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STATE DEMANDS DEATH FOR NORRIS

Frederick Man Slain As He Slept, State Charges

MRS. WRIGLEY PUT ON TRIAL IN DEATH CASE

Woman Accused Of Murder In Connection With Husband's Death

SON FACES CHARGE

Separate Trials Ordered By Court When Case Is Called Monday

By a Staff Correspondent.

FREDERICK, Okla., Jan. 24.—Following introduction of a long line of circumstantial evidence, state rested its case in the murder trial against Mrs. J. M. Wrigley late Monday before District Judge Frank Mathews.

Severance was granted for Mrs. Wrigley and son, Charles, 17, charged jointly with murder of J. M. Wrigley, pioneer farmer, and state called the trial of Mrs. Wrigley first.

Wrigley was slain in his bed as he lay sleeping at farm home east of city on morning of April 25.

Neighbors Testify.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Comer, near neighbors of Wrigleys first to testify for state, told of being called to Wrigley home on the morning of the tragedy and finding Wrigley slain. They testified that Mrs. Wrigley told them they had heard a noise and had dressed and peered in her husbands room to find him shot. Witnesses said Mrs. Wrigley had offered no other explanation of the murder.

State testimony shows that Mrs. Wrigley slept on a bed 15 feet from that of Mr. Wrigley on which he was slain and she was admittedly sleeping there on the night of the tragedy, Charles slept in a room opening off of that of his mother's.

Defense Scores Point.

Defense opened with character witnesses and later introduced shell exhibits to show that shells found in the farm home had wadding of a different nature than those found on the bed of the slain man and inside the door of the mother's room. Mrs. Wrigley will go on the stand Tuesday.

Hundreds forged through slush and rain to attend the trial and the courtroom and corridors were crowded with the interested and curious.

Scores of women were at the hearing.

MUSIC AS ANESTHETIC

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Music is being used at St. Mark's hospital to help adults to whom ether cannot be given for operations. The music comes by wire to earphone from a machine in another room so that the surgeon does not hear it.

THE WEATHER

Oklahoma—Tuesday and Wednesday, partly cloudy.

East Texas—Tuesday cloudy, local rains. Wednesday part cloudy, rain in southeast portion; light to fresh northerly to easterly winds on the coast.

West Texas—Tuesday and Wednesday generally fair.

Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday, little change in temperatures.

Local weather conditions for the past 24-hour period reported by the Texas Electric Service company bureau: Maximum temperature, 37 degrees; minimum, 21; at 5 p. m. Monday, 34; precipitation, .89 inch; north breeze; cloudy; average wind velocity, 2 miles per hour; maximum wind velocity, 7 miles per hour; barometer, 29.60.

HAMBONE MEDITATION



Ammonia Fumes Prevent Inspection Of Local Ice Plant Where Collapse Of Coil Kills M. A. Nowling Monday

Ammonia fumes which filled the plant Monday night prevented any investigation of the accident which Monday at 2:30 cost the life of M. A. Nowling, 60, engineer of Plant B of the People's Ice company at Fifth and Indiana.

Mr. Nowling was killed when ammonia coils, 60 feet overhead, fell on him while he was at work in the plant. He was rushed to a local hospital, but died en route. Fumes from the broken coils still filled the plant Monday night, and no investigation can be made of the accident until Tuesday, officials of the company said.

Mr. Nowling was working with M. K. Smith and A. B. Crouch when the crash came. Smith and Crough carried the injured man from the room as it slowly filled with the ammonia gas. He was carried to the Clinic hospital in a Hines ambulance. His head was badly crushed by the heavy coils.

Mr. Nowling was born in 1866 in New Brunswick, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Nowling. Funeral services will be held Wednesday although the hour for the service was not set last night. Father John Untereiner will conduct the funeral from Sacred Heart church and burial will be in the Sacred Heart cemetery.

Surviving Mr. Nowling are his widow and grown son, John Nowling, 1315 Eighteenth Street.

Queen of Cooks To Conduct School For Wichita Falls Women

Mrs. Ida Chitwood, nationally known cooking expert and well known to women of Wichita Falls and Texas, will conduct a cooking school in Wichita Falls for five days beginning Jan. 31.

Free Lectures

Mrs. Chitwood is being brought here under the auspices of The Record News, and women of the city, as well as of Northwest Texas, are invited to attend. All lectures will be free.

Mrs. Chitwood's acceptance of The Record News' invitation to appear in Wichita Falls was received Monday. She will open her lectures here January 31, and will give courses to women for five days. The spacious and comfortable Palace theater has been secured by The Record News for the seating of women attending the school.

In giving her courses here, Mrs. Chitwood will bring many new recipes and methods of cooking which have never been presented to the women of Wichita Falls. Her model kitchen, which will be fitted up in the Palace theater, will also show the latest appliances and methods of scientific cooking. The art of serving, which adds much to the attractiveness of a meal will be stressed by Mrs. Chitwood in her lectures.

Mrs. Chitwood is known all over the nation for her cooking schools, and her lectures always draw capacity houses in cities wherever she appears. All lectures in Wichita Falls are to be free, and every woman is invited by The Record News to attend. Mrs. Chitwood's complete program will be announced later.

Juvenile Judge Ben B. Lindsey Loses His Post

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 24. (AP) Ben B. Lindsey, judge and founder of the Denver juvenile court, ousted from his position by order of the Supreme Court of Colorado today in the election contest challenging his right to the post by the late Royal R. Graham, plans to carry his fight to the Supreme Court of the United States to retain his place, if necessary, he announced in a signed statement tonight.

DIES IN SNOW

E. L. White of Dallas Victim In Wyoming Blizzard.

LARAMIE, Wyo., Jan. 24. (AP) Winter claimed a life here today when E. L. White, a traveling salesman believed to be from Dallas, Texas, died in Ivanson hospital as a result of exposure. White was found frozen, after spending the night in the snow near Carbon, 75 miles west of here, after his automobile had become stalled in the drifts.

GLASS WAGE CUT

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 24. (AP)—A ten per cent wage reduction, affecting more than 1000 cutters and flatteners in the window glass trade became effective today. The reduction was agreed upon, it was announced to enable manufacturers to compete with imported glass.

Popular



Wichita Falls will entertain an ever-popular visitor January 31-February 4, when Mrs. Ida Chitwood conducts a cooking school here for Wichita Falls women. While the noted cooking expert is being brought here by The Record News for five days of free lectures for the women, her presence will also meet with the warm approval of the men-folks, ever watchful for new and tempting dishes.

CASE IS MOVED

Browning Trial Transferred To White Plains.

CARMEN, N. Y., Jan. 24.(AP) The first act of Edward Bornwine's separation suit trial against his wife, the former Frances (Peachs) Heenan closed here today, the stage deserted and all the property men bound south for a new "opening" at White Plains, N. Y., to which Justice Seeger, ordered it transferred.

The main street of Carmel which at 10 o'clock in the morning was black with automobiles, sleighs, photographers, reporters and farmers, was tonight a single ribbon of beaten snow, with nobody on it.

$10,500 FOR $40

Long Shot On New Orleans Track Pays Record Price.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 24. (AP) Rock Sugar, winning the sixth race at the fair grounds today, paid $451.20 for each two dollar mutuel ticket, said to have been the record price on a New Orleans track. The horse paid approximately $225 to $1.

A Greek restaurant owner, who had placed $40 on Rock Sugar to win, and $20 to place, won approximately $10,500. The horse paid $151.60 to place and $34.40 to show. Rock Sugar, owned by H. M. Dixon, is a four-year-old gelding. Jockey J. McCoy piloted the long shot.

CITY DELAYS TAX PENALTY OVER PROTEST

Jones Voted Down In Stand For Collection Of Charter Interest.

SCHOOLS MAY FOLLOW

Council Extends Time Of Payment to March 31

Following a custom that has prevailed for some six or seven years, the city council Monday night extended for one month the time for paying current tax assessments. But it passed the resolution in the face of vigorous protest from Finance Commissioner Oral Jones who contended the council was without authority to take such action.

Month's Extension

In his contention, Commissioner Jones was backed by A. H. Brittain, prominent attorney, former mayor and the man under whose supervision the present city charter was drafted. The council, on its part, was backed by City Attorney W. E. George who contended the council was entirely within its rights.

The charter provides in section 81 that "all taxes levied and collected for the year shall be paid by Feb. 1 or thereafter bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, and all taxes hereafter to be levied for the year . . . and subsequent years shall be paid by the first day of February of the year succeeding the levy, and when not so paid by Feb. 1, shall thereafter bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, and in addition thereto there shall be collected an additional 10 per cent upon the amount of such taxes as a penalty, etc."

Authority Denied

In a letter to Commissioner Jones, Judge Britain, after reciting the provisions of the charter, said: "This provision of the charter is, in my opinion, mandatory, and does not clothe the board of aldermen with any authority to extend the time of payment of such taxes without the payment of such interest and penalty.

"The charter of the city is its fundamental law or constitution and the board of aldermen has no power to suspend its plain mandatory provisions."

Attorney Approves

Turning to the other side, City Attorney George's letter to Commissioner Jones had the following to say:

"I find nothing in the city charter, the constitution of Texas or the revised civil statutes of Texas prohibiting the city council from extending the date of the payment of taxes for 30 or 60 days as has been the custom in the past."

March 31 New Date

Commissioner Jones held out for a strict adherence to the letter of the law but he was alone in his stand. Mayor R. E. Shepherd and all the other aldermen, with the exception of J. H. Patton who was absent because of illness, were in favor of extending the time as has been done heretofore.

The action of the council probably means that the school board will extend the time for payment of school taxes. It is not mandatory on the board so to do, but in the past school officials have always followed the lead of the council.

Whatever the legal status of the question may be, taxpayers here now have until March 31 to pay their assessments free of all penalties and interest.

WOODS REJECTED

Senate Refuses to Confirm Nomination For I. C. C.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.(AP)—Cyrus E. Woods' nomination to be a member of the interstate commerce commission was rejected today by the senate. The vote was 45 to 28. The fight on Mr. Woods, who was formerly ambassador to Spain and Japan, was based mainly on the ground that he had financial interests in Pennsylvania which would make it improper for him to render decisions.

Myles O'Reilly Gives Park For City's Children

A tract of land one block square and fronting Wichita river near Front street was deeded to the city Monday night by Miles O'Reilly with provisions that it shall be used as a playground to be known as "Miles O'Reilly Children's Park."

The donor, a pioneer of Wichita Falls, who is now critically ill, set forth in the conveyance that he wished the children of Wichita Falls to have some such recreational spot. The deed, dated January 20, provided that the ground was to be used for nothing other than the park and playground.

The city council accepted the gift and passed a resolution of thanks and appreciation to Mr. O'Reilly.

FUNERALS FOR BAYLOR DEAD

Ten Victims In Bus-Train Crash Buried

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 24.(AP)—All of the 10 victims of the grade crossing crash at Round Rock Saturday when a Missouri Pacific train struck a Baylor university bus carrying basketball players and other students, had been buried tonight.

Joint services were held at Baylor this afternoon for the three Waco young men, Robert Hannah, G. H. Winchester and James Clyde Kelley. The funeral of Jimmy Walker and Willis Murray was held at Gatesville and that of Merle Dudley and Sam Dillow were held at their respective homes, Abilene and Fort Worth. The others, Robert Hailey of Lott, Ivy B. Foster Jr. of Taylor and Jack Castellaw of Ennis, were buried previously.

Basketball on the southwest conference, of which Baylor university is a member, was demoralized temporarily by the wiping out of the Baylor squad. Several games including that scheduled for tonight at Fort Worth between Texas Christian university and Rice institute, have been cancelled.

WACO, Texas, Jan. 24.(AP)—All of those injured in the collision Saturday will recover, it was stated today as memorial services were held and friends gathered for the funeral of the victims. Ten members of the Baylor basketball team met death in the accident which occurred as the team was enroute to play a game.

JIM SPEAKS UP

Ferguson Charges Solons' Probe An Usurpation.

AUSTIN, Jan. 24. (AP)—Counter charges implying abuse of constitutional authority and "usurpation" of remunerative employment were hurled here tonight by James E. Ferguson against the investigating committee of the Texas Legislature which recently reported 700,000 words of findings concerning the former governor's "domination" of the state house while his wife, Miriam A. Ferguson, was governor.

NEW COURT BILL

Solon Would Create New West Texas District.

Special to The Record News.

AUSTIN, Jan. 24.—A bill, proposing to take Taylor, Fisher and Young counties out of the 29th Judicial District and create in them the new 104th judicial district, was offered in the house by Cummings, Pope, King of Throckmorton, Hall of Mitchell and Merritt Monday. It would authorize appointment of the judge for the new district, and district attorneys for both districts.

CHAPLIN BETTER

NEW YORK, Jan. 24. (AP)—Charlie Chaplin is improving rapidly from the nervous breakdown as a result of a suit for divorce by his wife.

After a short automobile ride yesterday afternoon the comedian, stopping at the Fifth avenue home of his lawyer, Nathan Burkan, said he was feeling splendid.

CITY WITHOUT TAXES HAS BIG CASH SURPLUS

Altus, Oklahoma, Operates For Second Successive Year Without Taxes

$23,000 NOW IN BANK

City-Owned Water and Light Department Shows Big Profit

By MATTYE WILSON
Staff Correspondent.

ALTUS, Jan. 24—For the second consecutive year, the city of Altus has operated without an ad valorem tax levy and the semi-annual report of the superintendent of the water and light departments, municipally owned, shows a net profit for the city of $47,775.21 for the last six months of the year 1926.

This figure was shown in the report of L. L. Smith, superintendent, to the city council and surpasses all previous earning figures of the publicly owned utilities.

Water Department Profits

The city's water department showed a net earning for the last six months of 1926 of $8,934.26 and the light and power department a net earning of $38,840.95.

In 1925 when Smith recommended to the city council that the city could operate without an ad valorem tax, he was told that "it can't be done." Yet Smith stood out for his point and the council asked no ad valorem tax. At the close of the fiscal year of 1925-26, it was found that the earnings from the city owned utilities had not only paid all the operating expenses of the city of Altus, but more than $14,000 was available to go into the sinking fund.

Depreciation accounts have been set up for the city property as well as all replacements being taken care of as installed out of city property earnings. The city-owned hospital is the third city-owned property more than paying its way although its earnings are slight, Smith said.

$23,000 in Treasury

At the close of the year 1926, Altus had a surplus unexpended cash balance on hand of over $23,000 after paying all operating expenses of the city to that date.

Present indications are that the record of 1925-26 will be surpassed this year and a still larger cash balance will be available for the sinking fund at the close of business in June.

JOHNSTON DEATH

Mrs. Sarah Jane Johnston Dies At Burkburnett.

Special to The Record News.

BURKBURNETT, Jan. 24.—Mrs. Sarah Jane Johnston, 69, died at the home of her son, W. O. Johnston on the Texas company lease Supnday night at 11:30 o'clock, following a long illness of nearly a year's time.

Mrs. Johnston is survived by her husband, George W. Johnston, four sons: W. O. of Burkburnett; E. P. of Olney; L. J. of Archer City; P. L. Johnston of Mexia; also two daughters: Mrs. Nellie Gerrell of Ninekah, Okla., and Mrs. Cleo Rollins of Chickasha, Okla. And one brother, T. A. Swan of Rievista, Texas.

AFTER STANDARD

Senate Bill Would Oust Big Oil Company.

Special to The Record News.

AUSTIN, Jan. 24.—A bill to repeal "Senate bill 189" of 1925 which readmitted the Standard Oil company of New Jersey and other foreign corporations having no permits to do business in Texas, to "participate in the management of corporations in which stock is owned" by these corporations, was introduced in the house Monday by Representatives King of Throckmorton, Poage and Cummings. The law which the bill seeks to repeal is said to have been advocated by the Humble Oil and Refining company.

Gets Five Years



Mrs. Edna Cline, tried at Tulsa, Okla., charged with the murder of her husband, Wesley Cline, in November, as he lay asleep following a party, alleged he suggested during the party that he and a guest "swap women." As the state asked the death penalty, announcement was made in court that Mrs. Cline soon would become a mother. The jury Monday found her guilty of manslaughter and assessed a penalty of five years in prison.

CHURCH GIVEN $100,000 FUND

First Methodist Stewards Aid New Building

More than $100,000 was subscribed Monday night by members of the board of stewards of the First Methodist church in a meeting held at the Wichita club for the building of the new church now under construction at Tenth and Travis. Seventy men were present, and each one pledged to help in putting over the building fund, give additional aid, and each man volunteered to go out and get other subscribers.

"It was a successful meeting," N. H. Martin, chairman of the board, declared following the meeting.

Plans for the continuance of the building of the new $400,000 church were discussed in the open meeting in which members of the board took part. Special talks were made by Dr. Walter J. Johnson, presiding elder of the Wichita Falls district; Dr. S. S. McKenney, pastor of the church; J. J. Perkins, chairman of the building committee, and Mr. Martin, chairman of the board of stewards.

AUTO VICTIM

Services Held at Burkburnett For Mrs. T. S. Jackson.

The body of Mrs. T. S. Jackson, victim of an automobile wreck on the Burkburnett highway Friday night, was taken Sunday night to Burkburnett where funeral services were held Monday afternoon. Mrs. Jackson met almost instant death when her jugular vein was cut when the automobile in which she was driving crashed into a parked machine.

DAY IN WASHINGTON

The supreme court adjourned until February 21.

Cyrus E. Woods' nomination was rejected by the senate.

Democrats in the house moved to call their tax reduction bill.

Trial of Albert B. Fall and Harry F. Sinclair was postponed until April 25.

The senate judiciary committee recommended a blanket investigation of federal patronage.

Charles Chaplin's attorneys asked the government to remove its lien upon the movie actor's bank funds.

The house decided not to insist upon the Hull amendment to the McFadden branch banking bill.

Acceptance of the American Cynamid company's new bid for Muscle Shoals was proposed by Representative Madden of Illinois.

Prohibition was debated in the senate; Representative McLeod of Michigan asked an investigation of enforcement in the Detroit district.

Bids for ships of the United States and American merchant lines, including the Leviathan were rejected by the shipping board.

PASTOR'S SONS SIT BY HIM AS TRIAL CLOSES

Possibility Of Verdict From Jury Tonight Seen By Observers

CHARGE FOR DEFENSE

Court's Instructions to Jury Favors Norris' Side Of Trial

COURT ROOM, AUSTIN, Jan. 24.(AP)—The lives of Dr. J. Frank Norris, pastor of the First Baptist church at Fort Worth, and Dexter E. Chipps, the man he killed in his study last July 18, were contrasted here today in arguments before the jury in Dr. Norris murder trial.

Defense attorneys painted Norris as "the spiritual leader of 9000 people," and Chipps as the product of "iniquitous orgies" who led a life of alleged dissipation while the pastor who killed him was laboring to save souls.

Gun Not Necessary.

Judge James R. Hamilton, in charging the jury, told them that if they believed from all circumstances that the defendant was in apparent danger as viewed from his standpoint then they should acquit. He said it was not necessary to prove that the slain man, Chipps, had a gun when he called at Dr. Norris' office. The judge's instructions covered 80 typewritten pages. The instruction requested by the state on the question of "provoking a difficulty" was not included.

Each side was allowed six hours for argument and the state opened about 10:30 a. m., with an address by John E. Shelton of Austin, one of the special prosecutors.

Demand For Death.

Shelton demanded the death penalty for Dr. Norris, declaring that on the law and the evidence "this man has forfeited his life and liberty."

Shelton was followed by Attorney Marvin Simpson of defense, who spoke about two hours. District Attorney Jessie Martin of Fort Worth followed Simpson, speaking for the state.

When court opened this morning Norris sat surrounded by his close friends with a former policeman at his elbow for protection from what his friends feared might be a demonstration against him. Norris said that a large number of his church members were in the court room and that his supporters had thought it best to be close to him in the closing hours of the trial. Court bailiffs were requested to permit no one to sit near the defendant who was not known to be friendly to him.

Sons With Norris.

The defendant's two young sons, J. Frank Norris Jr., and George Louis Norris, came to the court room with their mother during the arguments to sit with their father.

The case probably will go to the jury tomorrow afternoon.

STRESS OF TRIAL TURNS DR. NORRIS' HAIR GREY.

By BESS CARROLL.
(Universal Service Staff.)

AUSTIN, Jan. 24.—As "justice" rheumatic old lady with bobbed hair rubs her eyes and aims an astonished trumpet toward Travis county Criminal Court, the Bible is being cited here in Texas, an authority on points of law—perhaps for the first time in this country's history.

And this formal introduction of scripture as an ally to law books is offered by the Rev. J. Frank Norris, fundamentalism's leading champion—on trial for his life, charged with murder.

As attorneys for the Rev. Dr. Norris cite God's influence in the famous "killings" of the Bible (notably the case of Moses slaying the Egyptian, and David and Goliath) nature herself takes a hand in scriptural fundamentalism's melee with man-made Texas laws.

Two weeks ago, Dr. Norris' hair was black, now it is grey.

The "evolution" of this change contrasts strangely with the ultra-fundamental arguments of lawyers speaking for Darwin's archenemy.

Still stranger, in Criminal Court—as a verdict looms, in this famous trial—is the red hair of Mrs. Norris, flaming like the trimmed lamp of a woman's faith. A red hat, beneath it, tears; a gay bit of crimson felt trimmed with silver baubles, hiding a head touched with rough, unkind hands.

Mingling their tears with those of their parents, as judgment waits on Dr. Norris, the minister's two sons sit quietly behind the grey head and red hat. They are shoulder to shoulder with their accused father, while just across the table sits young Elliot Chipps, son of the man who was slain before the pastor's gun. He has no one to share tears with him. He is alone.

JURY EXONERATES

8 Officers Accused In Ambush Deaths 'No Billed.'

RAYMONDVILLE, Jan. 24. (AP)—Eight Willacy county officers, including Sheriff Raymond Teller, named in charges filed in connection with the "ambush case" death of four Mexicans and one Austrian last September, were exonerated today in the report of the Willacy county grand jury and the charges were dismissed.

Wichita Falls Area "Thaws Out" As Ice Blanket Melts Monday

Wichita Falls and northwest Texas were slowly extricating themselves Monday night from the havoc wrought by ice and rain Sunday. Wire facilities, though far from perfect, had been placed in more or less usable condition Monday evening and line crews that had worked unceasingly since Saturday night thought that with an even break in weather conditions, service would be greatly improved by Tuesday morning. It will require weeks, however, to overcome the full extent of damage caused by the storm.

Cut off almost completely from the outside world Sunday night, Wichita Falls awoke Monday morning to find its telephone and telegraph lines still terribly crippled, its trees and shrubs bending low under their accumulations of ice, and its streets and walks hurled in mud and slush. Mists and light rains that fell intermittently throughout the day did not add to comfort. Nor did the constant drip, drip, drip that came from icicles overhead do much to clear up the situation.

A further moderation in temperature brought rapid melting of the heavily coated wires, trees and shrubs and by Monday night much of the picturesque scenery, made so by glittering expanse of ice, had merged again into somber, sodden and rain soaked foliage.

Electra heaved a sigh of relief shortly before 7 o'clock Monday night when linemen put the finishing touches on broken transmission wires and gave the up-county community light and power for the first time in 33 hours. Snapping of the high-voltage transmission lines early Sunday cut off all electrical service in Electra and the city went through Sunday night and all day Monday without an electric bulb burning. Electric company officials here anticipated no further trouble unless another freeze should load up the wires with ice again.

The Southwestern Bell Telephone company, the Western Union, the Postal and the various railroad companies found it slow work Monday but by herculean efforts managed to restore service after a fashion. The Western Union, which managed to keep one wire going to Dallas through the worst of the Sunday storm, was able to improve its service materially throughout the day Monday as repair crews restrung copper strands in all directions. The Postal also managed to get things started again.

With its long-distance service entirely paralyzed and city service somewhat impaired, the telephone company's line crews were spured on spiritedly Monday. The phone company accordingly found itself in much better shape Monday night and was able to get into Fort Worth and Dallas. Conditions to the north were also improved.

Press telegraph service was still in bad shape Monday night. Not a sounder clicked in the Record News Associated Press room Sunday night, nor did the Universal Service automatic printer hit a lick. Universal was still out Monday night, as was one of the two A. P. wires which serve the Record News. The main A. P. circuit was finally put in operation over an extended route that ran west to Amarillo, meandered through half-a-dozen points in New Mexico and Arizona and finally switched northward to Denver. All A. P. news received by the Record News Monday night came down from the Colorado capitol. Ordinarily such dispatches come via Chicago, Kansas City and Dallas.

The second A. P. wire, known as the Texas loop and which serves only the larger cities of the state, was still dead at midnight Monday. All efforts to open it to Dallas had been unavailing. State news of importance was brought in via Western Union telegrams.

MEMPHIS FOR RAIL TERMINAL

Town Boosted For Extension Of Burlington Ry.

MEMPHIS, Jan. 24.—An organization was formed and a definite movement started to secure the construction of an extension of the Burlington system out of here to go to Spearman, Hansford county, via Wellington, Shamrock, Canadian and other cities along the route at a meeting held at Wellington Wednesday.

R. F. Bennett of the West Texas chamber of commerce was present at the meeting and pledged the aid of that organization in securing the line.

The Burlington has been considering such a line for several months and a number of surveys have been made on the proposed route. For this reason it is thought that little difficulty will be encountered in securing the road's willingness to build.

It is pointed out that Memphis is the logical point of origin for such a line as the Denver officials declined to build the South Plains extension out of here because it would necessitate the construction of another bridge across the Red River. If the Spearman project were started from Childress it would be necessary to build another bridge while such is not the case if it starts here.

It is thought likely by some that the line may be extended on to Alliance, Nebraska, where it would connect with the main line of the Burlington.

Bob Anglin of Spearman was elected president of the organization and C. C. Small of Wellington secretary. G. A. Sager will represent Memphis and C. W. Allen will represent Canadian on the directorate.

Others at the meeting were W. P. Dial, F. N. Forhall and J. M. Elliott of Memphis; Sam Horton of Spearman; E. S. Sheaf, C. C. Small, S. R. Funkston, Deskin Wells, Aubrey Bobbs, H. A. Phillips and A. N. Hutchinson of Wellington.

YOUTH INTERRED

Rites at Grandfield Held For Sid Hasenmyer

Special to The Record News.

GRANDFIELD, Jan. 25.—Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 for Sydney Hasenmyer, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam C. Hasenmyer, who died Wednesday following his injury in an automobile accident several days previously. Deceased was one of the greatest athletes ever turned out by Grandfield high school, having graduated in 1923.

SCOUT PROGRAM

Frederick Troop To Conduct Clean-up Drive

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Jan. 24.—With clean-up campaigns and fire prevention as their chief work for the year, Frederick's four troops of Boy Scouts are entering into 1927 with a definite objective of accomplishment. As a fitting anniversary activity, the Father and Son banquet will be celebrated February 8. An annual summer camp is being planned in July, to be held at Craterville, R. V. Koch has been elected merit badge examiner, to succeed Joe Baroff, who is leaving the city.

OIL TEST FAILS

Rock Formation Blocks Drill At Grandfield

Special to The Record News.

GRANDFIELD, Jan. 24.—After having drilled 200 feet of the hard rock formation which was entered at 1750 feet, Bridwell and Heydrick have abandoned their river bed oil test south of here. The rock formation has never been drilled through since its first penetration years ago.

NEW PUMP HOUSE

Frederick Water Plant Will Get Addition.

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Jan. 24. — Construction is to begin soon on a new brick building to house the water pumps and electric switchboards of the city's distributing system, according to John Zumwalt, city water and light superintendent. An appropriation of $2,100 was made in the last budget for this item.

COMPLETES WORK

Health Expert Closes Work At Frederick

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Jan. 24.—Miss Helen Duerkson, representative of the Oklahoma Public Health association, has completed two weeks of work in the public schools of Tillman county. A chest clinic conducted on the last day of her campaign here was largely attended.

800 GAS METERS

Frederick Gas Company Sets Large Goal.

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Jan. 24. — Over 130 gas meters have been installed in Frederick by the Community Natural Gas company, since opening of service on December 29, according to C. C. Moore, local superintendent.

More said his company hoped to have at least 800 meters in by the first of next year.

MRS. ELLIOTT BURIED

Special to The Record News.

CROWELL, Jan. 24. — Funeral services were held here Friday for Mrs. John R. Elliott, who died at Chillicothe on Thursday. The deceased formerly resided here. She is survived by her husband and several children.

SCHOOLBOY RECOVERS

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Jan. 24.—Eldon Boyd, 9, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Boyd of this place, has recovered from the effects of a fall from the stairs of the Lowell school Wednesday. He was unconscious for a time.

OPERETTA POSTPONED

Special to The Record News.

CARTER, Okla., Jan. 24.—The operetta which was to have been presented by the Pioneer Study club on January 24 has been indefinitely postponed.

Makes Three Letters Famous



Underwood & Underwood

Shortest name of any famous actress in the world is borne by Tora Tje, star of the Royal Dramatic theater, Stockholm. She is favorite actress of the royal family.

K. OF P. MEETING

Music And Addresses On Program For Open Session

The monthly open meeting of the local Knights of Pythias lodge will be held Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock when an excellent program has been arranged for the occasion, it was announced last night. All Knights together with their families are invited to be present.

Preceding the open meeting, the degree work in the third rank will be given candidates beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. S. S. McKenney and Rev. Floyd Allen Bash are to make short addresses at the open meeting. J. S. Pittman will preside at the piano and Mayor R. E. Shepherd will sing. Music will also be furnished by the Pythian band.

MEMORIAL SCHOOL

Wealthy Woman Honors Memory of Parents

NEW YORK, Jan. 24. (AP)—Mrs. John Wallace Riddle, one of the richest women architects in America is building a college as a memorial to her parents.

Three million dollars has already been spent in construction of buildings of Avon college, a junior college and preparatory school for boys at Avon, Old Farms, Conn., which is expected to open next fall.

The school is designed as a progressive experiment in secondary education. It was run on a non-profit making basis and will accommodate 400 students.

$2,500 BLAZE

Home of Children's Aid Society Badly Damaged

Fire believed to have started from an overheated gas stove caused damage estimated at $2500 at a residence at 1507 Blonde street early Monday afternoon. The building is owned by Mrs. J. W. Harper and was used by the West Texas Children's Aid society as a home for youngsters placed in its care.

Temporarily, the home will be established in a residence near the site of the burned building, but officials of the aid society are seeking a new location.

QUIZ FILM KING

Lita Socks to Locate Charlie Chaplin's Cash

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 24. (AP)—Attorneys for Lita Grey Chaplin today stated that Samuel Goldwyn, motion picture producer, has been requested to make a deposition as to his knowledge of Charlie Chaplin's believedly unrevealed assets.

Goldwyn also will be asked to explain Goldwyn's note for $150,000 reported by receivers for the Chaplin Studios Inc., as found among papers in the comedian's studio safes.

RACE INJUNCTION

Court Issues Order Allowing Florida Horse Racing

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., Jan. 24. (AP)—The Florida supreme court late today granted temporary supersedeas writs in both the Tampa racing injunction cases and in the Pompano racing injunction case.

The effect of the writs will be to allow horse racing to continue at Tampa Downs and greyhound racing at the Hillsboro Kennel club tracks until the court has disposed of the question of legality of operation of the tracks under the lease certificate sale system.

TRIAL POSTPONED

Fall-Sinclair Case Put Off Until April 25

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24. (AP) Trial of Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior, and Harry F. Sinclair, on charges growing out of the lease of the Teapot Dome naval oil reserve was postponed today until April 25.

JURY RETURNS

Probers Resume Work at Wichita Courthouse.

The grand jury of the 30th District Court which has been adjourned for the past week returned to work Monday morning. It adjourned for the day late in the afternoon without returning a report to Judge E. G. Thornton.

It was believed possible the jury would make a report some time Tuesday.

NEGRO ON TRIAL.

Willis Lewis, negro, went to trial Monday afternoon before a jury and Judge P. A. Martin in the 9th District Court on a charge of assault with intent to murder.

Lewis is alleged to have been involved in a cutting affray with another negro, Gus Reeves, in a negro cafe on Lake Street several months ago.

TWO YOUTHS HELD

Special to The Record News.

CISCO, Jan. 24. — Two youths were taken to Eastland Friday following their arrest here as suspicious characters. The boys were driving an automobile which officers believed had been stolen.

BOY SCOUT SCHOOL

Special to The Record News.

CISCO, Jan. 24.—The Boy Scout leadership training school session scheduled to have been held here Thursday night has been postponed and will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the Rotary club room.

MOVES TO PANHANDLE

Special to The Record News.

CARTER, Okla., Jan. 24.—John Vinegard, who for many years has been a prominent farmer of this community, has sold his farm here and moved to a farm near Abernathy on the Texas plains.

ICE PLANT STARTED

Special to The Record News.

CISCO, Jan. 24.—Work has started on the new ice plant being erected by the West Texas Utilities company in South Cisco. Several other buildings are under construction in this section, including several stores.

FAUST TO GO ON TRIAL SOON

Indicted In Connection With W. T. Reese's Death

Special to The Record News.

MONTAGUE, Jan. 24.— The grand jury in its report returned twenty felony indictments and two misdemeanor indictments. Seventeen of the felonies were liquor cases, one forgery, one burglary and one murder indictment.

According to an announcement by County Attorney Renne Allred Jr., all old cases on the docket are set for trial the week of Jan. 24, and the non-capital cases indicted by the grand jury this term are set for the week of Jan. 31.

The murder indictment was against W. C. Faust, charging him with the murder of W. T. Reese. Reese was found lying by the side of a fly wheel in the Continental power house out in the oil fields, with two severe wounds in his head on the morning of Dec. 5. He was given first aid treatment by Dr. Crain of Nocona and taken to Wichita Falls where he died in the Wichita Clinic hospital, the day following.

It was generally thought at the time of the finding of Reese's body, that he was accidentally killed by the fly wheel, but after an investigation started by Mr. Allred, county attorney - elect, Faust was arrested and charged with the murder. He was released on $2500 bond to await the action of the grand jury.

Faust was arrested on the indictment and is in the county jail. His attorneys are endeavoring to make bond for him which has been set by the court at $5000.

The trial of his case has been set for Feb. 7, the sixth and last week of the district court for the January term. A special venire of 100 men have been ordered by Judge Vincent Stine.

14 LETTER MEN

Crowell High School Grid Stars Get Honors.

Special to The Record News.

CROWELL, Jan. 24.—Fourteen letter men of the 1926 Crowell High school football team were awarded letters by Coach W. J. Morris at the school. Haskell Norman, two-year end, was elected captain.

The following received sweaters with the coveted "C."

James Ashford, captain 1924-26; Teddy Burrow, captain 1925; Haskell Norman, captain elect; Elmer Lawson, Raymond Burrow, Robert Cock, Howell Hallmark, J. T. Carter, Allen Cogdell, Vance Swaim, Carvel Thompson, Weldon Cogdell, Thomas Ellis, Harry Moore.

MERCHANTS DINE

Cisco Retail Merchants Hear Dallas Man.

CISCO, Jan. 24. — The annual banquet of the Cisco Retail Merchants association held Thursday night was featured by an address by Al Schuman, potentate of Hella Shrine temple at Dallas. A crowd much larger than was anticipated attended the banquet which was held in the banquet room of the First Methodist church.

BAND PROGRAM

Gold Medal Musicians Give Concert at Flaska.

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Jan. 24.—The Memphis Gold Medal band presented a program to a large and appreciative audience at Flaska, the third of a number of such community programs planned for this year. In addition to the band, a male quartet rendered several numbers.

MOVE MONUMENT

Ozark Monument Moved From Memphis Square.

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Jan. 24.—The Old Ozark monument has been moved from the northwest corner of the square and the spot where it stood is now paved. The removal of the monument helps the appearance of that section of town.

ELECTRA BOY PROMOTED

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Jan. 24.—Announcement has been made by Commander J. C. Patterson, head of the military corps and discipline system of Schreiner Institute that Marion G. Hammon of Electra has been promoted from sergeant to second lieutenant.

BIG WOLF HUNT

Posse Dons Snow Shoes To Make War On Pest In Forests

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.(AP)—Equipped with rifles, snow shoes, complete hunting outfit, a party of Cook county forest preserve officials left today to hunt wolves and coyotes which have been preying upon the livestock of residents at the southwest edge of Chicago.

The party plans to tramp over a 15-mile territory of woodlands and hills, covered with from one to four feet of snow. At least one pair of wolves, four cubs and three coyoes are known to be active.

REAGAN ELECTED

Grandfield Chamber of Commerce Names President

Special to The Record News.

GRANDFIELD, Jan. 24.—Ross P. Reagan was elected to succeed himself as president of the chamber of commerce at the directors meeting held recently. M. G. Jones was elected vice-president and Ed. Burke was elected secretary. The following board was elected:

J. B. Stout, Dr. W. A. Fuqua, W. P. Misemer, Frank Dudenhoeffer, F. G. Patterson, G. S. Castleman, Harry Chambers, F. B. Smith and Earl Fuller. All of the new directors were present at Monday evening's meeting and the election of officers was unanimous.

TOO MUCH NOISE

Crowell Light Plant Makes Too Much 'Racket.'

Special to The Record News.

CROWELL, Jan. 24.—The noise of the light plant here is soon to be eliminated according to Dudley U. Baker, local manager of the West Texas Utilities company. He stated that the company's line from Munday to Truscott would be extended here and that Crowell would be supplied current from this line. This means that Crowell will have available a current of 6,600 volts whereas it has 2,300 volts at present.

PASTOR GREETED

Crowell Baptists Welcome New Minister.

Special to The Record News.

CROWELL, Jan. 24.—A hearty welcome was given Rev. E. L. Mayfield, new pastor of the Baptist church, when he spoke last Sunday at the church. Congregations from the various churches of the city turned out to hear the new pastor. He came here from Tipton, Okla.

CISCO PIONEER ILL

Ex-Mayor of West Texas Town In Grave Condition.

Special to The Record News.

CISCO, Jan. 24.—Edgar Alford, former mayor of Cisco who is well known by many "old-timers" here is in a grave condition in the Harris sanitarium at Fort Worth. He was taken to Eagleson several weeks ago for medical treatment and from there to Fort Worth, where his left leg was amputated.

HOTEL MANAGER

R. J. Snyder to Operate New Memphis Hotel.

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Jan. 24.—R. J. Snyder of Columbus, Ohio, has succeeded Tom Wilson as manager of the new Memphis hotel. Mr. Wilson has gone to Amarillo where he becomes connected with the Thompson hotel.

STONE BREAKS LEG

Special to The Record News.

CISCO, Jan. 24.—Marvin Cosart has four bones broken in his leg as the result of an accident at the Bedford-Carthage stone plant here. Cosart was unloading one of the huge gang saws when a large piece of stone fell on his leg.

HOUSE CONTRACT LET.

Special to The Record News.

CHILDRESS, Jan. 24.—Contract has been let by L. B. Sheats to C. A. Nalls for the construction of a modern six-room home to be built in the northwest part of the city.

IN DESPAIR OVER PIMPLY, RED SKIN

ITCHED AND BURNED— UGLY TO LOOK AT

Healed at last, quickly and easily

Charlotte, Mich., Oct. 21:—"I have been a sufferer from a most unsightly skin disorder, my face being full of pimples and blackheads and my complexion was very muddy. It was very ugly to look at as it was red and firey and it annoyed me by itching and burning. I tried many treatments, but got no relief. When I was a small baby I had eczema on my body and my mother used Resinol Ointment on it and she recommended it to me at this time. In desperation I decided to send for a sample of Resinol. After using the sample I bought more Resinol as I was convinced it was a splendid remedy. After I had applied it four times, the pimples began to heal and at the end of two weeks they had entirely disappeared. Now, I have such confidence in Resinol Ointment I would not be without it." (Signed) Mrs. Alton D. White, R. F. D. 11.

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Frederick To Get Big Curing Plant For Sweet Potato Canning Factory

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Jan. 24.—Frederick has been chosen as the location for one of 10 sweet potato curing plants which the Oklahoma Yam company of Crescent, proposes to establish in the state, provided requirements of the company are met.

E. H. Pittman, representative of the Crescent interests, has concluded a survey of Frederick and Tillman county, and informed the chamber of commerce that this city is ideally located for one of the plants. Pittman said several offers from other towns in the southwestern part of the state had been turned down.

E. E. Napper, secretary of the chamber of commerce, is working at this time on a survey designed to ascertain to what extent farmers will be willing to grow sweet potatoes. This is an essential to establishment of the plant.

The company demands a 200 by 300-foot location, adjacent to a railway and desires contracts with farmers in the surrounding community by which they will deliver 50,000 bushels of sweet potatoes the first year.

The company, in addition to establishing the plant and curing for curing and distributing, will supervise selection of seed and give courses in methods of culture for the sweet potatoes.

"We are very anxious to secure this plant," said Napper, "and I believe we can easily raise the contracted amount of potatoes."

BRIDGE ON BRAZOS

Crossing On Munday-Vera Highway Completed

Special to The Record News.

MUNDAY, Jan. 24.—The bridge across the Brazos river north of Munday has been completed, as have the roadways on both sides of the river, and traffic is now open between this city and the Vera community and all points along the F. F. F. highway, which will materially shorten the distance between Munday and the Vera community.

The completion of this bridge and roadway brings to a successful close a fight that has been waged by the Munday Chamber of Commerce for more than two years for a direct connection with that section of the county lying north of the Brazos river.

BLAST KILLS FIVE

Bodies Taken From Ruins Of Brick Building

TOLEDO, Ohio, Jan. 24. (AP)—Five bodies had been recovered late today from the ruins of a two-story brick building which was destroyed by fire following two explosions shortly after noon.

GRAHAM NATIONAL ELKS.

Special to The Record News.

GRAHAM, Jan. 24.—The Graham National bank elected the following officers at its stockholders meeting held Tuesday: W. A. Corbet, president; R. V. Tidwell, active vice-president; G. D. Hinson, vice-president; H. L. Tidwell, cashier; Mrs H. D. Criswell, assistant cashier; E. R. Whittenburg and A. A. Morrison.

QUAKE IN ALGIERS

ALGIERS, Jan. 24. (AP)—A violent earth shock was felt in the Algiers district during the night. Some damage was caused, but there were no casualties.

FARMER GETS PATENT

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Jan. 24.—J. W. Jarmon, Tillman farmer, has received a patent from the United States government on an improvement for two-row lister cultivators.

TWO GIRL BANDITS

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 24.(AP)—Two girl bandits, showing their male companion "how it is done," robbed Mrs. Grave Gravan, gospel rescue army worker of $6.75 last night.

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One Day Colds

Check them overnight

Colds should be checked within 24 hours. There is a way to do it. And the same way stops them before they develop if you have it ever-ready.

That way is HILL'S — a prescription perfected by one of the world's largest laboratories. It combines four of the greatest helps for colds that modern science has developed. It stops the cold, checks the fever, opens the bowels and tones the entire system.

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Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you will feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sore spot through and through. Pain and soreness are gone.

Ask any druggists for a jar of Rowles Red Pepper Rub. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package.—Adv.



She Could Never Have Done It With Piles!

Bless the American girl who has glorified all the sports! She makes a pretty picture in the water, and is a plucky swimmer, too. Piles are unthinkable for active women. If you have them, you ought to know this simple thing to do.

At any hour or moment that you have the least distress or discomfort from piles, use a simple Pyramid pile suppository—and go happily on your way. The worst hemorrhoids, even bleeding and badly protruding piles respond at once to the soothing suppository applied in perfect privacy. But bear the name in mind; Pyramid is the one every druggist has, usually the only one he will sell his patrons. Pyramid is marvelous. The sufferer another single half-hour with painful piles.

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If Back Hurts or Bladder Is Troubling You, Take a Little Salts

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts which helps to remove the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of good water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in the system so they are no longer a source of irritation, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; can not injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, which everyone should take now and then to help keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this; also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache.—Adv.



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Klok-Lax is the new, improved way to treat a cold. It thoroughly cleans out your entire 28-foot intestinal canal. Then, the most miserable cold will disappear.

Better still, keep your bowels cleaned out all the time—keep your system purified by taking Klok-Lax regularly — and the chances are you will never take a cold.

Everybody is using Klok-Lax now! It's the thorough, effective way to keep from having constipation. That's why it is the best treatment for colds.

Get Klok-Lax at any good druggists.—Adv.

AFTER THE "FLU" IS OVER —YOU NEED A TONIC

Help Is Needed to Restore Your Wasted Strength and Energy

"Flu" leaves the body weakened and rundown. In such cases, a tonic is clearly indicated. Restore the appetite and rid yourself of that let-down feeling.

"Flu" is a very enervating disease. It leaves its victim so weak and debilitated that there is as much danger from the after-effects as from the disease itself. In other words, after an attack of the "Flu" you need a selective tonic to rebuild the system so that you may have your old-time strength and energy restored.

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The Social Side—Wichita Falls' Woman's Interests—Clubs and Churches

MODISH MITZI — *Mitzi Wants to Know More* — By JAY V. JAY



Since Mitzi saw the Goofer yesterday apparently much devoted to a charming actress her interest in things theatrical has increased tremendously. Has Dad seen her theater magazine? Dad has not—but sees with gloomy eyes that Mitzi has a new dress of pale pastel blue georgette.

Has Polly seen her magazine? Polly has not, having eyes only for her own frock of black and silver with its bolero bodice and a skirt made entirely of fringe. Polly's is a sleeveless dinner dress—Mitzi's is the new dinner dress that has long tight, although transparent sleeves.

Has Eleanor seen her magazine? No. Eleanor has not. Eleanor sees nothing but the rosiest of day dreams through which she walks dressed in this rosy dress of silk crepe with its combination of bolero and jabot and its finely pleated tiered skirt. Perhaps the magazine is in the library—

It was, of course, in the library where it was supposed to be. Now that she has found it it's doubtful whether Mitzi is comforted by this picture (flatters her, of course)—of the very woman the Goofer admires in a truly admirable dinner dress made of horizontal bands of black and white crepe.

Auxiliary of First Baptist Church Meets in Circles For Program

Members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church met in circles Monday afternoon and were taught lessons from the third and fourth chapters of the W. M. U. manual "How to Pray."

Mrs. A. C. Bennett was hostess to Circle One and the lesson was taught by Mrs. W. H. Davis. Mrs. Bennett also led the devotionals. Those present were Mesdames J. T. Brooks, J. H. Martin, W. H. Davis, J. H. Bowling, J. E. Ezzell, John Nossett and Frank Cripliver.

Circle Two

On account of an unusual amount of illness among members of Circle Two, and the inclement weather, no meeting was held Monday, but the circle will meet later in the week, according to announcement.

Circle Five

Mrs. W. W. Brown was hostess to Circle Five at her home on Twelfth street, when after a brief business session and devotional, the lesson in "How to Pray" was taught by Mrs. E. P. Cook.

Those present were Mesdames A. F. Kimmell, E. G. Brown, W. A. Freear, E. P. Cook, N. W. Snoddy and H. B. Gilbert.

Circle Seven

Circle Seven met with Mrs. W. A. Baber at her home, 1911 Eighth street when devotionals were led by Mrs. Baber and the lesson was taught by Mrs. C. D. Mimms.

Those present were Mesdames B. M. Bell, Charles Rountree, C. D. Mimms, Ada Moore, J. T. Thornton, M. G. Baber, W. R. Little, S. E. Bentley and R. F. Dean.

Circle Eight

Mrs. Jim Robinson was hostess to Circle Eight when devotionals were led by Mrs. E. F. McCarty and the lesson taught by Mrs. O. L. Powers.

Those present were Mesdames Powers, G. C. Spangle, W. H. Morrison, E. W. Carter, W. L. Ponder, M. L. Hooker, E. F. McCarty, Tred Carter, J. C. Walker, A. H. Holmes, Ben Ackerman and Ferguson of Fort Worth.

Circle Nine

Circle Nine met with Mrs. R. P. Davis and the session was opened with prayer by Mrs. J. M. Wilhite. Mrs. E. P. Tarman led the devotionals and the lesson was taught by Mrs. J. N. Catter.

Those present were Mesdames Catter, Wilhite, A. W. Eichenberger, Tarman, D. R. Wimberly, C. T. Spangler, E. F. White and Cliff Everetts.

Circle Ten

Mrs. E. P. Bass was hostess to Circle Ten at her home on Ninth street during a brief business session presided over by Mrs. O. M. Smith, Mrs. C. F. Lorens was elected press reporter for the circle.

Mrs. C. D. Shamburger gave the third chapter from the missionary manual, "How to Pray," and Mrs. D. E. Jordan gave the fourth chapter.

A refreshment plate was served to Mesdames C. C. Peters, O. L. Dale, C. D. Shamburger, A. R. Bleakley, O. M. Smith, A. M. Lummus, D. E. Jordon, A. C. Raynor and C. F. Lorenz.

Circle Eleven.

Circle Eleven of the First Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. George Burch, 1712 Speedway. Mrs. H. E. Man led the devotional, and Mrs. John Finch the lesson.

Eight members were present, including Mesdames A. R. Cotton, George Burch, George Howery, H. E. Man, C. C. Davis, J. D. Thweat, J. Finch, A. B. Matles.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Jack Manaker, 1313 Filmore.

Circle Twelve

Mrs. C. H. Foley was hostess to Circle Twelve. Devotionals were led by Mrs. Knox Finley. Mrs. Charles Daniel taught the lesson and those present were Mesdames W. E. Priddy, Ray Wilhite, George Patterson, J. L. Maxwell, C. J. Barnard, I. G. Craig, Ivan Burchison, Knox Finley and Hale.

Mrs. Montgomery Is Honoree At Shower

Complimenting Mrs. Allan Montgomery who will soon move into her new home, Mrs. E. B. Gorsline and Mrs. W. J. Daugherty entertained with a surprise kitchen and linen shower at the home of Mrs. Gorsline Saturday afternoon.

A Valentine motif was carried out in the decorations and the hours were pleasantly spent in hemming dish towels which were presented to the honoree with many other lovely gifts.

Refreshments were served to members of the Unity club, the Junior Unity and to Mrs. O. T. Gorsline and three intimate friends of Mrs. Montgomery, Mesdames T. B. Noble Jr., Joe Carrigan and Dillard Anderson.

Study Club Meeting Today Is Postponed

Postponement of the meeting of the Music Study club which was to have been held this morning at the home of Mrs. Frank Van Wormer is announced. The meeting will be held a week from today, instead.

TODAY'S CALENDAR.

Meeting of the American Legion Woman's Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. H. F. Weldon this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Idle Hour Bridge club will be entertained at luncheon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Simms, 1717 Eighth Street at 1 o'clock, afternoon.

Meeting of the College Women's club at library, evening.

Mrs. M. C. Leopold, 2017 Lucille, will be hostess to the San Souci Bridge club, afternoon.

Meeting of the Crockett P. T. A., afternoon.

Music department of the Woman's Forum meets for a program at the home of Mrs. J. A. Kemp, afternoon.

Presbyterian Young People Hold Meeting

"Training" was the subject for the Floral Heights Presbyterian Christian Endeavor society program given at the church Sunday evening when Miss Cora Lee Morrow was leader of the lesson. Miss Morrow read the scripture and talked on the subject, and the Rev. E. F. McGaughey led the prayer and talked on "Training in the Initiative." Miss Valta Wilson talked on "Training in the Arousing of Enthusiasm" and officers of the society sang a song. The program was concluded with a brief talk by Rev. McGaughey.

Those present were: Loma Ray, Corwin Ray, J. T. Morrow, Cora Lee and Ruth Morrow, Burgess Eason, Ernest McGeehee, Valta Wilson, Willa Bell and Tommie Lee Griffin, Rosa Lee McCarter, Guyrene Reetig, Ralph Dick, Rev. and Mrs. E. F. McGaughey, Mr. Spencer, J. R. Eason, Jewell Morrow, Jack Gossett and Lloyd Corder.

Out of Town Guests Honorees At Luncheon

Complimenting two out-of-town visitors, Mrs. Marian B. Wallace of Buena Vista, Colo., guest of her cousin, Mrs. D. G. Whitney, and Mrs. Lillian Wallace, guest of her sister, Mrs. D. J. White, Mrs. J. W. Culbertson entertained with a prettily appointed luncheon at her home Saturday.

Cut flowers formed the center piece and covers were marked with dainty place cards.

A four-course menu was served to the honorees and Mesdames Fred Gates, J. A. Fisher, C. W. Gilliland, D. J. White, Frank Kell, W. L. Davidson, Walter Priddy, Hunter, Fred Couper, W. P. Bolding and D. G. Whitney.

Circle Two Lamar Avenue Women Meet

Circle Two of the Lamar Avenue Baptist Woman's auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Jess McLarry Monday afternoon when in the business session plans were made for a social to be given Monday evening at the home of Mrs. H. A. O'Neil.

Devotionals were led by Mrs. W. G. Collins and sentence prayers were given. Mrs. O'Neal taught the missionary lesson from the manual, "Cuba for Christ."

Refreshments were served to Mesdames J. L. Powell Jr., J. J. Nicholson, C. F. Somerville, W. G. Collins, J. W. Morrison, T. B. Allred, H. A. O'Neil, W. N. Rawls, W. H. Townsend and A. L. Townsend.

Mrs. Utz Elected Class President

Mrs. F. C. Utz was elected president of Mrs. J. A. Kemp's Sunday school class of the First Presbyterian church at the meeting held Saturday afternoon at the home of the teacher. Mrs. C. M. Robinson was elected vice president; Miss Mabel Winfrey, secretary and Miss Daisy Slopansky, treasurer.

In the social session the Rev. Dan Grieder sang a solo, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Alva Willgus, and Mrs. Joel Douglas led the devotionals. It was voted to have social meetings on the second Saturdays of each month instead of on Thursday as formerly.

A salad plate was served to Misses Carrie Finley, Mary Southerland, Mary Dixson, Louise Lotspiech, Daisy Slopansky, Mary McIlheran, Mabel Winfrey, Bettye Dillworth and Mesdames F. E. Brandeberry, W. C. Krauss, A. E. Hull, C. M. Robinson, C. J. Pate, Mildred Rich, Joel Douglas, O. W. Wilson, Alva Willgus, C. O. Nickell, W. L. Langford, W. D. Thomas, R. A. Walker, Lem Cygon, D. G. Whitney, Marian B. Wallace, Campbell, W. B. Jackson, F. C. Utz and the Rev. Dan Grieder.

Mrs. Ferguson Hostess To Division Two

Mrs. N. A. Ferguson, leader of Division Two, of the First Christian Woman's Council, was hostess to members of the division at her home Monday afternoon at a two-course luncheon. Plates were marked with dainty baskets of candy under which were appropriate verses.

A business session and program was held in the afternoon. With Mrs. A. D. Patillo in charge of the program, a talk on "Books" was given by Mrs. Charles Pridgen. Mrs. Charles Bell read a paper on "Woman's Day," and roll call was responded to by names of missionaries in the foreign fields.

Covers were laid for Mesdames O. H. Karr, A. E. Jackson, G. C. Johnson, L. L. Boardman, N. A. Hagin, M. W. Gaut, Charles Pridgen, J. W. Clements, D. C. Walker, A. D. Patillo, R. S. Spradley, M. P. Rogers, Charles Bell, W. H. Yeargin, R. A. Lincoln and J. Lem Keevil.

Division Three Meets With Mrs. E. Kilander

Mrs. E. Kilander was hostess to division three of the First Christian church Monday afternoon when Mrs. M. D. Bolton led the missionary program for the meeting. Discussion of the new year's work was included in the session, and the following committees were named: Flower, Mrs. Guy Wilson and Mrs. W. E. McBroom; librarian, Mrs. A. King Davis; press reporter, Mrs. Frank B. Creighton.

A refreshment plate was served to the following: Mesdames A. A. Young, Davis, Bolton, P. A. Rogers, Levi Gamble, J. R. Norman, O. R. Jeffers, C. E. Stephens, J. B. Meissner, Kilander, Creighton.

Episcopal Guild Meets With Mrs. H. D. Jones

Mrs. H. D. Jones was hostess to members of the Guild of the Church of the Good Shepherd Monday afternoon when, after Scripture lesson read by Mrs. F. T. Datson, Mrs. Bartlett Jones talked on "Parliamentary Law."

Dr. Datson talked on "Prayer," and Miss Claudine McCarty gave a violin solo accompanied on the piano by Miss Roma McCarty.

Misses Ethel Cobb and Ethel Chamberlain assisted the hostess in serving refreshments to a large number of guests.

SOCIETY Personals

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Knowles of Providence, Rhode Island, who are spending the Winter with their daughter, Mrs. I. R. Sheldon, left Sunday for South Carolina where they were called by a message informing them of the death of their son which occurred in an automobile accident.

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Mrs. H. J. Anderson and Mrs. F. C. Utts expect to visit relatives in Fort Worth the last of the week and attend the concert to be given by the Wichita Falls high school orchestra when they broadcast over the Lone Star station KFQB.

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Miss Gertrude Robertson who spent the week end with Miss Matilyn Wilson has returned to Breckenridge where she is supervisor of music in the public schools.

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Mrs. E. E. Scannell has returned from an extended visit with relatives in North and South Carolina, Georgia and Florida. While in South Carolina she attended the wedding of her sister at Blackville.

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Mrs. Frederick G. Caldwell and daughter, Sally of Lincoln, Neb., arrived Monday to be the guests of Mrs. Caldwell's sister, Mrs. W. P. Killingsworth.

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J. C. Childress of Seymour, has returned home after spending the week-end with his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Childress Jr., 2510 Avenue M.

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Mrs. S. J. Naylor has returned from Haskell where she was called by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. A. G. Jones, who she reports improved.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ray returned from Fort Worth Monday, where they spent the week-end with friends.

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Miss Helen Fowler of 404 Scott is reported resting well following a tonsil operation Saturday.

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Miss Ethel Johnson of Graham is the guest of Mrs. W. K. Guinn, 1505 Bluff Street.

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Miss Mamie Raborn, history instructor at Junior College, is reported ill.

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Mrs. W. A. Soule is reported ill at her home, 2107 Ninth Street.

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Mrs. Kathlene Gorsline, secretary of the Municipal Welfare Board, who is ill of influenza was reported improving Monday.

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J. S. Fore, 1505 Bluff Street, is spending a few days in Austin and will go from there to Mineral Wells to remain a while before returning home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Wormer and daughter, Ruth, have returned from an extended trip to Chicago, New York City and other eastern cities.

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Mrs. E. L. Fuller of Cleveland, Ohio, has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. D. J. White on the Seymour road.

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Mrs. B. E. Jackson, 3113 Seymour Road, is reported seriously ill at the Hargrave-Walker hospital.

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Miss Jewell Rose Akins, who has been ill several days was said to be much improved Monday.

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Miss Vera Jobe, librarian at Junior College is ill.

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Mrs. E. R. Lewis is reported ill at her home on Huff.

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Mrs. J. W. Harding who has been the guest of Mrs. C. S. McClung returned Monday to her home at Byers.

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Norine Eason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Eason, 2008 Buchanan, is reported ill with the mumps.

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Mrs. Lillard Wallace of Dallas, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. J. White.

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Mrs. E. T. Goff of Sherman is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. O. B. Kiel.

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Mrs. Robert Allday and son, Robert, have returned from Houston where they visited relatives.

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That Baby You've Longed For

Mrs. Burton Advises Women on Motherhood and Companionship.

"For several years I was denied the blessing of motherhood," writes Mrs. Margaret Burton of Kansas City. "I was terribly nervous and subject to periods of terrible suffering and melancholia. Now I am the proud mother of a beautiful little daughter and a true companion and inspiration to my husband. I believe hundreds of other women would like to know the secret of my happiness, and I will gladly reveal it to any married woman who will write me." Mrs. Burton offers her advice entirely without charge. She has nothing to sell. Letters should be addressed to Mrs. Margaret Burton, 71287 Massachusetts, Kansas City, Mo. Correspondence will be strictly confidential.—Adv.

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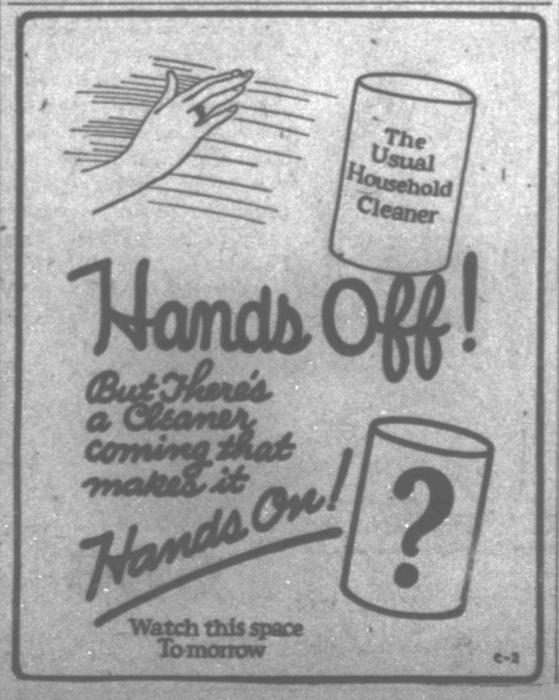
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Clothes Are Excellent Index To Woman's Life and Her Character

Why Clothes Make the Woman and Indicate Her Character—The Problem of Two Young Girls Whose Parents Won't Let Them Have Dates—Why do Married Men Attract Her More Than Bachelors?

Dear Miss Dix—Do clothes make the woman in this modern time?
ETHELYN.

Answer: It depends upon what you mean by "making a woman." You can't put brains in an empty head by covering it with a French chapeau. You can't make a hard heart tender and sweet by draping chiffon over it. You can't turn grandma into a flapper by bobbing her hair and cutting off her dresses to her knees and rolling her stockings.

But undoubtedly you can improve a woman's morals by diking her up and destroy it by making her shabby, for good clothes do stiffen our spinal columns. Some wit once said that the knowledge that your coat fit in the back gave you more moral support than the firmest Christian principles, and it is true.

Also clothes "make a woman" in the sense of being about 90 per cent of her good looks. Never was there a more idotic statement and one with less truth to back it than that "beauty unadorned is the most adorned."

Pretty clothes are the aura that sets off a woman's good looks and that add to her beauty as a frame does to a picture. In fact, when we speak of a pretty woman we do not differentiate between her and her clothes. We merely mean that she presents an attractive appearance and our impression is made up just as much of lovely soft fabrics and ravishing colors as it is of hair and eyes and classical features.

Many a woman who is actually plain of face enjoys the reputation of being pretty just because she is always beautifully dressed. And many another homely woman only needs clothes that would flatter her and bring out her good points to become a beauty.

But whether clothes make a woman or not, they are undeniably the best way by which to judge her. To begin with, by their suitability shall you measure her intelligence and her judgment.

The girl who is always overdressed, who buys loud, conspicuous clothes, and who always has on a lot of cheap ornaments, is the one who acts upon the impulse of the moment, without considering the consequences. She is carried away by every passing fancy and lacks stability of character.

The woman who wears chiffons to market, and the girl who goes to work dressed as if going to an afternoon reception, lack tact and a sense of the appropriate and have poor judgment. They will never succeed in any of their undertakings and in a crisis will always do the fool thing.

The girl whose clothes are never pressed, and who looks musty and as if she needed to go to the cleaners, will be sloppy and inaccurate in her work, whereas the prim, tailor-made girl will be pretty sure to be a detail worker whose books will always balance and whose typing will be accurate.

The girl who dresses beyond her means is vain and selfish and will make an extravagant wife. The girl who looks like a daily hint from Paris is generally nothing but a clothes rack, and will be just about as entertaining a companion.

So, after all, clothes do make the woman, or at least they tell what she has made of herself.
DOROTHY DIX.

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Dear Dorothy Dix: I am 17 years of age and a senior in high school, and I have an older sister, but neither of us are allowed to have any association whatever with boys. Our parents think it is a crime for us even to be seen walking with one on the street. The result is that we have to lie to our father and mother in order to go out. We tell them we are going to our girl friends' houses, and then meet the boys on the street.

Now, Miss Dix, we don't want to associate with wild boys or do anything bad ourselves, but we do want to have beaux and dates. What can we do? D. C.

Answer: I don't know, for it is even more difficult for children to reform their parents who are doing wrong than it is for parents to reform their children who are doing wrong and foolish things.

I am not going to tell you to obey your parents and never look at a boy, because I think that you have a perfect right to have boy friends and good times, and I think that your parents have no right whatever to blight your girlhood and foredoom you to old maidenhood.

Probably they don't intend this, they want you to marry eventually when you are around 30 or 40 and have arrived at what they consider years of maturity. Doubtless they think of you now as mere babies, but they are sadly mistaken. Girls of 17 are grown up in these days, and if between that age and 21 or 23 they are not allowed to have boy friends, they never will.

For it is during those years that a girl learns how to handle men that she is most attractive to men, and that she makes the associations that lead to matrimony. Keep a girl away from men from 17 to 22, and you build a barrier between her and them that can never be broken down because you have made her shy and self-conscious and killed every particle of sex attraction in her.

It's a terrible thing for parents to be so stupid as to force their children to deceive them in order to have the ordinary liberty and pleasures to which every young person is entitled.

For every father and mother who remember their own youth must know that when they will not let their daughters have their company decently at home they meet in secret and keep street-corner rendezvous. And nothing in the world is more dangerous to a girl than that.
DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Miss Dix. — Married men have a perfect fascination for me. Single men bore me. It is only the married men who measure up to my ideal. This strange admiration for other women's husbands worries me and I would like to overcome it. How can I?

Answer:
Probably the reason why you prefer married men is because you are a true daughter of Eve and hanker after forbidden fruit.

The mere knowledge that a man belongs to some other woman and is taboo for you whets your appetite for him. Also, it is a case of inflamed imagination. You endow the married man with superior attractions, whereas he in no way differs from his single brethren.

The cure for it is to use a little common sense and self-control and a lot of sympathy and kindness for your own sex. If you will do unto other women as you will like the flappers to do unto you when you get married, you will leave married men severely alone.
DOROTHY DIX.

FASHIONS
By Sally Milgrim



The Elegance of the Present Mode Is Evidenced In a New Black Dinner Gown.

Black, when treated with distinction, becomes the most distinguished of all colors. It is also an extremely youthful medium on account of the present use of colorful trimmings. Jeweled effects are a smart treatment as well as decorative embroideries of gold and silver tinsel thread. More conservative effects are achieved with contrasting slips or details of flesh colored chiffon.

The startling combination of black and silver is responsible for the youthful and chic appearance of the dinner gown sketched today. As a background for ornamental silver stitching, I have used soft black lace for both the bodice and skirt sections. And because the mode calls for fluttering details in a dress of this kind, there is a softly rippling bertha and a skirt composed of two tiers of finely pleated ruffles.

The most arresting feature, however, is a large motif of decorative silver stitching on the front of the bodice. Silver gleams also on the scalloped edges of the cape and skirt ruffles.

This delightful dinner gown of soft black lace has a close fitting bodice brilliantly embroidered in silver tinsel thread. Two ruffles of pleated lace give interest and movement to the skirt.

SPECIAL MEETING

Council, Commissioners and Hospital Board Called.

A special meeting of the city council, the county commissioners court and the board of the general hospital will be held at 1:30 Tuesday afternoon at which time important matters concerning the hospital will be taken up. Officials declined to comment yesterday on the nature of the affairs to come up for attention.

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Society

Division Nine Meets With Mrs. J. T. Young

Members of Division Nine of the Woman's council of the First Christian church met at the home of Mrs. J. T. Young on Hayes street Monday afternoon when the program was opened with devotionals led by Mrs. Floyd Allan Bash. Roll call was responded to with names of missionaries supported by the church, and Mesdames H. B. Rugeley and Mrs. Bruce Engle gave a duet. Mrs. C. O. Seargant read a paper on "Woman's Day," and Mrs. Hardy Davis read one on "Books." Hidden answers were given by Mrs. A. Von Struve.

During the social session refreshments were served to Mesdames C. E. Bailey, C. O. Seargent, J. H. Davis, L. E. McConnell, O. P. Maricle, J. T. Camp, O. Carrico, Bruce Engle, H. B. Rugeley, W. H. Pendix, A. W. Von Struve and Beauregard.

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Junior Endeavor Holds Interesting Meet

"Daring to Stand Alone" furnished the subject for the Junior Christian Endeavor society of the First Presbyterian church which met at the church Sunday evening with Veno George Steinkoenig, leader.

Music was furnished by Mary Lou Hull after which followed the scripture lesson and discussion. There were 11 members present.

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First Spiritualist Ladies Auxiliary Meets

The Ladies' auxiliary of the First Spiritualist church met at the home of Mrs. T. W. Oden Monday afternoon when after the regular business session refreshments were served to Mesdames M. M. Young, F. A. Erickson, Fred K. Smith, M. W. Blythe and A. H. Haley.

Devotionals were led by Mrs. Erickson.

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Elks Club Plans Dance For Wednesday Night

More than one hundred couples are expected to attend the Elk's dance at the Elk's hall Wednesday evening when a large delegation of guests from Henrietta, Nocona and Electra are expected, according to officers of the order. Every Elk is invited and each member may bring one guest. Judge Edgar Scurry and his partner will lead the grand march. The secretary of the lodge has appointed several men and their wives as hosts and hostesses for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pelly of Amarillo were in Wichita Falls Monday.

CANTATA POSTPONED

"Childhood of Hiawatha" Set For Friday Night.

"The Childhood of Hiawatha," cantata in which 400 children of the fifth and sixth grades of the Wichita Falls elementary schools are participating was postponed from Monday night, Jan. 23, to Friday night, Jan. 28, at the Junior College auditorium. The announcement was made Monday afternoon by Miss Erma Nala Voss, supervisor of music in the public schools of the city, who is in charge of the music working in co-operation with the music instructors in the various schools.

The program will start at 7:45 o'clock Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCaney of Rising Star are at the Kemp.

Ben Newman of Houston is a guest at the Holt.

DO WOMEN SUFFER MORE THAN MEN?

Physicians tell us that the nervous system of woman is more highly organized, more delicately poised, and, therefore more sensitive to disturbances than that of man. It may be added that her nerves are more susceptible to the influences that produce "nerve tension" (strain) which is only another name for "pain."

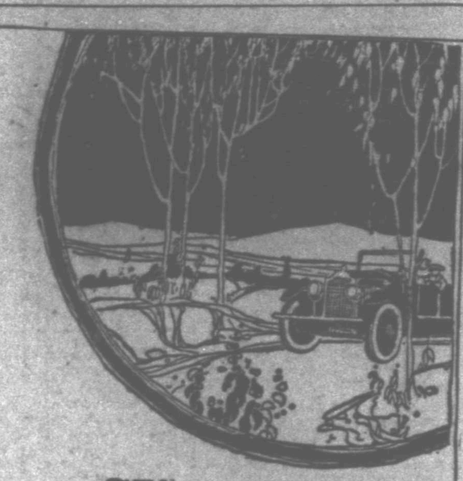
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NIMROD squirms at his desk. The memos before him turn mistily to patchy stretches of north woods snow. The stenographer's jottings are deer tracks. The clicking of the typewriter is the headlong flight of the moose through crackling underbrush. (Hunting equipment, from gun to knapsack, is bought and sold with our Want Ads!)

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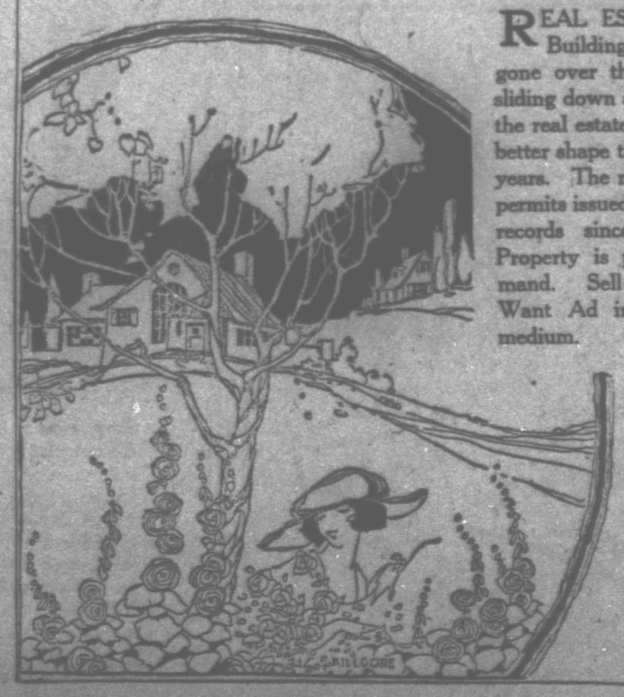


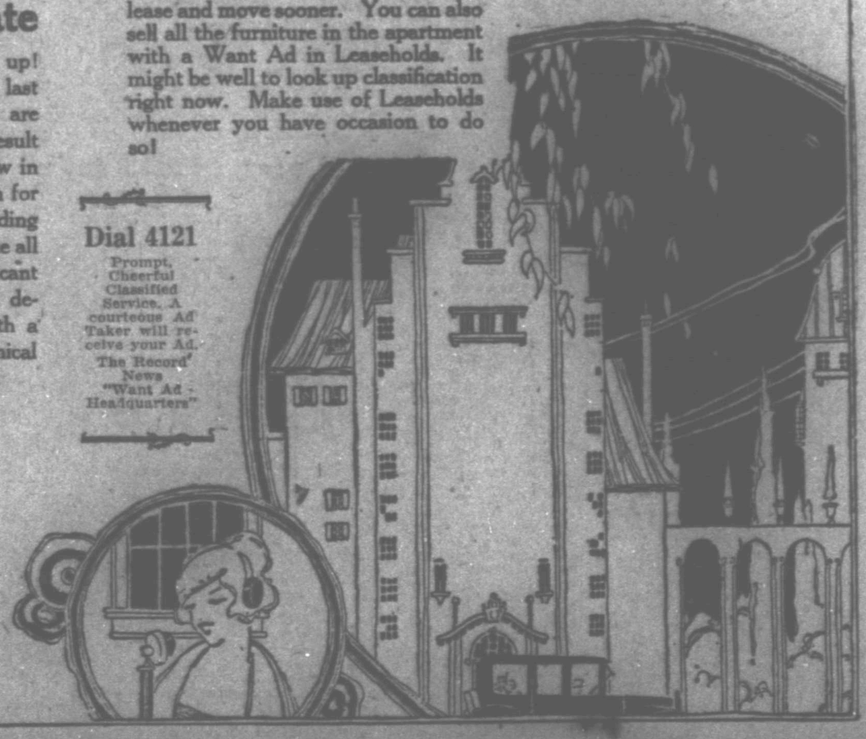
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TOP O' MORN STUFF
By Blondy Cross.

NON-GYM ADVOCATES MAY PASS THIS OVER

About that gymnasium matter: the conservative boys who feel that she's too tough a proposition, this endeavoring to raise the wherewithal to pad a $425,000 project can lower their sights some, can't they? What yours truly and a host of other youngsters (?) are aching for is a gymnasium and the equipment that goes with it—not a magnificent monument to the work of the Young Men's Christian association. There is no roaring need for a Y. M. C. A. building a la heavy run on dormitories and the like. Plenty of rooms around town for the clientele to bivouac in. Leave out the residence quarters, build a gym and club rooms and you won't need any 425 grand with which to do it. If you just must have dormitories attached, follow the Marchman hotel lead which is construct your gym and club rooms in such a manner that at a later date you can add the extra baggage. The Marchman is so constructed. O. F. Marchman tells us, that should he desire to expand his hotel and tack on a number more rooms such would prove a comparatively simple process.

A gym of some kind, even were it no more than a zinc barn, is far better than no gym at all. Wichita Falls with all its heralded resources and benevolent millionaires who make their money here and donate to out-of-town "worthy causes," with all its forum and auditorium projects, is one of the very few cities in the United States of its wealth, size and civic boasts, which has not so much as a municipal gym, an athletic club or much less a Y. M. C. A. or fully equipped Y. W. C. A. Yes, we've carried that passage in this col several times before. Kind of repeating ourself. But the Y. M. C. A. committee is guilty of more repetition than that. It's been repeating five years. We have been repeating only three. The committee meets and repeats, "Wichita Falls is not ready yet. Let's let this hang over a little while longer," or words conveying similar expression.

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The girly-gals appear very much in demand on the athletic menu. Hardly will a quartet of the feminine basketball teams wind up double header play Wednesday night before a pair of them must turn attention to a contest carded Thursday night. By special request of Coach Herbert Ludgate, the Whippets and Electrics will tangle in a preliminary to the Junior college-Altus melee Thursday on the Indian court.

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You can dish out all the razz you want to for Dutch Mantell, the ugly-duckling of the mat game, but he assumes swan-like beauty when the gate receipts are considered. The doughty Dutchman, with all his faults and occasional yens to swallow a run-out powder, never fails to give the customers their money's worth. He may not be popular. He may arouse the antipathy of the ringsiders and gallery gods alike, but all of them know when Dutch is on deck the value received will more than exceed the pay-off at the door.

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Back to the subject of feminine sports as well as a gymnasium, number of young women at McClurkan's department store would place a basketball team in the field. If they do line up a squad in all likelihood some means, no matter how poor, will be found whereby they may get in a few practice games. However, members of the women's cage league have no practice court at present other than the Call field gym. There, three to four teams endeavor almost every night in the week to squeeze in work sessions. Of course, it is impossible to stage any very effective practices under such conditions. On top of it all, the girls six nights a week must be off the court by 7:45 so that members of the six-team Commercial loop may put in their exercises.

FAVORS RICHARDS

Tilden Declares Pro Shall Have No. 1 Position.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24. (AP) — William T. Tilden whose number one position on American tennis for 1926 may depend on whether Vincent Richards is considered in the ranking has come out in support of the proposal to include Richards on the amateur list, although the latter has since turned professional. The Metropolitan Lawn Tennis association already has ranked Richards a number one on its sectional list.

Writing in the current issue of American Lawn Tennis, Tilden says:

"I do not agree at all with those who feel Vincent Richards should not be ranked as an amateur. He played all the playing season of 1926 as an amateur and since the ranking is a ranking of the amateur players of 1926 certainly Richards is entitled to a ranking. Also, he is clearly entitled to the number one position on the season's play."

SWEATERS AWARDED TO CLARENDON GRID STARS.

CLARENDON, Jan. 24.—Beautiful sweaters with the college letter of Clarendon College were presented to the football players of the college by Coach Burton. The players who received sweaters were Enoch Darnell, Paul Schull, Jno. Morris, Irl Smith, Mike Corbin, Capt. L. Parker, W. Parker, Will Brown, Sloan Miller, Eby Hocking, Bascom White, Refus White, Roy Ingram, Orbin Turner.

GUARDS DRAW SPOT IN GAME WITH PAN FIVE

Cage Loop Lead at Stake In Triple Header Tonight

THE CARD

Draughon versus Hub Clothiers.
Continental versus Landon-Hill.
Guardsmen versus Panhandle.

They're saving what some believe to be the best game till the last Tuesday night on the Junior college court. Tyson's Panhandle lads and the National guardsmen, teams knotted in heavy deadlock at the top of the Commercial league percentage column, fight it out for leadership in the final melee of the weekly triple-header tonight.

To pick a winner is a tough job. Many fans believe the Oilers boast the edge. But the Guards' victory last week over the powerful Landon-Hill five struck an ominous note in the dope bucket.

The first game of the evening, carded for 7 o'clock between the Clothiers and business college crew, stacks up as a mighty tussle on its own. Draughon's is leading the Hubbers in the league standing but the clubs appear fairly evenly matched. Goldstucker's outfit has not copped a league game yet but have been pointing for this contest the last few days and feel confident of upsetting Metzger's boys. At any rate, the battle is expected to be a lively affair.

Chub Neal's Landon-Hill club isn't looking for a set-up in the Continental oilers, for the Conocos have strengthened materially since their last game and stand ready or almost ready to shove in a dangerous bid for the laurels. The sporting goods team has gone through a bit of renovating, also.

Indians Tackle Altus Thursday

Whippets Battle Electrics In Curtain Raiser

Wichita Falls Junior college cagers are busily preparing for invasion by the Altus Junior collegians Thursday night at the Tribe gym. This game was carded for last week but was postponed and set for Thursday, Coach Herb Ludgate said yesterday.

The Tribe is whipping into shape rapidly and expects to give the visitors a lively struggle. The Oklahoma team is said to be a first-class aggregation capable of holding its own in almost any sort of company.

Captain Lowry Crates, center, and Wagenfuehr, forward, are beginning to hit the hoop with regularity. If this duo is right Thursday the Altus boys will be forced to step mighty spryly to come out on the victor's end. Doyle Stephenson has been showing well at guard and begins to loom as a veritable stonewall defensive man.

Charley Spragins will send his Wichita Falls Electrics, girls' sextet, against Chub Neal's Whippets in a game preliminary to the Altus-Wichita Falls contest. Both the Whippets and Electrics have been practicing assiduously the past several weeks and are expected to be in pretty fair condition by Thursday night. The Electrics loom on paper as the class of the Wichita Falls women's basketball league which swings der way in its first games tomorrow night. The Kilowatts have defeated all-comers in practice melees. The Whippets, however, have not played any games against other feminine teams. Better still, if you leave it to Coach Neal, they've scrimmaged a number of times against boys' quints and are developing a deadly passing game. Playing against boys, Neal declares will make it easier for the Whippets to gain victory over girls' teams, holding that male competition is far better practice than play with the fairer teams.

Didn't Play Dirty, Either, Tigers Say

NEW YORK, Jan. 24. (AP)—A widening circle of denial and regret of Wynant D. Hubbard's charges that Princeton played dirty football against Harvard rose from the two universities Monday. For the magazine Liberty, Hubbard, who played guard for Harvard, wrote an article in which he named Harvard players who he said had been injured deliberately by Princeton.

Dr. Charles W. Kennedy, chairman of the Princeton university board of athletic control, declared Hubard's charges "unworthy of answer from Princeton." Instead he offered the testimony of F. W. Murphy of Brown university, W. R. Okeson of Lehigh and W. G. Crowell of Swarthmore, all of whom have served as officials in Harvard-Princeton battles from 1919 to 1925, during which period Hubbard charged that eyes were gouged, limbs broken and other injuries inflicted.

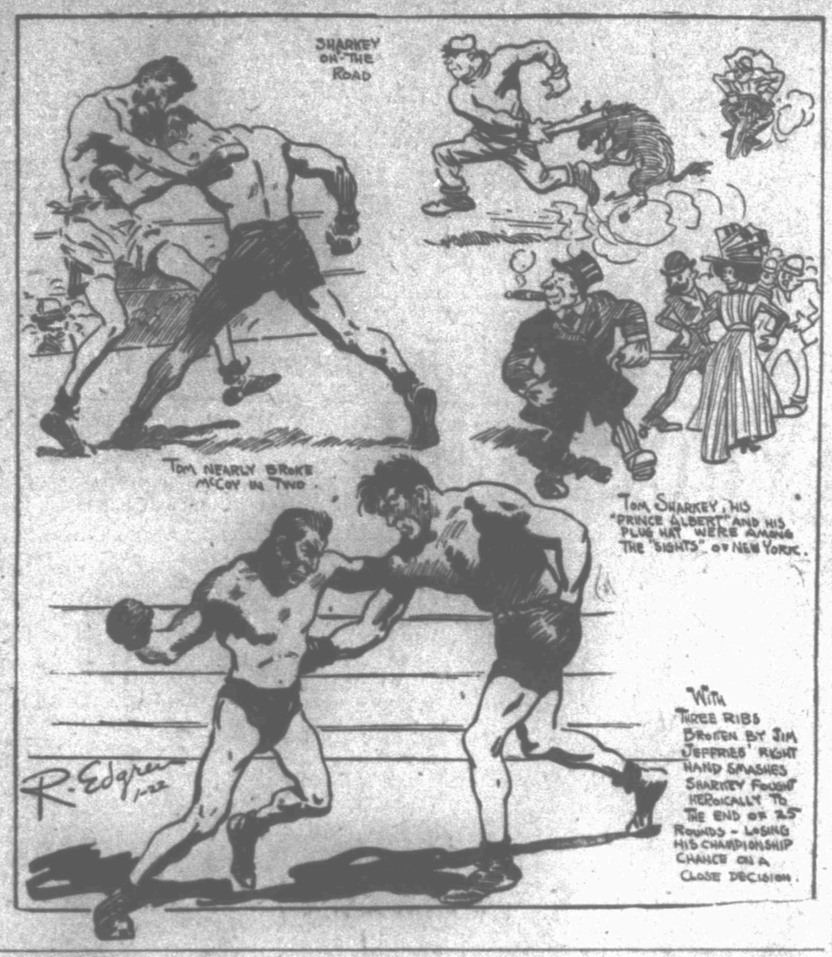
The officials were unanimous in their statements that the games were cleanly played; that injuries were not maliciously inflicted; and the conduct of players most sportsmanslike as befitting play between "gentlemen coached by gentlemen."

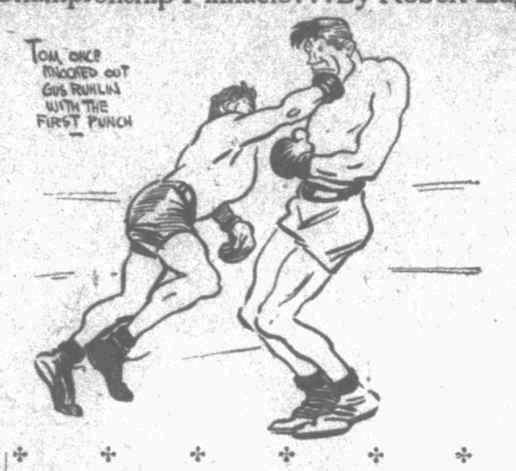
Cage Tournament Billed At Munday

MUNDAY, Jan. 24.—The county Interscholastic League basketball tournament, which created so much interest and enthusiasm last year, will be held in Munday again this year.

The dates for the tournament, as set by County Athletic Director Calvin Morton, are Feb. 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9.

Sharkey One of Truly Great Heavyweights Who Never Reached Championship Pinnacle . . . By Robert Edgren





By ROBERT EDGREN.

Among the really great old time heavyweights, who never reached the championship was Tom Sharkey. Born in Dundalk, Ireland, Tom went to sea as a boy, and happened to be in New Orleans when Sullivan and Corbett fought. Tom was a pretty good fighter, among sailors, although only 19 years old. Like all Irishmen, he fairly worshipped the great John L. and was heartbroken over John's defeat. Funny, Corbett was as Irish as Sullivan, but wasn't thought of as an Irish champion—Perhaps because he wasn't born in Boston.

Sharkey made up his mind that some day he'd whip the man who whipped Sullivan.

Enlisting in the navy, Sharkey sailed to Oriental ports, and did a lot of fighting on ships and ashore, becoming the recognized heavyweight champion of the navy. He had a habit of knocking his men out in the first round.

A Real Action Photograph

I had a camera and wanted to snapshot Sharkey in real action. The gymnasium was dark. Greggains obligingly suggested going into the back yard and boxing in the sunlight. As they danced around and punched at each other Sharkey, suddenly struck with an idea, dropped his hands, turned to me and asked: "Do you want a knockout?"

"Sure," I said.

Instantly Sharkey swung his right mauley on Greggains' jaw. Alec turned half a somersault in the air and landed on his head. Startled, I accidentally pressed the button. Result, a perfect picture, as I discovered later in the developing room. In any case there was no chance for an encore and there was no more picture taking. That punch ended the day's boxing. Alec recovered, sat on the ground rubbing his head, and was willing to go again, but Tom had skipped in for his rubdown. Afterward the Sailor donned a pair of trunks, ran down the beach and plunged into the breakers. The water off the Cliff House is ice cold and there's a wicked undertow, but Sharkey swam through the line of breaking seas, far out, swam back again, dressed and came out to lie on the sand in the sun.

It was then, I think, that Sharkey spoke for the second time that day. He was a silent man and hard to interview.

"I'll lick Corbett," he said. "I made up me mind to lick him when he bate John L."

Hard Sailing for Corbett.

In the event, Sharkey mauled and roughed Corbett so savagely, knowing nothing about boxing, that all of Corbett's boxing skill availed him not at all. And as for Corbett knocking "that sailor dub" out in a round—or any other round—it wasn't in the cards. They met again two years later, in New York, and Sharkey again offset Corbett's cleverness with wild rushes and a flurry of blows until in the ninth round Corbett was reeling in defeat, when Connie McVey, Corbett's second, jumped into the ring to let Corbett lose on a "foul" and avoid the indignity of a knockout.

A few months after that first four rounds with Corbett in San Francisco, Sharkey fought Fitzsimmons. Wyatt Earp, famous along the frontiers as a gunman of the old school, refereed that fight. Sharkey tore into Lanky Bob for eight rounds, when Bob shifted and sunk his left fist into Tom's body and knocked him out. Earp promptly gave Tom the decision on a "foul," claiming that the blow was low. There was a difference of opinion at the ringside.

After the fight Tom bought himself a Prince Albert suit and a "plug hat," and sent innumerable photographs of himself in that outfit home to the folks in Ireland. He had no doubt he was on his way to the championship.

Sharkey sat at the ringside and saw Fitzsimmons knock out Corbett. Even in those days new heavyweight champions didn't usually fight immediately after winning the title. Sharkey challenged, and then knocked out Joe Goddard and went to Ireland, where he knocked out a string of local fighting lads before he started back to America.

Sharkey and Jeffries Meet.

Home, Sharkey accepted a fight with Jim Jeffries, the youngster who had been put into Corbett's camp by Billy Delaney, as a sparring partner, and already had won several fights. Wise old Billy Delaney, no longer having Corbett to handle, was making a new champion.

That fight was one of the most sensational ring affairs I remember. Not altogether because of the fighting. The Mechanics Pavilion in San Francisco was a huge building, something like the old Madison Square Garden in New York. It was used for everything from indoor bike races to revival meetings, and on fight nights temporary wooden grandstands were built up all around the ring in the middle of the big floor. This night the stands fell, one after another, until the crowd was standing on wreckage all around the arena, and the ambulances were busy rushing injured spectators to the hospitals. Under such circumstances today no sporting event could go on, but old Frisco was a rough and ready town, and the survivors of the catastrophe laughed and joked as they elbowed each other for standing room. The last stand fell during the main event, but neither Sharkey nor Jeffries even looked around.

That was a fight between two of the strongest and toughest men ever seen in a ring. Sharkey had several hundred shipmates down from Mare Island to see him trim Jeff. Tom was a tricky bird. In the middle of the fight, which had been little more than a slugging match between men who seemed incapable of feeling any blow struck, Tom backed to the ropes a moment, dropped both hands and turning his head looked down at his sailor friends and winked. Then without looking around he let go a wicked swing. His notion was that Jeffries would take advantage of the chance to poke him when he wasn't looking, and that the swing would just about get him as he stepped in. But Jeffries had stepped back to the middle of the ring to wait, and Sharkey looked foolish when he found he'd missed by three or four yards.

Later, when Sharkey started roughing in sailor fashion, Jeffries grabbed him by the shoulders, shoved him to the ropes, shook him until his teeth rattled, let go and backed off in fighting pose. Tom stopped being rough and tried to box, and lost the decision.

"Sailor Dub" Trounced McCoy

Going east, Sharkey started another winning streak, beating Corbett, knocking out Gus Ruhlin, the Akron giant, with the first right swing as they met in the first round, knocking out the famous Kid McCoy in 10 rounds. That last was a fight! McCoy, like Corbett, thought Sharkey a "sailor dub," and sneeringly set out to give Tom a boxing lesson. Sharkey rushed, as usual, and McCoy timed him so neatly with punches on the chin that twice Sharkey was lifted from his feet and knocked flat on his back. Tom always said "McCoy hit me when me legs was crossed," and seemed to think the Kid had taken some questionable advantage. But McCoy had a mean punch and knew how to time it.

The punch did him no good in this fight, however. Sharkey had started with a notion that he could outbox McCoy and "show him up." After the ninth round Tom O'Rourke, Sharkey's manager, told Tom to stop trying to box, run at McCoy and knock him out. At the bell Sharkey dashed straight at McCoy and swung a swishing left into the foxy Kid's stomach. That blow nearly broke McCoy in two and the referee could have counted half an hour.

Jim Jefferies had knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons and was champion of the world. Big Jim, coming back from a trip to Paris, gave Tom his chance to realise his life's ambition. They fought at Coney Island, Nov. 3, 1899, 25 rounds, Siler referee.

Historic Coney Island Affair

Trained to perfection, rugged, determined, Tom Sharkey gave the world that night as fine an exhibition of sheer courage as was ever seen in a ring.

Sharkey weighed 185, Jeffries 30 pounds more. Moving pictures were being taken of the fight which was lighted by a battery of arc lights hung over the ring. The heat was fierce! Spectators near the ring collapsed and were carried out. The fighters lost weight like a couple of ice cakes left in the sun. Sharkey rushed Jeffries every second of every round, only to run into terrific punches that made him gasp. Once he was knocked across the ring and down in a corner, but leaped up without waiting for a count. His crashing blows seemed to have no effect on the giant, although after the fight Jeffries said one punch in the stomach paralyzed him for a moment and nearly dropped him.

BAN ON BASEBALL

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 24. (AP) Professional baseball cannot be played in Virginia on Sunday, the state supreme court of appeals has decided here by a three to two ruling.

SPORT a la CARTE

BY ROY GROVE

He was swimming in the channel,
The day was getting dark,
What he thought was Tunney fish
Was nothing but a shark.



That Mr. Eddie Roberts of Tacoma, Seattle and the whole west coast, is here to stay for a long time is evident in his second meeting with Joe Dundee—Pete Latzo's next mess.

Roberts knocked Dundee down again in their second chapter for the count of nine. Eddie K. O.'d Dundee in their first bout before Joe could get his stance.

Whether their first match was a fluke or not was decided in their second match and the party of the first part contracted the party of the second part to another right to floor.

Eddie has it. He is a puncher, and a hard one, all of which will take a bit of higher polish and a certain finesse.

Dundee finally won—he had to win, Pete Latzo was in his mind. Those thoughts make a difference, a greater difference to a contender like Joe than to Roberts. Had Eddie been thinking along the same lines as the Baltimore lad the coast boy would have followed up and sent him back to the shore of oyster beds.

Roberts will want to win as much as Joe some day, after pointing, then Joe will fail. Eddie could lick Joe in every meeting—that is, after Dundee has met and lost to Latzo.

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Ban Johnson and the Judge of Kenesaw are refeuding.

Their differences have been of long standing. Ban does not know what it is all about and so does the Chicago czar.

They are trying to clean up baseball by first eliminating themselves. They start the argument by ordering a couple of whitewashers from Detroit and Cleveland who have jogged up the ponies on several occasions.

They also ran.

The answer is—PLAY BALL!



"Dutch" Leonard was a pitcher,
Yes, and that's not all,
If Ty Cobb could throw out one—
He'd toss him a bean ball.

Judge Landis will have the old oil going pretty soon.

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It is only fair that we should tell Mr. Lanids we saw Eddie Collins "fix" a guy off first base one afternoon.

Ty Cobb and Tris Speaker May Get Clean Bill and Win Reinstatement

CHICAGO, Jan. 24. (AP) — Ty Cobb and Tris Speaker, formerly managers of the Detroit and Cleveland clubs, charged with "fixing" a game in 1919 for the sake of a betting pool, may be vindicated and reinstated in organized baseball within two or three days. Their attorneys conferred today with Commissioner Landis and Cobb's counsel insisted upon a quick vindication.

Speaker left today with his lawyer for Cleveland with the knowledge that three American league clubs are ready to bid for his services as soon as his record is cleared. Detroit, Washington and New York clubs are said to be eager to sign him.

While Cobb has received one offer from Baltimore, and expects others from major league clubs, the Georgia Peach is planning a trip to Europe instead of his 24th season of major league baseball.

All Cobb seems to want is to have his record cleared of the suspicion of dishonesty and then he intends to forget about baseball for a while.

Cobb returned to his home in Georgia tonight, while J. C. Murfin of Detroit, his attorney, returned to Dutroit pending word of Landis' edict.

Ban Johnson, whose retirement as leader of the American league was voted last night by the club owners to forestall a showdown before Landis was in better spirits today than yesterday afternoon when he came back from the meeting with his club owners which led them to vote his retirement because of ill health.

To his club owners, Johnson seemed to have failed perceptibly since they last saw him at the joint session here in December and it was largely the insistence of his personal physician, Dr. Robert B. Drury, Columbus, Ohio, which led the commissioner to call off today's session to go to the bottom of the Cobb-Speaker situation.

Dr. Drury said Johnson was in no condition to stand such an ordeal as he might be subjected to, that he was enfeebled and in failing health and that any unusual strain might be very serious for him, perhaps fatal. High blood pressure, diabetes and bright's disease all were among the complications in Mr. Johnson's case, Dr. Drury said.

His intimate friends were urging Johnson to go away for a long rest, possibly to a sanitarium where he can forget the battles of baseball of which he has been the storm center for 24 years.

Another Contender For Fistic Honors

MACON, Ga., Jan. 24. (AP)—There is a new "Pa" Stribling today and the former holder of that title becomes "grandpa."

W. L. (Young) Stribling, Georgia boxer, was presented with an eight and a half pound boy this morning and the newcomer has been christened W. L. Stribling, III, the mother before the marriage was Miss Clara Virginia Kinney of Macon.

"Don't call me pa any more—it's grandpa now," said the former manager of young Stribling.

GIRL LOOPERS TAPERING OFF

Women's League Ready For Opener Wednesday

THE CARD

Conocos versus Electrics.
P. B. M. versus Whippets.

The four women's basketball league sextets put in scrimmage practice sessions Monday night at Call field in preparation for the league opener Wednesday night on the Junior college floor. All four expect to stage tapering off workouts Tuesday night, the Conocos and P. B. M.'s working on a downtown court while the Electrics and Whippets finish up at Call field. The Electrics will take to the out-of-town court at 6:30 with the Whippets coming on at 8 o'clock.

Frank Ramsey put his Conocos through a long session yesterday, starting in the late afternoon and closing at 7 o'clock. The squad romped through a merry scrimmage and passing duel after which it was pronounced ready for the Wednesday inaugural. Electrics and P. B. M.'s each took a few flings at the baskets but the Whippets were crowded off the court and were forced to satisfy themselves with passing and scrimmage minus goals to shoot at. Chub Neal's gang declared themselves out for blood, mostly that of the P. B. M. team, Wednesday night, because the girls believe Barnard's squad has been encroaching on the Whippet practice nights and then won't give them a chance to play tit-for-tat in return. Intense rivalry has been developed between three of the clubs. Both P. B. M. and Conocos are out to scalp the Electrics. The Whippets, who don't meet the Kilowatts in league play for nearly three weeks yet, appear to be kind of stringing with Charley Spragins' buch against the rest of the field.

Mickey Signs To Do Battle Feb. 1

FRESNO, Cal., Jan. 24. (AP)—Mickey Walker, world's middleweight champion, has been signed for a 10-round bout here Tuesday, Feb. 1, against an unnamed opponent.

Negotiations for Walker's services were completed in Los Angeles Sunday by Tommy McFarland, Fresno legion match-maker.

Among the Pacific coast middleweights being considered as possible opponents for Walker is Mickey Wallace of Los Angeles and it is believed that McFarland will close with the southern boxer early this week.

CALLAHAN SIGNS

Frisco Junior Welter Champ To Do Battle.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24. (AP) — Mushy Callahan of San Francisco junior welterweight champion has been matched for a 15-round contest in defense of his 140 pound honors against Andy Divodi, Brooklyn youngster, at Madison Square Garden, March 18. It will be Divodi's first bout over six rounds in this state as he has just reached the age limit of 21.

MIKE AT CROSS ROADS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24. (AP)—Mike McTigue, former light heavyweight champion comes to a probable cross roads in his Dotic career in Madison Square Garden Friday night when he meets Paul Berlenbach, the Astoria puncher, who stripped him of his title in 1925. A win for McTigue will give him at least equal ranking with Berlenbach in Tex Rickard's series of clashes to decide upon the next challenger for the heavyweight title.

CARLIN WOULD WRESTLE GRIP WIN-TAKE-ALL

Swede Repeats Declaration His Bum Knee Bum No More

THE CARD

Johnny Carlin, Chicago, versus Charley Grip, Buffalo. Welterweights, two falls to a finish.

Jack Gorman, San Angelo, versus, Ted Lee, Long Beach. Welterweights, two falls to a finish.

Johnny Carlin, the redoubtable Swede who makes his third try Wednesday night at the Palace to topple the rugged Charley Grip, reiterated Monday that he will be in great shape for the match.

Carlin after giving Grip a merry chase here two weeks ago, injured a knee, bruising it badly and cutting the skin. Infection set in. He endeavored to come back against Grip last week, but succumbed when Grip applied a hold on the injured member. Carlin declared Saturday that the injury has healed wonderfully and that he feels fully capable of drubbing the Buffalo bullet-head. He repeated his declaration yesterday. Both times he entered denial he would not be able to step Wednesday he was backed up in his assertion by an attending physician, according to Matchmaker A. B. Ross.

Swede Dangerous.

Carlin in shape is rated as the most dangerous foe Grip has met in this section and the pudgy one has tackled many a tough customer. So whether or not the match will be up to standard depends on whether or not Carlin in his enthusiasm has not exaggerated the purported good condition of his knee. Carlin, however, declares that if he doesn't beat Grip Wednesday he is willing to split his end of the purse with the promoter and preliminary wrestlers. The Swede is not acquainted with Gorman and Lee, but feels so sure of himself, he says, he doesn't care who gets the money if he doesn't come through with a victory — doesn't care just so long as Grip doesn't take a cut-in on his end of the purse. Carlin is said to have dared Grip to meet him winner-take-all, but the Lithuanian demurred.

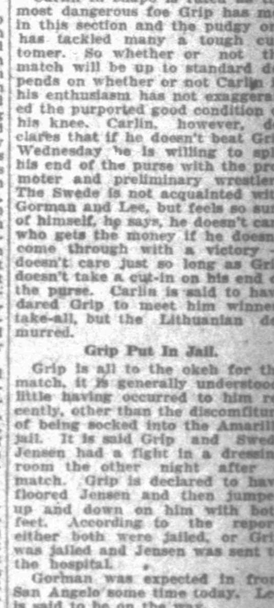
Grip Put In Jail.

Grip is all to the okeh for the match, it is generally understood, little having occurred to him recently, other than the discomfiture of being socked into the Amarillo jail. It is said Grip and Swede Jensen had a fight in a dressing room the other night after a match. Grip is declared to have floored Jensen and then jumped up and down on him with both feet. According to the report, either both were jailed, or Grip was jailed and Jensen was sent to the hospital.

Gorman was expected in from San Angelo some time today. Lee is said to be on the way.

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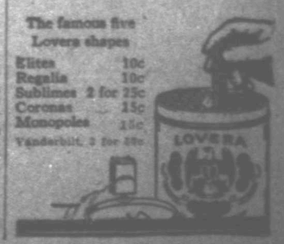
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LETTER AWARDS TO REAGAN FOOTBALL ATHLETES TODAY

Football letter awards to the 1926 Reagan's junior high football team will be made Tuesday morning during chapel exercises, it was announced Monday.

Coach Lewis has selected 11 youngsters, the starters in the game with Zundelowitz, as the honorees. Reagan played but one game this year, however, expects to step out and show the boys a few neat fall. The school was divided when the Zundelowitz building was completed last fall and a number of potential Reagan stars were removed to the new junior high, thereby causing a shake-up in the squad and a late football start.

The youngsters who will receive the letters are Bill Wilson, Fred Withrow, Ray George, Theo Williams, Jack West, Earl Hutchinson, Orwell White, John Bell, Phil McCoun, Cleve Moss and Paul Dickey.

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TEXAS SECOND ONLY TO NEW YORK

NEW YORK and then Texas were the greatest exporting contributors among states to the exports of the nation during the third quarter of 1926. Pennsylvania ranked third. It is announced by the Commerce Department that New York, which exported goods to a value of $195,379,000 made up its total by a highly diversified variety of commodities, but the great bulk of Texas exports was raw cotton, though petroleum products, packing products and the other agricultural commodities amount to large sums.

Cotton cloth was the largest single item from New York. Pennsylvania exports, or rather the total, was $83,248,000, less than half that of Texas, which was $184,499,192. California ran fourth and Michigan fifth. There were heavy automobile exports from Michigan, Illinois was sixth, Louisiana seventh, New Jersey eighth, Ohio ninth and tenth place went to West Virginia. West Virginia was a large exporter of coal. There was a strike of miners in England and Wales, and this made shipping of coal good for the mining operators of West Virginia.

Virginia was given eleventh place and Washington twelfth. Virginia made heavy exports of coal and Washington as a heavy producer of lumber for the world trade. Texas made a magnificent showing, but it was the export of cotton that assisted in the making of the showing.

Thus it is that a staple which the farmer produced away below cost of production threw the balance of trade on the side of the United States. Texas is an agricultural state. It will remain an agricultural state for years to come. This is one of the reasons why something should be done for the relief or to assist those who are tillers of the soil and the makers or creators of new money which flows into the channels of trade in Texas.

KANSAS AND THE CIGARETTE

AND now the lawmakers of Kansas have surrendered to the cigarette. Not many years ago Kansas voted outlaw the cigarette. Now by a vote of 83 to 35 the house of the Kansas legislature has repealed the act forbidding sale or gift of cigarettes.

Two years ago the Kansas senate voted nearly 3 to 1 for repeal and only one new senator has come to the chamber since. Governor Paulen is ready to sign the repeal bill on approval of both branches of the legislature and if it contains no imperfections.

This is the way the world goes. Lawmakers fatten the statutes at one session. Time rolls on. New lawmakers repeal old laws and enact new ones. A man named McGuggin, a lawyer and a hero of the World War, is the author of the repeal bill. He rolled his while in the trenches, and he has no time for any law or custom that interferes with "the natural rights of man." This is contention: If he wishes to roll and smoke, it is his pleasure or privilege, or his frolic and funeral. His fellow members accepted the argument and put his repeal bill over almost in the twinkling of an eye.

This is a merry old world. If one does not care to roll his own, he can hit the pipe, chew plug, dip snuff or abstain from the use of tobacco in all farms.

SMITH OF ILLINOIS

SMITH of Illinois was denied his seat by a vote of 48 to 33 pending further investigation of the financing of his campaign in large part by operators of public utilities. Fifteen republicans voted with the majority to keep Smith out. Four democrats voted with the minority, republican minority to let Smith in. There were many pairs.

Smith was not slapped in the face because he is a republican or rudely ejected for political reasons. He was chairman of the Public Utilities Committee of Illinois. Samuel Insul is the head of the public utilities and he contributed $125,000 to the campaign fund of Smith.

In other words, a public utility king contributed a large sum to the campaign chest of a candidate who was a public servant and sworn official of the state of Illinois.

Smith of Illinois will be compelled to get himself a new job. He will never be given a seat in the senate. He may be as innocent of wrong doing, while acting as a public servant, as a babe unborn, but his concepts of the duties of a public servant are very crude and his ethics of a very low order.

A public servant cannot serve two masters. No man can serve two masters, in public or private life. That is, he cannot serve two and make a successful go of it.

EARLY PRECEPTS OF ISRAEL

AMERICAN democracy and freedom can be traced back to the early precepts of Israel, according to Cardinal Hayes of New York, who has been invited to address a large body of business men, in behalf of the American Christian fund for Jewish relief. This is what he said:

"The Jew was never a slave. No Caesar, no Pharoah, no Alexander could bind him to submission. Always the Jew fought for freedom of expression and freedom to worship God in his own way. Hebraic traditions stand for all time. This influence has come down to us. The fathers of the Declaration of Independence knew it well."

Always the independent thinkers, the tolerant man throughout the ages has fought for freedom of expression and freedom to worship God in his own way. This is the reason why the world has moved upward and onward and every dead civilization has been succeeded by a better civilization.

MONEY IN MILK

THERE is money in milk. One thousand gallons leaves Devine every morning for San Antonio. The cow and the sow and the hen are dividend makers. Sheep and goats are dividend makers. If you do not believe it, read the stories of the cow and the sow and the hen and their respective output in Texas in 1926.

Personals And News Notes From Towns In Wichita Falls Territory

OLNEY PERSONALS

Special to The Record News.

OLNEY, Jan. 24.—Mrs. Rex Collins of Vernon, was the guest of Mrs. Clint Cosby last week.

Mr. Powell of Van Alstyne was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Williams last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horne and baby, Edith Lanell, have moved here from Vera and are at home with Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Dale on South Avenue C.

Mrs. E. H. Sharp has been quite ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lawson are moving back to their home on the west plains from Pampa.

Loule, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Curley Gameson, is ill.

Mrs. H. H. Minderman is out of school this week, she being ill with the flu.

Little Norma Anderson is on the sick list.

Mrs. Chester Bland of Port Arthur, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hightower and also her sister, Mrs. W. M. Thomas.

Mrs. J. E. Pierce of Cheneyville, La., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Herbert J. Tanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Ball of Anson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adney Stowe.

Mrs. Toby Stewart of Dallas is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilburn.

Messrs. J. G. and Elmer Wood of Floydada are at the bedside of their father, George T. Wood here.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrie Poole and son, C. M., spent Sunday with relatives at Jean.

R. B. Marshall of Electra was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. E. W. Patton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Patton and children are moving to Wichita Falls the latter part of this week.

Mrs. D. L. Wolfe is visiting relatives in Waco.

Mrs. Georgia Perry is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. J. P. Atchley and son, Willie, were in Mineral Wells last week. Mrs. Atchley came home and spent the week-end with homefolks but returned to Mineral Wells Monday to take treatment for a few days.

Mr. Cobb of Weatherford is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Lewis White.

Miss Lucille Morrison of Graham was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Fern Robertson a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Fitzgerald of Nocona, visited relatives and friends here Wednesday.

Mrs. Ted Russell is on the sick list with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rice of Big Springs were visitors here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Seaborn Benson and son, Horace Jr., were visitors in Amarillo and Panhandle last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Frizzell and children are moving to Breckenridge.

Miss Wava Epples spent the week-end with Hayden Wilburn at Archer City.

Miss Myrtle Lawson of Throckmorton is visiting relatives here this week.

Leo Fletcher was a business visitor in Graham Monday.

J. T. Fletcher and son, Ed, visited homefolks Sunday from Wichita Falls where they are taking treatment for hydrophobia.

Mrs. Walter Wells and children, Mrs. Lee Van Arsdel and baby, and Miss Clytie Blacker were the guests of Miss Reba Rogers in Megargle Monday.

Miss Billie Frizzell has a position with the skating rink at Breckenridge.

George T. Wood, who has been postmaster here for a number of years, came in Wednesday from Mineral Wells where he has been taking treatment from Dr. Milling. He is reported as in a serious condition.

Jesse Wood of Bunger is here this week building a garage on his lot on South Avenue F. He plans to build a home here later.

Oleta Smith is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cross and little son, Jack, have returned to their home near Jean, after a few weeks stay with relatives here. Mr. Cross is recovering nicely from severe burns received a few weeks ago, while working on a rig near Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartman were visitors in Wichita Falls Monday night. They are planning to move to Breckenridge in a few days.

Mrs. King and Mrs. Mar- were shopping in Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Grimes of Grandfield, Okla., were here for a few days this week.

Dr. and Mrs. George B. Hamilton and daughter, Katherine, were visitors in Graham Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore are moving back here from St. Joe.

Miss Maxine Johnston spent the week-end in Archer City.

Mrs. Fred Parsley and Master Royce Parsley of Graham, were visitors here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sutton of Weslaco, announce the arrival of a baby boy, January 7. Mrs. Sutton was formerly Miss Doris Chestnutt.

J. F. Finch of Iowa Park, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Byrom Hughes of Vera was a business visitor here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Guest, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cross, have returned to their home at Aspermont.

Mr. and Mrs. Iper have moved here from Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rogers were visitors in Megargel the first of the week.

E. M. Sharp was a business visitor in Wichita Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Holman, who have been visiting their children, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Wright and Jesse Shelby and Gus Holmes for several weeks have returned to their home in Wizard Wells.

Miss Bobby Parsley and Claud Kennedy of Graham, were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. Miller Jean was the guest of her sons, Francis and Henry Miller this past week.

Will O'Connell left Tuesday for a trip to Abilene and other points in West Texas.

Mrs. Guy Collins and baby of Newcastle have been the guests of Mrs. Charles Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hunt of Bowie are visiting in the home of their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunt.

Mrs. H. F. Ware, who has been quite sick for the past week, is reported somewhat improved.

Willene O'Connell has been ill for several days and unable to attend school.

Messrs. Turner and Charles Richardson were business visitors in Mineral Wells this week.

Miss Betty Williams has gone to Weinert to visit her mother.

Mrs. Henry Stephens of Bowie was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. T. Richardson last week.

E. G. Christie was a business visitor in Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Duncan announce the arrival of a baby girl, January 16.

Miss McReynolds is visiting her mother in Sanger.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harrison and daughter, Evelyn Pearl, are moving to Henrietta next week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Perkins announce the arrival of a baby boy, January 19.

Mrs. George B. Hamilton and daughter, Katherine, were the guests of Mrs. Yates, Mrs. Hamilton's mother, and Mrs. Frank Cullum, her sister, in Wichita Falls last week-end.

C. E. Graham of Anarene was a visitor here Wednesday.

Mrs. R. O. Andrews of Andrews Ranch, was a visitor here Monday.

Brock Roach of Decatur was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Roach this week.

Messrs. Brock and George Roach were business visitors at Elbert Monday.

Mrs. Edwin Hooker visited relatives at Burkburnett this week.

Mrs. J. B. Price is on the sick list this week.

ODELL PERSONALS

Special to The Record News.

ODELL, Jan. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Shelton spent Sunday with relatives here.

Several from here attended the party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boyd Saturday night.

Odell visitors in Vernon Monday were: H. S. Thompson and daughters, Nettie and Myrtle, Frank Watson, Levi Beach and wife, Mr. Chandler, Rev. and Mrs. Preston Florence and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bratcher, Mrs. F. H. McDougal, and Miss Eula Bratcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Turner and children visited relatives here Sunday.

L. Gambill and son of Wichita Falls, were here Sunday afternoon.

Miss Silvia Spivy of Midway spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Velma Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Shelton were Odell visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Pulcher and daughter, are visiting here from Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bucy and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bucy, who have been residents of this community for 25 years, left Thursday for the Rio Grande valley to make their home there.

CLASS INSPECTS GINS

FREDERICK, Jan. 24.—In order to acquaint pupils with the workings of some of Frederick's industrial plants, vocational agricultural classes of the local high school have been recent visitors in a body to compresses, cotton gins, a milling company and a cotton oil mill.



A naughty person, a wicked man, walketh with a forward mouth.

He winketh with his eyes, he speaketh with his feet, he teacheth with his fingers.

Forwardness is in his heart, he deviseth mischief continually; he soweth discord.

Therefore shall his calamity come suddenly; suddenly shall he be broken without remedy.—Proverbs 6:12-15.

Lyrics of Life

BY DOUGLAS MALLOCH

WHILE WE MAY

We think they always will be ours,
Children and leaves and birds and flow'rs,
Yet blossombud, and bloom, and blow,
Away before we fairly know,
And leaves that once made green the trees
Are borne away upon the breeze,
And birds fly south in autumn days,
And children grow, and go their ways
The garden's rose, the singer's song,
Are never given us for long.
And yet I would not make you sad,
Would only have you be as glad
As glad as you may, and while you can.
The child so soon becomes the man,
Let us take time and join the play
Of little children, while we may.

SPELLING MATCH

Munday Lodge Members Hold Old Time Bee

Special to The Record News.

MUNDAY, Jan. 24.—An old fashioned spelling match was one of the enjoyable features of the joint meeting of the Odd Fellows and Rebecca lodges here on Monday evening, and the text book used for the occasion was Webster's Blue Back speller, and many of those who attended and entered into the competition did not stand in line long when they encountered some of the words that were given out by Mr. C. W. Anderson, who has hurled a challenge to the entire membership of both orders to spell against them from this book.

When one finds that many words in this book are spelled differently from what they are today it will be understood that it was a difficult matter to stand in line for long. For instance, in this speller the word "libel" is spelled "libal," and "booze" is spelled "boose," and many other words seem to have changed their way of spelling since those good old days when this book was universally used as a text book in the schools of the country.

LICENSE LIMIT

Knox County Car Owners Must Pay Up Today.

Special to The Record News.

MUNDAY, Jan. 25 has been designated by Sheriff J. W. Melton as the deadline for motorists who are operating their cars and trucks without the 1927 license tags, and a statement has been issued from that office that after this date all who operate their cars after that date without the new license tags will be dealt with according to law.

In many counties officials have followed the letter of the law and many arrests have been made in various sections already, hence it will be observed that Sheriff Melton has been very lenient in the matter of enforcing this law.

'DOKK' TO MEET

Electra Gets First Meeting Since Year 1920

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Jan. 24.—For the first time since 1920 Electra will hold a D. O. K. K. ceremonial, with the date having been announced for Feb. 23, 1927, and at the meeting of the members of the Knights of Pythias and D. O. K. K. in Burkburnett Wednesday evening of this week, plans were made for the ceremonial which will be the greatest thing in that line to be in this city in a great while.

KNOX COUNTY FARMS

Special to The Record News.

MUNDAY, Jan. 24.—The annual report of the Knox county agricultural agent, W. O. Logan, shows many things done the past year.

The report shows 226 days spent in field work, 63 days office work, 145 phone calls answered, 439 office and official calls, wrote 418 letter, and 850 circular letters sent out. There were 827 circulars and bulletins from A. and M. college and U. S. department of agriculture mailed or given out, 273 farms or project work visited, 125 homes visited, 158 meetings held or attended where 5235 people attended; 223 news items were written concerning timely suggestions, what others have accomplished, how to select adapted fruit and shade trees, vegetables, field crops, etc., how to control disease, insects and other pests, how to feed and cull hens for egg production, care of baby chicks; when to cut hay, how to select seed, feeds for fattening calves, cows and hogs and how to cure meat and can it. Gave 56 demonstrations explaining how, why and wherefore of farm problems. Culled 2000 hens, pruned 150 peach trees, vaccinated 75 calves for black leg, terraced or run lines for terraces over 4000 acres of land.

With the juniors, 100 boys were coached in judging livestock and grains, 25 in poultry judging, held a two-day encampment and short course. Took three boys to A. and M. college in judging work and six boys to state educational encampment and Dallas fair. Coached 200 different boys along certain agricultural lines in club work, visited 17 different schools in interest of club work, and held two-day successful club show at Munday.

When the above report with more details and a suggestive outline of future work was presented to the commissioners' court they approved it and encouraged the agent and promised their advice and counsel, as well as assistance in person when possible in getting better improved methods, more livestock, better seeds, and a safer and saner program of farming for Knox county. Some of the court brought attention to the fact that not only was the land on Knox prairie badly infested with root rot, but the bolls of cotton with plenty of season was getting smaller and harder to pick. They were of the opinion that the "half feed, half cotton" with a change every year would restore soil fertility and make this county more prosperous. They endorsed bull circles as the wisest method of improving the dairy industry of the county. They declared each trading center in the county should organize for the promotion of a better farming program in the community.

MUNDAY PERSONALS

Special to The Record News.

MUNDAY, Jan. 24.—Ernest E. Ling of London, England, and V. E. Graham of Chicago, Ill., were here last week in company with G. W. Fry and Price Campbell of Abilene, looking over the properties of the West Texas Utilities company, in which they are interested financially, Mr. Ling being in charge of the securities of the Midwest Utilities in London and Mr. Graham is in charge of the securities in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Chapman of Winters, Texas, were week-end guests of his brother, W. H. Chapman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bridges of Portsmouth, Va., are here visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. T. D. L. Johnson and other relatives.

Mrs. Nathan J. Evans passed away at the home of her son, J. D. Reddell in the Lone Star community at the age of 86 years, four months and five days, and funeral services were conducted on the following day by the Rev. R. R. Gilbreath, after which interment was made in the Thorp cemetery.

The HOLLYWOOD GIRL

By Beatrice Burton
Author of
"Love Bound," "Her Man," "Honey Lou," Etc.

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BOBBIE RANSOM, demure little school teacher, is anything but the flip type of girl who usually is "movie struck." However, she is. For years she has been dreaming of going to Hollywood to break into pictures. But she never can get together enough money, for she is extravagant and her family will not lend her any. Neither will ANDREW JERROLD, who wants her to stay at home and marry him.

Finally she borrows $500 from the well-to-do WIDOW PARKINS, who is to marry her father; and she goes to Hollywood with a high heart and a full purse.

At MRS. MANGAN'S boarding house she meets STELLA DELROY, an extra in the movies. Through her she gets several days' work at the Magnifica Studios where ROY SCHULTZ, a famous director, and LOTTIE SCHULTZ, his wife, take much interest in her. GUS MacCLOUD, the assistant director, falls in love with her and she with him. MONICA MONT, another player at Magnifica, who comes to live at Mrs. Mangan's advises Bobbie to play up to him for the help he can be to her. Then, when Bobbie take her advice, she becomes jealous.

Bobbie goes home when her Aunt Gertrude, who brought her up, dies. Her father says he is going to marry the Widow Parkins, and Andy Jerrold begs Bobbie to marry him. But she refuses and goes back to Hollywood—and Gus. Her father sends her some old diamonds that had belonged to Aunt Gertrude, and she makes up her mind to sell them when her money gives out.

During her absence, Monica has given a good part in a Roy Schultz picture and on the strength of it has moved into a new flat. But she has no money to lend poor Stella, who'e been badly burned in a studio fire. Stella goes back to her old job in a beauty shop.

Bobbie gets a day's work at Magnifica, where she hears that Gus and Monica are supposed to be in love with each other, and that Gus has been married and his wife is divorcing him. She asks Gus, who is apparently still deeply attracted by her, about it and he admits that he is married. She tells him she'll have nothing more to do with him, and he leaves her in a fit of masculine sulks. The next day she meets Lottie Schultz who offers to lend her some money on her diamonds but Bobbie refuses her offer. As she turns into a jewelry shop she sees Gus driving by Monica.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXX

Bobbie gazed after the cream-colored roadster until it was just a shining speck far out on Hollywood boulevard.

A cold wave of something that was more like sorrow than jealousy crept over her. Monica and Gus. Monica and Gus. Together.

"Oh, well, what difference does it make if they are?" she asked herself impatiently, and she turned and marched into the jewelry shop. "They've known each other for a long time—and I'm through with Gus, anyway. I don't care what he does."

But under that thought flowed another—the thought that she did care what he did and that she never was through with him while she still missed him the way she did every minute of the day.

"He's selfish and sulky and spoiled," she told herself as she handed the jeweler the little box that contained Aunt Gertrude's brooch. "And he really doesn't care for me. He just likes to make love to me because he thinks I'm pretty. That's all. He's one of these men that fall in love with the thrill and never with the woman herself."

The jeweler, a wizened bald-headed man, was looking at the dim old diamonds through a magnifying glass.

"Do you want to sell all three of them?" he asked, scenting a good bargain.

"Only one, I think," Bobbie answered.

Then she added faintly: "They're very good diamonds, even if they do have that old-fashioned cutting."

The jeweler shook his head. He knew they were good diamonds, but he wasn't going to let her know it. He was an old fox.

In the end he gave her $70 for the largest of the three diamonds, which was about one-third of what it was really worth.

She took it thankfully, and carried it across the street to the bank.

On the way home she stopped in at one of the out-door markets and bought peanut butter and whole wheat bread and coffee.

"Something cheap and filling," she said to herself, walking along under the pepper trees and the olive trees that swayed ever so gently in the warm salty air.

"Christmas only four days off," she went on thinking. "I won't even dare to send any Christmas cards. They're too expensive. Five-cent post cards will have to do."

She took them home, and sat at Mrs. Mangan's little desk to write messages on them. "Merry Christmas to Andy from Bobs." "To wish dad and my new stepmother a Merry Christmas."

"I ought to send them all presents, but I just can't this year," she said to Mrs. Mangan, who was crocheting something with shell-pink wool, at the sitting window. "I'm lucky to have a roof over my head."

She was lucky to have a warm, comfortable place to live in, she thought, looking around the room. There were deep cushions in all the chairs, a fire of pine-knots burned rosily in the grate, and from the kitchen came the warm spicy smell of fruit cake baking in the oven.

The fragrance brought back a remembrance of last Christmas, when she and Aunt Gertrude had baked fruit cakes, aided by Andy who had eaten most of the citron and raisins while has was pretending to crack nuts.

She could shut her eyes and see the old blue-and-white kitchen at home, with its table-top scrubbed until it was pure white, its brass faucets that always sang a little drip-drip-drivning song as they leaked into the sink, the geraniums blooming on the window sills, and the cat dozing in the warmest corner.

"I suppose you're invited up to Mr. MacCloud's for Christmas dinner, aren't you?" Mrs. Mangan asked with pretended indifference. As a matter of fact, she was dying to know how things stood between MacCloud and Bobbie.

"Oh, there, I've blotted a card!" exclaimed Bobbie, so that she wouldn't have to answer the question.

But when Mrs. Mangan made up her mind to find something out, she was not to be turned aside so easily.

"I saw by this morning's paper that he's going to have quite a big party," she went on in her thin tired voice that somehow made Bobbie think of the noise of a mosquito.

"That so?"

Bobbie went on writing, and did not lift her head.

But as soon as she finished her cards she went out of the room and back to the wall-rack in the pantry. It was there that Mrs. Mangan kept all the old newspapers. They came in so handy, she said, when you were cleaning shelves or wrapping up the sheets to go to the laundry.

There was the little item about Gus in the column devoted to "Social Doings in Filmdom."

Bobbie took it in at a glance: "Mr. Angus MacCloud is entertaining on Christmas day with a dinner to twenty-four of his friends."

"Hmm! I should worry, I should bother. I should care what he does!" she said to herself. But she tore out the little item and took it upstairs with her.

That night she showed it to Stella.

"Cheer up, maybe you're going to be one of the twenty-four. It would be just like him to call up at the last minute and ask you to come," said Stella when she had read it.

"I wouldn't go if he asked me to until he was hoarse," Bobbie returned, with a toss of her shining head.

But she found herself waiting all the next day for the ringing of the telephone, and for Mrs. Mangan's voice calling to her to answer it.

It didn't ring.

Monica did not call up either, nor did she drop in in her hurried breathless way.

"For two pins, I'd go to see her and find out how much she sees of Gus," Bobbie said to herself, on the afternoon of Christmas eve.

She missed Monica, much as she disliked her. After all, Monica had been as good a friend as she had ever had, for a while.

And it was very tiresome sitting here in Mrs. Mangan's quiet house, hour after hour, with nothing to do. She had sewn every missing button on her clothes, manicured her nails until they were like pink pearls, washed her golden hair to a marvelous fluffiness, polished all her slippers.

Three times a day she went down to the kitchen and made coffee. She could drink it and enjoy it, but she didn't seem to want food. Perhaps it was that she was fed up on peanut butter and bread, but she couldn't think of anything else that she wanted to eat. She just didn't have any appetite lately.

All the color and the savor of life seemed to be gone, all at once.

"If I'd just get a call from Magnifica or any other studio, I bet I'd pep up again," she told herself on Christmas eve, when she went to bed early so that she could forget that it was Christmas eve and a time of merry-making for everybody but herself. "It seems so hopeless and deadly just waiting here, and nothing happening."

At ten o'clock she heard Stella come in. Her steps were slow and dragging upon the steps. Well, it must be tiresome to sit at a little table all day long, clipping and trimming and polishing other women's nails.

"No Christmas eve for Stella," either, she thought. But the thought was not comforting. She was just as sorry for Stella as she would have been, if she had been having a good time, herself.

Christmas morning was gray and cold and cloudy.

Bobbie lay in bed listening to the sound of Mrs. Mangan getting up a fine Christmas dinner for herself and Mr. Mangan. Dishes clattered, kettle lids banged, and the house slowly filled with the rich fragrance of roasting turkey and baking Hubbard squash.

Last Christmas—the tiny Christmas tree that she and Aunt Gertrude had trimmed for the center of the dining room table. The presents they had stacked around it—Andy Jerrold running in at 10 o'clock with the biggest bouquet of dewy violets that surely had ever been seen, with a five-pound box of candy from the Sugar Bowl, and a slave bracelet of green gold.

It was still on Bobbie's slender wrist. She looked at it, and as she looked at it, it became just a bright blur seen through her tears.

"Andy. Even Andy has forgotten all about me," she thought in self-pity. She hadn't had so much as a Christmas card from him. Perhaps he had all ready found the nice girl she had always urged him to find and marry. The thought stung and hurt a little.

The front doorbell rang, and there came a patter of light feet on the stairs.

Monica burst open the door of the room and bounced in all white fox fur and grayish pink silk, with a huge pink felt hat crammed down over her blue-black hair and bluish grease smeared on her eyelids.

She had a small white box, all tied up in red and gold ribbon in her hand and she flung it down on the covers of Bobbie's bed.

"Merry Christmas, dearest old dear!" she thrilled, and gave Bobbie a perfumed kiss. "I can't even sit down—I'm on my way up to Gussy's. He's having a whole mob of us up for egg-nog and turkey. Goodby, lovely. Goodby! See you in church!"

When she was gone, Bobbie opened the box.

Folded within it was one white handkerchief, edged with rather coarse lace. In the corner was a large pink "B" done with machine-stitching.

"My one and only Christmas present," thought Bobbie, looking at it.

A soft knock came on the door, and Stella came in.

"What did the Queen of Sheba bring you?" she asked, and her lip curled a little as she looked at the coarse handkerchief.

"Five-and-ten-cent store. I'm afraid," she added, touching it. "She just bought it to have an excuse to come in here and let you know she'd been asked to Gus MacCloud's dinner party! She never gave away a Christmas present in her life, unless it was for some special reason of her own, the stingy cat!"

Her green eyes lit up, and she shook her head angrily.

"Let's get dressed and go somewhere to eat, Bob," she said briskly. "If I stay here in this house and smell that turkey much longer, I'll go mad. I'm not hungry but if smells just like Christmas somehow, doesn't it?"

Outside, it was cold and there was a high wind blowing. It tugged at their hats, slapped them in the face, and blew dust into their eyes.

But it was good to be moving, anyway. Good to be going somewhere, even if it was only to John's restaurant where they ate ham and eggs instead of turkey and plum pudding.

"A package came for you two minutes after you went out," Mrs. Mangan said to Bobbie, when they got back to the house. "I was just on my way upstairs to ask you two girls to have dinner with me and Mangan, when the postman rang the bell. I didn't know you'd gone, and then I saw you going down the street—" She was full of apologies and sympathy, the poor soul.

Bobbie took the package up to her room. It was from Andy. She recognized his dashing slanting handwriting on the brown paper wrapper.

Within was a sheet of white paper, and within that was a small white jeweler's box.

Inside of it on a puff of royal blue velvet lay a bracelet—a watch bracelet set with tiny sapphires.

"I'm as blue as the sapphires, because I'm not with you today," Andy had written, "and before this watch has ticked away many hours, I hope you'll be back home with

"Yours to the last ditch,

"ANDY."

Bobbie stood very still before her dressing table, and re-read that letter. She thought of how Andy's eyes had crinkled up at the corners when he brought her the flowers and the candy and the slave-bracelet last year. Nice boy, Andy. Nothing about him that made her breath come thick and fast and her heart beat fast, when she saw him. Nothing that made her want to close her eyes and turn her face up to his to be kissed—as she always wanted to when she was with Gus MacCloud.

But, oh, he was good! And kind and decent, and she was homesick for him the least bit, and lonely.

She put her head down on the edge of Mrs. Mangan's blue-green dressing table and cried and cried and cried.

"And yet," she told herself truthfully, even while she was crying, "I'd sell that watch-bracelet tomorrow just to stay here in Hollywood, where Gus MacCloud is!"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Like many another girl, Bobbie finds herself hating the man she loves—wanting to see him, and yet refusing to see him! Tomorrow she meets him once more.

BO BROADWAY..... By Joseph Van Raalte

NEW YORK, Jan. 24. (EFS)—Between Wayne E. Wheeler's Cemetery Scotch and Brother Ford's Chump Chariots, Saptown on the Subway seems to be in grave danger of an epidemic of hoof and mouth disease.

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"Now this model," said the Super Salesman, at the automobile show, indicating a glistening 1927 Pray-As-You-Enter, "has four-wheel brakes—"

"Nothin' doin," interrupted Mile-High-Higgins. "Trot out one with an accelerator and no brakes!"

Youth must be served.

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New York's theater-time traffic is getting worse week by week. There are approximately 60 showhouses scattered through the 17 blocks from the Square to the Circle and in the half hour from 8:15 to 8:45 'steen thousand motorists honk their way into the congested district, each with the unique intention of reaching his playhouse in time for the first curtain.

I boarded a taxi recently three blocks east of Fifth Avenue at 8 o'clock, in the Early Forties, and it took 35 minutes, actual count on the Gruen-Ingersoll, to reach the Lane o' Lights.

Theater managers hold their curtains till the last minute to offset the traffic delays encountered by their patrons. Most theaters nowadays don't get under way until 9 o'clock or a little after. The trouble is, playgoers know that and many of them time their start from the house with that idea in mind. The result is, instead of aiding traffic, the deferred curtain raising merely shifts congestion from one segment of the watch face to another.

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A "Broadway-minded" dramatic critic got fired some weeks ago, and sought employment on another newspaper that had just lost a lot of theatrical advertising because of an increase in their rates.

"I'm sorry," said the managing editor to the applicant, "our dramatic department is filled."

"But I'd be an invaluable acquisition," pleaded the jobless brother. "Because of my connection with Scanso and my affiliation with Whoziz, I'm sure I could woo back some of the lads who have wandered from the sheltering shade of your advertising columns."

He got his name on the payroll, and still insists that he's a "dramatic critic."

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I offer the opinion that Percy Hammond and Dana Skinner are about the only two critics in the Capital of the Commonplace whose verdict on stage offerings is worth reading. Both these gentlemen have well-ordered minds and present their views in a brand of English that doesn't warp the veneer on the average man's sensibilities. Each fulfils his function along the lines once laid down by Ruskin in his advice to a youth who sought assistance in the matter of play reviewing.

"Simply go and view the play," said John, in effect, "and tell in plain language, with no attempt at technicalities, what it is about and why you like it. That's all people need of dramatic criticism. To them it is, or should be news; not a daily exhibition of the critic's mental superiority.

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The reviewer on one of our esteemed morning dailies that advertises a circulation of "985,000 thoughtful and intelligent readers," had this to say of a new play the other day:

"The involutions, the circumambulations and general contours of this vertiginous persiflage, this gyrostatic anphigouri, etc., etc."

Leaving a Gentleman of the Sunburnt school out in the ice, as it were, with a bloodhound accompaniment.

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A New York artist whose specialty is depicting bizarre bits of New York life has drawn a picture of two night club cleaners pausing over the broom and bucket to philosophize in the first streaks of watery sunlight filtering through smoke-stained curtains.

"Ain't it funny," says one to the other, contemplating the strewn floor, "it used to be 'air-pins,' an' now it's cigaroot buttz!"

NEW MARCHMAN OPENS DOORS

Hundreds Attend Reception At Hotel

Hundreds of Wichitans thronged to the new Marchman hotel Monday night at the formal opening of the newest hostelry in Wichita Falls, the completion of which has been looked forward to with eagerness for some time. Guests inspected the 120 rooms of the new building and many expressions of appreciation for the building, its furnishings and the management of the hotel was heard throughout the evening.

Music was furnished by Jack Gardner's orchestra of Dallas, here through the courtesy of the Adolphus hotel, and by the Lions Club Boys' band. Favors were given to the guests. Carnations from the Lions club whose members were stationed throughout the rooms were given to the women, and coffee and ice cream were dispensed from the new coffee shop and from the drug store opened in connection with the hostelry.

The new hotel represents an investment of approximately $250,000, and is owned by O. F. Marchman. A. W. McCoy is the lessee and manager of the new enterprise.

ELECTRA SOCIETY

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Jan. 24.—The Wildcat group of Boy Scouts met at the Presbyterian church Friday evening with Scoutmaster William Latham present. The meeting began with scout oath, after which a lesson was given on tying knots. After this the meeting was turned over to the patrol leaders, Ira Lick and Ancel Vaught. The scout oath was given and the meeting dismissed.

Plans are being made for a supper to be given at the church, February 6 when the boys will put on their own program and each boy is to bring a guest. This is to encourage a "good turn daily" by the grown people of the city.

Rotary Club

Judge C. P. Engelking, presided in the absence of W. P. Slaton, president of the Rotary club, at the regular luncheon at the Marriott hotel, Friday. Russell Scheurer gave a classification talk on "Hardware," while H. Y. Newsum, who was in charge of the program, made a talk, Jet Hughes, portraying the "Tired Hand," gave a harmonica solo and a talk on "Arkansas." There was a good attendance.

Primo Bridge Club

The Primo Bridge club met with Mrs. M. D. Goldsmith as hostess at the home of Mrs. Ed Campbell of West Ida avenue, Friday. In the games Mrs. I. K. Williams received a lovely vase as the high score, and Mrs. R. W. Hoskins received the cut prize, a bottle of toilet water. A one-course luncheon was served to Mesdames J. T. McDannald, J. H. Harris, I. K. Williams, E. E. Merkt, George LeBus, Ed Campbell, A. H. Haff, M. D. Goldsmith, W. C. O'Pool, R. W. Hoskins, Mitt Williams and Russell Scheurer.

Informal Dance Given

Mr. and Mrs. R. Wilson entertained Thursday evening with an informal dance at their home on East Wharton avenue, when the guests danced to music by a four-piece orchestra, composed of Jack Morris, Tuffes Wiley, C. C. Ricks and Cather James. The old-time square dance was enjoyed after the first part of the evening. The guests included: Messrs. W. H. Matthews, C. O. Stroud, James Coffey, Ray Land, Jack Youngblood, C. C. Luther, Allen Harris, Evan Wiley, Ray Johnson, Thurman Eubanks, Gilbert Busby, Raymond Chambers; Misses Onnie Comstock, Florence Taylor, Lizzie Wylie, Della Ray, Lora Comstock, Celia Benson, Ola Williams, Velma Henderson, Edith Hale, Mary Cox, Mae Scarbrough, Myrtle Bowden, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Douglas and Mrs. Ruby Phillips and Mrs. Archie Busby.

Weds Fort Worth Girl

Word has been received in this city of the marriage of V. R. Benton, prominent young man of this city, to Miss Edith Heading of Fort Worth, the marriage taking place in Fort Worth at the home of the bride, Tuesday. Mrs. Annie Scott, mother of the groom, was present for the wedding.

Mrs. M. O. Turner entertained the Thursday Bridge club Friday afternoon with four tables of bridge. In the games Mrs. Ralph Watson received a rose corsage and handkerchief as high score, and a plate luncheon was served at the conclusion of the games. A request was sent in by Mrs. Rollo Davidson, who is in the Wichita Clinic hospital, for a name for her new baby daughter, and 16 names were presented.

Those present were Mesdames Edward Schlaffke, E. B. Marchant, H. E. Morrow, C. R. Miller, E. R. Brown, H. B. Krohn, Ralph Watson, Paul Green, Will Chaffie, Matt Chaffie, S. T. Cummings, R. H. Cook, Tom Hexie, H. D. Miller, and Oak Throckmorten of Missouri.

Alex Vaught of Arlington was here Monday.

James Valentine of Arlington is at the Holt.

BOLD THIEF

He Steals Judge's Car From Lawn Of Courthouse

The auto thief who takes the prize for audacity has been found—or rather Justice of the Peace R. V. Gwinn and members of the sheriff's department would like to locate him.

Judge Gwinn's Buick touring car was stolen Monday afternoon from its parking place in the very driveway of the courthouse. Judge Gwinn was accustomed to leave it there during the day, and Monday evening when he went out to go home it was nowhere in sight.

A thorough search of the neighborhood failed to reveal a trace of it.

The justice is offering a liberal reward for return of the machine.

COUNTY CUTS INTEREST RATE

Road Bonds May Also Be Refunded Under Plan

Bond and warrant financing involving approximately three-quarters of a million dollars was taken up by the county commissioners' court Monday with $386,000 already agreed upon for refunding operations and an additional $675,000 standing a good chance for similar attention. A special meeting of the court will be held Tuesday morning to further discuss the latter matter.

Sign Agreement

This financing, of course, involves merely the calling in of outstanding bonds or warrants and reselling them at lower interest rates. By doing this and distributing the maturity dates through a period of another 30 years or more, the county will be saved perhaps $30,000 or more in interest payments.

At Monday afternoon's meeting the court signed agreements with Brown, Cummerer and company, a bonding house, for the refunding of some $346,000 in road and bridge warrants now outstanding. To this amount, it is proposed to add in new bonds approximately $40,000 additional for the benefit of precinct one, Wichita county. It is figured that this much at least may be needed to handle the present road and other expense outlays.

The warrants now bear 5 1-2 and 6 per cent interest rates and mature over a period of years ending in 1950. It is proposed by the bonding company to issue in their stead serial bonds bearing 5 1-4 per cent interest and maturing in 40 years. The bond house offers to bear all expenses of assembling the warrants now outstanding, to bear printing expenses and to obtain necessary legal approval by the attorney general.

Wichita county's first special road bonds, issued July 10, 1917, are involved in the second plan which will be gone into more thoroughly today.

This bond issue was originally for $750,000 but, under the terms of the issue, $19,000 have been retired each year since issuance. In April of this year another $19,000 will be called in, making $190,000 in all that has been retired.

CHURCH MEETING

Teachers and officers of the Floral Heights Methodist church with Judge W. B. Chauncey, superintendent of the Sunday school presiding, heard Dr. Floyd Allen Bash, pastor of the First Christian church, Monday night talk on "The Need for Sunday School Equipment."

E. F. Bohmfalk, educational director of the First Methodist church, talked on the standard training school which opens here January 30. Reports were given to the officers and teachers and recommendations were made for the use of the door secretary system and weeking offering. Preliminary arrangements for the second annual banquet of the Sunday school were made, and Mrs. H. A. McCarty was appointed chairman of general arrangements. The banquet is to be given in February.

REPORTS DAMAGE

Heavy damage in North Texas and Oklahoma from ice and sleet is reported by Mel Smith, advance publicity man of the Wortham shows who arrived in Wichita Falls Monday. Mr. Smith, who came here when he was unable to reach his home in Fort Smith on a vacation trip, said roads in many places were impassable, and that telegraph and telephone wires suffered heavy damage. The Wortham shows will open here on March 7.

FIRE DAMAGE HEAVY.

Damage to the home of Guy Raley, county tax collector, was Monday placed at approximately $16,000 after a detailed check of the loss caused by a fire Sunday afternoon. It was at first believed that the damage would not exceed $2,500. The rear part of the home was wrecked in the blaze and other portions of the house badly damaged by smoke and water.

Gagless Eye Talk and Musicless Songs Feature Kiwanis Club Luncheon Tilt

Fred Woolsey, the optometrist, produced for the boys at the Kiwanis weekly dining-table session Monday a few startling (to the layman) disclosures about those human organs by which we see, without once pulling that stock wheeze optometrists delivering classification addresses usually are won't to spring about how, "Here now, Brother, the best remedy for that black eye of yours is a plaster of beef steak and a quicker dodge next time. You don't need any glasses."—And Woolsey gave the merry run-around to that ancient crack about the inebriated one who staggered into an "optical" parlor for aid, emitting the wail, "Everything I look at once is twice." So Kiwanian Fred's speech was a large success.

After listening to the discourse on one of the five senses and the care which should be taken of it, the Kiwanis followed immediately with flagrant abuse of another sense, that of hearing. They waged a concerted attack on the ear drums. Gerald Pond, who coyly admitted "I can't sing," and nobody before or after apparently doubted his assertion, led the assembly in a vocalization foray with Mike Ellis timing 'em on the organ. For some reason or other, Ed Riley was ribbed into knocking off a duet with Pond.

The din finally subsided, whereupon Felix Collard confided something about an attendance prize. Judge Joe Akin enacted a follow-up on a two-month outstanding charge, namely, selection some time last year on a by-laws committee. He submitted the laws and a loud argument ensued over whether the club directors "shall" or "may" meet every week. Parson Dutson, Akin himself, Paul and Jim Gant all burst into oratory simultaneously. Grover Bullington finally quieted the boys by telling 'em either term satisfied him and that he'd select what he wants and elaborate on it later, or something similar.

Thomas Wynn, "a roaring Lion" was introduced and given a feed. Joe Sherill broke out with a yarn about a "Main Street" being discovered in Missouri and produced four witnesses, A. D. Spencer, Dan Lundien, Bill Newell and E. R. Cline, all said to have hailed from Webb City, Mo. Jimmy Williams, vice-president of the club, was on hand, as usual.

THE NEBBS —By Sol Hess



DUMB DORA —By Chick Young.



THIMBLE THEATRE —By Segar.



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THE OLD HOME TOWN —Stanley REGULAR FELLERS —By Gene Byrnes.



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Lodges.

Hempstead Protective Order of Elks—Wichita Falls lodge No. 1184, meets every Monday at 713½ Eighth. R. Brad, E. R.; H. C. English, secretary.

Knights of Columbus—Council No. 1473 meets every Monday at 1509 Ninth street. Jos. L. Duffy, G. K.; John J. Block, F. S.

Knights of Pythias—Pioneer Lodge No. 13 meets every Tuesday 7:30 at 813½ Ninth. Ben F. Dancer, C. C.; P. L. Myers, K. of R. and S.

Masonic Bodies.

Masonic Temple, northeast corner Tenth and Scott.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 369, R. A. M.—Meets second Fridays. W. R. Wyatt, H. P.; George W. Lawler, secretary.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59—K. T. Meets first and third Thursdays. Leslie R. Stringer, E. C.; Geo. W. Lawler, recorder.

Wichita Falls Council No. 146, R. and S. M.—Meets first Monday. George R. Martin, T. I. M.; George W. Lawler, recorder.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 55, A. F. and A. M.—Meets first and third Fridays—Martin Luttrell, W. M.; George W. Lawler, secretary.

Squire Wallace Chapter No. 427, R. A. M.—Meets first night each month. G. W. Curd, H. P.; Lawrence Hollis, secretary.

Scottish Rite Bodies, Masonic Temple—Meets first Thursday of each month at 313 Scott. R. E. Shepherd, potentate; Albert Bills, secretary.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 221, Order of Eastern Star—Masonic Temple on first and third Tuesdays. Edna Vogt, W. M.; Mrs. Margaret Bradley, secretary.

Faith Lodge No. 1155, A. F. and A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays, 313 Scott. Jack B. Price, W. M.; G. W. Curd, secretary.

Hope Chapter, Order of De Molay—Meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays at the Masonic Temple at 7:30. Hope Parrot meets every Tuesday night. Jack Price, M. C.; Gordon Brown, secretary.

Faith Chapter No. 118, O. E. S.—Meets the second and fourth Thursday nights of each month at 313 Scott. Mrs. Callie Greenwood, W. M.; Lucille Campbell, secretary.

Rainbow Assembly No. 17—Meets the second and fourth Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple. Harry Petersen, M. A.; Retha Delany, secretary.

Modern Woodmen of America.

Lone Star Camp No. 4106, Royal Neighbors—Meets the first and third Thursdays at 813½ Ninth. Mrs. Eula Isler, C.; Mrs. Susie Boone, secretary.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 1266, Modern Woodmen of America — Meets every first and third Friday night at I. O. O. F. hall. C. B. McConnell, consul; E. G. Cook, clerk.

Odd Fellows.

Wichita Canton No. 16, P. M.—Meets the second and fourth Tuesdays at I. O. O. F. hall. C. B. McConnell, consul; Dyon, captain; J. W. Bussey, clerk.

Wichita Encampment No. 6, I. O. O. F.—Meets on second and fourth Thursdays at 813½ Ninth. J. T. Martin, C. P.; J. W. Bussey, scribe.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday at 813½ Ninth. A. L. Apen, N. G.; J. W. Bussey, secretary.

Rebekah Degree No. 236—Meets second and fourth Thursdays at 813½ Ninth. Mrs. Kate Russell, N. G.; Mrs. Fannie Oldroth, secretary.

Woodmen of the World.

Wichita Camp No. 9001, W. O. W.—Meets on first and third Wednesdays at 709 Travis. R. C. Carr, C. C.; R. E. Claypool, clerk.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Under this heading will be published the names of the candidates for public office. The fee for announcement will be $25.

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J. O. COWART.

Fire and Police Commissioner:
BOY E. CARTER.

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Card of Thanks 1

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to neighbors and friends for their kindness to us in our recent bereavement in the death of our father, R. F. Buchanan, and for the lovely floral offerings.

Thomas and W. A. Buchanan.

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Dressmaking and Millinery 16

COMFORTS tacked, quilting. Phone 9160.

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QUICK, satisfactory plumbing work. Call us first. Phone 6309. Moore Plumbing company.

PLUMBING, the satisfactory kind done and guaranteed by Chas. D. Hughes. Phone 5444.

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PRACTICAL housemoving, raising and leveling. Jack Humphrey, residence phone, 7665.

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I. B. THOMPSON, teacher of string instruments. Phone 9475 or 9793. Call at 6 o'clock. 1700 7th St.

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HERMAN MUNDEN, Bicycles and supplies, radio aerials put up, phonograph work, welding, repairs of all kinds. Work called for and delivered. Phone 6942. 718 Tenth treet.

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Help Wanted—Male 35

SALESMEN, 125 varieties brushes, 60 per cent commission, $25-$100 weekly profit on sub-agents. Neway Brush Factory, Hartford, Conn.

Situations Wanted—Female 37

REFINED, capable practical nurse desires position. Phone 2-1363.

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HIGHEST cash prices paid for used furniture. See us before you sell. Bolton Furniture Co., 807 Tenth St. Phone 3389.

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By buying Patton's felted Rest-Well or Kopak Mattress. For renovate work phone 9930. Patton Mattress and Furniture Co., 402 Indiana.

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FAIR PRICES paid for men's used clothing, 924 Ohio. Phone 2-2682.

APPLES
$1 per bushel. Kiln dried sweet potatoes, best in the United States. Phone 3893.
1001 OHIO

Furniture 47

WE PAY cash or trade for your furniture. Home Furniture Co. 816 Ohio Ave. Phone 3223.

CHRIS AND SONS, 113 INDIANA—The house of furniture bargains. Buy, sell and exchange, phone 7750

HIGHEST cash prices for your used Furniture. Phone 4219. Winter's Furniture company.

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Apartments and Flats 65

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Business Places For Rent 68

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Houses For Sale 76

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Oil Lands and Leases 78

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To Exchange—Real Estate 80

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Wanted—Real Estate 81

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Realtors 85

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Archer County Land and Leases.
554 Harvey-Snider Bldg. Phone 4919

AUCTIONS—LEGALS

Legals 85

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF INTERNAL REVENUE
Dallas, Texas.
Jan. 21, 1927.

The following described personal and real property, seized from the Thompson Oil company and Electra-Burk Oil company under warrant for distraint for nonpayment of assessed taxes due, will be sold as provided by Section 3190 Revised Statute of the United States at public auction on Feb. 15, 1927, at 2 p. m. o'clock on the premises of said property which is described as follows: "Oil Lease described as being the South one-half of Block 12, town of Burkburnett. Wichita County, Texas, according to the original plat, and all personal property located thereon."
GEO. C. HOPKINS.
Collector of Internal Revenue.
By D. G. Hunt, Deputy Collector.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF WICHITA.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership existing prior to November 20, 1926, under the name of Maxwell-Carliker Hardware company, composed of Joe Carliker, Ruble Johnson, J. L. Maxwell and Western Hardware company, was dissolved on November 20, 1926; that the said Joe Carliker and Ruble Johnson said date are no longer members of said firm; that the business since that date has been, and will continue to be, carried on under the name of Maxwell Hardware company.
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1926 Star Touring, perfect	$300
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1924 Overland Sedan, A-1 all over	$100
1926 Chrysler "60" Touring, some buy	$650
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YOUNG TEXAN STAR IN SUIT

Alex Gregg, 27, Prosecutes Ford Tax Suit

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 24.—For the audiences that have crammed into the improvised court in the ball room of a local hotel where the federal board of tax appeals has been sitting for the past fortnight, the feature of most compelling interest has been, not the revelations of the millions of profits piled up by the Ford Motor company, but the always smiling debonair youth of 27 upon whom the United States treasury depends to retrieve $34,000,000 in excess income taxes wrom the former Ford minority stockholders.

"The boy lawyer," is Alex W. Gregg Jr., 27, solicitor general of the bureau of internal revenue, who reached this important post after only five years in Washington by reason of his exceptional aptitude for tax questions, which attracted the attention of Andrew B. Mellon, secretary of the treasury. He became solicitor general in April, 1925, after having been special assistant to Mellon in the preparation of the 1924 tax bill.

Born In Texas

Born at Palestine, Texas, the son of the late Representative A. W. Gregg, he entered George Washington university. In 1918 he joined the army at the age of 18, becoming a second lieutenant. He went back to college the following year and in 1920 became a correspondence clerk in the revenue bureau.

From then on he pursued his legal studies at night and was admitted to the bar in 1923. His elevation was rapid. The resignation of N. T. Hartson, his predecessor, to join the legal defense of E. L. Doheny, oil millionaire, brought him to his present post in time to conduct the greatest tax case in the nation's history.

The appellants are Senator James Couzens, the estates of John and Horace Dodge, and five others of Detroit's wealthiest men. They have retained not only the best of this city's legal talent but such noted attorneys as John W. Davis of New York and Joseph E. Davies of Washington.

Uses Even Tone

Never speaking above his usual modulated tone, never flustered at unexpected developments, Gregg has impressed all who have followed the case and has won the commendation of his opponents for the expediency with which he has conducted his side.

Gregg likes both baseball and tennis, but admits with a smile that hard work suits him best. He is of medium height and well proportioned. He is unmarried and lives with his mother in Washington.

REBELS JAILED

Grandson of Italian Patriot Must Serve

PARIS, Jan. 24. (AP)—Captain Ricciotti Garibaldi, grandson of the Italian patriot, and Colonel Maci, Catalonian leader, today were sentenced to two months imprisonment each for possessing arms illegally in connection with the unsuccessful Catalonian conspiracy last year.

ROBBERS KILL BOY

Youth Fatally Stabbed Resisting Holdup.

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 24.(AP)—Robbers early Saturday stabbed Manuel Fernandez, 16, to death in an attempt to rob his mother's store. Young Fernandez awakened when the thieves approached. He met them at the door and was stabbed once through the heart, his attackers escaping in their car.

MANSION NEEDS REPAIRS

AUSTIN, Jan. 24.(AP)—Reports costing about $10,000 must be made on the governor's mansion here before it will be comfortable for Gov. Dan Moody and his wife, R. B. Walthall, member of the state board of control, said Saturday.

GRIEF KILLS BANKER

NEW YORK, Jan. 24. (AP)—The death of Frank Williams, president of the Broadway Central bank, was generally ascribed today to grief over a run on the bank.

DENTON COUNTY TO HAVE 12 OIL TESTS DRILLING BY FEB. 15

RONDEAU TEST IS NEAR PAY

Geologists' Report Favorably On Oil Structures

By TOM TRULY
(Oil Editor, The Record News)

Few counties of Texas have enjoyed as great an oil play as that which is now under way in Denton county without first striking commercial production. A survey of operations in that county shows that there are four tests actually drilling, an equal number of drilling locations made and seven drilling blocks being assembled to assure a dozen tests which should be perforating the soil before the middle of February.

Favorable reports have been submitted by a number of geologists who have studied the structures of the county and the prospects are considered very bright for Denton to be added to the tier of petroleum producing counties of North Texas before the year is half gone.

Test Nears Pay

Of first interest is the test being put down by Rondeau and Sanford about seven and one-half miles northeast of Denton because of the fact that it will be looking for an expected pay next week. It is now 1340 feet deep and will resume drilling as soon as weather conditions permit. This test is located in the W. A. Thompson survey. Rondeau and others have made location for another test on the J. H. Hughes farm, 17 miles due north of Denton and in the John Martin survey. Drilling will begin on this location before February 15.

In the extreme north part of the county, Thurman and Maxwell will soon spud in on the Alexander tract on the John Craig survey as soon as the rig is moved in from the Shasta Oil company's Dayton lease in Cooke county.

Garrett and Moore are drilling at a depth of 1120 feet in their No. 1 Hampton which is nine miles north of Denton in the W. C. Gillespie survey. About five miles north and west of the Hampton well, Jenkins and Eubanks are drilling around 1000 feet in their No. 1 J. B. Wade in the Thomas Carpenter survey.

Hudson Bros. have shut down after suppding their No. 3 Triesch to make a change in fuel from wood to fuel oil. This operation is four and one-half miles northwest of Denton in the B. B. B. & C. survey.

Buying Leases

The Sinclair Oil and Gas company is leasing up a block for a test north of Krum and northwest of Denton and the well will probably be drilled on the Chancellor land. South of Bolivar, Daniels and McMan have purchased a drilling block.

Two locations are said to have been made in the Sylvester Williams survey near Aubrey in the Northeastern portion of the county.

News of The Fields

ALLDAY, DAVIS.

The Allday Oil corporation, et al, are again testing a good looking sand in their No. 1 Davis, located in the southeast quarter of block 1395, T. E. & L. survey in Young county. The sand is at 952-5 feet which is the third level at which tests have been made in this well.

BRIDWELL-HEYDRICK, GRIFFIN.

Bridwell and Heydrick are running casing to test out a sand encountered at a depth of 1,830 feet in their No. 1 Griffin, located in the W. H. Spillers survey, Wichita county and north of the Panhandle's producers on the Griffin land.

KENTUCKY, CHANCELLOR.

The Kentucky Oil company No. 1 Chancellor is a location 150 feet each way from the southeast corner of the west 20 of the north 40 acres of the W. A. Rucker survey, Archer county, and a short distance east of the test drilled recently by the Marland and Kentucky on the Rudd tract.

FAIN-McGAHA, FLUHMANN.

The Fain-McGaha Oil company is making preparations to immediately develop its holdings around the Fluhmann wells and has made location to drill its Nos. 4 and 5 Fluhmann. The former will be drilled in the northeast corner of the Fluhmann land in the W. A. McKinney survey, while No. 5 is located 300 feet west of No. 2 in section 30, block 9, which flowed 380 barrels in a 24-hour gauge, according to reports.

GULF, BLACKMAN.

The Gulf Production company's No. 1 Blackman is making an estimated 4,000,000 cubic feet of gas after drilling one foot of sand to a total depth of 1,457 feet and running the swab one time. The pay was topped at 1,437 feet, is now 20 feet in and is drilling deeper. The Gulf has made location to drill another test in this area, its No. 1 T. J. Millner, which is located 150 feet each way from the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of section 30, block 9, H. & T. C. survey.

HUMBLE, KEMP-KEMPNER.

The Humble Oil and Refining company and C. F. Burton have finished a duster in their No. 1-G Kemp and Kempner, located in block 54, W. V. L. in Wichita county.

RONDEAU, ATKINS.

Rondeau and Sanford's No. 1 S. M. Atkins in the W. A. Thompson survey and approximately seven miles northeast of Denton in Denton county, had reached a depth of 1,540 feet Saturday when the weather conditions forced a shutdown.

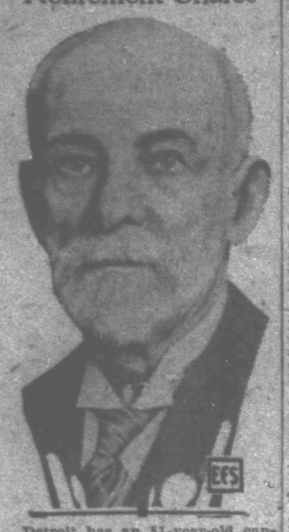
MAGNOLIA, ANCELL.

The Magnolia Petroleum company has made a location in the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of block 7, section 11, H. & T. C. survey in Wichita county, to drill its No. 1 G. B. Ancell.

ANDERSON, WHITE.

Anderson, et al, have begun deepening their No. 1 J. H. White, which was abandoned some time ago at 1,823 feet and which is located in block 5, A. T. N. C. L. survey in Archer county.

Retirement Chafes



Detroit has an 81-year-old candidate for public office in Felix A. Lemkie, who seeks re-election as magistrate after four years' retirement. He held the office 46 years. "I need something to occupy my mind. A man can't read all the time."

OIL TESTS IN KNOX COUNTY

Deep Rock Oil Co. Opens Office at Benjamin

Special to The Record News.

BENJAMIN, Jan. 24.—This week witnessed the opening of the first oil office in Benjamin. The Deep Rock Oil company of Fort Worth has taken a lease on the rear half of the building occupied by the chamber of commerce. The acquisition of leases on so much acreage and plans for the drilling of at least four wells in Knox county, has caused this step. During the early part of the week Miss Lill Morrow of Colorado City came to Benjamin to head the stenographic staff of the Deep Rock office. Company officials gave out the following statement:

"Our Jones No. 1 well is now down better than 800 feet. Our Beavers No. 1 is rigging up and drilling should be started the early part of this coming week. We are drilling two wells in the county, and expect to start two more within a short time."

BRADSHAW TEST

Southern Taylor County Has Wildcat Activity Assured.

Special to The Record News.

ABILENE, Jan. 24.—Material for a rig is being hauled out to a location on the southeast quarter of section 124, block 64, H. & T. C. Ry. survey in southern Taylor county.

W. E. Halbert of Fort Worth, associated with Charles Pettit of Dallas and O. J. Connell of Eldorado, Kan., recently secured leases on a nine thousand acre block lying about eight miles west of Bradshaw, near the south line of Taylor county and have contracted to drill a deep oil test on the block.

Wichita Falls Courts

70TH DISTRICT COURT
W. W. Cook, Judge.

New Suits Filed.

Gleaner Goldsmith vs. A. N. Goldsmith, divorce.

W. B. Fitzgerald vs. H. J. Roth et al, suit on note.

Mrs. Lizzie Morrison vs. Texas Employers Insurance association, suit to set aside award.

Dolly Farrar vs. Floyd W. Farrar, divorce.

Vera Dave vs. J. O. Dave, divorce.

M. T. Birch vs. H. L. Bolle, debt.

H. T. Birch vs. First National bank, garnishment.

A. C. Floyd et al vs. Wichita Home Builders, debt.

Miss Minnie Rice and C. R. Alvey vs. Southwestern Fire Insurance company, damages.

Allen Summers vs. Dewey Summers, divorce.

Clyde Moore vs. K. L. Moore, divorce.

Irene Graham vs. Frank Graham, divorce.

J. R. McKinzey vs. J. W. Katzer et al, suit on note.

30TH DISTRICT COURT
F. A. Martin, Judge.

State vs. Webb Lucas, $1500 bond forfeited and alias capias issued.

State vs. C. L. Blair, theft, plea of guilty and two years suspended sentence.

State vs. Henry Betts, theft, verdict of not guilty.

State vs. Willis Lewis, assault with intent to murder, no true bill.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

W. F. Boehr, Wichita Falls, and Miss Jewell Bates, Wichita Falls.

Floyd Pittman, Wichita Falls, and Miss Viola Calloway, Wichita Falls.

DABNEY ELECTED

Cisco Chamber of Commerce Selects Officers.

Special to The Record News.

CISCO, Jan. 24.—Guy Dabney was re-elected president, J. E. T. Peters was unanimously re-elected secretary and Miss Letha Eager was re-elected assistant secretary with an increased salary of the local chamber of commerce at the annual election of officers held Thursday night. Frank Harwell was named first vice president; W. W. Wallace, second vice president, and Henry Drumright, finance director.

JOHNSON SPEAK

'Pussyfoot' Dry Leader Lectures At Frederick.

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Jan. 24.—The Orient is looking to this country for leadership and regard it the hope of the world, "Pussyfoot" Johnson, famous anti-saloon lecturer, told a large audience at the First Baptist church. Johnson has recently returned from a trip which took him to many foreign countries.

"FIFTH SUNDAY" MEET

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Jan. 24—Methodists of this county will meet together on January 30 in a "fifth Sunday" meeting, according to plans formulated by the county pastors here Thursday. The meeting will be an all-day affair.

WHEELER HAS 14 PRODUCERS

County Getting Development Since Wells Come In

Special to The Record News.

AMARILLO, Jan. 24.—Wheeler county, which has had a number of oil plays in the last several years, now seems to be on the verge of a real development that is attracting attention.

The Gibson Oil corporation's new well on the W. E. Bentley lease in section 42, block 24, H. & G. N. survey, is making 55 barrels an hour, and is causing much new drilling to start in the Shamrock-McLean district.

A survey shows 14 producing wells in Wheeler county, and more than 30 wells drilling or getting ready to drill. The producing wells there include the following:

Midwest Exploration company No. 3 Laycock, in section 9, block 27, doing seven barrels a day, and No. 4 doing five barrels a day.

Murchison & Fain in No. 1 Binkley, in section 55, block 24, making 40 barrels a day.

Continental Oil (Texhoma) company No. 1 Jackson, in section 14, block 27, pumping 199 barrels, and No. 1 in section 12, block 27, pumping 113 barrels a day.

Mid-Kansas Oil and Gas company No. 1, in section 12, block 27, flowing 58 barrels a day.

The Texas company No. 1 Smith in section 41, block 24, making 80 barrels a day.

World Oil company No. 1 Jackson, in section 1, block 27, making 122 barrels a day.

Magnolia Petroleum company No. 1 Johnson, in section 41, block 24, is making better than 750 barrels a day.

Gibson Oil corporation has four wells, No. 1 Phillips, in section 41, block 24, is making 30 barrels; No. 2 is producing 50 barrels and No. 4 is an 80-barrel well.

RECORDS

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Miss Elizabeth Hall, County Clerk.

J. B. Pendleton, et ux, to E. O. Kiser, et ux, lot 9, block "D," Wyatt's south side addition, $3750.

John Hirschi to P. S. Johnson, block 49, John Hirschi subdivision of the David Welch survey, $1750.

W. A. Freeland, et ux, to Charles L. Marlow, lot 7, block 19, Scotland addition, $4000.

W. S. Couch, et ux, to Della Ja Shepherd, lot 16, block 9, Fairview addition, $400.

J. R. Chatham, et ux, to Mrs. Paul Ours, west 150 feet of lots 1 and 12 of Chatham addition to Burkburnett, $900.

M. R. Chafin, et ux, to J. C. Langford, 5 acres out of block 4, of Tyson subdivision of David Welch survey, $10.

C. E. Basham et C. R. Walker, lot 23, block 7, Scotland addition, $1100.

Della J. Shephard, et vir, to W. S. Couch, lot "C" in the R. E. Huff subdivision of the original lot 7, block 246, original Wichita Falls townsite, $1900.

H. L. Riley, et ux, to Hannah E. Bradshaw, lot 5, block 1, McBride second addition to Wichita Falls, $1914.78.

W. D. Robertson, et ux, to Meadie Autry, lot 7, block 4, Elmwood addition, $1000.

H. O. Gilchrist to Julia E. Gilchrist, lots 13 and 14, block 64, Floral Heights addition, $10.

C. E. King, et ux, to A. E. Miller, lot 13, block 16, Scotland addition, $10.

E. R. Moore, et ux, to H. A. Barber, lot 15, block 19 of Highland addition to Wichita Falls, $400.

OIL AND GAS LEASES

John F. O'Donohoe to Continental Oil company, one-half interest in the west 26 acres of the M. A. Love 401.9 acre tract.

John F. O'Donohoe to United Producers company, one-fourth interest in the north half of block 12, Currin subdivision of the W. S. Kennard survey, abstract 171.

John F. O'Donohoe to F. M. Gates and J. G. O'Donohoe, one-fourth interest in the north half of block 12, Currin subdivision of the W. S. Kennard survey, abstract 171.

J. H. Cottom to Grayce Oil company, one-half interest in 64 acres out of the H. G. Balch survey No. 12.

J. E. Ward to W. Daniel, one-half interest in the north 15 acres of the west 100 acres of the east 400 acres of section 22, H. & G. N. survey No. 294.

KING MAY RETIRE

Abdication of Ferdinand Forecast In Reports.

PARIS, Jan. 24.(AP)—The abdication of King Ferdinand of Rumania and the assumption of regal powers by his errant son, Prince Carol, are possibilities looked for in the next few weeks by Rumanian circles in Paris.

Cotton--Latest Ma rket Quotations--Cattle

N. Y. Stocks

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.(AP) — Pronounced reactionary tendencies developed in today's stock market despite the ease of money and the resumption of aggressive bullish demonstration in several of the low priced rails. Selling may have been inspired, in part, by the collapse of a pool issue on the New York curb market, several such breaks having immediately preceded the drastic reaction last March. In the absence of any unfavorable business news developments of importance, the weakness of the industrials was attributed in some quarters to the absence of several large operators who had been permanent on the upside for the past two years.

Money was in fairly plentiful supply at the renewal rate of four per cent. The weekly federal reserve statement of brokers' loans, issued after the close of the market, showed a shrinkage of over $20,000,000 last week. The Superior Steel company omitted the usual 50 cent quarterly dividend. Southern Pacific and Kansas City Southern, two of the first railroads to report their December earnings, both showed decreases in net compared with the same month of 1925.

Wheeling and Lake Erie issues were again the individual features of the railroad list with the purpose behind the buying still surrounded in mystery but with speculative Wall street opinion leaning to the theory that it was for the account of Pittsburgh and West Virginia railroad interests.

Wheeling common soared nearly nine points to 57¾, or over 25 points above last week's low, and then eased to 57. The preferred touched a new top at 69, but later broke to 64½ and the second preferred moved up over two to 21¼, the highest price in about 10 years.

Pittsburgh and West Virginia closed five points higher at 124 after touching 128½, a new peak for all time. All three Erie issues, New York, Ontario and Western, and Gulf, Mobile and Northern also touched their highest prices in a long period. On the other hand, several of the high grade investment shares were heavy. Atchison, Chesapeake and Ohio, Lehigh Valley, Delaware and Hudson, Lackawanna and a few others sold down a point or two.

Publication of a relatively poor earnings report by the Hudson Motor company furnished a new excuse for selling pressure against the motors, Mack Trucks, General Motors, Pierce Arrow common and preferred, Studebaker and Willys Overland, all closing a point or more lower. Hudson closes 4 lower at 49¾, after having sold down a point below that figure. President Jackson of the Hudson company explained the lower earnings were due, in part, to the cost of making fitorations and additions to provide for increased plant capacity and new models, characterizing the outlook for the present year as excellent.

Superior Steel broke over five points to 50 on the commission of the dividend and the rallied slightly. Extreme weakness cropped out in the Burns brothers issues, the "A" stock breaking over seven points to a new low Commercial Solvents "B" which dropped over two points on the announcement of new stock financing. On the other hand, Colorado Fuel, Producers and Refiners common and preferred, Dodge, Portio, Orpheum Circuit and Columbia Carbon sold at their highest prices in a year or more.

Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged.

Commodity prices were slightly easier, cotton and wheat showing little change. Coffee dropped 10 to 17 points and raw sugar declined 1-32 of a cent a pound.

Foreign exchanges were heavy, demand sterling ruling around $4.84⅞ and French francs around 3.96 cents. Spanish pesetas jumped over 30 points but most of the other continental rates showed small recessions.

Cotton

COTTON GINNINGS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.(AP)—Cotton of 1926 crop ginned prior to January 14, totaled 16,489,617 running bales, counting 611,953 round bales as half bales and excluding linters, the census bureau announced today.

Ginnings for that date totaled 15,499,895 running bales, including 356,934 round bales, and in 1925 the total was 15,306,313 bales, including 297,-261 round bales.

The department of agriculture in its preliminary estimate of production based on December 1 conditions placed the crop at 14,611,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight, the largest crop ever raised. At that time a large amount of cotton still remained to be picked and it was uncertain as to what part of it would be left in the fields in view of the low price prevailing. Until the final government ginning report is issued on March 15 the exact size of the 1926 crop will remain doubtful.

Ginnings by states to January 14 to include Arizona 98,126; Arkansas 2,404,-645; California 114,095; Georgia 1,453,-407; Florida 23,975; Alabama 1,465,510; Louisiana 826,746; Mississippi 1,315,688; Missouri 299,422; New Mexico 62,952; North Carolina 1,153,266; Oklahoma 1,-567,082; South Carolina 956,445; Tennessee 419,445; Texas 6,176,716; Virginia 45,097; all other states 23,917.

MIDDLING AT 18.40

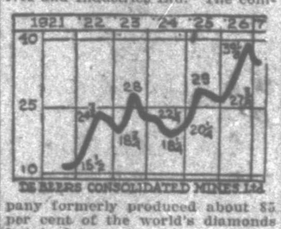
NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 24.(AP)—Middling 18.40; staple premiums unchanged.



DEBEERS CONSOLIDATED MINES LTD.

5 3-4 Year Record.

The DeBeers Consolidated Mines Ltd., owns extensive diamond mines in the Unioin of South Africa and numbers among other holdings a half interest in African Explosives and Industries Ltd. The company formerly produced about 85 per cent of the world's diamonds but in late years, this percentage has been reduced to 35.



Competition from companies in the Transvaal and South West Africa led in 1920 to a 5-year agreement between The Big Four, de-Beers, the Jaggersfontein and Premier companies whereby a quota of production was allotted to each and production was sold through the London Diamond syndicate under a single contract. A cleavage arose in 1925 resulting in separate selling contracts by De-Beers and some others. The acreage owned by the company totals 35,568 and in addition it holds a half interest in 23,000 square miles of mining rights in Ovamboland.

Funded debt totals 1,635,495 pounds in 4 1-2 per cent bonds. Capital stock outstanding consists of 2,000,000 pounds in priority cumulative 4 per cent shares of the par value of 2 pounds 10 shillings, and 1,990,914 shares of deferred shares of similar par value. American interest in the stock is due to the offring in 1920 of 80,000 American shars certificates against a trustee holding of 32,000 shares of deferred stock.

The company made large profits in the post war boom period but made no profits in 1921 and 1922. Since the latter year improvement has been steady. In the 1926 fiscal year, gross revenues were $4,916,665, and net income $2,751,-075 which was equal to earnings of $2.48 a share on the American stock. Dividends on the American shares were $4.16 len 1929; 75 cents in 1926; none in 1922-1923; 88 cents in 1924; $1.92 in 1925 and $2.91 to Dec. 1, 1926.

As of June 30, 1926, current assets were 2,072,853 pounds; current liabilities 2,295,997 pounds and net working capital 776,363 pounds.

LEGION ELECTS

Crowell Post Names Staff Of Officers.

Special to The Record News.

CROWELL, Jan. 24—The American Legion elected the following officers at its meeting Friday night; Post commander, Dr. Hines Clark; first vice commander, J. J. Wright, second vice commander, Ernest Crosnoe; adjutant, Que R. Miller; finance officer, Dudley U. Baker; historian, Henley M. Goode; executive committee, Capt. Morris of Thalia, H. M. Goode of Crowell and Clyde Graham of Margaret. The next meeting will be held February 18.

WILDCAT TEST PLANNED

Special to The Record News.

GRANDFIELD, Okla., Jan. 24. The Bell Oil and Gas company is preparing to drill a wildcat well in the middle of Red River about a quarter of a mile west of the Grandfield bridge. This company has just completed two producers.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK. — Stocks irregular, low priced rails reach new heights.

Bonds: French issues buoyant.

Foreign exchanges: easy; Spanish Pesetas rise over 2 points.

Cotton steady; trade buying.

Sugar easy; increased spot offerings.

Coffee, lower; easier Brazilian markets.

Chicago, wheat steady; higher foreign markets.

Corn, easy; increasing interior receipts.

Cattle strong.

Hogs firm.

Livestock

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.(AP)—Cattle 21,000; fed steer trade better, especially good and choice heavies; top 12.75 paid for 1441 pound averages; some 1765 pound kinds 12.35; no choice yearlings here; steers selling at 10.50 downward predominating; such kinds slow unless carrying considerable weight about steady; stockers and feeders scarce 6.75@8; best $8.25; she stocks strong; veals 1.00 to 75c lower; mostly $11@13.50; few $12.00; outsiders buying sparingly at $12.50@13.50.

Hogs 42,000; closing active at early 10 to 15 advance; top $13.30; bulk desirable hogs all weights $13.15@13.25; few medium to good offerings $12@12.10; bulk packing sows $11@11.35; most slaughter pigs $11.75@12; numerous sales 140 $11.50@11.75; shippers took 12,000; estimated holdover 8000.

Sheep 18,000; fat lambs closing 25 to 50c higher; better grades up most; top to all interests $13; bulk desirable lambs $12.50@13; small support heavy lambs around $12.50; few extreme weights around $11.50; good clipped lambs $11.75; wooled culls $10@10.50; few $11; sheep steady at $6@7.50; mostly for fat ewes; yearling wethers $10.25; desirable feeding lambs $12.50@13.10 firm.

Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.(AP) — Assertions that the Canadian government crop due tomorrow afternoon will show reduced figures on yield tended to lift wheat prices today. Falling off in the United States visible supply total was also a strengthening factor. Wheat closed firm, ¼ to ¾ net higher, corn ¾ to ⅞ down, and oats unchanged to ⅛ off, and provisions unchanged to 15@17c up.

In the late dealings, wheat reacted somewhat from the day's top level, but the setback appeared to be a result not of wheat market conditions proper but of sympathy with a sharp decline in corn. Earlier, wheat had climbed to about the highest prices of the week, helped by an unexpected jump in Liverpool quotations and by word of decreasing stocks in Great Britain as well as by unfavorable weather for domestic winter wheat southwest, with southwestern connections, though were good sellers here when the market bulged.

On the other hand, premiums for export wheat at the Gulf of Mexico were firmer and export business in domestic red winter wheat today appeared to be of fair volume. Besides, evidence was at hand tending to confirm reports that Argentine crop are smaller than estimated earlier in the season. Curtailment of production in Spain was given particular notice, latest figures on yield in that country being 12,830,000 bushels against a June official forecast of 157,-996,000 bushels.

Corn prices gave away after announcement that the corn visible supply had increased 1,096,000 bushels for the week and is 48,161,000 bushels compared with 28,420,000 bushels last year. Oats followed corn.

Provisions were responsive to a rise in the value of hogs.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.(AP)—Cash wheat: No. 2 red $1.09; No. 2 hard $1.42¾@1.44.

Corn: No. 2 Mixed 74¼@75½c; No. 2 yellow 80.

Oats: No. 2 white 39@41½c; No. 3 white 41¼@43c.

KANSAS CASH GRAIN

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 24.(AP)—Wheat: Receipts 125 cars; ½ to 1c higher; No. 2 hard 1.34@1.40; No. 3, $1.34@1.39; No. 4, $1.31@1.34.

Corn: Unchanged; No. 2 white 74½@75½c; No. 3, 73@74c; No. 2 yellow 75½@76½c; No. 3, 73¾@74½c; No. 2 mixed 74@76½c; No. 3, 73¼@74c. Close May 78½c; July 81¾c.

Oats: Unchanged; No. 2 white 47½@49¼c; No. 3, 46¾@48c.

Financial

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.(AP)—Foreign exchange, easy; quotations in cents: Great Britain, demand 4.84⅞; cables 4.85 5-16, 60-day bills on banks 4.82 5-16; France, demand 3.96; cables 3.96⅛. Italy demand 4.29⅛; cables 4.29⅜. Demand: Belgium 13.89; Germany 23.79; Holland 39.94; Norway 26.32; Sweden 26.65; Denmark 26.65; Switzerland 19.26⅛; Spain 15.31; Greece 1.59⅝.

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.(AP)—Liberty bonds closed:

2¼s 101.6; first 4s 100.16; second 4s 100.7; first 4¼s 105.9; second 4¼s 100.22; third 4¼s 101.14; fourth 4¼s 102.19; U. S. government 4½s 110.27.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.(AP)—The cotton market became comparatively quiet today after an early flurry of covering on slightly smaller ginning figures than expected and prices eased off under southern selling or realizing. The mid-afternoon market showed net declines of two or three points on active months March selling 21.41, compared with 13.54, the high point of the morning.

Futures closed steady, 7 higher to 2 lower; January 13.39; March 13.46; May 13.55; October 14.06@07. Spots steady; middling 13.70.

LOCAL MARKETS

The following prices are those quoted by the Wichita Falls wholesalers to retailers to retailers in the city Wednesday:

White potatoes	2½c
Lettuce	15c
Colorado celery, dozen bunches	$1.25
Oregon celery, dozen bunches	$1.75-2.00
Cabbage	2½ and 3c
Onions, California white	3½@4c
Onions, Utah yellow	3½c
Onions, per dozen bunches	75c
Carrots, bulk	2c
Beets, bulk	2c
Bell peppers	$1.25
Hot peppers	20c
Turnips, dozen bunches	90c
Turnips, per pound	3c
Cucumbers, each	5c
Corn, fresh, dozen	35c
Tomatoes lug	$1.75
Okra	15c
Beans, per pound	15c
Radishes, per dozen bunches	10c
Mustard, per dozen bunches	10c
Yams, new crop	2½c
Cauliflower	10c
Parsnips	6c
Rutabagas	4½@5c
Spinach	10c
Santa Claus melons	8c
Casaba melons	8c
Honey Dew melons	8c
Fruits.	
Bananas	7c
Oranges	$4.50-$5.50
Lemons, per box	$4.50
Red Emperor Grapes, lug	$2.50
Concord grapes, basket	35c
Apples, Jonathan, per box	$2.50@3.00
Apples, Delicious, per box	$2.50@3.75
Pears, Bartletts, box	$3.75
Cocoanuts, each	$7.50
Cranberries, per half barrel	$5.50
Grapefruit, box	$5.50
Milk and Cream.	
Butter	45c
Cream, per lb. butter fat	72c
Milk, per lb. butter fat	60c
Poultry and Eggs.	
The following prices are being paid by wholesale poultry houses in Wichita Falls for poultry:	
Hens, 4 lbs. and over	23c
Hens, under 4 pounds	18c
Roosters, 3 lbs. and under	21c
Broilers, 2-2½ lbs.	35c
Old roosters	12c
Ducks	18c
Geese	18c
Turkeys, No. 1	32c
Turkeys, No. 2	28c

CLARENDON NOTES

Special to The Record News.

CLARENDON, Jan. 24. — The county court of Donley county in session this week passed sentence on Bert Hester and wife who were brought back from Wellington in December for deserting two children aged five and seven, respectively.

The little girls are being cared for in a Clarendon home while the parents are serving a jail sentence of 12 months.

The bit is now down to 1200 foot depth in the A.-T. Test north of the river in this county. The log of the well is paralleling the Borger field and with no accidents the big lime is expected to be reached by the end of the month. Spring water for drilling is being pumped more than a mile and no serious tieups are to be expected. Many visitors are showing a good deal of interest in the test that is soon to be followed by a half dozen others within the next 30 days.

The cold wave that struck this county last week-end halted the picking of cotton that has been in progress since the holidays. The warmest weather in many years for January had been prevalent for the past three weeks, giving the farmers an opportunity to have some of their cotton picked instead of using the machines. Where the machines are being used the pickers are following up with sacks and getting the cotton that is left on the ground. Ginners say that the crop will be practically all gathered within the next two or three weeks.

The Clarendon chamber of Commerce will hold its annual banquet and election of officers on Thursday night, January 27, at which time Secretary George of the Amarillo Board of City Development will be principal speaker.

Miss Lula Koy, the newly elected county home demonstration agent of Donley county, has reorganized five communities since her arrival less than two weeks ago. Total of 100 women and girls are already signed up for different projects which include garden contest, home improvement, food preservation and dairy and poultry work.

The Girls Debating club of Clarendon college has just recently had an election of officers with the result that Miss Texanna Kesler of Wellington was elected president and Miss Mattie Sue Howell of Jayton was elected secretary.

Miss Beatrice Williamson and Mr. Barcus Antrobus were married in the home of the bride's parents late Sunday afternoon, the Rev. A. L. Moose of the Methodist church officiating. The young couple will be at home in Clarendon after February 1.

One of the most beautifully decorated businesses of Clarendon was opened for business here recently when two sons of E. A. Taylor of Clarendon opened a new confectionery and news stand in Clarendon.

The sons, Charlie and Roy, are recently from Walla Walla, Wash., where they have been doing interior decorating work.

Sam Braswell, editor of the Clarendon News and C. C. Watson, connected with the firm of Watson and Antrobus of Clarendon, left last night for Dallas, where they will attend meetings. Braswell will be in conference with the Texas Press Weeklies and Mr. Watson will attend the convention of the hardware dealers which meets in Dallas this week.

LOADING PENS

Childress Ranchmen Ask Construction By Railroad.

Special Cable Dispatch.

CHILDRESS, Jan. 24.—Stockmen who are feeding cattle here are anxious for loading pens to be constructed at a point south of the section house. As a result of recent difficulties in loading cattle here, steps may be taken in the near future to construct the pens, it is said. One feeder stated that it was necessary for him to drive his cattle through the residence section and that damages to lawns had brought about damage suits.

CANNING PLANT

Cisco Hears Proposal For New Factory There.

Special to The Record News.

CISCO, Jan. 24.—A proposal to establish a canning factory in Cisco was made Thursday night by B. D. Chapin of San Antonio. Mr. Chapin said 20 such plants had already been chartered and financed in Texas and asked the support of the local chamber of commerce in the movement.

PARKS FUNERAL

Interment Held For Veteran Tipton Resident.

Special to The Record News.

TIPTON, Okla., Jan. 24.—Funeral services for Charles A. Parks, 74, were held at the First Baptist church Friday afternoon at 2:30 and burial was made in the Tipton cemetery. He died Thursday following a stroke of paralysis. Besides his wife he is survived by the following children: Jessie, Alfred, Minnie, Hallie, Ebie, Collins, Fleming and Clois.

BURIAL AT SOPER

Jim Vandygriff, 43, Dies At Vernon, Texas.

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Jan. 24.—The body of Jim Vandygriff, 43, who died in Vernon Friday afternoon, was shipped to Soper, Okla., Saturday morning. The widow and two children accompanied the remains and interment was to have been made there Sunday.

REVIVAL MEET OPENS

Special to The Record News.

CARTER, Okla., Jan. 24.—A revival meeting began Monday night at the Carter Methodist church, Rev. T. J. Milton announced. The meeting will be conducted by Dr. Terry, a general evangelist of Dallas, with Rev. Milton assisting.

THRIFT GIVEN SINGING MEET

District Singers Will Meet There On Feb. 20

Special to The Record News.

THRIFT, Jan. 24.—Assignment of the next meeting on February 20 of the district singing convention to Thrift is announced in the following notice by J. S. Gore of Burkburnett:

"The district singing convention met last Sunday in the Thrift Baptist church of Thrift, Texas, (formerly known as Newtown.)

"Lee Copeland, president of that organization, led the opening choruses and presided throughout the program which was opened with prayer by W. B. Johnston, vice-president.

"Pianists included Dempsey Moore and Blake Johnston of Wichita Falls; Miss Zona Mulkey of Decatur; Mrs. T. A. Bankhead and Mrs. M. M. King of Thrift, and Mrs. Minnie Owens of Burkburnett.

"Chorus leaders included M. E. Cox, W. B. Johnston, J. H. Furlong, M. J. Magnus and Dempsey Moore from Wichita Falls; Rev. J. L. Walters, C. E. Smith, R. L. Stephens and T. A. Bankhead of Thrift; Lee Copeland and J. S. Gore from Burkburnett.

"Specials consisted of a quartet by M. E. Cox, J. H. Furlong, M. J. Magnus and W. B. Johnston; solo by Miss Viola Mae White; quartet by S. L. Copeland, Miss Warnock, M. E. Cox and Blake Johnston; duet by Mesdames N. G. Goodlett and J. S. Gore; quartet by Dempsey Moore, M. Cox, J. Mangus and W. Johnston. Also a quartet by George Wheeler, E. Cox, M. Magnus and W. B. Johnson.

"Unusually good order prevailed throughout the program for which the convention is very much indebted to the kind ladies of Thrift, for the special nursery services rendered.

"Delegates of the Thrift Methodist church secured the next convention which will be on February 20 and all singers are urged to be there at 2 o'clock, occupying front seats.

"Mr. Copeland also announced that the Wichita county singing convention would meet at Cashion March 13 for all day singing with dinner on the ground.'

"Closing chorus led by Lee Copeland.

"Benediction was pronounced by Rev. J. L. Walters."

INDUSTRIAL STUDY

Wichita Falls Man Makes Survey In Oklahoma.

Special to The Record News.

GRANDFIELD, Okla., Jan. 24. J. M. Harrison, special representative of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce was here two days last week for the purpose of collecting data as a part of an industrial survey of southwestern Oklahoma and Northwestern Texas.

BODY SENT TO VERNON

Special to The Record News.

TIPTON, Jan. 24.—The remains of Mrs. Susie Bills, 62, were shipped to Vernon Friday afternoon for burial following her death here shortly after 1 o'clock Friday morning.

COMMUNITY MEET

Weekly Civic Luncheon To Be Held at Grandfield.

Special to The Record News.

GRANDFIELD, Okla., Jan. 24. A community luncheon will be held here every Tuesday from 12:15 to 1:15 as the result of a decision reached by business leaders. The luncheons will be served by ladies of the various churches and problems of the community will be discussed. It is planned to bring prominent out-of-town speakers here from time to time to address the gatherings.

FAREWELL SERVICE

Vernon Baptists Abandon Old Church Building.

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Jan. 24.—"Farewell services" were held in the old Baptist church building Sunday night. Words from members who helped to erect the structure which has served the congregation for 14 years featured the service. Initial services in the new building will be held Wednesday night, it was announced.

OIL DRILLER HURT

Control Head Hits Oil Worker In Ribs.

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Jan. 24.—W. W. Ward, employe of the Murchison & Fain Drilling company, was slightly injured when a control head on the Fluhmann No. 2 well located on section 30, block 9, struck him on his lower ribs. He was brought to a local hospital and his injuries were reported not serious.

IRRIGATION MEET

Pease River Project Discussed By Elgineers.

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Jan. 24.—Discussions on the feasibility and possibilities of an irrigation project on Pease river, at a point north of Crowell, was the purpose of a meeting of engineers with the directors of the irrigation association of this city Friday afternoon.

GAS TURNED ON

Memphis Ties In With Natural Gas Line.

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Jan. 24.—A number of businesses here have been connected with gas mains following the turning on of the gas last Sunday. Every gas fitter in the city is busy installing appliances in residences and business houses alike.

CROWELL MAN WINS

Special to The Record News.

CROWELL, Jan. 24.—J. T. Cates of Crowell carried off a number of prizes at the Hall county poultry show held at Memphis last week. On Reds he won second cock, third hen, first and third cockerel, second pullet and first and second young pen. Exhibiting only three Buff Orpingtons, he won first and second cockerel and first cock. He sold the first cockerel for $25.

The Little Scorpions Club



SCHOOLS GAIN NEW STUDENTS

Increased Enrollment Brings Additional Teachers

Teachers in the public schools of Wichita Falls were unable to check up the number of new pupils entering for class work at the opening of the second semester Monday, but a large increase was shown in the enrollment, according to the preliminary reports.

At Wichita Falls Junior college, there were 75 new students, including 10 of the mid-year graduating class, and 15 new students, A. K. Presson, registrar, announced. The enrollment is expected to increase during the week. Slightly less than 200 new students were registered Monday at high schools.

All Show Gains

At Zundelowitz, new junior high school, a total of 128 new pupils registered Monday, and 87 were transferred from that school to high school, making a net gain of 36 pupils, bringing the enrollment to 657, according to H. A. Glass, principal. Zundelowitz was opened Nov. 15, 1926. One new teacher was added to the staff Monday when Miss Alice Small was transferred there from Carrigan school.

A net gain of 111 new pupils was reported from Reagan Junior high school by Principal W. T. White, who sent 71 students to the senior high school. The enrollment was brought to 735 for the year. Three new teachers, Miss Ernestine Bolin, history; Mrs. J. E. Kanatser, English, and Mrs. Clark, substitute, were enlisted at Reagan Monday.

Benjamin Franklin school in the Country Club Estates, opened its doors for the first time Monday morning at 9 o'clock when 196 pupils were registered, Miss Kate Burgess, principal, reported last night. Six teachers started the work, but more will be added when they are needed, Miss Burgess stated.

The school cafeteria opened Monday morning, and work went along smoothly for the first day.

Twenty-two new pupils entered Crockett school Monday, including a number of transfers from other schools, Miss Ida Moore, principal, said, but the net gain of pupils was not ready for publication Monday afternoon. One new teacher, Mrs. Lois McGaughey from Fannin school was added to the staff and will teach art in the school.

At Fannin school the new semester opened with 39 new pupils, 23 transferred out, making a gain of 16 new pupils, bringing the enrollment of the year to 472, Principal S. L. Butler announced Monday. Two additional teachers, Miss Mable Cowan and Mrs. J. C. McCormick, were added to the staff.

New Teachers

Carrigan school's report was incomplete, J. T. Rundell, principal, said, but there were 21 new pupils in the school as well as a number transferred out of Benjamin Franklin. Mrs. George Fraser was added to the teaching staff, he reported.

A great number of new pupils were added to Austin school, Miss Bessie Stewart, principal, said.

Partial enrollment was made at Alamo Monday morning, though school was not held. The furnace failed to function and the building was too cold for the children to remain in school, Principal J. E. Parr said. The heating apparatus was repaired Monday afternoon, however, and school will open again Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock, and the principal urged all children to be present.

Enrollment at Bowie school increased from 150 to 184 Monday, W. E. Walker, principal, said after checking up the registration for the new semester. Mrs. J. O. Yancey, teacher, who has been ill and out of the school for some time, was able to resume her duties yesterday.

Nineteen new pupils were enrolled Monday at Travis school, bringing the total enrollment to 359, according to the report of the acting principal, Miss Florence Cullen.

Sam Houston increased ranks with the entrance of 25 new pupils and now has an enrollment of 478, Mrs. Frances Bone, principal, said.

Principal R. A. Jarrott reported 42 new pupils Monday at San Jacinto school and one new teacher, Mrs. Westmoreland.

No reports were available from Huey and Barwise.

Tiny Stars To Appear On Stage



Maxine and Lorene Crowson, 10 and 12 years old respectively, children of Mrs. C. E. Crowson, will be presented in the children's vaudeville, "Stars of the Future" the evening of Feb. 5, it was announced Saturday. The children are talented in singing, dancing and talking, and have been taught by their mother.

Rabbi Samuel T. Phillips Resigns Post Here; Goes To San Antonio

Rabbi Samuel T. Phillips, who has served the Wichita Falls Jewish community for one and one-half years, submitted his resignation Monday to the president and board of trustees, the resignation to take effect February 1. Rabbi Phillips has accepted a call from the congregation, Agudas Achim, (United Brethren) of San Antonio. This congregation has a membership of more than 300 and a Sunday school on Sunday mornings with more than 200 children of which Rabbi Phillips will be superintendent. It also maintains a choir of 12 trained singers.

In his letter of resignation Rabbi Phillips expressed appreciation of Wichita Falls and its people, and expressed his belief in a wonderful future for the city. He expressed regret at leaving Wichita Falls and the numerous friends he had made during his stay here. He believes his call to San Antonio offers a greater field of service and ministry and felt urged to accept the call, he said.

Rabbi Phillips was elected unanimously Sunday afternoon in a secret ballot by the San Antonio congregation, it was learned Monday.

SPECIAL SERMON

Prodigal Son Story Treated In Modern Style.

Dr. S. S. McKenney, pastor of the First Methodist Church, south, is planning a series of sermons of special interest to young men, but for the whole congregation as well, he announced Monday. The series will begin Sunday night, Jan. 30, and continue over a period of six Sunday nights. The sermons are drawn from the Bible story of the prodigal son, and given a modern and practical interpretation of the young man in the various stages, he said.

The sermon subjects follow: Jan. 30, "The Young Man Leaving Home;" Feb. 6, "The Young Man In a Far Country;" Feb. 13, "The Young Man Coming to Himself;" Feb. 20, "The Young Man Going to His Father;" Feb. 27, "The Young Man Restored to His Home;" March 6, "The Young Man and His Elder Brother."

J. W. Thorne has returned from Gainesville where he spent the week-end.

FALSE ALARMS

City Officers Hunt For Fire Department Prankster.

Officials of the city fire department are on the warpath, and a youngster with a pronounced ability to stutter is the object of their search.

Within the last three days, two false alarms have been phoned into the central station, apparently by a boy who has a craving to see the trucks tear out. Both calls were from a person with the same voice—a childish voice, it was, that stuttered out a hurried order and then slammed up the phone receiver.

Saturday evening the department was sent to an address on Britain Street—but such an address never existed.

Monday afternoon another call came in, reporting a fire at 710 Denver.

"We can't afford to ignore these calls, although I was certain the one today was a repition of Saturday's false alarm," a department official said. "It might be, of course, that a fire really had broken out. But it's bad business to call us out just for fun."

An effort is being made to trace the source of the calls through the telephone office.

MORSE BIRTHDAY

Telegraph Demonstrated By Inventor 89 Years Ago.

The first exhibition of the Morse magnetic telegraph was made 89 years ago Monday, Jan. 24. This exhibition was made by Prof. Samuel F. B. Morse, an impecunious portrait painter and lecturer at New York University. Since that time communication has been revolutionised through the world by means of the telegraph.

From the nucleus of this apparatus demonstrated 89 years ago has grown the gigantic electrimagnetic system of today embracing 6,549,536 miles of wire throughout the world and connecting almost every center of population of consequence on the surface of the earth, it was announced from Western Union in observance of the day.

BAKERS MEET

Yeast Company To Entertain At Kemp Tonight.

Representatives from bakeries in 49 or 50 of the surrounding towns of Wichita Falls are expected to be here Tuesday evening at a gathering sponsored by the Fleischmann company, according to George Crawford, local sales agent of the company. They will meet at the Kemp hotel at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening.

A demonstration will be given showing a basic sweet dough with which bakers may make 40 or more varieties of products. Men from all the towns between Wichita Falls and Memphis, south to Anson and to Graham, Oklahoma towns as far as Mangum, and Henrietta, Burkburnett, Iowa Park and Electra are expected.

Ben McCleskey of Dallas will give the demonstration, Mr. Crawford said.

PAVING PROJECTS

Three New Plans Approved By City Council.

Three paving projects, one a rather extensive one, were presented to the city council Monday night in the form of petitions for improvements. All were accepted and bids called for.

The longest one involves Speedway avenue from Holliday to Bridwell and will, when complete, close th about half of the unpaved gap now running from Holliday to the present end of the Speedway paving near Brook.

A second project involves the paving of Holliday from Ninth to Tenth, and the third was a small half-block stretch on an alleyway between Fifth and Sixth streets in the business district.

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TOTS REHEARSE FOR BIG SHOW

Many Join Lions Club Vaudeville For Children

Rehearsals are going forward for the children's vaudeville, "Stars of the Future" to be given the evening of Feb. 5 under the auspices of the Lions club, Alec Ross, chairman of the committee, announced Saturday. Mayor R. E. Shepherd has announced he will proclaim the day "children's day" for Wichita Falls, and a huge parade will be staged in the business section for the boys and girls in the city.

Representatives from the day school, Sunday school, Girl Reserve clubs, Camp Fire Girls, Boy Scouts and members of eight bands, Lions club boys' band, Electra company saxophone band, Maskat shrine, Junior college, Austin school orchestra, Art Collins' orchestra, Bert Williams orchestra, and harmonica bands from the schools will be included.

Automobile dealers of the city have shown their co-operation and already many floats and cars have been offered for the occasion, and for the "Stars of the Future" to ride.

FACE CHARGES

Charges of forgery have been filed against L. L. Stonecipher and J. H. Hathcox of Burkburnett in connection with the raising of $1 bills to notes of $10 denomination, the sheriff's office reported Monday. Both men are now in the county jail.

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Olympic: "Man of the Forest," with Jack Holt. Special vaudeville act, "The Frivolity Girls," comedy and Fox News.

Strand: Doris Kenyon in "Mismates," "Bill Grimm's Progress," Kinograms.

Mission: "Bad Man's Bluff," with Buddy Roosevelt, comedy.

Gem: "The Imposter," starring Evelyn Brent; western picture.

Garden: "Gentle Cyclone," with Buck Jones; No. 9 "Fighting Heart."

Doris Kenyon, former stage favorite, and one of First National's outstanding feature players is seen in the greatest role of her screen career in "Mismates," which Charles Brabin directed. It is now showing at the Strand theater.

In the leading feminine role in this picture Miss Kenyon demonstrates that she is one of the greatest of emotional actresses. The picture calls for a rare type of emotional acting. That she is ideally cast in the picture is manifest by the observations of the newspaper critics who have seen the picture and who agree that her characterization is one of the outstanding dramatic performances of the year.

Among the guests Monday at the Holt were the following from Fort Worth: D. R. Matthews, Bates Matcher, Charles E. Haxh, R. Byers, P. A. Grant, B. M. Welch, H. W. Nevin, C. S. Woods, W. S. Willis.

ICE DAMAGE

Trees and Shrubs Hard Hit By Freeze.

Trees and shrubs in Wichita Falls parks have suffered heavily the last two days from the heavy coatings of ice left on them by the recent freeze.

City Park Superintendent C. C. Bunnenburg said Monday that the actual damage in dollars and cents could not be estimated at present, but that the loss was exceedingly heavy. Shrubs of a soft-wood variety were especially hard hit, he declared, main limbs being split and stripped by the icy coats.

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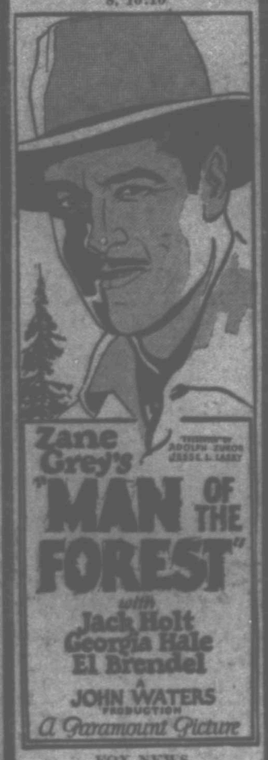
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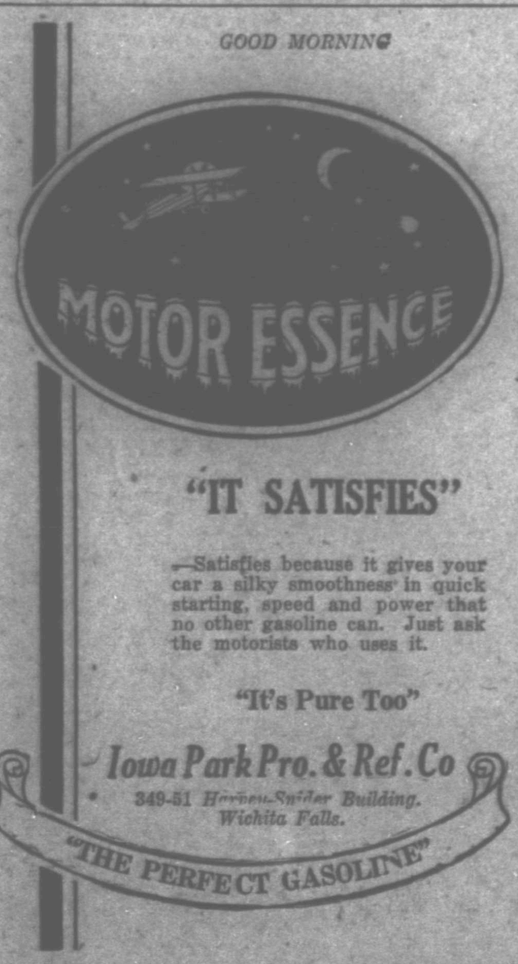
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