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WICHITA FALLS BOY DROWNS IN TANK

IRATE MOTHER USES HOT IRON TO BURN GIRL

Little Child Gives Damaging Evidence in Trial Of Foster Parent

"MOTHER" UNDER BOND

Court Order Woman's Arrest After Court Hearing Of Tot's Story

By Universal Service.

NEW YORK, April 10. Accused from the witness stand by her six-year-old foster daughter by burning her leg with a curling iron at the Hotel Plaza, Mrs. Everett S. Pratt was today held in $500 bail for general sessions by Magistrate Flood of west side court.

The crowded court room witnessed the spectacle of the precocious child holding her tiny hand aloft and swearing that she told the truth. Roberta Jane was nervous and occasionally wept, but remained unshaken in her story.

Arrested In Court.

Testimony of other witnesses, the magistrate said, gave "some slight corroboration" of the child's story. He, therefore, denied motion of Mrs. Pratt's counsel for dismissal and caused her arrest in Chambers.

Tears and laughter came from the alert audience yesterday as Roberta Jane, in her little blue flannel coat and hat, talked from the big witness chair, Magistrate Flood rescended from his bench to determine if the oath should be administered.

Assistant District Attorney J. J. McNaboe then began patiently to question Roberta Jane about her life with the Pratts, her disobdience and alleged cruel punishment. Often she said frankly:

Child Testifys in Tears.

At the mention of the night when she wandered into the lobby in the absence of her parents, the child began to twist her tiny handkerchief and wipe away the tears that welled in her blue eyes. She said:

"Mother spanked me with a shoe tree, she burned me on both legs. I saw her heat the curler in the socket of the little lamp. She spanked me again too."

Her piping voice repeated this story again and again. She smiled sweetly at John J. O'Hara, friend and attorney of her parents, as he began his cross-examination.

Roberta Jane was delighted with the word "whoppers," when O'Hara aswed her if she ever told any. She said readily:

"Yes, I've told stories sometimes."

"Mother Watches" Girl.

Mrs. Pratt's eyes did not leave Roberta's face during her testimony. She sat a few feet from the child, her small black felt hat pulled down over her face and her seal skin coat tight around her neck. As Roberta left the stand bravely attempting to wipe away the tears, Mrs. Pratt took a handkerchief from her pocket and began dabbing at her eyes.

Behind her stood her husband, a pale, anxious man, who seemed worried and puzzled by the proceedings. Pratt has been exonerated of all blame both by the child and by the officials of the society for the prevention of cruelty to children.

Four other witnesses testified. The first of these was Mrs. Jane Valelly, a maid employed at the Plaza hotel, upon whose complaint the children's society began their investigation.

She testified briefly to having entered the room one night and finding Roberta applying "zinc salve" to the injuries on her legs. The child was extremely reluctant in telling her, she said, how she received the burns.

Doctor Four Bruises.

Dr. William Travis Gibbs, examining physician for the society, took the stand and testified that he had examined the child's body and found a number of bruises on her back and burns on her legs.

An indignant witness, James Devine, house officer at the Plaza, next repeated his knowledge of the Pratt's three weeks' stay at the Hotel Plaza. After Roberta had been taken away on the night of April 1, he said, he found Mrs. Pratt on her return at 12:45 a. m. wandering around in search of the child. He told her that she was in charge of the society at No. 2 East One Hundred and Fifth street.

He also told her, he testified, that her curling iron was missing. He said:

"I told her "they took away the curling iron you burned her with and if you had been here they would have taken you, too." She didn't say one word in answer."

Judge Quizzes Witness.

Magistrate Flood was interested in the statement and requested Devine to repeat his claim that Mrs. Pratt made no denial at this time.

Roberta Jane, clung to the hand of Mrs. George Cole, representative in charge of her, as she left the courtroom. She was tired and nervous from strain and excitement. She said:

"Why did they ask me the same thing so much? I told them right.

"Gee, I'm glad I can go back to the children and play now."

CHINESE MOB JAPANESE

SHANHGAI, April 10(AP)—Japanese reports from Soochow say that coolies and police have surrounded the Japanese consulate and business premises of Soochow, thus preventing the evacuation of 34 men and 10 women. Situation in the city is said to be growing worse.

Ford's Double



When James E. Goodrich appeared in the Detroit court room where $1,000,000 Ford libel suit is being tried, crowds pressed around him, believing him to be Henry, in person. But Goodrich is merely double for famous auto magnate.

LIFE TERM IN BOMB KILLING

San Antonio Man Convicted In Boy's Death

SAN ANTONIO, April 10.(AP)—Nicholas Covarrubias was found guilty of the murder of Ignacio Urias, 9, who was killed when the Urias home was bombed March 15. This verdict recommending a life sentence was returned at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, by the jury 16 hours, 35 minutes after it had been given the case.

Defense attorneys made no statement concerning their plans for taking the case higher.

In the closing arguments Saturday night District Attorney C. M. Chambers plead for a death sentence declared that there was no grounds for a compromise verdict. The defense attorney argued for an acquittal on the grounds that the state had failed to prove its case.

Ignacio Orias was killed and his brother Adolfo Urias, seriously injured when the Urias residence was wrecked by an explosion at 12:30 a. m., March 15.

Sobel Ramirez, wife of Adolfo Urias and former common-law wife of Covarrubias, gave officers the clue which led to the arrest of the defendant when she told of threats he had made.

Throughout the trial was bitterly contested. Defense attorneys, Judge J. W. Conger and Manuel Gonzales, attempted to have Judge Murray give an instructed verdict of not guilty, alleging that the indictment had failed to properly describe the crime.

The testimony of Ysobel Ramirez, who was the star witness for the state, was contested on the ground that he had been married to the defendant through a church ceremony in Mexico. This is not legal in that country and Judge Murray allowed her to continue on the stand.

R. R. CAR LOOTED

Skillful Thieves Rob Sealed Car While Train Is in Motion.

By Universal Service.

CHICAGO, April 10.—Loot of undetermined value was seized by skillful bandits who took over a sealed car on train No. 4 of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad today. The theft took place somewhere between Burlington, Iowa, and Galesburg, Ill. When the train reached Chicago the crew was unable to account for the mysterious robbery.

HAMBONE MEDITATION



U. S. MAY SEND TROOPS TO AID NAVY IN CHINA

Forces Now Massed in Hawaii and Phillipine Island Detachments

TWO DIVISIONS THERE

Forces to Be Ready to Use In Case of Emergency Soon Anticipated

LONDON, April 10. (AP)—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Shanghai says the Cantonese have evacuted Chinkiang and are retreating in disorder toward Shanghai, necessitating the greatest precautions by the foreigners there.

The dispatch says the French already have been compelled to fire to prevent the entrance of a routed mob of soldiers.

By Universal Service.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The United States today planned to rush troops from the regular army into China to protect refugees who are fleeing to Tien-Tsin from the interior.

This will be done immediately if the northern forces fail to hold the Cantonese in their drive on Peking and north China. A terrific battle is now raging between the two forces.

The troops are to be rushed from the trained units of the regular army in the Philippines and Hawaii. There are practically two complete divisions in the insular possessions.

Army transports are now standing by to move the troops if the emergency arises, it was learned.

Officials fear such an emergency because of rioting in north China. Americans are taking refuge in Tien-Tsin, the port and terminus of the railroad that serves Peking and north China. Tien-Tsin has nothing that could properly be called a defense from Chinese attacks, such as has been built up at Shanghai.

Marines on Ground.

In the meantime Admiral Clarence S. Williams, commander in chief of the American forces in Asiatic waters, now in charge at Shanghai, deems it inadvisable to move any marines from there. Secretary of the Navy Wilbur declared that he considered their position precarious in the event of a

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RUSSIA DEMANDS REDRESS FOR RAID.

MOSCOW, April 10. (AP)—Soviet Russia, demanding satisfactory redress from the Peking government for the raid conducted last week on the northern government that as a sign of protest it will recall its charge d'affaires in Peking and its entire staff.

In a note delivered last night to the Chinese charge d' affairs at Moscow, the Soviet government informed Peking that pending satisfactory redress for last week's raid, it will permit only its consulate personnel to remain in Peking.

TWO DIE IN FIRE

Flames Envelop Three-Story Building in Chicago.

By Universal Service.

CHICAGO, April 10.—Through sheets of fire that enveloped a three-story brick building two women leaped to their death today and a score of other persons suffered serious injuries jumping from windows and fire escapes. Spectacular rescues by firemen saved the lives of about 50 other residents. The two dead are Anna Lee, 35, and an unidentified negress. Of the 20 hurt, two women and a man were reported to be dying.

CONSUL ATTACKED

German Facist Group Abuses Russian Envoy.

KOENIGSBURG, Germany, April 10.(AP)—A group of 30 men, described as German fasciti today attacked M. Kantor, the local Russian consul whom they beat over the head with a stick and knocked down. The consul also suffered injuries to his feet and hands. All the assailants were arrested.

MILLIONAIRE DIES.

MIAMI, Fla., April 10. (AP)—Elliot Fitch Shepard, 51, widely known millionaire sportsman and yatchman died this morning at his Miami Beach estate, LaTerra Della. His illness had been protracted. He was the son of the late Eliitt F. Shepard, former owner of the New York Evening Mail and Express. His mother was the former Margaret Louise Vanderbilt.

Be Careful

Help Make Streets and Highways of Wichita County Safe

LAST 24 HOURS

Accidents	0
Injured	0
Dead	0

THIS YEAR

Accidents	112
Injured	50
Dead	2
January Accidents	32
February Accidents	25
March Accidents	33

CALL IT "QUITS"

But Wedded Pair Learns This Isn't Enough To Divorce

WASHINGTON, April 10. (AP) A divorce without lawyers or courts was the way in which Horace E. Davis, 20-years-old, and Mrs. Davis, 45, planned to end an unhappy marital venture of two months' standing.

Each was to sign a written agreement and call it "quits" but unfortunately for their plans, District Attorney Peter of Montgomery county, Maryland, where they lived, stepped in with the disconcerting news that this would not constitute a divorce at all. Their next step they have not determined.

DEPUTIES NAB BEER STORES

1000 Bottles and 30 Gallons Seized by Sheriff

Continuing a drive started Friday night on beer traffic in Wichita Falls and vicinity, members of Sheriff W. G. Bralley's department Sunday captured approximately 1000 bottles of beer and 30 gallons of unbottled brew in three raids. Two women and two men were arrested in the raids.

One of the raids was on a down town rooming house and the other two on filling stations on the Iowa Park road.

At the rooming house about 400 bottles of beer were seized and one woman arrested.

At the first filling station searched by the deputy sheriffs 385 bottles of beer and 30 gallons of unbottled beer were taken and two men arrested.

Two miles farther out on the road the officers arrested a woman at a filling station and seized approximately 200 bottles of brew.

Over 200 bottles of home brew and a 15-gallon keg of mash were taken by city officers when they entered a beer garden on Lee street late Sunday night. One arrest was made.

MEDICAL MEET

Texas Surgical Society To Gather Monday In Dallas.

DALLAS, April 10. (AP)—The Texas Surgical society will hold its annual convention here Monday and Tuesday and several prominent surgeons already are here to attend its sessions, among them Dr. Willard Cook of Galveston and Dr. Felix Miller of El Paso.

There has been some talk of postponing the meeting because of the death Friday of Dr. James F. Thompson of Galveston, first president of the society, but it was decided to go ahead and hold the convention as planned.

SINCLAIR TO JAIL

Sentence To Be Passed on Oil King In Contempt Case.

WASHINGTON, April 10. (AP)—Harry F. Sinclair, millionaire oil operator and sportsman, will be sentenced to jail tomorrow by Justice Hitz in the District of Columbia supreme court for contempt of the senate in refusing to answer a series of questions before the senate oil committee thre years ago.

The minimum penalty is one month and a fine of $100 and the maximum penalty is 12 months and a fine of $1000.

PROTEST NOTE

U. S. Demands That Mexico Punish American's Slayers.

MEXICO CITY, April 10. (AP)—Announcement was made at the American embassy today that the usual diplomatic representations had been made to the foreign office demanding punishment for the murderers of Fred Combs, an American connected with the La Dura Mining company who was killed by bandits on a road near Esperanzo on April 2.

TODAY!

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ARE YOU A FOOD DRUNKARD?

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RAIN AND HAIL HALT MERCURY UPWARD CLIMB

Light Fall in Wichita Area; Windows Broken In Walters Storm

TEMPERATURE DROPS

Flood Toll in Oklahoma Mounts To 17 in Sunday Reports

After three days of almost midsummer weather Wichita Falls and vicinity were cooling off at midnight Sunday night. Clouds which began to gather late in the day emptied at least a part of their contents onto the territory.

Temperature in Wichita Falls had fallen from 84 at 5 p. m. to 68 at 11:30. A heavy down-pour of rain was preceded by a short but rather furious hail storm. A brilliant electrical display lightened up the skies and indications were for more rain before daylight Monday.

Windows Smashed

At Walters, Okla., a severe hail storm followed a heavy rain early in the night. The hail stones were of unusually large size and considerable damage was done to window panes, it was reported. The hail started falling just as church services at the Presbyterian church were over and members of the congregation had to seek shelter in the church for several minutes. Window panes in the church were broken out by the hail, according to reports reaching Wichita Falls.

Heavy rains accompanied by hail were reported on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas line as far north as Woodward, Okla., according to the local dispatcher.

The dispatcher of the Fort Worth and Denver City railway reported a slow steady rain between Childress and Bellevue Sunday, but little precipitation at other points outside the area.

FLOOD TAKES HEAVY TOLL IN OKLAHOMA.

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 10.(AP) Oklahoma today was reckoning the damage caused by overflowing waters of streams the past two days, during which 17 lives were lost and thousands of acres of low farm lands were inundated.

Today all of the streams in north and northeast Oklahoma fed by heavy rains in Kansas several days ago either were subsiding or at a virtual standstill.

In the south the Washita river which yesterday fell about one and one-half feet at Chickasha had risen again today, going up about two feet when waters from additional rains to the north came downstream. No further floods from this stream were anticipated, however.

At Pauls Valley, further downstream the Washita was receding. Early spring crops in that region were severely damaged, the waters spreading a muddy deposit upon them. At Chickasha the Washita had subsided a foot since yesterday, uncovering perhaps a fourth of the flooded fields in that vicinity.

Train service in the Washita basin still was uncertain today but was expected to improve rapidly.

In northern Oklahoma the Chikaskia river was dropping rapidly at Blackwell where it was believed all further danger had passed. Persons were returning to the 100 homes there which had been surrounded by water. The Chikaskia reached its peak there early yesterday.

The Arkansas river, which was reported to have risen at Newkirk was receding today. It did not leave its banks.

Bartlesville citizens were reassured tonight as they watched the receding Caney river. It rose nine feet but reached its crest four feet short of flood stage.

Lowlands around Nowata were inundated from the Verdigris river carrying its excess waters in Oklahoma from Kansas, but there was no indication of a great rise. Reports from the north told of the Verdigris receding.

Khan's Daughter Star Dancer



A beauty, too, is Leila Beder Khan, daughter of Abdur Rodak, the lost Khan of Kurdistan, now engaged in Paris where her repertoire of native Kurdistan dances is a stage sensation. She will shortly display her talents in this country. Her father disappeared in 1919.

Woman's Forum Lays Cornerstone For New Building At Special Fete Sunday

Several hundred members of the Woman's Forum, with their husbands and friends witnessed the laying of the cornerstone of the new club house being erected in the Country Club estates, Sunday afternoon. The program which was arranged by Mrs. T. A. Hicks, was directed by Mrs. Ola G. Hamlin, president of the forum who in a few chosen words told the purpose of the gathering.

The program was opened with a song by the male quartet of the First Methodist church composed of E. F. Bohmfalk, H. W. Gray, Joel MacGregor and F. M. Hansen who also gave several numbers. Devotionals were read by the Rev. Dan Grieder, junior pastor of the First Presbyterian church, followed by a brief talk by W. B. Hamilton of the Hamilton-Martin Investment company and one of the doners of the building site.

Hamilton In Address.

Hamilton spoke of the splendid work being done by the forum in a cultural way and said that the magnifcent building will take a definite part in the development and uplift of the people of this community.

"We men are so busy with things of material importance such as paving, building schools, parks, and churches and with business that we do not have much time left for the cultural side of life, which I think is just as important, and I think you women are doing a definite service in building this club house which will not only benefit you but will be of real service to your children and grandchildren," the speaker said.

Dr. S. S. McKenney, pastor of the First Methodist church, made the corner stone address, and N.

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SUSPECTS HELD

Houston Police Arrest Two Negroes After Burglary—Murder

HOUSTON, April 10. (AP)—Two negro suspects were in custody of officers here Sunday, and a large force of city detectives and deputy sheriffs were searching the city for further trace of two negroes who entered the home of George J. Herzberg, 42, at the Houston Cut Stone company, about 4:30 o'clock this morning and after robbing Herzberg of $6, shot him to death and attempted to attack his wife, Mrs. John Herzberg, at the point of pistols.

BABTIST MEET.

DALLAS, April 10. (AP)—Two hundred people from Dallas and Dallas county are expected to leave at 11 o'clock Monday night on a special train for San Antonio to attend the three days session of the second annual Baptist State Sunday School convention, G. S. Hopkins, president of the Sunday school department of the Baptist general convention of Texas, said today.

THE WEATHER

OKLAHOMA: Monday showers, colder; Tuesday partly cloudy.

EAST TEXAS: Monday cloudy showers and cooler in north portion; Tuesday partly cloudy, probably showers in east portion, cooler, moderate to fresh southerly to easterly winds on the coast probably becoming northerly Tuesday.

WEST TEXAS: Monday partly cloudy occasional rains in east and north portions, colder in north portion; Tuesday partly cloudy, colder.

Local weather conditions for the past 24-hour period as reported by the Texas Electric company: Maximum temperature, 89; minimum temperature, 66; temperature at 5 p. m., 84; precipitation, 0; south breeze; partly cloudy; average wind velocity, five miles per hour; maximum wind velocity, 10 miles per hour; barometer 28.78.

BORGER QUIET OVER SUNDAY

Danger of Martial Regime Appears Removed

AUSTIN, April 10. (AP)—Barring further trouble, the possibility of martial law for Borger, Hutchinson county oil town, tonight appeared to have been almost definitely removed.

Gov. Dan Moody said he received no information of any kind from the once "wide open" town during the day. It was thought that the apparent attention paid to his "cooperation" ultimatum of Friday, together with optimistic reports of citizens endorsing his stand and voicing optimism over the situation, served to remove the necessity for martial law.

Moody tonight would comment but briefly on the situation but he indicated definitely that he feels little alarm.

COURT MURDER

This Is View of Berlin Socialists On Socco-Vanzetti Sentence.

By Universal Service.

BERLIN, April 10.—"Judicial murder in the truest sense of the word" is now the socialist Vorwarts characterizes the new death sentence pronounced upon Zacco and Vanzetti in Massachusetts. The paper adds:

"We hope that the United States will not permit this blot of shame to rest upon a country which prides itself on being the guardian of civil liberty."

DIES IN WRECK

One Boy Killed, Two Hurt, As Car Quits Highway

Palestine, Texas, April 10. (AP)—Cleo Valentine, 20, was instantly killed and his brother, Horace, was seriously injured when their car left the highway between Palestine and Frankston at an early hour Sunday morning and plunged down a deep embankment. Another youth named Breedlove was also injured in the accident but his injuries were not considered serious, it was said.

BANDIT VICTIM

Boy Who Tried to Rescue Father Slain by Thugs.

By Universal Service.

CHICAGO, April 10.—Leonard Fragassi, 17, is dead today because he went unarmed and single-handed to the rescue of his father, held up by two bandits in his grocery store. Knocking the revolver out of one of the bandits' hands, the boy was shot and fatally wounded by the other.

FLYERS FOUND SAFE.

NOME, Alaska, April 10 (AP)—R. H. Merrill, aviator and his two passengers, Hilkey Robinson and Edgar Broadway, missing since last Wednesday have been found alive and well.

YOUTH'S BODY RECOVERED BY RESCUE PARTY

Billy Malone, 17, Dies In Attempt to Swim Across Tank

COLD WATER BLAMED

Attack of Cramps Sends Boy Down Within 50 Feet of Bank

Billy R. Malone, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Pearson, 1107 17th street, was drowned in an earthen reservoir at Wilson's Switch, 15 miles south of Wichita Falls, Sunday afternoon at 12:20 o'clock while attempting to swim across the reservoir.

The youth, in company with his stepfather, George C. Pearson, and Mr. and Mrs. N. Hendrickson, who also reside at 1107 17th street, was fishing at the lake when the tragedy occurred.

Few Feet of Banks

He had walked around the lake to carry a knife to Mrs. Hendrickson and instead of walking back he plunged into the water. After successfully covering about 400 feet of the reservoir's width of approximately 450 feet, the youth was apparently seized by an attack of cramps, probably caused by the cold water.

Mr. Hendrickson waded into the water and extended a pole to the boy who took hold but was apparently overcome. He disappeared from sight within 50 feet of the bank, according to Mr. Hendrickson.

After Mr. Hendrickson had made several futile attempts at recovering the body by diving, word was sent by telephone to Wichita Falls and a Hines ambulance went to the scene.

The body was not recovered, however, until 6:20 o'clock when a party of men employed at the Wichita Falls and Southern shops here trolled the water with grab hooks in boats secured at the Lake Wichita pavilion and carried to Wilson's Switch on a motor car.

Searchers Find Body

Ben Baker, in a boat with Paul Taylor and Elmer Sears, held the hook which caught the youth's clothing. The other boat, containing N. Hendrickson, George York and Bert Chaplin, was brought alongside for raising the body to the surface.

The boy was found within 20 minutes after the railroad men started their search and exactly six hours after Billy Malone had met his death, it was shown by the watch of Mr. Hendrickson which had stopped running at 12:20 o'clock when he dived for the body.

The body was in about 14 feet of water when found. It was placed in the Hines ambulance and brought to Wichita Falls.

Services at Frederick

Besides his parents, the youth is survived by a brother, Robert Malone, who lives with his parents, and four sisters, Frances Pearson, Burt Pearson, Theda Mayo Pearson and Ruth Pearson. He is a nephew of Miss Elizabeth Roberts and Willis Roberts of 1107 17th street.

The body will be forwarded to Frederick, Okla., at 7 o'clock Monday morning and funeral services will be held at the First Baptist church in that city at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Burial will be in the Frederick cemetery.

R. L. THOMASON INJURED WHEN PIPE HITS HEAD

burnett, received serious injuries

R. L. Thomason, 35, of Burkburnett, received serious injuries while working on a truck loaded with pipe in Burkburnett Sunday afternoon when a piece of pipe slipped and struck Mr. Thomason, knocking him to the ground.

Attending physicians at the Wichita General hospital, where Mr. Thomason was carried in a Collier Brothers' ambulance, reported that the man's injuries are not dangerous. Although a slight concussion of the brain is evidenced, the skull was not fractured, it was reported. Mr. Thomason was badly bruised about the head and face when he fell.

The accident occurred in the Burkburnett city limits. Mr. Thomason is employed by the Gulf Production company.

BOY WOUNDED IN LEG WHEN HE DROPS KNIFE

While playing with a knife at his home J. L. Pope, Jr., 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pope, 1703 Elizabeth street, received a painful wound in his leg, when he stuck the blade into the flesh, late Sunday afternoon.

First aid was given at the Hargrave-Walker hospital and the boy was discharged when it was determined that the wound was not likely to prove serious.

IOWA PARK MAN PUT TO BED BY THUG

Special to The Record News.

IOWA PARK, April 10.—Fred Obannon, waiter in the Mecca cafe here, was clubbed over the head with an iron pipe by an unidentified assailant at midnight Saturday and today was in his bed at the Park Inn hotel recuperating.

Obannon was attacked as he stepped out of the Mecca cafe and his assailant is believed, mistaking him for the owner, whom he sought to attack for the purpose of robbery. Iowa Park police report no trace of the thug.

AIR MAIL PILOT KILLED

SEATTLE, Wash., April 10.(AP)—Ray Small, coast air mail pilot was killed and an unidentified passenger was injured in an airplane crash at Sand Point naval air field near here tonight.

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(Tie, called end ninth, darkness).
Batteries: Rainey and Ritchie; Hodges and Corley.

AT BROOKLYN:
New York .... 000 000 220—4 8 1
Brooklyn .... 000 000 030—3 7 3
Batteries: Pennock, Moore and Collins; Barnes, Clark, Ehrhardt and Hargraves.

Loughran To Meet Stribling On May 10

By Universal Service.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Tommy Loughran of Philadelphia, generally recognized as one of the outstanding challengers for the light heavyweight boxing championship has been matched with Young Stribling, the Georgia fighter, it was announced today.

The match for which the tentative date of May 10 has been set will be promoted by Humbert J. Fugazy of Brooklyn and will open the boxing season at Ebbit's field.

BROWN PILOT EXUDES CHEER

St. Louis Manager Optimist Of American League

(This is another of a series of articles on the probable finish of the American league pennant race).

By BILL SLOCUM
Universal Service Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, April 10.—Like most every other American league club, the St. Louis Browns were changed during the off season. The distinction is that the Browns were changed more than any of the others.

They will open the 1927 season with a new manager, changes in both catching and pitching staffs, a rearranged infield and one marked change in the outfield.

Howley No Howler

In Dan Howley, who has replaced George Sisler as manager of the club, Phil Ball drew one of baseball's genuine optimists, and at the same time one of the most successful pilots and best liked men in the game. Dan is optimistic about his club's chance, but he has been almost alone this spring. The Browns finished in seventh place last season, and it is difficult to figure how they are going to improve on that showing this year.

Howley already has been dealt a staggering blow by fate, but he continues to smile, predicts that his club is going to surprise the fans, and assures us that it will hustle all the way.

"And a hustling ball club," reminds Mr. Howley, the optimist, "is nobody's doormat in any league. This club of mine will be easy for nobody."

When Howley made the deal with Detroit which separated Marty McManus from the Browns, mainly because Marty and Phil Ball could not agree on several things, he believed his infield would consist of Sisler at first base, Melillo at second, Gerber at short and Bill Mellen, (with Howley last year at Toronto) on third base. Then the bad news.

Melillo Goes Down

Melillo was again taken down with a kidney ailment and it is not likely that he will be of much use to the club this year. Then Mullen discovered that a knee injury suffered last season, made the member to weak for any strain, and he had to leave camp for special treatment. As Mullen hit .357 in the International league last year he is going to be missed in more ways than in fielding.

Thus the infield is all disarranged although Sisler and Gerber are holding their original positions.

The outfield looks better than in 1926. Fred Schulte, the $50,000 purchase from Milwaukee, has won the favor of all who have seen him play. Harry Rice and Bing Miller will play on either side of the newcomer, with Ken Williams and Hersel Bennett in reserve.

Pitching Just So-So

The pitching is not impressive. Howley believes Walter Stewart, a southpaw from Toronto, will be a steady winner. He also counts heavily on Sam Jones, last year with the Yankees.

As holdovers, Gaston, Vangilder and Ballou head the right handers, and Zachary and Wingard lead the southpaws.

Eagles Win 15-1 In Nocona Tilt

Smoke Lupher Hurls Fine Game For Refiners

Smoke Lupher hurled the American Refinery Eagles to a 15 to 1 victory over the Nocona team at Nocona Sunday afternoon. Lupher whiffed an even dozen of the Nocona batters and had easy sailing all the way. Lupher never issued a base on balls and had good control all the way.

Lupher gave up only four hits in the nine innings and the final score came off him in the ninth inning. Maddox led the attack back of Lupher with five hits in six times at the bat.

Womble led the attack for the home nine with three of the four base knocks made off Lupher, Shuman getting the other bingle.

The American Refinery team will play the Gulf Production team from Clara at Clara next Sunday.

The box score:

EAGLES—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Maddox, lf	6	3	6	0	0	0
Johnson, 2b ..	5	1	2	2	3	2
Gordon, cf	6	5	3	0	0	0
Williamson, c .	6	3	2	13	0	0
Crouch, 1b	6	2	3	10	0	0
Lewis, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Glidewell, rf ..	3	1	1	0	0	0
Estep, 3b	5	0	1	0	0	0
Windham, ss ..	4	0	1	1	3	0
Lupher, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	47	15	19	27	9	2

NOCONA—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Lucas, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Kroney, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Womble, 1b ..	4	1	3	14	0	0
Janeway, c ..	4	0	0	6	1	2
Williams, 3b-p.	4	0	0	4	5	1
Phillips, ss	4	0	0	1	1	1
Ellis, cf	3	0	0	0	0	1
Brockman rf-2b	3	0	0	0	1	2
Webb, 2b	2	0	0	1	3	2
Stewart, p	2	0	0	0	5	0
Shuman, rf ...	1	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	32	1	4	27	16	8

Eagles ....341 203 200—15
Nocona . ...000 000 001— 1

Two-base hits, Johnson, and Womble; three-base hits, Johnson; struck out, by Lupher 12, Stewart 6; hit batsman, Lupher, Windham; double plays, Johnson to Crouch; Sacrifice hits, Johnson, Luper; Umpire, Giles.

Panhandle Oilers Lose To Iowa Park

The Panhandle Refinery champions of the Wichita Falls City league dropped a 3 to 2 game to the Iowa Park team at Iowa Park Sunday afternoon. Iowa Park could comb only four safe hits off the curves of Majors and Conley of Wichita Falls. Robert Van Horn pitched for the Park and gave up seven base hits.

	R.	H.	E.
Iowa Park	3	4	4
Panhandle	2	7	5

Van Horn and Enloe; Majors, Conley and Horton.

DEEPENING THE HUSH.

The open spaces will be even more silent when Mr. Coolidge goes west.

CONGENIAL OCCUPATION.

Between fishing spells Mr. Coolidge will probably ransack the dictionary for monosyllables to use next year.

Demons Prove Easy Meat For Spuds Who Smite Onion Mightily

Fitzgerald With Perfect Day at Bat Leads Local Clouters To 11 to 7 Victory Over Des Moines Foes.

By MACK (ICABOD) TURNER

Freddie Fussell ascended the hillock Sunday afternoon and for the first time this year a Spudder pitcher went all the way over the nine inning course. With his mates hammering the onion hard all the way, Freddie had very little trouble coming out on top end of a 10 to 7 victory in the second game with Des Moines. Howard Fitzgerald, the Eagle lake farm boy, waved a nsty bit of oak during the game and ripped off four base hits in four times at the bat. He also sent out a sacrifice fly that pushed over a run.

Johnny Mann, the blonde short stopping person continued to slam the old apple in his sensational manner. Johnnie has played in a total of nineteen ball games this year and has hit safely in an even eighteen of them.

Peter Nelson Lapan was another that had a great day at the bat for the Spudders when he lifted three men into safe grounds in four attempts. Matt Donohue also poled out three hits for the Demons.

The game was well filled with many bits of sparkling fielding on both teams of which the two short stops come in for much of. Both Mann and Knothe played great ball at short.

Fitz Stars Afield.

Fitzgerald uncorked several breath taking catches in center field. LaFayette and Van Camp both uncovered some pretty catches on first base, while Pete Turgeon made some nice stops at second base.

The home runs for the day were divided evenly. Pete Lapan slapped one over the wall for Wichita Falls, and Pug Griffin duplicated the act for DesMoines.

The two teams will hook up again this afternoon at three bells for the last practice game this year. Manager Carl Williams announced that Mr. J. N. Roberts Junior would pitch from the hillock for Wichita Falls. Collins announced his selection to be our old friend, Slim Davenport.

Step Into Trouble

The Iowa boys stepped into hot water right off the bat when the Spudders rushed in a couple in the first inning off Colwell. LaFayette bounded out to Van Camp. Johnnie then started the fireworks with a base on balls. Fitzgerald then slammed one to center that sent Johnnie to second. Both runners advanced a notch on a wild pitch. Knothe booted Lamb's grounder and Man scored. Jenkins then smashed a single to port that scored Fitzgerald. Turgeon lined out to short, and Knothe doubled Lucy off second base.

The Demons came back in the second inning to tie the count at two-all. Pug Griffin opened this round with a walk. Donohue slammed a double down the third base line that sent Pug racing home. Knothe came right back with another two-base knock to the same pasture. Mann then tossed out Van Camp, Turgeon speared Sprinz's drive and Fussell ended the inning by tossing out Colwell.

Freddie Gets Better

Freddie then pitched unbeatable ball with the exception of the seventh when he let up behind a big lead.

The Spudders rushed over three more counters in the third inning. LaFayette rammed a single to center. Mann singled to right and George dashed to third. Fitzgerold singled to right and continued on second on the throw in, LaFayette scored and Mann checked up at third base. Lamb hoisted a sacrifice fly to left and Mann scored. Fitzgerald took third on a wild pitch, the ball getting lost under the umpire. Jenkins bounded out to short and Fitzgerald scored.

Again in the fourth the Spudders scored two more runs. Swenson and Lapan doubled in succession while Fussell and LaFayette sacrificed in succession for the two runs.

Spuds Score Again

The Spudders scored again in the fifth. Fitzgerald led off with a double to right field. Lucy Lamb drove one to left that carried to the boards for two bases. Fitzgerald held up to see if Collins could spear the drive and only reached third. Fitzgerald later scored when Turgeon lined out to deep center.

Lapan opened the sixth inning with a smash over the left field wall for a home run. Fussell beat out an infield hit to short. LaFayette forced Fossell at second, short to second. Mann hit to Brausen who heaved the ball low to second after LaFayette. LaFayette pulled up at third and Mann went to second. Fitzgerald sent out a sacrifice fly to center that scored LaFayette. Brausen ran into Knothe as he was taking Lamb's pop fly and he dropped it. On a double steal, Mann trapped off third base for the final out.

Fussell Lets Up

Fussell let up in the seventh and five runs were rushed over the plate. Mann tossed out Van Camp, Sprinz singled past second and Rhodes walked. Gislason popped to Turgeon who made a nice running catch into center field. Brausen doubled down the third-base line scoring Sprinz and Rhodes. Collin's drive to left took a high hop over Jenkin's head and rolled for two bases, Brausen scoring. Pug Griffin then buggywhipped one over the left field wall scoring Collins ahead of him. Turgeon tossed out Donohue for the last out.

The Spudders pushed over their last in the eighth. Mann bunted down the third-base line and beat it out. Fitzgerald lined his fourth hit to center sending Mann to third. Lamb smashed a single to center, scoring Mann, and Donohue threw Fitzgerald out at third base. Jenkins then hit to Knothe who forced Lamb unassisted.

A fast double play headed by Swenson in the ninth cut off the last hopes of the Demons.

NOT SUCH DEMONS

DES MOINES—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Gislason, 2b. ..	5	0	1	2	0	0
Brausen, 3b. ..	4	1	1	2	3	1
Collins, lf.	5	1	1	1	0	0
Griffin, rf.	3	2	1	1	0	0
Donohue, cf. ...	4	1	2	3	1	0
Knothe, ss.	3	0	3	2	1	2
Van Camp, 1b. .	4	0	0	6	1	0
Sprinz, c.	4	1	1	2	2	0
Colwell, p.	2	0	0	1	2	0
Rhodes, p.	1	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	7	10	24	14	3

SPUDDERS—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
LaFayette, 1b. .	4	2	1	12	0	0
Mann, ss.	4	3	2	2	6	0
Fitzgerald, cf. .	4	3	4	4	0	0
Lamb, rf.	4	0	2	1	0	0
Jenkins, lf.	5	0	1	2	0	0
Turgeon, 2b. ..	3	0	0	3	2	0
Swenson, 3b. ..	4	1	2	0	2	0
Lapan, c.	4	2	3	3	0	0
Fussell, p.	3	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	35	11	16	27	13	0

DES MOINES—
Runs .... 020 000 500— 7
Hits .... 120 101 410—10
SPUDDERS—
Runs ... 203 212 01 —11
Hits ... 203 222 23x—16

Two-base hits, Donohue, Knothe 2, Swenson, Lapan, Fitzgerald, Lamb, Fussell. Runs batted in, Knothe 2, Brausen 2, Griffin 2, Collins 1, Lamb 3, Jenkins 2, Fitzgerald 2, Lapan 2, LaFayette 1, Turgeon 1. Struck out, by Fussell 3 (Griffin, Sprinz, Rhodes); by Colwell 1 (Mann); by Rhodes 1 (Fussell). Bases on balls, off Fussell 4 (Griffin, Knothe, Rhodes, Brausen); off Colwell 1 (Mann). Wild pitches, Colwell 2. Hits and runs, off Colwell 9 and 8 in 5 innings. Losing pitcher, Colwell. Double plays, Fussell to Mann to LaFayette, Knothe to Gislason, Swenson to Turgeon to LaFayette. Left on bases, Des Moines 3; Wichita Falls 6. Time of game 1 hour, 47 minutes. Umpires, Barr and Vaught.

Electra All-Stars Defeat Local Nine

The Electra All-Stars defeated the Texas Electric team from Wichita Falls here Sunday afternoon in a pitchers battle between Ray of Electra and Eddie Kollman of the Wichitians. The Electra club won 3 to 2.

A fair crowd witnessed the pitchers battle. The Electra nine scored their three runs in the seventh inning on two hits and two errors.

Box score:

ELECTRA—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
T. Ray, 2b.	3	0	0	1	4	0
Courtney, cf. ...	4	1	1	1	0	0
Hipps, c.	4	0	1	9	1	0
Shaw, lf.	3	0	1	4	0	0
Gibson, ss.	4	0	0	0	1	2
Nix, rf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Stevens, 3b. ...	4	1	1	0	1	0
Scott, 1b.	3	0	0	11	0	0
F. Ray, p.	3	1	1	0	4	0
Totals	32	3	6	27	11	2

W. F. ELECT.—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Allen, ss.	3	1	0	3	3	2
Gordon, cf.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Cox, 1b.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Blue, lf.	3	0	1	1	0	1
Andree, rf.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Miller, 3b.	3	1	2	2	1	1
Francis, 2b. ...	3	0	0	2	3	0
Ross, c.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Kollman, p. ..	3	0	0	0	2	0
Taylor, lf.	1	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	29	2	5	24	9	5

Score by innings:
Electra .... 000 000 30x—3
Electric .... 110 000 000—2

Summary: Stolen bases, Allen, Miller 2, Stevens. Sacarifice hits, Shaw, T. Ray Gordon, Andree, Francis. Bases on balls, off Ray 1. Struck out, by Ray 9; by Kollman 2. Double plays, Miller to Cox.

Longhorns Will Employ Passes

Littlefield to Drill Squad On Open Style

AUSTIN, April 10. (AP)—Clyde Littlefield, new Texas University football mentor, will mimic "hurry up" Yost of Michigan and use the forward pass in his attempts to lick the conference next fall, in the meantime showing what a young coach can do.

There is no love light in Littlefield's eyes for the battering system used by former Coach "Doc" Stewart and others. He believes, rather, in light training periods and giving his men a chance to go into the game uncrippled.

The new varsity coach, one of the greatest southwestern passers of all time, has indicated he expects to try to arrange a passing combination which, if it gets going and shares the breaks, may bring humiliation on the proud heads of many a team of heavy young charging demons.

Meanwhile, Littlefield in his spring training work will stress the fundamentals and carefully nurse what talent he may find available. His main hops for the spring season is to get his men organized. Next fall the fine points will be drawn up as he expects to attend Yost's coaching.

OLNEY SCHOOL PLAY.

OLNEY, April 10.—The Terrapin school gave a play Friday, April 8, as a benefit performances for the school. It was entitled, "The Old School at Hickory Hollow" and is a comedy drama with twenty-three characters and lasting one hour and 45 minutes.

FOOTBALL PRACTICE STARTS.

OLNEY, April 10.—The football squad has started training, a large number working out each afternoon now under the Coach, Mr. Herm. Prospects are bright for a successful season next fall.

SNAPPERS WIN EASILY

PARIS, April 10.(AP)—The Snappers had an easy time winning from the Dallas Fair Park Panthers here today, batting their way to an 11 to 0 victory. The visitors could do nothing with the delivery of Haynes, Appleton Paty.

Panthers Win Out Over Dallas Herd

FORT WORTH, April 10.(AP)—Maybe Snipe Conley wanted to get the enemy Cats winded before the season opened. If so his scheme was highly successful, because the Fort Worth club did plenty of base running as it defeated the Dallas Steers in an exhibition game Sunday, 10 to 5.

One triple, five doubles and a flock of singles, 13 base hits in all were made by the Cats off Jack Knott and Glenn Darrough, hurd hurlers.

The Steers made a total of 14 base hits themselves but every time a good old fashioned rally seemed to be brewing, Lindimore and Redfern would come up with a double play which took the yeast out of the brew and brew without yeast just isn't.

Paul Wachtel and Chuck Sullivan, tall kid sent back to Fort Worth by Detroit this spring, did the mound work for Fort Worth.

MAJOR LOOPS OPEN TUESDAY

16 Teams Ready to Race For Flag of 1927

(By the Associated Press.)

Sixteen squads of keen young men are on their toes for a flying start Tuesday on the long adventurous trail of a big league baseball season.

When "batter-up" re-echoes in eight of the nation's leading cities it will start a ding-dong race that will not finish until the buds of the April trees have grown leaves and withered to October red and yellow.

The race is to be the swiftest, cleanest and bravest. In this sport where the unexpected may be made to happen by the will to win, each club of all the 16 has its chance for a pennant and a world crowd.

To that tremendous concourse of humanity that fills the bleachers and grandstands, some teams stand out as "winners" before the race starts. And many pick their team and in spirit share its fortunes down the long campaign.

Giant Favored

Because it has two fine young leaders in Hornsby and Eddie Roush, the Giant team of 1927 ranks high in the opinions of the fans. Besides these verile field lieutenants the wily John McGraw has corralled Burleigh Grimes and George Harper in the biggest trading season of his career.

Another team they talk about is the Athletics, led by the aging Connie Mack, who has gathered about him such great baseball names as Eddie Collins, Ty Cobb, and Zack Wheat. The strength of his tteam is undenied—if ancient legs do not begin to sag as the grind goes on.

The fan who knows his baseball will tell too, about the Yanks and how their young team that won the pennant in the American league last year is better still, with Babe Ruth yet in the lineup to do a lot of boosting with his bat; how Tris Speaker will bolster Wshington; how the Tigers are coming under Moriarty and how their outfield can hit.

All Have Backers

The Brooklynite will tell what a pitching staff the Robins have this year, while the Pittsburgh man will name Kremer, Traynor, Cuyler and so with the partisans of all—the Indians, White Sox, Browns, Red Sox, the last years's champion Cards, the Reds, the Cubs, the Braves and the Phillies. The race is on.

Trophies Given Flint Athletes

Flint Creek School Stages Commercial Meet

OLNEY, April 10.—All Flint Creek turned out to the celebration held at the school house on Tuesday night when sweaters were awarded to the members of the champion basket ball team, and the four loving cups were formally presented to the school. The loving cups have just been returned from the engravers, where they have been engraved with the event and the date won. Flint Creek won the basket ball loving cup, the one for literary events, the one for track and field events at the county meet, and the one for all-around championship.

The basket ball team has made an enviable record this year, defeating some of the strong high school teams, playing others to a close score. Flint Creek has not lost a game to a rural school this year, and most of the games were won by comparatively large scores.

It is an unusual thing for a rural school to award sweaters to an athletic team. Flint Creek believed in their ball team and backed it financially. The sweaters are of the best grade wool, extra heavy navy blue and have a white chinelle "F" for an emblem. The following are the ones receiving award sweaters: Bud Warsham, captain, Ward Schlittler, Emory Guinn, Carl Worsham, Arthur Atwell, Clinton Lowe, Lois G. Cook, coach.

Arthur Sluder, a member of last year's team bought his own sweater and received it along with the others

Cards Hope To See Bottomley Deliver

By Universal Service.

ST. LOUIS, April 10.—With Rogers Hornsby in a Giant uniform citizens of this pennant town are hoping that Jim Bottomley, slugging first baseman, batting in cleanu season position, will continue to give St. Louis a representative in the "leading hitters' column.

And no one is more optimistic as to the likelihood of this happening that "Sunny Jim" Bottomley, himself.

For years Bottomley has been one of the league's best sluggers often finishing immediately behind his teammate, Hornsby, who took first honors for six consecutive seasons. Last year Bottomley, like Hornsby, slumped in the matter of actual batting average figures, falling below the 300 mark.

"Sunny Jim" had some interesting things to say in this regard, today: "Although I only hit .285 last summer, I can't readily agree with those critics that I was in a batting slump. True I was way behind my usual better than .300 mark but I also managed to lead the league in three ways with my slugging efforts in the 154 games I played last season. I was credited with the most total bases, 305, the most two-base hits, 40, and I drove in more runs than any one else, 126. I believe that I am in for just as big a year this season."

RUNYON SAYS

Tunney Getting Fat— Up Around 200 Mark— May Be the Big Words— Mr. Gibson's Idea— All the Irish Fat Up—

By DAMON RUNYON.
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My operations in the far west informs me that Mr. Gene Tunney, the heavyweight champion, has fatted up to around 200 pounds, net, and on the hoof.

This statement would seem to be confirmed by an examination of a recent photo of Mr. Tunney in gymnasium apparel. Mr. Tunney's torso has apparently expanded no little, while his legs remain thin. Thus, his body has the appearance of a beer barrel on stilts.

The grace and symetry that was his seems to have temporarily vanished so far as his anatomy is concerned. As I examine the photo, I find myself mourning for the days when Mr. Tunney was a slim, trim, neatly built light heavyweight, grossing no more than 175 pounds on the old Fairbanks.

Mr. Tunney is touring the west engaged in a theatrical enterprise. I would judge that he has dispensed with any undue exercise while thus employed, hence the fatness. My operatives tell me that Mr. Tunney plays a bit of golf from time to time, and does plenty of sleeping and reading.

His theatrical efforts call for no prodigious exertion such as might make for sveltness. He engages in his work without passion, and without waste of nervous energy. Thus as the fat comes on it stays on. At his present rate of increase, Mr. Tunney may be quite corpulent indeed by the time he starts training for his next battle.

I can assure you that Mr. Tunney indulges in no form of dissipation or grossness that might be expected to produce an excess of fatty tisue. Of course he does not partake of alcoholic beverages because you know quite well that there are no alcoholic beverages left in this country under the prohibition reign.

He has been much banquetted since he won the heavyweight title, but at banquets Mr. Tunney eats only down to the fourth of fifth course, the same as everyone else not superhumana. He is moderate in all his practice and customes, including the manly art of leading when he is in the ring.

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It is true that he is given to the use of very large words, but I am inclined to dismiss the suggestion from one of my operatives that Mr. Tunney's appearance of fatness is due to the tremendous amount of large words that he has stored up in his system, and that he would immediately thin out if he broke 'em up into little ones.

I attribute Mr. Tunney's increase in heft to lack of real athletic activity since he won the title. Perhaps it is just as well, too, because it will require real work to remove it when Mr. Tunney starts training agin.

Some trainers argue that fattening up between battles interferes with a boxer's speed, but this arguement will not trouble Mr. Tunney. He has never had any vast speed anyway. Mr. Tunney is of the statusque style of boxer, who depends on his hands, and his noodle rather than his legs.

It would be more than passing strange if Mr. Tunney, after years of struggling for a certain ponderosity should wind up fighting against fat. You will recall that Mr. Tunney devoted his most serious efforts to gathering size for several years to the end that he might be recognized as a real heavyweight.

As a light heavyweight he looked quite frail. He was past twenty-five before he began getting bigger, and stronger. I believe that his manager, Mr. Will Gibson, advances the theory that all the Irish of Mr. Tunney's particular species pick up heft after they are twenty-five.

In any event, no one would have picked Mr. Tunney as a coming heavyweight champion three or four years back when he was making 175 pounds for Harry Greb, and other light heavies. That is no one but Mr. Will Roche, the eminent referee, who was the first man to tell me that a fellow heavyweight champion of the named Jack Dempsey would be heavyweight champion of the world.

Mr. Will Roche told me over in France, as far back as 1918, that he had seen the next heavyweight champion of the world in the A. E. F., a slim youngster from Greenwich Village named Gene Tunney. At that time I smiled at Mr. Roche's aptimism until I suddenly remembered that in 1918 he had told me he had seen the next heavyweight champion out in Utah, and that his prophecy had come true.

And now the slim youngster of the A. E. F., is all that Mr. Roche predicted, but he is, alas, no longer slim. He is packing, as I gather from his photo, what you might call a paunch, and there are lines in his face that were not there when he was the slim youngster of the A. E. F. all of which, as the fellow said, is life.

CURFEW FOR LOVERS.

YONKERS, N. Y.—Seventeen-year-old Alice Sabol appeared before Judge Boote here with her mother, who had threatened her with a summons as an incorrigible. Trouble was, the mother explained, that Alice's sweetheart refused to go home before 3 in the morning, whereas mother thought 1 a. m. was plenty late. Moreover, the courting must be done in the parlor under her personal supervision, the older woman insisted, and not in a semi-lighted hallway. The matter was amicably adjusted, when Alice decided to make the best of a bad job and accept her mother's ruling.

BASEBALL
TODAY
Spudders vs. Des Moines
GAME CALLED 3 P. M.
Tickets on sale Renfro's, Miller's, Odell and Smith's No. 4 Drug Stores, Noble Gray's News Stand, City National Bank Cigar Stand, United Cigar Store.

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WILLACY COUNTY ON THE MAP

WILLACY COUNTY is noted for its political rows and its peonage cases. Willacy county is noted for something more substantial. It is one of the onion producing counties of Texas. About the middle of March the shipping season started and 100 car loads are expected to go from Willacy this season.

They were the first commercial onions in the United States to be put on the market, beating the Laredo district to the eastern market by about 10 days.

Now the southwest Texas onion growers would be happy if the American congress would impose a tariff high enough to keep the Egyptian onions out of the American market. John N. Garner is their representative in congress. He knows how to play the tariff making game.

Claude Hudspeth is another Texas representative who knows how to play the game. He represents the livestock district. His constituents are protected.

CLEM SHAVER ON GUARD

CLEM SHAVER of West Virginia is chairman of the democratic national commitee. He has written the member of the committee. Shaver has notified National ing be held in every state "to promote the principles of the party rather than the interest of men."

Clem Shaver is the close personal and political friend of John W. Davis. Jed Adams of Dallas is the Texas member of the commitee. Shaver has notified National Committeeman Adams "it is high time for believers in democracy to warn the people against tendencies similar in their nature to those Jefferson fought."

Every type of democrat has his own basic principles. National Committeeman Adams should speak out. Is there to be a revival of Jeffersonian democracy in Texas?

MILITARY PIKE ON RIO GRANDE

AND NOW the miliatry road has been revived in the lower country. Construction of a great military highway between Brownsville and El Paso, a continuation of plans outlined in 1913, will be made one of the major objectives of the South and West Texas Chambers of Commerce.

It is said that the plan has the fullest endorsement of the federal government.

This will fit in nicely with Senator Tom Love's proposal to create a great state park and playground for tourists in the Davis Mountain country.

The Dallas senator has figured that the entire cost to the taxpayers will be approximately $300,000 for his park and playground proposal, and this will provide summer vacation ground, at a very high altitude for thousands of Texans and their families. A military pike from Brownsville to El Paso would make winter motoring a joy for the motor fans of the country.

HOW TO HANDLE THE SURPLUS

THERE will be a surplus of $500,000,000 in the treasury the coming June. According to Washington advices, army and navy leaders say, we are face to face with a crisis in China, in Mexico, in Nicaragua, in Haiti and the Lord knows where else.

There is a standing army of about 18,000 marines. They are sea fighters and land fighters. They never fail to give a good account of themselves. Hence, army and navy officials say an addition of 20,000 to the marine force would be acceptable at the present time and strengthen our land and sea defenses.

There is a way to reduce the $500,000,000 surplus. Rattle the sabre around the world.

AN EAST TEXAS GUSHER

THERE is a big oil gusher near Jacksonville, in East Texas, that has a flow estimated at between 10,000 and 15,000 barrels. Jacksonville is in the heart of a rich fruit and vegetable section of Texas.

Now the leasing industry will cut a wide swath in East Texas and the men who own the land may realize a harvest of coin.

Just the other day a 3000 barrel well was brought in away out in Brown county. Over production of cotton played havoc with farmers last year. Over production of petroleum may play havoc with the wildcatters this year.

MILLIONS FOR HIGHWAYS

THIS item is floating through the state in the channels of publicity. "Highway fund larger than ever before; treasury figures show it has $7,000,000 to its credit." This announcement drew from Highway Commissioner Cone Johnson the information that it will require the expenditure of millions of dollars to place the real highways of the state in excellent condition. After a highway has been built it should not be permitted to go to pieces; the maintenance fund should be carefully guarded and wisely expended. This is the policy of the Moody commission.

RICHEST OF NATIONS

THIS is the richest of nations. National wealth of the United States amounted to $355,300,000,000 in 1926, according to the estimate of the national industrial conference board. In 1912 the census estimate of the national wealth was $186,000,000,000. Now if Uncle Sam would agree to the cancellation of all war loans made by his government to the allies their leaders would agree to forgive him for having made it possible to win a victory over the Hapsburgs and Hohenzollers.

A STORY OF MYSTERY, SUSPENSE AND LOVE
"THE SOB-SISTER"

By CLIFFORD WEBB AND ROSE ELO
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WHAT HAS HAPPENED

DIANA BROOKS, beautiful daughter of ROGER BROOKS, owner and publisher of the Catawba City Times and a chain of nine other newspapers, was kidnaped, then released. Her father is engaged in a persistent fight against the corrupt administration of Catawba City and through the medium of the Times, redoubles his scathing attacks on politicians of the Ring and the Underworld.

Later Brooks himself is kidnaped and in five days released. On his return he finds that his newspaper stock is being manipulated and suspects JOHN W. WALDEN, who he determines to fight.

Brooks' closest friend is DONALD KEENE, young literary editor of the Times and guardian of TEDDY FARRELL, reporter and sob-sister, who is in love with Don. He, however, believes himself in love with Lola Mantell, Diana's cousin.

Lola lives with the Brooks. She goes in her runabout for a drive through the country. Later Diana receives a call from a roadhouse of shady repute, telling her that her cousin has been injured and needs her. She drives out to the inn where she is surprised to find JOHN W. WALDEN, Jr., an unscrupulous suitor, waiting for her. He tells her that she cannot see Lola just then as the doctor is setting the sprained ankle. Diana does not know whether to believe Walden's explanation or not but decide to wait.



Diana Was Shaking With Suspense

NOW GO ON:

CHAPTER XXXI

Diana surveyed her surroundings. She was in a richly furnished room and at one end was a table partly set for two. Between the folds of heavily embroidered portieres at the other end, she glimpsed what was evidently another room.

She turned back to Walden coldly. "How do you happen to be here?"

"Pure coincidence—stopped in for a cold drink and saw them bring Lola in." He looked away, avoiding the girl's steadfast gaze.

"Diana," he said cajolingly, "we ought to be friends. There's no use of sustaining this animosity. Wait—we'll talk things over. I'll be back in a minute."

He walked from the room before she could deter him. How distasteful was his very presence! There was nothing to talk over, she thought sarcastically. And no reason why they should be friends. It must be about 5 o'clock, she judged walking to the windows. Down in the gardens the revolving sprays had been turned on the parched, thirsty vegetation. The air was cooling down.

"Real view, isn't it?"

It was Walden's low voice over her shoulder. He indicated the peaceful fields stretching into the distance.

Diana edged away from him, not even attempting to conceal her dislike.

Walden ran his glance greedily down her figure.

"Very becoming, that pale green," he said ingratiatingly.

Diana ignored his compliment. "Did you see Lola? Has the doctor fin—" She hesitated in surprise. While they had been at the window a waiter had been padding silently to and fro. The table was set with covered dishes.

"Just what does this mean?" she asked angrily.

"Only that it's close to the dinner hour and you might as well have a bite with me while we're waiting."

"Are you telling me the truth about Lola?" she countered severely.

"Diana, don't be foolish. Of course I am. Let's start eating and the doctor will call us when he's through. Nothing mysterious about it."

Perhaps she was being foolish and nervous. She sat down opposite him.

"I can't get over you, don't you know, Diana? And I don't quite understand why you refused to marry me. You know how crazy I am about you—always was."

He drew in his breath with a sucking intake.

"I am sorry I am not interested in your sentiments. I'm putting up with your company, apparently, I have to," said Diana indignantly.

"Oh, now—be reasonable. I'm letting by-gones be by-gones. You clouted me over the head, you know, at the country club and you see even that doesn't matter. Though of course," he added, "you were intoxicated and of course I was, too. Even if you don't apologize, my feelings are the same. I want us to be friends."

Diana's eyes blazed. "You conceited fool," she choked disgustedly. "You—you expecting me to apologize when you acted like a beast and then you talk of being in love, crazy about me—all in the same breath."

She rose angrily. Walden, too, rose and jumped to her side.

"Please, please, Diana, you're right. I am a fool. Don't make a scene."

He was right. She didn't want a scene. She resumed her seat. He chatted on aimlessly for a time. Once or twice he leaned over attempting to capture her hand. She drew it carefully away. She wished the doctor would come.

snapped on the lights. She asked snapped on th elights. She asked him for the time. It was 6 o'clock. The waiter removed the dishes. In a short time he returned with a pail of ice, glasses and bottles.

"Golden Cluster, finest champagne that ever popped," remarked Walden, removing the napkin wound about the bottle pasted plentifully with labels and seals.

Diana watched him indifferently as he poured a glassful.

"You'll have a sip, of course," he said, smiling an invitation.

"No, not with you, John, ever again. Your pretenses do not fool me. I know that fundamentally you lack real sportsmanship. You proved that once," she retorted caustically.

The thrust went home. Walden was infuriated but maintained his oily exterior.

"Pshaw, you've got to give me a chance to show you I'm a real sport. You're a woman of the world, Diana. No one will be the wiser if you spend a few hours here with me," he said slyly. "I'll phone for a cab and have Lola sent home. You don't have to be with her. Say yes!"

"No! I've had enough. I'm going to see Lola for myself now," she said, rising and pushing her chair back angrily.

"Hush! Please sit down. It's all right. You may go. Only wait until I see first."

He went out again, closing the door. This time Diana thought she heard a key turning in the lock. She stepped softly over and tried the door. Yes, he had locked it.

She glided swiftly toward the portieres and pulled them aside. On a stand beside a bed stood a large French doll. Fumbling with a buckle, she managed to separate its voluminous skirts. The skirts concealed a telephone.

Diana called a number. She was shaking with suspense.

"Hello, the Times? Mr. Keene, please." A brief wait.

"He's not there? Then call Teddy Farrell or Dinny Morrison. Please hurry." She spoke hurriedly, in a low voice.

"Teddy? Diana speaking. I'm at Gounot's inn—third floor, No. 16—trouble with Walden. Come out. Immediately!"

She jammed the receiver into place and replaced the doll's skirts, then jumped to the dresser. Even while she had been speaking she had heard a disturbance at the door. She pretended to be arranging her hair and Walden apparently suspected nothing as he stepped beside her.

Meanwhile, miles away, Teddy was bursting with excitement as she hung up the telephone on her desk in the Catawba City Times. Diana had not seemed particularly excited but the little sob sister smelled a rat. She knew of the previous trouble the publisher's daughter had had with Walden.

Diana was evidently in a position where she couldn't explain. The mildest appeal to Teddy was enough.

"Dinny!" she gasped, "get your buggy and come with me. Don't ask questions. Hurry!"

Dinny Morrison was just on the point of leaving for home when Teddy attacked him. He allowed himself to be literally dragged along by her in and out among the desks and into the elevator.

"Crank the old thing, quick," she directed him when they had descended to the alley where Dinny's asthmatic flivver was parked.

He complied. "His not to reason why. His but to do or die," whenever Teddy demanded.

They rattled away, Dinny piloting his way dexterously between the early evening traffic.

"Where to?" he asked, bewildered.

"Oh yes, to Gounot's Inn. Know where it is?"

"Damned if I do, Ted."

"We'll ask a cop or something. And you call yourself a reporter and don't know that!" said Teddy sarcastically.

"I observe you're not so smart yourself," he retorted witheringly.

The cop they asked didn't know either. He scratched his ear and pondered it importantly. He'd heard of the place, yes. They might try loking in the directory. Then a brighter idea illumined the mind and face of the limb of the law. The face fairly beamed.

"I have it. Try the city information bureau."

"Do we have to go back two blocks now?" muttered Dinny.

"Oh, quit grumbling and do it," said Teddy impatiently.

Dinny discovered another tragedy. He had forgotten his badge.

"That's all right. I have mine," announced Teddy triumphantly, folding back the lapel of her boyish jacket. "And quit being such a flat tire. Diana might get cut to ribbons or something by the time we ket there!"

Diana, at the time was in no such horrible peril. However, instinct had told her to secure some recourse. She did not trus tWalden. She even doubted now that Lola was at the inn.

"Is she quite ready now to see me?" she asked Walden, casually, putting down her comb and turning toward him.

Walden stood perfectly still, reminding the girl of a wolf crouching ready to spring. His thin lower lip curled into a sneer.

"Or has that been a fairy tale you've been telling me?" she asked scornfully.

Walden emitted a sardonic laugh.

"You knew all along that Lola wasn't here, didn't you, sugar?"

(To be continued)

Walden's treachery places Diana in dire peril—Don't miss the next installment.

BO BROADWAY ..... By Joseph Van Raalte

NEW YORK. (EFS)—Among the tribulations of magazine editors, the most distressing is that of receiving letters from readers cancelling subscriptions because some passage in a story or article in the magazine has offended their moral sensibilities.

Such letters always cause excited conferences in magazine offices and the conferences are usually followed by a careful scrutiny of all stories that have been accepted so that any passage likely to offend any reader may be blue-pencilled.

The things that some readers will take offense at are absolutely unpredictable. One magazine got hundreds of letters of denunciation and over 700 cancellations of subscriptions because it had printed an article by a writer who said he hated dogs and thought they were the least loyal of animals.

One would think that of all magazines the one least likely to offend any of its readers is the highly conservative Atlantic Monthly. Yet a former associate editor of the magazine told me the other night that not long ago the magazine received a letter from a missionary in China, cancelling his subscription and giving as his reason the astounding excuse that he thought "the Atlantic is no longer a safe magazine to put into the hands of young Chinese girls."

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Addenda to the fallacies and superstitions that go to make up the credo of the average New Yorker:

That if a play has a good second act, that is all that is needed to make it a surefire Broadway success.

That out-of-towners get lost in the Times Square subway shuttle and wander about for hours at a time without being able to find their way out.

That you can hire a murder done by thugs in dives along the East River water front for $5 a head.

That there is no member of the Metropolitan club who is not a millionaire.

That there is no member of the Knickerbocker club who does not belong to an old Knickerbocker family.

That Broadway producers spend their evenings in third rate outlying vaudeville houses and burlesque shows, looking for new geniuses among the obscure performers, and that when they find one they promptly offer him or her a contract at $1,000 a week.

That it is healthier to ride on the Second and Third avenue elevated lines than it is to ride in the subway.

That all of the dope peddlers of New York are employes of a Dope Ring at the head of which is a man very prominent in society, very wealthy and very well known as a philanthropist, and that the newspapers are afraid to expose him.

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Wise-cracking is getting to be the bane of existence in New York. One or two men have been lifted out of comparative obscurity into a large local celebrity on the strength of one or two quips that have brought laughs and have been quoted. As a result nearly every scribbler and press-agent, most of the dramatic and movie critics, and those who hope to be dramatic and movie critics, cudgel their brains feverishly day and night trying to think up a gag that can be quoted. The wisecracks of New York always follow a formula and they always turn upon a local allusion. The formula at the present time consists of some simile or allusion involving one of the following:

Frank Campbell's Undertaking Parlor.

Joe Leblang, the cut-rate theater ticket agent.

"Daddy" Browning.

Harry Thaw and the rabbits.

Wayne B. Wheeler.

Senator Borah.

The Daily Graphic.

The Smith Brothers.

Sashweights (this referring to the instrument used in the Snyder murder.)

As an example of what New York calls a wise-crack and goes dippy over, was a pun pulled by Harry Hershfield at the opening night of Lionel Barrymore's performance of "Macbeth." The performance was awful. When Barrymore came to the line. "Lay on, Macduff," Hershfield turned to Kelsey Allen, dramatic critic for Women's Wear and said, "Lay off McBride."

For the benefit of out-of-towners it must be explained that McBride is a well known theatrical ticket broker. When a play is an obvious hit on the opening night, the ticket brokers buy out all of the good seats for the show for several weeks in advance. A ticket scalper who makes a mistake in judgment and buys out the seats for several days or several weeks, is stuck with the tickets if there is no public demand for the seats.

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A New York columnist the other day reported what he considered the niftiest wise-crack he had heard in many moons. He attributed it to a Broadway mummer, as a recent remark. It was: "What difference does it make if the worm does turn?" "He is the same at both ends."

The history of the gag is as follows: Isabel Paterson, the novelist, wrote a letter to a friend in which she recited some annoyances she had been undergoing and ended up by saying, "But some day the worm will turn." Then she added as a postscript: "Come to think of it, what difference does it make if the worm turns or not. He is the same on both sides and on both ends."

The friend repeated it at dinner a night or so later to Irvin S. Cobb pledging Cobb not to use it on the grounds that it was a "nifty pulled by a poor man with an invalid wife and eleven children to support." Apparently Cobb kept his pledge not to use the nifty in print. But not long after that Cobb's daughter wrote a magazine article about how much fun it was to have a humorist in the family, and quoted the worm nifty as one of the numerous bits of humor Cobb used to enliven his home, which he never made use of in his writings.

From Miss Cobb's piece, at least a dozen vaudevillians began springing it in their patter. And now, it seems, that some actor repeated it the other night and took credit for inventing it spontaneously.

Fellowship of Prayer

Daily Lenten Devotion

Prepared by Rev. Charles Emerson Burton, D.D., for Commission on Evangelism of Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America.

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Topic for Holy Week.
"THE TRIUMPHANT SPIRIT."
Monday
"Love Detects Subtle Sins."

Scripture: Read—Matthew 16: 21-28.

He turned, and said unto Peter, Get thee behind me, Satan; for thou art a stumbling block unto me; for thou mindest not the things of God, but the things of men" (Mt. 16:23.) "And bring us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one" (Mt. 6:13.) "Therefore let us . . lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us" (Heb. 12:1.)

See—Romans 7:11; Hebrews 3: 13; II. Corinthians 11:3; II. Peter 2:9.

Meditation: Could not Jesus trust His best friend to counsel His highest good? Peter's counsel seems so reasonable. One great difference between Jesus and ordinary men is His discrimination. How He detected the subtle selfishness in this typical temptation! Such discerning love we need against our besetting sins. It is His gift to those who live with Him.

"Give me, above all, the spotlessness of soul that can touch the world and remain unspotted still—exposed, yet undefiled; assailed, yet free from tarnish; tempted, yet without sin."

Hymn:

O Master, let me walk with Thee
In lowly paths of service free,
Tell me Thy secret, help me bear
The strain of toil, the fret of care.

Teach me Thy patience; still with Thee
In closer, dearer company,
In work that keeps faith sweet and strong,
In trust that triumphs over wrong.

In hope that sends a shining ray
Far down the future's broadening way,
In peace that only Thou canst give—
With Thee, O Master, let me live.
—Washington Gladden, 1879.

Prayer: Pray for—spirit of meekness; the religiously deluded; the goodwill of men; Christian unity.

Collect—Lord of all truth, whose mind is quick and powerful, we praise Thee for the universe, so vast, so orderly, so dependable. We bless Thee for the persons of men and the powers of friendship in them and us, but yet more for friendship with Thyself, for fellowship with Thy Son, and for Thy pervading presence with us in the Holy Spirit. Precious are the moments of intimate intercourse with Thee. Reprove us, we entreat Thee, for the pursuit of things to the forgetting of friendships human and divine. Give us the discriminating mind which detects the subtlies of sin and the beauty of holiness. So shall we know victory in the conflict. Therefore we covenant with Thee to put first things first by the grace of Christ. Amen.

The ONE-MINUTE PULPIT



He that is first in his own cause seemeth just; but his neighbor cometh and searcheth him.

The lot causeth contentions to cease, and parteth between the mighty.

A brother offended is harder to be won than a strong city; and their contentions are like the bars of a castle.—Proverbs, 18:17-19.

Proper Food Selection Cure For Many Diseases And Ills, Says Expert

By DR. FRANK MCOY
Diet Specialist and Author of "The Fast Way to Health."

This is the first of a series of health articles which I am preparing each day for the readers of the Wichita Falls Record News.

In these articles I will explain to you my theories of the cause and cure of disease, especially emphasizing the value of scientific dietetics, physical culture and the cultivation of a healthy mental attitude. Every effort will be made to present these subjects to you in an understandable language with all technical phrasecology and medical terms eliminated.

Dr. McCoy will gladly answer personal questions on health and diet, addressed to him, care of The Record Newe. Enclose a stamped, addressed envelope for reply.

I want you to feel a close personal contact with this health department and I know you will soon realize that we are giving you a different kind of health service from anything you have read before.

Consult Physician

The causes of the different common ailments will be explained, and the remedies suggested, you will be able to get in any grocery store. Of course, no serious attempt can be made, in these articles, to teach you to diagnose any serious disease. This can only be done properly by your physician who can examine you physically and who can make, in his laboratory, all of the scientific tests necessary to arrive at a correct diagnosis.

The object of this department is to teach you how to stay well, but in many cases you will find that the information given here will be the means of restoring you to health when other methods have failed.

The new science of dietotherapy is recolutionizing the practice of medicine. There is no reason why the masses of the people should not be given the valuable truths of scientific dietetics. I want to make these articles as instructive as possible and hope you will study them each day, not missing a single lesson. These subjects will be varied from day to day in order to make them interesting to the largest number of readers. It will be necessary for you to read the articles daily so you will not miss the subjects you are most interested in.

How Diet Cures

There seems to be much confusion in the minds of the laymen about how diets cure disease. Cures are reported by those who have taken the buttermilk or the milk diet. Others get well while taking only raw vegetables, while the vegetarians claim that leaving meat out of the dietary will cure any disease that flesh is heir to.

Dietitians disagree as to what foods cause disease and consequently cannot agree on specific diet cures. The fact remains that those who are sick recover more rapidly while they are using any restriction in diet, simply because the system is able to readjust itself more easily on a plain diet. These diet treatments succeed insofar as they give nature a better chance to bring about a readjustment to the normal. For this reason, if food is withheld altogether during the acute crisis of a disorder the body gets well in an astonishingly short time without any other remedial agent being necessary.

When Foods Disagree

The essential point to remember when attempting to cure by food is not to try to build up the body in order to resist disease, but to take away those foods which have been interfering with health. Any of the so-called "heavy" foods may be responsible if used in too large quantities, and even those of a good quality will produce a sluggish blood stream if used in excess. No single article of food in itself can be said to cause any specific disorder. You do not get bow-legged from eating frogs' legs or have fallen arches from too liberal a consumption of roast duck. There are certain definite laws of physiological chemistry which explain why any particular material is suited or unsuited for human food, and why some of the best foods will always disagree with other good foods in the alimentary canal. These laws are as old as man himself and were arranged by an all-wise Providence. They are immutable and cannot be changed at man's will. You must learn these laws and govern your food intake with the same scientific care you would in mixing together inorganic chemicals. If you live for one time on one article of food you will usually note an improvement in your health. This is because your diet is simple and you are not interfering with the digestive process by using the usual bad combinations. A cure is always at best but a temporary change, and cannot be made permanent whether it is brought about by a special diet or a dose of calomel. You must be constantly on the alert to correct your every-day habits of eating, exercising and thinking so as to allow the body to function in a normal way without conflicting with the unchangeable laws of nature. You cannot invent any new laws about digestion any more than you can create a new chemical law in the realm of inorganic chemistry. The best you can hope to do is to "discover" the natural laws already existing and live each day according to these unalterable laws.

Tomorrow's subject will be: "Select Food of the Right Quality."

QUESTION: Chas. W. writes: "I do heavy work out of doors, and lately have been troubled with my knees, which I lay to rheumatism. Would you advise me to stop eating meat?"

ANSWER: The eating of meat does not cause rheumatism, but instead it is always caused by autointoxication, from self-poisoning from using the wrong kinds of food, or from local infections of various kinds which are the irritating causes starting an attack of rheumatism. However, there exists always a state of auto-intoxication in the beginning, or rheumatism could not develop. You may use a reasonable amount of meat, in proper combination with other foods, such as the non-starchy vegetables. If it is possible for you to do so, I would advise that you refrain from very much walking just at this time, so that your knees will be given a rest.

QUESTION: Grace T. writes: "Would you advise one to resort to facial surgery, or is it dangerous?"

ANSWER: Facial surgery for the removal of wrinkles is unnecessary, but if you wish to resort to this means of improving your looks, I would warn you to be very careful in selecting your surgeon. Your local Medical society can refer you to a physician skilled in this line.

QUESTION: John J. writes: "What can be done for an elderly man suffering with atrophy of the muscles? Is this ailment curable?"

ANSWER: First, the real cause of the trouble must be found. Atrophy means the shrinking away, or weakening of the tissues. You must find a way to strengthen his body, then it will be possible to check the disease. I cannot diagnose or treat too specifically without having a chance to make a personal examination, so I would suggest that you take this man to several physicians, if necessary, one after the other, until you can find one who will give you the proper advice.

QUESTION: Despondent writes: "I have, for several months, been having convulsions which I am told are a form of epilepsy. I am told that my trouble is incurable. What would you advise?"

ANSWER: All epilepsy, except that form caused by brain pressure is due to poisoning from the colon. This is the theory as accepted by medical authorities everywhere, but little attempt is made to cure this trouble. The cure must depend almost entirely upon a dietary treatment, combined with other measures such as massage, vibration, exercise, etc., which will bring about a better tone of the intestines and abdominal muscles. If you will send me a self addressed, stamped envelope, I will gladly send you an article on the subject of Epilepsy.

QUESTION: Anxious writes: "What is the cause of a continual cold in the case of a young child?"

ANSWER: This condition tells me that the child is using too much sugar and starch. These articles furnish the material on which this ailment thrives. I will be glad to send you a complete fasting and diet regime if you will send me a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

QUESTION: Edward J. writes: "Would it be possible for a person to have Syphilis, and at the same time, have a negative blood test?"

ANSWER: There is no blood test made which is absolutely accurate in determining whether or not a patient has Syphilis. When this disease exists, the blood usually has a lower alkalinity, and therefore certain tests will show a reaction indicative of the disease. However, a few days fasting will make the blood give a negative reaction, even before the patient has been completely cured of the trouble. This disease can be completely eliminated by a long fast, and this treatment is very superior to the usual surpressing methods which are used, which cover up the disease, but do not cure it.

QUESTION: Mrs. Will W. writes: "I have backache constantly, no matter how I sit or stand. Would fasting help me?"

ANSWER: I would advise, in addition to osteopathy treatment, that you take a short fast on orange juice and water, using five or six glasses of the juice daily. Take two enemas each day to keep the bowels cleansed from any impurities, and you will find, in a few days, whether your trouble is caused from the rheumatic toxemia, as the rheumatic poisons will be sufficiently eliminated in four or five days through this fasting.

QUESTION: Miss Louise J. writes: "For several months I have been unable to sleep before midnight. What must I do, as I feel the effects of not getting sufficient rest?"

ANSWER: Start immediately to take vigorous physical culture exercises and long walks during the afternoon. Start with a mile and gradually increase each day until you are walking four or five miles. This exercise will relax your muscles, and you will be able to sleep without any trouble. I would add that you avoid all gas-producing foods, as the gas pressure will often be enough to keep you wakeful.

QUESTION: J. J. D. writes: "What is the cause of bad dreams? Never a night passes but what I am troubled this way."

ANSWER: Bad dreams are, in nearly all cases, caused by indigestion. Think back over your menu for the supper preceding such a dream, and I feel sure you will remember an article such as onions, cooked cheese, or perhaps garlic in your soup. Study these columns carefully, and learn how to select and combine the proper foods.

QUESTION: Ida S. writes: "I continually have headaches, and at intervals I vomit a green fluid. What is the cause of this?"

ANSWER: Your liver and gall bladder are congesting from use of improper foods, too much food, and bad combinations of food. I would advise you to take a short fast and you will be able to reduce the surplus amount of bile which is filling your liver. Study my health articles, and learn to live on a proper diet, in order to prevent a return of your trouble.

QUESTION: Nora S. writes: "I have a number of warts, and new ones are coming. I have removed them temporiarily with acids, but they return. What is the cause, and how can I permanently overcome them?"

ANSWER: Your trouble is due to a condition of acidosis, caused from wrong food and impriper combinations. Until you learn haw to use the proper foods, in the correct combinations, and thereby overcome the real cause, you can expect a return of the warts, even though you may have them removed with the electric needle or burned off with acid.

Radio Program

EITHER'S WHITE-CAPS.

I. p. m.—WTIC (476) Hartford—The Ideal Male Quartette Program.

8:00 p. m. — CNRO (435) Ottowa — University of Ottowa Cecilian Society Programme.

8:30 p. m.—CFCF (411) Montreal—The Radio Limited Hour of Music, Featuring the Mt. Royal Orchestra.

11:30 p. m.—KTHS (375) Hot Springs—Novelty Act—"The Three Little Boys in Blue."

SILENT TONIGHT.

Eastern: CNRA, CNRO, WFI, WGBS, WIP, WREO.

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EVENING CONCERTS.

6:15 P. M.

GHP (270) Detroit. Little Symphony Orchestra.

7:00 P. M.

WTAM (390) Cleveland. Studio Program.

WCSH (256) Portland. McKenney Hour.

WCAU UUU(278) Phila. Hornung Hour.

7:30 P. M.

WOS (441) Jeff. City. Studio Program.

WEAF (492) N. Y. Hire's Harvesters, to WEEI, WGR, WLIT, WCSH, WCAE, WTAM, WWJ, WSAI, KSD and WCCO.

KLX (500) Oakland. Children's Hour.

KDKA (309) E. Pitts. Concert.

KOIL (286) Omaha. Studio Feature.

WFBH (256) Clearwater. Studio Program.

WPG (300) Atlantic City. Ballads.

EOB (249) Milwaukee. The Poor Cus.

WBZ (333) Springfield. Four Leaf Shamrock.

WPG (300) Atlantic City. Ballads.

WTIC (476) Hartford. Popular.

8:00 P. M.

WCSH (509) Portland. Entertainers.

WMAK (266) Buffalo. Musicale.

WTAG (545 (Worcester. Musicale.

WCAU (278) Phila. P. R. T. Hour.

WHO (526) Des Moines. Band Concert.

8:15 P. M.

WEMC (216) Berrien Springs. Lighthouse Musicmakers.

WJZ (455) N. Y. Studio.

KDKA (309) E. Pitts. Ruud Light Opera Hour.

WGST (270) Atlanta. Georgia Tech Feature.

WMAD (278) Milwaukee. Concert Ensemble.

WSUI (484) Iiwa City. Pastime program.

9:00 P. M.

WCAU (278) Phila. Allegro Singers.

WCCO (417) St. Paul-Mlps. Orchestra Program.

KOIL (286) Omaha. Studio Program.

WBAL (246) Baltimore. Stiff Concert.

KFOA (454 Seattle. Popular Song Program.

9:30 P. M.

KPRC (297) Houston. Vocal Selections.

WBAP (476) Fort Worth. Studio Program.

WMC (500) Memphis. Radio Movie Club.

WHAD (276) Milwaukee. Entertainment.

KFAB (341) Lincoln. Popular program.

WPG (300) Atlantic City. "The Sea Cruiser," a play.

10:00 P. M.

KGW (492) Portland. Vaudeville.

WCCO (417) St. Paul-Mlps. Musical Program.

KOIL (306) Omaha. Radio Hour.

10:10 P. M.

KTHS (375) Hot Springs. Harmony Male Quartette.

11:0 P. M.

KOIL (306) Council Bluffs. Studio Concerts.

11:15 P. M.

WSUI (484) Iiwa City. Organ Recital.

11:30 P. M.

KTHS (375) Hot Springs.The Three Little Boys in Blue.

11:45 P. M.

WCCO (416) St. Paul-Mlps. Organ Recital.

12 Midnight.

WABC (316) N. Y. Organ Recital.

12:45 A. M.

FEATURE TALKS

WGY (317 Detroit Business Men's Digest.

6:30 P. M.

WABC (316) N. Y. Boy Scouts.

7:15 P. M.

WCCO (417) St. Paul-Mlps. Farm Talks.

9:00 P. M.

WHK (272) Cleveland. Medical Talk.

10:10 P. M.

KPO (428) San Francisco. Book Review.

WANT TO DANCE?

(Name of Orchesra is Given)

7:00 P. M.

WHB (266) Kansas City. Sweeney's.

8:00 P. M.

WGHP (270) Detroit. Oriole Terrace.

8:30 P. M.

WAMD (244) Mlps. Dance Orchestra.

9:00 P. M.

WEEI (349) Boston. Lido Venice.

WICC (285) Bridgeport. Seven Gables.

WOK (411) Chicago. Trianon.

WGRT (349) Rochester. Newport.

9:30 P. M.

WHK (272) Cleveland. Entertainers.

WFBH (256) Clearwater. Lou Harbour's.

10:00 P. M.

WEAF (492) N. Y. Palais D'Or.

WGR (266) Buffalo. Statler.

WRVA (256) Richmond. Richmond.

WAMD (244) Mlps. Skyrocket Frolic.

WRC (469) Wash. Swanee.

WABC (316) N. Y. Waldorf-Astoria.

WBAL (246) Baltimore. WBAL Orchestra.

10:30 P. M.

WCAU (278) Phila. Parodians.

WPG (300) Atlantic City. Casino.

CFAC (435) Calgary. Rushton's Serenaders.

11:00 P. M.

WHO (526) Des Moines. Dance Program.

11:45 P. M.

WDAF (366) Kansas City. Nighthawks.

12 Midnight.

KGW (492) Portland. Cinderrallds Roof.

KPO (428) San Francisco. Mandarian Cafe.

CNRV (291) Vancouver, Sullivan's Academy.

1:00 P. M.

KNX (337) Hollywood. Cocoanut Grove.

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

United Daughters Confederacy Enroll Fifty-Five New Members

Mrs. C .C. Hagemann was re-elected president of the W. R. Scurry chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy at the last business meeting of the year held at the home of Mrs. S. M. Gose Sr., Saturday afternoon. Mrs. B. L. Fain was elected first vice-president; Mrs. Bernard Martin, second vice-president; Mrs. C. D. Shamburger, third vice-president; Mrs. R. B. Parker, recording secretary; Mrs. J. P. Tarry, treasurer; Mrs. F. L. Shackelford, registrar; Mrs. Gose, custodian of flags, and Mrs. Mollie McElroy, custodian of crosses.

Reports of the year's work were given in which it was stated that 55 new members have been enrolled in the organization during the past 12 months. Plans were also made for the observance of memorial day April 26, and for the veterans dinner to be served at the First Presbyterian church May 14.

The program was opened with a duet sung by Mesdames C. Y. Tully and W. M. Priddy, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Carey Hunter. Mrs. O. A. Abernathy have two readings. Mrs. Minnie Gaffey read a paper on the origin of the U. D. C.

Joint hostesses with Mrs. Hagemann were Mesdames John C. Kay, Burke Taylor and C. C. Jones Jr., and others present were Mesdames A. B. Lipscomb, E. T. Duff, J. P. Tarry, Frank Cripliver, W. R. Little, W. L. Ponder, Horace Lankford, H. O. Newton, Mollie McElroy, E. T. Pease, R. R. Parker, W. D. Bolding, O. W. Wilson, J. G. Wolf, W. M. Priddy, J. W. Wilson, J. T. Brooks, M. Mitcham, T. H. Peery, O. G. Stephens, Gayle Parks, J. M. Bell, F. L. Schackelford, M. Gaffey, C. C. Hagemann, Rebecca Pruett, Hartman, C. Y. Tully, Carey Hunter, and Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Lowrance of Iowa Park.

Young Wichita Falls



—Photo by Nossett.

This is Pat Jarrett Jr., oldest child of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Jarrett who also have an attractive small daughter. He is one of Wichita Falls' finest boys and is four years of age. His mother has made her home here since girlhood and was before her marriage, Miss Mary Belle Evans. She is a granddaughter of Mrs. J. B. Evans.

SOCIETY Personals

Mrs. H. L. Benton of Bentonville, Ark., has returned home after accompanying the remains of her father, P. W. Nolen here for burial. Mrs. Baker was the guest of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nolen, while here.

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Mrs. Milton Johnson has returned from Oklahoma City where she was the guest of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson.

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Mrs. James Totten of Electra visited friends here for a few days, and accompanied by Mrs. M. Pois left for Dallas Saturday where both will spend a week.

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Miss Sara Alice Terrell, head councillor and instructor of golf at Camp Sequoyah in the Ozarks near Fayetteville, spent a few days here in the interest of her work.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard French have returned from Dallas where they were called by the illness and death of Mr. French's mother.

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Mr. and Mrs. John A. West spent the week-end in Chillicothe where they were guests of Mrs. West's parents.

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R. G. Clark and sister, Mrs. G. T. Albright left Saturday for Strong, Okla., where they were called by a serious accident suffered by their father.

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Mrs. Hendershot and Charles Hendershot of Denver, Colo., mother and brother of Mrs. Dean J. Wolf are here where they were called by the illness of Mrs. Wolf who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Hargrave-Walker hospital.

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Girls Auxiliary Enjoys Outing

Members of the Girls auxiliary of the Highland Heights Baptist church met at the church Saturday morning at 5:30 o'clock where cars were provided to take them to Lake Wichita. Breakfast was cooked and served at the lake side.

In the party were Misses Aileen Muller, Hazel Windham, Glynn Putman, Lillian Stewart, Myrtle Holder, Morine Bredburn, Rosie Mae Evans, Willie Mae Fears, Waldina Steele, Gladys Riley, Edith Leach, Priscilla Parker, Leona Swinford, Lola Moss and the leader and chaperone, Mrs. Jack Mozley.

Readers Club Plans Easter Sunrise Pageant

Plans for the Sunrise Easter pageant which the Readers club will sponsor for the Ministerial Alliance Easter morning on the bluffs out on the Seymour road, were discussed at a meeting of the Readers club held at the home of Mrs. Robert Brown Thursday.

Group three was in charge of the program and Miss Berniece Martin read a selection from Booth Tarkington's "Women." Mrs. J. B. Rhea gave a reading, "Miss Clegg's Adoption," and Mrs. C. W. Ruffner read "The Mourning Veil." Mrs. Porter Oakes gave "Ulysses Return."

Those present included Mesdames C. H. Reid, E. F. Bohmfalk, E. W. Wade, J. T. Harrell, O. Abernathy, Homer Karrenbrock, J. B. Rhea, J. E. Shipley, Eugene Graham, Porter Oakes, C. W. Ruffner and Misses Ella Merle Mathis, Berniece Martin and Marguerite Fisher.

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Cantawayua Camp Fire Group Meets

At a ceremonial held by members of the Cantawayua Camp Fire group at the home of the guardian, Mrs. Frank Jones, several of the girls were awarded honor beads.

Those present were Mary Katheryn Ward, Lee Ellen Boardman, Lena Mae Lesley, Beatrice Sharp, Bernice Trevathan, Bettye Jane Sehmann, Winelle Ward, Eleanor Weller and Frances Serdie.

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Fraternal Order Gives Enjoyable Party

Members of the Fraternal Aid Union No. 3650 and their friends enjoyed a tacky party at the Labor temple Friday evening when an informal program included readings given by Armista Arnold and Barbara Bosma. Music and dancing also furnished diversions.

Prizes of silk stockings were wiven for the tackiest costumes. Refreshments were served to more than 100 guests.

Charles Smith Writes From Battleship

Mrs. Sallie Smith at 1602 Collins street is in receipt of a letter from her son, Charles N. Smith, who is with the U. S. navy, on the battleship Idaho stating that he will arrive in Wichita Falls in a few months. Young Smith was reared here and his many friends will be glad to know that he expects to be home soon. The letter was written from Cuba where the battleship is now anchored, and the writer states that while he likes the island very much, it is exceedingly warm there, registering 120 in the shade. The battleship will go from Cuba to California and then to New York, according to the letter.

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Mrs. Richard Given Surprise Party

Mrs. Annie Richard was given a delightful surprise birthday party at her home Thursday when her daughter, Mrs. L. L. Pope and her daughters in law, Mesdames F. P. Schmidt, H. G. Schmidt and W. E. Schmidt were hostesses. A splendid dinner was enjoyed and music furnished the diversion.

Besides the honoree those present included: Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Richard, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Schmidt, and grandchildren including Earl King, Mildred and Luther Lawrence Pope, William, Edward, Velma, Fred Jr., and H. G. Schmidt Jr.

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Surprise Dinner For Joel MacGregor

Surprising her husband, Joel MacGregor, Mrs. MacGregor entertained a group of friends and co-workers of the honoree at a lovely dinner at their home Saturday evening. Easter colors and motifs were used in the table appointments which were unusually attractive.

Covers were laid for Mr. MacGregor, Dr. and Mrs. S. S. McKenney, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bohmfalk, the Rev. Nelms and Misses Annie Laurie Long, Modina Howell and Margaret Haynie.

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Eldred Loveless Marriage Announced

Announcement is made of the marriage of F. M. Eldred and Miss Bertha Loveless which took place in Henrietta Wednesday evening. The bridegroom is foreman at the Ray Sheet Metal Works, and the bride is a prominent business girl here.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred will make their home at 906 Burnett.

Young Married People Plan Work For Year

Cabinet members of the Young Married People's class of the First Methodist church met Friday evening at the home of Mrs. W. A. Tatum on Twelfth street when plans for the work of the coming year were outlined and perfected.

Women members of the class met Tuesday with Mrs. W. A. Tatum and planned a study course to be given under the leadership of Mrs. Joel MacGregor.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Earl M. Baker on the Iowa Park road, Tuesday.

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South Side Baptist Circles to Meet

Circle No. 1 of the South Side Baptist church W. M. U. will meet with Mrs. M. A. James, Henrietta road, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Circle No. 2 of the South Side Baptist W. M. U. will meet at the same hour Monday afternoon with Mrs. T. J. Thornton, 1515 Wilson avenue.

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On to El Paso Club To Meet Monday

The W. B. A met Wednesday in an all-day session with initation for a large class in the afternoon. District Deputy Mamie Vaughn of Dallas was the honored guest. The "On to El Paso Club" will meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. F. Hickman, 1820 Elizabeth street.

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Starlight Study Club Holds Meeting

With Mrs. Helen Estep, Mrs. Eva Rutledge and Miss Lena Foster, joint hostesses, at the home of Mrs. Estep Thursday evening, members of the Starlight Study club met and studied a lesson on "Landmarks." Mrs. Louise Darling was leader.

During the social hour, dainty refreshments were served.

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Legion Auxiliary To Have Luncheon

The American Legion Woman's auxiliary will hold a luncheon at Kemp Kort Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. At this time reports will be given and other important business discussed. All members and those eligible for membership are invited to be present.

Write Draughon's College, Wichita Falls, Texas, if interested in office position. Catalog M explains all.—Adv.

MODISH MITZI — *A Terrible Predicament* — By JAY V. JAY



Mitzi wakes to greet the morning with a smile in a new pair of pajamas of printed silk. She tones the smile down a bit because she remembers that she's really been very ill and she mustn't completely recover until she's had a chance to cure herself—Paris!

Paris is the cure. Dad thought of it and even dreaming about it has made Mitzi almost normal again. It is only when she has dressed as far as a fitted pantie and brassiere set of pale green that she suddenly remembers this very next Sunday is Easter!

Easter! And she fully intended to sail for Paris tomorrow or the next day at latest. But how can one desert one's home town at Easter time? She puts on a pajama ensemble with a hand painted jacket to think the matter over and then Polly comes barging in.

Polly isn't going to Paris so Polly had no problem of that size. Polly's problem was Easter clothes and Mitzi is so sympathetic that her own problem immediately becomes Easter clothes—step-ins cut away under the arms for evening! Paris, it seems, is postponed.

Tomorrow—BLACK SATIN FOR SPRING

Treat Your Mother-in-Law As Mother And You'll Keep Happiness In Home

If You Would Be That Rare Blessing, a Beloved Daughter-in-Law, Don't Try to Separate Your Husband From His Mother—Instead, Be Grateful to Her For Having Given You Such a Prize and Treat Her as You Hope Your Own Daughter-in-Law Will Treat You.

The hardest job on earth except that of being a mother-in-law is being a daughter-in-law, and the pity of it is that it is mostly young and inexperienced girls who tackle it. Therefore, it is not surprising that they so often bungle it.

If a woman could wait until she had had about sixty or seventy years of discipline in rigid self-control, and in which to cultivate a long-suffering forbearance before she undertook to be a daughter-in-law, she would be qualified to handle the situation. But the trouble is that it is the little 20-year-old flappers with no knowledge of life, no experience in handling people, who go up against a proposition that requires the stoicism of a martyr, the patience of a Job, the wisdom of a Solomon and the subtlety of a Machiavelli. Hence these tears and wails.

Nevertheless, the thing can be done, and perhaps the following suggestions may help some bride to solve the problem of how to get along with her husband's mother.

First. Don't go into a family with a chip on your shoulder. Don't regard your mother-in-law as your mortal enemy whom you are bound to hate at sight, and whose every word and act you view with suspicion, and with whom you are ready to fight at the drop of a hat.

On the contrary, make up your mind that you are going to be friends with her, and set yourself deliberately to court her and win her heart. Pay her all sorts of nice little attentions. Show her affection. If you do, the poor lady will be ready to kiss your feet with gratitude and she will boast of you in the market place, for to possess a kind and considerate daughter-in-law is as much of a rarity as it is to own a string of matched pearls.

Second. Don't try to separate your husband from his mother. Don't be jealous of his affection for his mother. Don't act as if every time he went to see her he was being unfaithful to you. Don't get peeved every time he has a private conversation with her, or gives her a few dollars, or shows her any attention.

If he was worth marrying, he is loyal and devoted to his mother. He is filled with appreciation and gratitude toward her for all she has sacrificed for him, and it is his wife's duty to help him pay this debt, not to nag him into defaulting on it. So encourage your husband to go to see his mother as often as possible. Go with him, but let him go oftener without you. Every woman would like sometimes to have her children alone, without any in-laws, just as they were in their babyhood. Don't be silly enough to resent your husband's love for his mother. It doesn't interfere with his love for you. The two passions are no more alike than roast beef and ice cream.

Third. Don't get angry every time your mother-in-law makes any suggestion to you. She may not have a college diploma as you have, but she has acquired a lot of wisdom that the schools don't teach in her half century of living.

She may not be up on all the latest fads in child culture, but she has raised a half dozen children to splendid manhood and womanhood. She has never studied domestic science, but she is a wizard with the pots and pans and can make pies and cakes that melt in your mouth.

Believe me, there is a lot you can learn from mother-in-law, little as you think it, and it would pay you to sit at her feet and listen to her advice instead of snubbing her and hating her for interfering in your affairs.

Fourth. Treat your mother-in-law as you do your own mother.

You confide in your own mother. You tell her your hopes and plans. You go to her with your sorrows and joys. You ask her counsel. You are anxious and eager to have her visit you.

But you hold your mother-in-law off at arm's length. You make her feel that you regard her always as an outsider, a stranger. You never tell her anything about your intimate life, and when she comes to visit you, you make her feel that she is a guest who is barely tolerated from a sense of duty.

Don't do that. Don't push your husband's mother outside of your family circle. You have no idea how she yearns to be within it and how it breaks her heart to see her daughter-in-law building up a wall between her son and his children and her.

Be grateful to your mother-in-law and show her your gratitude if she has given you a good husband. If she has brought up a man who is tender and true and kind and generous, and you have gotten him for a husband, you ought to go on your knees before her and thank her for doing you the greatest favor that one woman can do another.

A lot of suffering, a lot of work, a lot of anxiety goes into the making of a man, and when his mother has turned out one that is a masterpiece it takes a lot of heroism for her to hand him over to a strange girl.

Show your mother-in-law that you understand this and appreciate it, and that you look upon her as your greatest benefactor.

Fifth. Don't go to live with your mother-in-law if you can possibly help it. Two women who love the same man have to be pin-feathered angels, above all human weaknesses, if they can live together in the same house in daily contact in peace and harmony. Absence makes the heart grow fonder of our in-laws, and the farther we live apart, the better we get along with them.

But if circumstances are such that you are compelled to live with your mother-in-law, remember that the situation is just as hard for her as it is for you, and that you get upon her nerves just as much as she gets upon yours. Have patience with her peculiarities, because we all develop "ways" as we grow older.

Listen patiently to her suggestions. You can get even by handing out endless advice to your own daughter-in-law later on. Treat her with tenderness, because it is very pitiful to be old and dependent and lonely and to have to live in other people's houses, and to be left desolate after you have given all of your children away.

The woman who has youth and love and a husband and children and is mistress of her own home may, out of her wealth, be generous to her mother-in-law, who has so little left after her husband is dead, her home broken up, her children gone.

Sixth. In a word, treat your mother-in-law as you will want your daughter-in-law to treat you.

DOROTHY DIX.



A photo of Mr. Vainrib and his corps of expert tailors in The Hub's own tailor shop on the second floor, for the sole purpose of fitting men's and boys' clothes sold here.

Mr. Vainrib Says:-

¶ Speaking as the head of the Hub's Alteration Department — no matter how perfect the customer thinks his clothes fit—the garment must be inspected by me and if necessary fitted before it is sold.

¶ There will be extra tailors on the job this week—and if necessary we will work all night Saturday in order to turn out every garment perfect for Easter Sunday.

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$1.00 $2.00 $3.00
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Today's Extra Special, 1 hour, 11 to 12 o'clock. All Silk (top-to-toe).
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The Very Finest
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While we have three other very special lots at
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Tub Silk Dresses .....$11.75 and $13.75
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Plenty of stouts and regular and over 300 in our Little Women's Department.
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LODGE NOTICES

Lodges.

Benevolent Protective Order of Elks—Wichita Falls lodge No. 1105, meets every Monday at 715½ Eighth. H. H. Bray, E. R.; H. C. English, secretary.

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

Knights of Pythias—Pioneer Lodge No. 49 meets every Tuesday 7:30 at 912½ 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. 202, R. A. M.—Meets second Fridays. Wrat-ten, 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. 140, R. and S. M.—Meets first Monday. George B. Harpin, T. I. M.; George W. Lawler, recorder.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 85, A. F. and A. M.—Meets first and third Fridays—Martin Littrell, W. M.; George W. Lawler, secretary.

Squire Walkup Chapter No. 427, R. A. M.—Meets first Wednesday night each month. O. W. Curd, H. P.; Lawrence Rollins, secretary.

Shrine, Maskat Temple — Meets first Thursday of each month at 813 Scott. Guy Rogers, potentate; Albert Ellis, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 257, Order of Eastern Star—Meets 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, 819 Scott. Jacob 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 Patrol meets every Tuesday night. Jack Wiech, M. C.; Gordon Brown, secretary.

Faith Chapter No. 713, O. E. S.—Meets the second and fourth Thursday nights of each month at 813 Scott. Mrs. Callie Greenwood, W. M.; Lucille Campbell, secretary.

Rainbow Assembly No. 17 — Meets the second and fourth Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple. Mary Eigler, Worthy Adviser, 1209 Burnett. Phone 8762. Dorothy Parker, secretary, 1444 Lucile. Phone 6135.

Modern Woodmen of America

Lone Star Camp No. 6106, Royal Neighbors—Meets the first and third Thursdays at 810½ 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. R. 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. R. McConnell, consul; Dunn, captain; J. W. Bowyer, clerk.

Wichita Encampment No. 8, I. O. O. F.—Meets on second and fourth Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. J. T. Martin, C. P.; J. W. Bussey, scribe.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday at 810½ Ninth. A. L. Ayer, N. G.; J. W. Bussey, secretary.

Rebekah Degree No. 236—Meets second and fourth Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. Mrs. Kate Russell, N. G.; Mrs. Fannie Calbath, secretary.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Personals 4

WANTED, young lady room mate, room $12.50, close in. Phone 6595.

SCIENTIFIC body massage; mineral hot baths. Magnetic herbal tonic rub. For nervous, weary people. Puts pep and vigor in you. 1315 18th street. Phone 7840.

Lost and Found 6

LOST—Pair of glasses at ball game, Spudder park, Sunday afternoon. Reward. Phone 4387.

CLOTHES LOST—Parents of Gordon Phillips, 15 years old, who was buried Thursday, lost a handbag between Ball Bros Fruit Jar factory and 1004 Fifth, containing his clothes, which are valued as a keep-sake. The clothes consisted of a striped sweater, bathrobe etc. Finder please return to 1004 Fifth or call 8956.

AUTOMOTIVE

Automobiles for Sale 8

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 25 model, in perfect condition; a bargain, $175. Phone 9981. Miller Lumber Co.

BETTER values in used Stars and Fords. Phone 3024, ask for Hobb. Will trade.

We Will Buy Your Car.
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
817 Eighth St. Phone 7070.

Auto Accessories, Tires, Parts 9

HOUSE of a Million Used Parts.—Auto Parts Co., 408 Indiana. Phone 6818.

Auto Top and Painting 11

WILLIAMS TOP CO.
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WICHITA AUTO TOP & PAINTING CO., authorized Duco refinishing station, 609 Scott.

Wanted—Automotive 12

WANTED to buy a second hand Ford truck, must be a bargain. 812 North Burnett. Wright Grocery.

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PATENTS OBTAINED FOR INVENTORS
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Building Contracting 13

FOR CEMENT work call Dean Howard. Phone 2-4165. Work guaranteed.

NOBBY SHOE SHOP, 802 Tenth. Guaranteed work. 15 years in business Wichita Falls.

PHONE 7240, Battery recharging and repairing; wholesale and retail batteries. We manufacture. Wichita Made Batter Factory, 805 Indiana.

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Dressmaking and Millinery 16

Hemstitching 5c per yard. Cotton thread furnished. Home Novelty Shop, 502 Burnett. Phone 2-4891.

HEMSTITCHING, dressmaking, buttonholes made. Mrs. Hattie Robinson, on balcony Miller-Ferguson.

Good Things to Eat 17

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Look, we are going to keep a large supply of all kinds of vegetables stored at 1001 Ohio with R. L. Ward Produce Distributors Co., and we will allow him to sell 1-3 cheaper than produce men can buy. Always phone 3893 and get his prices and stay out of debt.
1001 Ohio
San Bonita Truck Growers Association.

Heating, Plumbing & Roofing 18

OUR cars carry a complete line of plumbing repairing materials. We do not have to go back to the shop. Phone 4420. 907 Van Buren. J. H. Castledine.

QUICK, satisfactory plumbing work Call us first. Phone 6300. Moore Plumbing company.

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

MACK & MACK PLUMBING CO. Phone 7071, 12th, Ohio Ave. Repairs are made the day we say.

Moving, Trucking, Storage 21

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

TEXAS Transfer and Storage company. Moving, crating and storage. Local and long distance hauling. Office phone 4444. Night phone 8702.

Musical, Dancing, Dramatic 22

LEARN to dance in six lessons. Graham's Studio, for appointment phone 4572. 1715 Huff.

Repairing and Refinishing 29

OLD MATTRESSES made new. Phone 9412 and sample ticking will be brought to your door. One day service on work. Bell Mattress Co.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED
Prices reasonable. Wichita Mattress Co. Phone 4052

INVEST IN REST
PATTON'S MATTRESSES
MAKE LAYING EASY.
We make every mattress we sell and sell direct to consumer. Try our Kapok and Felted rest-well mattresses, both guaranted. Call us for renovate and pillow work.
PATTON MATTRESS AND FURNITURE CO.
Phone 9930. 402 Indiana Ave.

Wanted—Business Services 30

WINFREY FIXIT SHOP
We repair any old thing and do it right. 816 Scott Avenue. With Landon-Hill Co. Phone 5213.

Welding 31

ELECTRIC AND ACTYLENE WELDING.
Welding is all we do, but we know our business and want yours. Where quality and service counts. Be sure you have your next job at the Red Front Shop on Ohio Ave.
Gunn-Rush Welding & Mfg. Co.
410 OHIO AVE. PHONE 6337

Bicycles 33

HERMAN MUNDEN, Bicycles and supplies, radio aerials put up, phonograph work, welding, repairs of all kinds. Work called for and delivered. Phone 6942. 713 Tenth Street.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female 34

WANTED, housekeeper, unincumbered. Call Weist at Cameron Gardens, route 2, or city auditorium.

Situations Wanted—Female 37

PRACTICAL NURSE, honorable and reliable. Dial 2-4896.

WASHING WANTED by widow lady. 811 Austin. Phone 2-4339.

A PRACTICAL NURSE wants a patient to travel with. If in need, call 9781, Mrs. Larrett.

Situations Wanted—Male 38

YOUNG man, age 20, wants work. Will do anything. Box 28, Record News.

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Business Opportunities 40

WANTED—Honest, energetic associate in good business proposition. Must be in position to invest. Reference given and expected. Geologist, Holt hotel, or box 1735, Fort Worth.

Insurance and Surety Bonds 41

H. O. CRAVENS, Insurance. Phone 5328. 101 Perkins-Snider Bldg.

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CITY, farm and ranch loans. Lowest interest rate. Jas. R. Welch, 413 First National Bank Bldg. Phones 9286-9287.

LOANS on city property. Monthly payments, low net interest. Pay ahead or take up any time. Let us take up your present plan and make it suit your income and ability to pay.
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CASH for your used furniture. Our bid will make you money. Home Furniture Co., 816 Ohio. Phone 8223.

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Loans on personal property
Unredeemed bargains in diamonds.

AUTOMOBILE LOANS
No Red Tape
RAY PUCKETT, 805 Lamar.

MERCHANDISE

Miscellaneous For Sale 46

FOR SALE — Two 16 inch buzz fans. 724 Seventh street.

Furniture 47

FOR SALE—Furniture and rugs. Phone 5479. 1508 Buchanan.

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

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

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

Business and Office Equipment 48

NEW and second hand National Cash Registers sold, repaired, exchanged and bought. National Cash Register Co., 721 Tenth St., Phone 8432, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Farm and Diary Products 50

FOR SALE—Six hundred bushels of good ear corn; apply at A. C. Walker's farm across lane to right from Lindsell's school house, half way between Thornberry and Charlie or phone 4066, city.

Machinery and Equipment 55

FOR SALE—Advance 22 H. P. steam engine and 32x5 2Rumbley steel separator or complete outfit. Wesley Urban, Grandfield, Okla.

Wanted—To Buy 61

WANTED to buy men's clothing; must be in good condition. 802 Ohio. Phone 2-4822.

REAL ESTATE—RENT

Rooms With Board 62

NICE, cool room with board. Phone 9247. 1507 Twelfth street.

ROOM and board, in private home, close in. 201 Bluff.

NICELY FURNISHED southeast bedroom, board and garage, phone 9421. 1404 Austin.

REFINED working couple may secure beautiful bedroom and breakfast cheaper than to keep house through hot weather. 1300 Filmore.

Rooms Without Board 63

BEDROOM TO working couple or men at 904 Austin.

FRONT bedroom, employed couple or gentlemen preferred. 1515 12th. Phone 5807.

TWO south bedrooms, connecting bath, gentlemen or man and wife. 1407 Austin. Phone 3744.

SOUTH bedroom, all conveniences. 1305 14th St.

FOR RENT—Front bedroom upstairs, close in, garage if desired. Gentlemen only. 1311 Ninth.

NICE clean bedroom for business girls. Garage if desired. 1617 11th street. Phone 6946.

SOUTH bedroom, private entrance, adjoining bath, garage; to gentlemen. 1504 Filmore. Phone 4292.

FOR RENT, nice south front bedroom, reasonable. Phone 6817.

NICE BEDROOM for rent. Phone 5629. 1410 Eighth Street.

BEDROOMS with garage, 904 Burnett. Phone 9164.

NICELY FURNISHED bedroom, adjoining bath, garage if desired, reasonable. Phone 4960.

SOUTH ROOM, 5 windows, adjoining bath, all privileges of attractive home, couple or business people. Ideal neighborhood, garage, phone 2-4028. 2003 Hays.

ONE bedroom, private entrance, new home, on pavement, also garage, nicely furnished. 1647 Pearl.

FOR RENT—Ideal summer room, in private home, on pavement, private entrance, new house, garage. Phone 4531.

ATTRACTIVE front, southeast bedroom. Private entrance, adjoining telephone and bath. Ideal neighborhood. 2504 Tenth. Phone 3363.

FRONT bedroom in private home, adjoining bath and telephone. Large clothes closet and four windows. Garage if desired. 1609 Austin. Phone 8081.

NICELY furnished, clean front bedroom in private home, no other roomers, near car lines and bus. Price reasonable. Call 3654.

Rooms For Housekeeping 64

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms to couple. 1510 Thirteenth street.

LARGE light housekeeping room $6.50 per week. 1207 6th.

TWO nice clean furnished rooms, built-in features, on bus line. 2109 8th street.

TWO large furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1511 7th street. Phone 6789.

THREE well furnished rooms with piano; south exposure. Leaving town. Must rent at once. $40 a month; bills paid. 2810 Grant.

TWO nice furnished housekeeping rooms, with garage, near bus line. 1309 Grace street. Phone 5217.

NEATLY furnished light housekeeping rooms with bath and laundry room, bills paid. 502 Austin.

ONE light housekeeping room, newly papered, southern exposure. 910 Eighth. Phone 4071.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms. 1319 11th. Phone 9268.

ONE light housekeeping room, everything furnished, $7 per week. Phone 4446.

TWO light housekeeping rooms, on pavement, garage, bills paid, $30. 1406 Polk.

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1207 6th St.

Apartments and Flats 65

THREE unfurnished rooms, screened-in back porch, built-ins, garage, pavement, $30.00. 1412 Seventh.

TWO unfurnished apartments for rent. 1511 Twelfth street.

FURNISHED two-room apartment. 908 Austin.

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Apartments and Flats 65

THREE unfurnished rooms, built-in cabinet and sink. Cold and hot water. 907 Third street.

BEAUTIFUL furnished apartment, for couple. All modern and private. Apply 1908 8th. Phone 8488.

CLEAN, neat two-room apartment, close in, $6.50 per week. Phone 3456.

UNFURNISHED three room kitchenette, private bath, garage. Phone 9287-9286.

THREE nice unfurnishe rooms, near Alamo. Price $22.50. Phone 7663. 1819 Lucine.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Phone 5753. 1404 Scott.

THREE-ROOM unfurnished apartment; modern; reasonable price. 2224 Yale. One block east of Holiday. On bus line.

FURNISHED, close in apartments, new, modern. Frigidair, built-in features. 1201 Burnett.

THREE-ROOM unfurnished apartment. Garage. 2404 Kemp Blvd. Phone 7731.

TWO furnished rooms, strictly private. 1509 Burnett. Phone 5867.

FOR RENT—3-room furnished apartment. All bills paid. Phone 7420.

FOR RENT—Three-room unfurnished apartment, all clean and modern. Adults only. 1802 Polk street.

FOR RENT, ONE-HALF MODERN DUPLEX
Nicely furnished, on pavement, with garage. Everything strictly private.
1604 PEARL

Houses For Rent 66

FOUR-ROOM house for rent. 1101 Marlow, North Park addition.

TWO small houses, partly modern. Phone 4240. 1404 Eighteenth.

FIVE rooms and bath, on the pavement, east front, $35 per month. Call 7864, 2-2765.

MODERN four-room house, Scotland addition, North Sixth St., 1-2 block off pavement. Phone 7052.

TWO-ROOM furnished house. Phone 9700; close in, on pavement.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Five rooms and bath, on the pavement, east front, $35. Call 7864, 2-2765.

FOR RENT—A modern six-room house. Phone 6251.

FOR RENT—Five rooms and garage, 907 Henrietta street, $35 per month. Baber, Bachman and Dodge. Phone 4018.

Office and Desk Room 67

OFFICE for rent in Harvey-Snider building. Phone 4747-3628.

REAL ESTATE—SALE

Business Property For Sale 74

I CAN SELL or rent your store and warehouse property. S. Y. Ferguson. Phone 9084.

Farms and Lands For Sale 75

FOR SALE: 80 acres, new house, 4 miles from city, price $150 per acre; will consider trade. Veros Realty Co., 503 Perkins-Snider Bldg. Phone 2-4155 or 2-1927.

Houses For Sale 76

A REAL bargain, six rooms, east front, on the pavement, $3750. Phone 7864, 2-2765.

REDUCED PRICE—Ten-room duplex, extra nice, good location, paved, good terms. $5500. Phone 7864-2-2765.

HOUSE FOR SALE—A real bargain, six rooms, east front, on the pavement, $3750. Phone 7864, 2-2765.

FOR SALE or rent, two five-room houses, Floral Heights addition. Phone 9933.

FOR SALE—2, 6-room residences on Polk Street at a bargain. Phone 4977 or 2-1701.

SIX-ROOM HOME $300 CASH
All modern, walks, driver, shrubbery and well located, on Tilden street. Price $5000 with monthly payments to suit. Call 8705.

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Six rooms, strictly modern, garage, solid driveway, arranged for two families. A small cash payment will handle, balance just like rent. A real buy. Phone 9107-7326 or see T. E. Hill, 813 Scott.

THREE-ROOM — PAVED LOT—$100 cash. Tile and stucco construction, all modern. All kinds of trees and flowers. Situated on one of best lots on Princeton. Priced at $2250. Terms $35 per month. Phone 9107-7326 or see T. E. Hill, 813 Scott.

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New 5-rooms, all modern, walks, drive, double garage, located on one of the best streets in Scotland addition. Price $4500 with good monthly payments to reliable people. Act quick if you want this bargain. See Mr. Walker, 710 1-2 Travis, room 12 upstairs. Phone, office 2-1051, residence, 7326.

FOR DIRECT SALE
MODERN 5-room and sleeping porch cottage, extra large rooms, in excellent condition, many improvements, double garage, in Southland Addition, at a surprisingly low figure and good terms.
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Lots For Sale 77

$10—LOTS—$10
$10 down and $10 per month; no interest and no taxes until 1929. 50 good lots to pick from. Will build and finance your home when lot is paid out. These lots well located and priced from $150 to $300. See Mr. Walker 710 1-2 Indiana Ave., room 12 upstairs. Phone 2-1051-7326.

Oil Lands and Leases 78

COMMERCIAL lease near 1200-foot drilling well, in Baird, Callahan county, prolific shallow field. Might consider new automobile part payment. Holdeman, Holt hotel or box 1735, Fort Worth.

SEE us for leases, production, homes, rentals, investments.
McKEE & VON ALLMAN,
Realtors.
210 City Nat'l. Bank. Phone 8352

Wanted—Real Estate 81

DO YOU want to sell your home? If so, I shall be glad to help you. Call me—
MRS. F. C. LYON, Realtor
Phones 2352-7529
341 Harvey-Snider Bldg.

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To Exchange—Real Estate 80

FOR SALE—Trade or lease, nine-room home, on pavement; arranged to sub-rent; owner leaving city. Phone 3332.

110 ACRES, new 5-room house, completely modern, 7 miles from city. Will trade equity for 5 or 6 room home in city. Veros Realty Co., 503 Perkins-Snider Bldg. Phone 2-4155-1927.

Realtors 83

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Archer County Land and Leases
554 Harvey-Snider Bldg. Ph. 4979

GROVER MONROE—REALTOR
See Mrs. Brewer, 9953 or 2-4005

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
The undersigned, the trustees in the deed of trust executed by the Miller Petroleum company, a Delaware Corporation, dated as of July 1, 1925, duly recorded in Book 54, Page 169, Records of Deeds of Trust of Wichita County, Texas, at the request of the holders of all the outstanding bonds secured by said deed of trust, hereby give public notice that, default having been made in the payment of certain of the bonds and interest coupons secured by said deed of trust and described therein and in the performance of various of the conditions, covenants and agreements in said deed of trust contained, and all of the outstanding bonds secured by said deed of trust having been declared mature, due and payable, as provided in said deed of trust, and all requisite demands and notices having been made and given, they will offer for sale and sell at public vendue at the south front door of the County Court House in Wichita Falls, Wichita county, Texas, on Tuesday, May 3, A. D., 1927, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 3 o'clock p. m., to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

The real estate and the refinery located thereon, together with all equipment, tanks, one cross-cracking unit and all machinery, in, about or connected with the said refinery, all located at Wichita Falls, Wichita county, Texas, said real estate being described as follows:

All that tract or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, located in Wichita county, State of Texas, and more particularly described as follows:

Thirty (30) acres of land, being twenty-three (23) acres out of the southeast corner of the Donato Leona survey, and seven (7) acres out of the southwest corner of the S. L. B. Jasper survey, Wichita county, Texas, said tract being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of said Jasper survey in the north line of the J. A. Scott survey Number Seventeen (17); thence east four hundred eighty-five (485) feet, to the west right-of-way line of the W. F. and N. W. Railway company; thence north ten degrees five minutes west with said right-of-way line, nine hundred (900) feet; thence west thirteen hundred and eighty-seven (1,387) feet; thence south eight hundred and sixty-four (864) feet, to the south line of the D. Leona survey; thence east with said south line, eleven hundred and fifty-two (1,152) feet, to the southeast corner of the D. Leona survey, and the southwest corner of the S. L. B. Jasper survey, the place of beginning.

Together with all buildings and improvements of every kind and character now upon the above described land and premises, including among other things boilers, engines, machinery, railway tracks, refining plants, stills, condensor boxes, pumps, tanks, tools, pipe, pipe lines and all other fixed equipment, and also all of the rights, members and appurtenances thereto belonging; and they are hereby giving thirty days public notice of the time, terms and place of said sale and the property to be sold.

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By A. Birger, President, Trustee.
Attest: G. A. Sims, Secretary.
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NOTICE OF TRUSEE'S SALE.
The state of Texas, County of Wichita:

Whereas, the Crystal Petroleum and Refining company, did on the 21st day of September, A. D. 1925, execute a deed of trust to W. R. Hill, trustee, for the benefit of the Farmers State bank of Burkburnett, Texas, to secure a note in the principal sum of Seven Thousand ($7600.00) Dollars, dated August 10th, 1925, due ninety days after date, providing for interest and attorneys fees, said deed of trust covering three tracts of land located west of the M. K. and T. Railway company right of way adjoining the Chas. F. Noble Oil and Gas company plant in Burkburnett, Texas, together with all improvements thereon, consisting of the refining plant, loading rack and other equipment, said plant being known as the Crystal Petroleum and Refining company plant, and said three tracts of land being particularly described in the deed of trust which is of record in Volume 58, page 217, of the deed of trust records of Wichita County, Texas, to which reference is here made for a full and complete description; and

Whereas said indebtedness, principal, interest and attorney's fees, secured by said deed of trust is now past due and unpaid and the Farmers State bank of Burkburnett has requested the trustee to sell the property as prescribed by the terms of said deed of trust:

Now, I, the said W. R. Hill, trustee as aforesaid, do hereby give notice that I will sell the property described in said deed of trust and above described, at public outcry at the court house door of Wichita County, Texas, in the City of Wichita Falls, on the first Tuesday of May, A. D. 1927, same being the third day of May, 1927; said sale to be made for cash to the highest bidder; and I will make due conveyance in keeping with the terms of said deed of trust.

This sale is also made subject to the chattel mornagage lien covering certain of the personal property, which chattel lien was given to secure Twelve Hundred and Fifty ($1250.00) Dollars, besides interest and attorneys fees, dated February 26th, 1926.

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RULE SOCIETY

Special to The Record News.

RULE, April 10.—The Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon at the Methodist parsonage in their monthly business meeting and program from the year book. The routine of business was presided over by Mrs. L. B. Smallwood.

The president, Mrs. R. P. Cole, recently married Crosby Mrs. Frank Rines was unanimously elected president of the society to fill out the unexpired term. A number of important business matters were attended to, such as the election of a new president, delegate to the Woman's Missionary convention which convenes in Abilene April 18-19-20. A reception committee composed of Mrs. E. B. Harris, Mrs. David Crockett and Mrs. Frank Reddell was appointed for the district convention, which will be held in Rule the latter part of April. After the business a program was given from the year book, with Mrs. Servet Leon and Frank Reddell leaders. The following taking part on the program: Mesdames T. J. Cannon, J. E. Parsons, N. L. Stephens, D. M. Speer and Ben Sellers. The Missionary Bulletin for June was presented by Mesdames E. B. Harris, Grady Keith and D. M. Speer. The program was ended by a prayer in unison lead by Mrs. Servet Leon.

T. E. L. Notes.

The T. E. L. Class of the Rule First Baptist church met Tuesday afternoon in a business meeting. Rev. Ball, the pastor presided over the meeting. Mrs. Carl Howell was elected teacher of the class and Mrs. M. W. Rogers elected president.

All the ladies of the church are requested to meet in the class room Sunday morning.

Friday Bridge Club.

The Friday Bridge club met Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Servet Leon host and hostess for the evening. The entertaining rooms were beautifully decorated in blooming pot plants and ferns. Four tables were arranged for the playing of games. At a late hour the hostess served lovely refreshments to the following members and guests: Messrs. and Mesdames J. A. White, J. B. Pumphrey, Dr. D. R. Earnest, Ed. Verner, Billy Hills and the host. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones and Miss Agnes Bradford of Colorado, Texas.

Sunrise Breakfast.

On Saturday morning the members of the senior class met at the homes of their teachers, Misses Martha Rountree and Artie West and from there went to the river for a sunrise breakfast. They were accompanied by Carroll Leon and a few other uests. When the river was reached a fire was built and Miss Rountree and Miss West proved their selves to be excellent cooks by preparing a delicious breakfast. When breakfast was eaten all returned home, saying that they had had a wonderful time.

On last Wednesday morning the second year Spanish class rendered a Spanish program for the high school students. Not a word of English was used.

RULE PERSONALS

Special to The Record News.

RULE, April 10.—Mrs. A. D. Lakey of Memphis, Texas, was the week-end guest of Miss Sarah and Nora Hudspeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones of Colorado were the week-end guests of Mrs. Jones' parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Ragan. They were accompanied by Miss Agnes Bradford.

Mrs. J. D. Westbrook and little son, Jack Ellis are spending the week in Wichita Falls the guests of their sister and aunt, Mrs. Raymond Gurley. They were accompanied by their father and grandfather Mr. Ellis of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jones of our city, Chester Jones of Colorado and Henry Andrews of Stamford spent Sunday and Monday in Fort Worth. Mrs. Jones visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Speer at Arlington while in Fort Worth.

Ed. Lewis of Abilene transacted business in our city the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Simpson of Abilene visited the latter's sister, Mrs. P. P. Simpson of Rule recently.

Elbert Geer of Abilene visited relatives and transacted business in our city the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Morgan spent the week-end in Dallas.

D. B. Earnest of Paducah spent the week-end with his family.

Mrs. E. B. Harris and Mrs. N. L. Stephens visited friends in Haskell Friday of last week.

Mrs. F. M. Jackson is visiting her son, Lester Jackson in Dallas this week.

Mrs. J. W. Hinson has returned to her home in Sanora, Texas, after a visit to her aunts, Mrs. Ben Sellers and Mrs. A. C. Pruitt.

Rev. W. W. Starns transacted business in Haskell Wednesday.

L. De Williams of Haskell visited in Rule the latter part of April. After the

D. M. Speer, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis and Rev. L. B. Smallwood attended the funeral of Miss Ora Carter which was held in Sagerton Sunday morning, the home of Elder and Mrs. W. W. Starnes the first of the week.

NEW BRICK BUILDING

HASKELL, April 10.—Work was started this week on a brick store building on the south side of the square at Haskell. The site is owned by J. C. McKinney, who is also erecting the building, which is to be 30 by 80 feet of modern design and construction throughout.

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JESUS GIVEN UNFAIR "DEAL"

His Conviction Lacked Any Tenor of Justice

"The conviction of Jesus in the Jewish court proceeded with no appearance of pustice," William Baldridge declared in delivering an address before the Baldridge Bible class of the Highland Heights Christian church at the Monroe Street theater Sunday morning. Mr. Baldridge's address follows:

"From Gethsemane Jesus was led bound a prisoner before the Jewish Sanhedrian, the Supreme Court of Israel. But since the Roman conquest of Judea, the powers of the court had been abridged. Its contonces of death could not be executed without the sanction of the Roman authorities. Thus, it came to pass, Jesus had to undergo two trials. He was first araigned before the Seniadran and condemned to die, and then before Pilot, the Roman governor, for sentence.

"The Jewish court had jurisdiction only in transgression of the Mosaic law and Jewish traditions, which to them were law. But with that, the Jewish trials had a semblance of justice according to their law.

"On this memorial occasion, this great court composed of seventy members, sometimes designated the rulers of the Jews, had been transformed into a raging mob. At the cost of thirty pieces of silver, they had secured the betrayal of the Royal Prisoner into their hands. They had long since decided the Gallilean must be destroyed or Judism must fall.

"Without counsel or anyone to speak in His defense, Jesus faced the court alone. Their leaders all grouping for some charge. The high priest questioned Him regarding His teachings. He responded: "I have spoken openly to the world, in secret spoke I nothing. Why question Me, question them that heard Me." They had hoped to trap Him into some kind of confession or statement that would incriminate Him.

Jesus Convicted.

"One consideration alone constrained them to convict Jesus on some plausible charge, one that might receive the sanction of the Roman governor. He must be convicted and they proceeded with no appearance of judicial impartiality.

"Was there not the crime of Sabbath breaking, which He had frequently committed. Under the Jewish law this was a capital offense. But could they go to a pagan governor with a complaint about Sabbath observances, some other indictment must be brought. Then the Priest questioned Him again: "Art thou the Son of God?" Silence at this point would have been interpreted as a denial of His Messiaship. The court had gained its end. It had extorted from the prisoner at the bar the confession that its malinged purpose required.

"The court immediately rendered a verdict of blasphemy on the ground that He claimed to be the Son of God and a God.

"No witness testified for the defendant. His life and deeds should have spoken in His defense but they were used by the prosecution. He stood silent in "proud disdain." The court had now found Jesus quilty and according to the Jewish law, He should have been forthwith stoned to death but it was necessary that the Roman governor should review the case and affirm or reverse and dismiss.

"Jesus was led without delay to Pontius Pilot, the governor. This was sometime in the early morning before 6 o'clock. Pilot met the mob with its meek and humble prisoner at the front of the governor's palace. His first question was, 'What accusation bring you against this man?' That was the question that they had dreaded from the beginning. They attempted to evade the question by replying: 'If He were not a malfactor, we would not have delivered Him up to thee.'

"That was too indefinite to satisfy the Roman conception of judicial procedure. Then Pilot suggested that they, 'Take Him and judge Him according to their own law.' But they exclaimed, it is not lawful for us to put any man to death. Pilot, who entertained no particular love for the Jews knew they must make such a reply to his suggestion that they judge Him according to the Jewish law. It gave him an opportunity to call to their attention the limitation to their judicial authority. Such a reply from them would be a confession that Jewish sovereignty and Jewish nationality had gone from them. They might exercise their rights to a certain point, the point of condemnation, but must stop at that place. Pilot again reminded them that he had asked for specific charges against the man they had brought bound to him. They had given him an equivical answer, therefore, he concluded the offense was against their own laws, the law of Moses.

Asks Specific Change

"'With such an offense, I do not wish to meddle. If you have not a specific charge against him, then I will not try Him and condem Him to death under the Roman law and under that law you are prohibited from doing so.'

"The Jews were thwarted. They hoped Pilot would countersign the verdict their midnight court had rendered. They were forced to formulate a specific indictment against Jesus. They then charged that He forbid tribute to Ceaser and that Jesus Himself claimed 'to be Christ the King.' Note the radical change in the charge on which he was tried and convicted by the Sanhdran. There it was blasphemy against God, here it is high treason against the imperial governor at Rome. The indictment was originally a religious one, now it was a political one. Why did his priestly accusers not come before Pilot and say: 'Oh governor, we have here a Gallilean blasphemer of Jehovah. We want Him tried on that charge and condemned to death?'

"They were too shrewd to do this, because in legal pariance they would have had no standing in court. Blasphemy was not an offense against the Roman law. They needed to get into the Roman court on charges that would hold, therefore, the change of front by the accusers had gained for them their point. For the first time they commanded Pilot's serious attention: 'He forbid the paying of tribute to Caeser.'

"If this were true, it was open denial of Roman sovereignty in Judea. Such was construed by the Roman law to be treason. The truth is, the charge was a garbled interpretation of what the Master said: "Render unto Ceaser the things that are Gods," was the Master's pronouncement of the sacred principle of the separation of church and state. Note how this statement had been distorted by them. They had claimed to be king was the greatest offense against the Roman law and could not be ignored by Pilot, and he proceeded to question the prisoner asking him if he were king.

Jesus Doesn't Deny.

"Jesus made no denial of this, but informed Pilot that His kingdom is not of this world. He made it plain that there was no possible rivalry between Him and Ceaser. His kingdom differed widely from that of Ceaser's. His was a realm of truth, a kinbdom beyond the skies. This was, of course, beyond the comprehension of a petty pagan government. But he returned to the Jewish rabble and rendered his verdict of acquittal. "I find in Him no fault at all."

"Mankind has asked for nearly two housand years why this Roman government, with the blood of a Roman in him, did not have the courage to stand by his verdict and protect the prisoner, but he did not. Pilot was a moral and intellectual coward. Certainly he wanted to satisfy his conscience, but he did not have the courage to withstand the clamor of the Jewish mob. He was afraid of its influence with the government at Rome.

"This attempt to save Jesus brought forth a howl from the Jews. "Crucify Him, crucify Him." and in scorn and disgust, Pilot replied: "Shall I crucify your king?" And with a howl like wolves a thirst for blood and with hippocracyand decit that was known only to them who exclaimed: "We have not king but Ceaser."

"Think of a Jew, a member of the Jewish high court professing allegiance and love to a heathern government. It only indicated there was no depth to which they did not plunge to bring about the destruction of the Son of God. Their feigned allegiance to Ceaser was their high card. What could poor old cowardly Pilot do! Circumstances had framed themselves against him. The contest was ended. The hypocritical traducers had accomplished the destruction of the only holy and innocent man the world has known.

"Pilot struggled to escape the responsibility but he had not the courage to do it. Before pronouncing the sentence and ordering the execution of Jesus, he called for a basin of water. He then washed his hands before the multitude, saying: "I am innocent of the blood of this just person, see you to it."

"The sentence was pronounced and the Roman soldiers proceeded to carry it out and thus all on that day the Son of God and the world's redeemer was executed upon a Roman cross."

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Today { At the Theaters

By Ruth Morrison

Majestic: "Children of Divorce," with Clara Bow and Ester Ralston; comedy, Pathe News and Topics of the Day.

Olympic: Pola Negri in "Hotel Imperial." On the stage, "A Night in Hawaii," also comedy and Fox News.

Strand: "Nobody's Widow," starring Leatrice Joy; comedy and Kinograms.

Mission: "The Iron Rider," with Yakima Canutt, and comedy.

Gem: Dorothy Devore in "The Gilded Highway," and western picture.

Garden: Buck Jones in "The Flying Horseman," and comedy.

Palace: "Beau Gest," with Alice Joyce, Roland Coleman and star.

The Pola Negri of "Passion," has returned. The tempestuous star whose artistry has thrilled the world again and again, is said to achieve a triumph which not only equals, but in many respects surpasses that portrayal in "Hotel Imperial," her latest vehicle for Paramount, which is showin at the Olymphic theater through Wednesday.

This new picture, based on Lajos Biro's drama of love and war, gives Miss Negri the finest opportunity for soul-stirring dramatic action she has had since coming to America. She plays the role of an Hungarian peasant girl caught in the malestrom of war. Rivalry for her love causes the fates of armies to tremble as she is swept from her humble position as chambermaid of the Hotel Imperial on the Austro-Russian frontier to heights of luxury on a wave of passion and intrigue.

She brings all the force of her dynamic personality and supreme emotional talent into the part, giving one of the best portrayals the screen has known, in one of the year's big pictures.

"Hotel Imperial" was produced by Trich Pommer, Europe's greatest film maker, as his first for Paramount. Mauritz Stiller, Scandinavia's "ace" director, also making his first complete film in the United States, wielded the megaphone. The supporting cast includes James Hall and George Seigmann, both of whom are featured.

Paramount's "Beau Geste," one of the big, spectacular pictures of the year, will open at the Palace theater Monday. Seats may be obtained at the box office of the Palace theater.

The pulsing drama of "Beau Geste" is brought to the audience with striking force in the opening scenes. A detachment of the Foreign Legion is shown on its way across the African desert to relieve a fort attacked by Arabs. The major discovers the seemingly alert sentries all dead!

This opens a mystery which deepens as the story progresses reaching to England, there involving three of the main characters, the brothers, enacted by Ronald Colman, Neil Hamilton and Ralph Forbes.

Noah Beery appears as Sergeant Lejaune, "the cruelest beast and bravest soldier" in the legion. William Powell, Alice Joyce, Mary Brian, Norman Trevor and Victor McLaglen are also in the cast.

Army May Join Navy In China

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determined attack from the Cantonese. Since then the Cantonese troops who had advanced far to the north have begun to fall back on Shanghai and the Yangtse river and renewed looting is expected.

The marines now on their way to China are not expected to arrive there before the crisis develops. There is one regiment in Shanghai, one which sailed on April 7 from San Diego and one now being concentrated there to sail prior to April 20. It will be close to one month before any of them can reach there.

In the emergency the government cannot wait. Troops may be transported from the Philippines within a few days and from Hawaii within little more than a week. It also develops that there are no more marines in the American service available for China duty. So the government has been compelled to turn to the army.

Army Needs Ships.

This, it is learned, is why the army was unable to loan the navy a transport when requested to do so late in March for the purpose of transporting the regiment of marines now being mobilized at San Diego, who will travel over a chartered commercial steamship.

The army troops will be used to protect Tien-Tsin and to keep the railway open from Tien-Tsin into Peking. Under treaty with the Chinese the United States is allowed to have a regiment of infantry potrol the railroad and this regiment is now on duty there. Only naval troops are allowed on the Yangtse and for landing parties.

In view of the fact that the Chinese now have no government with which the United States may deal and American lives and property are in jeopardy the only consideration will be to furnish protection at all costs it was learned. The delicate situation depends largely on the outcome of a battle which is now being fought, but regardless of how it terminates officials expect to see the armies break up into bands of brigands and the necessity for protecting nationals to continue for a long time.

Troop Need Urgent.

The urgency for more troops has been emphasized in every recent report from Admiral Williams and from the American diplomatic officers in China, it was learned.

The general impression is that it will require more than one year for any faction which may be victorious in the revolution to establish a stable government—one which will be able to protect foreigners.

Until this is done officials make no secret of their intention to keep troops there. It was emphasized in official quarters that the United States is quite willing to negotiate new treaties, withdraw all troops and surrender any special privileges, but will only do so when it can be with the assurance that Americans will be fully protected.

DRILL IN PAY

Vernon Oil Test Nears Producing Sand Level.

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, April 10.—The Atlantic Production company will drill into the pay in its Wilbarger County No. 1 this week it has been announced here. Casing has been set at 1459 feet, and the test is showing for a good producer. It is located on the Day, Land & Cattle survey, adjoining the Fluhmann land.

Murchison & Fain have resumed drilling on their wells in the Fluhmann fields, as have other companies, and the field is a scene of much activity at the present time.

Cornerstone Laid By Woman Forum

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H. Martin was asked to talk, but explained that after hearing the splendid address by Dr. McKenney, he felt that he could not add anything to what had been said.

Dr. McKenney Speaks:

Dr. S. S. McKenney said in part: "This act today has a peculiar significance. It means more than simply erecting a structure.

"It takes into consideration the progress of our work and the purpose of this building. Our minds instinctively turn from the physical to the ideal, while we think of the intellectual and social, the moral and spiritual meaning of this structure and these ceremonies. This occasion will not mean most to us unless we are brought to see the importance of self-culture and social service, and unless we make reverence and religion the cornerstone of character.

Think of Utility.

"First of all, this cornerstone is a thing of utility. It was created for the place it occupies in this splendid structure. Once it was a captive of the quarry, a prisoner of solitude. But a day came when it patiently submitted to the cruel blasts of a dynamite, and to the merciless strokes of the sculpture's chisel, as it dreamed of the place it was to fill in this beautiful temple of thought and service. So long as water lies idly in the giant embrace of the iceberg it is in perpetual bondage, but it finds freedom in rivers and seas as it bears upon its bosom the burdens of the world. So, also, this cornerstone fitted into its place today is a silent reminder that we are to find our spheres of usefulness in the temple of work as well as the temple of worship. Service, rather than idleness and ease, is the object of existence.

"Also, this cornerstone is a thing of beauty. Without it the work of the architect and builder would be incomplete, and but for it the historian would have no tablet or records. It is designed to minister to our aesthetic natures as food and drink minister to our bodily needs. We recall that the stones of the desert suggested to our Lord the need of bread; yet they also remind us that 'man shall not live by bread alone.' The need of beauty is as real as the need of bread. In fact, this building as truly symbolizes its object as these bodies remind us of spiritual necessities.

Symbol of Sociability.

"Again, this cornerstone is a symbol of sociability. It exists not for itself, but it has essential relationship to every other stone in this structure. It could have no final value apart from union with its own kind. The stones of earth get their value from human society. Skyscrapers are not built in desert places, but in populous centers. For this reason houses and lands command higher prices in a city than in the country. Society gives value and permanence to service. Whatever is done for personal gain is selfish; only that which is done for others may be dignified by the name of "social service." The dignity of the insitution which we are establishing today is seen in its social mission. It seeks to unite in service every indidivual and each institution among our noble women who aim to lift our community to higher intellectual, social and moral ideals.

"Finally, this cornerstone is a hint of immortality. The stones of earth are as enduring as the stars of heaven. The great Master tells how the flowers of the field fade and the birds of the air fall; yet, prophets speak and poets sing of "perpetual mountains" and "everlasting hills." Our Lord once said of a great temple, "There shall not be left here one stone upon another that shall not be thrown down." Yet, these fallen stones are not annihilated; they last on! Surely, they are mute reminders of durability of human existence. Somehow we dare believe that man will outlast matter; that ideals are mode enduring than stone and steel. Yea, though the works of man may perish the worker will survive! The painter may leave his ideal upon the canvas, and the sculptor may chisel his ideal in the marble; yet, those who leave their ideals in the sensative minds and the deathless spirits of men will live in deeds that shall last when the waters of the Niagara pass off into vapor and when the pyramids of Egypt lie low in the dust."

Records in Stone.

Articles were placed in the cornerstone by Mrs. Ben G. Oneal, chairman of the building committee and president-elect for next year, and included the deeds to the property, a list of the life members of the forum, the two year books of the organization, a Bible donated by Mrs. A. R. Bleakley, second vice-president and member of the building committee, membership lists of the affiliated clubs and issues of the two local newspapers and of the All Church Weekly.

On one side of the stone is engraved "Woman's Forum, 1927, organized 1925. On the other are names of the officers and building committee of the forum including Mesdames Ola G. Hamlin, president; Ben G. Oneal, first vice-president; A. R. Bleakley, second vice-president; Bert Bean, third vice-president; J. M. Isbell, recording secretary; Claude B. Woods, corresponding secretary; Hubert M. Harrison, treasurer; C. C. Cabiness, auditor; Orville Bullington, Parliamentarian; P. F. Langford, club house chairman; G. D. Anderson, affiliated club chairman; Mrs. Fred Barron, extension chairman. Of the building committee, Mesdames G. D. Anderson, A. R. Bleakley, Hubert Herrison, T. A. Hicks, Ola G. Hamlin, Carrie Joline, P. F. Langford, W. N. Maer, H. B. Patterson and T. T. T. Reese.

Also the names of Sorey and Vahlberg, architects and Robert H. Brown, contractor.

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KAY MEN HEAR 'BIRD' HUTCHINS

Noted Outdoor Authority In Lecture Sunday

Charles Bowman Hutchins, noted "bird man" of Boulder, Colo., and nationally famous wild life enthusiast and authority briefly addressed the Kay Bible class of the First Methodist church at the Strand theater Sunday morning. In addition to a short talk on outdoor life, Hutchins also gave imitations of bird songs which were unusually realistic.

After Hutchins' talk, Judge John C. Kay addressed the Bible class on clean living and the effect of sin. Present at the meeting were 470 members of the Kay class.

"We have enjoyed the bird-man's entertainment, this morning, I think immensely. You know the reason that the bird's throat is so perfect! It is because all his ancestors were without sin. I haven't a doubt but that if all of our folks for a thousand years had been fine and clean, that we could all sing like Caruso, or Sembrick, or Jenny Lind. Every sin, every wrong, every shame, weakens a man, takes away from him, robs him of some talent, some fine thing that he needs.

"Now, the Sunday school lesson this morning, is the beginning of a series of lessons about St. Peter. For some reason, for many reasons, St. Peter has been the darling of the religious world and of humanity. It is because, I think, he was the most human of all the apostles. Under a given set of circumstances, he would do about what the average would do. He came from a little town about the size of Iowa Park, called Capernaum. Some of the writers in New York talk about the provinces and say that nothing can come out of these back-woods settlements like Texas and, yet, Jesus Christ, passing by—not living in, but passing by— Capernaum picked his great triumvirs, Peter, and James, and John, out of one little village. So, it isn't and never was true, that all the brains, or all the religion, or all the character is to be found in any given place.

"St. Peter was one of the first of the apostles. We are going to have a good deal about him here, and we are going to try to show quite a bit of his history. He was present on the night before the crucifixion. He was in the Garden of Getnsemane. He took his sword and cut off a man's ear on that occasion. He was a fighting Christian. You know, the church never did much good except with the battle-ax in her hand. If you are just going to run a church down here with a nice choir, and fine pews, and an eloquent preacher and stop at that, you might as well not have it.

Duty of Church

"The fundamental business of the church, and the duty of the church, is evangelism, curing man's souls is what that means.

"St. Peter was the first man that ever announced the doctrines of the church at the Pentecost where he made his great sermon. You will find, as we go along with those lessons, I haven't time to discuss them this morning, but you will find, as we go along, that he was aggressive, strong, and you see his next walk through the history of his period with the stride of a Colossus, positive. You could find out what he liked, and what he didn't like. And, you could find out who he liked and who he didn't like. And, you could find out where he was going and when he was coming back. Deliver me from a man that hasn't got any views about anything. It is better to be wrong than not to have any view at all. Peter sometimes was wrong, but we never get anywhere without some principles, some views, some hold upon the philosophy of life. I want you to think about that a little bit. I like to see a man who stands for something.

"It is right fashionable these days, among politicians, and other people, to have sort of a "let-'er'slide" doctrine,—sort of a, I forget the French phrase for it, but just let well enough alone and let everything go and it will all work out all right. There is nothing in such a doctrine. I like to see a man stand for something in his community. Now, the politician does that, too, but he first finds out where the big crowd is and then makes up his views. If you good people ever get real intelligent—now, I never did vote as intelligently as I might—but, if you ever do get up to where you think you are intelligent enough to vote rightly, I want you, some time, to vote for some fellow that is beating against the current of popular opinion. Are you big enough to do that? Some time in your life, vote for some fellow who is running counter to the popular clan. Why am I saying that to you? I say it because whether he is right, or wrong, good or bad, in his views, he is honest.

What Is Honesty?

"I don't know whether we ought to talk much about honesty these days, or not. A great man in England, wrote a book and he said that they ought to teach fraud as one of the sciences in the universities in England. Of course, he was writing "The Satire." He said since people were universally engaged in it, they might as well reduce it to a science and go at it right. So that I am saying to you this morning, that this man, with all his faith—and he had a multitude of faults—he was impulsive, human. Sometimes he would lay everything down and quit. He didn't do that as often as some of us, but he sometimes did quit. But, with all that, he was brave, courageous, human, and up-and-going all the time. You can't ever find where Peter fooled away any of his time. The Bible tells about every man in the world, except one. The Bible leaves one fellow out, and that's a loafer. There is no chapter devoted to him in the whole book. It talks about the sinner on a hundred pages, and the bad man on hundreds of pages, and the indifferent man, and the wealthy man, and the poor man, but it no where devotes a chapter to the fellow who won't work and who won't try. He is clear out of it.

"There is one little thing I want you to remember in this particular lesson. It is not in the text of this lesson, but in another gospel where the same story is told. It said that the Savior watched the toil. If you could feel that as you go out in life, trying with all your energy and all your effort, if you could feel that Heaven was watching over you as one who toils and works, it will strengthen your arm at your work, and strengthen your heart.

Peter Was Saved.

"Peter was saved while walking on the water. Humanity likes something present. Now, I have noticed, as all the lawyers have noticed, that if a man gets some money out of this workman's compensation act, that nine times out of ten, rather than take weekly or monthly payments, he wants it all at one time, although he gets less. Humanity wants everything immediately, like saving him from drowning, saving him from leprosy, saving him now.

"They look on that with a great deal more interest than they do other much greater blessings. What is the greatest of all blessings? Now, what is it? It is the mentioned in the Twenty-Third Psalm, where David, after telling of many blessings that are there, mentioned, said "He restoreth my soul". That's the thing a man wants to get cured and helped. That's the miracle of all miracles, the belief of all beliefs that men so much need.

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High Officials Get Death Notes From Friends Of Convicted Slayers

By Universal Service.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—High officials, diplomatic and consular officers of the U. S. have received death threats in a world-wide plot of terror planned to halt the execution of Sacco and Vanzetti, it was learned here today.

Sympathizers of the two radicals who are under sentence to die in the electric chair for murder in Massachusetts, have already launched their drive through which they hope to intimidate officials into committing the sentences to life imprisonment.

Ambassadors, ministers and consuls, in almost every country where there are radical groups, have received letters either threatening their lives or bodily harm unless they intercede for the two condemned men, it was learned. Many high officials in Washington have also received anonymous letters either threatening or appealing to them.

No effort is made to conceal the fact that the government is genuinely alarmed and is taking every precaution. Embasses, legations and consulates which have been threatened are under guard.

At the same department an armed guard patrols the corridor in front of the office of secretary of state, Kellogg. It is the first time since the World war that this precaution has been taken.

As the sentences on Sacco and Vanzetti are not to be imposed until next July. Officials expect the world-wide plot of communists to be limited for a while at least to intimidation only. However, a monster demonstration in many countries is expected on May 1, when communisists celebrate and foreign governments will be asked to afford adequate protection to American property and officials.

The plot is said to exist in almost every country of Latin America, in many European countries and the far east. Officials fear a recurrence of bomb plots which were widespread last May when a new trial was denied the two offenders.

While the United States government has nothing to do with the trial or conviction of the two radicals, sympathizers appear to believe that the government can intervene, or that the governor of Massachusetts may, out of fear of the consequences to government officials, show clemency.

It was pointed out, however, that the matter is entirely in the hands of the state of Massachusetts. The governor, if he wishes to do so, may commute the sentences to life imprisonment. There is much doubt whether the case could be appealed to the United States supreme court on the ground that the defendants had been deprived of any constitutional rights.

POTATO FEES

Reed to Renew Grilling of Sapiro In Trial Today

DETROIT, April 10. (AP)—Continuing with his declared intention to show that Aaron Sapiro by improper legal practice might have alienated some of the fees loss of which he attributed to articles printed in Henry Ford's Dearborn Independent, Senator James A. Reed, of Missouri, chief of Ford's counsel, tomorrow will take up the Colorado potato co-operative.

Dearborn Independent articles mentioning Sapiro's connection with the organization of the Colorado potato growers were stressed in his declaration of alleged libels. One of 20 counts and eight of 36 specific allegations of libel were devoted to it.

FORD STORES CLOSE

Henry Will Tell Grocers of His Methods of Business.

DETROIT, April 10. (AP)The Ford Motor company will close its grocery and general merchandise stores to the public April 18, and will make available to the Michigan Retail Gracers' association its business methods it was announced tonight.

The announcement made by G. N. Staples, general manager of the Ford commissaries was followed by the appointment of a committee by the association which will study the Ford methods. The association also engaged a firm of auditors to make a complete report on the Ford plan with a view to adoption by small merchants of any practices found feasible.

PISTOL THEFT

Two More Taken In Burglary of Home On 15th Street.

Burglars who entered a home at 802 1-2 15th street Sunday morning took a pearl handle automatic pistol and a 22 caliber pistol besides two dresses and negligees. Police records show that seven pistols, one rifle and one shot gun have been stolen in Wichita Falls within the past 30 days.

PIONEER DIES

Mrs. Elizabeth Presley, 66, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Veros at 1400 Kemp boulevard at 5:20 o'clock Sunday afternoon. In addition to her daughter, she is survived by one brother, Dr. I. J. Howard of Salina, Okla. Funeral services will be held Monday, at a time and place to be announced later, with the Burris-Shepherd funeral home in charge of the rites.

HEIR TO VAST FORTUNE HELD

Paris Singer Faces Charge Of Land Fraud

By Universal Service.

WEST PALM BEACH, April 10.—Assertions that Paris N. Singer, heir to the Singer Sewing Machine company millions, sold $1,500,000 worth of real estate under false pretenses, resulted in his arrest and release today under $20,000 bail.

The charges grew out of the operations of the Palm Beach Ocean Realty company of which Singer is president. Paul I. Majewski, attorney, representing several plaintiffs, applied for the warrant on which Singer was arrested.

Singer left for New York this afternoon without making any statement. He is said to be going to consult additional counsel.

Holt Hotel Will Offer Program

Broadcasting Station Installed For Local Service

A real up-to-date radio station, capable of broadcasting to guests of the Holt hotel and passersby in the streets near the hostelry was operated for the first time Sunday night at the Holt with G. B. (Toby) Durnal, former announcer for station WRR, Jefferson Hotel, Dallas, in charge.

Regular programs are to be broadcast over the station which is equipped with microphone and loud speakers, hooked up to give the greatest efficiency possible.

The first "air" program was presented Sunday night from 6:15 to 8:30 o'clock with Toby Durnal and members of the Holt Hotel Entertainers orchestra giving the principal numbers. Another program will be presented Monday night at the same hours.

Local talent is invited to take part in the Holt programs by Announcer Durnal who set two sessions Monday for meeting talent volunteering services. He will meet those desiring to offer their services at the Holt between 11 and 12 Monday morning or 3 and 5 Monday afternoon.

A special feature of Monday night's program will be presentation of "The Panhandle Rag" arranged by Fred Telour.

ANOTHER RUMOR

Officers Discredit Reports Of Pampa Bandits Here.

Reports received Saturday night by police that two of the bank bandits being sought all over Northwest Texas and Oklahoma for robbing the bank at Pampa April 1 were at a local hotel or would arrive there that night was discredited by officers after making an investigation.

The report was made anonymously and is not the first of its kind made here, according to police. Officers have not yet found any indications that the robbers have been in Wichita Falls, it was stated.

Police were told Saturday night that Matthew Terral and Ray Kimes, believed by officers in the Panhandle to have participated in the hold-up, were here or would arrive here that night.

APPAREL SEIZED

Men's Clothing Taken From Suspects By Officers.

An expensive Gladstone bag filled with men's wearing apparel was found in the possession of three men brought here Saturday night from Vernon to face the grand jury in connection with a local harness burglary.

Police are of the opinion that the bag and clothing, all of which is new, were taken from a store somewhere in North Texas or Oklahoma although Sunday night they had heard of no burglary in which articles similar to those held were taken.

The clothing consits of shirts, underwear, silk ties and one pair of trousers. All of the articles have on them cards with price and cost marks. A number of wrappers for men's socks, were in the bag.

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JIM CASSELL

FADED PHOTO HOLDS HONOR

Man Has Picture as Only Clue to Wronged Girl

By Universal Service.

SOUTHAMPTON, April 10.—Upon a faded photograph depends the honor of an American woman, and the mental happiness of a London shopkeeper.

The photograph is that of a beautiful, young woman. It was taken 20 years ago.

The shopkeeper is Leslie Orton, of London, now retired from active business life.

Orton, carrying the photograph, is going to the United States to find, if he can, the woman of the picture, and to make amends for a wrong he unwittingly committed 20 years back.

According to his story, Orton was an intimate friend of the young woman's husband. In conversation with him on one occasion, he made certain derogatory statements about a woman, not knowing that the subject of his ill-advised remarks was the wife of the man to whom he was speaking.

The statements separated man and wife. Later, Orton learned that his remarks had been quite unfounded.

"The woman went to live in Baltimore 17 years ago," said Orton today. "And I am going to try and find her. If it is not too late, I will atone for the grave injustice which I did.

"I have saved a little money, and I will spend all of it in my quest, if necessary."

And so, with a heavy conscience, a faded photograph, and the determination to make amends, Orton is heading for America.

TEACHER NAMED

Chicago Principal Accused Of Improper Actions.

By Universal Service.

CHICAGO, April 10. — Avery Wolfrum, public school principal will be tried here tomorrow on charges of contributing to delinquency of girl students, it was announced tonight.

Indicted by the grand jury after six girls had accused him of undue attentions, Wolfrum was removed pending the outcome of the trial.

Dallas Woman Praises Tanlac

Mrs. J. A. Wakefield Ascribes Complete Relief From Bowel Trouble, Nervousness and Loss of Strength to Wonderful Tonic.



"At a time when I was troubled with irregular bowel movements, I became very nervous and was down in weight" writes Mrs. J. A. Wakefield, of 1504 W. 12th St., Dallas, Texas, wife of an electrician for the Dallas Power & Light Co. "My husband, under even severer conditions of stomach pains, gas, bloat, etc., had been completely relieved by Tanlac. So I, too, took Tanlac, and likewise with splendid results.

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Father Sends His Girl From Home

By Universal Service.

NEW YORK, April 10.—"I will not return to father. I love him. But from now on I shall lead my own life."

This was the ultimatum delivered by Murial Elizabeth Savin, twenty-six, adopted daughter of Frank W. Savin, millionaire banker and oldest living member of the New Yory stock exchange.

Savin has closed the doors of his palatial home, Westchester Hall, on the Boston Post road in Portchester, to Muriel and his adopted son, Charles Edy Munroe, sixty. He has become tired, Savin says, of their desires for thrills and excitement, of their preference for late hours.

WOMAN DIES AT AGE OF 77

Mrs. Mattie C. Mitchell Claimed By Death

Mrs. Mattie C. Mitchell, 77, died at the home of her son, W. B. Mitchell, seven miles south of Wichita Falls on the George Keith ranch at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Mitchell was a pioneer resident of Wichita county.

Funeral services were tentatively announced to be held at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Merkle Undertaking company chapel with the Rev. N. L. Ingle, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, conducting. Burial will be in Rosemont burial park.

Mrs. Mitchell is survived by six sons and one brother as follows: J. L. Mitchell of Cheyenne, Okla.; J. N., D. B., and C. C. Mitchell of Sherman, and W. B. and H. M. Witchell of Wichita Falls. Her brother, L. D. Newman lives at Richmond, Colo.

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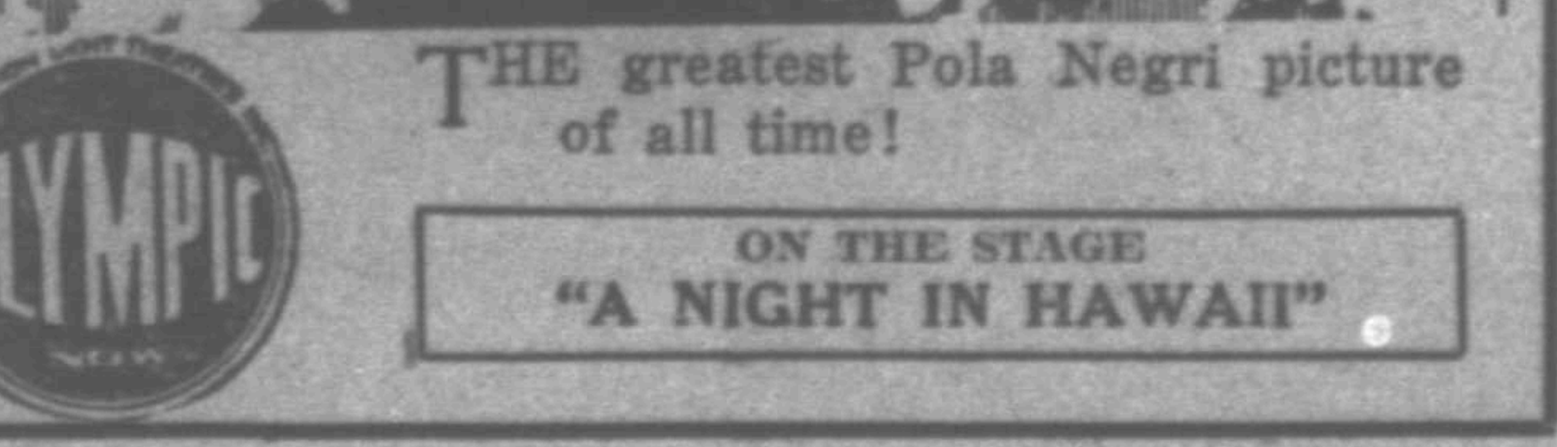


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