arrest in Jay, Okla., in connection with the robbery, while the fourth alleged member of the bad is still at large in the hills.

Two women were arrested in a log cabin near the place where the posse arrested Keyes and Pitts. They gave their names as Clifford, and one is said to be the wife and the other the sister of the man who is still being sought by the posse. Sheriff Maples declared that ammunition was found in the cabin, and that there was evidence that the place had been occupied for about four days.

The posse was fired upon last night from a house in Rowe Okla., but none was injured. The report that Ben Smith, deputy sheriff of Delaware county, Oklahoma, was killed during the pursuit of the four men was erroneous.

The bandits, entering the Gentry bank at noon Saturday, forced six persons into the vault and escaped with approximately $1,400 in currency and silver. It is not believed that any o the money has been recovered.

SPENCER LEADS GANG DECLARES SHERIFF

Associated Press Dispatch

MUSKOGEE, Okla., April 1.—One of the bandits who robbed the bank of Gentry at Gentry, Ark., Saturday was wounded by a sheriff's posse near Rowe, Oklahoma, today, when possemen surrounded the man in an abandoned house, according to word reaching here. The bandits carrying their wounded comrade with them fought their way out and escaped.

Deputy Sheriff Ben Smith, a veteran peace officer, tonight declared he was positive a man who fired at him was Al Spencer, the notorious bandit.

Thirty Injured In Trench Street Fight

Associated Press Dispatch

ROUBAIX, France, April 1.—Thirty persons were injured in street fighting today between the police and two hostile groups of workmen. One group was holding an open-air meeting to commemorate the fiftyith anniversary of the textile sundicate, and communists tried to hold an opposition meeting nearby. Trouble started when the respective groups tried to drown out the other's speakers.

Frenchman Slain By Fellow Soldiers

Associated Press Dispatch

BUER, Germany, April 1.—One member of a party of Frenchmen, traveling in a motor boat along the Rhine-Horne canal near Buer Erele today, was shot and killed by the French shore patrol, says advices received here.

It is asserted that the boat, which was flying the German flag, did not heed the patrol's command to halt. The patrol is said not to have ascertained that the occupants of the boat were Frenchmen until after the craft was fired upon.

Hughes' Proposal Favored in Berlin

Associated Press Dispatch

BERLIN, April 1.—Foreign Minister Von Rosenberg in a statement in the Boersen Courier reiterates his endorsement of the proposal of Secretary of State Hughes for a settlement of the reparations problem as outlined by Mr. Hughes in his speech at New Haven, in December.

The foreign minister declared that he gladly would welcome the creation of such an international commission as was suggested by Mr. Hughes, but that it would have to be removed from political atmosphere and established on the knowledge of economic fact.

GERMAN IS SLAIN

Associated Press Dispatch

BUER, Germany, April 1.—A 22-year-old German named Mieruch is reported to have been shot and killed by the French at Recklinhausen. It is stated Mieruch was an invalid.

FIRE BUG SUSPECTED

Associated Press Dispatch

HAGERSTOWN, Md., April 1.—Fire believed to have been of incindiary origin which destroyed a two-story brick business building housing the offices of the mechanical department and storehouse of the Western Maryland

President Dons Heavy Clothing On Short Notice

Associated Press Dispatch

AUGUSTA, Ga., April 1.—The Easter cold wave from the north, reaching far down into the south, met President and Mrs. Harding on their arrival here today to spend the final week of their vacation but its chilly blast was soon forgotten in the cordialitty of Augusta's welcome.

After nearly a month spent under the warm and sometimes almost broiling sun of Florida, the return to even a taste of the weather experienced in March in the north was most noticeable and members of the vacation party promptly cast aside the straw hats, flannels, and other summer clothing which they had been wearing. An Eastern sun, however, soon warmed the air and by noon everybody had pretty well thawed out.

DAVIS FORESEES BRIGHT PERIOD

Declares Outlook Seems To Justify Feeling Of Optimism

Associated Press Dispatch

WASHINGTON, April 1.—In a comparison of present industrial conditions with those which existed on April first a year ago, Secretary Davis predicted today that, with the exercise of caution, the country should have a "continued period of substantial prosperity that will put behind the whole era of depression that folowed the war."

The labor secretary also predicted that what accumulating of coal stock during the coming summer there would not only be an abundant coal supply for all needs next fall and winter, but a "more normal" market price as compared with the past winter.

Continuing the statement in part, said:

Pessimism Year Ago

"Outside of the coal industry, pessimism rather than optimism prevailed in other basic industries one year ago today.

"Prior to that time the unemployed had numbered approximately five million; Today that number is reduced to normal.

"One year ago the steel industry's unfilled order tonnage was less than four million tons; Today it is nearly eight million tons. The former is the basis of dull business while the latter means 'full steam ahead.'

"The copper industry on April 1, 1922, was almost down and out as most of the mines, mills, and smelters were idle due to unsold stocks and poor market; Today the stocks have been depleted and production is fast approaching the best records of the war period.

"The same is largely true of the textile and allied industries April 1, 1922, found overloaded shelves with unsild goods stocks, which finnaly involved over 80,000 workers, before the summer wos over; today, empty shelves, plenty of work, no strikes, and both employer and employes sharing in the general prosperity.

Wages Going Up

"Despite the threats of industrial degression there has been but little reduction of the general wage level throughout the industry, and today the trend of wage scales is upward During the past four months, wage increases have been reported in practically all of the 43 industries covered by the bureau of labor statictics.

"The outlook seems to justify optimism so far as the immediate future is concerned. If we exercise

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FRANCE SPENDS FORTUNE FOR MODERN SHIPS

Treaty Provisions Are Carried Out Says Minister

BIGGER GUNS BUILT

51,000,000 Francs Is Put Into New Naval Program

Associated Press Dispatch

PARIS, April 1.—France is spending 51,000,000 francs in modernizing her six capital ships under the government's interpretation of the Washington naval accords. At the request of the Associated Press, the Minister of Marine Flaminius Raiberti, today explained at length precisely what is being done.

"You ask me two questions," he said. "One relative to the changes in the old ships and the other about ratification of the Washington naval treatiex.

Small Tonnage Raise

"The first subject is dealt with in the first paragraph of section one of the third part of the Washington treaty, relative to increase of the naval armaments, this paragraph authorizes the contracting powers to increase the defensive power of their ships against submarines and aerial attacks by additional lateral caissons and protecting bridges, provided the tonnage is not increased more than 3,000 tons.

Larger Guns

"As to artillery, the treaty forbids any change in the number, calibre and general type of mounting of the units of principal arament, however, recognizing the special situation of France, which possesses only old units—as she ceased to construct since the war—she is authorized, as in Italy, to increase the calibre of the guns of her battle ships, provided the calibre does not exceed 16 inches.

France has conformed strictly to these provisions, even before ratifying the treaty."

Daring Robbery Of Mail Bags Staged

Associated Press Dispatch

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 1.—Six unmasked men armed with revolvers and shotguns, believed by the police to be members of "Eagan's Rats," gang of St. Louis, early this morning attacked the Chicago and Alton baggage room here and escaped with four bags of mail. After firing almost fifty shots at the police, baggagement and special agents of the railroad, five of the robbers threw the mail bags in an automobile and escaped.

RECORDS FOR COLD WEATHER BROKEN

Associated Press Dispatch

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The coldest April day ever experienced at many points east of the Mississippe river today brought Washington an Eastern temperature as low as 15 degrees, seven under the record set April 19, 1875, and lower than ever registered after March 21 in any year since the establishment of the weather bureau here in 1870.

WHEAT IN GAME

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW ORLEANS, April 1.—Zack Wheat, Brooklyn National left fielder, who has been a holdout played his usual position in today's exhibition game here between the Dodgers and the New York Americans, tending to confirm reports that he had reached an agreement with Manager Robinson and had signed a contract.

DEPUTY WOUNDED BY FIRE FROM OWN GUN

Associated Press Dispatch

ARAPAHOE, Okla., April 1.—With four bullet wounds in his left shoulder, Frank Royston, deputy sheriff, is near death today. He said he tossed his pistol into his automobile near the town of Fess last night and it exploded.

Galli-Curci Delighted With Camp Fire Girls' Reception

Famous Prima Donna Views Bringing In Of 600-Barrel Well In Texhoma Field On Sunday Afternoon.

By PEGGIE PIEDMONT.

"Good morning, my dears. I am sorry to have kept you waiting in the cold, but they didn't awaken me as early as I instructed them to," said Mme. Galli-Curci, as she joined a group of Campfire Girls awaiting her arrival from the Pullman of a northbound Denver train Sunday morning.

Preceding Galli-Curci's appearance with her party, composed of her husband and pianist, Homer Samuels; her flutist, Manuel Berenguer; and manager, A. Saulter, local Campfire Girls who had marched double-file from the First Methodist church, South, to meet the noted prima donna, played games, sang, danced the Virginia reel, and went through with various exercises to keep warm in their white uniforms and hats of the organization.

Is Real Member.

"We knew that madame was a Campfire Girl, but we supposed she was probably an honorary member, and we were struck dumb with surprise when she immediately gave us the hand sign of the order with her greeting," said Josephine Fisk, the guardian.

Galli-Curci smiled, and was perceptibly elated with the reception given her by the Campfire Girls, and said that it was the first time in all her travels th t she had been met by them upon her arrival in a city. She was delightfuly informal, and seemed Campfire Girl with them, as she chatted and laughed and patted the girls on the hands and shoulders, and asked the smaller ones if they were cold.

"I heard the singing outside my window before I finished dressing, and asked one of my party what it was. The reply was that it was some little birds, so peeped out and watched your games and singing before I came out," madame told the girls, as she smiled her appreciation at their reception.

Chatting merrily with the group that surrounded her, madame told the girls that she joined the Campfire organization a year ago in Minneapolis, where the girls there were keeping her costume, her honor beads, head band and other paraphernalia. "I can't carry it around in my trunk; I have too much other 'junk,'" she said.

Kodak Pictures Taken.

As she was being surrounded by them and escorted to an automobile to be taken to the hotel, her husband, Homer Samuels, called: "Amelita, all of you turn around and group yourselves a minute and lets get a picture." So placing herself in front of the large group of girls, madame, smiling sweetly, with a background of laughing and happy girls, posed while her husband snapped their picture, promising to send some back to Josephine Fisk, guardian, for the girls to see.

Gali-Curci, much smaller, prettier and more exquisite appearing than

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"Oh, It's Wonderful" She Says As Oil Gushes Forth

Madame Galli-Curci and Peggy Piedmont with other Wichitans, went out Sunday to see Texhoma No. 16 in the Waggoner tract, come in at 600 barrels. The world's greatest prima donna will be heard at the Palace tonight.

Five Persons Killed In Auto Acident

Associated Press Dispatch

ASHLAND, Ky., April 1.—Five persons were killed this afternoon as the automobile in which they were riding crashed into a Chespeake and Ohio pasenger train at a crossing on the outskirts of the city.

Witnesses of the accident asserted that the car sudenly lurched forward as the train was crossing the road and crashed into the side of the engine. It is not known who was driving the car.

A baby which was in the car, was taken to the hospital here where it was learned that it was only slightly injured.

Tut Touch Features Eastern Easter Modes

Heavy Winter Coats Worn By Majority of Those in Fifth Avenue's Dress Parade.

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, April 1.—Attended by a smiling sun but with far from balmy breezes, the annual Easter day parade on Fifth avenue today was notable for the scarcity of spring wear and the number and variety of furs.

Swathed from ankles to chin in her winter garments, Milady exhibited only spring headdress and footwear, and except in occasional instances did other than a trailing skirt edge give a hint of what is to be the prevailing mode. Colors predominated in all attire, not hidden by winter coats, and the effect of Tutenkhamen was apparent. Hats were smaller, and the Egyptian influence brought back the turban and multi-colored decorated with scarabs, and what-nots. On the whole, small colored straws, highly adorned with flowers of riotous were the most apparent. Red seemed to be the pre-

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TEMPLARS HOLD EASTER SERVICE

Dr. Grafton Gives Annual Address to Knights Sunday

Taking his sermon from the 28th chapter of Matthews, the subject being "The Practical Effect of the Resurrection," Dr. N. F. Grafton, of the First Presbyterian church, spoke to the Knights Templar of Wichita Falls Sunday afternoon in the annual Easter service of the Wichita Commandery No. 59, Knights Templar. A large audience completely filled the congregational room, the Knights in full uniform occupying the center section and the Hope chapter of De Molays accupying one side section.

Faith Reborn On Easter

Declaring that "On Easter morning faith was reborn and vitalized, Dr. Grafton said at this time: "Jehavah was placed on his throne. Gone are the gods of Rome, Greece and of all nations, and come to take their place was the God of all gods. Today the God of all gods rules supreme.

Continuing, Dr. Grafton said: "It was He who taught the doctrine of the brotherhood of man. It was He who wrote in the world's vocabulary the three sweetest words of all times, mother, wife and home. Man has gone through life a better man because he could lisp the word mother. The word home paints a picture on the mind far more beautiful than Michael Angelo could even paint with a brush. He brought the wife to her present high standard from that of a common slave in her husband's home.

March In Body

The Knights Templar formed the procession at the Masonic hall and, escorted by the DeMolays, marched in a body to the Baptist church.

Acting Prelate Sir Knight S. A. Barnes delivered the invocation after which Mrs. Luella Thompson sang "Holy City." With the knights then standing, the Ode to the Flag was delivered by Past Comander George Lawler. The Commandery quartette composed of Grover Bullington, Paul Von Allman, Mildred Martin and Tillie Mae Schaefer, rendered a special selection. Reverend Barnes delivered the general confession after which the

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WAS OFFICIAL HEAD OF STATE FOR TWO TERMS

Death Triumps After Battle in Hospital More Than Year

HAD HUMBLE START

Notable Acts of Office Included Reduction Of Tax Rate

Associated Press Dispatch

GALVESTON, Texas, April 1.—Thomas M. Campbell, former governor of Texas, died tonight at 8:30 at the John Sealy hospital, after an extended illness.

Humble Beginning.

Thomas Mitchell Campbell rose from the humble position of mill worker at Longview to the highest office in Texas. He was born in Rusk, Cherokee county, Texas, April 22, 1856, the son of Thomas D. and Rachael (Moore) Campbell, and had the distinction of having been the second native-born Texan to occupy the governor's chair, the first having been Governor James Hogg.

His mother died when he was but 7 years old. The father married again, and young Campbell grew up to love his step-mother to idolization. While working in the sawmill he turned his earnings over to her, and he delighted to describe her as a woman possessing all the qualities of a real mother.

Studied at Night.

As a child, he attended the comon schools in Rusk and acksonville and the Masonoic institution at Rusk. In 173-74 he was at Trinity University, then at Tehuacana, but because of his father's financial reverses he was obliged to leave the university before graduation. Thereafter, while working in various capacities, he studied law at night, and was admitted to the bar in 1878. He served as master in chancery in the I.-G. N. receivership in 1889-91; as receiver in 1891-92, and upon termination of the receivership as general manager, 1892-97, when he resigned and resumed practice of law at Palestine with Selden McMeans.

Elected In 1906.

In 1961 he became a candidate for governor, subject to action of the democratoic party, but withdrew in 1904. In 1906 he again entered as a candidate and was elected for two terms.

During his first term, Governor Campbell enforced many economies which he had promised, and in his second term cut the tax rate down to the lowest point it has ever reached. Many notable acts were passed during his administration, including 28 laws designed to better the condition of the working man.

Resumed Practice.

When he retired from the office of governor he resumed the practice of law in Palestine, with Thomas B. Greenwood, now a justice of the supreme court of Texas, and A. M. Barton, formerly his secretary, as partners.

Mr. Campbell organized a number of banks in Texas, and had interests in seeveral other business enterprises from which he amassed a comfortable fortune.

He had been in the John Sely hospital in Galveston for more than a year, suffering fro manemia and, according to his physicians, "his long illness had been borne with rare fortitude and courage, in the fact of a constant suffering and steadily growing weakness."

Jap Prince Killed In Auto Accident

Associated Press Dispatch

BOMBAY, France, April 1.—Prince M. Narihisa Kitashirakawa, brother-in-law of Emperior Yoshihito of Japan, was killed, and his wife, Princess Fusako; Prince Yasuhiko Asaka, who married a sister of the emperor, and a lady-in-waiting, were seriously injured in an automobile accident this afternoon. The driver also was killed.

$700 Damage By Fire On Filmore

Damage estimated at $700 was caused early Sunday evening when flames broke out in the home of Manuel Berenger, 2306 Filmore street, and practically gutted the structure. The roof was entirely burned away and the interior burned out. Firemen responding to a belated alarm were able to save nothing.

The family was away at church when the fire started and for this reason the flames obtained a commanding headway before being discovered.

The origin of the blaze is unknown.

Huerta to Reach El Paso Wednesday

Associated Press Dispatch

EL PASO, April 1.—Adolfo de La Huerta, Mexican secretary of the treasury, who has been on leave of absence from the governorship of Sonora, will arrive here Wednesday. He will go to Hermosillo, Sonora, to be present during the election April 27, at the request of the Sonora citizens, who believe his presence will have a peaceful influence. Arrangements have been made with the Southern Pacific for a special train from El Paso to Nogales.

NEW AUDITORIUM IS WICHITA FALLS' GREATEST NEED, AND OIL FIELDS GREATEST ATTRACTION, GALLI-CURCI TELLS REPORTER

By HARROLD JOHNSON

"A fine new concert hall" is just about all Wichita Falls needs to round itself out properly, according to Mme. Galla-Curci, world famous singer, who told a representative of The Record News Sunday night that this city stood four square with the world in all other respects.

It developed during the course of the brief interview that the North Texas oil fields were decidedly wonderful. The great artist, who watched a 600-barrel well of the Texhoma company brought in earlier in the day, seemed to be about equally divided in her acclamation of the fields and of Wichita Falls itself. Praise of both was distributed liberally, and without solicitation on the part of the reporter.

Concert Hall Necessary

The concert hall reference came up during an animated discussion on the various other civic virtues of Wichita Falls. The attractive homes, the city's appearance of cleanliness, its paved streets and the splendid hospitality of its citizens were warmly praised by the distinguished visitor, but she balanced this with the warning that a new concert hall was a necessity.

Her husband, Homer Samuels, suggested at this point that a municipal auditorium was more to be desired than merely a concert hall and then explained that during a recent appearance of his wife in Kansas City a livestock and poultry show was progressing in one portion of the great auditorium while the operatic concert was given in another.

"In such a structure your conception of an ideal municipal building?" the reporter inquired.

Mme. Galli-Curci responded quickly and positively.

"Yes indeed," she said. "It brings you many things, fine concerts, conventions, exhibits and shows. You need such a hall here.'

Pleased With Spirit

The auditorium matter was dropped here and the conversation shifted to other matters.

The evident spirit of youth and progressiveness that characterized the city was commented on frequently by Mme. Galli-Curci, and when the reporter suggested that Wichita Falls prided itself on being an up-todate and progressive community the singer answered in effect that "it's evident you do. It makes me feel like saying 'barro' just to look at it." She was told that the city was striving for a population of 100,000 in 1930, and promptly declared this to be "a big jump," but not impossible.

Switching to oil again, the singer expressed tremendous elation at having had the good fortune of seeing a big well brought in. She referred to the No. 16A test of the Texhoma company which was drilled in for her special benefit Sunday afternoon. The vastness of the fields and multitude of derricks, it seemed, visibly impressed her.

The subject of music was brought up only briefly, and that at the close of the interview, when Mme. Galli-Curci replied to a remark about tonight's concert that she would sing "some of the old time favorites."

"What old time favorites," she was asked.

"The old folk songs—Annie Laurie, Swanee river and those,' she said. "I love them and the people like to hear them."

"Is that true of the whole country?" the reporter asked.

"Absolutely. Even in New York I sing them for encores and it goes to show that the old folk songs are, after all, most popular after all."

The reported took his leave of the charming little singer and her equally gracious and pleasant husband after being assured again that Wichita Falls was THE city of Texas and that it was a genuine pleasure to "be with your fine people here.'

TRADE BANQUET AT HENRIETTA

Bellevue Citizens Will Be Entertained on Friday Night

Special Dispatch to Record News

HENRIETTA, April 1.—A program of social and business reciprocity between Henrietta and about 20 adjoining smaller towns in Clay and surrounding counties will be launched by the local chamber of commerce next Friday night, when 500 citizens of Bellevue will be the guests of this city in an informal banquet and program.

Wanting to make Henrietta the center of activities of this section, a committee was appointed to work out a plan whereby a better relationship between this city and surrounding towns could be established. The committee recommended the chamber of commerce to entertain some neighboring town at least once a month. The report was adopted last Friday night, and Bellvue will be the first city to be the guests of the chamber of commerce.

Elaborate entertainment features are being planned for the occasion by H. B. Hamm, local banker, chairman of the Bellvue affair.

INCENTIVE OFFERED FOR GOOD COTTON FARMING

An endeavor to begin early and make the 1923 cotton crop as good as possible for Clay county is being made by County Agent T. B. Lewis through the Henrietta chamber of commerce, a number of prizes as inducements having been offered to the farmers.

Tickets will be issued at local gins next fall with every bale of cotton. The first prize will be a farm wagon. The man who markets the most bales of cotton in Henrietta will be given a disc harrow. A cotton planter will be awarded the farmer ginning most cotton in Henrietta. The farmer producing the best cotton with an inch or better staple will receive a spike-toothed harrow. A milk cutter will be given the farmer producing the longest staple of cotton.

Other inducements will be the giving away of 10 bushels of good variety cotton seed to a number of farmers. Farmers all over the county are entering the contest, the county agent says.

ELECTRIC POWER LINE AT BELLVUE PLANNED.

An endeavor to secure for Bellvue an electric high power line is being made by the chambers of commerce of that city and Henrietta.

Mayor N. T. Gaines, Dr. J. W. Sherrill, president of the Bellvue chamber of commerce, and other Bellvue citizens met with the local chamber of commerce Friday night and discussed the matter. It was stated that everything for the completion of the line had been disposed of except the securing of a right of way.

FARMER-LABOR UNION TO MEET AT HENRIETTA.

The annual county meeting of the Clay county local of the American Farm-Labor union is to be held at Henrietta, April 15, and 150 farmers are expected to be in this city on that date.

The local chamber of commerce will give the farmers a luncheon and entertainment at that time, it was decided Friday night.

SET OF PUBLIC SCALES URGED AT HENRIETTA.

A chamber of commerce committee has been appointed to urge county and city officials to erect a set of public scales in Henrietta.

Farmers state that in litigation with railroad companies, when the matter of weights enter the trial, they often loose their cases because nothing but weights from a public weigher is admitted.

TO THE VOTERS OF WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

I have not made an active campaign for the office of park and sanitary commissioner for the reason that I believe that I am sufficiently well known to the people of Wichita Falls for them to decide whether or not they wish to hire me for that position by casting their votes for me in the election on April 3rd.

If my view of an economical administration of this important office meets with your approval, I will appreciate your votes. Respectfully,

E. S. WHITELAW.

—Political Advertisement.

Burkburnett Society News

BURKBURNETT, April 1.—Miss Cloe Stripling spent Saturday and Sunday in the home of Mrs. J. R. Moss.

The recital given by the pupils of Mrs. J. C. Albright at the T. M. C. A. last Friday night, under her personal supervision, was a success in every sense of the word. The crowd was a large one, and each pupil did his or her part in a very creditable manner. The manner in which this program was conducted speaks exceedingly well for Mrs. Albright's ability.

Miss Aylene Fisher was honored with a surprise birthday party last Thursday afternoon, March 22, at 5 o'clock. Games were played throughout the afternoon. The honoree was surprised with many dainty gifts. Near the close of the afternoon the good mother hostess served a dainty salad course with pretty Easter cards as favors. Aylene's thirteenth birthday will be long remembered by all who attended, namely: Estelle Stevenson, Gladys O'Neill, Madeline Sturdevant, Bonnie Jean McGuire, Adele Parson, Mildred Keith, Mabel Moody, Arlan Dunn, Edna Griffin, Annie Wright, and the honoree.

The Friday afternoon Bridge club was entertained by Mrs. Blaine Robinson at her home on Fourth street last Friday, and a general good time was had. A delicious two-course luncheon was served by the hostess to following members and guests: Mesdames J. D. Ahern, W. L. Utts, E. B. Grennell, Bob Robinson, Jack MacKenzie, Floyd McCutchen, W. H. Kirby, Harr. Lamb, Chas. Cline, S. J. Campbell and Mrs. Davies. The club next met with Mrs. S. J. Campbell at the T-dal-Western.

Little Loree Duke entertained a host of her small friends with a delightful party given in honor of her ninth birthday. Many games were enjoyed by the children, the games being directed by Miss Hazel Russ and Miss Ada Mae Duke, sister of the small hostess. The hostess received many beautiful gifts from her many friends. A refreshing treat of Eskimo pie and cookies was served to the following: Duard Rhodes, Joseph Coats, Bernice Rigney, Stanley Henson, T. E. Dawson, A. C. James, Jewel Wood, Archie Hall, Herdie Mable and Lyle B. Jacobs, Calma Russ, Ray Thompson, Mike Cook, Colin Stallings, Doris Roberts, Jay Marie Canon, Minnie and Carl Hutchison, Chester and Shelby Roberts, Annebale Kirby, Maria Upp and Laney Lamb.

The Civic league will hold a meeting at the Shrine club rooms next Tuesday at 3 p. m., and all members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roebett Jr. of Burkburnett and W. C. Roebett Sr. and Mrs. R. C. Medlin of Waxahachie attended church services at the First Presbyterian church of Wichita Falls, Sunday.

Hastings Society and Personals

Special Dispatch to Record News

HASTINGS, Okla., April 1.—The Ladies Missionary society of the Methodist church met at the church Wednesday afternoon, and were joined there by the Lone Star Chapter, and also by Mrs. McClure, the district secretary, from Lawton.

The subject of the program was "The Church." A solo was rendered by Miss Winnie Davis after the program, ice cream and cake was served, and all reported a good time.

Each room of the grade school and each class of the high school had an egg hunt, going out to the creek and different places. Lots of fun was reported.

Mrs. Ed Stephens died at her home, east of Hastings, Monday, March 26. She had been seriously ill with pneumonia for the past two weeks. Surviving is her husband and eight children. Interment was made in the Hastings cemetery.

Among those shopping in Wauriks Thursday were Dr. and Mrs. Stephens and son, Earl; R. G. Ryals, Mrs. M. G. Kinnemon, Mrs. H. C. Edwards, Mrs. Mattie Grinsley, Mrs. Dan Allen, and Mrs. Coleman Haddock.

Miss Florence Figley left Friday for Edmond, where she will attend the spring term of normal.

The rabbit drive was a great success, about 6,000 being present, and about 4,000 robbits and four wolves were killed.

Clint McKinney has been improving his home some this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bozhardt of Waurika are visiting E. Paul Trummer and family, north of town, this week.

Misses Edna and Winda Smyers are absent from school this week, having been called to Byers, Texas, to attend the funeral of their grandmother, who died in Fort Worth Wednesday.

Jarret Grimsley of Temple has been in this vicinity, buying cattle, this week.

N. S. Figley and family spent Sunday in Lawton.

Zeke Brown and family, who have resided in Ragtown for the past year, have moved back to Hastings.

W-K Spark Plugs Fire When Others Fail.—Adv.

Mashing Must Stop Is Order at Burk

Special Dispatch to Record News

BURKBURNETT, April 1.—That mashing must stop on the streets of Burkburnett, is the edict of C. B. McConnell, juvenile officer of this district who has been here for the past few days. To this end he has enlisted the services of the city and school authorities.

Mr. McConnell has stated that boys and men, ranging in age of 17 to 55 years, make a practice of standing on the corners and in the postoffice when school girls are passing, make remarks to them and offer invitations to auto rides. He further declares that he will break up the practice if he is compelled to place these young men in jail.

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$4,000 PAID AT FLORAL HEIGHTS

Contribution Is Climax To Easter Service Of Morning

Approximately $4,000 in cash and checks was contributed Sunday morning by the congregation of the Floral Heights Methodist church to the debt smashing campaign which has been in progress some weeks. The funds are to be applied toward cutting down the debts incurred by the church in the construction of the new building last year.

The contribution Sunday was an impressive affair, coming as a climax to the Easter service of the morning. The ladies of the various missionary circles started the work when they appeared with about $2,000 in cash, earned for the fund by personal work and savings. When the men saw what had been done in this line, they agreed to match the total and a shower of checks resulted.

Twenty-two children were baptized by Rev. Barnes Sunday morning and a number of new members received into the church. Special Easter music was the feature of the evening service.

Seven Rotaries Working Day And Night in Shallow Burk

Activity in the new shallow field one mile south of Burkburnett is on the up-grade. Seven rotaries are working and this number will likely be increased to a dozen in a short time.

Kuehn, White & McNeil No. 2, W. J. Sides lease, second location west of Owenwood No. 1, was drilled in yesterday and is good for 50 or 60 barrels.

The Owenwood Oil corporation No. 3, W. J. Sides lease, are drilling at 600 feet on location west of their No. 2.

Camp Oil & Gas Co., W. J. Sides lease, are setting casing on their No. 1, which is located on the west side of the farm. They have a good sand but are experiencing some trouble.

Staley & Wynne are ready to set casing in their Nos. 3 and 4, Cropper lease.

Lanning & Monninger are ready to drill in on the Cropper, their well offsetting the Wichita Burk No. 1 on the Sides.

Staley & Wynne have spudded in on the Powell lease, directly east of Owenwood No. 3.

Staley & Wynne bought a 12-acre lease on the Sides farm this week and will begin developments immediately.

The Monarch Oil Co. is making a location on the Meyers lease.

Plans Made For Bathing Girl Revue

Special Dispatch to Record News

GALVESTON, April 1.—Galveston's fourth annual Bathing Girl Revue on May 13 promises to eclipse any of these events ever staged here on the beach, according to indications. Entries are now being received from among Southern beauties who competed in the event last year and those who are entering for the first time.

One hundred thousand people witnessed the revue last year and it is expected that a considerable larger number will be in attendance at this year's event. Special rates will be offered on all railroads and interurbans running into this city. Entry blanks and additional information may be secured from Galveston Beach association, Department O, Galveston, Texas.

Texhoma Brings In 600-Bbl. Well

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Flowing by heads, and giving every indication of being one of the best producers in the tract, the 16 A. Waggoner test of the Texhoma Oil and Refining company came in Sunday afternoon with an estimated initial flow of 600 barrels. The well struck the sand at 1,895 feet and was drilled in five feet when the first flow came.

Texhoma officials predicted Sunday night that the well was destined to be the most valuable of their holdings in the South Electra field. It is 40 feet east of the No. 14 test, on the same lease, which came in early last week with an initial production of around 50 barrels.

The 1,000-foot sand is about 15 feet in depth, it is said, and when the hole is cleaned and drilled deeper the production may be increased.

The well was drilled in in the presence of W. B. Hamilton, president of the Texhoma company; Mme. Galli-Curci and her party, and others, who made a tour of the Electra fields during the afternoon.

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Hutchison Tells Of Boll Weevil Fight

Associated Press Dispatch

MOBILE, April 1.—Citing figures to back his statement, Dr. Miller Reese Hutchinson, nationally known industrial engineer, who was recently selected to head the National Boll Weevil Eradication campaign, forcefully declared today that there would be no control unless the cotton growing states were able to guarantee manufacturers of calcium arsenate (boll weevil poisoning) a secure market for their wares this year. Dr. Hutchinson is here visiting his parents.

FREDERICK K. T. HOLD SERVICES

Easter Is Observed With Ceremonies Held At Grandfield

Special Dispatch to Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., April 1.—Memebers of Frederick Commandery No. 19, Knights Templar, this afternoon attended the Easter services held at the high school auditorium in Grandfield. The Frederick delegation was in full regalia and reports were that the ceremonies were very impressive. It was announced that Sir Knight W. E. Humphries would open in Knitvy, followed by a lecture by Sir Knight Ulay and closing with a prayer by Sir Knight George P. Drake.

Sunday evening in Grandfield Presbyterian, Baptist and Methodist churches held a joint Easter service at the auditorium.

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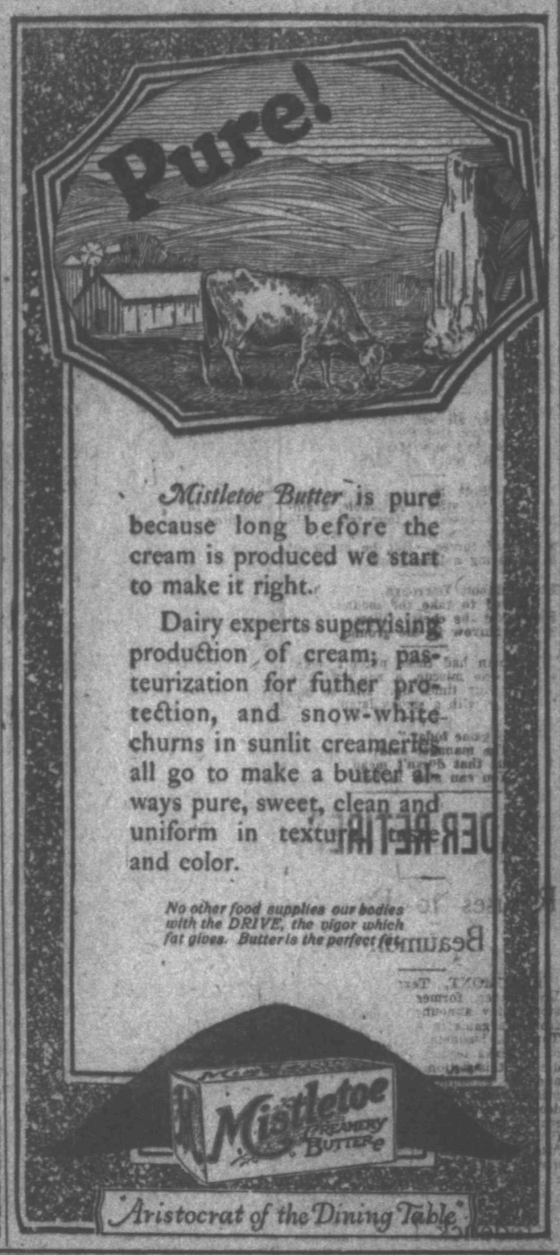

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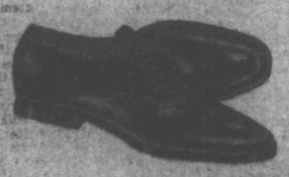

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Spudders Grab Odd Game Of Series, 7 to 4

WHEELER AND DARROUGH SHOW IN FINE FORM· LETTING OILER CLAN DOWN WITH SOFT MUSIC

Club Looks Livlier and Does Some Hitting At Right Time—Ace Elliott Lofts One Out of Park.

By "DINK" ADDINGTON.

The proud and chesty Tulsa Ailers who came into town with championship plumage bristling out triumphantly, departed hence last night with their pin feathers drooping after suffering defeat at the hands of the Spudders, 7 to 4. The game gave Salm's contingent the series verdict by a count of 2 to1.

While it must be admitted that the Oilers have a classy club, they hooked up with some pitching yesterday that they failed to master and their old barrage of hits was decidedly conspicuous by its lack of presence.

Wheeler Goes Great.

Rip Wheeler started on the mound and did a splendid job of dispensing the pill. He was control personified and failed to walk a man during the five innings which he remained. He whiffed two. The Oilers got but one real orphaned hit off his delivery in the five frames and not a sign of one until the fourth. A very flukey blow came to Yank Davis in that number on a slow roller to Berger. It was a scratch all over, even though it did appear to take a raw skid as it hopped to the shortstop. Weimer was the only man to boast of a real legitimate knock when he slicked one between short and third in the same stanza. Although two foreign runs crossed over, neither of them had any business getting around and it cannot be laid to Rip.

Darrough Stingy.

Rabbit Darrough yielded but four blows during his session, and while he donated four walks, he whitted a pair and was not seriously hurt by the Tulsa efforts. He displayed a nice curve ball. Young Henry who started for the Oilers also uncorked a pretty shoot and was going along well until a boot in the third paved the way for three unearned runs after the side should have been retired.

It did not take the domestics long to decide that it was time to tally and they unfolded in the second. Klugman singled and went to third on Elliott's double. Kitchens rapped to Lee and Klugman was snuffed out between home and third, Elliott going to third on the play and scoring on an unusual circumstance which followed. Wheeler cracked one over Henry's head which Stuart took just as Kitchens collided with him coming into the bag. The play was spoiled and the Oilers claimed an out for interference, but it was not allowed and the run went over.

Buddie Tanner drew free transportation to inaugurate the third. Silva flied to Lee and Whiteman was safe when Lee mussed up his grounder. Berger was also given four wide ones which filled the bases. Klugman belted out his second single to left, scoring Tanner and Whiteman. Elliott's second safety was a bingle to the same pasture and it sent Berger to the plate. Kitchens hit into a double play to end the rally.

Oilers Break In.

Not until the Spudder defense tottered momentarily did the Oilers get within flagging distance of the plate and they were given a duo of runs in the fifth. Lelivelt was secure on Klugman's error, but was forced at second on Stuart's tap to Wheeler. Weimer smacked a single past short, but was forced at the middle by Crosby, Stuart pulling up at third. Both baserunners scored when Williams dropped Pinch Hitter Austin's fly in left.

Thompson and Davis sent over a run off Darrough at the very start of the sixth, the former singling and the latter connecting for a double. Ace Elliott got it back for the Rabbit when he came to bat in the locals half by getting his third successive hit, a home run which scooted over the fence in left center and gladdened the hearts of the youngsters awaiting without for just such a drive. Tanner got a life on Stuart's miscue in the seventh and stole second. Lee took care of Silva's drive, but Whiteman did his duty by registering Tanner with a single to left.

Lamb Doubles.

Lamb plastered a double down the left foul line as a starter for the Oilers in the eighth. He took third on Lelivelt's out and Stewart drew a pass. Weimer forced Stuart as Lamb was doing the scoring act.

Although the Spudders missed out with tight support of their pitchers in spots, they presented an improved appearance in general and looked to be rounding into a stride which will be more than welcome to the daily patrons.

No game is on the card for today, but the Spudders will get out for a good drill this afternoon. Pitchers Feigert and Parsons, who were due to arrive from the Pittsburgh camp, did not show up for the game, but are expected to be here this morning in company with President R. O. Harvey. It was erroneously reported that one of the pitchers was Pearson, but it became known yesterday that his cognomen was Parsons. He won two and lost two for the Paris club of the Blue Grass league last year.

STEPPED ON 'EM

TULSA	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Lee, ss	5	0	0	5	4	1
Thompson, 3b	5	1	2	0	2	0
Davis, rf	5	0	2	0	0	0
Lamb, cf	5	1	1	3	0	0
Leilvelt, 1b	3	0	0	9	0	0
Stuart, 2b	3	1	0	2	3	1
Weimer, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Crosby, c	2	1	0	4	2	0
Ennis, c	1	0	0	0	0	0
Henry, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
King, p	2	0	0	0	3	0
xAustin	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	37	4	6	24	14	2

SPUDDERS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Williams, lf	4	0	0	2	0	1
Tanner, 3b	3	2	0	1	1	2
Silva, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Whiteman, rf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Berger, ss	3	1	1	2	4	1
Klugman, 2b	4	1	2	3	8	1
Elliott, 1b	4	2	3	11	0	0
Kitchens, c	4	0	0	4	2	0
Wheeler, p	2	0	1	0	1	0
Darrough, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	33	7	9	27	16	5

xBatted for Henry in sixth.

Score by innings:—

Tulsa	000 021 010—4
Spudders	014 001 10x—7

Summary: Two base hits, Thompson, Davis, Lamb, Elliott. Home run, Elliott. Base on balls off Henry, 1; off Darrough, 3. Struck out by Henry, 3; by Wheeler, 2; by Darrough, 2. Earned runs and hits off Henry, 2 and 6 in 4; off King, 1 and 3 in 4; off Wheeler, 0 and 2 in 5; off Darrough, 2 and 4 in 4. Winning pitcher, Wheeler, losing pitcher, Henry. Stolen bases, Silva, Tanner, Leit on bases, Tulsa, 8; Spudders, 4. Passed ball, Crosby. Time 1:33. Umpire, O'Hearne.

SCRIBES STRONG FOR JOE BERGER

Pick Him for Class Of League

Two more predictions of a great year for Joe Berger, Spudder shortstop, were dropped during the visit of the Tulsa Oilers by Lou Duffy and Cy Logsdon, sporting editors, who are accompanying Lelivelt's club.

Both writers have watched Berger for several years in the Western league, and they can't see anything for him but a great, big season.

Will Show 'Em.

"I have seen several of the other Texas league clubs this spring," Duffy said, "and I firmly believe that Berger will be the class of the shortstops in that circuit when the season gets under way. He has not been able to show in his real form as yet, but wait until he does, and I'll predict that he'll be as popular a player as any on the club."

Berger still looks a little heavy in comparison to his former years, but that may be due to the fact that he is still wearing a pair of heavy sweat shirts. These also hamper his arm to some extent, and it isn't as free as it will be when he sheds the extra rigging. Berger's throwing is one of his best assets. He handles his pegs with grace and ease, apparently devoid of effort, but almost certain to get the runner.

Local Chessers Turn to Sleuths

Dark clouds are beginning to creep into the camp of the Wichita Falls Chess club and all eyes are levelled upon the Strategic General Fuller in spite of the fact that few take any faith in the latest scandal which has come to be unfolded.

Intimating whispers were percolating among the members yesterday to the effect that Fuller was being approached by foreign embassies and an effort being made to sever his services from the club on the eve of an expected match with the Houston club.

While no direct accusations are being made, Fuller is under constant survey from countless peering eyes and the players continue to wonder just why Houston does not reply to their challenge.

Nat Henderson, who has not played chess in 20 years, has been added to the roll of the local club and his annexation is hailed with glee. He is said to be studying the Tut system of attack which will probably be used against the Houston players.

TUTTLE WEAKER

Associated Press Dispatch

ST. LOUIS, April 1.—The Right Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, 86 years old, presiding bishop of the Episcopal church in America, who is critically ill with grippe, tonight was reported as slightly weaker after a week during which his condition improved several times.

DAVIS—

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every caution and do not become so over-enthusiastic at the turning of the tide that we lose ration control, there seems to be no reason why we should not, now, enjoy a continuing period of substantial prosperity that will put behind us the whole era of depression which followed the war.

"Work, gainful work, is the salvation of any nation. We have the work and the opportunity."

YOU KNOW ME AL—

BY JACK KEEFE

Recruit White Sox Pitcher

Dallas, Tex., April 1—Well 2 more days in Texas and then we will be on our way north with the N. Y. giants and play them a ball game pretty near every day from now till the old season opens up and before we get threw with them people will be wundring how they ever came to be champions of the world. My friends and admires in Chi will probly be glad to here that I am rounding into shape in fine shape and am also enjoin the trip a hole lot better now that Gleason has give me Joe Whelan for a room mate as we have a great time kidding back and 4th.

Gleason's Willing to Take a Chance —Words by Ring Lardner

GRANDSTAND AT BEAUMONT BURNS

Most Of Structure Destroyed

BEAUMONT April 1.—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed two-thirds of the grandstand of the Texas league ball park here tonight. Starting in the southeast wing, the blaze was carried rapidly through the structure by a stiff breeze from the east. A dozen streams of water soon had the blaze under control. Manager Edington of the Exporters expressed a belief that a cigarette might have been dropped into the trash during the exhibition game with New Orleans this afternoon.

TEMPLARS—

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Knights joined him in the Lord's prayer.

Following the sermon, the Knights and DeMolays marched in procession back to the Masonic hall where they were dismissed.

DR. GRAFTON PREACHES ON CHRIST'S RESURRECTION

"He is not here, for he is risen as he said," the 8th verse of the 28th chapter of Matthew, was the scriptural verse used by Dr. Grafton at the Easter morning sermon of the First Presbyterian church.

Dr. Grafton said: "There are two ways in which we may approach the subject of the resurection of Jesus be well consumed in considering the Christ this morning. The time might evidences of immortality and the truth of the resurrection of our Lord; or we can accept the fact of immortality and the evidences of his resurrection, and turn our minds to the practical effects of the resurrection as a revelation, for his resurrection was not an argument, but a revelation. Not so much a miracle as it was an experience, for the tomb opened on that Easter morning as naturally and as easily, to let out the Savior, as these flowers opened to let out their beauty and their fragrance.

Fulfilled Promises.

His resurrection, after all, was but a fulfillment of his many promises. As Jonah was in the belly of the whale three days and nights, so must the Son of man be in the heart of the earth. "Tear down this temple and in three days I will build it again." "Because I live ye shall live also." "I came that you might have life more abundantly." "He that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live."

One of the most beautiful statements, to my mind, in all of the divine writing is that statement where the desciple going into the tomb, found the clothes wrapped together and the napkin placed as if the Master had awakened from a sleep on that Sabbath, then opened the door of his tomb and walked out not as a dead Christ, but as a living Savior. How significant, how casual was the resurrection of our Master.

Let me say that Christ came on that Easter morn to give life in the midst of decay. Ours has always been a dying world. Our flowers last but a few hours. The birds that sing, the forests, the mountains, are subject to decay, and to death.

"I came that ye might have life and that ye might have it more abundantly" and there is a recompense to every man who will.

Meaning of Easter.

His resurrection demonstrates the essential greatness of man. Easter is a pleading for the recognition of the eternal in man. I think Solomon the wise man, uttered one of the most beautiful sayings found in the Book of Ecclesiastes when he said "he has made everything beautiful for he hath set eternity in their heart." Gone the ugliness of the world, the ugliness of suffering, the ugliness of death, the ugliness of everything because the eternal has set eternity in a man's heart. Easter has given us the right perspective of things. Easter gives us the right interpretation of life. Easter teaches us the recognize real values. We discover that God is upon his throne; that wrong will be righted; that God is not an absentee, but that he is with us and so long as God sits upon the throne all is well with the earth.

REILY RETURNING

Associated Press Dispatch

PANAMA, April 1.—Former Governor E. Mont Reily of Porto Rico arrived today on board the transport St. Mihiel from San Juan. He will sail for New York tomorrow.

TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT

By "DINK" ADDINGTON

The Tulsa Oilers aren't champions of all they survey, now.

The champion Tulsa Oilers,
With a record good and long,
Swooped down upon the Spudders
To sing their victory song.

But ere they had departed,
Their song had gone to ruin;
For the Spudders copped the series
And changed their bloomin' tune.

They're singin' the blues now.

"Kitch" was prancing around like a youngster with new red boots in the third, when he made a snappy play to retire Henry on a tap in front of the plate.

The Oilers beat it home last night;
They've finished up their trip;
They may forget the details,
But they won't forget old Rip.

The Spudders had five errors that came when they didn't do so much harm while the Oilers were content with two, but they occurred when it spelled gloom.

They all will boot 'em.
Now and then;
It isn't how many,
As much as when.

Ace Elliott had a luxurious day with the big stick. A double, a single and a homer in four trips. He looked like four aces hitting against a pair of threes. But he happened to be facing a lone King.

Little Rabbit Darrough,
Essayed to take the mound;
He chased the chesty Oilers
To his burrow in the ground.

Klugman had three putouts, eight assists, one miscue, a run and two hits in four times up. Not so bad for a guy with a smoky lamp.

"No game today,"
The manager said;
"But that doesn't mean,
You can stay in bed."

RADER RETIRES

Refuses to Play In Beaumont

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 1.—Don Rader, former Exporter shortstop, today announced his retirement from the game in a telegram to Bob Tarleton, business manager of the local Texas league team. Rader indicated this action several weeks ago and the announcement was no surprise to the management. Tarleton declared it was not a salary consideration which brought about the difficulty, but that Rader simply refused to play another year with Beaumont. Rader will be suspended for his action.

Frederick Personals

Sheriff E. R. Bachelor, Ellis county, Texas, left the last of the week for Waxahachie, taking with him Jerry Washington, negro, wanted on a charge of liquor law violation.

Records in the county clerk's office here show that only seven marriage licenses were issued in March. There were 14 in February, and 24 in January.

The condition of Mrs. R. H. Maddex, Hollister, operated on for appendicitis, is said to be improving, although still grave.

Judge Frank Mathews of the district court has appointed George M. Burkhardt, C. A. Wages and Cecil Johnson as a commission to view and appraise the damage to land affected by the altering and straightening of a highway a mile north of Hollister.

Equalization of fares from Fredrerick to Oklahoma City via Altus on the Katy, and thence on the Frisco to meet the rate on the Frisco via Snyder, was announced Saturday by E. P. Litchfield, agent for the Katy roads here.

Frederick negroes have organized a baseball club, and are soliciting funds for uniforms and equipment. They have dubbed themselves the "Black Hustlers."

Rehearsals for the "Prairie Rose," to be presented by the sophomore class of the high school, are well under way. The play will be given Friday night, April 6.

DEMANDS SENT TO JUDGE LANDIS

Recognition Sought By Union

By JAMES L. KILGALLEN

International News Service Staff Correspondent

CHICAGO, April 1.—An ultimatum demanding that the major league ball players union be given representation on the National commission was received at the office of Baseball Commissioner Landis here today. Such representation, the communication asserts, "is absolutely necessary in order that the players may be assured that they are being fairly dealt with by the club owners."

Judge Landis, Ban Johnson, president of the American league, and John Heydler, president of the National league, at present constitute the national baseball commission.

The ultimatum was sent from Milwaukee by Ray Cannon, attorney and formerly a ball player who organized the ball players' union. The communication was signed by the executive board of the National Baseball Players association.

Have No Voice

"You have made laws and regulations binding upon the ball players," the communication sent to Landis, Johnson and Heydler declares. "You have laid down iron-clad rules to be enforced against the ball players without the players being given a voice in the creation of the laws governing them.

"You have set the terms of the players' contracts, and have passed upon all vital baseball problems that directly affect the ball players, and rendered decisions without the advice and counsel of the players.

"For these reasons the National Baseball Players' association demands that a representative be given a seat, a voice and a vote on the National Baseball commission, and full power to participate in all its business and sessions."

The National commission is requested to give the baseball players "demand" early consideration and advise whether the demand will be granted or refused.

Cannon, over long distance telephone, would not say what action would be taken in the event the National commission rejected the demand. He said the executive board would meet as soon as the reply was received.

Judge Landis was not in his office when the communication arrived. He is in Florida, touring the spring training camps. His secretary, Leslie O'Connor, declined to comment.

President Johnson said:

"It is my understanding that American league baseball players are not interested in this union."

The ultimatum from the union does not mention the American league but asserts that "the great majority of the players in the National league have become members of the association."

Exhibition Games

FORT WORTH, April 1.

	R	H	E
St. Louis Americans	3	11	7
Fort Wort Texas League	4	6	3

Batteries—Shocker, Pruett and Severeid; Watchel, Goodbred and Moore.

WACO, April 1.

	R	H	E
Dallas, Texas League	1	3	0
Waco, Texas Ass'n.	0	4	5

Batterier—Appleton, Bryan, and Adams; C. Hill, R. Hill, Schmidt and Heath.

GALVESTON, April 1.

	R	H	E
Kansas City, Amer. Ass'n.	2	5	4
Galveston, Texas League	0	5	1

Batteries—Thorbahlen and Scott; Skiff, Collins, Graham and Wendell, Henderson.

SHREVEPORT, April 1.

	R	H	E
Columbus, American Ass'n.	5	9	4
Shrevepoit, Texas League	7	7	4

Batteries—Brown, Snyder, Weaver and Hartley, Elliott; Youngblood, Reed, Foreman and Burns, Vann.

SAN ANTONIO, April 1.

	R	H	E
San Antonio, Texas League	9	15	2
Austin, Texas Ass'n.	1	3	2

Batteries, Bentley, Lybrand and McKee; McCarty, Whitworth and Schieffer, Tanner.

MOBILE, April 1.

	R	H	E
Milwaukee, American Ass'n.	0	7	2
Mobile, Southern Ass'n.	5	8	0

Batteries — Keefe, Garin, Bigbee, and Shinsuit; Young, Fahr, Long and Having.

BEAUMONT, April 1.

	R	H	E
New Orleans, So. Ass'n.	8	10	1
Beaumont, Texas League (11 innings)	3	9	4

Batteries—Whittaker and Mitske; Caldera, Scott, D. Eberhardt and Bonner, Schroyer.

NEW ORLEANS, April 1—

New York	2	7	2
Brooklyn Nationals	5	8	3

Batteries; Pennock, Shawkey and Hoffman; Vance, Schreiber and DeBerry, Hungerling.

DALLAS, April 1.—

Chicago Americans	4	10	2
New York Nationals	5	12	2

Eleven innings.

Leverette, Woodward, Davenport and Schalk; Nehf, Barnes and Gaston.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., April 1.—

Pittsburgh Nationals	9	16	3
Boston Americans	10	9	3

Carlson, Adams and Gooch; Quinn, Ferguson and Devormer.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 1.—

Philadelphia Americans	6	8	2
Philadelphia Nationals	3	8	2

Ogden, Kinney, O'Neill and Perkins; Donohue, Rixey and Hargrave.

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WORK ON NEW MUNICIPAL GOLF COURSE GETS UNDER WAY TODAY

Greens and Tees Will Be Arranged for Nine-Hole Course.

Work on the new municipal golf course, a project inaugurated by the Kiwanis club and which owes its success in a great measure to that organization, will be started this morning, according to Mayor Frank Collier.

While evry little grading will be necessary on the grounds, the greens must be laid out and the tees built in. A nine hole course is the present plan and many advocates of the game predict that the interest displayed in the game after it gets under way will make it necessary to add more holes to the course at a later date.

"We are making splendid progress and with the actual work getting under way, matters should move along smoothly and with dispatch," Mayor Collier said.

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vailing color of hats although the mixture was bewildering.

Colored Shoes Popular

Colored shoes also seemed the mode, with hose to match. Blue shoes and chiffon hose were popular, while red shoes and black chiffon hose were second choice. Color combinations were attempted with very striking effect.

What was visible of Milady's frocks and suits frankly displayed a return to long, ankle-length skirts. Side panels seemed to give the most striking effects from the Egyptian styles, while the skirts were much more full than during the past season.

One of the most striking costumes was a fawn-colored suit, ankle length, a turban of Tutenkhamen fashion, combined with a short caricle coat, blue chiffon hose and blue kid slippers.

Another was a flowered canton crepe dress with what seemed to be a girdle dangling on the side, a short jacket, straw hat of cream, with orchids, shoes and hose of a cream color.

Men wore abou the same sort of toggery he has appeared in in former years.

Sarazen Allowed To Enter Tournament

NEW YORK, April 1.—Gene Sarazen, American golf champion, was voted permission by directors of Briar Cliff Lodge today to participate in the British open golf championships to be held at Troon, Scotland, in June.

GALLI—

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any picture of her shows her to be was perfectly groomed, fresh looking and radiant, for such an early hour as 7:30 in the morning, and wore a handsome corduroy velvet light brown one-piece dress with touches of orange and trimmings of brown fur. The cape, when the large collar was down, had the appearance of an entire wrap of handsome brown fur. Her hat was brown milan made in simple lines, with brown moire ribbon and large bow on the side.

On her dainty, small feet, she wore King Tut sandals of black patent leather with hose of brown silk.

With her party, she was escorted to W. B. Hamilton's car by the Campfire Girls, who were loath to part company with her, and taken by Mr. Hamilton, accompanied also by Mrs. Louella B. Thompson and Roy Coffee, to the Kemp hotel, where she found awaiting her a corsage bouquet of spring flowers from the Campfire Girls.

Visits Texhoma Field.

In the afternoon they were shown over the new Texhoma oil field and saw a 600-barrel well brought in. Kodak pictures were taken of the crowd, and the local party included Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coffee, Dr. and Mrs. Kiel, Mrs. Louella B Thompson, Mrs. J. T. Carter, and Miss Anis Campbell.

The girls who met the train included Mary Mathilde Akin, Bert Poole, Beulah Gardner, Margaret Akin, Nellie Lewis, Juanita Bachman, Kelley Gwin, Maude Smith, Ellen Hooker, Elle Marie Henderson, Exia Darby, Nell Warman, Mary Zeigler, Jewell Rose Akin, Lucile Carter, Murill Jones, Alma Stovall, Hazel Dell Herring, Bonita Humphries, Louise Gilban, Edgalee Gilham, Elizabeth Busbee, Pauline Terrell, Bettye Dowdy, Josephine Hill, and Mrs. R. Bachman.

Galli-Curci will appear in concert tonight at the Palace theater.

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IRRIGATION

By A. M. M'PHERSON
Consulting Engineer
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W. P. FERGUSON

W. P. Ferguson has lived in Wichita Falls for the past six years. He came here from Bells, Grayson county. Mr. Ferguson was born in Tennessee but moved to Texas when only eight years old. He is married and his family consists of his wife and two sons.

While Mr. Ferguson has lived in Wichita Falls only six years, he has owned the land he now holds under the project for about 23 years. His holdings are in Archer county and Wichita county. The land in Archer county under the canal covers about a thousand acres and on it is located a large part of the Freeman-Hampton oil fields. On account of the oil development in the Archer county tract, Mr. Ferguson has decided not to put it into irrigation at present. It is on Mr. Ferguson's land that the Ray-Fentherstone-Massie, et al., well was recently brought in. This will is now averaging about 1,100 barrels per day.

The total number of wells on Mr. Ferguson's property in the Freeman-Hampton field is about 85. There are four sands in this field. The 600-foot sand yields 4 to 5 barrels a day, the 1,400-foot sand about 40 barrels per day, the 1,600-foot sand about 70 barrels and from the 1,750-foot sand, the wells will average about 125 barrels per day. The above figures are based upon production 60 days old. The Freeman-Hampton field came in last July.

The 900-acre tract in Wichita county is located about three miles west of the K. M. A. oil field. Seven hundred acres of this tract is in cultivation and is being farmed by tenant farmers. The soil is somewhat sandy in Texture. Cotton, corn, wheat, oats and maize have been raised on this place.

Cotton, in good years, has yielded better than a bale to the acre.

Corn runs up to 35 bushels per acre, and except for three or four years out of the past 20 years, Mr. Ferguson has had a crop of corn on this place.

Oats yield about 60 bushels, wheat averages about 15 bushels.

Garden truck does well, especially tomatoes. Irish potatoes have made good yields and are not subject to root rot. Sweet potatoes have never been tried. Peanuts of the Spanish variety have done remarkably well.

Mr. Ferguson has tried alfalfa. Five acres were planted which cut about one and a half tons in three cuttings per acre per year. The alfalfa lasted about five years and then died out, probably on account of lack of cultivation.

Mr. Ferguson feels that alfalfa will grow well here and that it is one of the best crops that can be raised in this valley.

No trees have been planted on this place by Mr. Ferguson but a cotton wood gate post was put in some years ago and this post took root and has developed into a large tree.

Mr. Ferguson is strongly in favor of irrigation and thinks it will be the making of this country. He believes it is our greatest resource far more so than oil, for as he says, Oil wells go down, but an irrigated farm gets better and better.

In regard to the co-operative marketing of surplus lands, Mr. Ferguson says he has not given the matter much thought. As to his own land, he thinks he will divide it into 40-acre tracts and sell it with a small payment down, to men who will go on and farm. If necessary he would give a man 20 years to pay it out in.

Mr. Ferguson owns, in addition to his lands in Wichita county and Archer county, 2,000 acres of land in Wise county for which he has been offered $75 per acre and 800 acres in Grayson county which is worth $150 per acre, but of all the land he owns, he says the best of it is in this valley. Farmers who have not been able to come out even in farming on the shares in other counties have been able to make money here, and that without irrigation.

Mr. Ferguson is one of Wichita Falls' most substantial citizens. He is a man of high character and is noted for his sound business judgment. He is a most likable man personally, and has a host of friends.

What Today Means To You

A child born today will be well conducted, and in later life much respected.

Aspects of favorable nature occur which are beneficial for literary and artistic pursuits, and for dealings with people engaged in these lines. Today offers good signs not only along these lines, but in your private life as well.

If born today you should find yourself well equipped at the outset of your journey through life. You have naturally an enviable strength of mind as well as of character.

You are ambitious and conscientious in an undertaking which gives your talents a dramatic chance of displaying themselves to their best advantage.

You have good taste in art, literature and music, and some talent in all three. You might master the technique of any one of them, particularly music, but your emotional nature is not so strong in the quality of personal expression which mark the artist.

You should also make an excellent salesman, as your personal charm is your chief asset, and this would make up for any secret doubt you might have about what you are selling.

In disposition you are at times lacking in self-control. You are not necessarily easily irritated, but when aroused your anger is likely to run amuck and seriously affect your health. Remember, it is you who suffers most by these outbursts and a mere apology is no correction.

You are energetic and capable of continuous effort, even at things which do not interest you, but here again you have no sense of personal values, and you are quite as apt to be working for the benefit of some one else as for your own.

Marriage is one thing for which you are not pre-eminently suited. You might make a go of it if you find the right person, but you seek, of course, just exactly the type of person who would make you the most unsuitable mate. Your husband or wife should be well balanced and hav sufficient understanding to know your character.

Well-known persons born today: Thomas Jefferson, third president of the United States.

George H. Putnam, publisher.

Nicholas Murray Butler, educator, president of Columbia university.

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Felicie, an extremely beautiful young woman, is introduced by Jerry to Joy. Felicie admits that she has refused to marry.

Greg, an ardent suitor, because she prefers the sensation of meeting "new men." Joy finally breaks with Grant and openly quarrels with Sarah. Sal disappears, and Jerry, desperately anxious for her safety, institutes a search, which is led by Jim Dalton.

Soon through an opening into the hall charged two lads with question on their wide, young faces. Jerry stepped forward. "We want to know right now where Sal Saunders is," she demanded.

"Did—didn't she get back?" Crawf asked. "You aren't stringing us, Jerry? Trying to get a raise?"

"Nix!" Jerry snarled. "Where did you leave her?"

"I—I—well, we went down to the Toast and Jam and I suppose we did get pretty fuzzy. You know Sal never can hold it. Pretty soon she was so blotto she was making eyes at a couple of old boys in the corner. The old boys got fresh and we were feeling good and the head waiter requested our departure. Get out to the car and the old boys' was next. Of course Dum-Dum couldn't start it."

"The old boys' car?"

"Nope, ours. The old boys stayed in their car and watched the fun. We got under our car. Then all of a sudden we heard some brakes grinding a tune, and Sal yelling she'd never get back to town with us, so she was going with them. I rolled out from under and saw the tail-lights of the old boys' car spinning away."

"Let me get this straight," said Jim. "You take a girl down to a road house, get her drunk, and then let her sail off with two strange men?"

"What else could we do? We couldn't get a taxi and follow them up—it was no free garage."

Jim squared off, looking at them in unhurried, but imperative fashion. "Have you two got your car here? Well, get wour evening wraps and come along with us while we use it. We're going to the Toast and Jam—to see if the people there know anything more."

The two boys vanished through the opening.

"They're still dancing in the dark," said Joy. "I never saw anything like it—whole dances in the dark! Do they keep it that way all evening?"

"Oh no," Jerry explained. "They turn 'em on after awhile. It gives you a new sensation, anyway!"

That was it. Dancers in the dark—in search of a new sensation.

The Toast and Jam proved to be a large, rambling white farmhouse, nestled on a hill, with a dense thicket of automobiles flanking the barn.

A colored orchestra and a piebald mass of dancers, exercise of contacs whipping their blood higher and higher, the heat from the low-studded room growing with motion, so that they had to cling, but stickily—but they clung.

An assortment of all ages, having a preponderance of older men with more or less younger women whose general get-ups were equivocal.

But Jerry could find no one in the place who could remember the "old boys" with whom Sal disappeared.

"She'll turn up," said Jerry; but her voice hung fire.

Sal did not turn up. Days thickened into weeks, with a detective bringing steady reports of investigation along a blank wall. Something that he had said on undertaking the case quivered in Joy's memory.

"A missing-girl proposition is almost hopeless, you know, when 12,000 disappear every year."

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It was after the Christmas holidays that Pa Graham announced a new plan.

"You are working too steadily," he said. "You must go to New York and rest. I want you to sing for 'my baby.'"

He mentioned a name that was a household word for glory of song, a name that shone high and clear in the eminence where only the truly great stars remain, while others tremble for a day and then are gone.

"Sing—for—her!" Joy gasped. "Oh, Pa, I couldn't—not yet!"

"Little Joy—you will find as you go on that the greatest ones will always be the easiest and kindest before whom to sing. I shall write her a letter and she will send you word at the Belmont when to come."

Jerry announced that she was going, also.

"We can get Felicie, too," she said; "it's about time she went over to see Greg again."

Joy wrote her father for money for the trip, and his answering check and letter came when the three girls were all in Jerry's room. Joy read the letter with half her attention on Felicie's bewitchingness, when suddenly a name on the page caught her attention. She read the paragraph again:

"I hope while you are in New York that you will see your cousin, Mrs. Eustice Drew, who was Mabel Lancaster. The Lancasters of whom you may have heard me speak; they were your mother's cousince, once removed, and we have not kept up the relationship as she would have wished. I have written aMoel that you are coming, and she will undoubtedly call on you at the Belmont."

Mabel Lancaster! She who had come into Charlette's for her trousseau, with her brother, Phil Lancaster—of whom Jerry still thought with unquenchable flame. Heh first impulse was to show Jerry the letter. Then she held herself back. What if cousin Mabel would forget to call upon her—what if she wasn't the same one, after all—Joy had forgotten th married name Jerry had given. So she tore the letter into tiny bits.

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In New York, Joy sang for Pa Graham's "baby." The latter became quiet, judicial. "Pa Graham is right. The greatest of teachers are not always right—when the pupil has beauty which dazzles and deafens the beholder—but Pa is right with you. You have everything everything and to spare, in equipment! Now it is the question of the years of preparation. Many young girls start out as you, with high hopes and encouragement. Many do not finish—of their own fault and choosing. Are you of a steadfast mind?"

"I will let nothing come in my way," said Joy breathlessly, "not even love—"

"That is the thing that may end all . . . And perhaps you may be glad that all is over, if you love greatly." She looked down at the gorgeous rings on her fingers, and there was a little silence before she continued. "But most loves are not the great loves of which we sing and act; they are not the blazing altar-fire of which we dream; love comes down to a hearth fire, after marriage. And we who sing are not content with hearth fires. Remember that always, little one; we who sing are not content with hearth fires."

Joy returned to their hotel to find Jerry was sitting by the window, looking out into the darkness; a desolate Jerry with her hair pulled back, leaving her face white without shading.

"New York's getting under my skin," she said. "It spells Phil Lancaster to me, and a lot of other things that do me no good to think about; I've got to get out of here."

Joy put down her music roll before coming nearer, and as Jerry's eyes fell on it, she jumped up. "I'm a selfish fool. Tell me about it, very quick!"

Joy put down her music roll being story when Jerry interrupted her. "Here's a note they pushed under the door. I forgot to give it to you before."

It was a little hotel envelope containing the information that Mrs. Eustacee Drew had called and would call again at 6:30. Joy looked at her watch wildly. It was that now.

In a few minutes the telephone rang and a voice informed her that "Mrs. Drew was in the lobby."

Joy went down to the lobby and found cousin Mabel a pretty woman in her late twenties, dainty and luxurious-looking in her sables.

"I have been trying to get you for so long, my dear," she said after they had exchanged amenities. "Is it too late for you to run up to dine informally with us tonight. My big brother will be there and my husband and one or two others."

Joy stood with opened mouth. Mabel's big brother—

"I didn't know I had more cousins that I hadn't heard about,' she said heavily.

"Oh, yes, Phil! Setting to be a more hard-and-fast bachelor every year. "It's even difficult to get him to dine with us, so you really must come tonight."

Felicie was dining out that night so it was agreed that Joy should bring Jerry to Cousin Mabel.

Joy went slowly back to the room where Jerry stared out of the window. She was overwhelmed by misgivings. It did not seem possible that a love could have endured so long upon so little!

And now could Jerry hold her own in the house of Mabel Lancaster Drew? What would Mabel think when she saw Jerry— But Joy put away that thought.

What would she tell Jerry? It was hard not to tell her the incredible truth: it was the fair, square way that Jerry would have taken. But it might be better for Jerry to be unprepared.

Mabel's car called for them and set them down in front of a large red sandstone house just off Fifth avenue in the fifties, which brought a whistle from Jerry. "Say, Joy—what are you getting us into? The nearest I've been to this sort of stuff is the movies!"

It did not add to their composure to have a butler admit them, to be elevatored to one floor to take off their wraps and elevatored to another floor to meet Mabel. They were ushered into the drawing room candle-light which was the only illumination affected.

Mabel came forward to greet them. Joy could not know, as the East-Side fammin answered her cousin's greeting, that poor little Jerry had assumed the atmosphere of the successful designer at Charlette's conferring with a desirable patron.

Then Joy met Phil. Weary, blue eyes that settled on her without interest; a dark, beautiful face with hard lines, carving manliness into it and softer marks etching mitterness around the eyes and mouth; a man who, even Joy could sense, had been too inquisitive of life and found nothing worthy of his young curiosity.

She fell aside and looked back at Jerry. Jerry was never pretty; she could not sink to that level; tonight she was at the height of her fascination.

No one could wear bobbed hair quite like Jerry; it fluffed around her face, adding to the shimmering lights of expression—those lights that always seemed dancing to the surface, yet which by not being transmuted into speech and action, lent her subtlety, which is the essence of charm.

She came through to them, stately, gracious, with always that moonshine of charm flickering in her face.

"My brother Mr. Lancaster," said Mabel at her elbow. Jerry looked up—and vivid color, moonbeams, grande dame and all, were struck from her face as if an artist had wiped everything from his painting but the formless features."

A long moment she hung thus, one thin hand which she had put out before lifting her head, fluttering without volition. Then with a gasp almost heard in the suspended quiet, she took shape again. Starshine lurked itself into her face, and she threw back her head, bringing on the grande dame again in double-barreled force.

Valiant! Joy thought; valiant! and stole a look at him. There she had the great surprise of the evening. He was taking Jerry's hand, a bit lingeringly.

"You look very much like someone I met a long time ago," he said.

"A very long time ago?" murmured Jerry.

"Oh, very; at least four years—which means it was war times, and those times seem hundreds of years behind us now."

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AnotherA fine installment tomorrow.

W-K Spark Plugs Are a Success in Stationery Engines—Adv.

ADVANTAGES OF RODEO STATED

Event Regarded as Of Great Benefit To Community

That the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce regards the celebration and rodeo which will open on the Triangle ranch, Tpril 19, as an agency which will effectively advertise the irrigation project and this section as a whole, is made apparent in a letter from Hubert Harrison, general manager of the organization, to The Record News. In his letter Mr. Harrison states:

"On April 19 a four-day celebration and rodeo will open at the Triangle ranch of Tom L. Burnett, near Iowa Park. The opening day, April 19, has been designated as Wichita Falls day, and the chamber of commerce here urges all citizens to visit the rodeo on this day and on any of the three following days that they may find convenient.

"Our chamber of commerce recognizes that the widespread publicity which has been given through Mr. Burnett's organization, and through our own efforts, will be very beneficial to this section and will go a long way toward adv. tising the irrigation project."

Oklahoma introduces to the world a little foreigner who asserts that Sarah Bernhardt was his half-sister. He never disclosed the secret while the queen of the world's stage was in the land of the living. It must be true that "all men are liars."

Drilling Activities Show Increase In Territory Surrounding Olney

Special Dispatch to Record News

The Swastika Oil company set casing in their Richardson No. 1 on Wednesday of this week, and Mr. McLain says he thinks they have a good job of it. Six and five-eights casing was cemented at 1,380 feet, and now they will have to wait two weeks or more before the well is drilled in. Asked if they would standardize the tools before attempting to drill in, they replied that this would probably be done.

The same company has the derrick up for their well on the Pitts Neal farm five miles north, and this well will soon be ready to spud in. It will be a rotary test at least for a part of the way down.

Drilling Shallow Well

The Peters Drilling company, who took over the Monroe Production company's contract on the Kemp lease, five miles west, are drilling at 200 feet. They were shut down for several hours yesterday on account of minor rig trouble, but this has been corrected and work resumed. This is to be a shallow test, the contract calling for 1,250 feet, but they are confident of picking up the Swastika sand discovered by the Richardson test before reaching that depth, as the geology of the field indicates that the sand comes nearer to the surface by about 40 feet per mile as you go south from the location, and as there is a distance of about eight miles between the two tests, 1,250 is deep enough for that sand.

Monroe Spuds In

Monroe Production company spudded in Thursday for their test on the A. H. M. Anderson lease. This is being drilled with a star machine, but they started with 18-inch casing and contract for 2,700 feet unless oil or gas is found in paying quantities at a lesser depth.

A part of the rig material is on the ground for the Vernon test, and the rig will probably be the closest to town of any well yet drilled in the territory, being not over a mile, if that far, from the city limits.

Crisman, et al, of Wichita Falls, brought in a small producer in the old Miller field, east of town Tuesday from the Miller sand at a little better than 900 feet. There are five or six more tests now drilling in this vicinity. At this depth these wells are considered very profitable because of the fact that they keep on producing for years. The first well drilled in field, 12 years ago, still holds at practically its initial production and has never been cleaned out.

More Truth Than Poetry

By James J. Montague

IT IS GETTING DANGEROUS

When a lady decided, a few years ago,
That she hadn't been happily mated,
She wasted no tears when she though of the years
She must live with a man whom she hated.
She settled the matter the easiest way
With a large automatic revolver,
And, when she was tried, sat demure and dry-eyed,
For the jury was sure to absolve her.

Divorces, once prized by the tenderer sex
As a means of securing this freedom
Which a husband destroyed, were not largely employed,
For the unhappy wives didn't need 'em.
A homicide served, in the wink of an eye,
An unwelcome union to sever.
A quarrel thus composed was an incident closed—
And one that remained so forever.

But lately some juries have taken the view
That conduct like this isnt proper.
An unethical way is a killing, they say,
For mommer to get rid of popper.
In a number of cities and towns, it appears,
A notion has newly arisen,
That a mismated wife should not snuff out a life
Without being hurried to prison.

And soon, though this method of breaking a bond
Is simple and swift and convenient,
'Twill be ordered to cease, as a breach of the peace,
If juries prove stern and nulenient.
A homicide, punished by prison for life,
Will lose very shortly its savor,
And the old fashioned course that is known as divorce
Will come back to feminine favor.

PERFECTLY LOGICAL.

There was so much ice last winter that the companies lost millions of tons through their lack of facilities to cut it. Consequently the price will be a little higher this summer.

IT MAKES A DIFFERENCE

There wouldn't have been so much talk of desecrating Tut-ankh-amen's grave if oil had been found under it.

A NEW ONE

As a minority party issue, the full dinner pail has been succeeded by the full beer bucket.

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JEWELRY ON EASY PAYMENTS
Dave Paul
YOUR JEWELER
AMERICAN NAT'L BANK BLDG. PHONE 2036

Palmolive Soap
5 cents
Special sale today at the
United
REMOVAL SALE

Patronize Home Industry

One of the best ways to help Wichita Falls to grow is to patronize home industry. Firms who invest their money in our city give employment to workers and should encourage them to buy as nearly as possible all of their requirements in Wichita Falls..

Mail Order Houses

Mail order houses were established for small remote communities and the advantage of making profitable purchases is greater in a city of this size by buying of local business houses.

THE RECORD NEWS

believes in buying at home whenever possible, so much so that it refuses to publiish mail order advertising that is in direct competition to local business houses.

Two mail order contracts were received Saturday morning with instructions to run for several days. They were returned to the advertisers explaining our plan.

LET'S BE LOYAL TO WICHITA FALLS
—PATRONIZE "HOME INDUSTRY"

OUGHT TO W
PLENTY OF SAND
charges electrically c
ters said to be a succe
method of discharging

LITTLE MISS
MAID"—Simple
camel's hair cloth with

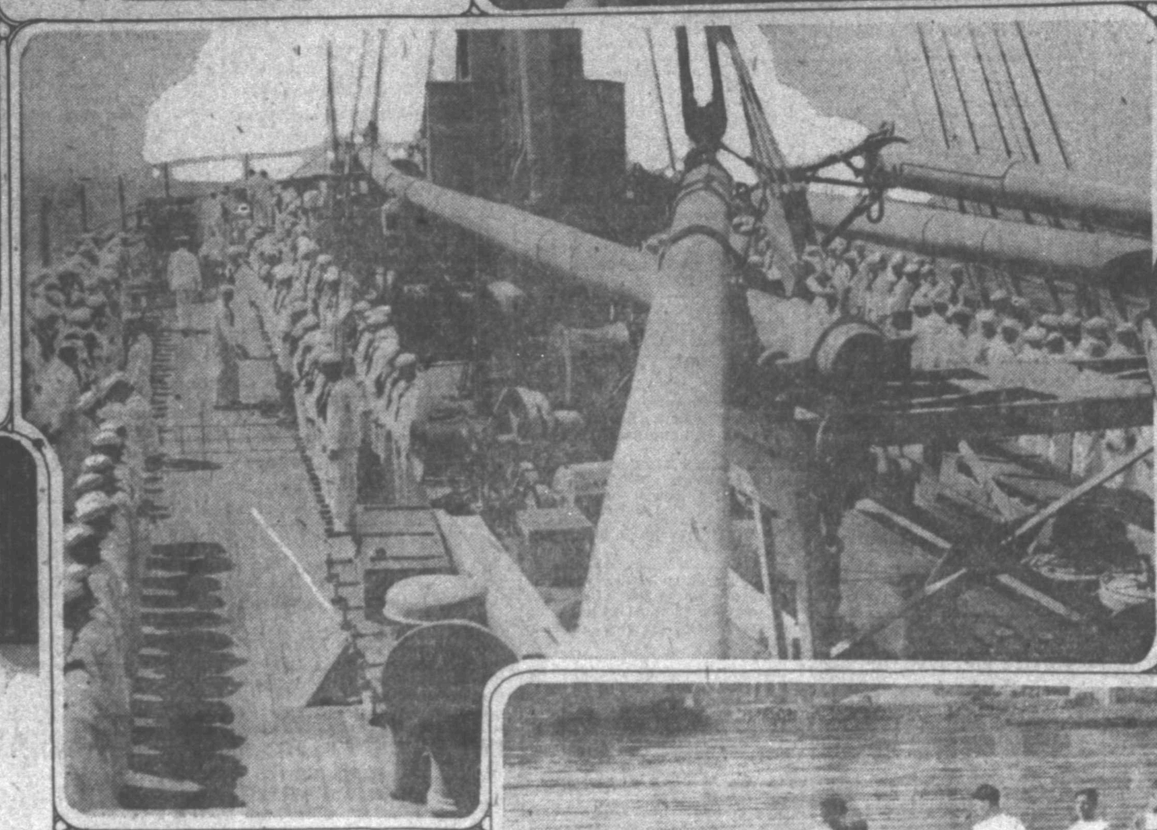
The Day's News in Pictures

OUGHT TO WORK GOOD IN THE SAHARA — THERE'S PLENTY OF SAND—L. Francis Warren's rain making device which discharges electrically charged sand into the clouds through airplane propellers said to be a success after tests at McCook Field, Dayton, O. Above, method of discharging sand from plane.

ITALIAN FLAPPER—Princess Santa Borghese lectures in U. S.

FALLS AT LAST—David Belasco in movies. L. to R. Hope Hampton, Belasco, Will Hays and Lenore Ulrich.

WELL, WE'VE BEEN FIRED, TOO—Leopold Wolfling, formerly Archduke Ferdinand of Austria, "canned" by Vienna bank, seeks a job as a translator.



BRAKEMAN'S—Financial deals are probed. Samuel W. Waltz, railroading Chicago bank president.

"GOBS" STAND INSPECTION DURING MANEUVERS—Weekly routine on U. S. S. Henderson during war game off Panama. Navy Secretary Denby with his party is making the inspection. He is witnessing maneuvers.

COLUMBIA "U" CREWS START SPRING TRAINING—Coach Jim Rice, left, is whipping Columbia crews into tiptop condition with daily workouts on Harlem river at New York. Above, freshman crew in action.

LITTLE MISS "TAILOR MAID"—Simple, mannish suit of camel's hair cloth with neat stripe.

CHINA TO HAVE DENTAL COLLEGE—Dr. Henry Y. Zee, 25, dean of the Northwestern Dental Clinic, Chicago, will establish dental college in Shanghai this summer.

COUNTESS REACHES BEDSIDE OF HUSBAND—Countess Carnarvon, now in Egypt with her husband, discoverer of the tomb of King Tut, who is suffering from the poisonous bite of some insect in the tomb.

SHE WINS THE GOLD MEDAL—Mrs. Robert Livingston outclasses the field at the traps of the Westchester-Biltmore club, Rye, N. Y., in the Gold Medal Trap shoot.

ADD THIS TO THE TALMADGE FAMILY ALBUM—Mrs. Buster Keaton and Buster, Jr. Young "Buss" looks as though he might be camera wise already. Maybe he is. Who can tell?

ONLY WOMAN STAGE MANAGER IN THE WORLD, THEY SAY—Miss Maude Howell, of the Green Goddess company, which ran for two years in New York, is said to be the only woman to hold such a stage position.

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Newly-weds May Buy Furniture Read Record News Ads

Train Information

Fort Worth and Denver—Southbound to Fort Worth: 8:00 a. m.; 2:50 p. m.; 9:00 a. m. Northbound to Childress and Denver, 3:20 a. m.; to Childress 1:05 p. m.; to Childress and Amarillo 3:20 p. m.

Wichita Valley—To Stamford and Abilene 2:40 p. m.; from Stamford and Abilene (arrive) 1:50 p. m.; Byers branch to Dean, Petrolia, Byers 9:30 a. m.; 2:50 p. m.; from Byers 12:30 p. m.; 6:05 p. m.

Wichita Falls and Northwestern—to Forgan 7:00 a. m.; from Forgan 7:40 p. m.

Wichita Falls and Southern—To Breckenridge 3:00 p. m.; from Breckenridge 12:40 p. m.

M. K. & T.—To Dallas, St. Louis, and Kansas City, 6:15 a. m.; St. Louis and Kansas City 6:45 p. m.; to Dallas 11:50 p. m.; from Dallas 6:15 a. m.; from Kansas City and St. Louis 10:55 p. m.; from Dallas, St. Louis and Kansas City 10:10 p. m.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Wichita Falls Council No. 149 R. & S. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m.
GEO. A. SMOOT, T. I. M.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Work in the Council degrees Monday, April 2nd, 7:00 p. m.
Work in the Council degrees Monday, April 9th, 7:00 p. m.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59 — Stated conclaves first and third Thursdays of each month.
OTTO STEHLIK, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M. Stated meetings the first and third Tuesday nights of each month. 813 Scott.
P. B. CURD, W. M.
ALBERT ELLIS, Sec'y.

Stated meeting and examination of candidates Tuesday, April 3, 7:30 p. m.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M., stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
JOHN A. ELDER, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y.

Instruction in the Entered Apprentice degree Monday and Tuesday, April 2nd and 3rd, 7:00 p. m.

Instruction in the Fellow Craft degree Wednesday, April 4th, 7:00 p. m.

Instruction in the Master's degree Thursday, April 5th, 7:00 p. m.

Work in the Master's degree Wednesday, April 4th, 6:00 p. m.

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

Hasskat Temple A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Tuesday each month at Faith lodge rooms, in Chenault Bldg., 812 Scott. All visiting Nobles invited to attend. Recorder's office 813 Scott street. Phone 3884.
FRANK COLLIER, Potentate.
AL ELLIS, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237, of the Eastern Star, meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. MABLE SPITZNER, W. M.
MRS. NENA FRITZ McGLYNN, Sec'y

Faith Chapter U. D., order of the Eastern Star, meets second and fourth Monday evenings in each month. 813 Scott.
RUTH A. VERMILLION, W. M.
AUGUST WISDOM, Sec'y.
Residence 2213 Ninth Phone 2836.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1150, B. P. O. E., meets first and third Mondays of each month at Elks club, corner Eighth and Scott Sts. Visiting members invited to attend.
R. F. JOHNSON, Exalted Ruler.
H. O. ENGLISH, Sec'y.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS meet Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. corner Ninth and Travis streets: club rooms open daily. Visitors welcome.
JOHN P. MARRS, C. C.
IRA D. BROWN, K. R. S.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 3001. Regular meetings every Friday night, 7:30 o'clock, at Labor Temple.
JOHN E. STEPHENS, O. C.
E. D. TREVANTHAN, Clerk.
Ph. 6720. 716 7th St.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday night at Odd Fellows Hall, 603 Scott street, at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers are requested to meet with us.
O. C. BLANTON, N. G.
J. W. BUSSEY, Recd. Sec.

Knights of Columbus, Wichita Falls Council No. 1473—Meets every Monday evening, 1509 Ninth Street. Visiting knights welcome.
C. J. COFFEY, G. K.
1116 City Nat. Bk. Bldg.
CLEM. J. GALLAGHER, F. S.
1404 Holliday.

HOPE CHAPTER ORDER OF DEMOLAY
Stated meetings second and fourth Thursdays of every month. Patrol meets every Tuesday and Thursday night. Master Masons cordially invited.
ROBERT L. M'ABEE, M. C.
All boys please bring your tickets and money for the minstrel. By special request, Robert L. McAbee, M. C.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA
Every member of the Modern Woodmen is cordially invited and especially urged to be present at a special session of the camp, 603½ Scott, at 8 o'clock Thursday evening March 29. Hon. Jno. E. Swanger, state deputy of Dallas, and F. E. Fritz, local district deputy, will be with us as assist in the adoption of a large class of applicants. Do not fail to be present.
E. G. COOKE, Clerk.

Political Announcement

J. C. KUEHN
Candidate for Park commissioner.
Lived in Wichita Falls—14 years.
Well known citizen.

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1c per Word

1 insertion, per word 1c
4 insertions, per word 3c
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No advertisement accepted for less than 25c for the first insertion.

We will not be responsible for errors to ads after first insertion.

Closing Hours

All ads for publication must be in The Record News office before 7:00 p. m. Saturday.

TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS when it is more convenient. Our collector will call within 24 hours, and as this is a cash service, only one insertion is permitted without the cash for the order.

PHONE 4121

2— Lost and Found

LOST—Baby pillow with maderia slip, between 1800 Huff and Weaver garage. Reward if returned to 1821 Huff, or Weaver garage.

LOST—Pair of gold rimmed nose glasses. Finder please phone 6689 and receive reward.

LOST—35x5 in. casing, about 10:30 p. m. Friday, on Burk road, about 2 miles from Wichita. Liberal reward if returned to Floral Apt., Apt. "N". Phone 4252.

3—Help Wanted Male

WANTED—Dairy hand; must be good milker. Apply office Producers Creamery Co., 104 Pecan St.

YOUNG man with pleasing personality, neat appearing, with references, who desires to connect with large company where hard work is compensated by rapid promotion. See Mr. Peters, 701B 10th St.

LADIES—HOME WORK—Earn $15 week mailing music and circulars in your city and vicinity. Send 10c for music copy and details. Joseph Benenatti, 447 E. 174th St., New York.

WANTED — Unincumbered middle aged lady to keep house in motherless home. Be quick. Phone 4082.

TWO NEAT APPEARING MEN WHO CAN FURNISH REFERENCES; PERMANENT PLACE WITH ONE OF THE LARGEST COMPANIES IN AMERICA; GOOD PAY AND RAPID PROMOTION. SEE MR. PETERS, 701-B TENTH ST.

WANTED—Several young sales ladies. Apply from 9 to 12 o'clock. Mr. Edwards, Hearn hotel.

6—Salesmen & Agents

REAL SILK HOSIERY MILLS
T. E. Evans, Sales Mgr.
910 8th St. Phone 3930.

WANTED—Local salesman. Hoyt Bros. Mfg. of Cigars, Clarkesville, Ark.

TWO reliable salesmen wanted. Real Silk Hosiery Mills. Apply 910 8th St.

A REAL selling proposition in a real organization, for a real worker. Call 2687, Mr. Hinkle, betwen 12 and 1, noon, or between 6 and 7 p. m.

SALESMEN WANTED
The largest manufacturer of Automatic scales in the world desires a sales representative for the Wichita Falls territory. Company furnishes consignment of scales and extensive direct-by-mail advertising assistance. Good income assured for capable, energetic salesman on commission basis, thereby earning in proportion to ability and time devoted. It is the same as being in business for yourself, except no investment required other than your time and automobile. Our representative will be in Wichita Falls within the next few days to interview applicants. In the meantime write Toledo Scale company, 2020 Main St., Dallas, stating your qualifications.

7— Situations Wanted

JOB WANTED—Ambitious young married man desires position as auto electrician. Efficient and will accept moderate salary to begin. Write Employment Service, U. S. Veterans' Bureau, 1503 Pacific Ave., Dallas, Texas.

JOB WANTED—Office man and auto parts salesman. Efficiency above the average. This man will make good auto and parts salesman. Write Employment Service, U. S. Veterans' Bureau, 1503 Pacific Ave., Dallas, Texas.

EXPERIENCED vulcanizer wants steady job in some north Texas town. Best of references; married. 1702 21st St. Galveston, Texas.

8 —Room and Board

WANTED—Two young men to board and room. Call At 1007 Burnett. Phone 6306.

ROOM and board in modern home $10 a week. 1100 Burnett St. Phone 5097.

9—Bedrooms for Rent

FOR RENT — Nice cool bedrooms very reasonable; convenient to car. 1600 Collins.

FOR RENT—Rooms and apartments, close in; convenient and reasonable. Phone 6122.

FOR RENT—1309 Lamar; bedroom for two gentlemen; can get good meals next door.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom for two settled gentlemen who would appreciate a good home. Phone 395.

9—Bedrooms for Rent

Two large south bedrooms connecting bath; on pavement. 1103 Lamar. Phone 2479.

FOR RENT—Several nice bedrooms, private entrance and connecting bath. Phone 2830. 1409 10th St.

FOR RENT — Two-room servant house and bedroom. 2003 11th. Phone 2243.

NICE pleasant room adjoining bath. Phone 5874—600 Scott.

UPSTAIRS bedroom, modern conveniences; for one or two gentlemen. Apply 1006 Tenth St.

10—Housekeeping Rooms

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished two-room apartment, close in. 1205 Scott avenue.

FOR RENT—Two Furnished housekeeping rooms, modern conveniences, $7 per week.

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms, in modern home; $1 per day. 413 Burnett.

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms, modern conveniences. $7 per week.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms to couple without children. 606 Travis.

TWO rooms furnished for light housekeeping; with modern conveniences. 1210 Indiana.

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms; modern. 1309 Sixteenth St.

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms with use of piano; rent reasonable. 207 Scott avenue. Phone 4690.

TWO light housekeeping rooms; in walking distance, $35 per month. 707 Burnett. Phone 6772.

FOR RENT—Two neatly furnished housekeeping rooms with garage; to couple only, no children. Apply 1511 Thirteenth St. Phone 2786.

11—For Rent Apartments

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished housekeeping rooms, modern conveniences, $7 per week. 2004 Kemp Blvd.

UNFURNISHED 5-room apartment, water, gas and garage; furnished $85 per month. 1005 Tenth St. Can be seen Monday.

FOR RENT—3-room furnished apartment, front and rear entrance; sink in kitchen; garage; close in; on car line. For information, call at 1007 17th St.

UNFURNISHED apartment, 1406 Burnett, $40. W. S. Carlee, phone 4117.

THREE-room furnished apartment. $40. 2204 Eighth. Phone 3632.

AVONDALE has good modern rooms, $4 to $6 per week. 714½ 9th St.

12—For Rent Houses

UNFURNISHED 5-room house, 2137 Ave. F, $40. W. S. Carlee, phone 4117.

FOR RENT—Residence, five rooms and bath, unfurnished; garage and cement driveway; 1207 Ninth St., on pavement. Phone 3850 for appointment, to inspect.

TWO-room furnished servant house. 1914 10th St. Phone 4095.

Bargains in homes. We have them, and new.
Five rooms, breakfast room, edge-grain floors, built-in features; fireplace, mantel and bookcase; $5,250, $750 cash, balance monthly.
$500 cash puts you in a new 5-room house in good location.
Phone 3220.
CHILDERS & DERDEN
Bank floor Amer. Nat'l Bank Bldg.

13—For Rent Bus. Location

FOR RENT—One store building, 105 Main street. Inquire J. M. Edwards, 625 East 4th street, Burkburnett Texas.

14—Wanted to Rent

SMALL, modern, furnished house wanted by refined young couple. Box 30, Record News.

15— Miscellaneous

WINFREY FIXIT SHOP. Ph. 5213, with Collier & Landon, 825 Indiana.

17— For Sale Misc.

WALL PAPER, paints, window glass and picture framing at prices that will save you enough money to pay you well for your time to see us. We also do contracting and will be glad to furnish you estimates on your work without obligation.
WICHITA FALLS PAINT AND PAPER COMPANY,
Successors to Wilhite & Townley
622 Ohio Ave. Phone 6183

TRY a few cars of my Seymour gravel and sand. It meets the most exacting requirements of concrete or masonry. R. D. Mugg, Seymour, Texas.

19—Poultry, Eggs, Etc.

WILL pay 50 cents for three weeks loan of setting hens. Bring them to 1510, 7th St.

NO MORE trouble dipping, powdering and spraying chickens for insects. A few drops of Fat Lice Remover rids them of blue bugs, lice, mites, fleas, and red bugs at a very small expense. For sale on a money back guarantee, at Morgan Feed Store.

FOR SALE—Pit game setting eggs. 1617 Laurel.

FANCY Rhode Island Red eggs: $1.50 per setting of 15 eggs. D. C. Painter, ½ mile northwest of county farm.

20— Live Stock

FOR SALE—Jersey milk cow; good milker and very gentle. F. J. Crawford, 1405 Austin St.

FRESH Jersey Holstein cow. Phone 3058.

$100 MILCH cow for sale. 295 Lamar avenue.

22— Financial

P. B. CURD
Fire Insurance and Farm Loans

24—Bus. Opportunities

FOR SALE—3-burner A.B. gas stove, used two months. 2104 9th St.

25— Special Notices

IF YOU are going to drive to California and want an experienced driver, I will drive your car through for expenses. Know the roads and can furnish best references. Write Box 1, Record News.

PRACTICAL house moving, raising, leveling. Jack Mumphrey. Phone 5094.

W. L. DILLIARD, CANDIES
Oh, so delicious. We make them.
Wholesale and Retail
617 Indiana Ave. Phone 3858

NU-BONE, flexible, reducing corsets; work guaranteed, surgical rep. Phone 2863, after 6. Mrs. Bolen.

WE KNOW our business and want yours. Irish Moore, plumbing. Phone 5740.

PAINTING and paperhanging, room papered, price $5 to $10, including paper. Phone 5641. Liggett.

PLUMBING, the satisfactory kind; done and guaranteed by Charles D. Hughes. Phone, day, 6011; night 2224.

WE WILL move you for $2.50 per load. Brown's Transfer, The Careful Mover, 605 Seventh. Phone 2286.

MOORE Plumbing Co., Phone 6390 910 Sixth street.

PAPER hanging, painting. Prices reasonable; work guaranteed. Call Thomas, 6033.

MACK & MACK
Plumbing Co.
Phone 2632 or 5369

MATTRESSES RENOVATED —Have your mattresses made new. We will bring sample of ticking to your home. Call for and deliver the same day. Bell Matttress Co., Phone 2412.

HOUSE moving. We raise, move and underpin houses. Day phone 5735, night 3650. A. Drake.

FOR PLUMBING Phone 3644. David Black.

HAVE your old mattresses renovated. Will make them as good as new and save you from $2 to $3 each. Patton Mattress Factory, 402 Indiana. Phone 2030.

L. A. CHILDS, plumbing and gas fitting. 1207 Scott. Phone 5584.

PLUMBING—Our cars carry a complete line of repairing materials with them. You do not have to pay for that trip back to the shop. J. H. Castleline, 907 aVn Buren. Phone 4420.

POLK JAMES estate is to be sold at Chatfield, Texas, in April and his son, Sutton James, is wanted. If found, notify R. R. Owen at Corsicana, Texas.

DRAKE TRANSFER and Storage. Day phone 5735; night phone 3650; does crating, packing and shipping; local and long distance hauling. Oil field trips a specialty. Shelby Drake, manager.

26— Personal

SPIRITUALIST reading; for appointment phone 6015.

CHIROPODIST
DR. FURMAN, 900 Eighth St.

P. B. CURD
Fire Insurance and Farm Loans

27— Dressmaking

PLAIN and fancy sewing; taffeta dresses $5. Children's sewing a specialty. Mrs. Benson, 711 Austin. Phone 4835.

28—Wanted Furniture

WHEN YOU sell furniture let us give you a bid.
MICKS FURNITURE CO.,
716 Seventh. Phone 5528

THE STAR FURNITURE CO.

Will pay you more for your used furniture.

910 Indiana. Phone 6011.

WANTED TO BUY
Just any kind of second hand rugs, cook stoves, heaters, broken chairs and anything else you may want to turn into cash. Phone 6513 and we will call.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE CO.

"WILL PAY CASH"
Wanted to buy, five or six rooms of furniture. Phone 3316.

29—For Sale Furniture

WHEN looking for bargains in used furniture see us. We can furnish your apartment or house on easy payments.
STAR FURNITURE CO.,
920 Indiana. Phone 6011

WE BUY, SELL and EXCHANGE FURNITURE
Oscar T. Doell's Furniture Co.
720 Seventh St. Phone 4720

29—For Sale Furniture

WINTERS FURNITURE CO.
We buy, sell and exchange furniture; sell us yours. Phone 4219. 822 Ohio.

29—For Sale Furniture

BETTER FURNITURE FOR LESS
We can save you money on furniture, stoves and rugs. Used furniture in exchange for new.
Cash, Terms or Trade
PEOPLES FURNITURE CO.
Phone 3223. 607 Indiana.

FOR SALE—Kitchen cabinet; excellent condition. 1630 Lucile.

WHEN YOU buy furniture let us help you to save.
MICKS FURNITURE CO.,
71. Seventh. Phone 5528

FURNITURE! FURNITURE!
for sale; all kinds. We buy furniture, stoves, rugs, etc.
MILLICAN FURNITURE CO.
805 Seventh St. Phone 4785

WILL PAY the highest cash prices for used furniture.
STAR FURNITURE CO.
910 Indiana. Phone 6011.

33—Autos and Accessories

NEW CORES installed. We use genuine factory equipment cores. Quick, dependable service.
SUPREME RADIATOR CO.
605 Scott St. Phone 2804

1922 Chevrolet coupe; bargain.
1920 Franklin; bargain.
Four Chevrolets—$50, $75 and $100.
Two Dodge tourings, '20 and '21.
One Buick roadster, K-44, winter top.
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Weather Just Right For New Easter Clothes

A day that was "just satisfactory" was provided by the local weather man for Wichita Falls' Easter Sunday, and while things could have been more pleasant, General Public and his family made few complaints.

A high wind from the south drove dust clouds through the streets for the entire day. In midafternoon, especially, the breeze was too noticeable for comfort but this did not prevent hundreds of motorists from spending their time on the city streets and country roads. At no time was the temperature too high or too low.

Easter finery made its annual appearance on the streets Sunday morning and the throngs that crowded the churches of the city presented a vivid and colorful sight. Milady's new bonnets and frocks were worn without fear of despoilment, which resulted in the entire array of spring garments being out in force.

COTTON PRICES GREATLY VARY

Advances Expected To Follow Continued Bad Weather

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW ORLEANS, April 1.—The price of cotton moved over a fairly wide range of prices, 17 to 29 points on the trading months. At the highest the market was 35 to 69 points over the close of preceding week while at the lowest it was 20 to 99 points under. The close was 54 points down to 23 points up, compared with the closing quotations of the preceding week. Irregularity was due mainly to straddling operations between the old and the new crop months. May traded as low as 27.70, as high as 28.89 and closed at 27.93. October traded down to 23.84, up to 25.04 and closed at 24.80. In the spot department middling lost 25 points in the net results, closing at 28.50 against 16.63 on the close of this week last year.

Liquidation was extremely heavy and came from both sides. Unloading by the long interest caused some of the weakest periods of the week, while toward the end, covering by the short interest brought a much steadier market than would otherwise have been apparent. On the long side was not aggressive, and this seemed to be caused by the continued quiet in the spot department, there being no special demand from any direction. Late in the week, however, interior spot markets said the domestic mills again were feeling out the market. The movement of cotton out of the country was unusually small; total exports from all ports being only 36,027 bales against 81,335 this week last year, and 71,432 this week two years ago.

The weather of the week was almost uniformly unfavorable, temperatures being too low in all cotton states, while too much rain fell everywhere except in Florida, which is the one state that now desires moisture.

For the next two months, low temperatures and excessive rainfall would be arguments for higher prices while seasonably warm weather and occasional light showers would furnish ideal conditions for putting in the crop and bringing it up to a stand and would encourage selling.

Soccer Teams Battle To Tie for U. S. Championship

Associated Press Dispatch

HARRISON, N. J., April 1.—The Paterson (N. J.) football club and the Scullin Steel Eleven of St. Louis, Mo., national soccer champions, fought a 2-2 extra period tie today in a match for the soccer championship of the United States. A crowd of 14,000 persons saw the contest.

BONDS CONTINUE PRICE DECLINES

Active U. S. Government Issues Touch New Low Levels

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, April 1.—With the exception of a few individual issues, mostly of a speculative nature, bond prices during the past week were carried somewhat lower. Most of the active United States government bonds touched new low records early in the week, rallying slightly in later sales after reports that another increase in the federal reserve re-discount rate was contemplating, had been proved groundless.

Time money seems to be fixed at 5* per cent and loans for two and four months maturities were limited. Quarterly settlements and a tendency on the part of bankers to reserict loans in anticipation of a spring withdrawal by agricultural centers also contributed to the reactionary trend of bond prices. The undertone, however, continued firm.

An unusually large amount of bonds have been called for redemption in April in advance of maturity. The total for the month is estimated at $138,338,350, as compared with about $26,000,000 in March and only $12,567,000 in April last year.

Several heavy railroad issues are expected in the next few weeks, the interstate commerce commission having announced approval of the applications of a number of roads for new financing equipment trusts have proven a popular form of financing by railroads and bankers report they find no difficulty in disposing of such bonds.

British capital issues in February amounted to 10,055,713 pounds compared to 21,051,940 pounds in January and 25,996,007 pounds in February 1922.

While there was a revival of talk among international bankers as to contemplated South American financing, none of the discussions has reached a definite stage.

Missing Austin Boy Found By Searchers

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Texas, April 1.—Mouson Barton, 9-year-old boy who disappeared at 7:30 o'clock last night was found at 10 o'clock this morning after having wandered more than seven miles out on the Lockhart road. Nearly 1,000 persons searched last night and early this morning for the missing boy.

Searchers organized under direction of Lieutenant Colonel John T. Stockton, located the boy at a Mexican's home where he had appeared at 1:30 this morning.

27 Tests Planned In Garvin County

PAULS VALEY, Okla., April 1.—Twenty-seven wells are to be drilled in the Robberson oil and gas field of Garvin county during the spring and summer by the Magnolia Petroleum corporation, it is reported from field offices of the corporation. These will be principally in sections 14, 15 and 16 of 1 north, 3 west.

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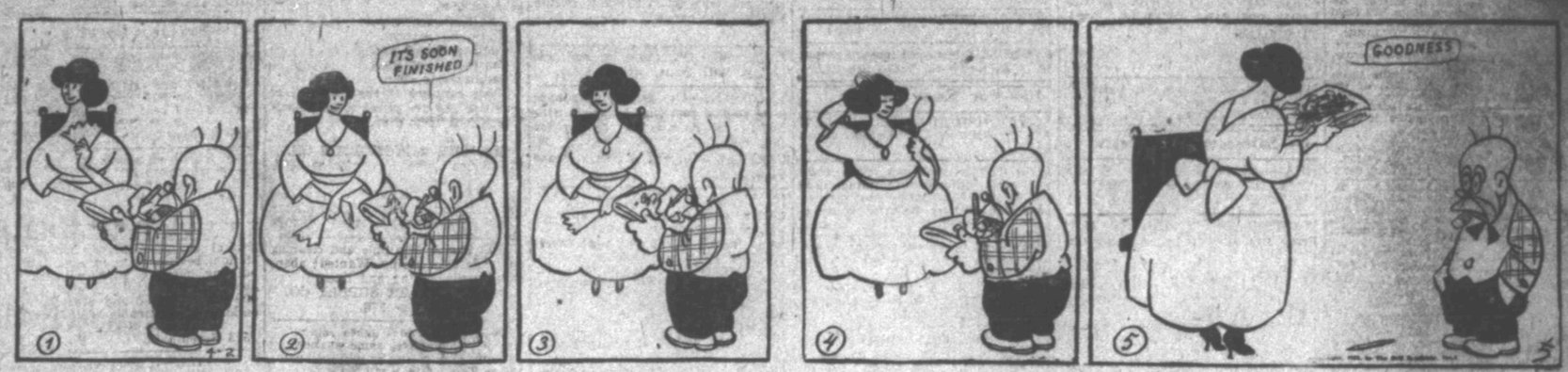

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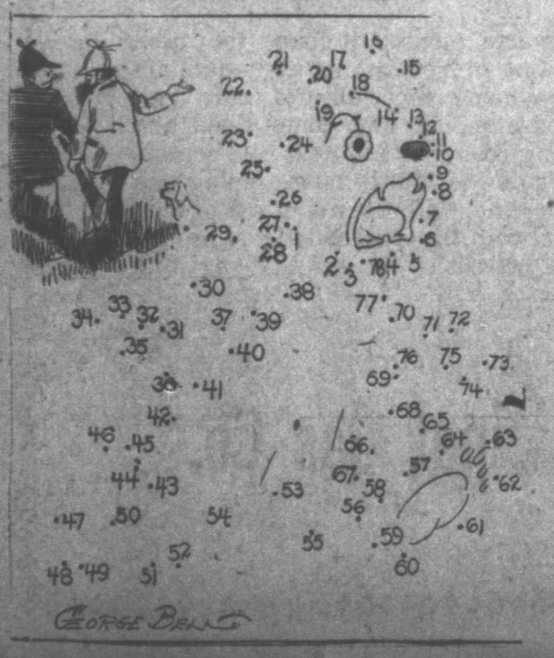

REG'LAR FELLERS The Guest Finds He Made An Impression By Gene Byrnes

K.T. ATTENDANCE HERE LAUDED

Post Writes of Services Sunday at First Baptist Church

By COL. JAMES L. POST

Rev. N. F. Grafton of the Presbyterian church delivered the Easter sermon to the Templars of Wichita Falls commandery, Sunday afternoon. He was assisted by Rev. S. A. Barnes who acted as commandery prelate. Both ministers are Knights Templar. The services were held in the First Baptist church. Rev. Grafton opened his address with the 28th chapter of Matthew and his text was from John 11:25.

The Rev. Grafton delivered an eloquent sermon in which he took exception to the impression prevailing in some quarters that the world is headed in the wrong direction. He cited examples of ancient and modern conditions and clearly pointed out the advances made in morals and in men's dealing with each other since Christ's time, proving conclusively that the world is on a higher plane than it ever was.

The church was crowded and the galleries would have been filled had it been generally understood that the public was invited after the 150 Knights Templar in line and Hope chapter DeMolay had been provided for.

Had Grand Captain General Bell of the Texas grand commandery witnessed the magnificent turn out today with Commander Otto Stehlik in the lead he would have been more than ever convinced that all the nice things he said about this commandery on his recent visit of inspection, were justly deserved. This commandery has only been in existence 11 years and has about 700 Sir Knights on its roster. Grand Captain General Bell stated on his last visit that this commandery stood second in rank with the largest commandery in the state of Texas, for new members for the year. In other states where commanderies sometimes have on the roster 5,000 Sir Knights and each Sir Knight leaves it for the other Sir Knight to do it they have about a 10% turn out on Easter. The Wichita Falls commandery turned out 20% and many of its members are out of the city. A feature of the Templar parade was Leon Taylor's band which will compare favorably with any Templar band in the country and many of them in some of the cities are composed exclusively of professional musicians.

At the church the musical selections were well handled by the choir and the Holy City by Mrs. Lesulla Thompson and selections by the commandery quartette would have received encores if it hadn't been in a church. The ode to the flag delivered by Past Commander George Lawler was very impressive.

As a guest of honor on the platform was J. D. Avis, district grand master of the council.

The past commanders present were: A. F. Kerr, C. R. Haynie, Emil V. Friberg, George W. Lawler, William Y. Hemmack.

Music Program At Christian Is Broadcast By WKAF

WKAF last night broadcast the entire sermon and music service of the First Christian church as a part of its Easter program.

Wilkie Talbot as the official announcer and R. E. Shepherd as head of the choir with Dr. L. D. Parnell as choir director, handled the radio probram without a hitch.

The program included "The Seven Last Words of Christ," Theodore DuBois and "The Risen King" by P. A. Schnecker. Among those who took part in the musical program were Mrs. R. E. Stange, organist; Miss Hazel Dean, R. D. Ford, Paul Rutledge, Paul Pond, Mrs. Lee Clark, Miss Ellen Parker, Mrs. Lambreth Hancock and others.

Henrietta To Hold Trades Day Today

HENRIETTA, April 1.—Monday, April 2, is expected to be a great event to the merchants of Henrietta, when thousands of visitors from this section of the country will attend the monthly trades day.

The movement is under the direction of the Henrietta chamber of commerce. More than 75 prizes valued at $500 will be given away by local concerns. Cut price sales at 40 of Henrietta's business houses will be in full away. An extensive program of music, races, shows and other attractions has been secured for the event.

Resurrection Is Greatest Doctrine Says Judge Kay in Sunday Lecture

"Sometimes down here I have, perhaps, poked a little fun at some, at least, of the ideas that men call doctrines. I have tried to point out to you, from time to time, the thought that some of these doctrines were not important or, if important, not vitally important. It is right queer how the human mind can seize on a little, narrow idea and build a great system about it. There are some religious people who haven't got enough doctrine even to tell anybody about. Their doctrine is not of enough consequence. But, we come this morning to a real doctrine.

This doctrine of the resurrection is not only the one doctrine of Christianity, but it is the one doctrine of every religion. It was the doctrine of the Indian, who believes in his happy hunting ground, and of the Buddhist in India who hoped at last, after much effort and sacrifice, to reach Nirvana. It is world-wide and more ancient than history itself.

To Silence Skeptics.

Oftentimes we hear of some professor in a college here or there who says that he doesn't believe in the divinity of Christ. We find another man down here on the street who says he believes that Christ was merely a great example. We find another great professor over here who says he doesn't believe in miracles. We find another who doesn't believe in the vicarious atonement; and this, and that, and the other, of the weeds that grow about unbelief. But if you would utterly destroy the talk of that man who doesn't believe in the divinity of the Savior, ask him if he believes in the resurrection. He is not worrying about the divinity of Christ, or the virgin birth, or the atonement, or miracles. The thing that he refuses to believe is in the resurrection of the dead. So we come to consider, then, the very life doctrine of religion.

If They Were Right.

Did you ever stop to imagine a world and a people who didn't believe, and were honest about it, this doctrine of the resurrection? Let us go for a moment and try to live among such people. In such a place, and among such a people, where there was no hereafter, where there was no reward, where there was no punishment, where there was no forgiveness, no keeping of a judgment roll—what matters if I take my neighbors' goods? What matters it if I take my neighbor's life? Not at all. Without that belief, and without that doctrine, all of this great fabric that you call morals, and ethics, all of that experience of the ages that has accumulated in what we cal law, I say, in any such a community morals, ethics and the law would be unknown, and unheeded, and unjustified.

If I am to live my life selfishly, as may, and as would, what matters to me the welfare of other men? In such a land, i such a land there was, mere might would be the only right, and mere strength the only salvation. In such a life, such a land and among such a people, if such a people there could be, what would matter time, and space, and experience, and everything, let alone morals, and ethics, and law? If there was no punishment for the wicked, no reward as an incentive for the good, "Time would be but a manais scattering dust, and Life a fury slinging flame." Thatis the doctrine that we must believe in, or perish.

"Never Fight Yourself."

Now, I can see these fellows walk down to Emmaus, after the crucifixion. Did you ever feel like you were beat for good—all your hopes scattered, al your plans gone at last to naught, all your efforts unavailing, all your toil unrewarded, all your belief unjustified? Let me beg of you, if you get nothing else out of what I am saying to you this morning, let me beg of you never surrender inside your own soul. The world may beat you, your plans may come to naught, men may forsake you—but never make war upon ourself.

These fellows were discouraged. Ah! That's the rock that sinks most of us. Discouraged! Too much warkness Too many clouds. Too much rain. Too much opposition. No way out.

Did you read General Lee's proclamation to his soldiers at Appomattox? You couldn't beat a man like that. His heart was beating just as true and just as strong, still true to himself.

Don't give up and quit. You say, "Well, Im mighty poor." Well, you have got a right to be poor. Once in a while you hear a fellow say "I have had to work hard all my life.' The constitution guarantees him that right. Another fellow says, "I have never had a chance." What he is trying to say is that he never made the chance. He never took an ax and hewed him out a path.

So these fellows were discouraged, and there they learned that the resurrection was true, in deed and in fact, with all that it implied, with all that it meant to them, and to all that humanity who should follow after them. They believed in it.

What did the Savior say to them He knew that you would be a materialist. He knew that you wanted somethink that you could take home with you. He knew that you wanted something that you could take home taste, or see. So, He says: "Come up here and put your hands on me. Give me some of this bread and honeycomb and I will eat it." Trying to convince the materialistic world that He was risen.

Resurrection Doctrine.

Now, why do we celebrate the resurrection? Because it is the one doctrine of religion. Take that away and it is all gone. It is the one doctrine, I say. It is the one doctrine that you are obliged to believe or perish, and the others are insignificant in comparison to it.

Now, belief in the resurrection—I want to say what that means, and I shall have done. You say you believe in it. Now, just what does that mean to you? Do you want to go to heaven and just beat the gates and get in? Do you want to go to heaven because you think you would be better off there than some other place? That wasn't His idea, and it isn't the true religious idea. Do you want to go to heaven as a reward for your virtue? Do you want to go there merely to escape hell? Not that! Not these, nor any of these. But, your belief in the resurrection does, or ought to lead you to a high effort to make in that world, whatever that world is, and whatever its system may be, to make in that world a citizen that will be an honor to the Maker over there.

You know, I think, there is going to be just as much distinction over there in heaven as there is here on earth, and maybe more. And, I expect some of us fellows who have been right prominent down here, if we get in at all, may occupy a very humble position. Why do I say that? Do you remember the story of Lazarus and Dives? Old Lazarus was just the same kind of a stick over there as he was here—sitting up in Abraham's bosom, leaning up on other men. So, I say, I think there will be distinction. A man wants to go there with some history, some record of clean living here, and he wants to live right, not so he can beat the gate. You know it is a poor stick of a citizen that keeps the law because he is afraid of the jail, and yet there is a whole army of them. These fellows that invented jails, and sheriffs, and punishments, were wise in their generation.

We want to live righteously and cleanly, I say, not to beat the gate; but, I say, we want to live that way because it is right and because we are right. It says somewhere in the New Testament that the right kind of a man is not under the law at all. The law is not even made for him.

But, I say to you that the only fine man, the only fine, fine man—as I see it—is the man who does right because it is right. He is his own judge, and his own jury, and his own law, and his own reward. That's what we mean by that ancient proverb that says "Virtue is its own reward"—and that's all it does mean.

How many men are willing to go out here and say that the president of the United States, the governor, the law, and all the reward, and all the punishment, and all the power of government, and all the power of society, is going to be exercised by me, in my own heart, and I am my own law, and I am going to live right in order that I may be right. It don't matter much to that kind of a fellow what happens.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I desire to announce to all my friends that I have severed my connection with the Gamble Battery Co. and have connected myself with the Wakefield Garage and Battery Co., 909 Lamar street. I shall be pleased to greet my friends, who may need battery or generator service. Call and see me. C. E. ROSSER.

SCORES HIGH IN MUSIC MEMORY

Carrigan School Wins In Contest With Perfect Score

Carrigan school won first place in the city music memory contest held Friday night at the First Baptist church when the pupils from that school finished with the grand average of 100 per cent. Alamo school finished second with an average of 99.2 per cent while the Junior high triumphed over the Senior high by having an average of 98.2 to the older pupils' average of 96.5. A small group will be selected to represent Wichita Falls at the district meet to be held in Iowa Park April 13 and 14.

In order to give each school an equal chance in representation and averages, 40 per cent of the music department was selected from the junior and senior high schools while 10 per cent of the ward school departments were selected.

Many Perfect Scores

The average of the schools and the names of the students making a grade of 100 per cent are as follows:

Carrigan 100 per cent; Alamo, 99.2 per cent; Sam Houston, 97.3 per cent; Barwise 96.5 per cent; Austin, 94.8 per cent; San Jacinto, 91.6 per cent; Travis, 81.5 per cent; Fannin, 73.7 per cent.

Children making 100 per cent in each school are as follows:

Carrigan—Miss Edna Martin, teacher; Maurine Martin, Helen Hildreas, Maidelle Anderson, Beatrice Beckner.

Alamo—Teacher, Mrs. Wayne Holiness; Raymond Monkress, Edith White, Sara Creath, Don Ruth Coffee, Geraldine Monroe, Frank McMordie, Roberta Kemp, Jewel Newmon, Annetta McMordie, Lois Franklin, Katherine Douglas, Lillian Conn, Thelma Bridges, Evelyn Karr, Jean Fisk, Nathalie Lebenson, Cornelia Criswell, Wilma Donnell, Rose Buchanan, Wanita May Fanning.

Sam Houston—Teacher, Miss Olga Morris; Lois McAfee, Hazel Hobbs, Orby Hodges, Kathryn Keller, Frances Nelms, J. T. Morrow, Mary Kathryn Hankerson, Lucille Malacord.

BARWISE—Teacher, Miss Ruth Hill; Ray Foy, Jessie Mae Howell, Eva Raines, Curl Manx, Cecile Hutchinson, Franklin Campbell.

Austin—Teacher, Miss Hazel Dean and Miss Frances Smith; Edward Bell, James Earl Prothro, Bernice Brown, Minnie Cook, Valley D. Hammond, Elna Stovall, Leona Thom, Mary Virginia Barron, Loneta Smith, Edna Sinclair, Louise Ramey, Dorothy Fair, Hilda Holbert, Mary Dodson, Blanche Beckner, Josephine Kelly.

San Jacinto — Helen Ballou, Ivey D. Bates, Elizabeth Kinard, Edgalee Gilham.

Fannin—Mildred Jefferies.

Travis—Melba Anderson.

Junior High—Marguerite Gerhardt, Lorene Tucker, Offie Lee Wheat, Vivlene Ross, Floyd Ard, Thelma Guinn. High School—Lucile Wiley, Alice Copeland, Schumake N. Baber, Vaugn Buchanan, Helen Mae Smith, Marie Beaty, Margaret Mode, Dorothy Rollins.

Board Member Makes Vigorous Reply To Critics of New School Official

A vigorous rebuttal of supposed rumors regarding Dr. J. W. Cantwell, recently elected superintendent of the Wichita Falls public schools, has been made by W. B. Chauncey, a member of the school board, in a communication to The Record News. Mr. Chauncey states that "the report has been going the rounds of the city that 'Dr. Cantwell was the superintendent of the Gatesville Training school at the time one of the boys was severely whipped,'" and it is to refute this charge that Mr. Chauncey has prepared his statement on the matter.

In sending his letter to The Record News, Mr. Chauncey sent copies of four letters from Fort Worth men who knew and dealt with Dr. Cantwell during his superintendency of the Fort Worth school system.

Cantwell Efficient.

The first was from George C. Clarke, president of the Fort Worth school board at the time Dr. Cantwell was superintendent. Excerpts from the letter follow:

"I was spresident of the school board at the time Mr. Cantwell resigned the superintendency to accept a position in the Oklahoma T. & M. We offered Mr. Cantwell every inducement to stay with us, but he informed us it had always been his ambition to become president of an A. & M. college. In selecting Mr. Cantwell superintendent of your schools, it is my honest opinion that you have secured one of the best school men in the United States.

(Signed) "GEORGE C. CLARK."

Cockrell O. K.'s Cantwell.

The second letter was from Mayor E. R. Cockrell, and read:

"Instead of concurring in the opinion of Mr. Cantwell's critics that you have made a mistake, I wish to congratulate you on securing his services. * * * I feel safe in saying that you will have no cause to regret Mr. Cantwell's connection with your schools.

(Signed) "E. R. COCKRELL."

Well Educated.

J. W. Stitt, a leading Fort Worth attorney, wrote that "Mr. Cantwell is decidedly the most thoroughly educated, the most progressive, the most able and efficient superintendent these schools have ever had. He was a thoroughly competent and popular leader, and secured and kept an excellent degree of harmony. His administration was eminently successful and satisfactory, and was so recognized by the board, the teachers, the pupils and the public.

(Signed) "J. W. STITT."

Leroy A. Smith, an attorney of Fort Worth and a member of the school board at the time of Mr. Cantwell's superintendency, states that "* * * I believe that he was the very best superintendent that Fort Worth ever had. I do not see how it would be possible for a man to do better service than he did. Wichita Falls is fortunate in securing his services. As a school superintendent, he is efficient to the last degree.

(Signed) "LEROY A. SMITH."

Council to Discuss Avenue F Paving

Discussion of the proposed Avenue F paving project and disposition of routine business matters are to come up before the city council at its regular weekly meeting tonight. Aside from the paving questions, nothing of importance is ahead for attention.

The Avenue F paving stretch has been considered before but may be passed on finally tonight.

IRRIGATION TO BE DISCUSSED

Technical Club Announces Important Meeting Tuesday Night

The Technical club will hold its regular meeting at the Wichita club rooms next Tuesday night, the season promising to be one of the most important that the club has held for a long time.

There will, if time allows, be three features. The first is the discussion of the tentative contract proposed between irrigation districts Nos. 1 and 2. This contract will be presented by C. H. Clark, president of district No. 2, and also an honorary member of the Technical club.

It is Mr. Clark's thought that in submitting this contract to the Technical club he will receive constructive criticism from the members of the club and visitors.

Everyone interested in the future of Wichita Falls is invited to be present.

The second attraction to be presented, if time allows, will be a talk by John Donald, formerly city engineer, on the "Systems of Land Surveys in Texas." This paper will be of great interest to all landowners, as it will give information in regard to land lines not commonly known to the public.

The third attraction will be the election returns from the city election, which will be given from time to time during the evening. This is of peculiar interest to the club, as Julian Montgomery, president, is candidate for sanitary commissioner of the city.

"Death Only Life's Turning Point," Declares Rev. Laslette in Sermon

"If a man die, shall he live again?" With this scriptural quotation, Job. 14:14, as his text, Dr. F. C. Laslette, pastor of the Central Christian church, dealt on the future life of Christians in his sermon yesterday. Dr. Laslette said in part:

"When we step across the narrow threshold of death, shall we pass into the light of an endless day, or stumble into eternal darkness? In this question of immortality lies the franchise of our life. If death ends all, then life is not worth living, and it is easy to account for the 16 suicides in Chicago in one day.

"But death ends nothing. To the Christian, death is merely an incident in life's way—a turning of the road where we pass out for a time, leaving our friends weeping behind us. We close our eyes for a moment to open them again and go right on living on.

"Jesus Christ brought life and immortality to light. He made man good for two worlds. All the experiences of life are illuminated by the light of an immortal hope. Death to the Christian is not life's extinction—it is life's completion. Not the breaker of earthly ties, but the renewer of these ties. The hope of Heaven is a most practical hope. Time is eternity dealt out in atoms called moments and days.

Meaning of Hope

"Hope is immortality in the germ. It is hope which gives value to all things. No one can understand this life aright or even use it aright unless he links it with the life to come.

As Easter explains the gloom of Calvary, so the peace and joy of Heaven will explain the meaning and purpose of all the turmoil and strife and sorrow here below.

"Immortality is the oldest thought of history. It is expressed in every language. Death to the believer is not life's curse—it is life's coronation. In my Father's house are many mansions, said Jesus. I go to prepare a place for you to be with me."

W-K Spark Plugs Reduce Carbon.—Adv.

Man Charged With Theft Allowed Bond

W. D. Hollingsaid, reported to be under indictment in El Paso on charges of theft from interstate baggage, was released under $500 bond Saturday by United States Commissioner Lants following his arrest here on a fugitive warrant. He is to reappear before Mr. Lants today, at which time his case will be finally disposed of.

138 ADDED BY METHODIST HERE

Great Easter Campaign Is Brought To Close

One hundred and thirty-eight new members were added to the roll of the First Methodist Episcopal church South, Tenth and Lamar streets, at special Easter services which were conducted by the Rev. Claude Simpson. The induction of the new members came as a climax to a campaign which was opened during the conference last November. The total number of new members since the conference was increased to 315.

Included in the memberships recognized during the Easter services, was a large class of children from the Sunday school; a group of adults who entered the church by baptism and profession of faith; large numbers who came from other cities by letter and several infants who were given the baptismal ceremony.

The church was decorated with Easter foliage and the services were attended by a large congregation which taxed the capacity of the auditorium. A record attendance of 1,066 was reported for the Sunday school which preceded the church services.

H. G. Lewis of the Kentucky Oil corporation returned today from a two-weeks visit to the oil field of New Mexico around Azeic and Farmington, N. M.

W-K Spark Plugs Reduce Oil Pumping.—Adv.

Wunderlust

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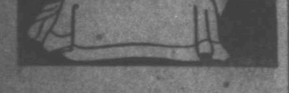

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