

TEXAS POLICEMAN MURDERED TO TAKE TECH COLLEGE FOR C. C. SECRETARIES

FAILURE TO HAVE HOTEL OPEN NOT BOTHERING LUBBOCK

CITIZENS RESPOND TO MAKE
CONVENTION BETTER
THAN EVER

BUS IS LOANED TO MEET AT COLLEGE, EAT AT CAFETERIA, SLEEP IN DORMITORIES

Far from being downcast over the fact that Lubbock's half million dollar hotel will not be available for the convention of Texas Chamber of Commerce secretaries and managers next week, Lubbock yesterday took the first steps towards turning the apparent setback into an advantage, making arrangements to house the visitors in the Tech college dormitories, feed them in the Tech Cafeteria, hold meetings in the great administration building, and transport them around town in one big bus and scores of private cars which will be loaned for the occasion. In addition, R. C. D. committees are being assured that citizens of Lubbock will give more than their ordinary enthusiastic welcome to the strangers within their gates, going out of their way to account for the failure to get the hotel ready in time, to keep the visitors from feeling any loss.

Citizens Respond

Tech College officials, through Business Manager R. M. Chittwood, yesterday offered the full facilities of the college. Manager Lakon of the Hotel Lubbock will take charge of the Tech cafeteria, and prepare and serve two luncheons and the banquet which were scheduled to be held in the new hotel. The Union Bus company rose to the occasion by offering the free use of one of their big cars. Hotels of the city offered their services. Chert Case, Lubbock Inn, and Eastern dormitories, which will be emptied of students with the closing of the summer school, were offered.

General Chairman J. A. Rix declared last night that Lubbock's reputation for up-to-the-minute hospitality would not suffer in the least.

No Hotel

The convention of secretaries, set for Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week, had been put forward beyond the usual dates in May or June, in order that the big hotel might be utilized, and arrangements had been made, in spite of the fact that it would not be completed at the time of the meeting. To throw it open even in its unfinished state, however, according to hotel and R. C. D. officials, the conditions under which the construction company agreed to turn the building over to them temporarily could not be accepted. This announcement yesterday set the R. C. D. men to working like beavers to make the convention an even greater success than had been hoped for.

Chicken Barbecue

Wives of the visiting executives will not be forgotten. A committee of Lubbock women headed by Mrs. O. L. Slaton is planning entertainment for them.

Among the other features of the meeting will be a chicken barbecue prepared by the famous master of the West Texas culinary art, Gus Shaw, of Littlefield. As his chief assistants, he will have Littlefield men experienced in the work, and a committee of local men will also aid.

The following committees are at work, under the general chairmanship of J. A. Rix: reservations, H. D. Wood, chairman; F. A. Norman, H. L. Allen; transportation, W. W. Royalty, chairman; Nell Wright, Paul Sherrill, J. C. Anderson, Geo. Benson; barbecue, R. Sherrill, Garland Woodward, H. B. Hawkins, G. E. McKelvey, M. T. Warlick; dance, W. D. Powell, chairman; Ross McWhorter, Eric Posey; Joe Dick Slaughter.

On the women's committee with Mrs. Slaton are: Mrs. W. D. Powell, Mrs. A. B. Conley, Mrs. Nell Wright, Mrs. A. B. Weaver, Mrs. W. H. Meadows, Mrs. T. B. Duggan.

Cars Are Being Rushed to Panhandle

Praises Lubbock
For Hospitality

"We call your attention also to Lubbock's manner of entertaining her guests," William A. Wilson, secretary of the Lamesa Chamber of Commerce, states in a letter sent out recently to every chamber of commerce secretary in Texas, urging them to attend the Texas Commercial Executives' Association convention which will be held here Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week. "Somehow when you are in Lubbock you feel just like you do when you visit your mother after years of absence. You know how your mother places her arms around you, squeezes you tight, then imprints a thousand tender kisses all over your face? Well, that's Lubbock. She lets you know you are welcome and assures no courtesy in doing so. Just like spending a few days back at the old home—yet in a new country, in a new town."

DOUBLE SHOWS UP FOR McPHERSON

WOMAN WHO LOOKS LIKE PASTOR
SAYS WITNESSES
SAW HER

LOS ANGELES, July 16.—Evidence intended to blast the damaging testimony of O. E. Pape, Tucson, Ariz., automobile man who told the jury Thursday he saw Aimee McPherson at an Angus Prieta cafe four days before her "disappearance" there, was revealed today by the evangelist's attorneys.

Mrs. V. B. Umphrey, Mrs. Marie McCarthy and Frank Booth, all of Los Angeles, stated in affidavits they were at the International club in Angus Prieta June 18 and they probably were seen by Pape and his companion, a Tucson physician.

Mrs. Umphrey in her affidavit said she resembled the noted pastor in stature and features. She intimated the automobile man had probably mistaken her for Mrs. McPherson.

Philadelphian Is A. I. B. President

DALLAS, July 16.—S. Deitwiler of Philadelphia was elected president of the American Institute of Banking, and Detroit was chosen as the 1927 convention city for the organization at the closing session of the meet here Thursday.

President Williams was named vice president of the institute.

CANDIDATES SPEAK AT ESTACADO

County and district candidates of Lubbock county spoke at Estacado last night. A number of aspirants for that various offices were in attendance, presenting their claims to the voters, who had extended the invitation to come. While Estacado is one of the smallest boxes in the county, polling less than 50 voters, a good number of the voters were present.

FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND CHICKENS SHIPPED FROM LUBBOCK LAST YEAR; LOOK TO DOUBLE BUSINESS THIS YEAR

More than five hundred thousand chickens have been shipped out of Lubbock since the first of last September, and at this time it appears that twice this number will be shipped out during the coming season.

One local poultry firm has shipped out 624,000 pounds of dressed poultry during the last eight months, and they expect to enjoy even a greater volume of business this fall when the turkey season opens.

Eggs, too, are bringing Lubbock county farmers many thousands of dollars each year. Approximately 20 million eggs have been shipped from Lubbock during the past year. One firm that has been doing business in this city for less than eight months has shipped 5,200 cases or approximately 5,472,000 eggs.

There are few counties on the South Plains where one or more mammoth hatcheries are not found, and during the past season all of them ran full capacity. This means that there are more chickens on the Plains at this time than ever before, for all the chickens taken off at these hatcheries were sold to farmers in this section.

The poultry business has been greatly encouraged here, and many people in position to know say it will only be a matter of time when the South Plains will rank first in the production of poultry and poultry products.

RELIEF IN SIGHT FOR WHEAT FARMERS, SAYS SMITH WILL END DELAY

CARS NOW EN ROUTE
FROM ALL OVER
COUNTRY

AUSTIN, July 16.—Relief for West Texas farmers who have been handicapped in moving their small grain crops by a shortage of railroad facilities, is in sight, according to an announcement made Friday by Lon A. Smith, state railroad commissioner.

Cars from every section of the country are now en route to the Plains section, Smith said, and within a few days the waiting crops will be moved without serious delay or damage.

An unusually early harvesting of the wheat crop and the unprecedented size of the crop are responsible for the temporary congestion, according to Smith.

Fifty Four Die In Balkan Flood

BELGRADE, July 16.—Fifty-four persons, most of them trapped in lofts where they have lived since the recent cloudbursts, are dead as the result of an avalanche of water turned loose with the breaking of the dykes at Apatin and Neusatz.

Miles of territory have been inundated following the breaking of these Danube dykes. Animals, houses and furniture have been swept downstream in the torrent of water.

It is estimated that forty thousand acres of territory had been inundated by the most recent catastrophe.

Will Investigate Wreck at Temple

TEMPLE, Texas, July 16.—Official investigation by Santa Fe Railroad and interstate commerce commission officials into the wreck of the wreck of the Santa Fe passenger train near Heidenheimer early Thursday will be started here tomorrow.

One trainman was killed and several passengers slightly injured.

Missouri Sheriff Stops Race Betting

SMITHVILLE, Mo., July 16.—Declaring he would arrest any persons placing bets on the races and send them to the penitentiary, John Clark, sheriff of Clay county, forced organized gamblers operating at the Smithville horse racing meet out of business Friday when he tore down the booking booth beneath the grandstand.

A crowd estimated at 10,000 persons attended the fifth day of the week's races, standing five deep around the half mile oval.

SAYS DWYER RAN U. S. COAST GUARD

ALLEGED RUM KING GOT HIS
JOB AS SLEUTH SAYS
WITNESS

NEW YORK, July 16.—Although the government was supposed to be in charge of the United States coast guard service, William V. Dwyer, charged with nine others with operating a \$400,000 rum running ring, controlled at least part of its activities.

He played a game of bribe, in making his millions, while with the "boss from Washington" thus far unnamed in the Dwyer trial, pulled the strings which resulted in transfers of coast guardmen and their release from prison.

This is the testimony of John B. Weishaar, a government witness who said he was in turn employed by Dwyer as assistant skipper of a rum runner and by the government as a member of the coast guard.

"When work for Dwyer became slack I went to him and told him I would like to join the coast guard because I wasn't making enough money," Weishaar testified.

"Dwyer said 'all right. I can help you,'" the witness said. "In May 1925, I received a warrant appointment in the coast guard."

Cars Collide As Sun Blinds Driver

A Ford touring car was partially wrecked on the west end of Main street shortly after 7 o'clock last night, when a Chevrolet driven from a man from Hereford collided with it.

The man was going west and was blinded by the sun.

While both cars were making a fair rate of speed, none of the occupants was injured. The man told officers he will meet the Ford owner today and make settlement.

McWhorter Speaks To Ralls Voters

Owen McWhorter, candidate for district attorney, spoke to a large number of voters at Ralls last night. Mr. McWhorter has several other engagements to fill before the election, though he has not set dates for all of these. He has made an effort to meet with the voters in every precinct in the district.

THREE HURT AS PLANE FALLS

WABASH, Ind., July 16.—W. L. Math and his wife of Yorkers, N. Y., and George Wells of Toledo, Ohio, were bruised and injured Friday when a plane piloted by Wells crashed into a tree near here.

Many Made Homeless by Munitions Explosions



Rush Cars to Move Kansas Wheat Crop

TOPEKA, Kans., July 16.—To move the bumper wheat crop from the broad lands of Kansas the Santa Fe Railroad is mustering into service every available freight car in its system, bringing some of them from points as far East as Chicago.

F. C. Fox, general manager of the Santa Fe, said tonight that within the last few days 2,500 additional box cars had been collected.

CHILDREN HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

OIL STOVE EXPLODES, BURNS
HOME OF B. A. PICKETT
EARLY SATURDAY

The home of B. A. Pickett, in the southeastern section of town, was destroyed by fire early this morning, and Pickett's two children barely escaped serious injury when an oil cook stove exploded and blew a flaming section of the kitchen wall onto the bed where an eight-year-old son slept, setting the bed clothes on fire. The boy and his sister, who slept in the same room, were rescued by their parents, but were nearly strangled with smoke.

The stove, inadvertently left burning by Mrs. Pickett, who had been ironing clothes until nearly midnight, exploded with a noise like a gun, and the house went up in flames immediately. Neighbors saved some of the Pickett's belongings, and the family moved into a nearby vacant house for the night.

Mr. Pickett owned his home having just built it last fall. It was insured, with contents, for \$500.

START WORK MONDAY ON IMPROVING POST MEMORIAL PARK, AS DRIVE FOR BOY SCOUT FUNDS CONTINUES

The Panhandle Construction Company has donated the concrete for the reservoir at the Post Memorial Camp for the Boy Scouts of the South Plains, and K. N. Clapp will go to the park under the caprock Monday to start laborers to work on various improvements which must be made before the ten day camp starts on August 17.

In the meantime, the drive will go forward for the funds which the scout council declares are necessary for the completion of the work. A day's work yesterday by a committee headed by L. S. Harkey resulted in a good start on the \$500 cash which is wanted from the city of Lubbock, W. A. Myrick starting the ball rolling with a check for \$100.

Subscriptions, to be paid later, are

HOPE FOR RELIEF FROM FATAL HEAT

SEVEN ARE NOW DEAD OF
CALIFORNIA'S HOT
WEATHER

SAN FRANCISCO, July 16.—Cooler weather is predicted for Saturday in sections of California where seven deaths were caused by the intense heat Thursday and Friday.

With the lowering of temperatures a lessening to forest and brush fire hazards is expected, although the forestry service still in maintaining large crew of fire fighters at various points in the state. The most spectacular California blaze today was in the vicinity of Mount Tamalpais, Marin county. After burning over 200 acres of thickly wooded property the flames were halted near Stinson Beach and the Radio Corporation of America's radio station at Solinas.

Building Permits Are Now \$106,500

A building permit was issued yesterday to S. A. Beard, for the erection of a \$2,500 five room dwelling in Elwood Place. This brings the total building in Lubbock to \$106,500 for the first 16 days of July.

SUES DAN STECK FOR ATTORNEY FEES

OTTUMWA, Iowa, July 16.—James M. Parsons, Des Moines attorney, today filed in district court here a petition asking \$5,000 judgment against Senator Daniel F. Steck for attorney fees in Steck's contest for the senatorial seat with Senator Brookhart.

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TEXARKANA, July 16.—Three suspects have been arrested in connection with the slaying of Henry Giles, police patrolman who was shot down when he attempted to arrest an automobile party for a traffic violation here early Friday morning. Every precaution is being taken to guard the men against possible violence, as public indignation is high over the incident.

Patrolman Giles was leaving a jar of liquor from the automobile when one of the men in the car grabbed the whiskey from him and fired three bullets into his body.

Find Wounded Man Near Amarillo

AMARILLO, July 16.—Officers here tonight sought the relatives of a man known as "Ball Weevil." Blaylock found unconscious with three bullet wounds in his body near the Borger bridge across the Canadian river Friday. The victim is unconscious in a hospital here and is not expected to live, physicians said.

Bradley Will Talk At 13th and Ave I

Durwood H. Bradley, candidate for the district attorneyship of the 72nd judicial district, speaks in Lubbock tonight at 8:30 o'clock. This will probably be the concluding speech of the aspirants for that office, being Mr. Bradley's first speech in Lubbock. Both W. C. Witcher and Owen McWhorter have already spoken here during the past two weeks. He will speak on the vacant property at the corner of Avenue I and Thirtieth street, just south of the Busy Bee Cafe. Seats for several hundred will be placed.

14 Absentee Votes Are Filed Friday

Fourteen absentee votes were filed yesterday in the office of the county clerk, A. P. Hardin in charge of the absentee box stated that more votes cast yesterday than at any time. The votes will be accepted until two days before the election, at which time they will be sent to the various precincts of the county.

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WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Fair tonight and Sunday.

SOCIETY, CHURCH and CLUB NEWS

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Summer Art Students To Exhibit Work At College

The summer art students of the college will have an art exhibit today beginning at ten o'clock in room 214 of the administration building. Mrs. T. F. Hammett, who is head of the art and penmanship department of the Houston High School, has been the instructor, and has been very much appreciated by the students this summer.

D. A. R. MEETS WITH MRS. BLAIR

Mrs. R. W. Blair will be hostess to the Nancy Anderson chapter of the D. A. R. at her home at four o'clock this afternoon.

Misses Conley To Have Bridge Party For Miss Johnson

Misses Frances and Virginia Conley will entertain for Miss Alice Johnson with a bridge party this afternoon.

BIBLE STUDY CLASS OF FIRST BAPTIST

Romans 1 and 2 and 3 to the 26th verse teaches that man is a sinner. In Romans 3:21 to 5:11 we have salvation by faith in a crucified and risen Christ as the only remedy for inherent sin. Last Sunday we discussed salvation by faith and attempted to give its clear meaning as found in the last verse of the 3rd chapter of Romans. Next Sunday we have the following facts to consider in Romans 4:1 to 5:11.

(1) Abraham was saved by faith and not by works; (2) He was saved in a state of un-circumcision; (3) he and others of like faith will inherit the earth and enjoy the fulfillment of the promises of God to Israel through faith; (4) this faith is not a general faith but a particular faith in a particular thing and thing is God's power to bring the dead to life or the resurrection of Christ.

Salvation by faith is the only hope of a lost world. And it is strange that the sinful hearts of men will cause them to turn aside from the false remedies that they themselves have devised.

If you are not a member of another Sunday School class, we shall appreciate your presence next Sunday. Come and let us study together these things that are worth more to us than all the world besides, the things that will give us peace, joy, and safety in the present world and a share in the eternal promises of God to his children in the ages to come.

—Class Reporter.

NINETEENTH STREET METHODIST CHURCH

Cor. 19th and J
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Morning theme, "Principle Versus Prejudice." Evening theme, "Who Will Rise up with Us Against the Workers of Iniquity?" Come and hear these subjects discussed; we extend to you a hearty welcome.

We were pleased with our congregation last Sunday evening. We invite all Methodist in the city who have not placed their membership in the Lubbock churches to come and place your membership with the 19th street church.

The pastor welcomes everybody to worship with us.

Watch us grow!

Silas Dixon, pastor.

PUBLIC SPEAKING STUDENTS HAVE BANQUET

The students of public speaking of the Tech summer school held a banquet in the basement of the Leader Building Thursday evening at which forty-six members of the class were present and several members of the faculty were guests.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Liff Sanders will preach at the Church of Christ on Broadway Sunday morning and evening. You are cordially invited to come and hear him.

VOTE FOR C. C. McCARTY FOR SHERIFF

Who will change the Force July 24th.

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Mrs. Conley Hostess To Thursday Night Bridge Club

The members of the Thursday Night Bridge Club enjoyed a delightful party at the home of Mrs. A. B. Conley. Bright garden flowers were used in decoration and after the games, frozen fruit salad, iced tea, sandwiches and cake were served.

Those present were: Mesdames Robert Jennings, of Dallas, W. D. Green, of Shiner, J. E. Vickers, J. S. Johnson, O. L. Slaton, Floyd Beall, Fred Snyder, W. R. Lovett, of Muskogee, Miss Della Wilkinson, Messrs and Mesdames Murray Jones, William D. Green, W. H. Meador, S. C. Arnett, W. A. Bacon, Walter Myrick, W. B. Powell and J. A. Rix.

Mrs. Shelton Hostess To Dorcas Class Tuesday

Mrs. L. H. Shelton, 2909 Main street was hostess to the Dorcas Class at a meeting, Tuesday afternoon. The meeting opened with the class song, "Help Somebody Today" followed by a devotion from the twelfth chapter of Romans led by Mrs. Shelton. Mrs. Fowler led the prayer. After a short business session a special program was enjoyed. Mr. Akers gave a reading, Jane Akers gave a violin solo and Miss Alice Luning gave a saxophone solo.

Six members, one new member, and three visitors were present. The visitors were Mrs. Akers and Mrs. M. H. Luning of San Angelo. Refreshments of cake, ice cream, and green and white mints were served.

1911 Needle Club Meets In Hess Home

The members of the 1911 Needle Club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Glenn Hess with Mrs. C. E. Mardgen as joint hostess. Yellow and white color motif was used in the decorations and the refreshments. Nasturtiums were used as plate favors.

The guests present were: Mesdames J. T. Hutchinson, Roger Pierce, F. A. Barclay, Mrs. F. L. Lindler, of Los Angeles, Calif., Ragsdale, J. H. Hankins, T. R. Prudeaux, T. W. Sawyer, H. D. Woods, O. D. Hargis, F. R. Friend, Walter Myrick, Floyd Beall.

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Vacation Days Danger Time For Children

Summer, health authorities say, is the most dangerous time of the year for children of the cities. Freed from their school studies, the children run as wild as little gypsies, but unlike the swarthy tots of the open spaces, their playground is the unsanitary city street and vacant lot. Thousands upon thousands of city children get worse physically in their vacation, instead of better. The fault lies principally in an improper diet, which does not provide them with sufficient disease resisting power.

Children need just the right amount of food in hot weather to keep up to fettle physically. They must not have too much, nor too little. Food should be prepared to a manner to tempt the child's appetite, as well as provide a balanced diet. Digestion of food is best when it is most acceptable to the child's palate. Mothers will find the recipes below to be highly nutritious as well as appetizing.

Cream of Pea Soup

1 No. 2 can peas, cold water, 1 slice onion, 1 cup evaporated milk diluted with 1 cup water, 1 tablespoon flour, 1-2 teaspoon sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon butter, few grains pepper.

Prepare white sauce of the diluted milk, flour, butter, salt and pepper.

Drain the liquid from the peas. There should be about seven-eighths of a cup. Add sufficient water the liquid to make one pint liquid and return to the peas. Add the seasoning and boil for five minutes then rub through a sieve. There should be two and one-half cups of pulp and liquid. Combine pulp and white sauce, and serve immediately. This serves six.

Scalloped Chicken

1-2 cups buttered crumbs, 1-2 cups chicken cut in one-half inch cubes, 1-2 cups scraped corn, 1-2 teaspoon salt, dash pepper, 3-4 cup evaporated milk diluted with 1 cup chicken stock, 2-2 tablespoons flour, 2 tablespoons butter.

Prepare a white sauce of the diluted evaporated milk, flour, butter, salt and pepper. Cover bottom of a buttered baking dish with half the crumbs. Add the chicken, then the corn. Four sauce over and cover with rest of the crumbs. Bake in a 400 degree F. oven for thirty-five minutes. Serves eight.

During a flood in Serbia a 15-year-old girl single handed saved the lives of 13 persons.

When people respond to a Sale announcement as they did yesterday it must be because of merit

People DO appreciate real value giving sales. We had sufficient proof yesterday in the response the people of Lubbock accorded this semi-annual sale event. If you were not here for some of the bargains you should come today. Ask your friends who have had an opportunity to see for themselves. The values are real. More than this there are discounts on every item of spring and summer merchandise ranging from 1-4 to 1-3 off.

Men's Suits Are Very Cheap

In the new colors and the correct flannel weaves—these suits are as pretty an assortment as you could care to find. There are models for the young man or the business man—patterns that would appeal to every taste. Our stock is especially clean, consisting almost entirely of garments that are new this season's purchases. Not only for service just now, but for later, they represent all that you will desire and at these prices are decided bargains.

All \$65 to \$75 Suits Priced \$44.00

All \$50 to \$60 Suits Priced \$36.60

All \$37.50 to \$47.50 Suits Priced \$28.80

All \$27.50 to \$35.00 Suits Priced \$19.90

Any \$25.00 Man's Suit Now \$17.70

BOYS LONG PANT SUITS

New Spring styles in boys' suit with long pants, both regular weights and summer weights, all sizes, values from \$10.00 to \$18.50.

BOYS SHORT PANT SUITS

Choice now of all remaining short pant suits for boys in regular values to as high as \$15.00, most all sizes, while they last only \$5.95

CHOICE OF EVERY ITEM IN OUR ENTIRE STOCK DEPARTMENT AT A CLEAN SWEEP DISCOUNT

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GRAFTERS GET AFTER GHETTO

HIGH HANDED CROOKEDNESS MAY BE BANE OF THRIFTY JEWS

By United News
CHICAGO, July 16.—The Jewish ghetto in Maxwell street, one of the most colorful and unique trading marts of the West, is threatened with extinction as a result of high handed graft which has gained a strangle hold on its enterprising peddles.

For years the old ghetto market has been a picturesque land mark with its bubbling gutters, its babble of tongues and pungent aroma of fish, fruits and fresh bread. Although occupying a position in the very heart of the West Side it has been virtually isolated from the bustling city which surrounds it.

Now it picturesque hovel, its basement bakeries, and its curbside vendors of sweet meats to the inhabitants of the ghetto seem destined to oblivion, for they have come under the spell of graft that is too big for the city to remedy. The only outlet is complete abolition of the Maxwell street market.

The ordinance providing for closing of the famous market is being prepared and within a few days it probably will be passed by the city council.

Conditions in the ghetto came to light through one false step on the part of those who are getting rich by preying on its hundreds of peddlers. The banana cart of Edward Schatz and his son, Benjamin, was literally kicked off the street by the assistant market master.

Schatz complained to authorities and the investigation which followed revealed that a quarter of a million dollars a year was being collected from the peddlers by the politicians of the district "for the privilege of doing business."

The graft was so widespread that authorities despaired of finding all of the guilty parties and started proceedings to close the market.

During the warm summer months few outsiders go into Maxwell street because of the humid crush of traders. But in the winter, especially when Jewish holiday seasons are approaching, it is a mecca for hundreds of tourists.

The ghetto market is said to be the only place in the United States where loaves of bread are stacked up for sale on the open sidewalks and handled by prospective buyers.

WHY EUROPE DISLIKES THE U. S.

AMERICA AS NATION VERY UNPOPULAR ACROSS ATLANTIC

LONDON, July 16.—Uncle Sam, a few years ago, welcomed to Europe as a vigorous, open-hearted young fellow come to help the old world out of its great trouble, is today pictured here—and elsewhere in Europe—as a grasping old corporation trading on the poverty of the world.

Irresponsible European writers describe him as a world menace. A few American writers see in this the possibility of a future war for the United States.

Following is the situation in Great Britain, outlined as accurately as possible after investigation and observation in private as well as official circles:

1. The United States, as an impersonal, somewhat vague institution, is perhaps the most unpopular of great powers.

2. Americans personally, American officials and ordinary people from the United States, are not so unpopular and are well received.

3. The British government and the American government are most friendly and will remain so if Great Britain has anything to say about it.

There is no doubt about America's unpopularity as a world power. America sold the old world a League of Nations, say Englishmen, and then refused to join it. She has most of the world's money, they continue, and she wants it all; today she pressures Europe to pay impossible debts, and many of her business men would have Great Britain pay damages due American shipping in a blockade which America herself adopted and even intensified when she herself belatedly entered the war.

The Englishman making \$1,500 pays \$12.50 a year income tax; on \$5,000 he pays \$12.50; on \$5,000 he pays \$50; on \$10,000 he pays \$1,500; on \$20,000 he pays \$15,000. And he blames the United States every time he pays.

People of all classes cursed the United States when Senator Borah denounced his plan to have Great Britain, in addition to her war debt, pay millions of dollars for blockade damages. This move was resented officially and by people who didn't even read the stories about it, but who just set it down as another of Uncle Sam's dirty little games.

But there is a bright side to the picture, British, strictly speaking, do not regard Americans as foreigners. American visitors here are surprised that British newspapers index news as domestic, domestic and American and foreign. Recently a British champion at Southampton rebuked an American member of his crew by telling him he "acted like a bloody foreigner."

This means that the British people expect more of Americans than they do of ordinary foreigners. When a "foreign" nation does something the British resent, they simply get angry; when the United States does a similar thing they are hurt as well.

The complicated question is, unpopularity as reflected in the movies. The British people hate American films as an institution, particularly because they frequently distort British life, but generally because they kill British films. Newspapers viciously attacked the "big parade" because it showed the American army and didn't mention the British army's part in the war.

Confederate War Debts Asked British

LONDON, July 16.—Defaulted debts of the Southern States of the United States, international distribution and consumption of coal and worldwide trade problems are expected to be the principal points of discussion at the general conference of the Association of British Chambers of Commerce opening in Hull September 23rd and 24th.

At its meeting in April, the Association adopted resolutions calling upon the Foreign Office to call to the attention of the American Ambassador at London the fact that the loans of British people to the Southern States previous to the Civil War had not been settled and asking that the resolution be communicated to the Government at Washington.

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SWEETHEART TELLS OF GIRLS DEATH

CONFESSION CLEARS FINDING OF MUTILATED BODY IN BOSTON

BOSTON, July 16.—Aided by a woman, two Boston physicians, while under the influence of liquor, carved into six pieces the body of attractive Edith Louise Green, packed it into three bundles and deposited their gruesome cargo near a Mattapan cemetery.

This was the theory upon which detectives are working as they seek Dr. Thomas E. Walsh and his wife on charges of first degree murder. A local surgeon also is hunted in connection with the death of the 19 year old hospital laboratory assistant.

A raid Tuesday on Dr. Walsh's office resulted in the discovery of the victim's missing vital organs, concealed in the bottom of a refuse barrel.

In a confession, James Vincent (Jimmy) Ford, 21, the victim's sweetheart, implicated both Dr. Walsh and the latter's wife in the illegal operation which resulted in Miss Green's death. Ford himself was released under \$2,000 bond for hearing August 5 as an alleged accessory before and after the fact.

MAKES SUICIDE SURE

EAST BOURNE, Eng., July 16.—"Suicide leap" took a new victim in a new way during the recent holidays. The cliff descends 600 feet precipitously into the sea.

"Is this where so many people jump?" asked a visitor of Major Harry Delboe. He was told it was.

As the visitor tried to fling himself over the cliff, the officer caught and held him, but the man died in Delboe's arms. He had taken the precaution to drink a bottle of carbolic acid.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Good Jersey milk cows, giving two gallons milk. 502 Ave. T. 259-2p

DAVIDSON SAYS WOMEN FOR HIM

WIVES AND MOTHERS RALLY TO STANDARD DECLARES CANDIDATE

By United News
BASTROP, Tex., July 16.—With the first primary only ten days away, Lynch Davidson told a large crowd of Bastrop county farmers and business men of this city here that the "swing of sentiment to the Davidson campaign is nothing short of miraculous and that it looks like a landslide all over the state."

Davidson expressed particular gratification at the way the "wives and mothers of Texas are rallying to my standard" and declared "my election will be largely due to their influence." Every audience I address has a large proportion of interested women listeners, he said.

"Scores of letters, signed and unsigned, have come to my headquarters from women voters commending my determined stand on prohibition enforcement and plauding support to me in my fight for clean politics," Davidson said. "The fact that I am the only candidate in this race who has the courage to fight the whiskey ring has caused the good women who believe in the preservation of the home and the protection of our young people, to make common cause with me."

"In the minds of thousands of women voters the fact that the professional politicians are fighting me is sufficient evidence that I am in the right. My opposition to the oil combine, bent on monopolizing one of our greatest resources, has made me the target of venomous attacks in the oil controlled press, but it has won me the support of thousands of thoughtful women, who have vision enough to see that the octopus, if unrestrained, will levy tribute on their sons and daughters for generations to come."

Davidson devoted the most of his speech to a discussion of state issues and outlined the various reforms in government he proposes to effect when he is elected.

CHANGE MADE IN CANYON HIGHWAY

CANYON, Tex., July 16.—The State Highway leading west from Canyon to the state line has been changed so that it now passes in a straight line through the city. The road enters the city on fourth avenue, goes directly west through the town and continues west for one mile. The road formerly turned north at an inconspicuous corner and tourists were frequently inconvenienced; the new road will be easily followed; it will cross the Santa Fe at a much safer point under the new arrangement.

CHARTERS YACHT TO TRAVEL STRIKE-STRICKEN NEW YORK

HOBOKEN, N. J., July 16.—Gerald Wight of Trinidad, believing that railroads, subways and even taxis were involved in New York's I. R. T. strike of motormen, swiftness and electrical workers, ordered a private yacht by wireless to meet him when he landed here from the Lamport and Holt liner, Van Dyck.

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9-4 Unbleached Sheet, 2 1-2 yards85c
45c Pillow Tubing, bleached, for yard35c
72x90 Bleached Sheets, each for89c
Regular 60c Kimona Crepe; special yd for34c
\$7.50 Rayon Silk Bed Spreads, size 81x108 for\$4.68
\$4.50 Bed Spread, White, Pink, Blue, for\$2.75
\$1.75 and \$1.50 House Dresses for98c
\$8.50 and \$10.50 and \$16.50 Silk Dresses for\$6.75
\$18.50, 22.50 and 25.50 Silk Dresses for\$12.75
\$3.50 and \$4.50 Broadcloth and Linen Dresses\$1.98 and \$2.98
\$6.50 and \$7.50 Ladies' Dress Shoes for\$3.95
\$10.00 and \$11.00 Ladies' Dress Shoes for\$7.75
\$6.50 Men's Dress Shoes and Oxfords for\$3.95
\$8.50 Men's Dress Shoes and Oxfords for\$4.95
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1 Pkg Chipso9c
2 bars Guest Ivory10c
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A PECULIAR PEOPLE—"Thou art a holy people unto the Lord Thy God, and the Lord hath chosen thee to be a peculiar people unto Himself." Deut 14:2.

THE AUTO AT COLLEGE

The automobile at college has just received a terrible incident at the hands of the University of Illinois that has every ring of truth. According to the authorities at this institution student ownership of automobiles has shown a direct relationship to scholastic standing below normal inasmuch as it involves a constant and serious waste of time. Then, too, there have been numerous accidents involving a considerable damage and serious bodily injury; there are constant violations of local and state laws governing motor traffic and a wholly unnecessary and dangerous congestion of traffic in streets adjacent to the campus; and finally, the use of cars has contributed to moral delinquencies which have resulted in dismissals from the university. This is a serious matter. Not all colleges agree with the University of Illinois. Many of them believe there is no harm in the undergraduate automobile. That conclusion, however, is a little hard to believe. Young people are young people. When a flashing car stands out at the curb and the studies are going hard one would have to be old indeed to withstand the carefree lure of the outdoors and a spin. So, even if the automobile is not as serious as enemy of the college student as the University of Illinois contends, nevertheless it can easily be conceived to be a rival of study. Not that it is a condition that can be laid entirely to the automobile, if scholastic standards are not lived up to, for, in the old days, the "gay 90's" there were many other things that distracted the mind of the student. There have always been and always will be diversions which will serve to divert the mind of the college student from the subjects comprising the curricula. The automobile may be a big offender but it may not deserve the drastic prohibition of the University of Illinois. A middle course would be desirable if it could be evolved in a practical manner.

NON-SHOPPING TOURISTS

In spite of the unprecedented flood of American tourists in France this summer, it has been discovered that Americans are not buying anywhere nearly so much as formerly at the great stores of Paris. A leading merchant has figured out the cause for himself and it is one worth calling to the attention of American merchants. His theory is that American department stores in our large cities are now of such high quality that there is little or nothing the shopping tourist can buy in Paris establishments which could not be had in American stores. He says further that in our stores articles are shown in fine or finer surroundings than in Paris and—here is the surprise—at prices just as cheap or cheaper. Another reason has been suggested. It is the low cost of living in France, which enables American families, students and teachers of very moderate means to visit the country and enjoy its historic and artistic treasures, but who haven't enough margin to include reckless buying at Paris shops. American stores may accept the compliment to them, and American tourists may find themselves getting more real pleasure, culture and satisfaction out of their trip than if they made it primarily a shopping tour.

MEN TEACHERS VANISHING

In the last 25 years the schools of the United States suffered an amazing decrease in the proportion of men teachers. In 1880 43 per cent of the public school teachers in the United States were men; in 1890, 35 per cent; in 1900, 30 per cent; in 1910, 21 per cent, and 1924, 17 per cent. While secondary schools have suffered the greatest percentage of loss, many higher institutions of learning are finding it difficult to retain their best qualified professors. It may be admitted without argument that women are fitted by nature to handle young children of both sexes with more understanding, patience and general effectiveness than men because of and due to her mother instinct, but in subsequent stages of development the situation is greatly altered. There is then the need that these very impressionable personalities, in their formative years, come in contact with the very highest types of men teachers. In fact many of the European countries consider it of so vital importance that a family allowance system for men teachers is in operation. The cause of the abandonment of the teaching profession by men is only too obvious. Men of the calibre who make desirable teachers can earn far more in so many other lines of work, that the wonder is not that so many are deserting teaching, but that so many are still faithful to a profession that pays them so

poorly. In order to follow a calling that is worthy of the best, because it deals in human souls, men must make a tremendous sacrifice that society has no right to expect or accept from them. We are convinced that men are a highly necessary element in the education of the young; that the rapid disappearance of men as teachers is a matter of serious consequence that should be remedied by immediate action, not only to prevent further withdrawal by men from the teaching profession, but to make it sufficiently attractive remuneratively to attract to it the very highest types.

RUSSIA'S RESOURCES

Russia is the great realm of undeveloped possibilities. Potentially she could be the richest, most productive nation in the world. Properly organized and properly exploited she could become the greatest economic factor in the world as we know it. It is no wonder, then, that the eyes of the industrialists the world over are turning to the vast expanse of this great country and that the fingers of these same industrialists are poking here and there, searching for those sources of raw material that will insure them control of a vast new market. And in Russia they will find what they seek. It is a region of tremendous natural resources, only lately being discovered. Iron ore, rich and of fine quality, for instance, has only lately been discovered in some 15,000 places, while oil and other mineral resources are daily becoming more evident as a great sub strata under the verdant steppes. And in the matter of agricultural products Russian wheat has long been recognized as a major contribution to the foodstuffs of the world. There is no good reason why corn could not be grown on an immense scale, together with all other varieties of grains. It needs but organization to exploit properly this mine of materials for the benefit of mankind. This, however, cannot obtain until the soviet learn a very valuable lesson in co-operation and modifies its intense Bolshevistic program to conform more sensibly with the balance of the world and the thought of the more sane nations. That desirable result, however, seems as far away as ever. The Great Russian experiment is not yet complete and the world must await the expansion of the as yet practically untouched bonanza, until the dawn of a new mental day comes over the vast area from China to the Black Sea and north to The Baltic and Siberia.

NO SUNDAY SESQUI

The Sunday opening question, decided in the negative by the Philadelphia exposition under the stress of church criticism, is a serious matter. By keeping large numbers of patrons away from the exposition, it may doom that big and costly enterprise to business failure. The exposition depends mainly, for its success, on patronage outside of the city. The most natural time for visitors within a radius of several hundred miles to see the fair is over the week-ends. With Sunday closing, there are no Sesquicentennial week-ends. Millions of possible visitors will not attend. This millions of dollars will not be collected, to repay the investment of Philadelphia people. Exhibits and concessions will not be profitable. Great numbers of Americans will miss the educational advantages of seeing such a remarkable presentation of American achievement and international progress. The religious side is easily understood. So is the business side. In any outright conflict between the two, religion and morals must naturally have their way. The issue, however, is by no means clear in this case. Two church denominations have been particularly insistent on Sunday closing. Some other denominations take a different attitude. The prevalence of Sunday baseball, movie, etc., in this country is evidence that Puritan blue laws are a thing of the past. It may be that a compromise could be worked out by which the gates would be open on Sunday for viewing educational exhibits, with mere amusement concessions closed.

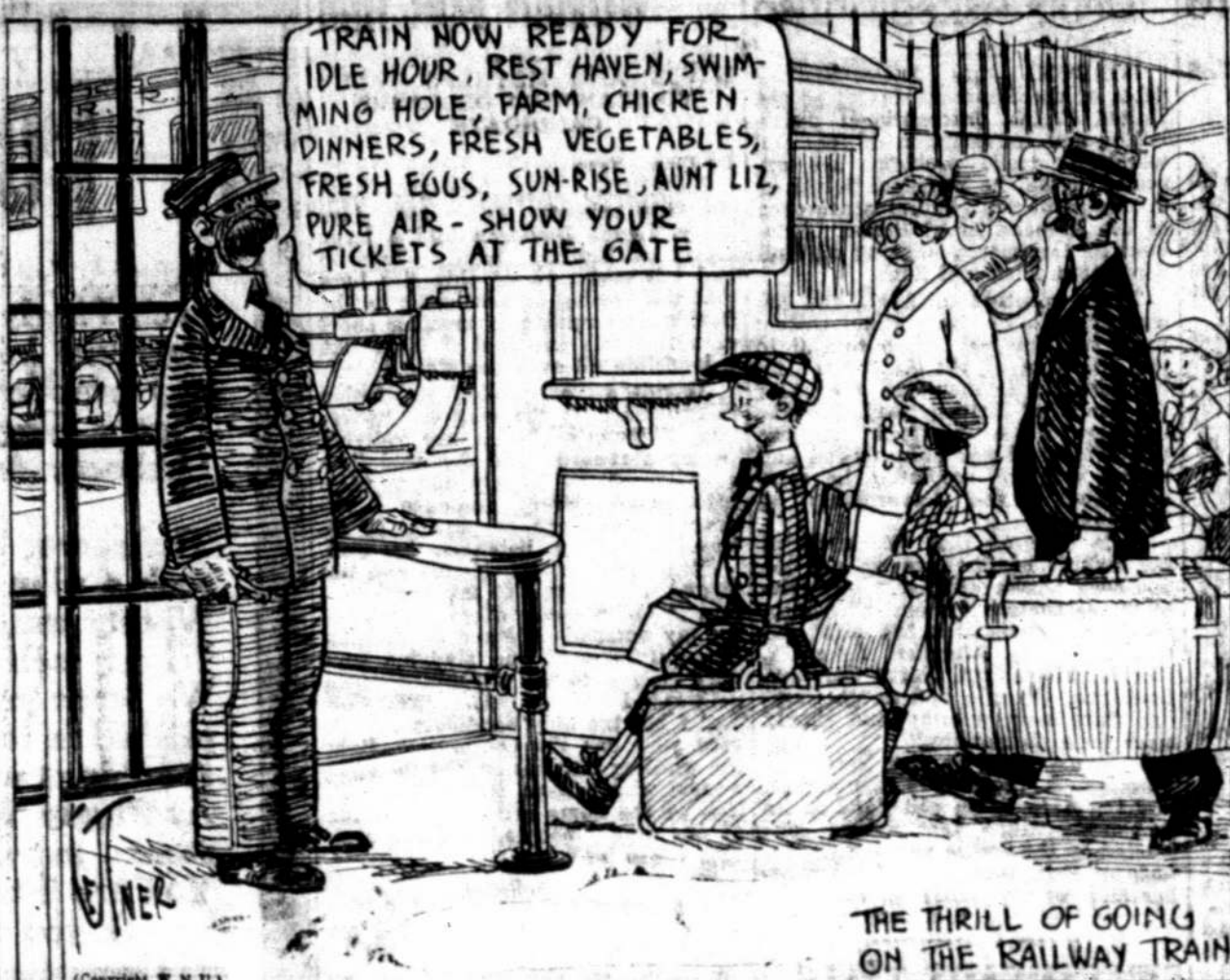
HEALTHY INDUSTRY

A nation-wide survey, made by the National Association of Manufacturers, shows healthy business conditions in all parts of the country. The survey covered manufacturing plants in thirty basic industries and showed that the industry of the nation is running on the astonishing rate of 84 percent of capacity, with unemployment practically non-existent, an unusually healthy summer condition. When the industry of the country is running at 84 percent of the maximum capacity at midsummer there seems to be no good reason for a pessimistic attitude on the immediate future. The reports current on diminishing sales are probably only a matter of postponement. Certainly the panic that is intermittently discussed, with the conviction that it may, at any moment, overtake us, has failed to arrive, and with industry in its present sound condition there seems little indication that it will.

A USE FOR JUNKET CARS

There is now an answer for the jokers who wonder what becomes of old automobiles—the ones that are too far gone for the "used car" market. Pierre, S. D., has solved a problem and answered the question by using these decrepit candidates for the junk pile to help build protective works against the treacherous Missouri River. Pierre has always had to fight the river, which has a bad habit of changing its channels erratically and wiping out large areas of city-front land. The war department said the city authorities could build dikes or walls or whatever they needed, but the expense of such undertakings has delayed them. Now a trial wing dam has been built, using junked motor cars to start with. They were placed along the mud flats, where they settled themselves rather firmly and encouraged a considerable deposit of nice, rich river sediment. Within a short time, according to glowing reports, "a new shore line was in the making" and the battered remnants of unwanted cars have been given a final opportunity to serve the community, thus illustrating some profound philosophy or natural law or other.

Events in the Lives of Little Men



This and That

Proof
"Did you have a successful summer?"
"Very. We had the spirit of Napoleon present."
"How do you know?"
"The medium said: 'If you are not Napoleon, rap, once. If you are Napoleon don't rap.' There was no rap."

Foggy
First—Brother (sarcastically)—You'd be at home in London.
Second—Hom, come?
First—Well, you've been in a fog ever since I have known you.—Penn. State Froth.

Played When a Child
He (gushingly)—You must be musical—your hands show it! You must have played on something when a child, I know!
She—Yes, if you must have it that way—I played on the carpet a good deal.

How Revolving
"What became of that nice American who was married last month?"
"Oh, still married, I think"—London Mail.

No Danger
"Think it would be safe to insult that prize fighter?"
"Oh hah! He wouldn't fight you for less than \$2,000,000."

Talk Is Not Cheap
I scorn the man who boasters That talk is cheap, Oh, Fudge! It cost me fifty dollars To say, "Good morning, judge."

So Think We

We think the State is Christian to the extent that Christian principles control its policies. It is, therefore, the sacred duty of every citizen to support by his vote, the men who stand for and live by the teachings of Jesus. The voter should go to the ballot box in the same spirit that he goes to worship. The Christian man or woman who fails to vote does so at his or her peril.

We think that since pleasures are so uncertain, we should try to enjoy other things some.

We think that a great deal of real hatred would be removed from us if we as nations of the world were better acquainted.

We think if some of the wives of Lubbock men or any other town so far as that is would really take a right sensible view of the thing they would not expect the husband to be as nice to them as if they were silly or helpless. It is not necessary.

We think that if the women of this country wanted the men to be better they could make them better. Women have the power of influence in this world and they can make it for good or for bad.

We think every day brings a reduction in the acreage of weeds on the vacant lots in this city, but still there are many lots that are groaning under the continual sap of the weeds and grass.

We think Senator Borah is going to make a coast to coast tour of the United States so he can find something new to be against.

We think every man in the United States has a perfect right to his opinion about who should be elected president of the United States and who should be governors—whether a man and a woman or just a man, but it is not conceded that anyone has a right to cover the sidewalk with tobacco juice.

We think no real good honest to goodness citizen will allow the weeds to grow on his property when his neighbors are trying hard to keep them cleaned away. Cut your weeds and your neighbor will very likely feel it his duty to do the same.

We think the anti prohibitionists should be fair with us. The claim that it is unfair to force prohibition upon those who do not want it. They forced anti-prohibition upon those who do not want it, and we had to stand for it for 150 years. Time about is fair play, and at the end of 150 years we will turn it back to them if they still see fit to have it.

We think the next great weeding out the farmers will have to do will be on the Twenty-fourth, when they will have a

chance to do some good work weeding out the candidates that they deem not best to retain.

We think within the next week "many" of the politics will be anything but clean, and we will have to give much of the stuff put out a very careful fumigation before it is safe to use.

We think Lubbock is about the liveliest city on the South Plains.

It Is Reported

That the building permits of Lubbock are rising every day and that if the consistency shown in the last few months is displayed throughout the remainder of the year that Lubbock will still be "Hubbing" along the old and progressive manner, but consistently.

It is reported that one alleged murder killed two men to get money enough to pay his lawyers to defend him in the killing of one other man, and incidentally got enough to pay for their expense for killing all three of them.

It is reported that New York is bragging about being the banner onion state of the nation with 7230 acres to her credit. We think that Texas can bring tears to her eyes with 10,000 acres to back her up.

It is reported that the reason France is such a straight financially is because her tax payers are too smart for parliament to put over tax measures on them.

It is reported that a judge who had within his power to punish a man for being drunk on home brew, turn him Scott-free, with the explanation that any man who drank the stuff was punish already severely enough.

It is reported that the next batch of pardons will not be ready to come off till right after the primary elections.

It is reported that one man says they can put him in jail but he positively will not cut his weeds. He very likely does not have a pull tax receipt and is not among the list of high class citizens either.

It is reported that the Texas Republicans have killed all prospects of an interesting campaign in this state this year by splitting the party into many pieces, which will insure that a Republican funeral is sure.

It is reported that the one thing that comes to him who waits is the Sarcastic remarks from the cop who is directing traffic.

It is reported that the Amarillo team was unable to play for the squeaking of the joints of the Hubbers—that accounts for the score of 6 to 2, we presume.

WET AND DRY

The wets claim that it is unjust for the dry to compel wet communities. But they have just offered a Senate joint resolution which would destroy prohibition of the liquor traffic except in the nineteen States having constitutional prohibition. This resolution would arbitrarily repeal prohibition laws in nine states where enforcement measures have been sustained by popular vote and in seventeen states where the legislature has enacted state prohibition enforcement codes. This iniquitous prohibition, in favor of liquor is what the wets propose to substitute for the present prohibition amendment.

Before prohibition, the nation produced the enormous amount of two billion gallons of beer per year. While the convictions for intoxication in New York between 1918 and 1924 increased seventy per cent, the convictions for intoxication in the city of London increased more than two hundred per cent. The standard for arrests in New York is very much stricter than in London. If the police of London used the same standard as that used in New York, the number arrests for drunkenness would probably be increased twenty times more.

It is safe to say that ninety-nine per cent of the women who are members of Protestant churches are opposed in the most determined way to nullification of the prohibition law by permitting the sale of wine and beer. While the proportion of men members of the churches may not be so large, it is still safe to claim that nine out of ten of them are for prohibition.

Beer containing 2.75 per cent of alcohol by weight is equivalent to 3.4 per cent by volume. Such eminent scientists as Dr. Harvey Wiley, Dr. Dean Rebas, President of the American Medical Association; Dr. W. A. Evans, President of the Illinois Medical School, and Dr. George Higley of Ohio Wesleyan University, have testified that such beer is intoxicating.

On the first day of 1808, the traffic in slaves officially ended, as far as the United States was concerned. But more than two hundred thousand slaves were smuggled in during the thirties, and in 1871 Congress took its first official action in the suppression of this trade.

More than 1,000 homes for every working day are being financed by the 12,922 building and loan associations of the country, according to officials of those associations.

WORLD TOPICS

OPERATIC MOVIES SOON

Singers of the Metropolitan opera company will be permitted to appear in operatic moving pictures, under the terms of a contract recently made with the Vitaphone company, producers of a device for synchronizing moving pictures and music.

Among the first artists to appear in the new "singing pictures" will be Marion Talley, the young prima donna whose spectacular debut took place last March, and Giovanni Martinelli, the noted tenor. The first production with these stars in the cast is scheduled for July 29.

Thus we shall witness one more triumph of science, art and engineering, provided the results shall be success, which seems to be assured. With continual improvement to be expected in these productions, it will not be long before very acceptable substitutes for real opera may be brought to the great mass of the people.

Aside from the entertainment features of such productions, they offer tremendous possibilities for the cultural advancement of the world, and their advent should be hailed with enthusiasm.

STUDENTS GO ABROAD

One day recently 499 American students sailed for Europe as a result of a new plan of the steamship companies providing for special accommodations and low rates for such passengers. Hundreds of others will go during the summer.

The slump in trans-Atlantic travel caused by a chiding down of immigration had left the steamships with

much unused passenger space. It was decided to fit up these quarters in modest, comfortable style and offer low rates to American students desiring to visit Europe. The plan has met with much success and it is enabling many students, who would have been unable to do so otherwise, to have the benefits of European trip.

DOC WISE



JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

INDIVIDUALITY

The fiddler whines he could sing,
The writer longs to point.
The subject wishes to be king,
The devil would be saint.
But wise is he who plods along
And leaves the singer to his song.
Oh, let the dancer dance, say I,
One job's enough for me.
Twere nice to paint a summer sky
And take the artist's fee,
Twere nice to do another's work,
But I've a task I mustn't shirk.
I have no voice with which to sing,
I'm clumsy with the dance,
I could not to a canvas bring
Life's beauty and romance.
My job, as far as I can see,
Is just to make a man of me.
So though my task be common
I'll find what joy I can,
The tests of life I'll try to face
As well befits a man,
I'll do my best and plod along
And leave the singer to his song.

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HUBBERS TRAMPLE INVADING METS BY 6 TO 2 SCORE

THREE RUNS IN FIRST FRAME ARE ENOUGH TO WIN, BUT LUBBOCK BOYS ADD FOUR FOR GOOD LUCK

After romping in the middle of "Lefty" the Amarillo Mets, for three runs in the initial session, the Hubbers then scored two more runs by attaining hits from Middleton and a follow-up of sacrifice hits which put two runs. Then Sheppard singled to center field in the seventh scoring Bassinger who had eluded a double down the third base line for the last score, ending the game with a count of 6 to 2 in the first of a three-day series here with the Panhandle's largest city.

For the first time this season, "Duke" Bassinger, the all-Southwestern pitching ace, was right and held the visitors to five well scattered singles during the contest. Two of the five gotten from Duke were for extra bases. Eckhart drove in the only two runs made by the Mets in the third frame when he rapped one from "Duke" for three bases which scored two men ahead of him who had walked. Hayden in the ninth session got a double from "Duke".

Several of the performers of the visiting nine are former members of Coach E. Y. Freeland's Maroon nine this spring and are displaying their ability as ball players with the Amarillo Mets.

This afternoon will be the second tilt with the Hubbers here beginning at 3:30 o'clock on the Merrill park diamond.

First Inning. AMARILLO—La Marr grounded out, Sloan to Quatt; Hayden grounded out, Bassinger to Quatt; Eckhart singled over second base; Hill grounded out, Bassinger to Quatt. No runs, one hit, no errors.

How They Stand

CITY LEAGUES

MAJOR

Results

Sherrard-Myrick 6; Bankers 2. (Forfeited).

Standing

Team	P	W	L	Pct.
Bankers	7	6	1	.857
Sherrard-Myrick	7	5	2	.714
Auto Dealers	9	3	3	.606
Barrier Bros.	8	3	3	.573
Laundry	9	1	8	.111

TWILIGHT LEAGUE

Results

Rix-Baker 7; Barbers 2. Texas-Utilities 6; Wheelers 0.

Standing

Team	P	W	L	Pct.
Rix-Baker	9	9	0	1.000
Texas Utilities	9	7	2	.777
Barbers	8	4	4	.500
Wheelers	9	3	6	.333
Harrod Ex.	10	3	7	.300
Soda Sheets	7	2	5	.286

TEXAS LEAGUE

Results

Beaumont 1; Fort Worth 3. Wichita Falls 11; Waco 6. Houston 4; Dallas 3. San Antonio 1; Shreveport 5.

Standing

Team	P	W	L	Pct.
San Antonio	93	56	37	.602
El Paso	92	52	40	.565
Beaumont	94	49	45	.521
Fort Worth	92	45	47	.489
Shreveport	92	44	48	.478
Houston	95	45	50	.459
Wichita Falls	93	40	53	.430
Waco	93	39	54	.419

Where They Play Today

Houston at Shreveport. Waco at Fort Worth. Beaumont at Wichita Falls. San Antonio at Dallas.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Results

Brooklyn 8; St. Louis 7. Boston 7; Pittsburgh 9.

Standing

Team	P	W	L	Pct.
Cincinnati	81	51	30	.586
Pittsburgh	81	45	36	.556
St. Louis	86	46	40	.536
Chicago	85	45	40	.529
Brooklyn	84	44	40	.524
New York	83	42	41	.506
Philadelphia	82	38	44	.460
Boston	85	32	53	.376

Where They Play Today

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Results

Detroit 3; New York 4. Chicago - Boston, rain. Cleveland 8; Washington 0. St. Louis 2-4; Philadelphia 3-5.

Standing

Team	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	85	54	31	.635
Philadelphia	86	49	37	.570
Chicago	86	46	40	.535
Cleveland	88	47	41	.534
Washington	81	42	39	.519
Detroit	87	43	44	.494
St. Louis	85	35	50	.412
Boston	84	25	59	.298

Where They Play Today

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

Furniture Boys Beat Barbers

The furniture boys maintained their lead yesterday afternoon at the Tech Park by putting the razor wielders out for the count of 7 to 2. Stevenson, relieving Wright in the first, easily held the Barbers and shut them out with no runs and no hits. He also struck out 9 men in the four innings.

Tipps pitching for the Barbers was good at times and struck out 7 men. He was weak from Thursday's game with the Wheelers and gave way for 9 hits. Errors accounted for a large number of the Rix scores.

Box score:	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Rix-Baker	3	0	1	0	0	0
Wright, p-rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Baker 3b	3	2	2	0	0	1
Stevenson r-f	3	2	1	0	2	0
Morgan 2b	3	1	2	0	2	0
Coffey lf	3	1	0	3	0	0
Ridge cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Leland c	3	1	2	0	0	0
Sanders ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
Miller 3b	2	0	1	0	1	0
Total	27	7	9	15	5	1
Barbers	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Miller 3b	2	1	0	3	0	1
Ellis lf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Tipps p	2	0	0	0	2	0
E. Karr 2b	2	0	1	0	1	2
R. Karr c	2	0	0	0	1	0
Jackson ss	2	0	0	0	1	0
Cattlett rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Arnold cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Bennett lf	2	0	0	1	0	1
Total	18	2	2	15	5	4

Summary: Base on balls, off Wright 1. Two base hits, E. Karr, Wright, Morgan, Leland. Three base hits: Stevenson, Morgan. Passed balls: Sanders 2. Wild pitches, Wright. Struck out by Stevenson 9, by Tipps 7. Left on bases, Barbers 2; Rix-Baker 3. Umpire, DeLaney. Scorer, Ratliff. Score by inning:

Barbers	200	00	2-2	4
Rix-Baker	200	23	7-9	1

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Detroit 000 000 300-3 10 0. New York 000 000 103-4 5 1. Johns, Stoner, Cooper, Holloway and Marion; Beall, Shawkey, Braxton and Bengough.

St. Louis 001 000 100-2 6 2. Philadelphia 003 000 005-3 7 0. Ralston and Schang; Ehmeke and Cochrane.

Second game: St. Louis 020 002 000-4 10 1. Philadelphia 004 100 005-5 13 0. Girard, Vangilder and Hargrave; Rommel and Cochrane.

Cleveland 013 011 110-8 15 1. Washington 000 000 000-0 8 2. Levens and L. Sewell; Johnson, Palmero, Ogden and Ruel.

Chicago at Boston, postponed; rain. **NATIONAL LEAGUE** Boston 011 032 009-7 10 1. Pittsburgh 071 000 075-9 12 1. R. Smith and Z. Taylor; Bush, Songer and E. Smith.

Brooklyn 013 210 001-8 10 2. St. Louis 020 002 120-7 10 4. Grimes, Ehrhardt, McWeeny and Hargrave; Alexander, Hallahan, Sotherton, Sherdell and Viosk. Only games scheduled.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Waco 000 000 11-6 11 1. Wichita Falls 220 221 200-11 14 2. Elliott, Henson and Goff; Williams and Query.

San Antonio 000 001 000-1 4 1. Shreveport 102 100 105-5 8 1. Owens and Wirtz; Gleason and Wilder.

Beaumont 000 000 001-1 9 1. Fort Worth 003 000 003-3 8 3. Devinney, Hansen and Robertson; Bird and Smith.

Houston 000 003 000 000-01-4 9 0. Dallas 010 200 000 000-3 5 2. Littlejohn and Schang; Collins and Hungling.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Wilwaukee 306 001 000-10 13 0.

Kansas City 020 010 000-3 11 3. Danforth and Young; Zinn and Snyder.

Indianapolis 201 000 010 001-5 10 3. Louisville 000 100 210 000-4 11 2. Henry and Hartley; Deberry and Devormer.

Minneapolis 000 002 000-2 13 1. St. Paul 001 002-3 11 0. Hubbell and Gowdy; Byler; Kolp and Hoffman.

WESTERN LEAGUE

Denver 210 000 010-4 9 2. Wichita 022 000 025-6 9 0. Walker, Cash, Hall and Smith; Montgomery and Haley.

Omsaha 140 001 200-8 15 1. St. Joe 200 021 010-6 12 1. Youngblood and Mondino; Neery, Reppy and Adams, Lisle.

Des Moines 000 000 010-1 4 1. Tulsa 000 013 205-6 10 0. Stokes, McClung and Haworth; Beck and Sidle.

Lincoln 202 000 350-12 17 0. Okla. City 000 000 000-0 4 2. Stuel and Diamond; Roberts, Pillette, Lyons and Graft.

Bassinger, 4. Two base hits: Sheppard, Hamilton, Bassinger and Hayden. Three base hits: Eckhart. Hit by pitched ball: Curtis, by Bassinger. Strike outs: Bassinger, 4; Middleton, 1. Sacrifice hits: Anderson, 2; Connolly; Quatt; Allen. Stolen bases: Jackson. Umpires: McCullough and De Long.

YANKS COME BEHIND TO WIN FROM TIGERS

For the second time this week the Yankees exhibited their fighting spirit by coming from behind in the ninth inning after trailing by several runs. They defeated the Tigers today 4 to 3, by scoring 3 runs in the last inning.

The Athletics beat the Browns in a double header, 3 to 2, and 5 to 4. The Indians whitewashed the Senators, 8 to 0, after knocking Walter Johnson out of the box. Rain prevented the White Sox from playing at Boston.

The Pirates beat the Braves, 9 to 7, while the Robins won an 8 to 7 game over the Cards by scoring one run in the ninth. No other National league games were scheduled. Burros of the Braves and Rhyme of the Pirates hit homer.

Hardware Men Beat Financiers

The Hardware Men beat the Bankers at Merrill park yesterday afternoon, 6 to 2. Both teams played good ball. Smith, who pitched a no hit game Thursday was unable to get by the hardware men. He featured with a triple while Ribble hit for two bases. Batteries: Sherrard-Myrick; Ribble and Ford; Bankers: Smith and Von Tungen.

TO ANNOUNCE PRO GRID SCHEDULE SOON

NEW YORK, July 16. — The 1926 schedule of professional football games will be issued about August 1. It was announced Friday at a meeting of franchise owners of the American league of professional football clubs.

Helen Wills As Good As Ever

By United News. FOREST HILLS, N. Y., July 16.

Appearing on the courts for the first time since she underwent an operation for appendicitis in Paris six weeks ago, Helen Wills, the American tennis champion, flushed the superlative tennis that has made her Suzanne Lenglen's only rival.

Home only a few days from her extensive trip abroad, "the peeress of American tennis" played on the courts of the West Side Tennis Club here—the courts on which she will defend her title—for 20 minutes, with Paul Heston, assistant professional of the club.

Despite a blazing sun, she played with the same vigor which has carried her to the top of the tennis realm. Her service had its accustomed power and she was able to cover the court with remarkable speed, proving beyond a doubt the statement of Dr. Thieriey De Martelle, the French surgeon who performed the appendicitis operation, that Miss Wills' recuperative powers were remarkable.

At no time during the practice did Helen show an inclination to favor her side, where the incision was made for the appendicitis operation.

After the practice, Helen said she expected to be on the court again Saturday and would gradually increase the amount of her practice.

Ice men Freeze Out Fruit Men

The ice men handled the fruit peddlers rather roughly yesterday at Fair Park and downed them 6 to 0. Three home runs and four three base hits featured. Batteries: Texas Utilities Carr and E. Brock; Wheelers: McAdams, Carter and Coker.

JACK DELANEY OUT BOXES AND OUT HITS PAUL BERLENBACH TO WIN LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHT TITLE

By FRANK GETTY (United News Staff Correspondent) ERRETS FIELD, Brooklyn, N. Y., July 16. — Jack Delaney, debonair hard hitting boxer from Bridgeport, easily won the world's light heavyweight championship Friday night, defeating Paul Berlenbach of Astoria, the former title holder, in a 15-round fight to a decision.

Delaney fractured the thumb of his left hand in the sixth round. His physician said he would not be able to fight for some time. The bout scheduled for next Wednesday night was declared off.

Sixty thousand fans looked on from the stadium, bleachers and ring side and there was not a single dissenting voice when the judges awarded Delaney the title he has sought so long.

Always Paul's superior as a boxer, and flashing a two-handed attack which had the former champion bewildered and staggering at times, the French-Canadian gave a brilliant boxing lesson to Paul as well as the fans.

A \$400,000 gate rewarded promoter Umberto Fugazy for his efforts in staging the first big championship battle in these parts.

What happened in the main bout was this:

Berlenbach, coached by astute old Dan Heley, had planned his fight to avoid a knockout from Delaney's right hand.

Delaney found this out early in the battle and whipped Paul with his left.

The stolid Astoria German could not change his plan of battle, once in the ring.

Delaney outlast him with left hooks, usually Paul's specialty, and fired such a hail of punches to the body that Berlenbach's guard finally came down.

They in the closing round, Jack

whipped over his right hand to the law and at one time appeared to have the former champion on the verge of a knockout.

As for Berlenbach's vaunted left hand, the wily Delaney tied it up at close quarters and sustained little body punishment. The new champion's mouth was cut and swollen from a hard left which Paul brought up in a clinch early in the fight, but otherwise he was unhurt.

Berlenbach was bleeding from a bad cut over his left eye which he received in the eleventh round. He chin was cut and dripping blood. Otherwise he was as strong as his conqueror at the finish. From the tenth round on, there was no doubt as to how the fight would go. Berlenbach actually fought listlessly.

He was too cautious. He was trying to box, and even Dan Heley has not been able to make Paul a boxer.

But what a boxer the new champion is! Delaney showed everything Friday night that a champion needs, his cool ring head never left him, and his left hook to the body and head carried a world of punishment.

This left hand of Delaney's is something new and will be a factor in light heavyweight contests of the future. His deadly right and upper cut found the mark but seldom, for Paul's one chance, rested in avoiding it, and the Astoria boxer took care to do so.

OFFER LATZO BIG PURSE By United News. SCRANTON, Pa., July 16. — Pete Latzo, Scranton, welterweight champion, has been offered \$30,000 for a 15 round bout to a decision at Buffalo, N. Y. with Frankie Schell of that city, it was stated here Friday.

Latzo is expected to accept the offer. The bout is to be staged within the next six weeks, it is understood.

TO THE VOTERS

July 16, 1926.

Mr. Owen W. McWhorter, City.

Dear Sir:

In regard to the matter of certain telegram being mailed to the voters of this Judicial District which was sent to me as Mayor of Lubbock by a number of attorneys in Fort Worth in a way endorsing the candidacy of Mr. Durwood H. Bradley for District Attorney, will say:

The telegram came to me as Mayor and not personally. I knew nothing of the telegram being sent, and I am sure that the public will realize that same was without my solicitation and in no way a personal endorsement of mine for Mr. Bradley.

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be built in Amsterdam.

Acuff Infant Is Buried Here

Dona B. Railsback, aged five months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Railsback of Acuff, died in a Lubbock sanitarium Thursday, and was buried yesterday in Lubbock cemetery, after funeral services conducted at the McCummen home east of this city, by Rev. Mr. Sherrod of Canyon. The Baker Furniture & Undertaking Company was in charge.

Miss Marie L. Thomas of Auburn-
dale, Mass., was selected from among
1,000 girls by Artist Richard And-
rews to pose for a painting of Joan
of Arc.

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HASKELL COTTON HURT BY FLEAS

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AGE IN LUBBOCK COUNTY
IS NEGLIGIBLE

J. D. Coughland of Dallas, field
representative of the Texas Farm
Bureau Cotton Association, met dis-
trict and county bureau chairmen of
the South Plains in a conference here
Friday. A number of important topics
were discussed, though marketing
was given due consideration.

At this time it appears the South
Plains will make the greatest crop
of its history, and members of the
association are planning to make it
net as much cash as is possible.

County Agent Eaton gave a brief
survey of the cotton flea, a newly
discovered pest, and advised farmers
how to fight it. There are a few of
these pests in Lubbock county, he
said, though so far they have done
very little damage. It seems as
though they work in droves, and
while they are working in one field
another one near by may not be
molested.

One Lubbock county farmer
brought in a few stalks of cotton that
had been ravished by these insects,
and, upon close examination the
stalks were found to contain a num-
ber of these insects. So far the South
Plains has not been molested to any
great extent. In Haskell county, how-
ever, they are ruining crops.

The fleas are small, and work only
on young squares. A square that is
three or four days old is too tough to
be damaged, Mr. Eaton said.

The county agent has warned
farmers in this section to be on their
guard, and if the pests get too num-
erous he will advise them as to their
destruction.

BANDIT PLAYS SODA JERKER

NEW YORK, July 16.—By slip-
ping on a white coat while happen-
ing to be hanging on a convenient hook,
a bandit, one of four engaged in the
hold up of a drug store on Seven-
teenth avenue, Brooklyn, was able to
serve several women customers while
his confederates completed a job of
rifling the safe.

The life of paper posters on bill-
boards is now lengthened by water-
proofing in the nature of a varnish-
ing process.

CITY POLL TAX IS IN ABEYANCE

MAYOR MAKES TIE WHEN \$1.00
LEVY COMES UP AT
MEETING

Contrary to the custom in most
Texas cities, and to ordinary par-
liamentary rules, the mayor of Lub-
bock has a vote on all matters that
come before the commission. As a
result an attempt on the part of
two commissioners yesterday to re-
new the city poll tax of \$1, optional
under the charter, was defeated
when Mayor Parrish and one other
commissioner opposed it. Only four
of the city dads were present at yester-
day's meeting.

The mayor also was against taxing
vendor's lien notes, while two com-
missioners voted in favor of taxation.
Double taxation was the point in-
volved.

Gas Ordinance Passes
The new gas ordinance which pro-
vided for the collection of one-half
cent a gallon on all gasoline sold in
this city passed the last reading and
will soon become a law. The tax is to
be collected from wholesale dealers
and will not apply to gasoline deliv-
ered out of this city to adjoining
counties.

Want Lights in Flat
The law abiding element in the
flat recently filed a petition with the
city manager asking that the city in-
stall a number of street lights in that
section of the city. The petition in-
forms officials that "some niggers"
in that section of the city are not
living just as they should, and that
street lights will help to keep them
tame. The city manager was instruct-
ed to give them the necessary light.

While no definite action was taken
at the meeting yesterday, water rates
in this city will likely be changed
in the near future. At this time the
minimum charge is one dollar per
month, and if the new ordinance
is adopted it will be advanced to
\$1.50. However, this will not work a
hardship any one as all customers
using 2,000 gallon of water a month
(the minimum) will get greatly re-
duced rates on additional thousands.

The commission also plans to in-
stall meters in all sections of the
city, thereby doing away with flat
rate customers.
It will be remembered that the
city's books are being audited by H.
B. Robertson and associates, of Ama-

rico. The work has been under way
for some time and members of the
commission are insisting that they
make their report at the earliest pos-
sible moment.

Some important matters will be
settled at the regular meeting next
week.

Discussion of the passage of nit-
roglycerin trucks through the city
resulted in no action. Several citi-
zens have complained to the com-
missioners about "soup trucks" pass-
ing through Lubbock on the way
to the Panhandle oil fields, as a
menace to the safety of citizens.
The commissioners were told that
nitroglycerin truck explosions are
rare and always due to carelessness.

The entire town of Fort Eynon,
Scotland, turned out to witness the
burial of a whale that had been shot
near the beach.

Francis Norman, of Dudley, Eng.,
was arrested for marrying two wo-
men on the same day.

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SYNOPSIS

Marie Downey, innocently involved in a scandalous affair with Clifford Dudley, a matinee idol, climbs to stardom because of the notoriety. The story gets into Marie's home town papers. John, her former sweetheart, writes that he believes in her and wants to marry her. Marie, tasting success, puts him off. For three years, with her chum Sally, she lives the pampered life of a New York star. As her twentieth birthday approaches, John plans to visit her—and Clifford thinks of her again.

CHAPTER X—(Continued)

Now, suppose if he reached for the telephone and called her up just casually and wished her a happy birthday—what might happen? He had some time ago found out through his producer's office the number of her private telephone. He considered. Having never had a rebuff, he could not imagine one, especially from Marie. Oh, some embarrassment, of course. But if he knew her and he felt he did, she would probably be tickled to death to hear his voice again.

Marie was breakfasting in bed luxuriously this morning in a room which looked out on her own small stretch of back yard, now touched with the first green of spring. She was feeling especially lazy, luxurious, and even happy today, perhaps because the sun shone so brightly through the lowered shades, on lacy pillows, delicate rugs, fountains, pastel-colored furniture, which she had loved. Sally, who had bounced in and crossed her legs at the foot of the bed, smoked her first cigarette and nodded understandingly.

"Feels pretty good, doesn't it? Own your own home!"

"Own your own house anyway," remarked Marie. "Hand me a cig, will you? What have we on for today?"

The private telephone by Marie's bedside rang. "She had left the



"They say that dame throws the wildest parties in New York!"

room to arrange her bath. Marie reached for the instrument languidly.

"Yes?"

"May I speak to Miss Downey?"

A faint memory lifted Marie's brows.

"Who wants her, please?"

"This is Mr. Clifford Dudley speaking."

Marie drew away from the telephone and threw her voice into it, a good way to disguise the tone:

"I'll see if she's up, sir."

Then she covered the receiver quickly with her hand and lay back and looked at Sally, smothering giggles.

"Guess who?"

"For the love of Pete—who?"

"Our old friend, Clifford!"

"The nerve!" exclaimed Sally. "I'll tell him you're not in, and I'll make it strong! Dujever!"

"No, wait a minute, Sally. I've a swell idea."

Marie uncovered the telephone, and spoke from the distance, with an expression on her face that would have made Clifford pause.

Her face was as demure as that of a cat flicking up a particularly juicy saucer of cream.

"Miss Downey cannot be disturbed now, but she says to kindly tell you to come to her birthday party tonight after the theatre."

"Tell her I'll be glad to."

"Well," said Clifford to himself, profoundly pleased, "that was too easy."

He took up the small hand mirror by his bedside and regarded himself in it carefully. She would not and him changed or marred by so much as a crowfoot. And if she still loved him as much as he had every reason to feel sure, well—Marie was no longer that not-so-distant or marriage clause in his contract. He had climbed sufficiently high to object to such potent clauses and not to mind the effect of domesticity on the public.

Arriving, Marie Downey, the star, was far removed from Marie Downey, overnight.

Marie Downey and Clifford Dudley. He smiled dreamily to himself. What a romance! And how the public, eager to believe in true love and its final reconciliations, would eat it up. It would bring him on the front pages again.

When Marie hung up the telephone, Sally fell on her with loud cries.

"You don't mean to tell me—Oh, Marie. Not after all the mess—"

"Oh, you poor sap!" giggled Marie in her turn. "Don't tell me you can't see. Every worm has its day, too, you know, for turning."

"Here laughter overcame her."

Sally threw all the pillows in sight at her, and, that failing, beseeched her with loud wails:

"For Pete's sake! What is it? Don't keep me on pins and needles. You're making a nervous wreck out of me, Marie—you wretch!"

"Well, what would you say to this bright idea," began Marie slowly.

She elaborated. Sally gasped and howled.

"It's perfect! Perfect! Oh, how the worm will turn! Oh, what a comeback! He won't hear the end of this for a long time, not if I'll Sally Short knows it."

The maid, well schooled as she was, could not help shaking her head disapprovingly over scattered pillows, bits of breakfast roll flung to fast corners of the room, the tray upset by the war dance which Sally and Marie had performed.

"These actresses," she thought, as she went about, silently picking things up.

Marie Downey had never given a performance so alive, so thoughtless, so scintillating as she gave that night. The manager wondered whether she had got a new sweetie; the chorus girls whether some one had presented her with a string of real pearls; the leading man, under more than her usual rays of stage love, whether she had not suddenly conceived a passion for him. Only Sally knew, and spent her time between numbers at the back stage telephone, calling up twice as many people as had been called before to come to the best party Marie Downey was ever to give.

The fair haired young chap who sat in the middle of the balcony with such painfully wetted down blond hair and such a subtly metropolitan attire could not know that Marie Downey was at her best tonight. He only wondered that she was so quiet, so demure, so able to romp and posture so, and—and—exhibit her legs so cheerfully to the gaping audience. The first thing John had done in New York, even before he registered at a modest hotel, was to buy a ticket for Marie Downey's show. He had intended to wear his one suit of evening clothes, which he had smuggled in without, he hoped, his mother's knowledge. But he was astounded to find how much an orchestra seat for the show would cost—if he could get one. The man at the box office said that they were all sold out. The ticket agencies, the man said, might have seats, and he recommended one. But at this ticket agency they only yawned and after some deep thought declared reluctantly that he could have a seat in the last row for \$15.

Fifteen dollars! Not that John was stingy, but at \$15 for three hours of a musical comedy, even if it meant seeing Marie, his innate sense of proportion revolted. They were stinging him for a country boy. He blushed furiously, walked out and after strolling twice around the block of the theatre he shamefacedly approached the ticket man again and asked for one in the balcony. This the man produced with so much aloofness that John felt more than ever convinced of being but a speck on the face of the great city.

He sat humbly in his seat upstairs watching the self possessed men and the elaborate women stroll into the orchestra and the young people about him throwing candy wrappers into the aisles and acting generally as if they went to the theatre every night of their lives, acting as if they didn't give a hoot even if it were a Marie Downey show.

A stranger confided to John about the star both had come to see.

"They say that dame throws the wildest parties in New York!"

"They'd have to be some wild to beat our parties," retorted a girl confidently.

"Aw, what do you know about it? Think you can compete with an actress?"

"I wouldn't try," replied the girl haughtily. "I have some self-respect."

The escort was silenced. John's ears burned. And all about him people were rattling their programs and treating the private lives of the performers, especially Marie, as if they were common property.

The curtain rose at last. And fortunately for John, who sat on the edge of his seat, Marie Downey was not long in making her appearance. Rounds of applause greeted her.

(To Be Continued)

DAN WILL HOLD MA TO HER WAGER

SAYS GOVERNOR WILL HAVE TO RESIGN AFTER FIRST PRIMARY

WOODVILLE, Tex., July 16.—Predicting that he will be nominated in the first primary and that a second primary will not be necessary, Dan Moody, attorney general and candidate for governor, reiterated the declaration in a speech here this afternoon that Governor Ferguson will be called upon to resign in accordance with the terms of the proposition she made to him at Sulphur Springs.

Moody will be a new Governor in Texas within two weeks from today," said Moody, "for the people are going to register a majority against Fergusonism on July 24th. The people are voting with a full knowledge of the terms of the proposition which Ferguson made himself. The primary will be equivalent to a referendum on the question of whether or not the Governor should resign, and there is not the slightest question about the verdict. The people are going to speak so loud that even Jim Ferguson will not be able to ignore their voice."

Moody said that there is evidence that former Governor Ferguson will seek to evade compliance with the terms of the proposition, but he insisted that when the people have spoken there will be no choice but to comply with those terms.

"Ferguson may try to get out of keeping his word," said Moody, "but the representatives of the people can find means of compelling him to keep. The people are going to stand no more foolishness from Jim Ferguson after registering an overwhelming vote against him in the primary. And the year not going to sit down supinely and permit the abuse of irresponsible power in the Governor's office to continue until next January."

They have the Governor's pledge to resign. Old Jim himself was the originator of that proposal and he did not expect me to accept it. He did not expect it to be anything more than a campaign thunder, but he is going to discover that it is very serious business. I am going to lead in the primary by nearly 150,000 votes and will be nominated in the first primary. And that means that Governor Ferguson will be called upon to resign. Jim Ferguson is going to find out that it is not going to be so easy to get out of keeping that pledge as he thinks."

Moody declared that it is now clear to everybody that there is only one big question before the people at this time and that the people had refused to be diverted by side issues. The big question, he said, is that of rescuing the government from Ferguson's irresponsible control, and they are not going to wait until January to get rid of him.

WOBBLY LEGS AS DIVINING RODS

HINDU WELL-FINDER HUNTS TILL HIS KNEES SHAKE THEN HE DIGS

BOMBAY, July 16.—Rival water diviners recently tested their powers here in a contest which brought out some unusual "divining sticks," including a pair of wobbly legs, a magnifying glass and a darning needle. Added interest to the contest was accounted for by the fact that the game at stake is a \$10,000 a year job as official water diviner for the city of Bombay.

Most interesting of the contestants was Babajee Kunba, a wizened cultivator of 70 or more years of age who has succeeded in always making a good living through his reputation as a diviner. Having arrived at a spot in the vicinity of which it was desired to sink a well Kunba walked around in increasing large circles until his knees began to wobble under him. Then he carefully edged his way around until he reached a spot where they wobbled worst of all. There he stopped and raised his hand to indicate the depth that water would be found, which in this case was an indicated depth of between 30 and 50 feet.

Kunba was followed by a Surat Brahmin named Joshi who bore a magnifying glass and an armful of astrological charts. A detailed examination of samples of earth under the glass was followed by astrological calculations and the drawing of mystic charts. An assistant meanwhile consulted learned Sanskrit texts. Finally after innumerable calculations, Joshi submitted his decision as to where water would be found.

A third contestant, a Major Pogson, an Englishman, walked in to the field with a delicately balanced darning needle. At the spot where the needle showed the greatest disposition to tilt downwards, Major declared water would be found, whereupon the two Indians violently disputed his assertion, declaring any well sunk at the spot he indicated would be dry.

A well will shortly be sunk on the spot indicated by Major Pogson to test the correctness of his divination. If water is found there, he will get the job of official diviner. If it isn't found, wells will be sunk on the spot indicated by the two Indians, and they in turn will take the ramble of getting or losing the job, depending upon whether water is or is not found.

Kunba claims to have been born feet first, which he says gives him unusual power of divination thru his feet.

In southwest Africa, American anthropologists have found a race of Bushmen, "the lowest living form of humanity," who have no language except clicking sounds made with the tongue; no occupation except the daily search for food.

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The berg wre probably 200 miles away.

DENTON GIRLS ENTERTAIN DENTON, Texas, July 16.—Special attractions are being arranged weekly for the benefit of the summer students at the College of Dental Arts. The events are conducted as surprises.

The last entertainment was conducted on the lawn south of the president's home and consisted of childhood games in which faculty members and students participated. Novel features of this sort are staged each week.

DE MOLAYS WILL MEET IN EL PASO

JULY 23 AND 24 DATES SET FOR CONVENTION OF JUNIOR MASONS

EL PASO, July 16.—The South-west DeMolay Convocation which will be held at the Scottish Rite Cathedral under the auspices of Ameth Chapter of El Paso will have more than one hundred representatives from towns and cities in Arizona, New Mexico and West Texas, according to the responses received here to the announcement of the meeting.

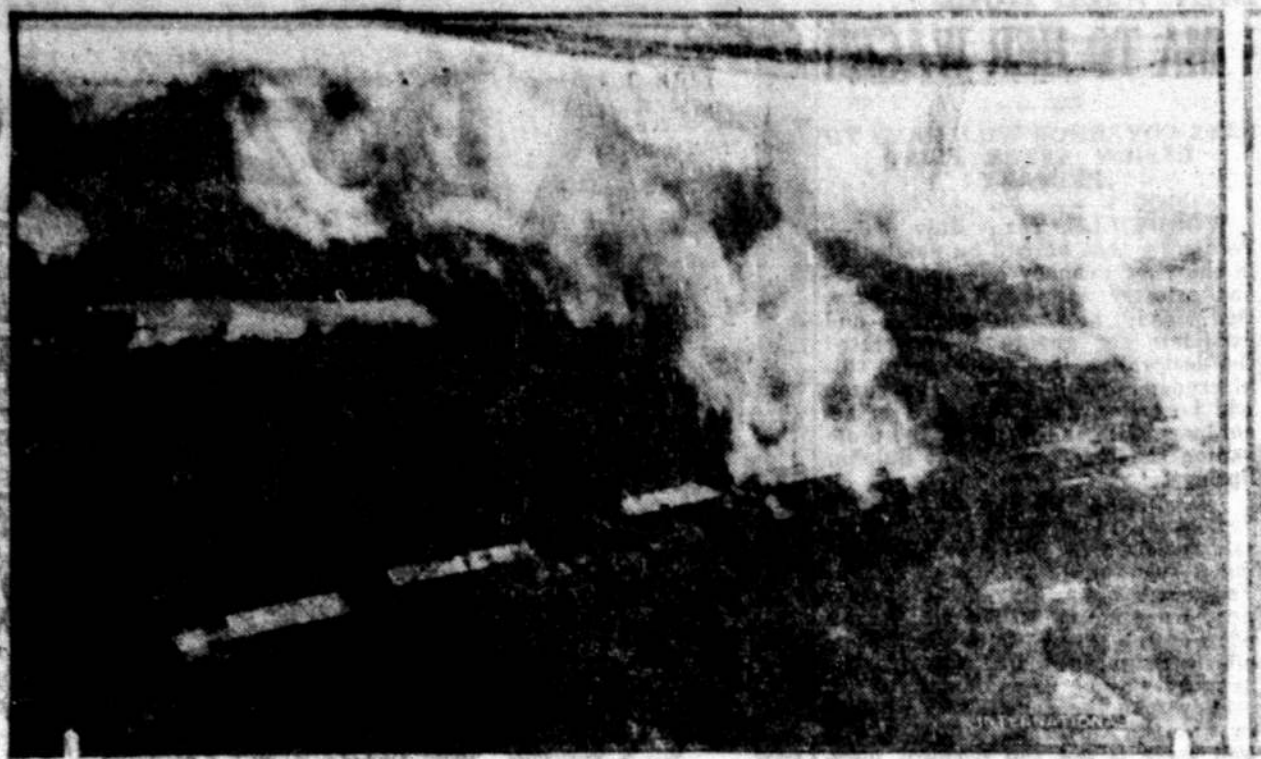
The meeting will be held on July 23 and 24 with something doing every minute of the two-day session. Sight-seeing trips, social affairs and

To Snapshot City 290 Miles Away

WASHINGTON, July 16.—The army air service has developed a long range aviation camera which will be used in experiments next month over Dayton, Ohio, to photograph the city of Detroit, 290 miles away. The long distance picture will be taken at an altitude of 30,000 feet. If the test is successful, it will mean that military aviators without crossing any links can photograph positions and cities far behind the enemy lines.

degree work will be given for the benefit of the visitors. El Paso boys will care for practically all of the visitors in their rhomes.

Air View of Destruction of Navy Ammunition Plant



This airplane photograph of the destruction of the navy ammunition depot at Lake Denmark, N. J., was made while shells were still exploding and the many configurations were at their height. The loss of life was heavy and property valued at nearly a hundred million was destroyed. The picture was transmitted by wire.

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PLENTY OF SEATS FOR THE LADIES

Says Blacks Will Inherit the Earth

By RALPH HEINSEN
(United News Staff Correspondent)
PARIS, July 16.—Disappearance of the white and yellow races from the earth, under a wave of cannibalism, is pictured by Professor Jacques Barty, French student of birth statistics and multiplied totals.

A dark picture for future generations of mankind is drawn by this Paris professor, who predicts that one day a black wave will sweep up from Africa, cross the Atlantic to eat up New York and then digest its way to the Pacific.

Instead of being worried about its rapidly declining population and falling birth rate, France should be happy to escape the cannibalistic ending of civilization, Professor Barty believes.

"It is only a question of years—not so many years after all," he says, "until civilization rushes into catastrophe."

"The day is on the calendar when the world will be too small for its population and the people will be forced by hunger to kill each other. The globe today counts 1,800,000,000 people. Each day sees 50,000,000 children born. In 75 years there will be 14,000,000,000 people on the earth."

In the year 2676, or 750 years from now, professor Barty believes that if any one remains upon this earth, it will be a race of negroes. The white races he estimates as comprising 550 millions occupying four tenths of the surface of the world. He predicts that the white population will double in the next eighty years.

"Meanwhile the yellow race will double in population in only sixty years and the black in forty years," he said. Logically, eventually the black race will dominate and it will be the blacks who will turn back to cannibalism to solve the question of food. This will be the greatest problem facing the future generations in the next century.

CAPPER SUGGESTS MID-WEST C. OF C.

KANSAS SENATOR SAYS ONLY WAY TO PUT OVER AIMS ON EASTERN INDUSTRY

By United News

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 16.—An aggressive fight for the interest of this section of the country thru organization of political and economic resources was urged today by Senator Arthur Capper, addressing civic organizations in the chamber of commerce here.

Senator Capper said that such organization could be effected thru the formation of a Middle Western chamber of commerce, which would be equipped to present a united front against the highly developed and organized industrial East, which, for many years, has had an advantage over the West.

"It is natural," he said, "for the people of the East to have only a local viewpoint. Many of them have not had an opportunity to come in contact with the Middle West or to make a study of the vast empire out here."

"The inevitable result is the remarks one sometimes hears in the East about the 'nutty Middle Western viewpoint'. This is common with the 'forty five minutes from Broadway' type of individual who thinks the land of the buffalo and Indians starts just west of Cleveland."

Many of the leading industrialists of the East are willing to listen to reason if the Middle West can find means of presenting their problems to them in an attractive manner, according to the Kansas senator. He said this could be accomplished through organization of the business and agricultural interests of the West into a strong fighting unit.

FLOYDADA FIGHTS SANTA FE PLAN

WILL SEND COMMITTEE TO I. C. C. HEARING JULY 19 AT WASHINGTON

FLOYDADA, Tex., July 16.—Opposition to the proposed extension of the Santa Fe from Floydada to the southeast portion of the county, will be made at the hearing of the Interstate Commerce Commission in Washington, July 19, by the East Plains Railway Committee composed of A. J. Folly, local attorney, W. M. Massie and Homer Steen of the Chamber of Commerce railroad committee.

A brief has been filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission stating that the proposed Santa Fe line would be a duplication of the Frisco and denial of the application is asked in case it interferes with the building of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific, a subsidiary of the Frisco, from McBain to Floydada, a distance of twenty-seven miles.

This application is related to the controversy for authority to build into the South Plains in that the report of Examiner Boies recommends that the Frisco's extension be permitted provided that the T. & P. & G., which would acquire the Frisco, is permitted to build.

The hearing of this extension was held in Floydada in May before Commissioner C. V. Terrell. The Santa Fe has filed a brief in behalf of the extension and in all probability will make a determined fight for permit to build.

Planes Make Hens Nervous; No Eggs

LINCOLN, Nebr., July 16.—A district court has ruled that the nervous chickens of Emil Clatt must continue to suffer from the whir of airplanes above them. Clatt had asked an injunction against a flying corporation, claiming its planes flying over his farm worried his hens so much that egg production had fallen off 25 per cent.

Miss Celeste J. Miller of Chicago, aged 80, has just returned home after completing her thirty-first trip around the world. She has in her lifetime traveled more than 900,000 miles.

DOG'S IDENTIFICATION TAG IS GOLD TOOTH

MANTASKET, Mass., July 16.—In order that he can more easily locate his dog, who often wanders off, Dr. William P. Bergan, dentist, has placed a gold tooth in the animal's mouth—the tooth serves as a perfect means of identification, according to Dr. Bergan.

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U. S. TOURISTS SWARM IN LONDON USURPING BARS, INNS AND CAFES; ACCUSED OF SENSATION SEEKING

By C. P. WILLIAMS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
LONDON, July 16.—The Yanks have taken London.

Ever since General Pershing and the first vanguard of the American Expeditionary Forces arrived here on June 8, 1917, have American tourists so completely captured the center of the British Empire as the present season. They are driving Englishmen out of spots which were formerly sacred British ground and impenetrable by foreigners.

With the aid of tourist agencies they have invaded "Limehouse," London's lowly underworld, previously known only to tourists through moving pictures made in Hollywood. "Rubber-neck" wagons overflowing with Americans, nightly penetrate London's East End to make a comparison of the Ghetto, Chinatown and Poplar with similar spots in America.

The Strand, Trafalgar Square, Piccadilly, Bond Street and the Latin quarter of Soho in the West End have become the haunts of the American tourists during the early evening—followed by a round of London's famous night clubs after the saloons are closed.

Even the gathering places of Eng-

land's newspapermen in the Fleet Street and Blackfriars districts have been turned into miniature museums with extensive displays and signs such as "Dr. Johnson's Favorite seat," or "Charles Dickens first conceived the character of David Copperfield while sitting on this bench."

London's journalists, tiring of being jostled about their favorite haunts by American tourists, have deserted Fleet Street for quieter places.

Pavement artists have varied their subjects to include drawings to attract Americans. Favorite winter subjects, such as the drawings of the Prince of Wales and King George, have been varied to drawings of American flags and American figures to entice pennies from visitors from the United States.

This influx of thousands of tourists from the United States greatly upset the usually placid surface of English restaurants and public places. Accustomed to spending large quantities of Continental currencies, which can now be bought cheap for the American dollar, many Americans continue lavish practices after they reach here from the mainland.

Waiters in some of the larger

Predicts Crude Oil Shortage

By United News.
CHICAGO, July 16.—Shortage of 75,000,000 barrels in crude oil production this year is predicted in a bulletin by the American Research Foundation, a body composed of Chicago business men organized for the purpose of obtaining advance statistical information on industrial subjects.

are now nightly receiving tips aggregating more than those of an entire week before the tourist season began. The American tourist is actually "spoiling" waiters and hotel servants, who have always been satisfied with a maximum tip of 12 cents for practically any service.

Americans, however, think nothing of tipping the waiter enough to cover the meal in addition to the bill. The result is that the more conservative English are being driven to spots where the American has not yet invaded.

Proprietors of restaurants frequented by Americans and managers of "American Bars," which have recently sprung up in profusion in all parts of the city, have judiciously stored all stray glassware and ornaments for the summer, on the assumption that "when an American turns loose the sky's the limit."

SUGGESTS MORE PAY FOR FIREMEN

MAYOR PARRISH WOULD BOOST
WAGES OF BOYS ON
FIRE TRUCKS

A salary increase for certain members of Lubbock's fire department was suggested by Mayor Parrish at a meeting of the commission yesterday. "There are men who have been in the service for a number of years who are still drawing only \$80 a month," he said. "This hardly seems fair, and I think we should take some action."

Lubbock's fire department is not graded. If a man is a fireman he is a fireman—that is all. It may be some new men are not worth more than \$80, it was pointed out, but men with years of experience are.

Action will likely be taken at the next regular meeting.

SIX TO GRADUATE FROM ST. EDWARDS

AUSTIN, Texas, July 16.—Six boys will receive their high school diplomas at the summer session commencement of St. Edward's academy which will be held on Sunday, July 25. Preceding the awarding of the diplomas there will be a solemn high mass, the sermon being delivered by the Rev. Peter B. Forrestal, C. S. C., acting president of St. Edward's during the summer.

Ricker & Dodson Form Oil Company

Announcement is made by Rupert P. Ricker of the organization under the laws of Texas, of El Capitan Oil Company, which Mr. Ricker says will engage in general oil activities. The charter of the corporation was received from Austin on April 9th last and the organization meeting held this week. Mr. Ricker was elected president, Floyd C. Dodson and Robert B. Campbell, vice-presidents, Clyde Vinson, secretary, and Hedwig T. Kniker, treasurer. Both Mr. Ricker and Mr. Dodson are University of Texas graduates, as are, in fact, all the directors of the new company except Mr. Campbell, whose Alma Mater is the University of Chicago.

In addition to the officers above named, the stockholders are: J. H. Watt, E. M. Funghouser, and H. H. Henderson.

The capital stock, \$25,000.00, was paid in cash and is held exclusively by those actively engaged in conducting the company's business.

Both Mr. Ricker, as business executive, and Mr. Dodson, as geologist, with headquarters at San Angelo, have been down throughout the western part of Texas, under their firm name of Ricker & Dodson, for their activities in the general oil business, and Mr. Campbell has a wide acquaintance by reason

BISCUIT BAKING STARTS AT 10 A. M.

COUNTY COOKS TO DISPLAY
THEIR ART AT CLUB-
HOUSE TODAY

A biscuit baking and sewing contest will be staged at the Lubbock country clubhouse today, and members of a number of women's and girls' community demonstration clubs will take part. The meeting will be under the direction of Miss Myrtle Murray, home demonstration agent for this county, and Miss Millie Halsey of Lynn county.

Only the elder members will take part in the baking contest which will start at 10 o'clock this morning, though both women and girls will compete in the sewing contest which starts at 2 in the afternoon.

of his position recently resigned as geologist at San Angelo for the Humble Oil & Refining Company.

It will be recalled that Ricker & Dodson originally filed upon and held from the State the entire Krupp and Pickrell (Texon Oil and Land Company), block of acreage in Reagan County, including what has become known as the Big Lake Oil Field which has yielded so copiously to the enrichment of the University of Texas permanent fund.

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Funds to Fight Texas Forest Fires

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, July 16.—Increased maintenance and development of the forest fire prevention system in Texas is now possible as the results of an allotment by the government of \$28,850 for forestry work made on July 1, according to E. O. Eiecke, state forester and head of the forestry department of the A. and M. College of Texas. This fund, which was also made last year, will be matched by a similar appropriation from the state.

The present forest protection organization in the state department comprises six men constantly employed and 41 patrolmen who are on duty for seven months during the fall and spring fire seasons. Co-operation is on the increase among men in the lumber industries and other citizens in East Texas, Mr. Eiecke said. He stated that a realization of the need for controlling the fire nuisance and of its elimination before substantial progress can be made on a practical reforestation program, is growing yearly.

CHINESE PRESIDENT GOES INTO RETIREMENT
PEKING, July 16.—Accompanied by more than fifty members of his family, Tuan Chi-jui, acting chief executive of China for a stormy year, has retired to a large forty-room house in the Japanese Concession in Tientsin.



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\$1.40 HAT SPECIAL—Big assortment of Sport Hats and Dress Hats go in this assortment.

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RUM RUNNERS TRY CHESAPEAKE BAY

DRIVEN FROM NEW YORK THEY
ATTEMPT AN ENTRY
FURTHER DOWN

WASHINGTON, July 16.—Driven from New York and New England, the ever watchful rum runners who lurk along the Atlantic coast are trying to penetrate into Chesapeake bay. This renewed drive comes just as Lincoln C. Andrews, dry enforcement chief, is trying to get cooperation from authorities in England in suppressing the coast liquor traffic.

The coast guard has dispatched several of its fast boats to the threatened area at the entrance of Chesapeake bay, and they began their defensive work recently with a haul of 2,500 cases from vessels seeking to gain an entrance. Some of this liquor, it is believed, was bound for Philadelphia, via Washington, to quench the thirst of Sesquicentennial visitors.

This new activity comes a period of comparative quiet along the Atlantic coast and illustrates the vigilance necessary on the part of the coast guard in keeping the traffic down to a minimum. Coast guard officials do not expect to wipe it out completely, although they have abolished rum row, as such.

Commander S. S. Yeandle, who as assistant to Admiral Frederick C. Billard, head of the coast guard,

keeps in close touch with operations of the 250 vessels fighting the rum runners, was asked when the traffic would be stopped.

"It will continue just so long as there is a demand for liquor in the United States," he answered promptly.

"Rum row, as it was some time ago with twenty and thirty vessels hovering outside of New York has disappeared.

"There are four or five vessels which hang about New York and New Jersey, watching for an opportunity, and four or five along the New England coast, but there is no rum row any more. It has gone. We have to keep constantly on the alert, however, because, as soon as one vessel gets through the news is broadcast and others will try to follow 'and get a hold again.'

"There is still a traffic about Florida.

"We will have a problem there as long as millionaires go to Florida," Yeandle said.

Of the 250 vessels operating now against the liquor traffic, 25 are destroyers. The others are fast launches. The vessels are armed with three, four and five inch guns. They are switched from place to place as the need arises. The destroyers are used as "scouts" far out at sea, and the launches operate in shore.

Arthur Smith, of Chicago, broke his leg trying to get a black cat down from a 45-foot telegraph pole; then the cat came down of its own accord.

Car Crash Lets Cat From Bag

By United News

LINCOLN, Neb., July 16.—The following things happened to Mrs. John Striker while she was taking a gasket lunch to her husband in an automobile:

The car turned over in a collision and was wrecked.

A bottle of coffee spilled painfully scalding her two children.

A bottle of alleged beer in the lunch basket exploded, attracting the attention of the police.

Mrs. Striker was arrested for transporting liquor and careless driving.

At police headquarters the judge decided she had had enough hard luck for one day and dismissed the charges.

SCORES LADY ASTOR

LONDON, July 16.—Criticism of Lady Astor's burlesque staged for Americans in the house of commons Tuesday, was injected into debate on the proposed tax on race track betting.

Sir Frank Meyer, supporting the tax in the house of commons, referred to Lady Astor's opposition to the tax on the ground that it would encourage gambling and said "Lady Astor, like so many of her American compatriots, suffers from the social uplift complex."

PLAINS MASONS TO EL PASO MEET

GOODMAN WILL HEAD DEGREE
TEAM AT SCOTTISH
RITES REUNION

EL PASO, July 16.—The El Paso Bulletin No. 134 for July 1926 is just off the press and contains announcement of the Forty-Second Semi-Annual Reunion of the El Paso Scottish Rite, Bodie, October 18th through 22nd, 1926. The Bulletin is a monthly publication of the El Paso bodies of which Berry B. Cobb secretary, is editor.

The Fall activities of the El Paso Scottish Rite will begin with a "Weekly Class" Tuesday, September 7th, with the conferring of the Fifteenth Degree and the class will continue on each Monday evening thereafter until the Fall Reunion, October 18th. Edward Blumenstiel 32nd degree member of the Reunion Committee says, "The weekly class gives the candidate a chance to see and know more of the work and that it keeps the degree team in shape." Horace A. Lay, 33rd degree, says, "The weekly class enables men to take the degrees who are too busy to come for a regular reunion in the day time, but who can come at night."

Features of the Fall Reunion will be the conferring of degrees by teams from out of town. Jas. Good-

CAN'T BUY TOMBSTONES; AUTOS GET THE CASH

ASBURY PARK, July 16.—The automobile craze is putting the grave stone business in the soup, according to speakers at a meeting of the Memorial Craftsmen of New Jersey. One speaker said, the younger generation found it very difficult to provide suitable gravestones for departed elders, but had ample funds for automobiles.

man of Lubbock will head a degree team from there composed of members of the South Plains Scottish Rite Club. Fr C. Mellard of Marfa will head a team from that city and a degree.

Prospects for attendance from out the city are unusually good, stated John M. Rooney, of Ft. Stockton who was a visitor in El Paso Tuesday, July 13th. Word has been received from Lamesa of the formation of a Dawson County Scottish Rite Club with thirty members and W. V. P. Baker, President, of the First State Bank, of Lamesa, sends word that the towns of Lamesa and Seminole will be represented at the next reunion.

It is contemplated that the El Paso bodies will send representatives to many towns of this section of the state in the interest of securing members.

E. W. Jordan and L. F. Allen, KCCW, will be in charge of rehearsals of the degree teams which will begin immediately, stated Secretary Cobb.

Eliminates Railroad Wrecks



An invention which promises to eliminate railroad wrecks is an automatic train-controlling and grade-crossing device, operated by means of a lever projecting from the locomotive, which trips the hydraulic pressure signal block and the train power, which automatically shut off when the train passes the danger signal. The grade-crossing device operates in the same fashion, warning motorists when the train is still two miles away, by means of electric signs and sirens. The device also closes the gates of the crossing when the train is one-half mile away. The inventor, Arnold Zukor, is shown with the model.

LICK YOUR MOUTH

Think of the luscious sweetness of a watermelon.

Even a cross-eyed witch would take on a good disposition if she should travel into a Clarence Saunders Store today. Even a dried up, parsimonious, hairless skin-flint would chuckle because of the bargains glistening in a Clarence Saunders Store.

Even widows, orphans, relatives, and stockholders not kin to us will find joy and profit at a Clarence Saunders Store.

Glory be! We take 'em all in as lovers of Cheaper and Cheaper Prices and Cleaner and Cleaner Stores. Our dividends are paid daily in Cash savings to each customer whether he or she be a widow, widower, orphan, relative or stockholder.

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Chase & Sunborn's

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1-2 Pound

37c

ICE COLD

Watermelons

Per Pound

2c

PALM OLIVE

Soap

Per Bar (Limit 5 to
Customer)

5½c

NEW

Bran

Duram's
Per Packages

10c

ICE BERG

Lettuce

Per Head

7½c

Spahegtti

and Eggs Noodles
Per Packages

6½c

MAXWELL HOUSE

COFFEE

Per Pound

47c

3 pound Can

\$1.41

THOUSAND ISLAND

Salad Dressing

Per Jar

24c

BABY BEEF

Roasts

Per Pound

16c

BABY BEEF

Stew

Per Pound

12c

SALT

Pork

Per Pound

24½c

PORK PAN

Sausage

Per Pound

21c

FAT FRYERS HENS FISH WE BUY CATLE, HOGS, CHICKENS

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THIS \$25 SET OF "Belva" Dinnerware FREE!



Yes, Mam', here is a beautiful Imported English Dinner Set of the famous "Belva" make—a regular \$25 set of forty-two pieces which will be given away—absolutely free—for one week beginning this morning.

Remember there are no strings to this offer whatever. This set is given to encourage the purchase of the Western Electric Crawford range at its regular price during the next seven days.



Stop! Here's Your Opportunity!

Before you buy an electric range you should investigate why Sherrod Brothers have sold so many of them in Lubbock. You should know why the greatest majority of housewives of this City have purchased the Western Electric Crawford.

This Stove..

—will bake better and last longer than ordinary electric stoves. The vitreous enamel oven lining will not rust and is easy to keep spotlessly clean. Examples of the features of this stove are found in the "Hot Spot" control of units. The heat may be centered to fit the vessel used in cooking. This affects real savings and makes cooking more efficient.



This Western Electric Crawford Range is the Very Best

Sherrod Brothers offer you—the housewives of Lubbock the Western Electric Crawford range, in many different models sizes, finishes, etc. Each of them represent what we actually believe to be the best value.

The progressive improvements in electric range construction have been made continuously on Western Electric Crawford. Nonrusting or rustresisting materials used in its construction make it one of the longest lasting stoves on the market.

Easy
monthly
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Miss Burke Here to Help You in Many Ways

Miss Burke, an expert in the operation of electric stoves, is here and will be with us for the next seven days to be of assistance to those who now have electric ranges or those contemplating a purchase of one. Come and ask Miss Burke to tell you just why electric cooking is better—more satisfactory, cleaner and more economical. Ask her to tell you how to get the best results in baking or any other cooking you may want solved.

Trade In Your Old Stove

While factory representatives are here to help us we are more anxious than ever to make the next seven days the biggest Western Electric Crawford buying days ever known in Lubbock. For that reason we are giving the beautiful Dinner set with each stove and are taking in your old stoves as part payment on one of these fine electric ranges.

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We Guarantee Perfect Satisfaction

We are anxious for every electric stove buyer to get the best possible service. We know that we do give more personal attention to this service department than is customary. We believe that owners in Lubbock can testify to this and we want all purchasers to remember that we never consider a sale made until we have made the customer satisfied with the stove and the service. Come in today. Look over the many different styles of stoves. Meet Miss Burke and have her services and information free. Do not feel obligated to buy.

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