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SENATE WINS STEWART'S CUSTODY

Forecast Is for Colder Weather

TEN TO TWENTY DEGREES HERE PREDICTION OF GOVERNMENT AS LIVESTOCK WARNING IS ISSUED

Sub-freezing temperatures reported from a goodly portion of North Texas last night and today were to drop still lower tonight with minimums below freezing to extend to the east coast.

A hard freeze with a minimum temperature of from 20 to 25 degrees, was expected in Northeast Texas with a low of 29 degrees in store for the East Texas coast. Livestock warnings are being issued both in Northeast and Northwest Texas.

In the northern portion of West Texas minimum temperatures of from 10 to 20 degrees are forecast, the edge of the freezing belt extending well to the south.

Lowest temperatures reported last were: Abilene 30; Austin 56; Brownsville 66; Corpus Christi 64; Dallas 32; Del Rio 54; El Paso 38; Galveston 60; Houston 62; Palestine 58; San Antonio 64; Taylor 48 and Ballinger where the temperature dropped 45 degrees in 12 hours, 29 degrees.

DROP 48 DEGREES HERE TEMPERATURE DOWN TO 27

A 48-degree drop in temperature within a few hours sent the mercury here down to a minimum of 27 degrees early Thursday and left Wichita Falls shivering in the grip of a blue norther.

Since 5 p. m. Wednesday the maximum temperature was 75 degrees and the minimum 27. The

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HOME TOWN TALK

By B. D. D.

A letter from Harry Hines, general chairman of the grand opera guarantors organization, to this home town talker as one of the guarantors, says that with less than a week to go on, only about $19,000 worth of tickets for the operas have been sold. As Mr. Hines points out there is very apt to be a deficit unless something is done and done at once.

Mr. Hines especially points out that very few of the $10 seats have been sold and says that there is a prospect of the performers facing the best seats of the house empty for which the guarantors will have to pay. A whole lot of folks who could well afford more expensive seats and some of the guarantors among them, it is reported, have bought $3 and $5 seats. Mr. Hines suggests that these folks turn back their $5 seats and $3 seats and buy $10 seats, the more especially since there is danger of a shortage in the lower priced seats.

And as is often the case in many things the people of very moderate means are doing their part toward supporting the grand opera better than some of the folks of wealth. Here's what Mr. Hines says about it in his letter to the guarantors: "And let me state right here that if the citizens of Wichita Falls who can afford to buy seats for grand opera were doing their part in proportion to these students, teachers, clerks and others similarly situated there would not be a deficit staring us in the face."

Mr. Hines' letter is addressed to the guarantors. Of course the guarantors are financially and primarily responsible for the success of the opera. But without any desire to lessen their sense of responsibility it may be said that all Wichita Falls has a responsibility, and what Mr. Hines says to the guarantors might well be taken to heart by all of Wichita Falls. He concludes his letter with para-

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JURY NAMED TO TRY DUKES ON MURDER COUNT

The introduction of evidence was to start in the 89th district court Thursday afternoon after the entire morning had been required to complete the jury to try G. W. Dukes on a charge of murder in connection with the death on October 9, 1926, of Grady Morgan, a truck driver.

The special venire of 75 called for the case was exhausted at about 10 a. m. Tuesday, eight jurors having been selected up to that time. Members of the regular panel for the week, of which there are about 60, then were called and from among them the remaining jurors were chosen.

The questioning of prospective jurors began early Wednesday afternoon.

The state alleges that Morgan died as a result of being struck over the head by an automobile pump in the hands of Dukes.

Charles I. Francis, attorney for the defense, asked each prospective juror if he believed in the law of self defense.

James V. Allred as special prosecutor, Ben Allred, district attorney, and E. F. Fruechte and Sam B. Spence, assistants to the district attorney, are conducting the prosecution.

MAN HURT IN AUTO CRASH WILL RECOVER

KANSAS CITY, Kan., Feb. 23. (AP) Joseph Lecompte, Oklahoma City, injured last night when a motor car overturned on Victory highway, near White Church, Kan., killing Leslie O. Wells, Lawrence, Kan., garage owner, was reported much improved today. Physicians said he was only bruised and would be able to leave the hospital tomorrow.

Were You Born On February 29?

Were you cheated out of three-fourths of your birthdays? Does leap year mean your only chance to celebrate your natal day?

Or did you marry on February 29, to save the expense of buying a wedding anniversary present every year?

If you were married or were born on February 29, the Times wants your name and address, and the date of your birth or marriage. Address all communications to Leap Year Editor, Wichita Daily Times, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Defendant in Attempt to Dynamite Girl Fiancee Plans to Ask Her to Wed Him as Jury Is Chosen to Hear Case

OTTAWA, Ill., Feb. 23. (AP)—Hiram Reed, on trial for planting a bomb in a school house stove, stood ready today to propose marriage to Miss Iola Bradford, the school teacher sweetheart whose features were permanently scarred by the bomb explosion. The state has charged that Reed placed the bomb in the stove to kill Miss Bradford and thus avoid marriage and fatherhood.

Reed's attorney announced that he would ask permission of Judge Hayes today to make his marriage proposal to Miss Bradford in open court.

Since the trial started Monday Reed and Miss Bradford have sat within a few feet of each other daily; Reed with his counsel, the young school teacher beside the prosecuting attorney. No sign of recognition has passed between the two although Reed only a short time before the bombing last November 29 had agreed, Miss Bradford said, to marriage.

The school teacher, informed of Reed's plan to make public proposal of marriage, provided the court would allow it, said she would be in court today. She expressed herself, however, as no longer in love with Reed.

A jury was completed late yesterday. The defense announced that it would seek to show that Reed is the victim of a "frameup," and that an alleged confession he made to the prosecuting attorney was signed only after Reed had been assured Miss Bradford would be

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REMUS MAY HEAR RIVAL TELL COURT SECRETS OF LIFE

FRANKLIN DODGE MAY TAKE STAND IN FIGHT TO KEEP REMUS IN ASYLUM

IMOGENE REMUS' ALLEGED LOVER WILL AID STATE

Man Over Whom Remus Killed Wife Confers With Counsel Opposed to Rum King.

LIMA, O., Feb. 23. (AP)—Senator Burton K. Wheeler of Montana, Representative Fiorella H. Laguardia of New York and two government officials may be subpoenaed by attorneys for George Remus, seeking his release from the Lima state hospital for the criminal insane, if Franklin L. Dodge, former prohibition agent, is called to the witness stand by the state.

Francis W. Durbin of Remus' counsel announced that besides Senator Wheeler and Representative Laguardia, Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt of the United States attorney general's office and Thomas J. Wilcox, federal department of justice agent, would be called to refute possible testimony of Dodge.

Meanwhile, state's attorneys conferred with Dodge to decide whether to place him on the stand as part of their plan to set the entire history of Remus' activities before the third district court of appeals which is heading the motion for a writ of habeas corpus to release Remus from the asylum. Remus was confined in the hospital after he was acquitted of the killing of his wife, Imogene.

An agreement was made to notify the defense when a decision is reached concerning the possibility of Dodge testifying so as to give Remus' attorneys an opportunity to subpoena their proposed rebuttal witnesses. Remus blamed Dodge for troubles that he said led to the slaying of Mrs. Remus.

The four witnesses the defense may call have figured in past investigations of Remus' activities which won him the title of "king of bootleggers" and sent him to the Atlanta penitentiary.

The defense completed its case

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LINDBERGH FORCED DOWN BY DANK FOG ON DETROIT FLIGHT

DETROIT, Feb. 23. (AP)—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh and Major Thomas G. Lanphier, flying single seater pursuit planes from Selfridge field to the Ford airport, 35 miles away, were forced down today by a heavy fog at Southfield, Mich., 10 miles from the airport.

Neither plane was damaged. The other three planes, carrying four St. Louis business men who accompanied Lindbergh here, landed safely at the airport.

Colonel Lindbergh said he decided the fog was too impenetrable to make flying safe and that he signalled to Major Lanphier, who was flying close to him, and that both planes then were landed in the field without difficulty.

Considerable concern for the safety of Colonel Lindbergh and Major Lanphier was held by their companions at the flying field until they were brought up in a car by Earl Lathrup, a passing motorist.

Markets at a Glance

(By the Associated Press)

NEW YORK.

Stocks, irregular; Union Pacific touches year's best.

Bonds, steady; B. & O. and Frisco issues firm.

Foreign exchanges, steady; sterling at new 1928 high.

Cotton, steady; trade buying.

Sugar, higher; better spot market.

Coffee, advance; firm spot situation.

CHICAGO.

Wheat, easy; beneficial snow over winter wheat belt

Corn, lower; larger receipts southwest.

Cattle, irregular.

Hogs, steady to higher.

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What and Why?
Watch This Space

AMERICA'S MOST FAMOUS MAN HUNTER HERE FOR CONVENTION AFTER GETTING HIS 77th MAN

J. Frank Norfleet of Hale Center, Texas, probably the best known peace officer in America since the death of Ranger Captain Bill McDonald, arrived in Wichita Falls Thursday morning to attend the two-day meeting of the North Texas and Southern Oklahoma Peace Officers' association.

Mr. Norfleet during the past eight years has made 77 arrests. Of this number 74 were convicted and the other three are now in jail awaiting trial.

Norfleet was a Texas rancher and was "touched" for $45,000 by a gang of confidence men. On December 2, 1919, he started out to capture the men who had swindled him.

Within three and one-half years he had them all in jail. Since that time he has dedicated his life to the apprehension of "con" men. All but one of the 77 crooks he has arrested have been confidence men. The other was convicted of murder and was given the electric chair.

Mr. Norfleet holds a deputy sheriff's commission in Hale county. He has trailed his men all over the United States, Mexico and Canada. He is still active and made his 77th arrest less than two weeks ago.

In a short address before the convention Thursday morning, Mr. Norfleet said: "The greatest handicap to peace officers today is the lack of cooperation.

"Officers should not allow jealousy to interfere with their work. We must help each other. Not only must officers cooperate with each other, but the citizens must also cooperate with them.

"In order to obtain convictions an officer must give his personal attention to the trial of every case."

J. FRANK NORFLEET

DISCUSSION OF $5000 REWARD FOR DEAD BANK ROBBERS GETS IMPORTANT PLACE ON PROGRAM

The disclosure that at least 21 Texas or Oklahoma peace officers have been shot down by criminals during the past year was made at the opening session here Thursday morning of the two-day convention of the North Texas and Southern Oklahoma Peace Officers' association.

The figures were compiled and announced by George A. Smith of Dallas, secretary of the Association of Chiefs of Police and City Marshals of Texas.

Although secured for the purpose of drafting proper resolutions of sympathy and regret, the announcement drew the declarations that when the means of closer cooperation among officers are provided, such tragedies will become fewer because more potential murderers will be put behind the bars before murder has been committed.

No set speeches were on the opening program of the convention, which is being held in the main dining room of the Kemp hotel. The only announced talks were the welcoming address by Mayor R. E. Shepherd and the response. Dick Dudley, president of the association, chief of police of Gainesville, then invited an open discussion which led to the detailing of the progress that has been made toward enabling peace officers to cooperate more closely.

One of the principal objects of closer cooperation, according to R. H. Colvin, special agent in charge of the Dallas office of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice, is to make it possible for an officer to quickly and accurately determine whether a suspicious character he has arrested may be wanted elsewhere.

Mr. Colvin related that it frequently happens that an officer arrests someone of whom he is extremely suspicious. Probably the officer lacks proof to justify a charge aginst the suspect, who may be wanted in some other place for serious violations. The great need of law enforcement, he explained, is the provision of facilities which will enable one officer to ascertain

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BELLEVUE BANKER FILES APPEAL IN FALSE ENTRY CASE

AUSTIN, Feb. 23.—W. I. Boyd, former cashier of a bank at Bellevue, sentenced to six years in the penitentiary from Clay county, on conviction of making a false entry, filed an appeal Thursday in the court of criminal appeals.

THREE DIE, 30 MISSING WHEN FLAMES SWEEP OVER CAROLINA HOTEL

SHELBY, N. C., Feb. 23. (AP)—Three persons were killed, three injured and damage estimated at $400,000 was done by fire that destroyed the Central hotel here today. The fire, which was discovered about 5:30 o'clock this morning, was extinguished at noon and a search of the ruins for additional dead completed.

No bodies were found in the debris, fire department officials said, although a score or more of the 65 guests in the hotel last night had not been found.

The known dead are:

J. R. HENDERSON, salesman.

H. H. CARMICHAEL of Charlotte, N. C.

HENRY KERR, clerk of the hotel.

The injured: A. B. Stagg, salesman, Charlotte, both legs broken in jump from third floor window; a man named Epps, Charlotte, injured jumping from upper floor; Miss Emma Frick, hands cut and burned.

Spurgeon Hewitt, assistant manager at the hotel, saved the register in which 65 guests were entered. Thirty guests have not been located but it was said that this did not necessarily mean they had been killed as it was impossible to make a complete check.

The fire originated in the linen room from an undetermined cause shortly before daybreak. Henry Karr, the aged clerk, ran from room to room on the upper floors of the building awakening guests. He kept at his task even when the flames were leaping along the hallways and finally staggered to the street to be taken to a hospital in a dying condition.

Miss Frick, who had an apartment in the hotel, sought to fight the fire with an extinguisher placed in a hallway. Her hands were badly cut when she broke a window to get the extinguisher and she was slightly burned.

The hotel occupies the upper floors of the block. In the building are located the First National bank, the Cleveland Drug company, Cleveland Building and Loan association, the A. V. Wray Mercantile company, the Stevenson Drug company, and the Key club, a club for men.

SLAYER OF WOMAN RETURNS $2500 HE TOOK FROM CORPSE

ANONYMOUS WRITER SENDS LOOT TO POLICE AFTER DAY OF REMORSE

NEW JERSEY AUTHORITIES REDOUBLE THEIR SEARCH

Letter Says He Thought That Woman Was Dead Before He Set Body Afire.

BERNARDSVILLE, N. J., Feb. 23. (AP)—An anonymous letter containing $2000 in bonds and $500 in cash, today disrupted the theory of police that robbery was the sole motive of the killer who burned Miss Margaret Brown, New York governess to death by the roadside near here on Monday night. Miss Brown is believed to have had about $9000 in bonds and cash with her when she left her employer's home Monday.

"I tried to take advantage of her," the letter, received by the police here, said, "but she refused. I hit her on the head and she fell. Thinking I had killed her I took gasoline from my car, poured it over her, lighting it and then drove away."

"I am very remorse . . . when I am caught I have something with me to end it all."

No Trace of Blow.

The coroner who performed an autopsy, found no indication of a blow on the head, such as the writer of the note described.

There were two bonds for $1000 each, in the letter, one being a 7 per cent sinking fund bond of the province of Buenos Aires and the other having been issued by the Cities Service Power and Light company.

The text of the letter was given out later. It read:

"I am writing you this letter and sending you these bonds of Miss Brown knowing you will take care of them before anyone else gets them. I am very remorse. I had been drinking.

They Drank Wine.

"I met Miss Brown in Buffalo and then again in Newark two years ago. I left Newark at 4:15 on Monday and reached New York at 7:15 and met Miss Brown. I had two bottles of wine and we both drank some. I drove out to Lovers' lane where there was a large car parked.

"I drove around until the car had gone and then I pulled up there. I tried to take advantage of her but she refused. I hit her on the head and she fell. Thinking I had killed her I took gasoline from my car and poured it over her, lighting it and then drove away.

"I drove through Bernardsville where I threw the rest of the stuff in a river as this was all the money

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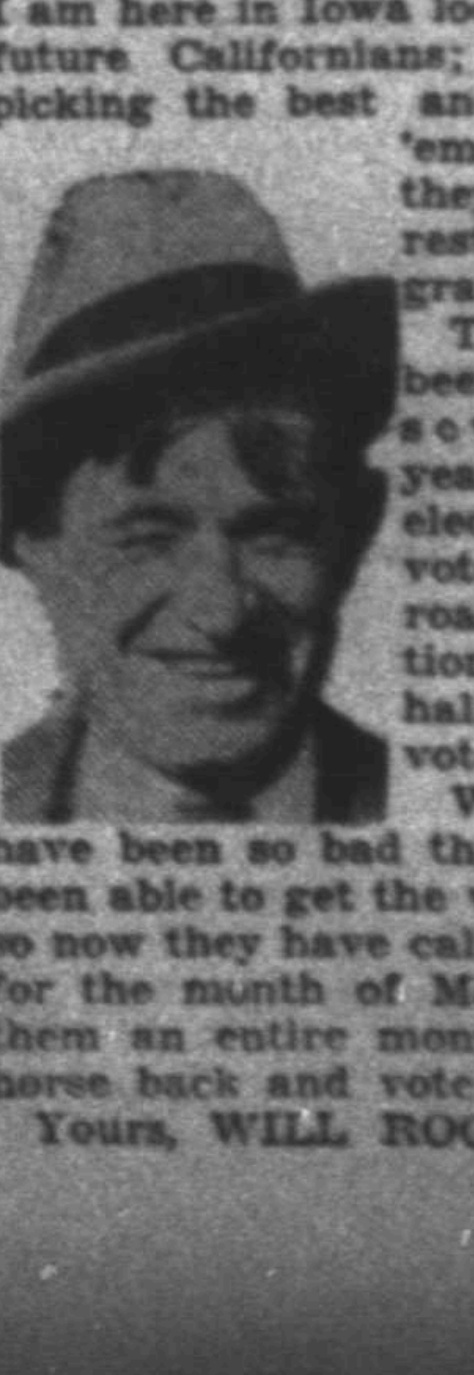
JOHN W. FRAZIER DIES AT BURKBURNETT AFTER ILLNESS OF FEW HOURS

BURKBURNETT, Texas, Feb. 23. John W. Frazier, 55, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. H. Ray, here Wednesday afternoon, after only a few hours' illness, following a paralytic stroke.

Mr. Frazier came to Burkburnett several months ago from Mangum to make his home with his daughter. Besides Mrs. Ray, he is survived by another daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Hagerman of Burkburnett; a son, Joe Frazier, of Banson, Colo., and six sisters. Funeral arrangements are pending the arrival of the son from Colorado.

Will Rogers News Digest

DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 22.—I am here in Iowa looking over the future Californians; we are just picking the best and not letting 'em all come like they used to; its restricted immigration now.



This state has been trying for seven straight years to get an election held to vote bonds for roads. The election law requires half the voters to vote.

Well, the roads have been so bad they have never been able to get the voters to town, so now they have called an election for the month of May: that gives them an entire month to come in horse back and vote.

Yours, WILL ROGERS.

COURT RULES SENATE HAS RIGHT TO ARREST STANDARD OIL CHIEF WHO DEFIED TEAPOT INQUIRIES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—The right of the senate to arrest Robert W. Stewart, chairman of the board of the Standard Oil company of Indiana, was upheld today by Justice Bailey of the District of Columbia supreme court.

Stewart, who was arrested after refusing to answer questions asked by the Tea Pot Dome committee, was remanded to the custody of the senate, but an appeal noted by his counsel automatically acted as a stay of this order. The oil man will remain free until the appeal is decided.

A bond of $5000 was furnished by Stewart.

Stewart now has 40 days in which to perfect the appeal and the record in the case for the court of appeals.

The court held the grounds on which the oil man refused to testify on the question of the Liberty bonds of the Continental Trading company "were frivolous and without legal basis."

"The writ of habeas corpus will be discharged and the petitioner remanded to the custody of the respondents," he said.

Appeal Halts Senate

The court's action and the appeal means that Stewart now cannot be taken before the senate until after the supreme court decides the issue. If the court of appeals' decision is against the oil man he will appeal to the highest tribunal. This may mean a year or longer before the final decision.

Reviewing the plea of Stewart, who specifically declined to reply to questions as to whether he had discussed the Continental Trading company's Liberty bonds with Harry F. Sinclair, Justice Bailey held that the senate resolution authorizing the Teapot Dome inquiry called for an investigation supplementary to one previously authorized and on which the committee had made no final report.

The former investigation, he said, "had resulted in legislation direct-

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—Contempt proceedings against H. M. Blackmer, missing Teapot Dome witness, set for next Monday, February 27, before Justice Siddons in the supreme court of the District of Columbia, will be postponed until later in the week, District Attorney Gordon announced today. It is probable that the proceedings will be heard by Justice Siddons on the following Monday.

Blackmer has refused to return to this country from Europe.

HOUSE SWINGS AX ON PLAN TO BUILD 71 NAVY VESSELS

BILL REPORTED FOR VOTE BY CONGRESS FAVORS ONLY 16 VESSELS

15 CRUISERS AND ONE PLANE CARRIER LISTED

Action of House Committee in Nature of Material Slash in Plans of U. S. Navy.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—Materially reducing the administration's new warship construction program, the house naval committee today decided to authorize the construction of 15 cruisers and one aircraft carrier as against the 71 war vessels requested by Secretary Wilbur.

The committee's action was described by Chairman Butler as "practically unanimous."

The cost of the committee's program was estimated at $274,000,000, as against $740,000,000 proposed by the administration. Both of these figures are exclusive of aircraft and increased personnel for the ships.

The committee also provided a definite completion date for the 16 ships. The first of the proposed vessels are to be laid down within three years from passage of the act and all are to be completed within six years.

Oppose Destroyers

The committee voted against providing any of the nine destroyer leaders requested by the navy, holding that under the naval building

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TEX THORNTON GOES TO CORPUS CHRISTI TO FIGHT WELL FIRE

AMARILLO, Feb. 23. (AP)—Tex Thornton, oil and gas well fire fighter, left here early today for Corpus Christi to renew his battle against a fire in Rachal No. 7 at White Point.

Thornton extinguished a fire at the same well about two weeks ago, but late yesterday he received word that it was blazing again.

CASHIER FIRST WITNESS HELMS ROBBERY TRIAL

EASTLAND, Texas, Feb. 23. (AP)—Because of inadequate heat the trial of Henry Helms, charged with robbery by firearms of the First National bank of Cisco, today was transferred from the auditorium of the city hall to a smaller room in the same building.

When lawyers and others appeared in the improvised court room wearing heavy overcoats with upturned collars Judge G. L. Davenport of the 91st district court ordered the court's removal.

Testimony was begun late yesterday after the 12th juror was selected from a special venire called when the regular venire of 250 men was exhausted. Alex Spears, cashier of the Cisco bank, was the first witness for the state and his testimony consumed all of the afternoon and most of the morning session today.

He pointed out Helms from the witness stand and identified him as one of the four bandits, who on December 23 entered his bank and robbed it of $12,200 in cash and more than $100,000 in non-negotiable paper. One of the bandits was killed in a gun fight in front of the bank immediately after the robbery and G. E. Bedford, Cisco police chief and his assistant G. W. Carmichael also were mortally wounded.

THE WEATHER

Weather data in Wichita Falls and vicinity for the period beginning 5 p. m. Wednesday and ending 1 p. m. Thursday. Temperature: Maximum 75 degrees; minimum 27; at 1 p. m. Thursday 31; cloudy. No precipitation; north wind, average velocity 6, maximum 30, miles per hour. Barometer 29.60. (As reported by the United States Cooperative Weather bureau, operated by the Texas Electric Service company).

WEST TEXAS: Tonight fair, colder, temperature 10 to 20 in north and 23 to 28 in south portion, cold wave in southeast portion; Friday fair, not so cold in north and west portions. Livestock warnings.

OKLAHOMA: Tonight fair, colder except northwest portion, temperature will be 10 to 14 in north and 16 to 20 in south portion; Friday fair, not so cold in west and central portions. Livestock warnings.

EAST TEXAS: Tonight fair, colder, cold wave except in northwest portion, temperature will be 22 to 25 in north, 28 to 29 over the interior of south and 29 to 34 on the coast; Friday fair, colder on the coast, not so cold in extreme northwest portion. Livestock warnings. Increasing northerly winds on the coast.

Natural Cave on Talking John Creek Which Housed Whiskey Still Believed Headquarters for Bank Bandit Ring

CROWELL, Feb. 23.—A complete distillery plant in a natural gyp rock cave, 30 miles northwest of Crowell, was captured by L. D. Campbell, Foard county sheriff, late Tuesday afternoon. There were no arrests although an effort to catch the operators was made.

The cave in which the plant was located was on the banks of Talking John Creek on the Thatcher ranch. George Messenger, foreman of the ranch discovered the still and notified Sheriff Campbell who later captured it. Various equipment in the cave extended over 100 feet from its mouth, although this natural cavern extended over 200 feet from its mouth; however the first hundred feet is the only part in which a man can walk upright. Its location is very difficult to find as it is in the midst of deep brakes and is practically inaccessible. According to Mr. Campbell, it is plainly evident that the plant had been used for some time and until recently.

Sheriff Campbell believes that this same cave was used by robbers of the Goodlet bank recently for within 40 minutes after the robbery, the robbers' car was found at the mouth of Talking John creek which is near this cave. It is also probable that this cave was used as headquarters for a bank robbing ring for many of the cars in which bank robbers in the Panhandle and Southern Oklahoma have escaped, have headed in the direction of this cave.

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ing the prosecution of suits, one of which resulted in the recovery of valuable property of the government, and in other legislation, and it may be assumed that the senate had in mind the possibility the need of further legislation, when the latest resolution was passed."

"The petitioner states that he appeared voluntarily before the committee to give his testimony," the justice continued. "He took an oath to tell the 'truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.'

No General Demurrer

"He raised no general objection to the scope of the inquiry but after he had proceeded to answer numerous questions, he finally refused to answer as to his knowledge of any one who received the Liberty bonds mentioned in the resolution, or whether he had discussed any of the bond transactions with Sinclair, and other questions of similar character.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—A sweeping cleanup of all persons involved in the Burns-Sinclair contempt case for which Harry F. Sinclair and his associates were convicted, was decided upon today by District Attorney Gordon, who said he would ask attachments for Edward J. Kidwell Jr., alleged talkative juror, and every detective that took part in shadowing the Fall-Sinclair oil jury.

"He voluntarily testified in part but refused to tell the whole truth, and a partial truth may be as misleading as a falsehood. These questions were clearly relevant to the inquiry and involved no question of privilege. They did not involve the private affairs of the witness, and the witness cannot make such a claim on behalf of others when he does not appear to be acting in a representative capacity.

No Excuse for Act

"But even such a ground will not be an excuse for failure to answer questions relevant to any matters which were the subject of property inquiry."

To Stewart's contention that the senate was without power to arrest him while he was a witness before the committee in obedience to a subpoena issued by it, Justice Bailey said:

"If the committee was seeking information as a basis for legislation by congress and if the questions asked the petitioner were pertinent to such inquiry and did not invade any of his constitutional rights, it was his duty to answer, and his refusal to do so could be treated as an act of contempt of the senate.

Senate Free of Courts

"The senate is not necessarily controlled by the practice of the courts in similar cases."

Stewart with his counsel, sat in the last row of the court, waiting for his case to be called. About fifteen minutes after the decision was handed down, the defendant left the court room and went to the office of the clerk to arrange bond.

Hopkins, Starr and Hopkins, Chicago attorneys, formed the Stewart legal staff today, and appeared with him as he made bond.

BLACKMER GOT $750,000 CANADA CRUDE PROFITS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—H. M. Blackmer, missing witness in the Fall-Sinclair Oil company case, got $750,000 of profits in the Continental Trading company deal, the Teapot Dome committee was told today by his attorney, Karl C. Schuyler, of Denver.

Schuyler said the former chairman of the board of Midwest Refining company gave him this information in Montreal in July, 1926, when he asked the attorney to act for him.

The witness testified that Blackmer had informed him "unequivocally" that he had no knowledge that any funds of the Continental had been used to influence the lease of the Teapot Dome naval oil reserve or for any unlawful purpose.

"I believed him then and I have had no cause to change my mind since," Schuyler declared.

Blackmer told him, Schuyler said, that he had not volunteered as a witness in the Teapot Dome civil case at Cheyenne in 1925 because had he appeared his private affairs would have been gone into. The oil man added, the witness said, that he had made a public statement in response to letters.

After conferring with Blackmer at Montreal for three days, Schuyler said he was made trustee for Blackmer's bonds, placing them in a safety box in the Equitable Trust company in New York.

"Those bonds are in that box now," he said. "They are intact. They total $763,000. I hand you the serial numbers. Your committee can inspect them at any time."

Schuyler disclosed that Blackmer had apprehended possible litigation over the bonds by both the Midwest Refining company and its parent organization, the Standard Oil company of Indiana.

Schuyler testified that on last January 24, he wrote to Blackmer advising him that the senate was to reopen its investigation and advising him that he should make a statement for him.

Blackmer Okehs Statement

"You are authorized to make a statement for me," Blackmer cabled from Paris last Monday.

"This action, it seems to me," Schuyler wrote, "demands the serious consideration by you of the policy of declaring your interest and position with reference to the bonds. Is your natural desire to avoid bringing litigation down upon you by the disclosure of your definite position comparable with the importance of recognition of the demand for information emanating from this high source? Frankly, I do not think so—litigation seems to me unavoidable in any event.

"Do let me know how the idea appeals to you. I sincerely hope you will think it wise to make a statement or to authorize me to make a statement; I feel sure that a frank statement by you, or by me for you, of your position with reference to these bonds will go far toward clearing you of suspicions and false imputations. Of course, I can not and will not speak without your consent."

Adverting to his conference with Blackmer in Montreal, Schuyler said the oil operator told him that because of apprehension of suits or other litigation over the bonds, he had decided "not to convert the bonds to his own use; that to convert them might jeopardize the good faith of his position in not returning them for income tax; that he had kept the bonds intact awaiting developments."

"This last statement was qualified," Schuyler said, "by his explanation that some coupons had been cashed and reinvested in other Liberty bonds which in turn had been placed and kept with those which he received from the Continental Trading company; that he had retained one bond for himself as reimbursement for his personal expenses in connection with the matter.

"He informed me that the bonds were in a safe deposit box in the Equitable Trust company in New York, held in the joint names of Mr. George E. Holmes and Mr. George Gordon Battle of the New York bar and of myself."

—SECOND AD FOLO 10— . . . . .

—COURT RULES. . . . .

With Schuyler's disclosure the committee now has unearthed $1,-932,000 of the $3,080,000 Liberty bonds the Continental concern bought with its profits in buying oil at $1.50 a barrel and selling it to the Prairie Oil and Gas company for $1.75.

Besides the $763,000 of Blackmer bonds, the committee has evidence of $800,000 returned to the Prairie Oil and Gas by James E. O'Neil, another missing witness in the Fall-Sinclair case, $61,600 as legal fees to H. E. Osler, president of the Continental; $233,000 which Sinclair paid to Fall after the Teapot Dome lease and $75,000 given to the Republican national committee presumably by Sinclair.

Turning from the inquiry as to Blackmer's Continental bonds, the committee again took up the trail of those once held by James E. O'Neil.

From N. C. Lenfestey, cashier of the National City bank, it learned that on August 15, 1922, seven months after the Continental was organized, O'Neil cashed coupons from first 3½ Liberty bonds aggregating $344,800 in face value of the bonds.

On January 2, 1923, Lenfestey said, there was a sum of $27,657.75 deposited to O'Neil's credit, representing 3½ per cent bonds having a face value of $1,412,300.

John Mooney, assistant cashier of Blair and company, New York, testified that in 1922 his firm bought $3,513,000 in Liberty bonds for the Hyva corporation, Harry F. Sinclair's personal company.

Mooney also showed the committee a record that in 1924 his firm sold $1,000,000 in Liberty bonds for the Hyva corporation.

TEAPOT DOME QUIZZERS DISCOVER "COINCIDENCE"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—The senate Teapot Dome committee was told this afternoon that in May, 1925, Wayne O'Neil, son of James E. O'Neil, had deposited $230,000 in Liberty bonds with the National City bank of New York.

Senator Walsh of Montana said he was struck with "the coincidence" that this is the sum that went to Albert B. Fall from Harry F. Sinclair in 1922, about the time of the lease of the Teapot Dome. The elder O'Neil is a missing witness in the oil case.

Harold W. Kenwell, assistant treasurer of the Hyva corporation, a Sinclair concern, disclosed that in October, 1922, the purchases of 3½ per cent Liberty bonds by his corporation totaled $8,013,000. This was the first acquisition of government bonds by the Hyva. He did not know what Sinclair did with the bonds.

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EYES EXAMINED
"GOOD GLASSES PAY"
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Home Town Talk

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graph: "I trust that each and every one of you will give this matter very serious thought and get busy immediately writing and calling your friends; see that your relatives go to the operas; and do what we can not to have to pay for these vacant seats. A concerted action must be had to stave off the potential deficit."

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Large sums, it is reported, are being offered for the horned toad that is reputed to have been taken from the corner stone of the old courthouse at Eastland after 31 years of suspended animation—the toad, not the corner stone or Eastland.

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A toad with a shut mouth is being exhibited at Eastland as proof of the tale, which reminds of the Tennesseean who claimed to have killed 400 squirrels in one tree—he offered to show any doubting Thomases the tree as proof.

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The story must be true, for Noble Gray was present 31 years ago and saw a toad placed in the cornerstone.

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Looks like this will be a hard year for toads. Have heard of one man who has soldered a toad in a tin can which he will open a year from now and says that if the toad is still alive he will believe in Santa Claus. Wonder what the toad will believe?

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Wonder too what that toad at Eastland thought when the corner stone was unsealed. And wonder what it thought all these 31 years there in that dark secure prison. Anyway, it didn't have to worry about a lot of things that toads and humans on the outside had to worry about.

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Heard a man testify as to the veracity of Will Daniel. He said Mr. Daniel's story about the frog in the stone formation on the Specht colony land might be agin' nature and all scientific knowledge, but if Will Daniel said it, it just was that way.

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Glad to see so many communications coming in to the editor. Shows the people are interested and willing to express their opinions. There are a good many subjects of interest right now. For instance: Prohibition, Al Smith, Jim Reed, Herbert Hoover, Republican corruption, Democratic virtue, city manager form of government, taxes, toads, frogs, dead bank bandits, murdered Mexicans, new school buildings, traffic laws, cotton acreage, and what have you. Send in your views; write on one side of the sheet; don't be too lengthy; if you use a typewriter, double space; and in any event write plainly; sign your name.

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BYRD COMPLETES PLANS FOR SOUTH POLE FLIGHT

BOSTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—Commander Richard E. Byrd has completed virtually all of his plans for his attempt to fly over the South Pole, he announced at his home here Wednesday. He expects his party will leave New York on September 10 and that they will not return for at least eight months and, possibly, a year and a half.

SLAYER WOMAN RETURNS $2500

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she had and I drove around and slept in the car the rest of the night.

Hiding in Newark.

"I drove to Newark the next morning where I am in hiding. I have a good car and new tires and I am sticking it out. God knows where, to hell I suppose. By the time you get this letter I shall have a good start on you. I am going to go until my money gives out and then when I am caught I have something with me to end it all before they can do anything.

"Au revoir."

Police said that there was no mark on the woman's head to indicate that she had been struck and they had been working on the theory that robbery was the sole motive for the crime.

Man Proposed Marriage

The name of the writer of the letter, according to information received by police, will be a man named Hufa or Hoff.

Information as to a proposal of marriage was withheld by the police in the first announcement of the contents of a letter mailed in Newark yesterday and received today.

"I asked her to marry me, and she said she would not marry a poor man," the subsequent revelation stated. "I told her I had studied to be a doctor."

WOMAN WAS GOVERNESS FOR NEW YORK FAMILY

SOMERVILLE, N. J., Feb. 23. (AP)—A man who is believed to have drugged, robbed and burned to death Miss Margaret Brown, 40-year-old governess, after leading her to believe he was taking her to California on a wedding journey, was sought by detectives of New York and New Jersey today.

The clue to the slayer came from the family of James Park Gillespie of Park avenue, New York, where the woman had been employed for nine months. She resigned on Monday, after telling her employers she was withdrawing $1000 in cash and $8000 in bonds from a New York bank and going to Pasadena, Calif., to see a sick sister. That night she was found her clothing ablaze in a patch of woods near Bernardsville. She died without regaining consciousness. One of the Gillespie children said Miss Brown frequently met a man in Central park and the family and another governess corroborated this. The man was known to them only as "Dr." and in the words of the murdered woman was "a fine gentleman with a car."

A blue sedan, similar to the one in which the "Dr." took Miss Brown riding on her days off, was seen near the spot where the woman was found.

The report of the autopsy was that she came to her death from either suffocation or burns, but the peaceful expression of her face led authorities to believe she was unconscious when the match was applied to her clothing, probably from drugs given her by the murderer.

Miss Mary Brown, a niece, who identified the murdered woman, said that on Monday she talked with her aunt a short time after she quit her place with the Gillespie family and that no mention was made of the fact or of a trip to California. Authorities inferred from this that the murderer had induced Miss Brown to practice this deception on her relatives in order that her sudden disappearance would not be checked immediately.

The man sought is believed to be, at least to outward appearances educated as Miss Brown had traveled extensively in Europe and Asia and was said to speak several languages. Her brother, Ferdinand J. Brown, said she had never shown any previous interest in men and was frequently heard to remark that her young charges were her sole interest in life.

The money and bonds are believed to have been her life savings, and police believe, the motive for the murder.

REMUS MAY HEAR SECRETS OF LIFE

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yesterday with depositions by two more alienists who declared they found Remus sane. They were Doctors A. C. Adams and F. L. Nevilles, both of Lima. Remus was not called to the stand.

George Remus took the stand today as a state witness in the hearing before the court of appeals on his application for release from the state hospital for the criminal insane.

When the hearing was resumed today Walter K. Sibbald of state counsel demanded an explanation from the defense as to why Remus had not testified.

D. C. Henderson, one of Remus' attorneys, said that the defense believed he could add nothing to the testimony and that he would only prolong the hearing if called. Henderson invited the state to call Remus if it wanted his testimony, and Sibbald immediately summoned him.

Remus took the stand and launched into an account of his life. He was permitted to talk on without questioning.

Remus began the story of his life in an even, unruffled tone. He told how he entered the drug business in Chicago, how he sold his store for $6500, investing the profits in real estate which later made him a net profit of $18,000 and how he then entered the law profession. He said he defended 18 murderers in one year, but because of the strain of constantly appearing before juries turned to defending bootleggers.

DEFENDANT CASE DYNAMITE BLAST

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protected against undesired publicity.

Twenty-three children were waiting in the court house here today to testify as to the bombing of their Pleasant Valley school house while State's Attorney Russell O'Hanson made his opening statement charging young Hiram Reed with placing the dynamite that wrecked the building.

As the children, between six and 14 years of age, chattered and frolicked in a nearby room the attorney informed the jury that their former teacher, Miss Iola Bradford, was about to become a mother.

Defense counsel objected strenuously to this information being given the jury, but Hanson declared he wished to show a motive for the bombing. The state holds that the defendant, in order to avoid fatherhood and marriage, put dynamite in the stove of the school. Miss Bradford was severely injured by the explosion that followed her attempt to light a fire the next morning. The state indicated Miss Bradford might be placed on the stand this afternoon.

Reports that young Reed would take the stand, affirm his love for the girl, deny his guilt and propose marriage publicly could not be confirmed as court opened.

$30,000 BAIL SET FOR MARIETTA BANK ROBBERY PRISONER

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 23. (AP) The Oklahoma criminal court of appeals today ordered the release on bond of Vernon Liddell, held in the Love county jail on murder and robbery charges growing out of the looting of the Love County National bank at Marietta in January, in which Sheriff Sam C. Long was fatally wounded.

Bond on the murder charge was set at $20,000 and on the robbery charge $10,000. A Marietta justice of the peace denied bond to Liddell early this week and he brought habeas corpus application to the appellate court.

FORECAST IS FOR COLDER WEATHER

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maximum wind velocity was 30 miles an hour. The norther struck here about 10 o'clock Wednesday night.

At 1 p. m. Thursday the mercury registered 31 degrees, with a high north wind and cloudy skies.

The Fort Worth and Denver reported flurries of snow around Texline Wednesday night. Thursday morning there was a high north wind and cloudy skies all along the line. Temperatures at 5 a. m. Thursday were as follows: Texline 26, Amarillo 15, and Childress 34.

The Missouri-Kansas-Texas reported light snowfall in northern Oklahoma Wednesday night with cloudy skies and a high north wind Thursday morning. The mercury stood as follows Thursday morning: Forgan 18, Woodward 18, and Altus 24.

WEATHER BUREAU ISSUES TEXAS GULF STORM WARNING

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 23. (AP)—The weather bureau here today issued the following storm warning:

"Advisory hoist northwest storm warnings ordered 8:45 a. m. Texas coast, Port Arthur to Matagorda, and small craft west of Matagorda to Brownsville, increasing northerly winds today continuing strong on East Texas coast tonight."

WINTER BLAST CUTS WAY THROUGH MIDDLE STATES

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 23. (AP)—Real winter weather returned to the middlewest today with temperatures dropping toward the zero mark. Light snow was reported from many points.

The cold wave delayed trains arriving here from one to two hours. Slick rails and snowdrifts put a fast passenger train from Chicago two hours behind schedule.

Livestock raisers in Oklahoma, Arkansas and Texas were warned by the weather bureau to take precautions against below freezing temperatures forecast for tonight.

A strong northwest wind turned rain into snow here early today. A minimum temperature of between five and eight degrees above zero was predicted for tonight.

HOUSE SWINGS AX ON SHIP BUILDING

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act of 1916, there still existed authority for the construction of 12 destroyers. It likewise rejected the navy's request for 32 submarines, making no provision for any ships of this type.

It was approved that the authorization for the 16 ships would not lapse in the event of a failure by congress in any one year to make appropriations.

The committee also made a proviso that "in the event of any agreement for further limitation of naval arms by an international conference to which the United States is a signatory power, the president hereby is authorized and empowered to suspend in whole or in part any of the naval construction authorized under this act."

Two Salvage Ships

It likewise directed that the secretary of the navy prepare plans and specifications for two salvage ships and to submit estimates for them to the committee. These ships, if subsequently approved by the committee, would be for use not only in submarine disasters, but any other ship wrecks.

The 15 cruisers would be of 10,000 tons displacement each and the one aircraft carrier of 13,800 tons. The cost of the cruisers was estimated at $17,000,000 each and the aircraft carrier at $19,000,000.

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Public social service is costing England about $5,000,000 per day as against a little over one-half million before the war.

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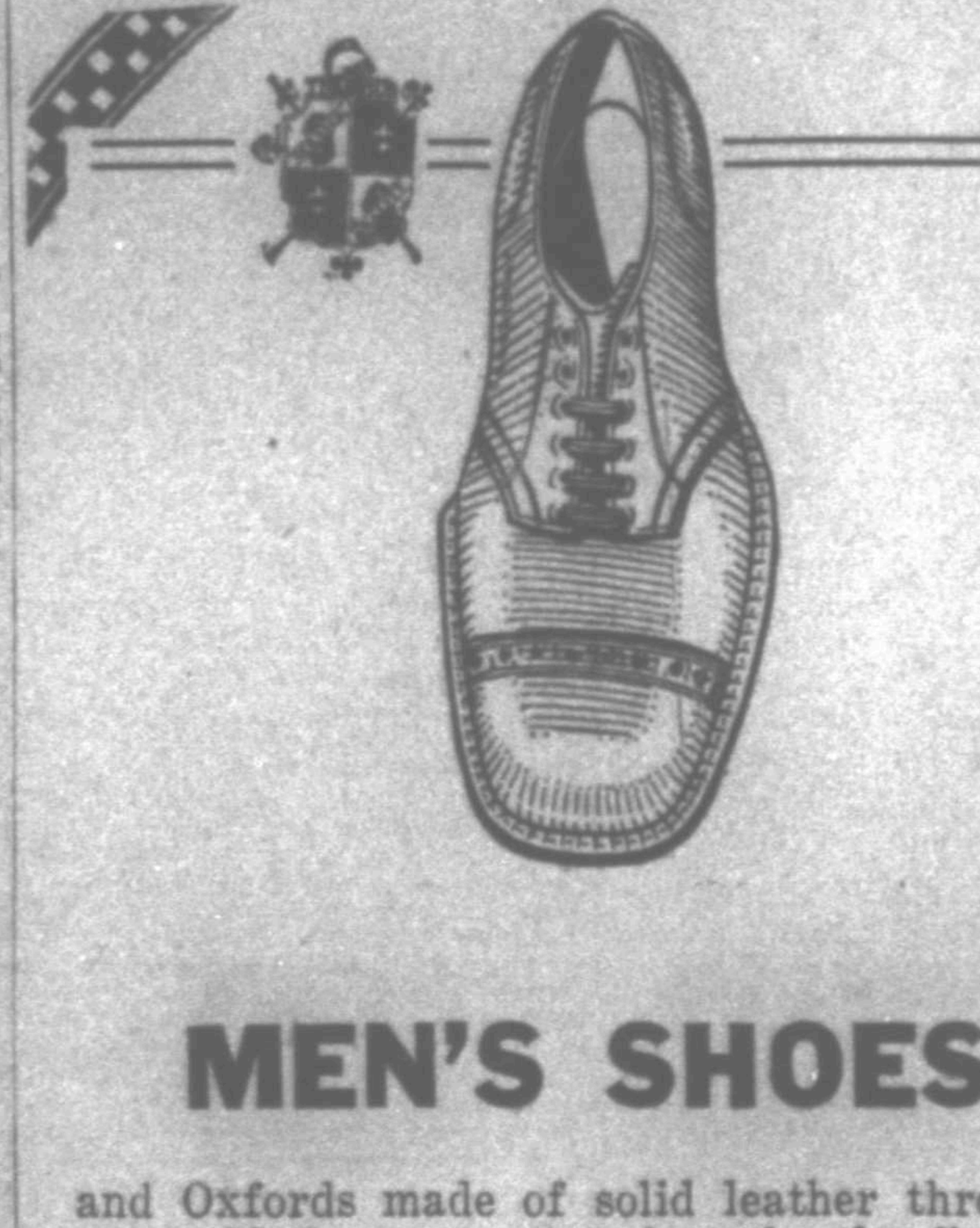

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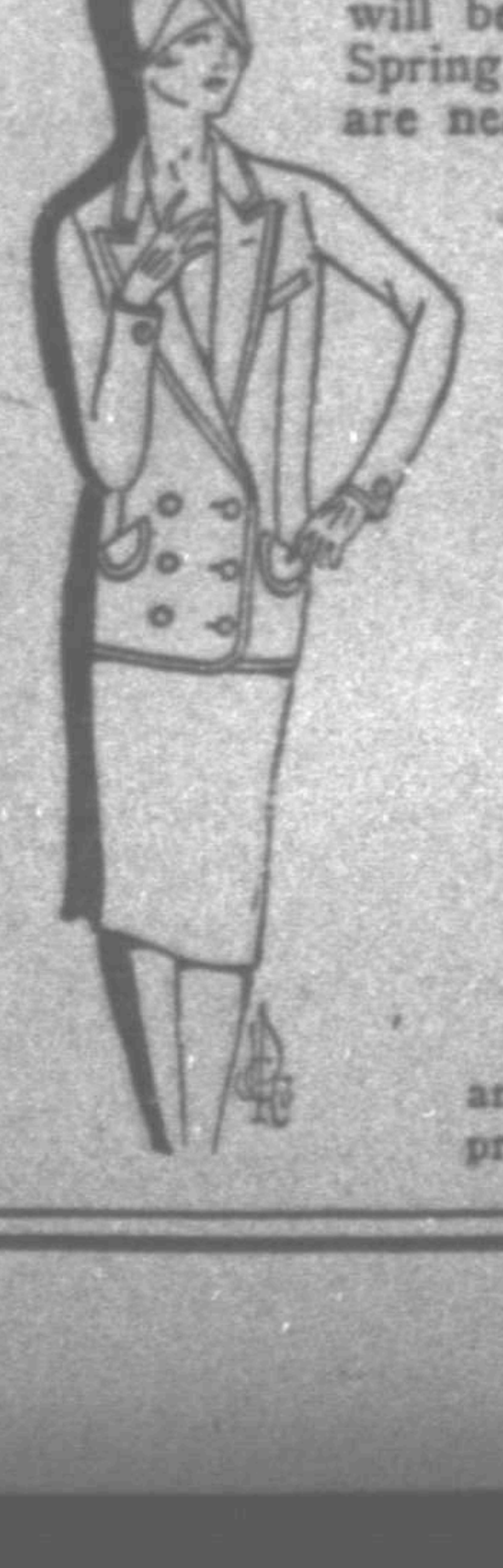

Slim, smart suits with hip-length jackets will be the popular daytime costume for Spring. The edges and pockets of many are neatly bound.

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PASTOR'S BETRAYAL GIRL'S CONFESSION FAILS OF PURPOSE

JURY ACQUITS WOMAN WHO TOLD MINISTER THAT SHE KILLED FATHER

ALMA GATLIN ON STAND SAYS MOTHER USED AX

Evangelist's Story of Woman's Confession Sole Evidence Submitted by State.

WENTWORTH, N. C., Feb. 23. (AP) Acquitted by a jury of Rockingham county farmers, Mrs. Alma Petty Gatlin stood free today of a charge of having murdered her father, a charge that she shifted to her mother, now dead, in defending herself.

The jury reached its verdict last night in little more than three hours after a trial based entirely on an evangelist's story to state authorities that the woman had confessed the murder to him at a revival service.

Acting on directions given by the preacher, the Rev. Thomas F. Pardue, the authorities found the body of Smith T. Petty buried in the cellar of the home which the family once occupied, and the murder charge was placed against Mrs. Gatlin, wife of the Reidsville fire chief.

On the witness stand Mrs. Gatlin admitted that she had made the confession to the evangelist, but said she had done so to protect her mother, whom she said had killed Petty with an axe when he came home drunk and threatened to kill all members of the family. She declared she had asked the evangelist whether a murderer would find peace in heaven and when pressed for details by Pardue, took the guilt upon herself to save her mother's name.

Mrs. Gatlin added that she had made the confession only upon the preacher's word, given "with a Bible over his heart," that he would not repeat it. The murder was in January of last year, and Mrs. Petty died some months later.

ONE-TIME IMMIGRANT BOY DIES MILLIONAIRE CLOTHIER

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. (AP)—From immigrant lad to a leader in the manufacture of men's clothing was the romantic career ended yesterday by the death of Max Hart, vice president of Hart, Schaffner & Marx.

When a boy of five, Mr. Hart crossed the Atlantic with his parents in a sailing vessel after a trip of 60 days. Born in Eppelsheim, Rhenish-Hassen, Germany, he came to Chicago in 1858.

FLIGHT TO AUSTRALIA SETS TRAVEL ECONOMY RECORDS

LONDON, Feb. 23. (AP) — Bert Hinkler in his 15-day flight from England to Australia made the cheapest long distance flight ever accomplished, it was estimated here today.

The small machine in which he flew cost about $3500. Expenses from Croydon, England, to Port Darwin, Australia, including food, fuel and accommodations were calculated at $250 or about two cents a mile for the trip of some 12,000 miles.

MINOR PARTIES HOLD REIN IN JAPANESE PARLIAMENT

TOKYO, Feb. 23. (AP)—Two minor parties with 23 seats between them will hold the balance of power in the next diet. Returns from Monday's election, today indicated that the Seiyukai or government party and the Minseito or opposition were deadlocked.

$5500 BALM TO CHINESE SETTLES HARBOR QUARREL

AMOY, China, Feb. 23. (AP)—The Edmore incident growing out of the shooting of a Chinese boatman by an American steamship officer, which threatened the boycott of American goods in this port, was settled today.

The Chinese accepted $5500, Mexican, as indemnity from the United States shipping board.

Careless Washing Spoils the Hair

If you want beautiful hair, ordinary old time methods of washing will not do. To bring out the real beauty, the hair must be shampooed properly.

Proper shampooing is what makes it soft and silky. It brings out all the real life and lustre, all the natural wave and color, and leaves it fresh looking, glossy and bright.

While your hair must have frequent and regular washing to keep it beautiful, it cannot stand the harsh effect of ordinary soaps. The free alkali in ordinary soaps soon dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle and ruins it.

That is why discriminating women, everywhere, now use Mulsified Cocoanut Oil Shampoo. This clear pure and entirely greaseless product brings out all the real beauty of the hair and cannot possibly injure.

Two or three teaspoonfuls of Mulsified is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather which cleanses thoroughly and rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

It leaves the hair soft, silky and easy to manage and makes it fairly sparkle with new life, gloss and lustre. You can get Mulsified Cocoanut Oil Shampoo at any drug store.

A four-ounce bottle lasts for months.—Adv.

Newspaper Reporter Spends Fortune Chasing Down Negro Who Used Decoy Want Ad to Lure White Girl to Lair

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. (AP)—The Chicago Tribune, through the arrest of Malachi Crowe, negro ex-convict, has got its man.

For six months the newspaper has exercised its resources in a search for the man who employed Tribune want ad columns to lure Miss Ruth Simpson, a nurse, to a Winnetka suburban home, where she was attacked. Thousands of dollars have been spent, the paper said today, in the chase.

Crowe, arrested yesterday in Kansas City, waived extradition and was started home. The Tribune said that the $1000 reward it had offered and the $600 additional offered by the city of Winnetka would be paid to Sergeants William Roe and Walter Storms of the Chicago detective bureau, who were active in the pursuit of Crowe.

Full credit for the capture was given to the Chicago and Kansas City police by Moses Lamson, the Tribune reporter who for the past five months has devoted his entire time to the case. In assigning Lamson to the case, the newspaper said, "It was decided that an example should be made and a precedent established in the fraudulent use of Tribune columns."

"Lamson wrote 700 long-hand letters, sent out 3800 circulars to police chiefs of the country, and wore out two automobiles, using one 2800 miles in trips around the Chicago black belt alone." He spent more than $5000, the newspaper said, before getting his man.

Information as to Crowe's whereabouts came from a supposed friend of the negro's, who had been shown a police circular in Chicago. The information was given Sergeants Roe and Storms, who worked several weeks before finding Crowe employed in the home of a Kansas City attorney.

The crime for which Crows is wanted was committed in the home of M. B. Austin, Winnetka, where Crowe was employed. The want ad lured Miss Simpson there. Following the attack, she jumped from a third-story window, and recovered only recently from injuries that resulted.

DEMO PLATFORM URGED BY REED'S PLAIN TALK

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 23. (AP)—A Democratic platform devoted only to "major" issues was proposed here last night by Senator James A. Reed, of Missouri, in some "plain talk" to the Kansas Democratic club.

MOTHER-IN-LAW MAKES MISTAKE

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 23. (AP)—In checking a list of more than 8400 signatures on petitions to recall the present city commission the name of the mother-in-law of J. Barney Davis, finance commissioner, was found today.

"I misunderstood," she explained. "I thought I was signing a protest against higher taxes."

GERMANY GIVES KHAN AIRPLANE FOR AFGHANS

BERLIN, Feb. 23. (AP)—Amanullah Khan, king of Afghanistan, who is on a tour of Europe, now owns a nine passenger Junkers plane.

The oriental ruler, who arrived in Berlin yesterday, inspected the Tempelhof airdome this morning and while there the German government presented him with the plane which also has accommodation for two pilots and a wireless operator.

FIRST WIVES OF RAJAH SANCTION HIS MARRIAGE

MADRAS, India, Feb. 23. (AP)—The newspaper Hindu today published a report of an interview between Tujuji Rao, former maharajah of Indore, and a member of his family at Bangalore, in which it was stated that the former ruler's proposed marriage to Miss Nancy Miller of Seattle, Wash., now has the sanction of Tujoji Rao's two other wives. It was claimed they gave their consent in writing.

IT'S SMITH OR RITCHIE PREDICTS PRES. BUTLER

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Feb. 23. (AP) President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia university believes either Governor Smith of New York or Governor Ritchie of Maryland will be the Democratic choice for president and that the eastern states will be the pivotal ones in the coming election. Giving his views to the Hudson county Republican committee last night, he made no prediction as to the probable Republican nominee.

Three Die at Crossing

QUAKERTOWN, Pa., Feb. 23. (AP) Three persons, including a man and wife, were killed here today when their automobile stalled on a grade crossing and was struck by a Reading Express train.

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TWO-GUN TERRORIST SHOOTS UP BOOTLEG SALOON IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. (AP)—A two-gun terrorist, apparently crazed by drinking or drugs, shot up a blind pig in dime novel style shortly after midnight today, calmly reloaded his guns, ordered three drinks and then shot the bartender dead, robbed the cash register and escaped, while 20 men and women looked on helpless.

Robert Wilson, 45, reported part owner of the alleged saloon, was the man killed.

All the patrons of the place fled after the shooting, except Daniel Johnson, who reported the shooting to the police.

Johnson said he had been in the place but a few minutes when the killer entered, drew two guns and emptied them at the floor and ceiling as he walked to the bar. He said the man terrorized them for a half hour, reloaded his guns and demanded a drink. With the remark: "Well, I guess your work is done," Johnson said, the man shot Wilson and fled.

VIOLENT EARTH TREMOR IS FELT AT JERUSALEM

JERUSALEM, Feb. 23. (AP)—A violent earthshock was felt here last night. It was equal in violence to the one experienced last July, when some 200 persons were killed and heavy property damage done.

No casualties were reported. A slight tremor occurred early in the morning also.

What Congress Is Doing

(By the Associated Press)

THURSDAY

Senate considers government operation of Muscle Shoals as proposed in Norris resolution.

Teapot Dome committee of senate resumes inquiry.

Interstate commerce committee continued senate hearings on confirmation of John J. Esch as member Interstate Commerce Commission.

One senate judiciary sub-committee continues inquiry into Abraham F. Meyer's activities in Baltimore bakery case as another considers Jones bill to increase penalties for prohibition law violations.

Senate banking and currency committee considers taxing bank shares.

House continues consideration of District of Columbia appropriation bill as committee debate naval building, farm relief and reapportionment proposals.

WEDNESDAY

Both chambers listened to Washington's farewell address.

Senate judiciary sub-committee anti-injunction bill hearing.

Chairman Snell of house rules committee termed naval court's report on S-4 fair and comprehensive, advising against congressional inquiry; Representative McClintic, of Oklahoma, ranking Democrat on naval committee, declared report passed over submarine safety devices, which he termed most important.

Secretary Wilbur sponsored bill to eliminate 42 commanders and lieutenant commanders from navy staff corps.

TWO COUNTIES VIE CUSTODY OF TEXAN HELD IN SLAYING

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, Feb. 23. (AP)—Controversy over the custody of R. L. Terrell of Victoria, son of Mrs. Etta Terrell of Berclaire, wealthy South Texas ranchwoman, developed Wednesday with his indictment by the San Patricio grand jury for the murder of Abelardo Gonzales, shot to death Monday. The controversy was due to uncertainty regarding the line dividing Nueces and San Patricio counties, near which Gonzales was slain.

Sheriff S. F. Hunt of San Patricio county Wednesday sought to have Terrell transferred to his custody, but Sheriff Ben D. Lee of Nueces county, who is holding Terrell on complaints filed by Dewey Tom, Nueces county criminal investigator, refused to give up the prisoner on the ground that he was compelled to hold him until the time of the examining trial, set for 10 a. m., Friday.

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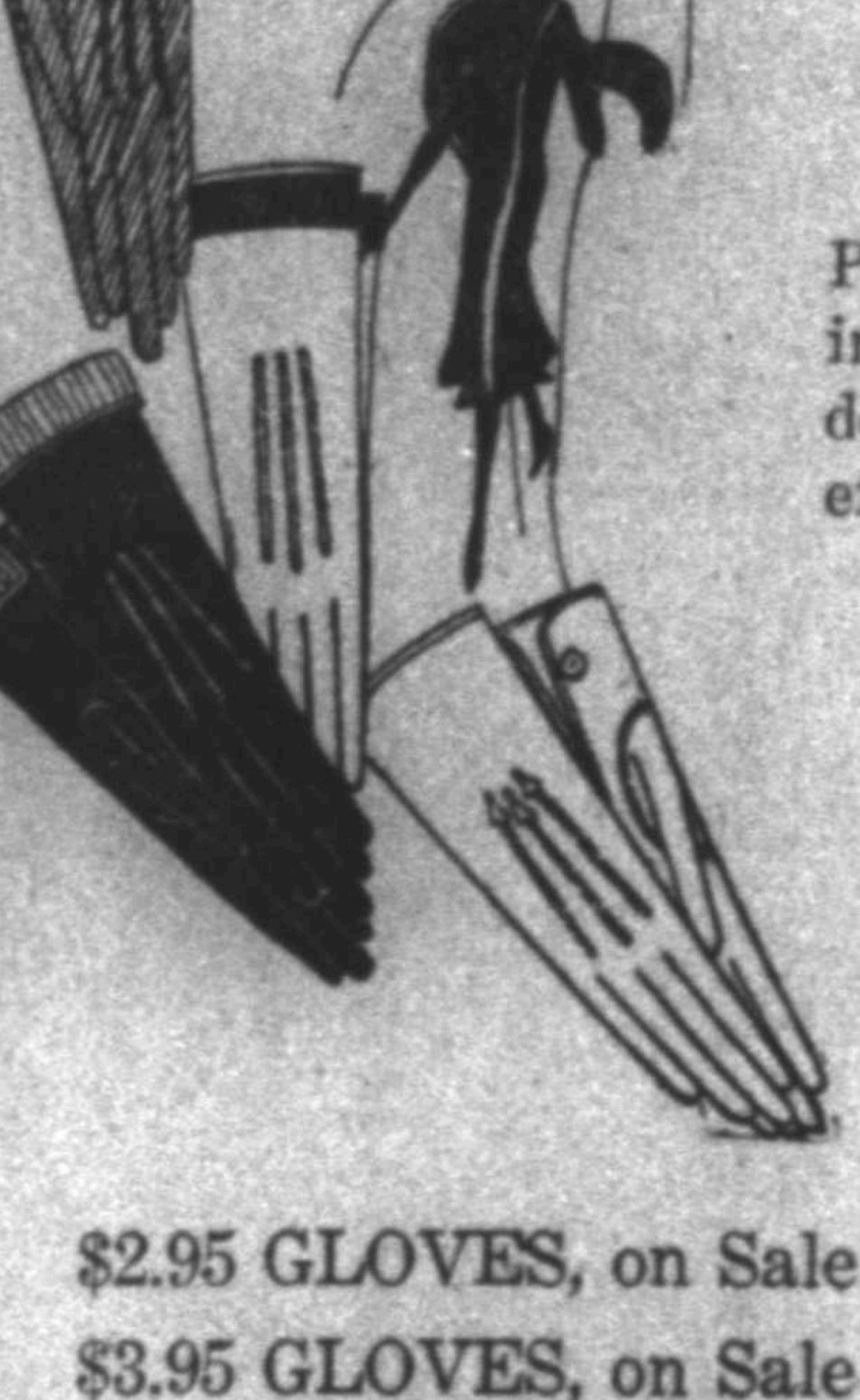

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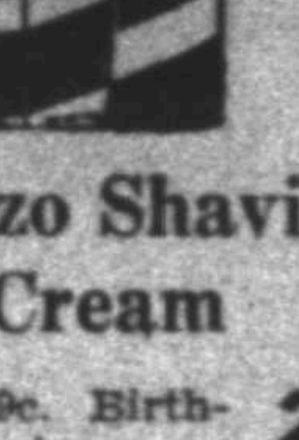

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The Constant Flame

By Winifred Van Duzer

Author of "THE GOOD BAD GIRL," "GOLDEN ROADS," "THRILL HUNTERS" and Other Popular Serials. (Copyright, 1927, King Features Syndicate, Inc.)

CHAPTER XXXVII

Out on a country road where autumn burned fires of blinding gold and blood red in all the trees and where every hill wore a scarf of tinted vapor, Kitten was saying goodbye to Ted.

Not a lingering good-bye nor a graceful one. A tilt of the arrogant little chin, a side-wise glance of the yellow eyes, a shrug of one small shoulder.

And heels tapping away in the dust of the long, long road. She didn't look back.

He put the big car into gear and rolled beside her, concern etching lines on the boyish face.

"But Kitten you can't walk. It's five miles at least. Be sensible, won't you?"

She didn't seem to hear and after a time he said no more. But he kept the car rolling at her side till a bus came up and she climbed aboard.

It had started early in the afternoon when he telephoned.

"You never give me a whirl any more, Kitten. Why not come out for a ride?"

"Don't care to ride today, thanks."

"You said that the last time. What's the matter, Red-head?"

"Nothing's the matter and I wish you wouldn't call me names."

"But you used to like driving. Have I done anything?"

"It's what you don't do gives me a pain. You're too poky, Ted Lanier."

A silence on the wire; then, "All right. I'll do whatever you say. If it's excitement you're looking for where shall I meet you?"

He was eager to please when they did meet but Kitten seemed determined not to be pleased. The ride developed into bids for friendliness on Ted's part and silence on hers. In desperation he drove into Deep Valley inn and she brightened at once.

He spoiled this, however, by refusing her a second cocktail and they set out to drive again.

They barely had turned into the country road and parked a moment when he brought the situation to a head.

"Why not cut out all the wild stuff, honey? Don't get you anywhere. Ain't so good for me, remembering I bought you your first drink."

"Is that so! You're too dam' righteous for any use."

"Please don't swear, Kitten. Such a pretty little thing as you."

"That's about all you ever say to me. Don't do this, don't do that. Who gave you the right to boss me?"

"I'm not bossing you. Only a fellow knows things a nice girl doesn't. I thought—you see I thought maybe we might get married some day, Kitten. If you like me enough."

She glanced at him and looked down quickly, thinking fast. Wealth, position—get away from The Hill—one of the Norrises asking her to marry him. After all, she'd like Ted if he weren't so poky. His wife could change that.

But the Norrises—how would they feel about it? Cut him off, maybe? Looks on her as designing.

"How about your family, Ted?" She asked this almost timidly. "How would they feel about me?"

"Family? I haven't any. Nobody but me to be suited and believe me I'd be that all right. We'd get a little house somewhere; one of those cut bungalows and live like a king and queen. I make good money and I've been saving my bankroll, honeygirl."

He was so exuberant that he didn't see the pinched look go over her face, nor the sudden green of her eyes.

She said, in a tight voice, "You—you work, then?"

"Certainly. How'd you suppose I'd drive a car like this? Got the best shuffering job in the county. Practically my own boss—hey, what's the matter? Where are you going?"

She was getting out of the car. "Chauffeur!" she spat at him. "You! And ask me to marry you!"

It was then she tilted her chin and gave him the side-wise glance and went tapping away down the road.

A long time before she saw him again. And when that time came she saw him through tears.

Marilee Grainger was visiting her aunt in the East Eighties and now Kent was driving into town to see her.

He had come back from his wandering to and fro; he was ready to settle down. A piece of luck he considered the offer of the district attorney post; not a great thing, of course, in a county where major crimes happened only once every three or four years. But a good start.

It would help put him on the map; besides he had definite ideas about what the county needed in the way of a political cleanup. It was for chaps like himself, fortunately in a position where money wasn't the thing of great importance, to put that over.

Not that he had any idea of getting by on his father's wealth. His every instinct pointed to individuality: life was a gift held in thrust and the one who wouldn't make the most of it didn't amount to much. Help along the other fellow since he needn't grub for himself; give the folks clean government if that task fell to his lot.

In the meantime his marriage was still unsettled. He was not even engaged; on the few occasions he had seen Marilee after that night in the garden he felt no impulse to speak of an engagement.

But now he thought it was up to him. Since this was the thing to do, might as well get through with it. He didn't know, really, why he hadn't done it before.

Settle it tonight and let them make the wedding preparations. Right after election would be a good time. They'd think that too soon, though; have to wait till the first of the year, very likely.

He crossed the ferry at Forty-second street and began to drive uptown. But he made little headway for this was the hour of the theater rush; when finally he did turn from the Avenue into the side street it was 9 o'clock.

At the apartment he was told that Marilee and her aunt were dining out. He didn't care especially; the library looked inviting and he sauntered in there to wait.

The hour stretched into two as he ran through the newspapers, thinking of his plans. When at last he grew restless he sat down before the radio and turned the dials.

Stations shifted under his fingers; finally he caught the last notes of a song and came to keen attention. Only one in the world could sing like that, he mused; only John McCormack.

The voice came again, goldenly, throbbing with passion:

"Oh moon of my delight that knows no wane,
The moon of heaven is rising once again—"

Kent sat back, suddenly white. He hadn't heard that song in years; now it was like a clear, bright light turned in upon himself. It went piercing through the wordliness he had acquired, through the image of himself he had built up in his own mind; it showed the restlessness that had seized him the night he tried to propose to Marilee Grainger—the restlessness that overwhelmed him whenever he was near her—for what it was. Distaste. He didn't love Marilee; he never would and he couldn't marry her.

But there was a love deep in his heart. The light picked that out, revealed it to him.

He saw himself, a school-boy, moving across a makeshift stage to a girl like a rose touched by moonlight. All in white, pale hair shimmering. He saw himself bend down swiftly, heard his own voice say, "Lord, you're sweet, Emmy! So white and sweet—little white flower—"

He saw, as in a picture, the girl grown older, luminous fairy creature in a garden; felt the warm fragrance of her lips as his own touched them.

Always he had held the thought of her, loving it, never suspecting till now when the very song that he, himself, had sung to her shocked him into realization.

He sprang up and began ot pace back and forth.

"And when thyself with shining foot shall pass
Among the guests, star-scattered on the grass,
And in thy joyous errand reach the spot
Where I made one, turn down an empty glass!"

The glorious voice softened and silenced on a high note. Kent threw out his arms muttering: "Lord! Supposing it had been too late—good Lord—"

He snatched his hat and tore out of the house. Marilee and her aunt were coming as he dashed by; they called out but he didn't see them. He turned his car toward Lyall.

What he intended to do he didn't know. Excepting that he wished to see Emily Day. He would drive up the hill, ask to speak to her. Perhaps she had forgotten him? Such a long time since they had met. Or perhaps she loved someone else?

That thought turned in his mind, leaving it blank. He brought his car to a crawling stop under the trees across the street from the Day home.

He heard voices on the porch. While he waited a big young fellow came to the top of the steps and descended, turning backward toward a girl who called to him gaily. The girl was Emily, slender and all in white, pale hair a-fluff in the glow of a lighted window. Kent recognized the man as Marty Nolan.

Long after Marty's footsteps had silenced down the street and Emily had gone in and closed the door he sat there.

So it was too late, he kept telling himself.

Nolan of all people! He felt very weary.

A DOCTOR'S ADVICE
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QUART OF WATER CLEANS KIDNEYS

No man or woman can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Eating too much rich food creates acids, which excite the kidneys. They become overworked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood. Then we get sick. Rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders often come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys, or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, begin drinking a quart of water each day, also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys may act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juices, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to flush and stimulate the kidneys; also to help neutralize the acids in the system, so they no longer cause irritation, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to help keep the kidneys clean and active and the blood pure, thereby often avoiding serious kidney complications.—Adv.

POLICE GUARD RESIDENCES CHICAGO CITY OFFICIALS

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. (AP)—Homes of 14 prominent Chicagoans, including those of the mayor, police chief, comptroller, city collector and some city judges—all more or less closely aligned with the administration—were under guard today as fear of the bomb wave spread.

152 FOLKS PAY VISIT TO NEW YORK, $9 EACH

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—Spending $9.75 each, 152 residents of Stroudsburg, Pa., have proved as but another fallacy the reputed high cost of "seeing New York."

The thriftiness of the Stroudsburg residents even drew words of admiration from Sir Harry Lauder, whose play they went to see.

AMERICAN NOVELS AND NOVELISTS IS CLUB STUDY

Current American novels provided the lesson topic of the Junior Travel club at its weekly meeting Wednesday afternoon at the Forum clubhouse with Mrs. E. G. Thornton, leader. Roll call was answered with "How I Read a Novel." Mrs. Thornton discussed a paper on "Outstanding American Novelists of Today"; Mrs. C. C. Myers talked on "The Modern Tendencies of American Literature"; and Mrs. Richard Kenley discussed the "Pulitzer Prize Novel."

Members attending were Mesdames O. T. Alles, E. A. Deaton, J. J. Fennessy, Sam Holliday, C. G. McCaleb, A. L. Lane, Thelbert Martin, Richard Kenley, D. O. Johnson, W. A. McCarty, J. A. McFall, W. J. Morgareidge, C. C. Myers, I. R. Sheldon, E. G. Thornton, Miss Iva Willis, G. K. Wilson, O. W. Wilson and two guests.

KLAN'S IMPERIAL WIZARD ORDERS MASKS BANNED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—The mask is officially foresworn as part of the regalia of the Ku Klux Klan.

An edict to all klansmen from the headquarters here of Dr. H. W. Evans, imperial wizard, discards the mask effective today and inaugurates a new degree, Knights of the Great Forest. The edict gave no details concerning the new degree but advised every klansman to become a member at once.

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21152—	Marilyn—Waltz	Rudy Wiedoeft
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21167—	Tomorrow—Waltz	Johnny Hamp's Kentucky Serenaders
	Where in the World—Waltz	B. F. Goodrich Silvertown Cord Orchestra
21169—	Oh! Susanna	Vernon Dalhart, Carson Robison, Adelyne Hood
	When the Sun Goes Down Again	Vernon Dalhart, Carson Robison
1302—	Serenade (Toselli)	Renee Chemet
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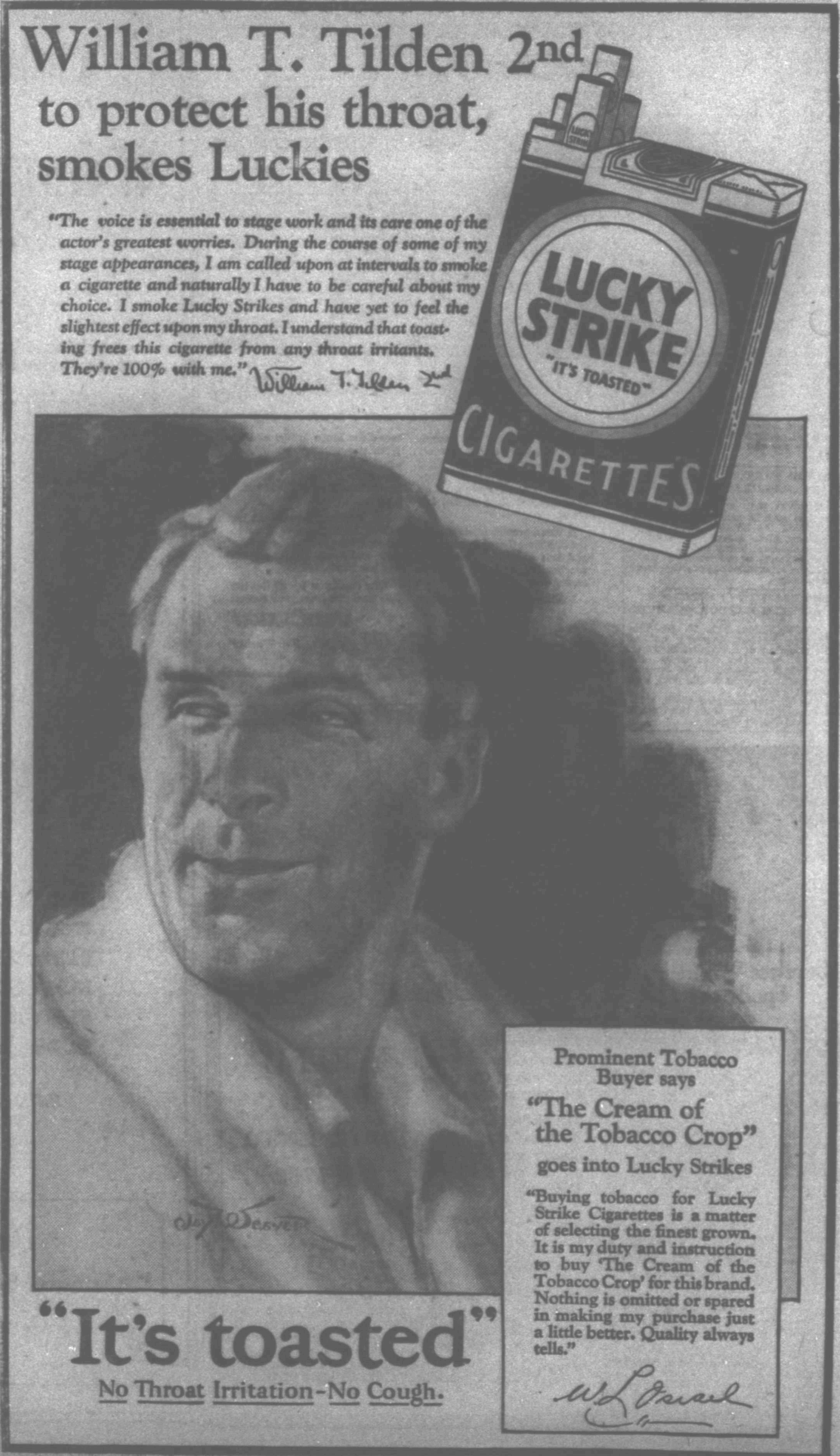

William T. Tilden 2nd
to protect his throat, smokes Luckies

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ECEIVERS TO ASK PERMIT TO SELL REFINERY ASSETS

Receivers of the American Re- ning company, and R. M. Wag- ner, M. J. Bashara and W. T. illis gave notice by advertising ursday that an application for e sale "of all and singular of the rporate assets of the American efining Co., Inc.," and of Messrs. aggoner, Bashara and Willis will made in the federal district court Dallas at 10 a. m. on March 3.

The application for sale, accord- g to the formal notice, will apply all such property except that empt by law.

The legal notice of the intended tion was given Tuesday, being gned by the receivers, who are hn W. Hooser of Dallas and E. Eddleman and J. C. Mytinger of ichita Falls

Three Injured In Auto Wrecks Late Wednesday

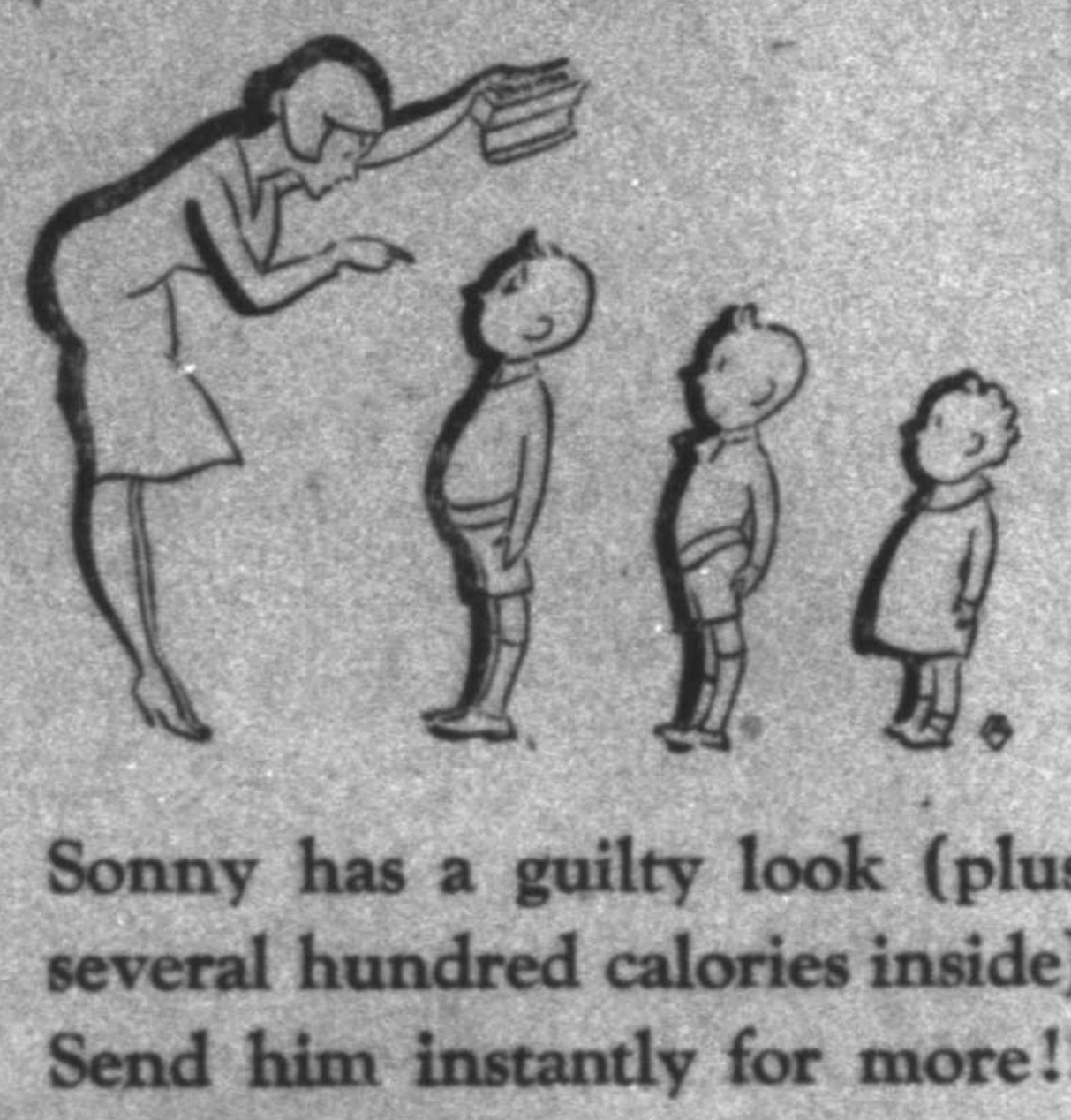
Three persons were injured in automobile accidents here late Wednesday afternoon.

Louis N. Nance, of Holliday, was given first aid treatment at the Wichita General hospital after he had received cuts and bruises when the car in which he was riding collided with a streetcar of the North Wichita line about two blocks north of the Wichita river shortly after 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Paul H. Davis, 36, of 1530 Blonde street, and Mrs. P. L. Pearson, 1806 Harrison street, suffered bruises and minor injuries when the cars in which they were riding collided at the corner of Harrison and Berkeley about 7 o'clock Wednesday evening.

Mr. Davis was reported to be resting well at the Wichita Falls Clinic hospital Thursday morning. Mrs. Pearson was given first aid treatment at the Wichita General hospital.

When the cracker box is empty . . . line up all the pantry pirates . . . .



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RAINBOW DIVISION HOLDS FIRST MEET IN WICHITA FALLS

A permanent organization for members of the famous Rainbow division who live in Wichita Falls and vicinity was planned Wednesday night when several members of the national guard unit that made history in the world war met at the Kemp hotel.

It was decided to have four meetings annually. At the next meeting, which will be on the evening of April 21, a permanent organization of the members will be effected, it was expected. Colonel W. E. Talbot, Dallas, a member of the division, will be invited to attend the meeting.

Among those who attended the meeting Wednesday night were Jerome Stone, Eddie Ballew, J. E. Caswell, John Clark, M. R. Quinn, Henry Smith and Milton Gaines of Wichita Falls; Max Gardner, Benjamin; Mr. Nichols, Burkburnett, and Mr. Benedict, Knox City.

The meeting, which was the first to be held in Wichita Falls by members of the Rainbow division, was presided over by Milton Gaines.

STUCKEY COMPANY WINS CONTRACT TO PAVE ROAD IN CARSON COUNTY, TEXAS

The Stuckey Construction company of this city has been awarded the contract by the Texas state highway department to pave six miles of highway in Carson county, it was learned here Thursday. This company recently completed paving projects at Pampa and White Deer.

LARGE HARDEMAN COUNTY TRACT SELLS FOR $51,450

VERNON, Feb. 23.—A real estate deal of considerable magnitude was closed here Tuesday when Henry Hildbrandt, extensive land owner of Wilbarger county, purchased 438 acres of land in Hardeman county from P. P. Turner of Vernon at a consideration of $51,450.

The body of land is adjacent to the town of Chillicothe.

A Freeze Out

"Whenever my fingers get cold, they get numb."

"You must be awfully subject to colds in the head."—Judge.

Note—It would be illegal to publish this if not true.

"I Sleep Better"

Says Illinois Man. Bladder Action at Night Is One of Nature's Danger Signals

C. E. Hodges, Unity, Ill., says in his own home paper, the Cario Bulletin, "Lithiated Buchu relieved me of a bad case of bladder irritation. I sleep nights and am better in day time. It has also helped my wife. I will tell or write my experience to anyone."

Lithiated buchu acts on the bladder as epsom salts do on the bowels, drives out abnormal deposits and neutralizes excessive acids, thereby relieving irritation, which causes "getting up nights." The tablets cost 2 cents each at leading drug stores. Keller Laboratory, Mechanicsburg, Ohio. Locally at Wilford Harrison Drug Co.—Adv.

STARS OF OPERA IN VICTOR RADIO PROGRAM

BENIAMINO GIGLI
Photo by Kesslere

LUCREZIA BORI
Photo by Bain

GUISEPPE DE LUCA
Photo by Apeda

Radio enthusiasts will hear these famous opera singers in numbers from Verdi's "La Traviata" during the Victor Talking Machine Company's radio concert on February 24 from WJZ and associated stations

For the first time in radio history three stars of the Metropolitan Opera company will be heard on the air in a condensed version of a famous opera, when, on Friday evening, Feb. 24, at 10 o'clock, Eastern standard time, the Victor Talking Machine company broadcasts the fourth concert of its 1928 series from station WJZ, New York, and associated stations of the National Broadcasting company. In this program Lucrezia Bori, soprano; Beniamino Gigli, tenor, and Giuseppe DeLuca, baritone, supported by the Victor Symphony orchestra, directed by Rosario Bourdon, will be heard in scenes from Verdi's "La Traviata," by one of the most popular works of the great Italian composer.

In the Victor version of "La Traviata," the plot of which is based on Dumas' "Camille," Mme. Bori will sing the role of Violetta, a Parisian courtesan. She is loved by Alfredo (Mr. Gigli), whose father, Germont (Mr. DeLuca), begs her to give up his son, since association with her is retarding the youth's career. Because of her love for Alfredo, Violetta agrees and is publicly discredited by her lover. Later, when he learns of her great sacrifice, Alfredo returns only to find her dying.

The music of the opera, brilliant throughout, has always been considered a test for coloratura singers and many of the great sopranos have added to their fame by singing it.

WICHITAN SPEAKER HENRIETTA MASONIC MEET WEDNESDAY

W. H. Caldwell, Wichita Falls, district deputy grand master of the Grand Masonic lodge of Texas, delivered the principal address before a gathering of approximately 300 Master Masons and their wives Wednesday evening at Henrietta when a special George Washington program was given.

Dr. L. D. Parnell, also of this city, delivered an address on "Washington, the Mason." The Rev. J. N. Hunt, pastor of the First Baptist church at Henrietta, addressed the gathering on "Washington, the Man."

The Henrietta male quartet gave several selections that were well received. Special music for the evening was furnished by the Henrietta orchestra.

The meeting was held in the First Baptist church. Masons from Wichita Falls, Petrolia, Bowie and other nearby towns were visitors at the meeting.

At It Again

"Sure and who did the Flahertys spring from, I should like to know."

"The Flahertys don't worry about spring from; they spring at."—Tit-Bits.

"TRADES DAY IN HAPPY TOWN" TO BE PRESENTED BY ANSIL LYNN LEAGUE

An unusual social event will be presented by the Ansil Lynn Epworth league in the basement of the First Methodist church Friday evening at 7 o'clock when "Trades Day in Happy Town" will be celebrated. A miniature city has been laid out with a complete business district including movies, novelty stand, Ye Gifte shoppe, eatatorium, corner drug store and post office. Two movie shows will be given, with a complete change of program, with the "Out of Tune" orchestra under the direction of "Signor" Willis Tyson playing at both performances. The merchants of "Happy Town" will offer many specials and sensational price reductions on their stocks for final clearance.

A large number of parcel post packages have seen sent in by out of town friends of the leaguers, and these will be sold as they come for a uniform price.

Many novel trades day features have been worked out and an enjoyable evening is in store for all who attend. The general public is invited.

The list of city officials of "Happy Town" follows: C. C. Donaldson, mayor; "Col." Pate Oakes, president of chamber of commerce; E. R. Highfill, city treasurer; Bob Copenhaver, chief of police; "Wee Pete" Albritton, court jester; Mrs. Bill Nelms, Miss Marguerite Haynie and David Henry, city aldermen; Bob Tinsley and Dewitt Yost, city engineers.

FORT WORTH C-C CHIEF TO ATTEND WORM MEET

FORT WORTH, Feb. 23. (AP)—Jack H. Hott, manager of the Association of Commerce will attend the pink boll worm conference at Sweetwater Saturday which is sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The meeting will be held at the municipal auditorium.

HOOVER ENDORSES PROHI AMENDMENT NOBLE IN MOTIVE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—Declaring the United States has "deliberately undertaken a great social and economic experiment, noble in motive and far reaching in purpose," Secretary Hoover, as a presidential candidate, today pledged himself to support the prohibition amendment.

The secretary's position was made known in an answer to a questionnaire directed at him by Senator Borah, of Idaho, who has quizzed all Republican candidates on the wet and dry question. His letter declared that any holder of the presidential office had a solemn duty to support the laws.

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Red Cross Gives Rural Students Nutrition Work

The 90-day nutrition program launched this week in the rural schools of the county by the Wichita County Red Cross chapter is progressing rapidly, according to Mrs. T. B. Smith, executive secretary of the county chapter.

Miss Gerda Olson, who recently assumed her duties as nutritionist for the local Red Cross chapter, is in charge of the work. On Monday Miss Olson visited the Valley View school, on Tuesday the City View school and Wednesday, Cashion school. Miss Olson spent Thursday at Howard school. On Friday she will visit Barwise.

Miss Mary E. Sutherland, nutritionist, also with the county Red Cross chapter, accompanied Miss Olson Monday and Thursday. Burl Bryant, Wichita county school superintendent, accompanied her on Tuesday and Wednesday. Miss Ethel Louise Webb, Wichita county home demonstration agent, will accompany Miss Olson when she visits the Barwise school Friday.

EDITH WILMANS PLEADS AGAINST EVOLUTION IDEA

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 23. (AP)—An appeal for a more stringent enforcement of prohibition laws, and a statement that scientific theories of evolution and the Biblical story of man cannot be reconciled were the keynotes of a speech here last night by Mrs. Edith E. Wilmans of Dallas, Texas, Democratic candidate for governor in Texas, before the national problems convention.

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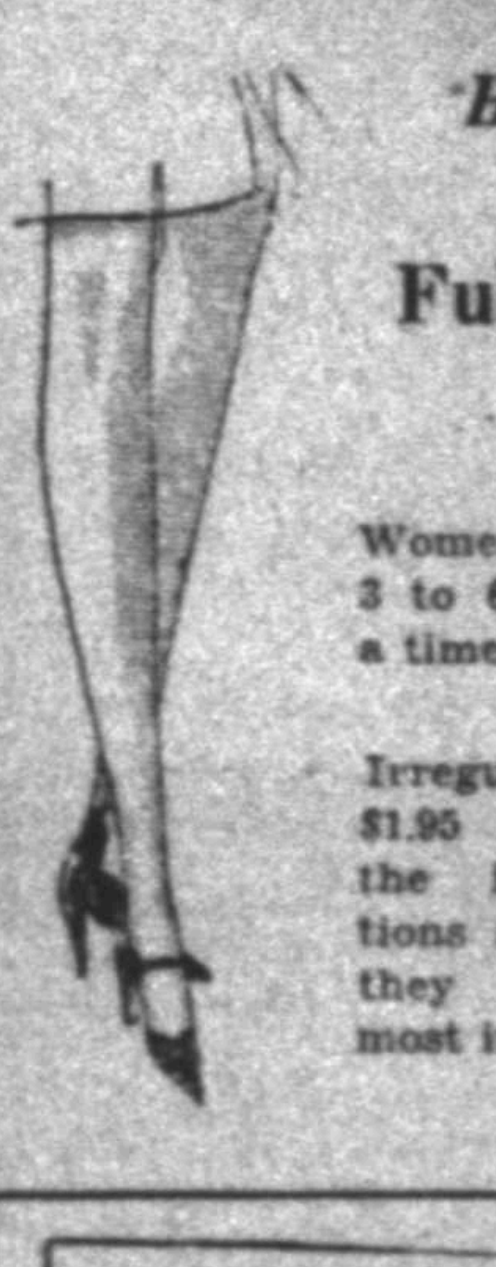

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SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD ITEMS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Washington's Birthday Observed With Elaborate Colonial Teas

Washington's birthday was fittingly observed Wednesday in club and church circles, with two elaborate colonial teas. One was given at the home of Mrs. J. F. Boyd on Wenonah avenue by members of the First Christian Woman's council, which is an annual affair for members and friends, while at the same time, the Francis Grice chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, were entertaining at the new home of Mrs. Luke McCrory in the Country Club estates.

The McCrory and Boyd homes both furnished exceptionally appropriate settings for the teas, each being designed and furnished in the colonial period.

A red and green color scheme was used for the D. A. R. tea, with red tulips and ferns used profusely throughout the reception suite. The dining table was especially elaborate with centerpiece of tulips and ferns and cloth of Madeira, and the color cheme was further carried out in the candles, mints and refreshments. Colonial dishes were used.

Adding further to the colonial setting, was Mrs. John Prewitt seated at a spinning wheel in the living room. Over the mantel was a portrait of George Washington, on either side of which was draped silk flags. A stringed quartet furnished music throughout the afternoon.

The hostesses wore colonial costumes, and in the receiving line were Mesdames McCrory, J. E. H. Railey, E. T. Duff, Louis Gould, G. K. Wilson, Sterling Crumpler, Carrie E. Wilcox, Charles Reed, Laura Bristol and A. R. Bleakley. In the sun room were Mrs. Ben Bell and Mrs. Jouette Bonner, and in the dining room, tea was poured by Mesdames C. W. Beavers, Louis Gould, J. L. Jackson Sr., and Fred Couper. Assisting in serving refreshments were Mesdames S. Y. Ferguson, Clifford Deaton, E. C. de Montel, G. T. Buchanan, A. W. Burnside, J. B. Lovejoy, D. G. Whitney, James P. Waggener and Miss Nell Gibbs.

Wives of the visiting bankers who were here to attend the Seventh District of Texas Bankers' association convention were special guests, and more than 200 called during the afternoon.

Other members of the chapter present were Mesdames Walter Bachman, E. B. Bailey, S. H. Burnside, V. W. Cain, F. W. Fischer, J. T. H. Harrell, W. L. Herblin, J. R. Watt, Carrie Joline, Paul Pond, W. H. Sanford and P. A. Welty.

Council Tea.

For the tea given by members of the First Christian Woman's council, a pink and green color scheme was used, and the table presented a pretty picture with a cloth of lace over green and centerpiece of pink roses. Sweet peas were entwined in streamers of ribbon, and at each end were arranged tall pink tapers embedded in green rosettes. A silver service was used, and tea was poured by Mrs. J. L. Downing and Mrs. J. A. Staley. Mrs. G. D. Rigsby directed the guests to the dining room where refreshments were served by Mesdames Harry Hines, L. B. Cummings, Homer Karrenbrock, L. D. Parnell and W. C. Duncan.

Misses Emma Elizabeth Miller, Jeannette Moore and Martha Hines escorted the guests through the lovely colonial home.

Little Misses Patricia Shipley and Martha May presided over the card trays, and J. C. Man and James Hayes acted as pages.

In the receiving line were Mrs. J. F. Boyd, Rev. and Mrs. Floyd A. Bash, and Mesdames R. A. Lincoln, A. D. Patillo, L. E. Trout, Van Leslie, T. A. Bradley, W. J. Howard, L. L. Boardman, J. E. Strong, G. R. Ellis, W. H. Penix, O. H. Karr, Roscoe Staton, H. M. Campbell, C. E. Stephens, J. V. C. T. Christensen, King Davis, E. W. Corder, J. B. Rhea, Amos Morris, J. Lem Keevil.

Mesdames Frank Creighton and S. L. Conn bid the guests goodbye.

The hostesses wore full colonial dress, and during the afternoon Miss Harriett Bradley accompanied by her mother, Mrs. John Bradley at the piano, gave vocal and violin solos. Wendell Bash played a group of piano numbers.

About 200 guests called during the afternoon, and a picture was made of the house party at the conclusion of the party.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Friday

Meeting of the Business Girls' circle of the Floral Heights Baptist with Miss Eunice Steele, 1503½ Taylor street, evening.

Faulkes community P.-T. A. meets at the school, afternoon.

Benefit dance at the Forum clubhouse for Girl Reserves. Misses Elizabeth Langford, Virgie Mae Adams, Katherine Weldon and Dell Hatchitt, hostesses.

Friday Literary club meets with Mrs. J. E. Kanatser, 1411½ Kemp boulevard, afternoon.

Mrs. H. C. Young hostess to the Unity club, afternoon.

New Century club meets with Mrs. Fred Couper, afternoon.

Mrs. G. Roy Pate hostess to the Twentieth Century club for luncheon at 12 o'clock.

Standard club annual luncheon at Forum clubhouse at 1 o'clock, afternoon.

Junior Girls auxiliary of Floral Heights Baptist church meets with the sponsor, Miss Fetna Bivens, 1513 Britain, at 4 p. m.

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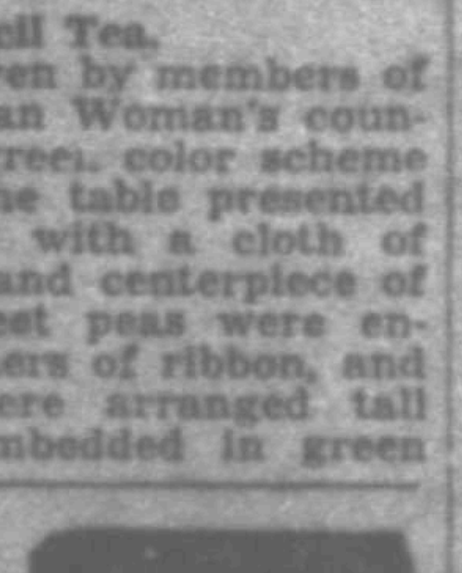

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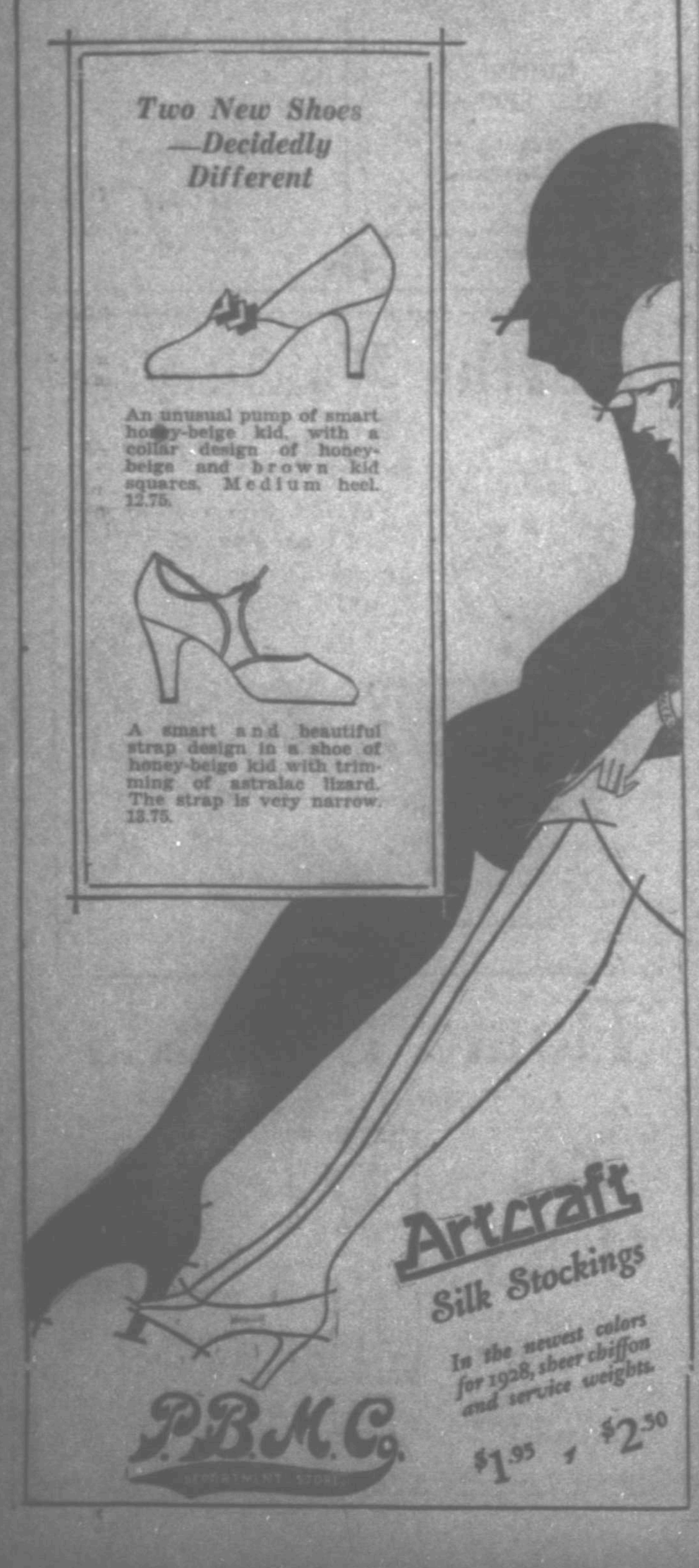

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MRS. BAILEY AND MRS. KING ENTERTAIN GROUP

Mrs. C. L. Bailey and Mrs. A. W. King were hostesses to group five of the Alathean Bible class of the First Baptist church Wednesday at a lovely two-course luncheon at the home of Mrs. Bailey on Lucille street. Cut flowers were used in the decorations which were suggestive of the George Washington holiday.

During the afternoon sewing was done and discussion held concerning the anniversary luncheon to be held March 31.

Covers were laid for Mesdames Jimmy Wren, W. T. Wells, S. E. Haddox, Nathan Lynch, Wells Smith, E J. McWilliams, D. L. Naylar, C. F. Schram, D. L. Hill, E. G. Hall, R. L. Brumbalow R. P. Brothertin, Homer McGregor, Cliff Everts and the hostesses.

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NEW OFFICERS CHOSEN BY LAMAR BAPTIST W. M. S.

Election of officers to fill the places made vacant by recent resignations was made in a call meeting of the Lamar Avenue Baptist W. M. S. Wednesday afternoon at the church. Mrs. W. G. Collins was elected president; Mrs. G. W. Anderson, secretary; and Mrs. C. F. Sommerville, personal service chairman.

Those present at the meeting included Mesdames R. H. Whitworth, Tanner, Fred L. Cone, W. H. Townsend, J. L. Powell Jr., Collins, M. C Hayes, E. W. Saucier, Ray Hannah, A. H. Day, Gene Allen, J. B. Conant, S. F. Houchin, C. F. Stevenson, C. P. Stably, R. D. King, Sommerville, W. S. McGrady, W. L. Garner, L. P. Wilson, H. A. O'Neill, W. O. Fisher, J. B. Allred, N. B. Rawls, Charles West, J. L. Beavers and J. E. Strain.

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DELTA HANDA BRIDGE CLUB IS ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Marlow entertained the Delta Handa Bridge club at their home Tuesday evening. In the games, Mrs. R. P. Finn won high score among the women and was awarded a linen lunch cloth; among the men, A. R. Proctor won high score prize, an ash tray. J. W. Hunt received the men's guest prize, a deck of cards, and Mrs. T. S. Masterson won the guest prize among the women, a lovely vase.

A refreshment course was served to Messrs. and Mesdames J. W. Hunt, T. S. Masterson, A. L. Proctor, R. P. Finn, Frank Ramsey, J. W. Thompson, O. H. Barker and Miss Cecelia Cooper.

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MISS MORAN HOSTESS TO NEW CENTURY CLUB

Miss Ethel Moran was hostess to the New Century Junior club Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Dwight Ross reading a paper on David Lloyd George, English statesman, and Miss Margaret Duncan reviewing a book, "George Washington," written by Rupert Hughes.

A dainty refreshment course was served to Mesdames A. R. Dillard, Chester Wynne, Gordon West, Paul Harding, Dwight Ross, Tom Sorey, Misses Crystelle Waggoner, Elva Killingsworth, Margaret Duncan, Vera Hale.

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STITCH-A-WHILE CLUB HAS LOVELY PARTY

Mrs. C. D. Brown was hostess to the Stitch-A-While club Wednesday afternoon at her home on Taylor street when a business and social hour was enjoyed. The house was decorated in the national colors and a dainty refreshment plate carried out in the chosen colors was served to the following:

Mesdames L. M. Langford, L. F. Jennings, A. H. Hall, R. A. Gilbow, Wilford White, J. W. Fitzpatrick, J. H. Prince, G. W. Burch, Joe Collier, Brown; Little Misses Ann Prince, Dorothy Burch, Mary Fitzpatrick, Patria Junell.

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READERS CLUB HONORS MRS. BROWN WEDNESDAY

Complimenting Mrs. Robert Brown who leaves Thursday for Evanston, Ill., to make her home, members of the Readers club gave her a handkerchief shower at their meeting Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. Porter Oakes on Hayes street.

Those taking part on the miscellaneous program were Mesdames Robert Brown, J. E. Shipley, Misses Marguerite Fisher and Dorothy Nolen.

Those present included Mesdames E. F. Bohmfalk, Robert Brown, Homer Karrenbrock, Porter Oakes, W. F. Pagan, Charles Reid, J. E. Shipley, Misses Ella Merle Mathis, Dorothy Nolen, Marguerite Fisher.

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Bankers' Wives Entertained at Garden Luncheon

Visiting women who were here with their husbands attending the meeting of the seventh district Texas Bankers' association were guests of honor at a garden luncheon at the Forum clubhouse Wednesday at 1 o'clock with wives of local bankers and bank officials as hostesses.

The auditorium of the forum was attractively decorated to form a garden scene and the tables were placed around the garden, a grass-trimmed plot with a running fountain, red tulips and jonquils among the foliage, with a rustic seat nearby.

Tapers in varied colors were tied with tulle bows and program booklets trimmed in red, white and blue were at each place, and the menu corresponded with the occasion of observing the birthday of Washington.

Mrs. J. A. Kemp welcomed the visitors and pointed out the part that wives, mothers and sisters of bankers play in the making of their success or failure. A vocal number, "Sextet From Lucia," was sung by Mesdames Luella B. Thompson, Wayne Holmes and Messrs. R. D. Ford, F. P. McDougal, W. E. Young and R. E. Shepherd, with Mrs. F. R. Collard at the organ. Two numbers, "Waltz" and "Treghiere," were played by Mrs. O. E. Nicholls, first violin, Mrs. Bruce Greenwood, viola, and Mrs. Walter Robbins, piano. A playlet, "Cake," a study in color by Mrs. E. W. Wade was presented by Mesdames W. F. Pagan, Sterling Crumpler, J. T. Harrell and Mr. T. B. Greenwood.

Mrs. J. T. Harrell and Mrs. C. E. McCutchen were in charge of the arrangements for the luncheon, and were assisted by the following, who formed the receiving line: Mesdames W. M. McGregor, J. A. Kemp, Carter McGregor, J. C. A. Guest, W. B. Hamilton, C. W. Staley and A. H. Britain.

Among the hostesses at the luncheon were Mesdames Hugh H. Cotner, P. F. Gwynn, Jack Barnard, W. L. S. Gill, Britain, C. E. Basham, G. H. Clark, L. H. Cullum, T. P. Duncan, Harrell, R. O. Harvey, Leslie Humphrey, Oral Jones, Kemp, W. S. Langford, N. H. Martin, J. L. McMahon, J. J. Perkins, W. L. Robertson, C. W. Snider, Frank Timberlake, W. S. Abbott, J. L. Randel, H. S. Davis, J. I. Staley, N. M. Clifford, J. A. Richolt, J. C. Mytinger, James W. Ryan, J. C. Hardin, Guest, Henry Hobbs, L. W. Fritz, J. C. Wynne, J. A. Staley, John W. Thomas, J. C. Ward, R. S. Allen, E. P. Bass, J. M. Bland, J. S. Bridwell, W. M. Coleman, W. D. Cline, W. P. Ferguson, Fred W. Gates, M. D. Rowe, A. M. Miller, R. E. Huff, P. J. Lea, C. E. McCutchen, Carter McGregor, W. M. McGregor, J. T. Montgomery, T. B. Noble, J. F. Donohoe, T. W. Roberts, W. U. McCutchen, C. J. Norton, W. B. Hamilton, John Hirschi, T. J. Waggoner, Pat H. Simmons, Lester Jones, B. J. Shaw, I. W. Karrenbrock, R. V. Fite and H. L. Hunter.

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WEDNESDAY STUDY CLUB OBSERVES ANNUAL PARTY

More than 75 members and guests attended the annual party and program given by the Wednesday Study club Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles William Wallace on Huff avenue. Decorations were in pink and green carrying out the club colors, and pink carnations were featured in the flowers.

On the program two numbers were played by Mrs. T. B. Greenwood, violin, Mrs. O. E. Nicholls, violin, and Mrs. Walter Robbins at the piano.

Two songs from the opera, "Madame Butterfly" were sung, "One Fine Day," by Miss Adelle Ray; and "The Flower Duet,' by Misses Juel and Adelle Ray with Mrs. F. R. Collard playing the piano accompaniment. Miss Marguerite Fisher gave a reading, and Mrs. Fay Yauger gave a clipping from the last scene of "Madame Butterfly."

A dainty salad plate was served following the entertainment.

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MRS. SHAW HOSTESS TO DAFFODIL CLUB

Mrs. W. E. Shaw was hostess to the Daffodil club Tuesday afternoon at her home. Contests were enjoyed and prizes were won by Mrs. E. M. Teeters and Mrs. Robert Anderson.

A dainty refreshment course was served to Mesdames N. C. Grantham, Byron Hardeman, R. W. Thomas, Robert Anderson, E. M. Teeters, R. F. Henry, L. B. Anderson, Tom Huddle, R. B. Martin.

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Miss Hines Keeps Up Tradition of Brunette Winners

By ELEANOR FLEMING

Perhaps gentlemen prefer blondes, but college boys are strong for brunettes.

At least it looks that way—every beauty contest ever held at the local Junior college has ended the same way—a brunette was selected, and blondes stood little chance of breaking into the limelight held by their darker-haired sisters.

Nineteen hundred and twenty-eight wasn't any different from the rest of the years—except that it was leap year—for Miss Marjorie Hines, petite bit of brunette pulchritude, led 13 candidates in the contest which closed Wednesday afternoon. Miss Hines is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hines, 1206 Marshall. Close behind Miss Hines in the race was Miss Mary Jane Nelson, also a brunette, and coming in strong in third place was Miss Cliftene Butler, who is no lighter in complexion, eyes and hair than the two who barely beat her in the race.

Winners in former years have established a tradition by this time that a blonde just can't manage to get her picture in full page rotogravure, leading the "Favorites" section of the Wai-Kun. The first contest ever sponsored by the yearbook resulted in the establishing of Miss Marie Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson, 1111 Alma, as the college beauty. Nineteen hundred and twenty-six saw the election of Miss Ina Myrl Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Robinson, 1718 Beverly drive, and Miss Isla Cothran, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cothran on the Iowa Park road, walked away from a whole field of candidates in the 1927 race. Miss Johnson, Miss Robinson and Miss Cothran are all decided brunettes.

So far as school politics is concerned, "dark horses" have a pretty good chance, we'd say!

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UNITY JUNIOR CLUB WITH MRS. STALEY

Mrs. Skeen Staley entertained the Unity Junior club Wednesday afternoon at her home on McGregor street. Roll call was answered with news of the day. Two papers were given as follows: "Causes Leading to the American Revolution," Mrs. Pickens Coleman, and "George Washington," Mrs. Alfred M. Miller.

Members attending were Mesdames J. H. Barnard, Stayton Bonner, C. W. Cahoon, Charles Clough, Pickens Coleman, Fred Elbert, Charles I. Francis, George Gutzman, J. L. Jackson Jr., Alfred M. Miller, Raymond Myers, Jack Speegle, Skeen Staley, Leslie Stringer, Harry White.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HONORED BY TEACHER

Complimenting the pupils of her class of the Morning Light of the First Methodist Sunday school, Mrs. R. W. H. McCullough, teacher, entertained with a George Washington party at the church Wednesday afternoon. Games were played and refreshments served to the following children:

Melba Wills Bennett, Montie Marie Wright, Mary Arwood, Edna Ranbarger, Evelyn Townsend, Audrey Odelle Bowman, Dorothea Harrell, Frieda Kolb, Nancile Sewell, Bettye Jane Terudi, Dorothy Morgan, Mildred Duck, Betty Prichard.

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ACADEMY PUPILS GIVE WASHINGTON PLAYLET

Pupils of the Academy of Saint Mary Immaculate observed Washington's birthday with an interesting program presented by girls of the sixth and seventh grades.

Following the program, those taking part acted as hostesses in serving refreshments to students of the high school department, with the seniors occupying the table of honor, being seated with George and Martha Washington, impersonated by P. Kelly and V. Ryan.

A playlet was given, entitled, "The Young Patriot's League."

Act I—Living room, Alice, Tinsy Garrett; Nettie, J. M. Walsh; Marian, M. T. Bovie; Julia, M. Pastusek; Josie, Alma Meyer; Gladys, Bertha Meyer; Frances, Pauline Kilroy; Ruth, Rosemary Cate; Agnes, Mary F. Robertson. Violin solo, James Hull.

Act II—The league presents, "In the Days of Washington." George Washington, P. Kelly; Martha Washington, V. Ryan; Lafayette, K. Medlinger; Paul Revere, E. van Emden; Allen, Ruby Hughes; Putnam, Mary F. Rouche; Gen. Stark, J. Kelly; Mrs. Stark, M. Ossenbeck; Franklin, M. Willenborg; Betsy Ross, N. Corridon; Capt. Molly, L. Brumeck; Sambo, Philip Hays. Chorus, "Love's Old Sweet Song," minuet.

Final—"The Spirit of Seventy-Six." Interpretative dance, M. Mendenhall.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Judge and Mrs. James C. Wilson of Fort Worth will be the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben G. Oneal. Judge Wilson is scheduled to talk at the banquet of the bar association Saturday evening, and Mrs. Wilson is to be a special guest at the biennial tea given by the Woman's Forum Saturday afternoon at the clubhouse.

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Mr. and Mrs. Winslow J. Beckham of Trent who have been the gests of Mrs. Beckham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Fisk, left Thursday afternoon and will visit in Graham, Weatherford, Cleburne and Fort Worth before returning home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Watson have returned from Houston where during the past week they attended the International Convention of Master Painters and Decorators.

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Mr. and Mrs. U. N. Clary of Prosper, Texas, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Baker on the Seymour road. Mr. Clary attended the bankers' convention.

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Mrs. Joe Overby, 2204 Taft street, who has been ill at the General hospital, is reported improving and has been taken to her home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Caldwell have returned from Louisiana where they spent two weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pope, who moved to Fort Worth some time ago, have returned to this city to make their home.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McGregor and Mr. and Mrs. John O'Donohoe returned Monday from a trip through Florida, New Orleans and Cuba.

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Mrs. Robert Brown left Thursday for Evanston, Ill., where she will join Mr. Brown who has been there several weeks. They will make their home there.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Marantz and small daughter, Charlotte, left Wednesday for an extended automobile tour of South Texas.

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Mrs. A. C. King, 1501 Taylor street, is reported resting well at her home, following a tonsil operation Wednesday.

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Miss Willie Mae Hall of Mexia is the guest of her uncle, J. N. Sherrill and Mrs. Sherrill.

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Mrs. Ed Howard has gone to Rockwall where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Reid.

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BRIEFS AND NOTICES

Members of the Stitch-A-While club will honor their husbands at a party Thursday evening, 7:30 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs R. A. Gilbow, 1813 Collins street.

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Bridge and Forty-Two Party Is Delightful Event of Tuesday

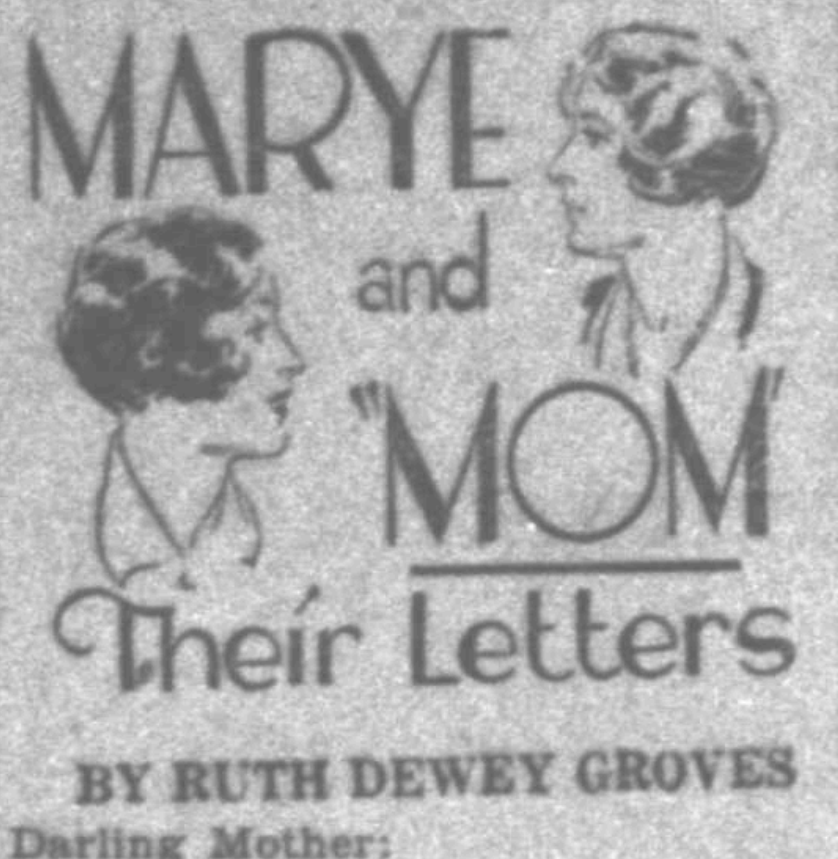
Proving one of the most delightful affairs of Tuesday afternoon was the bridge and "42" party, given by Mrs. G. W. Peckham and Mrs. W. H. Peckham at the lovely home of the former, in the Marlborough addition. The hostesses were assisted in entertaining by Mesdames C. E. Basham, P. J. Lea, B. L. Fain, E. E. Scannell, Thelma McDaniels, and Miss Dorothy Reed.

Decorations suggestive of Washington's birthday were used featuring the patriotic colors of red, white and blue and cut flowers in baskets and bowls were arranged throughout the reception suite.

In the games, high score prize in bridge was won by Mrs. Scannell; second high by Mrs. Baker; and low by Mrs. Walter Daugherty. In "42", Mrs. N. M. Clifford won high prize, and Mrs. F. M. Kell, low.

A dainty refreshment plate harmonizing with the color scheme was served.

The guest list included: Mesdames Bert Bean, F. O. Harrell, D. O. Johnson, Bert Huff, Bill Huff, Gerald Pond, N. M. Clifford, E. C. DeMontel, Ernest Fain, P. S. Richardson, E. E. Scannell, Collins, T. M. Conrey, Russell Eckerty, John Davenport, H. P. Hodge, Joe Jones, W. H. Sanford, George Singleton, J. H. Massie, Anna Witherspoon, Fred Elbert, Pickens Coleman, Tom Medders, Griggs, Earl Stilley, Taggart, Baker, R. E. Hilburn, Stanley McGregor, Charles McCaha, W. H. Street, Alfred Burnside, Evelyn Barker, Thelma McDaniels, Murph, P. J. Lea, Watkins, E. B. Gorsline, J. C. A. Guest, Jeff Waggoner, C. E. Basham, D. L. Fritz, E. T. Barker, Walter Daugherty, Edilee Fitzhugh, Connor Dixon, H. F. Weldon, H. B. White, F. M. Kell, Pat Jarratt, B. L. Fain, R. A. King, J. G. Fain, King, Marvin Smith, Louis Robinson, James Robinson, C. J. Barnard, Harry Streif, C. L. Bailey, Grady Payne, Joe Harvey, John Kilgore, Herbert Brown, A. A. Spencer, Bell, Souther, Regan, Leo Sellers, B. B. Greever, Bass.



BY RUTH DEWEY GROVES

Darling Mother:

I could ask you why so many men had indigestion in your day, but I won't, because you would write back and declare that they still have it.

Then I'd have to tell you that it's not the food they eat, but the pace they keep. I can't deny that we live fast, but I don't know anyone who wants to slow up just to cure indigestion. I think one reason why people used to be slow is that they were always too stuffed with home cooking to get up any pep. Imagine doing the Charleston after eating three pieces of lemon meringue pie!

But I don't see why you object so much to our way of living. You didn't live as your mother or grandmother did. And all we moderns have the same values so no one is hurt. No doubt the Driscolls knew perfectly well why we were entertaining them, but what did that matter? It's a compliment when people spend money on you these days and no one expects a hostess to make a servant of herself.

Only I wish I'd brought them home and served ham sandwiches instead, because Mr. Driscoll threw Alan down. It was that ridiculous wife of his, I'm sure.

I was going to send Betty a luncheon set, but now I've got to buy a new pair of slippers with the money. Anyway, I think Alan sends her money on the sly. Naturally, I don't expect him to tell me what he does with his money, but I do think that a man's family should realize that it does make a difference when he marries.

Alan sent both his sisters through business college, you know, and now that Betty is married to a man who's always out of a job they still seem to think that Alvan ought to send them money. I'd never think of asking Frank for help. I do wish you'd go over to Betty's and have a talk with her and find out what's the trouble with Clyde. Of course I don't want her to suffer, but Clyde's her misfortune, not mine, and Alan kicked the other day because I bought an import. It's a knockout, too, what there is of it, but I guess you wouldn't call it a dress at all. Do go over to Betty's.

With all my love, MARYE.

Friday: "Mom" is troubled.

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EXCAVATION WORK ON ALTUS BUILDING NEARS COMPLETION

(Special to the Times)

ALTUS, Okla., Feb. 23.—Excavation is nearing completion on the proposed new Gosselin office building here which is to be four stories high and which, under the contract, must be completed by June 30.

The contract calls for a structure with every modern convenience such as hot and cold running water, compressed air for dentists, individual water works and fire fighting apparatus by means of direct connection with the city water works and all other up to date office building equipment.

The new Gosselin building is being constructed at a cost of more than a quarter million dollars and will be occupied in the main by business and professional men desiring modern offices. Gosselin states that practically every doctor, dentist, lawyer and real estate man in the city has already leased space in the new building. A. B. Gosselin, promoter and proprietor of the building, is a native of this county and made his fortune in the racket store business in Altus.

The Citizens State bank here will occupy the entire ground floor of the new building and will move into a complete set of new fixtures with all the latest devices designed to thwart robbers and burglars.

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WORK BEGINS AT ALTUS ON LUMBER YARD TO BE LARGEST IN OKLAHOMA

(Special to the Times)

ALTUS, Okla., Feb. 23.—A large crew of workmen began construction on what the proprietors, Rounds and Porter, claim will be the biggest wholesale lumber and building material plant in the state when completed.

The new structure will be built through a complete city block, facing on Lee and Hudson streets, and will be 300 feet long by 100 feet wide. It will be built on the site of the Rounds and Porter wholesale plant which was destroyed by fire here last December 3. The new building will be of concrete, brick and steel and fireproof throughout.

It is estimated that the new wholesale lumber and building material structure will cost not less than $200,000. Headquarters of Rounds and Porter are in Wichita, Kan. The company owns lumber yards all over the southwest, but officials stated today that the Altus plant, when complete, will be the largest in their territory. The company also operates a large retail lumber business here.

VERNON JUNIOR C. C. SEEKING NEW SLOGAN

(Special to the Times)

VERNON, Feb. 23.—Vernon is seeking a new city slogan. The junior chamber of commerce is conducting a contest to obtain a suitable slogan. The organization is asking that suggestive slogans for the city be submitted and they will be given to a chamber of commerce committee which will make the final selection.

The old slogan, "The City of Beautiful Homes," is to be discarded, according to present plans. Something more suggestive of Vernon and surrounding territory is sought, it is explained.

LEGION AT ALTUS BEGINS MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

(Special to the Times)

ALTUS, Okla., Feb. 23.—James Monroe Roach post, American Legion here, started a drive for new members to last 30 days. The campaign was started one week ago today and the adjutant, Elvin Herrman, stated that an even hundred new ones had been secured in one week.

The local post staged an entertainment on Armistice day, at which time sufficient funds were secured to pay off the debt on their two-story building and home here.

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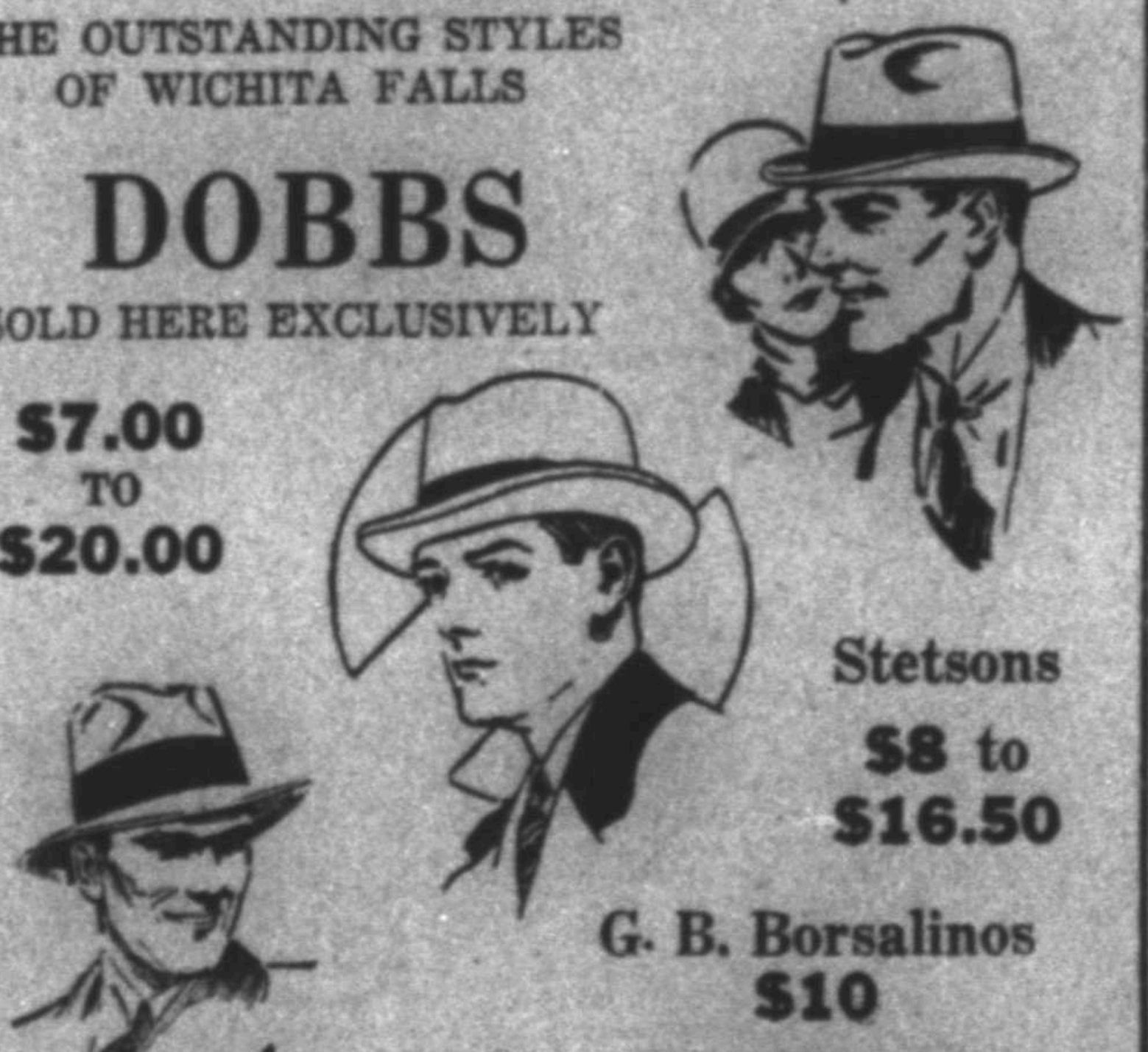

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DENVER TO BUILD PASSENGER DEPOT CHILDRESS SOON

(Special to the Times)

CHILDRESS, Feb. 23.—A new depot is to be constructed in Childress, according to information given out here today, the work to be started as soon as the plans can be drawn and contract made. The depot here has been inadequate for some months and the Fort Worth and Denver has been planning improvements for some time.

WILBARGER CO. FARM LAND IN GOOD SHAPE COUNTY AGENT SAYS

(Special to the Times)

VERNON, Feb. 23.—Wilbarger county farm land is in excellent condition, County Agent R. E. L. Pattillo reports. Rain Tuesday brought the total for the past ten days to more than two inches, giving the farmers a good season for preparing land, and grain crops the moisture which has been needed.

A considerable acreage has been sowed in grain in the county this season, Mr. Pattillo reports, and a record crop for recent years is expected.

While no row-crop planting has been done, the recent rains and snow will enable the farmers to put their land in good shape for planting.

YOUNG BUSINESS MEN AT CHILDRESS BANQUET

(Special to the Times)

CHILDRESS, Feb. 23.—The Young Men's Business club held a delightful meeting and banquet Tuesday night at the First Methodist church. Jerry W. Debenport, secretary of the local chamber of commerce, and Dr. George Curlee, pastor of the Baptist church, delivered addresses.

LAST SERVICE HELD IN OLD CHILDRESS CHURCH

(Special to the Times)

CHILDRESS, Feb. 23.—The last service to be held in the old Church of Christ house of worship was conducted Wednesday evening, according to members of that denomination. As soon as possible after that service, the old house will be torn away and work started on a new one that is to cost approximattely $30,000.

BOY SCOUT EXECUTIVE SPEAKS TO VERNON CLUB

(Special to the Times)

VERNON, Feb. 23.—E. E. Voss of Dallas, deputy regional executive of the Boy Scouts of America, spoke at the Rotary luncheon here Tuesday. He told of the reorganization work which is to start soon. The mutual work of the rural and city boys will bond the city and country more closely together, he stated.

ROTARIANS AT CHILDRESS HEAR WASHINGTON PROGRAM

(Special to the Times)

CHILDRESS, Feb. 23.—Members of the Childress Rotary club enjoyed a delightful regular meeting Wednesday at noon, the address being delivered by Rev. J. T. Griswold, pastor of the Methodist church. He talked about George Washington, and his point was that Washington was able to see things. A number of other talks were also enjoyed.

WILBARGER COMMISSIONERS ORDER NEW STREET OPEN

(Special to the Times)

VERNON, Feb. 23.—County Commissioners in session here Tuesday ordered the opening of White street in the Nabers and Stephens addition west of Vernon. Order for its opening came in response to request of citizens living west of the addition who are seeking a closer route to Vernon. Since the street is not in the corporate limits of Vernon, jurisdiction in the matter was in the hands of the county commissioners.

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The only thing you can do now is to show them both by your way of living, your constancy to the second girl and your patience in waiting, that your love for her is genuine.

If it is, the girl you married and cast off may accept her lot as inevitable, and the girl you want may be convinced—and eventually marry you.

Sauce for the Gander

"—He seemed to care for me and I showed him in a girl's way that I did too. Then he suddenly became 'high hat' toward me and picked up with any girl who passed by. I want tremendously to hate him but can't. What can you advise to solve this puzzle?—TINY."

Show him two can play the high hat game.

There are some natures that cannot resist a show of power. As soon as they know they can make another either smile or cry according to their whim, they take advantage. Perhaps this is what has come over Boy Friend.

On the other hand, his "picking up with any girl who passes" may be from not wanting to show you his real feelings. A sort of shyness. Just like a little boy who wants you to notice him but makes believe he doesn't and feigns a great interest in something else.

In either case your course is plain.

Appear not to notice his absorption in other girls. Have interests of your own, or at least pretend to have. Go your way smilingly, but be a little indifferent. Make a date with someone else. Be "out" when he telephones and don't fall over yourself to accept his invitations.

Don't "see" him sometimes, even when he is under your nose. When he puts himself unmistakably in your way, be as sweet as pie and eagerly delighted. If he asks you what's biting you or words to that effect, be baby-eyed with surprise. Never let him see a sign of consciousness on your part that anything's the matter. Keep him guessing.

Now get busy.

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"For courtesies from men such as opening doors, helping with coat, should a woman say 'Thank You' or what?—MISS A."

Treat the little glass container of desserts or cocktails as you would a cup. If you put down the spoon between mouthfuls, put it in the saucer, and leave it there when you have finished.

If is is a smartish sort of dinner, the waiter will serve you, nipping the meat and potato between a the meat and potato between a fork and tablespoon with one hand, in that clever way they have. If you help yourself, just take the old fork in the left hand, the spoon in the right, and go to it, placing as much or as little of the food on your plate as you want. If it is steak, cut it first, of course, unless it's one of those "small steaks" which you have to hunt for underneath the fried potato.

When a man opens a door for you or helps with your wrap, never fail to say "Thank you," even if he is your husband, son or brother.

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THE RECALL

The effort to recall the mayor and city commissioners of Dallas, which started last September, has required six months to collect a sufficient number of signatures to keep it going. It is hardly to be expected that it will go much further. Sentiment for recall cannot be very general or very pronounced, when the movement progresses so slowly.

Practically all cities have provision in their charters for the recall, but little use is made of it. It is seldom invoked except where corruption is charged. In theory, it provides a means of removing incompetent public officials, but in practice it is almost never employed except where there is evidence of crookedness. There is no hint of anything like that in the Dallas case, the recall movement being due to dissatisfaction in some quarters over the way the city is being run. Since the movement started, the enormous bond issue under the Ulrickson plan has been voted, so it may be assumed that the general public in Dallas is not dissatisfied with the city administration.

Neither the recall nor either of its companions, the initiative and referendum, has ever accomplished as much as the early advocates of these changes believed. The principal value of the recall is in the fact that it is a club, available when needed.

CHECKING UP ON THE JUDGES

A bill is pending in the New York Legislature to require judges to make reports on the amount of work they do. The reports would show how many days each judge presided over his court, how many cases he disposed of, and would include other information on his activities.

If we had a law like that in Texas, there wouldn't be so many bills, every time the Legislature meets, to create new courts. As the matter stands now, a conscientious judge gets no credit for trying to keep up with his docket, and an indifferent, lazy one is permitted to get by with it.

Of course, the measure strikes at the dignity of the bench. But it would save the taxpayers some money.

THE INCREASING SHOE-BILL

Shoe prices are going up and they are going to stay up, according to the Shoe Style Digest, commenting on the shoe market situation. The Digest explains that American people are eating less beef, and therefore fewer cattle are being raised, which makes hides scarcer—and higher. Furthermore, the surplus of hides which existed at the close of the World War has all been used up. "There is no hope of reaction for a long time to come," says the Digest.

Important as shoes are, they are a by-product, and will continue to be such until a satisfactory substitute for leather is found. The demand for beef, not the demand for hides, will be a controlling factor.

SENATOR GEORGE AND ALEXANDER HAMILTON

Senator George of Georgia, in a recent speech, declared that by centralizing authority in the hands of federal boards and bureaus and commissions, "the dream of Alexander Hamilton" had been realized, and the democratic ideal had all but disappeared from view.

The Georgia senator is right, but not long ago when he had a chance to raise his voice against just the sort of thing which he decries, he kept silence. He was among the senators who voted for the Jones shipping bill, which perpetuates one of the worst examples of bureaucracy that our country has known.

When Alexander Hamilton saw that he couldn't put over his program on its merits, he conceived the idea of bringing southern senators and congressmen into line by agreeing to establish the national capital in the South. He couldn't move them with propaganda, so he tried pork. It worked, and the southern members of Congress voted for Hamilton's bill to pay speculators 100 cents on the dollar for the scrip they had purchased for a tenth to a fourth of its par value.

The shipping bill was put over in the Senate by pretty much the same tactics. Southern senators voted for it because it contained the assurance that ships would be operated to southern ports, by the government, and no such assurance was forthcoming if the ships were privately-owned. They forgot the principle of the bill when the smell of its pork reached their noses.

We are in accord with senator George when he declaims against the form of government that Alexander Hamilton wanted, but if the senator's own record in the fight against bureaucracy were a little cleaner, we could applaud him much more loudly.

HISTORY, NEW STYLE

Of the individuals living in 1851, who exerted a greater influence on the lives and manners of the people—Millard Fillmore, who was president of the United States, or McCormick who was beginning to market his wheat binder? Who, in 1885, was making the deeper impress upon American customs—Grover Cleveland, president, or Mergenthaler, who was perfecting his typesetting machine? A writer in the New York Times, pondering questions similar to these, appraises the new trend in history-writing which is manifesting itself in so many books of the present-day.

History, in the political and military sense, is so closely bound up with the economic and social factors that one cannot get a true understanding of the former without at least a superficial knowledge of the latter. And yet historical books, in general, and school histories in particular, emphasize the political and military deeds, and almost completely ignore the backgrounds of those deeds. Mark Sullivan in one of his "Our Times" volumes, inquires whether Henry Ford may not have had a stronger influence on the life of the nation than Warren G. Harding. Certainly the McCormicks wrought far more impressive changes in the national life than anything Fillmore did; yet you can find histories that do not mention the McCormick reaper at all. Without the reaper, settlement of the mid-western regions of this country would have been much slower, and the question of whether slavery should be permitted in those territories might not have reached its crucial stage for many years. Improved agricultural machinery undoubtedly had some bearing on the political events that culminated in the Civil War.

History books, old style, omitted much that was essential to a full understanding of our country's story. It dealt with the surfaces of things. History, new style, goes deeper.

JUST FOLKS

—By—

EDGAR A. GUEST

OUR HOUSE

I like to see a lovely lawn
Bediamoned with dew at dawn,
But mine is often trampled bare,
Because the youngsters gather there.

I like a spotless house and clean
Where many a touch of grace is seen,
But mine is often tossed about
By youngsters racing in and out.

I like a quiet house at night
Where I may sit to read and write,
But my peace flies before the tones
Of three brass throated saxophones.

My books to tumult are resigned,
In vain my furniture is shined,
My lawn is bare, my flowers fall,
Youth rides triumphant over all.

I love the grass, I love the rose,
And every living thing that grows,
I love the books I ponder o'er,
But, oh, I love the children more!

And so unto myself I say:
Be mine the house where youngsters play,
Oh, little girl, oh, healthy boy,
Be mine the house which you enjoy!

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HORSE SENSE FROM SHAW

By GLENN FRANK
President of University of Wisconsin and Former Editor of the Century Magazine

I am devoting this column this week to samples of horse sense from highbrows, as a means of inducing readers who have until now passed them by to read certain writers who, alongside their qualities as artist or scholar, have a ready fund of sound sense and healthy counsel.

Today I turn to Bernard Shaw, who, despite the fact that he is probably the best advertised writer in the world, is nevertheless a sealed book to thousands who would find him a delight and a stimulation if they once gave him a chance at their minds.

He is not an artist for the precious few, or simply a dealer in smart-aleckisms, as many to whom he is only a name may think.

Here are a few nuggets of sound sense and solid counsel:

"Each generation thinks the world is progressing because it is always moving. But a pendulum moves."

"We have no more right to consume happiness without producing it, than to consume wealth without producing it."

"The more a man possesses over and above what he uses, the more careworn he becomes."

"Even though you stir a nation to sacrifice all its appetites to its conscience, the result will still wholly depend on what sort of conscience the nation has got."

"In a stupid nation the man of genius becomes a god; everybody worships him, and nobody does his will."

"Every fool believes what his teachers tell him, and calls his credulity science as confidently as his father called it divine revelation."

"Democracy substitutes election by the incompetent many for appointment by the corrupt few."

"The man with a toothache thinks everyone happy whose teeth are sound. The poverty-stricken man makes the same mistake about the rich man."

"Revolutions have yet never lightened the burden of tyranny; they have only shifted it to the other shoulder."

"Do not mistake your objection to defeat for an objection to fighting, your objection to being a slave for an objection to slavery, your objection to not being rich as your neighbor for an objection to poverty. The cowardly, the insubordinate, and the envious share your opinion."

"What a man believes may be ascertained, not from his creed, but from the assumptions on which he habitually acts."

As a starter, read his essay on "Parents and Children" which appears as a preface to his play, "Misalliance."

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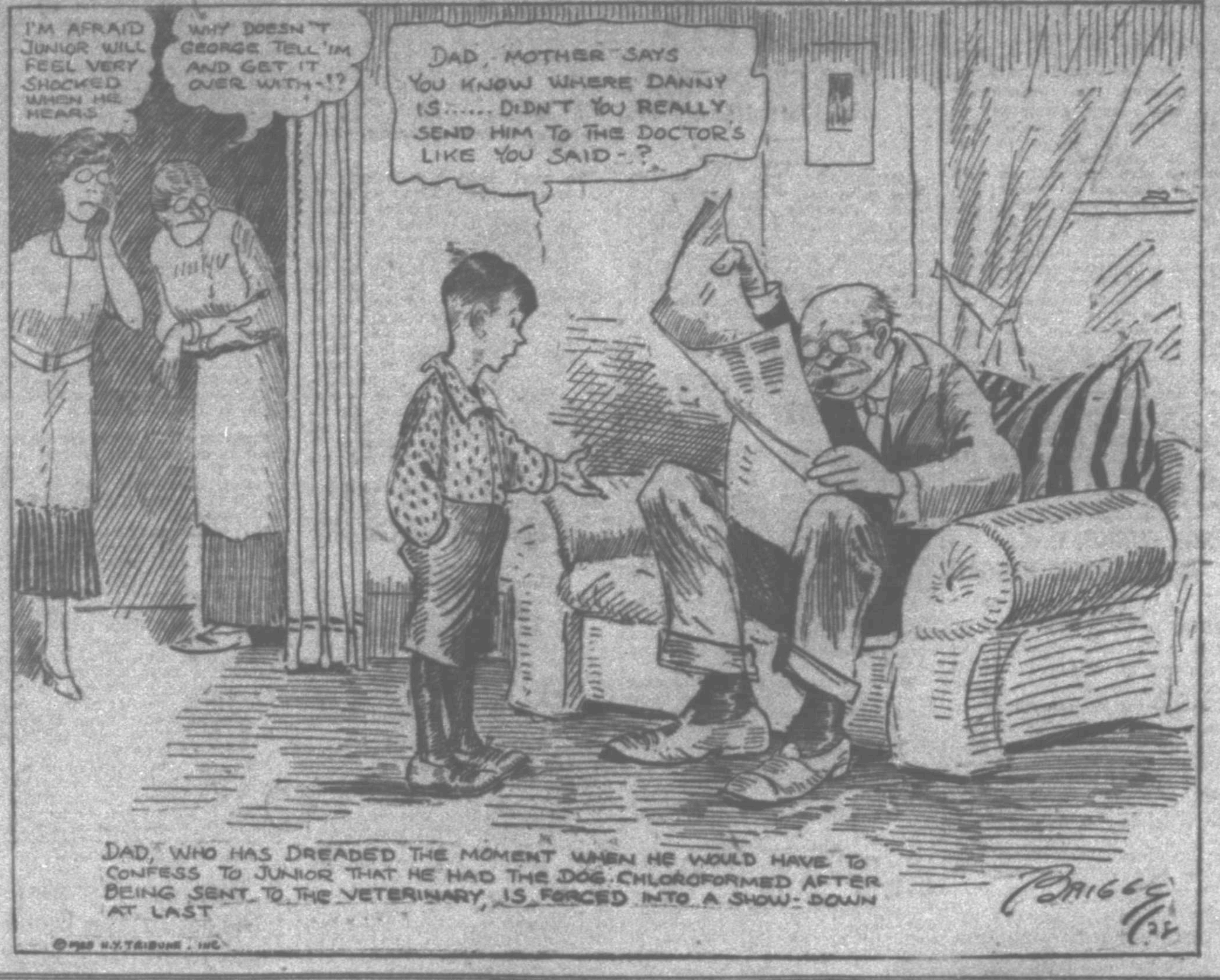
When a Feller Needs a Friend


I'M AFRAID JUNIOR WILL FEEL VERY SHOCKED WHEN HE HEARS
WHY DOESN'T GEORGE TELL 'IM AND GET IT OVER WITH-!?
DAD, MOTHER SAYS YOU KNOW WHERE DANNY IS...... DIDN'T YOU REALLY SEND HIM TO THE DOCTOR'S LIKE YOU SAID-?
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DAD, WHO HAS DREADED THE MOMENT WHEN HE WOULD HAVE TO CONFESS TO JUNIOR THAT HE HAD THE DOG CHLOROFORMED AFTER BEING SENT TO THE VETERINARY, IS FORCED INTO A SHOW-DOWN AT LAST

SAVING *the* PIECES

(Expressions from other publications appearing in this column are chosen for the information they give on subjects of interest they do not necessarily reflect the editorial viewpoint of The Times.)

Though nations and even property holders may argue about who owns the air, we think it likely Lindbergh will be welcome to use it.—Sioux Falls Argus-Leader.

Russia would borrow $30,000,000 in this country, but since she won't touch anything not furnished by sympathizers, she will only be able to raise 37 cents.—Asheville Times.

A fish that walks has been discovered in Montana. Probably he never has been to an automobile show.—Flint Daily Journal.

Those dry agents who flunked on civil service examinations should qualify for expert jury service.—Terre Haute Star.

Ten Tested Rules for Executives

I am resolved—

1. To remember that this my task is God's work more than mine, and that He is more interested in it than I am.

2. To keep silent about my own feelings, experiences, and opinions. Much talking about these things weakens one's position.

3. To hold steady under a strain. Nothing is as bad as it looks. An orderly plan and a definite goal may clear away much confusion.

4. To hear both sides and take counsel before deciding large matters. Every man has something to teach me.

5. To leave important decisions until morning. God will meanwhile take a hand if I hold off a little.

6. To treat every man as my equal. Those who feel themselves below me will respond with new values; and those who seem above me are also timid.

7. To believe that every man intends to play fair. Better be imposed upon occasionally than suspicious all the time.

8. To give my associates not orders, but responsibilities, and credit for results obtained.

9. To remember that no case is hopeless, and to give to every man who fails at least three trials under varying conditions. It may be a matter of finding his place.

10. Having done all things, to decide, and having decided, not to change without good reason.—George S. Miller, in the Christian Advocate.

There's a Mexican general who hasn't won a battle yet. The only thing he ever beat, it seems, is a retreat.—Farm and Fireside.

The Baltimore city council has passed an ordinance changing the names of 900 streets. The popular song hereafter in Baltimore will be "Show me the way to go home."—Providence Journal.

"This suits me down to the ground," said the parachute-jumper as he comfortably descended.—Boston Transcript.

Why Pick on the Automobile?

In view of the fact that motor cars probably add to the facilities for committing crime, it was suggested at a recent meeting of judges in Dallas that the highway fund contribute to paying salaries of enforcement officers.

Isn't it about time to look to other sources for revenue to pay the expenses of government? It is getting to be a habit to look to the automobile for any extra money that may be needed for government expense, and this habit should be cured. The automobile now pays more kinds of taxes than any other piece of property. A government tax is paid upon the purchase of a car. Before it can be operated in Texas the owner must pay a license tax of about three times the amount required to be paid in any other state. After he has paid for his license he must again pay a tax on the gasoline he puts into the tank, and then comes the tax assessor and charges him up with ad valorem tax.

Good roads are built for automobiles and other motor vehicles, and those who use the highways should pay proportionately for their construction and maintenance. The fund thus collected should be spent on the highways, all except the ad valorem tax, which should go into the general fund. It is unjust to take from this fund moneys for the public schools, for paying the salaries of enforcement officers, excepting highway officers, or for any other government agency. If it is proper to pay our police force larger salaries, then that pay should come from the general fund, and the same can be said of the support of the schools. Public schools and policemen are necessary and render service to all the people. Why select a particular class of people and collect from them unjust sums, exempting all other forms of property and all other property owners from paying a just share of government expense?

What is the Full Dry Pledge?

Senator Borah has been pressing Republican candidates for president to declare themselves without evasion or reservation on the Volstead act and the eighteenth amendment. The prohibition organizations seek the same assurance of candidates, asking for their pledges to the sumptuary law.

The effect would be to bind the candidates to the control and direction of the Anti-Saloon league, the word of which is ultimate law on this subject. It is therefore pertinent to inquire of Mr. Borah and the other drys whether the statements, guaranties and pledges are to bind the candidates to the following policies and demands of the Anti-Saloon league and prohibition enforcement:

That any violation of the Volstead act shall be a felony punishable with five years in the penitentiary;

That two, three or four violations of the Volstead act, of any kind, shall be punished by imprisonment for life;

That any one seeking to ascertain by analysis whether liquor has been poisoned by the government shall be punished by imprisonment;

That any enforcement agent who kills an innocent citizen on suspicion, by mistake, by taking a chance, or for any other reason, shall be given the protection of the federal courts and shall go free and unpunished;

That any laws, rights or constitutional guaranties in conflict with any method of prohibition enforcement shall be suspended.

It is important to know the full extent of the pledge to be required of the Republican candidate for president before he may be considered qualified for the office.—Chicago Tribune.

By the Way in Washington

By RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—When you come to think about it, what an awful lot of trouble is caused in this world by suspicion!

There is good reason to suppose that congress would be happy to pass a law abolishing suspicion if there were any way it could be enforced. Chances are that it would not be vetoed.

If someone's suspicious had not been aroused, Mr. Doheny still would have the Elk Hills oil, Mr. Sinclair would have Teapot Dome and Mr. Falls would have his reputation.

If the vile hand of suspicion had not been laid upon the department of justice, Mr. Daugherty still might be attorney general, and his right-hand man might be Mr. Burns.

If suspicion hadn't been on the job in Pennsylvania, Mr. Vare would not be in trouble and Mr. Smith, the insulated senator-elect from Illinois, would never have been prevented from casting what Senator Norris called "Mr. Insull's vote" in the senate.

If young Bob Lafollette hadn't suspected that Mr. Coolidge would accept another nomination and that certain conservative agents were plotting to thrust upon him, that mean anti-third term resolution never would have been passed.

If someone hadn't begun to smell something unusual, one or all of Mr. Kellogg's various explanations of our Nicaraguan policy still might be accepted by intelligent citizens.

If Mr. Hughes hadn't suspected that Mr. Hilles and perhaps Mr. Mellon were trying to use him as a false face in the contest for presidential nomination, Mr. Hoover's chances would be nowhere near as good as they are and those of certain other candidates would be considerably brighter.

If everyone didn't suspect that something was wrong with the navy, Mr. Wilbur might be regarded as a great cabinet officer.

If it hadn't been suspected that some of Sinclair's liberty bonds had paid off the 1920 campaign debt, it wouldn't have been proved that they did.

If most of the voters didn't suspect that the Democratic politicians might run the country any better than the Republican politicians, the Republicans would be out of luck.

If it were not suspected that many of the politicians who oppose Mr. Hoover were as reactionary and useless as politicians can be, Mr. Hoover's candidacy would lose rather than gain because of the number of reactionary and useless politicians now under his flag.

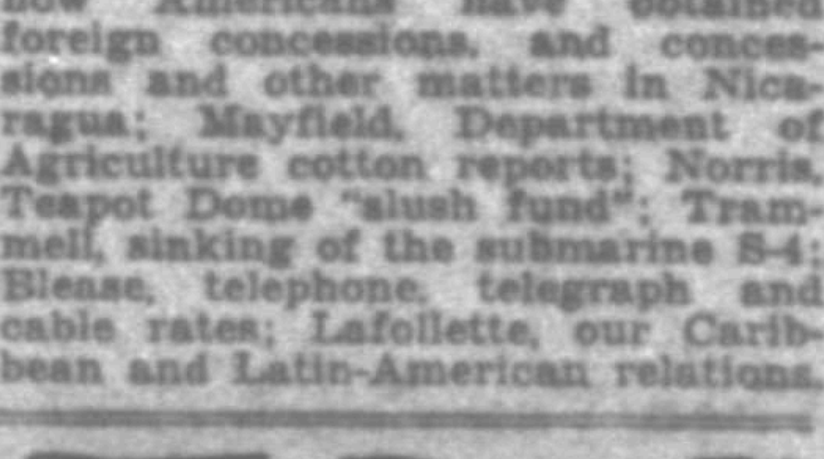
And so on. Suspicion, of course, is only a fuse, often wet. If all the suspicion now at large in Washington were verified, passenger traffic to Europe would show large gains. It is generally only when suspicion causes an investigation proving that it was justified, that important events result.

The friends of suspicion and its enemies are fighting this year in the senate, harder than ever. When last counted, there were 20 resolutions demanding the investigation of something or other.

There are always senators to scoff at the suspicions prompting the resolutions and others to claim them justified if not already verified. Here's an incomplete list of senators and what they want investigated:

Walsh of Montana, public utilities; Johnson, bituminous coal fields conditions and telephone industry; King, federal reserve system and conditions of the Indians; Reed of Missouri, primary and election slush funds (continuance); McKellar, tax refunds and private loans to the French government; Wheeler, espionage in industry, how Americans have obtained foreign concessions, and concessions and other matters in Nicaragua; Mayfield, Department of Agriculture cotton reports; Norris, Teapot Dome "slush fund"; Trammell, sinking of the submarine S-4; Blease, telephone, telegraph and cable rates; Lafollette, our Caribbean and Latin-American relations.

Little Benny's Note Book



This afternoon Sid Hunt brawt some kid home from skool with him, being a freckle face kid with a tern up nose named Skotty, and us fellows was sitting on Sids frunt steps tawking about diffrent subjecks sutch as if a horses neck tickles wen he drinks and wat are the best kinds of food, me saying, Well enyways, you cant beet ice creem.

And all the fellows sed, O, I should say not. G wizz ice creem, theres nuthin like ice creem, holey smokes ice creem.

All except Skotty, and he sed, O I dont know, I dont consider ice creem is so grate, in fact personly I dont like ice creem.

Aw go on, why do you eat it for, then? I sed.

I dont, Skotty sed, and Skinny Martin sed, G wizzickers heers a fellow wunts to say he dont eat ice creem, good nite wats you know about that.

Why should I eat it if I dont like it? Skotty sed.

Making us fellows still madder, and Puds Simkins sed, Wats a matter with you, are you crazy or dont you know wats good? and Leroy Shooster sed, Eny fellow says he dont like ice creem awt to go and see a doctor, and I sed, G wizz you awt to have your taist ixamined.

Well wats a matter, this is a free country, aint it? Skotty sed, and us fellows sed, No it aint, not about ice creem it aint, G wizzickers why dont you tawk sents, G roozlem the ideer of eny guy saying he dont like ice creem, your jest sayin that to show off, go on certeny you do, thats impossible.

Aw prooens, Skotty sed. And he got up and wawked away, us fellows saying to Sid Hunt, Hay Sid wats the ideer of bringing that guy around, wats you wunt to bring a guy like that around for? and Sid saying, Well how did I know he was that kind of a guy?

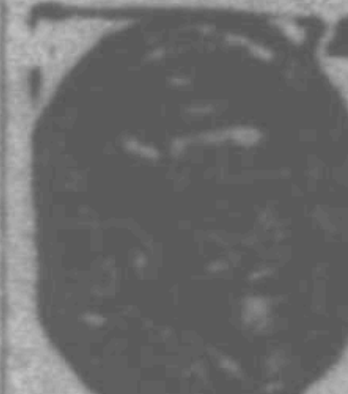
Proving enybody can have their own opinions but not if they wunt to be populer.

Ouch!

"How do you like the dress I have bought on the deferred payment plan?"

"It looks as if you have only put on the first installment."—Tit-Bits.

"Worst Story I Have Heard Today"



By WILL ROGERS

This one about the colored brother isn't as new as some others, but you never can tell about these new ones. They may wear and then again they may wear out. This here one has been used in my own circle of acquaintances for twenty years, and it ain't showing any signs of breaking down the arches yet.

The colored fellow says to the preacher, "I wish you'd have the congregation pray for me tonight, something right special."

"All right, we'll be glad to do that. What special?"

"Well, I'se got a floating kidney and I wish you'd have the folks pray for me and for all the floating kidneys in the world, because they is right dangerous."

"But you-all knows we can't pray for floating kidneys. We don't go into interiors thataway."

"Yes you do. You-all prayed last night for all the loose livers in the church, and that's how I got the idee for prayers for us fellows with the floating kidneys."

DAILY HEALTH TALK

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

One of the questions which most disturb mothers whose children go considerable distances to school is the provision of a satisfactory luncheon.

Many mothers wish their children to come home to a hot lunch, but this is not always practical, particularly in places where only 30 to 45 minutes may be allowed for the luncheon period. If the lunch time is so short that the child has opportunity only for dashing home, snatching a hasty meal, and returning at once, it is undoubtedly better to carry a suitable lunch and to eat it leisurely.

Nutrition experts give the following advice:

When lunches must be carried to school it is wise to purchase some kind of thermos bottle or container in which one warm food can be carried. This hot dish may be cocoa, milk soup, vegetable stew, macaroni and cheese, stewed lima beans, or other similar easily prepared nourishing dish. In addition to a warm food the lunch should provide each of the following:

1—Milk. At least one-half pint to drink as such, or in cocoa, milk soup, etc.

2—Protein food, as cheese, cottage cheese, egg or meat. These may be served separately or in sandwiches. If a full pint of milk is used this extra protein is not so essential.

3—Bread, as bread and butter, or as sandwiches.

4—Fruit or vegetable. Fruit is more easily carried and can well be used most of the time, the vegetable being served at the night meal. The fruit may be raw—as a ripe banana, an apple, an orange, a bunch of grapes—or in form of sauce. When the fruit is cooked it is wise to add a few pieces of celery, a whole tomato, or lettuce to provide the desirable element of freshness in the lunch.

5—A sweet, if desired, as a cooky, a raisin sandwich, jam to eat with bread and butter, a piece or two of candy, a few peanuts or raisins. The sweet should not be overdone, merely a little top-off to the meal.

Suggestions

Following are some suggestions:

1—Cocoa (made of milk) one-half to one pint. Peanut butter sandwiches. Ripe banana. Cookies.

2—Vegetable stew, small amount of meat, potato, carrots, onions, etc. Bread and butter. Milk. Red apple. Graham crackers.

3—Potato soup. Lettuce sandwiches. Baked apple. Ginger bread.

4—Stewed lima beans. Bread and butter. Milk. Ripe peaches. Cup cake.

It must be remembered that merely packing the right lunch is not sufficient. Provision must be made at school for a suitable place and the right atmosphere in which to eat it, else the meal may be as hurried and unsatisfactory as before.

Answer Is "Eyes"

"Can you take castor oil without tasting it?"

"I will inquire, if you can wait. Will you have some lemonade in the meantime?"

Inquirer drinks lemonade.

"Now can you tell me about the castor oil?"

"It was a little joke—you have already taken the oil."

"But I wanted it for my little brother."—Lustige Kolner Zeitung.

Your Boy —and— Your Girl

By ARTHUR DEAN, SC. D.
The Parent Counsellor

Dr. Dean will answer all signed letters pertaining to parents' problems with their boys and girls. Writers' names are never printed. Only questions of general interest answered in the column, but all letters will be answered by mail if written in ink and a stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Address Arthur Dean, in care of this paper.

A Dictionary for "Petters"

Who wants to help make a dictionary? One which, for its size, will be the most thoroughly practical, up-to-date, authoritative and encyclopedic dictionary of the emotional language of youth ever produced. A comprehensible, condensed and indispensible guide for students of "revolting youth," whether in college or school, in amusement enterprises or in automobiles.

No, this column did not originate this idea. A sun-kissed correspondent suggests that our readers send in definitions of "petting," "necking," "love-making," "love," "emotions" and a few thousand other words which are not in Webster's either unabridge or abridged.

"This may help," to quote a youth whose experience in kissing may have been limited to gifts bestowed by California skies, "to settle many a little family spat between father and daughter or mother and son and spray a little light on the subject in general. A display of affection is necessary for every girl and boy and yet shouldn't be classified as petting or necking. I am 23 and so am halfway between youth and age and I'd like to be the umpire."

All right, you're "umpire," and can call "strikes," "balls" or "fouls."

Now, let's see. For example, "Petting—to pet; to treat as a pet." Does that get us any closer? One of those lap-dog pets which is stuffed with food, shut up in the house, hugged and called "wozzy-uzzy darling." Or a police dog pet which is admired, brushed, fed chunks and given lots of wholesome exercise. Or a rabbit pet which is stuffed for the slaughter. Or a protected canary bird pet in a cage by the sunny window and sheltered at night from dampness and chill.

There are several kinds of pets and numerous ways of treating them. My only pets have been either canary birds which needed tender and loving care in order that they might sing their sweet songs; cats whose fur must always be rubbed the right way if they are expected to beautify one's home with their presence; dogs of size, thank heavens, whose own dignity and personality never allowed familiarity and insincerity to turn them from the path of sturdy devotion.

Girls, in the eyes of some boys, I suppose, are "pets." But what sort of pets—canaries, robbits, cats, dogs, or what?

Well, "umpire," we will get ready for the flood of letters which will come to us from collegiate etymologists, high school youths who are experts in synonyms and antonyms, each contributing a definition of some of these words over which our sun-kissed friend is puzzled.

The "dictionary" will be sent to any reader who contributes a definition and that indispensable S. A. S. E.

OUR CONVERSATION CORNER

Suggestion for Stuttering

When I was about 12 years of age I had the stuttering habit. My aunt came to visit us and told me when I wanted to say anything to commence the sentence by saying "an." I found by saying "an" before the letter "I," which was my worst word, I could say it without stuttering.

This suggestion may not help everyone but it is worth trying.—DAILY READER.

A Surprise.

Won't you please print this about my wonderful teacher? I want to put the printed page containing it on her desk and surprise her and not let her know I wrote it.

She is a teacher, the molder of men,
Exemplar of everything good, fine and true;
With the gladness of her sweet, beaming smile
Unconsciously does she all around her imbue.

A master craftsman, an artist indeed
Whose eternal beauty of mind and soul inspires
To higher ideals and nobler deeds—
Fanning red ashes into glowing, living fires.

Great is the joy, and the hope and comfort
Which falls, a soothing balm, on weary, aching hearts
When life is made worth living, and the will
Strengthened by the wise counsels she to them imparts.

God bless her. In our memory she'll live
For, hers is the spirit which never can be gone—
'Tis well to try to be like her, so that
Although she'll pass beyond, her soul goes marching on!

—"SWEET SIXTEEN."

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MARINES TO TURN NICARAGUA CONTROL OVER TO NATIVES

NATIONAL GUARD TO POLICE REPUBLIC AFTER TROOPS LEAVE IN MARCH

REBEL BANDS ON RUN BEFORE BLUE JACKETS

Scout Planes Strafe Sandino Units With Machine Gun Fire From Skies.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Feb. 23. (AP)—After slaying four rebels in different encounters in the Jinotega region, American marines today were keeping small bands of rebels on the run. In three encounters at scattered points in the region, the marines also wounded several rebels but suffered no casualties themselves.

The rebels encountered are believed to be part of the band of 75 which recently seized the town of Trinidad, looted some stores and disappeared before the marines arrived.

Two rebels of a small band observed east of Narajo, which is southeast of Jinotega, were slain by machine gun fire from a scout plane.

Captain George T. Hall, whose base is at Esteli, signalled to airplanes that while on patrol near the same locality he encountered a band of rebels and killed two of them.

Six miles from Homomico, between Jinotega and Matagalpa, a patrol under Lieutenant H. A. Shiebler surprised a small band of guerillas. The rebels opened fire. The marines returned the rebel fire wounding two and routing the insurgents. Some stolen property was recovered.

In March, marine forces will be released from Managua for other duty as at that time the Nicaraguan national guard will take over the policing of the capital. The Nicaraguan guard was organized by American marines and is partly officered by them.

ROBERT M'KINLEY GETS SEVEN YEARS IN PRISON MOTION FOR NEW TRIAL

FORT WORTH, Feb. 23. (AP)—Motion for new trial for Robert McKinley, 18, who late last night was given a seven-year sentence for killing his step-father, William L. Holloway, near Mansfield last August, was scheduled to be filed today.

Notice that motion would be filed was given the judge of criminal courts by defense attorneys immediately after the verdict was read. The jury was out one hour and 40 minutes.

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS GIVEN HISTORIC MAP

LAWRENCE, Kan., Feb. 23. (AP)—The gift of more than 120 seventeenth and eighteenth century maps to the University of Kansas by Dr. Otto E. H. Collbehr of Berlin, Germany, was announced today by Chancellor E. H. Lindley. About 15 are maps of the world and the rest relate to the western hemisphere.

The maps give the University of Kansas a collection of American colonial material ranking fourth in the United States.

What Dr. Caldwell Learned in 47 Years Practice

W. B. Caldwell MD

AT AGE 83

Dr. Caldwell watched the results of constipation for 47 years, and believed that no matter how careful people are of their health, diet and exercise, constipation will occur from time to time regardless of how much one tries to avoid it. Of next importance, then, is how to treat it when it comes. Dr. Caldwell always was in favor of getting as close to nature as possible, hence his remedy for constipation, known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is a mild vegetable compound. It can not harm the most delicate system and is not a habit forming preparation. Syrup Pepsin is pleasant-tasting, and youngsters love it. It does not gripe. Thousands of mothers have written us to that effect.

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a clear skin comes from within

HUMBLE WINS FIGHT TO BUILD LINE INTO GULF

AUSTIN, Feb. 23. (AP)—A temporary injunction restraining the Humble Oil company from laying a crude oil loading pipe line into gulf waters near Corpus Christi was dissolved Thursday by the third court of civil appeals here, reversing a Travis county district court's decision.

The attorney general's department obtained the restraining order, claiming such a line would be on state property in unwarranted trespass and on the further contention that marine life would be endangered from possible leaks in the pipe.

The company's two main contentions, as upheld by the court: that "a grant of statutory power to a public service corporation carries by necessary implication the grant of every other power necessary and proper to the execution of powers expressly granted by statutes," and that "public grants for the public advantage must be construed liberally so as to effectuate purposes of the grant."

The court then summed up its holding in essence as follows:

"That a public service corporation (such as the Humble company) had the right to construct pipe lines to any port, dock, buoy or deep sea loading point reasonably necessary to the petroleum industry."

Attorney General Claude Pollard's contention that a specific legislative grant would be necessary for the company to put down such a line was held wrong, the court saying that "tidal lands or waters of the state may be used by public service corporations as rights-of-way when reasonably necessary," whether the grant is specific or by "necessary implication."

Game Commissioner Will J. Tucker, whom Attorney General Pollard brought into the case as another complaining state official, was ruled without authority in the matter. This point was believed important in that the opinion said it is conceded that he (game commissioner) is not vested with "physical" charge of state waters.

The state immediately began preparing for an appeal, probably to the state supreme court especially on the appeals court's statement that the question of probable pollution of waters was not in the case.

VAUDEVILLE TEAM WEDS IN NASHVILLE CATHEDRAL

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 23. (AP)—A new vaudeville team had its inception last night at the Ash Wednesday services of the First Lutheran church when the first hymn of the service yielded to the strains of a wedding march, and Miss Inga Connie Nelson, 26, of Minneapolis, vaudeville actress, became the bride of Ben Smith, 40, one time Newark baseball player and later a member of a vaudeville act with the late Hugh Jennings.

25 PERSONS OVERCOME BY GAS IN CHURCH

DERBY, Eng., Feb. 23. (AP)—Twenty-five men and women attending a conference at a Primitive Methodist church here last night were overcome by gas fumes. All but one were able to leave the hospital after treatment.

HORNED FROG SINGERS TO TOUR SOUTH TEXAS

FORT WORTH, Feb. 23. (AP)—An extensive trip over South Texas will be taken by the Texas Christian university Glee club and the Horned Frog quartet late in March, Warren Day, business manager, said Thursday. Points already scheduled on the itinerary of the Glee club are: Galveston, Corpus Christi, El Paso, Brownsville, Houston and Austin.

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PINEX for Coughs

BURKBURNETT MAN GETS TWO YEARS ON FORGERY CHARGE IN FOARD CO.

CROWELL, Texas, Feb. 23.—J. E. Hale of Burkburnett was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary in district court at Crowell Monday when found guilty on a charge of passing a forged instrument.

Hale, it was alleged, presented a check to Reeder Drug company at Crowell on January 27 for the amount of $38.50, bearing the signature of R. E. Knuckles. The check was accepted, but only a small amount of cash was on hand, and $15 was given Hale with the agreement that the rest would be given later. The mistake in the signature was soon discovered and Sheriff L. D. Campbell was notified and caught Hale between Crowell and Wichita Falls. According to the testimony, "R. E. Knuckles" was signed to the check when it was supposed to have been intended for "R. E. Nuchols," for whom Hale had been working. Nuchols had the contract for welding the line for Crowell's natural gas system.

WEST TEXAS C-C AHEAD ON CONVENTION DETAILS

FORT WORTH, Feb. 23. (AP)—Plans for the tenth annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held here June 18-20 have reached a more advanced stage at this time than for any previous convention, Homer D. Wade, manager, said.

FIFTY YEARS IS JURY'S VERDICT LAWRENCE CASE

DALLAS, Feb. 23. (AP)—Unheeding his plea that he shot because he feared for his life after having been found in a hotel room with another man's wife, a jury here last night found John Lawrence, Mesquite banker and former mayor, guilty of the murder of Jack Kimbell and fixed his punishment at 50 years imprisonment. Kimbell was slain on the public square at Mesquite on October 6. The jury was out more than four hours, returning the verdict at 9:45 p. m. but reported that only two ballots were taken on the question of guilt or innocence. Some of the jurors held out for a time for the death penalty, they said.

Lawrence, who showed no emotion when the verdict was read gave notice of appeal. His wife and his mother, present with him, sobbed aloud while friends who had helped elect him mayor three times shook his hand before he was led back to jail.

Testimony offered at the trial was to the effect that Kimbell was shot in the back while fleeing from Lawrence, who had obtained a gun from his bank after a fight with Kimbell and two of his brothers on the square at Mesquite.

The state had asked the death penalty, the defense an acquittal or a suspended sentence.

GROUND BROKEN ON SITE MEMORIAL TO WASHINGTON

VALLEY FORGE, Pa., Feb. 23. (AP)—Ground for a $10,000,000 Washington memorial church was broken here today on the site of General Washington's historic encampment. The structure, conceived by Dr. W. Herbert Burk, rector of Washington chapel here, will be erected by popular subscriptions with contributions invited from every section of the United States.

SINKING OF BURNING SHIP SAVES TOWN FROM FLAMES

BOGOTA, Colombia, Feb. 23. (AP) The sinking of a burning ship saved the town of Quibdo from a major disaster yesterday.

The steamer Bogota moored in the Atrato river off Quibdo caught fire. The blaze spread rapidly and the crew saved themselves by jumping overboard.

Lack of sufficient fire fighting equipment and the proximity of several wooden houses put the city in danger, which was only averted when the flaming ship sank.

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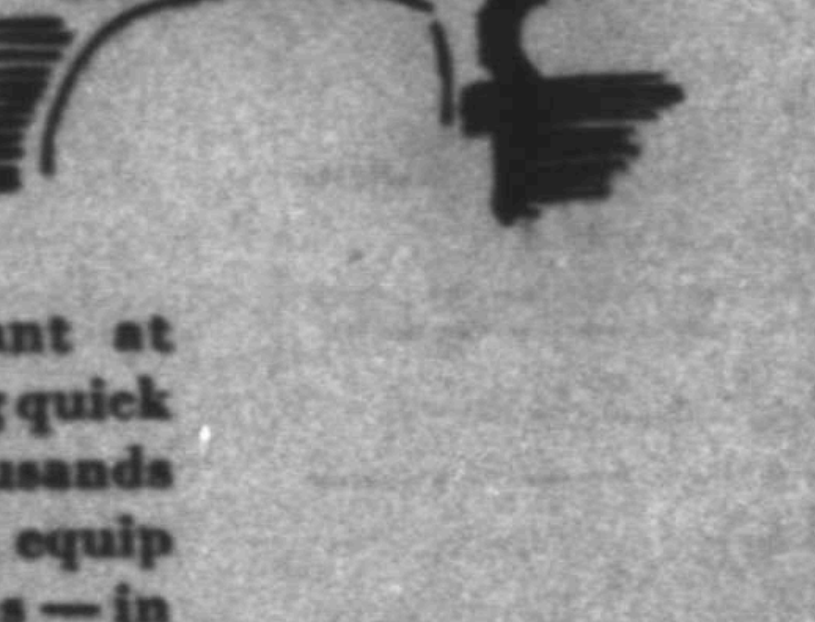

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THE RECALL

The effort to recall the mayor and city commissioners of Dallas, which started last September, has required six months to collect a sufficient number of signatures to keep it going. It is hardly to be expected that it will go much further. Sentiment for recall cannot be very general or very pronounced, when the movement progresses so slowly.

Practically all cities have provision in their charters for the recall, but little use is made of it. It is seldom invoked except where corruption is charged. In theory, it provides a means of removing incompetent public officials, but in practice it is almost never employed except where there is evidence of crookedness. There is no hint of anything like that in the Dallas case, the recall movement being due to dissatisfaction in some quarters over the way the city is being run. Since the movement started, the enormous bond issue under the Ulrickson plan has been voted, so it may be assumed that the general public in Dallas is not dissatisfied with the city administration.

Neither the recall nor either of its companions, the initiative and referendum, has ever accomplished as much as the early advocates of these changes believed. The principal value of the recall is in the fact that it is a club, available when needed.

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CHECKING UP ON THE JUDGES

A bill is pending in the New York Legislature to require judges to make reports on the amount of work they do. The reports would show how many days each judge presided over his court, how many cases he disposed of, and would include other information on his activities.

If we had a law like that in Texas, there wouldn't be so many bills, every time the Legislature meets, to create new courts. As the matter stands now, a conscientious judge gets no credit for trying to keep up with his docket, and an indifferent, lazy one is permitted to get by with it.

Of course, the measure strikes at the dignity of the bench. But it would save the taxpayers some money.

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THE INCREASING SHOE-BILL

Shoe prices are going up and they are going to stay up, according to the Shoe Style Digest, commenting on the shoe market situation. The Digest explains that American people are eating less beef, and therefore fewer cattle are being raised, which makes hides scarcer—and higher. Furthermore, the surplus of hides which existed at the close of the World War has all been used up. "There is no hope of reaction for a long time to come," says the Digest.

Important as shoes are, they are a by-product, and will continue to be such until a satisfactory substitute for leather is found. The demand for beef, not the demand for hides, will be a controlling factor.

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SENATOR GEORGE AND ALEXANDER HAMILTON

Senator George of Georgia, in a recent speech, declared that by centralizing authority in the hands of federal boards and bureaus and commissions, "the dream of Alexander Hamilton" had been realized, and the democratic ideal had all but disappeared from view.

The Georgia senator is right, but not long ago when he had a chance to raise his voice against just the sort of thing which he decries, he kept silence. He was among the senators who voted for the Jones shipping bill, which perpetuates one of the worst examples of bureaucracy that our country has known.

When Alexander Hamilton saw that he couldn't put over his program on its merits, he conceived the idea of bringing southern senators and congressmen into line by agreeing to establish the national capital in the South. He couldn't move them with propaganda, so he tried pork. It worked, and the southern members of Congress voted for Hamilton's bill to pay speculators 100 cents on the dollar for the scrip they had purchased for a tenth to a fourth of its par value.

The shipping bill was put over in the Senate by pretty much the same tactics. Southern senators voted for it because it contained the assurance that ships would be operated to southern ports, by the government, and no such assurance was forthcoming if the ships were privately-owned. They forgot the principle of the bill when the smell of its pork reached their noses.

We are in accord with senator George when he declaims against the form of government that Alexander Hamilton wanted, but if the senator's own record in the fight against bureaucracy were a little cleaner, we could applaud him much more loudly.

HISTORY, NEW STYLE

Of the individuals living in 1851, who exerted a greater influence on the lives and manners of the people—Millard Fillmore, who was president of the United States, or McCormick who was beginning to market his wheat binder? Who, in 1885, was making the deeper impress upon American customs—Grover Cleveland, president, or Mergenthaler, who was perfecting his typesetting machine? A writer in the New York Times, pondering questions similar to these, appraises the new trend in history-writing which is manifesting itself in so many books of the present-day.

History, in the political and military sense, is so closely bound up with the economic and social factors that one cannot get a true understanding of the former without at least a superficial knowledge of the latter. And yet historical books, in general, and school histories in particular, emphasize the political and military deeds, and almost completely ignore the backgrounds of those deeds. Mark Sullivan in one of his "Our Times" volumes, inquires whether Henry Ford may not have had a stronger influence on the life of the nation than Warren G. Harding. Certainly the McCormicks wrought far more impressive changes in the national life than anything Fillmore did; yet you can find histories that do not mention the McCormick reaper at all. Without the reaper, settlement of the mid-western regions of this country would have been much slower, and the question of whether slavery should be permitted in those territories might not have reached its crucial stage for many years. Improved agricultural machinery undoubtedly had some bearing on the political events that culminated in the Civil War.

History books, old style, omitted much that was essential to a full understanding of our country's story. It dealt with the surfaces of things. History, new style, goes deeper.

JUST FOLKS

—By—

EDGAR A. GUEST

OUR HOUSE

I like to see a lovely lawn
Bediamoned with dew at dawn,
But mine is often trampled bare,
Because the youngsters gather there.

I like a spotless house and clean
Where many a touch of grace is seen,
But mine is often tossed about
By youngsters racing in and out.

I like a quiet house at night
Where I may sit to read and write,
But my peace flies before the tones
Of three brass throated saxophones.

My books to tumult are resigned,
In vain my furniture is shined,
My lawn is bare, my flowers fall,
Youth rides triumphant over all.

I love the grass, I love the rose,
And every living thing that grows,
I love the books I ponder o'er,
But, oh, I love the children more!

And so unto myself I say:
Be mine the house where youngsters play,
Oh, little girl, oh, healthy boy,
Be mine the house which you enjoy!

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HORSE SENSE FROM SHAW

By GLENN FRANK
President of University of Wisconsin and Former Editor of the Century Magazine

I am devoting this column this week to samples of horse sense from highbrows, as a means of inducing readers who have until now passed them by to read certain writers who, alongside their qualities as artist or scholar, have a ready fund of sound sense and healthy counsel.

Today I turn to Bernard Shaw, who, despite the fact that he is probably the best advertised writer in the world, is nevertheless a sealed book to thousands who would find him a delight and a stimulation if they once gave him a chance at their minds.

He is not an artist for the precious few, or simply a dealer in smart-aleckisms, as many to whom he is only a name may think.

Here are a few nuggets of sound sense and solid counsel:

"Each generation thinks the world is progressing because it is always moving. But a pendulum moves."

"We have no more right to consume happiness without producing it, than to consume wealth without producing it."

"The more a man possesses over and above what he uses, the more careworn he becomes."

"Even though you stir a nation to sacrifice all its appetites to its conscience, the result will still wholly depend on what sort of conscience the nation has got."

"In a stupid nation the man of genius becomes a god; everybody worships him, and nobody does his will."

"Every fool believes what his teachers tell him, and calls his credulity science as confidently as his father called it divine revelation."

"Democracy substitutes election by the incompetent many for appointment by the corrupt few."

"The man with a toothache thinks everyone happy whose teeth are sound. The poverty-stricken man makes the same mistake about the rich man."

"Revolutions have yet never lightened the burden of tyranny; they have only shifted it to the other shoulder."

"Do not mistake your objection to defeat for an objection to fighting, your objection to being a slave for an objection to slavery, your objection to not being rich as your neighbor for an objection to poverty. The cowardly, the insubordinate, and the envious share your opinion."

"What a man believes may be ascertained, not from his creed, but from the assumptions on which he habitually acts."

As a starter, read his essay on "Parents and Children" which appears as a preface to his play, "Misalliance."

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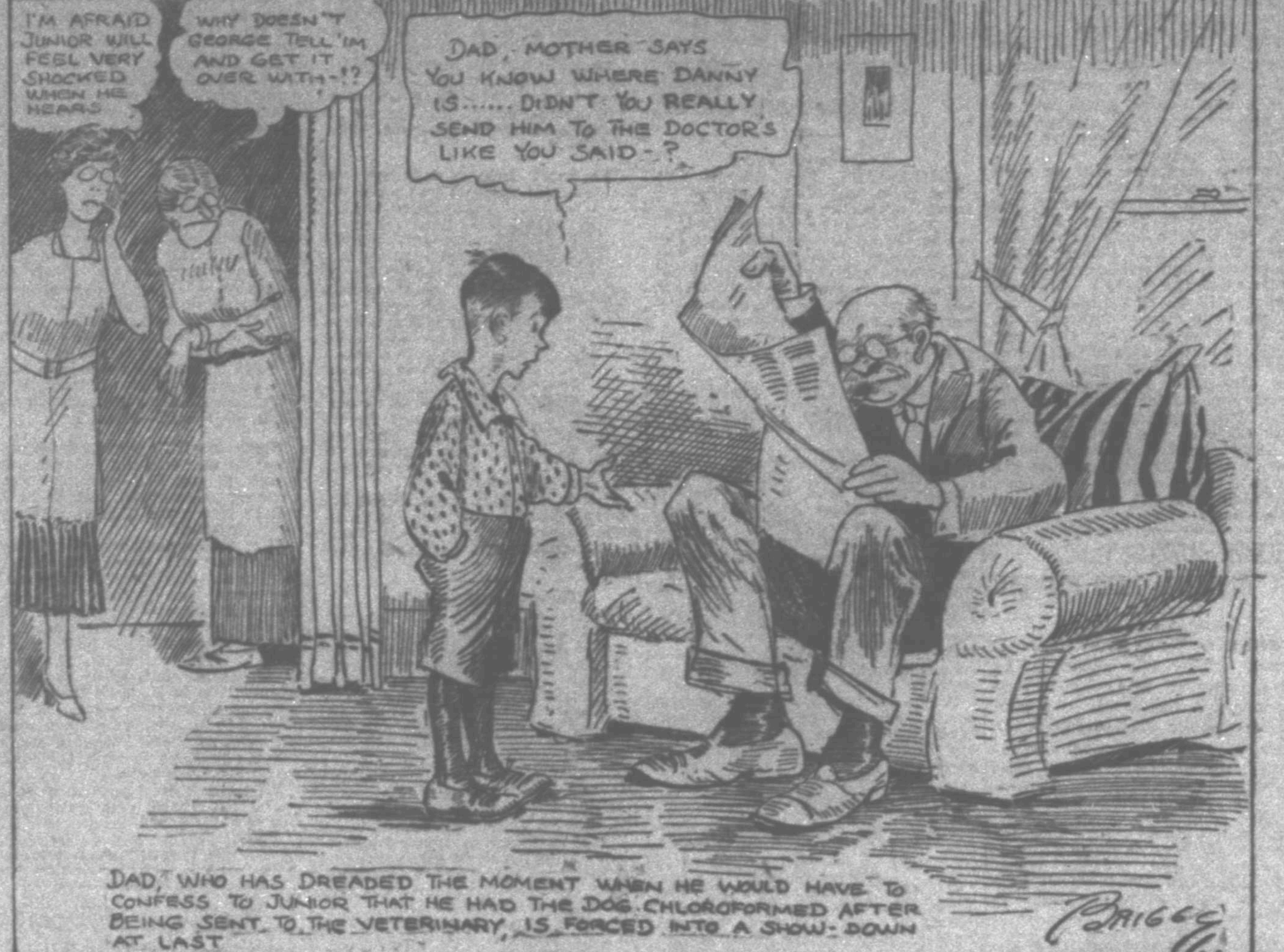
When a Feller Needs a Friend


I'M AFRAID JUNIOR WILL FEEL VERY SHOCKED WHEN HE HEARS
WHY DOESN'T GEORGE TELL 'IM AND GET IT OVER WITH-!?
DAD, MOTHER SAYS YOU KNOW WHERE DANNY IS...... DIDN'T YOU REALLY SEND HIM TO THE DOCTOR'S LIKE YOU SAID-?
DAD, WHO HAS DREADED THE MOMENT WHEN HE WOULD HAVE TO CONFESS TO JUNIOR THAT HE HAD THE DOG CHLOROFORMED AFTER BEING SENT TO THE VETERINARY, IS FORCED INTO A SHOW-DOWN AT LAST
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SAVING the PIECES

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(Expressions from other publications appearing in this column are chosen for the information they give on subjects of interest; they do not necessarily reflect the editorial viewpoint of The Times.)

Though nations and even property holders may argue about who owns the air, we think it likely Lindbergh will be welcome to use it.—Sioux Falls Argus-Leader.

Russia would borrow $30,000,000 in this country, but since she won't touch anything not furnished by sympathizers, she will only be able to raise 37 cents.—Asheville Times.

A fish that walks has been discovered in Montana. Probably he never has been to an automobile show.—Flint Daily Journal.

Those dry agents who flunked on civil service examinations should qualify for expert jury service.—Terre Haute Star.

Ten Tested Rules for Executives

I am resolved—

1. To remember that this my task is God's work more than mine, and that He is more interested in it than I am.

2. To keep silent about my own feelings, experiences, and opinions. Much talking about these things weakens one's position.

3. To hold steady under a strain. Nothing is as bad as it looks. An orderly plan and a definite goal may clear away much confusion.

4. To hear both sides and take counsel before deciding large matters. Every man has something to teach me.

5. To leave important decisions until morning. God will meanwhile take a hand if I hold off a little.

6. To treat every man as my equal. Those who feel themselves below me will respond with new values; and those who seem above me are also timid.

7. To believe that every man intends to play fair. Better be imposed upon occasionally than suspicious all the time.

8. To give my associates not orders, but responsibilities, and credit for results obtained.

9. To remember that no case is hopeless, and to give to every man who fails at least three trials under varying conditions. It may be a matter of finding his place.

10. Having done all things, to decide, and having decided, not to change without good reason.—George S. Miller, in the Christian Advocate.

There's a Mexican general who hasn't won a battle yet. The only thing he ever beat, it seems, is a retreat.—Farm and Fireside.

The Baltimore city council has passed an ordinance changing the names of 900 streets. The popular song hereafter in Baltimore will be "Show me the way to go home."—Providence Journal.

"This suits me down to the ground," said the parachute-jumper as he comfortably descended.—Boston Transcript.

Why Pick on the Automobile?

In view of the fact that motor cars probably add to the facilities for committing crime, it was suggested at a recent meeting of judges in Dallas that the highway fund contribute to paying salaries of enforcement officers.

Isn't it about time to look to other sources for revenue to pay the expenses of government? It is getting to be a habit to look to the automobile for any extra money that may be needed for government expense, and this habit should be cured. The automobile now pays more kinds of taxes than any other piece of property. A government tax is paid upon the purchase of a car. Before it can be operated in Texas the owner must pay a license tax of about three times the amount required to be paid in any other state. After he has paid for his license he must again pay a tax on the gasoline he puts into the tank, and then comes the tax assessor and charges him up with ad valorem tax.

Good roads are built for automobiles and other motor vehicles, and those who use the highways should pay proportionately for their construction and maintenance. The fund thus collected should be spent on the highways, all except the ad valorem tax, which should go into the general fund. It is unjust to take from this fund moneys for the public schools, for paying the salaries of enforcement officers, excepting highway officers, or for any other government agency. If it is proper to pay our police force larger salaries, then that pay should come from the general fund, and the same can be said of the support of the schools. Public schools and policemen are necessary and render service to all the people. Why select a particular class of people and collect from them unjust sums, exempting all other forms of property and all other property owners from paying a just share of government expense?

What is the Full Dry Pledge?

Senator Borah has been pressing Republican candidates for president to declare themselves without evasion or reservation on the Volstead act and the eighteenth amendment. The prohibition organizations seek the same assurance of candidates, asking for their pledges to the sumptuary law.

The effect would be to bind the candidates to the control and direction of the Anti-Saloon league, the word of which is ultimate law on this subject. It is therefore pertinent to inquire of Mr. Borah and the other drys whether the statements, guaranties and pledges are to bind the candidates to the following policies and demands of the Anti-Saloon league and prohibition enforcement:

That any violation of the Volstead act shall be a felony punishable with five years in the penitentiary;

That two, three or four violations of the Volstead act, of any kind, shall be punished by imprisonment for life;

That any one seeking to ascertain by analysis whether liquor has been poisoned by the government shall be punished by imprisonment;

That any enforcement agent who kills an innocent citizen on suspicion, by mistake, by taking a chance, or for any other reason, shall be given the protection of the federal courts and shall go free and unpunished;

That any laws, rights or constitutional guaranties in conflict with any method of prohibition enforcement shall be suspended.

It is important to know the full extent of the pledge to be required of the Republican candidate for president before he may be considered qualified for the office.—Chicago Tribune.

By the Way in Washington

By RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—When you come to think about it, what an awful lot of trouble is caused in this world by suspicion!

There is good reason to suppose that congress would be happy to pass a law abolishing suspicion if there were any way it could be enforced. Chances are that it would not be vetoed.

If someone's suspicious had not been aroused, Mr. Doheny still would have the Elk Hills oil, Mr. Sinclair would have Teapot Dome and Mr. Falls would have his reputation.

If the vile hand of suspicion had not been laid upon the department of justice, Mr. Daugherty still might be attorney general, and his right-hand man might be Mr. Burns.

If suspicion hadn't been on the job in Pennsylvania, Mr. Vare would not be in trouble and Mr. Smith, the insullated senator-elect from Illinois, would never have been prevented from casting what Senator Norris called "Mr. Insull's vote" in the senate.

If young Bob Lafollette hadn't suspected that Mr. Coolidge would accept another nomination and that certain conservative agents were plotting to thrust upon him, that mean anti-third term resolution never would have been passed.

If someone hadn't begun to smell something unusual, one or all of Mr. Kellogg's various explanations of our Nicaraguan policy still might be accepted by intelligent citizens.

If Mr. Hughes hadn't suspected that Mr. Hilles and perhaps Mr. Mellon were trying to use him as a false face in the contest for presidential nomination, Mr. Hoover's chances would be nowhere near as good as they are and those of certain other candidates would be considerably brighter.

If everyone didn't suspect that something was wrong with the navy, Mr. Wilbur might be regarded as a great cabinet officer.

If it hadn't been suspected that some of Sinclair's liberty bonds had paid off the 1920 campaign debt, it wouldn't have been proved that they did.

If most of the voters didn't suspect that the Democratic politicians might run the country any better than the Republican politicians, the Republicans would be out of luck.

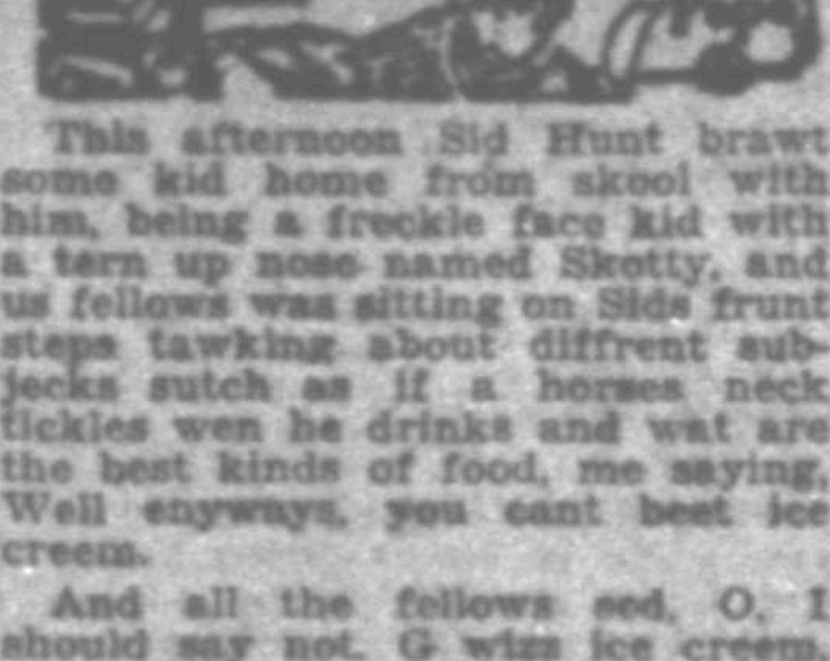
If it were not suspected that many of the politicians who oppose Mr. Hoover were as reactionary and useless as politicians can be, Mr. Hoover's candidacy would lose rather than gain because of the number of reactionary and useless politicians now under his flag.

And so on. Suspicion, of course, is only a fuse, often wet. If all the suspicion now at large in Washington were verified, passenger traffic to Europe would show large gains. It is generally only when suspicion causes an investigation proving that it was justified, that important events result.

The friends of suspicion and its enemies are fighting this year in the senate, harder than ever. When last counted, there were 20 resolutions demanding the investigation of something or other.

There are always senators to scoff at the suspicions prompting the resolutions and others to claim them justified if not already verified. Here's an incomplete list of senators and what they want investigated:

Walsh of Montana, public utilities; Johnson, bituminous coal fields conditions and telephone industry; King, federal reserve system and conditions of the Indians; Reed of Missouri, primary and election slush funds (continuance); McKellar, tax refunds and private loans to the French government; Wheeler, espionage in industry, how Americans have obtained foreign concessions, and concessions and other matters in Nicaragua; Mayfield, Department of Agriculture cotton reports; Norris, Teapot Dome "slush fund"; Trammell, sinking of the submarine S-4; Blease, telephone, telegraph and cable rates; Lafollette, our Caribbean and Latin-American relations.



This afternoon Sid Hunt brawt some kid home from skool with him, being a freckle face kid with a tern up nose named Skotty, and us fellows was sitting on Sids frunt steps tawking about diffrent subjecks sutch as if a horses neck tickles wen he drinks and wat are the best kinds of food, me saying, Well enyways, you cant beet ice creem.

And all the fellows sed, O, I should say not. G wizz ice creem, theres nuthin like ice creem, holey smokes ice creem.

All except Skotty, and he sed, O I dont know, I dont consider ice creem is so grate, in fact personly I dont like ice creem.

Aw go on, why do you eat it for, then? I sed.

I dont, Skotty sed, and Skinny Martin sed, G wizzickers heers a fellow wunts to say he dont eat ice creem, good nite wats you know about that.

Why should I eat it if I dont like it? Skotty sed.

Making us fellows still madder, and Puds Simkins sed, Wats a matter with you, are you crazy or dont you know wats good? and Leroy Shooster sed, Eny fellow says he dont like ice creem awt to go and see a doctor, and I sed, G wizz you awt to have your taist examined.

Well wats a matter, this is a free country, aint it? Skotty sed, and us fellows sed, No it aint, not about ice creem it aint, G wizzickers why dont you tawk sents, G roozlem the ideer of eny guy saying he dont like ice creem, your jest sayin that to show off, go on certeny you do, thats impossible.

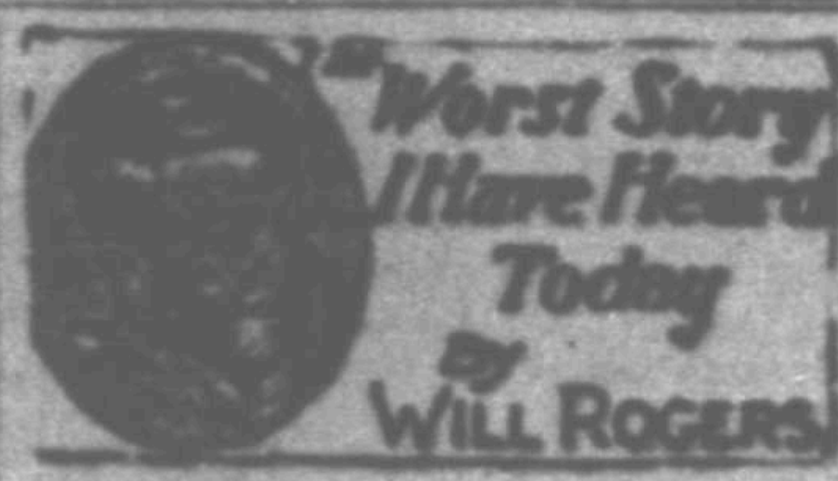
Aw prooens, Skotty sed. And he got up and wawked away, us fellows saying to Sid Hunt, Hay Sid wats the ideer of bringing that guy around, wats you wunt to bring a guy like that around for? and Sid saying, Well how did I know he was that kind of a guy?

Proving enybody can have their own opinions but not if they wunt to be populer.

Ouch!

"How do you like the dress I have bought on the deferred payment plan?"

"It looks as if you have only put on the first installment."—Tit-Bits.


"Worst Story I Have Heard Today"
By
WILL ROGERS

This one about the colored brother isn't as new as some others, but you never can tell about these new ones. They may wear out and then again they may wear out. This here one has been used in my own circle of acquaintances for twenty years, and it ain't showing any signs of breaking down the arches yet.

The colored fellow says to the preacher, "I wish you'd have the congregation pray for me tonight, something right special."

"All right, we'll be glad to do that. What special?"

"Well, I've got a floating kidney and I wish you'd have the folks pray for me and for all the floating kidneys in the world, because they is right dangerous."

"But you-all knows we can't pray for floating kidneys. We don't go into interiors thataway."

"Yes you do. You-all prayed last night for all the loose livers in the church, and that's how I get the idee for prayers for us fellows with the floating kidneys."

DAILY HEALTH TALK

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

One of the questions which most disturbs mothers whose children go considerable distances to school is the provision of a satisfactory luncheon.

Many mothers wish their children to come home to a hot lunch, but this is not always practical, particularly in places where only 30 to 45 minutes may be allowed for the luncheon period. If the lunch time is so short that the child has opportunity only for dashing home, snatching a hasty meal, and returning at once, it is undoubtedly better to carry a suitable lunch and to eat it leisurely.

Nutrition experts give the following advice:

When lunches must be carried to school it is wise to purchase some kind of thermos bottle or container in which one warm food can be carried. This hot dish may be cocoa, milk soup, vegetable stew, macaroni and cheese, stewed lima beans, or other similar easily prepared nourishing dish. In addition to a warm food the lunch should provide each of the following:

1—Milk. At least one-half pint to drink as such, or in cocoa, milk soup, etc.

2—Protein food, as cheese, cottage cheese, egg or meat. These may be served separately or in sandwiches. If a full pint of milk is used this extra protein is not so essential.

3—Bread, as bread and butter, or as sandwiches.

4—Fruit or vegetable. Fruit is more easily carried and can well be used most of the time, the vegetable being served at the night meal. The fruit may be raw—as a ripe banana, an apple, an orange, a bunch of grapes—or in form of sauce. When the fruit is cooked it is wise to add a few pieces of celery, a whole tomato, or lettuce to provide the desirable element of freshness in the lunch.

5—A sweet, if desired, as a cooky, a raisin sandwich, jam to eat with bread and butter, a piece or two of candy, a few peanuts or raisins. The sweet should not be overdone, merely a little top-off to the meal.

Suggestions.

Following are some suggestions:

1—Cocoa (made of milk) one-half to one pint. Peanut butter sandwiches. Ripe banana. Cookies.

2—Vegetable stew, small amount of meat, potato, carrots, onions, etc. Bread and butter. Milk. Red apple. Graham crackers.

3—Potato soup. Lettuce sandwiches. Baked apple. Ginger bread.

4—Stewed lima beans. Bread and butter. Milk. Ripe peaches. Cup cake.

It must be remembered that merely packing the right lunch is not sufficient. Provision must be made at school for a suitable place to eat it, and the right atmosphere in which to eat it, else the meal may be as hurried and unsatisfactory as before.

Answer Is "Eyes"

"Can you take castor oil without tasting it?"

"I will inquire, if you can wait. Will you have some lemonade in the meantime?"

Inquirer drinks lemonade.

"Now can you tell me about the castor oil?"

"It was a little joke—you have already taken the oil."

"But I wanted it for my little brother."—Lustige Kolner Zeitung.

Your Boy — and — Your Girl

By ARTHUR DEAN, SC. D.
The Parent Counsellor

Dr. Dean will answer all signed letters pertaining to parents' problems with their boys and girls. Writers' names are never printed. Only questions of general interest answered in the column, but all letters will be answered by mail if written in ink and a stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Address Arthur Dean, in care of this paper.

A Dictionary for "Petters"

Who wants to help make a dictionary? One which, for its size, will be the most thoroughly practical, up-to-date, authoritative and encyclopedic dictionary of the emotional language of youth ever produced. A comprehensible, condensed and indispensible guide for students of "revolting youth," whether in college or school, in amusement enterprises or in automobiles.

No, this column did not originate this idea. A sun-kissed correspondent suggests that our readers send in definitions of "petting," "necking," "love-making," "love," "emotions" and a few thousand other words which are not in Webster's either unabridged or abridged.

"This may help," to quote a youth whose experience in kissing may have been limited to gifts bestowed by California skies, "to settle many a little family spat between father and daughter or mother and son and spray a little light on the subject in general. A display of affection is necessary for every girl and boy and yet shouldn't be classified as petting or necking. I am 23 and so am halfway between youth and age and I'd like to be the umpire."

All right, you're "umpire," and can call "strikes," "balls" or "fouls."

Now, let's see. For example, "Petting—to pet; to treat as a pet." Does that get us any closer? One of those lap-dog pets which is stuffed with food, shut up in the house, hugged and called "woozy-uzzy darling." Or a police dog pet which is admired, brushed, fed chunks and given lots of wholesome exercise. Or a rabbit pet which is stuffed for the slaughter. Or a protected canary bird pet in a cage by the sunny window and sheltered at night from dampness and chill.

There are several kinds of pets and numerous ways of treating them. My only pets have been either canary birds which needed tender and loving care in order that they might sing their sweet songs; cats whose fur must always be rubbed the right way if they are expected to beautify one's home with their presence; dogs of size, thank heavens, whose own dignity and personality never allowed familiarity and insincerity to turn them from the path of sturdy devotion.

Girls, in the eyes of some boys, I suppose, are "pets." But what sort of pets—canaries, robbits, cats, dogs, or what?

Well, "umpire," we will get ready for the flood of letters which will come to us from collegiate etymologists, high school youths who are experts in synonyms and antonyms, each contributing a definition of some of these words over which our sun-kissed friend is puzzled.

The "dictionary" will be sent to any reader who contributes a definition and that indispensable S. A. S. E.

OUR CONVERSATION CORNER

Suggestion for Stuttering

When I was about 12 years of age I had the stuttering habit. My aunt came to visit us and told me when I wanted to say anything to commence the sentence by saying "an." I found by saying "an" before the letter "I," which was my worst word, I could say it without stuttering.

This suggestion may not help everyone but it is worth trying.—DAILY READER.

A Surprise.

Won't you please print this about my wonderful teacher? I want to put the printed page containing it on her desk and surprise her and not let her know I wrote it.

She is a teacher, the molder of men,
Exemplar of everything good, fine and true,
With the gladness of her sweet, beaming smile
Unconsciously does she all around her imbue.

A master craftsman, an artist indeed
Whose eternal beauty of mind and soul inspires
To higher ideals and nobler deeds—
Fanning red ashes into glowing, living fires.

Great is the joy, and the hope and comfort
Which falls, a soothing balm, on weary, aching hearts
When life is made worth living, and the way
Strengthened by the wise counsels she to them imparts.

God bless her, in our memory she'll live
For, here is the spirit which never can be gone—
The will to try to be like her, so that
Although she'll pass beyond, her soul goes marching on!

—"SWEET SIXTEEN."

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NATIONAL GUARD TO POLICE REPUBLIC AFTER TROOPS LEAVE IN MARCH

REBEL BANDS ON RUN BEFORE BLUE JACKETS

Scout Planes Strafe Sandino Units With Machine Gun Fire From Skies.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Feb. 23. (AP)—After slaying four rebels in different encounters in the Jinotega region, American marines today were keeping small bands of rebels on the run. In three encounters at scattered points in the region, the marines also wounded several rebels but suffered no casualties themselves.

The rebels encountered are believed to be part of the band of 75 which recently seized the town of Trinidad, looted some stores and disappeared before the marines arrived.

Two rebels of a small band observed east of Narajo, which is southeast of Jinotega, were slain by machine gun fire from a scout plane.

Captain George T. Hall, whose base is at Esteli, signalled to airplanes that while on patrol near the same locality he encountered a band of rebels and killed two of them.

Six miles from Homomico, between Jinotega and Matagalpa, a patrol under Lieutenant H. A. Shiebler surprised a small band of guerillas. The rebels opened fire. The marines returned the rebel fire wounding two and routing the insurgents. Some stolen property was recovered.

In March, marine forces will be released from Managua for other duty as at that time the Nicaraguan national guard will take over the policing of the capital. The Nicaraguan guard was organized by American marines and is partly officered by them.

ROBERT M'KINLEY GETS SEVEN YEARS IN PRISON MOTION FOR NEW TRIAL

FORT WORTH, Feb. 23. (AP)—Motion for new trial for Robert McKinley, 18, who late last night was given a seven-year sentence for killing his step-father, William L. Holloway, near Mansfield last August, was scheduled to be filed today.

Notice that motion would be filed was given the judge of criminal courts by defense attorneys immediately after the verdict was read. The jury was out one hour and 40 minutes.

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS GIVEN HISTORIC MAP

LAWRENCE, Kan., Feb. 23. (AP)—The gift of more than 120 seventeenth and eighteenth century maps to the University of Kansas by Dr. Otto E. H. Collbehr of Berlin, Germany, was announced today by Chancellor E. H. Lindley. About 15 are maps of the world and the rest relate to the western hemisphere.

The maps give the University of Kansas a collection of American colonial material ranking fourth in the United States.

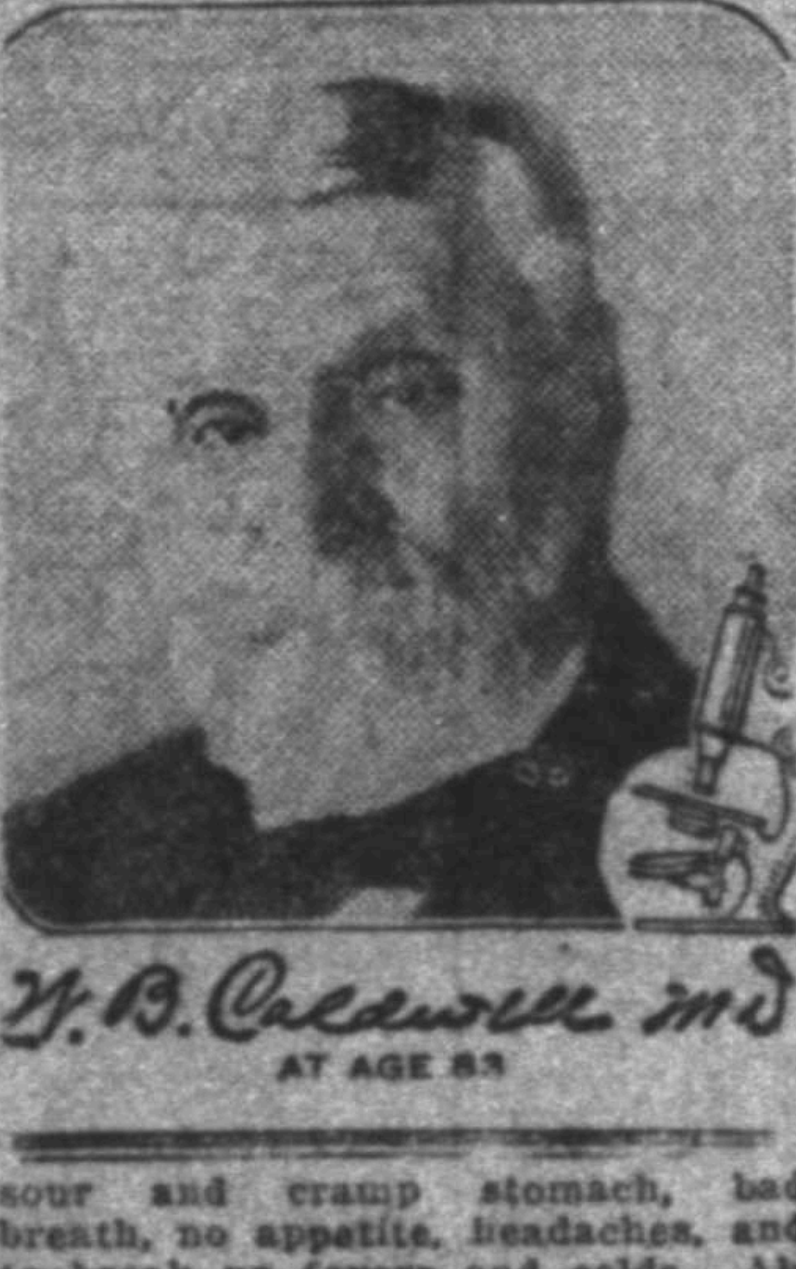
What Dr. Caldwell Learned in 47 Years Practice

Dr. Caldwell watched the results of constipation for 47 years, and believed that no matter how careful people are of their health, diet and exercise, constipation will occur from time to time regardless of how much one tries to avoid it. Of next importance, then, is how to treat it when it comes. Dr. Caldwell always was in favor of getting as close to nature as possible, hence his remedy for constipation, known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is a mild vegetable compound. It can not harm the most delicate system and is not a habit forming preparation. Syrup Pepsin is pleasant-tasting, and youngsters love it. It does not gripe. Thousands of mothers have written us to that effect.

Dr. Caldwell did not approve of drastic physics and purges. He did not believe they were good for human beings to put into their system. In a practice of 47 years he never saw any reason for their use when a medicine like Syrup Pepsin will empty the bowels just as promptly, more cleanly and gently, without griping and harm to the system.

Keep free from constipation! It robs your strength, hardens your arteries and brings on premature old age. Do not let a day go by without a bowel movement. Do not sit and hope, but go to a druggist and get one of the generous bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Take the proper dose that night and by morning you will feel like a different person. Use Syrup Pepsin for yourself and members of the family in constipation, billiousness, sour and cramp stomach, bad breath, no appetite, headaches, and to break up fevers and colds. Always have a bottle in the house, and observe these three rules of health: Keep the head cool, the feet warm, the bowels open.

We would be glad to have you prove at our expense how much Dr to you and yours. Just write "Syrup Pepsin," Monticello, Illinois, rup Pepsin," Monticello, Illinois, and we will send you prepaid a FREE SAMPLE BOTTLE.—Adv.



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HUMBLE WINS FIGHT TO BUILD LINE INTO GULF

AUSTIN, Feb. 23. (AP)—A temporary injunction restraining the Humble Oil company from laying a crude oil loading pipe line into gulf waters near Corpus Christi was dissolved Thursday by the third court of civil appeals here, reversing a Travis county district court's decision.

The attorney general's department obtained the restraining order, claiming such a line would be on state property in unwarranted trespass and on the further contention that marine life would be endangered from possible leaks in the pipe.

The company's two main contentions, as upheld by the court: that "a grant of statutory power to a public service corporation carries by necessary implication the grant of every other power necessary and proper to the execution of powers expressly granted by statutes," and that "public grants for the public advantage must be construed liberally so as to effectuate purposes of the grant."

The court then summed up its holding in essence as follows:

"That a public service corporation (such as the Humble company) had the right to construct pipe lines to any port, dock, buoy or deep sea loading point reasonably necessary to the petroleum industry."

Attorney General Claude Pollard's contention that a specific legislative grant would be necessary for the company to put down such a line was held wrong, the court saying that "tidal lands or waters of the state may be used by public service corporations as rights-of-way when reasonably necessary," whether the grant is specific or by "necessary implication."

Game Commissioner Will J. Tucker, whom Attorney General Pollard brought into the case as another complaining state official, was ruled without authority in the matter. This point was believed important in that the opinion said it is conceded that he (game commissioner) is not vested with "physical" charge of state waters.

The state immediately began preparing for an appeal, probably to the state supreme court especially on the appeals court's statement that the question of probable pollution of waters was not in the case.

VAUDEVILLE TEAM WEDS IN NASHVILLE CATHEDRAL

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 23. (AP)—A new vaudeville team had its inception last night at the Ash Wednesday services of the First Lutheran church when the first hymn of the service yielded to the strains of a wedding march, and Miss Inga Connie Nelson, 26, of Minneapolis, vaudeville actress, became the bride of Ben Smith, 40, one time Newark baseball player and later a member of a vaudeville act with the late Hugh Jennings.

25 PERSONS OVERCOME BY GAS IN CHURCH

DERBY, Eng., Feb. 23. (AP)—Twenty-five men and women attending a conference at a Primitive Methodist church here last night were overcome by gas fumes. All but one were able to leave the hospital after treatment.

HORNED FROG SINGERS TO TOUR SOUTH TEXAS

FORT WORTH, Feb. 23. (AP)—An extensive trip over South Texas will be taken by the Texas Christian university Glee club and the Horned Frog quartet late in March, Warren Day, business manager, said Thursday. Points already scheduled on the itinerary of the Glee club are: Galveston, Corpus Christi, El Paso, Brownsville, Houston and Austin.

Cured His Rupture

I was badly ruptured while lifting a trunk several years ago. Doctors said my only hope of cure was an operation. Trusses did me no good. Finally I got hold of something that quickly and completely cured me. Years have passed and the rupture has never returned, although I am doing hard work as a carpenter. There was no operation, no lost time, no trouble. I have nothing to sell, but will give full information about how you may find a complete cure without operation if you write to me. Eugene M. Pullen, Carpenter, 1215A Marcellus Avenue, Manasquan, N. J. Better cut out this notice and show it to any others who are ruptured—you may save a life or at least stop the misery of the rupture and the worry and danger of an operation.—Adv.

Famous Old Recipe for Cough Syrup

Easily and cheaply made at home, but it beats them all for quick results.

Thousands of housewives have found how to save two-thirds of the money usually spent for cough preparations, by using this well-known old recipe for making cough syrup. It is simple and cheap but it has no equal for results. It gives immediate relief, usually stopping an ordinary cough in 24 hours or less.

Get 2½ ounces of Pinex from any druggist, pour it into a pint bottle, and add plain granulated sugar syrup to make a full pint. If you prefer, use clarified honey, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, it tastes good, keeps perfectly, and lasts a family a long time.

It's truly astonishing how quickly it acts, penetrating through every air passage of the throat and lungs—loosens and raises the phlegm, soothes and heals the membranes, and gradually but surely the annoying throat tickle and dreaded cough disappear entirely. Nothing better for bronchitis, hoarseness or bronchial asthma.

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PINEX for Coughs

BURKBURNETT MAN GETS TWO YEARS ON FORGERY CHARGE IN FOARD CO.

CROWELL, Texas, Feb. 23.—J. E. Hale of Burkburnett was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary in district court at Crowell Monday when found guilty on a charge of passing a forged instrument.

Hale, it was alleged, presented a check to Reeder Drug company at Crowell on January 27 for the amount of $38.50, bearing the signature of R. E. Knuckles. The check was accepted, but only a small amount of cash was on hand, and $15 was given Hale with the agreement that the rest would be given later. The mistake in the signature was soon discovered and Sheriff L. D. Campbell was notified and caught Hale between Crowell and Wichita Falls. According to the testimony, "R. E. Knuckles" was signed to the check when it was supposed to have been intended for "R. E. Nuchols," for whom Hale had been working. Nuchols had the contract for welding the line for Crowell's natural gas system.

WEST TEXAS C-C AHEAD ON CONVENTION DETAILS

FORT WORTH, Feb. 23. (AP)—Plans for the tenth annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held here June 18-20 have reached a more advanced stage at this time than for any previous convention, Homer D. Wade, manager, said.

FIFTY YEARS IS JURY'S VERDICT LAWRENCE CASE

DALLAS, Feb. 23. (AP)—Unheeding his plea that he shot because he feared for his life after having been found in a hotel room with another man's wife, a jury here last night found John Lawrence, Mesquite banker and former mayor, guilty of the murder of Jack Kimbell and fixed his punishment at 50 years imprisonment. Kimbell was slain on the public square at Mesquite on October 6. The jury was out more than four hours, returning the verdict at 9:45 p. m. but reported that only two ballots were taken on the question of guilt or innocence. Some of the jurors held out for a time for the death penalty, they said.

Lawrence, who showed no emotion when the verdict was read gave notice of appeal. His wife and his mother, present with him, sobbed aloud while friends who had helped elect him mayor three times shook his hand before he was led back to jail.

Testimony offered at the trial was to the effect that Kimbell was shot in the back while fleeing from Lawrence, who had obtained a gun from his bank after a fight with Kimbell and two of his brothers on the square at Mesquite.

The state had asked the death penalty, the defense an acquittal or a suspended sentence.

GROUND BROKEN ON SITE MEMORIAL TO WASHINGTON

VALLEY FORGE, Pa., Feb. 23. (AP)—Ground for a $10,000,000 Washington memorial church was broken here today on the site of General Washington's historic encampment. The structure, conceived by Dr. W. Herbert Burk, rector of Washington chapel here, will be erected by popular subscriptions with contributions invited from every section of the United States.

SINKING OF BURNING SHIP SAVES TOWN FROM FLAMES

BOGOTA, Colombia, Feb. 23. (AP) The sinking of a burning ship saved the town of Quibdo from a major disaster yesterday.

The steamer Bogota moored in the Atrato river off Quibdo caught fire. The blaze spread rapidly and the crew saved themselves by jumping overboard.

Lack of sufficient fire fighting equipment and the proximity of several wooden houses put the city in danger, which was only averted when the flaming ship sank.

For 9 Years Gas Ruined Her Sleep

"I had stomach trouble 9 years, and gas made me restless and nervous. Adlerika helped me so I can eat and sleep good."—Mrs. E. Touchstone.

The simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, saline, etc., (known as Adlerika), has a most surprising DOUBLE action. First, it acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel (most medicines act on lower bowel only) and removes foul matter that often poisoned the system for months. Second, Adlerika clears all GAS and sourness from stomach and bowels, bringing INSTANT relief from stomach trouble. And in addition, Adlerika removes metabolic poisons which cause neuritis, rheumatism, etc.

Dr. H. L. Shoub, New York, writes: "Adlerika, in addition to its intestinal cleansing, checks the growth of intestinal bacteria and bacilli."

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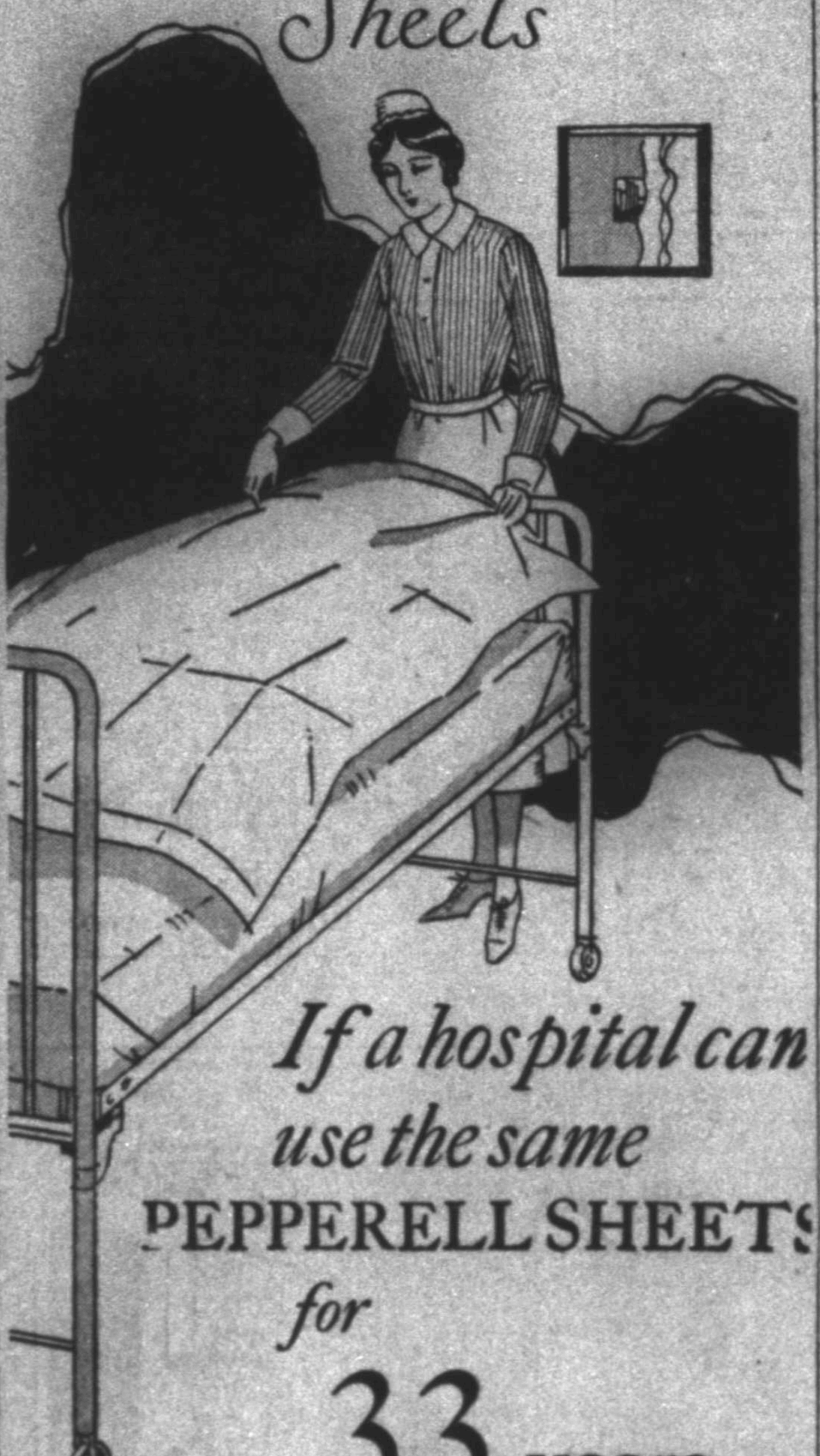

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'The Congressman's Son,' Revealing Love-Secrets of Mr. Frisby

"It was a common right to see Mr. Frisby behind hi shandsome bays."—See Text.

Editor's Note—This utterly frank story has been ignored by the police, spurned by the courts and refused by the critics.

FOREWARD

The author desires to express gratitude to Sears-Roebuck & Co. for the use of data and illustrations from their catalogue.

DEDICATION

This book is dedicated to misunderstand fathers everywhere. And yet we wonder what is wrong with the world! The author has but one motive and that is locked in his heart. Readers of this book who agree with the author are invited to write ligibly, and on one side of the paper only.

My Mother

CHAPTER ONE

I WAS attending business college, I guess, when mother first met Mister Frisby.

His office, I believe, was across the hall from the corner where mother used to loiter, and she would often see him, I presume, although I don't remember her mentioning it.

Little did any of us dream that Mr. Frisby would some day be a great big Congressman. He was just a sort of town smart aleck to some, but mother idolized him.

The Author

I recall one instance when I was quite young. The door bell rang and my mother answered. As it turned out, it wasn't Mr. Frisby, but it might well have been, as he was always selling brushes or something, going from door to door, ringing door bells. He was polished in his manners, but honest and sincere. I will never forget the ribbon he wore for a hatband. On it were printed the words, "A Persevering Worker," "Twenty-three, Skidoo," "Out For a Good Time," or something like that.

(Continued Tomorrow)

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"And then," postcards G. V. S., "there's the cautious person who puts paregoric in his coffee so it won't keep him awake."

A girl I like
Is Sadie Thump
She never says:
Y' got any gum?
W.

FAMOUS LAST WORDS
Joe, you could get me in pictures if you tried.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

M	A	R	T	H	A	■	S	U	R	V	E	Y
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■	T	A	N	■	E	K	E	■	T	O	T	■

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Do you know an eight-letter word for "stupid"? It's for No. 34 horizontal. Then get Nos. 4, 15 and 40 horizontal for a quick finish.

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37				■	38				■	39		
40									■	41		

HORIZONTAL

1. Label.
4. Elusively.
12. Wrath.
13. Anything very small.
14. Opposite of weather.
15. Quilted leather garment.
16. Aperture for coins.
17. Skin.
18. To repeat.
22. The chief magistrate of a city.
26. Fictitious prose tales of considerable length.
27. In abundance.
28. To make corrections in a literary work.
29. Chased.
30. To be exposed to a genial heat.
31. To put up a poker stake.
34. Stupid.
37. Booty.
38. Prescribed course of food selected with reference to the state of health.
39. Meadow.
40. Probable results.
41. Guided.

VERTICAL

1. Like a tiger.
2. Constellation.
3. Jewel.
4. Variety of green beryl.
5. Formal calls.
6. To make reparations.
7. To deliver.
8. Bondsmen.
9. Measure for cloth.
10. Constellation, lion.
11. Still.
19. Male cat.
20. Night preceding a holiday.
21. Anything used to curdle milk (pl).
22. Places where all types of provisions are sold.
23. Ye.
24. Native metal.
25. Type of woodpecker.
27. Triangular inset in a garment.
29. Sudden overpowering fright.
30. Invited.
31. Very high mountain.
32. Neither's other half.
33. Also.
35. Badly.
36. Born.

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Little Joe Says—

THE BEST PART OF GOING AWAY FROM HOME IS COMING BACK TO IT.
SOUTH BOUND TRAINS

Kindness Repaid

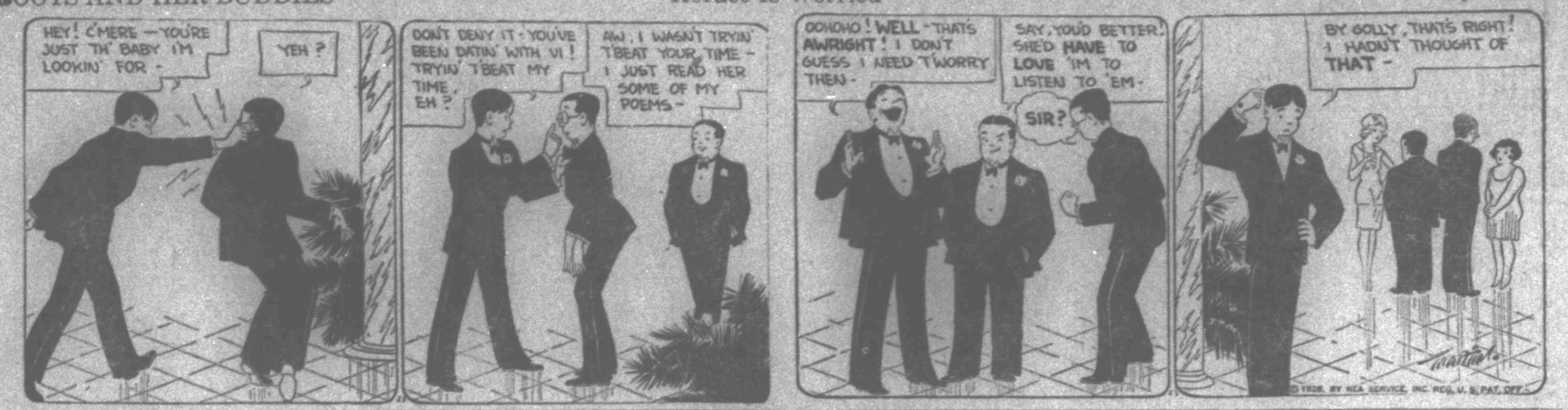
PHILADELPHIA.—When Clarence Deshong, a 78-year-old bachelor, died recently, his will revealed that Mrs. Lascelle Bell, widow of his old friend, Dr. Bell, a dentist of Chester, Pa., was left nearly a million dollars. Although an avowed woman hater, Deshong was lonely in his last years and Mrs. Bell often visited him after her husband's death.

TIMES' DAILY LEADING COMIC FEATURES

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Horace Is Worried

By Martin


HEY! C'MERE —YOU'RE JUST TH' BABY I'M LOOKIN' FOR -
YEH ?
DON'T DENY IT - YOU'VE BEEN DATIN' WITH VI! TRYIN' T'BEAT MY TIME, EH ?
AW, I WASN'T TRYIN' T'BEAT YOUR TIME - I JUST READ HER SOME OF MY POEMS -
OOHOHO! WELL - THAT'S AWRIGHT! I DON'T GUESS I NEED T'WORRY THEN -
SAY, YOU'D BETTER! SHE'D HAVE TO LOVE 'IM TO LISTEN TO 'EM -
SIR?
BY GOLLY, THAT'S RIGHT! I HADN'T THOUGHT OF THAT -
MARTIN
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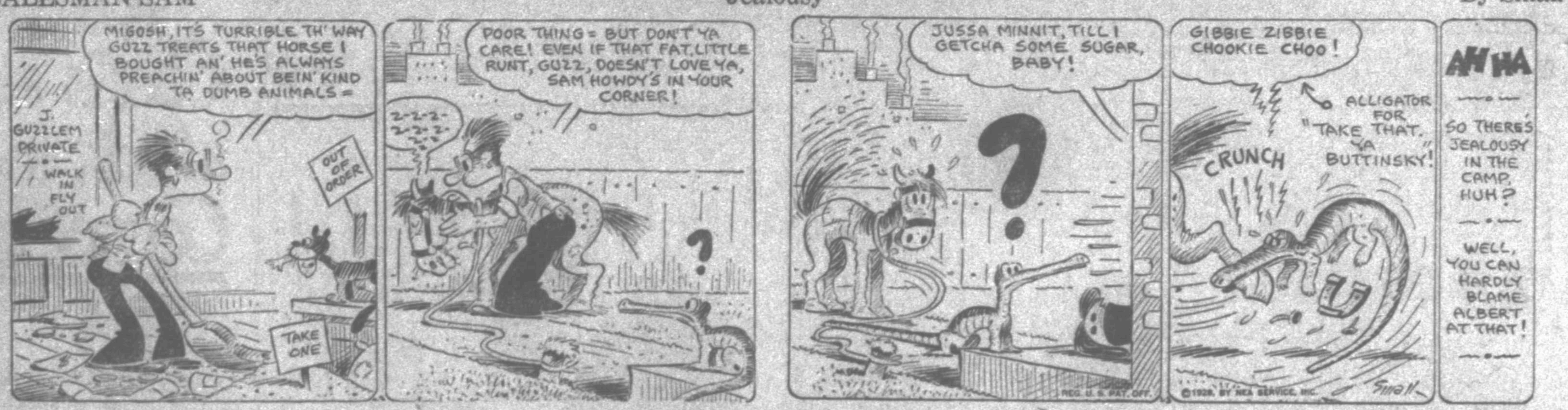
SALESMAN SAM

Jealousy

By Small


MIGOSH, IT'S TURRIBLE TH' WAY GUZZ TREATS THAT HORSE I BOUGHT AN' HE'S ALWAYS PREACHIN' ABOUT BEIN' KIND TA DUMB ANIMALS =
J. GUZZLEM PRIVATE
WALK IN FLY OUT
OUT OF ORDER
TAKE ONE
POOR THING = BUT DON'T YA CARE! EVEN IF THAT FAT, LITTLE RUNT, GUZZ, DOESN'T LOVE YA, SAM HOWDY'S IN YOUR CORNER!
Z-Z-Z- Z-Z-Z-
JUSSA MINNIT, TILL I GETCHA SOME SUGAR, BABY!
GIBBIE ZIBBIE CHOOKIE CHOO!
ALLIGATOR FOR "TAKE THAT, YA BUTTINSKY!"
CRUNCH
AH HA
SO THERE'S JEALOUSY IN THE CAMP, HUH?
WELL, YOU CAN HARDLY BLAME ALBERT AT THAT!
SMALL
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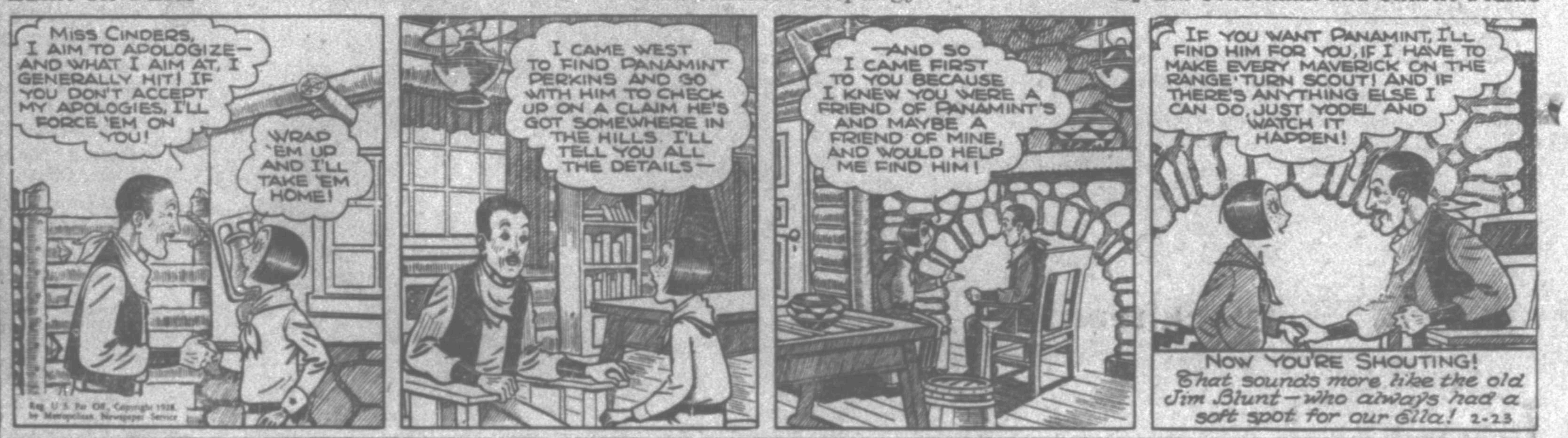
ELLA CINDERS—

Jim's Handsome Apology

—By Bill Conselman and Charlie Plumb


MISS CINDERS, I AIM TO APOLOGIZE— AND WHAT I AIM AT, I GENERALLY HIT! IF YOU DON'T ACCEPT MY APOLOGIES, I'LL FORCE 'EM ON YOU!
WRAP 'EM UP AND I'LL TAKE 'EM HOME!
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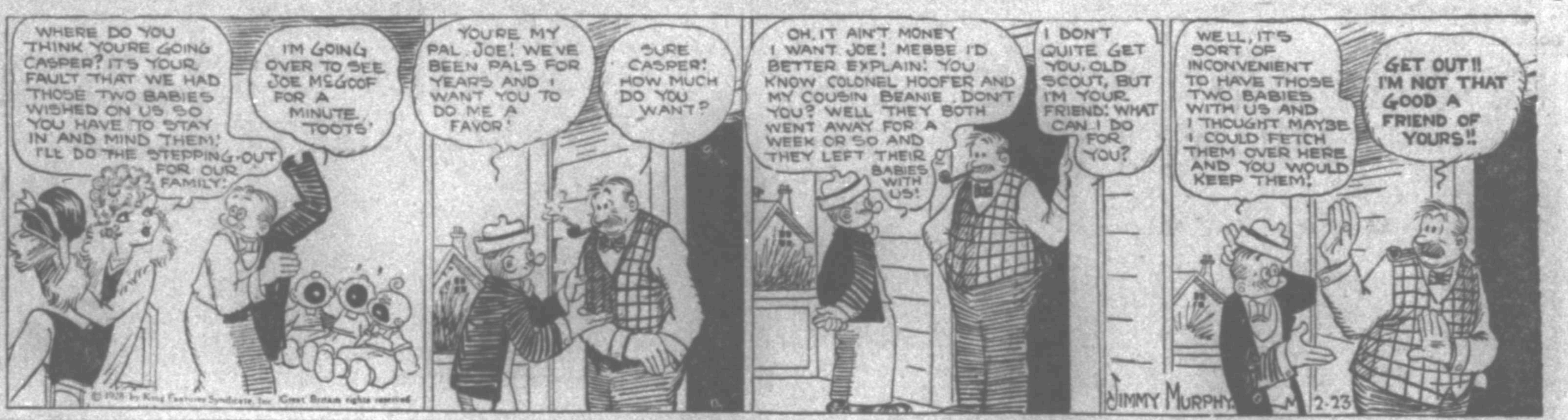
I CAME WEST TO FIND PANAMINT PERKINS AND GO WITH HIM TO CHECK UP ON A CLAIM HE'S GOT SOMEWHERE IN THE HILLS. I'LL TELL YOU ALL THE DETAILS—
—AND SO I CAME FIRST TO YOU BECAUSE I KNEW YOU WERE A FRIEND OF PANAMINT'S AND MAYBE A FRIEND OF MINE, AND WOULD HELP ME FIND HIM!
IF YOU WANT PANAMINT, I'LL FIND HIM FOR YOU, IF I HAVE TO MAKE EVERY MAVERICK ON THE RANGE TURN SCOUT! AND IF THERE'S ANYTHING ELSE I CAN DO, JUST YODEL AND WATCH IT HAPPEN!
NOW YOU'RE SHOUTING!
That sounds more like the old Jim Blunt—who always had a soft spot for our Ella! 2-23

TOOTS AND CASPER—

The Best of Friends Must Part

—By J. E. Murphy


WHERE DO YOU THINK YOU'RE GOING CASPER? IT'S YOUR FAULT THAT WE HAD THOSE TWO BABIES WISHED ON US SO YOU HAVE TO STAY IN AND MIND THEM! I'LL DO THE STEPPING-OUT FOR OUR FAMILY!
I'M GOING OVER TO SEE JOE McGOOF FOR A MINUTE, 'TOOTS'
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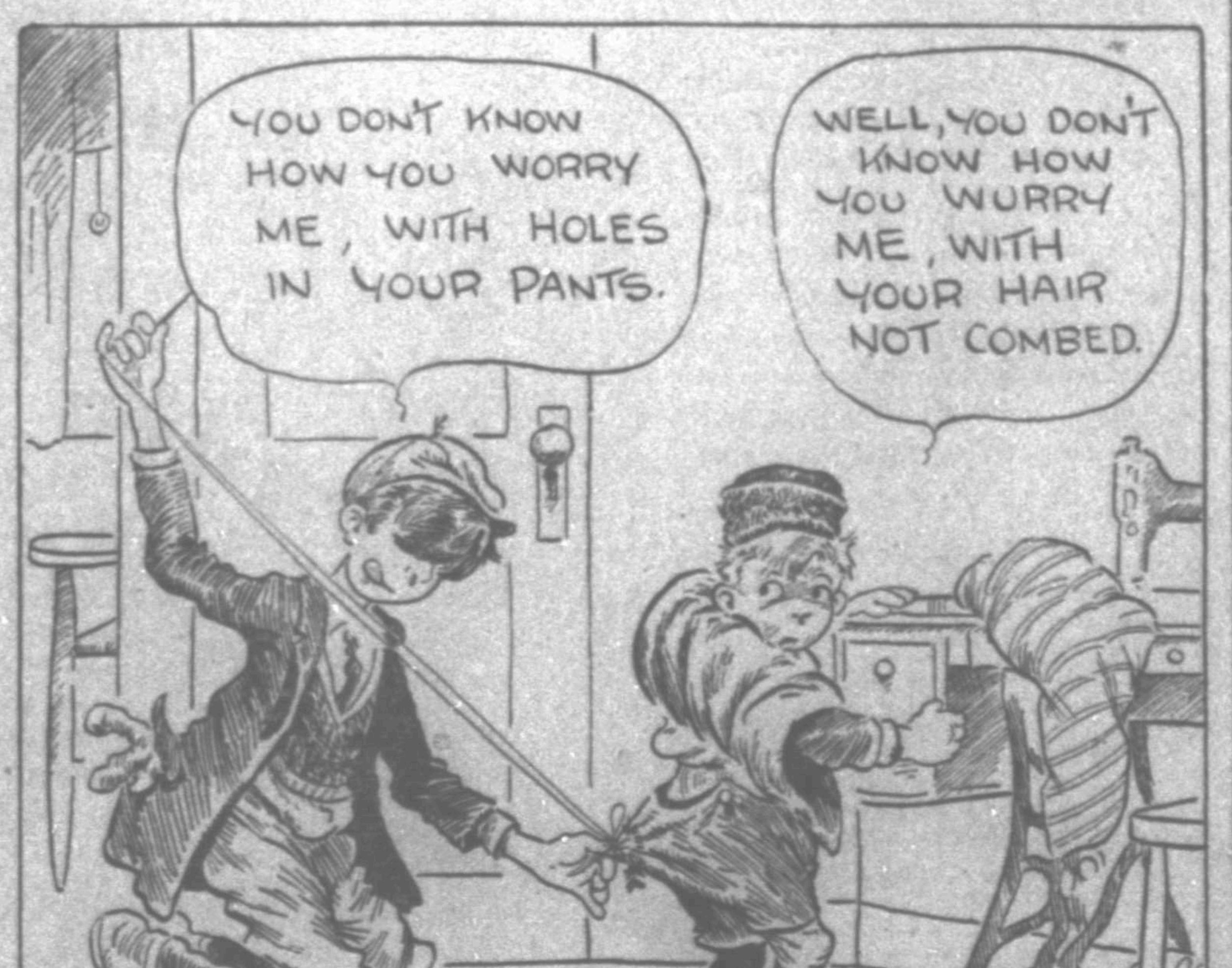
YOU'RE MY PAL, JOE! WE'VE BEEN PALS FOR YEARS AND I WANT YOU TO DO ME A FAVOR!
SURE CASPER! HOW MUCH DO YOU WANT?
OH, IT AIN'T MONEY I WANT, JOE! MEBBE I'D BETTER EXPLAIN! YOU KNOW COLONEL HOOFER AND MY COUSIN BEANIE, DON'T YOU? WELL THEY BOTH WENT AWAY FOR A WEEK OR SO AND THEY LEFT THEIR BABIES WITH US!
I DON'T QUITE GET YOU, OLD SCOUT, BUT I'M YOUR FRIEND! WHAT CAN I DO FOR YOU?
WELL, IT'S SORT OF INCONVENIENT TO HAVE THOSE TWO BABIES WITH US AND I THOUGHT MAYBE I COULD FETCH THEM OVER HERE AND YOU WOULD KEEP THEM!
GET OUT!! I'M NOT THAT GOOD A FRIEND OF YOURS!!
JIMMY MURPHY 2-23

OUT OUR WAY—

By Williams


YOU DON'T KNOW HOW YOU WORRY ME, WITH HOLES IN YOUR PANTS.
WELL, YOU DON'T KNOW HOW YOU WURRY ME, WITH YOUR HAIR NOT COMBED.
J. R. WILLIAMS
HEROES ARE MADE—NOT BORN
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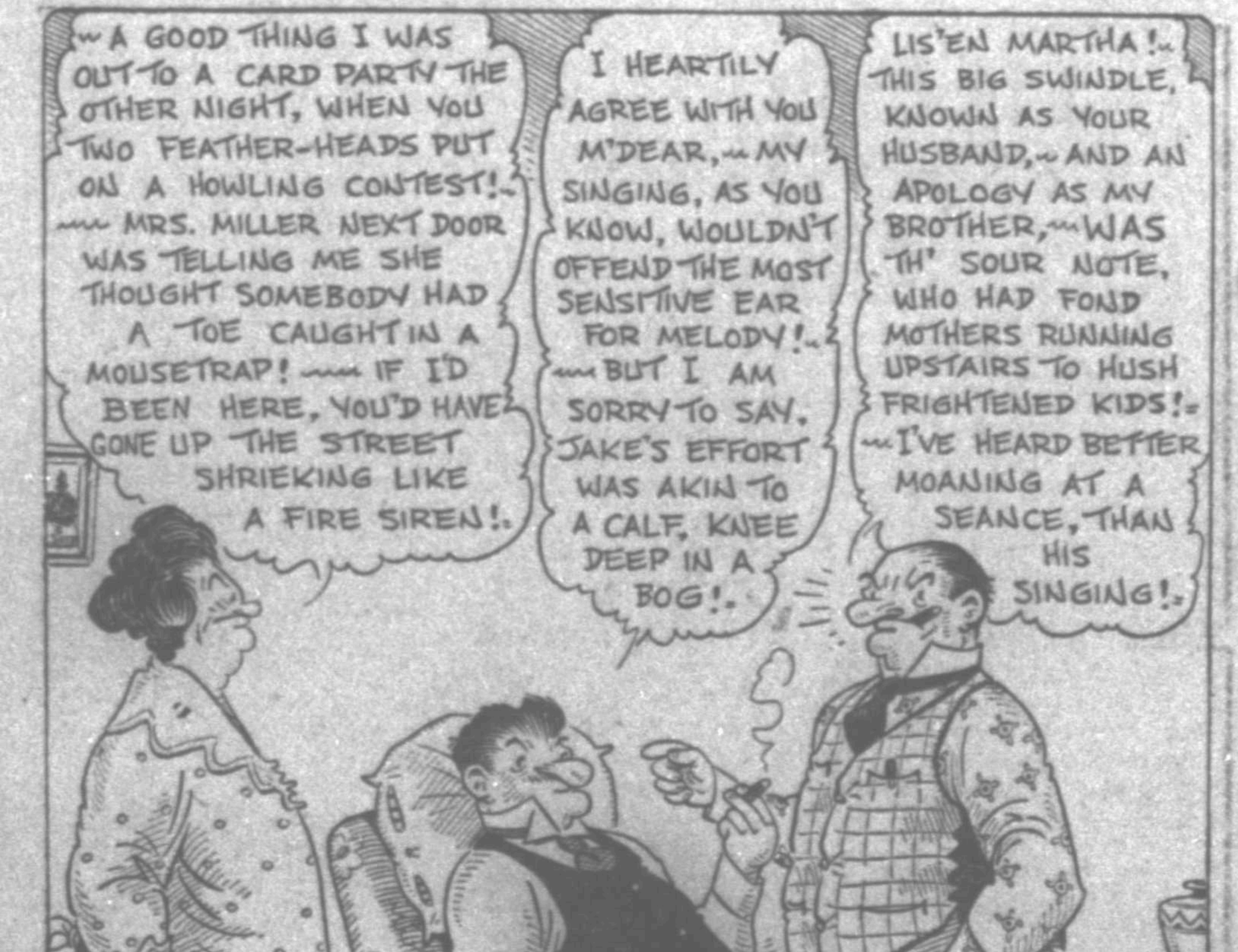
OUR BOARDING HOUSE—

By Ahern


— A GOOD THING I WAS OUT TO A CARD PARTY THE OTHER NIGHT, WHEN YOU TWO FEATHER-HEADS PUT ON A HOWLING CONTEST! — MRS. MILLER NEXT DOOR WAS TELLING ME SHE THOUGHT SOMEBODY HAD A TOE CAUGHT IN A MOUSETRAP! — IF I'D BEEN HERE, YOU'D HAVE GONE UP THE STREET SHRIEKING LIKE A FIRE SIREN!
I HEARTILY AGREE WITH YOU M'DEAR, — MY SINGING, AS YOU KNOW, WOULDN'T OFFEND THE MOST SENSITIVE EAR FOR MELODY! — BUT I AM SORRY TO SAY, JAKE'S EFFORT WAS AKIN TO A CALF, KNEE DEEP IN A BOG!
LIS'EN MARTHA! — THIS BIG SWINDLE, KNOWN AS YOUR HUSBAND, — AND AN APOLOGY AS MY BROTHER, — WAS TH' SOUR NOTE, WHO HAD FOND MOTHERS RUNNING UPSTAIRS TO HUSH FRIGHTENED KIDS! — I'VE HEARD BETTER MOANING AT A SEANCE, THAN HIS SINGING!
GENE AHERN
THE BALANCE WHEEL
2-23

MANY STUNTS FEATURE LIONS GOAT BARBECUE

Roy E. Carter presided as chauffeur of a wheelbarrow and was the blushing recipient of two diamond rings as the feature stunts at the goat barbecue held by members of the Lions club at the home of their president, Dr. R. H. Graham, at Call field Wednesday evening.

The dinner was given by the losing side in the attendance contest recently held by members of the club. Mr. Carter, as captain of the losing team, was forced to push his winning opponent, E. F. Bohmfalk, around the banquet hall in a wheelbarrow.

Mr. Bohmfalk then announced that the winning side had purchased a diamond ring as a consolation prize for Mr. Carter. Mr. Bohmfalk had just finished a flowery presentation speech and was about to pass over the ring when H. J. Bruce rose and demanded the floor.

Judge Bruce explained that he was spokesman for J. Tol Camp, who had promised a diamond ring as a contest prize when the contest was first started. He added that Mr. Camp had decided to give the ring to Mr. Carter.

After a fiery address in which he suggested that Texas rangers be sent to Wichita Falls, Judge Bruce presented the police and fire commissioner a "dime-and-ring," but on second thought he retained the dime as a fee for making the speech.

Mr. Bohmfalk then presented his "dime-and-ring," but proved more generous and allowed the dime to remain with the ring.

John Martin, representative of the National Recreation association, staged a couple of stunts which went over big with the crowd.

Dr. A. D. Pattillo sang a number of old time melodies and led the audience in a songsong. A quartet composed of H. W. Gray, Sam Gose, John Martin and J. C. Eggleston sang several numbers.

Dean S. H. Rider and Registrar A. K. Presson of the Wichita Falls Junior college made short talks.

The banquet consisted of an abundant supply of barbecued goat, buns, pickles, onions, potato chips and coffee.

P. B. Curd was toastmaster.

Before the banquet members of the club walked through the hangar which houses the municipal zoo, which has been fostered by the Lions.

Those who attended the banquet included the following: J. W. Lyle, R. H. Graham, Charles Pogenpohl, S. H. Rider, J. A. Elder, A. K. Presson, Gordon Brown, J. D. Eggleston, B. G. Ripley, Wayne Somerville, Roberta Graham, John Tevis, James King, A. B. Maples, Guy C. Raley, Paul B. Scott, Roy E. Carter, Lucille Graham, L. M. Underwood, C. L. Baum, J. H. Simmons, Dick Thompson, C. C. Bunnenberg, John Martin, H. W. Gray, E. W. Wade, Louis T. Hamlett, P. B. Curd, R. W. Rogers, C. H. Aldrich, K. C. Spell, A. D. Pattillo, Tom Sorey, S. M. Gose, H. J. Bruce, Louis Shudde, G. T. Buchanan, Frank Cripliver, J. S. Pitman, William Bolding, E. F. Bohmfalk, W. E. Wilson, Guy Curtis and Dr. R. B. Wolford.

BANK DEBITS AGGREGATE $4,890,663 PAST WEEK

Debits to individual accounts in the four Wichita Falls banks totaled $4,890,663 during the week ended February 23, according to the weekly report Thursday by H. L. Hunter, manager of the Wichita Falls Clearing House association. This figure represents a decrease of $910,226 from the total for the previous week, when the clearings aggregated $5,800,998, the report shows.

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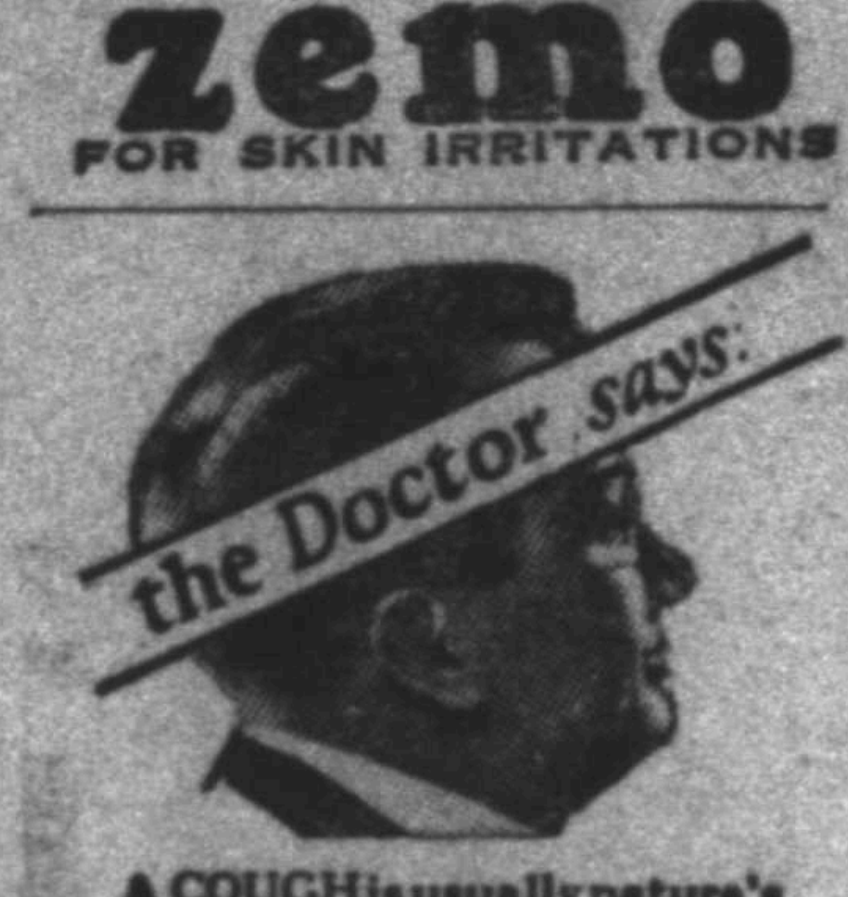

A COUGH is usually nature's effort to clear the air passages of germ-laden mucus that obstructs breathing.

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HERE'S SPEEDY RELIEF FOR TENDER, ACHING, SWOLLEN FEET

All Druggists Say Emerald Oil Must Give Complete Satisfaction *or Money Cheerfully Refunded.*

Your feet may be so swollen and inflamed that you think you can't go another step. Your shoes may feel as if they are cutting right into the flesh. You feel sick all over with the pain and torture and pray for quick relief. What's to be done?

Two or three applications of Moone's Emerald Oil and in fifteen minutes the pain and soreness disappears. A few more applications at regular intervals and the swelling reduces.

And as for Soft Corns and Callouses a few applications each night at bed time and they just seem to shrivel right up and scale off. No matter how discouraged you have been with powders, footbaths or other applications, if you have not tried Emerald Oil then you have something to learn.

It's a wonderful formula—this combination of essential oils with camphor and other antiseptics so marvelous that thousands of "bottles are sold annually for reducing varicose or swollen veins.

Every good druggist guarantees Moone's Emerald Oil to end your foot troubles or money back.—Adv.

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JUNIOR HIGH PLAN TO BE ADOPTED IN IOWA PARK SCHOOL

IOWA PARK, Feb. 23.—The embryo of a junior high school for Iowa Park public schools, conceived in the mind of Superintendent R. E. Brewster, is beginning to take definite form. The idea has gradually developed because of such high mortality in the sixth and seventh grades, such mortality being accredited to curriculum problems. Under the present system there is little new that is offered in the seventh grade and therefore the work does not appeal to the adolescent boy or girl. Too, there is such a vast change in methods encountered when the pupil passes from seventh to eighth grade work.

Under the new system, more elasticity will be possible in choosing a course of study in the sixth, seventh and eighth grades, and promotion will be made by subjects instead of by grades. Some of the curriculum changes that are anticipated are: Ancient and Mediaeval history will be replaced by a course in World history offered; elementary science given, basket weaving and elementary principles of household economics allowed in the sixth, seventh and eighth grades; one and one-half units in algebra in the high school with one-half unit of advanced arithmetic. A number of the junior high electives will be exploratory courses, whereby the pupil is allowed to find what most appeals to him and what he is best adapted to do, thus aiding in choosing a specialization course when he enters high school proper.

Some 50 questionnaires have been sent out to the best high schools in Texas and the revision of the high school curriculum has already been started. The changes are to be based on ideas gathered from these questionnaires. Since the facilities are at hand, the fourth, fifth and sixth grades will be put on a par basis with the Wichita Falls schools. A start was made in that direction this year by the introduction of departmental teaching from the fourth grade through high school.

With the revision of the high school curriculum, the introduction of the junior high school organization, and the raising of the standard for the intermediate grades, the Iowa Park public school will have made the greatest forward step in its history.

MRS. J. N. POWELL BURIED AT IOWA PARK WEDNESDAY

IOWA PARK, Feb. 23.—Funeral services for Mrs. G. N. Powell, 25, of Wellington, were held at the First Methodist church at Iowa Park Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Powell will be remembered by Iowa Park people as Miss Ethel Sunday, a former resident of this place. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sunday, still reside here.

Mrs. Powell was taken ill with typhoid fever about two weeks ago and grew steadily worse. Her death occurred Tuesday morning at a hospital in Wellington. She is survived by a husband, three small children, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sunday of Iowa Park, a sister, Mrs. W. H. Kiel, who lives on the pavement between Iowa Park and Wichita Falls, three brothers, R. L. Sunday of Iowa Park, and Dan and Mace Sunday of Nocona, and another sister, Mrs. Lena Austin of Amarillo.

A number of friends from Wellington accompanied the body to Iowa Park. The Methodist pastor of that place assisted Rev. J. P. Lutoni in the funeral service.

CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL FOR HERO S-4 RESCUE ATTEMPT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—The congressional medal of honor was conferred by President Coolidge today upon Thomas Eadie, chief gunner's mate of the navy, for heroic services during the attempted rescue of the crew of the submarine S-4.

BANISH *that Dull-tired Draggy feeling*

MANY persons go around today, more dead than alive, feeling sorry for themselves and bringing misery to everyone around them—*all because of poor health.*

The right kind of good tonic will often do wonders for these persons.

Waterbury's Compound

which has been on the market for years and is sold in many parts of the world, contains valuable Vitamines extracted from Cod Liver Oil, combined with other tonic ingredients.

It has been endorsed and prescribed by physicians for years and can be obtained from any drug store. If you are draggy, listless, underweight; if you catch cold easily—if you feel the need of something to help give you new strength, go to your druggist today and get a bottle of Waterbury's Compound and know for yourself the benefits to be had.

Sage Tea Dandy to Darken Hair

By DOROTHY LANG

You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost over night if you'll get a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at any drug store. It costs only 75 cents. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea Recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually, says a well-known druggist, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

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DEFINITE STEPS BEING TAKEN AT SAN ANGELO TO GET WOOLEN MILL

SAN ANGELO, Feb. 23.—Definite steps to secure a woolen mill for San Angelo are to be taken by the industrial division of the board of city development, said Taylor Rowe, chairman, in announcing the program of work as adopted at the initial meeting of the newly appointed members of the division. A large brick manufacturing plant and enlargement of already established industries are also to be sought. Newly appointed members of the division are C. R. Hallmark, A. A. Glover, E. D. Cox, C. A. Broome, L. W. Walker, J. H. Morgan, R. P. Humes, H. G. Wendland and D. T. Woods.

MOVE LAUNCHED IN BURK TO REORGANIZE SCOUTS

BURKBURNETT, Feb. 23.—A movement was launched here this week to reorganize the Boy Scouts into a more efficient body, with the backing of a new organization among the men and women of Burkburnett that will be known as the "Boy Scout club."

This latter organization will be composed of interested individuals and of members of the Lions club, the Rotarians, the Parent-Teacher associations. Its object is to finance and sustain the services of a field secretary, who will give part time here to the training of the local scoutmasters and leaders.

A mass meeting of all interested parties is called for Wednesday night, February 29, at the Legion home where the three following members of the American Legion will serve as the preliminary chairmen: W. D. Bent, R. D. Cunningham and C. R. Cowles.

The entire movement is at the suggestion and direction of Frank Creighton, district scout executive and his deputy, Mr. Voss, representing the national Boy Scout movement.

IOWA PARK CHURCH TO GIVE MISSION PAGEANT

IOWA PARK, Feb. 23.—A pageant, "America's Obligation," will be presented at the First Methodist church at Iowa Park Sunday evening as the closing number of the mission cultivation period that the church has observed during January and February.

Mrs. J. C. Murphree, Mrs. J. E. Keller, Mrs. James Sewell, Mrs. T. J. Pace and J. C. Murphree are chairmen of the following committees: Costumes, stage, properties, music, cast and lighting. Miss Edna Mae Boyd is director of rehearsals and the production promises to be one of the best the Methodist church and Sunday school has sponsored.

The following names appear in the list of characters: Mrs. R. E. Brewster, James Sewell, Miss Irene Redin, Miss Irene Lamkin, Mrs. Frank Belkin, Miss Johnnie Morrison, Douglas Smyth, Edna Love, Miss Mary Butcher, Elgin Denny, Taylor George, Miss Mary Louise George, Miss Eleanor Burney, Miss Josephine Luton, Miss Ola Kuntz, Miss Katherine George, Miss Geraldine Thurber, C. C. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McDonald, J. W. Matthews, Junior Morris, Bob McDonald, Chiocilde McDonald. A group of intermediates, a group of juniors, a group of primaries, and a group of beginners, Curtis Sewell, Mrs. J. N. George, J. A. Anglin, Mrs. Mary Bishop, Mrs. Fenton Dale, Miss Rosalie Keller, representing five mission fields, and representatives from various church organizations.

INDUSTRIAL RIGHTS LEAGUE OPPOSES CURB ON COURTS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—Denying that the courts have encroached upon the rights of organized labor in applying the writ of injunction, Walter G. Merritt, New York, today opposed the Shipstead anti-injunction bill before a senate judiciary subcommittee.

Merritt, who represented the League for Industrial Rights, declared that the proposal would deprive the equity courts of the major part of their jurisdiction.

AGED NEW YORK BANKER RECOVERS FROM ILLNESS

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—Entirely recovered from a recent indisposition George F. Baker Sr., 88-year-old chairman of the First National bank, was today on his way to Jekyl Island, Ga., with E. E. Loomis, president of the Lehigh Valley railroad, a close friend. The two financiers will stay at the Baker winter home there for several weeks.

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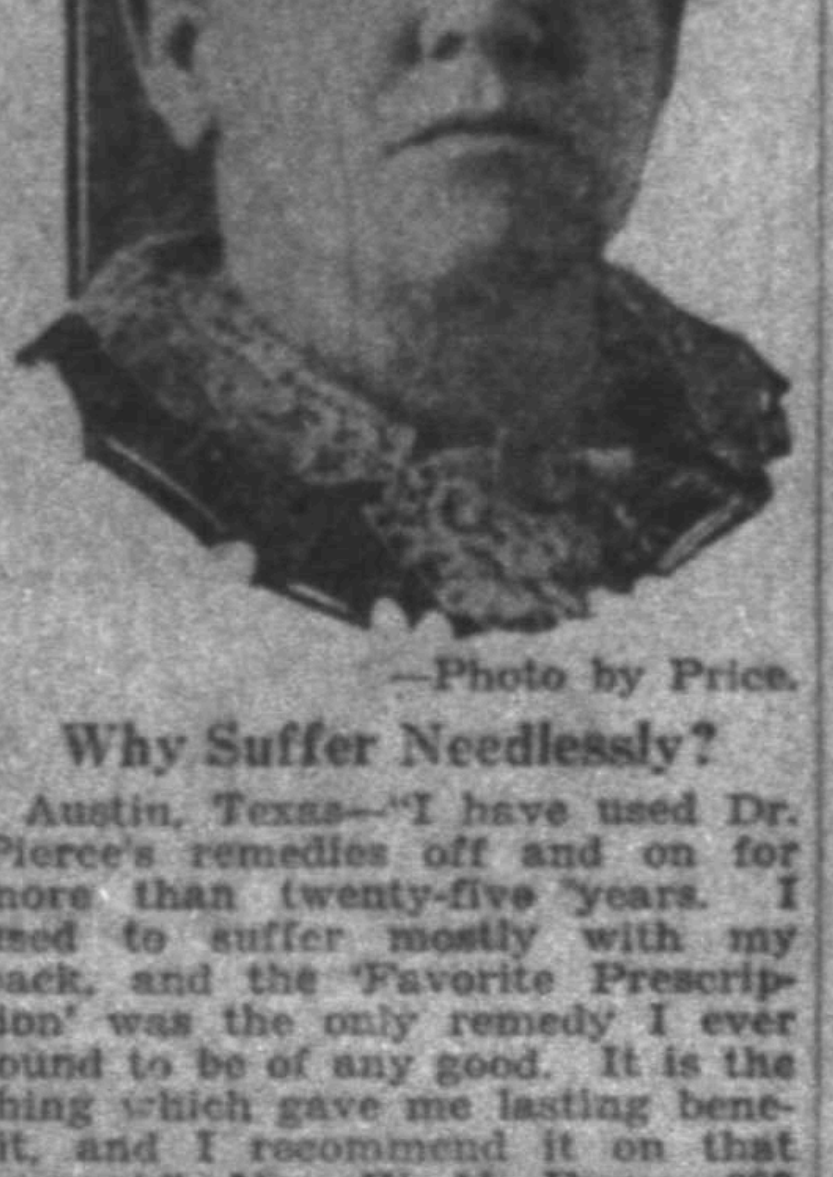

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Byers Man Vouches Frog Was Placed in Stone at Eastland

BYERS, Texas, Feb. 23.—T. F. Harbin, 68, farmer and turkey raiser of Byers, Clay county, is another of the old timers who saw the horned frog placed in the cornerstone of Eastland county courthouse in 1897.

Mr. Harbin was a resident of Eastland for 24 years and his brother was for a number of years the tax assessor of Eastland county.

"I saw them put the frog in the cornerstone, place the lid on the opening, cement it over and lay the next stone on top of the cornerstone," said Mr. Harbin, who was a member of the Masonic lodge of Eastland which bought the red granite cornerstone especially for this purpose, helped to pay the $125 for the stone.

Among other things which were sealed into the cornerstone was a paper which gave the names of the oldest Mason and youngest Mason of Eastland lodge, the youngest being a nephew of Mr. Harbin.

At the time that the Eastland courthouse was built it was thought that it would be large enough to serve for hundreds of years, and the things sealed into the stone were to be preserved for the following generations. The horned frog was included because it was a representative form of life and was said to have the power of life for a hundred years, without food, water or air.

WONDER WHAT TO DO WITH CELEBRATED HORNED FROG

EASTLAND, Texas, Feb. 23. (AP)—Eastlanders are wondering what to do with their celebrated horned frog, now they have got it out of the courthouse where many persons believed it was immured for more than 30 years.

While scientists dispute whether the reptile could have lived without food or water for that period, E. E. Wood, who provided the frog that several persons have said was placed in the stone in 1897, has appealed for information as to what to feed it.

In the glass bowl in which it is kept the frog daily shows increasing animation, tries to climb from its retainer and even appears to be gaining in weight, but as yet has refused to eat or drink, leading observers to believe its mouth is sealed.

Yesterday as a feature of a day which it drew attention from hundreds of persons, including newspaper men and photographers, the frog was inspected by a party of zoology students from Texas Christian university at Fort Worth, who examined its skin and mouth and otherwise made scientific observations.

Meanwhile, to the testimony of M. W. McMinn, 63, merchant at Olden, Eastland county, that Uncle Sandy Martin, deceased, placed the frog in the stone when the courthouse was constructed, has been added that of a Mrs. Dreinhofer, wife of a former Ranger postmaster, who declares she saw the frog dropped into the zinc box along with some coins and newspapers.

Eye witnesses of the reptile's removal last Saturday, who included county officials, construction men and several ministers, have said the frog now on exhibition was taken from the box under circumstances admitting of no fraud.

Believe it or not, is the attitude of Eastlanders, who maintain that the reptile has given color to the West Texas tradition that a horned frog can live a hundred years without food, water or air.

LIVE TOAD FROG IMBEDDED IN TWO FEET LIMESTONE

AUSTIN, Feb. 23. (AP)—The American Thursday quoted Francis Fischer, 70, of Austin, as saying that he and his father, Joseph Fischer, both then stonecutters, found a live "toad" frog imbedded in "two feet of limestone" near here more than 50 years ago.

Mr. Fischer expressed the opinion, the paper continued, that the frog he said was found had been there possibly "for hundreds of years."

The story was recalled to Fischer in connection with dispatches from Eastland saying a live horned frog was taken from the Eastland county courthouse cornerstone recently, 31 years after it—or one like it—had been sealed in the stone.

Fischer said he put the toad in a creek "where it belonged," and added that the mouth was not sealed. In the Eastland incident the animal was said to have had only a seam where the mouth should have been.

RELIGIOUS ROW WHICH LEAD TO STABBING TO BE AIRED IN COURT

TEXARKANA, Ark., Feb. 23. (AP) Factional differences in the Pentacostal church of Texarkana, which resulted in the stabbing of one preacher and the imprisonment of another wil be aired in recorders court here Wednesday.

Meanwhile some members of the congregation endeavored to make bond for the Rev. Thomas Pearson but failed while other members visited the bedside of the Rev. C. H. Simms, pastor of the church, who is reported slightly improved.

BRITAIN WILL NOT OFFER TO TRADE OUT ON DEBTS

LONDON, Feb. 23. (AP) — Questioned by a conservative member in the house of commons today as to whether he would consider "the possibility of approaching the American government with a view to securing its assent to payment of part of the British obligations in kind," Chancellor of the Exchequer Winston Churchill's answer was a crisp "No." The reply was greeted with cheers.

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S. M. U. PRESIDENT BARS SCHOOL DOOR TO WOMAN SMOKER

DALLAS, Feb. 23. (AP)—Agnes Maude Royden, English clergy woman and welfare worker, and the youngest daughter of Sir Thomas Royden, will not be allowed to speak in the Southern Methodist university auditorium here because she smokes in private, Elmer Scott, director of the civic federation, said today.

Her lecture, instead, will be delivered at the Fair Park auditorium.

"Although she is one of the world's most renowned religious workers and a former assistant preacher at the city temple, London, Dr. Charles Selecman, president of Southern Methodist university, thinks it best to bar from the auditorium any woman who smokes," Scott said.

Dr. Selecman neither admitted nor denied this statement.

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THE DOCTOR in a leading women's college was comparing this generation of girls with those of 25 years ago.

"We don't have nearly so many illness excuses from girls nowadays", he said. "Not even at those times when there is perfectly good reason for their feeling below par. For one thing, girls have learned how important it is to keep their systems functioning normally at all times. And at times when they are most likely to be upset and thrown off balance, they take special measures".

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CONNIE MACK BELIEVES COBB AGAIN WILL JOIN HIS TEAM

SORE MUSCLES ARE MUCH IN EVIDENCE IN FLORIDA CAMPS AS TRAINING GETS UNDER WAY

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 23. (AP)—Connie Mack, at Fort Myers, Fla., has received a long letter from Ty Cobb. The Athletics' manager said he "would not be surprised" if the Georgian was with the team again this year. "It is possible he may fool me and sign elsewhere," Mack said, "but I really think he is going to be with us again. I don't care how many games he plays, just so he's on the team. I am sure Ty wants to play ball another season."

Sammy Hale, third baseman, is proving the most pronounced holdout the Athletics have had in years. He said that Hale had not signed and that he would either play for the salary offered or remain in the Texas Panhandle among his oil wells.

Seventeen pitchers are in camp. Most of the regulars arrive next week.

McGraw and Cobb.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—Ty Cobb's future has Manager McGraw up in the air even though he says he doesn't intend to sign the Georgia peach.

At the Giants' camp at Hot Springs, Ark., Manager McGraw is busily denying reports that the veteran Ty will appear in a New York uniform in the coming race.

"I have not even spoken to Cobb" said McGraw, "and I certainly have not signed him."

However, the Giants' pilot is swamped by inquiries probably caused by reports that Cobb will work out with the McGrawmen at Augusta.

The first casualties to the New Yorkers involve Bill Walker, Denver southpaw, who strained a tendon in the right leg and Leo Mangum who has a bruised knee, the result of a mountain hike. The injuries are minor.

Braves Stiff.

BOSTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—The Braves were stiff and sore Thursday after a holiday at their St. Petersburg, Fla., ball park. Doc Gautreau worked out at third base and Ed Brown at first. Whether the former will be given the hot corner remains to be seen, but indications were that Jack Slattery means to allow him his chance to make good. Brown's status is more doubtful if Burrus shows any sort of form.

In Brandenton the Red Sox pulled in and were greeted by a brass band and a delegation of local enthusiasts. The roll showed 22 of Carrigan's boys on hand, all the squad except Ruffing and Slim Harriss, who has a cold. Ruffing is holding out.

Ruth Needs Secretary.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—Babe Ruth is on his way to becoming the world's busiest autographer. And he doesn't use a secretary.

"Yes, I keep busy writing my name and the biggest job this winter came from Minneapolis on a batch of 17 dozen baseballs," he said at the Yankees' offices.

"The fellow who sent them to me is in anti-tuberculosis work out there. I ran across him on a barnstorming trip. I told him I'd be glad to help so he sent along the 204 baseballs."

Indians Arrive.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 23. (AP)—Manager Roger Peckinpaugh and the vanguard of the Cleveland baseball team of the American league arrived here Wednesday for spring training. The first workout was scheduled for Thursday.

Among the arrivals were Pitchers George Uhle, Joe Shaute, Walter Miller, Walter Brown and Harold Heidelbach, a recruit. The complete squad is expected by March 1.

Wilson Signs.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. (AP)—Hack Wilson, holdout outfielder of the Chicago Cubs, and co-holder of the 1927 National league home run title, Wednesday signed his 1928 contract.

Wilson, who hails from Martinsburg, W. Va., returned his first contract. The salary agreement reached Wednesday was not announced but it is understood that the Cub outfielder received a substantial increase. He will leave Thursday with the second squad of the team for Catalina island, the team's training camp.

TEXAN MAKES SHOWING AGAINST MICK WALKER

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23. (AP)—The fighting reputation of Jack Willis, Texas cowboy slugger, was enhanced Thursday as the result of his surprising showing in a 10-round bout with Middleweight Champion Mickey Walker here Wednesday.

Walker won the decision, but had as hard a fight on his hands as he has experienced since he won the tile.

An obscure fighter and a tremendous short ender, Willis rushed the champion from rope to rope in the third and sixth rounds and in the seventh round he had Walker so bewildered that the champion did not hear the bell. Ringside critics gave the Texan a slight margin at the end of the seventh round.

A terrific attack was launched by the champion in the eighth round and Willis was groggy at the bell from heavy rights and lefts to the face and midsection. In the ninth Willis suffered severe body punishment and his momentary rally in the last round was nipped quickly by Walker.

The title was not at stake as Willis weighed 163 pounds and Walker 161¼. Some 12,000 persons saw the bout, and gross gate receipts were estimated at $30,000.

CLEVELAND SHOE TOSSER LEADS TOURNAMENT FIELD

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 23. (AP)—Blair Nunamaker, Cleveland, held his lead over the field of 30 pitchers from 13 states in the national horseshoe tourney here Thursday morning by running his unbroken streak of victories in the preliminary round to 12. The Ohioan continued to average close to 70 per cent in ringers and won easily in his two morning games with J. D. Hough, Urbana, Ohio, and Emmett Mossman, Eldorado, Iowa.

The morning's play, however, provided three unexpected upsets. Bert Duryee, the young Kansas champion, cracked wide open after pitching sensationally through the first two days of the tournament and lost two close games to Carroll Jackson, Chicago, and C. R. Thompson, Florida champion. Harvey Elmerson, Kenosha, Wis., defeated only once in his first 10 games, lost to Frank Jackson, Lamoni, Iowa, the former champion.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

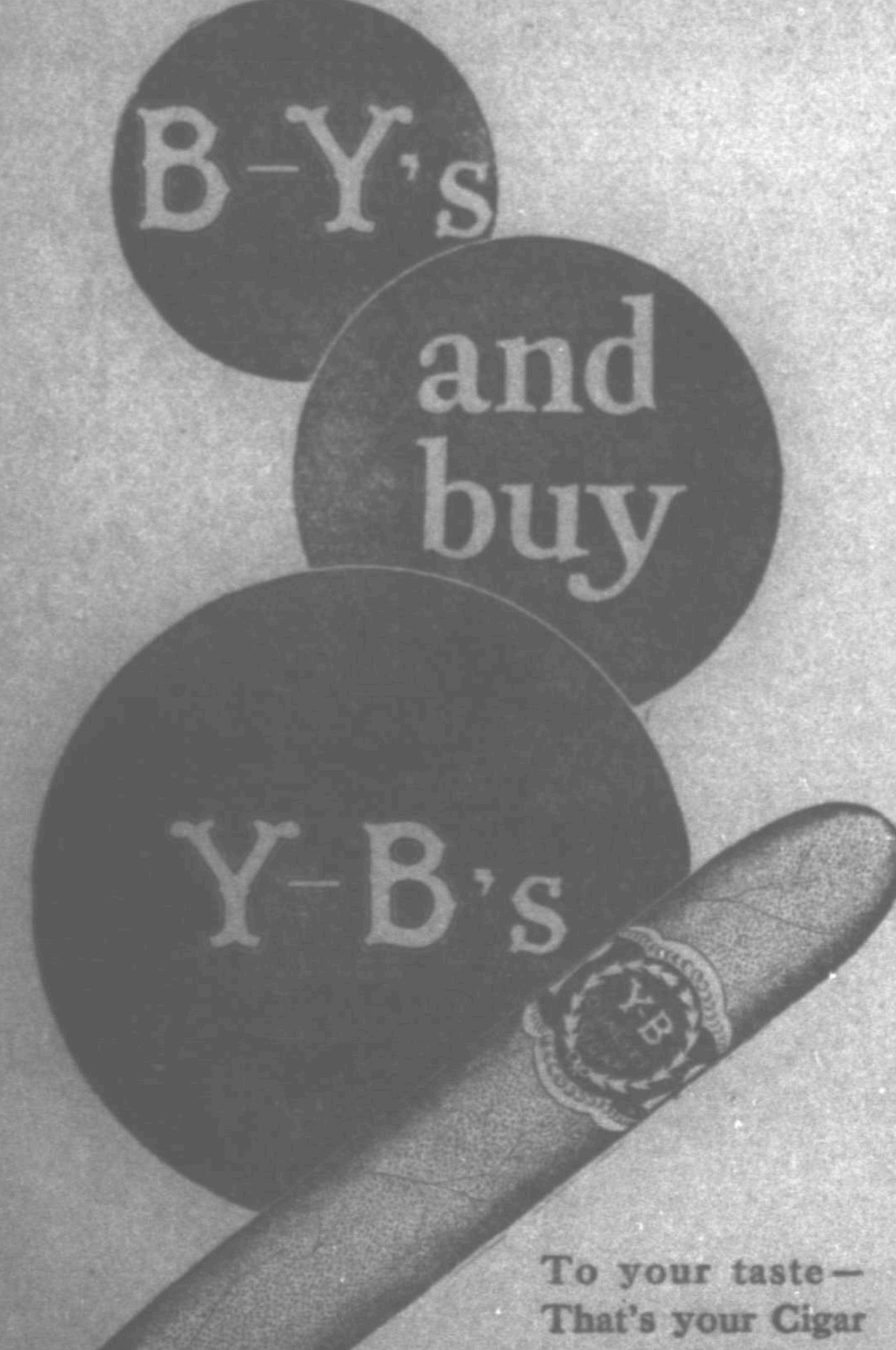
(By the Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO.—Mickey Walker, middleweight champion, defeated Jack Willis, Texas, 10 rounds. "Midget" O'Dowd, Columbus, Ohio, won by a technical knockout over Bobby Herman, Los Angeles, four rounds.

PARIS.—Moise Bouquillon, French light heavyweight champion, knocked out Blackie Miller, Australian champion, three rounds.

CINCINNATI.—Happy Atherton, Indianapolis, and Louis Carpentero, Toledo, drew, 10 rounds.

CULVER CITY, Cal.—Vince Dundee, Baltimore, won from Bobby Lasalle, Culver City, 10 rounds.



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Sammy Mandell Scraps Fields Friday Night

Lightweight Championship Is Not At Stake in Ten-Rounder At Chicago.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. (AP)—Sammy Mandell, world's lightweight boxing champion, will risk his prestige and physiognomy, but not his title in a 10-round bout with Jackie Fields of California at the coliseum Thursday night. Both men will be over the lightweight poundage.

Thursday night's fight is the second between the men and probably Mandell's last before he exchanges punches with Jimmy McClarnin in a titular match at the White Sox ball park next June. In their last bout Fields won a 12-round newspaper decision over the champion by his aggressiveness and ability to throw punches from almost every angle. Despite that defeat, Mandell Thursday ranked a 7 to 5 favorite to win.

Field's rise has been rapid. He got his start in the ring as an amateur around Los Angeles, improved rapidly and was a member of the American Olympic boxing team in 1924. He won the world's amateur featherweight championship.

To allow Thursday night's match to proceed, Eddie Kane, manager for Mandell, had to post a $5000 certified check with the Illinois State Athletic Commission as a guarantee that Mandell would go through with his championship match with McLarnin.

FIRST PLACE AT STAKE IN BIG TEN DAY CAGE RACE

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. (AP)—Undisputed possession of first place in the Big Ten basket ball race will be decided Thursday night when Purdue meets Wisconsin at Madison.

Both teams have won six out of seven games and are tied for first place. Each will have four more games to play after Thursday night's contest and the two will meet in a return contest at Lafayette Saturday night.

ANOTHER AMERICAN NET TITLE GOES TO FRANCE

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 23. (AP)—Another American tennis title has gone to France.

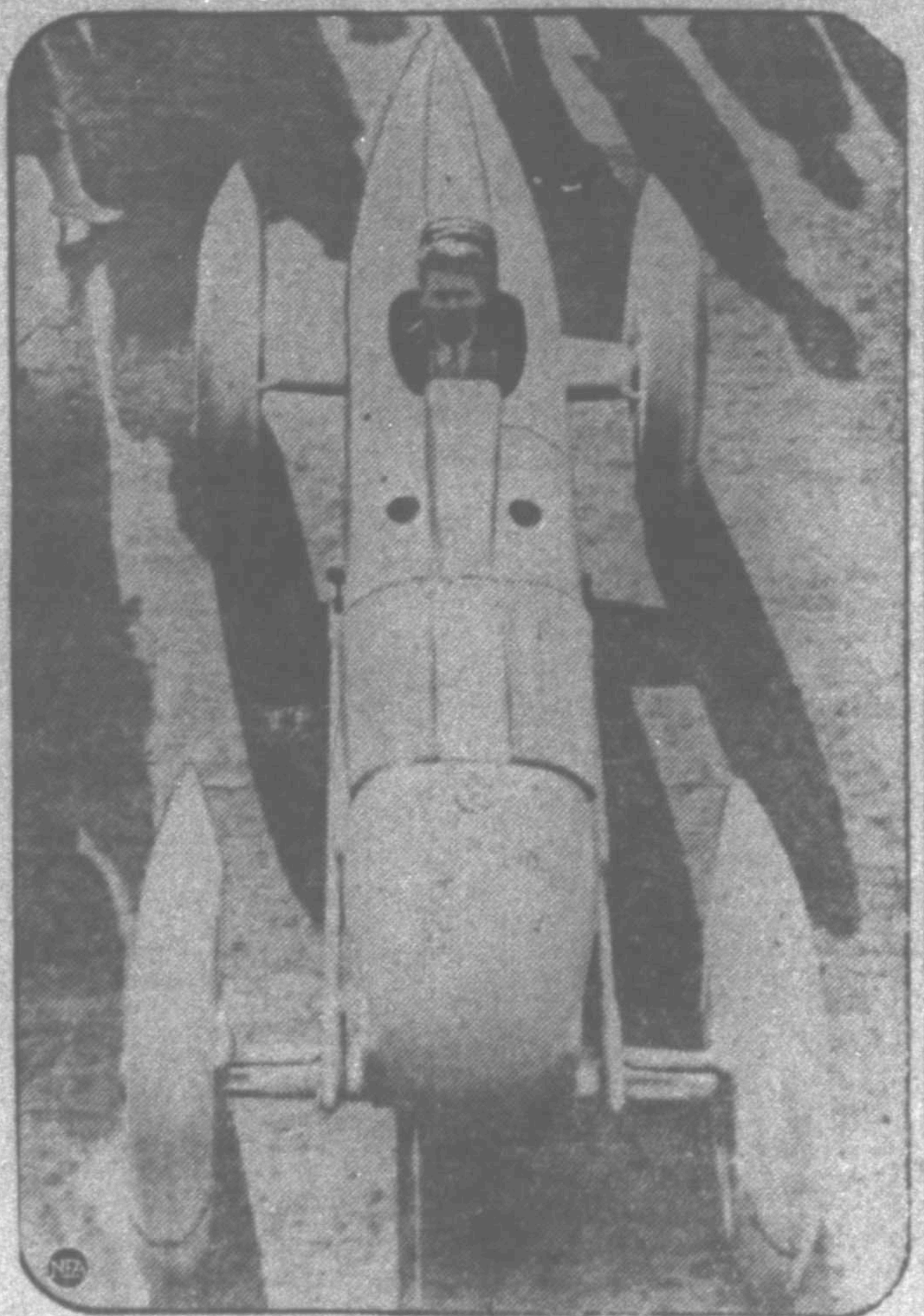
On the courts of the Philadelphia racquet club Wednesday, Pierre Ettchebaster, 35-year-old Basque, won the open court tennis championship of the United States when he defeated Jack Soutar, the defending titleholder, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4, 6-5, in the second block of the match.

DOG SLED WINNER

[illegible]SHTON, Idaho, Feb. 23. (AP)—W[illegible]le sun and blizzard battled for [illegible]remacy, Tud Kent, veteran "[illegible]sher" raced his crack team of dogs about the course here to win the eleventh annual renewal of the Ashton dog derby Wednesday. Seventeen drivers entered.

Kent's victory—his sixth since the race was inaugurated—won for him first prize of $1000 and a silver loving cup. His time of two hours, 13 minutes, 37 seconds for the 25-mile course is more than 15 minutes slower than the record set two years ago.

PLAYS LEAD ROLE IN NEAR DISASTER



Lockhart and His Tiny Stutz

Traveling at a rate of 220 to 230 miles an hour on the beach track at Daytona Beach, Fla., Wednesday in his effort to set a new speed record, Frank Lockhart and his tiny Stutz Blackhawk Special somersaulted in the air and landed 40 feet out into the ocean. Impact of the machine with the waves was so great that the body of machine was caved in, sealing in the driver and necessitating chisels and blow torches to release him. Lockhart came out of it little the worse, except for severe shock.

LEWIS AND MALCEWICZ MEET AT KANSAS CITY

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 23. (AP)—Ed (Strangler) Lewis of Kansas City, who contends he clinched the world's heavyweight wrestling championship by defeating Joe Stecher at St. Louis Monday, has agreed to meet Joe Malcewicz, Utica, N. Y., here February 29, Gabe Kaufman, local promoted, announced Thursday.

Kaufman said the match was made in conformity to an agreement with the managers of Stecher and Lewis prior to their St. Louis meeting, whereby the winner agreed to meet the Utica contender. Two falls out of three will decide the match here.

"I am sorry now that we promised to meet Malcewicz," Billy Sandow, manager of Lewis, said after his conference with Kaufman. "Lewis had a bitter struggle with Stecher and I regard Malcewicz as a better wrestler than Stecher."

Malcewicz, in telegraphing his acceptance from Utica, said he would leave there immediately for Kansas City. Lewis weighs about 20 pounds more than the Utica panther.

Sandow also announced he had received an offer of $200,000 for Lewis to appear in the movies, prior to a European tour planned next summer. He said the offer was made by a Chicago company.

SCOTT AND ROUTIS ARE BACK ON AMERICAN SOIL

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—Phil Scott, English heavyweight, and Andre Routis, French featherweight, have returned for another invasion of American rings. Scott landed Wednesday from the steamship Olympic and expects to box in Toronto and several eastern cities. Routis announced he intended to file a challenge against Tony Canzoneri for the featherweight championship at the meeting of the New York State Athletic Commission Friday.

Big Doings in Girls' Program Thursday Night

P. B. M.-Whippets and Texas Electrics to Clash With League Lead at Stake.

Big things are slated Thursday night at the junior college in the girls' basket ball league program. Those arch championship enemies, Texas Electric Service company and P. B. M.-Whippets, are to clash in the opening game starting at 7:30 o'clock. It will be the fourth meeting of the year of these two quintets and each of the former three has been a torrid scrap—among the best the girls' league has ever offered in its two years of existence.

In those three previous games the P. B. M.-Whippets hold the margin of two victories to one for the Electrics, but in the second half race the Kilowat lassies hold the upper hand, having won both their games, while the "combination" team was winning one and losing one. In the first half race the P. B. M. crew beat the Electrics in the first game of the campaign and then lost in their final meeting, necessitating a playoff, in which the Electrics were carried down.

Since the start of the second half the P. M. B.-Whippet team has been somewhat altered and last week the re-built first half champs bowed to Draughon Business college. But Coach Chubby Neal avers his girls simply had an off-night and will be back on their game Thursday evening against the Electrics.

In the second game of this week's program, the rejuvenated Draughon Business college team plays Continental Oil company. This game should also be a hummer, as the teams loom as decidedly evenly matched.

FROGS TO PLAY LAST HOME CONTEST FRIDAY

FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 23. The T. C. U. Horned Frogs are set for their final home basket ball game with the Rice Owls here Friday night. The Purple has two more road games to play after the contest here, meeting the Baylor Bears in Waco and the Texas Longhorns in Austin.

The defeat handed the Frogs here Monday night spoiled any hopes the Frogs might have had to finish higher than fourth or fifth place in the Southwestern conference race. Arkansas clinched the championship Tuesday night when they won over the Texas Aggies, completing an undefeated season and annexing the conference title for the third year in succession.

S. M. U. seems to be across the wire in second place while the Longhorns can lose all the rest of their games and still finish in third place. The Frogs must win all the rest of their remaining games or be nosed out of fourth place by Rice or Baylor.

The probable starting lineup for the Frogs Friday night will be Steadman and Parrish, forwards; Eury, center; Matthews and Wallin, guards.

MIRACULOUSLY ESCAPES WHEN CAR SOMERSAULTS AND LANDS IN OCEAN AT 225 MILE SPEED

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., Feb. 23. (AP)—Because he let his standards of sportsmanship outweigh his better judgment, Frank Lockhart, youthful racing driver must temporarily dismiss his dream of driving a powerful automobile at a greater speed than has ever yet been attained.

His tiny Stutz Blackhawk Special was smashed beyond hope of immediate repair when it catapulted from the beach into the ocean here Wednesday afternoon at the rate of 225 miles per hour, and Lockhart is recovering from severe shock and minor injuries at a hospital.

It was the roar of the crowd for action that gave fortune a chance to frown and smile in turn on the young Indianapolis pilot. Despite a wet beach and poor visibility brought on by low hanging clouds, he responded to the loud urging of the throng and went out to threaten the record of 206.9 miles an hour which Capt. Malcolm Campbell of London had established Sunday.

His Last Chance.

Lockhart's chances for a new mark went glimmering when his car swerved beyond control and turned a complete somersault to right itself in the sea. Thousands who lined the beach, galvanized by fear at the machine's wild careening, Thursday described the pilot's escape from death as remarkable.

Chisels and blow torches were necessary to extract Lockhart from the pilot's seat where he had been pinned in the crumpled machine. Breakers swept high over his head while he was in this defenseless position, semi-conscious adding drowning to his other dangers until the $70,000 speed creation could be towed from the water onto the dry sands above.

With Thursday the last day of an official attempt to beat the record against time it seemed that Captain Campbell's record would stand unless he himself should raise it with his Napier Blue Bird special. The huge 36-cylinder machine owned by J. M. White of Philadelphia was definitely barred from official competition Wednesday because it did not meet mechanical requirements of the American Automobile association.

Lockhart had decided conditions were too unfavorable Wednesday for an attempt against the Campbell record and was about to withdraw from the beach when he reversed his decision in consideration for the thousands who had gathered to watch his effort.

Slight Injuries.

For several hours after the accident, Lockhart was unable to give an account of what happened to his machine, but William F. Sturm, Lockhart's representative, after talking to the pilot late Wednesday night, said he believed the disastrous behavior of the car was caused by too sudden application of the brake.

Sturm quoted Lockhart as saying:

"I was traveling down the beach at a high rate when I glanced at my tachometer to see how many revolutions the motor was making. It was doing 6300 (between 220 and 230 miles per hour) just before the accident happened. I drove through a bright place where the sun was shining—then ran into rain and could not see—and the next thing I knew I was in the ocean.

Sturm advanced the theory that when Lockhart entered the area of poor visibility he jammed on the brakes too quickly, causing the rear of the machine to swing around.

Lockhart's chief injuries were cuts on his left wrist and a bad cut on the chin.

The Stutz which Lockhart drove was built under his own supervision on his pet theory that a scientifically built automobile, designed to eliminate wind resistance could attain greater speed with a small motor than with large cars with larger power plants. His car had a 16-cylinder motor, developing 400 horsepower, and Lockhart was the only pilot who had ever driven it.

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-AND YOUR SPASMODIC FITS OF COUGHING HAVE EVERYBODY STARING AT YOU
-AND FINALLY YOU COUGH THE BIG BOSS RIGHT OUT OF YOUR OFFICE BEFORE YOU CAN MENTION THE LITTLE RAISE YOU WANTED.
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ALL SET FOR START DISTRICT TOURNEY FRIDAY MORNING

COYOTES AND TIGERS READY FOR BATTLE IN FIRST GAME; SEMI-FINALS FRIDAY NIGHT

Things were being put in readiness Thursday at Wichita Falls Junior college to entertain more than 250 visitors, including basket ball and volley ball teams and school officials and followers from towns of nine counties adjacent to Wichita Falls. The occasion is the district basket ball and volley ball championships of the University of Texas Interscholastic league, beginning Friday morning at 9 o'clock and continuing through Saturday night.

Basket ball play, with ten teams entered in the scramble for district honors, is confined to the opening day, Friday, except for the championship final Saturday.

Reports from the camps of the Wichita Falls high Coyotes and the Electra Tigers, who as a result of the drawings earlier in the week meet in the first game of the tournament Friday morning, were to the effect that both teams were ready for battle.

Big Game Early

For many followers of the interscholastic league scramble, the high spot of the tournament will come with the opening game Friday morning, when the Coyotes and Tigers clash. Aside from the fact that these two teams are listed among the most likely championship prospects, they are old rivals on the basket ball court and gridiron, and a victory for either will mean much. The defeated team will be eliminated from further participation in the tournament.

The Wichita Falls quintet has had an in and out practice season and the real strength of the Coyote combination is very much an unknown quantity. At times the Pack has shown great form, at others the opposite has been true.

The team is built around two veteran guards, Captain Kenneth Mills and Maurice Allred. These were the only letter men returning from last season and Coach Bud McCallum has tried many combinations during the practice campaign, with this pair always the pivot men of the experiments.

Mills Leading Scorer

Mills is the scoring power of the team from the position of running guard. He is a consistent scorer and a great floor man. Allred serves in the role of stationary guard, but occasionally leaves his post to try for a "sneak" shot. Jim Turner has been the most consistent man at center and is likely to start at the jumping post in the game with Electra Friday morning.

The forward positions have brought the greatest amount of experimenting. Anderson and Bain have shown slight superiority over a field of three or four other goal shooters and they are the favored ones for the two scoring positions, with Curtis and Griffin as the first string reserves. Hodgkiss is likely to see service at guard during the tournament, if the Coyotes get over their first game.

Eight games are on the program for Friday, all but the final being played the first day.

Petrolia vs. Woodson

Following the Wichita Falls-Electra game, Petrolia and Woodson, Clay and Throckmorton county champions, respectively, take the court, followed by Harrold, Wilbarger, and Megargel, Archer, in the third game.

The remaining three games in the preliminary round will be played in the afternoon, the first being between Olney and Seymour, Young and Baylor champs, respectively. Nocona, Montague title winner, meets the winner of the Electra-Wichita Falls game in the second tilt, with the Jack county champions, Jacksboro, tangling with the winner of the Petrolia-Woodson contest.

Friday evening the semi-finals will be played, starting at 7:30 o'clock. In the first game the winner of Harrold vs. Megargel plays the winner of the Nocona vs. Wichita Falls and Electra winner. In the second the winner of Olney vs. Seymour tangles with the winner of Jacksboro vs. winner of Petrolia and Woodson winner.

Only the final will be played Saturday, the survivors of the semifinals clashing at 8 o'clock in the college gym.

Volley ball play, in which the champions of nine counties of the district will be eligible, will be completed Saturday morning and afternoon.

Season tickets for the tournament will be on sale at the college Friday.

LOCKE'S BEST IS THIRD 80-YARD FEATURE RACE

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—Roland Locke, University of Nebraska speedster, could get no better than third place in the 80-yard dash of the special invitation spring series, early feature of the Masonic benefit meet at the 102nd engineers armory Wednesday night. Locke trailed Bob McAllister, the "flying cop," competing for the Columbus council, Knights of Columbus, and Babe Wise of the New York A. C. McAllister's time was eight seconds flat.

Locke was away to an early lead, but was passed half way to the finish line by McAllister and Wise.

SOUTHERN CAGE TOURNEY LOOMS AS OPEN AFFAIR

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 23. (AP)—Those who attempt the picking of winners in basket ball tournaments Thursday were dividing their opinions as to strength between no less than half a dozen of the 16 entries for the Southern conference affair which starts here Friday.

While these six were gaining ground as favorites, as tournament time neared all others were conceded a chance of breaking down predictions as none have gone through the season without taking falls along with victories.

Auburn, North Carolina, University of Mississippi, Mississippi A. & M., Virginia Poly and Kentucky were the ones indicated by many observers as having a slight edge, but the fact that Alabama, Virginia Military institute, Washington and Lee, Virginia, South Carolina and Louisiana State have been showing considerable power, except for occasional erratic streaks, lent an air of probability to the tourney.

The Texas league has been fortunate in the past in that its club owners have worked together harmoniously and experienced little difficulty in adopting schedules and transacting other important business concerning the entire membership. At Shreveport Saturday and Sunday the league moguls go into session on the adoption of a 1928 schedule, and there is promised more trouble in reaching an agreement than has usually been the case in the past.

Somebody—don't know who—is making an effort to tear up the opening day pairings that have been in force in the northern end of the loop for the last few years. Somebody wants the Shreveport-Wichita Falls and Dallas-Fort Worth openings switched around. Just why, is something else we don't know. The Wichita Falls club is not particularly inerested in that part of it, according to Prexy Gardner. The Spudders had just soon open with Shreveport as Dallas or Fort Worth. Dallas and Fort Worth are satisfied, so it must be Shreveport that wants a change. And it is said that South Texas clubs also are seeking a change on this end of the circuit, though it's hard to understand why Houston, San Antonio, Beaumont or Waco would be interested.

Opening day receipts are pooled and split eight ways, the arrangement of the past, bringing Dallas and Fort Worth together at the opening, probably is the most profitable. Gardner is willing to play any of the other three clubs in the opening games, he says, but he does want to open the season at home on the very first day. For the last three years, if memory serves us correctly, the Spudders have opened first at Shreveport and then returned to Athletic park six days later to open the season with Shreveport.

There is no particular advantage in opening first at home, but the fans want it. Wichita Falls fans often have expressed displeasure with the continued first day opening at Shreveport and Prexy Gardner departed for Shreveport with the avowed intention of bringing about a change, if it is possible. The trouble is that every club in the league is interested equally in every opening game, since receipts are pooled, and the league may be expected to follow the path of the largest opening day returns. Shreveport in the past has been a better opening day town than Wichita Falls, though Spudderland outdrew Sportville last year. That fact may cause the magnates to concede a point to Gardner.

Another little bone of contention that the moguls are likely to bump into at Shreveport will be the choice dates at Houston when the Democratic convention is in progress. The schedule will be arranged so the Buffs will have a long stay at that time. There is no doubt about that. But with no assurance of the longevity of the convention, it is expected that the other seven teams will be hot afer dates early in the convention. If the 1928 convention is like the last one in 1924, there should be no cause for anxiety, for there will be time for every team to play a series in Houston during the convention. In fact, judging from the way the pro-Smiths and the anti-Smiths are preparing for battle, each of the seven teams might have time to play two, or even three, series in Houston.

Don't forget Buddy Lewis in your springtime prognostications. That thought is occasioned by a glance at the reproduction of the official averages of the Texas Valley league in this week's issue of the Sporting News. Buddy hung around long enough last season for the Spudder fans to know him, though they didn't bump into his name in many box scores. The official records show that Buddy led his league in both fielding and hitting, quite a stunt for a youngster not of voting age in anybody's league.

It will be remembered that Lewis was bought in mid-season after having played in only 74 games for Laredo. But in those 74 he hit the ball at a pace of .386. He was leading the league in home runs at the time with 11 and his extra base hits included the hefty total of 25 doubles, to go along with the homers. In fielding he topped the shortstops with an average of .933. Lewis stands an excellent chance of earning the utility job this year, if not the regular shortstop position.

The Baltimore correspondent of the Sporting News has some good things to say to Lefty Beard, southpaw pitcher purchased by the Spudders from the Orioles about a month ago. Prexy Gardner didn't have much to say about this acquisition in fact, he said he didn't know much about Beard, and the deal caused hardly a ripple hereabouts. But maybe the lefthander's a prospect, after all:

"Beard has excellent stuff and was about Reading's best pitcher when Dunn bought him. When he joined to the Orioles, Jack had a plethora of pitchers, so that Lefty sat on the bench most of the time. When called to active service, Beard showed a dandy hook, but suffered to some extent from wildness. Beard is also a youngster, and he has a good chance to shine at Wichita Falls.

Introducing New Texas Leaguers

By CHARLES J. FOREMAN

CAREY SELPH, Second Baseman, Houston

Born, Donaldson, Ark., December 5, 1992.

Height, 5 feet 9 inches. Weight, 175 pounds.

Bats right-handed. Throws right-handed.

Club in 1927—Syracuse, International league.

First engagement—Fort Smith, Western association, 1926. Also with Syracuse for one month at close of 1926.

1927 record—Games, 129; at bat, 514; runs, 98; hits, 159; two-base hits, 34; three-base hits, 4; home runs, 9; stolen bases, 10; Pct. .309. Putouts, 302; assists, 356; errors, 17; fielding average, .975.

Selph is a graduate of Ouachita college, where he starred in baseball, football and basket ball.

Selph was voted most valuable player on Fort Smith team in 1926 and was awarded regulation size sterling silver baseball and bat. Last season he was leading second baseman in International league.

Selph was in training camp with the St. Louis Nationals in spring of 1926.

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NEW FRESHMAN COACH SIGNED FOR OWLETS

HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 23. (AP)—A message received here Wednesday from Ernest W. Schultz, outstanding lineman for the University of Illinois for the past two seasons, said he had accepted a contract offered him by the Rice institute to be head freshman coach.

Schultz will graduate at the University of Chicago coaching school in June and will assume his duties at Rice next fall.

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Atlanta Club Is Hopeful of Better Things

Fred Brainard Slated for Second Base in Plans of Manager Bert Neihoff.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 23. (AP)—Although contracts are slow coming in, Bell J. Spiller, Cracker owner, and Bert Niehoff, diamond skipper, feel that the local Southern association club is due for a bigger and better year in 1928.

Starting behind the plate, the Crackers will retain Johnny Brock for chief backstop duties, while Tom Angley, a catcher by trade, is available for outfield duties. Angley, a former Georgia Tech player, last season with Macon of the Sally league was one of the heaviest hitters on that circuit. As for the infield Jim Poole, with Minneapolis and Baltimore last year and forberly with the Athletics, is due to look after the initial bag. Stuffy McCrone, from Asheville, however, may beat him out.

At second Fred Brainard, a former major leaguer, is expected to make good. He hit .329 last season with Buffalo. Johnny Jones, purchased from Syracuse, looks like the fixture for shortstop with Walter Gilbert again back for third base duty. Neihoff also plays second and will probably alternate with Brainard.

Paul Strand, a .356 hitter with Portland of the Pacific coast league last season; Frankie Zoller and Angley, will probably make up the outfield trio. As pitchers Niehoff will have Ray Francis, Russell Pence, Dennis Gearin, Art Olson, Tom Rogers and Red Bates. Pence was secured from Dallas, while Gearin came from Milwaukee.

JOCKEYS ENGAGED

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—J. Maloney and Cecil Rhodes have been engaged by A. C. Schwartz of New York to ride his candidates in the Liverpool grand national steeplechase on March 30. Jockey Maloney will pilot Jack Horner, which won the grand national of 1926, while Rhodes will be aboard Darrac.

DEMO LEADER TO DENY SINCLAIR AID TO PARTY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—Representative Cordell Hull, of Tennessee, former chairman of the Democratic national committee, is expected to go before the senate Teapot Dome committee today, at his own request, to reiterate a denial that the committee had ever profited from the bond deals of the Continental Trading Co., Ltd., of Canada.

The former chairman previously has issued a statement that reports that some of the bonds were given to his party were unfounded.

MEETING OF PEASE RED RIVER VALLEY ASS'N POSTPONED

VERNON, Feb. 23.—Because of rains throughout this section, the meeting of the Pease-Red River Valley association, which was scheduled for Wednesday in Chillicothe, has been postponed until Wednesday of next week. The association has a membership in eight counties in Northwest Texas, and rains throughout the section have made roads unfavorable to traffic.

Counties included in the association are Hardeman, Foard, Hall, Motley, Childress, Collingsworth and Donley. A uniform advertising program for the counties in the association will be discussed at the meeting next week.

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OFFICER DESCRIBES GUN BATTLE WITH HICKMAN AND PAL

HALL OF JUSTICE, LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23. (AP)—Shots which resulted in the death of Ivy C. Toms in a Christmas eve holdup echoed today in the trial of two youths accused of the murder.

E. J. Oliver, policeman, who engaged the two confessed holdupmen, William Edward Hickman and Welby Hunt, in a gun battle in Toms' drugstore, resumed the witness stand at the opening of today's session of the murder trial to draw his picture of the shooting.

He had told Tuesday of being in the drugstore repairing his flashlight when the two boys entered.

He told how Hickman thrust his pistol in the officer's ribs with the words: "Get his gun."

Instead, the policeman said he stepped around a medicine rack and pulled his gun.

Hunt opened fire, his first shot wounding the officer in the hand.

Each of the boys fired four or five shots, he said.

The officer then told of Hunt stopping at a cash register and describing how he shot at the youth.

"Hunt fell and I thought I had killed him," the officer said.

Around Town

Mrs. B. H. Greenberg, manager of the Children's Shoppe, returned Wednesday from New York, where she has spent the last three weeks buying for her store. During her absence Mrs. Greenberg visited Chicago, St. Louis and other eastern cities. Work on the remodeling of the Children's Shoppe on Indiana avenue has recently been completed and much additional merchandise has been added, Mrs. Greenberg states.

"Union or Discord—Which Shall It Be?" will be the topic discussed in the regular Friday night services at Temple Israel by Rabbi S. J. Schwab this week. Services begin at 8 o'clock. The regular 10:15 o'clock service will also be held Saturday morning and Sunday school at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. Rabbi Schwab will teach his regular Bible class Monday afternoon at 2:30.

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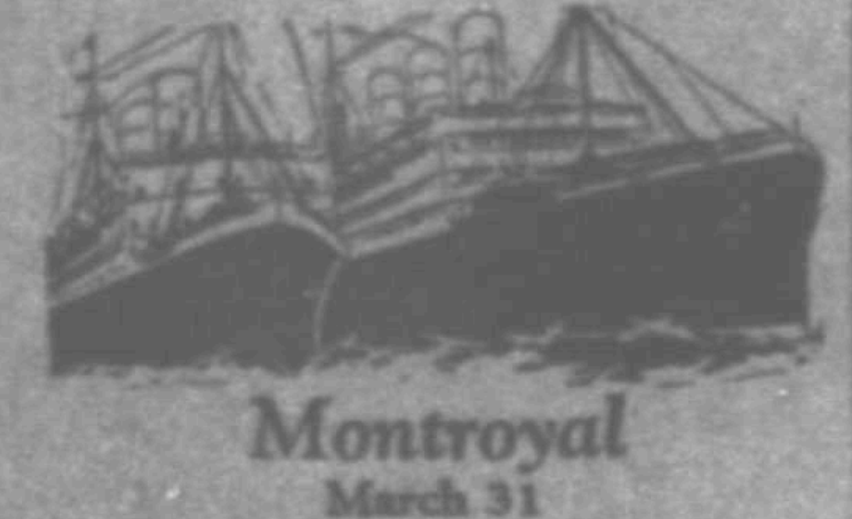

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Higher Courts

Austin Civil Court.

AUSTIN, Feb. 23. (AP)—The following proceedings were had Thursday in the court of civil appeals, third district.

Cases reversed and remanded: Gulf Colorado & Santa Fe Ry. Co. vs. Mrs. Olena Moser, administratrix, Bell; G. F. Kincaid vs. Lee County State bank of Lexington, Texas, Lee; C. H. Jenkins vs. Holman Taylor, Brown.

Reversed and temporary injunction dissolved: Humble Pipe Line Co., et al. vs. State of Texas, Travis.

Case for oral argument today: San Saba County Water Control & Improvement district No. 1 vs. I. C. Sutton et al., San Saba.

Motions submitted: J. P. Morris vs. James C. Davis, agent, Coleman, rehearing; J. H. H. Berry vs. Mrs. S. B. O'Hair, Lampasas, agreed motion to dismiss appeal.

Motion granted: J. H. H. Berry vs. Mrs. S. B. O'Hair, Lampasas to dismiss appeal.

WALKER WINS HONOR IN HABERDASHERY DISPLAY CONTEST

Harry G. Walker of the Hub Clothiers has just received notice of winning honorable mention in the 1927 haberdashery display championship, conducted by the "Haberdasher and the Clothier and Furnisher," a trade magazine published in Chicago. Four prizes were offered, the first three being medals and the fourth an honorable mention. Contestants were entered from Canada, Mexico and the entire United States in the contest. Entrants in the contest had to send a number of photographs of the various display windows for the year 1927.

DAVIS AND TONTZ TRIAL MARCH 12 MURDER CHARGED

AMARILLO, Feb. 23. (AP)—Jack Davis and Clayton Tontz must go to trial in district court here on March 12 for the slaying of Leo J. Laley, druggist, September 10, last, Judge Henry Bishop said today. Yesterday Judge Bishop granted a third continuance in the trial. It was requested by District Attorney W. J. Flesher.

The two men have been in jail for six months while legal discussions and the discovery of new evidence have delayed their trial.

Two other men, now serving a term for automobile theft in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kansas, were implicated in the Laley murder case by a girl arrested in El Paso. The girl said she was with the men the night of the killing. These men may be brought to Amarillo before Davis and Tontz are tried.

HINDU MONK TO INITIATE FIANCEE OF INDIAN RAJAH

BOMBAY, India, Feb. 23. (AP)—Reports from Nasik say that the head of an ancient Hindu monastic order has agreed to initiate Miss Nancy Ann Miller, of Seattle, Wash., into Hinduism as a preliminary to her marriage to Tukoji Rao, the former maharaja of Indore. The ceremony probably will be held at Nasik on March 6.

NAVAL COURT ON S-4 WILL RESUME SESSIONS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—The naval court of inquiry on the submarine S-4 disaster reconvened today to consider plans for carrying out the instructions of Secretary Wilbur to set forth with completeness its reasons for recommending the detachment of Rear Admiral Frank H. Brumby as commander of the submarine control force.

BELL COUNTY RAT DRIVE KILLS 315,160 RODENTS

BELTON, Texas, Feb. 23. (AP)—The final count in Bell county's rat-killing campaign in which students of eight schools participated showed 315,160 were destroyed, it was announced Wednesday. Althea won the first prize with 20,999 rats killed. Nellie Ross of Elm Spring captured honors among individual students with a record of having killed 7398 rodents.

ZWEIFEL TO CONDUCT CAMPAIGN FOR HOOVER

FORT WORTH, Feb. 23. (AP)—A Hoover-for-President club will be organized in Fort Worth within a short time, R. B. Creager, Brownsville, Republican national committeeman from Texas, said Wednesday while in Fort Worth conferring with Henry Zweifel, Leonard Withington, John G. Gotch and other Republican leaders. Zweifel will be asked to take charge of the Hoover campaign in West Texas.

MONOPLANE TAKES WING IN SEARCH OF RECORD

IMPERIAL VALLEY AIRPORT, Calexico, Calif., Feb. 23. (AP)—The giant monoplane Albatross, burdened with a crew of three men and 1300 gallons of gasoline, rose into the still air above this Imperial Valley city at 7:12 a. m., today in another attempt to break the

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INDIANS PUT PLEA FOR FEDERAL AID BEFORE CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—Approval of the Briggs bill to provide federal aid for Alabama and Coushatta Indians in Polk county, Texas, was advocated before the house Indian affairs committee today by three tribal chieftains. The measure would authorize appropriation of $100,000 for acquisition of additional land for the tribe and an additional $25,000 for purchase of livestock and agricultural equipment. Expenditure of this money would be under supervision of the secretary of interior.

Those appearing before committee were: Sunke Mikko and McOnico Battiste, Indian chiefs, and Clem F. Fain Jr., white chieftain and spokesman of the group.

Tribe Has No Claim.

Fain said the Indians appeared before congress for the sole purpose of requesting federal aid and that they had no direct claim against the government.

"Indians have no treaty obligations which they ask to be fulfilled," he said. "They request this money because they are destitute and because they feel that the service r tribe has rendered the government makes them worthy of assistance."

Fain displayed to the committee a silver souvenir given one of the tribe's old chieftains by General Andrew Jackson for service rendered in war against Seminole Indians. He said that this was only one of a number of medals and souvenirs that had been given Indians at various times for their faithfulness to the white man.

"They are pure blood Indians from Alabama and Louisiana," he continued. "Their home is not in Texas and for that reason Texas has been looking to the federal government to extend aid. Texans have given them 1100 acres but this is not sufficient to care for the tribe, which now is poverty stricken."

255 Indians In T ibe.

"There are now 255 Indians in the tribe and land will not support them. Corn bread three times a day is their average food. We ask congress to appropriate this money to give the Indians a fresh start in life and we feel that it is a just request."

Fain said that the Indians had been granted an audience with President Coolidge tomorrow and would beseech his aid in support of their request.

Representatives Blanton and Briggs, both Texas Democrats, and the latter the author of the bill to aid the Indians, urged its approval by the committee.

Electra News

ELECTRA, Feb. 23.—Dr. T. E. Fish, member of the staff of the Parmley-Ogden hospital underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils and is reported as recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. David L. Houston were shoppers in Wichita Falls Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sandefer and children have returned from Stoneburg where they attended the bedside and funeral of Frank Sandefer, father of W. A. and V. E. Sandefer of this city. They were accompanied home by Rev. Moore, of Bowie, father of Mrs. Sandefer.

Roy Mankins who has been confined to his room for several days, is recovering.

Mrs. George P. Williams has returned from a week's visit with her parents in Sherman.

Mrs. Guy Tipton is ill at the Parmley-Ogden hospital. She was given a blood transfusion Saturday afternoon in an effort to improve her condition.

Mrs. X. J. A. Lee is recovering from an operation which she underwent several days ago.

Virginia Ruth, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Cooper of North Electra street is ill this week and unable to attend school.

Jack Carroll spent the week-end with his family at their home on East Ida street.

Dona Jo, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kownslar, is ill at the family home on North Waggoner street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Mount and daughters, Misses Evelyn and Kathryn, attended the funeral of Mr. Mount's mother in Cisco last week.

E. E. Voss, deputy regional grand executive for the Boy Scouts, has been in Electra for the past few days in the interest of scout work. He was a special guest of the Rotary club Friday and addressed the meeting on scout work. Other guests at the meeting were E. E. Davis, Dallas; W. E. Covington, San Antonio; J. D. Still, Charles Ladd and A. B. Skinner of Vernon and R. P. Hall, manager of the Electra Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Alfred Johnson of Wichita Falls is the guest of friends here this week.

Mrs. R. D. Horton of West Railroad avenue is reported to be recovering from injuries received when the automobile in which she and Mr. Horton were riding cashed into a truck near Henrietta last Thursday. Mr. Horton suffered minor cuts and bruises and the car was demolished. Mrs. Horton is a saleslady at Austin's Department store of this city.

Mrs. T. C. Stockton is at home after an extended visit with relatives in Kirkland.

Mrs. C. Newburn and daughter, Thais, were guests of friends in Iowa Park Sunday.

The Rev. L. B. Tooley who was run down by a car near Harrold Friday is improving at the Parmley-Ogden hospital. His wife and two sons, Joe and L. B. Jr., of Myra have arrived to be at his bedside.

Henrietta Items

HENRIETTA, Feb. 23.—Mrs. Albert Thompson was hostess to the Thimble club Thursday. The crowd engaged in fancy work, after which a two-course luncheon was served to Mesdames E. A. Graner, Tillie Grinke, C. E. Jenkins, A. J. Lanham, W. S. McConnell, J. H. Shelton, C. B. Symons, C. H. Brazier, A. F. McMillan, John Talley and Miss Mae Boatenhammer.

Personals.

Mrs. Willie Carrow is home from visiting her sister, Mrs. J. C. Cooke, in Fort Worth.

Miss Mattie Willis of Nocona visited home folk recently.

Jim McKinzie of Oklahoma City is here on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Miss Lela Overstreet has returned to her home in Quitaque after visiting Mrs. F. F. Green.

Miss Nellie Bates is home after visiting relatives in Kansas City.

Mrs. Lloyd Rogers has returned from Dallas where she attended a millinery style show.

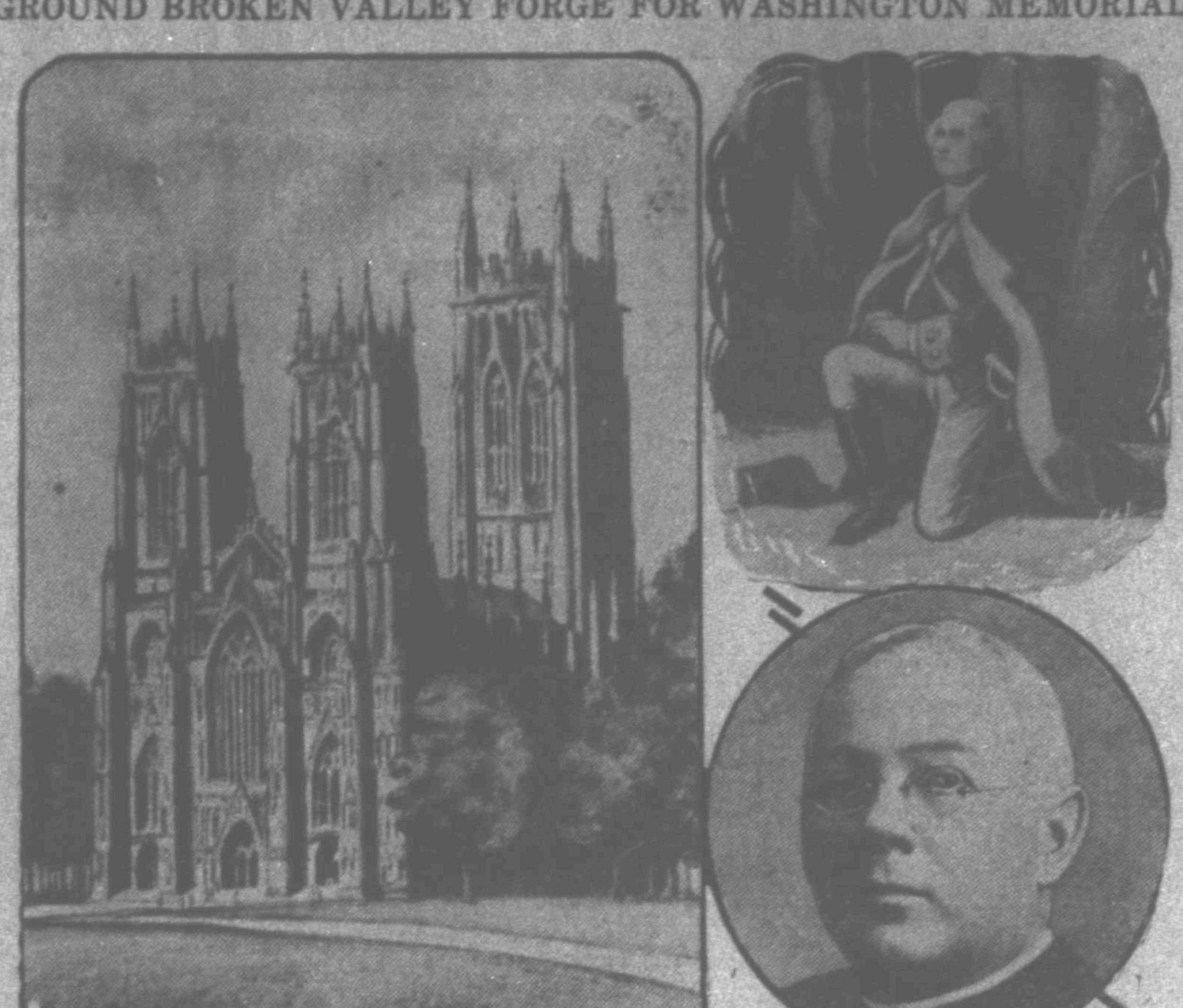
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Oheim of Dallas were here for the funeral of Mrs. Oheim's mother, Mrs. F. P. Neville.

Mrs. H. L. Hunt and daughter, Nona Glayds, have returned to Beaumont after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cook.

Short Skirts? Old!

BERNE, Switzerland. — "There's nothing new under the sun." Records show that when Charles III wedded Beatrice of Portugal, Genevese women paraded with skirts above the knees, in honor of the occasion.

GROUND BROKEN VALLEY FORGE FOR WASHINGTON MEMORIAL



A ten-million dollar church (left) is to rise in memory of George Washington at Valley Forge, where 150 years ago he spent a bitter winter at the head of his Revolutionary troops. The painting (right) of Washington in prayer at Valley Forge is a familiar one. The edifice is sponsored by the Rev. Dr. W. Herbert Burk (inset), Episcopal rector of the Washington chapel at the same place.

VALLEY FORGE, Pa., Feb. 23. (AP)—Ground was broken today on the sloping hills of Valley Forge for a $10,000,000 Washington Memorial church — a nation's tribute to George Washington and the patriots of the revolution.

One hundred and fifty years ago Washington spent his 46th birthday at Valley Forge. Today 1500 Boy Scouts from surrounding counties assembled on the site of his famous contonment to pay homage to his memory and to take part in the ground-breaking exercises.

Funds for the erection of the church are to be raised by popular subscription by the Rev. Dr. W. Herbert Burk, founder and rector of the Washington Memorial chapel. He has asked that 10,000,000 persons contribute one dollar each as a Washington birthday gift. A large sum already has been received.

A 15-acre site, overlooking the Schuylkill river and valley has been purchased for the memorial church, which will have a seating capacity of 5000. The edifice will be 486 feet long and 100 feet high, with three towers rising 200 feet.

The cornerstone will be laid June 19, the 150th anniversary of the evacuation of Valley Forge by Washington and his army and the 25th anniversary of the laying of the cornerstone of the Washington Memorial chapel here. It is hoped the church will be ready for dedication on the 200th anniversary of Washington's birth, February 22, 1932.

A large church is needed on this historic spot, Dr. Burk said, because the chapel no longer will accommodate the ever-increasing throngs which gather there.

"Only a few of those who come to worship in the chapel can find seats. Every state has its Sunday at Valley Forge. These state Sundays follow the order of their admission to the union, beginning with Delaware on the first Sunday of the year.

"The governors are invited to speak or send representatives, irrespective of creed or denomination. Adequate space must be found for the increasing state Sunday congregations. Schools, colleges, patriotic organizations, fraternal orders and business corporations also hold special services at Valley Forge.

"The National Washington Memorial church will be the symbol of the spirit of Valley Forge, which is service through sacrifice."

The memorial chapel called by President Wilson "the shrine of the American people" will be maintained for daily use after the church is finished four years from now.

WORK FINISHED ON LAYING S. & W. GAS LINE TO MARGARET

CROWELL, Feb. 23.—The line for furnishing Margaret, seven miles northeast of Crowell, with natural gas has been completed from the main line four miles east and work on the distributing system there will be completed within a short time. The Stamford and Western Gas company with headquarters at Stamford, has the Margaret franchise in addition to about 20 others for furnishing towns of this section of Texas with natural gas.

The main lines for furnishing these towns with natural gas will have a total length of more than 160 miles when completed from a point on the Upham line near Chillicothe to Roby in Jones county. The towns to be supplied by the Stamford and Western company are Margaret, Truscott, Gilliland, Benjamin, Seymour, Vera, Knox City, Munday, Goree, Rochester, Weinert, Rule, Haskell, Rhineland, Hamlin, Stamford, Anson, Rotan and Roby. Other towns of the district may be added.

Culbertson Brothers, who have completed the distributing systems in Crowell and Thalia where they have franchises, are drilling below 800 feet on the gas well for supplying these two places. The test is being drilled about 300 feet east of the well, one mile north of Thalia, in block 4 of the G. C. & S. F. survey, from which the supply was originally planned to come but due to drilling mistakes in that well attempts to use it as a source of supply were abandoned and the new well started where sufficient gas is expected to be reached at 885 feet, the depth where 1,250,000 feet of gas was encountered in the other wells. Main lines from Crowell and Thalia have already been completed to this point and according to Culbertson brothers, it will only be a short time until gas can be turned into the mains of Crowell and Thalia.

IOWA GOVERNOR VISITS MISSISSIPPI COAST CITY

GULFPORT, Miss., Feb. 23. (AP)—Governor John Hammil of Iowa, E. A. Grinwood and Charles A. Ringby, member of the Iowa legislature, and Clifford L. Neils, member of the state highway commission, and Mrs. Neils arrived for a brief visit on the coast last night. The party will be the guest of the Coast Iowa State club at a dinner tonight and will leave for Des Moines tomorrow.

16 PERSONS HURT WHEN MOTOR BUS HITS TREE

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Feb. 23. (AP)—Sixteen passengers of an Oriole Motor bus en route from Detroit to Chicago were injured, some of them seriously, when the bus ran off the dunes highway four miles west of Michigan City, went into a ditch and turned over on its side against a tree.

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HIGHER COURT HOLDS OFFICIALS PROTECTED BY STATE LIBEL LAW

AUSTIN, Feb. 23 (AP)—Though the state libel law allows fair and reasonable criticism of public officials' acts, the rule which protects a private individual from false statements of facts also applies to an officer the third court of civil apeals held Thursday.

Reversing a suit technically won by C. H. Jenkins, former state representative from Brown county, against Holman Taylor, as secretary of the state medical association the opinion ruled that trial court's charge to the jury instructed it to find damages for Jenkins only if it believed he was injured as an attorney.

Jenkins, as a member of the legislature in 1907 was claimed to be against the "medical practice act" and Taylor, Jenkins asserted sent out libelous letters against Jenkins when the latter presumably was seeking re-election.

The jury having found the statements in question not to be true, the appeals court said the charge should not have limited it in finding damages in as much as a public official is entitled to protection against mis-statements carried as facts.

The former legislator got $1 damages in district court but appealed particularly objecting to the instruction given the jury.

OWEN DAVIS TRIAL AT CROWELL IS POSTPONED

CROWELL, Feb. 23.—The trial of Owen Davis for the murder of Harry Grady near Crowell on November 21, 1925, which was to have been held in district court here Monday, was continued over to the May term of court due to the absence of an importance witness.

Davis was found guilty of murder in the February term of court, 1926, following the killing in November and his punishment was assessed at 20 years in the penitentiary. The case was appealed and a new hearing granted and was to have been tried at the September term of court last year, but due to the absence of a leading witness the case was continued over until the February term of court this year.

WARRANTS FOR RAIDS ON PRIVATE HOMES REFUSED

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 23.(AP)—Use of search warrants to raid private residences was denied prohibition agents in a written decision handed down by Federal District Judge Louis H. Burns here today.

Q. A. & P. HEARING AGAINST SANTA FE SET FOR MARCH 9

FLOYDADA, Feb. 23.—A hearing before Special Examiner Rogers in which the Quanah, Acme & Pacific seeks to compel the Santa Fe to make a physical connection with it at Floydada has been granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission and will be held in Floydada March 9 in the county court room. The hearing was first set to be heard in the Ware hotel at Plainview but was changed to Floydada following the request of A. F. Sommer, president of the Q. A. & P.

Laying of the rails on the extension of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific from McBain to Floydada has been progressing satisfactorily, considering the recent weather conditions and with the added impetus given by the employment of several more laborers the line should be completed into Floydada not later than April 15. Work on the $35,000 station, for which one of the streets was closed, will begin following the completion of the rail laying.

START MOVEMENT TO HAVE TRAINING CAMP NAME HONOR TEXAN

AUSTIN, Feb. 23. (AP)—A movement to have the war department's new $10,000,000 air training camp named in honor of Captain W. M. Randolph, killed in a plane crash at Gorman, Texas, last Friday, is being started by Kelly field aviation authorities and San Antonio and Austin business and civic organizations the Thursday Austin American says.

The new field is to be located between Seguin and San Antonio. Captain Randolph who was adjutant at Kelly field, is the only Texan among three flyers for whom the field may be named, it is understood here. He had 11 years of military flying before the fatal crash.

Dr. Thomas W. Evans, Philadelphia dentist, treated Emperor Napoleon III of France and sheltered the Empress Eugenie after the monarchy's fall.

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HASKELL HOST TO FOUR-COUNTY MEET I. O. O. F.-REBEKAHS

HASKELL, Texas, Feb. 23.—Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of four counties met in Haskell Tuesday night and Wednesday. More than 145 delegates from Haskell, Stonewall, Fisher and Jones counties registered at the convention headquarters and about 250 attended the sessions held at the First Christian church.

S. M. Locke of Stamford was elected president of the association; J. E. Harrell of Rochester, vice president, and W. E. Sherrell of Haskell, secretary and treasurer. Aspermont was chosen for the next convention in August.

The program Wednesday opened with a parade through the business district, led by the Haskell band. Jack Sills of Haskell was master of ceremonies and music was furnished by the Harmony club. Speakers were: Ray Rector, grand warden-elect, Stamford; Mrs. Ada Ramsey, president of the Rebekahs in Texas; Joe H. Anderson, Chillicothe; R. C. Thomas, Stamford; T. H. Vestal, Dallas; J. E. Edwards, Munday; M. C. Richards, Dallas.

W. E. Sherrill and H. R. Jones were introduced as the only charter members of the Haskell lodge and Mr. Jones was presented with a silver jewel as past grand master of the lodge.

At the Rebekah contests Wednesday evening, individual winners were Miss Josie Thomas and Mrs. Ray Rector. In the drill work Haskell won first place, Stamford second and Rotan third.

At the Elks' hall following the degree team contests, Mrs. Ada Ramsey of Wichita Falls and Joe H. Anderson of Chillicothe addressed the visiting delegates.

EIGHT FIREMEN INJURED IN COLLISION OF TRUCKS

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 23. (AP)—Eight members of the New Orleans fire department were injured, one seriously, today in a collision of fire trucks. All but Pipeman Henry Wolfer, who had lacerations of the scalp and possible internal injuries were discharged after being treated at a hospital. The trucks were badly damaged.

JIMMIE WALKER PAYS STONE MOUNTAIN VISIT

ATLANTA, Feb. 23. (AP)—James J. Walker, mayor of New York, arrived in Atlanta today to say that he is "rooting" for Stone mountain and the Confederate memorial there. The stop of the New York traveling salesman, as he calls himself, will be confined to a few hours between trains and the only formal item on his program was a visit to Stone mountain.

OKLAHOMAN GETS PRISON SENTENCE IN LOUISIANA

MANSFIELD, La., Feb. 23. (AP)—James McDougal of Broken Bow, Okla., today was sentenced to serve not less than six nor more than 12 years in the state penitentiary following his conviction yesterday of the murder of Gordon Smith, prominent Mansfield man, last November. Sentence was pronounced by Judge Hal Burgess, who pointed out the liberality of Lousiana law regarding time off for good behavior.

New Produce House Opens

QUITAQUE, Texas, Feb. 23.—Roberson & Tiffin of Quitaque have established a produce house and cream station here, north of the Quitaque Motor company. They will use Swift & Co. equipment for the cream department. Mr. Roberson says that a good market for cream will encourage the farmers to raise better cows and more of them. He is of the opinion if the farmer will devote more of his time to the dairy and poultry industry that better times will exist in Quitaque and community.

MRS. FIELDS' CASE TO BE CONSIDERED BY FEDERATED CLUB

DALLAS, Feb. 23. (AP)—Mrs. J. U. Fields of Haskell, Texas, deposed state chairman of the committee for arrangements of the biennial of the Federation of Women's clubs at San Antonio in May, announced today that she intends to attend a meeting here of the Texas board on February 27 to consider her ouster.

The meeting, called by Mrs. W. R. Potter of Bowie, president of the Texas federation probably will decide problems which originated when Mrs. Fields was relieved by the national board of her chairmanship of the state committee on the grounds that her position and that of Mrs. Henry Daought of San Antonio, local chairman on arrangements, conflicted. The executive board meeting to be held here Monday was called as a result of the demand of other board members that such a session be held, Mrs. Potter declared.

Local members of the Texas federation point out that unless some action is taken by the Texas body the national board probably will transfer the meeting to some other state.

FRANCHISE GRANTED FOR GAS AT QUITAQUE

QUITAQUE, Feb. 23.—The city council of Quitaque has granted a franchise to the West Texas Gas company for the installation of gas mains in the city. The gas company agrees to have the work completed by March 1, 1929. The rate is not to exceed 75 cents per 1000 feet of gas, less 10 per cent.

TESTS BEING MADE FOR QUITAQUE WATER SUPPLY

QUITAQUE, Feb. 23.—D. L. McDonald of Hereford, who is the president and general manager of the McDonald Water Construction company, is here supervising a water project for the city of Quitaque. A number of water tests will be made by Mr. McDonald in order to get the very best water available. He is confident that plenty of soft water can be found at a depth of less than 500 feet.

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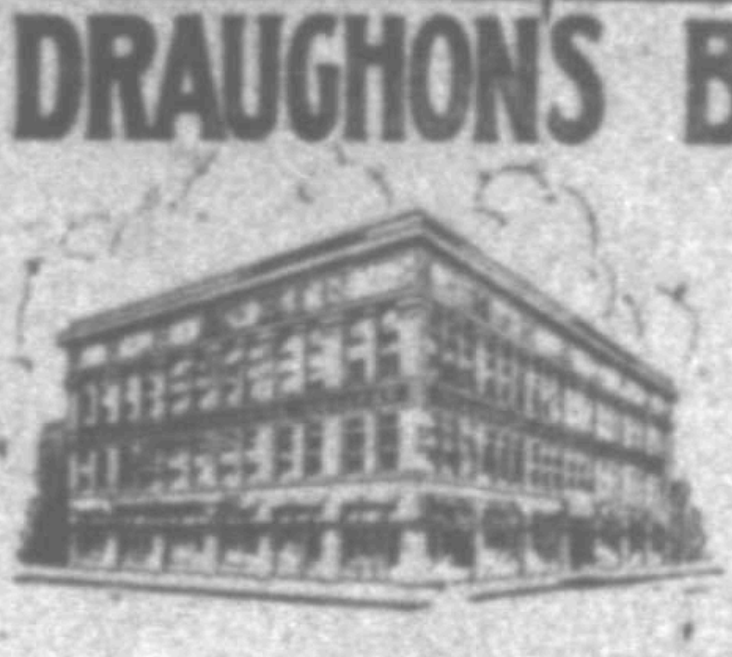

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TIMES' DAILY PAGE NEWS OF MARKET

UPRUSH OF PRICES FEATURES OPENING STOCK EXCHANGES

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—The rally in stock prices, which set in Tuesday, was resumed today, but appeared to have lost much of its momentum. Pools succeeded in marking up a number of specialties 3 to 6 points, but renewed weakness of U. S. Rubber and heavy offerings of U. S. Steel common on the bulges tended to restrict bullish operations in other sections of the list.

In view of the sharp reaction a few days ago, considerable interest was manifested in the weekly brokers' loans statement to be issued by the New York federal reserve bank after the close of the market. The decline in stock prices ordinarily would indicate a substantial contraction in loans, although the situation has been complicated by the calling of assessments for the St. Paul stocks under the reorganization plan during the period covered by the loan statement it being assumed in some quarters that these payments would tend to keep loans up.

Steel common was freely offered around the 140 level but General Motors showed a firm undertone on predictions of record-breaking first quarter earnings. U. S. Rubber sold down nearly 4 points to 47⅞ in reflection of the further decline in rubber futures. Montana Power, which scored a sensational advance on Tuesday, also yielded to profit-taking.

Bullish operations were most effective in American Radiator, Burroughs Adding Machine, International Business Machines, Case Threshing, Peoples Gas, Greene Cananea Copper and International Telephone, all of which sold 3 to 6 points above Tuesday's final quotations.

Rails held fairly well despite the publication of an unsatisfactory car loadings report. Union Pacific, Chesapeake & Ohio and a few other leaders advanced a point or so, but Seaboard Air Line common turned weak in the early afternoon.

Accumulation of buying orders over the holiday prompted by the recovery exhibited by the market Tuesday caused an uprush of prices at the opening of the stock market. Montana Power continued its march upward, reaching 162. General Electric, Fleischman United Drug, Allied Chemical, Montgomery Ward and Gold Dust also were substantially higher, the last mentioned starting the day with a gain of 3 points.

Buying of numerous special issues continued, but at a more moderate pace. Recognized leaders such as General Motors and U. S. Steel, however, were carried up a point or so. Victor Talking Machine issues were extensively accumulated, reaching new record levels. Copper stocks moved upward in the early hour, Greene Cananea, Anaconda and Calumet & Arizona gaining 1 to 2 points. Standard Plate Glass preferred, which almost doubled in value Tuesday, rose further to 36½. Railroads were irregular in the early dealings, despite poor car loadings, which ran behind those of the preceding week as well as the year before. Chesapeake & Ohio and Soo preferred soon were up a point or so, but Missouri Pacific had a loss of about as much. American Railway Express, which had a bad slump on Tuesday, soon sold down 4 points more. Oils showed little early activity, despite some predictions of better earnings in the first quarter of 1928. Foreign exchanges were firm at the outset with sterling cables around $4.88.

The market did not hold a definite course very long in the forenoon, a 12-point slump in American Railway Express, coincident with active liquidation of United States Rubber, impelled some hasty selling but the list afterwards strengthened under the leadership of Peoples Gas, Greene Cananea Copper, Nash and Hudson Motors. At noon prices were sagging again in sympathy with selling of Freeport-Texas and International Nickel. The renewal rate for call loans was unchanged at 4¼ per cent.

The closing was irregular. Conflicting movements in the high grade railroads occurred in the final hour. Union Pacific went up 3½ points to 196¼, the year's highest while Atlantic Coast Line, slumped 5½ to 170½, a new 1928 low. Fluctuations in the industrials, also mixed were less pronounced. A sudden gain of 2 points by Sinclair Oil betokened nervousness of the short interest. Total sales approximated 1,700,000 shares.

Ticklers from Ticker

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—Bituminous coal production for the week ended February 18 is estimated at about 9,300,000 net tons by the National Coal association. Output the week before was 9,750,000 tons. Average cost per net ton for coal used by class one railroads in locomotives during December was eastern district, $2.60; southern district, $2.15; western district, $2.91; United States, $2.50.

The expansion program of Ohio Bell Telephone company for the next five years involves expenditure of $93,000,000, of which $18,000,000 will be used this year. The company owned and operated 663,932 telephones at the close of 1927, a gain of 39,949 for the year.

Standard furnace coke is 25 cents a ton lower in the Pittsburgh district, quotations ranging from $2.60 to $2.75 a ton.

The increase of one dollar a ton by Illinois steel in the price of bars, shapes and plates, has been met by Inland steel.

Miller Rubber company had net loss of $392,632 for 1927, against profit of $1,025,454 in 1926.

Kelly Springfield tire had net income of $357,741 in 1927 in contrast to net loss of $3,439,799 in 1926. This was equal to $3.43 a share on the 8 per cent preferred, after allowing for dividends on the 6 per cent preferred, which are in arrears.

Mullins Manufacturing Co., Salem, Ohio, has received new business from the automobile trade for about $1,000,000.

Resistance to selling pressure by various cigar stocks in the general decline in the stock market last week reflects their better earnings for 1927. General Cigars earned $7.13 a share on the common against $5.87 the year before; Consolidated Cigar, $10.32 against $8.42; Congress, $7.87 against $6.12 and Bayuk $10.40 against $7.78.

Net profit of Ahumada Lead company for 1927 fell to 200,399 before depletion charges, from $1,066,723 in 1926.

Motor coaches manufactured by American Car & Foundry are helping to solve foreign transit problems. Their use is increasing in Oslo, Norway, more than 38 having been bought in the last year. A shipment of chassis for coaches to be used in Norway which filled 13 flat cars, recently left the country.

Mason Tire & Rubber company reports net loss of $472,897 for 1927 against net income of $343,903 in 1926, or $5.96 a share on the preferred.

New Mont Mining corporation is offering shareholders of record March 31, one share of Hudson Bay Mining at $15 a share for each share held.

Willys-Overland has unfilled orders for 25,000 cars. Output in February will approach that number, setting a new record for that month. About 17,500 workers are employed at the Toledo plant, largest on record.

Sugar and Coffee

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—The raw sugar market was steadier in tone early today. While duty free sugars were unchanged to $4.21, Cuban varieties were 1-16c higher at $4.27.

Refiners showed more interest and bought about 50,000 bags of Porto Rican and 7000 bags of Philippines in nearby positions at $4.21 and 35,000 Porto Rican at $4.24. Operators bought 21,000 bags of Cuban for March shipment at $4.27, 14,000 bags of Philippines for March-April shipment at $4.27 and 14,000 April-May shipment at $4.39.

The issuance of only 96 March notices was somewhat of a surprise in the raw sugar futures market, as a much larger quantity had been anticipated and led to active covering and some European buying in the raw sugar futures market. The market opened 1 to 3 points higher on this buying and continued to advance until net gains of 4 to 8 points had been recorded. Offerings increased around the top levels, however, and reactions followed with the market at mid-day 2 to 4 points higher. Reports of a better tone to the spot market, and cable advices from Cuba stating that the remaining export allotment to foreign countries of 223,000 tons, had all been disposed of for April, May and June shipment at $2.38 to 2.41 for Cuba, were also factors contributing to the firmness.

In refined sugar a better demand was reported and prices were unchanged at $5.60 for fine granulated.

NEW YORK CURB MARKET

Sales of stocks 421,700 shares.
Sales of bonds $3,227,000.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—Following is the official list of transactions on the New York curb market giving all stocks and bonds traded:

Sales in 100s—	Sales	High	Low	Last
Allison Drug A	1	19½	19½	19½
Aluminum Co AM	1	127	127	127
do pf	2	106⅜	106⅜	106⅜
Am Arch	3	58½	58	58
*Amer Commander	60	5	4	4
*Am Cont Oilfields	34	90	82	86
Am Cyan B	8	43⅜	42⅝	42⅞
do pf	2	97½	96½	96½
Am Dept Stores	10	18⅝	18⅜	18⅜
Am Exploration	22	1¼	1	1¼
Am Gas & El	26	126	124	124⅜
do pf	1	107¼	107¼	107¼
Am Haw S S	5	16	16	16
Am Lt & Trac ..as25		183	182½	183
Am Mfg Co ..as75		65	65	65
Am Maracaibo	6	3¼	3¼	3¼
Am Pow & Lt pf	2	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
Am Rayon	7	14⅝	14⅛	14⅛
Am Roll Mills	29	100⅜	99	99
do pf ..as50		110⅝	110⅝	110⅝
Am Solv & Ch vtc	3	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝
do ptc pf	1	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞
Am Superpow A	5	38⅝	38⅜	38⅜
do B	9	39⅝	39¼	39¼
Aeolian Co pf ..as50		87	86¼	86¼
Ala Pow pf	1	115	115	115
Am Colortype	2	24	23⅞	24
Am Superpow rts	30	1¼	1⅛	1¼
*Am Mils rts	7	58	56	56
Am Superpow 1st pf	2	103	103	103
Am Thread pf	1	3¼	3¼	3¼
Anglo-Am Oil	68	21½	21¼	21¼
do not vot	8	20⅛	20⅛	20⅝
Ark Nat Gas	2	8	8	8
Asso Gas & El	5	47	47	47
*Atl Fruit & Sug	2	79	76	76
Atlas Plyw	3	70⅞	70⅛	70⅞
Atlas Port Cem n	11	38⅝	38	38⅝
Babc & Wilcox ..as 25		121	121	121
Bahia Corp	1	8¼	8¼	8¼
do pf	1	12¼	12¼	12¼
Bancitaly Corp	184	179½	176⅛	176⅞
Barnsdall deb rts	2	4⅜	4¼	4⅜
Beaver Bd pf ctf	3	50⅝	50	50
Bliss Co	9	17	16⅝	17
Blyn Shoe	2	4	4	4
Bohn Alum&Brass	96	51	49	49½
Brill A	1	31¼	31¼	31¼
Br Am Tob coup xd	2	26¼	26¼	26¼
Bwy Dp St 1st pf as 250		109	108½	108½
Benson & Hedges	1	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝
Bordens Co. rts	26	54⅝	54⅝	54⅝
Buzza Clark	15	17	16	17
Brockwy Mot Tr	12	50⅝	50	50
Bkln City Rr	15	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
Buckeye Pipe Line	1	59½	59½	59½
Buff Niag&East Pow	2	35⅝	35	35
do new	4	32⅜	32⅜	32⅜
Bulird Mch & Tool	1	49¼	49¼	49¼
Bunk Hill Sull	1	145¼	145¼	145¼
Campbell Wyant	4	41	40	40
Newport Co prior as225		144½	139	144½
N Y Tel 6½% pf ..as25		114⅜	114⅜	114⅜
N Y Transit ..as50		49½	49½	49½
Nichol & Shep new	3	37½	36⅝	36⅝
Niles Bem Pond	3	37	36	36
Nipissing Mine	1	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
Noranda Mines	3	71⅝	17⅝	17⅞
Nor Am Cement	2	13	12⅝	12⅝
Nor Ohio Pow	64	23½	23	23¼
N Ont P & L pf4as10		98	98	98
North Pipe Li ..as50		106	106	106
Nor States Pow A	1	131⅝	130⅝	130⅝
Northeast Pow	7	20⅝	20½	20½
Ner West Eng new	1	30⅝	30½	30½
Ohio Brass B	1	97½	97½	97½
*Ohio Cop	4	87	87	87
Ohio Oil	6	60⅝	60	60⅝
Pac Gas & El 1stpf	2	28	28	28
Palmolive Peet Co	3	90½	90	90
Pandem Oil	3	4⅜	4¼	4⅜
Pantepec Oil Ven	9	9	8⅝	9
Penn Mex Fuel	6	38⅝	37½	37½
Penn Wat & Pow	2	69⅝	69⅝	69⅝
Pick Barth vtc	1	10	10	10
do pf	14	20½	20	20¼
Pigg Wigg Corp	4	26⅝	26½	26⅝
Pitney Bow Post	1	8	8	8
Pierce Governor	15	19⅝	19½	19⅝
Pines Winter Front	1	59	59	59
Prairie Oil & Gas	41	49⅝	48	49⅝
Prairie Pipe Line as1050		214	211	211
Premier Gold	7	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
Puget Sd P & L	6	48⅛	48	48
do pf ..as20		98⅜	98	98
*Red Warior	10	17	17	17
Richman Bros ..as60		262	256	258
Richmond Rad	2	23⅛	23	23
do cvl pf	1	38	38	38
Royal Bak Pow ..as50		261	260	261
Ruberoid Co	1	95	94	94⅞
Safeway Stores	4	370	356	370
St Regis Paper	7	57¼	56½	57¼
Salt-Creek Prod	12	29⅝	29⅛	29⅝
Sanitary Groc ..as 70		232	230	232
Seiber Rubber	2	36	35½	35½
Schulte Un	35	21⅛	21	21
do pf 1st pd	17	100	100	100
Servel Inc vtc	9	6⅝	6¼	6¼
Shattuck Denn	42	15⅝	15⅛	15⅛
Scheaffer Pen	4	47½	46⅝	47⅝
Shredded Wheat new	1	66½	66½	66½
Sierra Pac Elec	1	35	35	35
Silver (I) Bros	3	48⅛	46½	48
Singer Mfg ..as 40		450	450	450
So Am Gold & Pl	10	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
So Asbestos	2	26⅜	25⅜	25⅜
Southeast P&Lt	2	42¼	42¼	42¼
do war	1	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛
So Call Ed B pf	1	26	26	26
So Colo Pow A	2	25	25	25
So Penn Oil	13	38⅝	37⅜	38⅝
Southw Pen Pipe as 750		95	91	95
Sparks Withing	28	61	58¼	58⅞
Stand Com Tob	18	35⅝	33⅝	35⅝
Stand Oil Ind	137	75⅛	72⅞	75
do Kansas	2	16	15⅜	16
do Kentucky	35	129⅝	126⅝	128⅝
Sierra Pac El pf as 50		95	95	95
South Stores A	1	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
Span & Gen Corp	18	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
Prussia FS 6½s 51	14	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
do 6s 52	9	93¾	93¼	93¾
Rio Grande 7s 66	7	98	97½	98
do 7s 67	2	98	98	98
Russ 6½s ctfs NC 19	11	15	14¾	14¾
Santa Fe Arg 7s 45	6	97⅝	97	97
Saxon S Mtg 6½s 46	5	97	97	97
Serb C & Slo 7s 62	64	90¾	90¼	90⅝
Shinyetsu E P 6½s	65	94¼	93⅞	94⅛
Stinnes 7s 36 wa	7	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝
do 7s 46 wa	7	93⅝	93½	93⅝
Swiss Con 5½s 29	11	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
Uni Elec Ser 7s 56	1	107¼	107¼	107¼
do 7s 56 ww	3	96½	96½	96½
Uni St Wk 6½s 47A	18	95¼	95½	95¼
Vienna 6s 52	25	90⅝	90½	90⅝

xr—Ex-Rights. ur—Under Rule.
xd—Ex-Dividend. as—Actual Sales.
*—Cents a share.

COTTON EASES UP AS FOREIGN CABLES BRING GOOD NEWS

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—An early advance on relatively firm Liverpool cables was followed by reactions in the cotton market today, realizing and local or commission house selling being promoted by reports of over-holiday rains in Texas. There also was a continuance of March liquidation. The mid-afternoon market was quiet with prices about 2 to 5 points net higher.

The market opened firm at an advance of 9 to 13 points on buying promoted by relatively firm Liverpool cables and apparent lack of further rain in West Texas. Trade buying covering and commission house demand were supplied by realizing, and the market eased off to 18.30 for May and 18.17 for October, or within 6 or 7 points of last Tuesday's closing quotations. There was further March liquidation in anticipation of notices tomorrow which may have had rather an unsettling effect on sentiment, although spot houses continued to buy March against sales of later deliveries.

Private cables said there had been trade calling and continental buying in Liverpool and fair cloth sales in Manchester for India and China account, with the position of spinners and manufacturers improving.

The market eased later under continued near month liquidation, combined with some local selling which may have been promoted by private reports of over-holiday rains in Texas. May contracts eased off to 18.25 and October to 18.15 or about 10 to 12 points from the opening quotations and within 2 or 3 points of last Tuesday's closing prices. The market was quiet and within a point or two of the lowest at midday.

Cotton futures:

	High	Low	Close	Prev.
March	18.15	17.99	18.01-02	18.02
May	18.37	18.23	18.25-27	18.22
July	18.41	18.26	18.27-29	18.37
October	18.25	18.12	18.15-17	18.09
December	18.22	18.10	18.10-11	18.09

Opening—March 18.12; May 18.35; July 18.40; October 18.22; December 18.20.

New Orleans Cotton

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 23. (AP)—A moderate decline followed a slight early advance in the cotton market today and a rally of 6 to 8 points from this decline gave way to further easiness in the early afternoon trading. Favorable weather over the belt, a bearish weekly weather and crop forecast and fears of large notices tomorrow, the first notice day for March contracts, were the contributing influences to the decline. At the lowest March traded at 17.82, or 22 points under the highs. May sold at 17.95 and July 17.99, or 14 to 16 points under the best and 5 to 10 points of the lows.

The market opened steady today in sympathy with better Liverpool advices and the relative firmness of that market during the double holiday here. First trades showed gains of 6 to 9 points, but the market soon turned easy on favorable weather over the belt and a rather bearish weekly weather and crop report. March traded off to 17.91, May 18.02 and July 18.03, or 9 to 13 points off from the opening and 1 to 5 points under the previous close. At the end of the first half hour the market was steady and prices were a shade above the lowest.

The decline extended to 17.82 for March, 22 points below the early highs. This was due probably to liquidation in advance of the first notice day for that month which is tomorrow.

May dropped to 17.95 and July 17.99, or 14 to 16 points below the highs and 5 to 10 points under Monday's close. Additional buying on the favorable weekly report was responsible for the decline in these positions. Near noon the market was quiet, but steadier and prices had rallied 6 to 7 points from the lows.

Exports 2380 bales.

Cotton futures closed steady at a net decline of 1 to 14 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev.
March	18.04	17.82	17.83-84	17.96
May	18.11	17.95	17.96-98	18.05
July	18.12	17.99	18.02-05	18.04
October	17.98	17.84	17.87-88	17.88
December	17.96	17.92	17.92 bid	17.93

Opening—March 18.03; May 18.10; July 18.13; October 17.96; December 18.01 bid.

Local Cotton Market.

The following prices are those paid to farmers by local cotton gins and cotton buyers:

D. W. Wiley—Middling 17.00 per pound.
R. O. Harvey & Co.—Middling 17.00 per pound.

Money Quotations

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—Foreign exchanges steady; quotations in cents: Great Britain, demand 4.87 11-16; cables 4.88 1-16; 60-day bills on banks 4.83½. France, demand 3.93¼; cables 3.93½. Italy, demand 5.29¼; cables 5.29⅜.

Demand: Belgium 13.91½; Germany 23.85½; Holland 40.22; Norway 26.83; Sweden 26.84; Denmark 26.79; Switzerland 19.25½; Spain 16.94½; Greece 1.32¼; Poland 11.35; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96¼; Jugo-Slavia 1.76¼; Austria 14.10; Rumania .61½; Argentina 42.80; Brazil 12.03; Tokyo 46.77; Shanghai 63.75; Montreal 99.76⅞.

Cottonseed Oil

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady, prime summer yellow 9.00@9.25; prime crude 7.50@7.87½.

	High	Low	Close
February	....	....	9.00
March	9.04	9.02	9.07
April	....	....	9.15
May	9.48	9.45	9.46
June	....	....	9.57
July	9.76	9.72	9.73
August	....	....	9.87
September	9.95	9.90	9.90

COLDER WEATHER OVER WHEAT AREA BOOSTS PIT PRICES

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. (AP)—With unexpected strength shown in Liverpool quotations, the wheat market here averaged higher today, all deliveries touching the topmost prices yet on the present movement. Profit taking however, and weakness led to reactions. Cables told of general flood shortage in parts of Europe, and there was a forecast of low temperatures likely to catch a good deal of domestic winter wheat, without any snow protection.

Wheat closed unsettled ⅛ to ⅝c net lower, corn 1⅛c to 1⅜c off, oats at ⅜c decline to ⅛c advance, and provisions showing 2 cents to 12 cents drop.

Near-zero temperatures predicted for tonight in some sections of the United States winter wheat territory gave special emphasis today to reports at hand telling of damage already done by alternate freezing and thawing weather. Meanwhile, Liverpool sent word of sustained demand from Continental Europe.

Attention of corn traders today centered largely on the fact that lower temperatures gave promise of enlarged receipts. Notice was also taken that despite shortage of corn in certain important feeding states, more corn has reached primary markets up to date this season than for any previous corresponding time in 17 years, barring only exceptions. It was also current talk in some quarters that corn prices are too high in comparison with hog values.

	High	Low	Close	Open
Wheat—				
March	1.34⅝	1.34¼	1.33	1.33⅛
May	1.35⅝	1.35¼	1.33⅝	1.34
July	1.33¼	1.33¼	1.31⅝	1.31⅝
Corn—				
March	.98¼	.96	.94⅝	.94⅝
May	.99⅝	.99¼	.98	.98⅛
July	1.01⅝	1.01⅝	1.00	1.00¼
Oats—				
March	.55¼	.55¼	.54⅝	.54⅝
May	.56½	.56⅛	.55⅞	.55⅞
July, old	.53	.53	.42⅝	.42⅝
July, new	.54⅛	......	.53⅝	.53⅝
Rye—				
March	1.21½	1.13	1.11½	1.11½
May	1.13	1.13	1.11⅞	1.11⅞
July	.08	1.08	1.06½	1.06½
Lard—				
March	11.02	11.02	11.02	11.02
May	11.35	11.32	11.30	11.30
Sept.	11.90	.....	11.82	11.82
Ribs—				
May	.....	.....	.....	10.92
July	.....	.....	.....	11.17
Bellies—				
March	11.70	11.70	11.70	11.70
May	12.10	12.10	12.05	12.05
July	12.30	12.27	12.25	12.30
Sept.	12.55	.....	12.50	12.55

Local Grain Market.

Wheat, basis No. 1, $1.30; oats basis No. 2, 50c.

New York Bonds

U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS
(Dollars and thirty-seconds.)

Sales in $1000		High	Low	Close
Lib. 3½s 32-47	50	101.21	100.07	100.16
Lib. 3½s reg	3	101.14	101.14	101.14
Lib. 1st 4s	1	101.14	101.14	101.14
Lib. 1st 4¼s	15	102.31	102.31	102.31
Lib. 1st 4¼s reg	30	102.29	102.29	102.29
Lib. 3d 4¼s	28	100.15	100.14	100.15
Lib. 3d 4¼s reg	1	100.11	100.11	100.11
Lib. 4th 4¼s	32	103.25	103.23	103.23
Lib. 4th 4¼s reg	1	103.21	103.21	103.21
Treas. 4¼s 47-52	1	115.16	115.16	115.16
Treas. 4s 44-54	1	110.16	110.16	110.16
Treas. 3¾s 46-56	1	107.20	107.20	107.20
Treas. 3⅜s 46-47	2	102.28	102.24	102.24

Total sales 2,976,000; previous day 8,926,000; week ago 12,984,000; year ago 18,125,000; January 1 to date 478,169,000; same year ago 640,175,000; same two years ago 518,002,000.

Local Produce

The following prices are those charged by wholesalers to retail dealers. Unless otherwise indicated the prices are subject to continual changes:

Vegetables

Cabbage	3 and 3½c
Onions, per dozen bunches	75c
Carrots	85c
Beets	75c
Florida pepper	20c
Potatoes (Utah)	$2.25 to $3.50
Turnips and tops, dozen bunches	$1.25
Tomatoes, lug	$5.00
Beans, green	25c
Radishes, per doz. bunches	75c
Mustard, per doz. bunches	$1.00
Yams, crate	$1.50 to $2.00
Egg plant, per lb.	20c
Cauliflower, per lb.	17½c
Colorado spinach, per lb.	12½c
Turnips, bulk, per lb.	4½c
Beets, bulk, per lb.	4½c
Parsnips, bulk, per lb.	7½c
Carrots, bulk, per lb.	5c
Spanish onions, per lb.	4c
White Globe onions, per lb.	4½c
Collards, doz.	$1.20
Green onions, dozen	75c
Rhubarb, per lb.	20c
Lettuce, crate	$3.75
Turnip Greens, dozen bunches	1.00
Mustard Greens, dozen bunches	$1.00

Fruits

Bananas	8½c
Oranges per box	$4.50 to $6.50
Texas oranges, per box	$6.50
Lemons, per box	$7.50 to $8.00
Grapefruit, box	$4.50 to $6.50
Delicious apples, bushel	$4.75 to $5.00
Jonathan apples, bushel	$3.00 to $3.25

Milk and Cream

Butter	44c and 45c
Cream, sour	41c
Cream, sweet	45c
Milk, per pound	63c

Poultry and Eggs

The following prices are being paid by wholesale poultry houses in Wichita Falls for poultry:

Hens, 4 lbs. and over	19c
Hens, under 4 lbs.	16c
Broilers, 1 lb. and up (colored)	22c
Leghorn broilers	18c
Friers, over 2 lbs.	18c
Leghorn frier, under 2 lbs.	18c
Leghorn frier, over 2 lbs.	15c
Old roosters	7c
Ducks	10c
Geese	10c

Cash Grain Values

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. (AP)—Wheat—No. 2 hard $1.36@1.37½; No. 2 mixed $1.37.

Corn—No. 2 mixed 99½c; No. 3, yellow 97@98c.

Oats—No. 2 white 57¾@60c; No. 3 white 55@57½c.

Barley—89c@$1.01.

Rye—No sales.

Timothy seed—$2.80@3.55.

Clover seed—$19.50@27.00.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 23. (AP)—Wheat—Receipts 119 cars; unchanged to ½c lower; No. 2 dark hard $1.34@1.63; No. 3, $1.55; No. 2 hard $1.29¼@1.53; No. 3, $1.53; No. 2 red $1.51; No. 3, $1.45. Close—May $1.27¼; July $1.24⅝.

Corn—Receipts 303 cars; unchanged to 1½c lower; No. 2 white 89@91½c; No. 3, 87@89½c; No. 2 yellow, 91½@92c; No. 3, 88@91c; No. 2 mixed 89@89½c; No. 3, 86½@89c. Close—May 89½c; July 93c.

Oats—Receipts 3 cars. Unchanged. No. 2 white, nominally 51@59c; No. 3, 57½@58c.

Milo maize—$1.65@1.68.

Kafir—$1.48@1.56.

Rye—$1.02@1.03.

Barley—84@87c.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 23. (AP)—Most prices on the Fort Worth cash grain market Thursday were practically unchanged with Tuesday's values. Corn was a shade higher in the better grades, while maize heads lost 50c per ton and kafir heads went $1.00 per ton lower.

Wheat unchanged.

Corn unchanged.

Oats No. 2 red 68@69½c; No. 3 red 66@68c.

No. 2 barley $1.00@1.02; No. 3 barley 98@99c¼ No. 2 milo $1.72@1.74; No. 3 milo $1.69@1.71; No. 2 kafir $1.60@1.62; No. 3 kafir $1.57@1.58; maize heads $26.50@27.50; kafir heads $25.00@26.00.

Poultry and Produce

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. (AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Potatoes—receipts 158 cars; on track 244; total U. S. shipments Tuesday 839; Wednesday 258 cars; demand and trading moderate, market stronger; Wisconsin sacked round whites $2.00@2.10; Idaho sacked russets Burbanks $2.15@2.25; few fancy shade higher; Florida crates Bliss triumphs No. 1, $2.50@2.75; Cuba Bliss triumphs $3.00.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. (AP)—Poultry, alive, weaker; receipts 5 cars; fowls 23@24c; springs 22@29c; turkeys 25@28c; roosters 20c; ducks 22@28c; geese 18@20c.

Butter higher; receipts 8,901 tubs; creamery extras 46c; standards 45½c; extra firsts 44½¾45c; firsts 42½@43½c; seconds 39@41½c. Eggs higher; receipts 24,973 cases; firsts 28@28½c; ordinary firsts 27 cents.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Total sales 1,766,100.
Previous day 1,829,400.
Week ago 2,000,100.
Year ago 2,107,300.
January 1 to date 35,336,300.
Year ago 72,391,100.
Two years ago 13,067,300.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Following is the complete closing list of today's transactions on the New York stock exchange:

Sales in 100s—	Sales	High	Low	Last
Abitibi Pow & Pap.	2	75½	73¼	73¼
Abraham & Straus	3	97	96	96
Adams Express 6	1	270	270	270
Advance Rumley pf.	1	38	38	38
Ahumada Lead	39	3⅛	3	3⅛
Air Reduction 7b	1	181	181	181
Ajax Rubber	40	10½	10¼	10⅜
Alaska Janeau	3	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Albany P Wrap P 2	3	26⅛	26	26
do pf 7 ......ol	20	109	108¼	108½
Al Chem & Dye 6	31	148½	147⅝	148⅛
Amal Leather	7	12¼	11⅝	12¼
Amerada Corp 2	11	29⅝	29⅛	29⅝
Am Agri Chem	3	18	17⅝	18
do pf	28	61⅞	60⅛	61⅝
Am Bank Note 3b	20	86½	84	84
do pf 3 ......ol	10	61⅛	61⅛	61⅛
Am Beet Sug pf	2	37	37	37
Am Bosch Mag	2	17	16¼	16¼
Am Brake Sh 1.60b	5	44¼	44⅛	44¼
Am Brown Boveri El	23	16½	16⅛	16½
do pf ......ol	60	59	56½	56½
Am Can 2	259	78¼	76⅝	77
Am Car&Fdy 6	5	105	104½	104½
Am Chicle 3	7	71⅝	71	71
Am Drug Syn .80	4	12	12	12
Am Express 6	23	186	183	183
Am & For Pow	9	23⅜	23⅛	23⅛
do pf 7	2	107	107	107
Am Hide & Leath pf	1	56½	56½	56½
Am Hom Prod 2.40	28	63⅜	62⅞	62⅞
Am Ice pf 6	8	31½	31	31
Am Internat 2	7	74½	73⅝	73⅝
Am La FranceFoam	1	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
Am Linseed	70	71¼	68⅝	68¾
do pf	26	94¼	93	93⅛
Am Loco 8	8	110	108¾	110
Am Mach&Fdy 3b	2	155	155	155
do pf 7 ......ol	60	113	112	113
Am Metal 3	2	40⅛	40⅛	40⅛
Am Metal pf 7 ...ol	10	117½	117⅛	117½
Beech-nut Pack	15	77	75	76½
Belding Hemin 2	1	19½	19½	19½
Belg Nat R pri pf 6	3	85⅝	85⅝	85⅝
Bethlehem Steel	29	57⅛	57	57
do 7 pct pf 7	2	120⅝	120⅝	120⅝
Bloomingdale Br	1	39	39	39
do pf 7 ......ol	20	111	111	111
Bon Ami 4	5	69⅝	69⅛	69⅛
Borden Co 6	7	165½	164	164½
Botany Cons Mills A	1	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝
Briggs Mfg	48	21⅝	21⅛	21⅛
Brit Emp Steel	2	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
do 2nd pf	4	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Brooklyn Edison 8	24	227⅝	225½	225½
Bklyn-Manh Tran 4.	19	58	57½	57½
do pf ......ol	10	15	15	15
Endicott-John 5	6	79⅝	79⅛	79¼
Engineers Pub Ser	4	33⅝	33⅜	33⅜
Equit Off Bldg 7	2	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
Erie R R	26	51⅞	50⅞	51⅛
do 1st pf	5	54⅛	54	54⅛
Eureka Vac Clean 4	2	70⅛	70	70⅛

xd, Ex-dividend; xr, Ex-rights; ol, odd lot; a, Plus extras; b, Including extras; d, Partly stock; f, 3½% quarterly in common stock; g, Extra 4% stock; h, Paid so far this year; k, Payable in stock; n, Payable 1-40 of a share in Cl. A stock quarterly.

Friberg News

FRIBERG, Feb. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. Horace Estes of Archer City are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Harry Geyer and family and Mrs. Bruce Perkins and family.

Frank Lovell has recently returned from a business trip to New Mexico.

Miss Annie Bryan is able to be up after several days illness at her home.

Mrs. J. H. Franklin of Bowie who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Oscar Hurdt and family, returned to her home Saturday. Mrs. Hurdt and daughter, Miss Alma, accompanied her home, returning Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Casper Geyer entertained the young people of the Epworth League society with a valentine social at their home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Friberg of Wichita Falls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bryan and family Sunday.

Marvin Leissler, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Leissler, who has been seriously ill, is reported much improved.

Miss Edna Wallace of Wichita Falls is the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. R. Jenne of Highland Grove farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Andree, all of Wichita Falls, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Paulson and family Sunday.

Exiled From Home

REDWOOD CITY, Calif.—Unless his mother leaves San Mateo county, Ray Pelton, 19, will never again have the opportunity to strike her. Found guilty of this charge in court here, he was ordered to leave the county and to stay away for the remainder of his life.

No Bills for Him

INDIANAPOLIS.—There's at least one delinquent taxpayer in this city who need not worry about the being dunned. The state tax board has decided that the bookkeeping and stenography involved would be prohibitive. His name is Gustav Papathwidokomounfrgcipuloe.

Gas From Sewage

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J.—Usable gas is now being produced from sewage. According to Dr. William Rudolfs at the New Jersey, a disposal plant in a city of 50,000 is producing from 18,000 to 25,000 cubic feet of gas daily. The gas, he says, has a heat value which is higher than natural gas, and represents a saving of $10,000 yearly.

Girl Lives Nine Years Without Food

BURGOS, Spain.—The village of Montecillo in this province has gained considerable prominence because of a young woman who has lived nine years without food. She is under constant observation by scientists, who regard her case as "being without parallel." The girl passed into a state of coma in 1918, following an attack of acute gastritis. Specialists refused to operate owing to advanced ulcerations in the stomach and the case was regarded as hopeless. She has been in a trance ever since and is kept alive by means of injections. Villagers regard her with superstitious awe, and when religious services is held at her bedside they assemble and participate in the rites.

Bull Plays 'Possum

PUT-IN-BAY, Ohio.—Rattlesnake island, off Lake Erie coast here, was without beef recently, because a "dead" bull injured the butcher and forced him to retreat to the mainland. In winter the island stores its beef on the hoof and hires a butcher to do the slaughtering. On this occasion, Mr. Butcher shot Mr. Bull and the animal fell apparently dead. But as the knife descended for the "bleeding" Mr. Bull scrambled back on the hoof and chased Mr. Butcher back to his boat and the mainland.

ASTORIA, Ore.—Doctors in a local hospital had difficulty in locating the heart of a patient. The cause was revealed, after his death, when it was found that the stomach was up high on the left side, and the heart, much smaller than normal, was on the right side.

Livestock Market

FORT WORTH, Feb. 23. (AP)—The supply of cattle was light and made up mostly of mixed lots. The yards estimate called for 2200 cattle, 400 calves, 2,000 hogs and 300 sheep.

Around a dozen cars of slaughter steers were on the yards. Prices ran from $6.50 to $9.75; trading was steady.

Bulls were steady with thin bulls $5.50@6.00; heavier ones $6.00@6.50; desirable ones in the $7 range. Cows were scarce in straight carload lots but moved to the scales on steady bids. A short car of cows sold at $8.10, while other lots sold in the $7 range. Canners $4.50@5.00; cutters $5.00@5.50.

Trading in yearlings and heifers barely steady with car lots selling at $11.60 and some making $11.75 with less desirable lots selling down the line. The common yearlings and heifers sold from $6.00@8.00.

Calves sold to an active demand and the offering was cleaned up early. Packer buyers paid up to $11.75 for heavy calves. The culls $6.00@8.00; common calves $8.00@9.50.

Not enough sheep arrived to test the market.

Of the 2,000 hogs listed for Fort Thursday about 250 of them were on direct billing to local packers. Trading was slow with most of the morning bids about a dime lower than Wednesday's top. The top on rail hogs Thursday morning was $7.75 for a load that would average around 220 pounds.

Hogs, 2,000; market steady to 10c lower; top $7.75; medium to choice $7.65@7.75; butchers $7.50; packing sows steady, mostly $4.50@6.75; pigs mostly $4.00@6.25 steady.

Cattle and calves receipts 2400; slaughter steers steady; slaughter yearlings up to $11.75; fat cows up to $8.10; butcher cows around $7.00; low cutters $4.50@5.00; slaughter calves $11.75.

Sheep 300, including 180 direct to packers; few sales lambs steady; part deck good to choice weighty wooled slaughter lambs $14.75; few wooled ewe breeding lambs $15.00; other classes nominal.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 23. (AP) (U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs—9000; slow, early trade to shippers weak to 10c lower; big packers inactive, stock pigs dull, 25 to 35c lower; top $8.00 on 190 to 200 pounds; desirable 160 to 230 pounds $7.75@7.90; a few 240 to 300 pounds $7.50@7.75; packing sows $6.00@6.85; stock pigs $6.50@7.25.

Cattle—2500; calves 500; fed steers opening slow; steady; fat cows strong to 15c higher; other she stock steady; bulls, vealers and calves unchanged; stockers and feeders slow, weak; early sales fed steers $11.00@12.75; latter price paid for weighty clipped horned fed Texans; good to choice vealers, mostly $12.00@13.00; very few, $13.50@14.00.

Sheep—4000; killing classes 10 to 15c higher; top wooled lambs averaging 88 to 89 pounds $15.50; other 85 to 95 pound kinds $14.90@15.25; clippers $13.10; choice 85-pound yearling wethers $12.75; odd lots fat ewes downward from $9.25.

Livestock close: Hogs—Late trade to packers fairly active, around steady with Wednesday's close; packer top $7.85; bulk desirable 200 to 325-pound averages $7.40@7.85.

Cattle—Fed steers slow, steady to 15c lower; lighter weights showing decline; good 1180-pound steers $13.10; bulk fed steers $11.00@12.75.

Sheep—Unchanged.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. (AP)—U. S. Department of Agriculture—Hogs 52,000; fairly active, fully steady; spots especially on butchers strong to a shade higher; top $8.15; bulk good in choice 170 to 210 pound weights $7.90@8.10; 220 to 250 pounds $7.75@8.00; 260 to 320 pounds $7.75. Most packing sows $6.75@7.00; bulk pigs $6.50@7.00; light lights $7.85@8.10; thin offerings $7.00@7.75.

Cattle, 9,000; better grades fed steers with weight 10 to 15c higher; others slow, steady; good and choice fat cows and butcher heifers dull; bulls steady to strong; vealers steady; medium light steers $14.00 downward; best weighty steers $16.00; low cutter cows $6.00@6.25; sausage bulls $8.00@8.50; mostly $8.35; light vealers to big packers $14.00@14.50; shippers up to $15.50.

Sheep, 10,000; fat lambs strong to 15c higher; finished handyweights scarce; top $16.25; bulk good medium weight lambs $15.50@15.75; better grades 92-96 pound lambs eligible around $15.25@15.60; sheep steady, good fat ewes $9.00@9.25; feeding lambs unchanged.

SILK SHARES GET MAJOR ATTENTION ON CURB MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—Sensational trading in Courtaulds, Ltd., in London yesterday when the New York curb market was closed, was followed here today by vigorous trading in nearly all the artificial silk shares, making those issues prominent features in the early dealings. Courtaulds American shares traded here, which rose 5¼ points on Tuesday to 42, moved up over a point to above 43 and then fell back. Tubize Artificial Silk rose 5 points to 493 but was down to 485 before midday and Celanese after advancing 4 points to above 84, reacted. Celanese preferred made a gain of 5 points in the early trading.

Oil stocks, however, were looked on with most interest because of the general impression that the industry has turned the corner. Vacuum had a special incentive in the 100 per cent stock dividend and rose over 3 points. Gulf Oil, which is also influenced by the payment under the sulphur operating contract, gained 4 points and Standard Oil of Kentucky moved up nearly 3 points. Standard of Indiana shares were in broad demand, and made a gain of 1⅛ to about 74. Prairie Pipe Line rose three points and Anglo-American had a gain of a point.

Chain Store and food shares were other strong features. Safeway Stores gained 9 points and Royal Baking Powder advanced 2 points. Melville Shoe rose 3 points. Spalding dropped 4 points to 150.

Ford Motor of Canada had a loss of 4 points and American Rolling Mills yielded over a point. St. Paul common lost ½ while the preferred stock made a fractional gain.

Utilities were generally higher. American Gas & Electric moved up 3 points and United Gas Improvement advanced over a point.

Bancitaly moved up 1⅜ points and Deere & Co. rose over three points. Newmont Mining made a gain of 7 points in the early trading.

PRICES ON BOND MART STEADY AS TRADE IS LIGHT

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—Prices were steady as trading in the bond market was resumed today after the holiday. Activity, however, was limited, principally because traders preferred to withhold commitments until definite details of the treasury financing for March 15 became known.

Prospective new issues attracted considerable interest, particularly the $40,000,000 refinancing program of the Argentine province of Buenos Aires, which is expected to reach the marketing stage within a short time. The $12,000,000 Firestone Cotton Mills 5s, offered this morning were reported promptly taken by dealers.

There was some liquidation of railway issues, including Missouri Pacific 5s and Great Northern 7s. Comparatively poor freight loadings, as against the corresponding time of last year, may have inspired some of this selling. Seaboard issues again showed a tendency to recover from recent weakness.

Firmness again ruled the foreign group, Brazilian obligations and Italian municipal issues making the best showing.

Little early trading developed in the federal government division.

Spot Cotton Prices

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 23. (AP)—Cotton spot in fair demand; prices steady; American strict good middling 10.39; good middling 10.63; strict middling 10.48; middling 10.38; strict low middling 10.28; low middling 10.23; strict good ordinary $9.98; good ordinary 9.68. Sales 8,000 bales, including 5,400 American. Receipts 24,000, American 23,700. Futures closed quiet; March 9.79; May 9.75; July 9.72; October 9.54; December 9.51; January 9.50.

Railroad Time Table

M.-K.-T. LINES
North Texas District

Arrivals from—

No. 37—"11 o'Clock Katy," Dallas, Houston, San Antonio and Austin	6:15 a. m.
No. 31—"Texas Special," St. Louis, Kansas City, Galveston, San Antonio, Austin and Dallas	3:45 p. m.
No. 35—"Katy Flyer," St. Louis, Kansas City and Denison	9:25 p. m.

Departures to—

No. 33—"Bluebonnet," Denison, St. Louis, Houston, Galveston and San Antonio	12:05 p. m.
No. 32—"Texas Special," Kansas City, St. Louis, Dallas, Austin, San Antonio, Houston and Galveston	3:35 p. m.
No. 36—"11 o'Clock Katy," Dallas, Houston, Austin and San Antonio	11:00 p. m.

Northwestern District

Departures to—

No. 54—Forgan, Wellington and intermediate points	7:15 a. m.
No. 52—Mangum and intermediate points (sleeper to Oklahoma City via Altus)	9:30 p. m.

Arrivals from—

No. 51—Mangum and intermediate points (sleeper from Oklahoma City)	1:00 a. m.
No. 53—Forgan, Wellington and intermediate points	7:35 p. m.

F. W. & D. C. RY.

No. 8—Amarillo and intermediate points	6:45 a. m.
No. 4—Dallas, Fort Worth and intermediate points	11:35 p. m.
No. 1—Dallas, Fort Worth	1:55 p. m.
No. 2—Denver, Amarillo and intermediate points	11:45 a. m.

Departures to—

No. 3—Fort Worth, Dallas and all intermediate points	2:00 a. m.
No. 7—Denver and intermediate points	6:00 a. m.
No. 4—Dallas, Fort Worth and intermediate points	7:00 a. m.
No. 5—Amarillo	12:05 a. m.
No. 1—Amarillo, Denver and intermediate points	2:05 p. m.
No. 2—Dallas, Fort Worth and intermediate points	11:55 a. m.

Arrivals from—

No. 6—Denver, Amarillo, Childress	1:40 a. m.
No. 7—Dallas, Fort Worth and all intermediate points	6:40 a. m.

WICHITA FALLS & SOUTHERN

Arrivals from—

No. 24—Dublin, Breckenridge, Graham, Olney and intermediate points	1:00 p. m.

Departures to—

No. 23—Olney, Graham, Breckenridge, Dublin and intermediate points	2:15 p. m.

WICHITA VALLEY—EAST

Arrivals from—

No. 9—Waurika, Ryers, Petrolia and Dean	4:30 a. m.

Departures to—

No. 10—Dean, Petrolia, Ryers and Waurika	8:30 p. m.

WICHITA VALLEY

Arrivals from—

No. 2—Abilene and intermediate points	11:25 a. m.
No. 4—Abilene and intermediate points	11:45 p. m.

Departures to—

No. 1—Abilene and intermediate points	2:35 p. m.
No. 5—Abilene and intermediate points	12:20 a. m.

Local Grain Market.

Wheat basis No. 1 $1.15; oats

5100—DIAL—3288
For Top Prices on Poultry, Eggs, Butter and Hides
Wichita Poultry & Egg Co.
604 Tenth St.

TELEPHONE SERVICE
For your convenience Times Want Ads are received by telephone from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Phone 4391.

Northwest Texas' Greatest Want-Ad Medium

Better Offers **Bigger Circulation** **Better Results**

COUNTER SERVICE
The Want Ad Counter, new Times building corner Seventh and Scott avenue is open from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m.

Wichita Daily Times

Largest Circulation in Northwest Texas and Southwestern Oklahoma

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The Times reserves the right to classify all Classified Ads under the appropriate headings and to revise or to withhold from publication any ads deemed objectionable.

Political Announcements

Under this heading will be published the names of the candidates for public office. The fees for announcement will be as follows:

For judicial district offices	$25
For county offices	$25
For justice of peace	$20
For precinct offices	$20
For city offices	$10

For offices subject to the decision of the Democratic primary, Saturday, July 28:

Judge County Court at Law—
IRVIN VOGEL

Judge 89th District Court—
P. A. MARTIN
H. R. BUNNENBERG

Judge 78th District Court—
W. W. COOK

District Attorney—
JOHN B. RHEA

County Judge—
E. W. NICHOLSON, (2nd term).
JOHN P. MARRS

County Attorney—
ROBT. K. CRAIN
BILL (Wm. E.) DAVENPORT
WAYNE SOMERVILLE
W. E. WILSON

Sheriff—
W. G. BRALLEY
S. M. SPRUIELL

County Clerk—
ELIZABETH HALL

County Tax Collector—
ARTHUR C. HOWARD
GUY C. RALEY (Reelection)

County Tax Assessor—
ROBERT S. (Bob) DUNAWAY
N. A. MOORE
MAX SHUMAKE
B. L. TREVATHAN

County Superintendent—
CLYDE R. WOFFORD
BURL BRYANT

County Treasurer—
T. W. (Tom) McHAM

Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Place 2—
C. B. McCONNELL
O. L. GIBBS

Constable Precinct No. 1—
E. L. HOSKINS
A. J. (Jack) BERRY

District Clerk—
(Miss) EUNICE JACKSON

For offices subject to city primary Tuesday, April 3rd:

For Public Utilities Commissioners
W. L. (BILL) DALTON
J. H. PATTON

1. LODGE NOTICES

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635 A. F. & A. M. Stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month. 718 Tenth street.
G. D. KINARD, W. M.
GEO. W. LAWLER, Sec.

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M. Stated meetings first and third Tuesday of each month. Visitors cordially invited to attend. 813½ Scott avenue.
JOHN C. McDONALD, W. M.
G. W. CURD, Secretary.

Washington birthday program Friday evening, Feb. 24, joint meeting with Wichita Falls lodge No. 635, in the Masonic temple, Tenth and Scott streets, 7:30 o'clock. Open to entered apprentice and fellow craft Masons.

Will confer the entered apprentice degree Tuesday evening, Feb. 28, 7:30 o'clock. A. O. Thomas, junior warden in charge.

Will confer the masters degree Friday evening, March 2, 7:30 o'clock. Eli F. Morgan, senior warden, in charge.

Stated meeting with examination in the entered apprentice degree only, Tuesday evening, March 6, 7:30 o'clock.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 227, O. E. S.—Meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month. LILLIAN A. WARD, W. M., 1517 Eleventh street. Phone 9304. MRS. MARGARET BRADLEY, secretary, 1216 Sixteenth street, phone 5766. Study club meets second and fourth Monday nights at Masonic Temple.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M. Stated convocations second Friday night in each month, 7:30 p. m. 718 Tenth street.
V. L. STAMPFLI, H. P.
GEO. W. LAWLER, Sec.

Faith Chapter No. 718, O. E. S. Meets second and fourth Thursday evenings in each month, 7:30. 813½ Scott. MISS CARRIE WALDRIP, W. M., Kemp Kerr Annex, 9833. LUCILE CAMPBELL, Secretary, 1607 Giddings. Phone 3549. Starlight Study club meets every first and third Thursday evenings at 7:30. Mrs. Mary J. Ranbarger, president, phone 5862. Carrie Waldrip, secretary, phone 9833.

Wichita Falls Council No. 146, R. & S. M. Stated meetings first Monday night of each month at 7 o'clock. 718 Tenth street.
JNO. A. ELDER, T. I. M.
GEO. W. LAWLER, Recorder.

1. LODGE NOTICES

Maskat Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S. Meets first Monday each month at Faith lodge rooms in Chenault building, 813½ Scott. All visiting nobles invited to attend. Recorder's office.
MARTIN D. ROWE, Potentate.
AL ELLIS, Recorder.

Knights of Pythias, Pioneer Lodge No. 49.—Meets every Tuesday night 7:30 o'clock, 812½ Eleventh street.
JOHN B. RHEA, C. C.
P. L. MYERS, K. R. S.

Wichita Falls Council, Knights of Columbus, No. 1473. Meets every first and third Monday evenings at 8 o'clock at hall, 1509 Ninth street. Visiting knights welcome. CLEM J. GALLAGHER, G. K., 804 Harrison street. L. F. KUBECKA, F. S., 1317 Giddings street.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59.—Stated conclaves first and third Thursday of each month. 718 Tenth street.
JAMES D. AVIS, E. C.
GEO. W. LAWLER, Recorder.
Work in the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and the Order of Malta Thursday, February 23, beginning at 6:30 p. m. All Knights are urged to attend. A cordial invitation to all visiting Knights.

Squire Walkup Chapter No. 427, R. A. M., 813½ Scott avenue. Stated convocation first Wednesday night of each month, 7:30 o'clock. Visiting companions cordially invited to attend.
JACOB B. PRICE, High Priest.
G. W. CURD, Secretary.
Will confer the Royal Arch degree Wednesday evening, Feb. 22, 7:30 o'clock.

Benevolent Protective Order of Elks—Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1105—Meets every Monday at 719½ Eighth street. Ernest Katz, E. R. H. C. English, secretary.

I. O. O. F. Panhandle Lodge No. 341.—Meets every Monday night, 8 o'clock at 910½ Ohio avenue. Visitors requested to attend meetings.
B. D. SARTIN, N. G.
J. W. BUSSEY, Rec. Sec. Rt. 6, Box 22.

Wichita Encampment No. 6, I. O. O. F.—Meets second and fourth Thursday night, 8 o'clock at 910½ Ohio avenue. Visiting patriarchs requested to attend meetings.
J. T. JAMES, C. P.
J. W. BUSSEY, Scribe.

Canton Wichita No. 16, I. O. O. F.—Meets first and third Thursday nights, 8:00 o'clock at 910½ Ohio avenue. Visitors invited to attend.—J. T. MARTIN, Captain. B. M. FOWLER, Clerk.

3. PERSONAL

SCIENTIFIC FITTINGS, corsets, maternity and surgical girdles; used and recommended by our leading physicians. The Specialty Shop, 720 Tenth street; phone 4025.

REV. ANNIE MITCHUM, spiritual medium, will hold Sunday and Wednesday evening meetings at Labor Temple. Phone 5298, 512 Lamar.

PANCAKE AND SAUSAGE supper, Highland Heights Christian church, Friday, 6 to 9 p. m. All you can eat 25c; children 15c.

4. BEAUTY PARLORS

FOR SHORT TIME ONLY, steam oil permanent wave, $5.50. Phone 2-4972; 1604 Collins.

MARCELLING, 50c, also hair switch making. 906 Fifteenth. Phone 2-4052.

MA-VI BEAUTY SCHOOL, professional instructors. 2403 Ninth. Phone 2-1898.

MARCELLING at 1506 Polk street, 50c and retrace, 35c. Dial 6292.

THE SPECIALTY BEAUTY SHOP, 720 Tenth street, phone 4025. All lines of beauty work, efficient operators. Murle Crutchfield, Opal Magee.

MUD PACKS, facials 75c, hot oils, manicures, marcels 50c. 1604 Collins. Phone 2-4972.

PERMANENT waves, very latest method, $6.50, $7.00 and $8.00. 1610 Lucille, phone 2-2304.

RAINWATER SHAMPOOS and marcells, $1.00. 708 Burnett, phone 3647.

MARCELLING 50c; experienced operator, 1912 Grant. Phone 9969.

BEAUTIFUL Frederick and Eugene permanent wave, $8.50 and $10.00; also shampoo and marcell $1.25. Mrs. Godfrey, 1506 Tenth. Phone 2-2267.

GUARANTEED beautiful permanents, $7, $8.50 and $10; deep marcell or natural wave with ringlet ends. All kinds of beauty work done by experienced operators. William Mary Beauty Shop, 1004 Tenth; phone 3910.

MARINELLO BEAUTY SHOP, 1716 Hays street; phone 2-4484. Soft water shampoos and real marcell $1.25. Ladies, men and children's hair cut.

5. LOST AND FOUND

LOST—German police dog, four months old, male, white spot on breast. Answer to name of "Tony." Call 6061 or return to Coca-Cola Bottling Co., for reward.

LOST—Between Wichita Falls and Ringgold, lady's brown leather purse, contained two rings, $3 or $4 and other articles. Finder call 345, Nocona, collect; reward.

FOUND—French gold coin of fair denomination. Loser may call at Shain Jewelry Co., 718 Ohio, and identify same.

LOST—Blue spotted hound, name on collar. Call Mathis at 9232.

FOUND—Knight of Pythias veteran jewel K.X.X.V.P. See John T. Butts at North Texas Furniture company.

LOST—One wild Canada goose, one wing partly clipped; reward. Phone days, 9031; evenings, 9342.

REWARD—For any information leading to the recovery of brown shaggy dog. 1927 license tag No. 40. Answers to name of "Major." Notify C. L. Bradford, dial 2-1343 or 2-4958.

FOUND—Keys and key-ring in front of Riley Furniture store. Owner may have same by paying for this ad.

6. EDUCATION and INSTRUCTION

MEN LEARN barbering. Our graduates making big money. You can too. Moler college, 912 Main street, Dallas.

8. MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Neat appearing young man, to work on train. Apply 511 Seventh. Union News Co.

BARBER TRADE taught, tuition $25. 615 Seventh street.

WANTED—A barber who can do first-class work at 1503½ Bluff street. If you cannot do the work you need not apply.

9. FEMALE HELP WANTED

MANION BEAUTY SCHOOL—Particulars in full on request, student marcels free. Phone 2-2864 or write 1610 Lucille avenue.

10. MALE AND FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Men and ladies for agents; house to house proposition. Call for Mr. Smith at 1202 Scott avenue, between 4 and 6 p. m.

13. SITUATIONS WANTED, MALE

Advertisements under this heading must be paid for in advance.

EXPERIENCED bookkeeper and collector desires position; will consider other work; best of reference. Phone 4822.

POSITION WANTED by middle aged man to care for furnace and do general work in an office building; can give best of references. Care Box 58, Times.

YOUNG MAN with experience as truck, cab or bus driver desires position at once. See D. A. Fesler at 605 Virginia street.

14. SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE

Advertisements under this heading must be paid for in advance.

WASHING—Three dozen, 50c. 707 Austin. Phone 7961.

WANTED—Laundry work; washing, 25c per dozen; wash and iron, 75c. Phone 2-2505.

14. SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE

IF IN NEED of a nurse, dial 9731, Mrs. Wendt.

YOUNG WOMAN desires position in physicians office; specialist preferred. Address box 62 care Times.

FIRST CLASS COLORED cook and housekeeper with local references desires position at once. 1824 Elizabeth-ave., in rear.

16. ROOM AND BOARD

SOUTH ROOM, connecting bath; two meals day; men. 1108 Travis.

ROOM AND BOARD, 700 Austin; close in.

WOULD LIKE to board two men who would room together. 1323 North Seventh. Phone 2-1474.

FRONT ROOM with board, near car, rates reasonable. Dial 2-2842.

WANTED—A place to work for room and evening meal, by young man attending Draughon's college. Phone 5656.

ONE LARGE beautiful bedroom with or without board. 906 Burnett. Phone 8911.

NICE SOUTH ROOM in private home, convenient to street car. 1657 Elizabeth. Phone 2598.

BOARD AND ROOM—Home cooked meals. 904 Lamar; dial 2-4429.

ROOM AND BOARD—For gentlemen, better part city. Garage, busline, phone 5201.

17. BEDROOMS FOR RENT

SOUTHEAST bedroom, private home, gentlemen. Phone 6316.

FRONT BEDROOM, private entrance, adjoining bath. 708 Wofford. Phone 6425.

FRONT BEDROOM with outside entrance, garage if desired, gentlemen or couple. 1821 Pearl. Phone 2-4174.

MODERN bedroom. Phone 2-1929.

FRONT SOUTHEAST room, private entrance, garage, terms reasonable, quiet home. 1814 Pearl, phone 4449.

NICE FRONT ROOM, private home, for men or working couple. Garage. 1205 Austin.

TWO FRONT BEDROOMS, close to bath and phone, garage. 1513 Twelfth. Phone 2-1809.

FRONT BEDROOM, private entrance, on bus line, garage, 1409 Monroe, phone 6164.

NICE ROOM above garage; $15 month; private bath. 2008 Eighth. Phone 6684.

FOR RENT—Nice front bedroom, adjoining bath, in private home; gentlemen; 1107 Polk. Phone 2-2269.

NICE, LARGE bedroom, all modern conveniences; also garage. 1200 Burnett. Phone 5752.

VERY DESIRABLE bedroom with garage; gentleman. Phone 2-1892, 1610 Monroe.

NICE, LARGE southeast front bedroom, on bus and carline, garage; connecting bath. 2412 Ninth. Phone 7079.

FRONT BEDROOM — Nicely furnished, home privileges. 1811 Lucille, phone 2-4218.

NICE BEDROOMS—Close in, hot and cold water and bath; $2.50 up per week. Fairview hotel, phone 3443, 1112 Scott.

LARGE FRONT bedroom, adjoining bath; telephone. No other roomers, garage. 1912 Ninth street.

NICELY FURNISHED front southeast bedroom in private home, to employed adult. Phone 5008.

FOR LADY OR GENTLEMAN, attractive corner bedroom, second floor, convenient to bath; $6 per week. Floral Heights brick home. 2308 Tenth street.

DESIRABLE bedroom, near meals; garage. 2017 Huff; phone 2-2239.

NICE FRONT BEDROOM with or without kitchen privileges. In private home, garage. 1205 Austin, phone 8484.

18. HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS FOR RENT

TWO FURNISHED or unfurnished rooms, very convenient. 1605 Magnolia.

TWO-ROOM HOUSE; also 2-room apartment; everything furnished; garage. 1109 Third street. Dial 4532.

TWO UNFURNISHED rooms. 2142 Yale. Phone 6630.

TWO ROOMS and kitchenet, furnished. 1308 Twelfth street.

ONE FRONT housekeeping room, $4.50 week. 300 Burnett.

TWO LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING rooms for rent. 1415 Fourteenth.

TWO WELL-FURNISHED rooms, $17.50 per month. Apply at 608 Seventh street.

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19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT

UNUSUALLY large duplex apartment, 5 rooms, private bath, shades furnished, garage, on pavement and bus line. Near three schools, no objection to small child. Inquire 2215 Taft, phone 2-4742.

THREE FURNISHED rooms, in rear, comfortable and rent reasonable. 1310 Eighth.

FOR RENT—Three-room apartment, nicely furnished; all modern conveniences; half of bills paid; player piano and radio; reasonable rent. 1413 Taylor street. Dial 7891.

GARAGE apartment; nicely furnished; modern; white only. Phone 6953.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished 3-room apartment in a home. 906 Baylor. Phone 7845.

FOR RENT—Five-room unfurnished duplex, Country club addition. Reasonable. Phone 2-1375.

TWO FURNISHED rooms, private bath, private entrances; everything furnished including linens and silver; worth seeing; $35. 1518 Tenth. Phone 4232.

TWO FURNISHED apartments on pavement and busline; $6.00 and $7.00 week; bills paid. 2100 Yale.

FOR RENT—Four-room apartment, unfurnished; good neighborhood, near Crockett school; unique, modern, spacious yard; references required; may be seen by appointment. Apply Lone Star cafe, 705 Seventh street.

TWO OR THREE-ROOM furnished apartment. 1006 Seventh. Dial 2-2284.

FOR RENT—Two rooms, nicely furnished, on pavement and busline; garage. 2207 Eighth. Phone 6138.

ONE FOUR-ROOM apartment, one three-room apartment, unfurnished, on Petrolia road, 1½ miles from postoffice. Garden spot with each apartment. Call at Horry's store on Petrolia road.

TWO-ROOM FURNISHED apartment, close in; also large light housekeeping room. 1004 Burnett. Phone 4859.

FOUR-ROOM DUPLEX, east front, on pavement, 2002 Jones. Call Mrs. Baker, 3188. Vacant first.

GARAGE APARTMENT, parlor, bedroom, kitchen, bath, beautifully furnished. 1404 Thirteenth.

APARTMENTS and bedrooms to rent; nicely furnished; bills paid. 1512 Eighth street; phone 9730.

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HALF OF DUPLEX, 801 Lee, $22.50 per month. Phone 2-1313 or 3038.

FURNISHED small garage apartment to reliable couple. In rear. All conveniences. Phone 5008.

THREE-ROOM unfurnished apartment, 1505 Eleventh street, $30 per month, expenses paid.

APARTMENT HEADQUARTERS
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813½ Scott Phone 9902

TWO OR THREE-ROOM furnished apartment; 2 bedrooms. 1518 Eleventh.

FOUR LARGE-ROOM duplex, partially furnished, tile bath, built-ins, 2142 Avenue F.

FURNISHED one large room apartment; bills paid. 1308 Eleventh.

FURNISHED garage apartment, 2 rooms and bath, to couple. 1660 Lucille avenue.

NEW UNFURNISHED 4-room apartment, hardwood floors; private bath; on car line. Anderson, 8080, 2-1704.

THREE OR FOUR-ROOM modern furnished apartments; rent reasonable; private bath; garages; bills paid. Call at 2111 Eighth. Phone 5641.

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NEATLY FURNISHED apartment, private entrance. Reasonable; all bills paid. Phone 2-2795 after 6 p. m. 903 Fifteenth.

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NICE FOUR-ROOM duplex apartment, near college, pavement, garage, shades, linoleum. 2126 Avenue K; $30. Phone 8203.

NICELY ARRANGED and roomy four-room apartment with range, refrigerator and rollaway bed; garage with store room. Phone 8453.

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TWO-ROOM APARTMENT—Sink in kitchen. 308 Lee, phone 8909.

UNFURNISHED 4-room duplex apartment. Dial 8609.

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APARTMENT—2205 Taft, shades furnished throughout, linoleum in kitchen and bath, $35. Call Joe Kevil, 9213 for information.

TWO-ROOM apartment and kitchenet; clean, extra nicely furnished. 1310 Eighth.

FOR RENT—Four-room duplex apartment in Crocket school district, on carline and pavement; unfurnished, $25; furnished $35. Phone 4581.

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20. HOUSES FOR RENT

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FOR RENT—Unfurnished three-room house and bath, built-in features, large closets, completely redecorated. Couple only, reference required. 2415 Avenue B. Phone 7600-7447.

SIX-ROOM HOUSE, 1301 Monroe street, $40 per month. Call 3084.

FOR RENT—Six-room house, 1100 Fourth street; $20 month. See owner, 718 Tenth street.

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THREE-ROOM HOUSE for rent. Call 1701 Trueheart.

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FOR RENT—Eight-room house, double garage; suitable for two families; all modern conveniences, 1511 Ninth street. Phone 5747.

STOP THAT RENT
2500, practically new 4-room, modern, can be used as duplex; pay it out $25 per month, includes interest. 904 Kentucky street, one block south of Henrietta highway, close in; for inspection, phone owner 9732.

FOR RENT—House and three acres near Bowie school, $18 month; good place for some dairy, chickens; gas, heat and light; more land if desired. Inquire W. C. Thomas, Petrolia road.

FOR RENT—Four-room house with bath, sleeping porch and garage; $25.00. Phone 8015.

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FOR RENT—Three-room house and three acres of land, furnished or unfurnished. Furniture for sale and home canned goods. Third house on dirt road south of Ray Sheet Metal Works.

WELL FURNISHED 5-room home, 1509 Kemp boulevard, phone 5953.

FOR RENT—Four-room, nicely furnished, modern house and garage, reasonable rent. Apply 2121 Alma street.

FOUR-ROOM modern house and garage, cheap. Phone 6327—3792 or 8455.

TO COUPLE—Modern furnished three-room garage apartment, ground floor, clean, private, nice surroundings, bills paid. 1709 Huff. Phone 9214.

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TWO-ROOM furnished house, everything furnished. 307 Travis; dial 4021.

FURNISHED bungalow-garage, sleeping porch, 100 foot lot, restricted district. Phone owner, 804 Holt hotel.

FOR RENT—One 2-room house, furnished; one 2-room apartment furnished; one 3-room apartment furnished; one 6-room house, unfurnished. Apply Live Oak Grocery, 310 Travis street.

UNUSUALLY nice 6-room unfurnished residence at 1627 Eleventh street for lease to responsible person. Stucco, plastered, hardwood floors, tile bath, splendid condition. Not for sale. $75—no less. Dr. DuVal.

FOUR-ROOM modern house, linoleum and shades furnished. 1711 Brittian, $35. Call Mrs. Baker, 4173.

22. BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR RENT OR LEASE

BUILDING for lease, Eighth and Brook, apply 805 Brook.

STORE SPACE, suitable for barber shop, tailor shop, or cafe. New building, on Jefferson street. Reasonable rent. See Harvey, 225 Staley. Phone 4680.

23. FARMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—1200 acres of good grass land, near Bomarton, Texas. If interested dial 3444 or inquire at 610 Ohio avenue.

26. WANTED TO RENT

EMPLOYED COUPLE desire room and board in private home, private entrance and garage, modern conveniences. State price. Address Box 932 city.

29. FURNITURE FOR SALE

DID YOU KNOW that we will rent you an invalid wheel chair or any other piece of furniture? E. F. Riley Furniture.

30. FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS

WOODEN SHIPPING BOXES, all sizes. Wolff Bros. 724 Ohio.

FOR SALE—Well rotted dairy fertilizer; machine ground. C. R. Emmert, phone 0-5311.

FOR SALE—Gas range, high oven, at a bargain. Call 2127 Avenue G.

FOR SALE—At bargain, 8-foot Viking meat display counter, used 15 months. Give some terms to responsible party. J. K. Boyd, 208 East First street, Burkburnett, Texas.

FOR SALE—First-class Burrough's adding machine, good as new, see Bert I. Sweeney care J. G. McCroy Co., 5 and 10c store.

33. RADIOS

A FARAD A-10, SIX-TUBE single dial control console radio for sale cheap. Has only been used for demonstration. Doell and Weill Furniture Co. 720 Seventh street. Phone 4720.

34. WANTED TO BUY

WE BUY LADIES', men's, children's clothes, shoes, all kinds of tools. Phone 8468. 314½ Indiana-ave.

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36. SEEDS, PLANTS AND FLOWERS

HOME GROWN two-year rose bushes, best varieties. 50c each, $5 dozen. Wichita Floral Co. 1706 Ninth street.

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42. LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Pair mules cheap. See Sam Roberson. 721½ Ohio avenue.

FOR SALE—A few young milch cows some heavy springer heifers; 7 miles out Petrolia road at Veros farm.

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc Jersey and Hampshire hogs. Buy that good boar, bred sow or gilt while they are cheap. Cost no more to own the best. See them at the farm on Iowa Park road. Elmwood Stock Farm. Carl Williamson, owner. Route 3, Iowa Park, Texas.

43. POULTRY, EGGS, PET STOCK

THOROUGHBRED Rhode Island Red eggs 50c dozen, six miles out Iowa Park road. H. Thorman.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Rhode Island Red setting eggs and baby chicks. 1600 Fifth, phone 7003.

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SETTING EGGS for sale, from the finest of Buff Orpington chickens. Also some setting hens. Phone 4960.

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington settings eggs; pen No. 1, $3.00 setting; pen No. 2, $1.50 setting. C. L. Reaves. Phone 115, Iowa Park, Texas.

70 BLOODED WHITE LEGHORNS, young hens, all layers, for quick sale 75c each. Call 9000 Henrietta, Texas.

44. DOGS

POLICE—Young dogs, registered, for sale; also snow white police dog at stud, registered. 705 Burnett street.

FOR SALE—Two airdale pups, male, $10 each. See Geo. C. Baker, Farmers Elevator, Iowa Park.

48. BUILDING CONTRACTORS

J. L. PULLEN, roofing and roof repairing. 2607 Grant. Phone 8015.

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50. FLORISTS—NURSERYMEN

10,000 AMOOR HEDGE, green foliage, 1-3% off this week. Willis Nursery Garden, 2011 Grant. Phone 2-1957.

I AM WELL and happy, have a good business. 5000 two-year-old monthly blooming roses. $3 dozen. Paper shell pecan trees, three-year-old, four feet high, $1 each. Mail orders given prompt attention. Willis Nursery Garden, 2011 Grant. Phone 2-1957.

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CARLOAD OF LARGE evergreens, just unloaded, 20 per cent discount today. We are open Sundays and evenings. One dozen roses free with each $20 purchase. Willis Nursery Garden, 2011 Grant. Phone 2-1957.

SPECIAL AT 98c, state inspected trees. Sycamore, 10 feet; hackberry, 10 feet; maple, 10 feet. Your choice of these exceptional values while they last. Wichita Nursery, 1806 Tenth.

51. REPAIRING

UPHOLSTERING, refinishing, repairing. Young, 2107 Buchanan. Phone 2-2358.

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PLUMBING—David Black. Phone 3644.

PLUMBING—Satisfactory kind done and guaranteed by Chas. D. Hughes. Phone, day 5444; night 5444.

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54. SPECIAL NOTICES

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56. DRESSMAKING, SEWING AND MILLINERY

ALBITZ SHOP, Kimberlin's store, hemstitching, dressmaking, alterations, button holes and buttons covered, rhinestones. Call 8974.

DRESSMAKING and hemstitching. 1637 Collins. Phone 9566.

DESIGNING, dressmaking, remodeling and tailoring. Mrs. Harris. 911 Eleventh street. Dial 3920.

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PAINTING and paper hanging. 30 years experience, all work guaranteed. J. C. Martin. Phone 7921.

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60. MATRESS RENOVATING

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Buy better bedding, mattress renovating a specialty. One-day service, furniture taken in payment. Patton Mattress and Furniture Co., 402 Indiana avenue. Phone 9980.

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62. RUG CLEANING

R. A. BAILEY, exclusive rug cleaners. First class guaranteed work. Quick service. Phone 6228.

RUGS CLEANED by most scientific and modern way. Best prices; work guaranteed. Phone 3108. Ponds Laundry and Dry Cleaning Co.

EXCLUSIVE RUG cleaning department and special rug cleaning machinery. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 7171. Wichita Laundry and Dry Cleaning Co.

63. FINANCIAL

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate. Monthly payments as low as $8.88 per thousand. Morris Norton, 243 Harvey-Snider building. Phone 2-1966.

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64. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

CHICAGO filling station for sale, trade or lease; will sell stock at cost 4 miles east of Electra on Wichita paved road. See owner at station.

ROOMING HOUSE—Bargain; downtown, 24 rooms, terms or trade. 607½ Indiana.

FOR SALE—Tailor shop for cash, might take good closed car as part payment. Phone 3948 or 2-1776.

66. OIL WELL MACHINERY AND SUPPLIES

FOR SALE—66—Broderick boiler. Made 4 wells, located at Nocona. Phone 2-4548.

68. AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ford touring, 1926 model, A-1 mechanical shape, exceptionally good tires. Call 5501.

1925 FORD COUPE for sale cheap. Call 7403.

70. AUTOMOBILE EXCHANGE

CHEVROLET sedan and good lot to trade in Hillcrest addition for better car. Dial 9715.

71. AUTOMOBILES WANTED

WANTED at once, good used car for $650 equity in practically new 4-room house, phone 2-1591.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Filling station equipment, 1½ horse power gas engine, air compressor, air tank, jack; will take good Ford roadster. Cheap for cash. 1507 Polk. W. L. Parr.

72. TRUCKS AND TRACTORS

FOR SALE—Ford truck, 1927 model, good mechanical condition, good rubber. Can be seen at Wilson Truck & Tractor Co., 607 Tenth street.

80. WELDING

ELECTRIC and oxy-acetylene welding our specialty. Phone 4415. Electric Welding Co., 310 Ohio.

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LARGEST, finest, most completely equipped Duco-Dupont refinishing station in Northwest Texas. Wichita Auto Top & Painting Co. P. F. West, Mgr. Phones 8686, 4111. Lamar at Sixth.

82. HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Equity in small duplex on Avenue G, half block off Kemp boulevard. Also five-room residence in Hillcrest addition. Would take car as part payment on either place. W. C. Reeves, Box 275.

IF YOU WANT to buy, sell or exchange farm land or city property, call Patton, 9375-5632.

HERE YOU ARE
$2500, practically new 4-room modern; can be used as duplex, pay it out $25 per month, includes interest. 904 Kentucky street, one block south of Henrietta highway, close in; for inspection, phone owner 9732.

FOR IMMEDIATE TRADE—$650 equity in practically new 4-room modern house, paved, sidewalks, drive and garage, well located, half block Carrigan school and Holliday busline, will take good used car. Phone 2-1591.

WILL SELL my equity in new 5-room modern home, Iowa Park road, one mile from city limits, house only used two months. Dandy place for chickens or rabbits, half acre ground, all plowed, with some fruit trees and grapes already set out. Good reason for selling. If interested call timepeeper, telephone 2-1141.

84. FARMS, RANCHES, FOR SALE

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84. FARMS, RANCHES, FOR SALE

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85. REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE

FOR TRADE—Modern home in Electra, Texas, fine location. Free of incumberance. Trade for good, small, improved farm, near good town. Write Cyril Hamilton, Pampa, Texas, for information.

TWO-STORY BRICK hotel, well furnished, 30 rooms, heart of city. Price reasonable; terms; trade for close-in residence in Wichita. Geo. Jones, 606 Tyler, Amarillo, Texas.

$2500 IN FOUR-ROOM duplex for unimproved acreage. 2707 Holliday.

87. BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR SALE

FOR SALE—In Plainview, Texas, best town on the Plains; buy now before the Burlington comes, new modern brick building bringing $250 monthly. John F. DuBose, Plainview, Texas.

101. SUBURBAN TRACTS

YOUR SERVICE—
Advertise it here. Reach every home in Wichita Falls and this territory for a few cents a day. Phone 4391 and ask about our special low price rate for daily advertising.

6½ ACRES IRRIGATED truck farm, 1½ miles on Petrolia road, 5-room house, double garage, good well and other improvements. See owner, C. M. Berry, Route two.

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NEW 5-ROOM, modern house, never been occupied, hardwood floors throughout, built-in cabinet, gas, lights, water, telephone, near good school, no city taxes, will make a lovely home. $4,000, $200 cash, balance monthly. 3½ miles on Iowa Park road, phone 2-4524.

FOR RENT—Ten-acre tract with 5-room house; water and gas, 2½ miles from depot. Call F. J. Maier at Saul's store. Phone 2-1518.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 5-acre and one 10-acre tract for city property. Stampfli and Dunn, 717 Staley building. Dial 8992.

102. LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO publishers. The county auditor of Wichita county, Texas, will receive bids until 9 o'clock a. m., March 5, 1928, for the publishing of the financial report of Wichita county, Texas, for the year 1927, as compiled by E. P. Walsh, county auditor. Said report to be published in one issue of the newspaper. A cashier's check for five (5%) per cent of the amount of the bid, made payable without recourse to the order of E. P. Walsh, county auditor, must accompany each proposal as a guaranty of the good faith on the part of the bidder. Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked "bids for publishing financial report of Wichita county." The county reserves the right to reject any and all bids.—E. P. Walsh, county auditor, Wichita county, Texas. Wichita Falls, Texas.

WICHITA FALLS & SOUTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY NOTICE
Wichita Falls, Texas, Feb. 22, 1928. Public notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the "Wichita Falls & Southern Railroad Company" will be held at the general offices of said company in the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita county, Texas, Saturday, the 31st day of March, 1928, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the election of a board of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the board of directors of said "Wichita Falls & Southern Railroad Company" will be held at the same place and on the same day immediately after the adjournment of said stockholders' meeting.—Frank Kell, president. C. W. Snider, secretary.

SHERIFF'S SALE—The state of Texas, county of Wichita. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the honorable 78th district court of Wichita county, on the 4th day of February, 1928, by Eunice Jackson, clerk of said 78th district court for the sum of Four Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-Six and 45-100 ($4996.45) dollars, and costs of suit, under a certain judgment, in favor of R. S. Allen in a certain cause in said court, No. 19294-B and styled R. S. Allen vs. Hereford Oil company and placed in my hands for service, I, W. G. Bralley as sheriff of Wichita county, Texas, did, on the 8th day of February 1928, levy on certain real estate, situated in Wichita county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Part of section 32, block 5, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, said section levied on and taken into my possession being bounded as follows: Beginning at northwest corner of an 80-acre tract leased to John O'Neil; thence north to north boundary line of section 32; thence west along north boundary line to northwest corner of section 32; thence south with west boundary line of said section 2087; thence east 810 feet to southwest corner O'Neil 80-acre tract; thence north to place of beginning, containing 39 acres more or less. By virtue of this execution I levied on and took possession of all the interest of the Hereford Oil company in and to the tract above described, said interest being the ownership of all the oil and mineral rights in said tract, subject to the royalty interest in the owner of the fee, and levied upon as the property of Hereford Oil company and that on the first Tuesday in March 1928, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the court house door, of Wichita county, in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said execution I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Hereford Oil company. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Wichita Daily Times, a newspaper published in Wichita county. Witness, my hand, this 8th day of February, 1928.—W. G. Bralley, sheriff Wichita county, Texas. By C. M. Goodwin, deputy.

IN THE United States district court for the northern district of Texas, Wichita Falls division. Universal Oil Products Co. vs. American Refining Co., Inc., et al. No. 228 in equity. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as receivers of the American Refining company and of the estates of R. M. Waggoner, M. J. Bashara and W. T. Willis, will on the third day of March, A. D. 1928, at 10 o'clock a. m., at Dallas, Texas, present to the honorable United States district court for the northern district of Texas, applications for the sale of all and singular the corporate assets of the American Refining company, Inc., and for the sale of all of the properties of the estates of R. M. Waggoner, M. J. Bashara and W. T. Willis, save and except such properties as are exempt from forced sale by law. All persons interested in the matters above set out will take due notice of the date and place for the hearing of said applications and may present any objections which they have to said proposed applications for sale orders. Witness our hands at Wichita Falls, Texas, this 21st day of February, A. D. 1928.—John W. Hooser, E. H. Eddleman, J. C. Mytinger, receivers of the American Refining Co., Inc., and of the estates of R. M. Waggoner, M. J. Bashara and W. T. Willis.

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7% Interest 8%

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WICHITAN FINDS HORNED FROG'S ACHILLES HEEL

By LOUIS T. HAMLETT

The horned frog may live 100 years without food or water, he can resist drowning and heat, but like Achilles he has one weak spot—so runs the latest horned frog story as told by George C. Taylor, of the Taylor Foundry company, 1320 Sibley avenue.

"About 12 years ago I decided to place the body of a horned frog in clay so that I would have a would from which I could cast a paper weight horned frog for my desk," Mr. Taylor said.

"I wanted to kill the frog without disfiguring him so that my mould would be perfect.

"I finally decided that drowning would be the best method so I tied a heavy weight around the frog's neck and dropped him in a barrel of water.

"The frog was left at the bottom of the barrel all night and all the next day. When I finally lifted the little creature out after he had soaked for 24 hours, he was just as spry as ever.

"Next I put him in a bake oven and left him there for 14 hours. But the heat did not faze him. He was still chipper and spry as when I first caught him.

"I decided I might as well give up the idea and a bunch of us were in the office discussing the thing with the frog on the floor. Suddenly one of the boys said, 'Let's see what this will do to him' and spat a stream of tobacco juice in the frog's face.

"He was dead and stiff in 10 seconds."

LITTLE HOPE HELD FOR RECOVERY OF GIRL SHOT ON BRENHAM HIGHWAY

BRENHAM, Texas, Feb. 23. (AP)—Condition of Miss Dolores Felchak, popular high school girl, 16 years old, in the Brenham hospital here with a bullet wound in her head took a turn for the worse Wednesday night and despite a slight rally early Thursday attendants hold no hopes for her recovery.

The girl has remained unconscious since early Monday afternoon when she was found in her automobile three miles from here on the Burton highway, a gunshot wound in her left temple. A pistol was by her side.

Physicians Thursday had not performed an operation for the removal of the bullet, fearing a more decided change in her condition.

BURK RABBIT BREEDERS TO COMPLETE PREMIUM LIST FOR SPRING SHOW

BURKBURNETT, Feb. 23. — A business meeting of the Burkburnett Rabbit Breeders association has been called for Friday evening at the chamber of commerce offices.

Plans will be completed and the premium list perfected for the annual rabbit show to be held here April 6 and 7.

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Witnesses Repeat Denial of Plot Aimed at Putting Federal Agents "Out of Way" in Texarkana Trial

TEXARKANA, Ark., Feb. 23. (AP)—Parading witnesses to the stand in quick succession the defense for nine Miller county men on trial for conspiring to kill two federal agents today hurled repeated denials at charges of H. T. Prudhomme, government under cover man and star witness for the prosecution.

Walter Crowell, a former police chief here and now a private detective, resumed the stand today after having testified most of yesterday afternoon. He repudiated every charge of the government that he or any of his co-defendants had conspired to kill A. E. Lambert or John O'Quinn, the federal agents.

Crowell said he brought Prudhomme and George Crank, another defendant, together because Crank wanted him to get information as to the character of the two agents. He testified that Prudhomme suggested getting the agents out of the way but was informed that nothing like that was wanted.

J. B. Moffett and Will Ward testified that Lee Hensley, another of the defendants, was in Pine Bluff, Ark., on October 15, when Prudhomme said he met Hensley in connection with the plot.

Mrs. Shirley Crank, sister-in-law of one of the defendants, testified she saw George Crank at the Shreveport fair grounds at time Prudhomme alleges Crank was conferring with him regarding the plot.

Will Day, another defendant, corroborated the testimony of Crowell denying every allegation as to murder plots or any plan to get rid of the two agents. He admitted having given $20 to Prudhomme, but said he did that because Prudhomme told him a "hard luck" story and asked his aid.

John Morton, another defendant, denied he ever gave Prudhomme any whiskey as has been testified, but also admitted he had given $10 to Prudhomme. He gave the $10 for the same reason that Day donated his $20, Morton said.

Police Captain Seizes Whiskey On Clark Street

Fourteen half-gallon jars of corn whiskey and an automobile were seized and three persons, two men and a woman, were arrested in a residence section of Wichita Falls about 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning by Night Captain Jim Glenn and Plainclothes Officer Pat Allen.

Captain Glenn, who was off duty at the time, received a tip that the whiskey load was to be in the city Thursday morning. He went to police headquarters to get Allen to assist him and drove to the spot where the liquor was expected to be found.

When the officers arrived they found two Ford cars, a coupe and a roadster, parked at the curb, with one man in the coupe and a man and a woman in the roadster.

As the officers neared the spot, which was on Clark street, both cars started away. The officers overhauled the fugitives after a chase of little more than one block.

The whiskey was found in the coupe. The driver of this car, the automobile and the liquor were turned over to federal authorities.

The woman was released and the driver of the empty car is being held in the city jail for investigation.

New Country Club Directors to Be Elected Saturday

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wichita Falls Golf and Country club will be held at the clubhouse at 8 o'clock Saturday evening, it was announced Thursday.

Election of directors and other important matters will feature the meeting.

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ROTARY ASSISTS IN BETTERING MANKIND KILGORE DECLARES

Rotary answers to a degree that craving in each of us to rise above the plane of self-interest and to contribute something to the betterment of mankind and to the happiness of our own soul, John Kilgore, local attorney, told members of the Wichita Falls Rotary club Thursday noon. Mr. Kilgore is a member of the local club.

"In the hunt for spiritual satisfaction, which all men crave, men have banded together in various and sundry organizations and this is true in the modern time," Mr. Kilgore declared. "I read an article recently in which it was authoritatively stated that in America alone, there were over 800 secret orders.

"The writer explained this by saying that most of these societies had fraternal benefit insurance and that by belonging to such an order he formed closer friendships which ultimately benefited his business. He also said that life inside of these orders was entirely different from that of the humdrum everyday life and that this was a great appeal.

"To my mind he overlooked one of the most important reasons for the existence of these secret orders, and that is the fact that without exception, they have some ritual which lays down fundamental principles in which the members of that order believe and to which they subscribe. These principles serve as a guide in that eternal hunt for spiritual satisfaction.

"On February 23, 1905, there was born in Chicago an organization known to the world as Rotary. It was no secret order. Its aims, its objects, its code, its ritual are as open as the Bible, and its appeal to the hearts of men is universal. It is unhampered by dogma and unfettered by creed. It blesseth those who give and those who receive."

Mr. Kilgore's talk featured a program that commemorated the 23rd anniversary of Rotary International.

Mrs. Hallie Adams Hill sang two selections. She was accompanied on the piano by J. S. Pitman.

Mayor R. E. Shepherd led the club in singing "Candles Twenty-Three," a song composed by Mrs. Curtis Atkinson. It was sung to the tune of "Auld Lang Syne."

Dr. O. T. Kimbrough was chairman of the day.

It was announced that William B. Ward, John S. Riggs and Van Zandt Mitchell are new members of the club.

FUNERAL SERVICES MRS. J. S. PERDUE TO BE HELD FRIDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. J. S. Perdue, 73, who died at the family residence, 310 Fifth street, about 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, will be held from the chapel of the Merkle Undertaking company at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, with Dr. Floyd Allan Bash, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating. Burial will be at Riverside.

Active pallbearers were announced as follows: Roy Hagin, W. M. Langford, Will Stone, J. S. Elliott, S. E. Elliott and J. H. Weidman.

Honorary pallbearers will be T. T. T. Reese, Joe Kelly, John Bradley, Walter Reid, Dr. A. R. Prothro, Dr. L. C. Tyson, G. R. Walker, Homer Karrenbrock, D. Dellis, W. H. Harrison, Dan McGrath and R. E. Shepherd.

Mrs. Purdue is survived by her husband; one sister, Mrs. Etta Miley; a niece, Mrs. Amos Morris, of Wichita Falls; and two nephews, George Miley, of Wichita Falls; and James Miley, of California.

BABER HEADS FARM LAND DIVISION OF REAL ESTATE BOARD

J. M. Baber has been elected chairman and Walter S. Curlee, vice chairman of the farm land division of the Wichita Falls Real Estate board, it was announced Thursday. Mr. Baber is president of the real estate board.

Clarence K. Dodge has been elected secretary of the newly organized division.

The advisory committee is composed of three elected officers and Henry Welch and Mrs. P. A. Welty.

The purpose of the farm land division is to dispose of Wichita Valley farm lands. Members of the division will entertain the party of 50 or more Wisconsin farmers and dairymen who will be in Wichita Falls the latter part of March for a tour of the Wichita valley.

REVISED CRUDE PRICES LOUISIANA AND ARKANSAS ANNOUNCED BY MAGNOLIA

DALLAS, Feb. 23. (AP)—Changes in crude oil prices in Louisiana and Arkansas ranging from a reduction of 19 cents in low gravity oil to an increase of 16 cents in oil of 52 gravity and above were announced today by the Magnolia Petroleum company.

The changes affect the Pine Island, Haynesville, Bull Bayou and Eldorado districts. No changes were announced in the Eldorado east field, Smackover or Cotton Valley.

This was the first crude oil price change by Magnolia in the field since March 14, 1927.

Under new schedules oil below 28 gravity will bring 91 cents a barrel; with a five-cent per grade differential up to and including 32 to 32.9, $1.16.

Oil of 33 to 33.9, $1.19, with a three-cent per grade differential up to and including 52 and above, $1.76.

Convention Sidelights

Chief of Police Frank Burns announced that all officers attending the conventions here will be admitted on their badges to local theaters.

Those here to attend the convention of the North Texas and Southern Oklahoma Peace Officers' association had little opportunity to settle down to the business of the present meeting before being invited to attend another. George A. Smith of Dallas, secretary of the Chiefs of Police and City Marshals' association of Texas, was the bearer of an invitation to attend the convention of that association, to be held at Houston on June 5, 6 and 7. J. K. Ellis of Dallas, first vice president of the same association, also is here. Mr. Ellis is connected with the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad.

One of the "old timers" present for the convention is W. B. Johnson, sheriff of Hemphill county, which is in the extreme northern portion of the Texas Panhandle. Mr. Johnson has been sheriff there "off and on" for 10 years—was sheriff when Leslie Humphrey, member of the local law firm of Bullington, Boone, Humphrey and King, was a boy. "Les' used to be mighty handy at borrowing watermelons; he sure better treat me nice," was Mr. Johnson's comment relative to the now prominent attorney. John Q. Humphrey, now assistant county attorney here, also was a boy in Hemphill county then. Of John, Mr. Johnson says: "He was a good boy."

Dock Dudley, chief of police at Gainesville, not only is president of the association, but he probably is the tallest man on the membership roles. His own description of his height is that he is "five feet, 16 inches," which means he tops six feet, four inches.

Two of Oklahoma's "Texas rangers" were among those on the ground early. C. F. Worley, superintendent of the bureau of investigation, and A. B. Cooper, state investigator, are their names. Mr. Cooper's particular tasks are the making of special investigations for the governor and the "chasing of bank robbers." Their's is a good will mission to the convention because of their expressed conviction that the more closely officers cooperate, the more effective the war on crime will be.

S. C. Kennedy of Dallas, one of the nation's outstanding leaders in the fight on automobile thefts, makes the seemingly conflicting statement that although automobile thefts are more numerous, the problem is not as serious as it was. Mr. Kennedy is head of the Automobile Theft bureau at Dallas. The bureau there is one of the five maintained in the United States by the Associated Stock Fire Insurance companies. By way of explaining his statement, he said that the increase in number of thefts is due largely to the increase in number of cars. The problem is less serious because of a higher percentage of recoveries and because of an increase in number of convictions.

Tribute to the memory of two officers who have died in the performance of duty since the association last met was paid early in the convention. The officers were W. W. Emerson, deputy sheriff at Gainesville, who was killed while attempting to arrest a turkey thief, and Sheriff Sam C. Long of Marietta, Okla., killed during a battle with bank robbers. The slayer of Mr. Emerson since has been sentenced to life imprisonment. Both officers were members of the association.

Much speculation is going the rounds as to who will win the top prizes in the pistol shoot to be held Friday afternoon. A wide variety of choices is expressed among the men. Mrs. Dock Dudley, among the women, has a considerable following. All shooting must be with pistols at a distance of 20 paces.

Warren Belcher, local deputy, and S. O. Hamm, state highway officers, are members of the committee who arranged the shoot. They want it emphasized that the $50 in gold award is to be a "capital" and not a "figst" prize.

One shooter among the women who will be watched with interest is Miss Bonnie Davis, member of the local sheriff's department. When she competes, it will be the first time she has ever fired a pistol. The surprising part of it is that a good score is being predicted for her. "I never saw a woman fail to do good shooting the first time she handles a revolver," said one officer.

Joe Persky, former Wichita Falls citizen, who is now a police officer at Ponca City, Okla., arrived here Wednesday night to attend the convention. Mr. Persky served as a motorcycle officer and later as city detective during the administration of Police Chief George H. Hodgins.

Three Texas rangers arrived here early Thursday in time to attend the opening session of the convention. They are H. B. Purvis, Lufkin; Lynn A. Boyd, Bowie, and W. H. Kirby Abilene.

In a telegram sent from Fort Worth, Ranger Captain Tom Hickman announced that he would be unable to attend the convention as he was called as a witness in the Henry Helms trial at Eastland Thursday.

DEATHS

Jane Livingston Armour

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. (AP)—Mrs. Jane Livingston Armour, widow of the late Herman Ossian Armour of Chicago and New York, died of pneumonia at her home last night. She was 83 years old. Mr. Armour was a partner in the packing firm of Armour & Co., from the time it was founded until he died in 1901.

Billie Russell Boren.

BURKBURNETT, Feb. 23.—The funeral of little Billie Russell Boren, eight months, was held Wednesday at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Boren on the west pavement. Services were conducted by the Holiness church pastor, and burial was in the Burkburnett cemetery.

Roy A. Cooper

HUGO, Okla., Feb. 23. (AP)—Roy A. Cooper, 52, bank receiver and former national bank examiner. Native of Louisina.

There was once a long break in the observance of Christmas in England. Cromwell, in 1644, forbade the festival and ordered that December 25 should be a day of fasting and penitence.

DISCUSSION OF $5000 REWARD

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whether his suspect is wanted in any other part of the country.

Centralizing Finger Prints

The bureau of identification in Washington, he said, is making an effort with increasing success to supply that need. By a system of exchanging information with municipal and state bureaus of identification, it is centralizing finger prints from all sections of the country.

"The government wants all officers to make use of that bureau," Mr. Colvin said. "When you arrest a suspect, make some kind of a finger print and send it in. The government is not interested in the rewards that accrue from identifications thus made.

"It happens every day that a suspect, badly wanted somewhere, is arrested in another part of the country and released because efforts to identify him are unsuccessful. Thus he is released to continue crime."

Mr. Colvin declared that his office is at the disposal of the officers of Texas and Oklahoma to aid in the investigating of crime and in the prosecution of charges which can be filed in federal court.

J. K. Ellis, also of Dallas, who has charge of the special agents of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railway, declared that the investigators under his supervision are always ready to cooperate with officers.

"Fugitives going from the scene of a crime frequently ride freight trains," he explained. "If one of our special agents is advised by the officers, the warning soon can be broadcast over the railroad's private telephone line so that all can be put on the lookout."

Oklahoma Bureau Chief

Mr. Ellis declared also that his department is willing to be of assistance to officers in aiding them in transferring fugitives arrested elsewhere to the county in which they are wanted. That cooperative measure, he said, will materially reduce the cost of railroad expenses to officers who take advantage of the offer.

C. F. Worley, superintendent of the Oklahoma bureau of identification, located in Oklahoma City, invited officers everywhere to make use of the information available there.

An invitation was extended to all members of the association to attend the convention of the Oklahoma Peace Officers' association to be held at Pawhuska on July 21 to 23.

Sheriff W. G. Bralley declared that associations of officers have proved extremely valuable because they serve to bring officers in personal contact with each other. It is much more satisfactory, he said, for one officer to deal with another he knows as a friend than to deal wtih one who is a stranger to him.

The early attendance at the convention was cut almost in half by the blizzard of Wednesday night.

Although the number of officers present for the beginning of the convention fell below estimates, the territory represented was as widespread as had been expected. Officers from every section of Oklahoma had registered, while delegates were present from the membership of each of the five sectional organizations of officers' associations in Texas. Belief was expressed that arrivals, made late, because of the cold spell would increase the registration to the expected 300 by late in the afternoon.

It was announced, even before the convention opened, that one of the matters scheduled for the attention of the meeting will be a proposal that the association go on record concerning the $5000 reward offered by the state bankers association for dead bank robbers. While discussion of the question was expected to originate with officers believing that the offer should not be offered alone for bank robbers who are killed, officials of the association declined to forecast what attitude the organization may take in the matter.

Dock Dudley, chief of police at Gainesville and president of the association, was particularly reticent concerning what might possibly develop in the convention as a result of discussions of the reward. His reticence, he explained, was due to the fear that any opinion expressed by him might be erroneously taken as being that of the association, for which he declared himself not in position to speak.

There is no doubt, he said, however, that the dead bank robber reward will be discussed, perhaps early in the meeting.

Welcomed by Shepherd.

Thursday morning was devoted almost wholly to necessary routine business. Registrations still were in progress when the opening session of the convention was called to order by Mr. Dudley at 10:30 o'clock in the main dining room of the Kemp. The registration tables, presided over by Miss Bonnie Davis, secretary of Sheriff W. G. Bralley here, were placed in the lobby of the Kemp.

The opening session of the convention likewise was devoted to important, though routine, matters. After Dr. S. A. Barnes had asked the invocation, Mayor R. E. Shepherd extended a welcome to the visitors.

Three addresses were on the Thursday afternoon and evening programs of the convention. The afternoon session convened at 2 p. m. and Elbert Hooper, Denton county attorney, delivered an address on, "Cooperation of the Citizens with the Peace Officer in the Enforcement of Law." He was to be followed by Wayne Somerville, Wichita county attorney, who was to speak on "Loopholes in the Criminal Law."

William McCraw, Dallas county attorney, was to be the principal speaker at the banquet tendered by the chamber of commerce in the evening. Mr. McCraw was expected here during the afternoon. Bruce Greenwood, former Wichita county attorney, was to be toastmaster.

The ball in honor of the visitors was to follow the banquet. The ball was to be held at the Labor Temple, beginning at 9 p. m.

An address by Ben P. Allred, district attorney here, talks by various visitors and the disposition of matters of business were to occupy the concluding business session of the convention Friday morning. The shoot at Lake Wichita for $500 worth of prizes is the big event for Friday afternoon.

Revival in Progress.

BURKBURNETT, Feb. 23—Great interest is being manifested in the revival services being conducted at the First Methodist church here by Evangelist Alonzo Monk. Large crowds are attending the services and other churches of the city are cooperating in the meeting.

By JIMMIE MAXWELL

The Gulf Production company is rigged up and will start operations on its No. 19 Grace Jennings, located in H. T. B. R. R. survey, abstract 475, southeast of Electra in Wichita county.

Panhandle Refining company and Harry Hines' No. 1 Peeler, located in block 25, Club ranch subdivision, northwest of Archer City, set casing Wednesday to test out a sand showing oil at 1533 feet.

Panhandle Refining company's No. 1 Pittman estate, in the William Mathews survey, abstract 1484, northeast Young county, is drilling at 400 feet. The same company's No. 1 J. M. Daugherty, located in the northwest corner of Isaac Hughson survey, abstract 256, Jack county, is drilling at 675 feet.

Humble Oil-L. T. Burns No. 1 L. F. Wilson, located in Geraldine townsite, east of the Gohlke discovery well in Archer county, has set casing on the sand at 1559-61 feet and will test.

I. E. Silkwood has completed and placed on the pump, making 28 barrels from the sand at 850 feet, his No. 1 Harrold Petroleum company, located in section 25, block 13, H. T. C. R. R. survey, to the north of the Piper lease, southeast of Harrold, in Wilbarger county.

The Panhandle Refining company has reached a depth of 3460 feet in its No. 1 McCluskey well in the South Bend pool, Young county. The well, which is being deepened to the 4000-foot pay, was formerly a consistent producer from the upper sand.

P. F. Gwynn-Humble Oil company No. 1 J. E. Birdwell, in section 2418, T. E. L. survey, south Archer county, is feeling for the sand and drilling at 1280 feet.

J. D. Ashcraft-Comac company No. 1 W. H. Hawthorne, in the northeast corner of C. F. Stanley survey, abstract 407, a short distance north of Dean station, in Clay county, is drilling.

WEEK'S LIST DRILLING PERMITS ISSUED FROM OLNEY DISTRICT OFFICE

(Special to the Times)

OLNEY, Texas, Feb. 23.—The following drilling permits have been issued from the office of George W. Tilley, deputy supervisor for Young, Archer and Jack counties, during the past week:

D. O. Johnson No. 1, L. F. Wilson, Geraldine subdivision survey, Archer county; D. O. Johnson No. 2 L. F. Wilson, Geraldine subdivision survey, Archer county; Consolidated Oil company of Texas No. 1 R. C. Kinder, Clark and Plumb subdivision survey, Archer county; Gibson and Johnson No. 1 O. Wilson, S. P. Ry. Co., survey, Archer county; W. R. Stafford No. 1 J. L. Boone, B. B. B. & C. R. R. Co. survey, Young county; Amerada Petroleum corporation No. 2 W. L. Crawford, William McDonald survey, Jack county; The Texas company No. 1 W. E. Wolf, W. H. Finch survey, Archer county; Pois and Johnson No. 1 W. M. Jackson, W. B. Aldridge survey, Archer county; Humble Oil and Refining company No. 1 Burns-Wilson, Geraldine townsite subdivision survey, Archer county; Amerada Petroleum corporation No. 4 R. B. Johnson, T. E. & L. Co. survey, Young county; Madden and Hunt No. 1 Earl Bearden, B. B. B. & C. R. R. Co. survey, Archer county; Beard, Millican and Ford No. 1 C. W. Johnson estate, E. W. Sargent survey, Young county.

TWO MORE WINKLER WELLS HIT TOP PAY PRODUCER IN PECOS

(Special to the Times)

SAN ANGELO, Feb. 23.—Two more wells got top of pay in Winkler county and Pecos furnished another producer Wednesday in Mid-Kansas and Transcontinental No. 21-B, which flowed 2,211 barrels through one four-inch line in eight hours.

Completed at 1,106 feet Pure's 3-B Hendricks and Texon 1-B Hendricks got top pay at 2,935 and 2,863 feet, respectively. Pure made 440 barrels in 24 hours and Texon 727 barrels.

GEN. TARRANT'S BODY TO BE BROUGHT BACK TO FORT WORTH CEMETERY

FORT WORTH, Feb. 22. (AP)—The body of General E. H. Tarrant, for whom Tarrant county was named, will be brought back to Fort Worth in March for burial in the pioneer's rest cemetery.

General Tarrant died in 1858 at his farm in Italy, Texas, and his unmarked grave has been faithfully tended by a negro ex-slave. He will disinter the body and accompany it to this city.

Ceremonies will be held at the burial here. The moving of the body is to be supervised by L. W. Kemp, who has been active in locating bodies of pioneer heroes of Texas and has had several moved to the state cemetery at Austin.

General Tarrant was born in North Carolina in 1796 and when very young moved to Tennessee. He served under General Andrew Jackson in the war of 1812 and came to Texas in 1835. After serving in the army of the Texas republic he was in the ranger service.

In the last presidential election out of sixty million men and women privileged to vote, less than thirty million cast a ballot.

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Box office opens at 10 a. m. in order to accommodate the increased attendance during presentation of the picture. Children under 16 not admitted.

THEATER PROGRAM

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BANQUET AND DANCE CLOSING EVENTS OF KIWANIS MEET HERE

The afternoon session of the Kiwanis district conference here Wednesday was devoted largely to a discussion of intercity affairs.

J. M. England of Dallas invited all delegates to attend the district convention in Dallas on Labor day.

H. G. Hatfield, district governor, outlined the objectives he had set for the Texas-Oklahoma district for 1928.

A discussion on the relations of the city man to the farmer was presented by J. R. Johnson of Mineral Wells. An open discussion on extension of Kiwanis clubs followed.

The day's conference ended Wednesday evening with a banquet in honor of Governor Hatfield at the Wichita Falls Golf and Country club. Dr. F. R. Collard was toastmaster during the dinner.

Mrs. Jouette Bonner gave several violin selections, accompanied by Mrs. Ben Bell. Both were in Martha Washington costume. Misses Juel and Adelle Ray, also in Martha Washington costume, sang several duets.

Leonard Grayson, representing the local Rotary club, extended greetings from the Rotary club to all visiting Kiwanians and presented Governor Hatfield a bouquet. The address of the evening was given by Governor Hatfield.

Out-of-town guests at the banquet were Mr. and Mrs. Frank McPhail, Mrs. Pebsworth and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Riley of Ardmore, J. R. Johnson of Mineral Wells, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. England of Dallas. About 65 were present for the dinner and dance which followed.

WASHINGTON AND LINCOLN BIRTHDAY PROGRAM GIVEN PLEASANT VALLEY SCHOOL

Pleasant Valley's district schoolhouse was the scene Wednesday night of a Washington-Lincoln birthday program and pie supper, which was attended by more than 250 school children and their parents. An elaborate program of readings and tableaus was presented under the direction of Principal and Mrs. Powell of the Pleasant Valley faculty. Proceeds of the pie supper will be used by the Pleasant Valley Parent-Teacher association for improvements in the school's equipment.

ENCAMPMENT BRANCH OF ODD FELLOWS TO MAKE PLANS APRIL BANQUET

The encampment branch of Odd Fellows, will hold its regular meeting at the hall Thursday night, and a full attendance is expected, as matters of importance will come before the meeting, and plans for the banquet to be held in the new hall early in April will be discussed, it was announced Thursday.

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FEATURES ON THE AIR

Thursday, Feb. 23

7:00—Dodge Presentation; Musical Comedy Selections—WEAF WRC WGY WGR WTAM WWJ WSAI WEBH WTMJ KSD WRHM WOC WHO WOW WDAF KVOO WFAA WHAS WSM WMC WSB WOAI
7:30—Hoover Sentinels; Popular Music—WEAF WRC WGY WTAM WWJ WSAI WEBH KSD WCCO WOC WHO WOW WDAF KVOO WFAA WHAS WSM WMC WSB
7:30—Ampico Hour; E. Robert Schmitz, Pianist—WJZ KDKA WLW WJR KYW KWK WTMJ WRHM
8:00—Maxwell Hour; Toscha Seidel, guest artist—WJZ KDKA WLW WJR KYW KPRC WTMJ KSD WRHM WOC WHO WOW WDAF KVOO WBAP WHAS WSM WMC WSB WJAX KOA
9:30—Statler's Pennsylvanians—WEAF WGN WGR WWJ WHO WOW KSD
11:30—Moon Magic—KHQ KOMO KFOA KGW KGO KPO KFI

THURSDAY, FEB. 23

(By The Associated Press)

Programs in Central Standard time. All time is P. M. unless otherwise indicated. Wave lengths on left of call letters, kilocycles on right.

526—KYW Chicago—570
6:00—Uncle Bob
6:30—Eclipse Clippers
7:00—Retold Tales
7:30—Piano Program
8:00—Maxwell Hour
9:00—Continentals
10:05—The Cavanaughs

365.6—WEBH-WJJD Chicago—820
6:00—Palmer Symphony
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Mooseheart Hour
9:00—Smith Brothers
9:30—Edgewater Program
11:00—Popular Program

416.4—WGN-WLIB Chicago—720
6:10—Uncle Quinn
6:25—Dinner Music
7:00—Old Fashioned Almanak
7:30—Musical Program
8:00—Clicquot Eskimos
9:00—College Shop Four
11:00—Hoodlums

344.6—WLS Chicago—870
6:00—Supperbell Program
7:00—Tony's Scrapbook
7:00—Supertone Hour

447.5—WMAQ-WQJ Chicago—670
6:00—Organ
6:30—Dinner Music
7:40—U. of Chicago Lecture
8:00—Musical Program
10:00—The Aerials
11:00—Dance Music (2 hrs.)

428.3—WLW Cincinnati—700
6:00—Orchestra
7:00—In a Garden of Music
7:30—Ampico Half Hour
8:00—Maxwell Hour
8:30—Vocal
9:15—Features; Orchestras

361.2—WSAI Cincinnati—830
5:00—Al and Pete; Music
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Musical Program
9:00—Smith Brothers

399.8—WTAM Cleveland—750
5:00—Orchestra
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Bridge Game
8:30—Willard Cavaliers

374.8—WOC Davenport—800
6:00—Lecture on Lincoln
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Maxwell Hour
9:00—Smith Brothers
9:30—Male Quartet

535.4—WHO Des Moines—560
6:00—Wood's Orchestra
6:30—Maple Dale Program
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Maxwell Hour
9:00—Piano Program
9:30—Dance Orchestras

440.9—WCX-WJR Detroit—680
6:00—Blue Room Orchestra
6:30—Mixed Quartet
7:00—Torrid Tots
7:30—Ampico Program
8:00—Maxwell Hour
10:00—Cotton Pickers

352.7—WWJ Detroit—850
6:15—Musical Program
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Clicquot Eskimos
9:00—Smith Brothers
9:30—Orchestra

228.9—WOWO Ft. Wayne—1310
7:30—Trio
8:00—Lincoln Bank Hour
9:00—Orchestra
10:00—Musical Review

422.3—WOS Jefferson City—710
7:00—Educational Features
7:20—Department of Education; Talk

370.2—WDAF Kansas City—810
6:00—School of the Air
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Maxwell Hour
9:00—Smith Brothers
9:30—Pla-Mor Orchestra
11:45—Nighthawks

293.9—WTMJ Milwaukee—1020
6:00—Orchestras
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Ampico Program
8:00—Maxwell Hour
9:00—Journal Club

405.2—WCCO Minneapolis-St. Paul—740
6:00—Dinner Concert
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Hamline University
8:30—Musical Program
9:00—Smith Brothers
9:30—Musical Program
10:00—Izaak Walton League
12:00—Dance Music

508.2—WOW Omaha—590
6:00—U. S. Marine Band
6:30—Tracy-Brown's Orchestra
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Maxwell Hour
9:00—Dance Orchestras

299.8—KMOX St. Louis—1000
6:30—Trappers Program
8:00—Music
10:10—Dance Music (until 1a)

545.1—KSD St. Louis—550
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Maxwell Hour
9:00—Smith Brothers
9:30—Dance Orchestras

348.6—KVOO Tulsa—860
6:00—Popular Songs
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:30—Maxwell Hour
9:00—Continentals
10:00—Roy Cunningham

344.6—WCBD Zion—870
8:00—Saxophones; Chorus; Bells

EASTERN

491.5—WEAF New York—610
5:00—Waldorf Astoria Orchestra
6:00—Midweek Hymn Sing
6:30—Coward Comfort Hour
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Clicquot Eskimos
9:00—Smith Brothers
9:30—Dance Orchestras

454.3—WJZ New York—660
6:00—U. S. Marine Band
6:30—National Mixed Quartet
7:00—Retold Tales
7:30—Ampico Program
8:00—Maxwell Hour
9:00—Continentals
10:00—Slumber Music

422.3—WOR Newark—710
6:30—Byer's Orchestra
7:00—N. Y. U. Politics Club
7:25—N. Y. Philharmonic Orchestra
9:15—Organ Nocturne
10:05—Specht's Orchestra

302.8—WGR Buffalo—990
5:30—Orchestra
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Church Program
8:00—Programs from New York

315.6—KDKA Pittsburgh—950
6:30—Novelty Program
7:00—Retold Tales
7:30—Piano Program
8:30—Maxwell Hour

379.5—WGY Schenectady—790
8:00—Clicquot
9:00—Carborundum Band
10:00—Dance Program

468.5—WRC Washington—640
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Clicquot Eskimos
9:00—Smith Brothers

SOUTHERN

475.9—WSB Atlanta—630
6:00—Colgate Hour
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Maxwell Hour
9:00—Utah Program
10:45—Organ

545.1—WFAA Dallas—550
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
9:00—Continentals

499.7—WBAP Fort Worth—600
6:00—Music Masters
8:00—Maxwell Hour
0:00—Concert
1:00—Capt. Appleblossom
1:30—Organ

384.4—KTHS Hot Springs—780
7:30—Various Features
8:00—Popular Music
9:00—Music
9:45—Orchestra

293.9—KPRC Houston—1020
6:30—Levy Program
7:30—Agriculture Program
8:00—NBC Program
9:00—Studio Concert

340.7—WJAX Jacksonville—880
6:00—Orchestra
7:00—Recital Program
7:30—Studio
8:00—Maxwell Hour
10:00—Orchestra

322.4—WHAS Louisville—930
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Maxwell Hour
9:00—Standard Band

516.9—WMC Memphis—580
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Maxwell Hour

336.9—WSM Nashville—890
6:15—Dinner Concert
7:00—Dodge Presentation
7:30—Hoover Sentinels
8:00—Maxwell Hour
9:00—Theater Orchestra
10:00—Vocal; Organ

296.9—WSMB New Orleans—1010
8:00—Orchestras; Vocal (2 hrs.)

499.7—WOAI San Antonio—600
7:00—Dodge Presentation

WESTERN

352.9—KOA Denver—920
7:00—Dodge Presentation
8:00—Maxwell Hour

468.5—KFI Los Angeles—640
9:00—Symphonette
10:00—Concert Orchestra
11:00—Dodge Presentation
11:30—Moon Magic
12:00—Modern Classical Music

336.9—KNX Los Angeles—890
9:00—Organ
10:00—General Petroleum Program
11:00—Courtesy Program
12:00—Dance Orchestras

384.4—KGO Oakland—780
8:35—Dinner Music
10:00—Calpet Hour
11:00—Dodge Presentation
11:30—Moon Magic
12:00—Dance Music

491.5—KGW Portland—610
8:00—Concert
8:30—Golden West Girl
10:00—Concert
11:00—Dodge Programs

422.3—KPO San Francisco—710
8:30—Organ
10:00—California Program
11:00—NBC Program
12:00—Dance Orchestra (2 hrs.)

348.6—KJR Seattle—860
8:30—Dinner Music
9:30—Composers' Birthdays
10:00—Studio Program
12:00—Dance Music

370.2—KHQ Spokane—810
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Haskell	9:00 a.m.	5:00 p.m.
Throckmorton	10:15 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
Ar. Breckenridge..	12:30 p.m.	7:45 p.m.
Ar. Ft. Worth....	4:45 p.m.	11:30 p.m.
Lv. Ft. Worth.....		9:00 a.m.
Ar. Breckenridge..		1:00 p.m.
Lv. Breckenridge..	9:30 a.m.	1:20 p.m.
Throckmorton	11:30 a.m.	1:20 p.m.
Haskell	1:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
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Lv. Wichita Falls—	7:00	9:20	11:40	1:40	3:40	5:40	7:40	9:40	11:40
Arv. Electra—	8:00	10:20	12:40	2:40	4:40	6:40	8:40	10:40	12:40
Arv. Vernon—	9:00	11:20	1:40	3:40	5:40	7:40	10:40	11:40	

SOUTH BOUND

	A.M.	A.M.	M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Lv. Vernon—	8:00	10:00	12:00	2:00	4:00	6:00	8:00	10:00
Arv. Electra—	9:00	11:00	1:00	3:00	5:00	7:00	9:00	11:00
Ar Wich. Falls	10:00	12:00	2:00	4:00	6:00	8:00	10:00	12:00

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A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M
6:15	8:40	10:40	12:40	2:40	4:40	6:40	8:40

Busses Leave for Archer City, Olney, Graham and Breckenridge—

A.M.	A.M.	M.	P.M
7:15	10:00	12:00	6:30

Busses make connection at Vernon for Stamford and Abilene—
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