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OKLAHOMA OFFICIAL HELD AFTER BRIBERY

House Votes $10,000 For Wichita Test Farm

LAND FOR FARM MUST BE GIVEN BY WICHITA CO.

Appropriation Is Made Contingent On Land Grant

FOR EXPERIMENT USE

Actual Operation Must Be Under Direction Of A. & M.

Special Dispatch to Record News

AUSTIN, May 12.—On condition that the necessary land be furnished, the house late today appropriated $10,000 for each of the next two years for an experimental farm in Wichita county.

The measure was introduced by Representative Gipson of Wichita county and went through without much opposition. It was pointed out by Mr. Gipson that several ideal tracts could be provided in the new irrigation districts recently created and which will begin to function within a short time.

Actual operation of the farm, it was stated, will be vested with Texas A. & M. college and all experimental work will be carried on under supervision of the school agricultural authorities.

BILL IS PASSED

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Tex., May 12.—Success in its early stages this afternoon of the plan of Representative Henderson of Marion, and Chairman Quaid of the house appropriation committee to make the appropriations for the state's educational institutions in lump sums forecast early action in the senate educational bill.

The appropriations for the University of Texas, and A. & M. college, main experiment station, and John Tarleton college, were approved before the recess until tonight.

After eliminating previous amendment to the Greer rural school aid bill, to place the allotments of aid through the county superintendent and placing it under the state superintendent, the house passed the

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Another Jailed In Wall Street Bomb Blast

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 12.—The Wall street bomb explosion was recalled again, when police arrested Lerner Noah, 23, an electrician, on a charge of homicide in connection with the disaster which killed more than 30 persons on September 16, 1920.

Lerner is charged with having charge of the wagon that carried the explosives to Wall street, the police announced.

Lerner, nattily dressed, and with cap covering a mass of blonde hair, was questioned in police headquarters for more than an hour tonight. Officials said he had admitted stealing the "little red wagon," but refused to say anything further about the explosion.

Herrick Not To Appeal $5 Fine For Flirting

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Former Representative Manuel Herrick of Oklahoma, convicted recently in police court on a charge of disorderly conduct, decided today not to take an appeal and was fined $5. The charge grew out of a complaint that he had annoyed a young lady on the street.

THE WEATHER

West Texas: Sunday unsettled, warmer; Monday generally fair.

Oklahoma: Sunday partly cloudy to cloudy, warmer; Monday partly cloudy.

East Texas: Sunday and Monday partly cloudy to cloudy and unsettled; warmer Sunday.

THE DAY IN WICHITA FALLS

Although the wind was blowing at a gale early Saturday morning, by the middle of the afternoon it had calmed down to normalcy, and for the first time in 48 hours a still spell was in evidence in Wichita Falls. In the late afternoon, clouds began to form over the city with indications of rain. Farmers in this vicinity report that although the crops were greatly benefited by the rains that fell two weeks past, they are in need of rain at the present time.

WEATHER FOR WEEK

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday:

West Gulf states: Local showers first part, followed by fair; normal temperatures.

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri valleys: unsettled, showery weather first part and generally fair thereafter, cool beginning of week and normal temperature thereafter.

Dallas and San Saba Visitors Taken Over Irrigation Project Here

Thorough Inspection Made Saturday By Officials Of Two Texas Communities.

The cities of Dallas and San Saba, through the eyes of more than two score officials and business men, were given a glimpse Saturday of the Wichita irrigation project and what it means for the future development of the state.

As guests of the Callihan Construction company, the party was taken over the entire system and its various features explained by engineers in charge of the work. The trip to the diversion an dmain storage dams occupied th eentire day and was made without incident.

Mayor Here

Headed by Mayor Louis Blaylock, county Judge Arch Alley, Sheriff Dan Harston and other city and county officials, the party arrived early Saturday morning on a special car and prepared immediately for the long jaunt through Wichita, Archer and Baylor counties. The San Saba delegation drove in Friday afternoon.

With local automobiles being used as transportation mediums, the party left town at 9 o'clock and drove through Iowa Park and Kemp City to the site of the diversion lake, where an hour's stop sufficed to explain the workings. On the way out, explanations of the canal systems were given and at the dam the functions of spillways, headgates, riprap work and other technical items were gone into.

Diversion Dam Watched

From irrigation engineers it was learned that work on the head gate of the north side canal was now less than 50 per cent complete, and that over four months would be required to complete the spillway. Chief interest was centered on the headgate, an imposing mas sof timber, concrete and steel rods, over, under and around swarmed a crew of workmen. The spillway, now nothing more than an unsightly gash in the ground, also came in for considerable attention. Work on the diversion dam as a whole is about 55 per cent complete, the visitors were told.

Although activity at this place was sufficiently impressive, it was requested that the visitors wait until they see the real dam, and the run to the main storage basin was started immediately. The trip through Dundee and Maybelle to the main camp was completed by 1:15 in the afternoon.

Dinner Served

A big barbecue dinner served by the construction company at one of the mess halls preceded the three-hour inspection tour. Heaping plates of barbecued beef and equally ample helpings of salad, bread, cofee and pie, filling the aching voids satisfactorily.

Work has now progressed on the

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Natura Gets 10 Years As Trial Ends At Haskell

HASKELL, May 12.—C. Natura was convicted in the district court here today on a charge of murder and sentenced to a 10-year term in the state penitentiary by a jury. It was charged that Natura killed George Page at O'Brien, Texas, last May, by cutting his throat with a pocket knife. Witnesses stated that the killing was the result of a brawl in which Natura drew a knife, killing Page almost instantly. Natura claimed selfe defense.

Neff Reminds All to Honor Mother Today

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, May 12.—A "little note" was issued by Governor Neff today to the people of Texas, calling to their attention the fact that tomorrow "all of us are to honor the greatest woman in the world—our mother." The statement was made in commemoration of mothers — and citizens were asked to pay "fitting tribute to our mothers and by so doing, renew the ideals instilled in childhood." The "note" is subscribed "In loving memory of your mother and mine."

LEGAL MUDDLE ON TEXTBOOKS

Keeling Refuses To Support Officials' Action

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Tex., May 12.—The status of the controversy over state text book contracts tonight apparently was muddled with receipt by the legislature of Attorney General Keeling's letter, refusing to support state officials in declining to recognize the contracts and to institute suits to annul the documents.

State Superintendent Marrs stated, following Keeling's communication, that he intends to follow the instructions of the legislature. State Comptroller Smith today sent a letter to the speaker and lieutenant governor, declaring that he will follow the legislative recommendations.

With the attitude of these officials unchanged, leaders in the book investigation said it is probable a resolution will be introduced, providing for attorneys to represent the state should suits be brought since the attorney general has refused to do so.

The attorney general's letter declared that the text book contracts were let according to law, as far as is known, that the legal department assisted in drawing up the contracts and that it would be inconsistent for the attorney general to "change over to the other side and attempt to set aside contracts written by his department."

Publication Of Klan Membership Held Up

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, May 12. — Federal Judge Carpenter today issued a temporary injunction restraining the Tolerance publishing company from publishing the name of persons alleged to be members of the ku klux klan in Indianapolis and the state of Indiana.

The company publishes a periodical called "Tolerance" which is opposed to the ku klux klan.

Klan counsel allege that the lists were stolen.

TO ENLARGE HOSPITAL.

AUSTIN, May 12.—Plans for construction of additional wings at the Kerrville memorial hospital before the federal government takes control of the institutions on June 1, have been approved by the United States Veterans' Bureau, chairman S. B. Cowell, of the board of control announced today.

BODIES OF MEN LOST IN FLIGHT YEAR AGO FOUND

Machine Burned And Only Skeletons Of Men Remain

BOTH ARMY OFFICERS

Cattleman Reports Find In Mountains Near San Diego

Associated Press Dispatch

SAN DIEGO, May 12. — Two bodies, supposed to be those of Col. Francis Marshall, formerly attached to the staff of the chief of cavalry of the army, and Lieut. Charles Webber, aviator, who disappeared while flying from San Diego toward Tucson, Ariz., Dec. 7, of last year, were found today in the Cuyamaca mountains of this county.

As soon as the report reached this city, Maj. Henry Arnold, commanding Rockwell field, from which Webber took his last flight, having Colonel Marshall as a passenger, organized a party to visit the scene and try to identify the bodies and the machine, in whose wreckage the bodies lay. He expressed little doubt that the bodies were those of Colonel Marshall and Lieutenant Webber.

Machine Burned

The machine in which the two dead aviators were found had been burned. Nothing was left but the skeletons of the two men.

Finding of the bodies was reported to this city this evening by George W. McCain, a cattleman, whose range is in the Cuyamaca mountains. He made his report to Joe Pete Ann, caretaker of the Cuyamaca dam, who telephoned the news to this city.

FLIERS LOST SINCE DECEMBER, 1921

Colonel Marshall, formerly attached to the staff of cavalry at Washington, and Lieutenant Webber of the air service, left San Diego at 9:15 o'clock Thursday, Dec. 7, for a flight to Fort Huachuhua, near Tucson, Ariz.

Colonel Marshall had been on an inspection tour of cavalry camps throughout the country and had used airplanes extensively on this mission. He commanded a brigade of the first division in France during the war.

Airplanes Hunted Men

Lieutenant Webber was an experienced cross-country pilot, and was instructed to report by wire his arrival at the fort. Webber was 27 years old and a native of Denver.

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Hooded Orders Hit When Texan Offers New Pistol-Toting Law

Mob Action Attacked By Amendment To Proposed Gun Act.

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, May 12.—Secret and hooded organizations were the subject of an extended debate in the senate tonight when Senator Rogers offered an amendment to the Stroder pistol bill, making it a felony for any person to carry a pistol while intoxicated or to conspire to assault or inflict corporal punishment upon any person. The bill was engrossed after the Rogers amendment was adopted, 13 to 9.

"If it is to be a felony for any one to carry a pistol with a pint of liquor in his hip pocket," Rogers said, discussing his amendment, "It should be made a felony for anyone to go with a pistol and a sheet over his head to commit an assault."

Bill Amended

The Stroder house bill making it a felony to carry arms while violating the liquor laws was amended in the senate today on motion of Senator Rogers by vote of 13 to 9 to provide the same penalty against persons taking part in mob action or conspiring to commit assault on any person, taking such person in custody or threatening to inflict corporal punishment.

Bill a Minute

The senate probably set a record for disposing of bills tonight when it passed finally 21 bills and engrossed 19 bills in 40 minutes. An average of one bill a minute. All of the messures were local.

The senate voted to hold a session tomorrow.

Senators voting against the Rogers amendment were, Rice, McMillin, Lewis, Baugh, Bledsoe, Bowers, Davis, Wood and Woods.

The senate passed finally tonight 38 local measures, mostly school bills.

TWO CLAIM THEY ORIGINATED IDEA FOR MOTHERS' DAY

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 12.—Plans for a celebration of Mothers' day in the stadium of the college of the city of New York tomorrow were abandoned today as the result of a clash between "Uncle Robert' Spero, basket manufacturer and chairman of the Mothers' day committee of New York, and Miss Anna Jarvis of Philadelphia who claims to have founded the day. Each side of the controversy accuses the other of trying to commercialize the day.

20 ARE INDICTED AFTER FLOGGING

Silent Witness Fined $100 Again For Refusing To Answer

Associated Press Dispatch

GEORGETOWN, Tex., May 12.—Twenty felony indictments were reported late Saturday evening by the Williamson county grand jury following investigation of the flogging of J. W. Burleson and other matters. Indictments included Murray Jackson, Dewey Ball and Olin Gossitt, for assault with prohibited weapons. Ball and Gossitt's bonds were placed at $1,000 each and Jackson's at $3,000.

Murray Jackson was called before the grand jury again late today and promised complete immunity and answered questions in addition to those which his refusal several days ago to answer resulted in his being committed to jail for contempt.

Jackson today refused to answer the supplemental questions and was fined $100 and again remanded to jail.

Questions today included whether or not he assisted in placing a chain about the neck of Burleson and whipping Burleson, names of all persons who were present when Burleson was beaten, "where did you buy the lock and chain that was put about Burleson's neck?" and where did you get the tar or creosote or liquid that was poured over Burleson after he was whipped?"

Blue Sky Bill, Preventing Fraud Thru Stock and Bond Purchases Is Passed Unanimously By Vote In Texas Senate

Cent-a-Gallon Tax On All Gas Dealers Carries In Cowen Substitute Bill

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN May 12—The Johnson "blue sky" bill seeking to prohibit fraud in the purchase and sale of stocks and bonds was passed unanimously by the senate late today, after amendments placing administration of the act under the secretary of state instead of railroad commission had been adopted.

The Cowen gasoline tax bill, levying a one-cent per gallon tax on wholesale dealers, also was passed unanimously. The blue sky bill met with little opposition in the senate. Several amendments were adopted at

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OIL GEOLOGISTS BURN AS MATCH FLARES NEAR WELL

Associated Press Dispatch

MONROE, La., May 12.—Dr. J. S. Grasty, Charlottesville, Va., and W. G. Kirkpatrick of Fort Worth, Texas, both widely known throughout the South as oil geologists, were seriously burned late yesterday in the resulting explosion when Kirkpatrick struck a match while the two were inspecting a gas well near Swartz, La. Physicians said they would recover.

FARMER KILLS DAUGHTER WITH AXE AND ESCAPES

International News Dispatch

FORT WORTH, May 12.—John Garland, farmer in Collingsworth county, killed his daughter with an axe, then shot himself to death late yesterday, according to word received from Wellington today. The daughter was 17.

Sheriff Indicted For Death Of Negro Prisoner

Associated Press Dispatch

PENSACOLA, May 12.—J. R. Josephs, former sheriff of Leon county, Walter Higginbotham, whipping boss in the convict camp of the Putnam Lumber company at Clara, Fla., and Superintendent Fisher of the camp were indicted in federal district court here today in connection with the death of Ned Thompson, aged negro, who died as the result of alleged brutal treatment while in the Putnam camp.

HE'S STILL HELD BANDIT CAPTIVE



MAJOR ROLAND PINGER.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—State department advices today from the American legation at Peking said it was believed the foreigners still held by the Chinese bandits in Shantung numbered 14 men and two women.

The American prisoners are J. B. Powell, editor Weekly Review, Shanghai; Leon Friedman of the China Motors corporation Shanghai; Lee Solomon of Shanghai and Major Robert Allen and Roland Pinger of the United States army.

MOVE TO BLOCK NEW TAX BILL

Demand Oil Levy Be Raised To Two And Half Per Cent

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Tex., May 12.— A movement to block final passage of certain major bills, including the income tax bill, which are now in conference committee, unless senate members agree to pass the Coffee gross oil production tax bill at two and one-half per cent, was launched by house members tonight. A committee served notice on some senators that the income bill would not be allowed to come out of committee unless a compromise on the oil bill is reached.

To Act Monday

The Coffee bill was the subject of a heated debate in the senate this afternoon, when Senator Wood offered a resolution proposing to discharge the senate conferees on the committee. Wood declares the committee is deadlocked with no indications of a compromise. Senators Cousins and Burkett took exception to the statements, declaring that if the committee is given until Monday, they believe an agreement would be reached. Wood finally withdrew the resolution.

It was stated by a member of the conference committee, who has been voting for a higher rate, that unless a compromise on two and one-half per cent is reached Monday, he will vote for two per cent, which would bring the bill out of committee.

50-Room Hotel To Replace One Burned

Associated Press Dispatch

ST. LOUIS, May 12.—A 500 room and bath house will be constructed at Hot Springs, Ark., by the Arlington hotel company to replace the hotel recently destroyed by fire, Lyman T. Hay, president, announced this afternoon. The hotel will cost approximately $2,500,000 and will be across the street from the old site, which will be converted into a government park, Mr. Hay added. The new structure will be completed about January 1, 1925.

FRENCH MAID TO MISS ALDRICH IS HOLD-UP HEROINE

International News Dispatch

SHANGHAI, May 12.—A French maid employed by Miss Lucy C. Aldrich, siter-in-law of John D. Rockefeller jr., proved the heroine of the train raid when many foreigners were seized by Chinese bandits near Shantung frontier, said a dispatch from Tsinan-Fu today.

The maid is Mlle. Schloborn, an orphan. When the train was attacked in the dead of night she maintained her presence of mind. She hid a diamond bracelet, a oiltaire and a wallet filled with money under the seat of the Aldrich compartment. She did not have time to dress before the brigands broke into the compartment.

ALLIES ATTACKED BY RED SPEAKERS

Associated Press Dispatch

MOSCOW, May 12.—M. Tchitcherin, the soviet foreign minister, dressed in the uniform of a member of the Red army and wearing a red decoration, was the chief speaker at a great meeting held in a theater here today.

Theater was crowded to the doors, while in the streets thousands who had taken part in a great demonstration, listened to speakers from motor trucks and balconies, all of whom made reference to what they termed the war threat against Russia in the British note; in the assassination of Vorovsky at Lausanne and in other recent international developments.

Name Grain Exchanges

Associated Press Dispatch

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Designation of five more grain exchanges as contract markets under the grain futures act recently upheld by the supreme court, was announced today by the agriculture department. The five organizations which thus have qualified for trading under the act are the Minneapolis chamber of commerce, Chicago board of trade, Kansas City board of trade, Duluth board of trade and St. Louis merchants exchange.

Sulphur Man Killed

SULPHUR SPRINGS, May 12.—Berry Robers, was shot three times and instantly killed, at his farm four miles south of here today. Police arrested Roy Moore, a negro. BOTTOMS

WALTON ORDERS ARREST OF ONE, OTHERS COMING

$200 Passed After Man Talks With Alleged Gambler

EX-SHERIFF WANTED

Sensational Results Expected To Follow Investigation

Associated Press Dispatch

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 12.—Hammond Fox Davis, special investigator for Governor J. C. Walton and the attorney general's department, was arrested today at the direction of the governor and attorney general, George Short, on charges of accepting bribes in connection with the state's investigation of conditions in Western Osage county oil field settlements.

Davis is an attorney.

Used Telephone

Charles McCloud, an operative of the governor's office, said he obtained evidence against Davis and Jess James, alleged gambler, by the use of a secret telephonic device at Pawhuska yesterday. A $200 bribe was alleged to have passed.

The governor and attorney general said other arrests were expected and that "sensational disclosures would probably follow.

May Hold Sheriff

An information for the arrest of James, charging bribery is in the hands of Edwin Dabney, assistant attorney general, and will be filed at once, it was announced at the attorney general's office. Dabney is in Pawhuska.

A warrant also will be sought for Seth Lewis, the former sheriff, now a deputy sheriff in Osage county, it was announced.

MAGNOLIA CUTS CRUDE 10 CENTS

Associated Press Dispatch

DALLAS, May 12.—The Magnolia Petroleum company today announced a reduction of 10 cents per barrel for Kansas Oklahoma and Texas crude oils for grades over 31 degrees gravity, the new rates ranging from $1.30 for 31 to 32 degrees to $2.20 for 41 degrees and over. There was no change for oils below 31 degrees.

THREE INJURED IN FORT WORTH FIRE

Associated Press Dispatch

FORT WORTH, May 12.—Fire and Police Commissioner John Alderman and two firemen were injured tonight when flames which started at 8:40 o'clock practically wiped out an entire block in the business district, the main building of which was occupied by the Gabert garage.

Okla. Editors Elect Chiefs And Go To Park Today

Special Dispatch to Record News

DUNCAN, Okla., May 12.—The Thirty-second annual meeting of the Oklahoma Press association closed here this evening with a banquet. The editors go to Medicine Park Sunday morning to spend the day. In the contest for next year's meeting between Vinita, Tulsa, Bartlesville, Bristow and Sulphur on the fourth ballot Sulphur won. Officers elected are: Ed Ingram, Kingfisher, president; secretary-treasurer, E. S. Bronson was re-elected for the seventeenth time and was also elected first vice president; E. A. Gaston, Okemah, second vice president; C. E. Muchmore, Ponca City, Honorary third vice president; Mrs. Elmer Jessee, Mangum, fourth vice president; executive committee, Messrs. C. E. Hill, Granite; W. C. Blakey, Alva; H. G. Spaulding, Shawnee; P. K. Vandament, Vinita, and H. W. Choate, Marietta. The address by H. C. Hotaling, secretary of the National Press association, St. Paul, Minn., on the "National Editorial Association," was of much interest. Hotaling seemed favorable to have the national convention of editors meet in Oklahoma next year. The convention seemed well pleased with the entertainment accorded by Duncan. Two hundred and twenty-five were in attendance.

Texas Exes Vote Against Neff As University Head

Special Dispatch to Record News

AUSTIN, May 12.—The university ex-students executive council, in a meeting called by Orville Bullington, Wichita Falls, president, adopted a resolution opposing Governor Neff as president of the university on account of political reasons, and his lack of specific training. The council suggested a list of names of the class desired. It was signed by Bullington, Dr. Everett Jones, Wichita, and other councilmen and 50 ex-students.

The Day In the Legislature

SENATE

Passed: Bonham, delinquent tax bill; Cowen, gasoline tax bill; Johnson, "blue sky" bill; Carpenter, authorizing railroads to give passes to ministers; Stewart, authorizing highway commission to accept federal road aid; several local bills.

Adopted, free conferentee committee report on judiciary appropriation bill. Appointed free conference committees on department appropriation bill and Dunkle income tax bill.

Eleemosynary appropriation conference committee reached agreement on bill.

Resolution to discharge conference committee on Coffee oil bill withdrawn after lengthy debate.

HOUSE

Passed finally: departmental appropriation bill amounting to approximately $6,850,000 for the biennium, 89 to 19, and $2,000,000 annual rural school, and appropriation bill 103 to 9.

Appointed conference committees on income tax bill and departmental appropriation bill. Senate bill reported favorably: Turner, abolishing special funds in the state treasury; Pollard, exempting teachers employment agencies from the regulation; unfavorable, Bowers, for cooperation with efforts of the cotton states commission with minority favorable report.

Youngest Mother in World, Age 10, Wears Carnation As She Talks About Her "Doll" Growing With Life

International News Dispatch

SAN ANTONIO, May 12.—Gordon Joe, the two-months-old son of 10-year-old Mary Cavender, will lie in his tiny white cot in the Mission home here tomorrow with a red carnation pinned to the bosom of his new dress, the gift of motherly women who have heard of Mary's plight.

Close beside the little crib child mother Mary will sit with a white carnation pinned to the bosom of her hand embroidered dress, also the gift of motherly women to the orphaned girl.

In a cell in the Hidalgo county jail a 24-year-old man will page to and fro. Pinned to his shirt will also be a red carnation. His mother has sent word that she will visit him, that she believes him innocent of the horrible crime he is accused of committing against 10-year-old Mary, who was taken into the home of his parents as her only refuge when her parents died.

These are the contrasting roles of the three principals in the tragic triangle of Mary Cavender's life for the observance of Mothers' day.

Beyond the unwitting tribute of 10-pound Gordon Joe, Mary will not be recognized tomorrow by the mission home as a mother, according to Mrs. Sarah Culberson, its matron.

"We want to keep the poor child's mind as free from her life tragedy as we possibly can under the circumstances" said the gray haired matron.

Just then little mother Mary came into the sitting room of the home.

"Oh, you haven't been out to see my live doll for a long, long time," she declared excitedly. "He's gained two pounds since you were here. He is so heavy that the nurse won't let me lift him any more—and he doesn't cry a bit."

"Mrs. Culberson says we're going to be adopted in a little while and have a nice house and chickens. Will you come to see us when we move?"

Mary had reference to the many applications received from all parts of the country by the home for the privilege of adopting Gordon Joe and herself. Mrs. Culberson said, however, that Mary and her baby would not be permitted to leave for about six months.

"Do you know tomorrow is Mothers' day?" Mary was asked as she hesitated beside Mrs. Culberson's chair.

"Mother told us it was and we have the nicest surprise for her," Mary declared as she reached out and patted "Mother" Culberson's face.

"You will have to excuse me now for I must go and play with my nice big live doll," the child mother announced as she skipped from the room.

COURT TO SIT AS TAX BOARD

County Commissioners Begin Tuesday On Large Task

One of the largest tasks that it has taken up this year will be started Tuesday by the county commissioners, when they convene as a board of equalization to equalize tax valuations of property within the county. The court meets tomorrow, but will convene again Tuesday and start in on the tax work.

Must Alter Rendition

State laws provide that county taxes may be rendered at any figure the owner sees fit. These renditions must be accepted by the tax assessor, but later, on his recommendations, the board of equalization may change the rendition to any figure it seems just and reasonable. This means that every rendition in the county must be passed on by the board.

Many, of course, will be allowed to stand just as they are originally given to the assessor, but many others will demand adjustment.

The length of time to be required in disposing of the valuation matters is not known, but the commissioners, once started, will stick with the job until it is finished.

CROWDS SWARM HOSPITAL HERE

Doors Open To Public In Observance Of National Day

Large crowds swarmed the Wichita General hospital Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock, when that institution opened its doors to the public in observance of National Hospital day. All the hospitals in America numbering approximately 5,000 observed the hospital day yesterday.

The visitors were shown through the hospital by nurses arrayed in natty uniforms. Everything in the hospital was shown to the visitors, including the operating room, the various wards, the kitchen, and every phase of the hospital curriculum.

There are 18 student and eight graduate nurses at the hospital. There are also two superintendent nurses, who have charge and instruct the other nurses. These nurses live in the nurses' home at 806 Broor street. This building has been recently refurnished and stands forth as one of the most beautifully furnished homes in the city.

The hospital was built more than nine years ago and since that time has been enlarged until its capacity has been doubled. It is now one of the most modern and best equipped institutions of its kind in the Southwest.

BODIES—

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Okla., where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Webber, now reside.

Two days after the departure from San Diego, five airplanes of the twelfth observation squadron, located at Fort Bliss, El Paso, Texas, started an intensive search for the missing airmen. These planes were in charge of Major Hatfurn. The planes carried emergency rations and water containers so attached that they could be dropped at any point on the desert, if the lost officers were sighted and a landing was impossible.

Search Abandoned

For many weeks after the disappearance of the army officers, search for them was continued, not alone by airplanes, but by searchers afoot as well. There were frequent reports that Indians had seen a wrecked airplane in western Arizona, but subsequent efforts to locate the missing craft were not successful. It was announced recently in Washington that the government had abandoned search for the missing men.

BLUE SKY—

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suggestion of Representative Johnson, author of the measure.

The Cowen gasoline bill was in form of a senate substitute, which places the tax on wholesalers instead of refiners and importers, as provided in the house bill. The substitute defined at length who shall be required to pay the tax and includes refiners and importers, as provided in the house bill. The substitute defined at length who shall be required to pay the tax and includes refiners who sell gasoline or its substitutes direct to consumers.

The Bonham delinquent tax bill was passed without a record vote.

The Stewart house bill authorizing the state highway commission to accept aid for highway construction from the federal government was placed on final passage by unanimous vote 25 to 0. The senate adopted the free conference committee report on the judiciary appropriation bill. House amendments to the departmental appropriation bill were not concurred in and a senate committee named.

The Floyd bill to appropriate $2,000,000 for rural school aid and the Clark $600,000 emergency school bill set as special orders Monday morning.

FIRES AT BURK

BURKBURNETT, May 12—Heavy wind made dangerous the two fires that broke out within a few hours of each other yesterday. The first was a barn belonging to A. P. Morris, which was completely destroyed. Firemen laid 2,000 feet of hose in successful efforts to save surrounding buildings.

The derrick and standard rig belonging to the M. & V. Oil company, on West Fifth street was destroyed. The loss by the fire which originated in the engine room was estimated at near $5,000.

Now is the time to begin resting up for your vacation.

No wonder girls learn to swim more easily than men. Who wants to teach a man to swim?

The WORLD HONORS MOTHER TODAY



The world again prepares to pay homage.

To one woman—MOTHER.

The babe in arms may not know it, but there's a message of love for mother in his eyes—eyes that seem more like bits of heaven's blue.

There's a message of wholesome love in the laughter of the growing boy's face.

There's an silent exchange of love and understanding between mother and young man of the world who is facing life's first problems.

And the man in middle age and nearing the end of life's trail cherishes memories of her loving ways and words.

The little miss, with her mother love inherited, expresses her love in the way she follows mother through the day, some times in wonderment, but always trustful.

The dapper maid of flapper age, down in her heart, is beginning to understand the part mother plays in life.

And, lastly, the young mother, new to the cares of motherhood and carrying in consequence a truer sense of lifes responsibilities, pays tribute to the mother who bore her—knowing best what being a mother means.

These photos are chosen to represent types honoring Mother. The babe is Warren G. Harding Fisher of Cincinnati, first baby named after the president. The mother, center is Mary Carr, famous movie mother. Above, at left, is the growing boy, Wesley Barry. Below him is the elderly man (Dr. George T. Harding, the president. The mother, center, is is Mary Carr again as mother to young man of the world. Below are the flapper type and the young mother and babe, Florence Bidor and her daughter, Suzanne.

Care and Raising of Baby Chicks Explained By Local Poultry Man

BY AL OLSTON.
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If 75 percent of all the baby chicks that have been hatched and are to be hatched can be raised in Wichita county this year, we shall be among the chosen with golden crowns. There is no doubt but that raising of baby chicks begins with the parent stock. If chicks come from well developed vigorous healthy stock it is then entirely up to the raisers themselves to produce the finished birds, which can easily be done with the proper care and nourishment. But on the other hand if the chicks come from a stock of low vitality, you are only wasting your valuable time and money caring for them.

Have Chicks Dry.

Have your chicks thoroughly dry before moving them from an incubator, see that the temperature close to the brooder stove is between 95 and 100 degrees and have the floor covered with a very good grade of fine sand or fine ground alfalfa hay. Be sure your brooder does not have a warmer heat than stated, if you do you will most likely be troubled with many cases of white diarrhoea and you may lose half your batch before you can check it. Do not feed your chicks under 50 hours at the least; be sure to give the little fellows time to absorb all the egg food before feeding them. For the first teed give them some hard boiled eggs ground very fine (shell included) and buttermilk, then start them on some proven buttermilk mixed feed. About the twelfth day begin feeding them some baby chick grain feed, and continue feeding thusly from seven to eight weeks.

Now at this age as the chicks begin making fryers, be very careful not to crowd them. Have your colony house warm and comfortable and roomy; the roost should be about six inches from the ground to start. I have found that it pays to give the baby chicks raised early in the spring, distilled water as the water here seems to disagree very much with them during these months. If possible it is much better not to give the chicks any water whatever during the first 10 to 12 days, giving them good fresh buttermilk instead, keeping it before them at all times. I think if you follow the four pointers below you will have fair success with your baby chicks.

Things Not To Do.

1—Do not chill your chicks in moving them from incubator to brooder.

2—Have brooder house and chick yard in a perfectly sanitary condition.

3—Do not overfeed, keep them begging at all times, but do not starve them.

4—Do not get discouraged when some die, find the cause at once, remedy the trouble, keep cool and just use good common sense.

With the apology to our French friend, try to memorize the following: "Every day in every way my biddies are growing—growing and growing. I am the best chick raiser in the country." Pretty soon your chicks will believe you and grow in spite of everything. Do not worry over your chicks, phone me at 4551 and I'll do what I can to help you.

Through my articles I shall keep the readers posted on our new entrants in the poultry game. Today we have Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Harrison, two miles south of Wichita Falls on the county farm road who are starting the Wichita Fair Poultry Farm. They are going into the game strong having 40 acres of fine land put aside for exclusive breeding. They moved to their new home about two months ago from Byers where Mr. Harrison sold out his interests in the automobile business to come, as he states, to the coming poultry center of the West, picking out Wichita Falls to be the best market center in this section of the country. Since moving they have completed their home and incubator cellar, installing five incubators, one of 400 and four of 300-egg capacity. They have bought something like 20 settings of various types of chicken, duck, turkey, goose, pea-fowl, and pheasant eggs, paying from $30 to $75 per setting of 15 eggs. They have hatched off 400 Bronze and Bouron Red turkeys, 40 geese and ducks, also several hundred chicks. Mr. and Mrs. Harrison are newcomers in the game, but realize the opportunities that await all live poultry people in this section.

Their starting stock comes from the different well-known breeders: Barred Ringed Rocks from E. B. Thompson, Valley Farms, New York, also from Ferris Poultry Farms of Hampton, Va. All of their eggs are from trap-nested birds (in all breeds) from strains of 200 to 312 eggs. White Leghorns from Ferris Farms of Missouri and Florida. Silver Laced Wyandotts and Silver Spangled Hamburgs from the Evergreen farms at Hampton, Va.

Leghorn Wilders from the Layville yards at Long Island, New York. It will be a treat to anyone to visit Mr. Harrison's place and see his many varieties of fowls. You will meet a real poultry woman in Mrs. Harrison whose heart and soul is in the game. This is just one of the many entrants in the poultry business. I do not intend to advertise any one but mention these breeders to show the readers what is going on in this line. We want to know what the readers are doing and intend to do, so I earnestly ask you to please let me hear from you and I shall have all letters possible printed.

Bottoms Scoured For Oklahoman Who Killed Dad

Associated Press Dispatch

DURANT, Okla, May 12.—A sheriff's posse with bloodhounds is scouring the Red River bottoms in this section tonight for Jim Scroggins, who is alleged to have shot to death his father, John Scroggins, at their home 12 miles south of here today.

Young Scroggins is said by officers to have shot his father when the latter attempted to prevent him from operating a whisky still on the farm. The still had been burned, it is said, and the younger man wanted to unearth it and put it into operation.

It is thought the fugitive escaped into Texas.

SHORT COURSE FOR VERNON

Miss Langford and N. B. Oates Will Be On Program

Special Dispatch to Record News

VERNON, May 12.—Miss Georgia Lansford, home demonstration agent of Wichita county, and M. B. Oates, agricultural agent for the Fort Worth and Denver railroad, will take part in the short course to open here Monday and continue for three days. The course will be under direction of Miss Eula Goodfellow, home demonstration agent of Wilbarger county, and will have some interesting features.

The program for the short course follows: Monday afternoon, May 14, 2:30 o'clock: appropriateness of dress, Mrs. Dora Russell Barnes, clothing specialist, A. & M. college.

Tuesday morning, May 15, 10:00 o'clock; remodeling of furniture, Miss Mamie Hayden, district agent and Miss Janie Lou Foster, home demonstration agent.

Lunch at Noon.

Tuesday afternoon, May 15, 2:30 o'clock: millinery, tailored finishes, testing materials for adulterations, Mrs. Barnes, clothing specialist.

Wednesday morning, May 16, 10 o'clock: poultry, marketing and care, M. B. Oates, agricultural agent, Fort Worth and Denver railroad.

Canonizing demonstration, by high school boys. Miss Lansford in charge.

Lunch at Noon.

Wednesday afternoon, May 16, 2:30 o'clock: interior decoration and remodeling of furniture, Miss Hayden, district agent and Miss Foster, home demonstration agent.

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measure finally. It appropriates $2,000,000 annually.

To Probe Builders.

After the house refused to concur in senate amendments to the Dinkle income tax bill, the following conferees were appointed: Dinkle, Abney, Potter, Jennings and Bell. Conferees on the departmental appropriation bill also appointed today, were Quaid, Hardin, of Erath, Henderson of Marion, Cowen and Teer. A special committee to investigate the affairs of the United Home Builders of America was appointed as follows: Purl, Coffee, Storey, Green and Collins.

GERMAN MARKS SELL FOR $23 BILLION

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 12.—German marks sold today at $23 a million, a decrease of more than 20% since last week. This price is within $3 a million of the extreme low for all time made last January.

The recent steady decline is interpreted by international bankers as an indication that the German government no longer is able or willing to support its depreciated currency.

TWO MEASURES BEFORE COUNCIL

City Prosecutor Issue To Be Thrashed Out In Session

Two rather important decisions may be made Monday night at the city council meeting, when the commissioners meet for their regular weekly session. The city prosecutor situation and that of an equalization board for city taxes are both unsettled at present, and must be attended to within a short time.

Wants Relief

The prosecutor matter has been rocking along for several weeks now, having been mentioned once or twice but never having been acted on decisively. The appointment of W. H. Caldwell, now serving as prosecutor of the municipal court, was only temporary, it is stated, and Mr. Caldwell is reported to be anxious to be relieved of the place.

Discussion of the equalization board matter will also take up considerable time, according to advance predictions. A board was appointed about two weeks ago, but two of the members later found that they would be unable to serve, and were accordingly relived. Since that time efforts have been made to assemble a new board, but these have been unsuccessful thus far.

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spillway to such an extent that, although incomplete, the dimensions of the vast, conical shaft could readily be appreciated. The function of the spillway was explained as being a sort of safety valve over which excess waters of the lake would flow and thence be diverted into the lowgs river channel without damage to the dame itself. The two emergency spillways, which would, under undue pressure, wash out and thus relieve the dam of the tremendous strain imposed on it by exceptionally high water, were also pointed out and explained. In this connection it was stated that the factor of safety provided on the structure was "almost ridiculously high," but that it absolutely assured the valley of complete protection from floods at all times.

Visit Outlet Gates

Under ordinary conditions, it was pointed out, proper control of the outlet gates of the dam would take care of the water flow and that only at intervals would water go over the main spillway.

These outlet gates proved a source of attraction later when one of the six tubes comprising the gate was opened about three and a half feet. This was done at the suggestion of J. A. Kemp and the muddy flood that roared through the comparatively tiny opening thus crated, gave some idea of the amount of water available when the gates were opened full. Engineers explained that when construction work was complete, four of the six tubes under the dam would be sealed and that the remaining two would provide ample facilities for releasing the impounded waters into the diversion lake.

Visitors Spattered

Although the hydraulic dredge T. B. Noble, with which the dam is being built, was not visited, its work was plainly visible on top of the big bank. The sediment-laden torrent of water taken from the lake bottom and which is being utilized to construct the dam, was being discharged near the gate tower and several of the more inquisitive were liberally spattered when they ventured too close to the scene of operations.

Some amazement was expressed when C. E. Calder, president of the Texas Power and Light company, and also of the Dallas Power and Light company, gave out the information that 10 per cent as much electricity was being used in operating the dredge daily as is required to supply the entire city of Dallas and its suburbs for an equal length of time.

Other information supplied the visitors was to the effect that water in the lake will now be only about 6 percent of the entire amount that will be impounded when the dame is complete. To use technical terms, it was stated that 27,000 acre-feet of water were now stored and that 500,000 would be required to fill the lake basin. The hydraulic fill, now 70 feet in height, must go another 30 feet before it reaches its maximum height of 400, it was disclosed. This will require about six weeks.

Data Collected

The visit of the Dallas delegation here was to obtain pointers for future use in a contemplated water conservation system of that community. Irrigation is not now a factor in Dallas plans, but a bond issue of $5,00,000 was voted recently for the purpose of constructing an impounding dam to assure water supply.

San Saba is still advocating an irrigation system in the San Saba river valley. Several surveys have been made with the idea of constructing a dam, but no actual program has as yet been mapped out.

Heyser in Charge

The tour Saturday was under the personal supervision of E. S. Heyser, general manager of the Callihan Construction company, on the local works. R. A. Thompson, chief engineer of the irrigation districts; Capt. Harry F. McFarland, assistant chief engineer, and a number of other executives, assisted Mr. Heyser. J. A. Kemp, president of district No. 11, T. B. Noble, vice president, and C. Clint Wood, Norris Martin and other directors of the district were in the party. Other Wichitans on the rounds included W. D. Cline, R. E. Shepherd, P. A. Rogers, W. B. Hamilton, H. F. Weldon, Horrace Robbins, J. T. Montgomery, C. H. Verschoyle, W. W. Gardner, Hubert Harrison and others.

The visitors left late Saturday night for the return trip to Dallas.

2 MILLION GALLONS GAS A DAY

We used 1,510,000 gallons of gasoline a day in these United States last year. It looks as if the average would increase to 2,000,000 gallons daily the coming summer. If there was no prohibition law, just think of the whisky that would be mixed with this gasoline and what would happen. The first page of the Monday morning newspaper would look like a casualty list of the late war.

Waurika Society

WAURIKA, Okla., May 12.—The Thursday Bridge club held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. J. L. Vertrees on Thursday of last week. The house was like a flower garden with big baskets of snap dragons and bowls of roses.

In the games which followed, Mrs. P. F. Dawson won high points, and Mrs. Fred Pittman high honors. The hostess served a lovely two-course luncheon to the club members.

Bridge Club

The Young Maried Folks Bridge club held its regular meeting Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pittman, with Mr. and Mrs. Walsh assistant host and hostess.

The hospitable Pittman home was lovely with bowls or roses and trailing ferns.

The high score for the evening for the men was won by E. B. Ellis, and he was presented with a pair of silk hose; and to Mrs. Dawson, who was the most skillful among the women, was given a lovely potted plant in full bloom.

A plate collation was enjoyed after the games were over.

Beaver Creek Picnic

Wednesday night of last week a gay crowd of young people, chaperoned by Miss Nan Thompson, went to Beaver Creek and had a picnic supper. The meal was enjoyed by Misses Nan Thompson, Eula Mitchell, Myrtle Wilson, Geraldine Harlin, Thelma Peters, Mildred Brown, Merle Dorman, Florence Mitchell, and Messrs. Le Ite Stone, Cecil Yoder, Glenn Huffman, Don Mitchell, Riley Miles, Henry Carr Rose and Leon Weiss.

Picnic at Rocky Ford

Wednesday night of last week there was another picnic supper which was to have been enjoyed at Rocky Ford, but on account of the sudden storm which gathered, the picnic party hurried back to town and enjoyed "the most wonderful eats" in the American Legion hall. The picnic was complimentary to Miss Lucille Thompson, teacher in the local high school, and Miss Vera Burch of Dallas, Texas, the house guest of her cousin, Miss Edna Burch. The guests were Misses Edwina Alexander, Edna Burch, Gladys Davidson, Hettie Belle Patterson, Faye Biffle, Faye Pepin, Marie Isabel, Lela Anderson, Nan Thompson, Beth Johnston, Helen Huffman, Mesdames Lang King, Robert Dunn, Tony Zallaback of Kingfisher, who is the house guest of Miss Helen Huffman, and Mrs. Hardy Watson Jr. of Oklahoma City, who is spending a month here with relatives and friends.

Party for Visitors

Friday night Miss Helen Huffman entertained with a party, complimentary to her house guest, Mrs. Tony Zallaback, of Kingfisher, Okla. The house was beautifully decorated with baskets of roses and looked very festive and inviting.

There were two tables of rook, two of "42" and two of Bridge, which made a very interesting party.

After the games were over, a lovely plate luncheon was served to Misses Lucille Thompson, Edna Burch, Edwina Alexander, Gladys Davidson, Hettie Belle Patterson, Faye Biffle, Faye Pepin, Marie Isabel, Lela Anderson, Nan Thompson, Beth Johnston, Anna Snook, Mary Browning, Marcell and Ila Jones, and Mesdames Joe Dillard, Lang King and Robert Dunn. The out-of-town guests other than the honor guest were Miss Elizabeth Hall of Lawton, the house guest of Miss Mary Browning; Mrs. Hardy Watson Jr. of Oklahoma City, and Miss Vera Burch of Dallas.

Seniors Miss Steak Fry

Unfortunately, 12 members of the senior class of the high school were called to rehearsal Monday night, and could not enjoy the steak fry that the other 15 young people enjoyed at Rocky Ford. They were chaperoned by Miss Nan Thompson, the senior class sponsor, and enjoyed the steak and weinies which were added to the regular picnic supper. Misses Hazel Turnage and Ruby Stulard were two junior girls who enjoyed the senior's hospitality for that evening.

Miss Pursian Hostess

Saturday afternoon Miss Mary Pursian was hostess to the P. S. club. A short but enjoyable program was rendered, and some vacation plans discussed, after which the little hostess served a plate collation to the club members.

A Busy Afternoon

Merry Matrons met Friday of last week at the home of Mrs. Deighton. The afternoon was spent with needlework, tongues keeping pace with needles. Late in the afternoon the hostess served lovely refreshments.

Farewell Party

Farewells are not always cheerful affairs, especially when it means the severance of several years' relationship which has been harmonious and enjoyable. The Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church gave a banquet in the Sunday school rooms of the church Monday night, complimentary to Judge and Mrs. Chan Jones and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Steele, both of who mare leaving within the next month for new homes.

Rev. Strong was toastmaster, and he called on several to speak of the lives and the influence of these families, Judge Jones and Mr. Steel both responding. Mrs. Hugh L. Ray gave a reading, and Mrs. Sneed and Mrs. Cargill sang a duet, both numbers being greatly enjoyed.

Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Steele have both been active workers in the Missionary society, and they and their families will be greatly missed by the working force of the church.

The Laffalotte

The Laffalotte met with Miss Ruth Peters Monday night, when a color scheme of red and white was carried out in the house decorations. The girls talked and stitched, and later enjoyed a guessing contest, in which Miss Ruth Cashion was the cleverest in her guessing, and in a puzzle picture to figure out an old bachelor's name and address Miss Cordelia Frances arrived at the correct answer first.

Little Iris Peters and Berenice Lang, in red and white dresses, served a lovely plate collation which carried out the color scheme of the evening.

Mrs. Hardy Watson Jr. of Oklahoma City was the only guest other than the club members.

Sorosis Club

The Sorosis club met Friday at the home of Mrs. C. R. Phelan, when a very interesting lesson was enjoyed under the efficient leadership of Mrs. Will Aydelotte.

Mrs. Phelan's home was very attractive and inviting that day, with big baskets of American beauties adorning the rooms.

The lesson was "Rambling Remarks on Public Opinion," and the roll call was in keeping with this, and was very interesting.

The following program was given, each number being well thought out and very interesting and instructive: "The Greatest Thing in the World"—Mrs. Gaft Durham.

"Sensitiveness"—Mrs. Emmet Clark.

Comment on four of the best popular books—Mrs. P. R. Beatty.

"The Philology on Popular Fabrics"—Mrs. Ruby Dunkin.

Mrs. Phelan gave a partial report of her visit to the Federated clubs meeting, which included "Bovine Tuberculosis," "Citizenship Training," "School at Paul's Valley," and the State hospital at Norman.

After the lesson the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Violet Roberts, served a lovely iced collation.

Kureans Meet

Monday the Kureans met with Mrs. Cora Adams, hostess, and Mrs. E. G. Ray leader.

The house was lively with bowls of roses perfuming the rooms.

The business and devotional meeting was presided over by the president, Mrs. Josephine Carter.

The opening number of the program was a solo by Mrs. Hardy Watson Jr. of Oklahoma City, which was greatly enjoyed.

Mrs. Cora Adams gave a very instructive paper on "Personal Liberty," its meaning, its uses and abuses, and its relationship to the lives of our children.

The following subjects were thoughtfully given by the ones to whom they had been assigned, and much discussion followed each speaker.

"What Does the Public School System of Waurika Owe Our Children?"—Mrs. Bill Howard.

"What Do Our Churches Owe Our Children?"—Mrs. Josephine Carter.

"What Does Waurika, as a Community, Owe Our Children?"—Mrs. O. E. Hescock.

Round table discussion, "What Do I Owe My Neighbors' Children, and What Does My Neighbor Owe My Children?"

The lesson was a practical one that had a deep and abiding interest in each mother's heart.

After the lesson was finished, Mrs. Hardy Watson Jr. again favored the society with a lovely solo, "One Sweetly, Solemn Thought," and the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Ed Anderson, Mrs. George Theard and Miss Cliffagene Womack, served a lovely two-course luncheon with plate favors of red roses.

The meeting next week will be at the home of Mrs. E. G. Ray, Mrs. Cora Adams leader, and there will be a Mothers' day program.

You dont have to pay high rent when you trade in the basement.—Adv.

LEGION SHOW ENDS SATURDAY

Good Profit Cleared By Local Post On Carnival

The Cotton Belt Exposition show that have been exhibiting here for the past week under the auspices of Put Carrigan post, American Legion, closed their stand Saturday night and prepared to leave town immediately. The largest crowd of the week was on the grounds for the final entertainment.

Clear Profit

According to Sam Beatty, post commander of the American Legion, the local organization cleared a snug profit from the carnaval attractions. The exact figures are not yet known, but it is estimated that the total will run close to $500.

Gratification was expressed by Mr. Beatty for the manner in which the carnival had been conducted by the management, and also for the way in which local legionnaires and members of the ladies' auxiliary had lent their support to the enterprise. Numbers of the ladies were on the grounds every night, Mr. Beatty reported, taking tickets and assisting in every way possible in conducting the shows.

TECH CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY

Harvey McLean Will Speak To Local Engineers

The Technical club will hold its regular bi-monthly meeting at the Wichita club at 7 p. m. Tuesday, May 15. An unusually interesting program is to be offered. The principal speaker of the evening will be Harvey G. McLean of Dallas, southwestern representative of the Alexander Hamilton Institute of New York.

Mr. McLean will speak on "Why the Technical Man Is So Rarely a Success as a Business man."

Mr. McLean is a University of Texas man and is a gifted speaker, who holds his audience at all times.

The subject of Mr. McLean's talk should be of interest to every technical man who has ever wondered why he must always sell his brains and ability to someone else rather than use them for his own benefit.

MR. AND MRS. RICHARDSON HOSTS TO "42" CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Richardson were hosts to the Thursday "42" club at their home Thursday evening when four tables were arranged for the games. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion in roses and other cut flowers, and dainty refreshments were served to Messrs. and Mesdames H. C. Chesshire, George Cooper, A. C. Dulaney, O. B. Womack, Hugh Weaver, J. J. Deberry and Miss Leverage Hightower.

Mr. and Mrs. Dulaney were rewarded for high score.

COURT RECORDS

CASES FILED

J. N. Wilson vs. Natt T. Wagner, suit on debt.

Lavada Sneed vs. C. A. Sneed, divorce.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Carl Story, Electra; Mrs. Pearl Helms, Wichita Falls.

James William Brewster; Miss Myrtle Willis, both of Holliday.

H. C. Handerson; Miss Blanche Hughes, both of Burkburnett.



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TAX SUITS TO BE FILED HERE

City Attorney Delinquents With Action In Courts

Nearly 100 suits against Wichita Falls property owners are ready to be filed in the district courts next Tuesday as the first of a series of steps started by the city in its effort to collect over $100,000 in delinquent taxes. City Attorney E. M. Mann has been at work on the cases for a month, and announces that the city is "ready to go to the bat."

Some Taxes Paid

Announcement made by the city council late last April that it planned court action to recover delinquent taxes has resulted in some of the back accounts being settled, it is stated. However, by far the larger majority of those on the delinquent rolls have not been attended to, and it is these that the city is making a drive for.

Suits for the present will be filed only against those whose delinquencies date prior to 1921. The $100,000 figure is approximated by these, it is reported. Later, efforts will be made to collect on property rendered since 1921.

To Show Leniency

The city council, in making its decision to sue, took note of the fact that several tax assessments now on the delinquent rolls were levied against individuals who were unable to pay. These, it was indicated, will be shown all the leniency possible. There are numbers of firms and other individuals, however, who are claimed to be well able to meet the city taxes but who have persistently refused to do so. It is these that the court action is named against.

Patents Granted Texas Inventors

By B. N. TIMMONS
Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The commissioner of patents announces that patents have been granted to the following Texas inventors:

Albert M. Alexander, Valley Mills, foot accelerator; Rudolph J. Balasz and H. S. Autrey, Cleveland, Ohio, assignors to Houston Pneumatic Puncture-Proof Wheel Co., Houston, cushioned vehicle wheel; Julius C. Bauman, Miles, animal trap; Benjamin H. Blount, Houston, ice receptacle; Albert Converse, Pampa, harvester thrasher; Juan O. Delgaro, El Paso, shock absorber for motor vehicles; William P. Dunham, Copperas Cove, assignor to Nebulizer Oil Burning Co., firing boiler by means of fuel oils; George M. Gale, San Antonio, fountain brush; Fitzhugh B. Girvin and H. C. Gee, Georgetown, signal; Benjamin J. Greer, Poyner, wrench; John P. Persch, Houston, assignor of one-fifth to H. Tolles, Hohokus, Texas, treating—hydro-carbon oils; William Schuberg, Menard, truss; Buford J. Steen, Christine, pipe wrench; William M. Stephenson, Dallas, oil-saver device; John M. Stone, Carrizo Springs, detachable hub for eccentrics.

A Rochester, New York, physician says that the natural position of the arms is downward and to hold both, or even one arm above one's head is very injurious to both the arms and the heart. He deplores strap-hanging in street cars and warns those whose hearts are in a precarious condition to avoid strap-hanging whenever possible by waiting for the next car instead of crowding into one filled beyond its seating capacity. Those who are weakened by strap-hanging should lie down immediately upon arriving home, and in doing so lie either on the back or face down, or on the right side.

Three thousands miles over snow and ice is the remarkable mushing record with a dog team made by a corporal of the Royal Canadian mounted police, stationed at Rampart house, on Porcupine river in the Arctic. During the winter of 1922-23 he has made three round trips between Rampart and Fort Yukon, each totaling 500 miles, one trip to Lapeere house, and several to Old Crow, and now he is traveling across the Arctic divide, en route to Herschel island, where he will spend the summer.

Sentiment Divided Here On Proposal To Vest State Road Contract With Centralized Highway Commission

The announcement last week that representatives of the Texas Highway association were to be in Wichita Falls soon in the interests of a new system of highway control, has aroused considerable discussion of the matter locally. The situation regarding the state's highways is apparently little understood here, while at the same time it is one that may have an important bearing on future highway construction of this county as well as others.

In an effort to present the matter clearly, The Record News has asked County Judge B. D. Sartin to explain the proposition as it is now contemplated and as the voters of the state will be compelled to pass on some time this summer.

Independent.

As a preliminary explanation, however, it may be stated that the Texas Highway association is an independent organization designed to promote hard road construction in the state and which is now taking an active part in behalf of the state highway commission as the controlling unit of the state's roads. The association, it is understood, is expending something like $50,000 this year in an effort to secure amendments to the state constitution, giving to the highway commission absolute power over the roads.

The visit of representatives to Wichita Falls, which may be the latter part of this week, will be to merely urge on this city the necessity of a change in the highway control.

Judge Sartin points out that the constitutional amendment now sought gives to the state commission absolute power over the state roads. It is proposed that the commission levy taxes, vote bonds, designate when and where the roads shall be constructed, supervise their construction direct their maintenance and, in fact, exercise complete control in all matters pertaining to the roads.

Thus it would be that if one county or counties failed to construct a hard road system through their length and breadth, the commission could levy special taxes or order road bonds voted in that county. It could then decide the route for the new road and proceed to have the pavement laid.

At first thought this may appear to be a highly desirable authority with which to vest the commission. It is pointed out that in this way, counties lying in the path of an important state or national road, and which persistently refuse to make improvements within their boundaries could be brought to terms. By proper exercise of its power, the commission could, it is shown, map out a comprehensive system of paved roads in the state and give to Texas an uninterrupted artery of traffic between all the more important points.

Furthermore, it is shown, the work and worry attending the construction of a road system would be shifted from the county to the state.

It is this plan that the Texas Highway association advocates and which will be urged on Wichita Falls as being the most effective way to spread a net work of roads over the state. And considerable sentiment has been found among business men here favoring the proposal.

On the other hand, the idea has its disadvantages. Chief among these is the pet aversion of the entire-state increased taxes.

If present plans are carried out, the entire state would be taxed, counties being levied on for road building purposes on the basis of their valuation, just as it is done at present. This would mean east and south Texas counties with very low valuation rates would acquire hard roads at the expense of Wichita and other counties that pay in heavy taxes on valuable property. Thus, it is said, taxpayers here would be contributing almost constantly for the construction of roads in remote portions of the state from which this section would derive absolutely no benefit.

It is this feature that has created considerable adverse sentiment locally, and which, if the measure is opposed here, will contribute largely to its defeat.

A number of business men questioned on the matter have expressed themselves emphatically as being opposed to paying for what would be of no use to the city and in the construction of which taxpayers here had no voice. They claim that the State Highway commission, with power to dictate where roads shall and shall not be constructed, could very easily neglect this section for years and that the consequent tax drain would be lost.

Counties to Be Reimbursed.

Provisions are to be made, it is understood, whereby counties that have already constructed paved road systems would be reimbursed by the state highway commission on the basis of the miles of improvements made in the county confines. This has not brought much favorable response locally, however, mainly because there is no absolute assurance that the commission would actually make the rebates and besides, if it did, it would probably be years in coming.

Just what way sentiment will eventually swing in Wichita county remains to be seen. It is a safe prediction, however, that unless some powerful arguments are put forth favoring the idea, it will not meet with much encouragement. The action of the chamber of commerce in inviting the Texas Highway association here, is in no way construed as an indorsement of the proposition. It is merely to hear the pro-side of the question.

Slaton Bank in Reserve

Special Dispatch to Record News

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The federal reserve board has announced that the Slaton State bank of Slaton, Texas, with total resources of $453,193, has been admitted to the federal reserve system.

Plans Being Worked Out For Big Waterworks Convention In June

Plans are being gradually rounded into shape for the Southwestern Waterworks association convention, to be held in this city June 18, 19, 20 and 21. With the convention dates now only a little more than a month away, officials in charge of the arrangements here are devoting considerable time to the affair.

Announcements can not yet be made as to who the principal speakers of the occasion will be, although it is known that a number of public leaders in this section of the country will be in the city and will probably be among those to give addresses of some nature. Officials of the organization will, of course, be featured.

Present plans for the convention call for a banquet to be tendered by the chamber of commerce to the delegates, an inspection trip and barbecue at the irrigation dam, and a trip through the oil fields. The chamber of commerce banquet will be given the first night of the convention, and the irrigation trip will come the second day.

F. N. Lawton, manager of the local water department, is in charge of arrangements here, and is being assisted by Mayor Collier, other city officials and officials of the chamber of commerce.

POSTMASTER NAMED

Special Dispatch to Record News

WASHINGTON, May 12.—John W. Kinzey was today appointed postmaster at Hylton, Nolan county, Texas, succeeding Robert M. Collins, resigned.

Postoffice inspectors were directed to make an investigation to choose a new postmaster at Sarco Creek, Tex.

TO NAME POSTMASTER

Special Dispatch to Record News

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Postoffice inspectors have been directed to make investigations with a view to the appointment of a postmaster at Crecy, Texas.

The fireflies in the West Indies and in the tropics of South America are so big and so brilliantly illuminated that it is quite easy to read by the light they give.

Martin Back On Bench This Week

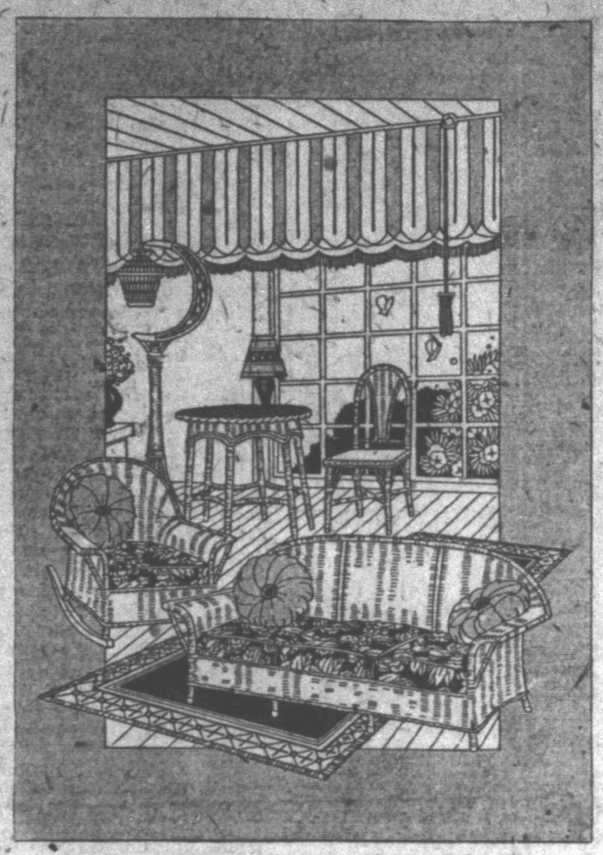
Judge W. A. Martin will be back on the bench of the Eighty-ninth district court Monday and will open trial of criminal cases, settings for which were made last week.

Judge Martin has been in Memphis, Tenn., during the past week, where he has been acting as one of a court of appeals of the Methodist Episcopal church, South. This tribunal, which is the court of last resort in the church, hears appeals from decisions made within the church and which affect the activity of the church.

W. L. Scott, local attorney, has occupied the bench of the Eighty-ninth district court during the absence of Judge Martin.

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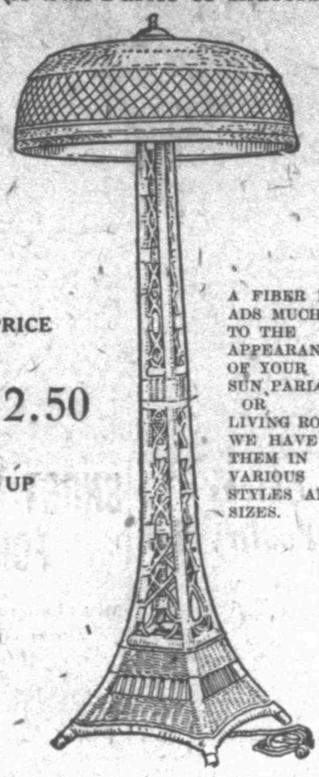
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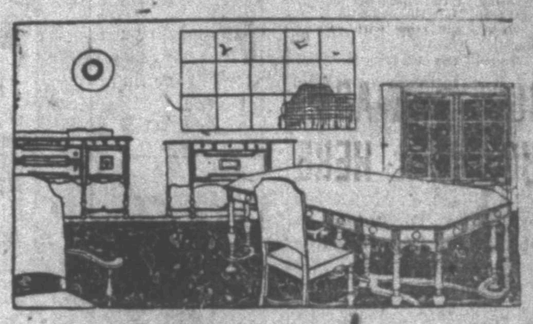
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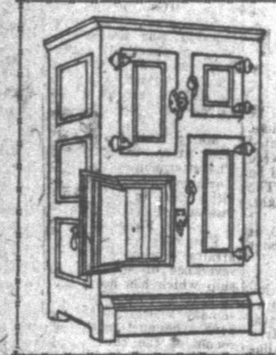
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DEMOCRATS LOOKING FORWARD

According to eastern advices democratic politicians in Washington are looking forward with reference to a choice of a candidate for president in 1924. These are their predictions:

There will be an early campaign or rather an early start of the pre-convention campaign and this start will be in the early fall of the present year.

Friends of William G. McAdoo of California are held to be responsible for the early start.

William G. McAdoo tells his friends as he did in 1920 that he is not a candidate. This is scoffed at by the politicians who say that he is in the race and that his friends are pulling wires for him.

Senator Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama is touring Europe and will visit Egypt before returning to America. He was given his start as a presidential contender by the democratic legislators of Alabama who endorsed him as their presidential candidate early in the month of March.

McAdoo and Underwood men are said to be admitting privately that neither McAdoo or Underwood is likely to obtain the nomination and that party leaders are said to look for a deadlock and a dark horse nominee. They conceive that McAdoo will enter the convention with a larger following of delegates than he had in 1920.

There is another side to it. McAdoo is a Georgian by birth. He made history in Tennessee and New York before he became secretary of the treasury and now that he is a citizen of California he is looked upon as a northerner more than as a southerner. His political opponents concede that he is very popular among the democrats of the West and has a large following among organized labor and among organized women.

Senator Underwood, if these democratic politicians are correct in their surmises, is certain to have the backing of Charles P. Murphy of New York, George E. Brennan of Chicago, Tom Taggart of Indianapolis, and "those potent in such eastern states as Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New Jersey and Maryland."

These national leaders and democratic politicians in Washington say that before leaving Alabama for Europe Senator Underwood made a speech in which he severely criticized "invisible empire politicians and invisible empire methods." He is to make known his attitude and make answer to the resolution adopted by the Alabama legislature on his return from the foreign tour.

There are many favorite sons of democracy the country over if the democratic politicians in Washington know what they are talking about. They point to Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas, who has been endorsed by the legislature of the state; Senator Carter Glass of Virginia who has been pushed forward by many friends with scant encouragement from the publisher-statesman of the Old Dominion, former Justice John H. Clarke of Ohio who has condemned the mention of his name in connection with a presidential nomination and who has sworn that he would not take it if tendered to him on a golden platter; John W. Davis, of West Virginia, former ambassador to the court of St. James, admittedly one of the great lawyers of America and now the legal advisor of huge financial interests in Wall Street.

And there are others. James M. Cox of Ohio led his party through the slaughter house in 1920 and cherishes the hope that he may be given another chance. These democratic politicians in Washington never mentioned William Jennings Bryan. He has taken himself out of it. His newspaper, the Commoner, has suspended publication and Bryan has wrapped himself in what he calls his anti-evolution robe and no doubt hopes some day to ascend to heaven in a chariot of fire.

These democratic politicians in Washington are running true to form. They never refer to Henry Ford in their list of possibilities. They agree that all the signs point to a deadlock convention in 1924, with the unit rule playing havoc with the fortunes of McAdoo.

A majority vote nominates in a republican convention; a two-thirds vote nominates in a democratic convention. A majority vote would abrogate the two-thirds rule. Why should the democratic party cling to this relic of the tallow-dip period of history?

Advice Is Getting Cheaper and Cheaper — By Reid



TUMBLING STOCKS AND RISING PRICES SHATTER REPUBLICAN PROMISE OF STABLE PROSPERITY

By B. N. TIMMONS
Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Lack of confidence when the promised prosperity movement is on the upward swing, with congress on its first real vacation in years, and with state legislative sessions over or expiring, is an economic phenomenon which experts are trying to solve.

In the old days when incumbency of a republican administration was assurance of advance of big business with its comfortable trickling through of prosperity to the masses—which was so much as the captains of industry thought good for their masses—such an occurrence as came last week was unheard of, and could come only when reactionary leaders endeavored to make the people apprehensive of evils should they be voted out of power. Yet with a presidential election more than 18 months away, with the administration completely in the hands of a party which won its place by tremendous odds, there has come a break in investment and speculative values without precedent since the days of 1919 when the federal reserve board adopted its stringent inflation policy, from results of which there has not even today come complete recovery.

Oil Shares Tumble

Prices of the leading securities which form the basis of daily trading went tumbling, apparently without cause. Oil stocks started a headlong race for the bottom of the well. Railroad stocks broke badly. Automobile and other industrial stocks followed suit. Business analysis have been unable to give a tangible reason for the demoralization at a time when, if there is any basis for continued prosperity, everything should be moving to higher levels. Consumption of oil products is, according to government statement, increasing as potential supplies are diminishing and the search is on for new fields throughout the world. Railroads are crowded with business beyond capacity. Automobile factories have just finished the biggest three months in their history.

Only in the last named industry has there been apparent any over-extension, and this has been checked in the beginning by tightening of credits by the federal reserve board, so that the straightenin gout of balance sheets and the sane operation of business by manufacturers and promoters of sales is under way. Furthermore, the outlook is for a banner agricultural year, with reasonable possibilities that the farmers may be able to market their crops at a profit.

Conditions Sound

Officials of the government will not venture any explanation. They say conditions are intrinsically sound, and that there should be a certainty of business advance until the end of the present year at least. Captains of industry will not put their belief in words, but appear amazed that the business barometer should show heaviness at this time, more particularly since there is no session of congress to create fear about conditions. Last congressional session Senator LaFollette, after his investigation of the oil industry, predicted that gasoline would go to a dollar a gallon under control of a gasoline trust, but no one sees that trust at work, despite the charges of combination; nor is there possibility of government action for approximately another year. There is the administration pledge that railroads shall not be discriminated against, and even a radical congress could not get under way to do injury for a twelve-month, and the world court proposal to occupy the time of the early session. Then what is wrong? usiness men are asking of each other.

Crissinger Anti-Wall Street

The break in values in Wall street with the elevation of D. R. Crissinger of Marion to the post of governor of the federal reserve board, and the pendig changes on the board, is held to be mere coincidences. Mr. Crissinger is at heart anti-Wall street and has boasted that when he is in full control he will clip the wings of Wall street barons, but this has been held to be political boasting, meeting the complaints o fthose who presented re-appointment of former Governor W. P. G. Harding, charging that he was favoring Wall street bankers. But the Crissinger episode and the coincidence in financial circles are held symptomatic by political and the one thing lacking to make successful a reactionary program, which is the old Mark Hanna nostrum of "confidence."

Business men say no one knows wrat to expect from the administration on either foreign or domestic policy, and that succeeding events add only to the uncertainty of things. They charge that even at a time when there should be but on spokesman for the administration and the policy of the party responsible for that administration, there is a chorus of voices sounding a discord in which no definite key can be heardd. Except for this situation, these men say, advance might continue uninterruptedly, at least until the beginning of the next national campaign, well past the time of the assembling of the next congress. As matters stand, they argue, it is impossible to plan anything, even for meeting of radicalism, which is certain to have its inning.

Big business interests long ago were won over to the belief that international markets would have to be opened before the high tide of prosperity could be seen in America. Half believing promises of the administration, they were convinced thereof by the world court proposals, only to have hopes dashed by the weakening statement of President Harding that, having presented the question to the senate, and through the senate to the people, he was willing to let public opinion decide. Allied with big business interests in their belief of need of foreign markets for their products are the agriculturists who have based hope on that one sale of a pumper crip to put them on their feet after a knock-out. Now, so far as the Harding administration is concerned, the whole program is "up in the air."

The tariff situation, and the confirmed charge that the 2-cent tariff is responsible for the profiteering which brings 15-cent sugar, with the attitude of bending before propaganda shown by the administration, adds to the apprehension of business. The question of tariffs is always present under the enactment of the last congress giving the executive power to increase or decrease rates at will, and apprehension runs high as the acts of President Harding, meeting pressure from this class or that, are checked over.

Summed up by experts discussing th situation, business difficulties today, and the apprehension which has made the first break in the move to prosperity, are not due to no policies. "President Harding is a good fellow," complaining business men say, "but he needs a Mark Hanna." They have no hope for the present, and only apprehension for the future, because current indecision may pave the way for a decided radical control with a radical program which will have to run its course.

An interesting relic of the Middle Ages is the palace of Philip the Fair, of which the main floor is yet standing. It is located in Paris, France, and was built in 1320. It contains three halls; the Hall of the Kitchens, the Hall of St. Louis and the Hall of the Guards. Only to the last one are visitors admitted.

French Premier Cites History To Justify Nation's Ruhr Policy



Premier Poincare speaking at Dunkirk

Premier Poincare of France speaking at Dunkirk in justification of his Ruhr policy, read a page from British history, citing Britain's occupation of French territory under almost similar conditions.

EVERY DOG HAS HIS DAY

Senator Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin has hit the Harding world court plan with his battle club. He says the international bankers of the world favor it and for this reason all the honest people of the world should let it alone.

Why shouldn't the international bankers of the world favor the plan? They are interested in world peace; they are interested in world prosperity; they are interested in the funding of the war debts of nations; they are interested in the world getting back to its old moorings.

If one or a dozen nations repudiated the war loans or defaulted an interest payment, the men and women of the world who place their savings in the hand of the international bankers would be swept clean of their possessions.

A banker, international or otherwise, isn't solid ivory above the chin. He knows that if the Russian plan of payment is adopted by other war ridden countries of Europe or debt ridden nations of the world, credit would be destroyed, that conditions would become chaotic, that finance would go to the devil; that industry would be slaughtered, and that the world or civilization would be set back a hundred years.

Senator LaFollette is one of the really able men of America; he is loyal to the great masses of the people, but there are times when his conclusions are ridiculous and when his statements are not in keeping with sound logic or founded upon the fundamentals which are time tested and unchangeable.

GERMANY

Germany is not a dead nation. Germany is not a dying nation. In Germany every year the birth rate exceeds the death rate by more than a million.

James A. Farrell of United States Steel corporation says when the world war ended the German merchantman fleet had been reduced to about 400,000 tons, composed largely of vessels that represented a minimum work in deep sea commerce. Within two years after the armistice the fleet had been increased to more than 700,000 tons. Since 1918 the Germans have built 1,500,000 tons of new ships and on January 1, 416,000 tons were under construction.

"This is a remarkable situation," says Farrell who has traveled in many countries and is an authority on foreign commerce. "While the government of the United States, the shipping board, congress and American shipping interests generally are in the doldrums of conflicting plans, suggestions and ideas as to what to do with an American fleet, wondering for the most part, apparently, how to get rid of it and even discussing sinking and scrapping a considerable number of the vessels that only a short time ago the whole allied world was clamoring for in agonized suspense, Germany marches serenely and rapidly ahead toward complete recovery of her pre-war maratime status."

This may be a fanciful picture, as Farrell has painted it, but it is true to life. America invested $3,500,000,000 in ships and the American people must pay the bill. Now the shipping board and the congress of the United States do not know what to do with the ships.

Germany lost. And yet Germany is forging ahead as a builder of ships and in the near future her commerce carriers will be found on the seven seas and in all the ports of the world.

What is going to happen to American shipping? President Harding said that only an annual subsidy would save it. Congres refused to vote the subsidy. Chairman A. D. Lasker said that the ships must be wet to capture a fair share of passenger travel.

And now the supreme court has decreed that all American ships shall be dry on all the seven seas and that all foreign owned ships shall be dry within the three-mile limit and this applies to carrying liquor in bond or for any other purpose.

But Germany had 400,000 tons of shipping when the world war ended and since 1918 the Germans have built 1,500,000 tons of new ships and on January 1, 416,000 tons were under construction.

Germany isn't a dead nation. Germany isn't a dying nation. Births exceed deaths one million every year. What is the answer?

PUBLICITY IS THE THING

Nations are not engaged in bartering their trade advantages for larger fellowships. We do not do it ourselves and we need not ask what we do not give.—President Harding.

Now all American ships sailing for the other side are to touch at Canadian docks or the port of Havana. This to evade the recent dry decision made by the supreme court of the United States. Canada has wet ports and wet ships. Havana has its wet places, and wet ships are going to form the acquaintance of its dry docks. Wherever there is a wet, there appears to be a way.

"Where you find no boss, you find nothing worth bossing," is the conclusion of an editor of a Dallas newspaper. That man has horse sense.

Earnings of Judge E. H. Gary's steel corporation for March totaled $34,780,069. There's money in steel. There's money in petroleum. There's money in wool. Here's hoping that there will be money in cotton this fall before it slips out of the hands of the farmers.

WHY NULLIFICATION?

A leading Texas newspaper upbraids the New York legislators for having nullified the prohibition laws. Wherein has the New York legislators nullified the prohibition laws? It isn't possible for the tail to wag the dog. It isn't possible for the law makers of any one of the 48 commonwealths to nullify the prohibition laws.

First, the 18th amendment to the constitution declared against manufacturer or sale or importation of alcoholic liquors to be used as a beverage. Then came the enactment of the enforcement law known as the Volstead act. The 18th amendment prohibited manufacture or sale or importation and the Volstead act declared the alcoholic content of all beverages that could be manufactured and sold for beverage purposes.

Prohibition is the organic law of the land. It is a part of the federal constitution and the Volstead act is the federal enforcement act and applies to all of the 48 states as well as the possessions of this republic.

New York lawmakers have repealed the state enforcement law. They haven't nullified the 18th amendment or the Volstead act for the reason that they haven't the power to nullify any federal act or law. They simply said to the federal government:

"The Volstead law was enacted by the congress of the United States. It is a federal law. It is up to the federal government to see to it that federal officials enforce federal laws."

That is, the federal government, acting through the federal congress is responsible for the Volstead act and federal officials must see to it that the Volstead act is enforced, if it is to be enforced throughout the state of New York.

It isn't a repudiation of the 18th amendment or of the Volstead act for the very substantial reason that a state legislature cannot set aside the federal constitution or nullify an enforcement act of congress.

There never was but one great nullifier, the immortal John C. Calhoun of South Carolina, who was a nullifier proper and who threatened to take South Carolina out of the union. This would have been an act of secession and nullification.

Andrew Jackson was president of the United States. He was a democrat; Calhoun was an apostle of state rights democracy. Jackson promptly notified Calhoun that he would use all the power of the federal government including the regular military forces to prevent secession of South Carolina which would have bene open rebellion as well as secession and nullification.

New York isn't going to secede from the union. They merely notified the federal government that federal authorities are expected to enforce federal laws and pay the cost of enforcement.

ANOTHER MUSSOLINI

An American Mussolini has come to the surface. Mayor James B. Dahlman of Omaha has accepted the office of president of the American Fascista forces. This new organization is for the preservation of American liberty, the protection of the American constitution, the enforcement of all law in the court house and to put down all apostles of anarchy and communism and the good Lord knows the rest. Mayor Jim is a native son of Texas. He was a cowboy in his youth. He rode the Texas range. When the free grass disappeared he moved northward first to Wyoming and then to Nebraska. He became a cowman and owned his own ranch. Then he invaded politics as a democrat and years ago became mayor of Omaha. Free silver got in in 1896 and he proclaimed Bryan to be the greatest statesman, financier and humanitarian that the world had ever known. He backed Bryan until Bryan became a pro. Dahlman has ever been an inveterate and voracious wet. Mayor Jim wished to be governor of Nebraska as a wet. Bryan bolted and defeated him. Dahlman has been a delegate at large to the national convention several times but the Bryans have kept him out of the office of governor. He loves publicity. He loves to see his picture in print. He loves the spectacular. Now that he is head of the American Fascisti he hopes to be able to fill a long felt want. Americans are no longer known as democrats and republicans and prohibtions. They are splitting up into blocs. Perhaps President Harding is right—the great political organizations are going to pieces and government by bloc is on the way. Wisconsin lawmakers favor the passage of a measure that will permit their presidential choice to name the electors. Should this happen congress may name the next president of the United States.

THEY NEED 30,000 MEN

Kansas wheat growers are muchly concerned as to the prospect for harvest help and the wages to be paid. Their leaders say 30,000 men from outside the state will be needed. There is nothing extraordinary about this. When harvest time comes in Kansas the wheat growers always need 20,000 to 30,000 extra harvesters. They always pay extra wages. Harvesters begin in the Panhandle of Texas. They move to Oklahoma and from Kansas to the two Dakotas. If the wage schedule is interesting the extra hary will be there when the call is n

Newcastle Expects 10,000 For Indian Fighters Reunion

WICHITAN WILL SPEAK THERE

Judge Aiken, Guinn Williams And Others On Program

NEWCASTLE, Texas, May 12.—This town is getting ready to entertain 10,000 people Wednesday and Thursday, who are expected to take part in the annual Indian Fighters reunion, to take place in Eichelberger pasture on the old Indian battleground, near Jean.

Members of the Kutch-Manning Pioneer association and of the Salt Creek Fight association have decided to hold a joint celebration this year instead of having two programs. In order to reach a central point Newcastle was selected as the site for the celebration.

The crowds will gather at the site of the well dug by Robert E. Lee back in 1852 for Fort Belknap, when the southern general was in command of that fort, which he also established.

The Cotton Belt Exposition shows which have been filling an engagement in Wichita Falls, have been engaged for the two-day program.

More than 100 letters from pioneers throughout this section who formerly lived in Jack county, have written that they would be in Newcastle for the party.

"Uncle Hilrey Bedford, 83, and his wife, of Midland, Texas, has written that nothing can stop him from attending the pioneers' party.

Uncle Billy Kutch, 80-odd years old, sole survivor of the Salt Creek fight, in which a number of Indians were killed, two whites slain and several injured, will be present for the festivities. Uncle Kutch is from Jacksboro. The Elm Creek Indian fight will be celebrated at the same time.

Congressman Guinn Williams, Judge K. N. Aiken of Wichita Falls, W. C. Sebastian of Breckenridge and Judge Joe A. P. Dickson of Seymour will be the principal speakers. Judge Aiken and Mr. Sebastian will speak on the first day, Wednesday, and Williams and Dickson will speak Thursday.

Another feature will be a big free barbecue to be given Wednesday. Five beeves have been donated and the permanent committee has promised plenty of meat, bread, pickles and coffee as well as plenty of ice water.

The Archer City team will play the Jacksboro team.

The committee in charge of the celebration, which has been elected to serve permanently, is composed of R. O. Andrews, John W. Bryan, M. P. Andrews, W. H. Pratt, M. P. McCracken, J. G. Staples, A. C. Casey, H. L. Stroud and J. B. Foster.

ARCHER CITY'S PROMINENT CITIZENS REPAIR STREETS



—Courtesy Charles Martin.

When the city streets of Archer City began to show too plainly the results of heavy traffic last week a volunteer brigade of prominent citizens was formed to repair the damage done. Shouldering picks and shovels the self-appointed street gang took up the work and soon had the streets graded and cleared of rocks and rubbish. Six of the workers, reading from left to right are: Sid Woodward, Wright, S. Wilson, Coff Conner, D. E. Shattuck, Jess Rodgers, W. L. Andrews.

IN ELECTRA SOCIETY

ELECTRA, May 12.—L. D. Belden and Miss Hattie Wells were married at 8 o'clock Monday night in the First Methodist church, Rev. H. B. Curry officiating. Mr. Belden came to Electra 10 months ago as manager of the Belden Motor company. He has made many friends here, who are extending congratulations and best wishes. Mrs. Belden's former home was in Nashville, Tenn. She has a sister in Wichita Falls. Mr and Mrs. Belden will be at home at 214 West Summit avenue.

Mrs. Boyd Entertains

Presbyterian ladies were guests this week of Mrs. J. L. Boyd for their auxiliary meeting. The program included a violin solo by Miss Eleanor Hyter, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. S. C. Hyter; a piano solo by Miss Norma Andrews, and two vocal numbers by Mrs. W. L. Underwood. Delicious refreshments were served. Next week's meeting will be with Mrs. Underwood, 200 East Summit avenue.

Those present were Mesdames C. C. Dooley, J. F. Hagan, T. H. Barwise, J. M. Hemby, J. V. Harrison, Neal Scott, E. E. Merkt, E. R. Keller, S. C. Hyter, W. L. Underwood, W. F. Wear, J. C. Shaw, Wm. Huffman, C. A. Brown, Lura Sauer, John Brown, S. C. Seward, J. V. Smith, E. W. Roe, J. L. Combs, T. J. Brock, and Misses Eleanor Hyter, Norma Anderson and Ruth Bonner of McKinney, Texas.

Embroidery Club Meets

The Embroidery club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. Roy Andrews. After a social hour and needlework, a delicious salad course wa sserved to members and guests. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Andrews were Mmes. E. A. Smith, R. L. Grillette, S. E. Haddox, L. Kinney, C. A. Tanner, B. W. King and C. C. Adams.

Mrs. Williams Hostess

Mrs. I. K. Williams was hostess Thursday afternoon to the Primo Bridge club at her home on North Waggoner street. High score honor went to Mrs. T. H. Smith. After the games an ice course was served to Mesdames Frank Fisher, M. D. Goldsmith, A. S. Haaf, J. H. Harris, J. M. Hemby, S. C. Hyter, B. V. Magee, E. E. Merkt, J. T. McDannald, T. H. Smith, Ed Campbell and the hostess.

Mrs. Gookin Entertains

Mrs. J. W. Gookin was hostess at her home on Gatrison avenue to the S. A. L. Bridge club. Three tables of bridge were played and candy was served throughout the afternoon. Miss Orpah Dennis of Iowa Park won high score. At the close of the games a dainty luncheon was served to Misses Josephine Hagan, Irene Aderholt, Lottie Mae Gibson, Leta Mae Cocke, Eleanor Ruth Simpson, Arlene Wood, Orpah Dennis, Carrie Cross, Harriett Barwise, Mary McGann, Allie Randall, and Mr. and Mrs. Gookin.

Miss Grimsley Honoree

Miss Ruby Grimsley was honoree at a birthday party Friday night with Mrs. W. H. McCanne hostess, at her home on North Electra street. Hearts and other games were engaged in, after which the honoree cut a beautiful birthday cake for the following guests: Misses Margutrite Baker, Winnie Reynolds, Annie Vaught, Annie Baker, Lucille Reynolds, Ruby Grimsley, and the hostess; Messrs. Roland Roberts, William Key, Webster Rigney and W. H. McCanne.

The polka was originally a Bohemian peasants' dance.

About 1,000 kinds of insects make their home in oak trees.

Waterpower of the United States is estimated at 30,000,000,000 horsepower.

Chillicothe Personal Paragraphs

CHILLICOTHE, May 12.—Mr. and Mrs. John Hayhurst and children of Red River community were shopping in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Smith and children of Center Point were city visitors Saturday.

Mrs. D. T. Wilson and little son, Dan Cooper, returned Saturday from a two weeks visit with relatives in Bowie.

Mrs. W. L. Ledbetter returned Saturday from Wichita Falls where she has been visiting her sister the past week.

Mrs. Owens and little daughter of Quanah spent Monday with relatives in the city.

Miss Gracie L. Cole has returned from Christine where she has been teaching the past eight months.

Mrs. J. E. Roberts and little son, Chois, of Wichita Falls, are spending the wek with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hindman, enroutes to Memphis where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs J. E. Stines and son, W. O. of Vernon, attended the funeral of L. E. Vernon Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. A. B. Cron of the experiment station was a city visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Mitchell and little daughter, Mary Lynn, spent the week-end with relatives in Fort

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Baker and family of Whittle Chapel were shopping in the city Saturday.

The many friends of E. A. J. Sanders of Delhi, Oklahoma, who has been very ill with pneumonia will be pleased to know he is much improved and hopes in a few weeks to come for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. P. M. Durham of this city.

Mrs. R. N. Osborn and children of Wichita Falls, mrs. S. M. Saunders and two children of Dallas, Mrs. S. L. Kutch and little son Hilton, of Reed, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Perrin and baby Alton of Hillsboro, Kansas, have been visiting their sister, Mrs. R. J. Doss of this place the past week.

Messrs Lee Cainbell, Virgil Standifer, Floyd Cox, A. P. Verner, H. Barlow and C. L. Wickliffe attended the ball game in Wichita Falls Sunday.

George Ludeman returned from the plains Tuesday where he has been the past week looking after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. John Otwell, Mr. and Mrs. Grady G. Roberts and Miss Ruth Payne were Wichita Falls visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Ragsdale and family of route one were city visitors Saturday.

Editor and Mrs. Sam Roberts and children of Haskell spent the week-end with the former's brothers, Grady G. and J. W. Roberts and family.

BARGAIN-HUNTERS MEET AT LAUSANNE



Left to right, Richard Nihad, Turk ambassador to London; Ahmed Ths judicial expert. Inset, right to let, Venizellos, head of Greek dele an, Ottoman press agent; Tahir Bey gation, and an associate.

Diplomats of the powers seeking bargain concessions in Turkey are gathered in Lausanne, Switzerland, to try to reach some agreement with the Angora government of Mustapha Kemal Pasha. To the Greeks attending the conference the most important work is the signing of the Graeco-Turk peace treaty, but to the other European nations the disposition of certain valuable rail and oil concessions is the most vital problem facing the conferees. Some real old-fashioned diplomatic bargaining can be expected before the conference closes.

LEE SMITH AT VERNON TODAY

Washington-Lee President To Preach Graduation Sermon

Special Dispatch to Record News

VERNON, May 12.—President Henry Lewis Smith of Washington and Lee University will preach the graduation sermon for Vernon high school graduates at the First Methodist church today. In addition to sermon there will be a program in which members of the graduating class will take part.

The program for the graduation exercises follows: Opening chorus by graduate; invocation by Rev. Lewis P. Kopp of the Central Christian church, salutatory, Miss Ruth Walker; vocal solo, Miss Opal Williams; reading, Miss Hazel Vaughn; valedictory, A. C. Boger jr.; chorus, graduates; address to graduates by Dr. Henry Lewis Smith, president of Washington and Lee University; awarding of diplomas by J. O. Rouse, president of school board; chorus by graduates; benediction by Rev. T. L. Moore of First Presbyterian church.

The senior class at the high school is composed of the following prospective graduates: Alyene Arnold, Alene Ashenhurst, Ola Austin, Everett Adams, Lillian Brumbalow, Estelle Bristo, Clarice Brown, Lorain Brunson, Willie Carpenter, Odessa Copeland, Guyman Cato, Lillian Garner, Mildred Hansard, Juanita Hill, Jamie Mann, Lester Milholland, Clarence Pearson, Claud Roberts, Cecil White, Eunice Davis, Maurine Davis, Paul Wilhelm, Leil Buchanan, Leslie King, Ant Thurston, A. C. Boger jr., Frank Parr, Chester Robinson, Harlow Rouse, Marguerite Thomas, Velma Thomas, Ruth Walker, Hazel Vaughn, Mae Swim, Opal Williams, Edith Wheatley, Arnie Lowe, Helen Eakle, William Bagley and Hardy Taylor.

Knox City News

KNOX CITY, May 12. — Willie Shaw of Tulia, Texas, was a visitor here the first of the week.

R. E. Hardburger and Henry Harlan left Monday for Alvord, to move a gin to O'Donnell.

Dr. Masters and Dr. Edwards are attending the medical convention in Fort Worth this week.

D. Noland was a business visitor in Dallas this week.

Earl Woodward was in the city Thursday.

R. C. Beck of Dallas was a visitor here this week.

Hoyt Shaw, Bunyon Cooner and others made a trip to Munday Wednesday.

S. L. Favor and H. M. Warren made a trip to Abilene the first of the week.

Miss Bernice Sams of Benjamin, spent the week end in our city.

Tom Bolin, Hob Smith and Mike Perry made a trip to Wichita Falls Sunday.

H. N. Lile and Roy Smith were in Stamford Tuesday.

R. T. Pickett of the 6006 ranch was in the city Thursday.

Mrs. H. N. Lyle is visiting in Stamford this week.

ROAD OFFICIALS VISIT WAURIKA

Inspection Made Of Burlington And Denver Roads

Special Dispatch to Record News

WAURIKA, May 12.—Hale Holden, president of the Burlington Railway company, F. R. Clarity vice-president and general manager of the Fort Worth and Denver, J. H. Barwise jr., attorney for the Burlington in Texas, F. A. Covington general superintendnet of th Burlington, O. E. Maer, superintendent of the Wichita Valley, H. R. Stafford vice-president of the Burlington, A. W. Newton, chief engineer of the Burlington, J. A. Hulen/traffic manager of the Texas Burlington lines, and W. A. Sterley, general freight agent of the Burlington, were in Waurika Wednesday on a tour of inspection of their company's lines in Oklahoma and Texas.

Advertise Convention.

C. M. Looney, W. H. Hoover, C. H. Fawks, S. I. Andrews and J. R. Blanchard, a committee of business men from Snyder, Okla., were in Waurika Tuesday advertising the D. C. D. convention which will be held in their city May 16, Waurika will be represented at the convention.

Cotton Growers Meet.

A meeting of the local Cotton Growers' association was held in Sugden Friday night to discuss the cotton marketing question.

New Brick Store.

E. C. Burge has begun work on his new brick and tile building which is located on south Main street. It will have a 50-foot front and for the present will be two stories high, the second story being aprtments. The building is planned so that when conditions demand another story can be added.

Col. Hardy Watson might well be known as the "marrying judge" as he has performed 51 marriage ecremonies since taking office a few months ago. Colonel Watson says that he understands this is a record for the state.

I am in the basement, that is why I sell it for less. Richardson's Bargain Basement.—Adv.

Waurika Street Work Given Right Of Way During Week

International News Dispatch

WAURIKA, May 12.—Waurika is in the throes of street work this week. The work has been neglected, as the water and sewer extension workers have been given right of way, until the streets were in a deplorable condition. Ditches are being main street will be smoothed and made in as good condition as is possible. Meanwhile the cement is being run ot finish the paving on East D avenue.

All the Chickasha and Choctaw residents of Jefefrson county, are called to meet in Waurika Friday, May 18, for the purpose of considering Victor M. Locke's proposition to sell all the coal and asphalt land of the above tribes and use the moneys to build and maintain tribal schools, and for the consideration of any other Indian affairs.

Bible Class Moves.

The Men's Bible class of the First Baptist church has moved to the Empress theater in order to have more commodious quarters. The class meets each Sunday morning at 10 and then dismisses in plenty of time for the morning preaching service. The officers of the class are C. E. Evans, president, E. J. Leverett, vice president, and Joe T. Dillard, secretary. Guy Green teaches the class.

One of the world's biggest businesses is the American dairy industry and it is just beginning to grow. It now is possible to ship milk hundreds of miles without having it spoil. The old-fashioned milk can has been supplanted by huge, glass-lined tanks that in reality are large vaccum bottles. They are mounted on trucks and insulated from heat by cork packing. Less than two gallons of milk stick to the sides of one of these 5,000 gallon tanks. American children are better fed than those of any other country because milk is so plentiful. When co-operative dairying makes it possible for the children of the poor to drink it as well as those of the well-to-do, poorly conditioned children will be rare. The world's super men and women, physically considered, are in future to come from the United States.

Porch Furniture Week



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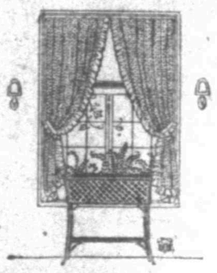
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Spudders Slap Another On Exporters, 9 to 7

LOCALS HIT TIMELY AND TAKE ADVANTAGE OF ENEMY'S BOOTS; FEIGERT AGAIN SHOWS GOODS

Meine Is Wild and Is Relieved By Southpaw—Buddie Tanner Hits Long Home Run With One on—Spudders Take First Series on Beaumont Lot.

(Special to The Record News)

BEAUMONT, May 12.—The Spudders took advantage of Exporter mistakes today and combined the advantage with timely hitting to grab the second game of the series, 9 to 7. It was another of those ragged affairs which holds unlimited possibilities for each club. Neither team displayed the dash of other days and the fans accepted a listless offering in lieu of the anticipated duel which was scheduled to follow the reckless and creditless contest yesterday.

The Spudders accepted a run in the first inning, a gift which came without effort when Ostergard erred twice and Caldera once. The Exporters evened the count in their half when they managed to count a tally from two doubles, a single and walk. But the issue was probably determined in the second when Caldera was bombarded vociferously for four markers, the final pair coming when Tanner drove into deep left center for the circuit scoring White. Elliott endeavored to repeat but Demaggio pulled a great running catch to retire the side.

Townsend to Rescue.

After the storm in the second, Edington sent Pat Townsend, former Brave hurler, to the mound and the Spudders settled down to a steady parade counting as little run in four successive rounds, the first three on one hit and clever base running together with scheduled sacrifices. But after the Exporters rallied in the eighth and drew up within striking distance, Townsend bore down with vengeance in the ninth and whiffed both Tanner and Elliott while Whiteman's attempt was a feeble pop fly. Salm started Heine Meine, an erratic hurler wearing his third Texas League uniform, having been signed after his release by San Antonio last week.

The elongated slabist was wild, pitifully so, and after racking the bags to their capacity hunted the showers when Salm's beckoning hand waived Feigert to the hillock. Kirkham hit the first pitched ball straight at Berger who played the ball too fast attempting a double play and it rolled into center field, scoring two runners. The recruit southpaw hurled a creditable game until the eighth when three runs were scored after two were out and none on bases. The first of the trio resulted from perfectly good hitting, but the final pair trod the counting rubber when Whiteman, White and Elliott all concentrated around Demaggio's pop fly beside first base. Whiteman finally dashed in, but failed to spear the nugget and chased it to the fence. There were no sensations to the game, other than an occasional flash of baseball which was generally suspicionous because of its absence. The Spudders made 11 hits, total 21 bases while the Exporters' 11 drives were for 16 bases. Contrary to the general rule, but one of the eight two base blows was across the short right field fence, both Kirkham and Ostergard crossing up the Spudders by hitting down third base line.

The Spudders claimed a signal honor of the season by taking today's game, that of taking the first series from the Exporters at home. But this achievement was more in the form of a present than victory.

Rabit Darough will undoubtedly start for the Spudders tomorrow and Edington must use Karl Eberhard, Spudder of 1920 who was traded to Pittsburgh but later released to Birmingham.

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE
Tyler 1; Greenville, 0.
At Marshall 0; Sulphur Springs 4.
Longview 0; Mount Pleasant 3.

Get the basement habit and have money left. Richardson's Bargain Basement.—Adv.

TALKING IT OVER
With "Dink"

Age, along with some other things that were apparent, conquered youth in the Yankee stadium yesterday afternoon. Jess Willard has double the years of Floyd Johnson heaped upon his shoulders. But he had the better of the Iowan all the way through the fight. There is still the call that Willard was fighting a second-rater. Some think so while others don't. At any rate it is agreed that Willard showed stuff that many believed him incapable of after his absence from the ring.

Jess at least discovered that rigid training accomplished something no matter what one's age. Having seen these results he will undoubtedly go on and we can begin to get ready for the Dempsey-Willard propaganda that is sure to come. We'll take the short end of the count if Dempsey doesn't put Tommy Gibbons in the background next Fourth of July. And we rest assured that Willard is thinking of his next crack at Champion Jack right now.

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One mighty pleasing feature of the Texas league race stands out as it has not often done in the past. With the exception of Shreveport, every club in the circuit is right in the thick of the mixing. The race is so close that within a few days the entire face of the battle front can be changed. No club has a tight hold on any one place, Gassers excepted, and each and every entry has to stay up on its toes.

Such a condition makes an ideal race. Most of the cities in the loop are sick and tired of seeing Fort Worth on the jump all the way. The Cats are very much in the race at present but they're not hogging the spotlight by a long shot. With seven clubs within striking distance of classy company, interest is bound to be upheld in each of the seven cities. And the league as a whole is better off than if one entry were having things all to itself and skipping off from the rest with nonchalence.

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There ought to be some comfort in the fact that the Spudders have received two new pitchers. Meine didn't burn up any league in the past two seasons, but one can never tell what a change will do. Charlie Stauffer has an excellent record behind him and things are in his favor for a prosperous year for the Spuds. Meine did not have much of a club behind him at Beaumont. He's worth a trial here.

Still another pitcher is expected from the Cubs. Bill Killifer is all upset with Grimes out of the game and other worries in his infield popping in his face. He hasn't had much time to devote to his pitching staff. He has been sending his veterans to the hill and depending on them to hold their own while he spends his time on the inner defense. When he gets ironed out he can experiment with his younger flingers and then perhaps he'll be able to weed out the talent and forward another righthander toward Spudderville.

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The city of Wichita Falls owes itself a pat on the back. Hardly had its municipal golf course gotten a good start than municipal tennis courts got under way. Three are being constructed on the "muny" grounds and they are expected to be completed within a week. Humanity must have some play as well as work and any time a city does anything toward providing a playground for its people it has done something that cannot be measured in cold dollars and cents.

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You'd hesitate to pay $50 for a ringside seat at the greatest presentation of the greatest assemblage of grand opera stars that could be gotten together. But Jack Dempsey and Tommy Gibbons can demand the same price for a place to flop when they put on the gloves in Shelby, Mont. Which shows how the world likes to spend its money.

RIGHT AGAIN!

WICHITA F.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Escher, lf	5	1	2	0	0	0
White, 1b	5	1	2	4	6	0
Tanner, 2b	4	2	2	0	2	1
Elliott, 1b	4	1	1	14	0	0
Whiteman, rf	3	0	1	2	0	1
Cotter, cf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Berger, ss	4	1	1	0	4	1
Bischoff, c	3	2	2	6	3	0
Meine, p	0	0	0	0	2	0
Feigert, p	2	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	9	11	27	18	3

BEAUMONT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Ostergard	4	2	2	3	4	2
Turgeon, ss	5	2	3	3	2	0
Demaggio, lf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Kirkham, rf	5	0	2	1	0	0
Edington, cf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Strong, 1b	5	0	0	16	1	0
Huber, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	1
Lothes, c	3	0	0	5	3	0
Caldera, p	0	0	0	0	0	1
Townsend, p	5	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	37	5	11	27	14	4

Score by innings:

Wichita Falls	140 111 100—9
Beaumont	102 010 030—7

Two base hits, Tanner, White, Elliott, Ostergard, Demaggio, Kirkham, Turgeon 2; three base hits, Berger, Whiteman; home runs, Tanner; stolen bases, Beecher; sacrifice hits, Whiteman, Cotter, Meine; base on balls, off Meine, 4; Feigert, 4; Caldera, 2; Townsend, 3. Struck out, by Townsend, 2; Feigert, 2. Double plays, Berger to White to Elliott; Ostergard to Turgeon to Strong. Left on base, Wichita Falls, 5; Beaumont, 9. Time: 2:05. Umpires, Price and Brashear.

FORMER TIGER WRECKING CREW IS SHADED BY PRESENT SET OF MAULERS



Above, Wahoo Sam Crawford and Ty Cobb taking off his hat to his new gang of maulers. Below, three of his 12 .300 hitters. Left to right, Bobby Veach, Fred Haney and Harry Heilman.

By NORMAN E. BROWN.

Time was when the two-man wrecking crew of Ty Cobb and Wahoo Sam Crawford was recognized as the most murderous outfit ever collected on a ball club. These two men unaided broke up ball games and ruined careers of pitchers with a ruthlessness and heartlessness that faded the darkest doing of the famous blue-beard.

The ball-mauling of these two sluggers hasn't been forgotten nor their fame dimmed by the passing days. But Cobb will admit himself that the damage he and Sam wrought in those old days was nothing to what his present team is capable of doing.

For he has just 12 men grouped around him that have and can hit over .300. Every one of them is of the free-swinging slugging type that Wahoo Sam and Ty exemplify.

CATS WIN WITH TIMELY HITTING

Make Their Blows Count For Runs And Best Houston

HOUSTON, Tex., May 12.—Fort Worth made his count today and defeated the Buffs in a swatfest, 7 to 5. Jack Knight, Buffs outfielder, made the longest hit ever seen in the local park, when he drove a double against the deep right field wall.

Score:

FORT WORTH	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Coombs, lf	5	2	2	1	1	0
Calvo, cf	5	2	2	2	0	0
Stellbauer, rf	5	1	4	0	0	0
Kraft, 1b	5	1	3	9	1	0
Phelan, 2b	5	0	2	3	3	3
Haley, 3b	4	0	1	3	2	0
Tavener, ss	1	0	0	2	1	0
Moore c	4	1	0	7	1	1
Stoner, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	37	7	14	27	12	1

HOUSTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Baggan, lf	5	1	1	3	0	0
Sperber, cf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Knight, rf	5	1	2	0	1	0
Schmandt, 1b	4	1	3	12	0	0
Bell, ss	4	0	3	4	4	0
Stansbury, 2b	4	0	2	2	1	0
Handley, 3b	5	0	1	2	1	0
Griffith, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bailey, p	2	0	0	0	5	1
Vick, c	4	1	1	2	0	0
Monroe, x	1	0	1	0	0	0
Berley, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	39	5	15	27	13	1

Monroe batted for Bailey in 8th.

Score by innings:

Fort Worth	000 010 2x0—7
Houston	001 010 012—5

Two base hits, Vick, Baggan, Knight (2), Stellbauer, Kraft, Bell. Sacrifice hits, Tavener (2), Bell, Bailey, Stansbury, Stoner. Base on balls, off Bailey, 5; Stoner, 1. Struck out, by Stoner, 6; Bailey, 2. Innings pitched, by Bailey, 8; with 14 hits and 7 runs. Left on base, Houston, 9; Fort Worth, 11. Wild pitch, Bailey. Umpires, Fanning and Kane. Time: 2:15.

Keeping Pace In The Chess Match
Between Houston And Wichita Falls

Queen to Knight, 3.

As anticipated, this move was made by the local club to clear the queen from the tracks of the Houston knight, who had started a tour of the Wichita section. The queen will now view his stunts from a more distant point and it is probable that some of the lesser nobility of the king's court will deal with the Houston knight if he gets too ches

Legion And Electra Game Is Postponed Until Next Sunday

The opening game of the Wichita County league between the Wichita Falls American Legion and Electra, has been postponed until next Sunday because of the fact that the grandstand at Electra has been torn down.

A new park is being built at Electra and will be ready for the game next Sunday. The park will be an improvement over the old one and will boast of a better location.

GALVESTON WINS IN TEN INNINGS

GALVESTON, May 12.—In a slow 10-inning game Galveston evened up the series with Shreveport with a 6 to 5 win. With two men on in the tenth, Joe Munson lifted one over the wall scoring Distell from second. Wisterzil ran to the dugout after reaching third from first and Munson's clout counted only as a double.

Score:

SHREVEPORT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Storey, cf	2	2	0	2	1	0
Sargent, 2b	5	1	3	5	2	0
Riley, 1b	4	0	1	10	0	0
Simmons, lf	5	1	2	3	1	0
Jackson, rf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Wight, 3b	5	0	0	1	2	1
Stow, ss	4	1	3	4	2	0
Burns, c	4	0	0	2	4	1
Brower, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Harle, p	4	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	38	5	10x	29	14	2

xTwo out when winning run was scored.

GALVESTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bittle, lf	3	2	1	4	0	0
Distell, ss	4	2	1	3	3	0
J. D. Brown, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Connoly, 2b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Wisterzil, 3b	3	1	1	1	1	0
Munson, rf	3	1	1	3	0	0
Kearns, 1b	4	0	0	14	0	0
Witley, c	4	0	1	3	2	0
Glaiser, p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Kiefer, p	1	0	0	0	3	0
D. M. Brown, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	6	6	30	15	0

xD. M. Brown batted for Glasier in seventh.

Score by innings:

Shreveport	010 000 121 0—5
Galveston	201 200 001 1—6

Two base hits Munson, Simmons. Stolen bases Simmons, Wisterzil, Connoly. Sacrifice hits Connoly, J. D. Brown (2), Storey. Innings pitched by Brewer 1, Glaiser 1, Harle 3, Kiefer 3. Base on balls off Brewer 3; Glaiser 2; Earle 6. Batsmen hit, Storey by Glaiser. Wild pitch Glaiser. Left on base Shreveport 7; Galveston 6. Double plays Stow to Sargent to Riley. Passed balls Burns. Time 2:40. Umpires O'Hearne and Weir.

Youth Wins College Golf Championship

Associated Press Dispatch

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., May 12.—Winning the finals of the first southern intercollegiate conference golf tournament which ended here today, Jack Grenshaw, 17, a brilliant golfer and senior at the University of Alabama, has annexed the title of southern inter-collegiate golf champion.

The winning of the championship came with his decsive victory of 4-3 over G. F. Lamprech, Gulf States champion.

Crenshaw put forth good playing all the way through the match and won easily.

SUTHERLAND MAY JOIN W.F.

Pitcher Who Had A Trial Wants To Come Back Again

Bob Sutherland, a pitcher who was with the Spudders for a short period two years ago, may join the club again, according to an announcement made yesterday by President R. O. Harvey.

Sutherland left the club during his first trial and was placed on the ineligible list. He went to New Orleans, where he has been pitching independent ball and has been making a go of it.

The prodigal pitcher is repentant and anxious to get back with the Spudders. President Harvey received a letter from him, stating that he had been put back in good standing and if this fact is verified, Manager Salm will give him another trial.

Sutherland is a right hander of the underhand submarine type, and Prexy Harvey believes he is fully worthy of a trial with the club.

Harvey received telegrapric word from Manager Bill Killefer of the Cubs, yesterday, saying that he (Killefer) had endeavored to send Pitcher Toney Kaufman to the Spudders, but had been unable to obtain waivers. He does not look for any obstacle in getting Charlie Stauffer headed this way.

ALLEN'S HOMER BEATS SANTONE

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 12.—Pug Allen, with a home run over right field fence in the eighth inning scoring Vache ahead of him, broke up a pitcher's battle between Couchman and Mitchell here today, Dallas winning, 5 to 3.

Score:

DALLAS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hamilton, ss	4	1	0	1	2	2
Wano, 1b	4	0	1	13	0	0
Donohue rf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Vachey, cf	4	2	3	3	0	0
Massey, 2b	3	0	0	3	3	0
Segrist, 3b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Allen, lf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Mitchell, p	4	0	1	1	3	0
Totals	34	5	8	27	14	2

SAN ANTONIO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Fuller, 2b	4	0	0	2	4	0
Gross, ss	3	1	0	3	2	0
Boone, lf	3	1	1	4	0	0
Galloway, 3b	3	0	1	1	1	0
Meyers, cf	4	1	1	4	0	0
Todt, 1b	4	0	1	8	2	0
Boos, 1b	3	0	1	1	0	0
Henry, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Couchman, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	30	3	5	27	11	0

Score by innings:

Dallas	101 001 020—5
San Antonio	000 003 000—3

Stolen bases, Donohue 2, Vache 2, Allen, Hamilton. Sacrifices, Galloway, Massey, Boos. Two base hits, Vache. Home run, Allen. Double play, Vache to Wano. Base on balls, off Couchman, 4; Mitchell, 3. Struck out by Couchman, 3; Mitchell, 3. Left on base, Dallas, 7; San Antonio, 3. Time: 1:40. Umpires, Sweeney and Daly.

Choate Wins Yale Race

DERBY, Conn. May 12.—Choate School of Wallingford won the Yale interscholastic race on the Housatonic river this afternoon. Kent school was second, Culver Military Academy of Indiana was third, Stuyvesant high fourth, Episcopal academy of Philadelphia, fifth, and DeWitt Clinton high of New York City, fifth. The time for the mile was five minutes 24 1-5 seconds.

300 FIGHT FANS ATTEND RECORD NEWS WIRE PARTY

A crowd of fistic fans, estimated at 300, attended The Record News fight party yesterday afternoon and heard the returns of the Willard-Johnson mill. The sympathies of the crowd seemed divided, each combatant having his supporters and each voicing his approval of points scored by his favorites.

As the fight grew on and it became apparent that Willard was getting the better of things, his followers became more vociferous and he was given a ringing cheer when the final result was announced.

But comparatively little interest was apparent in the Firpo-McAuliffe battle and the knockout scored by the Argentine was received as a matter of course.

VANGILDER WINS PITCHER'S DUEL

Allows But Four Hits And Browns Beat Boston, 2 to 1

ST. LOUIS, May 12.—Vangilder held Boston to four hits today and St. Louis won the opening game of the series 2 to 1. Score:

BOSTON	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Menosky, lf	4	1	1	3	0	0
McMillan, 3b	4	0	1	3	4	1
Reichle, cf	4	0	1	3	4	1
Burns, 1b	3	0	0	12	0	0
Flagstead, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Picinich, c	3	0	1	1	1	0
Shanks, 2b	3	0	0	4	4	0
Mitchell, ss	3	0	0	1	4	1
Ehmke, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	30	1	4	24	15	2

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Tobin, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Foster, 2b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Jacobson, rf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Williams, lf	3	0	0	5	0	0
McManus, 1b	4	0	1	5	0	0
Severeid, c	3	1	1	7	1	0
Robertson, 3b	3	1	1	3	0	0
Gerber, ss	3	0	2	3	1	0
Vangilder, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	31	2	8	27	5	0

Score by innings:

Boston	000 001 000—1
St. Louis	000 200 00x—2

To base hits Jacobson, Severeid, Picinich, Menosky. Three base hits Robertson. Left on base Boston 7, St. Louis 6. Base on balls off Ehmke 1. Struck out by Vangilder 6, Ehmke 1.

NAYLOR BLANKS WHITE SOX

CHICAGO, May 12.—Sammy Hale's triple with the bases filled in the 6th inning when Philadelphia launched its attack, put the visitors out in front and behind Naylor's great pitching, shut out the locals 5 to 0, in the first game of the series.

PHILA.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	CHI.	AB.	H.	O.	A.
Matthews cf	3	0	2	0	Hooper, rf	4	2	1	0
Hale, 3b	3	1	1	2	McClelln, ss	3	0	0	4
Perkins, c	4	1	6	3	Collins, 2b	3	0	1	1
Hauser, 1b	4	0	1	0	Hoeily, 1b	4	1	13	1
Miller, lf	3	1	3	0	Mostil, cf	3	0	2	0
Galwy, ss	4	0	4	2	Kamm, 3b	3	0	1	4
M'Gown, rf	4	1	1	1	Elsh, lf	3	1	1	0
Dykes, 2b	4	1	1	1	Schalk, c	3	0	7	2
Naylor, p	3	0	2	2	Levsett, p	3	0	0	2
					Thurston, p	2	0	0	0
Totals	32	5	27	11	Falk, z	1	0	0	0
					Totals	29	4	27	14

Falk batted for McClennan in 9th.

Score by innings—

Philadelphia	000 005 000—5
Chicago	000 000 000—0

Runs—Matthews, Hale, Perkins, Naylor and Dykes; Two base hit—Hooper. Three base hit—Hale. Left on base—Philadelphia 3, Chicago 4. Bases on balls—off Naylor 2, Leverett 4, Thurston 1. Struck out—by Naylor 4, Leverett 2. Hits off—Leverett, 5 in 5 1-3, Thurston, 0 in 3 2-3.

RUTH HITS HOMER AND YANKS WIN

DETROIT, May 12.—Fourteen Tigers left on bases tells the story of Detroit's defeat by the Yankees today, 3 to 2. Ruth's homer, his third this season, went into the right field bleachers. Score:

N. Y.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	DET.	AB.	H.	O.	A.
Witt, sf	4	2	3	0	Jones, 2b	4	0	0	3
Dugan, 2b	4	1	1	0	Cobb, cf	5	2	0	0
Ruth, lf	4	1	1	0	Heilm, rf	4	2	3	0
Meusel, rf	4	0	1	0	Pratt, 2b	4	2	1	2
Pipp, 1b	4	3	5	1	Blue, 1b	5	0	15	0
Schang, c	3	0	6	2	Woodall, c	2	0	1	3
Ward, 2b	2	0	4	0	Kerr, ss	3	0	1	5
Scott, ss	3	1	2	3	Haney, ss	0	0	0	0
Bush, p	4	0	1	2	Fillette, p	4	2	1	2
					Manush, x	1	0	0	0
Totals	31	9	27	9	Fithgill, xx	1	0	0	0
					Totals	36	11	27	20

Manush batted for Kerr in 7th. Fothergill batted for Woodall in 9th.

Score by innings—

New York	000 011 001—3
Detroit	200 000 000—2

Runs—Ruth, Ward 2, Veach, Heilman. Two base hits—Veach. Home run—Ruth. Left on bases—New York 7, Detroit 14. Bases on balls—off Fillette 3, off Bush 1. Struck out by Bush 2, Fillette 1.

Modern Samson At Lake Today

E. C. Cogburn, manager of the entertainments at Lake Wichita, announced Saturday that Professor Rex, the world-known modern Samson, will appear at the lake Sunday afternoon in a number of free performances. Among some of the things the strong man will do is to hold two automobiles stationary and to drive nails with his hands.

Professor Rex appeared in Wichita Falls a number of years ago in interest of the Liberty Loan drive and scaled one of the downtown buildings, being known at that time as "the human fly." He is also the only man known that is able to hang by his feet and drink a bottle of soda water with his head pointing toward the ground.

MISSOURI TRIMS OKLAHOMA

COLUMBIA, Mo., May 12.—Missouri defeated Oklahoma in a dual track meet here this afternoon, 79 to 38.5. The Tigers scored first place in 11 of the 15 events and both first and second in six. Time and distances were poor except in the discus which Al Lincoln of Missouri hurled 132 feet, 5 inches, just 11 inches less than the Missouri valley conference record.

Coyotes Close Year By Defeating Vernon

Locals Win Out, 4 to 2; Baldwin Makes Sensational Catch

The Wichita Falls high school baseball team played their final game of the season Saturday afternoon against the Vernon high school team at Vernon and defeated their opponents by a score of 4 to 2. The local boys won the game by opportune hitting and through the excellent mound work of Claude Harris, the youthful Coyote only allowing six hits while his teammates were gathering 10. Bourland, a former Coyote pitcher started in the box for Vernon but was hit heavily and was forced to retire in the fourth inning after eight hits and four runs had been scored off of him. Walker took his place in the box and allowed only two hits in five innings.

Leo Baldwin, playing left field for Wichita Falls made one of the most sensational catches that was ever performed on the Vernon diamond when he raced fifty yards accoss the outfield to get a line drive and caught the ball as he stumbled but held on to it. The hit would have been good for a triple had Baldwin not made the wonderful catch.

The lineups were as follows:

Wichita Falls—Ross, center; Roberts, third; Gordon and Skeen, center; Gildwell, right; Walker second; Jenkins, shortstop; Morgan, first; Harris, pitcher.

Vernon—Buchanan, center; Hollar, third; Smith, second; Parr, first; Walker and Thorn, left field; Robinson, center; Hammock and Karns, right; Bourland and Walker, pitchers.



TEXAS LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Results.

At Beaumont, 7; Wichita Falls, 9.
At Houston, 5; Fort Worth, 7.
At Galveston, 6; Shreveport, 5.
At San Antonio, 3; Dallas, 5.

Club Standings.

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Dallas	14	9	.609
Wichita Falls	13	10	.565
Fort Worth	13	10	.565
San Antonio	13	12	.520
Houston	12	12	.500
Galveston	12	12	.500
Beaumont	11	12	.478
Shreveport	6	17	.261

Where They Play Today.
Wichita Falls at Beaumont.
Fort Worth at Houston.
Dallas at San Antonio.
Shreveport at Galveston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Results.

At Philadelphia, 3; Cincinnati, 12.
At Brooklyn, 11; Chicago, 8.
At New York; Pittsburgh, rain.
At Boston; St. Louis, rain.

Club Standing.

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	17	6	.739
Pittsburgh	12	10	.542
St. Louis	13	11	.542
Boston	10	11	.476
Chicago	11	12	.478
Cincinnati	11	12	.478
Brooklyn	9	13	.409
Philadelphia	7	15	.318

Where They Play Today.
Pittsburgh at New York.
Chicago at Brooklyn.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Results.

At Detroit, 2; New York, 3.
At St. Louis, 2; Boston, 1.
At Cleveland; Washington, rain.

Club Standing.

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	14	7	.667
Cleveland	12	10	.545
Philadelphia	11	9	.550
Detroit	12	11	.522
Washington	9	10	.474
St. Louis	10	12	.455
Chicago	8	12	.400
Boston	7	12	.368

Where They Play Today.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
New York at Detroit.
Boston at St. Louis.

World Low Hurdle Record Again Hit

IOWA CITY, Iowa, May 12.—Charles Brookins, of the University of Iowa broke his own world's record of 23 4.10 seconds in the 220-yard low hurdles by two-fifths of a second in the Iowa-Chicago Western conference dual meet here this afternoon, according to the time recorded by four officials.

HOME RUN SWATTERS

TEXAS LEAGUE
Tanner, Spudders.
Allen, Steers.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Williams, Phillies.
Harper, Reds.
Bohne, Reds.
Fonseca, Reds.
Muller, Cubs.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Ruth, Yankees.

WILLIAMS GETS HIS THIRTEENTH

Loses Another Ball As His Club Is Swamped By Reds

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—Cincinnati today took the opening game of the series from Philadelphia in rather easy fashion, 12 to 3. Cy Williams knocked out his 13th home run of the season in the fifth. Score:

CINCINNATI	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Burns, rf	5	1	1	0	0	0
Dauberl, 1b	4	0	0	11	0	0
Harper, lf	5	2	2	4	1	0
Roush, cf	5	1	2	4	0	0
Bohne, 3b	3	2	1	0	1	0
Fonseca, 2b	3	2	2	2	2	0
Caveney, ss	4	1	1	0	7	0
Wingo, c	4	2	2	8	0	0
Donohue, p	4	1	2	0	2	0
Totals	38	12	13	27	13	0

PHILADELP'A	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Mokan, lf	5	0	3	1	0	1
Sand, 3b	5	0	0	0	2	0
Williams, cf	5	1	1	5	0	0
Walker, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Holke, 1b	3	0	1	14	0	1
Parkinson, 2b	4	0	2	3	3	0
Wrightstone, ss	3	0	0	6	6	0
Henline, c	4	1	1	3	0	0
Hubbell, p	2	1	1	0	1	0
Winters, p	1	0	0	0	0	1
Mitchell, x	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	3	10	27	14	3

xMitchell batted for Winters in 9th.

Score by innings:

Cincinnati	400 007 010—12
Philadelphia	000 120 000— 3

Two base hits Burns, Parkinson, Henline, Caveney, Wingo (2). Home runs, Williams, Bohne, Fonseca, Harper. Left on base Cincinnati 3; Philadelphia 9. Base on balls off Donohue 3, Hubbel 1, Winters 1. Struck out by Donohue 2, Hubbell 2, Winters1. Hits off Hubbell 8 in 5 innings, off Winters 5 in 4 innings.

ROBINS CATCH UP AND DEFEAT CUBS

BROOKLYN, May 12.—Overcoming a four run lead with seven runs in the eighth, Brooklyn today took the opening game of the league from the Chicago Cubs, 11 to 8. Manager Robinson used four pitchers in his successful drive against the visitors. Score:

CHI.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	BROOK.	AB.	H.	O.	A.
Statz, cf	5	2	4	0	Olson, 2b	5	1	1	4
Kelleher, ss	6	1	0	3	Johnstn ss	5	1	4	4
Friberg, 3b	4	1	2	1	Griffith, rf	4	1	1	0
Hartlt, 1b	5	1	5	2	Wheat, lf	4	2	2	0
Grntham, 2b	4	1	2	3	Fournier, 1b	4	1	8	2
Miller, lf	4	2	3	0	Neis, cf	4	1	2	0
Callagn, rf	4	1	2	1	High, 3b	4	2	1	1
O'Farrell, c	4	1	3	5	Taylor, c	3	2	7	0
Keen, x	1	0	1	0	Ruether, p	0	0	0	0
Fussell, p	0	0	0	0	Decatur, p	2	0	0	0
Osborne, p	0	0	0	0	Smith, p	0	0	0	1
Weiss, z	1

Willard Batters Johnson to Mat In Eleventh

BIG JESS HANDS IOWAN HARSH DRUBBING, GAINING TECHNICAL KNOCKOUT IN GREAT COMEBACK

Kansas Giant Impressively Beats Man Half His Age—Firpo Shows Great Hitting Ability in Putting McAuliffe to Sleep—Fulton Loses on Foul.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Two giants of the prize ring, Luis Firpo, pride of the Argentine and Jess Willard, Kansas man-mountain, stood out tonight as challenger for the fistic throne occupied by Jack Dempsey after scoring a knockout victories in the two main bouts for the milk fund carnival before a crowd of nearly 70,000 at the Yankee stadium.

Firpo demonstrated once more he is one of the most terrific hitters who has climbed to pugilistic prominence in recent years by knocking out Jack McAuliffe, 11, of Detroit, in the third round. Willard, while none too impressive in his come-back after years of idleness, proved himself the master of his young Iowa antagonist, Floyd Johnson, and was awarded a technical knockout after 11 rounds of the most spectacular battling on the card.

Spectacular Card

These two bouts, scheduled for 15 rounds, were headliners of a card of five heavyweight contests, one of the most spectacular fight programs ever staged in this country, and a magnet for a picturesque throng that all but filled the great Yankee ball park. Official figures were lacking tonight, but it was estimated that the throng was at least 5,000 less than the crowd of 74,000 which packed the stadium at the opening American league baseball game recently. It was a record for a boxing show in this state, but far behind the attendance figures of more than 90,000 at the Carpentier-Dempsey bout two years ago.

Receipts $390,000

Gate receipts were announced unofficially by Tex Rickard, promoter of the show for the Municipal Milk Fund's benefit, as approximately $390,000.

Two of the three other bouts on the card besides the main fights, also were terminated before the limit. Jack Renault, of Chesham, Quebec, Canadian heavyweight champion, was declared victor over Fred Fulton, Minnesota plasterer on a foul in the fourth round after the Canadian had piled up a substantial lead on points.

In the other preliminary matches Harry Drake of England was awarded the judge's decision over Joe McCann, of Newark, N. J., in a four-round encounter, while "Tiny" Jims Herman of Omaha, Neb., knocked out Al Reich in the sixth round.

Firpo's quick victory over McAuliffe, highly touted westerner who wilted in the second round and collapsed in the third under the Southwesterner's terrific barrage of rights and lefts to the head and body, was the most decisive ring work of the afternoon, but the triumph of the 40-year-old Willard over a youngster half his age in a hammer-and-tong struggle from start to finish was the high spot of the show.

The most of the experts were skeptical of the Pottawatomie giant's ability to come back after his long layoff, but while he was at time unimpressive and an easy mark for his aggressive opponent, he proved beyond doubt that he has regained much of his old stamina, while retaining his powerful punching ability.

Willard fought coolly and cautiously against Johnson's plucky attack and in the end his tremendous advantages in height, weight and reach were the undoing of his opponent who was outweighed, 53 pounds.

Johnson stood up under a terrific battering from the fifth round to the end. Reeling and groggy from Willard's smashing uppercuts and straight jolts to the head, he was several times on the verge of a knockout before the eleventh. Three times, in the fifth, eighth and ninth rounds, he was saved from the fatal count, while at other stages he weathered the storm by his defensive tactics.

Never in Distress

Ponderous in his movements, slow afoot and at times an easy mark for Johnson's blows, Willard, however, was never in distress. The Iowan stung Willard occasionally about the head and body, but his punches lacked effectiveness. At one juncture in the tenth round Willard brought a roar from the crowd by dropping his guard for a few moments and smiling as he allowed Johnson to punch his jaw unmolested.

Both indulged in a lot of wild swinging and clinching in the first four rounds, but Willard, awaiting for his opportunity, cut loose in the fifth and soon had Johnson in distress. The Iowan was dazed as the bell sounded from a series of ripping uppercuts.

Johnson rallied in the sixth and seventh, gaining applause with his aggressiveness, but in the eighth Willard shook him with another crashing uppercut. Fighting back gamely, but ineffectively, Johnson slipped to the floor a few seconds before the bell.

Waited for Opening

The tenth saw Willard waiting for his chance to shoot over the deciding blow and in the next, the beginning of the end was in sight, with Johnson reeling about the ring under a measured attack to the jaw. The Iowa boy fell headlong to the canvas from a jolting uppercut just before the bell rang and lay inert. He was carried to his corner in a dazed and helpless condition and his seconds quickly tossed in the towel in token of defeat.

McAuliffe, Debonaire and a nifty boxer, danced about Firpo in the first round of their encounter, worrying Luis with a jabbing left, but that capped the climax of his efforts for the day. Noticeably wary of the South American's wicked right, McAuliffe did his best to keep out of reach in the second, but was driven to cover in distress toward the close of the round.

Firpo Rushes

Coming from his corner with a bull-like rush in the third round, Firpo flailed McAuliffe unmercifully, beating down all defensive attempts, as he swung at head and body with crashing force. A right swing to the jaw after one minute and two seconds of the fighting in this round sent McAuliffe sprawling for the count of 10 and doomed any championship aspirations he may have entertained.

While McAuliffe obviously was no match for the giant Argentinian, the victory boosted Firpo's championship stock and convinced critics that he is perhaps the most dangerous of the present crop of contenders for Dempseys' title. His footwork and defensive ability, though still crude in spots, showed marked improvement over any of his previous efforts. He gave every evidence of rapid development under the expert tutelage of Jimmy De Forrest, veteran trainer, who conditioned Dempsey for his successful battle against Willard at Toledo four years ago.

Weights of the principal participants in the heavyweight carnival were as follows:

Willard, 248; Johnson, 195; Firpo, 212; McAuliffe, 200; Fulton, 214; Renault, 190½.

The fight, round by round, follows:

Round One

Willard's long left found Johnson's nose for the first blow. Johnson played for the body. Willard appeared in excellent shape. He took two hard rights to the jaw, Willard shook Johnson with a left to the face.

Round Two

Willard attacked vigorously, rocking Johnson's head with rights and lefts to the head and body, which staggered Johnson. Willard opened an old cut over Johnson's left eye with a straight right.

Round Three

Johnson punched Willard's head with raking rights at close quarters. Willard launched several heavy rights which fell short. Johnson's blows did not seem to bother Willard, but the Kansan's wind did not seem any too good.

Round Four

Johnson punched awkwardly and took many heavy straight lefts to the face. He backed Willard into a corner but could not find his head. Johnson attempted to rough up the big Kansan. Johnson landed many blows in the round but few of them had power.

Round Five

Johnson kept close to Willard, punching head and body, with short hooking rights. Willard shook Johnson with straight left to face and a right uppercut. Willard had Johnson rocking with right uppercuts. Johnson was staggering slightly as the round ended.

Round Six

Willard jumped to the assault and hooked rights and lefts to the body. Willard sent hard rights to the jaw. Johnson's ability to take punishment was remarkable. Johnson's mouth bled. Johnson rallied, punching Willard's head with lefts and rights.

Round Seven

Johnson worked his arms like windmills, but the big Kansan never budged. Johnson hit Willard every place but apparently there was nothing hurtful in his punches. The harder Willard's punches, the harder Johnson fought.

Round Eight

Johnson hooked a hard right to Willard's jaw. All of Johnson's fighting was at close quarters. Willard crashed a right to the jaw. Willard landed a left uppercut. Willard pounded Johnson's head with rights. Johnson, the youngster, weathered the storm nicely.

Round Nine

Willard pounded Johnson's head unmercifully with uppercuts, hooks and straight punches and still Johnson stood up. Johnson sent a hard right to the stomach. Johnson went down from a right to the jaw but was up imediately as the round ended.

Round Ten

Willard connected to the jaw with two straight rights. Johnson was wild and Willard took advantage of this to rest. Willard took a storm of rights and lefts to the jaw laughing, and then as Johnson tired, he took the offensive. Johnson took more uppercuts and right hooks without quaking.

Round Eleven

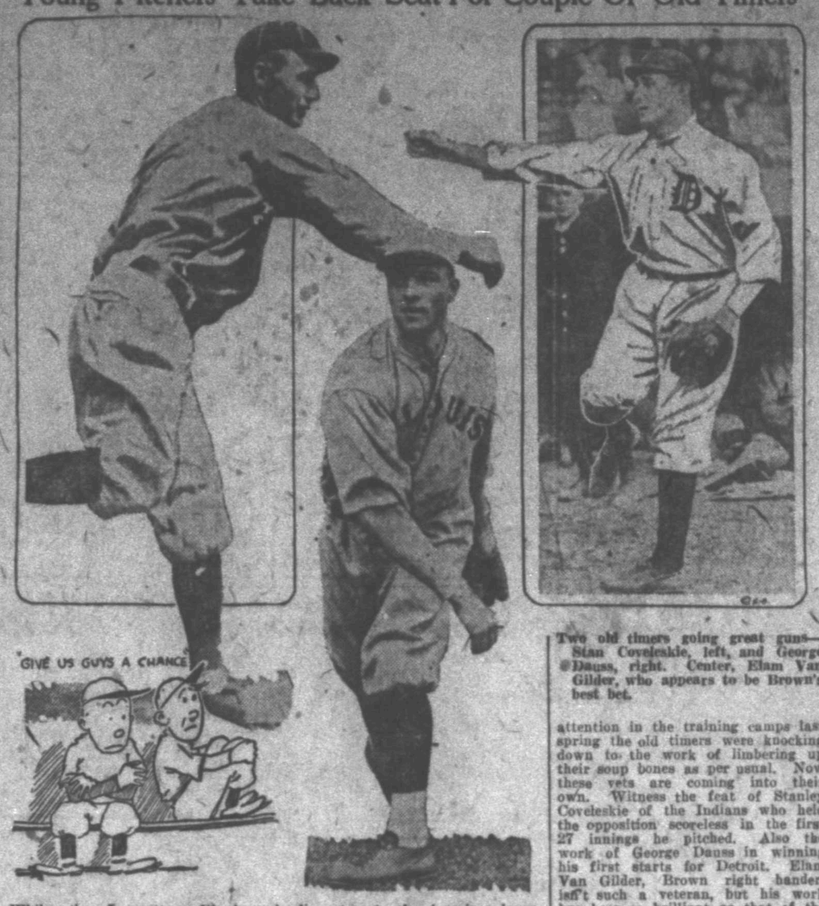
Johnson's head rocked from a right hook. He went down from a right upper-cut. He was up at nine. Johnson fell to the floor from a terrific right upper-cut as the bell rang and was carried to his corner by his seconds. It was doubtful if he would be able to continue.

Johnson refused to come out for the twelfth and the victory belonged to Big Jess.

Attachment Writ Issued On Floyd's Fight Money

NEW YORK, May 12.—A writ of attachment on any money Floyd Johnson may earn from his bout with Jess Willard today was signed by Supreme Court Justice Mitchell on application of the Boston Arena Athletic club, which claimed it suffered $5,000 damages through Johnson's failure to appear for a bout with Fred Fulton in Boston recently. The writ was served on Johnson at the Yankee stadium.

Young Pitchers Take Back Seat For Couple Of Old Timers



Two old timers going great guns—Stan Coveleskie, left, and George Dauss, right. Center, Elam Van Gilder, who appears to be Brown's best bet.

White the Leverettes, Hankenships, Pillettes and other young hurling stars in the American league were drawing the greater portion of attention in the training camps last spring the old timers were knocking down to the work of limbering up their soup bones as per usual. Now these vets are coming into their own. Witness the feat of Stanley Coveleskie of the Indians who held the opposition scoreless in the first 27 innings he pitched. Also the work of George Dauss in winning his first starts for Detroit. Elam Van Gilder, Brown right bander, isn't such a veteran, but his work has been as brilliant as that of the other two men mentioned.

Nearly Fifty Hitters in .300 Class; Bescher Shows Way in Runs Scored

With nearly half a hundred eager Texas leaguers batting better than .300 through Thursday's games, competition for the batting supremacy is getting hot. Simon, the San Antonio third sacker, out of the line-up for a few days, leads with an average of .466, closely pushed by the demonic hitting of Ike Boone, .441 in 23 games. There are several .400 hitters.

Bescher of Wichita Falls leads in run-getting, 24 against Boone's 23. Boone with 45 safeties is well in the lead for the first hundred. Two Shreveporters, Riley and Simmons, tie for the lead in home runs with five each. Edington of Beaumont leads in stolen bases with six.

Conley registered his seventh consecutive victory Thursday and easily leads the winning pitchers. Pate tops in strike-out with 34.

LEADING HITTERS.

Player—Club—	G	AB	R	H	HR	SB	BA
Ross, Fort Worth	4	7	1	4	0	0	.571
Ruth, Wichita Falls	4	6	2	3	0	0	.500
Lingle, Dallas	11	31	4	14	0	0	.452
Simon, San Antonio	15	56	10	25	1	1	.446
Flaherty, Wichita Falls	8	9	1	4	0	0	.444
Boone, San Antonio	23	102	23	45	0	1	.441
Griffith, Houston	17	53	10	23	0	1	.434
Johns, Fort Worth	5	1	0	3	0	0	.429
Grigsby, Wichita Falls	10	24	5	10	1	3	.417
Sperber, Houston	22	87	13	36	0	5	.414
Bescher, Wichita Falls	21	87	24	34	1	4	.405
Ostergard, Galveston-Beaumont	13	45	12	18	1	1	.400
Westerzil, Galveston	9	35	5	14	0	0	.400
Roberts, San Antonio	7	15	3	6	0	0	.400
Meyers, San Antonio	17	58	10	23	1	0	.397
Kirkham, Beaumont	21	82	16	31	1	4	.378
Riley, Shreveport	21	83	12	31	5	0	.373
Elliott, Wichita Falls	21	88	16	32	0	4	.364
Strong, Beaumont	21	82	13	30	2	3	.364
Stellbauer, Fort Worth	21	81	15	29	2	0	.358
Bittle, Galveston	22	81	12	29	0	2	.358
Massey, Dallas	16	61	15	18	0	2	.353
Vache, Dallas	21	80	14	28	3	4	.350
Bailey, Houston	8	20	1	7	0	1	.350
Hoffman, Fort Worth	12	36	9	16	0	0	.348
Edington, Beaumont	21	66	18	23	0	6	.348
Donohue, Dallas	21	88	20	30	1	3	.341
Banner, Beaumont	15	44	8	15	0	1	.341
Galloway, San Antonio	23	83	23	31	3	2	.338
Morris, Beaumont-Dallas	8	9	2	3	0	0	.333
Eibel, Galveston	3	6	2	2	0	0	.333
Bischoff, Wichita Falls	12	39	4	13	1	3	.333
Bryan, Dallas	7	21	4	7	0	0	.335
Conley, Dallas	8	18	3	6	0	0	.333
Tanner, Wichita Falls	21	86	18	28	2	3	.326
Wendell, Galveston	21	68	7	22	0	2	.324
Wano, Dallas	21	94	13	30	0	2	.319
Adams, Dallas	14	47	2	15	1	1	.319
Haley, Fort Worth	21	76	14	24	0	0	.316
Simmons, Shreveport	20	80	12	25	5	0	.313
D. M. Brown, Galveston	21	80	14	25	1	3	.313
Whiteman, Wichita Falls	19	64	15	20	2	2	.312
Todt, San Antonio	19	61	17	19	1	2	.311
Phelan, Fort Worth	15	42	8	13	0	0	.309
Kearns, Galveston	22	82	10	25	0	1	.305
H. Moore, Fort Worth	10	33	4	10	0	0	.303
Bell, Houston	5	20	2	6	0	0	.300

LEADING PITCHERS.

Pitcher—Club—	G	IP	W	L	BB	SO	Pct.
Conley, Dallas	8	45	7	0	9	18	1.000
Roberts, San Antonio	6	37	4	0	20	27	1.000
Marshall, San Antonio	4	22	2	0	11	8	1.000
Jacobus, Beaumont	6	46	3	0	20	17	1.000
Flaherty, Wichita Falls	4	28	2	0	9	40	1.000
Feigett, Wichita Falls	4	23	1	0	9	7	1.000
Pate, Fort Worth	7	56	5	1	12	34	.833
Wheeler, Wichita Falls	5	44	4	1	7	14	.800
Graham, Galveston	4	45	4	1	11	18	.800
Bryan, Dallas	7	54	3	1	24	11	.750
Devivey, Galveston	4	31	3	1	14	9	.750
Glaiser, Galveston	7	32	2	1	15	10	.667
Bailey, Houston	6	46	4	2	22	31	.667
Townshend, Beaumont	7	33	2	1	15	15	.667
Goodwin, Houston	6	40	3	2	17	15	.600
Stoner, Fort Worth	8	45	3	3	9	8	.500
Johns, Fort Worth	7	15	1	1	12	8	.500
Ross, Fort Worth	4	18	1	1	5	10	.500
Hodges, Wichita Falls	6	19	1	1	11	12	.500
Jolly, Shreveport	5	32	2	2	12	7	.500
Kiefer, Galveston	4	19	1	1	4	5	.500
Pieratti, Houston	2	18	1	1	9	4	.500
Caldera, Beaumont	9	29	2	2	16	8	.500
K. Eberhard, Beaumont	5	30	2	2	10	10	.500
Lybrand, Dallas	6	14	1	1	10	7	.500
Payne, San Antonio	5	19	1	1	6	3	.500

EXTRA HIT GAMES

Forty-two games have been played already in which over a dozen hits have been made as follows:

	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Dallas	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Fort Worth	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Wichita Falls	6	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0
Shreveport	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Galveston	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0
Houston	3	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
San Antonio	2	4	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
Beaumont	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	1

TEXAS COMPANY LEADS TWILIGHT

Has Undefeated Sway Over Other Clubs; Mill In Second Place

The Texas company now stands at the top of the Twilight league with three victories and no defeats. The Texas company won over Ponds laundry last week in a close 1-to-0 game, which gave them the lead. The game has been protested over a ground rule, and if ruled in favor of the laundry club, the lead may be altered.

The Mill and Elevator club, which has dropped but one game in four, stands second in the league race. Standings follow:

Club.	W.	L.	Pct.
Texas	3	0	1000
Mill and Elev	3	1	.750
Ponds Laundry	2	1	.667
Floral Heights	2	1	.667
South Methodists	1	2	.333
North Methodists	1	3	.250
Nafziger	0	1	.000
Utility	0	3	.000

Southworth and Heilman on Top

Setting Pace In Two Major Leagues Including Game Wednesday

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, May 12.—The race for the 1923 batting championship of the American league is on today with Harry Heilman, the Detroit slugger, in the van with an average of .500 and Glenn Myatt, Cleveland's new $30,000 catcher, in second place, with .393.

The figures include games of Wednesday, but Heilmann's average was acquired in 16 games; whereas Myatt only participated in 10.

Other leading batters for 10 or more games:

Cobb, Detroit, .388; Burns, Boston, .388; Veach, Detroit, .378; Speaker, Cleveland, .377; S. Rice, Washington, .365; Jamieson, Cleveland, .364; E. Collins, Chicago, .354; Miller, Philadelphia, .348; Williams, St. Louis, .333; Ricehle, Boston, .333.

Cracking out 30 hits in 19 games, Bill Southworth, star outfielder with the Braves, is anchored at the top of the National league hitters with an average of .448. Charley Grimm, Pittsburgh's sensational first baseman, is the runner up with .432.

"Cy" Williams, the rangy outfielder of the Phillies, gives promise of giving all home run hitters a run this season. The veteran has smashed out nine homers thus far. He also is out in front in total bases with 60, which, besides his homers, include five doubles and three triples.

Sammy Bohne of the Reds leads in stolen bases with seven.

Leading batters in 10 or more games:

Frisch, New York, .404; Mueller, St. Louis, .400; Gooch, Pittsburgh, .400; Bottomley, St. Louis, .393; Flack, St. Louis, .375; Hartnett, Chicago, .370; Traynor, Pittsburgh, .367; Williams, Philadelphia, .363.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

Memphis 5; Atlanta 4.
Nashville 8; Mobile 0.
Little Rock 5; Birmingham 5, called in tenth after dark.
Chattanooga 2; New Orleans 7.

VANDERBILT WINS

SEWANNE, Tenn., May 12.—Vanderbilt captured the Southern Interscholastic Athletic association track meet here this afternoon. Sewanee was second, Central College, third; and Georgetown, fourth.

Curing Your Golf Troubles

By Jim Barnes

"Dear Sir: I have become a victim of the aggravating malady of socketing my mashie shots, and it seems that nothing that I do will prevent it. Once in a while I hit one clean, but just when I think I am about to work out my salvation, up bobs the old trouble again. What is the answer H. H. G."

Answer—The cause for socketing, of course, is allowing the arms to get too far out from the body on the downswing, and the remedy particularly with the mashie is to keep the arms well into the body. I strongly favor this on all mashie play anyway. Several other troubles besides socketing are liable to come up, if the arms are allowed to swing out too freely from the sides.

It may also help to stand up a little straighter to the ball, and if necessary to tee the ball far enough out so that you can just reach it with the club. Then, if you keep your head still, you will find it hard to throw the clubhead far enough out to catch the ball in the shank of the club.

Some players get into the fault of socketing by failing to turn the body with the arms in the swing. That is they pivot enough to lift the heel slightly off the ground, but then don't get the left foot back into position quite in time, as they swing the clubhead through.

They get the arms in ahead of the body. It might be well for you to check yourself up on this point to see that this is not happening.

(Jim Barnes will suggest a remedy for your golf troubles. Write him care of the sport editor, enclosing stamped envelope if you want a personal reply.)

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WILLARD WILL BATTLE FIRPO

Match Is Announced And Winner Will Take On Dempsey

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 12.—Jess Willard and Luis Firpo, victors in the two star bouts of the milk fund boxing carnival today at the Yankee stadium will be matched in a 15-round contest to decide a championship opponent for Jack Dempsey, Tex Rickard announced at the conclusion of the show.

The fight, he said, probably would be held in the Yankee stadium June 30.

TEXAS ASSOCIATION

At Austin, 2; Marlin, 1.
At Waco, 5; Mexia, 8.
At Corsicana, 17; Sherman, 9.

WESTERN LEAGUE

At Wichita, 7; St. Joseph, 2.
At Omaha, 3; Des Moines, 0.
At Denver, 15; Sioux City, 8.
At Oklahoma City, 2; Tulsa, 0.

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TEXAS U. WINS SOUTHWESTERN CONFERENCE BY BIG MARGIN

Longhorns Have Ample Room To Spare; Five Records Broken

Associated Press Dispatch

STILLWATER, Okla., May 12.—Texas University with 65 1-2 points won the annual southwestern conference track and field meet here today. Texas A. and M. was second with 38 points and Oklahoma A. and M. third with 23 1-2. Five records were broken and one tied.

SUMMARIES

The other schools, finished in the following order: Southern Methodist university 9, Rice 8, Texas Christian university 6, Arkansas university and Arkansas failed to score.

Keen, the Texas university weight heaver, was the individual star with 11 points. He took first in the shot put, establishing a new conference record of 44 feet, 8 1-2 inches, which better the mark of 42 feet, 5 inches, set by Berry of Texas in 1915 and placed second in the discus throw and javelin throw.

Frazier of Baylor ranked next, winning first in the high and low hurdles. The Baylor star clipped one fifth of a second off the conference record for low hurdles, established by Moss of Texas in 1917, negotiating the distance in the new time of 24 4-10 seconds. Skipping over the high hurdles, he equalled the old record of 15 4-10 second held by Littlefield of Texas university since 1915.

Reese of Texas university lowered the conference record for the half-mile by one-fifth of a second, his time being one minute, 59 seconds. The old record was established last year by Geyer of Baylor. Trout of Texas shaved 4-5 of a second off the record he set last year in the two mile run, making it today in 10 minutes flat.

The Texas team, composed of McNatt, Reese, Pittsworth and Ritchie, ran away with the mile relay, setting a new conference record of 3 minutes 24 seconds. The old record of 3:26 3-10 was established in 1921 by Texas A. & M. college.

A brisk wind down the stretch slowed the high men and prevented the record-smashing that was promised by work in the preliminaries yesterday.

.110 Yard Dash—Higgins, Oklahoma A. & M. first; Poth, Texas A. & M., second; Lincoln, Southwestern Methodist university, third; Haehler, Texas university, fourth. Time 10 1-10 seconds.

Quarter Mile—Garrett, Southern Methodist university, first; Ritchie, Texas university, second; McNatt, Texas university, third; Harris, Texas A. & M., fourth. Time 51 2-10 seconds.

Mile—Davis, Oklahoma A. & M. first; Old, Texas A. & M., second; Loop, Texas university, third; Heard, Texas A. & M., fourth. Time 4 minutes and 24 seconds.

Shot Put—Keen, Texas A. & M. first; Standcliff, Rice, second; Morrison, Oklahoma A. & M. third; Dayvault, Texas university, fourth. Distance, 44 feet, 8 1-2 inches. (new conference record).

220 Yard Dash—Sinnett, Texas university, first; Poth, Texas A. & M., second; Haehler, Texas university, third; Lincoln, Southern Methodist university, fourth. Time 22.6 seconds.

High Hurdles—Frazier, Baylor, first; Thames, Texas university second; Sapp Texas university, third; Witt, Oklahoma A. & M., fourth. Time 15.4 seconds.

Half Mile—Reese, Texas university, first; McCullough, Oklahoma A. & M., second; Vickers, Texas university, third; Hawley, Texas university, fourth. Time one minute 59 second. (new conference record.)

Pole vault—Harmore, Texas University and McCulloch, Texas A. & M., tied for first; McCorquodale, Texas university and Ward, Texas A. & M. tied for third. Height 11 feet 6 inches.

Low Hurdles—Frazier, Baylor, first; Sapp, Texas university, second; Thames Texas university, third; Witt, Oklahoma A. & M. fourth. Time 24.6 seconds. (new conference record.)

High Jump—Barmore, Texas university and Parker, Texas Christian university, tied or first; Holmes, Oklahoma Aggies, Bean, Oklahoma Aggies, 5 feet, 10 inches.

Texas A. & M., tied for third. Height.

Two Mile—Trout, Texas Christian university, first; Youngblood, Texas university second; Finney, Oklahoma A. & M., third; Royal, Texas A. & M. fourth. Time 10 minutes (new conference record.)

Discus—Goodwin Baylor, first; Keen, Texas A. & M., second; Wilson Texas A. & M. third; Dayvault, Texas university, fourth. Distance 127 feet, 6 inches.

Javelin throw—Gilstrap, Texas university, first; Keen, Texas A. & M., second; Jones, Texas A. & M., third; Reid, Oklahoma A. & M., fourth. Distance 166 feet, 8 inches.

Broad Jump—Hinckley, Rice, first; Spurlock, Texas university, second; Smith, Texas Christian university, third; Dupon, Texas A. & M., fourth. Distance, 22 feet, 2 inches.

One mile relay—Texas university, first; DeNatt, Pittsworth, Reese and Ritchie) Texas A. & M. second; Oklahoma Aggies, third, Southern Methodist university, fourth. Time, three minutes, 24 second, new conference record.

TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT

By "DINK" ADDINGTON

Still hitting on six since getting the old engine cranked up Friday.

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We'll soon forget all about those three and ones at Santone.

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The Spudders took the first series that the Exporters have lost on their home playground this year.

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JUST RIGHT

Tanner hit a homer,
With a man upon the mother
That's just the time to swat that ball,
And get them circut whacks.

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There can't be any kick about the quantity of hits the Spudder's been getting. If they'll just continue to get 'em at the right moments we'll see if we can't manage the pitching some way.

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The Exporters got a taste of the stuff the Salmites were swallowing not so long ago. Edington's crew got two doubles, a single and a walk in the second and only managed to collect one run.

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THREE AND TWO

The score is three against you,
And a weakling's batting, too;
There's three men on the bases,
And the call is three and two.
There's a nervous sort of feeling,
That chills you through and through;
When there's three men on the bases,
And the call is three and two.
The batter's up a'swinging,
And you wonder what he'll do;
There's three men on the bases,
And the call is three and two.
Two have been retired,
And things look pretty blue;
There's three men on the bases;
But the call is three and two.
But then the weakling hits one,
The drive is straight and true;
With three men on the bases,
And the call at three and two.
It fills you with a tang of joy,
And thrills you never knew;
When a weakling wins a ball game,
With the call of three and two.



Behold---

The Fisherman

His season is here. On every stream the swish of the line and the click of his reel may be heard. The telling of stories has started and already many tales of skill and luck are afloat. But skill in fishing depends to a great extent upon the tackle one uses. Here you will find everything for the fisherman.

Reels ..... 50c to $35.00
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Drilling Continues Despite Series Of Cuts In Crude Price

SHALLOW FIND FEATURE HERE

Test Good Enough To Make 25 Barrel Producer Pay

In spite of heavy cuts in crude prices made by purchasing companies during the past week, drilling has continued at a good rate. There are many interesting developments that will cause the opening of new territory. Probably the most important find during the week was that of the shallow pool 10 miles northeast of Wichita Falls by the Knox-Finley test. Located on the Saner Brothers and Lomax land just over the line in Clay county, the well has undoubtedly opened up a new shallow field that will be drilled by several companies at once.

The test found good pay at 1,116 feet, a depth that is shallow enough to make a 5-barrel producer well worth drilling, and has been swabbing at the rate of between 25 and 30 barrels daily since Thursday afternoon when the swab was run the first time. The first draw of the swab put 30 barrels of oil in the slush pit and the well looks good for at least that amount of daily production.

Plan New Tests

The find has caused a mild drilling campaign to be inaugurated by operators who hope to prove that the field extends into Wichita county and on the east to near Henrietta. Leasing has been fast and, although acreage is hard to get at low prices, many drillers plan to start wells within the week. Two new tests have been planned that will offset the well on the west and northeast sides.

Another well that has caused excitement is the Sweatt Drilling company's test on the Luke Wilson tract, north west of the Peterson pool, which has found a good sand that is thought to be an extension of the Peterson pay. The well hit a rich sand Thursday and has set casing preparatory to drilling, with drillers watching the operations with unusual interest. The well will probably be bailed today.

Leasing Fast

Leasing has been fast in the vicinity of the well and interest is high. Drilling will be rushed in offset land and between the test and the proven Peterson field, which the wildcat is thought to extend. John Young Thursday closed a deal with H. A. Huse of Duncan, Okla., for 10 acres located 1,400 feet southeast of the Wilmot well for a consideration of $400, $200 in cash and $200 in oil. The Wilson interests sold 160 acres three-quarters of a mile northeast of the well to Oklahoma parties for a cash consideration of $160 an acre.

Drilling in the Peterson field and the Wilson lands has been strong and many producing wells have been completed within the last few days. The Oil Investment company Thursday completed No. 1, which made 105 barrels on the pump during the first 24 hours, keeping a steady output of more than 150 daily.

Chenault and Lea's well, 1,300 feet north of the McCarty Oil company's well No. 1 on the Wilson ranch in the Peterson pool, encountered a good pay break at 1,581 feet and is expected to be completed the early part of next week, with prospects for a good well.

40-Acre Lease Bought

J. I. Staley and associates Friday purchased a 40-acre lease on the Riggs land for a consideration of $16,000. They will drill a test offsetting the Haynes-Art No. 1 to the south.

Removing Refinery

The Comet Oil company of California Friday started tearing down the equipment and plant of the Manhattan Refining company at Burkburnett, and will move it to the Signal Hill field near Los Angeles. The refinery was built two years ago by the Crude Oil Marketing company and had a capacity of 3,500 barrels daily.

Camp Makes Location

The Camp Oil and Gas company has made location and is moving material for a derrick to block 826 where No. 1 well will be drilled. It is in the Burkburnett lands. Dale tract and will be spudded in at once.

Cochran To Drill

S. A. Cochran has made location and will drill at once wells No. 2 and 3 on the Grady-Reller tract in Wichita county. No. 1 which was drilled as a test was completed last week.

New Tests Coming

Murchison and Fain will drill a well on block 83, Wichita Valley farm lands, Kemp and Kempher survey, in Archer county. The well is the first to be drilled on the tract.

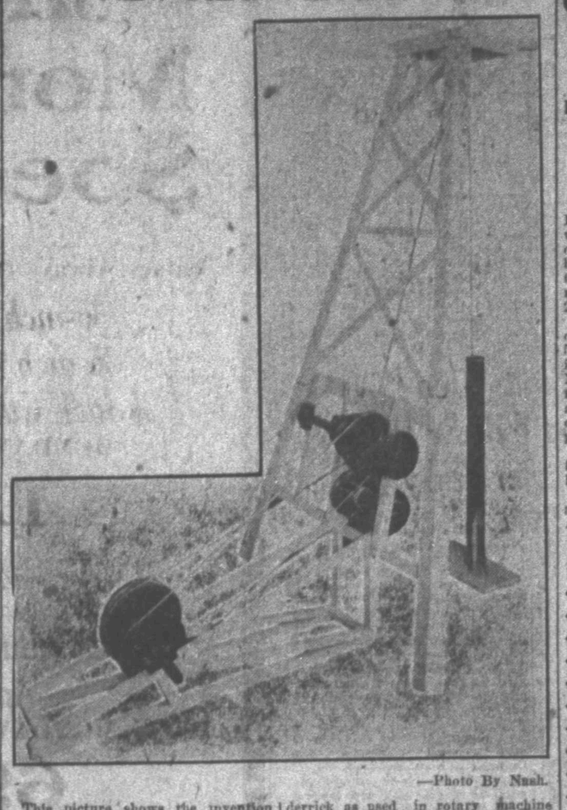
Mitchell Moves Material To Location For Offset

Mitchell and Newberry are moving material for derrick to location made for No. 1 on section 10, McCool-Cole lands, in Wichita county. The well is in a territory newly opened and will be rushed to completion. Two producing wells are on offset leases.

SOUTHERN STATES QUARTERLY EARNINGS

Southern States Oil reports $666,702 as its income from production in the quarter ended March 31, 1923. During this period $65,713 was paid out in cash dividends, and a 10 per cent free stock allotment was delivered to shareholders. Its balance sheet, as of March 31, shows total assets of $10,478,067, of which $318,168 was cash, $1,141,439 accounts receivable, $191,910 notes receivable, $220,386 uncollected oil, $40,000 oil in storage, $1,440,000 investment in Western States Oil, $6,645,000 producing leases, $1 undeveloped leases, $220,337 lease equipment, $3,826 furniture and fixtures. Liabilities include $2,471,040 capital stock outstanding (total authorized $20,000,000), and $513,204 reserves for depletion, with surplus of $7,493,723. At the end of the quarter the company had 229 producing wells, and was drilling 20 additional ones on proven territory.

NEW OIL INVENTION



—Photo By Nash.

This picture shows the invention of C. E. Steward, local driller, which may affect drilling methods. The invention, an eccentric wheel that takes the place of the usual working beam, is shown mounted on a model derrick as used in rotary machine drilling. The wheel is placed at the base of the derrick and rotates, causing the rise and fall of the cable and bit. It can be mounted on a cable tool or rotary rig.

Drilling Contractor Invents Device Which May Revolutionize Industry

C. E. Steward, Wichita Falls drilling contractor, has recently invented and patented a drilling device that, according to oil operators and engineers who have seen the model in action, may revolutionize the oil well drilling industry. The invention, called the loose rim eccentric, is entirely new, and embodies a principal hitherto never connected with the drilling of wells.

The eccentric is based on the principal of a wheel placed with the axle off center in such a manner that a cable passing around the outer edge, through grooves, will be alternately lowered and raised as the wheel revolves. However, a principle that has never been used, that of a loose rim mounted on roller bearings on the outer edge of the eccentric, makes the wheel applicable to oil well machinery and gives it a value not found in the usual eccentric.

The inside wheel is 20 inches in diameter and is fast to the driving axle, which is connected to power. It is an eccentric, with the axle off center so as to cause the rising and falling of the wheel edge. The loose rim is 25 inches in diameter and is mounted on the outer through roller bearings on the inner. It is not rigidly connected with the inner wheel, and is not affected by the power. It is in the outer edge of this wheel that is fitted to receive a drilling cable. As the inner wheel turns, rising and falling, the outer rocks with the cable, allowing free movement and giving a pull and fall to the cable, which after passing over pulleys in the top of the derrick is connected in the usual way with the drilling tools. Through the direct use of the eccentric the same drop as is received from the rocking beam without the greater amount of machinery necessary, eliminating much of the faults of the old system.

One of the greatest features of the eccentric is that it eliminates all the vibration that makes drilling expensive through replacement necessary because of breakdowns. On a spudding machine it is estimated by engineers and drillers that the eccentric would save $1,200 in one year. Through the elimination of the wearing on the line brought about by the rocking of the eccentric rim with the cable, an enormous saving is claimed. The eccentric gives a stroke of from 18 to 54 inches, with the same quick drop with added power, and does the work of the usual drilling machinery in quicker time and less cost, according to those who have tested the machine. It has a capacity of 80,000 pounds.

The loose rim eccentric can be applied to any cable tool or rotary rig with equal practicability, and without taking away any machinery from the draw works. It can be installed at a cost of $200, complete, with drilling tools, and will eliminate the necessity for more than $700 worth of machinery, is the claim of the inventor, who will manufacture the machine in Wichita Falls, for sale here. Two eccentrics have been built, in addition to the models, and others will be made at once. Hubbard & Clark, drilling in the Electra pool, have placed orders and will use the first machine on their well in the South Electra field.

The Wichita Falls foundry will cast and mold all the wheels, and special machinery will be established in a shop of the inventor to machine and finish the product ready for use. A shop will be opened within the next few weeks, and the eccentrics put out at the rate of 50 a month.

DRILLING WELL ON HAPGOOD RANCH NEAR BELLEVUE

BELLEVUE, May 11.—Drilling is being rushed in the well spudded in last week on the Hapgood ranch, five miles northwest of Bellevue, and operations are rushed night and day, with two crews alternating in drilling. The well was spudded in Sunday, with a large crowd of Bellevue visitors on the scene, and has been drilling steadily since.

The Hapgood well, being a rank wildcat in territory hitherto untouched, is being watched with unusual interest by the oil fraternity, as a possible find of a new field. No indications have as yet been evident, but the drillers will go deep in the test, hoping to open a pool near Bellevue.

HASKELL DRILLING REPORT

Oil Lease Development, subsidiary of Middle States and Southern States, last week completed two wells on its Biles-Wilroy lease east field, Eldorado, Ark., one good for 350 barrels and the other for 300 barrels. Southern States Oil reports completion of a 100-barrel well in the Bartlesville sand, Osage county, Oklahoma.

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SWASTIKA NO. B 400 OFF SAND

No. 1-A Produces Less Than 100 From 1,381-Foot Sand

Special Dispatch to Record News

MEGARGEL, Texas, May 12.—Richardson No. 1-A, the discovery well of the Swastika Oil company, continues to produce in excess of 100 barrels of 43 gravity oil a day from the 1,381-foot sand. The output varies from 140 to slightly more than 200 barrels a day.

Richardson, No. 1-B, 606 feet west of the discovery well, is drilling within 50 feet of the sand and opinion here is it will make a better well than the No. 1-A, because of the bad hole in the discovery well. A big crowd probably will be in the field when the well comes in and many people are expected to be here from Wichita Falls.

Richardson No. 2-A has about 400 feet more to go. The hard limestones have made drilling in both wells slow.

The Sun company's Kovar No. 1 and the Richardson No. 1 of the American Refining company are at about the same depth with 200 feet to go before striking the Swastika sand.

Clark et al. are installing machinery on their two derricks on the 10-acre lease intervening between the Richardson No. 1-A and No. 1-B, involved for some time in litigation with the Swastika Oil company.

The derricks of the Texas company, Eagle Creek Oil company, Shamrock Oil company and the United Royalty company are completed, but machinery has not been installed.

Charles Featherstone has spudded in his Morrison No. 1 on block 2, 403 T. E. & L. survey, southwest by west of the Swastika field and southeast of Megargel.

Hayter No. 1 of Simmons & McGarr on block 2, 415 T. E. & L. survey, one and one-half miles southeast of Megargel, failed to pick up the Swastika sand for a producer. The depth is now between 1,350 and 1,360 feet. The present prospect of this test has put a damper on lease activity.

Meetings have been held with the land owners with regard to drilling deeper. Outside men have made several propositions to put the test down to 2,000 feet for an interest in the well. Opinion is general that one of the offers will be accepted and an effort made to find the 1,700-foot sands which give good production in the northern part of Archer county.

A 3,000-foot test will be drilled on the Gatzki farm, block 2, 482 T. E. & L. survey, northwest of Megargel in Baylor county by J. R. Jordan of Wichita Falls. Drilling is to start before June 10.

Simms Oil company will drille an 1,800-foot test on block T. E. & L. survey, abstract 358, in Young county. Drilling is to commence within 30 days after approval of title.

W. D. King has arranged to drill a 2,000-foot test on the O'Donnell farm on block 14, Crawford Pasture subdivision, I. Holman survey, southeast of Megargel.

Sorelle No. 1 of Batchelder & King and Johnson No. 1 of Producers Petroleum company are rigging up and will spud in next week. The Sorelle No. 1 is two miles northwest of Megargel on block 2, 403 T. E. & L. survey, in Archer county. Johnson No. 1 is three miles north of Megargel on block 31, Meade Pasture subdivision.

Machinery is being installed on Bob Waggoner's Portwood No. 1 four miles southwest of Megargel in Baylor county.

Staley Flows 775

Staley-Freeman-Hampton No. 6 on the Ferguson lease, in the Freeman-Hampton pool, flowed natural Friday at the rate of 775 barrels, after being drilled into a rich sand at 1,734 feet. The well is an offset on the north to No. 5, which was completed last week, making a smaller production, and looks good for 750 barrels daily.

M & V Tank Co. Moves Headquarters Here and Will Employ 50 Men When Wichita Plant Is In Full Operation

The fact that Wichita Falls is the logical headquarters for oil operations in the North Texas and Southern Oklahoma territory for a radius of 150 miles is rapidly gaining recognition.

Many oil operators and workers have moved their homes to this city during the past few months and numerous new offices opened to the extent that all office buildings are filled, with many on the waiting list.

It is of especial interest that such concerns as the M. & V. Tank company, operating throughout the territory, has centered all of its activities here. Until this time, while their general offices were in Wichita Falls, they have carried their stock in Iowa Park, working their tank crews and trucks from that point.

Moving this department of their business together with the 50 men employed to Wichita Falls means much to the city.

Their new manufacturing plant located on the Iowa Park road, just inside the city limits, presents a very sightly appearance being located close to the Denver main line, and the concrete road. The property comprises 17 acres, and has a private switch its entire length, permitting of economical and expeditious handling of raw materials and finished products, being bolted and welded steel tanks, smoke stacks and other lines of sheet metal work.

The officials of the company say they will specialize in the manufacture of a welded steel tank for the storage of high gravity crude. That this tank will be vastly stronger and more dependable than the type now in common use, equipped with a mechanical valve of special design, guaranteed to automatically care for all pressure and vacuum conditions. Other features are being incorporated, which will accomplish further improvements.

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EXCITEMENT AT OLNEY GROWING

Peters Makes Good Showing When Cleaned Out

Special Dispatch to Record News

OLNEY, May 12.—Peter Oils, incorporated, drilled into an oil sand Saturday at 1,075 feet, and the well made a 55-minute flow, causing more excitement than anything that has as yet happened in this section, not even excepting the bringing in of the Swastika well nine miles northwest of town, some two weeks ago.

Since that time they have been trying to clean out the hole and having to fight a cave, and on Tuesday they got the tools stuck in the hole. Wednesday afternoon, however, they succeeded in getting the tools out, and the well again made a wonderful showing, many spectators reporting that it flowed 20 to 30 feet above the top of the casing.

Investigation shows that this flow, however, was in front of the boiler; but it nevertheless is conceded to be a good commercial producer, and as it is purely wildcat stuff, being seven miles from the Swastika and 15 miles from any other production, it opens up a wonderful strip of territory which will be thoroughly exploited and means that Olney will get a play equal to that of any of the other oil field towns in this section which have grown in a few months from villages much smaller than Olney to towns of 10,000 to 20,000 people.

Spudded In Last March

The Kemp well was spudded in on March 24, with H. A. Jones, vice president and general manager of the company here, and in charge of operations. The location was made by Dr. E. H. Sellards, chief geologist of the bureau of economic geology and technology of the state of Texas—who, by the way, is past president of the Southwestern Geological society, and recognized as a leader in his profession, and who is in Olney this week. E. E. Peter, president of Chicago Tube and Iron company of Chicago, is also in the city. It is interesting to note that none of the owners are experienced oil operators, and in the past they have drilled nine dry holes in this southwest section of country.

The Swastika discovery well is on the pump regularly now, and is reported pumping more than 200 barrels of 43 gravity oil per day. Activity in that section is at fever heat, and hardly an hour passes that does not see truck loads of material moving to locations in that immediate vicinity. Five rigs were running when the correspondent visited the field Wednesday afternoon, three more had machinery on the ground, which was being placed, and there were a total of 14 derricks up in that vicinity.

Five locations are reported around the Peter Kemp test up to Wednesday night as follows: Peter Kemp No. 2, 400 feet east of discovery; will skid Star rig to location as soon as No. 1 is completed. Monroe Production company on north 40 of northwest 80, 400 feet south on Mose Hankins farm. Sun company, northeast corner T. E. & L. company survey 411, about 1,300 feet southwest of discovery well. H. A. Jones on north 30 of southeast 80, block 101, Kemp farm.

Other Activities

Sun company in Swastika field, drilling at 530.

Wilson rigging up offset to Swastika discovery, northwest.

Shamrock No. 2, rigging up.

American Refining company, drilling at 574, expect to reach the sand Saturday night or Sunday.

Swastika 1-B drilling at 1,230 and will set casingthis week. Due for completion early in the coming week.

Swastika 2-A, drilling at 720.

Simmons & McGarr, just southeast of Megargel, missed Swastika sand and are drilling at 1,347. Will drill to 2,000 unless pay is struck.

Featherstone & Ray, on Morrison tract, mile and a half south of Swastika field, rigging up and expect to spud in Saturday.

Swastika Syndicate, Pitts Neal No. 1, five miles north of Olney, to spud in Saturday for 2,000-foot rotary test.

Bear Creek well, on Falls county school lands around 1,400, reports formations satisfactory and very similar to Swastika discovery log.

Creighton test, on Vernon lease, one mile north city limits, spudded in early in week and drilling. Had boiler trouble and have not made much headway.

Bullard & Donohue of Wichita Falls closed a deal Monday for a 2,000-foot test on a block of acreage in the Orth section, five miles south of this city, drilling to begin in 60 days.

PARTY FOR MALIN

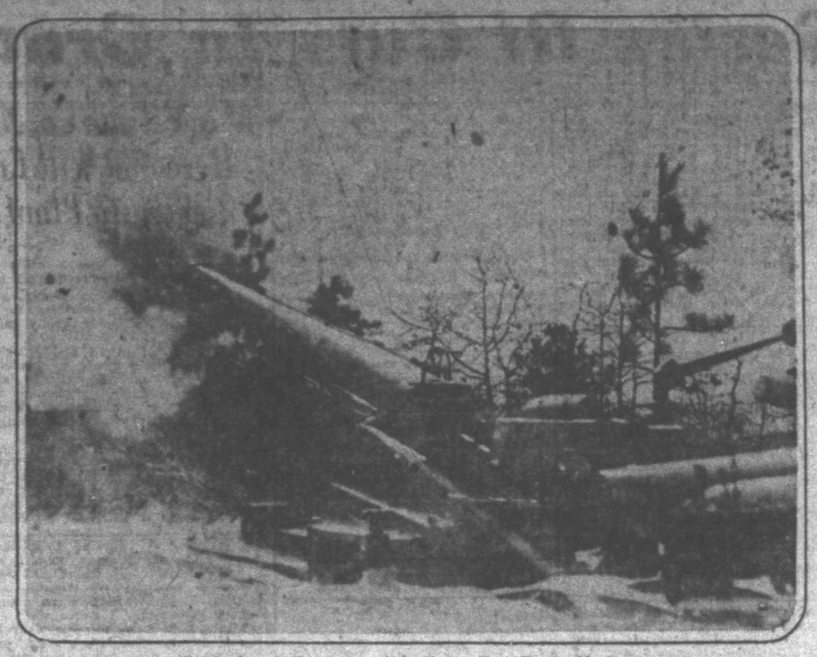
Friday evening the Epworth league of the First Methodist church gave a "hot dog" roast in honor of Jerry Malin, who is leaving Sunday for Colorado where he intends to take a vocational course under the veterans bureau. Mr. Malin is the vice president of the league.

The league met at the church at 6:30 and played volley ball until 8 o'clock when they left for Haven park for the roast. Those attending were: Misses Floy Brubaker, Elizabeth Peyton, Minnie Mae Peyton, Dolly B. Gage, Lora Belle Hammersley, Florence McCulloch, Ida Bagget, Anna Krajca, Mamie Moore, Lucile Campbell, Winnie Foster, Lelia Wynne, Maye Frensley, Vivienne Harris, Johnnie Groves, Hilda Masters, Myrtle Bowman.

Messers. Murrell Hooper, Lee G. Ray, O. T. Watland, M. P., (Hun) Albritton, E. G. Hendrix, Oma Hughs, Harry Broyles, M. E. Moore, Roy Carter, Lewis Peyton, Geo. F. Sibert, Jerry Malin, R. W. H. McCulloch, Bill Kerr, Skinny Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thorne, O. P. Darsey, C. D. Hare, Ralph Broyles, A. H. Drake.

Pullman company detectives have found stolen Pullman blankets being used for a wide variety of purposes. Some are used for lavatories, women's coats, men's trousers, bath robes and children's clothing. Birth curtains have been found made up into a beautiful coat for a woman, and other curtains, with cretonne trimmings added, have been found as draperies and table covers. During 1918 and 1919, 8,200 Pullman blankets were reported missing from cars. Through the aid of the police and hotels much of this stolen plunder has been recovered.

BARKING DOG—THAT BITES



Crew of a 240 mm. gun in action at Fort Bragg, N. C.

If any of the gunners of the fifth field artillery stationed at Fort Bragg, N. C. get a grudge against a person it behooves said person to start hiking for parts unknown without undue delay. For these gunners with their 240 mm. rifles make a practice of hitting things they never see and objects quite some distance away. Nine out of 10 miles is just a playful distance for them. Cranes swing the shells onto carriages which roll the shells to the breach and then look

ELECTRA ADDS GOOD PRODUCERS

Texas Company Completes Good Shallow Well

The Electra district last week added a number of wells to the county's producers, the majority being in the south pool and in the section to the southwest of the city, all in the proven leases.

The main feature for the week was the finding of a new pay in the Magnolia Petroleum company's No. 19 on the Waggoner tract, which is a 50 barrel producer. The top of the sandy shale was encountered at 2,515 feet and after penetrating a few feet partially filled with oil. The same company's well to the northeast was drilled to 1,115 feet but failed to strike this pay.

Another good shallow producer was completed by the Texas company on the Waggoner tract No. 272 located midway between the company's tank farm and the Waggoner ranch house southwest of Electra; it is pumping 150 barrels daily. The same company's No. 258 Waggoner south of town is tesing out a sand at 1,741 to 45 and is due for completion this week. Several other rigs are drilling on the company's tracts. The wildcat test on the Flusche land northwest of Electra is running 5 3-16 casing at 2,413 feet.

The Magnolia company is showing activity on leases in the Waggoner, H. T. C. Summer and Ancel lands. The deep test being put down on the Ancell land has a fishing job at 4,800 feet. The deep test which will be started on town is rigging up.

Locations have been made by the Magnolia company to put down five wells on the tract in the L. P. Douglas land recently purchased from Cap McDannald.

In section 33 and 34 of the Waggoner, the Tehoma company has completed two nice wells during the week. No. 10, A lease was put on the pump and is good for 100 barrels from the 1,500 foot pay. No. 20 A has set casing on top of the sand at 1,459 and cemented and is due for completion the coming week. No. 11 on the E lease is drilling towards the 1,700 foot level.

East of town on the L. P. Douglas tract the Humble Oil company completed No. 12 in the 1,900 foot pay and is making 90 barrels daily. The same company's No. 13 Douglas is drilling at 1,500 feet.

The 30-cent cut in the price of crude during the week has so far failed to have any effect on drilling operations in this section. Numerous new wells have spudded in and additional locations been made both in the proven and the wildcat districts. The Electra pool at present is one of the active spots in the district and with the amount of drilling now going on will continue to be so for the coming summer and fall.

M. Pois and Ben E. Schultz spudded in their No. one Waggoner last Wednesday on the H. & T. C. survey.

The Ryan Peroleum company spudded in their No. 10 of the Fowler farm.

"NO DELAY" TO MOVE

The No Delay Cleaners and the Tenth Street Fruitery will move soon to a new home being built at the corner of Tenth and Austin streets. Gerald Yates, of the Fruitery, and E. A. Walker, of the Cleaning company, hope to move within the next few weeks into the large brick building being erected by F. A. Smith Contracting company.

BUG BUSINESS IN BACK YARD

From his back yard frog ranch, near Oshkosh, Wis., Emil Neuenfeldt ships two million frog legs a year and maintains an office in Chicago. The ranch is a plot of ground 70x100 feet. The frogs are kept in concrete trenches 50 feet long and six feet wide, in which are refrigerating pipes and running water. The frogs are caught in nearby streams and ponds. The cold water in the tanks makes them hibernate and the frog chorus doesn't sing. When an order is received, the required number of frogs are scooped from a trench and placed in a tank of water charged with electricity. This kills the frogs, straightens out their legs and makes amputation easy. If a freak farm pays, it pays well.

A last June bride writes is she still looks the same to her husband, that even her clothes haven't changed.

Ho! Ye Beauties! Portrait Painter Says 'You Aint'



Sir William Orpen.

America's so-called "beauties" and "Venuses" were given a severe jolt when Sir William Orpen, noted portrait painter, declared he had never seen a perfect model or really pretty woman in his 25 years of painting. Now kick that around.

EAST HAS A CLOCK CHAOS.

A bank at Norwich Conn., informs its depositors that until further notice it will be open for business from 9 o'clock a. m. to 2 o'clock p. m., standard time time; or from 9 o'clock a. m. to 3 o'clock p. m., "so-called summer or daylight saving time." Connecticut has a standard time law which applies to departments of state and municipalities, but the people and the public and the clocks may follow any time they see fit. If confusion may be worse damfounded, this is one way it can be done.

EQUITY MAKES CLAY PROGRESS

970 Feet Reached By Addickes & Collender Well

HENRIETTA, May 12.—The Equity Petroleum Corporation is making good progress in its No. 1 well, Addickes & Callender, on block 40, Specht & McCutchen subdivision, having reached a depth of 970 feet.

It is expected that this well will find the same oil sands as recently discovered in the Knox Finley well No. 1, on the Saner & Lomax farm. G., C. & S. F. railway company No. 1 survey, abstract 794, which is located approximately two miles south of the Equity well.

Knox-Finley Development company is now making a thorough test of this strata of oil sand, found at a depth of 1,141 feet. This is practically the same depth as the sand found in the Ladd & Hannon well No. 1, on the Mary C. Parker tract, block 31, Pratt pasture subdivision, which was picked up and a test made of the same some few days ago. The Ladd & Hannon well made a test at the time, and after deciding that the sand at the depth penetrated would not warrant sufficient production, drilling was resumed. The Ladd & Hannon No. 1 Parker well is located about one and one-half miles south of the Knox-Finley and about one-half mile east of the Clay-Wichita county line.

Campbell Oil company, Shira & Stover No. 1, W. T. Spivey lands, block 3217, T. E. & L. Co., located 18 miles south of Henrietta, will resume drilling within a few days. This test has been drilling in a hard slate, and has reached a depth of 2,520 feet. Arrangements are being made for extension of lease contracts (and) upon completion of which drilling will be resumed and a deep test made.

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MISTAKEN IDENTITY PROVES EMBARRASSING FOR POLICE

A case of mistaken identity proved rather embarrassing for a local man and the city police department last week.

An arrest had been made in connection with a bad check case, and while the suspect was being held in tentative custody, a number of his alleged victims were called to the city hall to try and identify him. Three men declared positively that the prisoner was the one who had tendered them worthless checks and received payment. A fourth wasn't sure, but stated the suspect looked a lot like the swindler.

The man, however, protested his innocence with such vigor that officers were having a thorough investigation of his case before he was jailed.

They were on the point of filing charges against the suspect when the sheriff's department arrested and obtained a confession from another man that he had been forging the checks. When the actual forger and the suspect were compared, it was a hard matter to tell them apart.

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GRANDFIELD WELL MITS SAND AT 1,526

GRANDFIELD, May 12.—The Oklahoma-Texas Refining company's No. 1 reached sand Wednesday afternoon at 1,526 feet and set casing preparatory to drilling in. The well is in what is said to be a very rich sand and the drillers hope to complete it as a producer of size, estimates being near 500 barrels by drillers. The well will be completed this week.

Production Increases After Heavy Shot

Lyon and Smith's No. 1 well on the Roller tract in the C. T. railroad survey made a large increase in production following a heavy shot of nitro and is now making 14 barrels, having previous to the shot only produced one barerel daily.

To Drill In Archer

The Oil Investment company will drill No. 1 well on the D lease of the Wilson ranch, section 2, H. and T. C. railroad survey. The well is the first on the tract and will be started at once.

FOURTH CUT IN CRUDE PRICE

New Quotations Range From $1.10 to $2.20 Per Barrel

Associated Press Dispatch

INDEPENDENCE, Kan., May 12.—The fourth cut of ten cents per barrel in the price of all grades of mid-continent crude oil since April 23 was announced this morning by the Prairie Oil and Gas company, here. The new prices range from $1.10 to $2.20 per barrel.

The new prices are:

Below 28 degrees Baume gravity, $1.10 per barrel

28 to and including 29.9 degrees, $1.20.

30 to 32.9 degrees, $1.30.

33 to 34.9 degrees, $1.45.

35 to 20.9 degrees, $1.60.

37 to 38.9 degrees, $1.80.

39 to 40.9 degrees, $2.00.

41 degrees Baume gravity and above, $2.20 per barrel.

No. 1-B Swastika Finds Rich Pay At 1,384 Feet and Will Be Drilled In Late Sunday or Early In Week

OLNEY, May 12.—No. 1 on the B lease of the Swastika company found a rich pay at 1,384 feet this afternoon and is setting casing to drill in. The well was cored at that depth showing pay and oil showing in the slush pit gave proof of the richness of the sand. The well will be drilled in Sunday afternoon or Monday and is expected to show up well.

The Kemp No. 1 well five and a half miles southwest of this city pumped for 14 hours yesterday producing in that time 50 barrels of oil. Operators who have watched the well believe that it will be good for about 70 barrels daily production. It is 15 miles from the Swastika discovery well and is thought to be a continuance of the Swastika pool.

The well started pumping at 1 o'clock Saturday morning and in 18 hours produced 50 barrels. However the pump was shut down for more than four hours, making full time for pumping only 14 hours. Heavy gas pressure held the pump valves open making it hard to continue, the drillers finally being forced to pipe the gas from the hole to a point a distance from the well where it was set afire.

The Kemp well will be kept on the pump and is expected to make at least 70 barrels. The finding of pay in commercial quantities has given renewed impetus to leasing and with several wells already being started the pool is on the way to being thoroughly tested in the vicinity.

Hirschi District Fails to Show Any New Completions For Week

The Hirschi district failed last week to show any completions, however, a number of wells are due to be finished during the coming week.

On the Hirschi in block 884 the Sun company-Barclay Meadows have two tests on the sands. No. 9 is standardizing at 1,858, and will drill in the next day or two; No. 10 is setting and cementing the casing on top of the pay at 1,854 feet, with a hole full of oil.

To the west of the Barclay-Meadows, the Gulf Production company is nearing the pay in three tests on the east side of their lease offsetting the B. and M. wells.

Casing is being set on the No. 2 well of E. A. Dale and associates on his Dale fee to the west of the Gulf lease in block 835.

To the northeast of the Bradley Oil company's lease, the Burk Cameron Oil company is drilling at 1,800 feet in No. 8 on the Allen Foster tract.

The Bradley company is showing a great amount of activity on its lease on the north part of the Hirschi, but reported no completions.

John Sweatt Well in Peterson Expected To Be Completed Soon

The John Sweatt Drilling company's well northwest of the Peterson pool on the Luke Wilson ranch lands, which has caused excitement in the new territory will probably be completed within the next few days.

Casing was set Wednesday and cemented, and it is expected that the well will be bailed either today or Monday, with the drillers expecting a producer of size. The sand, which was encountered at 1,603 feet is very rich in high grade oil and is thought by operators to be as good as the Peterson pay which has made several good wells of size.

"Of course we cannot tell the exact production the well will make but we are confident that it will be at least a 250-barrel well, judging from the richness of the sand and the wells in the Peterson pool which have been completed in a sand that is thought to be the same encountered by our well," said W. H. Street, of the drilling company.

Both the Texhoma Oil and Refining company and the Humble Oil company have tested the sand, declaring it to be unusually rich. Wells in what is thought to be the same pay, in the Peterson pool, have lately made from 250 to 400 barrels daily, and it is thought by the Sweatt drillers that the Wilmot well will do as well. The well will probably be completed within the next three days, and is being watched with unusual interest as the finding of the sand has caused a drilling rush into the land between it and the Peterson.

Leasing is f in the territory of the Sweatt well and many tracts have been sold for sums ranging from $200 an acre to $500 an acre, with drilling provisions that assure the drilling of wells in the near future.

Eurika To Drill

No. 1 Diggs, of the Eurika Oil company, on section 15, Richardson lands in Archer county, is a test that will be drilled within the next few days.

Lilly White Sold To Roxana Company

LIMA, Ohio, May 12.—Sale of the Lilly White Oil company of Lima to the Roxanna Petroleum company of Kansas City for $650,000 is practically completed, according to officials of the local company. The Roxanna corporation plans after the purchase of the local concern includes erection of a $300,000 lubricating oil plant in Lima, it is said.

MEDIUM BROWN HAIR looks best of all after a Golden Glint Shampoo.—Adv.

The talk of the town "Richardson's bargain basement sale." It's crowded every day.—Adv.

EYES TESTED
GLASSES FITTED
LENSES GROUND
FAITH OPTICAL CO.
"Created for Vision's Sake"

CASING FOR SALE

Two strings 6 5-8 20-pound $1.05
1,000 at 8.25, 900 feet, 10-inch at $1.45
1,700 4 1-2 inch 35c

LINE PIPE

30,000 feet two-inch line pipe 13c
2,000 four-inch pipe 38c
10,000 two-inch cubing 18c
6,000 feet three-inch 24c

We install new pipe machines and will rethread new casing at price to suit you.

BURKBURNETT SUPPLY CO.
Phone 4176

We Sell Van Raalte Silk Hose

Saul's Monday Specials

Values Always Out-of-the Ordinary

36-inch Percales
36-inch Cretonnes
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MONDAY SPECIAL

15c

A YARD

The three above materials sell for 25c a yard elsewhere.

Women's Bungalow House Aprons

MONDAY SPECIAL

69c

(Limit—Two to the Customer)
On sale in the Balcony

Children's E. Z. Athletic Union Suits

Put up in sanitary tissues
MONDAY SPECIAL

59c

(Limit—Four to the Customer)

Men's B. V. D. Union Suits

MONDAY SPECIAL

$1.00

(Limit—Three to the Customer)

Imported Dotted Swiss
Paisley and Dotted Voiles
Plain and Novelty Ratines

MONDAY SPECIAL

59c

A YARD

These materials in qualities up to $1.00 a yard

Children's Black Sateen Bloomers

MONDAY SPECIAL

19c

(Limit—Three to the Customer)
On sale in the Annex

FREE!

McCall Doll Patterns Will Be Given Little Girls at Our McCall Pattern Department—TUESDAY

And to the three little girls under 12 years of age making the prettiest doll dress from these patterns, we will give

A $15.00 DOLL
A $10.00 DOLL
A $5.00 DOLL

Absolutely Free!

Contest Will Close Tuesday, May 22.
REMEMBER—You can get the doll patterns FREE Tuesday at—

SAUL'S

See the Dolls in Our 7th Street Window

THEY MAKE THE WHEELS GO AROUND--NEWS WANT ADS

Train Information

Fort Worth and Denver — Southbound to Fort Worth: 8:00 a. m.; 2:50 p. m.; 3:00 a. m. Northbound to Childress and Denver, 3:20 a. m.; to Childress and Amarillo 2:20 p. m.; from Fort Worth 10:30 p. m.

Wichita Valley—To Stamford and Abilene 2:40 p. m.; from Stamford and Abilene (arrives) 1:50 p. m.; Waurika branch to Bean, Petrolia, Byers and Waurika, 9 a. m.; from Waurika, 5 p. m.

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

Wichita Falls and Northwestern—To Forgan 7:00 a. m.; from Forgan 7:35 p. m. To Elk City 7 p. m.; from Elk City 8 a. m. Sleeper to and from Oklahoma City via Altus over Frisco.

M. K. & T.—To Dallas, St. Louis and Kansas City, 6:15 a. m.; St. Louis and Kansas City 6:45 p. m.; to Dallas 11:30 p. m.; from Dallas 6:15 a. m.; from Kansas City and St. Louis 10:55 a. m.; from Dallas, St. Louis and Kansas City 10:15 p. m.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Wichita Falls Council No. 140 R. & S. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m.
GEO. A. SMOOT, T. I. M.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 50 — Stated conclaves first and third Thursdays of each month.
OTTO STEHLIK, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Work in the Commandery Thursday, May 17, 4 p. m. All orders conferred. Visiting Sir Knights invited.

Faith Lodge No. 1168, A. F. & A. M. Stated meetings the first and third Tuesday nights of each month. 815 Scott.
P. B. CURD, W. M.
ALBERT ELLIS, Sec'y

Stated meeting and examination of candidates Tuesday, May 15, 8 p. m.

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

Instruction in Entered Apprentice degree Monday and Tuesday, May 14 and 15 at 7 p. m.

Instruction in Fellow Craft degree Wednesday, May 16, 7 p. m.

Work in the Master's degree Wednesday, May 16, 8 p. m.

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

Work in the Mark Master's degree Monday, May 14, 7 p. m.

Haskat Temple A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Tuesday each month at Falls hotel rooms in Chenault Bldg., 813 Scott. All visiting Nobles invited to attend. Recorder's office 813 Scott street. Phone 2884.
FRANK COLLIER, Potentate.
AL. ELLIS, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 257, of the Eastern Star, meets first and third Tuesday nights to each month.
MAE MAZLE SPITZNER, W. M.
MRS. NENA PRITZ McGLYNN, Sec'y

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

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1105, B. P. O. E., meets first and third Mondays of each month at Elks club, corner Eighth and Scott Sts. Visiting members invited to attend.
J. B. MARLOW, Exalted Ruler.
H. C. ENGLISH, Sec.

Wichita Falls Camp, No. 3001, Regular meeting every Friday night, 8:00 I. O. O. F. hall, Sixth and Scott Ave.
J. M. NICHOLS, C. C.
D. C. BAKER, Clerk.
Phone 6720. 716 Seventh St.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday night at Odd Fellows Hall, 900 Scott street, at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers are requested to meet with us.
O. C. BLANTON, N. G.
J. W. BUSSEY, Rec. Sec.

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

HOPE CHAPTER ORDER OF DEMOLAY
Stated meetings second and fourth Thursdays of every month. Patrol meets every Tuesday and Thursday night. Master Masons cordially invited.
GEORGE E. ROSE, M. C.
JOYCE WILLIAMS, Scribe.

2—Lost and Found

STOLEN—From my residence in Wichita Falls Patek-Philippe open-face, thin model watch, with richly carved case; monogram F. P. T. on back; also diamond and platinum Shrine pin. Liberal reward for information leading to the return of either. F. P. Timberlake.

LOST—Bunch of keys on keyring with McClurkan & Co. identification ring No. 200; reward for return to W. B. McClurkan & Co.

LOST—A 35x5 India tire on rim with cover on, in Holliday field, Wednesday. Notify T. C. Scrugs, at Kemp hotel, for liberal reward.

STRAYED from 1406 Fourteenth St., small brown Jersey cow, 2 years old, rope and halter on. Phone 4715.

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1c per Word

1 insertion, per word 1c
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30 insertions, per word 30c

No advertisement accepted for less than 25c for the first insertion.

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

Closing Hours

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

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

PHONE 4121

Notice to Subscribers

Your Record News should be delivered every morning not later than 6:15 o'clock. When your service is not just what it should be you will do us a favor by telephoning your complaint direct to this office.

PHONE 4121

2—Lost and Found

THE GENTLEMAN I rode with from Freeman Hampton to Holliday postoffice by mistake drove away with suit case in car; would please leave it in Room 317, General Hospital, Robert Honeyman.

3—Help Wanted Male

WANTED—Phonograph salesman, liberal commission. Apply 827 Indiana, The Columbia Shoppe.

WANTED—A man to meet the public; must be able to drive any make of car; reference required; night job; steady work. Box 105, Record News.

ARGENTINA. Young men desiring employment in Argentina may write for free particulars to Frederick Publishing company, 904 E. Corby, South Bend, Ind.

BOY over 18 years of age wanted. Must have fairly good education, through school, ambitious and willing to work. This is splendid opportunity for boy to learn a trade that will eventually pay well. Telephone application, or those desiring temporary employment, not considered. Small salary to begin with. Faith Optical Co., 815 Scott avenue.

WANTED—Two neat, small type young ladies, age 18-23, to travel with manager and wife by auto. The trip alone is worth while. We pay a good salary. If you don't want permanent work, don't answer. Call in person soon as possible. See Mrs. Butler, Room 29, American hotel.

Boys Wanted

To sell Record News before school hours every morning.

4—Help Wanted Female

TWO neat appearing girls for lunch counter. Apply 717-A, Seventh St.

WANTED—Two energetic women solicitors; experienced preferred; unusual opportunity to make good money for women of ability. For details and appointment phone 5721 early Monday.

WANTED—At once, maid for light housework. Call 3001.

WANTED—A cook and dishwasher; must be good or don't apply. 706 Lamar.

5—Male or Female Help

MEN or women to travel and appoint salesmen. Give phone and address for interview. P. O Box 1683, Wichita Falls, Texas.

6—Salesmen & Agents

SKILLED or unskilled labor desiring position with large oil or refining companies in United States, Mexico, South America, Australia or other countries send stamped, self-addressed envelope for particulars. No stock selling proposition offered. Oil Bureau 165, Haver Building, Tulsa, Okla.

THE J. R. WATKINS Company will employ a lady or gentleman agent in Wichita Falls. Watkins products are known everywhere and our salespeople make big incomes. Investigate this opportunity. Full particulars and valuable samples sent free to hustlers who mean business. Write today. The J. R. Watkins company, Dept. 88, Memphis, Tenn.

WANTED—Men and women to sell our goods in country and city. A new selling plan which requires no investment. Team or auto needed for country, no outfit needed in city. City dealers can buy for cash or on credit as desired. McConnon & Company, Winona, Minn. Mention this paper.

$2 AN HOUR in your spare time doing work among families of your city. No experience or capital required. Write today for particulars while your territory is open. American Products Co., 8328 American Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio.

SALESMEN, represent largest tropical men's tailoring house; mohairs, feather-weight worsteds, sunproof serges, lowest prices, big commissions, quick delivery. Apply today. Traymore Tailoring Co., Philadelphia, Penn., Dept. "G."

WE WILL pay you to distribute religious literature in your community. Steady work. Man or woman. Experience unnecessary. Act quickly. Universal Bible House, Philadelphia.

6—Salesmen & Agents

WE WILL pay you to distribute religious literature in your community. Steady work. Man or woman. Experience unnecessary. Act quickly. Universal Bible House, Philadelphia.

AGENTS—Davis sold 24 Sprayumps and Autowashers in 24 hours, Profits $3.50 each; square deal. Particulars free. Write The Ray Rusler Co., Johnstown, Ohio.

DISTRIBUTORS— Quickly develop own independent business handling Scotmints Yeast candy; new Ford automobile free; exclusive territory. Scotmints Company, 730 Scotmints Building, Jersey City, N. J.

WANTED—Agent for Wichita county, Hush-A-Phone is a practical, successful, proven device. Privacy—the confidential feature. Office Quiet—the efficiency feature; Quiet Wire—the long distance feature. Hundreds of prominent firms in Texas using it. This is an opportunity for a responsible man, with selling ability. Reference and sufficient capital to finance his sales required. Give particulars first letter in making application. Worth Sales Corporation Distributors, Praetorian Bldg., Dallas, Texas.

7— Situations Wanted

COMPETENT stenographer desires position immediately either permanent or temporarily. Phone 5907.

EXPERIENCED collector will work from your office or independently; handle settlements, collections or credits and retain the customer's trade; can work oil field business. Address P. O. Box 1572.

EXPERT stenographer desires position; thoroughly experienced in either commercial or legal lines. Call 4807 Monday.

18-YEAR-OLD boy, senior and high school, wishes position; not attending school now. Box 42, Record News.

8 —Room and Board

ROOMMATE for young man; also lady at 1210 Ninth St. Phone 3521.

ROOM AND BOARD $30.00 a week, 1007 Burnett. Phone 6306.

9—Bedrooms for Rent

NICELY furnished bedrooms for men only. 804 Tenth. Phone 2637.

NICE front bedroom, adjoining bath; private entrance; private home; garage privileges. 1205 Monroe.

SOUTHEAST front bedroom at 1710 Tenth street. Phone 2420. Garage if desired.

SOUTH bedroom, modern every way; convenient to town. Men only. Phone 4043, 911 Lamar.

COOL, south bedroom, upstairs, one or two gentlemen; modern conveniences; close in. Apply 1006 Tenth street.

NICE front bedroom for couple. Phone 6202.

TWO lovely front bedrooms; have separate entrance; southeast exposure; private home. 1900 Ninth St. Phone 3036.

COOL southeast room in modern, private home to one or two men. On pavement, use of garage, 2006 Ninth Street.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front bedroom and garage to gentlemen only. Apply 2300 Tenth.

ONE large front bedroom, two beds; private entrance with every convenience. 1006 Lamar.

SOUTH bedroom, nicely furnished, close in. Meals next door. Phone 6772.

AVONDALE has modern rooms, $4 to $6 per week, 714 9th street.

10—Housekeeping Rooms

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms in private home. Phone 6822.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms; no children. 606 Travis.

TWO housekeeping rooms, also south bedroom close in. Phone 6772.

CLOSE In two modern, well furnished housekeeping rooms, with sleeping porch to adults only. Phone 6414. 305 Scott.

TWO large, unfurnished rooms adjoining bath. Sink in kitchen; front and back entrance. 1505 Broad.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOM for rent. $5 a week. Phone 4813.

11—For Rent Apartments

3-ROOM, unfurnished apartment; private bath, strictly modern; walking distance. Adults only. Phone 3926.

UNFURNISHED brick garage apartment, bedroom, kitchen and bath; hot and cold water, lights and gas; place for one car; 1627 Tenth St. Phone 5965.

FOR RENT — Two-room apartment $7 a week. Phone 6521. 1210 Indiana.

12—For Rent Houses

FOR RENT — Four-room modern house, 402 Lamar. Phone 5851.

FIVE-ROOM modern close in; also 3-room unfurnished apartment $35 per month. Call today. Phone 3972.

FIVE-ROOM bungalow, two blocks from business district; perfect condition; garage and servant quarters; will lease to desirable tenant. Phone 3367.

14—Wanted to Rent

WANTED by responsible couple, can give best of references, a three, four or five-room furnished house; will consider one for summer months only. Phone 3048.

15— Miscellaneous

WINFREY FIXIT shop. We repair and recover umbrellas. Phone 5213.

17— For Sale Misc.

RADIO SET—Three step amplifier, magnovox head phones; everything complete. $100 will buy it today. Drive out and hear it. 2012 Tenth street.

FOR SALE—One Half safe, 23x23; 1 Seaburg electric piano; 1 ice box. All good bargains, 721 Ohio. phone 5703.

FOR SALE—Composition shingles, $7 per square. Texas Lumber Salvage company, 1112 Ohio Ave.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A binder, also a drill and wagon. See Mr. Crome, one-half mile east of Cashion.

FOR SALE—16x16 tent. Phone 2385.

SPRING is the ideal time to brighten up the home with a new coat of paint, wall paper, varnishes and enamels. We help you to do this at a nominal cost. Visit our store before you buy. We do contracting. Wichita Falls Paint and Paper company, Successors to Wilhite & Townley, 622 Ohio Ave.

18— Dogs, Cats, Pets

FOR SALE—Full-blooded fox terrier puppies. 1617 McGregor.

FOR SALE—Greyhound puppy, female, 12 months; well bred, double cross Lord Brazen, entered both National and Texas futurities. Will ship on approval. Wire or mail $125 to F. J. Seldman, Terminal hotel, Fort Worth, Texas.

20— Live Stock

FOR SALE— Milch cow, giving about 2 1-2 gallons per day. No lot to keep her. Come and make me a price, at 1508 Broad street.

22— Financial

P. B. CURD
Fire Insurance and Farm Loans

24—Bus. Opportunities

WANT loan of $4,000 on 40 acre lease Wichita company. Twenty shallow oil wells. Deed of trust on property attorney's opinion. Ten per cent interest. Loan to be paid off in monthly payments. Box 104, Record.

TRIPLE "XXX" ROOT BEER OUTFIT
Anyone in city or state wishing to enter a profitable business on small capital, write General Sales Manager Southern Beverage company, Galveston Texas.

25— Special Notices

WE WILL move you for $2.50 per load. Brown's Transfer. The Careful Mover, 605 Seventh. Phone 2288.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED
We will call for and return mattresses at Burkburnett, Iowa Park and surrounding oil fields, and make them good as new.
PATTON MATTRESS FACTORY
402 Ind. Ave. Phone 2930
Wichita Falls, Texas

PURE goose feather pillows, best grade feather ticking, $2.50 each. Patton Mattress Factory, phone 2930.

FOR SALE—45-lb. all new cotton linters mattresses, good art ticking, $8.75; 40-lb. made-over mattresses new art ticking, $6.50. We will take old mattresses or furniture in payment for new mattresses or mattress work. Patton Mattress Factory, 402 IndianaA ve., Phone 2930.

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

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

MATTRESSES renovated; have your old mattress made new and saved; rate $5 on each mattress. Called for and delivered. Sanitary Mattress factory. Phone 4783.

PAPERHANGING and painting; prices reasonable; work guaranteed. Call Thomas, 6033.

PRACTICAL house moving, raising, leveling. Jack Humphrey. Phone 5994.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED: we bring sample of ticking; call for and deliver same day. Mattresses made good as new. Patton Mattress Factory, 402 Indiana. Phone 2930

FOR PLUMBING Phone 3644. David Black.

SPECIAL oil field hauling, heavy and light.
LOWE TRANSFER CO
Phone 4416

MOORE Plumbing Co., Phone 6300 910 Sixth street.

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

26— Personal

P. B. CURD
Fire Insurance and Farm Loans

PALMIST, 806 9th St., scientific palm reading. Can fill a few dates. Come at once.

FOR SALE—Or will trade B-Flat saxaphone for a Ford car or truck. Phone 2698. 1702 Bluff.

DR. P. S. RUSSELL'S cold breaker and Dr. P. S. Russell's chest ointment for sale by all druggists.

N. L. WILLIAMS, spiritualist medium, and healer of rheumatism, paralytics, epileptic fits, tuberculosis, piles, stomach and kidney trouble without patients faith. Guarantee satisfaction. Only here a short time. Labor temple. Phone 2467.

28—Wanted Furniture

GALLSTONE, liver, constipation, stomach complications. A specialist's booklet and advice to all sufferers free. Address Dr. Hunter, 207 Main St., Little Rock, Ark.

MRS. RUGE, T. S. A., spiritualist, missionary and teacher; reading by appointment from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. daily. 607 Lamar. Phone 5554.

ORDAINED SPIRITUALIST
Crystal gazer. Madame J. Rea Keys is in your city for a few days and will be glad to give advice in all your troubles. She satisfies you as to her ability or makes no charge. Has made thousands happy. Stratford hotel. Room 2. Phone 6322.

27— Dressmaking

HEMSTITCHING that will please the most fastidious customer; have all colors in the regular hemstitching thread; work done promptly, special rate on Tuesday. Mrs. Holcombe, 710 Van Buren street.

HEMSTITCHING 8c a yard. 1200 Lamar, phone 3871.

PLAIN and fancy sewing; shirt making a specialty. 1516 Eleventh St.

28—Wanted Furniture

WANTED—To buy light housekeeping furniture for 5 or 15 rooms; must be cheap. Some trade. Phone 6111.

WANTED—Second hand ice box, 10 feet long, 3 feet wide and 3 feet deep. Apply 806 1-2 10th St.

WANT TO SELL
Your used furniture?
If so
PHONE 5528
MICKS FURNITURE CO.
"Service and Quality."
716-18 Seventh St.

THE STAR FURNITURE CO.
Will pay you more for your used furniture.
910 Indiana. Phone 6011.

"WILL PAY CASH"
Wanted to buy, five or six rooms of furniture. Phone 3216.

29—For Sale Furniture

MICKS FURNITURE CO.
Will pay you more for your second hand furniture.
Phone 5528 716 Seventh St.

WANTED TO BUY
We buy all kinds furniture; stoves, rugs, etc. We pay more and sell for less. Phone 6513.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE CO.,
J. A. Deaton & Son. 918 Scott

CASH, TRADE, TERMS
Trade us your old refrigerator for a new one. Don't fail to see our many bargains in new and used furniture. Stoves and rugs. Large stock to select from.
E. F. RILEY FURNITURE CO.
Phone 323 No. 2 607 Ind.

"SAVE YOUR MONEY"
We sell for less and pay you more for your used furniture. See us.
MILLICAN FURNITURE CO.,
804 Seventh St. Phone 4750

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

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

31—Musical Instruments

FOR SALE—Upright piano, in good condition. 1302 Burnett St.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, Bush and Gerts Grand piano, or will trade for good lot. Phone 4283. W. E. Floyd.

33—Autos and Accessories

WE BUY and sell Fords and other standard makes.
L. & M. AUTO MARKET
911 Scott

IF YOUR car is hard to start or your starter don't work, and if your battery is weak, and your generator won't generate, bring it by and we will fix you up. We also repair oil field generators.
PEOPLES BATTERY & ELECTRIC SERVICE
607 First Street.

WE sell the Armieder truck. TEXAS IRON AND METAL CO., 205 Mississippi, Phone 6860.

We will buy your car.
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
714 9th St. Phone 2015.

THE HOUSE OF OVERLAND offers
CASH—TRADE—TERMS
1920 FOR ROADSTER; shock absorbers and lock wheels, a good buy for $150.
BUICK TOURING; good tires, fine motor, a pickup, $275.
CADILLAC TOOL PUSHER; new cord tires; fine condition throughout; only $225
1920 BUICK TOURING; excellent condition; $325.
OVERLAND 90 TOURING; a snap for $85.
OVERLAND MOTORS CO.,
Phone 6616 Ninth at Travis

A FEW GOOD VALUES
1921 Oakland, good shape, cheap.
1919 Buick, bargain at $250.
1921 Ford roadster $150.
2 cranker Fords $35 and $50.
1920 Paige Touring, only $225.
Several others.
LOCKHART CHEVROLET CO.
Telephone 2442 808 Lamar

DON'T RUIN YOUR MOTOR.
Have that leaky radiator repaired NOW. Complete stock of cores and parts for all makes.
SUPREME RADIATOR CO.
Phone 2804. 605½ Scott Ave.

33—Autos and Accessories

MARMON Club roadster for sale cheap. A pick up for the price. Phone 4156. Ask for McClure.

BUY A USED CAR
One that looks and runs practically good as new.
Cole 8, 4-passenger.
Buick, 5-passenger.
Cadillac suburban.
Cadillac roadster.
These cars are in the very best of condition and are priced to sell. Come in and look them over.
MUNGER AUTOMOBILE CO.
816-18 Scott Ave. Phone 6403

WINTON 7-passenger, extra condition, sell or trade. Phone 6323.

TRAILERS
For Sale
GAINES MOTOR SALES CO.
916-18 3303

$200 TAKES truck, come drive it away. 205 Travis.

FORD TOURING
Ready to go, worth the money.
VICTOR MOTOR CO.
905 Lamar Phone 2150

BARGAINS.
1922 Nash coupe, new cord tires, looks and runs like a new one, $650.
1921 Ford sedan, fully equipped, a bargain, $400.
1921 Ford coupe, $375.
1921 Ford coupe, $275.
1920 Buick touring, 6 new cord tires, motor A No. 1, $550.
tires motor and paint.
57 Cadillac, 7-passenger, good tires, motor and paint.
PRICE TO SELL
Cash—Trade—Terms
SECURITY MOTOR SALE CO.
714 9th St. Phone 2015.

USED CAR VALUES

BUICK ROADSTER	$425
CHANDLER ROADSTER	$300
CHANDLER TOURING	$550
CHANDLER TOURING	$350
OVERLAND TOURING	$200
VELIE TOURING	$175
MARMON ROADSTER	$550

WILHELM-MOULDER AUTO CO.
908 Ohio Phone 5828
NEXT TO POSTOFFICE

FOR SALE—One 7-passenger Cadillac; good condition; run 23,000 miles; also one Shetland pony, 5 years old. J. F. Hagan, Electra, Texas.

34—Machinery and Tools

FOR SALE—96-foot derrick, rebuilt and reinforced. Phone 6023.

800 FEET, 8 1-2, 32-lb. new casing at Electra; will sell worth the money. Phone 2596.

FOR SALE— Approximately 1,500 feet 6 5-8 20-lb. casing. See J. J. Mathis, 1201 American National bank building.

TWO Powers projectors, one 6-A stand with B head. One 6-B, complete, slightly used; $150 and $250, respectively if taken at once. Duffey Mapes, 411 Seymour. Phone 4082.

USED Casing line pipe and cleaning out tools at a saving. Wanted: abandoned wells, casing and lines.
BURKBURNETT SUPPLY CO.
Phone 176.

FOR SALE—Star machine tools from 10-inch down; 35 boiler. See Farris Vaughn, Holliday, Texas.

CASINGS
200 feet, 16½-inch, 70-lb $3.75.
660 feet, 12½-inch, 50-lb, $2.25.
1,100 feet, 10-inch, 40-lb., $1.60.
2,050 feet, 8¼-inch, 32-lb, $1.35.
3,100 feet 6⅝-inch, 24-lb $1.15.
CALVERT SUPPLY CO.,
Virginia and Pecan Sts., Phone 2985
L. D. 51.

Used oil well supplies of all kinds, pipe, casing, rigs, etc.
Corner Virginia and Pecan Sts.
ROY CALVERT & CO.
Phone 2985. L. D. 51

35—Oil Land and Leases

FOR SALE—Have few small interest 40 acre syndicate, between production. Freeman Hampton field. See Arthur Lyons or John Lane, 510 American National Bldg. Phone 4807.

FOR SALE—32 1-2 acres old Texhoma field; eight wells, good power; lease in first-class shape. Price right. C. A. Parker, 419 Staley Bldg. Phone 2596.

WILL GIVE 300 acres, 2,750 feet from production, for a 2,000 foot test. R. M. Armstrong, 403 Morgan Bldg.

36—For Sale, Trade or Ex.

HORSE and wagon for trade for Ford car. Apply rear 806 Mississippi. Otto Dodson.

35—Oil Land and Leases

FOR SALE or will trade B flat saxaphone for a Ford car or truck. Phone 2698. 1702 Bluff.

37—Farms and Ranches

SAY LISTEN! here's a ranch bargain, Medina county, 2350 acres, 100 tillable, well-fenced and improved; rippling water, plenty fish and game. A real opportunity and the price is right. Inq. A. 118, Hondo, Texas.

237 ACRES north of Iowa Park, paved road, 160 acres in cultivation. Price $50 per acre, on good terms. L. E. Cowling, 819 Indiana.

100-ACRE farm, close to city, every foot tillable, 80 acres cultivation, all fenced, house and outbuildings, close to school, not over four miles from city; it's a bargain, $70 per acre, only $1,000 cash.
STATON & STATON
712 Eighth street. Phone 5328

GOOD rooming house, well located, and is doing good business. Priced to sell quick. Phone 3972. Call for Mrs. Childers.

39—Hotels, Room', Houses

ROOMING house, located in the heart of the city, 18 rooms, elegant furniture, good lease, doing good business. Might consider truck farm or suburban property on the deal. Baldridge, basement City National.

40—For Sale Real Estate

FIVE rooms, modern, near Austin school; all nice large rooms, newly papered house, in good condition; lot 48x162; nice shade trees and a few pecan trees. This is a rare chance to get such a place. Price $4,400. Only $500 down, balance monthly.

Nice little 3-room house on Polk street; full size lot. Price $1,750. $1,000 down, balance one, two and three years.

J. D. SCOTT
1513 Seventh St. Phone 3972

THREE lots 50x150.; 4-room house, lights, gas and water; fruit trees; cow barn and cow; chicken house; 100 Rhode Island chickens; wash house, electric washer; garage; priced right. Call at 306 Maple St.

HUFF AVENUE
On Huff avenue we have a beautiful six-room home with everything that it takes to make a home. Hard wood floors throughout, a fireplace, breakfast room, driveway, garage and a large cool front porch. This home can be bought at a sacrifice. Party moving from city. Shown by appointment only.
L. E. COWLING
819 Indiana Avenue. Phone 2644

IF YOU DESIRE QUICK SALE
of your real estate or a loan on same, at a cheap rate and best terms, see or call D. T. Covington, who has had many years of experience in this line of business.

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Prices right, locations the very best.
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BEAUTIFUL, MODERN, 9 room and bath, old English residence, Mission finish throughout, large living room; open fire places; beautiful section among fine homes; owner must leave city; sacrifice price. Russell, Box 674, Shreveport, La.

FOR SALE—Lot, direct from owner, in Floral Heights, with small garage, walks, sewerage, gas and water in. Phone 2930.

EASY TO BUY! Lovely six-room and bath bungalow; almost new; double garage; 67x150 lot; in beautiful Highland section among fine homes and pleasant neighbors. Investigate this. Hollingsworth, Box 674, Shreveport, La.

START NOW! To own this beautiful double duplex, modern 5 rooms and bath each, brick apartment; in lovely Munger Addition, Dallas, Texas; half block car line, garages; servants quarters; splendid investment; owner leaving city; photograph on request. Hollingsworth, Box 674, Shreveport, La.

NICE five-room home on Lucille St., modern every way, edge grain floors, well arranged floor plan, all built-in features, garage and driveway, $4,800. It will cost this amount to build the house now.
STATON & STATON
712 8th street. Phone 5532

CHEAP HOMES
You can choose between 4 or 5 different places. They are four to five rooms, all modern, price ranging from $1,600 to $2,250. Small payments.
STATON & STATON
712 8th street. Phone 5328

For $1,000 cash OR AUTOMOBILE AND $688 CASH, balance $45 monthly, total $4,250; a good five-room home, one block from pavement; servants house, garage, solid concrete driveway, rose garden. If you wish to look at this bargain, call 6122.

EAST FRONT, Floral Heights, dandy six-room home, nice trees and flowers, owner non-resident and wants to sell, $4,700; attractive terms. N. A. Moore, 200 Morgan Bldg. Phone 5635.

40—For Sale Real Estate

FIVE-ROOM modern, large rooms, well built and is on a 60x150 lot. No better location in the city and it is a shame to sell it for this money, only $5,250, $1,000 down, balance 1 to 5 years.
J. D. SCOTT
1513 7th. Phone 3972.

SMALL HOUSE, has water and gas, sewer connections in; lot is 50x150; near car line; only $850; $200 down. Phone 6600. Call at 1707 Magnolia.

ON 15TH street near Austin school, fully modern five-room home, sleeping porch and garage. A nice home priced right, $500 cash; balance to suit.

Four-room modern house, walking distance, only $1,800. Terms, $250 cash, balance easy.

On Huff avenue, we have a nine-room home on large corner lot for $12,500. Could arrange terms. Phone 2783.
HAGER REALTY CO.
14 Ward Bldg., 605 1-2 8th street.

J. C. CRANE & SON

A good buy, close in, 5 rooms, $3,300 with $500 cash, balance $40 per month, including interest.

Five-room home, corner lot, close to town on car line, $3,150 with $500 cash and good terms. Will take in a good Ford as part payment.

Four rooms and large sleeping porch on Taylor street, now being paved; $3,150, with $500 cash and $50 per month, including interest.

Furnished home, 5 rooms, garage, servant house, solid drive; a good buy for $5,000, with $1,700 cash, balance $40 per month.

Monroe street, east front, corner lot, 6 rooms and breakfast room, newly decorated inside and out; a fine buy for $7,500 or will trade for home worth about $4,000, very little cash required. We traded that one we advertised last Sunday and you had better see us about this at once, as it is a good opportunity for anyone desiring a nice home or desiring to reduce an outstanding debt.

Restricted district, corner 100x150; a pair of lots for $2,400 with one-fourth cash and easy terms. The best buy in lots in the restricted district.

Cadillac car, 1922 model; fine condition, owner wishes to trade for a nice lot with 3 or 4-room servant house and garage on the rear of lot; or a small house at the front of lot and will pay difference in cash. To see this car is to want it.

1309 Brittian, 5 rooms; owner wishes to trade for an Oklahoma farm.

1304 Giddings street, owner wishes to trade for a good residence lot in Wichita Falls.

FARMS
A rare opportunity to acquire one of the best 160-acre farms in the irrigation district. Is about two miles east of Iowa Park just off of paved highway; has a good 6-room house, fine well of water and windmill, large barn, peach orchard and otherwise well improved. You can trade in Wichita Falls residence property to the extent of $10,000. There is a government loan of $4,000 and a few thousand dollars cash will handle the deal. We will take pleasure in showing this farm to you, as we consider it one of the best buys we have and it will make a splendid investment.

South of the river, 305 acres will be irrigated; is on gravel road; fine quality of soil, think of it; only $80 per acre and worth more money.

Five-acre tracts, 5 miles out on Iowa Park paved road. If you are interested in a suburban home site, after seeing it, you will agree with us, it is the best location on the Iowa Park paved road. Can give you good terms if desired.

If you wish to sell or trade your real estate of any kind for other real estate, anywhere, please remember that we are headquarters for all kinds of good trades. Have you listed your property with us yet?

J. C. CRANE & SON
J. C. Crane Sr. C. C. Crane
Res. 2919. Res. 4844
434 Bob Waggoner Bldg. Phone 3377

SNAP, $3,500 buys this five-room home and glassed in sleeping porch, 2 rooms hardwood floors, French doors, built-in features, servant house and garage, back yard inclosed, located on one of the best streets in city; shown by appointment only. Good terms. N. A. Moore, 200 Morgan Bldg. Phone 5635.

IN SCOTLAND Addition 3-room house on full lot; it is worth the money, $1,000; $400 down, balance monthly.

Only $200 down, a nice 4-room home, not modern but is a well-built and worth every cent asked, too, only $1,250, $200 down, balance $20 month and interest.

Good 2-room on rear of full lot, only $850, $200 down, balance $15 month.

4-room on Maple street, full lot, beautiful yard, trees and flowers and a little garden too, $900 cash. I sell good homes.
J. D. SCOTT,
1513 7th. Phone 3972

WELL FURNISHED five-room modern home on 12th street, large, well-arranged rooms and the lot is 50x162. The price is $5,000; will take in a good lot in high class residence district or a good car.

6-room, modern, on 14th, to trade for 5-room further out.

10-room house to trade for 5 or 6-room place on pavement.

Good modern home to trade for good car and some cash.
J. D. SCOTT
1513 7th. Phone 3972

FOR SALE—Nice 5-room modern home, located at 1607 Lucille on lot 60 by 140 feet. If interested, call 5530 or 5098 Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday. Do not call unless you want to trade. Will talk business to right party.

40—For Sale, Real Estate

MUST SELL

We have one of the prettiest homes in the city for sale on Lasche street, just a few doors off of Brook. This home has five extra large rooms, living room 18x20; all kind of built-in features; four sets of French doors; and in excellent condition. This was built for a home, but owner is moving from city and it can be bought right for $5,000, with excellent terms. See us about this. Might take a good car or vacant lot.

Six-room home with fire place and built-in features; concrete foundation, servant house and garage, on Tenth street pavement in Floral Heights. $6,500 with excellent terms. L. E. Cowling, 819 Indiana. Phone 2644.

LOOK OVER THIS LIST

Good Wichita property trade for leases around Peterson or Swastika.

Brick business house, Burkburnett trade for Wichita property.

Good farm east Duval Okla. trade for Wichita property.

8,000 acres fine plains land, Swisher county, $16.50 per acre.

7,000 acre ranch, Hall county, will trade.

We trade in farms, ranches and city property, we do.

ARNOLD & YATES,
Phone 3332, Basement 1st Nat. Bk

42—Business Locations

A BUSINESS

for sale in the heart of the business section at a steal price. This is a dandy and will not take very much money. Rent right. Phone 2644.

43—Wanted to Buy

WANTED TO BUY

One used cigar case and one roll-top desk. Call Alpine hotel, 6122.

WANTED—Diamond, will pay cash for nice perfect stone. Must be a real bargain. Box 103, Record News.

44—Legal Notices

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

Notice is hereby given that the Modern Candy company, a partnership of Wichita Falls, Texas, has been dissolved and incorporated under name of Modern Candy company, with office at Wichita Falls, Texas, and that charter was granted to Modern Candy company on April 28a 1923, by S. L. Staples, secretary of state of the State of Texas. This April 30, A. D., 1923. Modern Candy Company, a corporation.

To All Holders of Interest in Kemp-Munger-Allen Oil Company:

It is now intended to pay a 15 per cent dividend on or about the 20th day of May, 1923, to unit holders of record on our books on the 17th of May, 1923.

You are therefore requested to notify the undersigned of your correct address and if you have evidence of interest which has not been transferred on our books, have this done before the last date above mentioned.

Witness my hand at Wichita Falls, Texas, this 8th day of May, 1923.

J. A. KEMP, Trustee.

Can You Believe This Costume Is Of Knitted Silk?



By ELOISE.

This unusual costume is of knitted silk. It is the new type of sports suit which may be worn upon any daytime occasion. The white skirt is knit in a tiny blocked design and the jacket which completes the suit is black silk knit in a plain stitch. The flower embroidery after the Japanese idea is a most unique effect to be tried on a sweater coat of this kind. The coat is made on straight box lines with a small collar fastening close up under the chin and long bell sleeves are caught into a tight cuff.

The white chip hat is banded in black and white georgette to carry out the black and white color scheme. It is a graceful little sports shape with its gently drooping brim and high crown. A large picture hat for afternoon and more formal occasions.

GOING TO CHURCH TODAY?

Here's What The Pastors Are Offering

Rev. P. C. Laslette, of the Central Presbyterian church, announces the ordination and installation of the newly elected elders and deacons will take place Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The church quartette, composed of Miss Nan Scott, Mrs. E. S. Goodner, Prof. Geo. K. McMackin and E. S. Goodner will sing "My Mother's Prayer" and "Have Thy Way O Lord." Besides his regular morning sermon Reverend Laslette will recite the poem "Faith of Our Mothers."

The subjects of his two sermons are "Wichita's Greatest Asset—Not Sky Scrapers and Shops and Stores and Offices and Schools, but The Christian Fathers and Mothers," and at 7:45 p. m. he will speak on "Mary Martha-Jesus" or "The House Keeper Whose House Keeping did not Harmonize with Soul Keeping."

"Mothers Who Live in Their Sons."

The second Sunday of May for many years has been observed by the churches of the country to pay tribute to motherhood. It is the one time of the year when the love, appreciation, and realization of the qualities that mother has contributed to us, is foremost in our lives. The Sunday night service at the First Christian church will be devoted to Mother's day program. Appropriate music will be rendered for this occasion. The sermon subject is "Mothers Who Live in Their Sons." This message is more particularly to the young people than to mothers, in that it will show that the real tribute to motherhood has been and is made through the realization of the hopes, prayers and desires that mother has had in the life of her child.

Mothers' day and the church are so closely related that the past few years has shown the attendance on that day to be the largest of the year with the possible exception of Easter and Christmas. The time of the service is 7:45. A large bouquet of flowers will be given to the oldest mother present.

At the 10:45 service the sermon subject will be "He Hath Barked My Tree." The Bible school is studying the nineteenth chapter of Luke.

Sacred Heart Church (Catholic)

Hours of services 8 and 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Epistle 1, St. Peter IV-7-11. Gospel, St. John XV. 26 to XVI. Subject of sermon, "Pastoral Letter on Charity to European Sufferers," by Rt. Rev. J. P. Lynch. Sunday school and benediction at 7:30 p. m. Lesson on "The End or Purpose of Man."

LAWRENCE HOYT, Pastor.

Lutheran Trinity Church

Fourteenth and Blubb Sts.—Sunday school 9 a. m. English services at 10 a. m. At night there will be English services at Seymour.

"If you have no house to worship your God, come to ours. You are always welcome at our services."

A. H. MUEHLBRAD, Pastor.

Men's Bible Class

This great Men's Bible class will meet Sunday morning at 9:30 in the main auditorium of the church. Those who want one of the pictures of the class that was made last Sunday may get it at the class room Sunday. The lesson will be the nineteenth chapter of Luke. A cordial invitation is extended to those who may be stopping in the city over Sunday. In this lesson we will learn of that little man that was converted "up a tree."

Yale Avenue Evangelical Church

Sunday school begins at 9:45 a. m., and we want to insist that each parent be on time with their children, as we will have a special Mothers' day service and you may miss some of the good things if you are not there. Make the children feel happy by attending Sunday school with them, as your mother and father did you, and you will perhaps be honoring and cherishing your own dear mother's memory on this day when we should all make some special effort on our part to be in the house of God.

The morning hour will be given over to the Mothers' day service and we will not have any sermon at the 11 o'clock hour. In the afternoon we will have the juniors in the league at 3:30 and we want all the juniors to be present, as we will organize a junior choir and arrange to help with the singing. Senior league will meet at 7 p. m., and begin on time as we will have a report of the convention from our delegate. Rev. Mr. Carpenter will preach for us at 8 p. m. Let each Christian remember that prayer is the key that unlocks the power house of God and the power of the holy spirit will be manifested among us if we will only hold on to God as we should.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend any or all of these services. Come and bring a friend.

W. D. COOK, Pastor.

First Baptist Church

"The Sunday evening service at the First Baptist church will be in honor of mothers," announces Dr. Powers. "We extend to every mother a most cordial and urgent invitation to attend this service. The special message on "Mothers' Faith" will be of concern to everyone interested in a closer relationship between the two greatest institutions on earth — the home and the church."

At the evening service the choir will sing a special chorus number.

The morning service will be given to the baccalaureate sermon for the high school.

First Church of Christ.

Corner Tenth and Austin.

Sunday school beginning at 9:45 a. m. The lesson for this Sunday is the nineteenth chapter of Matthew. Come and bring your Bible.

Preaching and communion services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. conducted by Elder Reagan of Dallas.

Mothers' Day Program.

The Mothers' day program at the First Methodist Episcopal church, south, Tenth and Lamar, will be carried through the Sunday school and the 11 o'clock services. It is hoped that a record-breaking attendance will be had at the Sunday school. At 11 o'clock, the sermon will be preached by Rev. C. D. Montgomery of Burkburnett. Rev. C. M. Simpson, pastor of the church will at the same hour deliver the commencement sermon of the Wichita Falls high school at the Baptist heurch. He will be in his pulpit and preach at his own church at night. The music at both hours promises to be of high order.

Lamar Avenue Baptist Church.

On Fourth and Lamar.

Our aim in attendance at Sunday school on Mothers' day is 500. We want a large number of mothers present. At the close of the school a group picture will be made, as the one two weeks ago was not good. Be sure to be on time (9:45) wearing a red flower if your mother is living, or a white flower if she is not living. The sermon by the pastor Sunday morning will be on "An Ideal Mother." At the evening service the subject will be "Leprosy."

The other services of the day will be held at the usual hours of meeting.

A. J. HOLT pastor.

Church of the Good Shepherd.

(Episcopal).

Holy communion, 8 a. m.

Church of religious instruction, 9:30.

Kindergarten and primary departments meet in the parish house on Burnett street, main school in the church, Mrs. Lyle's class for young women meets in the choir room and Judge Bass' class for men in the rector's study. Come with us and you will enjoy the hour.

Morning prayer 11:00.

Observance of Mothers' day at this service. The rector's subject will be "Mother, the Uncrowned Queen." Mrs. Frank Rice of Chattanooga, Tenn., will sing for the offertory, "O, Divine Redeemer" by Gounod. We invite you to observe with us this national festival in honor of our mothers.

Evening, 7:45.

Informal service of song-worship and inspiration. The rector will take for his book-sermon, Charles Dickens' "Tale of Two Cities." If you have never attended these evening services you are missing a great deal. We cordially invite you to attend any or all of our services.

FRED T. DATSON, rector.

First Christian Church.

Tenth and Travis streets.

Bible school—9:45 a. m. folowed by the morning service at 10:45. Evangelist W. P. Crouch will speak at this service and also at the night service which begins at 7:45 o'clock. Large chorus choir led by Mr. R. E. Shepherd will sing at both services, and Mr. Alvin W. Roper will accompany the chorus on the piano. Mr. Roper will also render one of his famous piano solos at the evening service.

The evangelistic campaign which has been in progress since April 8 continues with growing interest, large crowds are attending, and on Sunday those who come early get seats. There will be baptismal service at the close of the night service.

Mrs. Gibbs To Recover From Cuts And Bruises

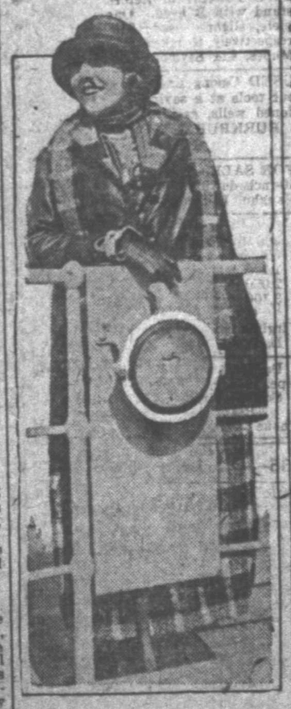
Late reports from the General hospital where Mrs. W. L. Gibbs was rushed following an accident on the Thornberry road, in which she was injured, stated that she is seriously bruised and cut, although physicians believe she will recover. An ugly scalp wound is the worst of the injuries and the patient has regained consciousness.

The accident occurred late Friday night when the Cadillac touring car in which Mrs. Gibbs, T. W. Sisk, and Slim Madison were riding skidded in the gravel pavement, turning completely over several times. As the car stopped rolling Mrs. Gibbs was pinned under it, being knocked unconscious by the blow on the head. The other occupants of the car miraculously escaped serious injury and after having their small wounds dressed at the hospital were able to go to their homes.

GERMS ATTACK HEALTHY

In spite of the whispered belief that infectious diseases kill off the weakly and unfit, many of these diseases attack especially the robust and the death rate is often higher among them than among the less vigorous. These conclusions, drawn from investigations made by a commission appointed to study typhoid fever in army camps in 1898, serve to emphasize the economic importance of public health work.

Voted Prettiest Woman On Liner



Mrs. Gisel Akoun.

Mrs. Gisel Akoun, who recently arrived in New York with her husband, won the distinction of being voted the prettiest woman on shipboard during the voyage from Europe. Mrs. Akouns and her husband will tour the U. S.

Dallas and San Saba Officials Entertained By Chamber With Banquet at Kemp Saturday Night

"We've seen bigger things today than we've been in the habit of seeing."

That sentiment, expressed by J. W. Slaughter of the Dallas county commissioners court, expressed the feelings of nearly all the visitors at a banquet tendered by the chamber of commerce Saturday night to Dallas and San Saba officials and business men on their return to the city from a tour of the irrigation works. The affair was given as a mark of courtesy to the large number of visitors here for an inspection tour and turned out to be rapid fire session about equally divided between fun and serious consideration of accomplishments of the past and demands of the future.

From a number of Dallas and San Saba men, as well as Wichitans, came the thought that the Wichita irrigation project was blazing the way for future development of Texas along irrigation lines. This idea was expressed without variation by every speaker and during the course of the evening it was brought out that the value of the local work could not be overestimated.

Walter Cline, president of the chamber of commerce, presided at the meeting in the main dining room of the Kemp. He welcomed briefly the visiting delegations, complimented them by saying he didn't regard them as being out of the ordinary folks but merely the common, ordinary kind such as were found right here in Wichita Falls.

Mayor Louis Blaylock and County Judge Arch Allen of Dallas were called on for short addresses and after expressing their gratitude for the reception accorded them here touched briefly on the good to be derived in the future from the irrigation system. Judge Allen also went into some detail on the Mountain Creek water project now under contemplation in Dallas county.

County Commissioner Slaughter, W. E. Callihan, head of the construction company building the dams, Charles Mangold, W. Broadnax and Jack Witt were the other Dallas men who touched on various phases of the work. Mr. Witt's contribution was a snappy vocal solo that brought down the house.

San Saba was presented by W. E. Woodruff, who gave an outline of what San Saba was trying to do and left the thought with his hearers that pecan cultivation in the irrigable districts here was one of the things that should be given attention in the future.

E. S. Heyser, resident manager of Callihan Construction company, and R. A. Thompson, chief engineer of the irrigation board, made brief talks for Wichita Falls.

The real feature of the meeting was an address by J. A. Kemp who struck the keynote of the session with a few remarks on the future development possibilities of Texas. When Mr. Kemp was introduced, the entire gathering rose spontaneously to its feet and applauded vigorously.

Mr. Kemp's talk dealt in some detail with the opposition encountered in bringing to fruition his dreams of a great irrigation system. He later stressed the fact that all staple products were to be raised in the irrigable districts here and predicted that the local irrigation work was a pioneer in a movement that would in time cover the state with productive irrigation tracts.

In closing the meeting, Mr. Cline paid a touching tribute to "the trail blazers" by reciting a poem descriptive of the unselfish work of pioneers for the benefit of posterity. Mr. Kemp, Mr. Slaughter, J. C. Nagel of Dallas and E. L. Rector of San Saba were mentioned as being among those who had wrought greatly for the state.

W. B. Hamilton Honored At Banquet By Masonic Members Of Texhoma

BY FRANK S. REID.

The spirit of co-operation between officer and employe of any large concern was exemplified in its fullest spirit by a gathering of members of the Masonic fraternity of The Texhoma Oil and Refining company who compose the Texhoma Masonic club, in honor of President W. B. Hamilton who was recently knighted in Wichita Falls commanders. Sixty-four members of this organization assembled at a banquet table Saturday night at the Wichit club for the affair. The table was set in the form of a "T" having upon it a miniature oil derrick. J. D. Bright, auditor of the company, and toastmaster of the occasion, explained the object of this, the first meeting of its kind; its purposes, the gathering together the men of the company who were Masons and a furtherance of the wonderful good will that prevails among the employees of the organization. At the close of a sumptuous feast, heads of the various departments of the company were called upon to introduce those of their department present, thus enabling everyone to get acquainted.

E. H. Eddleman of the land department of the company was the first speaker called upon, and he outlined in a brief but pleasing way, the object of the organization Frank S. Reid, an invited guest, who had participated in the conferring of the Knights Templar degrees upon Mr. Hamilton, spoke of the objects of such an organization of this kind as he had seen it exemplified in the East.

N. H. Martin, the only official of the company not yet a Mason was called upon to express himself of his observations of masonry in the organization and its bearing upon the spirit of co-operation. He said "While I am not a Mason, I hope to be ere long, but I am sorry to see the powerful organization that I presume will take part in seeing that a good job is made of making me a Mason."

Judge Arch Allen, county judge of Dallas county, who happened to be in the city, expressed himself in a beautiful way of the wonderful good that masonry would have in the commercial life and men little in commercial life, could meet together on the one comuon plane of brotherhood, cast aside their thoughts of stations in life and meet together right now in the great service of humanity. "The biggest thing in man's life is his service to his fellow men in the home, in the shop or anywhere he might be" he said. "The opportunity to display masonry is in the sphere in which you live. The time to start it is not later, but right now" he added. Length of time did not enable the speaker to express the thoughts which he said were so close to him.

The climax came when Roy Pate of the legal department, in a splendid talk, presented to Mr. Hamilton a beautiful masonic charm bearing the emblems of the Scottish Rite and York Rite bodies, presented to him by the employees of the Texhoma Masonic club, together with the signature of each member who contributed to the present. Mr. Hamilton, overcome as he was, spoke fittingly of the surprises in store for him. He said, "It is you Masons, by your spirit of loyalty and co-operation that have made the Texhoma organization what it is."

Thus ended a unique meeting, fostering the spirit of co-operation and fully demonstrating what can be done by a proper co-operation of everyone in a like organization.

Pick Clubs With Care Says Gene

By GENE SARAZEN

Selecting a set of clubs should be done with great care by any person who intends to play golf well. But the great majority of players are indifferent about this matter, and are content to take the advice of some friend. No man can play good golf who hasn't a good set of clubs; an army must be properly equipped to fight a successful battle and a golfer must have the right kind of clubs to make the shots properly.

If you are just beginning the game and do not know the kind of clubs you can use best select only a few—say five at the start. After you have played a while you will be better able to judge the worth of a club and to select the kind that is fitted for your swing.

I advise most beginners to start playing with a driver, having a brass plate. And with the face laid back quite a bit, which he can use for a brassie; a mid-iron, a mashie, a niblick or a deep-faced mashie-niblick and a putter, preferably a steel putter.

Do not concern yourself with any ribbed clubs or with any fancy grips. The thinner the grip the better for a beginner because such a player ought to get into the habit of grinning the clubs with the fingers and not the palm of the hand.

I advise a driver with a slanting face because it is easier to control the ball with that kind of club. You will probably have a tendency to hit the ball high with such a club but do not trouble yourself about that if you are hitting the ball straight. After you have developed accuracy and direction you can proceed with the task of getting a low trajectory on your drives.

A driver of about 42 inches long and weighing about 14 ounces is suitable for the average beginner. You don't want a club that is too light for then you will have a tendency to hurry your backswing.

Neither do you want a club that is too heavy because you don't want to have to labor in swinging the bludgeon. A good hickory shaft with a fairly large head makes the best kind of wooden club I think. The shaft shouldn't be too stiff, but should have just enough whip in it to give it flexibility. You want to be able to feel the shot, as we say.

Your mid-iron should be about 38 inches long and fairly heavy; a No. 3 iron is best for a beginner. The shafts of all iron clubs should be very stiff—no whip whatever, because all good iron shots are played firmly and with the arms held rigidly. The reason I advocate a No. 3 iron is that this kind of club has more loft in the face than a No. 1 or No. 2 iron and you will be better able to get the ball up.

A mashie with a fairly deep face is the right kind to use if you are just starting. The length of a mashie should be about 37 inches. A broad-faced niblick or a wide mashie-niblick will do for recovering from traps or deep rough and for high pitch shots. About 36 inches is good length of this kind of club.

Until you have developed a good putting touch I would suggest the steel blade putter. It is easier to handle and can be used more around the greens than the aluminum putter or any other kind. In fact it would be practically impossible to use an aluminum putter on a shot from off the green successfully.

CITY DIRECTORY OF HEAVENS.

Since the position of stars were first cataloged in 150 B. C. by Hipparchus, and by Tycho Brahe, 1580 A. D., some of the most rapid suns have moved a distance of the apparent diameter of the moon, says the astronomer Schlesinger. O, course, this means as the eye sees it, in reality the distance is enormous. One of the most imposing monuments to human toil are the huge catalogs noting the pilgrimage thru space of thousands and thousands of suns. There are believed to be three vast currents of suns streaming thru space, and one more century of measuring their displacement of position may be required to decide in which direction they are traveling. Yet, for unknown ages the immeasurable universe has been traveling, traveling, traveling at 12 miles a second toward some vast, remote bourne that ant-like man wots not of.

WANTED HER DADDY.

From the Ottawa Herald.

A Salina couple were divorced. The former husband moved to Kansas City, leaving his former wife and 30-months-old daughter. The little girls cries of "I want my daddy" were kept up daily for a whole week with the result that the parents have remarried to pacify the child. At least it may be said sometimes that children in the home are a solution of the divorce evil.

Maybe Mooney Was Explaining About His Curve



Ray Mooney, snapped in conversation at House of David hearing.

A couple of years ago Ray Mooney, member of the House of David baseball team, looked promising enough to cause the scouts of the Chicago Cubs offer him a tryout with that club. Mooney refused to consider the offer, however, when it was explained he couldn't wear his House of David beard into the game. Now he is one of the attentive listeners at the grand jury quiz of the goings on at the colony at Benton Harbor.

WHEAT DROPS AFTER BIG RAIN

Market Closes Unsettled; Corn And Oats Are Nervous

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, May 12.—Breaking of the drought in Illinois, Indiana and Ohio led to fresh declines today in the value of wheat, but large export sales brought about something of a rally. The market closed unsettled at the same as yesterday's finish, to 1 cent lower, with July 1.14¾ to 1.14 7-8 and September 1.13 3-8 to 1.13 1-2. Corn finished at 1-4 cent decline to 3-8 cent advance oats 1-8 higher at 3-8 cent off and provisions unchanged to 2 cents down.

Wheat prices underwent a sharp break almost as soon as trading began. It was only after wheat showed nearly 12 cents setback from recent high prices that a tendency to recover became apparent.

Most of the buying on the rallies in the wheat market appeared to come from traders that have been active in selling of late and were in a position to collect profits. Enough selling pressure remained nevertheless to prevent a complete recovery.

Corn and oats were relatively firm in comparison with wheat. This was due more or less to knowledge that corn receipts here were the smallest of the season.

Steadiness of hog values gave support to the provision market.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	1.16½	1.16⅝	1.16½	1.16½
July	1.14½	1.15⅝	1.14¼	1.14⅝
Sept	1.13⅝	1.14	1.13⅛	1.13⅝
CORN—				
May	.78	.78¼	.77⅜	.78⅛
July	.77⅝	.78½	.77⅝	.79½
Sept	.77	.77⅝	.76⅝	.77½
OATS—				
May	.43	.43	.42½	.42⅝
July	.43⅜	.43½	.43	.43⅜
Sept	.41⅝	.41⅝	.41½	.41⅞
LARD—				
July	10.70	10.75	10.65	10.70
Sept	11.00	11.00	10.90	10.82
RIBS—				
July				8.87
Sept				9.00

COTTON SEED OIL

NEW YORK, May 12.—Cotton seed oil was weak under liquidation by local and outside longs and selling by refiners. The heaviness in other markets was a factor. Closing prices were near the lowest, and represented net losses of 9 to 24 points. Sales, 9,000 barrels. Crude market were lower; prime crude, 9.25@9.50; prime summer yellow spot, nominal; May, 11.05; July, 10.64; September, 10.55, all bid.

CASH GRAIN.

Associated Press Dispatch

KANSAS CITY, May 12.—Wheat number 2 hard 1.10 1-2@1.22; number 2 red 1.26@1.30.

Corn number 3 white .83; number 2 yellow .84.

Oats number 2 white .46 1-2; number 3 white .45 1-2.

BANK CONDITION.

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 12.—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows an excess reserve of $7,477,920. This is an increase of $128,120.

FINANCIAL FEATURES.

Day's total sales 582,000 shares.

20 industrials averaged 95.40; net loss 1.05; high 1923, 105.38; low 95.40.

20 railroads averaged 81.68; net loss .52; high 1923, 90.63; low 80.37.

COFFEE MARKET.

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 12.—The market for coffee futures was very quiet today with fluctuations narrow and irregular. Sales were estimated at about 6,000 bags. Closing quotations: May 9.50; July 9.18; September 8.21; December 7.39; March 7.92.

Spot coffee quiet; Rio 7s 11¾; Santos 4s 14¾ to 15 1-4.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, May 12.—Potatoes, old stock unchanged; new stock slightly firmer, Florida barrel Spaulding Rose No. 1, 7.50; jobbing mostly 7.75; No. 2, 5.25@6.50.

Butter unchanged.

Eggs lower; firsts 24½c.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

Associated Press Dispatch

FORT WORTH, Tex., May 12.—Nothing of importance developed in the cattle yards Saturday, the market being around steady, with the declines previously quoted. Receipts amounted to 1,200 head of cattle and 50 calves. The supply of cattle included 850 head that were not for market purposes.

Heavy declines have been recorded in the cattle division this week under greatly increased receipts. Steers are particularly hard to sell, and yearling deal is unsatisfactory. Steers and cows show a decline of 25 to 50 cents, heifers and rearlings are 75c to $1 lower, bulls are 25c down, the stocker market is 25 to 50 cents off and calves are about steady. South Texas beeves continue to meet with a very weak demand and a part of the week's receipts had to be forwarded to other markets.

JULY COTTON PRICES GO UP

Rally Sends Quotation Up To 24.10; Advance Scored

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

	High	Low	Close
May	24.35	24.25	24.35
July	24.20	23.60	24.10
October	22.00	21.59	21.85
December	21.65	21.35	21.50
January	....	....	21.40

NEW YORK COTTON

	High	Low	Close
May	26.26	24.90	25.20
July	24.12	23.60	24.10
October	22.60	22.12	22.45
December	22.25	21.73	22.10
January	21.95	21.50	1.77

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 12.—After selling off to 23.60 under a continuation of the recent pressure, July contracts in the cotton market rallied to 24.12 today and closed at 24.10. The general market closed steady at a net advance of 11 to 24 points.

The market opened firm at an advance of 5 to 30 points on overnight buying orders with May selling at 25.18 and October at 23.60 during the first few minutes. This broke on a renewal of liquidation and more or less general selling, however, under which the market soon weakened. For a time it was very unsettled with May selling off to 24.90 and October to 22.12, or 18 to 20 points net lower and into new low grounds for the movement on July and later deliveries.

The favorable showing of the early weather map was offset by the prospect for scattering showers in the eastern belt and fair but cooler weather in the west, and as soon as offerings tapered off during the middle of the morning, prices stiffened up on covering for over the week-end.

May rallied to 25.26 and new crop months recovered most of the early losses. The amount of cotton reported on shipboard at the end of the week was about 37,000 bales against 102,000 last year.

NEW YORK BONDS

Foreign Bonds

Argentine 7s	102½
Dom of Canada 5½s 1929	101¾
French Rep 7½s	99⅛
King of Belgium 7½s	101
King of Denmark 6s	97¼
Swiss Con 8s	116⅜
U K of G B & I 5½s 1937	103¼
U S of Brazil 8s	97
U S of Mex 5s	57

Railway and Miscellaneous Bonds

Amer Agric Chem 7½s	102
Amer S & R 5s	88¼
Amer Sugar 6s	102
Atchison gen 4s	87½
Atl Coast Line 1st 4s	86⅞
Baltimore & Ohio cv 4½s	70½
Central Lea 5s	98⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio cv 5s	88⅞
Chi B & Q ref 5s	90⅛
Chi R I & Pac ref 4s	78
Chile Copper 6s	99½
Erie gen 4s	44½
Goodyear Tire 8s 1931	105
Illinois Centra lref 4s	84⅝
Int Mer Marine 6s	84⅜
Kelly-Springfield Tire 8s	108½
Mo Kan & Tex pre lien 5s	77½
Missouri Pac gen 4s	56⅞
N Y Central deb 6s	103½
Norfolk & West cv 6s	109
North Pac 4s	84½
Penns gen 5s	100⅜
Reading gen 4s	87⅞
St L & San Fran adp 6s	72⅛
Seaboard Air Line con 6s	63⅛
South Pac cv 4s	91⅜
South Rail 5s	94⅝
South Rail 6½s	101⅛
Union Pac 4s	89¾
U. S. Steel 5s	103
Virg Caro Chem 7½s	90⅞
Wilson & Co 7½s	92

LIBERTY BONDS

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 12. — Liberty bonds closed: 3½s 101.30; first 4¼s 97.12; second 4¼s 97.12; third 4¼s 98.11; fourth 4¼s 97.18; victory 4¾s uncalled 100.10; U. S. treasury 4¼s 99.

SPOT COTTON

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW ORLEANS, May 12.—Spot cotton steady 25 points lower; sales on the spot 10.79; to arrive none. Low middling 24.00; middling 24.75; good middling 25.25.

DRY GOODS MARKETS.

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, May 12.—Drygoods markets were quiet today in the primary division and jobbers continued to find spot business light. Shipments were in good volume and retail trade held up well. Yarns and cotton goods were easy. Burlaps remained quiet. Silks were slow and irregular on staples. New fall lines were bought moderately. Wool goods were quiet and some concessions obtainable in a dull market. Linens were very quiet.

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BEARS LAUNCH ANOTHER DRIVE

Recessions Of One To Four Points Are Scored

NEW YORK, May 12.—Professional bear speculators launched another sharp drive against today's market, forcing recessions of 1 to 4 points in a number of active shares and carrying the industrial averages to a new low figure for the year. New low prices for the year also were made by a number of popular stocks, including United States Steel common at 97 1-4, Bethlehem Steel at 53 1-8, Crucible Steel at 66 1-2, and Studebaker at 1.10. United States Steel closed at 97 5-8, a net loss of 1 3-8 on the day. The reaction in Bethlehem gave rise to unconfirmed rumors about speculative uncertainty over the dividend, the stock closing 1 1-2 lower.

Du Pont was the outstanding weak spot, dropping 10 1-4 points to 127, which is 20 points below last week's high. Losses of 2 to 4 points were registered by Baldwin, Ajax rubber, Stewart Warner Speedometer, Stromberg Carburetor, Mack Truck, Mathieson Alkali, American Linseed, American Tobacco "B," United Retail Stores, Aron Products and Columbia Gas.

Railroad shares, which held firm in yesterday's reaction, eased with the rest of the list today, although the losses ar a rule were held to fractions.

The feature of the foreign exchange market was another sharp decline in German marks, which carried them to .0023 cents, or within three points of the extreme low registered last January. Other European rates held fairly steady, demand Sterling holding around 4.61 3-4 and French francs around 6.60 cents.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Allied Chem & Dye	63⅝
Amer Can	90¾
Amer Car & Fdy	160¾
Amer Inter Corp	22
Amer Loco	133¼
Amer Linseed	26⅛
Amer S & Ref	57⅜
Amer Sugar	70⅝
Amer Sum Tob	20⅝
Amer T & T	123⅛
Amer Woolen	91⅝
Anaconda Copper	46
Atchison	90
Atl G & W I	18
Baldwin Loco	123¾
Baltimore & Ohio	47⅜
Bethlehem Steel B	53⅛
Can Pac	135
Central Leather	29⅝
Chandler Motor	69
Cheseapeake & Ohio	52¾
Chi Mil & St. P	20⅝
Chi R I & Pac	28⅝
Chile Copper	27⅝
Coca Cola	73½
Con Gas	98
Con Textile	14⅜
Cosden & Co	10¾
Corn Prod	81⅝
Crucible Steel	66⅛
Cuban Amer Sugar	32¾
Cuba Cane Sugar	14⅞
Endicott Johnson	60⅛
Erie	10⅝
Famous Players Lasky	81⅝
Gen Asphalt	38⅝
Gen Electric	136⅛
Gen Motors	12⅜
Gt North pfd	72
Goff States Steel	70⅝
Illinois Central	104
Inspiration Copper	36⅜
Inter Harvester	84½
Inter Mer Marine pfd	30⅝
Inter Paper	50
Kelly Springfield	76⅛
Kennecott Copper	30⅛
Louisville & Nash	120
Middle States Oil	10⅝
Midvale Steel	29⅛
Mo Kan & Tex (new)	12⅝
Mo. Pac	14⅞
N Y Central	92⅜
N Y N H & Hart	17⅝
Norfolk & West	107⅜
North Pac	71⅝
Pac Oil	38⅞
Pan-Amer Pet	60⅜
Penns	44¼
Pure Oil	15⅛
Reading	74
Rep I & S	49¾
Reynolds Tob B	64
Royal Dutch, N Y	45¾
St. Louis & San Fran	22
Seaboard Air Line	7
Seaboard Air Line pfd	11
Sears Roebuck	80⅛
Sinclair Oil	30
Sloss -Shef Steel	51¼
South Pac	88⅞
South Ry	31⅞
South Ry pfd	65¾
Stand Oil of Cal	52⅝
Stand Oil of N J	36⅞
Studebaker	110⅝
Tenn Copper	10⅜
Tex Co	45⅞
Tob Prod As	79⅜
Trans Oil	8¼
Union Pac	130¼
United Fruit	167½
United Retail Stores	74⅛
U S Ind Alcohol	55⅞
U S Rubber	51⅝
U S Steel	97⅝
Utah Copper	67
Virginia Caro Chem	12⅝
West Union	109¾
Westinghouse Elec	55¼
Invincible Oil	14⅛
Montgomery Ward	21⅝
Vanadium	31½

TEXAS SPOTS

DALLAS, May 12.—Cotton quiet, 24.40; Galveston 24.05; Houston steady 25.10.

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137 TO RECEIVE DIPLOMAS HERE

Largest Class In History Of School Graduate Friday

According to reports received from the high school office yesterday afternoon, 137 seniors passed the examinations, which have been in progress for the past week, and will receive their diplomas Friday night, May 18. This is by far the largest graduating class in the history of the school, exceeding the class of 1922 by 37 pupils.

Instructors, who have been in charge of the seniors this year report that the class average of the students as a whole is by far the best that has ever been recorded by the graduating pupils from the local high school.

The activities for the following week will begin this morning at 11 o'clock at the First Baptist church when Dr. C. M. Simpson, of the First Methodist church, preaches baccalaureate sermon to the 137 seniors, garbed in caps and gowns, which were distributed to them Saturday. The graduates will sing some songs.

Monday night at 6:30 o'clock a moonlight picnic will be staged. Tuesday a sunrise breakfast party will be held in the morning and the class night exercises will be staged in the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock. Wednesday afternoon the graduates will have a theater party and Thursday night the class play "A Trial of Hearts" will be presented at the opera house. Friday night the diplomas will be delivered at 8:30 o'clock at the Wichita theatre, with Lewis Smith, president of Washington-Lee university, being the principal speaker. Immediately following the graduation exercises the seniors will hold their farewell banquet at the Kemp hotel.

The seniors who will receive their diplomas are:

Dorothy Ackerman, Frankie Adlehes, Margaret Akin, Milton Archer, Hiram Aynesworth.

Zona Bachman, Stanfill Bailey, Ila Barksdale, Wade Bartlett, Ines Basham, Joe Bashara, Preston Bess, Gwendolyn Bennett, Ray Bland, Dora Blank, Al Brothers, Elizabeth Brown, Pearl Bryant, Vaughn Buchanan, Mabel Bundy.

Wilhelma Cain, James Calvert, Elizabeth Carrigan, Inez Carter, Sears Carter, Margaret Coleman, Lee Clark, Mary Frances Collier, Alice Copeland, Anabel Cooper, Anna Crews.

Orien Daniel, Audra Fay Darby, Florence Datson, Louise Denton, Onetta Deems, Isabel Delp, Burleigh Davenport, Ilene Donoway.

Lucile Ely, Edgar Ellis, Ida Erwin, Elton, Felder, James Fox, Mary Fulcher, Charles Fuller.

Ruth Gaines, Almond Gates, Eric Gobert, Bernice Goblke, Faye Green, Eleanor Gribble, Ona Gwinn.

Donald Hallman, Lois Hamric, Claude Harris, Clifton Hayles, Lorene Hayter, Elias Hernandez, Ruth Howard, Courtner Howell, Alva Huey, Dillard Hughes, Marietta Hunt.

Gladys Idon.

Louise Jenkins.

John Keevil, Sam Kiker, Katherine Kilander, Helen Knotts, Edna Kuehn.

Gladys Lane, Georgia B. Leath, Sallye Lewis, Myron Lyle.

Bernice Martin, Mildred Martin, Georgia Maxwell, Thelma Maxwell, Orville Meek, Aula Mefford, Frances Melugin, Margaret Mode, W. Lee Moore, Arnold Morris, Paul Morton, Edna Myers, Janie McCalister.

Gene Nelson, W. D. Nelson, Gilmore Newton, Lowell Nichols, Dorothy Nolen.

Tronie Overstreet.

Mercer Parks, David Perkins, Jack Pink, William Powers, Jeanette Prentiss.

C. C. Randle, Mary Rhader, Mabel Riley, Verda Mae Riley, Donnie Ring, Bert Ripley, Herschel Roberts, Bessie Rowland, Dorothy Rugely.

Ruth Sozabee, Emma Lo Scott, Louise Scott, Judith Sherrod, Fern Sides, Albert Smart, Edgar W. Smith, Helen Mae Smith, Maude Smith, Raymond Smith, Clyde Straus, Beatrice Spyker, Robert Allen Stone.

Arnold Thom, Eleanor Thompson, Hazel Wagoner, Lorene Wales, Harold Ward, Lucile Wiley, Jewell Williams, Ruth Williamson, Eileen Willis, Marjorie Winston, Stella Winters, Lloyd Woodall, Marjorie Woolsey.

Ruth Marie Yates.

James Zetzsche, Leroy Zeigler.

Applications For Training Camps Being Received

Word has been received by Lieut. J. R. Clearwater, local army recruiting officer, that applications for this year's citizen military training camp can now be received.

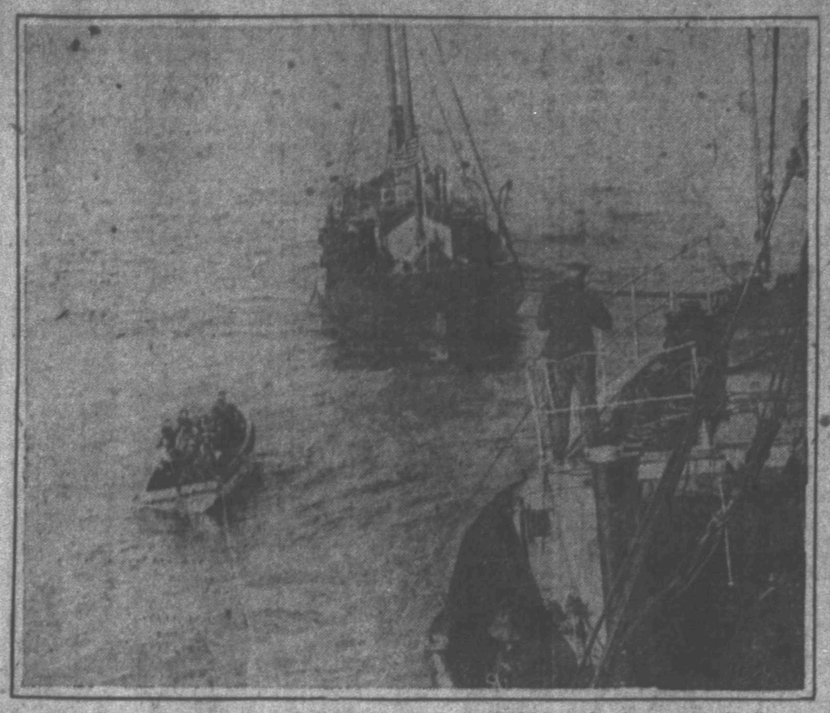
The C. M. T. camps provide a month's vacation at no expense to the individual and he obligates himself for further service in no way whatever.

Any man between the ages of 17 and 24 may apply. World war veterans are eligible to the age of 35. Successful applicants from this vicinity will attend camp either at Fort Sill, Okla., or Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas. The camps will run from July 28 to Aug. 26.

Applications may be secured by calling at the army recruiting office, 209 Hines building, Seventh and Ohio, or by writing to the C. N. T. C. officer, headquarters Eighth corps area, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

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HEROES OF THE SEA CAUGHT AT WORK



The rescued from the ill-fated Seaconnet being brought to the lightship tender Anemone by life line despite the heavy seas.

Another disaster of the sea has snuffed out seven lives of the crew of the collier Seaconnet and made heroes of those who were rescued. The crew of the ill-fated ship worked for hours in a flooded hold to keep the vessel afloat after the heavy seas off Vineyard Sound had pounded open her seams. Mrs. P. J. Hudgins, wife of the third mate and the only woman aboard the ship was saved after she had helped man the pumps. After taking to the lifeboats the more fortunate members of the crew were rescued by the lightship tender Anemone and brought to New Bedford. Two of the lifeboats were smashed by the heavy seas when launched.

SHRINERS WILL HAVE BIG CLASS

Spring Ceremonial To Be Held Here Next Friday

By NOBLE FRANK S. REID

Maskat Temple's big spring ceremonial, which is to take place Friday, May 18, promises to eclipse anything ever undertaken by the temple heretofore. A promising large class of novices will be on hand to receive something never before dreamed of.

It will be a busy day for all the Shriners. The Texas Shrine council meets here on that day and the day following, and the prominent members of the various shrines throughout Texas will be the honor guests at the ceremonial.

An interesting program has been outlined. At 1 p. m. will be held a business meeting of the shrine, with registration of novices at 2 p. m.

At 3 p. m. the finest parade ever pulled off by the temple, will form at Tenth and Scott, east on Tenth to Ohio, north to Sixth, Sixth to Indiana, Indiana to Tenth, Tenth to Scott, up Scott and over to Seventh, countermarching back down Scott to ninth where the parade will disband. One of the star attractions in the parade will be a divan float, which has been under process of construction for some time Elaborate decorations in gold and white. The float will be 18 feet long, drawn by two horses completely robed in attractive colors. The divan officers of the temple will all be seated on the float, clothed in oriental costumes.

Maskat's band and patrol will lead the procession. An additional attraction in the form of an oriental band will hold a prominent place in the line of march, as well as 12 members of the temple, clothed in oriental costumes riding horses. The novices will, of course, appear in their characteristic garb and go through various stunts, followed by nobles in full dress and fez, the regulation dress of a Shriner.

After disbandment of the parade, cars will take all nobles to Call field, where the first section will be conferred at 4 p. m.

In line with the larger temples of the country, a novel and interesting spectacle will be presented for the benefit of the wives, sweethearts, etc. of the Shriners in fact, all Master Masons They will be be given a chance to see the stage setting of the first section and to enjoy a program. The definite time for this part of the program has not yet been given to ye scribe, but indications point it to be a worthwhile treat for the ladies.

At 9:30 p. m. a dance for the nobles and their ladies at Call field, with wonderful music, will bring to a close a perfect day.

Remember the big parade at 3 p. m. Friday, May 18. Come out and see the best parade ever pulled off in Wichita Falls, and enjoy a little fun with the Shriners.

White's Cream Vermifuge is certain destruction to intestinal worms. It is harmless to children or adults. Price, 35c. Sold by all druggists.—Adv.

Coach Jones Risks Burns to Bring Out Uninsured Auto During Fire

Coach J. W. Jones narrowly escaped being severely burned in the fire which destroyed his home, 1810 Seventh street, at 12:30 o'clock Saturday morning. He broke from restraining hands and rushed into the burning garage and drove out his car, a new Hupmobile, which was not covered by insurance.

All furniture, including a $2,500 library, which Coach Jones prized highly, was destroyed. Only the piano was saved. Insurance covered but two-fifths of the value of the furniture.

Wearing apparel, shoes, clothing, and personal effects were all destroyed and Mrs. Jones was forced to stay indoors Monday for lack of footwear. Her tiny foot requires only a size 3 quadruple A, and the shoe stores cannot fit her. Other homes destroyed by the fire were those of J. W. McCormick, 1806 Seventh, the Williams home, 1808 Seventh, rented by E. E. Everts, and the home of T. R. Glass, 1804 Seventh street, only partially damaged.

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Byers Graduation Exercises Will Be Started Tonight

Special Dispatch to Record News

BYERS, Tex., May 12.—Commencement exercises of the Byers high school will begin Sunday night, with the commencement sermon by Rev. J. N. Hunt, pastor of the First Baptist church, of Henrietta. "The Graduation," will be the text Friday night, when 14 seniors will receive diplomas. Class address will be given by Dean T. U. Taylor, of the University of Texas.

BATTERY D TO LEAVE IN JULY

Unit Will Go To Leon Springs Near San Antonio

This summer the local unit of the national guard will entrain on July 5th for fifteen days training at Leon Springs, Texas. This is a beautiful camp near San Antonio.

Men are needed to fill up Battery D to full peace time strength. Applicants must be residents of Wichita Falls, and young men who have had several years high school work are particularly desirable, because of their ability to quickly assimulate artillery training. Men who have seen service are wanted.

Battery D drills every Wednesday night at the armory, corner Tenth and Scott, where applicants may apply for further information, or call at room 324 Bob Waggoner Building for enlistment.

Crowded every day at the big Richardson bargain basement sale. There's a reason.—Adv.

ENTERTAINMENT AT LAKE TODAY

Special Features To Be Provided For Public

A capacity crowd is expected for the Lake Wichita grounds this afternoon, when a series of special entertainment features are given for the public. Announcement that such features were to be staged has been met with acclaim, it is reported.

Prof. Rex, one of the headliners as an entertainer during the World war Liberty loan drives, is to be the featured performer. His magician's stunts and strong-arm performances, it is believed, will be among the best that have been seen here in a long time. The professor is referred to frequently as the "modern Samson." One of his favorite stunts is said to be tying ropes to the rear ends of two automobiles, then holding on the opposite ends and letting the machines pull against each other, using himself as an anchor for both.

This, and whirling grown men through the air, each holding on to locks of his hair, is one of the professor's sensations.

These entertainments, it is reported, are to be made regular features of the lake this summer.

Minor Bills Before Commissioners' Court

Only a few minor bills are to be passed on by the county commissioners' court Monday, when that body meets for its regular weekly session. No matters of importance are scheduled to come up, it was reported Saturday by County Judge B. D. Martin.

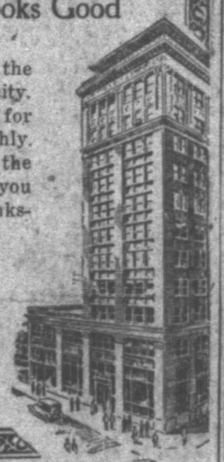
The real work of the court begins Tuesday when it meets as a board of equalization to take up the task of equalizing all county taxes. This, it is estimated, will require about six weeks.

Nothing tickles a mosquito quite so much as a pair of silk stockings.

A little moonlight now and then often marries the best of men.

A Bank Account Looks Good

—When you have come to the end of your earning capacity. It's too late then to wish for the money you spent foolishly. —You will never regret the money you save now — you may have cause for thanksgiving later.



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Friday, May 18th Is Graduation Day

A big event in the lives of all children. It is a custom to send presents on this day rewarding the child for his efforts and nothing can be more lasting and appreciated than jewelry.

For Her

Diamond Rings	$15.00 up
Bracelet Watches	$15.00
Beautiful Pearl Strings	$7.50 up
Bar Pins	$5.00 up
Vanity Cases	$3.50 up
Perfume Atomizer	$4.50 up
Whiting & Davis Mesh Bags	$4.50 up
Pen and Pencil Sets and thousands of other little gifts and very attractive prices.	

For Him

Watches	$1.50 up
Rings	$7.50 up
Cigaret Cases	$3.00 up
Cuff Links	$1.00 up
Watch Chains	$1.00 up
Knives	$3.00 up
Belt Buckles	$3.00 up
Leather Bill Folds	$3.00 up
and many other suitable gifts	

You don't have to worry about having the money. My terms are easy. Buy now and pay later. One dollar down buys the article you want. No red tape.

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Ground Floor American Nat'l. Bank Bldg.

Tag Your Opportunity

—A thousand opportunities some never dream of and don't see, play hide and seek with us every day. Alert, wakeful men tag them. No, they are not "one-man" opportunities, but every kind for every man.

—The men who see and tag them have learned the first requirement of success—SAVING MONEY. How much are you saving each week?

The First National Bank

Indiana at Eighth Street Established 1884

The Convenient Bank



Here Comes McBride!

A young man—name, McBride—who is to be married in June is buying his wedding outfit here this month.

"Why wait?" he said—"I fgure a fellow has enough on his mind at the last minute trying to remember where he put the ring."

We're ready now—with clothes for the ceremony and honeymoon and they're so correct in style that they'll carry you a credit to your bride in any city in America.

Here comes the Bride—next month.

Here comes McBride—NOW—and we're inviting every other man who is going to say "yes" in June to say "No—I won't wait a minute longer!"

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Wichita Falls Record News

State and Auto Theatre News

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, SUNDAY, MAY 13, 1923.

Brides, Brides-Elect, and Sweet Girl Graduates Center Social Stage

Attractive Luncheon Announces Wedding; Bride's Reception

"In her eyes there's the dew of Killarney, on her cheek there's the roses of Kildare,
On her lip just a wee bit of Blarney, and the snows of Athlone in her hair,
On St. Patrick's morn she was cradled and born, in her eye there's a light that's divine
She's as sweet as the day she stole Dad's heart away, that old Irish mother o' mine."

Since the signing of the proclamation almost ten years ago by Woodrow Wilson, the beautiful custom of honoring the mothers of our nation has been an annual event, on the second Sunday in May. This is the day when the youth of the country will turn his or her thoughts back to Mother and when memorial services in "Her" honor will be held at all the churches.

Another custom in this connection which is as impressive as it is beautiful in observation of the day, is the wearing of the pink carnation or a rose for the living mother, and a white one for the mother who has passed away.

Ministers in their pulpits will speak of the greatness of Mother today, of her kinship to God himself, and sweet, old-fashioned songs in commemoration to "her" will be sung. Flowers will be sent to those in other climes than this by their sons and daughters, and perhaps a sweet message of love for this is—Her Day.

Society has rushed from one thing to another the past week, and every hour has been filled with delightful affairs. Brides and brides-elect vie with the "sweet girl graduates" for the center of the social stage, and many of the larger and more elaborate affairs of the week have centered around them.

An announcement which was made in an attractive manner and one which will prove interesting to a large group of friends was made at the Wichita club Friday evening, when Miss Geneva Wisdom, assisted by Miss Frances Brooks, entertained at dinner, complimenting her sister, Miss August Wisdom, whose marriage to Grover Cleveland Johnson will take place Thursday, May 24, at 1 o'clock, at the Floral Heights Methodist church. A lovely program featured the entertainment between courses, and covers were laid for about 40 friends of the bride-elect.

Another pretty courtesy of the evening Friday was the "Rose" reception at the Y. W. C. A. honoring three club brides—Mrs. M. J. Doyle, Mrs. Harvey Rasco and Mrs. Justus Durnal. The affair was given by the Business and Professional Women's club, and the entire reception suite of the Y. W. C. A. was colorful and fragrant with roses, syringa and honeysuckle. The rose idea was also carried out in the dainty refreshment plate and in the entertaining program.

The guests were received at the door by Mrs. Iva E. Austin and Miss Florence Jackson, and introduced to the receiving line, composed of the honorees and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ruffner, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pinnell, and Mrs. Stellat Mason and Misses Elizabeth Miller and Irma Durnal. The house party proper included Mesdames Clifford Deaton, C. W. Beavers, E. W. Nicholson, Julian Montgomery, Stella Mason, Raymond Pinnell, Claude Ruffner, Iva Austin, Mildred Packer, Sadie Carter, Edna Vogt, J. A. Richolt, Sidney Pitman, W. W. Silk, and Misses Katherine Brothers, Mary and Annette Coffield, Bess Gibson, Florence Jackson, Ethel Colburn, Jim Covey, Irma Durnal, Ethel McDowell, Elizabeth Miller, Rhea Hardner and Irene Davidson.

A lovely program, in charge of Mrs. Claude Ruffner, was given as follows: Solo dance, Martha Lou Laws, entitled "Rose Softly Blooming"; reading, "The Gossips," Laura Mae Costley; violin duet, "Love's Message," and encore number, "Mighty Lak' a Rose," Mrs. Alfred Miller and Mrs. S. M. Gose Jr., accompanied at the piano by Mrs. O. E. Maer; rose ballet by three little girls in rose costume, Frances Reid, Glory Davis and Wilma Brown; string trio, "To a Wild Rose" (McDowell), and three other flower numbers, Misses Julia and Beulah Ross, violin, accompanied at the piano by Miss Jessie Mae Lawler; solo, "A Little Pink Rose," Ramey Mathis; solo, "The Nightingale and the Rose," and "In My Garden," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Fred Barron and Hazelle Dean.

After the program, the brides were presented with the club gifts. Punch was served during the evening by Misses Ethel McDowell and Bess Gibson, and Misses Etb.l McDowell, Mary Coffield, Rhea Gardner, Katherine Brothers, and Mesdames Mildred Packer and Julian Montgomery served ice cream moulded in the form of a rose, and white cake, with plate favors of rosebuds, to about 150 callers.

MRS. MUSTAINE HONORED WITH "42" PARTY

Thursday afternoon Mrs. D. B. Cullen entertained, honoring Mrs. G. E. Mustaine of 1615 Polk street, who will leave soon to make her home in Dallas. The party was successfully planned as a surprise handkerchief shower, the guests arriving in a body at the Mustaine home.

Tables were arranged for "42." Mrs. W. R. Gregg winning high score in the games.

Late in the afternoon a lovely refreshment plate of angel food cake and fruit punch was served to Mesdames Roy Hagan, H. C. Smither, Dellis Ben Long, D. G. Weaver, R. D. Lewis, J. H. Fowler, W. R. Gregg, T. W. Goen, J. L. Burt, A. J. Frick, and Miss Sallie Bezille and Mrs. R. E. Costello of Woodward, Okla., guests.

LARGE CROWD ENJOYS LOVELY MAY FESTIVAL

Nearly 300 friends and patrons of Miss Leslie Davis enjoyed the beautiful May festival given by her dancing class on the lawn of the C. W. Reid home Wednesday evening.

The program was opened with little Miss Wilma Brown as the "Spirit of Spring," who wore a fluffy costume of pastel chiffon and presented a charming toe dance. Next came the butterflies of various colors, and after these the small tots dressed as daisies. The roses were then presented by four trained little toe dancers, and this was followed by the May queen and the court. The queen, who was little Miss Katherine Randle, wore a robe of purple and white, and after her coronation, she called forth the dancers of all the nations.

After this number, the French minuet was danced, the children wearing costumes of silks and satins made in the style of Louis XIV. Gladys Engle, representing Spain, was a true replica of the daughter of old Madrid as she whirled and stamped in her Spanish number. The gypsies also brought forth many comments of admiration in their costumes of beautiful satin, complete in every detail, even to the boots, also the lassies of Scotland and fur-clad maids from Switzerland. England was represented by the sailors hornpipe, and the Americans concluded the individual numbers. The program was completed with a Maypole dance.

The entire scene was exceedingly beautiful, the colorful costumes showing up to advantage against a solid background of greenery and flowers, broken only by the royal throne.

Those taking part were Wilma Brown, Mary Elizabeth Donnell, Dorothy Reid, Evelyn Trimbal, Margaret Norwood, Francis Lea, Francis Tucker Marjorie Hoenscheidt, Betty Lindsay, Doris Brown, Glory Davis, Josephine Bell, Anna Mae Reid, Mildred Eckman, Katherine Randle, Odra Lee Jenkins, Frances Ann Saunders Elizabeth Lankford, Katherine Weeks, Mildred Reid, Emily Mitchell, Francis Lea, Mary Elizabeth Donnell, Joline Woods, Lily Graham, Mary Delaney, Frances Reid, Gladys Engle, Margaret Kendall, Eleanor Weiler and Mathilde Donnell.

Miss Inez Adrain played the accompaniments.

HIGHLAND HEIGHTS BEAUTIFUL YARDS ENTRANTS

Mrs. E. J. Davis, chairman of the beautifying committee of Highland Heights Civic league, announces the entrants in the City Beautiful contest of the Central league as follows:

Mesdames M. E. Ratlean, 2213 Grant; Lee Downs, 2206 Grant; J. A. Treagor, 2208 Grant; M. V. Stanley, 2201 Grant; T. R. Brunson, 2205 Grant; J. A. Black 2113 Grant; Lee Sprinkles, 2105 Grant; J. A. Thompson, 2101 Grant; Walter McAbee, 2100 Grant; M. Potts, 2015 Grant; Dave Russell, 2003 Grant; R. F. Calvert, 1915 Grant; W. G. Morrison, 1945 Grant; V. R. Henderson, 1912 Grant; C. R. Bailey, 1708 Grant; J. Lea, 1710 Grant; S. M. Gose 1716 Grant; Geo. R. Dunn, 1808 Grant; A. R. Welch, 1904 Grant; Van Hoy, 1906 Grant; Mrs. J. R. Sheldon, Tilden; Mrs. Joe McBee, 1815 Grant; C. W. Nelms, 1703 Hays; O. W. Harvey, 1712 Tilden; Hugh Porter, 1807 Tilden; Chester Powell, 1901 Tilden; Geo. Doshner, 1917 Tilden; W. F. Martin, 1909 Tilden; M. H. Hackney, 2005 Tilden; Mrs. D. R. Ward, 2403 Grant; Custer Brewer, 2401 Grant; John Zachary, 2405 Grant; G. W. Lambert, 2406-2410 Grant; E. V. Smith, 2900 Avenue N and Hays; Bennie Smith, 2902 Avenue N; Fred Smith, 2904 Avenue N; I. L. Sides, 2905 Avenue N; A. E. Guinn, 2400 Hays; W. B. Johnston, 2406 Buchanan; Mrs. J. F. Knight, 2401 Buchanan; J. M. Collins, 2400 Buchanan; J. B. Ridnour, 2010 Buchanan; J. H. Lee, 1904 Buchanan; J. H. Lee, 1910 Buchanan; J. S. Yancy, 1906 Buchanan; J. M. Hobbs, 1902 Buchanan; J. H. Price, 1701 Buchanan; Dean Hurgins, 1811 Buchanan; C. H. Dunning, 1913 Buchanan; R. J. Hutson, 2102 Buchanan; B. J. McHam, 2114 Buchanan; Troy Taylor, 2113 Buchanan; E. Fastes, 2114 Buchanan; L. Davis, 2109 Buchanan; Baker, 2200 Buchanan; C. A. Gribble, 2215 Buchanan; O. L. Gibbs, 2103 Buchanan; P. A. Newell, 2502 Buchanan; H. B. Fancher, 2500 Buchanan; G. M. Reeves, 2508 Buchanan; J. M. Winston, 2407 Grant; Lee Downs, Grant; J. C. Cunningham, Kemp boulevard; E. J. Davis, 2800 Avenue O.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO MEET MONDAY

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of the Good Shepherd will meet in a social and business session at the parish house Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Mesdames R. H. Graham and L. E. Gwynn hostesses.





Misses Dolly and Myrtis Moore are the attractive daughters of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Moore, at 1603 Eleventh street, and are popular members of the younger social set.

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Miss Lois Martin, daughter of Judge and Mrs. P. A. Martin of this city, has been named the most popular girl in Texas Woman's College by a vote of the student body. Miss Martin is a senior receiving her B. A. and expression degree in June. She is quite prominent in student activities serving this year, as editor-in-chief of the college annual "The Texwood." Miss Martin was also presented in senior recital at the college last week, at which time she read "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."



—Photo by Nossett.

Little Miss Lois Franklin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Franklin, on Huff avenue, and was one of the group of Alamo school girls who made 100 per cent in the recent music memory test.

MISS EDNA SHEPHERD GIVES PORCH PARTY

Miss Edna Lee Shepherd entertained a group of friends with a porch party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shepherd, Friday evening when dancing and games were enjoyed. Cut flowers were used in the decorations and refreshments of eskimo pies, cake, apples and mints were served with favors of miniature suit cases.

Those present were Misses Evelyn White, Dorothy Fletcher, Carrie Haley, Nell Fisher, Rebecca Meadows, Mary Elizabeth Featherstone, Bill Lewis, Dale Hammon, Frances Wilson, and Messrs. Paul Hull, George Colbemus, Kid Robinson, Charles Harris, J. B. Duncan, Bob Lindsay, Harold McConnell, Edwin Howell, Fred Owens, Garnett Parker and Steve Ford.

LADIES' BIBLE CLASS AT CHURCH THURSDAY

Members of the Ladies' Bible class of the First Methodist church South, enjoyed a delightful class party at the church Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. M. Doke and Mrs. Stuckey hostesses. Mrs. Stuckey led the devotionals, taking her lesson from the thirteenth chapter of Chronicles. Miss Cason gave a reading entitled "Love," and Miss Fay Thompson sang "Wonderful Mother o' Mine," accompanied at the piano by Miss Vivian Ross. Mrs. W. R. Thompson gave a reading, and Miss Gladys Johnson gave one, after which a salad course was served to Mesdames Barnhill, Doke, Dodge, Gebhardt, M. A. Hartsook, Hightower, Humphrey, Lovelace, Lowry, Reid, Stokes, Stuckey, Thompson, and Misses Fay Thompson, Vivian Ross, Gladys Johnson, Jewell Williams and Cason.

ALAMO TEACHERS GIVEN PICNIC

Teachers of the Alamo school were entertained with a delightful all-day picnic at the storage dam Saturday by the Alamo Mothers club. Mesdames C. E. Bailey and G. H. Wilson were hostesses for the occasion. The following persons and firms are especially thanked by the club for furnishing cars for transportation: McFall Bros., Sam Kruger, Ben Neal and Wilkie Talbert.



MISS ELIZABETH CARRIGAN —Photo by Nossett.

Is the talented daughter of Judge and Mrs. A. H. Carrigan, and was presented recently by her teacher, Mrs. E. L. Fulton, in recital, and was one of the honorees at the recital given by Mrs. Fulton Friday evening, which was in the nature of a farewell for her and Miss Bernice Martin, who leave in the fall for Ward-Belmont to continue their work in expression.

Weekly Society Calendar

MONDAY

Meetings of the various church societies as announced elsewhere.

TUESDAY

Mrs. Verne Harrell will be hostess to the Kill Kare club, 1404 Hays street, afternoon.

The annual luncheon of the Council of Jewish Women will be held at 1 o'clock at the Kemp hotel.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to B.R.T. will hold a special ceremony of draping the charter at 2:30 o'clock at the Labor Temple.

Business and Professional Womens' clubs meet at the Y. W. C. A. evening.

Health and Efficiency club will meet with Mrs. J. W. Akin, 1205 Burnett street, afternoon.

WEDNESDAY

Mrs. H. T. Thornberry will be hostess to the New Idea club at her home, 1404 Buchanan street, afternoon.

Womans' Choral club will meet at the First Baptist church this morning at 9:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY

Mrs. P. B. Curd, 1910 Monroe, will be hostess to the 1922 Study club, afternoon.

Mrs. I. E. Silkwood, 1712 Elizabeth street, will be hostess to the Radio "42" club, afternoon.

The Musicians' club will meet at the Wichita club. The executive board will meet at 10 o'clock, followed by the regular meeting at 10:30.

The Thursday Afternoon Bridge club will meet with Mrs. C. U. Daniels on Elizabeth street, afternoon.

The Wesley Girls will give a benefit "42" party at the home of Mrs. Preston Lea, afternoon.

FRIDAY

Mrs. J. R. Bust, 1205 Thirteenth street, will be hostess to the New "500" club at her home, afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Hamilton, 1208 Denver, will be hostess to the Fidelity club at her home, afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Entertain at Wichita Club For Graduates

Complimenting Misses Dorothy Rugeley, Majorie Winston and Florence Datson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crawford entertained a crowd of young people with a delightful dance at the Wichita club Saturday evening, when the guests were drawn from the high school graduating class of 1923 and a few of their friends.

Music was furnished by a stringed orchestra and punch was served throughout the evening.

Those present included besides the honorees Misses Leslie Davis, Louise Deaton, Fay Greene, Fern Sides, Frankie Adickes, Stella Winters, Ruth Williams, Eleanor Thompson, Louise Scott Anabel Couper, Vaughn Buchanan, Ruth Sosebeen, Dessa Key, Elizabeth Brown Marjorie Woolsey, Emma Lou Scott, Helen Knott, Louise Jenkins, Eleanor Spalding, Anne Ruth Kahn, Margaret Smith, Alta Hobbs, Mary Joe Kell, Mary Evans, Lucile Smith, Bernice Goblke, Mary Frances Collier, Lucy Harrison, Leah Ford, Enola Baldwin, Thelma Earnst, Lucile Benson, Janie McCalister, Mabel Bundy, Gene Nelson, Donna Mitcham, Dorothy Nolen, Elizabeth Carrigan, Bernice Martin, Georgia Maxwell and Dot Russell and Messrs. Leo Baldwin, Raloh Davis, Mercer Parks, Sam Piker, Claude Harris, Elton Harris, Clifton Haynes, Clyde Straus, Steve West, Brown, Harold Ward, Douglas Gibbs, Charles Fuller, Gerald Coffey, D. C. Bennett, John Ray Duke, John Sides, Joe Bashara, F. Von Allman, Dillard Hughes, Courtney Howell, Curtis Beaty, Bill Powers, Almond Gates, Roy Crites, Evan Harris, Jack Windle, Don Cameron, Bert Ripley, John Kerr, Jack Storey, Glenmar Riggins, Roy Lee Taylor, Howard Gordon, Dick Carpenter, Donovan Weldon, James Fox, Melvin Hobbs, Malcom Harrison, Jimmy Allred and Fay Hooper.

Saturday evening, preceding the dance, Mrs. C. H. Rugeley entertained at dinner at her home, 1805 Buchanan, complimenting her daughter, Marjorie, when the table was centered with lovely cut flowers and covers were laid for Misses Emma Lou Scott, Margaret Winston, Vaughn Buchanan, Anabel Couper, Stella Winters, Frankie Adickes, Louise Deaton Marjorie Woolsey, Helen Knotts, Eleanor Spalding and Dessa Key.

MRS. KELL HOSTESS TO FOWLER BIBLE CLASS

Members of the Fowler Bible class of the First Presbyterian Sunday school were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. F. M. Kell on Tenth street Thursday afternoon, with Mesdames Hyer, Mrs. Kell's mother, and R. A. Thompson, J. H. Roberts, Webb and Miss Jodie Haynes assistant hostesses.

The house was attractively decorated for the occasion, in cut flowers, the dining table being exceptionally pretty with a Maypole in the center surrounded with evergreens and miniature hand-made umbrellas in pink and blue forming the plate favors.

Features of the afternoon's entertainment were readings by Miss Elizabeth Carrigan and Mrs. Pitman, and a talk by Dr. N. F. Grafton, who also read an interesting letter from Dr. Evans, the Presbyterian missionary supported by this church, who with his wife are sailing for Africa.

A delicious luncheon was served to Mesdames J. W. Culbertson, Nantly, Warren, Robertson, Butts, Samuels, Daugherty, Fowler, Bolding, Haggerman, Thackwell, Humphrey, Brothers, Goss, Stone, Boyd, Sammons, Ginson, McDaniel, Lily Rogers, Taylor, Gaffney, Fells, Grafton, McKee, Barnes, A. W. Burnside, Whitney, Pitman, Munsey, Harry, W. W. Robertson, Humphrey, Newton, Phillips, Randal, C. W. Beavers, Austin, Thomas, Doak, C. O. Nichols, H. J. Strief, Bell, J. D. Robertson, and Misses Burke, Chapman, Herr and Elizabeth Carrigan.

At this meeting the class slogan adopted was "Not For Ourselves, But For Others." The class colors are purple and gold.

Mrs. Kell led the devotions.

LADIES AID SOCIETY MEETS THURSDAY

The Ladies Aid of the Evangelical church of the Scotland addition met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ray Martin, 1215 Eighth street, and was opened with prayer by the president, Mrs. Walters. The lesson was read from the fourth chapter of James, and good reports were turned in on collections made in the past week toward the church.

INTEREST IN LIBRARY CAMPAIGN INCREASING

Interest in the membership campaign at the Kemp public library is growing daily. Rules governing this campaign were stated in this paper last Sunday. Each child who brings a new borrower gets a blue ribbon with the name of the library on it; if he brings more than one new borrower, a gold star is added for each additional one. An effort is being made to see that every boy and girl in Wichita Falls is a member of the library. In the past 10 days 100 new children have signed up, and that means that 100 boys and girls are wearing a Kemp public library ribbon.

Numbers of new books have been added to the collection to take care of the extra demand. Listed below are some titles that will appeal to boys:

Baker, Olaf—"Dusty Star." Story of an Indian boy and his wolf cub, how they grew up together and the boy learned to be half wolf.

Baynes, E. H.—"Polaris," the story of an Eskimo dog. The true story of a dog who had an eventful life and died in Labrador with Dr. Grenfell's dogs.

Collins, Frederick—"Wonders of Chemistry." Instructive stories about artificial diamonds, radium, the electric blast furnace, and that modern magic, liquid air.

Colum, Padraic—"Golden Fleece" and heroes who lived before Achilles. Familiar Greek hero stories told for children.

Malot, Hector—"Nobody's Boy." Reme is a little boy who was sold by his father to a strolling street performer. The story tells of his life as he travels from place to place with the monkeys and the dogs and the music box.

Rolt, Wheeler—"Boy With the U. S. Miners." The books tell of the skill and heroism of the men working the mines, and of the intelligent care taken of them by our government.

Scoville, Samuel—"The Inca Emerald." An adventure story, full of facts as well as thrills. Boys reading this story will become acquainted with fire ants, crocodiles, pumas and other strange forest dwellers of the Amazon basin.

VanLoon, Hendrick—"Story of Mankind." Any boy who likes to read about the early cave men and the wild animals will like this story of the world from the time man first appeared on earth.

Verrill, A. H.—"Boys' Book of Whalers." Stories of real fishermen, of the ships and tools they used and the adventures they had.

Waterloo, Stanley—"Story of Ab." A tale of the time of the cavemen, when men lived in caves and fed their families with the flesh of the wild animals and clothed them with the hides.

MRS. BOMAN HOSTESS TO RADIO "42" CLUB

Mrs. Jack Boman, 901 Austin, was hostess to the Radio "42" club at her home Friday afternoon, when several tables were arranged for the games. Mrs. C. F. Taylor won the high score favor, a hand-made appliqued apron, and Mrs. I. E. Silkwood was consoled for low with a novelty stocking darner. The guest prize, a buffet set, handmade, was presented to Mrs. L. A. Childs.

At the close of the afternoon, refreshments were served to Mesdames I. E. Silkwood, H. H. Davenport, J. M. Van, B. C. Williams, B. F. Taylor, F. Eubank, G. L. Lowfey, H. M. Wright, L. A. Childs, E. L. Johnson and N. B. Bolton.

CIRCLES WILL MEET MONDAY AFTERNOON

Circles of the Floral Heights Baptist church will meet Monday afternoon as follows:

Circle No. 1—With Mrs. J. S. Yancey, 1906 Buchanan.

Circle No. 2—Either with No. 1 or No. 3.

Circle No. 3—With Mrs. Robert Farmer, 1714 Taylor street.

Pollyanna Class Honors Mothers With Elaborate Banquet At Church

One of the most delightful affairs of the week was the banquet given by the Pollyanna class of the First Baptist Sunday school in the basement of the church Friday evening, honoring the mothers of the class.

The program was opened with the invocation, by Dr. O. L. Powers, pastor of the church. This was followed by a toast to "Mothers," by Zora Willis and Mrs. Jack Speegle responded with a toast to "Daughters." Mrs. Fred Barron sang "Mother of Mine," and "Mother Machree," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. F. R. Collard. Mrs. Will Pegan gave a reading, "Child Poems," by James Whitcomb Riley and Miss Francis Scott sang, "Lovely Night." Dr. Powers gave a splendid talk and Ruby Murrell gave a delightful piano number. Rosa Belt McGinnis toasted the R. E. Huff Sunday school class.

The banquet table was decorated with roses and ferns surrounded with daints nut cups and place cards, and a four-course luncheon was served by the class, assisted by the R. E. Huff class.

Covers were arranged for Mesdames W. E. Miller, M. M. Reeves, W. M. McGinnis, Leath, H. Willis, C. C. Davis, R. H. Hall, I. A. Farris, Norton, Ralph Hines, Will Pegan, Robert Goodfellow, Murrell, Jack Speegle, E. W. Carter, S. A. Fisher, Frank Morgan, J. W. Price, Gardner, Smith, Hobbs, O. L. Powers, W. N. Porter, T. M. Smyre, J. W. Nossett, Collard, Fred Barron, F. R. Collard, Bert King, Brightwell, Dr. Joanna Campbell, R. C. Smith and Miss Stella Smith, Jessie Posner, Eva Glidewell, Rosa Bell McGinnis, Lola Leath, Alice Leath, Zora Willis, Essie Davis, Jewell Reeves, Ruby Murrell, Ruth Porterfield, Francis Scott, Lena Cordray, Vivian Brightwell, Emma Carter, Lela Fisher, Neiva Morgan, Gladys Price, Cynthia Mae Pettit, Pearl Dawson, Gladys Porter and Frances Porter.

The Pollyanna class was assisted in serving by members of the R. E. Huff class.

Outdoor Life For Washington Society-Goers

By MARGARET EPPLER

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Outdoor life in its most delightful pause will enthrall society from now until the summer scattering period arrists, and truly a more delightful spring playground could not be found than in the capital. Miles of gay blossoms border the drives along the river in Potomac park, vieing with the dainty pink cherry blossoms for attention, while out through Rock Creek park the dogwood and other blossoming trees, with quantities of wild flowers, enthrall hundreds of pedestrians and motorists.

Washington is never more lovely than in spring, and one of its really beautiful spots is down in the Potomac park along the Speedway, with its blooming flower beds, blossoming cherry trees and tiny lights—new buds on the weeping willows. The place is just alive with people every afternoon and evening, eating ice cream cones bought from the girls in the warehouse on Haine Point, and in the evening on the grass and sitting at the seawall with their feet hanging over the water—hundreds in motors, walking, driving and riding horseback or practicing polo, playing golf or tennis or baseball or some other outdoor game.

And once a week, over on the monument lot, the officers and soldiers stationed at Ft. Myer stage a sham battle and a small horse show. One week it is an infantry battle, another cavalry, and the next in fancy. A band plays, officers in uniform stroll about, hundreds gather to look on, and it is a lovely sight.

There was a noticeable lull in social events this week, preparatory to the gayety of horse-show week, which has come to be red-letter five days in the annual round of society in Washington.

The show this year promises to be one of the most spectacular in the history of the National Capital Horse Show association. The management has arranged a program of unusual interest, with a number of unique features, many of them new for horse shows in general.

The ladies' race, for example, Horse racing heretofore in Washington has been a part restricted to masculine riders. This is feminine Washington's first opportunity to take the thrill of speeding around a really, truly race track on an honest-to-goodness race horse. And with an excited and clamorous audience of real race fans urging the fair jockeys on to victory.

The race is one of the stunts the Rock Creek Hunt club is staging. The club has arranged a series of features, one for each day of the show, and the ladies' race is scheduled for Tuesday, the opening day. The lucky jockette is to be rewarded by a lovely silver cup presented by the club and the heart of the owner of the winning horse will be gladdened by a similar trophy presented by Frederick McKenzie of Washington.

The gallery, too, shows promise of being unusually attractive. The continued cool weather has kept hundreds of Washingtonians in the city who otherwise would have been safely tucked away in seaside or mountain resorts for the summer. If the weather continues pleasant in all probability the show will have one of the most interesting grandstands in its history.

The list of boxholders sounds promising. The president and Mrs. Harding have signified their intention of attending at least one performance. General Pershing, always an ardent horse show fan, has secured a box. The minister of Hungary and Countess Szechenyi are going to entertain a party culled from the horse lovers in diplomatic circles, and there are dozens of other notables among the boxholders.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Andrews and small son of Amarillo are the guests of Mrs. Andrews' mother, Mrs. E. J. Ewald, of Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. Hampson Gary of Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. Miller were joint hosts at a dinner at the Chevy Chase club Friday evening, entertaining as a farewell to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Mitchell, who are leaving Washington shortly for their home in Minnesota. Mr. Mitchell has resigned from the federal reserve board to resume his private business connections.

Texas visitors to Washington during the week included T. O. Walton, College Station; C. B. Collins, Lufkin; Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Rogers, San Antonio; Margaret Gurley, San Antonio; J. E. Collins, Vernon; Fred L. Bronson, Wichita Falls; W. R. Vernon, Dallas; H. Stewart, Galveston; S. J. Hogsett, Fort Worth; P. D. Johnson, San Antonio; M. L. Buckner, Dallas; J. C. Robertson, Dallas.

FIRST METHODIST WOMEN TO MEET

The Women's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church, corner of Seventh and Lamar, will meet at the home of Mrs. Hal Shirey, 905 Tyler, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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It is a sports model made of gray knitted wool in a slip-over model. The full skirt and loose blouse makes the frock most desirable for all kinds of sports wear. An Indian motif in black, white and red covers the blouse and forms a band about the hips and at the hem. This is the kind of frock the out-of-door girl will want for motoring, golf, the yachting or canoeing party where a bit of warmth is welcome as well as bright colors.

MISS DAVENPORT GIVES "KID" PARTY FRIDAY

Miss Lorena Davenport entertained with a "kid" party at her home, 1305 Monroe, Friday evening, assisted by her mother, Mrs. H. H. Davenport. The living room and dining room was decorated in cut flowers and potted plants and dancing and games featured the entertainment.

Refreshments of Eskimo pies and stick candy were served to Misses Merle Short, Mary Elisabeth Weldon, Arndine Silkwood, Adelyn McGregor, Helen Howard, Margaret Mode, Dorothy Coleman, Marian Finch, Lucile King, Irene Clark, Claudia Hund, Esther Urich, Edna Rundell, Hazel Diestelhost, Lucile Parish, Adeena Kouri, Bessie Petty, Jessie Smith, Marian McGinnis, Lesta Staton, and Messrs. Tom Mike Miller, Mitchell Johnson, Ansil Kouri, I. H. Faught, Paul Cameron, George Duncan, Alden Parker, Paul Roberts, Robert Moore, J. G. Dixon Jr., Ben McCleary, Newby Staton, Morell McGregor, and Stanford Bailey.

MRS. FULTON HONORS PUPILS AT RECITAL

Honoring Miss Elisabeth Carrigan and Miss Bertice Martin, Mrs. E. L. Fulton presented her junior and advanced pupils in a joint recital at her home, 1400 Polk street, Friday evening. The young women will leave in the fall for Ward-Belmont, where they will continue their expression work under Miss Townsend, one of the greatest exponents of the Curry method in the South.

Invitations were extended those who participated on the program and each and every number was well received and displayed intelligent work and interpretation. Exceptionally favorable comment was received by Miss Kathleen Lynch, who gave "Ma'moiselle;" Miss Ella Merle Mathis, who gave a "When Angry Count One Hundred," and Miss Adele Marcus in a Southern reading, "The Littlest Rebel."

SISTERS EXPRESS THANKS FOR HELP WITH OPERETTA

The Sisters of St. Mary of the Academy of Mary Immaculate wish to extend their sincerest and most grateful thanks to the Catholic and non-Catholic women, who by their untiring devotion have rendered such whole-souled service to them for the past three months, especially in making costumes and selling tickets for their play, "The Rose Dream," presented by the students of the academy Friday night. Also to the Catholic men, who so generously contributed to the success of the play by their kindness in lending their cars for the accommodation of the students in selling tickets and to the excellent management of all the details relative to caring for the large audience.

1922 STUDY CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. E. E. FISHER

Mrs. E. E. Fisher and Mrs. J. E. McConnell entertained the 1922 Study club at the home of Mrs. McConnell Thursday afternoon. The program was "The Study of the Short Story," under the leadership of Mrs. L. L. Lucey. Mrs. King Davis was the club delegate to the federation at Bowie and brought back a fine report from the meeting. Mrs. A. D. Patillo, the guest from the Standard club, also gave a report of the Bowie meeting.

A contest was conducted in which each member developed a short story from a clipping from the daily newspaper. Several good stories were submitted but the club unanimously voted Mrs. E. E. Fisher a short story writer, who deserved a place among the foremost short story writers of today. The Standard club extended an invitation to the Study club to be their guests at a picnic to be held some time in the near future, which was graciously accepted. Mrs. P. B. Curde invited the club to meet with her at her home 1910 Monroe street, the next meeting. At the close of the afternoon, ice cream was served to the following: Mesdames P. B. Curd, S. G. Henry, King Davis, L. L. Lucey, Grady Taylor, C. W. Curd, Earl Ruffner, J. M. Martin, A. D. Patillo, and W. Newby.

WESLEY GIRLS PLAN BATH TOWEL SHOWER

A bath towel shower and a benefit "42" party was planned at the business meeting held at the home of Mrs. R. L. Dillard, 1820 Huff avenue, Friday afternoon, when Mrs. Carlisle Norwood and Mrs. D. F. McDowell were joint hostesses. Mrs. J. Brown Hopkins presided over the session, and it was decided that the "42" party will be given at the home of Mrs. Preston Lea Thursday afternoon.

Refreshments of ice cream and angel food cake and iced tea was served to Mesdames C. R. Greene, W. L. Rhodes, W. H. Robinson, P. B. Clements, F. A. Barnes, J. Brown Hopkins, Ray Hanks, F. C. Elkins, Lorain Taylor, Preston Lea, Lester Jones, W. H. Gaskin, J. H. Monroe, Ed Peterson, Fred Schmann Jr., W. L. Ellis, Stanley Hill and Clyde Tittle.

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FIRST BAPTIST CIRCLES MEET

Circles of the First Baptist church will meet Monday afternoon and study the fifth chapter of the Bible, "Period by Period." A round table discussion will also be conducted on Bible scholarship. The meeting places are announced as follows:

Circle No. 1—With Mrs. S. J. Ashmore, 1319 Ninth street.
Circle No. 2—Mrs. T. L. McGee, 1106 Travis.
Circle No. 3—Mrs. Ben Bell, 806 Denver street.
Circle No. 4—Mrs. Lloyd Young, 1404 Sixteenth street.
Circle No. 5—Mrs. John Coveness, 1641 Elizabeth street.
Circle No. 6—Mrs. E. B. Bailey, 1701 Huff.
Circle No. 7—Mrs. I. Frazier, 2150 Avenue G, 2:30 o'clock.
Circle No. 8—Mrs. W. L. Hawkins at the home of Mrs. Hy Willis, 1406 Tilden, at 2 o'clock.

PROGRESSIVE CLASS ENJOYS PICNIC

The Progressive class of the First Methodist church, corner Seventh and Lamar, enjoyed a picnic and weiner roast Friday evening at the old settlers' company ground, eight miles on the Iowa Park road. After refreshments were partaken of, George Taylor, with his guitar entertained the party with songs.

Those who went were Messrs and Mesdames J. T. Bentley, G. I. Dorrance, W. W. Sherrill, George Taylor, Floyd Friberg, I. W. Karrenbrock, J. H. Simmons, Alfred Friberg, W. L. Dalton, J. F. Jackson, W. F. Minor, H. Allen, Hal Shirey and Misses Dorothy and Marjorie Dalton, Frankie and Grace Crabtree, Jennie Beddow, Edna Stovall, Thelma Simmons and Rev. I. A. Crabtree.

FIRST CHRISTIAN LADIES TO MEET

Divisions of the First Christian Ladies' Aid society will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock as follows:

Division No. 1—Scotland park.
Division No. 2—Mrs. T. B. Wiley, 1200 Fillmore.
Division No. 3—Mrs. W. R. Ferguson, 1004 Broad.
Division No. 4—Mrs. L. T. Hyatt, 900 Burnett.
Division No. 5—Mrs. Curtis Graham, 518 Sixteenth street.
Division No. 6—Mrs. A. A. Young, 2907 Ninth street.
Division No. 7—No meeting.
Division No. 8—Mrs. C. A. Fleming, 2008 Eleventh street.
Division No. 9—Mrs. A. D. Patillo, 1002 Elizabeth street.
Division No. 10—Mrs. J. F. Haggard, 1649 Elizabeth street.

MRS. McABEE HOSTESS TO CIVIC LEAGUE

Mrs. Walter McAbee was hostess to the interesting meeting of the Highland Heights Civic league at her home Friday afternoon when, after the business session, a delightful social hour was enjoyed and refreshments of ice cream and cake was served to Mesdames Karr, T. R. Brunson, Wiesenborn, Mallichord, McAbee, Gibbs, Brown, Bird, Watson and Benson.

APPROACHING WEDDING ANNOUNCED FRIDAY

Honoring Miss August Wisdom whose marriage to Grover Cleveland Johnson will be an event of Thursday, May 24, Miss Geneva Wisdom entertained at dinner Friday evening at the Wichita Club assisted by Miss Frances Brooks. The banquet table was a profusion of lovely rainbow rints with ribbons in pastel shades down the center, strewn with rosebuds, under which the charming secret was tucked in envelopes and hidden, with tiny colored ribbons leading to each guest's plate. Tiered candles with bows of malne in corresponding shade marked the table at intervals, and favors were dainty little baskets of perfume dress tied with bows of contrasting color. The place-cards were little hand-tinted ladies carrying large lace fans.

Between courses an informal program was given which included a vocal solo "The World is Waiting for the Sunrise" by Miss Hazelle Dean, with Mrs. Fred Barron at the piano, to which she responded with a pretty encore; a reading by Miss Juanita Kinsey "Mr. and Mrs. Bolliver Pipes" (who have been married six weeks) which she cleverly paraphrased "Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland Johnson;" a group of Spanish songs with guitar accompaniment by Miss Josephine Fisk who answered to an encore with "My Buddy," and a ballet by Miss Beulah Gardiner who wore an attractive Pierrette costume in black and white.

Miss Adickes and Mrs. W. B. Chauncey toasted the bride-to-be and Miss Frances Brooks not only toasted the bride-to-be, but wished happiness and success to Miss Geneva Wisdom, who is leaving soon for California. After the dinner the party went to the Y. W. C. A. bride's room reception.

Covers were laid for the Misses Geneva Wisdom, Geneva Wisdom, Jessie Davidson, Frances Brooks, Elizabeth Jackson, Katherine Brothers, Blanche Dent, Josephine Pirk Juanita Kinney, Beulah Gardiner, Norine Dorris, Rhea Gardiner, Mary Cotfield, Mary J. Cowling, Hazel Donelson, Adah John, Gore, Billie Veasey, Rowena Russell, Susanne Creath, Ruby Leavenridge, Lurine Hightower, Bo Elizabeth Hill, Ruth Stayton, Johnnie Morgan, and Mesdames Mary Wisdom, M. I. Gardiner, P. W. Nicholson, C. C. Knight, M. H. Benson, H. A. McCarty, Leon Deaton, W. B. Chauncey, S. A. Ellis Morgan, D. C. Johnson, W. E. Bishop, M. M. Adickes, Fred Barron, Mary B. Adams and W. L. Rhodes.

MRS. DOKE HOSTESS TO B. R. CLUB

Mrs. C. M. Doke was hostess to the B. R. club at her home Tuesday afternoon, when the usual fancy work whiled away the hours.

The hostess, assisted by her daughter, Lucille, served a salad course to Mesdames John Lindsey, W. A. Boone, Fred Smith, W. L. Dillard, Bertha Reid, W. R. Thompson and A. E. Brown.

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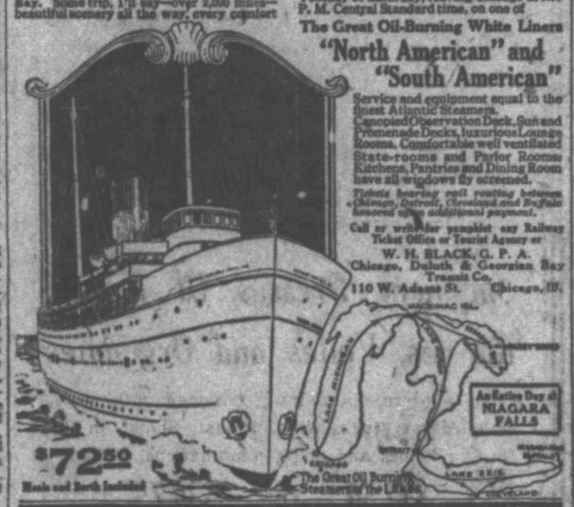
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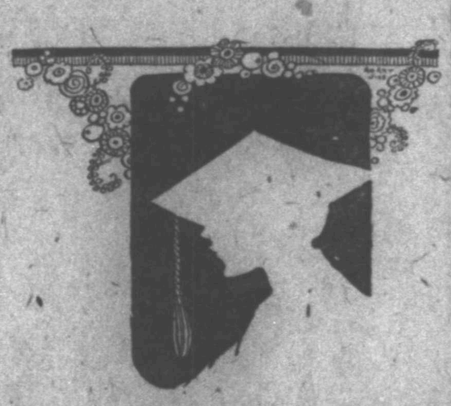
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Social Gossip Reviewed By Peggy Peidmont In Her Characteristic Way

THIS week—this eventful, busy, strenuous, not over-cool, but thoroughly joyful week, has been handed over, signed, sealed and delivered to teas and receptions for brides and visitors—magic words which have appeared on a great influx of cards. Ma chere, we began with these affairs early in the week, and they continued one almost every afternoon and evening until the end. We drank—tea—or perhaps it was punch; it didn't seem to matter much at the time—danced at the lake. Everyone was everywhere—debs, sub-debs, pre-maids and post-maids and matrons and lots of visitors.

They are on the go afternoon, evenings and night—bridge, 500, hearts—claiming every hour. Nothing escapes them. How could it when one of them announced she had an invitation to 43 parties?

In our theatrical world, the outstanding event of the week was the lovely little operetta, "A Rose Dream," given by the pupils of Saint Mary's Academy and directed by the Sisters at the Wichita theatre. And the pretty May festival given on the lawn of the C. W. Reid home when a bevy of lovely little maidens dressed in many bright costumes and representing various nations, and butterflys and I don't know what all, gave a Maypole dance and lots of difficult solo numbers. The children who delighted a large audience, are pupils of Mrs. Leslie Davis, one of Wichita Falls' most talented teachers.

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THE children have certainly "put on the shows" this week. The operetta is woven around a delightful fairy tale in which a little rose wanders away from home and falls asleep, to be found by the fairies and the fairy queen designates "Hop O' My Thumb" to guide her through the land of the lost, and later to Fairyland, her kingdom. The cast included several dozen small folk representing beautiful colorful flowers, and savoring of the springtime.

To try to tell you about it is well nigh impossible with so many pretty children taking part, and doing so many different things.

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ENLIGHTENING stories are so rare it is a pity to keep them anonymous. Yet sometimes wiser. If this one that was going the rounds at luncheon the other day hadn't been anonymous, I would probably not tell it, though really its point is a salutary one, showing that the modern point of view is beginning to regard iself with a conviction of logic which it hasn't always had. A simple little story, which might have happened to almost anybody—of a large number of people, that is.

The heroine, so the story went, is a clever and delightful woman, for whom things didn't somehow go just right in her first matrimonial career, which finally came to wreckage on the rocks of divorce—as the usual figure of speech has it. Nothing disastrous and everything quite friendly afterward, as facts will have it (they sometimes have their way, even in anonymous stories.)

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However that may be, she was married again, later on, and recently (this is the story) her former husband was a guest in her household for dinner, and for a pleasant little game of bridge afterward, and everything seemed quite natural and friendly and agreeable. Certainly much more agreeable and less warping to the character than harboring a grudge, at any rate! The incident may not get a clue from the teller of the tale—but the viewpint seemed interesting, so I pass it on for what it is worth—the best one can do in this world, which isn't always over-interesting unless the viewpoint is carefully looked to!

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ANONYMOUS stories have their queer angles, though. You passed one of mine recently, dear, and it has rivaled Homer in the number who claimed it, as numerous almost as the cities claiming the poet. Incidentally, that is one way of learning new things—sh-h, though far be it from me to use the means intentionally!

If you want to look at some attractive matrons whether in the ball room, at a reception or on the golf links, I would have you meet a group of them who are visiting in this city right now. Two are Mrs. David Gurley of Waco and Mrs. Eugene Hanzen of Dallas, sisters and guests of Mrs. W. W. Frasier and for whom many parties have been given during the past week, and Mrs. D. M. Blanton of Claude, Tex., guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. O. C. Blanton, Mrs. Frank Rice of Chattanooga, Tenn., visiting her many friends here who was before her marriage several years ago, the popular and attractive Mabel Simpson of this city.

On Thursday afternoon she was complimented by a party given by Mrs. W. M. McGregor and her daughter, Mrs. Bobby Burns, and this week she will share honors with Mrs. H. D. Conner of Arlington, a sister-in-law of Mrs. Harry Weeks, and Mrs. Robert Campbell of Houston, who is visiting her sister and mother, Mrs. Merrill Blair and Mrs. E. B. Carver, at a party to be given by Mrs. Weeks, and Miss Clara Castleberry, from San Antonio, who was honoree at an informal party given by her sister, Mrs. E. J. Senac whom she is visiting.

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I AM sending you along with other pictures, one of Lois Martin, whom I know you have not forgotten. Lois is the daughter of Judge and Mrs. P. A. Martin and according to reports from Fort Worth where she is a student and member of the 1923 graduating class at Texas Womans' college, she has been especially honored by being voted the most popular girl in the school. She will also receive her B. A. and expression degree in June and was presented last week in senior recital. Don't you think we should be proud of the Wichita Falls girl at T. W. C.?

The rainbow comes and goes
And lovely is the rose,
The moon doth with delight
Look 'round her when the heavens are bare.
Waters on a starry night
Are beautiful and fair.

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THAT is the sort of information, older than antiquity but perenially electrically new, that we can acquire these days; the kind that made the blood leap in the veins of old Tutankhamen in Egypt long ago and made him whisper strange romantic Egyptian syllables in the ear of his queen, or, perhaps since human nature changes but little, into the ears of the flappers of his time; it is so gloriously spring.

Parties take unto themselves advantageous spots—like the "Rose" reception Friday night for three attractive brides. Mesdames Justus Durnal, M. J. Doyle and Harry Rasco at the Y.W.C.A. when the Business and Professional Womans' club were hostesses, and the spacious recreation rooms were a veritable pink rose garden. The program, consisting of songs and dances all suggested the rose scheme, as well as the frocks of the performers.

This was the occasion when the club gave the brides their gifts which is a custom observed, and the evening was spent most delightfully.

The receiving line included besides the honorees,—Mrs. Stella Mason, president of the Business Womens' club, Mrs. Iva E. Austin, general secretary of the Y. W.C.A., Florence Jackson, Elizabeth Miller and Catherine Brothers.

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I HAVE learned, Kitty, that you are a temptress, and lure me to long hours of pen-and-paper talk, in despite of other things. The moment has come now—somewhat late, I admit—so I pleasantly bid you adieu, for the moment, while I investigate important matters touching riding habits, and other secrets of state—the mighty state of my toilette—and sign myself your friend—

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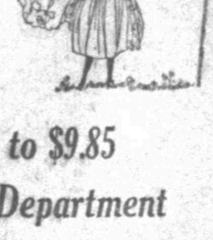
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Mrs. E. T. Duff, the president, presided at the long banquet table and Mrs. G. D. Anderson was in charge of the refreshment committee. Mrs. Anderson presented Mrs. Duff, the new president, to the veterans, and this was followed by delightful talks reminiscent of the war, by Dr. N. T. Grafton, Dr. J. W. Loving and Judge Scurry.

The table was attractively decorated in spring flowers and a delicious menu, including baked ham, potato salad, pickles, hot rolls, coffee, ice cream and cake, was served.

After dinner, Colonel Wilson, of Electra, read a splendid paper, and Mrs. J. L. Jackson talked to the veterans about her recent trip to Europe and the battle fields over there, and with Mrs. Fred Barron at the piano, and Mrs. T. R. Greenwood, the violin, old fashioned songs were sung by the group.

Those present included: W. H. Ballard, R. C. White, W. B. Cheves, George Simmons, J. M. Davis, F. P. Woodhouse, J. D. Garner, Colonel O. C. Wilson, T. C. Dill and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lorrance, T. R. Weir, A. W. Blackman, Master C. C. Jackson and Judge Scurry, guests, and Mesdames G. D. Anderson, J. E. Hogan, O. W. Wilson, John Prewett, Charles Pogenphol, Fred Barron, M. Matthey, E. T. Duff, H. B. Patterson, T. B. Greenwood, E. W. Carter, Walker Dillard, Moore, E. T. Barker, Ed Yarbrough, J. L. Jackson, R. B. Feider, McElroy, Mack Thomas, C. V. Lemen, H. C. Dillis, and Miss Addie Woodhouse.

PRETTY LUNCHEON TO ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

A pretty bridge luncheon at the home of Mrs. L. W. Perham Saturday, given by Misses Mary Hunter, Walker Riddle and Wanda Compere, complimenting Miss Whittie Davis, announced her engagement and approaching marriage to Charles Murray, of Austin, formerly of this city, to take place at the home of her brother in Dallas, June 9.

In the games which preceded the luncheon, Mrs. O. B. Keil won the high score favor, a dining table set. Miss Lelia Tomlinson won the low score favor, a miniature bride and groom on a boudoir pillow bearing the quaint announcement made in the following verse:

"We're just two little newpies,
Dressed up to bring to you
A message about Winn and Charlie
Yes, they're to be married 'tis true,
June third."

The honoree was presented a corsage of lavender sweet peas.

The house was beautifully decorated for the affair in cut flowers, a lavender and white color scheme being carried out in all the appointments, and a two-course luncheon, consisting of fish salad, potato chips, iced tea and butter crackers, and ice cream served in nut cups with yellow centers and individual white cakes trimmed with the initials of the bride-elect and bridegroom in lavender, was served.

Dainty place cards marked covers for Miss Davis and Mesdames O. B. Keil, R. W. Hatsler and L. W. Perham and Misses Lillian Fain, Iva Willis, Juanita Rinse, Nell Dunbar, Bess Stewart, Kate Burgiss, Esther Berry, Jennie Robertson, Tomlinson, Hazelle Dean, Frankie Smith, Annie Spencer, and Lola Heaton.

THESE NEGLIGEES GIVE NEW IDEAS



By ELOISE

As the trousseau season nears negligees take on a new importance. Since Christmas time they have reclined quietly on their racks waiting for a birthday or a trip to make their purchase necessary, but now that brides are shopping the negligee comes right out in the front row. It is just as important as the going-away frock or the house dresses. Here are three pretty styles which may help the young bride-to-be who is undecided whether to buy or make a lounging robe, and what kind to choose.

Satin pajamas are shown at the left. These are not sleeping pajamas, but are a negligee. Black satin combined with American beauty is the combination and the coat is not the usual slip-over kind which muses the hair, but is a coat that fastens down the front and can easily be slipped on and off.

In the center is a more formal robe which may even be worn at the tea hour or for entertaining informally in one's boudoir. It is of figured georgette and plain colored chiffon. The figured material makes the front panel and the back which falls into a graceful train. The sleeves are edged with a narrow band of black fur.

The kimono at the right is made on the coat style of the hour. It wraps around the wearer and fastens at the side, as all the new coats do. It is made of a rose colored cotton crepe and is trimmed with ribbon rosettes of black satin. It is pretty, serviceable, because it can easily be laundered, and cool for summer, as it is of cotton.

MRS. GAMBLE HOSTESS TO FIDELITY BRIDGE

In a beautiful setting of roses and ferns, the Fidelity Bridge club spent a pleasant afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. M. Gamble Friday, when the usual games furnished the diversion. Mrs. Hugh Weaver won the high score favor, a boudoir novelty, and Mrs. Robert Hamilton was consoled for low with a polychrome fern bowl. Mrs. L. E. Stewart of Dallas, house guest of Mrs. Gamble, was remembered with a lovely pair of glove silk white hose.

Refreshments of pressed chicken, olives, nut bread sandwiches, fruit punch, apricot ice, cake with plate favors of sunburst roses, was served to Mesdames A. W. West, W. C. Witcher, Hugh Weaver, F. A. Ray, C. C. Eckman, I. R. Clark, C. C. Glover, L. W. Fritz, B. F. Leggett, Robert Hamilton and L. E. Stewart.

CYPHER CULB OPENS SEASON AT LAKE

Opening the summer season at the lake, the Cypher club entertained with an informal dance Friday evening. Music was furnished by Eddie's Trumpeteers orchestra and the chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Gwynne and Mrs. E. C. Harlin.

Those present included Misses Leta Jo McCallister, Lucille Bishop, Beulah Ladd, Ray Johnson, Ann Collins, Josephine Cummings, Gay Gwynne, Marjorie Winston, Mattie Lee Straus, Ava Lucile Vernon, Neva Black, Oneata Deems, Margaret Wheeler, Swaford, Eva Gregg, Mimi Franklin, Sadie Adickes, Nancy Jane Harlin, Rosaline Stanfil, Louise Jenkins, Lucile Newton, Adeline Penny, Katherine Gant, May Williams, Pauline Waters, Margaret Wilson, Temple Bray, Katherine Duey, Jernigen Press, Bess Gilbert, Thelma Wells, Claudis Williams, McMahon, Ben Gilbert, Thelma Wells, and Messrs. R. J. Marin, Myron Lyle, Sam Hilton, John R. Duke, Bud Seevers, J. G. Fowler, L. P. Nolen, C. S. Cornet, A. D. Montgomery, F. C. Patton, J. A. Stacey, Clifton Haynes, Almond Gates, Ralph Davis, Hubert Stringer, Allen Gerock, John Albritton, C. E. Potts, W. A. Bramun, Burton Perry, Dub Davis, W. W. Veal jr., D. A. Ross, Roy Pustue, Lee Haney, J. B. Steel, Cato, Rud Proctor, Guy R. Enlow, J. Moran, Don Morearty, W. L. Snoddy, C. E. Clough, W. W. Robertson, Buster Robertson, T. J. Waggoner jr., C. C. Davis, P. M. McGrath, George Massie, Ray Barnard, F. J. Ladd, George Keith jr., Charles Cook, John Sides, P. C. Bundy and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Rockwell, D. Whitman, Friedley, E. S. Weldon, D. T. Cauble, H. R. Knauth, R. H. Friedley, E. F. Hall, Otha Kay Ridley Maples, L. Cole, Oswald Coffey, C. B. Toney, Sam Piker, Wyatt, F. M. Wood, J. A. Kemp jr., O. O. Morgan, L. B. Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Donnell and Kennedy.

Society Personals

Mrs. J. D. Bright is enjoying a visit with her father, Mr. M. B. Sherwood, who is here from Texline, Texas, for a few days.

Mrs. W. E. George and W. E. jr. have gone to Denton for a two weeks' visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Collins have gone to Dallas to spend the week-end with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Howard are in Galveston for the annual Bathing Girls Revue.

Mrs. Morrow, mother of Mrs. Stanley Hill, has returned to her home in Stamford after a week's visit with her daughter.

Clyde Tittle is spending the week-end in Gainesville with his mother, Mrs. M. A. Tittle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Butler of Manchester, N. Hamp., is the guest of his son and family, Leon D. Butler at 2011 Eleventh street.

Mrs. Will Struwe, her sister, Mrs. Frank Kurtz, of Walters; and Master Clyde Tittle Jr. have motored to Walters, Mrs. Kurtz's home for the week-end. Mrs. Kurtz has been in the city the past two weeks with Mrs. Struwe who underwent a minor operation.

Herman Hughes of Lawton, Okla., motored to Wichita Falls Saturday to accompany his mother, Mrs. J. A. Hughes, to Lawton, where she will spend the summer visiting her sons and their families. Miss Juanita Hughes will join her mother as soon as school is out.

Mrs. W. J. Evans of Los Angeles, Cal., is the guest of relatives in this city, Mrs and Mrs. J. W. Evans and family, and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Snow.

Miss Fay Cox of Fort Worth is spending the week-end with Miss Marjorie Nell at 2015 Eighth street.

Lloyd Spotswood is in Dallas where he is studying pipe organ under Karl Weiman.

Mrs. H. M. Larkum has returned from a four-weeks' trip in Galveston, Freeport and other coast towns.



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Again Monday—those Ladies' 75c Knit Unions
48C
Misses' Wash Dresses, On Balcony
Ages 7 to 16½
$1.19 UP

Hunting Bird Silk Hose Monday
$1.39
Boy's $1.50 Caps, Monday, on Balcony—
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EXTRA SPECIAL
Those 27c Zephyr Ginghams, 7 yards for—
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Henrietta In Mourning Following Death Of Three

MEN BURN IN KERENS TRAGEDY

School Board Closes Institution For Two Days

Special Dispatch to Record News

HENRIETTA, May 12.—This city has been in mourning since Thursday afternoon, when definite reports showed that Charlie Walker, Staton Allen and W. A. Hicks, all of Henrietta, had lost their lives in the oil field tragedy at Kerens near Corsicana.

The death of these three men has cast a pall over the citizenship and there has been practically no business carried on. As soon as the death reports reached here, the school board turned out school Thursday and Friday as a mark of respect to Superintendent C. F. Walker, whose son Charlie, 22, and son-in-law, Staton Allen, 32, lost their lives in the fire.

Professor and Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Staton Allen, Mr. Allen's mother and brother and a daughter of Professor and Mrs. Walker, returned from Corsicana, late Friday night. Several hundred citizens were at the train to meet the grief-stricken relatives of the deceased. The chamber of commerce in its regular Friday night meeting adopted resolutions of sympathy to the stricken loved ones of the deceased and adjourned and went to the station en masse to meet the train bringing back the relatives.

No funeral services for Charlie Walker or Staton Allen will be held as the bodies of neither have been recovered. According to a Masonic committee who went from here to scene of the tragedy, it is believed the bodies of Walker and Allen were completely incinerated and no part of either will be recovered.

The body of W. A. Hicks, who moved from here to Wortham, was sent from Corsicana to Venus, Johnson county, where funeral services were held.

42 Will Receive Diplomas May 21 At Hennetta

HENRIETTA, May 12.—The largest graduating class in the history of the local high school, 42 members will be awarded diplomas by the board of education on Monday, May 21, next.

Bruce Palmer, son of former mayor R. H. and Mrs. Palmer is the honor graduate and will deliver the valedictory address. Miss Margaret Witte, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Witte of Cambridge, this county, salutorian of the class.

Byers Baby Wins First In Contest

HENRIETTA, May 12.—At a baby show held in Henrietta this week in connection with trades day, the 18-month-old baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. Olan Ridings Byers, won first place and little Mary Vanzel Cummins, baby of Mrs. J. H. Cummins of near Henrietta, won second.

There were 26 babies entered in the contest. Dr. H. L. Reed, Mrs. S. A. Meyers, R. J. Brown and Mrs. E. C. Carter, all of Henrietta, judged the contest. A baby ring was given the winner of first place by B. P. Schwend local jeweler and a pair of baby shoes to the second winner by the K. C. S. dry goods store.

Dundee Society

Special Dispatch to Record News

DUNDEE, May 12.—The Jinks well, on the Helm lease, has been abandoned. The rig has been moved to the Olney-Megargel field.

Mr. and Mrs. Jinks have moved to Olney. Mr. Jinks has a drilling contract in the new field there.

Herbert Drummond, Wallace Drummond, Clifton Jackson, Jim Brumbelow and Paul Vinson have gone to Olney to work in the Swastika field.

Mr. and Mrs. Burkett and daughter, Mrs. Bird, were in Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. Brown was hostess to a crowd of young people Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Hampton and daughters were in Seymour Saturday.

Mrs. Barnes entertained the young people with a sing-song party Thursday night.

The stewards of the Methodist church are adding some new features to the building this week. They are also putting down a new carpet and putting in new pews.

Quite a number of young people from Mankins attended the negro minstrel at Dundee Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben King and little daughter, and Miss Allie Extine and Baker of Eagle Bend community, were in Dundee Friday night.

Misses Ira John Hatcher and Mozelle Pollard of Wichita Falls, were in Dundee Sunday.

The members of the Baptist church gave a negro minstrel in the high school auditorium Friday night. The entertainment was enjoyed by all, and we are glad to say that a nice sum was realized. The proceeds are to be used for the church.

The ladies of the Methodist church serve dinner in the church building every Saturday. The proceeds go to the church.

Mack Smyth, of Moran, is visiting relatives in Dundee this week.

N. L. Rhodes will have charge of the ice house this summer.

Henrietta Wedding

HENRIETTA, May 12.—James R. Jones of Wichita Falls and Miss Grace Dodd were married at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Dodd in Henrietta last Thursday morning at 8:30.

Rev. R. Hancock of Wichita Falls was the officiating minister. J. A. Reilly jr. of Wichita Falls was best man and Miss Bess Caswell of Marshall was bridesmaid. Mrs. R. C. Strainage of Wichita Falls played the wedding march and Mrs. R. Hancock sang "Oh Promise Me." Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Jones left for Medicine Park, Okla. They will be at home in Wichita Falls after May 20.

Seymour Society News

The five circles of the Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon in their various neighborhoods. The Bible study for the afternoon was the fourteenth chapter of first Corinthians. After the lesson, the "Negro In Our Midst" was discussed. Representatives from each circle met Sunday afternoon with the negro missionary society, and reported the conditions at each meeting. An interesting and instructive afternoon was reported from each circle.

Circle 1 met with Mrs. M. Cooper, with 16 ladies present. Mrs. J. R. Balch conducted the Bible study and Mrs. Sullivan made an inspirational talk on the negro question.

Circle No. 2 met with Mrs. Walter Jackson, with 11 present. Mrs. M. R. Surrett conducted the lesson study.

Circle 3 met with Mrs. W. E. Bailes. Mrs. Bailes heard the Bible lesson. Eleven ladies atended this meeting.

Circle 4 met with Mrs. Mattie E. Taylor, with eight members present. Mrs. Taylor led the Bible study.

Circle 5 met with Mrs. W. E. Stevens, with Mrs. M. D. Lankford Sr. as leader. Eleven ladies attended.

A total of 52 members was reported.

Members of the U. D. club and a number of invited guests were delightfully entertained Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. R. D. Mugg at her home in West Seymour.

Cut flowers added in making the reception suite attractive.

An interesting program on "The Alaskan" was presented, with Mrs. Tom Craddock as leader. It opened with a piano solo, "Kamarnoi Ostrau," by Rubinstein. Mrs. Craddock then asked each member a question on the geography of Alaska, which were answered with interesting remarks.

Mrs. J. O. Wheat the ngave a piano solo, "The Last Rose of Summer," by Glinka.

A social was next on the program, at which time Mrs. Mugg, assisted by Mrs. J. T. Lively, Miss Lucille Rupe and Master Thomas Lewis Lively served strawberry ice and angel food cake.

Mrs. Charlie Mothes was hostess to the members of the Knok Nothing club Friday afternoon at the home of her parents, Judge and Mrs. D. F. Goss.

The afternoon was spent in progressive "42," which afforded much enjoyment. A short business meeting was also held.

Mrs. Mothes served delicious banana-nut ice crea mand white cake with pink roses as favors.

Those present were Mesdames Craddock, T. J. Bolger, Abe, C. O. Newton, J. H. Milam, C. Johnson, Morris Randal, H. H. Ford, Roy McDavid, F. J. Bunkley, W. A. Baker and D. F. Goss, Miss Lucille Rupe.

Mrs. John C. Henson, Misses Hess, Emma Harrell and Stribbling were hostesses to a number of ftheir friends Saturday noon at the pretty new home of and Mrs. John C. Henson, in West Seymour.

After all the guests had arrived games tables were arranged in rooms, two of which were for and two for "42."

A pleasing salad plate with ice was served, and dainty flowered tive nut cups in pink and green ed with scovered almonds and mints, accompanied the plate. ture bottles of perfume were favors.

Miss Bell Burt, who has teaching at Weinert, is visiting sister, Mrs. J. E. McClellen.

John Siddens and Mrs. Jon visiting their mother, Mrs. Mattie Siddens.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tarver and little daughter, Uerle, went to Fort Worth this week, where Uerle received medical attention from Dr. Bell. She was unable to stand an operation at this time. Her illness is due to whooping cough.

Mrs. T. J. Bolger went to Wichita Falls Saturday morning and returned in the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. DeMonte and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Davidson, who spent Sunday in her home.

Miss Helen Tahton of Abilene visited Miss Hallye Stribbling last week-end.

Charles Mothes, who is now located at Olney, spent last Sunday with his wife and small son at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Goss.

Dick Fin of Wichita Falls spent last Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Finn.

Ted Alexander of Haskell spent last week in this city, asisting his brother, W. B. Alexander, in arranging and opening his new drygoods store.

Miss Mary Dell Smith of Wichita Falls spent last week-end in the home of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Rupe. She returned Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lankford and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Culver, who drove over in the palmdsome new Studebaker car recently purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Lankford, to view the ball game.

Messrs. Milton Tipton and J. D. Montgomery were in Megargle Sunday.

Messrs. Tom Head and Smith were in Wichita Falls Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Cecila Cooper returned to Dallas Sunday night, after a few days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cooper.

Chester Metz came in Friday from Mission(Texas, where he has been for some six months. He left Monday for Olney.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bowden came in Friday in their car from Eastland, and expect to be here during the summer.

Mrs. Arthur Power returned Saturday from Amarillo, where she went as a representative from the Parent-Teachers association to the Texas Congress of Mothers. Mrs. Power is the retiring president and active secretary of the Parent-Teachers club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murrie and grandaughter, little Joan Wood, left Saturday for Dallas to visit in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Murrie.

Sunday Wood came in Saturday ere he is now with [illegible] several days with

Lon England of Carroll Dunford of at last week-end in former's parents, Mr. England.

Beam of Abilene is home of Mr. and Mrs. this week.

breath is bad, appetite feel "blue" and dis- need Herbine. One or you right. It is a Price, 60c. druggists.—Adv.

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CHILLICOTHE TO DISCUSS LIGHTS

Mass Meeting Will Be Held On Monday Night

Special Dispatch to Record News

CHILLICOTHE, May 12.—The city officials and citizens of Chillicothe have taken another progressive step this week by calling a general meeting for Monday to determine whether or not the city of Chillicothe shall have a new street lighting system.

Plans are under construction for six large lamp post with about 10 goose necks to be located in the various parts of the business section, with about 3,000 feet of cable.

The committee is composed of George Ludeman, chairman; Gene Williams, R. H. Stuckey, P. P. Wey and R. T. Plummer.

Bids have already been received from P. G. McCurdy of the Western Electric company, of Oklahoma City, and T. O. Steffins, of the General Electric company, Dallas.

When the above plans materialize, work will be started immediaely and in a few months Chillicothe will have placed herself on a level with surrounding cities.

No Church Services.

CHILLICOTHE, May 12.—There will be no church services at any of the churches Sunday morning on account of the Baccalureate sermon, which will be held at the high school auditorium at 11 o'clock.

Each church will have their Sunday school at the regular hour then all will dismiss and go to the high school auditorium, to pay honor, to the class of young people who have applied themselves so diligently the past year, in the past year, in their school work.

The commencement address will be delivered at the high school auditorium next Friday evening, may 18 at 8 o'clock.

Ryder Resigns.

CHILLICOTHE, May 12.—Donaldson Ryder, agent at the Chillicothe Experiment station, left Tuesday for New Orleans where he will visit relatives for a month. From there Mr. Ryder will go to New York, his old home, to spend the summer with relatives he has not seen since coming west 10 years ago.

Mr. Ryder has been at the Experiment station for the past two years under the supervision of the bureau of plant industry of the United States department of agriculture, and during that time he has rendered efficient services and has endeared himself to many friends.

Business Changes.

CHILLICOTHE, May 12.—The four concrete, fire-proof buildings under construction by T. S. Gibbs, are progressing nicely and when finished will offer modern and convenient locations for business enterprises.

Wofford Brothers Gents Furnishing store, is doing some interior remodeling, by extending the shelving and counters full length of the building, making a very attractive gents store and when finished will be one of the best in this section of the state.

Massie-Brown grocery is completing their interior by adding new shelves and placing a partition, which adds much to the convenience and attractiveness of the store.

The Just-Rite cleaners have moved to their new location on the west side and with their first class equipment are giving Chillicothe a tailor shop and cleaning establishment that would do justice to a city many times its size.

The News expects to be in their new location within the next 30 days.

Ice Weights Will Be Investigated

Special Dispatch to Record News

HENRIETTA, May 12.—"A red hot committee to investigate a very cold proposition" was appointed by J. S. Dickey, president of the chamber of commerce at the regular Friday meeting for the purpose of investigating ice weights at the local factory.

It was stated that the runs of the drivers were so long that the large blocks of ice melted and this affects the weights of the ice. "Why, it's getting so a fellow doesn't have anything but a damp string when he gets home from the ice plant," one irate consumer stated.

The committee to investigate the ice weights is composed of W. W. King, John Ansley and A. V. Slagle.

FIGHT MADE ON GAS CHARGE

Service Fee Attacked By Chamber Directors

Special Dispatch to Record News

HENRIETTA, May 12.—A fight on the Farmers' Gas company to endeavor to have the officials of that corporation abolish the service charge of 50 cents a month for the reading of each meter in the city was begun at the directors' meeting of the Henrietta chamber of commerce last Friday noon.

"It seems we are donating at a large cost a sum to the Farmers' Gas company which the price of the commodity should guarantee for nothing." Judge J. S. Dickey, president of the chamebr of commerce, stated. W. H. Chilson, chairman of the committee appointed to make a thorough probe of the gas situation here, stated that after a careful investigation Henrietta seemed to be the only city paying for meter readings under such a system.

"A man can read 700 meters in two days, the company picks up $350 and only pays the employe $100 for his work. This seems exorbitant and is going to be remedied, if possible," Mr. Chilson stated.

Bond Election

HENRIETTA, May 12.—An attempt to vote bonds to the amount of $1,000 for the building and equipping of a new school building will be made in the Mullins school district, No. 42, at an election to be held, May 26, next.

Five and a half years in the city that faith built, and here for the balance of my life to build the biggest bargain basement in Texas. Respectfully, E. E. Richardson.—Adv.

Pig Judging To Be Held In Clay

HENRIETTA, May 12.—A pig judging contest under the auspices of County Agent T. B. Lewis was held here this week in connection with trades day, 56 boys under 13 years old entering and 12 thoroughbred registered pigs donated by Henrietta merchants being awarded of the dozen boys making the highest grades.

Harry Meyers of Jolly A. and M graduate, was judge of the contest. Roger Tucker, Byers, made the highest grade 98, and Pierre Robinson, Henrietta was a close second with grade 97. Other boys winning prize pigs in the contest were: Tolly Moore, Vashti; Floyd Pates, Blue Grove; Oran Thompson, Blue Grove; Truman Mallett, Blue Grove; Lester Hargroves, Joy; Ruben Runge, Henrietta, Bernard Boyd, Henrietta; Jack Dees, Byers; Frank Fowler, Byers and Vincent Hardwicke, Charlie.

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Selling campaign now on for the last half of May

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In all the very newest and best distinct summer styles. Four great groups again—

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Specially beautiful and charming are the dainty frocks now on display in styles for graduation wear.

Fine quality laces and nets in white, silks in pastel shades and white, printed and embroidered crepes and sheer organdies. See this attractive display.

Graduation Gift Suggestions

Silk Underwear

Beautifully trimmed in laces or smartly embroidered are stepins, vests, teddies and gowns of crepe de chine and pussy willow.
Many pretty garments too, in knitted silks are here.

Chiffon Silk Hose

Sheer and beautiful in all silk onyx chiffon and shown in nubuck, suede, caramel, cinnamon, black and white. A serviceable and pleasing gift at per pair..... $3.00

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Tweed Knicker Suits $17.50 and $27.50
Tweed Knickers, $3.95 to $7.95
Cool Navy Tricotine Suits, reduced 25 per cent. One lot $2

40-inch Cotton Crepes 49c
40-inch Cotton Crepes 35c
and underwear. Pastel shades. 1½ yard
patterns. Monday morning .....

Paisley Silks ..... $1.48 up
36-inch Pongee 79c
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40-inch Killarney Linens 38c

40-inch Voiles in pastel shades 45c
40-inch light printed Voiles 47c
36-inch Non-crushable linens, all colors 98c



Draperies

36-inch Cretonnes .19c
36-inch Scrims 19c
36-inch Swiss 25c
36-inch Nets 39c
Over Drapery, 59c, 69c, 98c and up to .. $1.25

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Best $1 Silk hose made.
All colors $1.00
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FIELD MEET FOR IOWA AGAIN

Officials Again Select Town For Interscholastic Contests

Special Dispatch to Record News

IOWA PARK, May 12.—The University Interscholastic meet will be held in Iowa Park for the third consecutive year. This fact was made known when Superintendent W. R. Bradford and W. R. Arnold, city secretary, received letters from Dr. Roy Bedichek May 4.

The manner in which the meet has been handled has been satisfactory to the state officials, evidently. The letter is self-explanatory, and shall say the people are glad to do what they can with this meet, and we hope that the meet can be carried off as well next year as it has the past.

The letter follows:

Austin, Texas, May 4, 1923.

Mr. W. R. Arnold, Secretary chamber commerce,

Iowa Park Texas.

"Dear Mr. Arnold:

We wish to thank you for your letter concerning the district meet at Iowa Park. This matter has been so efficiently handled and is generally so similar to your district that we had not considered moving the district center. We are noting the suggestion for changes in district No. We shall be working on one district changes in a few weeks, and you may be sure that your suggestions will be carefully considered.

"ROY BEDICHEK."

Iowa Park Personals.

Rev. E. L. Lawrence, and wife, Mrs. C. E. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stryker, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hooper, Mr. Hester, visited the irrigation dam last Thursday, taking lunch with them, and atead together at the noon hour. They reported a good time and lots of water in the pond, and were highly elated over the trip. They returned late Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Hester Overbey and son, Billie, left last Saturday for San Angelo, where they will visit Mrs. Overbey's family.

C. A. Young, of Sherman, was in Iowa Park, visiting his daughter, Mrs. Paul Zuic this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Butcher and Mrs. J. J. Cobb have spent the week in Houston this past week, as delegates from the local lodges. Mrs. Cobb as the representative of the Pythian Sisters, and Mr. Butcher representing the K. of P. lodge.

Miss Clara Lawrence has returned home after a few days' visit to Clarendon, this past week.

Miss Albe Bain, who is a student in the Wichita Falls high schools, is visiting in Iowa Park this week end.

Superintendent Lee Clark and family, of Wichita Falls, were visiting friends and kinsmen in Iowa Park last week-end.

J. F. Boyd was in St. Louis last week. He was there on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Garnet and their mother were visiting in Hinkell last week-end.

H. B. Carpenter and A. A. Young of Columbus, Ohio, spent several days last week in Iowa Park, looking over the oil fields of Wichita county.

Dr. Gorden Clark was in Dallas this week attending the State Medical society.

J. W. Mathews left fore part of the week for Canyon City, where he will visit his children and look after business while there.

C. A. Burrows spent the week-end in Waxahachie, visiting his mother.

Recital Tuesday Night.

The piano pupils of Mrs. Chester Zuik will give a recital at the Methodist church on Tuesday night, May 15, at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Lee Clark, wife of Superintendent Lee Clark will assist Mrs. Zuik. She will render vocal numbers during the evening and it is hoped that a large crowd will be present.

Business Firms Change.

This past week there were made two changes in the business districts section of Iowa Park. E. C. Condrill, who has been associated with the Davis drug store, has sold his interest in the business to his partner. The firm will retain its original name and Mr. Earl Davis, sole manager.

The other firm was that of Ralston & Ralston garage, the firm is now owned and operated by Scott Ralston, who has bought his brother's part. J. C. Ralston. This business is located on Broad street and one of the oldest [illegible] in this [illegible] garage. Ralston [illegible] garage.

Church Programs Today.

All churches of Iowa Park will have Sunday school today at the regular hour. They will dismiss their regular services for the baccalaureate sermon at 11 o'clock in the Methodist church to be preached at the Methodist church be superintendent of the city schools of Fort Worth and pastor of the Church of Christ, Fort Worth. In the afternoon at 2:30, Superintendent Moore with others from Iowa Park, will go to the Clara high school where Mr. Moore will make a talk at the Mother's Day program, which has been prepared for the occasion.

At 3 p. m. at the Methodist church, will have a union program of all the churches of Iowa Park, known as the decoration services. Everybody in town is invited to attend this service and show reverence for the departed loved ones. After the services at the church, the gathering will go to Highland cemetery, where flowers will be placed on the graves.

The program is: Song, "Nearer, My God to Thee"; invocation, Rev. E. S. Lawrance; scripture reading, Rev. R. C. Hopper; song, "Abide With Me"; "Why We Decorate," Rev. W. J. Hammond. Male quartet, "As the Life of a Flower. Announcement, J. A. Tanner; song, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" Benediction, Rev. Elmer Bost. Flower committee which have been appointed by the churches will be at the cemetery entrance with flowers so that they may be distributed and placed by those appointed.

The citizenship of Iowa Park has been requested to lay aside one hour for the worries and vexation of life, and melt together to honor the memory of our sainted loved ones. All should bring flowers in order that the last resting place of not a single one in this city of the dead will be marked by the fragrance of flowers.

Special services at the Graves of Bruce Cobb and Henry Wigley will be observed by the local American Legion post.

Prof. Henry Poret, who teaches at the Clara high school, was in town Saturday.

Will Mills of Fort Worth is visiting his brother, Geo. Mills, this week.

Rubin Moore of Decatur, brother to Miss Rena Moore, teacher in the Iowa Park schools, is visiting here this week.

B. L. Roe, ex-county superintendent of Wise county, was visiting in Iowa Park, this week-end.

Rev. Gilbert Irwin, pastor of the Methodist church of Petty, was visiting friends in Iowa Park Friday.

Bellevue News Briefs

BELLEVUE, Texas, May 12.—Lawrence Nuckols was in Wichita Falls Friday and Saturday.

Rev. Tom Melton of LeRoy, Ill., son of ex-Postmaster and Mrs. A. W. Melton of this place, preached at the Methodist church last Sunday at the 11 o'clock services, in the absence of the regular pastor, Rev. H. G. May, who is assisting in a meeting at Valley View, Wichita county.

Rev. Melton also preached at the Baptis tchurch at the evening hour Sunday. He delivered splendid sermons at each of the churches, and large congregations heard him. He was reared to young manhood in Bellevue and is well known here by old-timers, who were glad of the opportunity to hear him preach. He is a young man, and apparently has a bright future. His occasion here was to be at the bedside of his mother, who has been quite ill for the past two weeks.

C. B. Miller who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. W. Hutchins and family of Waco for the past month, returned home the latter part of last week.

Rev. and Mrs. G. P. Humphries were in Wichita Falls the first part of the week on business.

Dr. L. F. Crook spent several days this week attending the State Medical convention at Fort Worth.

Uncle Dave Brown left Thursday night for an extended visit to his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Williamson, and family.

Miss Wyneth Wright of Nocona spent Saturday and Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Wright. She was accompanied by a friend, Harry Carson. Miss Wyneth has been employed as English teacher in the Bellevue school for the term of 1923-24.

Wednesday afternoon Mayor R. S. Gowan, with several assistants, erected a flag and guide pole at the junction of the two main streets of the business section. The pole is set in concrete and presents a stately and solid uprightness, sufficient to withstand the weather and jars of automobiles carelessly driven.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerby entertained a few friends with a Sunday turkey dinner at their home east of town last Sunday. Those present were Prof. C. H. Hale and daughters, Misses Maurine and Lois, and Geo. F. Simmons.

Kirk Hampton and Mrs. Geo. W. Simmons are having cement walks laid in front of their residences this week. W. J. Boyd and A. G. Taylor have also recently put down cement walks in front of their places.

Mrs. Robert Kerr of Alvord spent a few days here this week visiting her sister, Grandma White, and M. J. and Joe White and families.

Mrs. P. A. Hurst returned Wednesday from a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. S. White and family, of Chickasha, Okla.

Fred Moore of Bowie visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Moore, of West Bellevue, this week.

Mrs. L. W. Patterson and children will leave to spend the summer with her husband at Graham.

Mrs. W. N. Clark and baby, of Washington, D. C., who has been visiting in the home of Mr. Boyd, left Tuesday for a month's visit with relatives in Fort Worth before leaving for a short visit to Washington.

L. B. Moore, S. Wright, N. T. Gaines, and W. J. Boyd attended a social meeting of the Dixie Shrine club at Bowie one night last week. The gentlemen above named are local members of the club.

Mrs. L. B. Moore returned Wednesday night from a month's visit with her sisters, Mesdames Edgar Underwood and Henry Ray and families of Grenada, Miss. She was accompanied on her return by her mother, Mrs. L. B. Brown, who stopped at Mineola, Texas, for an indefinite visit with old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Moore went to Fort Worth Thursday toattend the Shrine ceremonial.

The W. O. W. had a new composition roof put on their hall this week.

Several of the men working in the oil field north of Bellevue have secured boarding places and rooms in town.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Amos Duncan, May 6, a girl.

Among the victims of the explosion which occurred at the Hughes-McKie oil well, near Corsicana, Wednesday afternoon, were Charley Walker and S. P. Allen. Allen was a son-in-law of Superintendent and Mrs. C. F. Walker of Henrietta. He married their daughter, Miss Cora, who taught in the Bellevue school some 10 years ago. Charley Walker was a son of Prof. and Mrs. Walker.

Mrs. J. W. Baker of Spur came in Monday to visit her mother, Mrs. J. R. Duncan, and family.

Buck Turpin of Oklahoma, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. John Kinsey of west of town, have been at the bedside of Uncle Carrol Kinsey during his illness the past two weeks.

W. M. S. Entertains

Last Monday afternoon Circle No. 1 of the Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church entertained with a social at the home of Mrs. R. T. Gowan. Study of India was continued, which culminated in a debate, "Resolved, that India should have self-government." Mrs. H. G. May affirmed the subject, and Mrs. E. W. Cox took the negative side. The decision of the judges was rendered in favor of the negative.

After the debate, contests were held and a social hour enjoyed. A delicious salad course was served to the following members and visitors: Mesdames E. W. Cox and baby, D. W. Holmes, W. R. Tyson, Wm. N. Clark and baby, H. G. May and children, Rusk, Crutchfield, Lottie Hatfield, B. Y. Dixon and children, E. V. Harbison and baby, E. B. Karstetter, S. B. Harbison, A. H. Douglas, O. R. Dorsey, G. Z. Wright, P. T. Morris, R. G. Clark, N. T. Gaines and baby, and Mrs. R. T. Gowan.

Mrs. I. N. Crutchfield of Electra is in the city visiting friends.

Closing School Program

The following dates mark the events for the entertainments for the closing of school, past and future:

Friday evening, May 4—Graduation of the seventh grade, County Attorney Vincent Stine of Henrietta delivering the principal address.

Monday evening, May 7—Beautiful program by primary pupils.

Wednesday evening, May 9—Eighth grade program.

Thursday evening, May 10—Music pupils and expression recital by Owens and Ola of Misses.

Dixon Monday evening, May 14—Class day and literary program by the senior class.

Wednesday evening, may 16—Operetta.

Thursday evening, May 17—High school play.

Sunday morning, May 20, at 11 o'clock, baccalaureate sermon by Dr. Jno. R. Hicks, head of the Bible department of S. M. U. Dallas.

Monday evening, May 21—Commencement exercises, the address to be delivered by Dr. Anderson, pastor of the First Christian church of Fort Worth.

DRILLING IN MEXICO.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—It is reported by Assistant Trade Commissioner H. Bentley McKenzie, Mexico City, that the Mexican department of commerce and industry has issued a number of permits for drilling in the state of Nuevo Leon. This is a new field in Mexican petroleum activity, and the petroleum possibilities are still to be proved, although favorable indications are to be reported.

FUNERAL FOR CHARLIE CHILD

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Gower Dies

CHARLIE, Texas, May 12.—Funeral services for Mary Grace Gomer, one year and three months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Gomer, who died at home near here at 6 o'clock on the afternoon of Thursday, were held at the Church of Christ at 4 p. m. Friday, Rev. Taylor of Petrolia conducting the services, immediately following which the remains were interred in the Charlie cemetery. The people of Charlie sympathize with the family.

Cemetery Association

Members of the Cemetery association met at the Baptist church Tuesday night to discuss the work on the cemetery.

Baseball Club

Members of the Charlie baseball club met at the regular time Tuesday night. Following are the names of those taking part in the organization: Semis Bewley, Italy Bailey, Herman Brown, Jack Bailey, Everett Davis, Irving Roberts, Thomas Dowdy, Sevon Pitts, Theodore Smith and Charles Gunnells, with Theodore Smith as captain and Charles Gunnells as manager.

Birthday Dinner

Miss May Hensley entertained her friends at her home on May 2 by giving a birthday dinner. The party enjoyed an elegant feast and the congenial company. It was Miss Hensley's thirteenth birthday.

Charlie Wins

The Charlie baseball team wah victorious over the South M. E. church team of Wichita Falls Sunday. The score was 3 to 0. The game was interesting from start to finish, and each team did some splendid playing.

Road Work

Work has started grading the road leading west of Charlie. Several of the roads have been graveled and work on them completed.

Personals

Dave Beck and family of Electra visited relatives here this week.

Victor Lewis of Petrolia was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Fred Barger, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McAdam of Petrolia were here Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Black and Miss Gussie Tucker were the guests of their sister, Mrs. Floyd Bevering, at Henrietta Thursday.

H. H. Patterson of Duncan, Okla., visited here the first part of the week.

W. T. Debb and daughter, Mrs. Willis Willcoxen, of Wichita Falls, visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Murray visited relatives in Byers Friday night.

John Stanley and family visited his daughter, Mrs. Elmer Cullors, at Clara over Sunday.

C. E. Gannells was in Wichita Falls on business Wednesday.

Mrs. A. H. Bevering, Mrs. Doc Algood, Mrs. H. Ham and Mrs. Floyd Bevering of Henrietta visited here Wednesday.

Miss Beulah Bradley and Mr. Lewis, the county demonstrators, of Henrietta, were here Wednesday.

Mrs. Theo Smith, Mrs. Bill Curington and Miss Gussie Tucker were in Wichita Falls Tuesday.

M. H. Miller of Petrolia visited Miss Nola Davis Wednesday night.

James Bailey, Miss Maude Hensley, Italy Bailey, Miss Jewel Stanley and Miss Rilla Edwards were in Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Wichitan Has Narrow Escape In Car Wreck

Special Dispatch to Record News

VERNON, May 12.—One of the most completely wrecked automobiles ever brought into Vernon is in the shop of McFall Brothers. Dodge dealers here, having been wrecked by a Denver passenger train near Tolbert, 12 miles from Vernon.

M. H. Wolf, merchant of Wichita Falls, is the owner of the wrecked car, and escaped from it barely in time to save his life, it is said. Mr. Wolf was enroute from Wichita Falls to Chillicothe and when he got up on a high dump crossing just beyond Tolbert his engine died. He was in the act of trying to start it after flooding the engine when he saw the Denver train coming at a fast rate. He jumped from the car and made his way to safety. In a moment there was a crash and his car was carried 100 yards down the track, a mass of wreckage.

You can't stop it! Biggest sale ever pulled in Wichita Falls. Just watch the crowds. There's a reason. Richardson's Bargain Basement. —Adv.

May Sales of White

Now in Progress With Extra Values

Almost unlimited quantities of new and fashionable garments, fine fabrics and the wanted staple items of first quality.

Those are the things that are causing the great throngs of enthusiastic buyers to come and purchase liberally of these excellent values.

Come tomorrow and partake of these worthy savings in supplying your summer needs in white.

Frocks
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An Overflowing Measure of Beauty

From the great collection of dainty garments in white underwear, it is easy to choose a generous supply for the summer and have each garment in attractive style.

Attractive styles in plain tailored or lace trimmed gowns, regularly $1.25 on sale at 98c

In the [illegible] gowns regularly priced $1.50 are plain tailored and lace trimmed styles, also some embroidered models at choice $1.19

Regular $1.[illegible] muslin gowns in very attractive lace trimmed styles are on sale at $1.49

Sheer quality soft finish muslin gowns, trimmed in fine laces and regularly $3.[illegible] are on sale at $2.49

Regular $1.25 [illegible] styles in white muslin teddies, in lace trimmed and plain tailored styles at 98c

$1.50 Teddies [illegible] plain tailored or lace trimmed styles at $1.19

$1.[illegible] Princess Slips and Teddies in muslin, trimmed with laces or in plain tailored styles at $1.49

$2.25 [illegible] Princess slips in lace trimmed or plain [illegible] $1.98

Batiste Gowns in white or flesh, regularly $1.25, on sale at 98c

Sateen Petticoats, shadow proof, panel back and front, some in hemstitched or embroidered bottoms, $1.50 quality at $1.19

$2.50 Sateen Petticoats at $1.95

Domestic Fabrics

Excellent qualities and extra special prices are featured in the May sale of white and ample stocks to afford a generous supply are available now. Make your selections from these complete stocks now.

Indian Head Longfold

29c Indian Head 33 inch at 25c
35c Indian Head, 36 inch at 29c
45c Indian Head, linen finish, 44 inch 39c
50c Indian Head, linen finish, 54 inch 49c
68c Indian Head, linen finish, 63 inch 59c
18 inch bleached crash Dixie toweling special 10c

Bleached Domestic

36 inch Gold Coin Domestic special ... 15c
36 inch Saxon domestic, special 17c
25c Pajama checks, 36 inch 19c
White Cheese Cloth, special per yard ... 8c

Children's Underwear

Muslin combination suits, plain tailored at 65c
Lace trimmed combinations in muslin at $1.00
Muslin Princess Slips at 75c
Embroidery trimmed Princess Slips at $1.25

Towels

18x34 Huck Towels, special each 17c
18x36 Huck Towels, special each 19c
17x34 Absorbent Bath Towels 19c
19x36 Bath Towels, special 35c
20x43 Bath Towels at 35c

Sheer Summery White Fabrics

With so many demands ahead for fine fabrics for summer sewing, there is additional reason for supplying the needs from this great May Sale of White.

The list below included wanted items in fine quality fabrics at worthwhile savings.

50c Nurse's linen, 36 inch at 39c
35c Pajama checks, 36 inch at 29c
68 Dimity checks, 36 inch at 49c
$1.50 Handkerchief linen, 36 inch at $1.29
$1.98 Handkerchief linen, 36 inch at $1.49
$2.25 Handkerchief linen, 36 inch at $1.98
$1.25 Mercerized Batiste, 36 inch at .. 98c
75c Batiste, 39 inch at 63c
98c Swiss Organdie, 45 inch at 79c
50c Lineweave Voile, 36 inch at 39c
35c Checked Mercerized Batiste, 36 inch at 48c
50c Pique, 36 inch at 43c
50c Repp, 36 inch at 43c

Nainsook and Longcloth

36 inch Egyptian Nainsook in ten yard bolt, special $3.19
36 inch Bridal Nainsook, per yard bolt special $4.95
30 inch Sterling longcloth, 10-yd. bolt $1.29
36 inch Baby Nainsook, per ten yard bolt special $3.19
36 inch Wamsutta Longcloth, 39c value at 33c
36 inch Wamsutta Nainsook, 39c value at 33c
36 inch Cambric, 39c value 33c

Summer Frocks

Voiles, Organdies, Linens, Ratines in an array of summery styles that will cause you to admire them as we do.

Selected from the smartest fashions of the summer season and each one presenting a claim for individual charm.

Summer dresses in linens and voiles with hand drawn designs are shown at $17.75 and $19.75

White linen tailored dresses are very smart looking and priced at $12.75

White Organdy dresses with dainty pin tuckings and just heaps of pleated ruffles on collars, sashes and panels at ..... $[illegible]5 up

White silk dresses in crepe de chine with hand drawn trimmings at $9.75

White Shoes

In the shoe section are many beautiful new models in white footwear for summer.

Sandals, pumps and slippers in kid and buck are shown in assortments, priced from $7.50 to $10 and $14.50

P.B.M. DEPARTMENT STORE

White Millinery

Special showing of white hats in horse hair and silks at $5

Many new and very beautiful creations in white hats have been received in the past few days. See them tomorrow.



For Your Boy or Girl

A Graduation Gift Supreme

Make this one of the happiest moments in his or her young life by making your gift one that will always be remembered and will help to consummate the educat on so well begun.

Our repair department is equipped and prepared to give you service on all standard machines. We carry parts and supplies for them all. This service is for you. Use it!

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Attractive Movie Offerings For Week By Theatres

OLYMPIC SHOWS STIRRING DRAMA

"Scars Of Jealousy" Come For Last Three Days Of Week

Which is the strongest force, heredity or environment?

Physicians, psychologists and sociologists have waged this argument many years, but no conclusive proof one way or another ever has been offered.

Thomas H. Ince believes that heredity is the biggest force of the two, and has backed up his conviction with a powerful screen drama as original as it is interesting.

In "Scars of Jealousy," his latest production, a story has been told of two boys, both "blue bloods," who have not lived up to their heritage. One is a mountain boy who is a direct descendant of the famous Count Jacques de Cartier, a French nobleman, who defied the will of Louis XV and managed to escape from the Bastille to Nova Scotia. The descendants of the count, expelled by the British with the other "Acadians" from Nova Scotia, and having taken refuge in the back hills of Alabama, have degenerated into a group of primitive mountaineers, living under absolutely uncouth conditions.

The other boy is a son of one of the proudest old families of the South who has degenerated into a ne'er-do-well through pampering and soft living. His father becomes so disgusted, when the son stages a wild, "jazzy" party in his absence, that he casts off the boy. To show hi mto what depths he has sunk, a despised "cajan"—the mountain boy who has the blood of Jacques de Cartier in his veins—is adopted in his place.

The blue blood of inheritance conquers over the sordid hill generations, once the "cajan" boy is given opportunities, and his tutor finds in him "the miracle of an unspoiled mind" that absorbs knowledge with pathetic eagerness. The blue blood of the son asserts itself when the mountain boy, realizing that his adopted father is grieving over his wayward son, kidnaps the other boy and takes him into the mountains. There at the point of a gun the spoiled youth is made to toil in a cornfield. Moral fiber hardens with his muscles, and the boy learns that hands can be useful for something besides playing the banjo and cards, and that there can be a real pleasure in honest toil.

Lloyd Hughes, as the mountain youth, has put over a powerful characterization, while Krank Keenan has a role equally appealing in the part of the old colonel. Marguerite de la Motte plays the Southern beauty, with whom both boys are in love. Lambert Hillyer directed.

"Scars of Jealousy" will be shown at the Olympic on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.



A Scene from Thos. H. Ince's "SOUL OF THE BEAST"

Strand, Four Days, Beginning Wednesday.



Strand, Monday and Tuesday.



Dorothy Mac Kaill in Mighty Lak a Rose"

Olympic, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday.



Frank Keenan and Edward Burns in "Scars of Jealousy"

Olympic, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Thrills Galore In 'Soul of Beast'

They're all there: the living skeleton who eats enough for three ordinary people; the fat lady to whom impertinent bystanders suggest dieting; the "wild woman, stolen from a cannibal mother in Africa" and the tattooed man.

The first reel from Thomas H. Ince's "Soul of the Beast," the Metro picture playing at Strand theatre, Wednesday for four days, is better than a day at the circus for the sights are all there without attendant discomforts of heat and dust. The surging crowds, the loud-mouthed peanut, popcorn and lemonade venders; the "hick" with staring eyes, taking in all the side shows, are real as life for a real circus was used to make this part of the film. Audiences today insist upon realism, so when Mr. Ince filmed a story with a few scenes from a circus, he sends his players to travel with the show for two weeks to get the shots needed.

The picture gives a satisfying suggestion of the glamor of the sawdust ring and then shifts the scene to the tawdry life behind, where a close-fisted, grasping old villian begrudges even the food they eat to the people who work for him. Little wonder that when the top of the tent blows off in a terrific storm that "Oscar," the big elephant, who is the troupe's star performer, pulls away from captivity, taking his small mistress with him.

All of the younger people and the grown-ups, too, will get many thrills and laughs from this delightful picture written by C. Gardner Sullivan and directed by John Griffith Wray. The elephant's performance is absolutely unique and in addition the story is intensely human and full of dramantic action which works up to one of the biggest climaxes ever shown on the screen when "Oscar" nearly kills a big bully who has tormented his mistress and tortured the man she loves.

"Soul of the Beast" furnishes the best evening's entertainment of any picture that has been shown for sometime. It is absolutely novel and carries an appeal for every screen fan, young or old.

IT COSTS MONEY TO LIVE

This is where your money goes: Food is 2 per cent higher than in 1913, clothing 74.4, housing 62.4, fuel and lighting 86.2, furniture 117.4, miscellaneous 100.3. These government statistics show the cost of living has increased 68.8 per cent in the United States in the last 10 years.

Strand Books Big Vaudeville Act With Movie Feature For Anniversary

Manager Day announces that next week will be anniversary week at the Strand theatre. The theatre being opened one year, and to show the appreciation to the public there will be one of the greatest shows that Wichita Falls has ever witnessed.

The feature picture will be Shirley Mason in "Pawn Ticket 210" Monday and Tuesday. Opening Wednesday for a four-day engagement, Thomas H. Ince's master production "The Soul of a Beast," starring Miss Madge Bellamy, Cullen Landis and Noah Berry, the greatest circus picture ever produced.

As an extra attraction, the manager has booked Kathleen Farrara and her Salt Lake harmony four, coming direct from Salt Lake City to play this engagement for anniversary week. Miss Kathleen Farrara has won great praise all over the country and has just closed an engagement over B. F. Keiths big time vaudeville circuit. This act cost twice as much as any act ever brought to this city. Each performer is a star within himself. Miss Farrara is one of the cleverest violin soloists of the country and after her first performance will be praised by every one. Not only does this Harmony Four kill you with jazz but plays all the classic numbers and switches from one to another.

We take this method of thanking the public for their sincere patronage for the past year and we will assure the strongest program ever offered for the coming week.

It has been the policy of the Strand theatre to run the highest class pictures made and we think the public will agree with us that we have lived up to our policy as each picture that has been shown at the Strand is carefully selected and screened before buying and must be clean wholesome entertainment or otherwise it is rejected.

It has also been our policy to try to make this theatre as comfortable for its patrons as possible, and have just completed installing a 12-foot Typhoon fan at a cost of $4,000. This is the largest fan ever brought into the state of Texas and we can assure you the coolest theatre in the city for the hot summer months.

Within the next three weeks the Strand will show three of the largest pictures ever offered to the public, "Down To The Sea In Ships," "Souls For Sale," and Marshall Neilan's "Strangers Banquet."

We have just been assured of all Cosmopolitan productions. The first will be "Enemies of Women," with Lionel Barrymore and Alma Rueben, and Marion Davies in "Little Old New York."

Again we thank you for your sincere patronage and trust that we will live up to your expectations in the future.

HUGO'S GIFT TO BERNHARDT

After seeing Bernhardt on the stage in "Hernani" in 1877, writes Bernhardt's biographer, the great Hugo wrote her: "Madame, you have been great and charming; you have touched my heart—I, the old soldier—and, at a certain moment, while the enchanted and overwhelmed public applauded you, I cried. This tear which you caused to fall is yours, and I throw myself at your feet." . . . All of which is very gallic, very "fronsay." The tear which accompanied the note was a magnificent pear-shaped diamond, suspended from a gold bracelet, which was long a prized keepsake of the great actress. The scandal stories about her and the great poet are discounted by Bernhardt's biographer. When the author of "Les Miserables" met and worshiped at the shrine of Bernhardt he was an old man approaching the grave.

Pretty Girl Breaks In On Ziegfeld; Gets Part Because Of Her Brains

Eighteen, and the leading woman in a big picture production.

Seventeen, and the leader of two big numbers of Zeigfeld Follies and the Midnight Rounders.

Sixteen, and the leader of two big numbers in Joybells at the Hippodrome in London and in Paris.

Ten, and a teacher of dancing in her father's academy in Hull, England.

Some career, you will say for one so young, but in the language of the young flappers of today, you haven't heard the half of it. But those are the big outstanding marks in the career of Dorothy Mackaill, who has the leading feminine role in the new Edwin Carewe-First National release, "Mighty Lak' a Rose," at the Olympic Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Dorothy has been in America only two years, but when she came here at 16 she had had enough stage experience to gain her immediate work in the chorus of the "Midnight Rounders," which was then playing at the Century, leading one of the numbers.

But she had more than experience. She had confidence. Being new in America at the time, she remembered that she had heard that the Zeigfeld Follies was the real show of the big town. She decided that that place was the place for her. She went to see Ziegfeld. She couldn't get in. She went away. Back she went the next day and, profiting by her previous entrance and exit, didn't say she wanted to see Mr. Ziegfeld. She sent in word to Mr. Ziegfeld that Miss Dorothy Mackaill of London "was here."

She got in, too. As Ziegfeld looked her over, she said:

"I know you don't know me, but don't you think I'll do to lead one of the numbers of your show?"

Before Ziegfeld had time to answer she had told him about being in "Joybells" in London and doing the "number" in Paris, of being a dancer and being a musician and of being a leading "number" in the "Midnight Rounders." When Mr. Ziegfeld had time to speak, get a word in edgeways, Dorothy calls it, she had led him from that terribly low note of "No" right up to the much more musical "Yes."

She was in the show the next night, due to the fact that one of the leaders had dropped out. Then she got another number, the two being "I'm Gonna Do It If I Like It," and "My Little Red Book."

While Dorothy was teaching her Saturday evening dancing class in her father's academy in Hull at the tender age of 10 years, her talent was noticed by some visitors, and her father was advised to send her to London to learn elocution and dancing. She went into the Hippodrome chorus in "Joybells" and in a short time was leading the famous "Chicken" number.

While she was in this show she acted her first picture, "The Face at the Window," made by the British actors at Bushey park. When the Hip closed she went to Paris, where the "Chicken" number was put on with a French revue, the "Chickens" singing in English. And while doing this she worked in a French motion picture.

New Wayburn had told her she ought to go to America, so when she learned that two of her girl friends were going to the states she joined them.

Theatre Calendar

GEM

Monday—Barbara La Marr and Ramona Novarro in Rex Ingram's production, "Trifling Women."

Tuesday, Robert W. Chambers' historical drama, "Cardigan."

Wednesday—Richard Talmadge in "Wildcat Jordan."

Thursday—Hoot Gibson in "The Galloping Kid."

Friday—Bert Lytell in "The Right That Failed."

Saturday—Franklyn Farnum in "Texas;" also good comedy.

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Monday and Tuesday—Shirley Mason in "Pawn Ticket 210," and special anniversary week program.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday—"The Soul of the Beast," a Thomas H. Ince production.

Pressed straw brick with light wooden frames are now being used in France.

BIG SCENES IN GEM PICTURE

"Trifling Women" One Of Most Elaborate Films Of Year

For "Trifling Women," the latest Rex Ingram production for Metro, at the Gem theater, two gigantic sets have been erected—a great castle with five huge towers, measuring in diameter 20 feet, soaring into the air 200 feet. The frontage of the castle measuring along its base is 400 feet. The grounds laid out for the castle's approach are 325 feet in depth and cover over an acre of ground. Innumerable plantings, statuary of rare beauty, iridescent peacocks strutting about, costly fountains have made of this set a miracle of gorgeousness and beauty probably unrivaled in the annals of filmdom. The estimated cost of the set is $50,000.

The second set, known as the Sorcerer's Tower, is only a little less ambitious. It is a single tower, soaring 120 feet into the air, with several turrets, a solid gloomy structure of curious shape and menacing design. It is here that the tremendous climax of the picture, "Trifling Women," is staged, with the blood-red sunset throwing the tower into black relief. The tower has an irregular circumference but at its greatest base measures 50 feet. The estimated cost is $20,000.

LAKE WICHITA PARK

"Come Out With the Rest and Enjoy the Best"

FREE ATTRACTION TODAY

Professor Rex, world known modern Sampson, will give exhibition of his skill in two acts. Holds two automobiles stationary, drives nails with hands. Also aerial stunts.

FREE—5 P. M. AND 6 P. M.

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Dancing—Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday. Music by Eddie's Trumpeteers

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Play the new Skee Ball game, in amusement arcade

Picnic Tables, etc.

NOTE—This park will be opened in a firstclass manner for first-class people. Bring the family and enjoy an outing. Park closed 12 p. m. till daylight. Free accommodations for picnickers.

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3 Days Starting Monday

THERE'S SOMETHING IN IT THAT IS NOT SHOWN ON THE SCREEN



Again came the magic melody, the song that had echoed in his heart for three dark years.

It will echo in your heart for days to come.

MIGHTY LAK'A ROSE

A symphony of life in the high and low places by Curtis Benton

With Dorothy Mackaill, James Rennie, Sam Hardy and Anders Randolph.

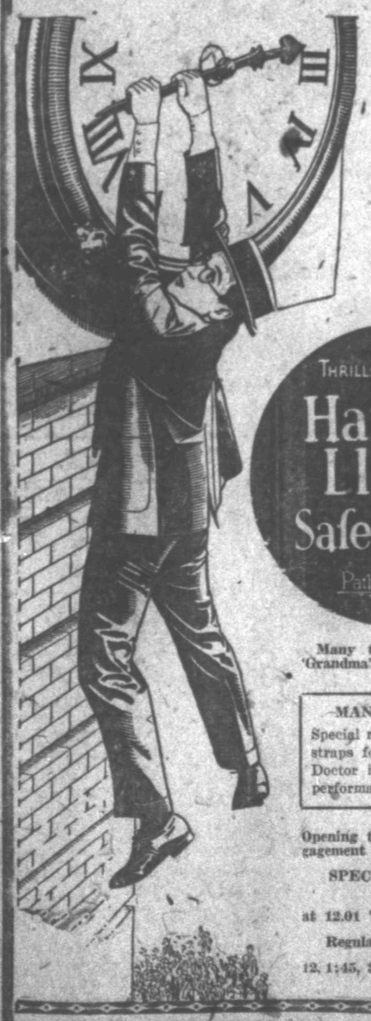


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'SAFETY LAST' AT LOCAL SHOW

Famous Lloyd Film Shows At Empress For Entire Week

"Pretty soft" for Harold Lloyd." Just having the fun of making comedies to make people laugh and getting paid for it.

The preceding is just a bit of conversation which is heard in any theater by any patron, after the showing of a Harold Lloyd feature comedy, "Pretty soft." That perhaps is the sigh of the Ledger-B clerk. Only it isn't so fast when you get right down to facts and learn the real truth. It's a lot of work, this production of a feature comedy, and it taxes the brain of the featured player just as much as it does anyone connected with the production.

Take, for instance, Lloyd's latest Pathe feature comedy, "Safety Last." It was produced in the same manner as all of his productions—only it was more difficult in every way. To begin with, Lloyd never uses a script. The idea, with a thread of a story, is first thought of. Then hilarious situations and "gags" come to the minds of the scenario staff and the filming commences.

"Pretty soft!" Well, "Safety Last," which is seven reels, was almost six months in the making. To get down to facts, the cameraman used a total of 120,000 feet, or roughly, 25 miles of raw film stock. Of this amount, 118,073 feet, approximately 23 miles, was developed, and nearly half, or 52,343 feet, was printed.

All this means that the 6,000 feet or more "Safety Last" contains was culled from about 10 miles of film that had been O. K'd. by Harold Lloyd and printed. For every foot of film that was used, virtually nine feet was thrown in the cutting basket. And all this above work—so tell that to Mr. Ledger-B Clerk.

But there is another important spot that Harold Lloyd never overlooks. Before a comedy is to be sent to the Pathe offices from the Hal Roach studio, the entire studio and office force are invited over to the projection room to see the film run off before it is packed for shipment. And this means a holiday.

The enthusiasm of a first night audience on Broadway has nothing on this gathering. Among those present are laborers, plumbers, electricians, painters, masons, mechanics, draughtsmen, drivers, janitors, animal trainers, property men, cameramen, assistant directors, office force, waitresses, telephone operators, cutters, actors, actresses, cameramen, directors, publicity director, film editor, title editor, Hal Roach, Mildred Davis, and Harold Lloyd himself.

"Safety Last" begins a six-day engagement at the Empress, with a special midnight matinee at 12:01 tonight (Sunday).

SHORT-LIVED HONEYMOON

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kolker had been married four hours, and were on their honeymoon, when a train wreck made Kolker a cripple for life. That was nearly a year ago. Kolker has been in a hospital ever since. He brought suit against the railroad company for $500,000, and has just been awarded $55,000 of it. Although he has to have a day nurse and a night nurse and live in the hospital at an expense of between $200 and $300 a week, not to mention doctor's fees, lawyers' fees, medicine, etc., he is wondering just how long after that $55,000 is split among them the remainder will last. There are some things money cannot buy, which is one reason health is more to be desired than wealth.

Famous Screen Star Registers Radio Expressions for Camera



Blanche Sweet.

By JACK HEIL.

The ladies—heaven bless 'em—from the times that caves and clubs went out of style have been endowed with the privelege of changing their minds every 13 seconds or oftener if the occasion demanded.

But it remained for Blanche Sweet, the blonde movie star than whom there is none "blondier," to demonstrate that a woman can change her expression as often, quickly and as easily as she can change her mind.

Now, to be perfectly frank and earnest about it—she is both frank and earnest despite the fact that her name is Blanche—we don't think the radio outfit she is sporting has anything to do with the expressions.

But anyway Blanche decided she'd play the role of a "one-prof." faculty in a school of movie expression so that Tillie from the ribbon counter, Margie from corsets and Tessie who peddles lingerie when she isn't reading a movie magazine, might see how it's done without sending half their week's pay to satisfy their curiosity and help some fake ad writer swell his income tax.

Says Blanche: "All you have to do is just look as you would if your 'sweetie' gave you a five-carat diamond. That would be enjoyment. Simple, isn't it.

"Then one can register laughter. If the teeth are pretty, show 'em. Nothing hard about that, is there?

Then somebody accidentally connected up the radio set and somebody or other's gang of syncopators swung into action. Then came a new expression—jazz.

We'll take back what we said about the radio, because we heard the same bedtime story by radio—though it was but shortly after noon—and when the big bear leaped on poor little Peter Rabbit, Blanche just naturally registered gobs of fear.

Then there was some delay. The radio went "blaule-blouie" and the fair Blanche lost no time registering impatience to the 'nth degree.

In trying to find out what was the matter, Blanche accidentally touched the wrong button—a shock—and presto! she registered pain.

So that's that and now if you are interested or have ambitions for a screen career take these home and try them over on your mirror with or without the aid of radio.

HIS JOKE TOO FUNNY

A Chicago man decided to play a great joke on his brother, John. He called up 71 undertakers, told them his brother was dead and instructed them to call and take care of the body. The undertakers came in hearses, trucks, motor wagons, autos and ambulances and cluttered up the street for a block or two. Then the joker was arrested as insane and put into a cell. At the present time the joke seems to be on the joker.

Japan's textile exports in 1921 were valued at more than $200,000,000.

HELEN CHADWICK IN 'QUICKSANDS'

Gifted Star Appears At Empress In Feature Film Soon

Helen Chadwick plays the leading feminine role in "Quicksands," the new picture by Howard Hawks, which comes to the Empress May 25 with a powerful cast, including Richard Dix, Alan Hale, Noah Beery, J. Farrell McDonald, Walter Long, Edwin Stevens, Frank Campeau, George Cooper, Dick Sutherland, Hardee Kirkland and a doze nother players noted for vivi ducting.

Miss Chadwick, in this excellant company—many of whom rhe veterans of the stage as well as the screen—holds her own, as might be expected of a young actress who has made remarkable strides in the past few years. It is to her credit that she chose to develop herself as an artist rather than remain one of the many pretty girls of the screen. Today she ranks with the commanding figures who really depict emotions instead of smiling and only looking pretty.

She will always be remembered in two of the several Rupert Hughes pictures, "Dangerous Curve Ahead" and "Scratch My Back,' and in "The Dust Flower," "Godless Men," besides many other important productions made in the past four years.

Her role in "Quicksands" is one of the most interesting that has fallen to her lot. Yet to describe it would give away a secret of the picture which had better be kept from those who would enjoy it to its utmost. Enough to say that Helen Chadwick plays a dual role, that of a delightful American girl and a sharp-eyed Mexican senorita involved in one of the most thrilling stories ever pictured on the screen.

'Pawn Ticket 210' Comes To Strand

When Shirley Mason's newest picture, "Pawn Ticket 210," comes to the Strand theater on Monday, the audience will be given a rare treat. William Fox, the producer of this picture, at great expense puchased the famous play by David Belasco, peer of all stage producers and Clay M. Greene, one-time famous playwright. It was because of the fact that Miss Mason is fast becoming one of the screen's foremost favorites and to provide the tiny star with vehicles of the first class, that the producer made the purchase.

According to advance reports, Miss Mason does some of the best work of her meteoric career in the screen adaptation of this sensational stage success. The story deals with a young woman who has been placed in the care of a pawnbroker by her mother.

Years later, when the young woman has blossomed into womanhood and had learned much of life, the mother returns. At the conclusion the woman finds her husband and all live happily.

Scott Dunlap, who has directed many screen successes is responsible for the direction of Miss Mason's late triumph.

Southern Editor's Daughter Soloist For Lumber Men



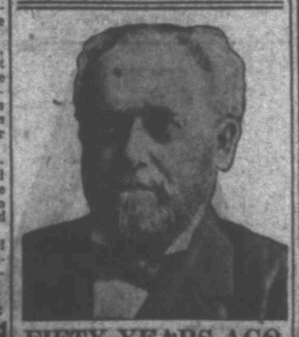
Mary Frances O'Connell.

Miss Mary Frances O'Connell, daughter of John C. O'Connell of the Montgomery, Ga., Advertiser, was the only soloist at the recent convention of the Southern Pine association at New Orleans. During the war made frequent appearances at Camp Sheridan, Ala.

Chamber Of Commerce Banqueted By Girls

SEYMOUR, Texas, May 12.—The food class of the home economics department, under the direction of Miss Hallye Stribbling, served lunch to the chamber of commerce Wednesday at its cottage on the high school campus.

The hour was spent in discussing plans for the pure food and textile show to be held May 18 and 19.



FIFTY YEARS AGO

A young man who practiced medicine in Pennsylvania became famous and was called in consultation in many towns and cities because of his success in the treatment of disease. This was Dr. Pierce, who finally made up his mind to place some of his medicines before the public and moving to Buffalo, N. Y., put up what he called his "Favorite Prescription," and placed it with the druggists in every state.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has long been recognized as a tonic for diseases peculiar to womankind. After suffering pain, feeling nervous, dizzy, weak and dragged-down by weaknesses of her sex—a woman is quickly restored to health by its use. Thousands of women testify that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has entirely eradicated their distressing ailments.

More recently that wonderful discovery of Dr. Pierce's, called Anuric (for kidneys and backaches), has been successfully used by many thousands who write Dr. Pierce of the benefits received—that their backache, rheumatism, and other symptoms of uric acid deposits in joints and muscles have been completely conquered by its use.

Send 10c to Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial package of any of his remedies, or write for free medical advice.—Adv.

In-Laws

ARE'N'T YOU GLAD THEY CAME, AFTER ALL?
By ALTA HEACOCK
Waurika, Okla.

Friend Woman got a letter the other day that a whole family of folk on HIS side of the house was coming to see HER next week.

Well, she said right out loud that she couldn't possibly have them come right now, that the house needed cleaning, and there was spring sewing and all kinds of work just piled up, waiting to be done, and she didn't ever think they'd come when she invited them last summer.

And she really felt as though she should go to see her mother next week, anyway. She was nearly sick and if she got clear down, what in the world would her family do then, she'd just like to know. All this was in the afternoon after she got the letter.

But the morning light told a different story. She started right in sweeping and garnishing the old house, till every nook and corner was as sweet and clean as a bridal room. She cooked enough to feed a small army, all the time hoping that her husband would see just how much extra work all that company was making her.

The children had no time to play, for sweeping and raking yards, and when they all got through it was hard to find a more spic and span place in the whole world than Friend Woman's house.

Even the dog and cat had a sleek well-cared for look, although they had abandoned their usual haunts during this terrific upheaval, as there was entirely too much pent-up energy evidenced in Friend Woman's broom strokes, for them to feel entirely comfortable.

The children were soaked and soaped and scrubbed till they fairly shone, and by that time Friend Woman began to glow with faint satisfaction. She'd been equal to the emergency and no "inlaws" anywhere could boast of a cleaner or sweeter home and children, than were hers. And really, the old house looked so comfortable and inviting that she just naturally began to feel hospitalbe, wanting guests to come and enjoy it with her.

And when the company finally came they received such a hearty welcome that they were sorry they had waited so long to come. And when they left, Friend Woman assured them that their visit had been a real pleasure, and she did not know whenever she had enjoyed anything more.

Women are just like that.

Burkburnett Personal Items

BURKBURNETT, May 12.—In special honor to Mrs. Gertrude Herrick of Tulsa, Okla., a visitor in the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Burgess, Mrs. Harry ten Brink entertained with an informal dinner party Tuesday at the noon hour.

A delicious family dinner was served, each cover being marked by a unique souvenir, a tiny wooden shoe, imported from Holland, the former home of the hostess. The plate favors were beautiful pink carnations.

The dinner hour entertainment was featured with gay repartee and merry stories by the favored friends, Mrs. W. O. Stovall, Wichita Falls; Miss Virginia Jean Burgess, Sapulpa, Okla.; Mrs. Gertrude Herrick, the honoree; Mrs. W. B. Burgess, Mrs. R. X. Cook and J. A. Reed of the Burkburnett Humble Lease community, and neighbors of the hostess, Mrs. ten Brink.

Mrs. Cook Returns

Mrs. R. X. Cook has returned from a visit among relatives in New Orleans, La., and Port Arthur, Texas. She also spent a while en route to Houston, Texas, where she was the guest of Mrs. H. O. Hoaning, a former citizen of Burkburnett.

Get-Together Club

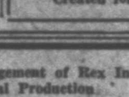
The Humble Get-Together club of the Humble Lease met at the home of Mrs. W. R. Calhoun Friday afternoon, and after the business session a merry good time in a social way was enjoyed. Those contributing to the entertainment were Mrs. N. C. Sheffer, who gave a splendid reading, "The Regular Girl," by Berton Braley. Also Master "Sonny Calhoun" and Tommy Cook, who assisted the hostess in serving the refreshment treat of brick ice cream and cake to the ladies present, Mesdames, J. M. Bristly, N. C. Sheffer, H. D. Sivert, W. B. Burgess, Harry ten Brink, R. L. Sperkman, Cook, W. Johnson, C. M. Bell. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Chester Bell on the first day of June.

Seymour Seniors Picnic Juniors

SEYMOUR, Texas, May 12.—The senior class of the high school entertained the junior class with an enjoyable moonlight picnic last Friday evening at Cash Creek. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baker, Superintendent and Mrs. J. F. Kemp. Misses Hallye Stribling, Emma Harrell and Ann Hess. A good time was had by everyone, and an elaborate lunch was served.

THE WORLD'S BIGGEST 'CO-OP.'

The 18,000 Sun-Maid Raisin growers of California have just reorganized and refinanced themselves into the greatest co-operative marketing association in the world. The refinancing took the form of a subscription of $2,100,000 contributed by the growers and the business interests of the whole state of California. Under the new system the requirement of the Capper-Volstead Act have been met, the most desirable principles of co-operative marketing retained, with the addition under the law, of the most modern form of corporation control. It is believed that this new set-up of the raisin growers will become the standar pattern for other co-operative marketing organizations in the United States.


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AUTO SECTION

CHANDLER PULLS NEW YORK HILLS

Startling Display Of Power Shown By New "Six" Machine

The Chandler six with its Pikes Peak motor continues to score victory after victory over the most difficult hills in the country. The engineers at the Cleveland factory have received authenticated reports from nearly 100 points where the Chandler has attained fame by its spectacular performances over hills regarded as the most severe tests in their localities.

New York City, with its steep inclines from the Hudson to the heights of the city uptown, does not lack good demonstrating grounds. The hills are notably steep, but all of the best known have succumbed to the irresistable attack of the Chandler.

In a series of sensational high gear acceleration tests officially observed by Burton S. Brown, automobile editor of the New York Sun and Herald, the Chandler met nine well known cars on the following hills:

148th Street, from Riverside Drive to Broadway.

177th Street, from Riverside Drive to Haven avenue.

Fort George Hill.

184th street, from Broadway to Wadsworth avenue.

Abbey Hill.

The competing cars ranged in price from $1,000 to $2,000, the average price being $1,400, which is nearly $1,000 more than the Chandler costthan. One was a four-cylinder car, three were sixes and the others were eights.

On the 148th street and 177th street hills the Chandler reached the crest at the greatest speed. On Ft. George Hill only one of the competitors, a $3,800 eight cylinder car, exceeded the Chandler's finishing speed, and that by only two miles an hour. On the 184th street hill the Chandler was the only car to gain speed instead of losing it.

Visiting on the telephone must stop in New England. That is the edict of the New England telephone companies and it has received official approval of the Massachusetts public utilities commission. Five minutes will be the limit. When a man calls his home he snorts a few monosyllables and hangs up. Investigators report, but when a woman calls a woman friend she talks indefinitely. Business men are the chief complainants.

HERE'S GOOD LOOKING TIRE HOUSE



Wichita Falls, with its statewide reputation as a city of fine motor cars, also boasts of its many attractive filling stations. Some of the most modern and most beautiful stations in the state are located here. With their well-kept premises and their architectural features, they are indeed beauty spots of the city.

Here is shown a photograph of the Quick Tire Service Co., one of the most popular of the many flourishing stations in town. Henry Hund, well known to the Wichita motoring public, is owner and manager of the station, opening it at Eighth and Lamar, a little over a year ago. Prior to opening the station, Mr. Hund was formerly with the Hund-Zilhman Auto Supply company, where he made a host of friends. After selling his interests in the company, he opened up the present station, which he avers is doing a nice business and continuing to grow.

Located in the heart of the busy down-town district, the Quick Tire Service company endeavors earnestly to live up to its name and reputation of "quick service." Besides having a complete gas filling plant, motor oils, accessories and tire vulcanizing equipment, the company is distributors for Pennsylvania and United States tires, doing a volume of business in both these popular makes.

Ford Family Is Now Placed At 6 Million Mark

That satisfying "at home" feeling which the Ford tourist always has felt wherever he has gone, will be stronger than ever this summer. There are now nearly 6,000,000 Ford cars in use in the United States and he will come upon more members of the great Ford family in the towns and cities and along the highways of the nation than in any year heretofore.

In the last year alone 1,300,000 new Fords have gone into use throughout the country. And the Ford owner who goes touring enjoys what no other car owner enjoys, the satisfaction of knowing he has the greatest of service facilities at his command, assuring him of a pleasant journey no matter where his travels may take him.

In addition to the Ford dealer organization of more than 9,000, there are over 14,000 authorized Ford service stations in the country, making a total of more than 20,000 points of contact with the motoring public.

Naturally the increased use of Ford cars has brought a corresponding increase in service responsibilities. Ford dealers, everywhere, acting under the definite service policy of the company, are fully prepared to meet the responsibilities. Their mechanics, many of them graduates of the Ford service course, are expertly trained in meeting all service requirements, and the dealers have provided themselves with special and approved equipment which enables them to meet any demand, promptly and efficiently, thus affording the Ford owner every facility which contributes toward making motoring as inexpensive and as enjoyable as possible.

A Long Shot

"It's 10-to-1 that the marriage won't be a success."

"Didn't he marry her for love?"

"No, he married her for her great uncle's money."

53 Fords Sold During 10 Days

"With a record of 53 cars for the past 10 days, May promises to be another record month for the sale of Ford cars, according to Claude Red of the Langford Motor Supply Co., local Ford, Fordson and Lincoln dealers.

"Shipments are not up to what we would desire them," Mr. Red said, "And if we are only able to get the cars for delivery, we will have a record-breaking month for May."

Sales for April, Mr. Red said, were more than 150 Fords, Fordsons and Lincoln models, it being one of the best months for the local agency this season.

We're Lucky to Have One

Warning to examine carefully $10 and $20 bills to avoid counterfeits in circulation will touch lightly those who haven't any of those denominations.—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

7,909-MILE TRIP IS COMPLETED

Tacomans Make Long Trip In Reo Machine

One of the longest touring journeys taken by Tacomans during 1922 has just been completed by Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Wines, traveling 7,909 miles in 11 states.

During the journey Mr. and Mrs. Wines did not sleep in a hotel a single night and in that time they ate only three meals which they did not prepare themselves, with the exception of the time they visited relatives in Wisconsin and California.

Mr. Wines, who is 65 years of age, was told he could not stand the journey when he left Tacoma, but he declares his health is better after the trip.

"The greatest experience we ever had," said Mr. Wines on his return. "My Reo touring car gave wonderful service and I did not have motor trouble on a single occasion."

Leaving Tacoma on the Yellowstone trail, Mr. Wines went direct to Wisconsin. Then he turned south and west and traveled through Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico and Arizona to California. There his Reo was headed north up the coast to Tacoma.

Mr. Wines is secretary, of the members' council of the Tacoma commercial club and chamber of commerce, and he visited many similar institutions on his journey. He reports that he found all the clubs working actively for improved road conditions.

"The roads on our trip of almost 8,000 miles were about half good and half bad," he says, "but none of them were impassable. The going was quite heavy in spots, but conditions were not bad enough in any place to deter a real motorist who is out to make the best of things."

Only in one town where he wished to stop was a camping site found missing. Mr. Wines says but the camping places were generally quite good and that many of them were free, while others made a nominal charge of 25 to 50 cents.

"The best camp site we found on the trip," he said, "was in Harrington, Wash., near Spokane. The town has a camp with hot and cold running water, shower baths, electric cooking and other accommodations. It is also played in an attractive setting."

Mr. Wines says he saw at least 5,000 automobile campers en route, but he declares he did not find any equipment equal to his.

"We had a fine bed, in a large tent, and everything 'e needed," he declares. "Our splendid equipment added a great deal to the pleasure of the trip."

PAYS TO MAKE PEOPLE LAUGH

Charlie Caplin was paid $1,075,000 for appearing in eight movie films. This is revealed in a New York court hearing. And, to a man who has to count the nickels and dimes it seems like the eighth wonder of the world. Few brains can grasp how much $1,075,000 really is. You'd have to work 1,075 years on a salary of $1,000 a year to make that much, though prosperity like Chaplin appears in this earth about every thousand years.

MAKE LONG TRIP IN REO



SLACK APPOINTED PEERLESS ENGINEER

Announcement of the appointment of F. W. Slack as chief engineer of the Peerless Motor Car company was made last week by R. H. Collins, president and general manager of the company.

Mr. Slack has been with the Peerless engineering department for 14 years. He played an important part in the development of the eight-cylinder Peerless engine, being in charge of its designing.

During his long term of service he has acted both as assistant chief engineer and as chassis engineer. His engineering experience began with the Packard Motor Car company in 1903.

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MASON TIRES
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Washing and Greasing of Cars Done Right
Try us once, you'll come again
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CLEAN UP AT A LOCKHART CO.

Interior Of Building Gets Fresh Coat Of Paint

Springtime and clean-up is in the air at the Lockhart Chevrolet Co this week. Painters have been working for the last several days, redecorating the salesrooms and giving the interior a fresh new coat of light paint. The new improvements greatly add to the lighting of the salesroom and, according to Ben Lockhart, manager of the local Chevrolet company they expect to have one of the most attractive salesrooms in the city upon completion.

New steel bins, manufactured especially for the uses of Chevrolet dealers, will supplant the old style wooden bins in the parts room, meaning a better system of parts filing and a more compact arrangement.

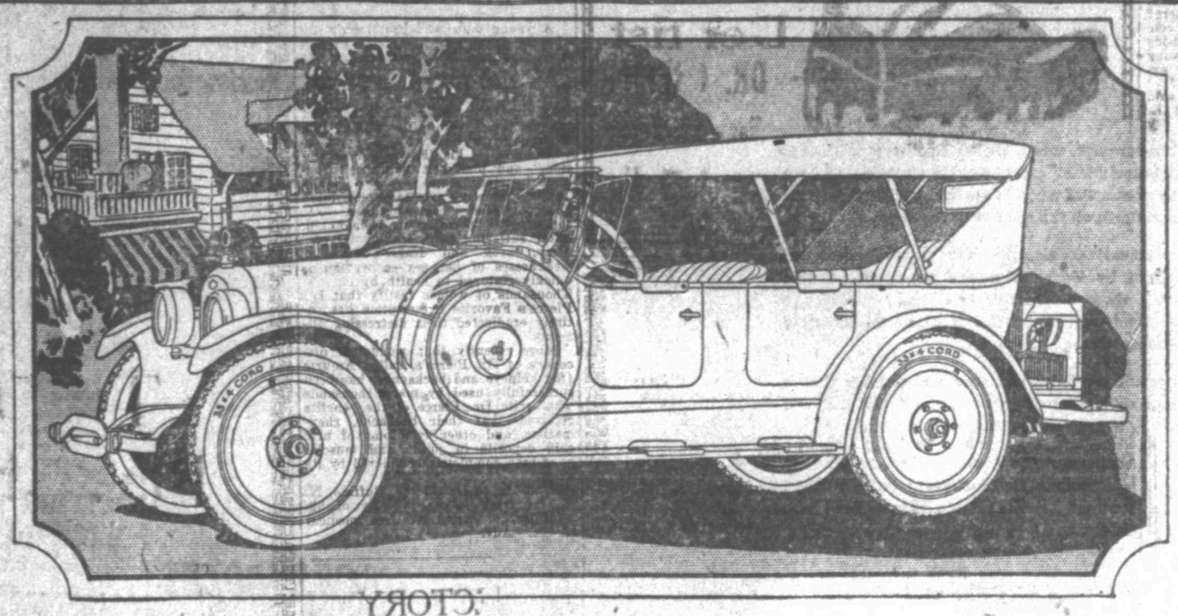
The parts department has been transformed from upstairs to the lower floor, formerly occupied by the business offices, the business offices being on the balcony now.

Altogether the arrangement is a decided improvement over former floor plans.

A silver tag attached to the dorsal fin of a salmon before its release after the eggs have been removed is resorted to by the fisheries department of the Canadian government to trace the life history of fish. A reward of $1 is paid for the return of the tag, together with scales from side of the fish and particulars regarding weight, length and place of capture.

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Seven-Passenger Sedan	2190

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Roadster	$ 915
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It's a shining, glistening low-swung beauty that performs with intensified smoothness and magnificent power.

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There are six disc wheels—two spares with extra cord tires and tire covers included as standard equipment.

Then there are also bumpers, front and rear, and a striking array of nickeled fixtures.

Come in and see them; and notice, in addition, a host of further features for comfort.

You'll be won to this car at first glance. And a trial ride will only serve to deepen your liking.

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FARMERS BUY OAKLAND CARS

Prosperous Planters Of Northwest Coming Into Their Own

The lumber industry of the Northwest has come back, the crops of the great fertile Middle West look extremely promising; long expected rain has come in the extreme West; and what is more important, there is a spirit of optimism in the Middle West and West sections of the country that the present prosperity is going to continue and increase.

This sums up the opinion of C. J. Nephler, general sales manager of the Oakland Motor Car company, from personal observation and discussions with business men and farmers during a three weeks' trip to the Pacific coast with George H. Hannum, president of the company. During the trip they visited more than 15 branches and distributors of the company.

"Of course most farmers, due to conservation, will be reluctant to make heavy purchases until they pretty nearly know just how large and fruitful their crops are going to be," explains Mr. Nephler. "But just as soon as they know the probable crop, they are coming into the market, for they are behind on many of their necessities, including automobiles, and they will begin to catch up, just as the general public did last year, which in a measure was responsible for the sale of a record number of automobiles, as well as of other necessities during 1922.

"However, the general impression that the farmer gets all of his income during the fall is erroneous. He has livestock and other crops, from which he receives income each month throughout the year. In fact, during June and July, in the mid-western states, he receives only about 14 per cent of his entire income, according to government figures, while throughout the whole United States he receives approximately 12.5 per cent of his income during these months. This means more steady all-year-round buying than is generally credited to the farmer."

Blowouts On Auto Row

Mr. Atwood and Mr. Mosely, factory representatives from the Ford Motor company, were business visitors at the Langford Motor Supply company this week.

W. S. Langford of the Langford Motor Supply company, spent several days in Dallas last week.

Gene Segal reports one of the biggest weeks in the history of the Cut-Rate Tire company. Gene says Howe and Daytons are making lots of good friends among tire users and every month is showing an increase over the months before.

P. G. Flatty of the Dixie Tire Service company, was a Dallas business visitor last week.

Langford Motor Supply company have recently been appointed distributors for Velvetoil, a new lubricating oil which, according to Claude Red of the local Ford company, is making a four hundred batting average with Ford owners, for its performance in Ford cars. The motor oil is getting a big start Mr. Claude said, and is making good under every test given.

L. O. Brown of the Victory Motor company, was a Dallas business visitor last week.

Work is fast nearing completion on the new home of the Victory Motor company on Indiana and Mr. Brown of the Victory company, states they hope to be located in it about June 1st. When completed the building will be one of the most attractive sales and service buildings in the city.

Ohio Buick Fan Breaks Into Song

"It's a mighty good sign of satisfaction," says Charles Nolen, of the Dixon Motor company, "when Buick owners burst into poetry about their cars. Here's one taken from the Monroe County Spirit of Democracy, published in a rural community, in Southeastern Ohio. Buick popularity knows no boundaries, North, South, East and West, every owner is a booster."

BUICK MILLIONS

They've built a million of 'em ma—
—a million Buicks—see—
It sez so in the paper here—as plain as plain can be.
Somehow it kind o' thrills me and I'll bet it thrills you, too,
To learn a million other folks thought just like me and you.

'Member when we bought our first one—back in nineteen nine?
How the neighbors shook their heads and sez: "Huh! Not fer mine?"
My! how times hev changed all that, fer lookin' near or far,
We're findin' almost every one dependin'—on a car.

'Member how the salesman sez, "When better cars appear—
Buick sure will build 'em Jim—of that don't have no fear."
And once a year since then we've looked and tried out other kinds,
But never, ma, in all that time, have we once changed our minds.

In all three Buicks we have bought the same good stuff we've found,
I reckon that accounts, pa, for so many runnin' round.
And when we go and buy ag'in—
'tis'jist to get more style,
The old one's runnin' perty yet, hit's good fer quite a while.

They've built a million of 'em, Ma
—a million Buicks—see—
It sez so in the paper here—as plain as plain can be.
Somehow it kind o' thrills me and I'll bet it thrills you, ha,
To learn a million other folks thought just like me and you.

DON'T PLAY IT TOO STRONG.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson, a Minnesota couple, left their four babies home and went to a dance. On their way back they engaged in a dispute over the names that should be given to their month-old baby and to a small daughter. To carry her point, Mrs. Nelson when she reached home, went to the kitchen, emptied a bottle of lysol in the sink, and as her husband entered the room placed the empty bottle to her lips. It burned her mouth and she fell in a faint. Nelson, who believed her dying tried to pour milk down her throat, but failed and collapsed on the floor by her side. A roomer in the house ran for a doctor. Nelson died of shock in a few minutes, his lungs apparently became paralyzed and would not respond to artificial respiration. Now the grief-striken widow has done something strictly feminine. She has given the children names the father wished for.

The new Jerusalem is right here in the United States. The Cohens lead the Smiths in New York's new city directory. There are 6,500 Cohens and Cohns, but only 5,800 Smiths and Smyths. To find the address of a particular Cohen or Smith is no job for a man in a hurry.

THE DAILY MIRACLE.
Arnold Bennett—

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Eight years ago, when Dodge Brothers originated the all-steel motor car body, they took advantage of the absence of wood in the framework to bake an enamel finish on the surface of the steel.

In a vast series of electric ovens, especially designed and built by Dodge Brothers' engineers for this process, three distinct coats of black enamel are successively baked on the steel at an intensely high temperature.

The result is a finish so hardy and durable that it seldom requires more than a good cleaning and polishing to restore the original brightness.

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From the lowest-priced make to the highest, Chevrolet is first in popularity

Here's Official State Registration Figures For Month of March, In San Francisco:

CHEVROLET 442
Ford 409
Buick 248
Studebaker 226
Dodge 126
Star 106
Nash 75
Hudson 69
Overland 35

And in Wichita County

Registrations compiled from the county clerk's registration books, from January 1st to May 1st—Fords excluded.

CHEVROLET 157
Buick 140
Dodge 117
Overland 115
Studebaker 92

In Texas, Too, It's CHEVROLET

Registration figures taken from the ten leading counties of Texas, showing actual number of cars registered—Fords excluded.

BEXAR COUNTY — SAN ANTONIO — January and February

Chevrolet	82
Dodge	62
Buick	46
Overland	38
Studebaker	22

DALLAS COUNTY — DALLAS — January and February

Chevrolet	93
Dodge	58
Studebaker	60
Buick	50
Overland	36

GRAYSON COUNTY — SHERMAN — January, February and March

Chevrolet	41
Dodge	37
Buick	20
Studebaker	15
Overland	13

EL PASO COUNTY — EL PASO — January and February

Chevrolet	28
Dodge	26
Buick	24
Studebaker	17
Overland	0

TARRANT COUNTY — FORT WORTH — January, February, March

Chevrolet	138
Buick	88
Dodge	78
Studebaker	64
Oveeland	30

M'LENNAN COUNTY — WACO — January and February

Chevrolet	50
Dodge	21
Buick	18
Overland	17
Studebaker	14

HARRIS COUNTY — HOUSTON — January and February

Chevrolet	38
Dodge	60
Buick	68
Studebaker	51
Overland	31

JEFFERSON COUNTY — BEAUMONT — January, February and March

Chevrolet	92
Dodge	62
Studebaker	49
Buick	46
Overland	15

GALVESTON COUNTY — GALVESTON — January, February and March

Chevrolet	19
Buick	21
Overland	14
Dodge	11
Studebaker	11

TOTAL SALES FOR THE TEN CITIES MENTIONED ABOVE, INCLUDING WICHITA FALLS

CHEVROLET 738
Dodge 522
Buick 511
Studebaker 396
Overland 307

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"Red Bird" Latest Overland Model, Out With More Powerful Engine And With Equipment Fully Complete

The 1923 series of the Overland has safety added to, by the bringing out of a remarkably triumphant combination of beauty and utility, finishing in Mandalay maroon, called the Red Bird. In addition to embodying in an unusual degree the essentials of skilled design and solidity of construction, this model is specially notable for the complete equipment it carries on leaving the factory.

The Red Bird is characterized by the installation of a number of refinements and conveniences, all necessities for complete motoring satisfaction, that point indisputably to greater values for the purchaser. This latest model is a brilliant accomplishment by the Willys-Overland company and, as usual, represents a successful effort to provide up to date and economical transportation for the American public.

In general appearance, the Red Bird is a creation striking to the eye without overstepping the bounds of refined taste. Mandalay maroon is a subtle shading of red for the body that pleases with rare artistic conformity, neither sinking the car garishly conspicuous and vulgarly apparent.

It is an illustration of fine, well-bred coloring that is in direct contrast to standardized, stampdash paint jobs, where something out of the ordinary is the aim and no thought given to possible jarring effects on the vision. Mandalay maroon is Nile's shade that will stand up under the most exacting weather conditions and not influenced by the rays of the summer suns or the rigors of frost and dampness.

Combined with this artistic blending is the khaki top of serviceable material that will hold its own in all seasons. And with this happy conjunction of tan and maroon are sprinkle the glistening nickled trimmings on the radiator, head lamps, bumpers, windshield stanchions, scuff plates and frame of the rear curtain window light.

Picture this handsome association of steel, tan and Mandalay maroon and the sketch is concluded in an exceptionally delightful range of harmony in color tones. Add to this the intrinsic mechanical advantages obtained in the Red Bird and the effect is consummated.

Longer Wheel Base

The Willys-Overland company has always maintained and steadfastly insisted toward the end that beauty, utility and economical performance can be assembled in one unit. Comfortable riding qualities have always been demanded in Overland design, and in order to place further emphasis on this requirement, the wheel base of the Red Bird has been lengthened to 106 inches, and the spring base to 136 inches. This additional length positively guarantees bodily relaxation, when driving over the roughest roads.

The Red Bird has the famous patented triplex springs used on all Overland cars, and these springs on a longer wheel base give riding comfort in the highest degree possible. It is admitted the entire load of the car rests on the springs. In Overland construction, the load is carried between the two extreme points of the car, the ends of the Overland springs on the Red Bird being 130 inches apart; the body rests on them as if in a hammock.

The weight of each Overland spring is about 20 pounds. The material is chrome vanadium steel, carefully heat treated, having an elastic limit of 100,000 pounds, and the springs are so designed and assembled in the chassis that all road shocks are absorbed with minimum distortion of chassis and minimum discomfort to the occupants of the car. These springs are oiled at one end only, and in a very accessible location.

Engine Is Larger

The engine in the Red Bird is larger and more powerful, yet preserving all the facilities of the Overland motor for giving unusual mileage per gallon of gasoline. The cylinder finish is remarkably thorough. After reaming, Overland cylinders are lapped with a reciprocating and slightly revolving polishing stone which produces a smooth surface and a bore that is round and straight, removing any slight roughness resulting from the reaming operation.

The crank case or engine base has a double bottom which increases strength and rigidity, and provides correct oil supply to all connecting rods under all road and grade conditions. There is a sump for collecting sediment at one spot, where the drain plug is placed, and the oil gauge is so located that it is plainly visible.

Overland Red Bird valves are made of specially selected material, and there are only two wearing points between the valve and cam shaft. The valve tappets are of the mushroom type, a flat wearing surface which rests on the entire width of the cam surface, thus distributing wear over an entire cam surface and tappet face.

The clutch, which is of the single plate disc type, smooth in operation and adjusted in less than 10 minutes when necessary, is enclosed in a case giving complete protection from dirt and grit, and runs in oil, insuring proper lubrication at all times. The crank shaft has a large and accurately machined flange for carrying the flywheel, and is one of the main reasons for that noticeable lack of vibration in the Overland.

The front axle has an elastic limit of between 75,000 and 90,000 pounds with large king bolt bearings and wheel spindle. The cross rod link is of unusually heavy steel. The rear axle construction is a substantial well assembled, strong axle housing with axle shafts one and one-half inches in diameter, having Timken bearings in the differential case and New Departure bearings in the wheels. The axles can be removed without removing the housing.

Red Bird Equipment

These important mechanical specifications along with other well known features, give the Red Bird all of the leading qualifications necessary in a car of ostensible value. This new model is a thing of animation, speed and comfort, something that inspires confidence and pride on the road, and a trusty friend for summer jaunting over the hills and through the valleys.

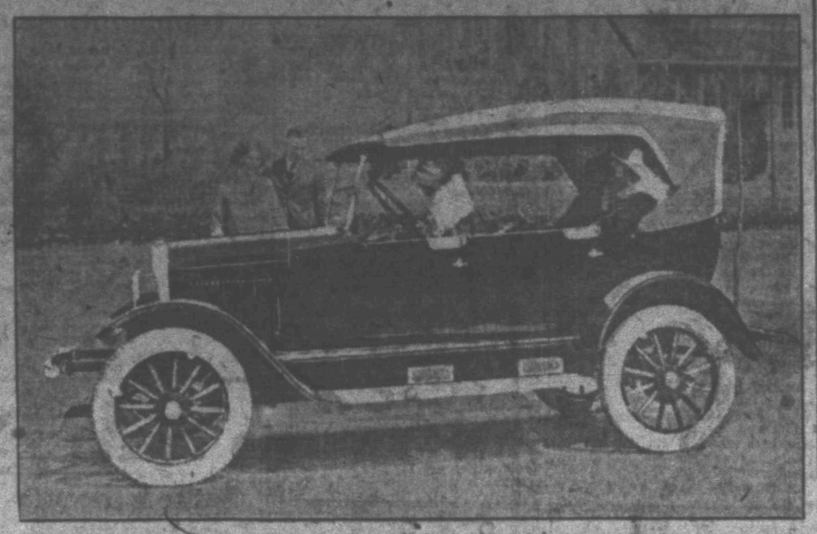
The extra equipment is prominently brought to notice. This includes 30x3½ straight wall Fisk cord tires, nickled bumper in the front and in the rear, nickled scuff plates, nickled outside door handles, and nickled frame in the rear curtain window. The windshield stanchions are also nickled.

A windshield wiper and door grips are standard on this model, and the usual spare rim and tire carrier, speedometer, dash light and other little fixtures that make the car wonderfully complete are noticeable.

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Now that France is stronger in the air in a military way than any other nation, French inventors have been busy and the Germans have invented a new radio process which forces airplanes down out of the air and that a successful experiment has been made with it. This needn't bother long. Some inventive genius will next find a means of painting airplanes with some non-conducting material and they will stay up. The man who laughs last usually enjoys it most.

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HARDING O. K. ON STRIKE ACT

Plan To Make Injunction Permanent Approved By President

By B. N. TIMMONS
Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, May 12. — President Harding has given approval to the decision of department of justice officials to seek to have the Daugherty anti-strike injunction made permanent.

Following the withdrawal at Chicago on the eve of the trial of counsel for all the defendants in an effort to permit the case to go by default, Attorney General Daugherty announced he had instructed Assistant Solicitor General Easterline to present to the court the entire testimony taken in the hearings last September, and to go on with the case.

The statement continues: "The attorney general had an intimation that a step of this character might be taken, and was not surprised at the withdrawal of counsel for the labor leaders. At the time the temporary injunction was granted, and since, he presented to the court cumulative evidence of irrefutable character, showing the extent and ramifications of the disorder and law violations, property damage and loss of life caused by the strike. Since the indictments against those guilty of violations of the law, destruction of property, and the taking of life, have been sentenced all over the country. The attorney general suggested that the step taken by counsel for the defendants was in keeping with the recent impeachment proceedings against him. The propaganda indulged in fell flat when the time came for the 'impeachers' to answer questions and lay 'their case before a proper tribunal, and they scattered because they had no facts and no law to support them. The attorney general has refused, since the granting of the temporary injunction, to dismiss the case, notwithstanding the fact that he was requested so to do by counsel for the defendants. He took the position that this proceeding must be carried to a final conclusion in order that universal strikes which interfere with the transportation system of the country shall be a thing of the past."

To Press Order

The department of justice will press for an order making the injunction permanent, Seymour said. 'There is no intention to permit the matter to drop now simply because the strike is a thing of the past and cannot be affected by the outcome of the suit, either way.'

The shopcraft, against which the restraining order was obtained, attacking Attorney General Daugherty's action and the court order as unconstitutional and unwarranted either by law or facts.

Unions Deny Charge

The strikers were restrained from committing sabotage or other acts of violence or from interfering in any way with the operation of trains. Wholesale charges of such acts were set forth in the petition for the injunction. Even picketing was among the activities which the court said must be stopped.

The unions vigorously denied the charges and asked for time to gather evidence in support of their side of the case when their efforts to have the injunction set aside was refused. The intervening months have been devoted to the taking of depositions all over the country. Now the former strikers will come forward to refute the charges on which the injunction was based and renew their demand that it be dissolved.

The importance of the case, department of justice officials now declare, is that the precedent established will be of great value in dealing with similar situations in the future. It gives the government an effective weapon, in their opinion, whenever the transportation facilities of the nation are in danger of a tieup.

The case is expected eventually to go to the supreme court.

JOBS FOR EVERYBODY?

Let no American worry about how his descendants will make a living.

There is a great and growing profession in the United States in which almost anyone willing to work can find a place in which salaries are fixed and guaranteed by law, in which promotion tends to become more and more autocratic and dismissal more and more difficult.

It is for these reasons a profession which makes relatively little demand upon courage, enterprise and initiative, but appeals strongly to man's love of security and ease. If it continues to grow and to increase as rapidly in the future as it has in the past, the time is in sight when it will embrace the entire working population.

It is the profession of government job-holding.

The story of the last few years of government growth is well known. Just before we entered the war in 1916 there were 438,057 names on the federal payroll. War proved the greatest stimulus to government growth of all, and the bureaucracy reached its maximum size in 1918 when it employed 917,760 persons. Most of these, of course, were temporary employes, but apparently there is no such thing as shrinkage of the federal payroll to the pre-war size, for there are still over half a million government employes.—The Nation's Business.

From a newspaper dated April, 1893, we learn that electric coffe pots, ovens, curling irons and lanterns are arousing much interest at the Chicago World's fair. About the only time they arouse interest nowadays is when they refuse to work.

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"The framework of the body is of the finest hardwood, thoroughly morised and braced with staunch steel brackets, over which are applied panels of steel. To reduce weight, the rear quarter and top are fabric covered. The doors are unusually wide and fall swinging, thus providing easy entrance and exit."

Commodious indeed is the interior. Three passengers can be accommodated. In keeping with the idea of serviceability, the upholstery throughout is straight grain, semi-bright finished blue leather. The broad, deep-cushioned seat is pitched at an angle for comfortable riding. Controls are within instant reach. Windows are operated by crank-type regulators.

"One of the distinctive advantages of this coupe is in carrying space for small as well as cumbersome articles. Directly back of the driver's seat is a compartment six inches deep which accommodates very nicely the doctor's medicine case. The salesman who is required to carry samples and extra luggage finds ample space in the rear deck, which extends back to the driver's seat. Both storage spaces are guarded by a lock.

"Word from the factory states that since the announcement of this new coupe to its distributing organization, orders are being received in large volume. If present requests for immediate delivery of this latest Cleveland can be held as a criterion, this new coupe is destined to be exceedingly popular." Mr. Moulder further states.

CHICKENS HIS UNDOING.

A Chicago man has a pet coyote. Recently for the second time in six weeks it wandered forth in quest of fun and love. The coyote's unerring scent led it to a backyard chicken coop far, far from home, but not so far from the police station that the flivver squad hearing murder was being committed in a chicken house were not soon there, and after a spirited chase Mr. Coyote was lassoed by a talented policeman. A coyote will be a coyote wherever you put him. No city airs for him.

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FOOD SHOW AT SEYMOUR SOON

Annual Exhibits Will Be Held At Fair Grounds Two Days

SEYMOUR, Texas, May 12.—The annual pure food and textile show will be held in the agricultural building at the fair grounds here May 18 and 19.

Each store will be represented by some member of the firm in separate booths, with a display of its stock. This will be opened for inspection at 1 o'clock both Friday and Saturday.

Ball Game

Another feature which will add interest is the ball games which will be played between the Seymour Jackrabbits and the Abilene high school team, both afternoons, at 2 o'clock.

Saturday evening the public will be entertained from 7 to 10 o'clock by a six-piece negro orchestra of Wichita Falls, after which a radio concert will be heard.

A large number of out-of-town people, as well as citizens of Seymour, are expected to attend the food and textile show, which promises to be better than ever this year.

Women Discuss Court

Associated Press Dispatch

ATLANTA, Ga., May 9.—With a resolution asking approval by the General Federation of Women's Clubs of proposed American adherence to the court of international justice awaiting presentation to the council meeting tomorrow, discussion of the world court entered the council session here this afternoon.

Piano Pupils Presented

SEYMOUR, Texas, May 12.—Mrs. G. A. Buie presented her senior piano pupils in a recital last Friday evening at the high school auditorium. An excellent program was rendered by those talented young ladies.

May originally was the third month of the year, but the Romans added January and February to those ahead of it.

Quanah News

Special Dispatch to Record News

QUANAH, May 12.—Mrs. George Brown entertained the Wednesday Bridge club and one table of guests. Mrs. Cope received the club prize and Mrs Harwell the guest favor.

Mmes. DeWitt Haden and Hayden Frizzell gave a 1 o'clock luncheon at the Quanah hotel Friday honoring Mmes. Fitzhugh and Huff of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. J. D. Hughes has returned from Wichita Falls, accompanied by Mmes. Fitzhugh and Huff.

Mrs. Carter, nee Miss Virginia Butler, of Oklahoma City, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Welborn Griffith.

Mrs. Honse, who lived 15 miles below Paducah, was brought to town the first of the week with a sad case of appendicitis. He was too far gone to be saved, and died Monday afternoon.

Corbett Howard and A. D. Beauchamp have bought new dodges.

Dr. T. D. Frizzell and Chas. Jones left Monday for Fort Worth to attend the state medical association.

Miss Lucile Hook returned from Austin Monday evening having visited her relatives in Fort Worth.

Judge Gose of Decatur, visited his daughter, Mrs. Roy Gilliland, the first of the week.

Mrs. Williams of Wichita Falls came to visit her daughter, Mrs. Isreel Jenkins.

Mrs. S. H. Caldwell returned home Wednesday from a visit to Missouri relatives.

Dr. G. H. Johnson came home from the medical convention at Fort Worth Wednesday.

George Patton came back Wednesday from a visit to the oil fields in Young and Jack counties. He says Jacksboro has become a very lively place.

President Lazarus and Vice-president H. Bommer of the G. A. & P. made a trip on their line Tuesday returning to Quanah in the evening.

Mrs. Zea Kimberlin, of Oklahoma City, is here this week looking after her real estate investments.

Dr. Horton left for the Fort Worth medical convention Monday.

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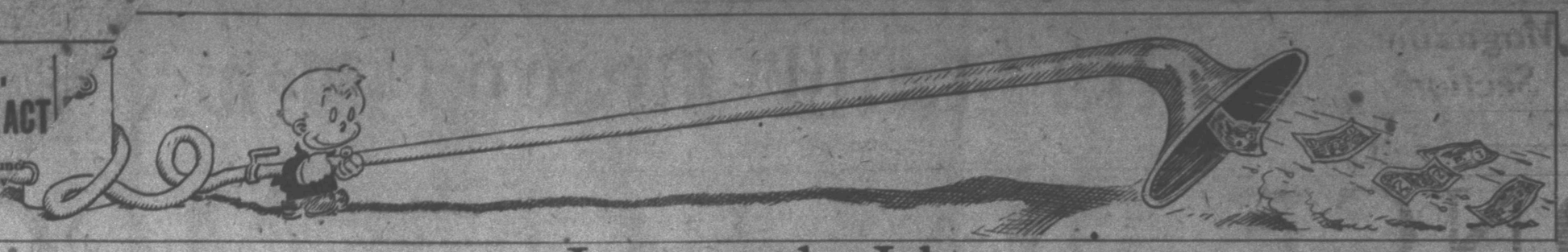
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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, SUNDAY, MAY 13, 1923.

ONCE IN A BLUE MOON

By HAROLD MAC GRATH
Author of "The Man on the Box," "Adventures of Kathlyn," Etc.

An expedition to the interior of Malacca results in securing the treasure, rubies and sapphires, from the foot of an idol. They put the jewels in the heel of Cathew's shoe, but just as they complete the job they hear the sound of tom-toms. "It's the priests coming!" shouts Corrigan.

They cared not what noise they made thereafter. They ran, stumbled, fell, rose and ran again toward the hole through which they had come. Belond, in the moonlight, they saw a dozen priests, motionless but expectant. It did not matter where they had come from or how they had selected this spot. An ordinary man would have turned and desperately made for the front of the temple. But Corrigan had been a fighting sailor. All in that bitter moment he weighed his chances. There would naturally be less men here than on the other side.

"Follow me!" he cried, leaping out. "Fight on your own. If you have a chance, take it; don't worry about me."

He clubbed his gun and swung it, as the yelling priests closed in. Instantly the dozen became 10 dozen.

They came from nowhere, like kites at the smell of meat. Corrigan went down five times, and five times he rose. The priests bellowed over him like waves, and he bore up through them like a hardy swimmer. He never had a chance to use his revolver.

Once he found himself free, and he started to run; but a dozen yards marked the extent of his own victory. When he went down the sixth time, he staid down. Shrewn about his path were eight priests as quiet and still as he was.

"Corrigan, Corrigan?" sobbed Cathew, clubbing, kicking and dodging. "Corrigan!"

He fought with a savageness that topped Corrigan's, but he possessed neither the strength nor the endurance of the brave Irishman; and by the time the tom-toms arrived he was a prisoner. He was pushed and buffeted to the clearing on the other side of the temple, flung to the turf, bound securely and left there. He fainted, and in that fate was kind to him, for he did not witness Corrigan's end. He never knew how they had been discovered. Only the shades of other luckless adventures, hovering over their nameless tombs, could have told him.

When he recovered his senses it was morning.

The priests were moving about. They were bringing fagots for a fire. Cathew stirred a little, but only a little, as the thongs were of elephant hide. There was not a bone in his body that did not ache. Somewhere during the melee he had been struck upon the mouth. His lips were cracked and puffed, and he could barely see out of one eye.

Where was Corrigan? He craned his neck but could see no sign. Torture! Now he remembered all of Corrigan's warnings, that it was far better to die than to fall into the hands of these religious fanatics. They were building the fire for him! Then it was that far entered his heart and he wriggled his toes to make sure that his shoes were still on his feet.

Later they came to him and rolled him toward the fire. Two sat upon his body while a third bound his arms at the elbows and freed his wrists. How he struggled, choking sometimes as the pungent smoke drifted into his face. Deliberately, the priest pushed the straining hands into the heart of the glowing fagots. Cathew screamed in agony. The tom-toms began to beat furiously. Here and there they chanted dolorously.

In the midst of all this pow-wow came the sharp crack of a rifle. The priest holding Cathew's hands toppled over into the fires, scattering it.

"Corrigan," murmured the victim and sank down into a soundless world of utter darkness.

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Dr. Nordfeldt, at the head of a botanical exploring party from Johore, with a hunting expedition as a side issue, was well pleased with himself. He had seen what white men rarely see, and still more rarely live to tell—ceremonial torture.

Half a dozen shots had broken up the affair. His elephants had evidently convinced the priests that there was an army behind. One white man he had buried; the other lay on one side of the hunting-howdah, his hands in enormous white bandages. He looked like a dead man, but he was only under the influence of opiates. Some times a low groan issued from his swollen, purple lips. Cathew tried to speak.

"What? What is it you're trying to say?" asked Dordfelt.

"Corrigan " in a muffled tone.

"Your friend? We buried him. He wasn't a pleasant sight to look at. But I think he was already dead when they mutilated him."

Tears welled up into Cathew's eyes and rolled down his cheeks. For now he knew that he had loved the derelict.

"Did you bury him with his shoes on?"

"God save us. Nash, did you hear that? With his shoes on? Just as we found him; but I don't remember whether he had any shoes on or not. Now, what in the name of Tophet were you two white men doing up here all alone? Hadn't you any foresight? Where'd you come from?"

"Perak?"

"Did you have any servants?"

"No."

"Didn't they tell you at Perak that the country was pretty dangerous east?"

"We knew. My God! Don't ask me any more questions! I'm in hell!"

At the end of two months—for the doctor refused to let his chance patient interfere with his researches—the expedition returned to Johore.

And Cathew bought a first-class ticket to Singapore—14 miles away—in order that he might have a compartment alone. When the train was fairly out of the city, Cathew took off his shoe and wrenched loose the heel.

Two rubies and an emerald; they had not been touched. Sweat trickled down the end of his nose and spattered on the gems. And now to sell them.

Vaguely, he recalled that Corrigan had said something about Vaal, a Dutchman in the pawnbroking business, who knocked you down a lot, but generally gave you something worth while. He was leaving the district when he ran full tilt into a Sikh policeman.

"Vaal," he said; "pawnship."

The Sikh spoke a little English, and gave the direction affably. It was a dingy shop. He saw a huge bearded man behind the desk, talking to a prettily woman. Suddenly the man caught her by the arm and flung her against the rear partition. It was evident to Cathew that he had entered upon a scene of domestic infelicity. A family row, however, was nothing to him. He wanted to sell the stones.

"Is this Vaal?" he inquired.

"Ah! Coom in, coom in, sir," said the proprietor.

The young woman remained with her back to the partition, sullenly rubbing her bruised arm. Her skin was tawny and her hair was black; but she was patently a white woman.

"Do you buy stones?" demanded Cathew.

"Sometimes," with sudden aloofness.

"I don't mean on the pawn ticket basis," went on Cathew. "A lump sum outright."

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Another installment next week.

Potash and Perlmutter



ABE

By Montague Glass

POTASH & PERLMUTTER DISCUSS A NEW PHASE OF CENSORSHIP



MAWRUSS

"Of course, Mawruss, fellers like you and me which has got to hustle for a living, ain't got the time to look into such public questions as censureship or prohibition, any more than Mr. Anderson could take a few days off from being so busy over the books of the anti-saloon-league as to investigate conditions in the garment business, y'understand," Abe Potash observed the other morning, "but even though it's none of my affair, and nobody has asked me my opinion in the matter, Mawruss, I will say right here and now that I am opposed to the censure-ship of books and plays, for the simple reason that I don't give a nickel about it one way or the other and don't like the people in favor of it."

"That's anyhow better than being opposed to it because you are an author yourself and might want to pull something smutty in a book or play on your own account some day," Morris Perlmutter remarked, "but at the same time, Abe, I feel that these here re-elastic novelists should ought to draw the line somewhere, y'understand.

"To my mind, Abe, when a re-elastic novelists wants to set down what happened to the loafers which he calls his hero and heroine, y'understand, he should be guided by the way people in real life tell their daily experiences.

"For instance," Morris continued, "if I came down here in the morning and say: 'Well, Abe, what kind of a time did you have last night?'—I ain't looking for you to tell me that you eat too much dinner and therefore you was obliged to go to the medicine cabinet in the bathroom and take a heaping teaspoonful of bi-carbonate of soda in a shaving mugfull of warm water.

"Neither do I expect that you are going to tell me that you went back to the living room and that after a quarter of an hour, Rosie told you if you didn't quit that noise, she would go out to a movie and leave you home.

"All these things I am willing you should keep it to yourself. I expect you to skip them and get down to the interesting details of life, but to a re-elastic novelist, these are the interesting retails of life—and worser incidents than these also come under the same head.

The Worser the More Interesting.

"In fact the worser the incidents are, the more interesting they become, according to a re-elastice novelist, Abe.

"And unless something is done about it, it won't be long until these here re-elastic novelists will give such details about the daily lives of their heroes and heroines as, up to the present time, has been reserved for them clinical charts which head nurses hangs up at the head of the bed on which the patient is laying, y'understand.

"The consequences is, Abe," Morris went on, "these re-elastic novelists is beginning to turn out a kind of novel where it ain't no longer necessary for the reader to skip the clean parts. There ain't no clean parts, and what is going to be the end of it, Abe, I don't know."

"At that, Mawruss, if that's the kind of reader I happen to be, why shouldn't I? Am I right or wrong?" Abe demanded.

"Now you arguing the way drunkards used to, Abe," Morris retorted. "And the consequences was that because a certain number of people claimed that getting drunk was a human right and one of the big personal liberties, like getting married and getting sunburned, y'understand, the law stepped in and stopped them from getting so much as beer or Rhine wine and seltzer, understand me."

"Well, it's a bit late in the day to argue about prohibition, Mawruss," returned Abe, "but at the same time, if there is any other countries which is going to experiment in such things, it might be just as well to handle the proposition from the purchasing end as the selling end.

"Which if prior to this country going dry, a man had been obliged to take out a license to buy liquor instead of to sell it, y'understand. Eddie Jonas whose funeral we went to last Sunday, Mawruss, might still be taking a modern amount of cocktails before dinner upon showing the bartender a license tag marked N. Y. 6-543-221 1923, instead of passing on from apoplexy caused by an immoderate amount of genwine one year old Scotch cut with genwine two weeks old corn liquor, y'understand.

"It's the same principle like licensing drivers of autimobiles. A driver who don't know how to handle



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an automobile gets his license taken away from him, so therefore, Mawruss, why shouldn't a drinker who don't know how to handle alcohol, get his taken away from him?" Abe continued.

"But how are you going to make this apply to book readers, Abe?" Morris asked.

The Censurer's Sad Fate.

"Well, so far as I am concerned Mawruss, I can read a re-elastic novel without no more getting shocked than if it would be Dun's Mercbantile Register or the Annual Report of the Bella Hirschkind Home for Cronic Masons, but there are people like New York City police magistrates and presidents of societies for the suppression of vice which seemingly couldn't open a re-elastic novel without it getting into the blood, 'understand," Abe said. "According to their own confession, Mawruss, such novels are suggestive to them, and therefore there ain't no more fit to handle such novels than a man who confesses that he has been arrested six times for speading, is fit to handle a 90 horse powed twin six, y'understand."

"Then it's your idea that novel readers should be licensed, and that no one should get a license if he was under the age of 18, a president of a society for the suppression of vice or a police magistrate, is that it?" Morris inquired.

"Well, what I am driving into Mawruss, is that I shouldn't ought to be prevented from reading a certain book which I want to read, whether I should ought to want to or not, simply because people who consider themselves to be censurers claims that such a book is suggestive and had a bad effect on them when they read it," Abe said.

"In effect, it's taking the book out of the hands of a perfectly safe person like me and giving it to a weak censurer who finds it so suggestive, y'understand that the first thing you know, he is going to get dangerous ideas into his head and will be ending up by eloping with a fellow censurer's wife, or something like that.

"The same thing applies to moving picture censurership, Mawruss," Abe continued. "Did you ever stop to think what a terrible effect uncensured moving pictures are having on the state boards of censurers, Mawruss? Them poor weak-minded people, nebich, is seeing every day thousans of feet of murders, robberies and elopements, and the influence of such scenes on people who confess that they consider them to be suggestive, y'understand, will sooner or later be dangerous for the rest of the community, Mawruss.

An Education In Crime.

"In fact, Mawruss, if I was an up-to-date detecative, y'understand, and I would be called in to find out who done a particular clever piece of poisoning or something, I wouldn't waste no time hanging around the scene of the crime.

"I wouldn't even try to find out who expected to benefit by the old man's death, and if so, did the for-the-time-being suspect buy any arsenic anywheres. Instead, y'understand, I would take the first train to Hollywood and make the rounds of the moving picture studios.

"At each one, y'understand, I would ask them to run off uncensured prints of all the pictures with poison mysteries in them, and I bet yer that it wouldn't be but a few hours work to discover that the crime was identical with three hundreds feet in the first reel of Slaves To Quinine. The records of the studio would then show them 300 feet had been cut out by the Pennsylvania board of censurers, and I guess it would be pretty easy to trace the movements of the members of that board on the night of the crime. Am I right or wrong?

"Also, Mawruss, if some of them moving picture censurers gets swept out of office next election by a democratic landslide and they have to find positions in business offices and factories," Abe went on, "there will be any amount of safes cracked in precisely the self-same fashion as in a couple hundred feet cut out by the censurers from the second reel of Sloppy Wives, a Fourth National Production. Furthermore petty cash and stamps will disappear from several offices the way it was done by Dick in Dust Is Dust, A Tantamount-Celebrated Films-Kotzki Picture, and there will be no difficulty whatever in fastening the crime on some ex-censurer because the incident was never permitted to get to the general public, and therefore moving picture censurers was the only ones exposed to its terrible suggestive influence."

"I wonder if moving picture censurers saves the pieces of fillums they cut out," Morris said.

"What for?" Abe inquired. "Future reference?"

"They could anyhow entertain their families with them in private, in the same manner prohibition enforcement officers blow their friends to three fingers of Exhibit A," Morris suggested.

"Well, there's a whole lot of entertainment value in what a prohibition officer suppresses by law, Mawruss, Abe concluded, "but I doubt if anybody is going to get much kick out of what a state board of censurers cuts out of a fillum, except of course a feller with an evil mind like a moving picture censurer."

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Mr. Dooley On Corporal Punishment

By FINLEY PETER DUNNE

"I see," said Mr. Dooley, "that a fellow east proposes an attack on th' good old English custom iv wife-beatin'. He wants to inthrajooce th' other good old English institchoohion iv a whippin'-post."

"He's all right," said Mr. Hennessy. "I'd like to have th' job."

"So wud I," said Mr. Dooley. "If th' law iver goes through I'll run f'r sheriff an' promise to give back all me salary an' half what I get fr'm th' race-thracks.

Not, mind ye, that wife-beaten' is much practised in this counthry. Slug-ye'er-spouse is an internaytional spoort that has niver become as pop'lar on our side iv th' wather as shoot ye'er neighbor.

An American lady is not th' person that anny man but a thrained athlete wud care to raise his hand again', save be way iv smoothin' her hair. Afther goin' to a school an' larnin' to box, throw th' shot, an' team, th' gentel crather has what Hogan calls an abundant stock iv repartee.

In me life I've known o'ay six habitchool wife-beaters. Two iv thim were lucky to beat their wives to th' sidefalk, an' I've rescued th' other four fr'm th' roof iv th' house with a ladder.

But now an' thin I suppose an American gintleman, afther losin' three or four fights on his way home, does thry to make a repytation be swingin' on th' ex-heavy-weight champion iv th' siminary f'r rayfined females, an' if she can't put th' baby on th' flure in time to get to wurruk with th' loose parts iv th' stove, 'tis this statesman's idee that she shud call a polisman an' have father taken down to th' jail an' heartily slapped.

Whipping-Post Unpopular With Wives of Wife Beaters.

An' he's right. No gintleman shud waggiop 'is wife, an' no gintleman would. I'm in favor iv havin' wife-beaters whipped, an' I'll go further an' say that 'twud be a good thing to have ivry marrid man scoorged about wanst a month.



"Two of them were lucky to beat their wives to th' sidewalk—"

As a bachelor man, who rules entirely be love, I've spint fifty years investigatin' what Hogan calls th' martial state, an' I've come to th' conclusion that ivry man uses vilence to his wife. He may not beat her with a table-leg, but he coerces her with his mind. He can put a savage remark to th' pint iv th' jaw with more lastin' effect thin a right hook. He may not dhrag her around be th' hair iv her head, but he dhrags her be her sympathies, her fears, an' her anxities. As a last raycoorse he beats her be doin' things that makes her pity him. An' th' ladies, Gawd bless thim, like it.

Th' whippin'-post, f'r wife-beaters won't be popylar with th' wives iv th' wife-beaters. In her heart ivry woman likes th' throng-arm. Ye very sildom see th' wife iv an habitchool wife-beater lavin' him.

Th' husband that gives his wife a vilet bokay is as apt to lose her as th' husband that gives her a vilet eye.

Th' man that breaks th' furniture, tips over th' tables, kicks th' dog, an pegs th' lamp at th' lady iv his choice is seen no more often in our justly popylar divoorce coorts thin th' man who comes home arly to feed th' canary. Manny a skilful mandolin player has been onable to prevint his wife fr'm elopin' with a prize-fighter.

"No, you won't find any malthreated ladies' names on th' petition f'r th' new govermint department. Th' whippin' postmasther gin'ral will have to look elsewhere f'r applause thin to th' downthrodden wives iv th' counthry. But th' department has come to stay; I hope, Hinnisy, to see its mission enlarged.

I look forward to th' day whin there will be a govermint whippin'-post, with a large American flag at th' top iv it, in ivry American city. Afther awhile we can attind to th' wants iv th' rural communities.

A fourth assistant whippin' postmasther-gin'ral will be sint to th' farmin' country, so that Cy an' Alick will get just as good a lammin' as Alphonso an' Augustus. He will carry a red, white an' blue post on his thravels, an' a special cat-o'-nine-tails, with th' arms iv th' United States an' th' motto, 'Love wan another,' engraved on th' handle.

Th' whippin-post will grow up to be wan iv th' foundations iv our govermint, like th' tariff. Whin anybody proposes to abolish it they will be met with th' cry: 'Let th' whippin'-post be rayformed be its frinds.' Th' frinds will build a bigger post an' put a few nails on th' lash. Ivinchooly people will quit goin' to Mt. Vernon an' make pilgrimages to Delaware, where th' whippin'-post has had such a fine moral effect.

Cruelty Civilization's Favorite

"Won't it be fine? Th' govermint gives us too little amusemint nowndays. Th' fav'rite pastime iv civilized man is croolty to other civilized man.

Ye take a Southern gintleman, who has ben accustomed to pathronize th' lynchin' iv naygurs. All other spoorts seem tame to him afterward. He won't go to th' theaytre or th' circus, but pines at home until there's another black man to be burned. A warden iv a pinitintchry niver has anny fun out iv life afther he loses his job. Judges in civil coorts sometimes resign, but niver a hangin' judge in a crimnal coort.

"Yes, sir, 'twill be a good thing f'r th' criminal an' a good thing f'r a spoort-lovin' public, but th' question that comes up in me mind is, Will it be a god thing f'r Uncle Sam an' a god thing f'r Sheriff Dooley.

Th' only habit a man or a govermint ought to pray again' nequirin' is croolty. It's th' gr-reatest dissypation in th' wurruld. Ye can't swear off bein' crool wanst ye begin to make a practice iv it. Ye keep getin' crooler an' crooler, ivry day in ivry waytill ye finlly think iv nawthin' but injurin' ye'er neighbor an' seein' him suffer.

"I mind wanst, whin I was a boy at home, a new smbool-masther come to th' hedge. He was a nice, quiet, nearsighted young fellow, an' he began be larrupin' on'y th' worst iv th' boys. But ye cud see in a Minyit that he was injyin, th' pastime.

At th' end iv th' month he was lickin' somebody all th' time. He used to get fairly dhrunk switchin' us. Glory be, it seems to me that I spint all me boybod days on another boy's shoulders. He licked us f'r ivrything, an' annythin' an' nawthin' at all. It wasn't that it done us anny good, but it gave him pleasure.

He's been dead an' gone these 40 years, an' I bear him no ill-will, but if I iver run acrost his ghost I'll put a head on it.

The Government As Corporal Punisher.

"So it is with Uncle Sam: If he begins to lick wife-beaters, before he's been at it long he won't have anny time f'r annythin' but th' whippin'-post. He'll be in his shirt sleeves all day long, slashin' away at counterfeiters, illicit disstillers, postal thieves, an' dimmyerats.

'No, Hinnisy, there ain't a hair's diff'rence between a blackguard who beats his wife an' a govermint that beats its childher. Ye can't cure cor'-poral punishmint be makin' th' govermint th' biggest kind iv cor'-poral punisher. Ye can't inflict cor'-poral punishmint onless ye're sthronger thin th' fellow ye punish, an' if ye ar-re sthronger ye ought to be ashamed iv ye'ersilf.

Whinivver I hear iv a big six-fut school-teacher demandin' that he be allowed to whale a 32-inch child I feel like askin' him up here to put on th' gloves with Dempsey.

"Whin a govermint or a man raysorts to blows it shows they're ayther afraid or lost their timpers. An' there ye ar-re."

"Spare th' rod an' spile th' child," said Mr. Hennessy.

"Yes," said Mr. Dooley, "but don't spare th' rod an ye spile th' rod, th' child, an' th' child's father."

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Ring Writes Of William The Jap Chambermaid

By RING LARDNER

To the editor:

The men that runs newspapers and magazines all over the country is always hollering for stories that has got human interest and it has occured to me they's no story that could be of more human interest than a story dealing with the servant problem so I am going to say a few wds. today in regards to the servant problem in Great Neck which I suppose it is practally the same all over the world only worse.

Well a great many people is aware of the fact that the main part of our family went to Florida during the winter and the most of them believes the reason that we went there was to get out of the cold weather but in reality we went there to give the servants a chance to resign which a servant is bound to do the minute the amusing members of the family leaves the house.

When they have got use to your merry jokes and witty conversation why when they are deprived of same they can't stand it no longer and just naturally quit.

So wile we was gone our little home was deprived of a cook and a Russian Pole chauffer who had became use to laughing their head off all day at the jocular remarks that was pulled around the home and when we come home we stumbled over 3 Japs that had been engaged to take their place.

These Japs being unable to understand how I talk was greatly disappointed on acct. of being expected to believe that their life would be one long minstrel show. So they quit one after the other but when a Jap quits all as you have to do is call up the Japanese agency and just say a Jap quit this morning and they will send you out a new Jap to take his place. It may be a Jap cook that quit and the new Jap that they send out may be a chauffer but any way you have got a new Jap.

William Hisses Good-Bye.

Well I am not going to bore anybody to death describing how many different Japs we have had and as a matter of fact could not tell you if I would because you can't tell by looking at them whether they are a new Jap or the same Jap we have had in the house the last 3 wks. But maybe you would like to hear about one certain Jap who was supposed to be a combination waiter and chamber maid and his name was Wm. and when he finally left the house I broke right down and cried.

Now for a long wile I was led to believe that Wm. couldn't talk but all as he could do was hiss and every time he saw me he hissed.

He use to come in the dining rm. and I would point to my coffee cup and say I would like some more coffee and he would hiss.



So I says good by Wm, with tears in my eyes and his reply fas a prolonged hiss.

Or he would come up in the rm. which I laughingly call my sleeping rm. and I would ask him to change the bed and he would hiss. I seemed like he just couldn't appreciate nobody.

Another one of his habits was in regards to hosiery and in order to tell you about it I will half to bear one of the inmost secrets of life namely that for several yrs. I been in the habit of wearing the same pair of sox twice. Well Wm. never heard of that before and it got so finely that I took off what I thought was fresh hosiery I hid them or otherwise he would throw them in the ash bbl. and that is the last you ever seen of that pr. of hosiery.

No was his reply I am going to stay here 3 yr. if you will keep me. But I want to go and see the Japs. What is Washington, Diah, I asked him and he said it was the capital of the U. S. So one morning he left our little home bound for Washington, Dish, and about 3 hrs. he called up from New York City and said he was $500.00 looser in a poker game and if we did not mind he would like to stay until he could get even.

So we told him to go ahead and get even and the next A. M. he called up again and said he was O. P. and would like to see us for a minutes and he come out and made the remark that he had win 5 thousand dollars in the poker game. So I says have you got it all in cash and he says no but he had it in merchandise and pretty soon he showed up with about $150.00 worth of clothes visible and he says when I have got as much money as I got now I can't work. I am going to quit.

So I says good-by Wm. with tears in my eyes and his reply was a prolonged hiss.

No Chance For The Throat Cutter.

That is all of Wm. but we had a chauffer pal of his that went away with the car for no reason and in about 20 hrs. he called up and said he was going to be right home. So we says come right home but when you get here you are through. So he says when I get there I am going to cut everybody's throat.

Well when he got here there wasn't nobody exposed to say nothing or their throat and that is the last we see of him. Maybe we don't know how to treat servants.

But there's a friend of mine here in Great Neck that only keeps one maid and they have got a maid's bath rm. for same and she had the maid for 3 wks. and she finely noticed the same bath towel that she put in there when the maid first come, why it was still in there at the end of 3 wks. So she said to the maid do you want to stay here and the maid says yes if you will raise me $3.00 a wk. and mine hostess says I will raise you $3.00 a wk. if you will take a bath every Saturday night and the gal says why should I, I never go anywhere.

Ring W. Lardner.

Great Neck, Long Island, May 11.

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New and Interesting Facts from Science and Life

Why Men Walk Erect and Animals Go On All Fours

WHY can man stand erect while the animal friends which are most closely allied to him anatomically must walk on all fours? Anatomists answer this question in the following manner:

The part of man's skull which is connected or set on the atlas, or top of the spine, is the centre, thus nearly balancing it on top of the vertebral column so that little effort is needed to keep the head erect.

In four-footed beasts, on the contrary, the skull is carried on the front end of the horizontal vertebral column or backbone, and needs special ligaments to sustain its weight. For instance, in the ox and sheep there is a great elastic cord running from the cervical vertebrae to the back of the skull, which helps to hold up the head.

Even in the highest apes the skull does not balance on the top of the spinal column; the face part is much heavier than the back, while in man the face parts are relatively smaller and the cranium larger, so that the two nearly equipose. To keep the head erect and look things straight in the face "like a man" is for apes far more fatiguing, and so they cannot long retain that position.

The human spinal column, gradually widening from the neck to the lower end of the column is well fitted to sustain the weight of the head, upper limbs, etc., carried by it; and its curvatures, which are peculiarly human, give it considerable elasticity combined with strength. The pelvis, to the sides of which the lower limbs are attached, is proportionately very broad in man, so that the balance can be more readily maintained during lateral bending of the trunk.

The arched instep and broad sole of the human foot are also very characteristic. Most of the four-footed beasts, as horses, walk on the tips of their toes and fingers. Such animals, as bears and apes, which like man, place the heel and upper instep on the ground, or in technical language are plantigrade, have a much less marked arch there. The number of small bones composing the vaulted instep, each of which can glide a little over its neighbors, but none of which can move much, is admirably calculated to break any jar which might be transmitted to the spinal column by the contact of the sole with the ground at each step.

A well-arched instep is rightly considered a thing of beauty; it makes progression easier, and by its springiness gives elasticity to the step.

The anatomical peculiarities of the human being, which allow erect posture, are, however, only fully apparent in the adult. In the infant the head is proportionately larger, which gives the centre of gravity of the body a comparatively very high position, and renders maintenance of the erect posture difficult and insecure. The curves of the vertebral column which occur in the adult are nearly absent and the posterior, or back limbs, are relatively very short. In all these points the infant approaches more closely than the adult to the ape. The subsequent great relative length of the posterior limbs which grow proportionately faster in childhood as compared with the anterior or front, makes progression on them more rapid by giving a longer stride, and at the same time makes it almost impossible to go on "all fours" except by crawling on the hands and knees. In other primates this disproportion between the anterior and posterior limbs does not occur to nearly the same extent.



Comparative Skeletons of Man and Horse. The Part of Man's Skull Which Is Connected or Set on the Atlas, or Top of the Spine, Is the Centre, Thus Nearly Balancing It on Top of the Vertebral Column So That Little Effort Is Needed to Keep the Head Erect. In Four-Footed Beasts the Skull Is Carried on the Front End of the Horizontal Vertebral Column or Backbone, and Needs Special Ligaments to Sustain Its Weight.

—Courtesy Popular Science Monthly

How the BODY Is COOLED by the ACT of PERSPIRING

THE act of perspiring is one of the most important functions of the body. Should this ever fail, death from poisoning may be the victim's fate. Perspiring is the secretion of a fluid, composed mainly of water, by certain glands in the skin. It takes place when the body becomes subject to overheating, due either to high atmospheric temperature or to the rise in body temperature brought about by excessive muscular work. The function of perspiring is to cool off the body through the evaporation of the water on the surface of the skin, the heat for the evaporation being absorbed from the body itself. The quantity of perspiration that a human being can secrete under the condition of great physical labor or violent overheating is surprisingly great. This may amount to four liters in a few hours, which is a greater volume than the blood in the body. How certain special functions of the human system accomplish this is explained by a writer in Die Umschau, a German scientific journal.

In the first place it has been found that the water that is removed from the blood during the process of perspiration is replaced by the inflowing of a liquid, rich in albuminous substances, from the muscles into the blood current. And, moreover, more fluid is added to the blood in this manner than is lost through perspiration, so that the quantity of blood becomes larger and the blood corpuscles are diluted.

Under the condition of long enduring or too violent perspiring, as takes place when the perspiration cannot be evaporated (as happens when one is taking a steam bath or is wearing a rubber raincoat), the water supply in the muscles becomes exhausted. No more water is removed from them and the immediate result is a thickening of the blood. The quantity of the blood becomes smaller and the blood corpuscles lie closer together than under ordinary conditions. Under these conditions you feel unable to perspire any more. There is then danger of a heat stroke.

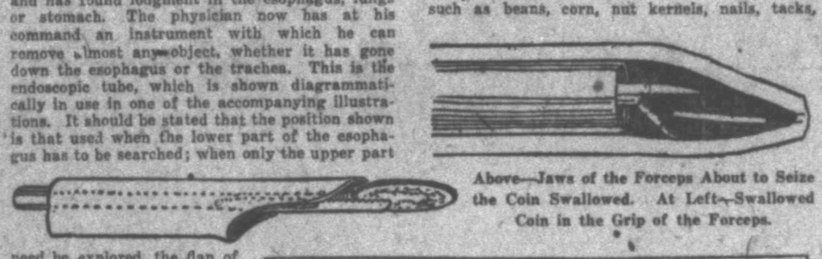
The danger of the blood's thickening is particularly emphasized when the body does not contain sufficient salt, as may occur on long tramps, when the body has not a chance to replace the salt, lost in the perspiration, by partaking of nourishment. The muscles can only yield up water in combination with salt, and as they must not lose their residual salt content, they similarly hold fast to the water. Consequently the condition, wherein the blood is thickened and the body is overheated, takes place so much the sooner, the less the supply of water and salt in the body.

When it is desired to dampen the heat of an oven it is possible either to increase the heat dissipation by hanging moist cloths around it, or to decrease the generation of heat by using less fuel in it. The same possibilities apply to the human system. Perspiring corresponds to the first case. It is not so easy to apply the heat reduction process to living organisms. For the high temperature engendered in the body causes the chemical changes taking place therein to be effected at a greater velocity with resulting formation of more heat.

Furthermore, perspiring is an energy-consuming process as well, and is consequently productive of heat just as well as is muscular action. This is the reason why overheating of the body, once it is started, proceeds with such rapidity. It has generally been held that it is not possible to ward off threatened heat prostration by reduction or control of the generation of heat within the body. There is, however, a tendency to conserve substance in the overheating process, with resulting reduction in the combustion process. While this does not have a direct effect on the generation of heat, it nevertheless serves to equalize the energy consumed in sweating and the effect of the increased temperature on the chemical processes of combustion.

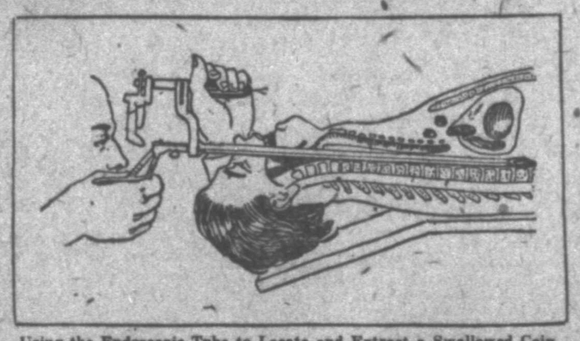
How to EXTRACT Accidentally SWALLOWED OBJECTS

ONE of the greatest advances made in modern surgery is the development of a method by means of which an operation is no longer necessary for the removal of any foreign object that has been accidentally swallowed and has found lodgment in the esophagus, lungs or stomach. The physician now has at his command an instrument with which he can remove almost any object, whether it has gone down the esophagus or the trachea. This is the endoscopic tube, which is shown diagrammatically in use in one of the accompanying illustrations. It should be stated that the position shown is that used when the lower part of the esophagus has to be searched; when only the upper part need be explored, the flap of the table is raised to the horizontal.



Above—Jaws of the Forceps About to Seize the Coin Swallowed. At Left—Swallowed Coin in the Grip of the Forceps.

The endoscopic tube may be from seven to thirty millimetres in diameter. Dr. Chevalier Jackson of Philadelphia uses the smaller size for infants and one ten millimetres in diameter for adults. The English doctors, D. R. Paterson and William Hill, have used tubes twice as wide. The tube is pushed carefully down the throat, with an electric light shining through it. The surgeon watches through the tube till he sees the coin and then inserts a fine bougie with a movable lobster-claw forceps at its end. With this he takes hold of the coin and withdraws tube, forceps and coin all together. If the coin be impacted or partially buried in the walls of the esophagus, the end of the tube smooths down the folds at is passes over them.



Using the Endoscopic Tube to Locate and Extract a Swallowed Coin. It Is Inserted at the Right Side of the Mouth.

Dr. Irwin Moore, surgeon to the London Throat Hospital, cites in the Lancet many cases in which blind groping for the coin has resulted fatally and many others in which by the endoscopic tube pennies, quarters and cents have been removed with the greatest of ease.

A serious situation arises when foreign objects such as beans, corn, nut kernels, nails, tacks, staples, etc., are inhaled into the lungs, as formerly their removal required extensive and highly dangerous operations or still more dangerous blind efforts at removal. According to a writer in Popular Science Monthly, less than 1 per cent. of such objects are coughed out again, and if the object is allowed to remain, various degrees of lung inflammation results.

Nut kernels, particularly those of the peanut, have been found to cause the most rapid, serious and sometimes fatal results, when drawn into the lungs by young children. The presence of a peanut in the lungs of a child under 1 year of age has caused death inside of 24 hours.

The older the child, the less severe the reaction. Peanuts or peanut candy should never be given to children before they have teeth to chew them thoroughly.

Metallic objects seem to be less irritating to the lower air passages, but if they are not removed extensive lung changes occur, sometimes simulating tuberculosis with such exactitude that patients with foreign objects in the lung have been treated in sanatoriums for this disease. In fact, it was formerly taught that patients with foreign bodies in the lungs ultimately died from pulmonary tuberculosis. Recent studies have proved this incorrect, for the tubercle bacillus has never been found in these cases, and recovery is complete when the foreign body is removed.

Was Methuselah Only 78 Years Old?

HOW old was Methuselah? Nine hundred and sixty-nine years is the age which this patriarch always has been credited. Now, however, scientific research has reduced the figure to 78 years and nine months.

Experts point out that there has always been a certain amount of doubt concerning the great age supposed to have been attained by patriarchs, and many theories have been evolved to reduce Biblical records of this kind to something near man's normal span.

According to an explanation given by a writer in London Tit-Bits, it is supposed that in the earliest times the month, or period of a moon cycle, was called a year. So that Adam's 960 years of life, calculating a year at 29½ days, the length of a lunar month, works out at 75¼ years.

After the month-year there would appear to have come a five-month year, the limit of five being derived from the fingers of one hand, for primitive peoples used the fingers for purposes of calculation. On the five-month year basis Abraham's 175 years shrink to 72, and Isaac's 180 to 74.

It is also pointed out that it is possible there intervened a six-month year, discovered by Jacob while watching Laban's flocks. Thus Jacob's 147 years work out at about 73.

The twelve-month year originated with the Egyptians, who saw that a complete period was made up of the two "years," in one of which the days were longer than the nights, and in the other the nights were longer than the days.

Just What Makes a Geyser Spout

WHAT makes a geyser and what causes the 'flame of fire' on Firehold Lake, Yellowstone Park?" are among the questions answered in a bulletin issued by the U. S. Department of the Interior.

After comparing the hot water spouts to volcanoes, and referring to them as "natural steam engines," the report continues:

"The heat from the hot lavas continuously applied to water at the bottom of the geyser tube, causes it to be heated to a high temperature, while the water near the surface is still cool. Eventually the water at the bottom reaches the pressure boiling point, when steam is formed, lifting the water above it, and causing overflow at the top. This overflow relieves the pressure, and all that part of the column, where the temperature was previously below the boiling point but now exceeds it, flies into steam and ejects the water above with great violence.

"The water thus erupted flows back into the tube or percolates through the porous lava, and is reheated for the ensuing eruption.

"'Old Faithful,' one of the more prolific of the geysers, usually erupts every sixty-five minutes. The water is thrown out to a height between 130 and 170 feet for four minutes. The estimated discharge is 200,000 gallons at each eruption."

Commenting on the "flame of fire," the bulletin says:

"At 100 yards to the extreme eastern end of Firehold Lake, the so-called flames are visible. There is a circular opening in the bottom of the lake. Through this vent, which usually stands full of clear, transparent water, numerous bubbles of mingled air and superheated steam rise gradually. Before reaching the surface they unite to form one large mass that in its upward passage strikingly resembles a flame of fire."

Compass an Ancient Invention of Chinese

THE Chinese are among the world's first navigators and as early as the thirteenth century were sending annually large trading fleets to the Sunda Islands, Java, and Sumatra, to the Moluccas and the East Indies. Here they came in contact with the Arabs, who were the sole intermediates for the sea trade between the East Indies and Western Europe. How the Arabs became acquainted with the crude compass of the Chinese, made some improvements and brought it to European waters, is described by Frank Krause in his "Master and Mate." The Arab merchant Ballak of Kipchak in his "Merchant's Guide" in the year 1242 (the year 640 of the Hedjira), says that the captains on the Syrian coast used the compass. The Venetians, Genoese and the navigators of the other Italian republics, Pisa, Amalphi, etc., then brought the knowledge of the compass to Spain, France and England. The first mention of it was made in 1190 by the troubadour Guyot of Provins.

In 1218 the Cardinal Jacques de Vitry says that the lodestone comes from India and that a steel needle which has touched it points to the Pole.

In 1260 the Florentine, Brunetto Latini, visited Friar Bacon in England, who showed him a magnet.

Can SPORTS REGENERATE MAN?

IT has been frequently assumed that participation in sport, if it became more general, would preserve the human race from physical degeneration; but in recent examinations of draftees, those who were in the habit of engaging in sport activities were not found to be better built or more robust than the others. On the contrary, a large proportion of the devotees of sport were assigned to the deferred class, on account of poor physical development or disturbed heart action.

"It would seem, therefore," says a writer in the Journal of the American Medical Association, "that we have greatly deceived ourselves, when, reacting against the gymnastics of the school and the army, we have maintained that sport and athletics would provide adequate physical training for children and adolescents.

"Dr. Ruffier, who has for many years studied the problems of physical education, analyzes the causes of this deception. What gives, he says, a special character to the exercise obtained in sport activities is the spirit of competition—the struggle between competitors who are endeavoring to defeat each other. This is, moreover, the view that young people take of sport. Their youthful enthusiasm, their pride, their desire to measure their strength against their fellows, lead them to take part in foot races, bicycle races, boxing matches and football, in which they find an opportunity of asserting their physical superiority. That is exactly why sport is bad for them and why its effect is absolutely nil as far as the regeneration of the race is concerned.

"Sport may be regarded only as a pleasing means by which those who are strong of muscle can exhibit their great physical qualities. On the other hand, sport can only be the cause of exhaustion, or at least an arrest of development, for children and weak adolescents. In order that a future champion in the Olympic contests may be discovered in a crowd of young men, just think how many must be overtrained.

MEDICINES Made from the SPIDER'S Silky WEB

SPIDERS of all species spin fine silken threads but not all of them weave sheet-like webs for entrapping prey. The silk is formed in large glands within the abdominal cavity. In the glands it is a sticky fluid, but on coming in contact with air it hardens into the form with which everybody is familiar. There are seven different kinds of silk produced by spiders. Most spiders secrete more than one kind, but none is able to produce all seven. Each kind of silk comes from its own peculiar gland and is spun out through its own opening. Spiders produce a sort of venom which is popularly believed to be capable of causing death if injected into a wound, but it is practically harmless.

How spiders and spider webs have been used to some extent in medicine is described by a contributor to the Pathfinder. Ancient practitioners seem to have used the bodies of the arachnids more as charms than as therapeutic agents. They recommended that spiders, wrapped in cloth or imprisoned in nut shells or leather bags, be worn about the person as remedies to cure various ills. Spiders were also boiled with oil of bay to make liniments or crushed into a pasty mass to form plasters. Such remedies were regarded as highly efficacious in relieving earache.

Spider webs have been administered internally for various ills. More than half a century ago an article published in a British medical journal called attention to the use of this remedy for malarial fevers, asthma and other diseases. It was recommended for allaying irritation and tranquillizing the system of chronic hysteria, rheumatic affections, morbid irritability of the nervous system, etc. Some authorities still consider spider web a valuable therapeutic agent.

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Why the MAKING of CHEESE Is Now Becoming a MOUNTAIN INDUSTRY

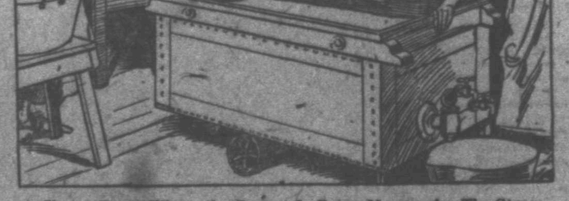
CHEESE-MAKING bids fair to become an industry of the South. The development of cheese factories in the mountain regions of the South as the result of efforts of the United States Department of Agriculture is shown in department reports. No cheese was shipped from the South before 1914. Although smaller lots were shipped earlier, the first carload of Southern cheese was shipped from North Carolina and Tennessee in 1918. This was a cooperative shipment from eight local factories and comprised about 16,000 pounds, the value of which was approximately 25 cents a pound.

Forty-three cheese factories now are in operation in the mountain regions of the South, where cold springs on each farm provide excellent facilities for keeping the milk in the proper condition. Abundant rainfall, luxuriant grass, high altitude and a moderate temperature all combine to make this region especially good for the production of cheese which can compete on the market with that produced in any other section of the country.

The most recent advance of the cheese-making industry in the South has been the perfecting of the marketing system, whereby one of the large packing companies periodically sends a refrigerator car to a central shipping point. Since the initial carload shipment from North Carolina and Tennessee carloads have been going forward nearly every ten days. A representative of the packing company receives from the various factories the cheese which is brought in by wagon and immediately issues a check to the local bank for all cheese received. The bank in turn promptly pays the patrons of the factories for the cheese.

The improved market service is not only creating much interest and enthusiasm for cheese production, but incidentally it is arousing interest in other farm products. Recently one of the field men of the Department of Agriculture was at one of the factories and observed many farmers bringing in wagonloads of potatoes, which were hauled to the cheese shipping point for shipment in a refrigerator car.

In a number of counties arrangements have been made to obtain cheese boxes from local lumber concerns in order to relieve the extra cost of shipping these boxes long distances.



A Cheese Room Where the Rennet Is Being Measured. The Steam-Jacketed Vats Are Also Shown, Where Any Acidity of the Cheese Needs Continual Testing While Curdling.

The Unhappy Financier And The Discontented Rube

By George Ade

Once there was a Stock-Exchange Midas who had great gobs of the Wherewith.

Day and Night he was hounded by those who were looking for Hot Tips or who wanted to touch him up for Denominational Colleges, or who had Good Things which they wished him to back with such Coin.

At last, in order to escape the wearing sound of the Ticker and get the Hard Knots out of his Nervous System, he ducked away to the Country and left word behind that he had gone to Europe.

He struck a Rest Cure, where every one dressed for Dinner and a full Orchestra tore off Popular Music. He saw the same Mournful Faces of the male and female Plutocrats who were trying to purchase Enjoyment at so much per Day, and they did not seem to have a tranquilizing Effect on him. So he wandered away from the Hotel and took to a quiet Country Lane, and soon he was in the Deep Woods.

The Silence was broken only by the Rustle of Leaves, the tapping of the Woodpeckers, and the occasional Stunt of some Feathered Warbler.

"This is where Man really belongs," said the track-sore Financier. "What an artificial and profitless Life we lead there among the Sky-Scrapers. Our Little Existence is rounded off with a French Menu and a few lines of Bromo-Seltzer in the Morning. We toil for years trying to get the Hammer-Lock on Fame, and when it comes to a Cash-In nobody knows whose Funeral it is, and the Trolley-Cars refuse to get out of the Way."

While he was thus Meditating he came to a Clearing in which there was a humble Shack with a dinky Little Garden behind it, in the Door-Way of the Model Cot sat a Rube who wore a heavy Fringe on the Sub-Maxillary. Above his Head bloomed the symmetrical Morning Glory, and the fresh smell of the Greenwood was mingled with the pleasing Odor of the Store Tobacco he was smoking, the while he spelled out the Long Words in a Newspaper.

"There's a Three-Sheet of Contentment for you!" said the weary Millionaire. "I wish I had his Snap.

Nothing to do except read about Crime and watch the Squirrels. No one to call him up on the Phone. No one to Sing awake at Nights wondering if the Prohibition Enforcement Officers are going to do. When he's hungry, all he has to do is put on the Griddle, gnh-a few Radishes and milk the Cow. No getting roped in to 6 Annual Dinners. No struggle to butt into the Headquarters of the Elite. How I envy him!"

So he approached the man behind the Whiskers and greeted him cheerfully, for he felt that he would fain know the Secret of True Happiness.

"You have a charming Joint here," said the Financier. "You seem to be quite a way from the hurry and turmoil of the World."

"Yes, it is very lonesome," was the melancholy Reply. "I should like to live on the Main Pike, but Land is too high. As soon as I sell my Hogs I hope to have a Telephone installed. Sometimes three or four Days will elapse after an important Prize-Fight ere I learn the Result. This failure to keep in Touch with Events is very trying to one who would be abreast of the Times."

"Why should The Outside World ent any Ice with you?" demanded the Millionaire. "Here you have a beautiful Sylvan Retreat. The Birds carol in the Trees. Nature is ever smiling. You are far removed from the carking Cares, the hard Throw-downs, and the Bunko Manipulations of the Coumercial World. Are you not satisfied?"

"How can I be when I read here in the Weekly about a Newport Shindig where they have $800 worth of Ice Cream? Why should I ride Horseback when you Folks have



A Three Sheet of Contentment

autos costing $7,000? I never go to see a good Show, and I haven't had my picture taken for six Years, and sometimes I don't have anybody come in to see me for Weeks at a Time."

"Why, you concatenated Chump, you have a two-acre Paradise here, and you don't know it," said the City Man. "I'd like to trade Places with you."

"I'll trade with anybody," said the Rube. "I'm tired of this Dog's Life."

"You're on!" exclaimed the Financier. "This is what I'll stake you to: You'll have a Spring-Bed with 4 Mattresses and a Canopy. You can lie there on the Husks and look at $90,000 worth of Paintings by the Old Masters. In the Morning a British Gentleman of Aristocratic Appearance will come and lead you to the Royal Porcelain, after which he will dress you, without your lifting a Finger. You shall have Silk Underwear and a Monogram worked on each Sock. At Breakfast you shall have Hot-House Grapes and everything else out of Season, and Flowers on the Table. After Breakfast you may step into a Limosine with a clock and a place for Calling Cards and ride to an Office where the Chairs are padded eight inches deep and all the Hirelings jump at your slightest Command. For Luncheon you shall go to a Club where you may meet those who have Money to burn; and if your Check is under $11, it shows that you are a Piker. You can stop Work at 3 P. M. and go for a spin in the Park. In the evening you can put on your Glads and drink $47 worth of Illegal Vintage Wines and take in two or three Theaters, and after that start in again and have something to Eat."

"You are stringing me," said the Rube. "Such Heavenly Joys as these never come to the poor Yap."

"I will let you use my Bank Account and you won't be a Yap," explained the Millionaire. "Go and revel in the Life that you read about in the Weekly Papers. All that I ask in return is the Use of one Blissful Month of this sequestered Snuggery, here among the Johnny-Jump-Ups and the bithesome Chickadees."

The Financier gave the Rube all the Credentials needed and shipped him to the roaring Metropolis. Then he sat down under the whispering Trees with nothing to surveintend except the rising and setting of the Sun.

Two weeks later, as the Financier was emerging from the Deep Woods he met the Rube coming in with a Pullman Car Towel around his Head.

"What, so soon?" asked the City man. "I've been against it for 25 years. Why should you pass it up after two brief Weeks?"

"For the first three or four Days it was Great Stuff," responded the Sufferer. "Then I began to tumble to the Fact that the shows were all about the same and that a $7 Lunch was a Delusion unless I had an Appetite. The Automobile was a Hit until some of the New Machines began to pass me, and then I lost interest. As soon as it was noised around that I had Stuff, I became a Mark for every known Con Game, so I tightened up and refused to see Visitors, and every one said I was a Snob, and the only Friends I had were the Waiters I tipped. So far as I can discover, the Rust-Head resulting from the Bubbles that cost $20 per Quart is the same old Feeling that we used to get out of Apple-Jack. In short, I begin to see that the Rich can afford all the Luxuries, but the Minute they begin to dope into them, the Trouble begins. I think I'm due for about one week of Absolute Calm. But what are you doing on your way to the Station?"

"Say, I don't like to roast your Establishment, but you have got the most tiresome lot of Birds I ever listened to," said the Financier. "Their Repertory is too limited. And that Cow has a Manner that is soothing for a Day or two and then begins to suggest an irritating lack of Versatility, as it were. I discovered, also a certain Monotony in the Antics of the Squirrels. As for the Weekly, I have read it all through four times, including the Sarsaparilla Ads, and along to the last the only thing that interested me was the Time-Table. I needed a good Rest, and I've had enough to last me fully 3 years. When I strike that Club to-night, I'll simply sign my Name to the Card and have them bring in the Whole Works from Caviar to Cafe Noir."

"I'm afraid there isn't any such Institution as a Paradise on Earth," remarked the Rube.

"Oh, yes, there is," said the Millionaire, "but we never find it twice in the same Spot."

MORAL: A Complete Change will always do one Good and sometimes do him in a Finish.

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CHAMP: SARAZAN EXPLAINS CORRECT GOLF GRIP

He Gives Details of Interlocking Hold



CORRECT



INCORRECT

U. S. Open Champion Tells How to Form His Favorite Grasp for Power and Direction.

BY GENE SARAZEN
World's Champion Golfer

Here are two pictures of the interlocking grip. One is correct; the other is partly correct—that is, the left hand is placed properly on the club, but the right hand is not.

In my last article, I told how the club should be laid across the base of the fingers. After the left hand is closed so that all four knuckles show, place the right hand on the club so that the V formed by the thumb and the forefinger is practically on top of the shaft and in direct line with the V formed by the forefinger and thumb of the left hand. As with the left hand, the base of the fingers of the right hand do the gripping.

Do not turn the right hand over too far; also do not hold it underneath the club (as indicated in the incorrect picture), because in that case you would be almost sure to obtain a fierce hook. If you hold the right hand too far on top, you lose power. The top picture shows the correct position for both power and direction.

Some players place the thumb of the left hand in the palm of the right, but my left thumb extends around the shaft. The hands are kept down or in towards the body. Don't hold them out in front of you, away from the body. Keep the hands in close.

Remember, both "Vs" in line on top of the club, four knuckles of left hand showing, and club held by the base of the fingers—there you have the entire synopsis of a correct interlocking grip.

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Married Life of Helen and Warren

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Helen's Ruse Saves Warren From the Disastrous Effects of His Temper

"Darn nuisance to hustle back!" Warren glowered at his watch as they left the restaurant. "We'd take in a show if it hadn't made a date with young Shelby."

"Why did you have him come tonight, dear? You know we dine out Nora's Thursday night off—and you always want to go somewhere afterward."

"Huh, expect me to keep track of the maid's day off? Got something else to do." Then with an irate thump with his cane. "That cub Shelby gets me sore!"

"Why isn't he the son of George K. Shelby?" protested Helen, impressed.

"If he weren't he'd have a fat chance of seeing me after not showing up yesterday nor the day before."

"He broke two appointments?" knowing Warren's scrupulous regard for time.

"Didn't even 'phone—moke 'em cold! Then had the nerve to call up and ask me see him tonight. If it weren't for the old man, I'd turn him down hard. Here, we'll take this," his cane signaling a taxi.

In the cab, Helen gazed wistfully out at the light-studded signs. The very air changed with an infectious gaiety, never had Broadway seemed more seductive. The lure of the theatre, of "going somewhere," made an evening at home seem dismally drab.

"If I could get him on the 'phone I'd call it off," chafed Warren. Then again consulting his watch, "Too late, he's started now."

The hall clock was just striking eight when they entered their apartment.

Hurriedly Helen turned on all the lights to lessen the depression of their enforced return.

There was never any of this restless discontent after a dinner at home, but the maid's Thursday off had come to mean dining out and the theatre.

"See here, I'll give that bird a short shift. How about going to a roof afterward?" demanded Warren.

"Oh, no, dear, we wouldn't feel like going out again," resignedly. "We'll go to bed early—you didn't sleep so well last night."

Her wraps off, Helen began her usual before-company "stage setting." She straightened the silk shades on the lights, smoothed the sofa cushions, and arranged every chair at its most effective angle.

"Huh, don't waste time dolling up the place for him," groweled Warren, scraping out his pipe. "Anybody that'd break two appointments—"

"But they must have a wonderful home," dressing up Pussy Purr-Mew with a fresh ribbon. "They've a big place at Tuxedo, haven't they?"

Warren's shrug disclaimed his interest. The wealth and position of his clients never impressed him.

Helen loved his independence, yet she was all a-flutter at the thought of meeting one of THE Shelbys—so prominently chronicled in society columns.

Half past! She hoped he would not be late. Warren, who had a passion for punctuality, might be curt and even discourteous.

Twenty-five minutes of nine! Fortunately, deep in his paper, Warren had not noticed the time.

Twenty of! Helen made only a pretense of reading as she nervously stroked Pussy Purr-Mew, dozing in her lap.

Quarter of! This time Warren heard the betraying chime from the hall.

"Eh? What's that? Quarter of nine? And that whelp not here yet."

"He must be delayed. You know the theatre crowds—it's almost impossible to get through the streets."

"That's no excuse! I made that appointment for 8:30."

"There!" she flew to the blatant telephone. "He's detained and calling you up."

But it was only Mrs. Stevens counting the address of Helen's seamstress.

Warren pacing wrathfully up and down, whirled about as she left the telephone.

"If that feather-brained shrimp's not here in five minutes, I'll not see him! He can't make a fool of me! I won't stand for any more of his damn nerve!"

"Now, dear, don't get all worked up. You know how the streets are at this time—he might easily be held up half an hour."

But as the minute hand moved relentlessly on, Helen's assurance weakened.

"Dear, that new elevator boy—he's so stupid! He might of said we weren't in. Wait, I'll ask him."

Out in the hall, the elevator came up in response to her excited ring.

"No'm, nobody's been here this evenin'. Yes'm, I been on since six."

Back in the library Warren had reached the explosive stage.

"Gave up our whole evening! Came back here to see that pin-headed pup—and he's got the gall not to show up again! Get me the telephone book. Here's where I talk to the old man!"

"No, no, wait 'til you think it over. Don't call him now—you'll only say something you'll regret. He's one of your biggest clients."

"What's that got to do with it?" belligerently. "Don't care who he is! I don't have to put up with any—"

"But Warren you can't afford to estrange Mr. Shelby!"

"I can afford to do what I darn please! I can get all the business I want without kow-towing to that old grouch or any of his tribe! Where's that book?" glaring about for the directory.

"Here it is," conciliatorily. "I'll look up the number for you."

Turning fumblingly through the "H's", Helen was sparring for time, straining for some pretext to keep him from telephoning.

If only she could make him wait until he cooled down. To call up Mr. Shelby now might be disastrous. An emergency always stimulated her resourcefulness. Her agile mind was evolving an expedient when Warren, savingly impatient, reached for the book.

"I have it—Plaza 8420. Wait, I'll get it," her plan now full-fledged.

Turning to the telephone as she took off the receiver, she cautiously held down the hook so the call would not register.

"Plaza 8426?" into the non-transmitting instrument.

Even had Warren not been pacing up and down, he would have not detected the ruse, for only her little finger rested unobtrusively on the hook.

"Plaza 8426? I'd like to speak to Mr. Shelby. Mr. George K. Not in?"

"Ask when he will be in!" thundered Warren.

"Do you expect him soon? He's out for the evening? Oh, thank you."

"Get the Metropolitan club!" ordered Warren. "That's where he hangs out."

Employing the same subterfuge, Helen called the club. She allowed a few moments' wait for Mr. Shelby to be paged before repeating that he was not there.

"I'll nail him the first thing in the morning—and give it to him straight! I'm through with that young cub of his! I don't do business that way."

But by morning, Helen knew he would be much cooled down.

Warren's explosions were fiery but short-lived. If only she could calm down his first volcanic splutterings, his after-thoughts were always deliberate.

That her artifice was safe, she was confident. He would never know that she had talked into an unconnected instrument.

"That's the first time any one ever broke three appointments with me," savagely. "And you can take my word for it—it's the last. Here, get out!"

Pussy Purr-Mew routed from his chair, he ripped open the latest monthly.

The silence that followed was stirred only by the turning of pages and the contented purring of Pussy Perr-Mew, who had sought the solace of Helen's lap.

It was after 10 when the telephone rang—a loud, portentous ring.

"Hold on, I'll answer that!"

Nervously apprehensive lest it be some message from the Shelbys, Helen tightened grip on the furry bundle in her lap evoked a protesting "Meow."

"Hello!....Yes ....What's that? ...Manhattan hospital? .... Not bad I hope?....I see....Thank you."

"Who was it, dear?" breathlessly. "Anyone hurt?"

"Young Shelby had an accident. A truck smashed up his car—but he got off with a few bruises. Said he'd be around tomorrow."

"Oh, I KNEW something had happened! Now aren't you glad you didn't storm out at his father? Wasn't it fortunate he wasn't in when we telephoned?"

"Yes, that was darn lucky. I was pretty sore! Might've put it too strong, and old Shelby's peppery himself."

"Dear, this ought to be a lesson! You should never do anything when you lose your temper. You're so explosive—you always want to blow right out!"

"Maybe I do. Yes, guess it's better to wait until you cool off."

"If you'd only remember that!" pressing that advantage, for he so rarely admitted his faults. "You might've said something that would've queered you with Mr. Shelby. Just think, to risk losing his business for the satisfaction of giving away for your temper."

"Why the post-mortems?" filling his pipe. "Worked out all right, didn't it?"

"Yes, but just because Mr. Shelby happened to be out. If you'd got him on the wire—"

"Well, I didn't! I'm usually pretty lucky," with irritating conceit.

Should she tell him? Should she admit her strategy and claim the credit for the unanswered call which Warren so egotistically attributed to his "luck?"

She longed for the praise he would have to concede her resourcefulness. She longed to hear him say: "By George, Kitten, that was clever! You saved the day that time."

But no, it was to valuable a ruse to divulge. If she told him now, she could never use it again. And with Warren's cyclonic temper, it might be often an expedient out of an equally difficult situation.

"Eh, what's eating you now?" noting her abstraction, as he crammed the tobacco into his pipe. "What's on your mind? Spit it out!"

"Nothing, dear, I—I was just thinking," reluctantly deciding against telling him. "You ought to make it a rule to count 50 before calling up anyone when you're in a temper. You're fiery. You really ought to—"

"Aw, stop chewing the rag! Here, give us a kiss and don't look so blame solemn! Came out all right, didn't it?" with exasperating complacency, as he puffed away. "Then why rub it in?"

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NEXT WEEK—A Midnight Intruder.

WORLD'S RICHEST WARDROBE FOR HER





Lady Elizabeth Bowes - Lyon's choice. Right, brown suede shooting suit with brown belt hat, a Paris creation. Left, gray straw poke bonnet trimmed with grapes and roses from a Paris modiste's shop.

PARIS, May 11.—The trousseau of an American heiress, no matter how many millions she represents, does not interest the Paris modiste today. One simply must be of the nobility, my dear, to get even a respectable amount of attention from the exclusively Paris shops where they are used to showing princesses lovely things for their trousseaux. They had scarcely recovered from the inflation of chests caused by Princess Mary (Viscountess Lascelles) choosing a half dozen hats here, then Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon comes along and gives them a new and even grander opinion of themselves by selecting several Paris numbers for her own modest trousseau, which is said to be the "world's richest wardrobe."

Of course you know Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, you would if you tried to buy a nice simple little hand-made blouse to take home to mother from Paris. Every saleswoman would carefully show you all the blouses from $50 up and cousually remark that the third one shown was like the one the Duke of York's fiancee bought for her trousseau. If that did not sufficiently numb you into taking a $75 blouse it certainly would keep you from asking what was to be had for "about $10, please."

Two Paris houses are just at present boasting of the fact that the British girl bought the smart hat shown here and the shooting costume in their maisons. The fact is a gay straw poke trimmed with blue-black and gold grapes and a rose is added, according to the usual French idea that every really smart hat is rose trimmed. The shooting suit is brown suede. It is a nobby suit with a slip-over frock in one piece and a box coat to match. It is very reminiscent of our own American sport clothes.

Armed guards patrolled the United Brethren cemetery in Concha City, Okla., to prevent oil men from desecrating the burial spot of 250 pioneers. The little churchyard stands like an oasis in the midst of a desert of oil derricks in one of the greatest petroleum-producing areas in Oklahoma. Oil men who came to inspect the graveyard were thrown bodily from the premises by the irate relatives who patrol the graves.

FROM SUE TO LOU WITH LOVE—A Very In-Tents Evening. —By Gettier



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ROUMANIAN BEAUTY TO WED IN WASHINGTON—Mme. Lucienne Nano, shown in her quaint native costume, is to wed Don Juan Francisco de Cardenas, counselor of the Spanish legation.





FOUR-INCH GUN AND ITS CREW PUTS KIBOSH ON RUM FLEET—Coast guard cutter Seneca, which opened fire on rum runners off Jersey coast, scatters fleet for first time since bootleggers established three-mile limit market.



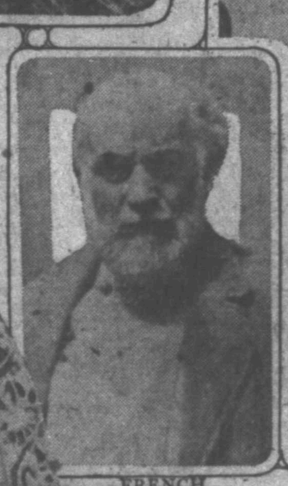
SHOVEL ARTIST—Lieut. Gov. Alvan T. Fuller of Massachusetts planting a tree on Massachusetts avenue, Washington, to be dedicated to Abraham Lincoln. Senator Lodge at governor's left.

JAPANESE PRIEST—Rev. Compo Yamamoto, abbott of Ryutakuji, and M. Hanihara, Jap ambassador to U. S., snapped en route to visit president.

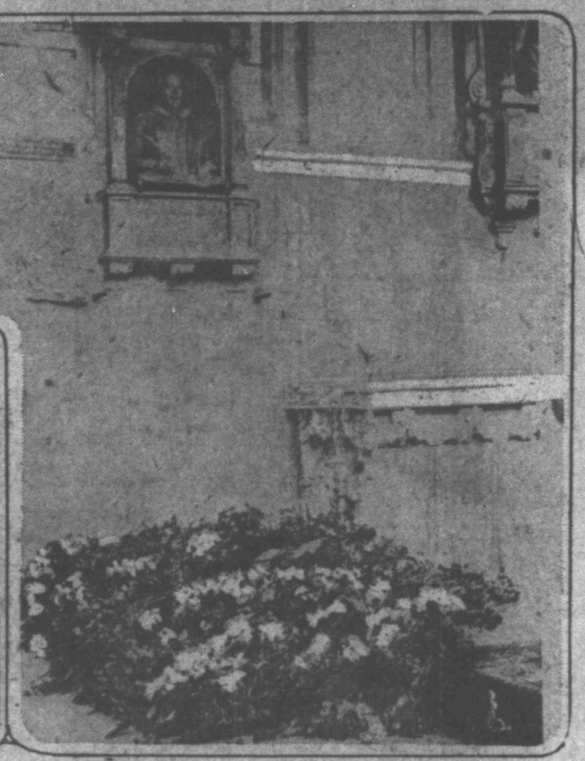


MOUTH ORGAN—Champ, Jimmy Tyson, 15, Philadelphia, gets week's theatrical engagement as reward.





FRENCH SCULPTOR—M. Jeane Bourdelle, completes monument of doughboys arriving in France.



STRATFORD ON AVON CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY—Of William Shakespeare with elaborate ceremonies. Photo shows flowers in chancel of church in front of poet's monument.

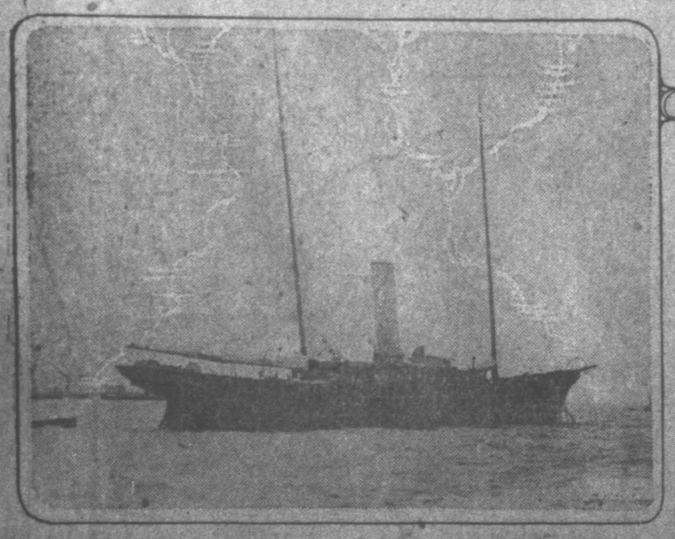


YALE TROUNCES CORNELL—In first intercollegiate polo match. Blue's crack quartet scores first blood in initial game of polo tourney at Port Hamilton, Brooklyn, by defeating Cornell 20 to 3. Photo shows Yale rushing ball.

BEAUTIFUL COMMONER MAY BECOME ENGLAND'S QUEEN—London reports have it that Prince of Wales is to renounce throne in favor of Duke of York, which would make the Duchess of York, formerly Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon queen some day.



CAT MOTHERS YOUNG SQUIRRELS WITH KITTENS—Beautiful white feline of Fred Weirs, Bacon, Ill., is raising two young squirrels along with her personal family of five pure white kittens. The squirrels, found by two boys, were given to the cat just before her own family arrived.



HA! WATSON, PAGE SHERLOCK HOLMES—Bayard Brown, American millionaire, for past thirty-four years has lived aboard his yacht, "Valfreyia," which never sails. It is maintained at Brightlingsea.



ITALIAN PRINCESS AND HUSBAND HONEYMOON AT NICE—Left to right, Princess Yolanda, the Duchess of Acosta, and Count Valvo di Bergolo, husband of the princess, at the Concourse Hippique, at the famous French resort.



ITALIANS TEST AIR AMBULANCE DURING MILITARY MANEUVERS—Photo shows newest Italian ambulance, a Caproni airplane, just returned to Rome after a successful tryout during recent military operations. Note the two wounded men shown strapped to the rear of the fuselage.

The Curious Code of the "Broadway Mother"

And How Novelists and Playwrights Are Now at Work on the Latest Phase of a New-Old Plot, the Motive of Women Who Derive a Profit from Their Daughters' Delinquencies.





Evan Burrowes Fontaine, Whose Mother Was Locked Up in Jail with Her on Perjury Charges Growing Out of Her Affair with the Youthful Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney.

Frank Reicher as the Distracted Father in "Ambush" Asks His Broadway Butterfly Daughter (Florence Eldridge) to Account for Her Jewels in the Presence of Her Conniving Mother (Jane Wheatley).



As an aftermath of the mysterious chloroforming to death of a "butterfly" of New York's white lights comes the news that novelists, playwrights and, preachers are at work on the theme which they have come to regard as outstanding in this and other recent sensational cases—the attitude of the Broadway mother toward her bejeweled daughter. Next season is sure to see at least one melodrama depicting the slow understanding by the father and also the mother's condonence. It isn't altogether a new plot. The Theatre Guild put on such a play—"Ambush"—a season or so ago. And there have been other similar real life dramas of the mother profiting by the daughter's trafficking in her physical charms. Herodias and Salome for example.



Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, Jr., as His Mother—Evan Burrowes Fontaine—Calls Him.

Here He Is Shown Playing with the Sheriff's Dog in the Jail Yard at New City, New York.

Dorothy King, the Broadway Butterfly Whose Mother Inherited Money Lavished on Her by John Kearsley Mitchell, Son-in-Law of E. T. Stotesbury, Philadelphia Millionaire and Society Leader.

By Winifred Van Duzer

IN a blue-gray smoke-cloud swirling round her like incense, save only that the odor was one of scorching grease, the Priestess of the Gas Stove conducted the ceremonial of the evening meal. Bowed shoulders; a throat covered with red flesh like India-rubber lying in folds, curiously challenging some act of charity to shake it smooth; dull eyes in a "cooked" face. Yet once there had been beauty there. Stringy hair, still bright, curled at the ends. The slattern's features were regular as the lines of a cameo.

A door swung open and slammed. The girl who stood before it, disgust on her face, was a living copy of what the woman once had been. The veriest glance proved it. Slender body with grace in every careless line—a flower-like face marred ever so slightly by sullen lips.

"I'll have something to say to your father about you, young lady!" The mother's voice was shrill. "He'll tend to you. I guess we got some authority——"

"Just cut it out, mom. And, say, why don't you fix yourself up some?"

"Mamie——"

"Don't you call me 'Mamie'! 'Marie' is my name. And while you're mentionin' it, Father WILL have something to say to me—I guess not! I'm past eighteen, and my own boss. You might as well know more while I'm tellin' you"—she fumbled at her collar and drew forth a string of pearls, pink and lustrous—"these beads are mine now and I'm going to wear them when and where I please!"

Pure fear drove the cooked flush from the mother's face. The dull eyes dripped tears.

"Mam—Marie! You didn't get that for nothing! You didn't—you didn't! Oh! Oh! That my little girl should bring me shame! I who always lived right——"

"Yes! And what did it get you?"

Mamie—become Marie—moved. She took up her abode in a parlor, bedroom and bath duplex, with a colored maid whose duties partly were concerned with caring for her clothes. She had clothes to care for.

And a headache of early mornings which wore off along toward evening, provided sleep was undisturbed. And she was put to the necessity of studying the whims and humors, fancies and dislikes of a Certain Party. That Certain Party—always hovering in the background, like a shadow on a garden—became her "job." She learned him and became expert at him.

But by this time the net was thrown not only around Marie, but over the fifth-floor walk-up flat in Harlem. Mother, gray and worked-out, yielded to the little pleasantries that Marie showered into her gray and worked-out life. What though they came with the mystery which is the soft tread of shame? Mother closed her eyes and told herself that perhaps, after all, it wasn't so bad as she had feared. Marie knows how to look out for herself. And a new dress after seven years' wearing of the old one was an event in her drab round of thwarted days!

But there is no pausing on the Primrose Path. It ends always in a morass. And it is after the ending of each separate one that the public reads, sometimes in great, black headlines that in themselves are like flags of death, the stories of the Dorothy Kings, the Evan Burrowes Fontaines, the Frances Beckwiths, and—in some measure—the Flo Leeds—who have set out to "live their own lives" and eventually run afoul of the immutable laws of compensation.

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What are the thoughts that go through their minds—these Broadway Mothers—on nights when the wind blows rain against the panes? Do they feel triumph that they have brought a new maiden to the temple of Ishtar in the greatest Babylon of all time? Do they look backward upon girlhood days gone, eternally gone down the years; starved, disappointed days piling bitterness upon bitterness which now they feel avenged by the sacrifice of another?

Or do they, indeed, accept the gifts of dishonor hoping that by narrowing the separation in such manner they may be on hand to salvage when the youthful feet take that final step into the quicksands so cunningly stretched across the primrose trail?

It is said by certain of those who understand the Broadway mother and the Broadway daughter, that along the roaring forties and the flossy fifties a mother with a pretty daughter is like a man with a useful invention. And when Daughter finds a rich "protector" Mother is filled with joy, in the same proportion as is the society mother whose debutante daughter makes a desirable match. But this theory would seem to be not altogether true in that some of the mothers refuse to become "Broadway mothers" when their daughters rush into the glare of the lights, casting them off instead, butterfly wings and all. Thus the action of Mrs. James S. Lawlor, humble wife of a humble plumber, mother of "Flo Leeds," whose friend was James A. Stillman, the banker.

Mrs. Anna Keenan, mother of Nancy, who became "Dorothy King" and was slain in her duplex apartment on a fashionable street in New York, never cast off her daughter. Instead she always pleaded with her to return to the up-town flat. But Nancy was in the position of dozens of other girls. They don't want to be like their mothers. Drudging about a bleak home, raising a dissatisfied family, growing always less attractive, learning make-shift methods of managing. What does such a life—reason the girls—of ultra-respectability and very little else—mean to one of them?

"I have morals, but I don't use them," is a favorite line on Broadway. And matrimony has less to do with getting a good man than with finding a good thing—whose matrimonial bonds may be shared with some other woman, as far as that's concerned!

There must be terrific scenes in the homes of some of these girls during their transformation into Broadway daughters. Conflicts between old and young; reproach, recrimination, words that sear; anger leaping like white-hot flame before Mother admits herself beaten and quiescent. Then perhaps the slow making over of Mother; the destruction of principles she always has regarded as a commonplace part of life by a process cunningly insidious as the working of opium. Or the efficient cornering and holding at bay of a personality always a slave to its motherhood. Long, bitter silences; weary tears. Then Mother learns tact as Daughter grows more and more likely to "start something" upon slightest provocation. A deceptive smoothness follows and Mother pushes back her fears for a time.

But other members of the family may not be so discreet. Each has his or her notion with regard to conduct of others, and is willing to air it together with what "they say." So the chances are about nine out of ten that Daughter packs her grip and gets out. But she doesn't forget the folks back home, midst all her luxury. In her own mind, no doubt, she squares herself with life by being "good" to "the old lady" and the others. Money works wonders in the walk-up flat. And the impulse in the beauty-starved life is to reach for beauty. Thus Mother commits herself and must defend herself, and to do so she must defend Daughter and her conduct as well!

Such appears to have been the position of the mother whose daughter was the protegee of John Kearsley Mitchell, Philadelphia millionaire and member by marriage of the illustrous Stotesbury family, whose nom de Broadway proved to be Marshall, after death tore away all secrets. Perhaps such was also true of Mrs. Florence Evan Fontaine, who, with her beautiful daughter, Evan Burrowes Fontaine, the dancer, landed inside the bars charged with perjury in connection with the action brought against Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, Jr., claimed by Evan to be the father of her baby boy.

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Spending $75,000,000 a Year on Faces!

"Five Hundred Dollars a Minute for Rouge and Lip Stick!" Exclaims the Dean. "That's Less Than Five Cents a Week for Every Woman in the Country," Replies Miss America as She Powders Her Nose.





You Could Steam Your Scalp in Your Own Home, if You Had the Implements—as Miss Dorothy Leonard is Doing for Miss Margaret Greve—but Most Women Find It Is So Much Easier to Pay Their Dollars to the Hairdresser.



Lifting the Face Costs Anywhere from a Few Hundred to a Few Thousand Dollars. Dr. W. Augustus Pratt Here Demonstrates the Process.



Of Course It's Just a Fad, but the Beauty Shop Will Give You a Black Enamel Manicure if, Like Miss Louise Raymond, You Want to Be Different.



A Water Wave Lasts About a Week and Costs $1.50. So Madame Can Spend $75 a Year Just on This One Item. Miss Dorothy Leonard Is Here Showing How Simple It Is.



That Peach-Bloom Complexion Is Often the Product of a Facial Massage with Nice Clean Mud. Miss Beatrice Hereendeen Shows How it Can Be Done at Home, Saving the Two Dollars the Beauty Specialist Charges.

You Can Burn Up Five or Ten Dollars in an Hour and Get Your Skin Beautifully Burned Into the Bargain by Employing This Sunburn Beauty Treatment Which Has Been Imported from Paris.

"THE fatal gift of beauty" has become more than a poet's song in this femininely progressive America we love. "Fatal" in many a manner unguessed by a heedless public. For while hearts and heads have gone down to the lure of beautiful eyes and hair and complexions, fatalities to bankrolls, according to sociologists, economists and proprietors of beauty-shops themselves, have been terrific!

Ralph E. Heilman, Dean of the Northwestern University School of Commerce of Chicago, says right out for the world to hear that the United States is tumbling down the toboggan, financially and spiritually, on an avalanche of face powder. Seventy-five million dollars each and every year is the figure he names as the price of feminine artificial beauty in our land. This figures out more than five hundred dollars a minutes during the working day. He goes on to remark bitterly that it is about fifty per cent. more than the total endowment of all universities and private colleges in the country.

His figure, according to others who have made a study of assisted feminine pulchritude, is a conservative estimate. They declare that of all the women in the United States, one-tenth spends an average of two dollars each week upon cosmetics, the services of beauty doctors and other forms of youth and loveliness insurance!

These investigators point out that the popularity of the artificially beautiful woman is increasing steadily throughout the country and that new devices for insuring comeliness where it never was conferred at birth are many and strange and fabulously costly!

However, a famous leader of thought arises to reply that one would consider Columbia a vain, painted hussy, if one were to consider merely the lump sum of the cosmetic bill presented by Prof. Heilman. However, divide seventy-five million dollars among all the women of the country, goes on this philosopher, and it works down to less than five cents a week for youth insurance! Taking it by and large, they could, with benefit to all, spend yet a little more on their make-up, he states!

Directly after this little argument a convention of beauty culturists in New York City let the world in, to some slight extent, upon the secrets whereby they capture and hold the freshness of sixteen and the charm of twenty-one for all women of whatever age!

These are some of the newer and stranger devices lately put to use in the pursuit of pulchritude:

Sunburn treatment machine for creating artificial sunburn.

Plastic surgery, for removing wrinkles and lines.

Black enameling for finger-nails.
Electric cap for treatment of the hair.
Scalp steamer for curling the hair.
Water bag for waving the hair.
Cream for reducing weight.
Electric lighting system for illuminating vanity bags.

And of course there are many, many other less spectacular good-looks creators, such as the clay mask for clear skins, the violet ray for that tired expression, false eyelashes, transformations, false red for the lips, false pink for the cheeks, pictured dimples, whitene for the hands.

This secondary list of things, most of which may be purchased in boxes or cans over counters of drug or department stores, considerably swells the number of dollars that are rolled into the beauty-shop coffers each and every week.

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All of which being as it may, there is at least one champion of beauty, real or realistic, in these United States who believes in backing up conviction with hard work.

When New York State Senator Robert C. Lacey of Buffalo announced that he believed it his duty to ask legislation directing the inspection of all beauty parlors, Mrs. Ocea Irwin Coyle, whose own beauty is her own and altogether evident as such, came forward and announced that the Senator was all wrong, since the very last place in all the world for a man is the room in which some woman is being made comely.

The senator's bill, which was aimed at least in part at barber shops, would drive from their stronghold the entire clientele of the beauty shops, according to Mrs. Coyle, who claims that no woman would allow even her husband or sweetheart to see her while in process of being beautified—much less a strange inspector man—and the country thereupon would become a drear, dun place in consequence, because feminine beauty would end.

"In this day of constant struggle of women to be beautiful," said Mrs. Coyle, "do you suppose any woman wants anyone else to know that she visits a beauty shop? She wouldn't have her closest friend discover how she manages to keep her eyelashes long and glossy and her skin clear! But at the same time she spends as much money as she possibly can spare to acquire as much beauty as she possibly can.

"Does she deceive the men? Why certainly! She will not tell anyone who pays her a compliment on her appearance of the hours she spent in order that she might be more alluring in his eyes that night.

"Instead she will say: 'That is because my thoughts are beautiful. I think only of lovely things, particularly of you. Therefore, the beauty of my thoughts is reflected in my face.' And she probably wouldn't fib about another thing in the world exceeting her beauty, her age and the size of her feet!

"A girl has a beautiful marcel wave. Some one compliments her. She declares that she has discovered a new way of brushing her hair. A woman with bags under her eyes comes to a beauty parlor. We put cotton soaked in witch hazel on the eyes. She falls asleep. When she awakens she looks like a different person. But she never tells how she accomplished it—not she!

"Day by day we are striving to be more beautiful, and the result is that men can't tell the difference between a woman of forty and a girl of twenty. They look the same. We even now remove veins from the hand—the tell-tale of age. Women of sixty leave beauty parlors looking like women of forty. In consequence, young men fall desperately in love with women old enough to be their grandmothers!

"There is no such thing as gray hair. People say it is marvellous how women escape it. But the fact is that gray is transformed to henna or blonde under the skilful hands of the beautyist. And the white-haired woman has her hair cut short and wears what a man would call a wig. But we call it a 'transformation.' It weighs an ounce and three-quarters and hooks so fast to the head that there's no danger of it blowing off."

Despite the fact that in Cleveland, teachers in the public schools have opened war on rouge and silk hose, and despite the further fact that Miss Mary Katherine Campbell of Columbus, Ohio, won the distinction of being adjudged the most beautiful girl in America with no cosmetics, the struggle for artificial beauty has grown to such astonishing proportions that even in China and Japan it is being reached for. At the last Beauty and Cosmetics Show held in New York, the heaviest buyer was a Chinese in Mandarin costume. He said that powder, rouge and eyebrow pluckers are the most desired of all articles in his country.

Washington is considering the plan of establishing courses in manicuring and shampooing in one of the Capital's vocational schools. How juries are likely to feel about feminine charm seems to be indicated in the judgment of $20,000 which Frankie Darling, dancer, will ask from the Southern Pacific Railway Company for the destroyed symmetry of her nose which was broken when a train lurched and threw her down.

As for the stick of grease dyed red which modern women rub across their lips to insure beauty of coloring, a member of the staff of the Dermatology Department at Columbia University declares that the fatty substance serves as a coating on the delicate skin and keeps off germs, especially such as might be picked up in kissing! Another skin specialist has compared the lipstick to a waxy fly-paper to which germs stick instead of finding their way into the mouth.

But most interesting, perhaps, of all the feminine charm devices is the set of lamps which produce and emanate ultra-violet rays, concentrated by strong reflectors, upon the face, neck, shoulders and arms of women—mostly Parisiennes as yet—who wish to look as if they had enjoyed a long out-of-door holiday. It manages every appearance of a summer at shore or mountains instead of a mere morning hour or two in the beauty parlor.

Moralists may thunder denunciations, economists may view with alarm, but every day sees more beauty parlors bidding for milady's patronage and more preparations put on the market to lure her dimes and dollars from her pocketbook. And the women keep spending at the rate of $500 a minute.

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STOP!
YOU'LL HAVE TO WAIT TILL I LAND

Boob McNutt


BOOB, DARLING, I'VE GOT $77, JUST ENOUGH FOR OUR WEDDING AND HONEY-MOON
FINE! WE'LL START NOW IN MY TAXI
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PEARL, MY LOVE, I HATE TO GET MARRIED ON YOUR MONEY, BUT LOVE IS LOVE
THAT'S ALL RIGHT, DEAR-YOU CAN PAY ME BACK WHEN YOU GET RICH
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I CAN'T MAKE IT GO- I'LL HAVE TO CALL A MECHANIC
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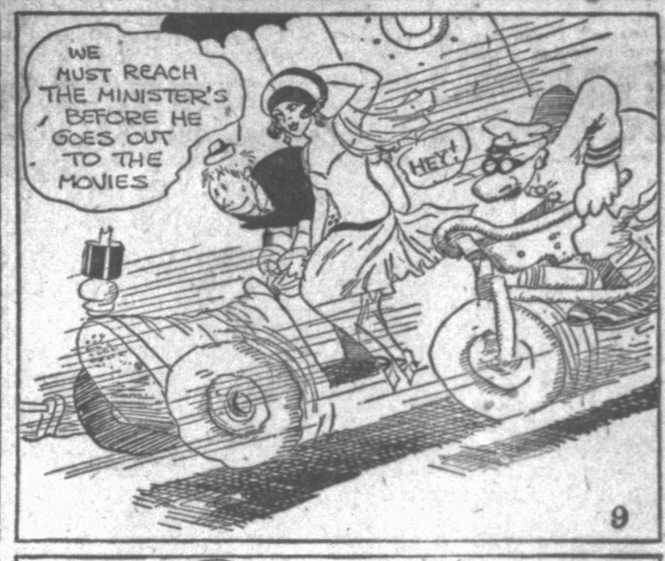

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ALL RIGHT, DOC
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$17.62 PLEASE
I'LL PAY IT
WE WON'T FIGHT ABOUT IT
5


A PUNCTURE!
WE MUST GET A NEW TIRE- WE HAVE NO TIME TO LOSE
BANG
6


THIS TIRE IS GUARANTEED FOR 66,000 MILES AND ONLY COSTS $48.10
BUT I WON'T LIVE LONG ENOUGH TO GO 66,000 MILES!
I'LL PAY FOR IT, BOOB
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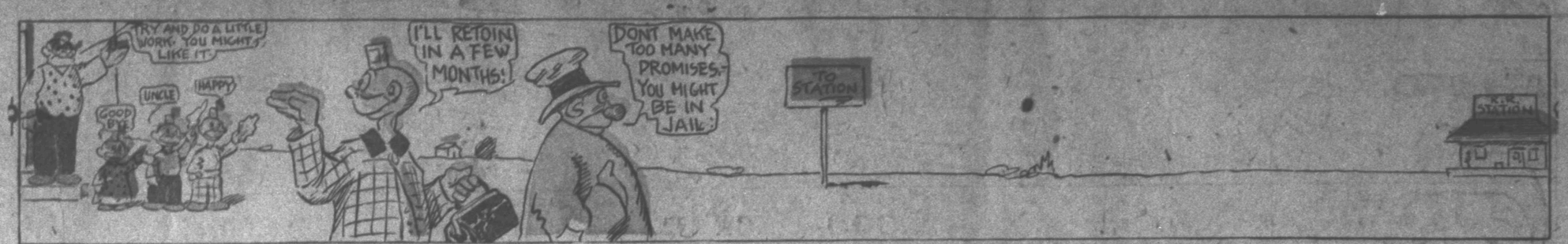

MORE MONEY?
HOW MUCH?
TOLL BRIDGE- $1.28 PLEASE
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WE MUST REACH THE MINISTER'S BEFORE HE GOES OUT TO THE MOVIES
HEY!
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BE IN COURT IN FIFTEEN MINUTES
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$10 FINE!
MY LAST NICKEL
"Copyright, 1923, by Star Company"
"GREAT BRITAIN RIGHTS RESERVED"
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BOO HOO!
FOR SALE
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Down on the Farm



