

We'll Have To Have Paved Roads Some Day-- Why Not Have Them Now?

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Smith Says Hidden Control Rules Republican Party Senator Owen Opens Anti-Smith Fight In Texas

Former Oklahoma Senator Assails Tammany Regime

Launches Attack of Nominee, Stating He's "American" Before He's "Democrat"; Mentions Pro Law

Denies A's Charge

Speaker Reads Letter Which Denies Charge That He Sought Aid of Tammany Hall for Support.

(By Associated Press)
WACO, Sept. 27.—Declaring he is an "American" before he is a "democrat" former United States Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma launched his attack on Governor Herbert Hoover in the Cotton Palace here tonight.

"I cannot be browbeaten into voting for a candidate, who if elected would give the government of the United States over to Tammany Hall," he shouted.

Discussing prohibition

"When an overwhelming majority of the people of the United States after 15 years debate on the question of prohibition, determine the National policy on prohibition I will not permit the foreigners of 'East side, west side, all around the town' to tell me that the Constitution should not be enforced."

Referring to statements Smith has made that Owen, as a candidate for the democratic presidential nomination, sought aid of Tammany Hall, the speaker read a letter from Charles T. Lark, New York attorney, which said Owen had not asked Governor Smith's aid in obtaining Tammany support in the Manhattan club of New York, as had been charged.

Owen was introduced by Rev. J. M. Dawson, of the First Baptist church after Alvin Moody, state Democratic leader, had made a talk on the organization against Smith in Texas. Dr. John T. Harrington introduced the speakers preceding Owen.

Texas Crop To Be Shy Million Bales

J. D. Coghlin, Farm Bureau Man, Says Government's Report Is Too High; Has Visited Entire State.

The Texas cotton crop will be from 500,000 to 1,000,000 bales short of the latest government report, was the prediction made here yesterday by J. D. Coghlin, assistant field secretary of the Texas Farm Bureau association.

"I base my statement upon extensive traveling throughout the state; keeping in touch with conditions at every Texas at all times, and talks with bankers, brokers and farmers. Every indication is that the crop will be under that of last year," Mr. Coghlin said.

Weather Affects Crop.
The last government cotton crop report estimated a yield this year of approximately 5,000,000 bales. Bad weather conditions, destructive work of boll weevils and boll worms, were given as reasons for the evident shortage by Coghlin. Bearing out Coghlin's prediction, E. E. Overstreet, state director for this district for the Farm Bureau, said yesterday afternoon that Lubbock county's crop, even considering the 20 per cent increase in cotton acreage, would be crowded this year to get as much cotton as it had last year.

IS TIRED OF HUM DRUM

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 27. (AP)—Mrs. George W. Newman, 23, today admitted to Ray D. Ely, chief of detectives, that she had forged checks totaling \$485. Asked if she could be sent to the penitentiary right away.

"Why?" asked Ely.

"Oh, just because," was the reply. "I'm just tired of the hum-drum life."

"Oh, I'm glad you've finally caught me," Ely said, "I've been trying four days to be arrested."

Will Present Tech News Daily

A new daily feature, dealing with news reports from Texas Technological college, its faculty and students, begins today in the Morning Avalanche and will continue throughout the school year.

While Tech events of general interest will appear from time to time in other parts of our morning Avalanche, the minor events—those most interesting to Tech faculty members and students, will be presented each day in the new department, "Technical Topics From Texas Tech."

Miss Margaret Turner, a member of the Avalanche staff is detailed to the college, its announcements and daily run of news events. The first of her daily reports will be found on page 10.

Hearty Welcomes Greet Fair Cars In Final Jaunt

Fourth Trip of 250 Miles Is Considered Best; Two More Counties Enter Exhibits for Fair Here.

The delegation out for the fourth trip to advertise the Panhandle South Plains fair, looped around to the southeast, leaving Lubbock yesterday morning at 7:30 and covered the entire route and back home by 7:30.

The first stop was at El Paso, where the delegation was received by a large number of people of that city, including a good number of school children, and after a concert by the high school band, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, R. E. Wilson, introduced Superintendent of schools, C. C. Stone, who made the address of welcome. Arthur H. Leight, Dean of the School of Agriculture, of the Texas Technological college addressed the people in behalf of the fair, especially stressing the livestock and agricultural exhibits, and was followed by L. O. H. Williams, rector of the Episcopal church, of Lubbock who told of the

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Robinson Opens Drive for Votes

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Sept. 27. (AP)—Raising the democratic national standard over Missouri, Senator Joe Robinson tonight opened a three day drive to win the state's 13 electoral votes and at the same time fired the first gun on one of the most extensive campaign tours ever undertaken by a vice presidential candidate in the west.

While advised here, as on his southern trip, that religion was the issue that must be met, the senator began his appeal to the west with an extensive review of Governor Smith's record on legislation affecting women and children. He argued that it evidenced that of "any other living statesman."

TO BE BURIED HERE

Funeral for Mother of S. C. Wilson Held Today

Funeral services for Mrs. F. P. Wilson, 66, mother of S. C. Wilson, of this city, who died at her home in Sudan yesterday, will be held here this afternoon at 2:30 at the First Presbyterian church. Interment will follow in the Lubbock cemetery.

Mrs. Wilson was one of the Plains pioneers, moving to this section in 1900. She had lived in Canyon, Loren, Hereford, Clovis, N. M. and Sudan.

Besides her husband she is survived by two sons, E. C. Wilson, of this city and T. F. Wilson, of Portland, Oregon; four daughters, Misses Amelia and Lola Belle Wilson, of Beaumont; Misses Sue Wilson, of El Paso and Mrs. T. D. Humphrey, of Clovis.

Bank Is Robbed

WICHITA, Kan., Sept. 27. (AP)—Wichita police were informed late today that three robbers had held up the State Bank at Maize, Kan., and escaped in a motor car.

Pollard Explains His Position In Appeal Question

Attorney General Declares There Was No Row Or Near Row In Monday's Meeting of Officials.

Not for 'Barking'

Says He's Willing to Co-operate In Appeal To Voters of State For The Support of Ticket.

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Sept. 27.—In a statement today, Attorney General Claude Pollard gave his version of Monday's executive session of state officials called by Governor Moody to decide whether they would sign a strong appeal to the Democratic voters to support Gov. Al Smith for president. The appeal was prepared by the Democratic campaign committee at Dallas and sent here with the request that state officials sign it.

"They delegated Mr. Pollard and State School Supt. S. M. N. Marrs to prepare another appeal and did not sign the one offered."

There was no row.

Pollard said today that there was "no row, or near row," but that there was some exceptions to the wording of the statement sent here.

State Treasurer W. Gregory Hatcher, who objected to the naming of Mr. Pollard on the official committee, because he claimed the attorney general did not take a clear stand at the Dallas State convention, signed the Dallas campaign committee's appeal today and returned it to Dallas with a letter telling W. A. Thomas of the headquarters office some of the proceedings of the meeting here.

"The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the statement that had been sent to us by the State Democratic committee and to designate a committee to prepare a statement to be prepared a statement to be signed by all of us, not different in substance and purpose from the one sent, but one which we thought would better present to the people the issues involved than the one we were asked to sign," Mr. Pollard said. "Several whose names were suggested as members of the committee asked to be excused on account of being too busy. I am as busy as any of them, and Superintendent Marrs is just as busy as I am. How we will so easily as we can do so, prepare the statement and submit it to the other nominees. I can't do it today, nor tomorrow."

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HAVE HEAVY RAINS

Roads Reported Slow Out Of San Angelo Territory

SAN ANGELO, Sept. 27. (AP)—Sections of West Texas practically have been marooned today from almost continuous rainfall for the past five days.

At Eden, Comcho county, many cars were bogged in the streets and buses were able to operate on only two of seven routes out of San Angelo. Roads to Comcho and Big Spring were impassable.

The rain, which totals 3.15 inches Saturday, also has hampered oil field work.

ROOT FOR HOOVER

Former Secretary of State Is For Republican

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27. (AP)—Elliott Root, former Secretary of State, in a letter to Dr. Hubert Work, chairman of the republican national committee, today announced he would support Herbert Hoover for the presidency. He, however, added that he did not agree with the republican candidate's views on prohibition.

SEEK GOOD ROADS

Bids On Fifty-Five Miles Of Work To Be Asked

AUSTIN, Sept. 27. (AP)—Bids on 55 miles of road work to cost about \$252,000 in Panola, Comanche, Wilbarger, Crockett, and Chambers counties are being sought for the October 15 session of the state highway commission, which will let the contracts, it was announced today.

Tech's Enrollment Shows Increase Of 413 Students; Totals 1627 Now

Yates Oil Pool Makes Millionaires Of Three Pecos County Ranch Girls

(By NEA Service)

SAN ANGELO, Sept. 27.—The Yates oil field, in Pecos county, is one of the most fruitful fields in the Southwest.

Experienced oil men had agreed that this particular territory ought not to contain any oil at all. They sunk a discovery well, however, and discovered a pool of amazing richness. Furthermore, each well that is sunk has the habit of becoming a "gusher" of great size.

With the freakish liberality that all fields so often show, the Yates field has made millionaires out of three chubby little girls who hadn't in the least expected it.

They Live With Grandmas.
The girls are Lennie Lorene, Minnie Pearl and Willie Mae Matthews. Their ages are 15, 12 and 11, respectively; their mother is dead and they live with their grandmother and their father, who is a carpenter.

When Mrs. Matthews died she left her three daughters a fair-sized piece of range land. It was not considered especially valuable except as fair range land for cattle.

But this plot of ground happened to be next to the territory that was to become the Yates oil field. And the black, feathery plumes of the "gusher" on the Yates field transformed the property of the three little girls from low-priced range land into exceedingly high-priced oil land.

Money Doesn't Change Them.
It has made little difference to the three girls, however. They continue their daily round of school work, going regularly to Sunday school on their home, although they now ride to school in a new automobile instead of on horseback, as formerly.

They are not particularly excited about their riches. A reporter, who found them at their grandmother's farm home, although they were going to do with their money, now that they can buy whatever they want.

Going to School.
"I am going to go as far as I can," said Lennie.

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Cain Anderson Is Given Eight Years

CANTON, Sept. 27. (AP)—Found guilty of violating Texas' anti-mauk law, Cain Anderson owner of extensive farm lands in Harrison county faced an eight-year sentence meted out by a jury in district court here today.

Defense attorneys announced appeal.

Anderson, whose first trial attracted interest, fought for his liberty before three jurors. Two were unable to reach a decision.

Hold Royal Wedding

TOKYO, Sept. 26. (AP)—(Priority)—Prince Chichibu, heir-presumptive to the Japanese throne, and Miss Setsuko Matsudaira, daughter of Japan's former ambassador to Washington, were married at the Imperial palace this morning.

South Plains Cotton Raisers Gather Here to Hear Farm Bureau Men

Lynn Stokes, President, J. D. Coghlin, Harry Williams And Others Explain Association's New Contract; Eleven Counties Are Represented In Meet

Many thousands of bales of Texas cotton are now being held by farmers in sections of the state, waiting only the ratification of a new contract, which is expected to be done next Monday, before selling. More than 150 cotton raisers of the South Plains section were told at a meeting of members of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton association, held in the district court room at the Lubbock county courthouse yesterday afternoon.

Give Farmer Power.
"The association's new contract will let the farmer control his own money," Lynn Stokes, of Ballinger,

Weakness of Harding and Coolidge Administrations Has Been Lack Of Leadership, Demo Nominee Charges

Wildest Demonstration Ever Accorded Candidate Is Given Him In St. Paul Address Last Night.

Rule Is Back-Stage

Charges Opposition Has Made No Provision For Farmers and Even Killed Program Offered In Bill.

(By Associated Press)
ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 27.—In another assault on his republican opponent, Governor Smith tonight held the "fundamental weakness" of the Harding and Coolidge administrations has been lack of leadership.

Pandemonium broke loose, and there was wild cheering for several minutes when Smith, entered the hall.

"Papers were tossed into the air, and hats, a few brown derbies among them, were thrown about and were lost in the shuffle. Several groups of college boys in the galleries let loose with organized cheering. It was the wildest demonstration Smith has yet received on his campaign tour."

Assaults Republicans.
The democratic presidential nominee touched on the farm problem again assailing republicans for failure to work out an effective relief program, and declared there was a whispering campaign to misrepresent his stand on inland waterway development and immigration.

In a speech prepared for delivery in the St. Paul auditorium, after spending much of the day in Minneapolis, Smith recalled that as Governor of New York he had favored, like his republican predecessor, the so-called all-American route through the state for a waterway between the Great Lakes and the sea. He reiterated, however, readiness, expressed in his acceptance speech, to be guided by the

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Anti-Smith Rally Set For Tuesday

Ex-Governor Sweet, Colorado, Will Address Gathering; Plan to Hold Outdoor Affair.

An Anti-Smith meeting will be held here on Tuesday evening, at which Ex-Governor Sweet, of Colorado, a former democratic office holder, will be the principal speaker. It was announced last night by Charles F. O'Neal, chairman of the Thirtieth Senatorial District Anti-Smith organization.

If weather will permit, the rally of Anti-Smithites will be held outdoors in order that the expected crowd may be able to hear Gov. Sweet, Mr. O'Neal stated. If the weather is inclement the district court room, or some other place indoors, will be utilized.

The Weather

CME PEOPLE PLAY THE PIANO BY EAR AND STOP PLAYING IT BY REQUEST

Woman Is Indicted
ENID, Okla., Sept. 27. (AP)—Mrs. Cleo McLaughlin, 33 years old, former rural mail carrier, was indicted by the Garfield county grand jury here today, for murder in connection with the killing of her stepson, Gene McLaughlin, at her farm home near Enid the night of August 29.

Resembles Beehive
FORT WORTH, Sept. 27. (AP)—The proprietor of a root beer stand was forced to close his business on account of the swarming of bees around the faucets on the barrel containers today.

Three waitresses quit after it was found impossible to rid the place of the bees, including the waitress whose dressings from the faucets were found.

Gives Good Report
WASHINGTON, Sept. 27. (AP)—Business conditions were declared unusually good in the United States by Secretary of Commerce Whiting today, who attributed a part of this situation to good administration by the government.

Two Negroes Pay For Their Crimes With Death
HUNTSVILLE, Sept. 27. (AP)—Two negroes were electrocuted in the state penitentiary here early this morning.

The first to go to the chair was O. T. Alexander, convicted in 1926 on a charge of killing his wife. The other was Tom Ross, convicted at Nashville on a charge of slaying Dave Patterson, logging camp manager.

WHIRLWIND

CONCEIVED BY HER SERVICE

BY ELEANOR EARLY

THIS HAS HAPPENED
SYBIL THORNE, most disillusioned of brides, has described her husband on their honeymoon. RICHARD EUSTIS, dangerously fascinating, persuades her to marry him after five days' tempestuous courting.

Immediately following the wedding he begins to drink and breaks Sybil's heart on her marriage night. She leaves him in Havana, where they had gone following their mad wedding on shipboard—but not until she has reason to believe he is an out and out rotter. She goes immediately to MABEL BLAKE, a social worker, who accompanied her on the trip from home.

Mabel, meantime, has become engaged herself to an American working in Havana—JACK MOORE. They listen horrified by the thing Sybil tells them, and Mabel agrees to sail with her that afternoon for Boston.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
CHAPTER XXIII

Like strangers Sybil and Mabel looked at each other and seemed embarrassed. Until suddenly, with one of her swift changes of mood, Sybil advanced like a field marshal on Mabel's wardrobe.

"Oh, God," she prayed, "help me to be hard boiled! . . . Wake up, Mabel. Help me with this trunk around. Pack your hats and your toilet things. I'll get your dresses on the hangers. A little speed, if you're sailing with me!"

With incredible swiftness the hours flew. Three hours later they followed their trunks aboard while whistles blew and the gangplank under their very feet, began to tremble and to move. On the pier Jack Moore wiped his glistening pate, and swore he'd seen a miracle.

"You see," explained Mabel, "the lamb never saw me hurry before." They stood on the deck together their faces toward the shining city. Mabel waved her little handkerchief until Jack was only a dot in the distance.

"Well, Mabel," Sybil tucked her arm through her friend's. "It was an exciting vacation anyhow." Mabel turned her back to the distant land. Smouldering through the sun and gleaming seagulls, and all the sunset hues that shone on buildings of pink and blue and yellow. Morro Castle in a sea of jade, and the city beyond, all bathed in golden light.

"My dear," she said in her best social service manner, "that's no way to talk. You must try not to be bitter. But don't, I beg of you, be frivolous!"

Sybil swallowing a perfunctory lump in her throat, dabbed at her eyes with a bit of lace. Her chin quivered, and she caught her lower lip between her teeth.

"Well, I don't feel so darn Polly-anneish about it—I'll tell you that. I'd like to crawl into my little berth back there and howl to heaven. But what's the use, Mabel? You've got to snap your fingers at Fate, old dear—or Fate will darn soon knock you out."

"Sybil, have you thought of Craig lately?" "My dear, I haven't thought of anybody else. It took Richard to make me appreciate him. A lot of good that will do me—now."

"Do you suppose you'll marry him, Sir?" "Heavens above, Mabel. I've had enough of marriage."

"But it would be different with Craig." "I know it would. But I can't even think about it. You see I'm already married. Whether I like it or not, I have a husband. It doesn't make any difference that he drinks and chases Isabelle. He's my husband just the same. Unless I get a divorce."

"Oh, my dear, wouldn't that give Boston something to talk about? Wouldn't they love it. Wouldn't Val just eat it up. And Mrs. Carrington, and the Casewells. And all the girls who want Craig, and can't get him. And the crowd at the County Club?"

Sybil sighed profoundly. "I guess I've stood things this time, Mabel. I guess I've wrecked my little old life forever."

Mabel said nothing at the time, but shortly she began to talk divorce. After dinner that night she found a sequestered corner for their deck chairs, and to Sybil's great amazement, proceeded calmly to advocate an immediate divorce.

"I don't know how you'd go about it," she admitted. "But aren't they awfully easy things to get in Paris? In this country there's something about establishing a residence—that is, you have to live for a certain length of time wherever you file suit. So that ducking out of Boston wouldn't do much good. People would know."

anyhow. But if you went over to Paris it could all be so quiet nobody would even suspect."

Sybil laughed. "Anybody'd think you were talking about running over to South Boston," she joked, and added plaintively, "how, my dear, could I hop over to Paris?"

Mabel was vague. "Oh, it could be arranged somehow. I'd love to see you out of this mess. Sybil, before Craig knows about it. By the way, did you ever write him?"

"No, I didn't. I simply couldn't. And he sent about 20 radios and things. I cabled that I'd write later—that I was awfully busy and having a wonderful time. He knows how I hate to write letters. And I asked him not to cable any more, because it made me feel awfully guilty."

"I said he was just ruining my vacation, making me feel that I ought to write him. My dear, it cost me \$16 and I felt like a perfect criminal. Poor old Craig. He told me to have a good time and to forget all about him—just to let him know when we were coming home."

"You could wireless him now." "Oh, I couldn't. I'd feel like such a hypocrite. You know, Mabel, I'm awfully surprised at you. Sybil eyed her friend sternly. "There you are, urging a married woman back to her lover. Boosting divorce and snapping your fingers at respectability."

"Oh, Sybil," Mabel protested amiably. "I could forgive my husband for getting drunk. I could forgive him for a clistinous temper. I could forgive him for telling the same old stories over and over again—you know, my dear, Jack does that. I could scream sometimes. I could forgive him for committing murder, or robbing a bank, or throwing cigars at me on the rug. I could forgive him for lying."

"But there are two things I could never, never forgive. And one of them would be for being mean and stingy, and the other would be for going with another woman. Generosity and Fidelity—the cardinal virtues for husbands. If my husband did what Richard did, I'd kill him. I know I would."

Sybil's eyes grew thoughtful. "Yes . . . you would," she said. "If you loved him. But you see, Mabel, I didn't care much. People think that the opposite of love is hate. That isn't so at all. It's indifference."

It was strange that Sybil was so quick that first night out. The ocean was like a mill pond. "I can't understand it," she moaned, tossing restlessly in their stuffy stateroom. "I felt so well coming down, all through the storm off Hatteras, when everybody was sick."

"It's probably your nerves," consoled Mabel. "You've been through a dreadful experience, you know—and I suppose it's a sort of physical reaction."

But next morning Sybil was not able to go down for breakfast, and Mabel had the steward bring a tray to their stateroom.

"Griddle cakes," he said, uncorking a steaming plate, "and sausages."

"Oh, take them away, please. If I smell them, I'll die."

Hastily he retreated, and Mabel, with a worried line between her eyes, peered at an orange. There was a doctor aboard. Perhaps she could talk with him.

"Here, dear, suck on this," she suggested. "It can't hurt you. Still feeling pretty rocky?"

"Mabel, I never realized anyone could feel so rotten—honest. Funny— isn't it? The sea's like a lake."

"But, my dear, emotional experiences affect the body, you know. That poor old machinery of yours has been through a lot in the last month. You can't blame it for kicking up a little."

Silently Mabel was considering. She wondered if the poor girl was worried. Why—why did such awful things happen to Sybil? Well, she would see that doctor.

That afternoon on the promenade deck she encountered him. "Oh, Doctor Henderson, could I talk with you for a few minutes?"

As she fell in step beside him, she explained. "I know you were a doctor the minute I saw you. Remember we came up the gang plank together? And you smiled so nice and professional. So I asked the purser your name because I wanted to ask you something."

He was a small energetic man, a bit portly, with sharp blue eyes, and a very merical little beard. Extremely able looking, though a trifle pompous. Now his blue eyes twinkled.

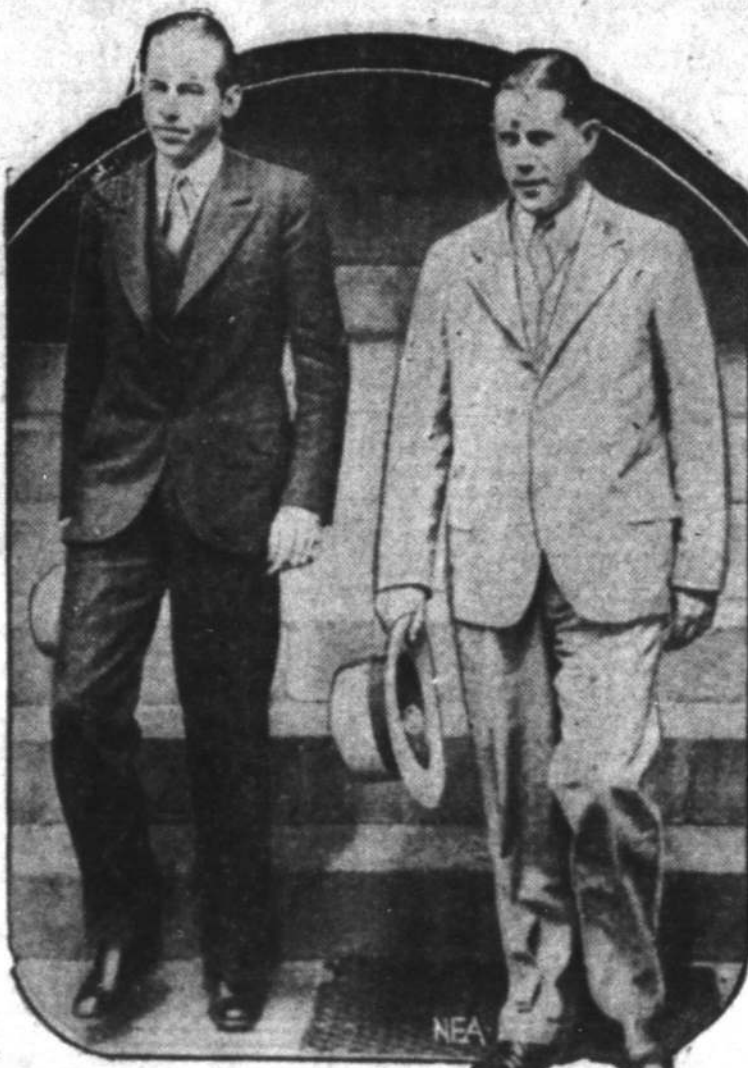
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Coolidge, Clerk, Has Bodyguard



Though John Coolidge, son of the president, took a \$30-a-week job as a railroad clerk in New Haven, Conn., just as many other young fellows have done, John still has a bodyguard. Here are John (left) and William Wood of the U. S. secret service, leaving the railroad office at the close of a busy day. The secret service will keep an agent with Coolidge as long as his father is in the White House.

speciment to be scraping acquaintance with a physician."

Suddenly Mabel became agitated. "Oh, it wasn't about me," she stammered and found herself blushing furiously. "It's—it's another girl."

He regarded her curiously. "I'd like to talk to you in private," she implored. "Why certainly," Dr. Henderson became immediately professional. "If there's anything I can do—"

(To Be Continued)

(Sybil finds that her plans will have to be changed and Mabel is worried over her friend's plight.)

—SHOOT—
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MAGAZINE IS BANNED

Issue Is Prohibited From Entering Schools

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 26. (P)—George Melcher, superintendent of Kansas City public schools, today banned the September issue of the Junior Red Cross News from circulation in Kansas City schools. He said he deems this advisable because of a quotation from Herbert Hoover contained in the issue, which he said appeared to inject politics in the public schools.

NAVARRO TREASURER DIES

CORSICANA, Sept. 26. (P)—Frank Mitchell, 60, treasurer of Navarro county, died here today after a brief illness.

His wife, two sons, two daughters and two grandchildren survive.

DIRIGIBLE KILLS MAN

SCOTT FIELD, BELLEVILLE, Ill., Sept. 26. (P)—William Mallory Black, 24, of St. Louis, was killed by the propeller on the motor of a dirigible which was attempting to land here today.

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Piquant is a two-piece rayon-colored crepe frock with its jumper fitted to a snug hip-line and edged with a pleated ruffle that flares like a peplum.

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Yanks Practically Cinch Pennant With Double Victory

Westerners Primed For Clash With Lamesa Tornadoes At Tech Field Today

Hugmen Need Only One More Victory To Win 6th Flag

Need Over Mackmen Increased To Two and One-Half Games As Athletics Win One From White Sox

DETROIT, Sept. 27. (AP)—The Yankees moved to within one short stride of their sixth American League pennant by slaughtering the Detroit Tigers here today by scores of 4 to 3 and 8 to 5. The second game was called at the end of the seventh inning on account of darkness.

One more victory by the champions now would clinch the flag, even if the Athletics should suffer their remaining three in Chicago. The Yankees lead today was increased to two and one-half games as the Mackmen, in second place, had but one contest to win from the White Sox.

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American League

Yesterday's Results.
New York 4-3, Detroit 3-8.
Philadelphia 3, Chicago 2.
Washington 6, St. Louis 3.
Cleveland 17-4, Boston 14-7.

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National League

Yesterday's Results.
New York 2-3, Chicago 3-0.
St. Louis 3, Boston 1.
Brooklyn 7-8, Pittsburgh 6-1.
Cincinnati 6, Philadelphia 2.

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Slaton Gridsters Down Tahoka, 26-6

Bulldogs Score First But are Unable to Hold The Stronger Slaton Eleven; Wooliver Is Star.

(Special To The Avalanche) The Slaton Tigers came back strong in the second half of the football game here today to down the Tahoka Bulldogs 26 to 6 after the Bulldogs had jumped in the lead in the early period by scoring the first touchdown of the game. The Tigers, who were the fighting Tigers of old, and completely outclassed the Tahoka eleven with their well balanced offense.

Greater reserve strength tells the story of the Slaton victory, the Tigers being most of their scoring after the Bulldogs were well spent. Although minus their star halfback, Cecil Austin, the Tigers displayed outstanding consistency in every department. Wooliver, Slaton fullback, was the big factor in the Slaton attack, ripping off yard after yard through the Bulldog line.

Schreiner Eleven To Arrive Today

Several Injuries May Hurt Mountaineers In Contest With Matadors Tomorrow, Mentor Thinks.

(Special To The Avalanche) KERRVILLE, Sept. 27. — That Schreiner will be doing well to hold Texas Tech to a low score, is the opinion voiced by Red Coach Billy Gilstrap, about next Saturday's game.

In the first place, according to Coach Gilstrap, the 365-mile trip from Kerrville to Lubbock, isn't calculated to improve the condition of the Mountaineers, and in the second place, the team has not yet recovered from injuries received in the opener against the Flyers from Kelly Field.

Capt. Brutus Harris, who was in the thick of the fray during most of last Friday's game, is suffering with a sore leg. Roy Goodale is still wearing an injured shoulder, retained from pre-season scrimmages, and the team may be without his valuable services as guard. Boha Hilliard, playing his first year for Schreiner, received a sprained arm at the conclusion of one of his seasonally long runs last Friday, which put him out of that game, and may keep him out of this.

Coach Gilstrap isn't exactly blue, but he is cautious. He left Kerrville Thursday with 24 men, via automobile, and spent Thursday night in San Spring. The team will reach Lubbock today in time for a work-out Friday afternoon.

ings, off Grant 5 in 2-5 innings. Winning pitcher—Grant.
Score by innings, second game:
Boston 3 0 0 0 0-7 13 1
Cleveland 0 0 0 0 0-4 10 5
Morris and Nearing; Harder, Brown and May.
Two base hits—Todd, Thill, Gerken. Three base hits—Boston. Base on balls—off Harder 3, Morris 4, Brown 1. Struck out—by Harder 4, Morris 4. Hits—off Harder 11 in 7 innings, off Brown 1 in 3 innings. Losing pitcher—Harder.

Giant Castoff Is Master of McGraw Clan In Thriller

Art Neff Subdues Giants In First Game of Double Bill To Keep New York Off Top Run.

By WILLIAM J. CHAPMAN (Associated Press Sports Writer). NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—L1 Art Neff, Terre Haute terror, came marching back to his Polo Grounds today, and what he did to his old friend, John McGraw, is sad to relate. The former Giant, southerner has won perhaps a half-dozen games from his old mates since he was sold down the river as worn-out ivory two years ago last spring, but never one so devastating as the 3 to 2 triumph he earned over Karl Hubbell and Jack Scott in the first half of today's doubleheader before 32,000 fans.

Even though the Giants fought back in the second game to overthrow the Cubs by 2 to 0, the Cardinals won their single skirmish in season by 3 to 2, and so retaining the advantage which accrued to the Giants from the St. Louis defeat in Brooklyn 24 hours ago. The Red Birds led by a full game tonight with two more to go against Boston before they invade the Polo Grounds for the grand finale on Sunday. In the interim, the Giants must associate with the Cubs in two games.

Neff Shades Hubbell. Hubbell pitched effectively enough against Neff, but Neff was just the shade better that the score indicated.

The Giants thought they scored another run in the sixth and rushed to John Hedler with a protest when Bill Klein ruled otherwise. McGraw contended that Gabby Hartnett willfully grasped the leg of Andy Reed in a run-down play which trapped the Giant leftfielder between third and home, and that Hartnett at the time was not trying to touch Reed with the ball for the simple reason that somebody else had.

Since only the judgment of the umpire seems to be involved, the protest very likely will be thrown out. Mr. Hedler will make known his ruling tomorrow.

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No Captain



The Oregon Aggies, since the advent of Paul J. Schlusser as head coach, have not had a regular elected captain of the football team and this practice now is broken this year. Coach Schlusser, above, appoints one of the seniors as the team captain for each game. He is afraid that college politicians might enter into electing a captain as it has at many other schools with the direct result that the eleven would suffer.

Horned Frogs To Meet Hill Billies

Hard Contest Looms For Purple Team As Daniel Baker Plans Revenge For 1927 Defeat.

(Special To The Avalanche) FORT WORTH, Sept. 27.—One of the hardest contests of the year looms for the Texas Christian University Horned Frogs Saturday when Herman Clark, former Purple star, leads his veteran Daniel Baker Hill Billies to Fort Worth for the Frogs' second game of the season. Still stingy from a 27-0 defeat handed them last year, the Billies are headed for Frogland with revenge in their hearts.

Not will the team invade foreign territory unsupported. Special trains have been chartered and 200 Brownwood citizens and Coach-bakers will entrain early Saturday for the game. The school pep squad and band will also make the trip and a parade of the Fort Worth business section is scheduled before the march to the stadium.

Clark Works Team

Coch Clark, with seventeen letter men and a host of new material, has been at work since Sept. 5. The Billies have not yet played a game, and the long hard season of drill and conditioning leaves them with no injuries and in the pink of shape.

In the Frog camp these casualties will keep as many players out of the battle Saturday. Mack "Possum" Clark, veteran signal caller, is out with an injured shoulder, as is Melburn Moore, a third year squadman, at guard. Gordon "Skeet" Copeland is the other injury. He is suffering with a wrenched back. Besides these, the Billies are also in fine shape.

With some likely material for an offensive thrust this season, Coach Bell is improving his aerial attack and fast running plays. The drill periods in the early part of the week were taken up by instruction in new plays. The Frogs will exhibit a variety of new tactics to the invaders Saturday.

May Change Lineup

Shake-ups in the Frog starting eleven are predicted, with Austin Griffith, one of the most promising fullbacks in several years, opening for the Purple. Ody Thompson, two-year letter man at full, has been shifted to half. "Red" Eddie-man and Merlin Toler will probably be the other two backfield starters.

Robins Sweep Dual Bill With Pirates

BROOKLYN, Sept. 27. (AP)—The Robins took both games of a doubleheader from Pittsburgh here today, winning the second game 8 to 1, after taking a 10-inning battle in the opener by a 7 to 6 score.

First Game.
PITTSBURGH 112 000 00-6 13 1
BROOKLYN 000 000 00-1 13 3
Grimes and Nearing.
Two base hits, Herman, Reiser.
Three base hits, Nearing, 2. Reiser.
Home runs, Conover, Nearing.
Base on balls, off Grimes 2, Petty 2. Struck out, by Petty 1.
Second Game.
PITTSBURGH 000 000 00-1 13 1
BROOKLYN 004 000 00-6 13 3
Blankenship, Tutwiler and Hensley.
Koussal and Lopez.
Two base hits, Nearing, Windle, Reiser. Three base hits, Nearing, Reiser.

Barons Rally To Take 2nd Game In Dixie Series

Seventh Inning Is Fatal To Buffs As Barons Overcome Three Run Lead To Snatch Victory.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Sept. 27. (AP)—A big seventh inning, climaxed by Johnston's sensational steal of third base and home, turned what appeared certain defeat into a 5 to 3 victory for Birmingham today, giving the Barons two straight over Houston in the Dixie series.

There were numerous thrills in the second game of the series between the Southern Association and Texas League champions, but none approached the daring base running of the Barons third baseman.

Judd Goes In. With Ken Penner, star right hander of the Buffaloes, facing Roy, ace of the Barons' right arm hurler, at the start it appeared that another mound duel was in the offing. The Texans, however, hopped on Roy's offerings in the second frame and used four hits to score twice. Peele and Schuble counting. Worthington added another in the next inning and it looked as if the Buffs were ready to even the game count.

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The Nut Cracker

By Joe Williams

O'Goofy suggests that the National League race be taken into the House of Representatives.

Every time the Giants lose a game McGraw looks over his ivory mallet list. If the Cards win this year some awful things will happen to some good minor league championship teams.

The Cubs change positions daily. They are always either second, third or fourth, but usually not more than four games away from the St. Louis people.

Not Too Proud to Work. Rube Wagner, captain of the Wisconsin football team this fall, earns his way through college by working as a waiter at a Madison hotel.

In the American it looks like six teams are going to win the pennant for Connie Mack by beating New York.

Lamesa Fair Has Second Big Crowd

Two Days Attendance Estimated at 20,000; Three Thousand Cows Are Registered at Booth.

(Special To The Avalanche-Journal)
LAMESA, Sept. 27.—The Dawson County fair broke all records of attendance Thursday when an estimated crowd of 10,000 witnessed the exhibitions. According to conservative estimate 20,000 people registered at the fair grounds Wednesday and Thursday. Keen competition was present in all events, especially in the award of community booth prizes with 20 communities competing.

Key Wins First
The judges awarded first place to Key community, 11 miles south of here.

Emma Beth Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peterson; Mildred Ann Crawley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor L. Crawley; Royce Lee Roy Corley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Corley, won the first three places, respectively, in the baby show. Liberal prizes were given in all classes of sheep, goats, mules, horses, dairy cattle, bulls, calves, hogs, all classes and breeds. More than 100 head of registered hogs, cattle and bulls were exhibited in each division.

Registering continued at the Chamber of Commerce booth today, accounting number of milk cows of the county. At 4 o'clock today the number had totaled more than 3,000. It is estimated that about half the number had been registered to date.

DAILY MARKETS

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Sept. 27. (P)—Broadening out of export business in wheat from North America helped give an upward tilt today to the wheat market here. Estimate of the amount of wheat taken today for Europe from Canada and the United States ran as high as 2,000,000 bushels.

Closing quotations on wheat were unsettled at the same as yesterday's finish to 1 1/2-2c higher. Corn finished 7-8c to 1-2c off, oats unchanged to 5-8c up, and provisions varying from 12c decline to a rise of 6c.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 27. (P)—U. S. D. A.—Best beef and yearling steers around the 11 market circuit slow and where supplies were sufficient packers enforced moderate to sharp declines. Shipping demand for choice native steers faded and some sales 50c lower. Other killing classes and stockers and feeders dull. Chicago had 18.40 top on yearlings, 18.25 paid for best heavy steers, 13.70 for best heavy steers at Kansas City, reached 12.75. Most short fed steers turned at 12.50 to 14.00. Supply estimated at 33,800 was 2,700 short of a week ago and 4,600 under a year ago.

Hogs were tendered another price fall of 25 to 50c, several points declining at the full decline. The days top of 11.00 was paid at Chicago, and at Kansas City the top lowered to 10.60. Total offerings approximated 73,500 against 68,000 last Thursday and 67,000 a week ago.

No material price changes were registered on killing classes of sheep, at most markets, but feeding lambs were steady to unevenly lower. Bulk of fat range lambs in Chicago cleared at 18.50 with choice head-weights still held above 14.00 at a late hour. Aggregate receipts were estimated at 77,500, a shortage of around 26,000 from a week ago and 18,000 less than the same day last year.

NEW YORK STOCKS
NEW YORK, Sept. 27. (P)—The stock market displayed complete reversal of trend today, breaking sharply in the last hour after a spirited, but irregular distribution rally in the early trading. Many of the early gains of 1 to nearly 2 points were substantially cut down or wiped out, and a number of the high priced industrials and special dividend stocks broke 5 to nearly 10 points below yesterday's final quotations.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Sept. 27. (P)—The cattle trade here today was steady. No steers were recorded. Yearlings sold up to \$12.00, cows up to \$9.00 and calves from \$1.50 to \$2.50.

Hogs continued on the downgrade, the loss amounting from 20c to 40c. The bulk of the receipts sold from 9.15 to 10.00. Some brought from 7.50 to 8.25 and pigs from 7.00 to 7.25.

The sheep market largely was a nominal affair.

GREY FANS
New and very smart with certain fall colors are grey pearls, in three strand necklaces, with each strand a different shade of grey, blending from dark to light.

It's Georgia Tech And Vanderbilt For Grid Honors In The South, Wade Says



WALLACE WADE

BY WALLACE WADE
Coach, University of Alabama
The Southern Conference consists of 22 large universities and this naturally makes a championship difficult to win. But the fact that the leading teams play from six to eight conference opponents results in a schedule which is unusually difficult for any team to finish undefeated. Last season three teams were undefeated in the conference—Georgia Tech, Vanderbilt and Tennessee.

Georgia Tech, Georgia and Vanderbilt appear, at this time, to have the best prospects for a championship team this fall. Georgia Tech should have a great team because from the strong undefeated 1927 team only two men are lost. Last year's squad furnished strong reserve material, as well as regulars; to this will be added some splendid freshmen players. Tech will have a veteran backfield consisting of Thomason, Mitchell, Randolph and Durant. The team should be heavy, fast and experienced and should have a splendid forward passing attack. I believe Georgia Tech should have one of the outstanding teams of the year.

Georgia's team was good last year, largely on account of a splendid backfield that could run, block and pass, and was exceptionally effective on defense. This complete backfield combination will return. Two very good ends will be missed, but it is believed Georgia will be as good as last year, when it was the only team to defeat Yale.

From Vanderbilt's undefeated team of last year three exceptionally good men will be lost—Spears,

Defective Charge Clogs Theft Trial

Impossible Date Prevents Case Going to Jury At Trial's Close; Occupied Day's Time.

An impossible date making a defective indictment, caused the dismissal of a case in county court yesterday afternoon, after most of the day had been given to the trying of the case and just as it was ready to go to the jury.

The case was that of the State of Texas versus Launce McCallan, charged with theft of chickens. The alleged theft was stated in the indictment papers as having occurred on the date of July 30, 1928, while the indictment was filed on June 13, 1928, forty days before the offense was charged.

Attorneys for the defense, H. S. Burke and John L. Ratliff, never mentioned the defective date during the entire course of the trial until the case was ready to be given to the jury. Judge Nordyke's attention was called to the error and the case was instantly dismissed.

However, it is understood that the defendant will have to stand trial on the charge, in which there are two others implicated, Mildred Wilkinson and Earl Wages. The same cases are due to come before the court this morning.

Railroad ties numbering 3,550-362 were exported from the United States during 1927.

football as well as any man in the south, and if given proper support will undoubtedly develop a strong team at Baton Rouge.

George Bohler, after several years of every successful experience at Mississippi College, has become head coach at Auburn. Auburn has good material and Bohler has rejuvenated the old Auburn spirit to such an extent that his team will be a hard one to defeat.

Billy Laval, whose teams at Furman won more games from conference opponents than any other S. I. A. A. team, goes to South Carolina as head coach. His material will be good, and there is no doubt as to his ability to make the most of it.

There are only three coaches in the conference who have been at their present positions more than five years. They are McCallan at Vanderbilt, Byrd at Maryland and Alexander at Georgia Tech. A great improvement has been made during the past year or so by those teams in the Southern Conference which had not been so strong in football. Probably Mississippi University, under Homer Hazel, has made the greatest improvement. Conditions are now such that a Southern Conference team is a worthy opponent for any team.

Among the S. I. A. A. teams, Centenary, Howard and Chattanooga appear to have the best prospects for outstanding teams. All of these teams have veteran players returning and are prepared to make a strong bid for the championship.

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Norris Heckled Lamesa Man Ires Ft. Worth Pastor

(Special To The Avalanche)

LAMESA, Sept. 27. — Dr. Frank Norris of Fort Worth, spoke to an estimated crowd of between three and four thousand people here last night in the interest of Herbert Hoover, candidate for president. The Rev. Norris spoke under the auspices of the Dawson County Anti-Smith organization which is headed by E. C. Nix as president.

Dr. Norris attacked with vigor Al Smith as fit for the White House on the grounds of his wet alignments and religious belief. Norris aired Smith and Catholicism in his speech of two hours and received considerable cheering. Some heckling and hurrahing for Smith was started at the beginning of Norris' speech, but Norris struck back in his usual fighting manner with "I smell you when I entered the crowd," whereupon the heckler replied, "I had rather vote for Al Smith than to take the blood of my fellowman as you did."

Norris snapped back: "Will some six red-blooded Texans stand guard about this man until I speak?" "His kind," referring to drunkenness and Catholicism, "got me into all the trouble that I have had at Fort Worth. I did not stand for such there, and do not intend to stand for such in Lamesa." Norris spoke very fast and vigorously for the two hours. Tonight, Cyclone Davis will speak at the anti-Smith delegation that will gather at the courthouse lawn here. These speakers will likely be followed by M. M. Crane or some other Smith representative the following night of the week.

EATON IS FAIR JUDGE

County Agent Visits Four Fairs In Section

In the capacity of a judge of exhibits, D. F. Eaton, Lubbock county agent, visited the fairs at Seagraves and Brownfield Thursday. Poultry, livestock and other exhibits were passed upon by Mr. Eaton.

Wednesday Mr. Eaton attended the Dawson county fair at Lamesa and the day before the Amarillo Tri-State fair, acting in a similar capacity at Brownfield and Seagraves.

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VOTES IT STRAIGHT

Desk Sergeant Inmon Says He Is a Democrat

Mr. Inmon said at the city police station, celebrated his anniversary yesterday, in that office.

"And on November 6," Mr. Inmon said, "I expect to celebrate my forty-seventh year as a voter. It was on the sixth of November, back in 1881, that I cast my first ballot. I had become 21 just a month before and voted the first time on the same day of the month the general election is to be held this year."

Mr. Inmon said he has not missed voting once since he became of age, 47 years ago. "And I've never missed voting the democratic ticket straight, every time I went to the polls. And I'm not going to miss voting it straight this time, either."

DONATIONS COME IN

Citizens Lower City's Fund Quota with Donations

Lubbock's quota of \$200 for the Florida and West Indies hurricane relief, as set by the American Red Cross for the local chapter, will more than likely be entirely raised within the next few days, information from the chapter reveals.

Several local clubs have already donated to the fund, the Sorosis club being among the latest, and others are expected to follow with cash contributions. T. B. Dugan was among those who gave to the fund yesterday, his being a \$10 donation.

The Red Cross reports increasing calls for help from the suffering people of Florida who were crippled, maimed and stricken of food, clothing and shelter.

GREENVILLE, Sept. 27. (P)—Wesley College Panthers defeated Thorp Springs Indians, Terrell, 25 to 0 here today.

Claims Title "Uncle Billy" Has Many Weddings

"Uncle Billy" Clark, justice of the peace, claims that, as a marrying justice, his record during the almost two years he has been in his present office, will stack up among the best of them in the entire state of Texas.

"Recently," said "Uncle Billy," Judge Ford of Abilene, claimed a record of having performed 900 weddings in 12 years. That's only an average of about 75 per year. I've averaged almost a hundred ceremonies a year in the two years, almost. I've been justice of the peace."

And Judge Clark showed his record book, as he put down the 190th ceremony yesterday afternoon. "My second year is not

up until October 18th, either," he said. "But young folks will have to get a little busier than they have been lately, if that other 10 ceremonies are performed between now and the middle of October."

"Uncle Billy" said that at the end of his first year as justice he had joined exactly 99 couples in holy wedlock. "But I got the 100th on the next day."

A.V.C. Company To Locate Store Here

Announcement was made here yesterday that the A. V. C. Company operators of a string of chain variety stores throughout Texas and New Mexico, will open one of their stores in Lubbock on October 10.

The Lubbock store will be managed by Babe Chilton and will be located at the corner of Avenue K and Broadway.

FLIES' Feet Reek with FILTH

Flies are born in filth. They habitually live in filth. Their bulbous, spongy feet absorb filth. When they trek across food or on the human body they deposit what they pick up. Germs are carried by flies. Flies must be killed. FLY-TOX KILLS FLIES. FLY-TOX is safe, stainless, fragrant, and kills mosquitoes, moths, roaches, and bed bugs. ... Guaranteed.



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Bell Grade 'A' Pasteurized Milk
Phone 373

Hunting Needs Cat Ward's Priced Lower!



A flock of ducks settle to your decoys. NOW! — if ever you want a dependable gun, accurate and smooth working and instantaneous firing, hard hitting shells. Ward's Hunters' Equipment is like that—dependable. Come in and look over our complete line and see what you can save!

'WESTERN FIELD' Repeating Shot Gun

Genuine Browning Model—Easiest Action of Any Pump Gun
Drop forged solid steel breech. High pressure compressed carbon steel barrel. Bored especially for smokeless powder. Chambered for shells up to 2 3/4 inches. Easiest of all guns to take down.

\$30.25
Genuine black walnut stock, checked full pistol grip. Hammerless action, side ejector. GUARANTEED free from defects in material and workmanship.

Ward's
The Largest Gun Store in The World

WARD'S FAMOUS "WESTERN FIELD"
Double Barrel Hammerless Shotgun—12 Gauge
Has shooting qualities of a 300 gun. Extra well made. Perfectly balanced and shoots accurately. Stands as much use as any gun ever built.

NITRO STEEL BARRELS — PROOF TESTED
Barrels bored for all smokeless powder shells. Matted rib top. Walnut stock with pistol grip. High quality steel frame, drop forged and case hardened. Nonbreakable coil springs. Positive automatic safety.

"Western Field" 4.75
Hunting Coat
For All Round Shooting
Sturdy, waterproof, heavy weight brown duck. Warm. Big, all-around game pockets. Loops for 34 shells, protected by large rain flaps. Cut full and roomy. Sizes, 34 to 46.

GUN CLEANING OUTFITS
Tube of Rust Remover, tube of Gun Grease, can of Nitro-Solvent, can of Gun Oil, all for... **85c**
Scratch Brush, Swab and Wiper for Shot Gun, cleaning... **35c**

Red Head Shells
No Better Shells Made
Loaded with powerful, clean-burning Du Pont Powder. Sealed with Curtin-wad, giving a greater killing power at long range. Best money can buy.

Red Head Reliance Shells
2 1/4, 2 1/2, 3, 4, per box... **\$2.00**
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2 1/4, 2 1/2, 3, 4, per box... **\$2.00**

Red Head Duck-shooters
2 1/4, 2 1/2, 3, 4, per box... **\$2.00**
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Rifle Ammunition
30 Short, per box... **\$1.00**
30 Long, per box... **\$1.00**
30 Long, per box... **\$1.00**

MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.
97-110 13th St. Phone 826 Lubbock, Texas



HIT THAT LINE

We will give a \$5 Gillette Razor in a silver case to the first Matador who makes a touchdown in Saturday's game.

"If It's Hardware—We Have It"

School Supplies, sporting goods, Knives, Shaving Supplies, Gift suggestions.

MYRICK HARDWARE

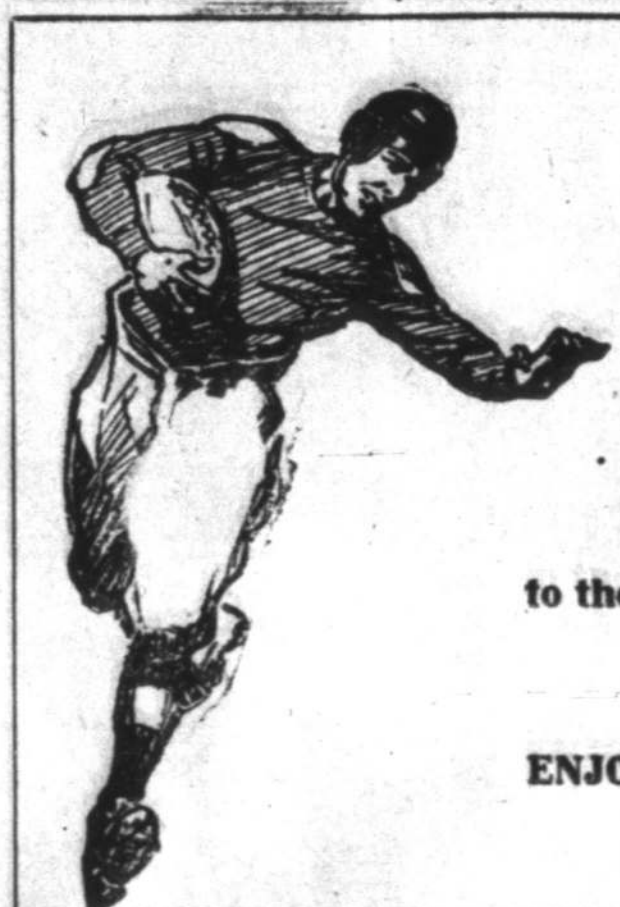
Myrick Bldg. Phone 1340



Yea! MATADORS!

The loyal boosters for a championship Foot Ball team are making Saturday's game more interesting by offering various prizes for plays in the first game of the Season. Their advertisements will tell of the things you must do and how you will win. It has been so arranged that each man will have an equal chance. The Sports Editor of the Avalanche-Journal will cover the game play by play and all orders for the prizes will come from this office. If a mistake is made it will be promptly corrected and the prize awarded to the correct man.

Remember, each position on the team has been taken into consideration and the man who fights the hardest to win the first game will be the man who scores the win. Fight 'Em Matadors, Fight 'Em!



A SEASON'S PASS

to the new

Up-Town Dance Palace

to the Matador catching or intercepting the first pass in Saturday's Game

ENJOY CLEAN WHOLESOME ENTERTAINMENT



Tackle 'Em For A Loss

We will wash and change the oil of one Automobile brought to us by the Matador making the first tackle for a loss.

Famous Marathon Oil will be used in the change and your car will be as fresh and new looking as the Matadors after a shower. Investigate the complete Automobile service we offer. Racine Tires, Marathon Oils and Grease, car washing and accessories.

LUBRICATING SERVICE STATION

Operated By

WILLIAMS AUTO SUPPLY

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EAT 'EM UP!

MATADORS

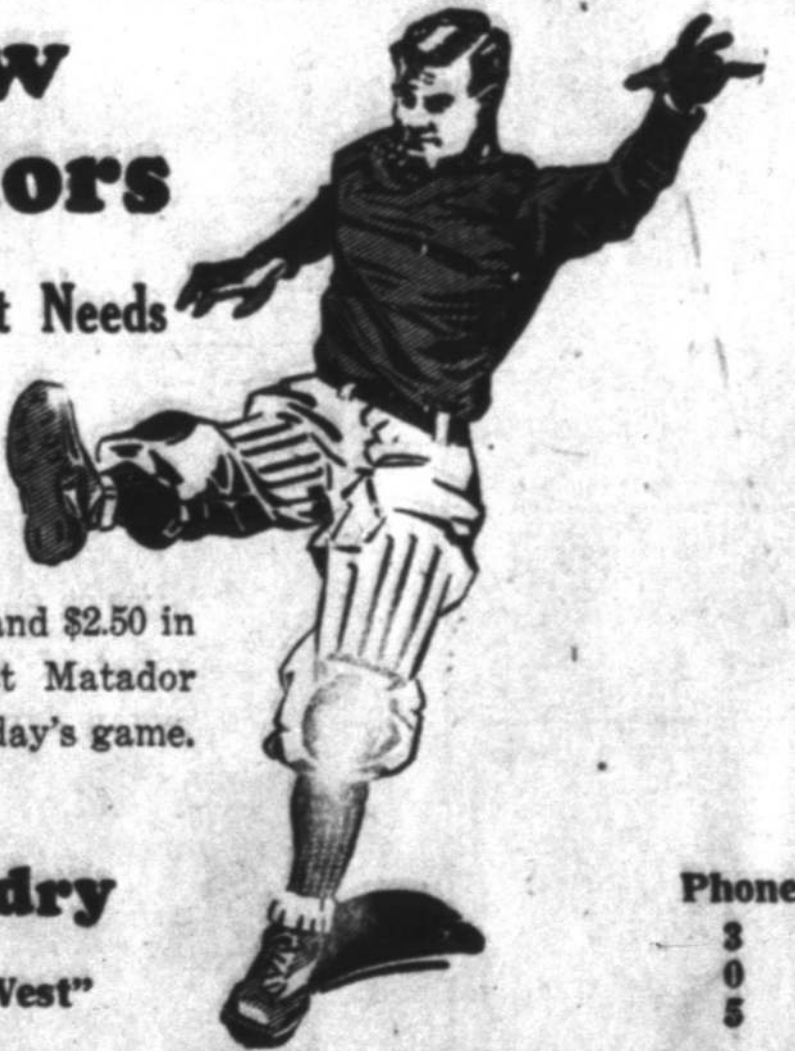


A \$3 Meal Ticket to the man making the first touchdown in Saturday's game.

TECH CAFE

Hit 'Em Low Matadors

We'll Tackle Anything that Needs To Be Cleaned



We'll give \$2.50 in Laundry work and \$2.50 in cleaning and pressing to the first Matador that makes a clean tackle in Saturday's game.

Lubbock Laundry

"Biggest and Best in the West"

Phone 305

HOLD 'EM LINE

We will give to the man receiving the first kick-off of the first game of the year—

\$2.50

IN CLEANING AND PRESSING!

We are for every member of the fighting Matadors and are pulling for a championship.

And Remember

Lubbock's complete Cleaning Service. We offer a service for your complete wardrobe and anxiously wait an opportunity to serve.

City Tailors

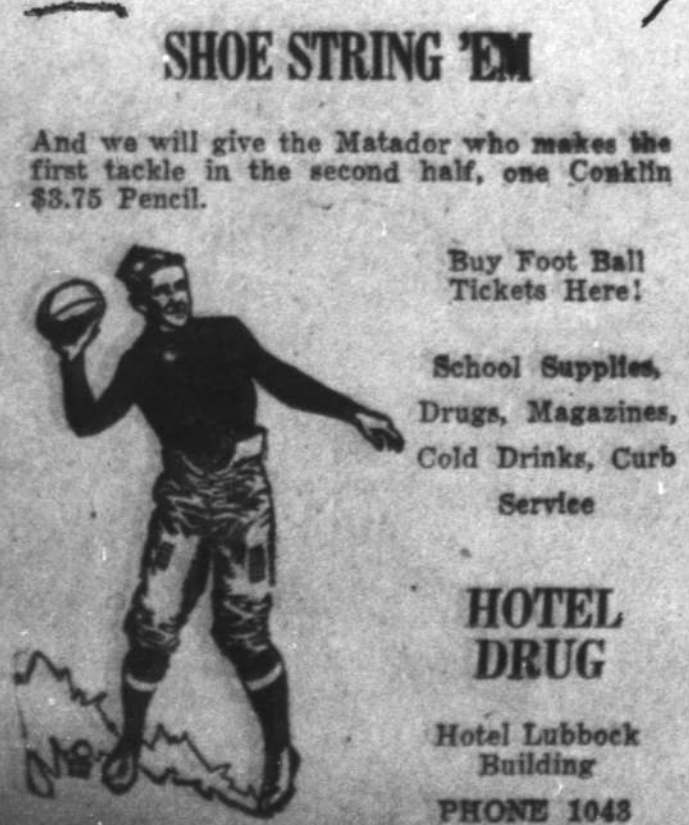
Cleaning, Pressing And Dyeing

233 PHONE 233



SHOE STRING 'EM

And we will give the Matador who makes the first tackle in the second half, one Conklin \$3.75 Pencil.



Buy Foot Ball Tickets Here!

School Supplies, Drugs, Magazines, Cold Drinks, Curb Service

HOTEL DRUG

Hotel Lubbock Building

PHONE 1043

Catch The Kick Off



We will give \$2.50 in Laundry work to the man catching the second kick off of the game.

LET US BE KEEPERS OF YOUR WARDROBE!

Phone 1448

Bumpass Steam Laundry

CONSISTENCY

On The Gridiron

Like consistency in the purchase of Clothes is an investment when the final whistle blows

A Tech Belt and Buckle to the

Matadors' most consistent Line-man in Saturday's game.

Hogan & Patton

"College Clothes"

1103 Broadway



TECHS' OFFICIAL CLEANERS

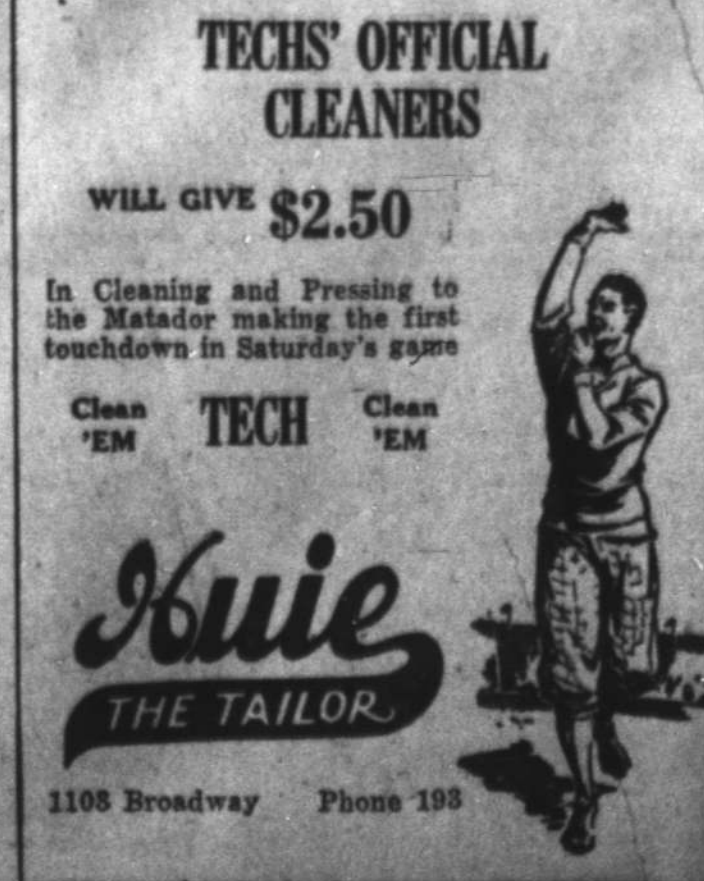
WILL GIVE \$2.50

In Cleaning and Pressing to the Matador making the first touchdown in Saturday's game

Clean 'EM TECH Clean 'EM

Huie THE TAILOR

1103 Broadway Phone 193



Hodges Bros.**"COLLEGE HEADQUARTERS"**

For the first 10-yard gain or the first tackle for a 5-yard loss, we will give the player one pair of Peters' \$5 Diamond Brand Shoes.

**They Stand The Gaff
Of a Thousand Kicks!**

**The Matadors
Official Drug
Store**

Will present \$3 in merchandise to the player that recovers the first fumble.

Always

We Present a Complete Line of Drugs and School Supplies with "Service That's Supreme"

The Corner Drug Store
AVENUE H AT 13TH

**WIN FOR THE COACH**

If Tech wins Saturday we give the coach a bath for his automobile.

Ride a Whippet to the game.

SOUTH PLAINS MOTOR CO.
CORNER BROADWAY AND M

**Bray's Tailors**

Block that Kick! We will give the man who blocks the first one \$5 in cleaning and pressing. Let us be your tailors in 28-29.

Linesmen Attention!

To the man judged as the stellar player of the first game we will give \$5 in Cleaning and Pressing. Now, Hold That Line!

College Tailors

1111 College Ave.

Phone 1886



The advertisers on this page are boosters for a championship Tech football team and to get them started on the long road to continuous wins they are offering various prizes for different achievements in the first game if they win. The prizes are so fixed that each member of the team will have an equal chance.

The Sports Editor of the Avalanche-Journal will take each play of the game and will judge the awarding of the prizes. See him at the newspaper office for the prize orders to the various co-operating merchandise.

FIGHT GANG, FIGHT, THE TOWN'S FOR YOU!

IT'S OUR PARTY

If You Win



We will give one pass to every member of the squad if you BEAT Schriener Saturday.

We Hope You Win

PALACE THEATRE**Greetings Matadors!**

Let's Eat

We want the Center to bring the first 3 men to make touchdowns in Saturday's game to Lubbock's favorite eating place for one grand meal.

**Hotel Lubbock**

**TO THE TECH
PLAYER
GETTING
THE FIRST
TACKLE
SATURDAY...**

**Choice of Any
\$2 Tie in the
Store...**

**LET'S ALL GIVE
"TECH" OUR
WHOLE-
HEARTED
SUPPORT AND
DO OUR PART
IN MAKING IT
THE BIGGEST
YEAR OF ALL**

**McWhorter-
Roberds**

Originators of the 10-Pay Plan in Lubbock

1118 Texas Ave.



**Get
This
Matador
\$2.50**

—worth of Cleaning and Pressing in the South Plains Finest Plant WILL BE GIVEN TO MATA-DOR making FIRST tackle in second half.

**Lubbock
Tailoring
Company**

Erie Posey
J. C. Sanders

MORE GOOD NEWS FOR THE COACH

If you win the first game we will drain your car and put in new oil!



FIGHT! FIGHT! FIGHT!

Main Service Station

1220 Main

Phone 880

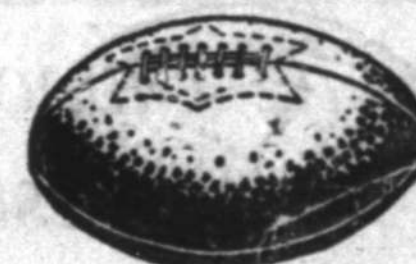
**Join the Gang
AT THE
LYRIC**



**AFTER THE MATADORS
BEAT SCHRIENERS**

**IT'S OUR TREAT TO THE FOOT-
BALL TEAM IF THEY WIN
THE FIRST GAME**

LYRIC THEATRE



**YEA! MATADORS
THREE HOURS FREE RIDING**

FOR THE SECOND TOUCHDOWN IN SATURDAY'S GAME

U-DRIVE-'EM

FOWLER RENT CAR STATION

1214 Ave H

PHONE 992



All Matadors that receive bruised or injured muscles will receive one free treatment at Dr. Allen's office Saturday evening or Monday.

DR. R. D. ALLEN

207 Leader Bldg.

Chiropractor

Phone 540



BACKFIELD HOWDY!

The Outstanding Back Gets a Bottle Of Hair Tonic!

LUBBOCK BARBER SHOP

Basement Hotel Lubbock

Uptown Dance Palace Will Open In Fine New Building On Saturday Night

Ell Hoover Is To Be In Charge Of Newest Amusement Center; He Will Personally Direct Entire Project

"Paul Whiteman of Plains" Comes Here to Operate New Venture; Big Crowd Expected at Opening.

Lubbock's place as the amusement center of the South Plains will be augmented tomorrow night with the formal opening of the Uptown Dance Palace, at the corner of Texas Avenue and 8th Street, under the management of Ell Hoover.

Known as the "Paul Whiteman of the Plains," Mr. Hoover will begin an engagement here with his own band of eleven pieces. He has been manager of the Nat Palace in Amarillo for more than a year but is to take complete charge of the dancing palace here.

Open Every Week Night
The Uptown Dance Palace, said to be the finest this side of Kansas City, will be open every night except Sundays, with free dancing from 8:30 to 9 o'clock. An admission charge of twenty-five cents and a fee of ten cents a dance will be made. Dancing will end at 12 o'clock each night.

Nothing has been spared to make this new amusement hall the height of refinement. Ample room is provided for those who do not wish to dance, but want to watch the dancers and hear the music.

Beautifully Decorated
The palace is beautifully decorated, with green leaves and varicolored streamers hanging from the lofty ceiling. A color scheme of pale blue is carried out throughout the building which lends an enchanting atmosphere to the surroundings.

The best in music will be provided for the city at all times, Mr. Hoover says. It is planned to bring new orchestras here from time to time.

The band will occupy a raised platform five feet in height at the rear of the palace. The back tier of the orchestra is seven feet high. All of the furnishings of the building blend to create a pleasing effect.

With the best of music obtainable and with the finest floor in this section, it is expected that the opening tomorrow will draw several thousand persons to the innovation of this new amusement place.

Heavy increases in the production of crude oil in California and the importation of large quantities of Mexican and Venezuelan crudes have given a great impetus to the production of petroleum asphalt.

Salvador's most important export products—coffee and sugar—are shipped in imported jute bags, 55 per cent of which are purchased in England and 20 per cent in India.

Local Auditorium Question Solved

Need of an assembly place in Lubbock is thought to be met to a certain degree with the completion of the Uptown Dance Palace. With a floor space of 100 by 125 feet the building will provide one of the best substitutes in the city for an auditorium.

Several requests have been made of the management for the use of the building on various occasions, and it is thought that several political speakings will be held in the building within the near future.

Slaton Items

BY MRS. L. C. ODOM

Slaton, Phone 967-J

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Tate have as their guest this week, their daughter, Mrs. Thurman Campbell of Sulphur Springs.

Miss Francis Blundell has returned to Denver, Colo., where she is in school, after visiting for several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Blundell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Rogers are spending several days in San Angelo on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brewer have returned from a business trip to Dallas.

Howard Hoffman left last week for Austin where he will attend the State University.

Mrs. G. R. Miller has returned to her home from Lubbock where she has been in a hospital following a double mastoid operation. She is reported to be improving nicely.

S. M. Oslund, of Eldorado, Kans., has accepted a position as pharmacist in the Red Cross Pharmacy here.

Leon Austin, and Speedy Cannon, have returned from a trip to Alpine. Mrs. H. C. Taylor, and Miss Lilian Henry, visited in Lubbock the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Slater are the proud parents of a son that arrived at their home here Tuesday. He has been named Dyrdd Thomas, Jr. Mrs. C. N. Clark and sons, Leon and Jack, have arrived home from a six weeks visit with relatives in Arizona and California.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Cherry Sunday a daughter, she has been named Mattie Joyce.

Thomas L., the little son of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Petty, who has been critically ill for three weeks is improving nicely now.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Olive, of Dallas, accompanied by Mrs. Olive's mother, Mrs. Joplin, of Littlefield, and her sister, Mrs. Leslie Smith, of Los Angeles, California, spent Monday night in Slaton at the home of L. B. Olive, enroute to Dallas.

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In Charge of Up-Town Dance Palace



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Fireproof Dance Palace Built By Hall's Operators

J. D. Tucker and J. B. Arnot Own Five Dance Halls In The Southwest; Valuation Here \$40,000.

Construction of the Uptown Dance Palace, 8th Street and Texas Avenue, which opens tomorrow night, was under the direction of the Tucker-Arnot Construction company, of Amarillo and Lubbock.

This building is fireproof throughout and is one of the sturdiest constructions possible.

J. D. Tucker and J. B. Arnot, constructors of the edifice, have leased the building and will be in charge of it. They have five other similar dance palaces in the Southwest.

With a capacity of several thousand persons, the building is 100 by 125. The arch dome held up by seven massive steel arches is twenty-seven feet from the floor.

Valued at \$40,000

Permit for the construction of the building was \$15,000, but it is said that the structure will be valued at almost \$40,000. The building is equipped with four exits, and is well ventilated.

The building is constructed of Reliance brick, forming one of the best looking structures of the city. Alva Akers did the painting of the building. He has made an artistic blend of the decorations, of which the owners are proud.

A tunnel awning extending from the front entrance to the edge of the curb will protect the patrons from rain. The hardwood floor of the palace is laid in the log cabin style, forming the smoothest type of dance floor.

Asphalt occupies a position of increasing importance in the foreign trade of the United States.

Several American collar companies have attempted to enter the British market, but only one has attained any success.

Much Lumber Used In New Dance Hall

Lumber used in the construction of the Uptown Dance Palace, on corner of 8th Street and Texas Avenue, was furnished by the Foxworth-Gilbraith Lumber company.

It is estimated that eighty or ninety thousand feet of lumber was used.

The building is constructed throughout with the very finest lumber possible.

The hardwood oak floors are one of the features of the entire structure.

The building was built to meet the requirements of the city's fire ordinance and is fireproof throughout.

Weaves and designs of broad silks sold in Cuba follow closely the styles prevailing in the United States.

A quarterly decline of more than 230,000 gross tons in the volume of merchant vessels being constructed throughout the world is shown in a statement by Lloyd's Register of Shipping, based on returns from all maritime countries for the three months ended June 30, 1928.

It is estimated that millionaires have increased in number about 600 per cent since 1923.

Horace Walpole's brother, Lord Oxford, once backed a drove of geese to an equal number of turkeys from Norwich to London.

A race was run in Australia recently between an ostrich and a horse.

The expression "stony-broke" originated from the old custom of breaking a craftsman's stone bench when he failed to pay his debts.

THE RELIANCE BRICK CO.

OF TEXAS

Service
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Face Brick — Common Brick — Hollow Tile

305 Ellis Bldg.

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Best Wishes

to the

Owners, Builders and Occupants

of the new

UP-TOWN DANCE PALACE

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

COMES NOW!

West Texas' Largest Auditorium

THE UP-TOWN DANCE
PALACE BUILDING

WE FURNISHED
EVERY STICK OF
LUMBER

It has been a pleasure to work with the management of the building of West Texas' Biggest Auditorium. We are glad that we had the opportunity to handle every stick of lumber that has gone into its making. It will stand monumental as one of Lubbock's largest construction jobs and to know that we furnished all of the lumber will always give us a feeling of pride as it is landmarked and pointed out.

Congratulations and Best Wishes

to the

OWNERS, BUILDERS AND OCCUPANTS

Our best wishes go to those who have visualized a need. To the builder, who has conscientiously put the very best of quality into every move. To the owners, who have made the building possible. And to the management of the Dance Palace who will operate a strictly high class Emporium for the amusement lovers of Lubbock and the surrounding territory.

Foxworth-Gilbraith Lumber Company

Yards at:

Ralls — Amherst — Sudan — Smyer — Rojas — Monroe

702 Avenue H

Phone 430

The Owners of West Texas' Largest Auditorium

extend

Congratulations

and

Best Wishes

to the occupants of the new building

THE UP-TOWN DANCE PALACE Arnett & Benson

Owners

ANNOUNCING

the formal opening of the

UP-TOWN DANCE

PALACE



J. B. ARON
Lessee



J. D. TUCKER
Lessee

LADIES FREE

A nominal charge of 25c will be charged as admission for gentlemen but at all times there will be absolutely no charges for the lady. They are welcome at all times, whether they are accompanied by a gentleman or not. Step in any time and hear the very newest pieces played by the Premier Band of the South Plains—Ell Hoover and his 11-piece band.

CONVENIENCES

Nothing has been left undone to make this the most comfortable and complete place in this vicinity. A check room at the main entrance will relieve the patrons of wraps and hats. Valuables of greater importance—like fur coats—can be checked with positive assurance of their safe keeping. A refreshment nook will serve soft-drinks at all times during the dance.

Cosy booths have been arranged against the walls for those who are not dancing and for those who care to rest for a minute between dances. These sections are arranged against the wall and are high enough to see the full length and breadth of the building. A matron will attend the Ladies' Dressing room and is at the patrons' service at all times while we are open.



LOCATION

A new building has just been completed for the occupancy of this new amusement concern at the corner of Texas Ave. and Eighth Street. It is fireproof in every respect, including the decorations and most of the firments. The floor space is said to be the largest in the entire West which assures comfort for the large crowds of dancers at all times. Over 10,000 square feet of floor-space to pass away an idle hour in peace and happiness in a wholesome atmosphere. Opening night with Ell Hoover and his eleven-piece band.

FREE PARKING

We have made arrangements with the owners of the lot adjoining this new building to park as many cars as it will hold. This added service is FREE to you and we suggest that you drive in to better protect your car and avoid the usual jam of traffic. A watchman will be stationed to further protect them. Come with a care-free feeling of peace and contentment that all is taken care of; determine to enjoy a happy evening of wholesome entertainment. Dismiss the troubles of the day with assurance that we will take care of your every trouble.

OPENING WITH

ELL HOOVER

AND HIS ELEVEN-PIECE BAND

"Bring
Your
Mother"

When the magic wand of Ell Hoover brings forth the first strain of music from his eleven-piece orchestra, the people of Lubbock and the surrounding territory will have heard the very best band that has ever played in this section of the country. Mr. Hoover, better known as "Little Paul Whiteman of the West" has had many years experience in the dance business and is thoroughly familiar with the demands of a dance-loving public. Every member of the orchestra is a master of his instrument and there is an instrument for every needed touch of melody. Novelty numbers, many played for the first time here, will feature the opening night's programme. Whether you dance or not it's worth your while to hear this "Red Hot" band.

"Bring
Your
Mother"

DON'T FORGET

Saturday Nite, Sept. 29th

Everything has been completed to make the opening a huge success. Wires from Amarillo state that many people will attend the formal opening from there. The building and surrounding lots have been put in perfect condition and preparations have been made to take care of the largest crowd in our history of dancing and amusement business. Come with the Mother, Sister or Sweetheart and enjoy clean, wholesome amusement from the first swing of the baton.

Steel Works Does Big Business Here

Since the 35 days of its existence the Lubbock Steel Works, Inc., located on the Santa Fe tracks at 506 Avenue O, reports business in their line of a very gratifying quantity. The concern specializes in the fabrication of structural steel and are manufacturers agents for many building specialties.

Officials of the company include Ben J. Sibbitt, president; J. I. Boggs, vice president and secretary; and Edgar G. Lewis, treasurer. Mr. Sibbitt is also president of the Wichita Foundry company, who have been operating in this territory prior to the founding of the present plant. Mr. Boggs was formerly manager of the J. B. Kline company of Oklahoma City. Mr. Lewis has been a resident of Lubbock for the past five years, connected with the C. C. Hornsby company.

Technical Topics From Texas Tech

BY MARGARET TURNER
Tech Correspondent

The fourth annual session of Tech college was formally opened yesterday morning when the first general convocation was held in the gymnasium with Dr. Paul W. Horn presiding.

Invocation was given by Dr. W. R. White after which President Horn gave out the first official statement concerning the enrollment of the college. There are 1972 students, an increase of thirty per cent over this time last year.

Short speeches were made by representatives of the legislature from Galveston county. Senator Pink Parrish, H. T. Kimbro, Mayor Harley Woods, and Dr. J. T. Hutchinson, all of whom pledged their support and influence to the college and expressed a pleasure at the growth of the institution. Former Senator W. H. Blodsoe, also gave a short talk extending cooperation of the town people to the students and faculty.

CHIEF'S LETTER READ

At the convocation, a letter from Chief of Police Lemond was read by Dean Gordon. Chief Lemond stated that local officers wanted to know in advance when a parade was to be staged by the college boys, so as to permit traffic regulation. A "shirt tail" parade will probably be in evidence tomorrow night after the game with Schreiner.

REGULATIONS ANNOUNCED

Campus regulations and opportunities for women students were made known at a special convocation called at the gymnasium yesterday afternoon with Dean Doak presiding. Eleven addresses are to be given to Freshman girls throughout the term. The purpose of the lecture series is aid in the orientation of the under-class students at the college.

ANNUAL PROGRESSES

All division pages and building sections for La Veniana, year book of Tech, have gone to the hands of the engraver. At noon yesterday over 1200 students had signed over their library deposits to buy an annual, according to the editor, Wilburn Edmonson.

RALLY IS HELD

The first all-college rally was held last night at the gym with Scott Poage, Bill Sewell, and several Fish students leading the assembly into an astonishing amount of pep. Detailed instructions for consistent yelling were given.

CHURCHES AT HOME

All local churches are to be at home to Tech students tonight beginning at 8 o'clock. The purpose of the evening is to provide a means whereby students may become better acquainted and fellowship is to be the keynote. Dr. and Mrs. Horn are to be hosts to the college tomorrow evening at the Administration building at the annual informal reception given by the president.

CLUB ENTERTAINS

Las Chaparrillas club, social organization of the college, is entertaining from 7 until 9 o'clock this evening at the home of Miss Virginia Johnson, 1620 Avenue X.

TO HOLD NIGHT CLASS

The committee on Extension has approved the offering of college courses carrying full credit to any group who desires this service according to an announcement made by J. F. McDonald, director of extension. This will include some laboratory sciences.

Some students have already requested a night extension class in several departments and any one interested should communicate with Mr. McDonald by telephoning the college.

MILITARY UNIT PLANS FOR YEAR

While activities are getting underway in the organizations on the Tech campus, L. E. Kilin has been busy the past two days arranging for the work of the military unit during the coming year. A good group of boys have signed for the work and indications are that the drill classes will be filled to capacity.

L. E. Kilin will be aided in his work this year by two students, Earl Cain, of Yoakum, a sophomore and Keith Flourmoy, of Nacogdoches, a first year student. Both boys have had considerable experience with military tactics and have spent several summers in the work. The past month they represented 8th Corps Area rifle team in the National Rifle matches at Camp Perry, Ohio.

It is the plan of L. E. Kilin to devote much time this year in the development of the Tech corps.

Modern agricultural implements are used by those engaged in rice growing in the Murumbidgee irrigation area of New South Wales.

EXHIBITS BEING PREPARED

Miss Louise Baird, Lubbock county home demonstration agent, announces that exhibits of the 4-H clubs and other exhibits to be entered in home demonstration divisions of the fair next week, are all being placed in first class shape for the big event.

The booth to be used for these exhibits is also being worked on and will be in readiness for the opening Monday morning.

One of the most interesting events in German agriculture circles is the annual fair conducted by the German Agricultural Association.

In 1927 the output of Canadian dairies was valued at \$135,927,254.

Special Fixtures Light Dance Hall

When the dance lovers of the city dance in the new Uptown Dance Palace which opens here tomorrow night a glow will be cast about the building by a variety of special lighting fixtures.

All of the lighting effects were furnished by the Carnett Electric company, 1209 Broadway.

In addition to the numerous lights along the lofty ceiling of the building, flood lights will be provided. During waltzes the lights will be dimmed to produce the "dreamy waltz" atmosphere.

The orchestra platform is well lighted, with special feature lights facing the dancing floor.

DEFENDANTS GET VERDICT

A verdict for the defendants was rendered at 10:30 yesterday morning by the jury in the boundary suit case, involving two leagues of land in Hockley county, which was tried before Judge Clark M. Mullican, in Ninety-Ninth district court.

The case, styled J. C. Whaley, et al, versus Mrs. Emma Hankins, et al, went to trial Monday and was given to the jury Wednesday afternoon at 3:15 the jury consuming altogether about four hours and a half before reaching its verdict.

The motor traffic in Jamaica has more than doubled in the last four years.

The rubber or leather belt is generally replacing suspenders in Lithuania.

Fine Poland China Purchased By Tech

Prof. W. L. Stangel, head of the Texas Technological college husbandry department, has purchased for the college the noted Poland China boar, "Armistice Boy-Son", which belonged to R. F. Cox, of Rising Star, and adds another fine Poland China to the school's already renowned herd.

Mr. Cox purchased "Armistice Boy-Son" from W. J. Graham, of Waverly, Minn., several years ago and the boar's sire was four times champion of the world. No other hog of any breed has ever made such a record. It is claimed, his litter mate having been the grand champion of Nebraska last year.

Men's belts are used mostly for sports wear in Great Britain.

The only commodity that requires refrigerated transportation in Uruguay is frozen and chilled meat.

American manufacturers of expensive stationery articles, such as high-grade fountain pens and pencils, have built up a considerable business in India.

An annual event in Calcutta is known as the Noah's Ark Race. The competitors on the last occasion were a goat, a horse and an elephant.

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By Norman Mayer & Co.
Special Report

Month	Open	High	Low	Close
Oct.	1821	1821	1820	1820-57
Nov.	1825	1825	1824	1824-59
Dec.	1846	1846	1843	1843-59
Jan.	1847	1847	1842	1842-57
Feb.	1848	1848	1841	1841-57
Mar.	1849	1849	1840	1840-57
Apr.	1850	1850	1839	1839-57
May	1851	1851	1838	1838-57
June	1852	1852	1837	1837-57
July	1853	1853	1836	1836-57

Month	Open	High	Low	Close
Oct.	1902	1902	1902	1902-24
Nov.	1905	1905	1904	1904-21
Dec.	1906	1906	1903	1903-21
Jan.	1907	1907	1902	1902-21
Feb.	1908	1908	1901	1901-21
Mar.	1909	1909	1900	1900-21
Apr.	1910	1910	1899	1899-21
May	1911	1911	1898	1898-21
June	1912	1912	1897	1897-21
July	1913	1913	1896	1896-21

Closing tone steady.
Liverpool futures close: Oct. 1904; Dec. 1892; Jan. 1890; Mar. 1891; May 1911; July 1908.
Due unchanged to seven penny points up today. Sales 7,000. Receipts 2,000.

American spots
New York 1900, sales 200. New Orleans 1915, sales 4,745. Houston, 1920, sales 1,200, to arrive 13,528. Galveston 1905, sales none, to arrive 2,300.

Market up 38 to 42 points. Liverpool cables were about as due and the American market responded with New York December contracts opening up 19 points and New Orleans December contracts opening two points up. Early buying developed and by ten o'clock additional new highs had been made for this movement. New Orleans December went to 1903, 300 points above the low mark for the season made on September 19, just one week ago Wednesday. Weather advices were unfavorable for the most part and there seemed to be an absence of hedge selling to force the market down. The last ten days have developed an almost entire change of sentiment and it looks as if there will be continued anticipatory buying up until the next government report October 8, with reactions of course due to hedge selling and realizing. Norman Mayer & Co., wired today, "Cold rains reported in Texas. Fall River sales exceeded production for the first time in two years. Advice buying on setbacks."

Early private reports at New Orleans indicated considerable rain in the western cotton belt and mostly dry weather in the eastern belt, and these reports caused a much stronger market.

Of 12 cotton opinions received nine were bullish and three were non-committal.

New Orleans: Total spot cotton sales in southern markets Wednesday 87,845 bales against 46,355 same day last year. Total spot cotton sales thus far this week 198,494 bales against 196,729 same time last

year. Total spot cotton sales thus far this season 1,454,090 bales against 1,497,445 same time last season. The stock of cotton on shipboard 14,316 bales against 28,770 a year ago.

Comanche, Texas:—Weather very bad. It has been raining since last Friday over large territory.

Youngville, La.:—Weevils have not allowed top crop of cotton to develop. Crop is 90 percent gathered and 70 percent ginned. Will not make as much as last year.

The Bureau of Agricultural Economics will issue at one o'clock today a report on the grade, sample and tenderness of the cotton ginned to September 1, and there will be six more such reports during the season.

Moderate business was reported in North St. Print cloths higher; general tone of market appears much improved.

Tatnell reports the tone stronger and more business in yarns and cloths.

Rain reports:—Opelousas, La. light rain; Temple, Tex. rained slowly all night, still raining; Houston, Tex. Hillsboro, Tex. light rain last night; Waco, Tex. slow rain all night; Corpus Christi, Tex. heavy showers yesterday; Laredo, Tex. slow rain all night; Crockett, Tex. drizzling rain last night; Henderson, Tex. raining.

New Orleans:—Spot men here claim they are forced to pay interior 40 points on December for middling to strict middling cotton seven eighths staple.

Western cotton belt at noon was cloudy to threatening and raining; central belt was cloudy to raining and eastern belt was partly cloudy to raining.

Light frosts were reported from western North Carolina.

Heavy rains reported all in Texas; Bretham, 2.02; Lampasas 1.70; Llano, 1.60; Temple, 1.02.

Weather forecast:—Eastern belt; North Carolina mostly cloudy tonight and Friday not much change in temperatures. South Carolina cloudy tonight and Friday probably showers in south and central portions. Florida extreme northwest showers tonight and Friday. Alabama cloudy tonight and Friday showers in south and central portions tonight and probably in south portion Friday morning. Mississippi and Georgia mostly cloudy tonight and Friday with showers in south portions and probably in southeast portions Friday morning cooler in northeast portion tonight.

Western belt: Louisiana tonight and Friday rain. Arkansas cloudy with heavy rains in east portion. Oklahoma cooler tonight and Friday partly cloudy. East Texas tonight and Friday occasional rains. West Texas tonight and Friday cloudy probably rains in south portions.

R. E. STRONG, Mgr.

UNION BUS TERMINAL SCHEDULES

NORTH PLAINS COACHES

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SCRIPTURE: For what if some did not believe? Shall their unbelief make the faith of God without effect?—Roman's 3:3.

VIGILANCE THE PRICE OF LIBERTY

Long ago it was written: "Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty." The truthfulness of this adage has never been disproved. New emphasis is given to it in times of national emergency or when the liberties of peoples who have advanced out of conditions of slavery to false beliefs and away from ignorant traditions or circumscribing limitations which custom or superstition has imposed are threatened or challenged by the traditional foes of progress. That challenge has now been uttered in the Nation which cradled and nurtured the firstborn in the great family of modern democracies. The power and authority of a constitutional government to enforce its deliberate edicts have been denied in the name of a minority represented by the dominant wing of a great political party.

It would be vain now, or ever, to assume that such a challenge constitutes anything less than a serious menace to constitutional government. The appeal is for a virtual nullification of the federal law, actually by the flagrant abuse and violation of its plain provisions, and theoretically by the substitution of unenforceable state and local laws for the mandate which the people, finally, will find means to enforce.

Never within the memory of people now active in the affairs of the Nation has there been a time when the need of vigilance and the exercise of the rights and duties of citizenship was as great as in this presidential campaign year. The advocates of nullification are resourceful and cunning. In the eastern states they seek to carry all before them by making it appear that victory is already assured and that the wet phalanx will overwhelm the unorganized forces which presume to oppose them.

But elsewhere, by more adroit cunning, they seek to lull the normally dominant dry majority to sleep by evasion and by conceding defeat in advance. By this they seem to hope that they will induce millions of voters to remain at home on election day, while their own sympathizers dutifully go to the polls.

The fact should be impressed that no correct estimate of the result of the coming election can be based on the returns in any previous election. New lines are being drawn and old alignments fortified and strengthened. Passion and prejudice are being appealed to as never before since the days when the states of the America Union were divided over the issue of slavery.

The call is to the courageous men and women of the United States to awaken to a true appreciation of their individual and collective responsibilities. No township, county or state can be counted in the right column on election day unless the voters themselves place it there.

THE LEAGUE'S ALCOHOL INQUIRY

While the people of the United States are in the throes of preparation for an election, which is more and more coming to assume the character of a referendum on prohibition, the League of Nations is about to institute an extensive inquiry into the effects of alcoholism throughout the world. The effort to induce the League to undertake such an inquiry has been unremitting for three or four years. Until now it has been blocked by the efforts of the wine producing countries. Even today the inquiry which has been ordered is to be handicapped to some extent by the exception of wine, beer and cider from the list of alcoholic beverages into which inquiry is to be made. This exception was procured by the endeavors of France, Spain and Italy, all wine producing countries. The only inference to be drawn from their action is that it is due to apprehension, amounting to fixed conviction, that the result of an inquiry into the economic and other effects of the trade in and use of wines and beers would be to bring those products into dis-

repute. It is said in the United States by the foes of prohibition that friends of temperance should abandon the effort to achieve their purpose through legislation and continue the process of education in the evils of alcoholism which went on for half a century or more before prohibition was enacted. The suggestion sounds plausible. Beyond doubt there should be a renewal of the educational efforts which taught the evils of alcoholism to the people of the United States, and which culminated in the prohibition law. A new generation has grown up which knows not the saloon or its evils. Apparently some of the older generation have forgotten how rank and vile were the conditions from which prohibition saved the country. But nobody will feel certain that the forces in the United States, advocating such an educational campaign at the expense of the prohibition law, will in fact support such a campaign. Every attack on the liquor forces, whether political or educational, meets with bitter resistance; and if it is educational the cry is raised, "Why don't you proceed politically?" While when it is political the defenders of rum ask, "Why do you not educate the people?"

This situation is not peculiar to the United States. When representatives of Finland and Sweden, countries enjoying a large measure of prohibition, strove to get the League of Nations to inquire into the evils of alcoholism, every wine producing country was up in arms. That the proposition, even though weakened by the limitations imposed upon it, should have passed at all is gratifying as indicative of the strong feeling against liquor in the great international organization. The inquiry, even as limited, can be made of incalculable advantage, and the world will watch with interest for the committee's report.

BEAUTY

A scowl or other expression of wrath distorts a countenance. With kindness and serenity registered repose of feature and a certain beauty exists, but the transfiguration comes with malice. Hard lines creep into the face; in the eyes there is an evil gleam, and the combination almost disguises. Hate, jealousy, intolerance harbored in the heart inhibit those wholesome qualities which produce not only beauty of spirit but of countenance. The person who is a prey to constant worry evidences his chronic misgivings in his face and his anatomical bearing. He presents the drawn, haggard aspect which disfigures and ages and his body seems to sag as if from some great weight. Obviously his temperament places upon his shoulders a heavy burden under which he staggers instead of casting it aside as an unnecessary incumbrance.

Our minds and souls are mirrored in our visages. Our thoughts, aspirations need selves have a way of registering themselves on our faces and the world sees them. Just as eye strain draws lines about our eyes; just as loss of sleep and inordinate worry bring lassitude to our steps and pallor to our cheeks, so does the spirit trace character sketches on our faces and it doesn't take a clever analyst to decipher them. Their nature is quite obvious. With the craze for beauty more pronounced than ever before in history, it is surprising to find that some of the most ardent aspirants to pulchritude overlook the vital matter of interior beauty.

Popular beauty aids in the way of cosmetics, exercises and innumerable artifices are splendid, but first of all the spirit must be kept in the proper condition. There must be interior serenity and a gripping, wholesome interest in life and its people. If there is a slump of courage, a display of cynicism, a jealous attitude toward youth, all the artifices will be of little avail. Youth in the heart, peace in the soul and the good health which comes with clean and sane living, cause confident old Father Time to wrinkle his brow in perplexity and wonder if it isn't possible, after all, to beat him at his little game of subjection. When one is cheerful and hopeful, one unconsciously is engaged in preserving or increasing one's beauty and health. A bad disposition plays havoc with both health and appearance, showing that the physical side of man is subservient to the mental.

For genuine sportsmanship it would be hard to beat the United States and Argentine polo players who hope to play for the championship of the Americas this fall. With no assurance of a return match, the Argentine players came to the United States at great expense and with a lot of ponies expecting to play the first game Labor Day. Owing to the poor form of the Argentine ponies, however, the United States polo authorities postponed the matches so that the Argentine players might not be under any handicap. No wonder this game has a high standing in amateur sports circles.

Free melons for the boys in the neighborhood of Florida, Mo., instead of a load of salt or navy beans from a shotgun, is the method by which W. B. Bonnell, of that town feels that he has not only made a saving, but has won the confidence of his young neighbors as well. That this method pays is indicated in the fact that for the last 15 years Mr. Bonnell has thus distributed one-fifth of his crop of watermelons.

According to Thomas Wolfe, division traffic manager for the National Air Transport Company, August showed a 60 per cent increase in air mail tonnage over July. Rates coming down has evidently resulted in more mail going up.

OUT OUR WAY—



SO THINK WE

That all wisdom springs out of experience, but there is one thing that must be remembered that it is not only our experience that makes us wise, but the experience of our ancestors, of our contemporaries and our own.

When an optimist falls he nearly always falls forward, going his full length even in his final efforts to stand.

We think that the great United States as a nation will have to go on her knees if she shall stand. The nation seems to be mad. Pleasure mad, money mad, and such will not support a nation. More substantial things must be ever present to make a nation stable and sound.

We think from the way things are looking now, the lawyers who are still defending Loeb and Leopold, are making every arrangement to get the boys paroled from the penitentiary, and it looks like they are. Just as eye strain draws lines about our eyes; just as loss of sleep and inordinate worry bring lassitude to our steps and pallor to our cheeks, so does the spirit trace character sketches on our faces and it doesn't take a clever analyst to decipher them. Their nature is quite obvious. With the craze for beauty more pronounced than ever before in history, it is surprising to find that some of the most ardent aspirants to pulchritude overlook the vital matter of interior beauty.

We think that the love of a mosquito for a bare arm is only surpassed by the love of a fly for a bald head.

We think one reason that the Panhandle South Plains Fair has been such a great success in the past is that it is located in the center of a very fertile section of the country. Another reason is that it is operated by a broad minded liberal people, and it is patronized by a loyal band of good citizens all over the South Plains. They are all working together for the success of the fair, and it is going over bigger and better every year.

We think the crying need of Lubbock county is better roads. The crying need of Lubbock is a municipal auditorium.

We think it is an absolute shame to have such men as Dr. Norris and Dr. Sutton and Senator Borah and Senator Robinson and other big men of the nation come to Lubbock and speak and have to put them out on a vacant lot to talk to their audience. A municipal auditorium with a seating capacity of not less than five thousand is needed.

PRESS COMMENTS

IN THE RUMBLE
What could better prove the qualities that have made Mrs. Coolidge loved by a nation than the word that the other day, when her boy John took his girl Florence riding, she rode in the rumble seat? As first lady of the land, Mrs. Coolidge has precedence over all other American women and all who visit from abroad. No one understands the reasons for that better than she; no one would see more quickly that even though she might not like the role of grande dame it must be her part.

But when suring comes to the hills and dales about Northampton and to the boys and girls at Amherst, and at Smith, John Coolidge is not the president's son. Florence Trumbull is not the governor's daughter, and Mrs. Coolidge is a mother. And she it was, we may be sure, and not Florence Trumbull, who insisted she would ride in the rumble seat. She it was, who knew that a mother's place is so firm and abiding that when spring comes to your hearts the back seat is not second place, but a mother's throne. For all mothers who have heard the rumble seat pestily called "mother-in-law's seat," the first

lady of the land has set a queenly example. While the young folks, happy youth and inexperience, prattle and laugh in front with the world all before them, she, from wisdom and experience can smile gracefully, knowing that to yield graciously is to take away all sting and be and feel a blessing.—Milwaukee Journal.

IT IS REPORTED

It is reported that the prospects are very flattering for the attendance of the Panhandle South Plains Fair to run far over the 100,000 market this year.

The roads are good over the route that the fair boosters made yesterday, and the people are in fine spirits, and they are coming to the fair.

The Post people are expecting a dandy fair here today, and from the looks of some of the crops in Garza county there will be some mighty fine exhibits.

Snyder is considering very strongly of having an agricultural exhibit in the fair. They were so well pleased with the booster visit that they feel like falling in line with a live bunch like the South Plains fellows, and they will be here to the fair.

Gail has been slightly overlooked in the past, and they enjoyed and appreciated the visit of the fair boosters, and while they probably will not be able to put in an exhibit so late in the game, they will be here to see the others.

Lamesa certainly had a fine fair, and the exhibits were top toppers. There was a big crowd present each day, and they received the Lubbock boosters in a mighty friendly way. Lamesa can always be depended upon to be on hand for the advancement of the South Plains.

O'Donnell, showed plenty of snap and pep, and her people are going to be at the fair in large numbers, and so will the people of Tahoka, Wilson, Stanton and Southland.

It is reported that the eagerness of the democrats of Upton county, to tie the voters up to the democratic nominees of the "party" has caused the nomination of the sheriff of that county to be declared illegal, and the election of a sheriff will be thrown wide open in the November election.

It is reported that the enrollment of the Texas Technological college is thirty percent greater this year than last. The Texas Tech is growing and expanding in the development of the South Plains.

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The window area should be at least one square foot for every five square feet of floor space. High buildings near the school may obstruct the entrance of sunlight.

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The school books nowadays are properly planned with large type and, with proper spacing so that the eye is not likely to come from the use of the modern textbooks. Glazed paper is avoided.

It is, of course, of the greatest importance that the eyes of the child be examined by a competent oculist at fairly frequent intervals. If the child does not see well, the teacher may believe that it is stupid. Innumerable instances are recorded in which children began to learn well promptly following examination of the eyes and the prescribing of proper glasses.

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By Williams

South Plains Press

This Week's Fable: My account may be a little overdrawn at the bank but go ahead and present this check at the window and they will pay you.—Shamrock Texan.

Deskins Wells had this to say of Scouting in a recent issue of the Wellington Leader: "Character will develop, but it can develop in two ways and Scouting builds character the better way. It also builds health, honesty, courage, friendship, kindness, courtesy, thrift, cleanliness and loyalty, and loyalty is the fountain of patriotism just as each of the virtues named above is part of the bedrock of a splendid character."

One man who witnessed the pageant at the Hall County District Fair at Memphis Tuesday night, made the statement that Estelline and Parnell did not only have good crops and community booths, but they also had the prettiest girls in the parade. We agreed with him.—Estelline News.

Laws against bootlegging have been scandalously ignored by the Republican administration during the past eight years. Still the O.

O. P. now poses as the champion of prohibition. Could hypocrisy go any farther?—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

There is a saying to the effect that "well advertised goods are half sold." It is taken from the Chinese proverb, "Well told is half sold." Successful merchants have found that an item well advertised and well displayed is more than half sold—it is about 90 per cent of the sale.—Turkey Enterprise.

The Republicans claim the Democrats are "all wet" and the Democrats say the Republicans are "all wet." Take your pick, says one of the exchange papers.—Floyd County Hesperian.

It is strange how a candidate can be all that the voter does not want until after the nomination, and then it is discovered that he is just the fellow to lead the party to victory. People are voting for relief, but the man. The right man in office is more desirable from the common people's standpoint than to have their favorite party in power.—McLean News.

Public Opinion

In the Avalanche of the 27th Judge C. M. Mullican of the District Court, asked some questions and made some statements that need answering. Will you kindly publish this as it may satisfy his Honor on some points.

The Judge asks for a good reason for any one voting for Herbert Hoover. Here is one: The Democratic convention in 1920 thought enough of Hoover to vote on him for the office of President. Further, Mr. Hoover has had more experience in national affairs than probably any living man. Also, Mr. Hoover has pledged that he will not attempt to modify, nullify or amend the 18th Amendment of the United States. The oath that the President must take requires that he shall defend the Constitution and I challenge Judge Mullican or any other to show me wherein it is his duty or privilege of the President to attack the Constitution by trying to amend it. Which of our whole subscribers has ever attempted to do so?

Mr. Raskob, who claims a closer relationship with Al Smith, than I have heard Judge Mullican claim, states that he is for Smith because of Smith's anti-prohibition plank. Judge Mullican says Smith will enforce the laws. At any rate Mr. Raskob had enough faith in Smith's promises that he left the republican party to become the head of the Smith campaign. When Governor Smith bolted the Democratic platform by declaring for local option he forfeited the right to even Democratic vote. He was not nominated as a local optionist.

Judge Mullican says that Smith has made a great governor. Compare Smith's record with that of Woodrow Wilson, when governor of New Jersey, and then say the same thing! Judge Mullican does not cite any single act. Initiated by Smith as governor, that was for the good of all the people. He does not quote from the Legislative Record of Smith either. There's a Reason, the record will not show Judge Smith as a great champion of morals.

The Judge says, Smith will enforce the prohibition laws, and in the same breath says to not let your heart rule! Says things are radically wrong with the laws. Then Judge, why not put more teeth in the law or do you also favor local option?

Judge Mullican says "on Catholicism hangs all the law and the Prophets," but says it in a spirit of derision. Then he cites some things favorable to Catholicism, but he does not go far enough in the citation. He says that Maryland, settled by Catholics under Lord Baltimore, was the first American colony to incorporate religious toleration or freedom in its constitution. This was done as a protective measure. The people of England were making it hot for the Pope and when Lord Baltimore left England it was to avoid a conflict with the Protestants. He passed the law in Maryland as cited by Judge Mullican—and then, very shortly, the freedom of Maryland (so it reads in the encyclopedia) passed a law, a code, which Lord Baltimore rejected. Discount added. Finally the people passed an act called the Toleration Act, and then and until then, the First Free High school in Maryland was established! We, who oppose Smith, do not care a rap as to what his religion is, but we are greatly concerned as to the application of that religion to the ideals and institutions of America. We have a right to be. I want to cite Judge Mullican to some thing that the encyclopedia says as to principles laid down by the Roman Catholic Pope, the father and confessor of A. E. Smith. Then Judge if religion counts in the election of a candidate.

On page 188, Vol. IX Nations League and Encyclopedia under the head of "Papacy," it says: "That Pope Pius IX, in 1864, (not many years before the birth of Judge Mullican) issued a decree and stated: 'Dismissing Democrats are a stain on the American flag. We must be tolerant! Guano, whom he refers to are lucky not to be jailed. Speaking for myself, the Judge can ridicule or do as he pleases, but I shall cast my vote according to the dictates of my conscience and that conscience tells me that Herbert Hoover more nearly represents the ideals of America as portrayed in all of its free institutions and history.'

CHAR. F. O'NEAL, Chairman, National Committee, Anti-Smith Democrats.

This date in AMERICAN HISTORY

1692—Eight hanged for alleged witchcraft in Massachusetts.
1774—Continental Congress rejected a plan of perpetual dependence on Great Britain.
1787—Congress sent the new Constitution to the states.
1878—First Chinese missionary received at Washington.

Today's Poem

LOVE INDISPENSABLE
Though I speak with many tongues,
Though by faith great mountains move,<
I can never reach earth's wrongs
Without Love.
Though all knowledge I possess,
Though all my mystic divine,
I shall ever fall short
Love is mine.
Though I all my goods bestow,
Though my body I may burn,
Naught of profit can I know
Till Love years.
God of Love, in me prevail!
From all selfishness make free,
And Thy Love, which cannot fail,
Give to me.

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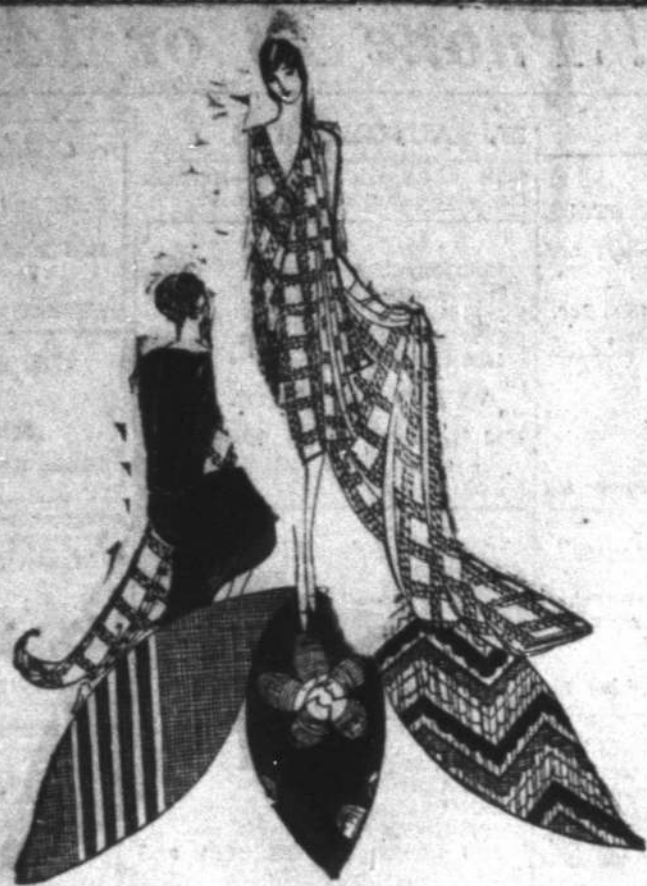
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All the new things are here—an array of truly representative things that embody all the season's best thought on style and colors. There are appropriate weaves for sport or dress wear—possibilities that are almost unlimited for those who have original ideas that they wish to adapt to their individual types.

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Novelty Suitings in imported weaves—rich brown and tan tones are priced in 54 inch at yard \$3.85
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Plain Knashes and Flannels in all wanted shades and in wonderfully desirable weaves—priced yard \$3.00

New Jerseys are most attractive in dainty printed patterns—fine brown and tan shades—priced yard \$3.85
A fine quality wool Jersey in new color range and 54 inch width is priced yard \$2.90
Challies for the wee tot—just the pattern one would wish—a fine array including bordered, yard \$1.19
40 inch wool and Rayon Suiting—Ideal for skirts or dresses—varied colors—a real value at yard \$1.25

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CANTON CREPES are most popular just now—they are most practical and desirable for all purposes—priced—
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Tech Enrollment

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School's leaders in education and stated he hoped the next session of the legislature would provide funds for building an assembly hall for Tech, as well as an agricultural building.

Dr. Horn and other officials announced the various college activities for the next several days, among which will be the open house to be held by Lubbock churches on Friday night for the students and

the first football game of the season Saturday afternoon between the Matadors and the Schreiner Institute team, of Kerrville.
Sunday night the opening sermon will be preached in the college gymnasium by Dr. L. N. D. Wells, pastor of the East Dallas Christian church. Second convocation of students will be held on the morning of October 3, it was announced, and Dr. Horn stated there would be several more students enrolled, as they were now in process of registration.
It is estimated that millionaires have increased in number about 600 per cent since 1923.

Man Found Shot
MARSHALL, Sept. 27. (P)—Milton Gehlen, 40, of Marshall was found dead in a field near here late today. A bullet wound was in his head, a pistol nearby.
Gehlen, members of his family said, had been missing from his home since early this morning. An inquest will be held tomorrow.
The expression "stony-broke" originated from the old custom of breaking a craftsman's stone bench when he failed to pay his debts.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By Ahern



Slaton Schools To Exhibit Here

Materials From Four Slaton Schools Will Be Shown In The South Plains Fair Next Week.

(Special To The Avalanche)
SLATON, Sept. 27.—A complete school exhibit, with all departments of the high school and the three ward schools represented, will be displayed by the Slaton public schools at the Panhandle-South Plains fair at Lubbock, Oct. 1 to 6, according to C. L. Sone, superintendent of the Slaton schools.

The exhibit materials will be collected and arranged by the superintendent, assisted by J. B. Caldwell and R. A. Brinker, ward school principals, and by teachers in all the departments.
This will be the second year that such a display has been prepared for the Lubbock fair from the Slaton school system, and school officials said much favorable comment was received last year. It is believed the exhibits are of considerable value locally and to those visiting them, information being generally diffused as to what the schools are actually doing and how it is done.

Many Slaton school children will visit the fair on children's day, Oct. 3, it is expected.

Smith Speech

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finding of engineering experts as between this route and the proposed St. Lawrence river waterway.

Immigration Not an Issue
As for immigration, the democrat declared "there is no issue between either the parties or the candidates on the question of sustaining and keeping in full force and effect the restricting features of the present immigration laws."

As in his speech last week in Omaha, Governor Smith endorsed principle of the vetoed McNary-Haugen bill that contended that "if there was any division of opinion in the United States with regard to the policy of putting agriculture on an economic equality with industry, it was the duty of the president to iron out difficulty."

Program Offered Killed
"The Congress, speaking for all the people, offered a program," he said. "The president vetoed it, and offered nothing in its place."
Smith accused republicans of doing little or nothing in recent years in the way of comprehensive inland waterway development, and of being niggardly in making appropriations for such work and flood control.

He insisted republican party platform in recent years had failed to come out for development of one lake to the Atlantic route in preference to the other, and quoting Hoover's clear-cut stand in that controversy.

In developing his contention that during the last two republican administrations the presidents have failed to show a leadership of thought of the American people, Governor Smith declared:

Lacked Leadership
"Because of lack of such leadership in the National administration, not one large, constructive achievement can be pointed to in the record of the last seven and a half years; and if the American people will search back through their minds they can see in sharp contrast with the Wilson and Roosevelt administrations, Wilson and Roosevelt were leaders."

The whole history of the last two republican administrations suggests that some hidden control, strongly reactionary in its tendencies toward the great questions of the government, has been in a position to dictate party policy from behind the scenes and delay the progress of the great public development which interfered with its plans or program. For that reason prominent members of the republican party have walked out of its ranks and openly declared hostility to their party and disagreement with its reactionary tendencies."

State Cent Leads
Governor Smith held that it was "that hidden reactionary control" that led the Elder La Follette to lead an independent presidential movement, and drove Theodore Roosevelt from the ranks of the party that had honored him with the high office.

Restating his position on farm relief, the New Yorker declared that his republican opponent to date "has developed no constructive plan" and added that he had noticed in the papers that Mr. Hoover did not propose to make another campaign speech until October 6 and after that not until October 16.
St. Paul gave the Governor a tumultuous greeting as he came here by automobile from Minneapolis.
Crowds lined the downtown streets and windows of office buildings along the route to the Governor's hotel.

IS GIVEN REPRIEVE

Moody Again Saves Silver From Electric Chair

AUSTIN, Sept. 27. (P)—The fate of J. R. "Bob" Silver, whose electrocution was set for early Friday again was placed in the hands of the court of criminal appeals today when Governor Moody granted him a reprieve until October 26.

SAYS CROPS ARE GOOD

DALLAS, Sept. 27. (P)—Production of all major crops in Texas this year with the exception of corn and oats will exceed that of 1927, W. J. Evans, assistant agent for the federal Reserve Bank, told the South-west Shippers Advisory Board in session here today.

Farm Bureau

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strict leaders of the organization, this district comprising the counties of Lubbock, Dawson, Lynn, Garza, Terry, Hockley, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Motley and Crosby. The session was one of general business, preparatory to handling this season's cotton crop. In addition to Stokes, the gathering was addressed by Harry Williams, of Dallas, general manager of the association, and J. D. Coghlin, of Ennis, assistant field service director.

Douglas Prunds, president of the Lubbock county organization, opened the meeting, welcoming the visitors and introducing Coghlin. Among the visitors were, W. H. Hames, of Crosby county, state director; M. S. Hudson, of Hale county, another director; Frank Triplett, of Hale Center, and R. H. Allen, A. F. McMaster, T. E. Long, H. D. Marshall and John Miller of Hale and Motley counties.

Mr. Coghlin reviewed the purposes of the organization, stressing the ideal behind it of being to help the farmers build better homes and secure better living conditions for themselves and families. Mr. Stokes explained that thousands of bales of cotton were waiting only for the new contract's ratification and cited the fact that the Bureau now owns and operates 34 gins in the state, besides having a reserve fund of \$1,200,000. He stated that prior to the time the bureau was organized, which was in 1921, there was a difference of \$25 per bale between the price paid the producer for cotton and the price paid by the spinner. "This \$25 was paid to the speculator," he said, "and affected the price paid to the farmer. Since the bureau has been organized, the speculator's grasp has been able grab only from \$10 to \$12 per bale, the lowest price he can afford to handle the cotton on."

"The purpose of the bureau is to do away with the speculator. And we have in just seven years shortened the distance between the producer and the spinner considerably, at least cutting it in half as the difference just cited will prove. Our purpose is, therefore, to carry the cotton directly from the producer to the spinner. It is why co-operatives are being fought so hard by the speculators."

Stokes said he recently heard one of the old-time street speculators make the remark that he couldn't make money any more because of the organizations.

State Has Many Gins
Texas has more than \$8,000,000 worth of gins, Stokes told the farmers, declaring that the raisers of cotton had paid for those gins during the past seven years. "And our need also is to have some gin to finance our own crop and not be compelled to look to the bankers. That day is approaching."

General Manager Williams called the bureau "the speedometer of the cotton farmers." He stated that the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton association was looked upon by New York bankers as one of the most outstanding business organizations in America, "and one of the biggest business institutions in the state of Texas. It has a name in the business world that is sound and strong and of great import. Its name has been won by its past big achievements and efficient business methods." Only about 10 cotton firms in the entire south has as good a financial status as the bureau, he said.
Membership of the bureau at this time is about 21,000. Mr. Coghlin stated after the meeting, of this number there are about 5,000 in the immediate section of the South Plains country, Lubbock, Hockley, and Terry counties, of which R. E. Overstreet is state director, has a membership of about 1,500. The Lubbock county farm bureau officials are, besides Mr. Overstreet, Douglas Prunds, president, L. O. Burd, vice president; W. H. Hames, secretary-treasurer, C. C. Whitcomb, L. C. Williams, T. M. Nelson, Bob Crump, Mrs. F. F. Reviere, Mrs. J. L. Benton, Mrs. A. R. Pendley and Mrs. E. R. Davis, directors.

Pollard

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and probably not Saturday. It should be done right, and so far as I am concerned, I expect to stay sane in the midst of political controversies and not be swept off my feet in any excitement and I am not a bit worried about any "barking" as to my Democracy. I have never been a "band wagon jumper" and I have been riding the ticket straight ever since I was 30 years old. Several times in the press I have stated that I was supporting the nomination of the party this year from president to constable. When I accepted the nomination for the office of attorney general in the state constitution, Dallas, I made a statement as to my position in regard to supporting the ticket from top to bottom in such plain language as could easily be understood by anybody. That has been my position since the nomination at Houston, and is now, and will continue to be.

Many Issues Involved
"Personally I seriously doubt the efficiency of any statement that we may be able to condense into such short space as that in which this press will publish it. For the reason that there are many issues involved which should be somewhat elaborated in the discussion, and to do this would make a statement through the press to long to secure its publication in full. My observation and experience is that much is lost in the editing of statements of this kind. But if the other nominees of the party for state offices desire to, and I think it advisable and worthwhile to prepare and sign an address, I stand ready and willing to co-operate in its preparation and to sign it."

Good Fortune

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school will take me—I want to be educated," said Lennie Lorene, the eldest.

"I am going into business after I finish college," said Willie Mae Minnie Pearl wouldn't even go that far. She said she wanted to stay right on the farm.

"I don't want to leave grandma," she said.

Fair Trip

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entertainment features of the fair. Sixteen cars loaded with Lubbock boosters headed for Southland and were received by a large representation of the Southland people and the usual program was given with the same speakers. The Southland folks are pleased to be part of the South Plains fair, and they will be on hand in large numbers to enjoy the fair.

A short stop was made at Clovis City, and Post was the next stop where a large amount of advertising literature, advertising novelties and considerable hot air was dispensed. Post was getting ready for her County fair, but they promised to be in Lubbock with the cream of the County fair exhibits and the winner will have to beat Garza, they say.

Snyder Gives Welcome
At Snyder the boosters ran into a reception committee, or rather three miles this side of Snyder, several car loads of people were on the highway, and the Lubbock delegation into the city. A concert was given by the Lubbock high school band, and a number of speeches made, several thousand pieces of literature daily papers, novelties etc. were distributed, and the Snyder folks were enthusiastic in their promise that they were throwing in with the Panhandle South Plains fair in a great way this year. They will be here, and in no small numbers. Editor Smith of the Snyder Signal joined the party and made a good booster for the fair the balance of the way and arrived in Lubbock about 7:30 to greet his new son, which had arrived at the Lubbock Sanitarium a day or so since.

Borden County Fine
After luncheon at Snyder, the delegation left for Borden, and arrived at that town only a few minutes behind schedule, and about fifteen minutes were well used in shaking hands with the Borden people and responding to a welcome by D. D. Wood, who is nearly everything in "oil" and is a booster for the South Plains fair as well. Borden county is in good shape, and have some very fine crops.

From there the trip was made to Lamesa, and Lamesa was in the middle of the County fair, and a large crowd was there. The Lubbock high school band, rendered a good program, and the regular speakers of the day delivered a urgent invitation to attend the Panhandle South Plains fair, and those people promised they would be on hand with a good exhibit. Crops are fine in that section, and cotton is being gathered rapidly. The feed crop is immense, and while the worms have damaged the cotton considerably, there will be a good deal more cotton gathered than some folks think.

O'Donnell Is Visited
On to O'Donnell, where a large number of people were waiting for the Lubbock Boosters. A big lot of advertising was distributed, and hundreds of children are enjoying the advertising novelties given them for the event. They are all boosters for the fair.

At Tahoka, the folks were waiting for the bunch. The arrival being about thirty minutes behind the expected time, but the folks were there, and received the Lubbock bunch in a friendly way, and assured them that many people would attend the fair from Tahoka, with a good exhibit.

At half hour and hour before the sun went down, the bunch rolled into Wilson, the closing engagement for the day, and there were plenty of people there to assure us that those folks are for the South Plains fair strong, and will have some prize-winning exhibits on hand.

Was Successful Trip
It was one of the most successful trips of the four, and Lubbock made many new friends on the trip, who will see the Panhandle-South Plains fair for the first time.
Two new county exhibits look as possibilities as a direct result of the trip. At Post the boosters swarmed upon George Samson, ace exhibitor of Texas whose smile was still prominent after hearing that his Garza County exhibit has taken first place at the West Texas Fair at Abilene. Samson virtually promised to bring this blue ribbon exhibit to the fair here next week.

Scurry to Be Here
On down the line at Snyder, M. O. Evans, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and others virtually agreed to bring a Scurry County exhibit to the fair.
James T. Triggs had charge of the delegation, and handled them splendidly, looking well to the needs of everyone of them. He is a fine fellow on the job. Tom White, general supervisor of the trade trips, was with the delegation, and rendered valuable service in making the trip a great success.

(Special To The Avalanche)
SNYDER, Sept. 27.—Lubbock boosters came to Snyder 100 strong today, headed by J. T. Triggs. They were met at Snyder by 15 representatives from the Chamber of Commerce and escorted around the square to the band stand. The visitors were given a welcome address by A. A. Bullock, president of the Chamber of Commerce. Dean Lehigh and L. G. H. Williams made talks after tea band gave several lively numbers. After lunch the party headed west to complete the

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ed as the principal speaker at another democratic meeting, sponsored by the democratic club of that city, of which G. B. Eubank is chairman. Several Lubbock citizens are expected to motor there for the event.
State Sen. T. J. Holtbrook, of Galveston, after addressing a democratic rally here Wednesday night and speaking to the faculty, students and visitors at the Texas Technological college, invocation for the day, and there were plenty of people there to assure us that those folks are for the South Plains fair strong, and will have some prize-winning exhibits on hand.

A race was run in Australia recently between an ostrich and a horse.

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