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ALFONSO'S ABDICATION EXPECTED MOMENTARILY

Major Leagues Open Season Today With Pre-Depression Throngs Expected

CITY TAXES SPLIT INTO THREE INSTALLMENTS

BASEBALL TO REGAIN THRONE IN GOOD HEALTH

Big Investments Made For Players and Improvements Belie 'Slump'

HOOVER LEADS FANS

Opening Ceremonies Will Be as Colorful As In Any Year

By ALAN GOULD
Associated Press Sports Editor

NEW YORK, April 13.—It's fair and warmer along the baseball fronts for the grand opening of the major league season Tuesday.

Far from feeling any pinch of the times, the 16 American and National league clubs have marshalled reinforcements, increased the wages of many of their star performers and otherwise set the stage for a gala getaway as well as a brisk campaign and big business all summer long.

Approximately 230,000 fans are expected to turn out for the eight opening games, prepared to give the great American sport an appropriate sendoff and attack the fresh supplies of peanuts, popcorn and soda pop with patriotic enthusiasm.

Hoover to Attend

President Hoover heads the list of notables, who will figure in the opening ceremonies, featured, according to time-honored custom, by formal parades, floral tokens and the hoisting of flags.

The president, who saw the Philadelphia Athletics clinch the world's series in the final game last October, will be on hand to watch Connie Mack's champions start the defense of their title against the Washington Senators, generally regarded as the outstanding rival for the American league honors this year.

There will be no special attraction, except for the annual debut of

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Osage Tribe Mourns Death of Aged Agent

PAWHUSKA, Okla., April 13. (UP)—The Osage Indian tribe was in mourning tonight for Maj. Laban J. Miles, 87-year-old Indian agent and uncle of President Herbert Hoover, who died here.

Funeral services for the pioneer will be held tomorrow with burial at Arkansas City, Kan. For 53 years Major Miles had been associated with Indian work here among the Osages, richest of all tribes because of their oil land.

Aimee's Mother Wins Breach of Promise Suit

OLYMPIA, Wash., April 13. (AP)—The state supreme court today affirmed a King county judgment dismissing H. H. Clark's breach of promise suit against Mrs. Minnie A. Kennedy, mother of Aimee Semple McPherson, Los Angeles evangelist.

Clark, a pastor and co-worker of Mrs. Kennedy's in evangelical activities in Seattle prior to the time he instituted his suit, should have been glad to have escaped marriage with Mrs. Kennedy under the circumstances, the court said.

Rangers to Be Used In War on Slot Machines

AUSTIN, April 13. (UP)—Adjutant General Bill Sterling tonight announced plans for a statewide campaign against slot machines that are operated in violation of the law. Local officials will be asked to take the lead.

Where they fail, rangers will be used. Local officers are being sent copies of a ruling by the attorney general on what constitutes prohibited machines.

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BUT TRUE

ITALY'S WONDER OF THE WORLD

ONE of the seven wonders of the world is the marble bell tower in Pisa, Italy. Its construction was begun in 1174 and completed in 1350. After the first three galleries were completed, the tower began to dip. The slant of the tower, which was 14 feet from the perpendicular, has increased an additional foot in the last century. Work was begun in 1928 to straighten the foundation, but not to straighten the structure. The tower rises to a height of 179 feet, with the bells in the uppermost gallery. An inner stairs of nearly 300 feet leads to the top. Builders and contractors use the Classified Advertising columns of the Daily Times-Record News to keep in constant touch with the public. If contemplating building and repairing of any nature, turn to the Want Ads and patronize the Daily Times-Record News advertisers.

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Firemen Trapped With Workers In Underground Fire

CHICAGO, April 13. (AP)—Overcame by fire and smoke in an incompleted sewage tunnel tonight, at least five men were killed, an undetermined number trapped underground and 33 rescued unconscious.

Among those still caught in the incompleted bore were firemen and a battalion chief who had climbed into the acrid haze to rescue laborers felled at their work.

A little group of workers at the far end of the two-block tunnel were believed safe, penned in a tiny air chamber which was blocked off by special gates and supplied with air through pipes to the surface.

Two of the known dead were firemen who went into the tunnel unprepared for the choking smoke. The other three were laborers. The laborers were tentatively identified as John Miller, and John Bradzicks; one fireman was said to be Anthony Hrubec.

Doctors from the whole west side, ambulances from all sections of the city, and every inhalator squad were on the scene three hours after the fire first was noted by families living nearby.

Chief John Finn of the 25th battalion, said 18 firemen from engine company No. 23 and truck company No. 14 were unreported. He believed them dead.

MARINE DEATH REPORT DENIED

Headquarters Can't Confirm Ambush Story

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, April 13. (AP)—United States marine headquarters said they had received no official report which would confirm dispatches to Panama City that Lieutenant Darrah and Sergeant Taylor, U. S. M. C., had been killed in a bandit attack at Logtown in northeastern Nicaragua.

Reports that Capt. Harlin Pefley had been killed in ambush near Logtown on Saturday were officially confirmed.

Lieutenant Darrah, headquarters said, left Puerto Cabezas, 70 miles from Logtown, with 12 national guardsmen on Saturday evening and engaged the bandit force at two points. There were about 125 men in the attacking band, all armed with rifles and machine guns.

In a skirmish on Sunday one of Darrah's men was wounded.

Two marine airplanes out of Managua dropped food and ammunition to Darrah at about noon Sunday. The pilots reported when they returned that Darrah was patroling the Logtown sector and was in telephone communication with Puerto Cabezas.

Unconfirmed reports from the east coast this evening said six civilians were missing and unaccounted for and it was feared they had been ambushed.

Marine headquarters issued a flat denial of another report that 25 marines had been killed. Officers here said there were not that many marines on the east coast.

GUNBOAT DISPATCHED TO TROUBLE ZONE

WASHINGTON, April 13. (AP)—The gunboat, Asheville, was moving toward Nicaraguan waters tonight to cope, if necessary, with insurgent activity in that country.

At the state department it was said she would land no forces unless the situation proved much more serious than official reports had indicated.

Official advices received by the navy department mentioned the death of only one marine, Capt. Harlan Pefley.

Ex-Premier Wakatsuki Again Given Portfolio

TOKYO, April 14. (Tuesday)—(AP)—Emperor Hirohito today directed Reijiro Wakatsuki to form a new cabinet to succeed that of Yuko Hamaguchi, which resigned yesterday.

Wakatsuki, a former premier and Japan's chief delegate to the London naval conference last year, was summoned to the palace by the emperor early today. After receiving his instructions, he conferred with other leaders.

It was expected he would submit his cabinet to the emperor late today when he formally will become premier.

MAY 1 MADE FIRST DATE FOR PENALTY

Council Instructs Attorney To Draft Ordinance Under New Plan

ALDERMEN INSTALLED

Second Tax Payment to Fall June 15, and Third On Aug. 1

Taxes levied by the city of Wichita Falls will be split in three installments, due May 1, June 15 and Aug. 1, it was decided Monday night at the meeting of the city council.

Under authority of the charter amendment adopted in the election last week, the council instructed City Attorney Thelbert Martin to draft an ordinance providing for the installment payments. One third of the total tax will be due on each of the dates set by the council.

Election Canvass

Interest and penalty for non-payment of taxes will be levied from the date of first delinquency as follows:

Penalty of 4 per cent if first payment is not met; 3 per cent penalty for failure to meet other payments; 6 per cent interest to be added for date of first delinquency.

A report to the city council was made of the official canvass of votes returned in the city election of April 7, and was approved.

The official vote was given as follows:

Total votes cast, 3538.

For alderman place No. 1, C. E. McCutchen, 2,042; P. B. Cox, 1,496.
For alderman place No. 2, J. M. Spoonts, 2,047; Fred L. Cone, 1,494.
For alderman place No. 3, R. O. Harvey, 2,053; W. B. Corlett, 1,483.

In the balloting on charter amendments, the canvass revealed that a total of 3,010 votes was cast. Amendment No. 1, regarding the meeting dates of the city council, received 2,266 affirmative votes and 744 negative votes. Amendment No. 2, providing for deferred payment of city taxes, received 2,399 affirmative votes and 560 negative ballots.

McCutchen, Spoonts Take Office

Mayor Walter Nelson administered the oath of office to C. E. McCutchen, alderman for place No. 1, and to J. M. Spoonts, alderman for place No. 2, who were inducted into office. Installation of R. O. Harvey, elected to place No. 3, was deferred due to his absence from the city.

The ordinance on city taxes is to be drafted and presented to the council for approval at a later meeting. No discussion was held concerning the amendment providing that the council meet at least once a month.

Rites Said for Children Burned in Home Fire

KILGORE, Texas, April 13. (UP)—Ernest Eugene Harper, 8, and his younger brother Leonard Harper, 6, who were burned to death when they tried to start a fire with kerosene were buried here today. They were the sons of C. O. Harper, a teamster.

Bandit Gets $500 From Auto Tax Collections

HENRYETTA, Okla., April 13. (UP)—The Henryetta auto tag agent's office was robbed here this afternoon by a bandit who escaped with $500.

A. R. Garrett, tag agent, was alone when the bandit walked into the office at 1 p. m. Threatening Garrett with a gun, the bandit seized the Saturday's receipts which Garrett was preparing to take to the bank.

He escaped in an auto.

Youth Goes to Trial In Mexican's Death

LAREDO, Texas, April 13. (UP)—Harlan B. Carter, 17, went on trial here today charged with murder in connection with the fatal shooting of Ramon Casiano, 16-year-old Mexican boy, March 3. Because of the defendant's youth, the state will not ask for the death penalty.

Spur Mechanic Charged in Death Of Girl in Hotel at Crosbyton

CROSBYTON, Texas, April 13. (AP)—A charge of murder was filed here this afternoon against J. N. Edmonson, 30-year-old Spur mechanic, as the result of the death of Miss Elsie Forman, 19, his companion whom he said he found dead in a room with him in a Crosbyton hotel Sunday morning.

Edmonson waived examining trial and was bound over to wait the action of the Crosby county grand jury. His bond was set at $2,000. It had not been made tonight.

The girl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Forman, living 10 miles west of Spur, apparently died sometime between 1 a. m. and 11 a. m. Sunday morning, Edmonson stating to officers that he found the young woman dead when he awoke. The couple registered at the hotel as man and wife.

Following an inquest, decision of which was held up pending the outcome of an autopsy, the girl's body was taken to Lubbock where a physician examined it, removing the stomach to be sent to the state laboratories at Austin.

Illinois' Dry Repeal Is Vetoed

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 13. (UP)—Gov. Louis L. Emmerson vetoed a bill today which would have repealed Illinois' prohibition laws. Governor Emmerson held that the measure was an attempt to nullify the 18th amendment in Illinois.

Emmerson explained his veto in a 1,500-word message which the state legislature will receive upon reconvening tomorrow.

The governor said that repeal of the state dry laws would be a step toward nullification of the federal constitution. Citizens of Illinois, however, are against "conditions which followed the 18th amendment and the enforcement acts under it," the governor continued.

"I am equally satisfied," he added, "that the American people do not want and will not attempt the correction of these evils by wiping out all regulatory regulations.

"This is unthinkable, but it is the principal of the repeal bill."

Emmerson said that if the repealer had contained a referendum provision "I should have felt compelled to sign the bill."

DEMO WOMEN THREATEN BOLT

Raskob's Resignation Is Dry Group Demand

WASHINGTON, April 13. (AP)—A threat of revolt against the Democratic party unless John J. Raskob resigns as chairman of the national committee, came today from within the biennial convention of the national woman's Democratic law enforcement league. Coupled with this demand, were heated attacks upon Governor Roosevelt of New York, former Governor Al Smith, Governor Ritchie of Maryland and former Senator Reed of Missouri.

Mrs. Jesse W. Nicholson, president of the league, characterized all four in her keynote address as "disqualified wet candidates seeking the nomination for president on the Democratic ticket."

With hardly a pause the convention adopted a resolution praising William Gibbs McAdoo, and sent him a telegram "commending and thanking him for refusing to serve on the committee" to welcome Jouett Shouse, chairman of the Democratic national executive committee, upon his arrival in Los Angeles.

Hoover Praised

These actions, all applauded, were interrupted while more than 100 of the Democratic women went to the White House to call upon President Hoover. They went, Mrs. Nicholson said, to "endorse his stand in the past on prohibition."

As the women filed through the president's office Mrs. Nicholson said:

"I want to introduce you to these good Democrats who have come a long way to see you."

"Very pleased to see you," President Hoover replied as each passed.

Clash With Wets

Conceding it was unusual for a Democratic delegation to call at the White House, Mrs. Nicholson said they intended nevertheless to pay their respects to "a constitutional president." Many of the women, she said, voted for Mr. Hoover in 1928.

Meantime there were clashes between the women dry advocates and the anti-prohibitionists, gathering here for the annual meeting tomorrow of the woman's organization for national prohibition reform.

Mrs. Henry W. Peabody, chair-

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Gold Strikes Reported From Yukon Section

JUANEAU, Alaska, April 13. (AP)—Advices received today from Skagway, said gold quartz of high value had been struck about 40 miles northwest of Carmacks in the Yukon.

A. Warner West, Los Gatos, Calif., writer and lecturer, reaching Seattle Saturday on the steamship Yukon, from the north, reported ore assaying gold valued from $8 to $320 a ton had been found northwest of Carmacks.

Student Gets Suspended Term for Car Theft

SWEETWATER, Texas, April 13. (UP)—Alfred Holman, 20, senior at Texas Tech, was today given a two-year suspended sentence after pleading guilty to stealing an automobile to go to see a football game in Fort Worth last fall. T. H. Holman, his father, said he had given the boy money to buy a railroad ticket to the game.

Condition of George V Continues to Improve

LONDON, April 13. (US)—King George is continuing his improvement, it was stated tonight at Windsor palace, where the monarch has been confined for the last 10 days by an attack of sub-acute bronchitis.

LAST SERVICES TUESDAY FOR T. L. COPLIN

Death Claims Deputy Oil And Gas Supervisor At Home Here

12 YEARS IN SERVICE

Two Pastors to Officiate At Rites Today at 4 o'Clock

Funeral services for Thomas Lee Coplin, 55, deputy oil and gas supervisor for the Texas railroad commission who succumbed here at 11:30 o'clock Monday morning after a lingering illness, will be held from the home, 1409 Tilden street, at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. S. S. McKenney, pastor of the First Methodist church, and Dr. C. M. Simpson, pastor of the Floral Heights Methodist church, will be in charge of services. Burial will be in Riverside.

12 Years in Service

For 12 years Mr. Coplin had been deputy supervisor for the oil and gas division of the railroad commission. The area under his supervision comprises the east half of Wichita county, and Cook, Clay and Montague counties. In this territory it was his duty to enforce the regulations of the oil and gas division of the commission.

A native of Groesbeck, Texas, where he was reared, Mr. Coplin subsequently identified himself for 30 years with the affairs of his state. For seven years prior to his removal to Wichita Falls in 1918 as the agent of the railroad commission, he was chief clerk of the court of criminal appeals at Austin. Prior to that time he was connected with the state comptroller's department at Austin. He removed to Austin from Beaumont, where he had been engaged in the banking business.

He was considered an authority on oil and gas conditions in North-

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Mrs. Longworth Silent About Succeeding 'Nick'

CINCINNATI, Ohio, April 13. (UP)—It was believed improbable today that Mrs. Alice Longworth will become a candidate for the congressional seat left vacant by the death of her husband, Nicholas Longworth, speaker of the house.

Mrs. Longworth has been in seclusion since her husband's funeral Saturday. She declined to receive interviewers today.

Independents, Republicans and Democrats will seek the seat, it was indicated.

A special election will be held in November.

Vega Voters Decide To Build Water System

VEGA, Texas, April 13. (AP)—Vega will build a municipal water system, voters of the city decided today in a $25,000 bond election which carried by a vote of 95 to 56.

The system will include wells, reservoirs, pumping equipment and distributing mains. Construction will start as soon as bonds can be sold and contracts let.

A great deal of interest was shown in the election, all but 14 of the city's voters going to the polls.

Slayer of Two Taken To Tyler As Safeguard

ATHENS, Texas, April 13. (AP)—Charlie Douglas, 40, who surrendered to officers here after the fatal shooting last night of his son-in-law, Davis January, 24, and his sister-in-law, Miss Texana Hall, 46, was taken to the jail at Tyler for safe-keeping, it was learned today.

Douglas was charged with murder today. Sheriff Baker of Athens had removed him to Tyler shortly after Douglas surrendered.

Holcombe Polls Heavy 'Write-in' Vote for Mayor

HOUSTON, April 13. (AP)—The apparent defeat of the proposed special city recreation department tax was reflected tonight in partial returns from the city general election, unofficially compiled, showing 3,662 votes against the tax and 414 for it.

Meanwhile Mayor Walter E. Monteith, Democrat, had polled 3,832 votes for re-election. He was unopposed, but 289 votes had written in on their ballots the name of former Mayor Oscar F. Holcombe, defeated for the Democratic nomination by Mr. Monteith in the party primary.

Trio of Jail Breakers Re-Captured at Presidio

MARFA, Texas, April 13. (AP)—Three of four prisoners who escaped from the jail at Presidio Saturday night were back in jail today. The fourth man, held on a charge of cattle theft, still was at liberty.

Salt Water Flow In Kilgore Wells May Cut Down Drilling

DALLAS, April 13. (AP)—Curtailment of drilling plans in the new East Texas oil field was indicated here today as an immediate result of reports that the Magnolia Petroleum company No. 1 Florey and the Burton Drilling company No. 1 Florey were making salt water. Some operators estimated reduction of extent of field by as much as 50,000 acres.

Operators expressed the belief that significance of the salt water strike outside of the Kilgore area could not be definitely predicted yet. It has brought a reduction of contemplated drilling activity westward, however.

The Sun has abandoned several locations where derricks were up and other companies are expected to change their locations farther east where possible.

KILGORE, Texas, April 13. (AP)—The Magnolia Petroleum company's No. 1 Florey well near here today was reported making 65 per cent salt water. The Burton Drilling company's offset to the Florey well was estimated making 20 per cent salt water.

The Burton well came in for an estimated 30,000 barrels of oil but had been pinched down to 200 barrels daily. Oil operators here estimated that 50,000 acres of proved territory on the west side of the pool would be affected by the salt water strike.

STATE PRORATION PLANS PROCEED

AUSTIN, April 13. (AP)—The railroad commission laid plans today to eforce proration against all oil properties in the new East Texas field except those in which Carl Estes was interested, after Fred Upchurch, assistant attorney general, haid said such enforcement would

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Wichita County's First Deep Producer Shuts Off Water Seepage Above Sand

Pipe Split by Terrific Shot Allows Water to Enter at 1950 Feet; Increased Output Indicated

A string of six and five-eighth casing will be run to shut off water from a split joint caused by the 500-quart shot in the Deep Oil Development company's No. 1 Munger well north of Kemp City in Wichita county. The water is coming in at a depth of 1,950 feet, high above the saturated formations.

The well, which was shot Sunday morning, responded by making several flows into the derrick and later continued flowing natural through the four-inch discharge pipe into the pit, despite the bridge that had formed at a depth of 3740 feet.

Early Monday morning the gas pressure increased and a number of good flows were made, one going to the top of the 114-foot derrick.

When the six-inch pipe is run the task of cleaning out the hole with its load of mud and cavings will begin when the production will reach between 600 to 700 barrels a day.

SHALLOW WELL FLOWS "NATURAL"

A quarter mile extension to the Texas-McKanna shollow pool in the Newcastle area of Young county was in prospect Monday night with the Lee and Brashear No. 2 Jeffries flowing by heads after having only scratched the sand at 714 feet.

The well topped the Gunsight formation at 702 feet, had gas sand at 707 feet, a sand showing oil at 712 feet and at 714 feet the spasmodic flow started, according to a report Monday night. The well was said to be flowing through eight-inch pipe.

Location is in the northeast corner of the north 15 of the south 35 of the west 80 acres of section 42, T. E. L. survey, being northwest of the Larimore pool and Newcastle. It is on a 130-acre lease. The best well in the area made 500 barrels and indications were the Lee-Brashear test would equal that performance. Additional sand will be drilled Tuesday.

Army Fliers Jump When Bomb Jams in Ship

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., April 13. (AP)—An army bomber pilot and his passenger this afternoon escaped in parachutes when a bomb struck in the releasing device and could not be disengaged.

Fearing to land with the bomb dangling beneath the plane, the occupants, Capt. Robert G. Breene, air corps, and Maj. Charles A. French, coast artillery, decided to jump. They reached the ground safely.

Some distance away, the empty plane crashed and was demolished by the charge. The accident occurred during maneuvers.

Texas Rancher Charged With Smuggling Cattle

DEL RIO, Texas, April 13. (UP)—Charged with smuggling stolen cattle across the Rio Grande river from Mexico and blotching brands, John Martin, rancher, was today arrested by state rangers and federal officers and held under $1,000 bond for each charge.

SHOT WOUNDS HITCH-HIKER

Greer Man Jailed After Shooting at Granite

Special to The Record News.

MANGUM, Okla., April 13.—Joe Nichols, who gives his address as U. S. A., is in Border McGregor hospital near death from a pistol wound and J. R. Hulin, 30, is in Greer county jail following a shooting affray Monday morning near Granite.

Hulin, who is a resident of this county, told officers this morning that he picked up Nichols near Deming, N. M., last week and was bringing him to Mangum. Nichols was recently released from the Granite reformatory.

Last night, according to Hulin, they spent the night in Hulin's car near Brinkman and early this morning started to Granite. Hulin claims that Nichols told him that he was going to obtain five gallons of whisky that he had buried near the pump station on reformatory property.

When they arrived at the pump station, Hulin claims that Nichols started beating him over the head with a hammer, knocking him into the edge of the water. Hulin said he drew a pistol and fired twice. The second shot struck Nichols in the pit of the stomach.

"Don't kill me," Nichols cried, according to Hulin.

Hulin stated that he then took Nichols to Granite and he was brought to the hospital in Mangum. Nichols has denied Hulin's version of the shooting.

Armed Gang Loots Ice Cream Plant of $5,000

CHICAGO, April 13. (AP)—Five bandits armed with shotguns raided the Borden Ice Cream company plant on the south side today, held up a woman and seven men and escaped with $5,000 from the safe.

Canada and Mexico Are Terminals for Highway 62

MUSKOGEE, Okla., April 13. (AP)—U. S. highway 62 was characterized here today as a road likely to be "wet at both ends while dry at the middle."

E. Bee Guthrey, secretary of the U. S. Highway 62 association, said at the annual convention the route would be extended into Canada on the North, and through El Paso, Texas to Mexico on the South.

House Votes to Submit County Home Rule Amendment to People

AUSTIN, April 13. (UP)—The Texas house of representatives voted today to submit a constitutional amendment giving home rule to counties. The popular vote is to be taken in the general election of November, 1932, if the senate follow house action.

The proposal was adopted by the house, 103 to 24. This is three votes more than was necessary to submit. It will have to get 21 of the senate's 31 votes to win there.

Under it counties can adopt whatever charter form of government they desire. They can combine city and county governments but in that case the vote must be counted separately for city and rural districts and must be favorable in each.

The form of government, number of officers and details are left to the counties, with the exception that the jurisdiction of district courts and district attorney cannot be limited and the legislature will

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DYNASTY'S END FORESEEN AS CABINET QUITS

Demands for Republic Grow on Heels Of Victory

FORCE THREATENED

Leaders Insist on Full Realization of 'Will Of People'

LONDON, April 14. (Tuesday) (AP)—King Alfonso of Spain late last night informed the Madrid correspondent of the Daily Mail he had no intention of abdicating the throne, and expressed the wish the London newspaper publish his assertion.

It is his intention, he told the correspondent, to act in strict accordance with the constitutional and Royalist traditions of Spain.

LONDON, April 14. (Tuesday) (UP)—The abdication of King Alfonso of Spain is expected momentarily, according to a dispatch received from Madrid by this morning's Daily Herald.

The Herald's correspondent states that the king is expected to go to England. He adds that, following the midnight cabinet meeting presided over by the king, the ministers returned to their department offices, presumably to collect their papers before resigning.

By CLARENCE DUBOSE
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MADRID, April 13. (AP)—Count de Romanones, minister of state, announced tonight the entire Spanish cabinet will resign tomorrow as the result of Republican victories in yesterday's municipal elections, and that Juan De La Cierva, present minister of public works, will attempt to form a new conservative-monarchist cabinet.

The announcement followed a long debate among members of Premier Aznar's cabinet as to the advisability of remaining in office. Count de Romanones said the new cabinet would not include representation of liberal monarchist elements.

Three members of the cabinet, including the Count, gave King Alfonso their resignations today.

Leaders Confident

The premier himself denied tonight that Alfonso would abdicate, but rumors persisted the end of the monarchy was at hand.

The trend of popular reaction to the Republican triumph was illustrated in the tone of a manifesto issued this evening by the executive committee of the Socialist Labor party one of the units which shared in the victory at the polls.

"After the smashing victory of our ideals in the Sunday election," the document read, "we will oppose strenuously any attempt to delay or prevent the realization of the will of the people."

The uncompromising declaration was taken as an indication the Socialists are ready to fight any effort made to hinder the establishment of a republic in Spain.

Monarchy Doomed

Shaken as never before by the crushing Republican victories, the

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'Choc' Hembree Sanity Hearing Postponed

M'ALESTER, Okla., April 13. (AP)—Hearing by a sanity board in the case of E. S. (Choc) Hembree, Indian, condemned to die in the electric chair April 17 for criminally attacking and shooting a woman school teacher, was not held today.

Penitentiary officials said they had received no notification as to when sanity examiners would arrive to question Hembree. Governor Murray has declined to interfere to prevent Hembree's execution for attacking Leota Bosley of Loco, Okla.

Escaped Convict Faces Attempted Murder Trial

SANTA FE, N. M., April 13. (AP)—Mickey Flynn, escaped New Mexico convict who was captured in Kansas City, will be turned over to Plainview, Texas, authorities, where he is wanted on charges of assault with intent to kill, Warden Ed Swope said today.

"If Texas can't convict him," the warden added, "we will bring him back to New Mexico to finish his term. He has a year more here."

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy, colder in west portion Tuesday; Wednesday fair, colder in north and east portions.

OKLAHOMA—Cloudy, probably scattered showers Tuesday or Tuesday night; Wednesday partly cloudy, scattered showers in east portion; somewhat colder.

EAST TEXAS—Cloudy, probably scattered showers Tuesday; Wednesday partly cloudy, colder except in southeast portion. Moderate to fresh southerly winds on the coast.

Weather conditions in Wichita Falls and vicinity during the 24-hour period ending at 5 p. m. Monday were reported by the Texas Electric Service company bureau as follows:

Maximum temperature	78
Minimum temperature	52
Temperature at 5 p. m.	76
Precipitation, none.	
Southwest wind.	
Average wind velocity	3
Maximum wind velocity	5
Barometer	29.12

DEMO WOMEN THREATEN BOLT

Raskob's Resignation Is Dry Group Demand

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man of the women's national committee for law enforcement, in an open letter to Mrs. Charles Sabin, chairman of the anti-prohibitionists, demanded a correction of the latter's statement yesterday that it was "ludicrous" to say the dry group represents 12,000,000 women.

Bolt Threatened

Mrs. Rushmore Patterson, socially prominent in the capital, also attacked a statement by Mrs. Sabin that "no prohibitionist can be elected president of the United States in 1932."

Mrs. Nicholson, in her keynote address, served notice that unless Raskob resigns a move would be initiated to have organized Democratic women desert the party.

"We cannot and we will not support a candidate offered to us by Tammany leadership . . . for our party to become the liquor party would tend to divide rather than unite same," she said. "We want to support a Democratic candidate for president—but it can only be done on the basis we suggest."

State Leaders Join Greer Democrats In Jefferson Tribute

Special to The Record News.

MANGUM, Okla., April 13.—Greer county Democrats, assembled for the annual Jefferson day banquet at the Franklin hotel Monday night heard Congressman Jim McClintic, Snyder; Claude Weaver, secretary to Gov. W. H. Murray, and Baxter Taylor, Murray's legal adviser. Approximately 175 men and women gathered at the banquet table, where Elmer V. Jessee, chairman, presided.

Congressman McClintic sketched the history and accomplishments of Jefferson, and Claude Weaver pictured the third United States president as the father of Democracy. Baxter Taylor recounted the problems of the state in dealing with extradition, his especial legal province. Music for the occasion was furnished by the orchestra from the state reformatory at Granite under the direction of Mrs. G. A. Waters.

The three speakers of the evening were brought to Mangum in the private airplane of Dr. G. Fowler Borger, mayor of Mangum, who was their host. They will return to Oklahoma City Tuesday.

Pastor Attends Conference

Rev. Patrick Henry, pastor of the Highland Heights Christian church, left Sunday afternoon for Indianapolis, Ind., where he will attend a conference for secretaries of mission boards. He will return the latter part of the week.

Gives Real Joy To Eczema Sufferers

If you are tortured with itching skin, try cooling, liquid, antiseptic D. D. D. Relieves eczema, rashes, scales, eruptions and other skin troubles. Penetrates the skin, soothing and healing the inflamed tissues. Clear and stainless—dries up almost immediately. Get D. D. D. today. If the first application does not instantly relieve even the most intense itching—your money back. 35c, 60c, $1.25. At all drug stores.—Adv.

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What makes *good* teeth?

Calcium forms the basis out of which the teeth are formed, says modern science, and a sufficient amount of Calcium and Phosphate in the diet is necessary to the growth of bone structures, especially those of the mouth.

Of foods naturally rich in Calcium and Phosphate milk is usually considered the richest. But Rumford Baking Powder is so rich in these healthful elements that one Rumford biscuit contains as much Calcium as a half glass of milk and more Phosphate than a whole glassful.

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BASEBALL DAY

Kelly to Tell Ad Club Of Value of Spudders To Wichita

Tuesday has been designated "baseball day" for the weekly meeting of the Ad club at the Kemp hotel, according to the announcement of the program committee.

A. E. Kelly will deliver the principal address and will talk on the merits of baseball as an advertisement for Wichita Falls.

House Passes Home Rule Bill

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have the right to strike out any provision considered inimical to public policy.

Advocates say it will lessen county expenses by doing away with duplicating officers and substitution of fixed salaries for fees. It also will relieve the future legislators of the biennial flood of local bills amending county affairs.

Immediately after the successful vote on submission of this constitutional amendment, R. M. Hubbard had consideration of the $212,000,000 state highway bond issue constitutional amendments set for Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. Notice of the setting was ordered sent to all absentees. These amendments have already passed the senate.

Lobby Bill Dies

A bill to require paid lobbyists to register and prohibiting service for or against measures on a fee contingent upon the result, was killed. It received 59 favorable votes and 70 against it.

East Texas' new prosperity from oil production was cited by South Texas senators today as a good reason for discontinuing state rural school aid, but failed to stop passage of a bill extending the aid for two years more.

With only four dissenting votes, the senate passed the measure, which takes $5,200,000 from the general fund, for equalization of school expenses and payment of tuition of rural students who transfer to urban high schools. The bill now goes to the house.

Plan Questioned

Rural aid is granted to rural schools of from 20 to 300 scholastics in districts where a school tax of not less than 75 cents on the $100 valuation is levied. Such aid has been granted since 1914.

Senator T. J. Holbrook of Galveston questioned the constitutionality of the rural aid plan, and read figures on the way aid is distributed to counties. A court of civil appeals has upheld the plan, but the supreme court has not yet decided its constitutionality.

Woodcock Outlines Policy on Grape Wine

WASHINGTON, April 13. (AP)—Prohibition Director Woodcock served notice today the makers of grape concentrates fermentable into wine will be prosecuted whenever it can be proved their product is sold with "intent" that it become "intoxicating in fact."

STIFF? MUSCLES—JOINTS SLOAN'S Liniment

'FLAW' FOUND IN OIL INJUNCTION

State Prepares to Carry Out Proration Order

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not be violative of the injunction granted Estes last week.

The injunction restrained the commission from enforcing proration against Estes, lease and royalty owner, and "all others similarly situated," in the new field. That had been construed to mean that proration could not be enforced against any one in the new area.

Proration Starts Soon

Upchurch decided today, however, the injunction applied only to Estes and to his partners in three tracts, embracing 72 acres.

R. D. Parker, supervisor of the oil and gas division of the railroad commission, said the commission, acting in accordance with Upchurch's opinion, would begin the enforcement of proration within a week.

"From the report investigators are now making, as a result of appointment of committees at Longview and Henderson meetings Saturday, we will be able to fix schedules of allowable production and otherwise carry out our plan," Parker said. "It is possible that after potentials of the fields are taken as of the present day the commission may raise somewhat the allowable production above the 90,000 barrels per day specified in its original order."

Many Favor Curb

"We think the attorney general's opinion is correct and feel certain the court did not intend to make the injunction so sweeping as to include the properties of many East Texas operators who were not in sympathy with the injunction."

Upchurch stated the injunction petition was brought for Carl Estes of Tyler only and in his individual capacity. "It does not even attempt to allege he is bringing this sut it any other capacity nor does it allege there are any other persons in Rusk, Gregg or Smith county who are similarly situated," Upchurch said. Estes is secretary of the East Texas Lease and Royalty Owners and Producers association.

It was considered possible that other East Texans opposed to proration would file injunction suits. Renne Allred, Henderson attorney, said Saturday he would file another suit and interventions in the Estes suit.

Lon A. Smith, a member of the railroad commission, regarded the appearance of salt water in two East Texas wells reported today as a boon to proration efforts. Prorationists contended that unrestricted flow caused water encroachment

ESTES PREPARES TO OPPOSE MOVE

TYLER, Texas, April 13. (AP)—Carl Estes, secretary of the East Texas Lease and Royalty Owenrs association, today called upon "every lease and royalty owner interested in protecting themselves to get in touch with me in Tyler as quickly as possible." He had been notified of Assistant Attorney General Fred Upchurch's statement at Austin in which Upchurch interpreted a district court injunction as exempting only Estes' properties from proration.

MAGNOLIA CONFIRMS WATER ENCROACHMENT

DALLAS, April 13. (AP)—The Magnolia Petroleum company offices here today announced that the Magnolia's No. 1 Florey, near Kilgore, had struck salt water. Depth of the well was not given.

"That is getting over on the west side of the area," one official commented, "and we were not surprised."

Blaze at Refinery Does Little Damage

Fire breaking in the hot oil pump room at the Taxman refinery on the Iowa Park road caused slight damage Monday night. The blaze occurred, workmen said, when the line carrying hot oil broke. The oil, it was explained, ignites on coming into contact with air.

The oil supply was shut off before the blaze spread. Oil already in the line furnished fuel for a hot blaze, which was quickly extinguished with the use of 150 gallons of chemicals by firemen from three city stations.

Death Suspect Guarded As Kerrville Trial Opens

KERRVILLE, Texas, April 13. (UP)—Five state rangers stood guard in the district court here today as B. H. Hunter and his three sons, Lester, Bert and Jimmie, went on trial charged with murdering John Conner, Uvalde chief of police, Dec. 20.

Conner was slain behind a theater at Uvalde operated by the Hunters. The case was sent here on a change of venue.

Sterling Sets May 1 As Child Health Day

AUSTIN, April 13. (UP)—Gov. Ross Sterling today issued a proclamation designing May 1 as child health day and asked cooperation in suitable activities for the promotion of public interest in health and development of children.

HIGH TEMPERATURE

CHICAGO, April 13. (US)—High temperature and dry winds swept across the country today. In Chicago the thermometer reached 80.

For child's cold

Try this safe, quick, pleasant treatment to check your child's cold. Put some Mistol up the nose with the handy Mistol dropper (in every package). Right away comes the cool, velvety sensation as the swollen, sore membranes are relieved and the infection checked. Doctors use it. Your druggist has it. Get a bottle today!

Mistol

Little Theater Scores Success In Difficult Pulitzer Prize Play

By W. L. UNDERWOOD
The Record News Staff

"Why Marry" in its first-night showing by the Little Theater Monday night was not entirely free of first night blemishes; but it was so well formed, so highly colored, so fervently spirited and so admirably gaited as to assure a thundering finish before the end of its six-day showing this week.

Jesse Lynch Williams' Pulitzer prize winner is a large undertaking for any cast other than one composed of tried veterans of the stage. That the local Little Theater actors mastered it sufficiently to sweep their small audience Monday night off its feet with the play's climax is a real tribute to the seriousness of their study and the thoroughness of their preparation.

The public will find the garden-forum on marriage exhilirating. It was used by the author for a frank, bold discussion of wedlock from the standpoint of the individual, the state and the church. The individual influences, but does not triumph—for in its final evolution, the play is faithful to modern life.

The life of the piece is in its presentation of conflicting philosophies in the realm of love and marriage. Consequently, long speeches are of necessity given to leading characters. It is that element in the play which imposes a severe task upon the varying spokesmen, and almost as trying an assignment upon supporting characters who must maintain a background subdued yet never inert nor dormant.

Humor in the lines of "Why Marry" is confined almost entirely to those given to Harold White's "Judge Grey."

As Helen Grey, Miss Avalon Rines contributes one of the most convincing characterizations thus far produced by the Little Theater. Her voice responds so generously to dramatic demands that physical gestures may consistently remain delicate and restrained. Miss Mary Virginia Barron capitalized the few moments given her to demonstrate a most appealing impersonation of little Sister Jean. Miss Erma Schnelle was exactly the hushed, subdued housewife of a domineering, successful man of finance. Woody Benner, Jack Chedester, J. W. Thorne, Gerald Coffey and Douglas Smith complete the well-appointed cast.

Music Monday night was furnished by Misses Ruth Lucile Crouch, Ruth Lucile Snyder, violinist; Mrs. Joe Crouch, pianist; Mrs. Drury Brasfield, whistler.

AUTO STRIKES WICHITA GIRLS

Sisters Escape Serious Hurts In Accident

Struck by an automobile as they crossed a street, two sisters, Nadine Glenn, 12, and Ruby Glenn, 9, were at the Wichita General hospital Monday night suffering from painful, although not serious lacerations and bruises. They are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Glenn, 2000 Fifth street.

Earle Brooks and Herbert Pogue, motorcycle officers who investigated the crash, said that Jack Staley, young son of J. I. Staley and the driver of the automobile that struck the children, apparently was not to blame. The accident occurred, the officers said, when the two little girls were crossing the street at Tenth and Van Buren streets. They stepped from behind one automobile, it was said, into the path of the Staley machine.

Both were unconscious when carried to the hospital in a Merkle ambulance. Later it was said their injuries apparently were not serious.

TRUCK RUNS DOWN BOY ON BURK ROAD

A 12-year-old boy was at the Wichita General hospital with a fractured hip Monday night after he had been struck by a truck near his home on the Burkburnett road. Both city and county officers Monday night sought the driver, who failed to stop after the accident.

The youth, J. E. Swayze, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moore, was attended at his home, the old Friberg farm, by Dr. D. Meredith and Dr. Bailey R. Collins immediately following the accident. He was returning to his home after a visit with neighbors across the road when he was struck by the truck. He was unconscious when found on the pavement.

Later he was transferred to the hospital in an ambulance. In addition to a fractured hip, the boy sustained severe bruises on the head.

Officers investigating the crash and seeking the driver of the truck were Tom Poe and W. E. McDonald, city detectives, and Sheriff Perry Browning and Tim Colligan, deputy.

Last Services Held For Mrs. Edith Hill

Funeral services for Mrs. Edith Hill, 71, were held Monday morning from the First Christian church, with Dr. H. T. Wood, the pastor, officiating. The body was then forwarded to Houston, where burial will be in Forest Park cemetery.

Mrs. Hill had been a resident of Wichita Falls for six years, residing here with her daughter, Mrs. P. F. Davis, 1322 Giddings street. Her death occurred Sunday afternoon at a hospital here after a brief illness. She was active in the affairs of the Woodman circle and of the Rebekahs.

Surviving are three sons, one daughter, four sisters and two brothers.

New Food Inspector Named by Farrell

V. V. Musick, formerly assistant manager of Silver's store here, has been appointed food inspector for the city, it was announced by Dr. J. M. Farrell, chief city sanitary inspector.

Mr. Musick replaces C. F. Jarrell, who resigned his position to accept a place with an oil refinery in Lemont, Ill. Mr. Musick will assume his new duties on April 15, Dr. Jarrell said.

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Smoking (or some food you like) may disagree with you, causing a distressing, gassy feeling, heartburn, sour stomach or indigestion. For almost immediate relief, eat two or three Tums—often one Tum is enough. Delicious, sweetens the breath. Get a handy roll today at any drug store. Only 10 cents.

TUMS for the Tummy

TUMS ARE ANTACID—Not a Laxative
For a laxative, use the safe, dependable Vegetable Laxative NR (Nature's Remedy). Only 25c NR

Rites Today For T. L. Coplin

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west Texas. He was a member of the Rotary club, in which he took great interest. He was also interested in civic affairs and the activities of the chamber of commerce. Each week during Mr. Coplin's illness, several members of the Rotary club have met at his home, holding "Rotary club meetings" in order that the attendance record of Mr. Coplin would be maintained with the local club.

During his illness the affairs of his office were in charge of Gen. T. D. Barton.

Mr. Coplin became ill about three months ago. His death occurred Monday at his home after he had shown improvement from the illness.

Pallbearers Named

Active pallbearers will be C. C. McDonald, W. M. McGregor, J. C. Straus, W. J. Grisham, Dr. J. C. A. Guest, C. E. McCutchen, Carter McGregor and Howell E. Smith.

Honorary pallbearers are members of the Texas railroad commission, C. V. Terrell, Lon A. Smith, Pat M. Neff and R. D. Parker; and T. D. Barton, Electra; Leslie McRay, Austin; W. P. Laughter, San Antonio; Goodson H. Rieger, Houston; R. C. Lomax, Beaumont; F. H. Pierson, Dallas; I. J. Killough, Eastland; O. H. Burkett, Olney; J. T. Elliott, Amarillo; John Hoffer, San Angelo; J. F. Fouch, Laredo; J. M. McDonald, Pampa; J. A. Moorehouse, Stockton, and J. L. Martin, Tyler.

Surviving Mr. Coplin is his widow, Mrs. Fannie Coplin, to whom he was married in 1913. She had been associated with the First National bank here for a number of years.

YOUR CHILD'S COLD needs attention. Children's Mild Musterole, safe "counter-irritant," applied every hour for 5 hours, should bring complete comfort.

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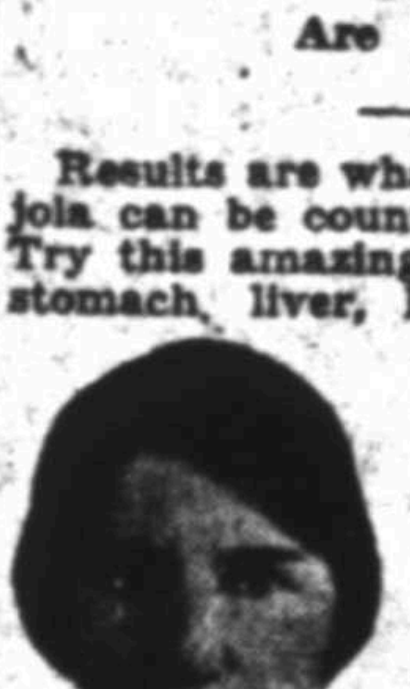
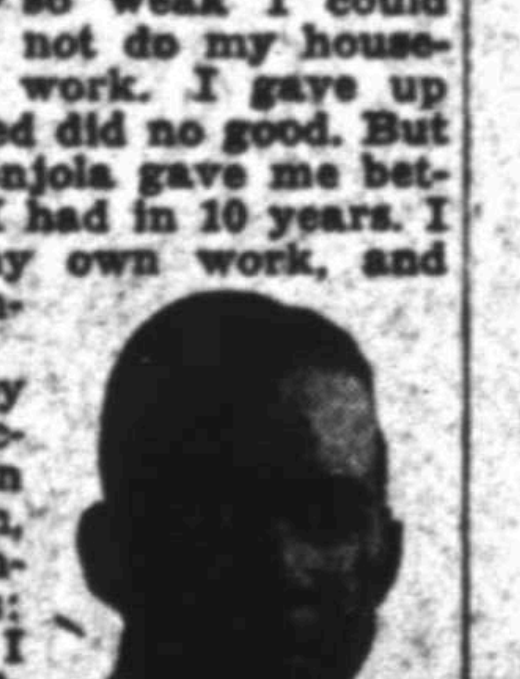


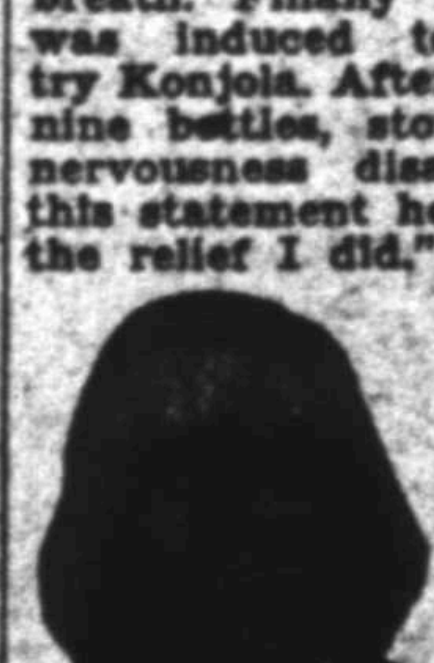
Mrs. James O. Goode

Just consider what Konjola did in the case of Mrs. James O. Goode, of Lorena, near Waco. She says: "Eight years of stomach and kidney troubles left me so weak I could not do my housework. I gave up hope, as all I tried did no good. But six bottles of Konjola gave me better health than I had in 10 years. I am doing all my own work, and am glad to endorse Konjola."



Mr. J. F. McHenry

And how happy Mr. J. F. McHenry, 1701 Brun street, Houston, was made by Konjola. He says: "Fifteen years I had stomach trouble; bloated so that I could hardly get my breath. Finally I was induced to try Konjola. After nine bottles, stomach trouble and nervousness disappeared. I hope this statement helps others to find the relief I did."



Mrs. Thomas Hall

Now read the grateful expression from Mrs. Thomas Hall, 303½ S. Ervay street, Dallas: "Konjola surprised me beyond words. For 26 years I had neuritis. Many a night I sat up all night. I kept getting worse, and about to abandon hope. Nine bottles of Konjola did wonders. Neuritis is practically gone; kidneys are functioning as they should. I am able to do things I could not do for years."

Konjola contains no alcohol, no nerve-deadening drugs, no heart-depressing chemicals. It needs no such ingredients.

Buy Konjola in any good drug store anywhere.—Adv.

SPAIN EXPECTS ABDICATION

End of Monarchy Looms After Election

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throne appeared doomed tonight, unless there develops foruitous elements not apparent at present.

Just how soon or in what way the monarchy may end and a republic be established is not yet clear. The crash may be postponed and it may be avoided, but no neutral observer in Madrid can see how. The writing on the wall since yesterday's balloting unmistakably decrees a republic. Not even the king's strongest supporters see how he can erase or revise that verdict.

The king, however, has shown a great flair for meeting crises threatening his throne and has come through successfully on more than one occasion.

Republican leaders late today broadly threatened to establish one by force if their desires were not granted.

Rumors the king will abdicate and perhaps leave Spain to live in London or Paris persistently sweep the city. Government officials themselves seemed bewildered and some of the king's closest advisors frankly confessed they did not know what should be done.

Unemployed Council Thanks Business Men

The following statement was issued Monday afternoon by the unemployed council:

"The unemployed council wishes to take this means of expressing our gratitude and thanks to the business men of Wichita Falls for the donations they are making and their loyal support to the unemployed. Our distribution of food is running full blast seven days a week, so get in line.

"To feed the hungry, get in touch with J. B. Marlow and the city officials, or call Arbuckle's store, 6317.

"T. C. Green, chairman; J. K. Isenberg, secretary; Jack Holder, H. D. Sigmon, Earl McKee, C. T. Gimlin, A. C. Wilkins, committeemen."

Rites Thursday For O. R. Dunn

Funeral services for O. R. Dunn, brother-in-law of W. E. Brothers, who died Sunday in Birmingham, Ala., will be held here at 11 o'clock Thursday morning from the home of Mr. Brothers, 1700 Pearl street. Dr. George P. Horst, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will be in charge.

The body will be received here Tuesday by the Merkle Undertaking company, which will be in charge of arrangements. Burial will be in Riverside.

Pallbearers will be W. L. Hawkins, S. J. Ashmore, D. C. Walker, George D. Keith Sr., A. D. Magner and I. E. Harwell of Burkburnett.

Mr. Dunn was a member of a prominent Fort Worth family. His death followed a brief illness. Mrs. Dunn was formerly Miss Maggie Brothers of Wichita Falls. Funeral arrangements were delayed for a time due to the illness of Mrs. Dunn, who is in a Birmingham hospital following an operation.

Bricks more than 3,500 years old have been used in building a small railway station in Mesopotamia.

Amazing Stomach Prescription To End Torture For Millions

Don't suffer any longer with burning, acid stomach, gnawing knife-like pains before or after eating, belching, bloating, heartburn, dizziness, fullness, short breath, gas and headache from acidity. New prescription ACIDINE stops pain and gas and quickly ends acid stomach trouble. Get ACIDINE from your druggist today—costs only a few cents—and say good-bye to acid stomach torture.

ACIDINE is the only known remedy which contains Japtase, that in laboratory tests, digests 800 times its weight of certain heavy, starchy foods which cause trouble. It neutralizes burning acids, soothes irritated stomach linings, stops gassy headaches, sleeplessness and nervousness. No other known remedy contains this combination to end acid stomach. ACIDINE also fortifies you against colds by reducing acidity.

Get ACIDINE today at your druggist. Watch how quick acid indigestion, burning stomach, belching, pain heartburn, dizziness, fullness, short breath vanish. Eat, drink all you want. Maker refunds money if not delighted.—Adv.

Lion Owner Fined In Death of Texas Child

SAN ANTONIO, April 13. (AP)—Clark Coley, owner of a Mexican lion which, on Jan. 23, clawed and bit to death 2-year-old Viola Friesen, pleaded guilty today to a charge of negligent homicide and was fined $150 and costs.

The fine was agreed on by attorneys and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Friesen, parents of the victim, who told the court they believed the fine was sufficient. The court was told that Coley paid the victim's funeral expenses and other expenses. There was no testimony.

Three women who escaped in their night clothes from rooms above a blazing store at Hull, England, recently, were over 70 years old.

FATIGUE MAY CAUSE COMMON COLD

System is More Susceptible to Infection When One is Exhausted

Nearly every cold that is suffered got its start when the afflicted was "tired out." A fatigued person is easily chilled, and when this condition occurs the sneeze and sore throat make their appearance.

Since most every one experiences fatigue in mid or late afternoon, it is wise to overcome this condition by eating or drinking something sweet. Candy, cookies, sweetened beverages and ice cream are quickly digested, and the energy in the sugar is ready at once to restore vigor. For children, a slice of bread and butter sprinkled with sugar is an appropriate "pick-up."

In these winter days, the importance of diet in relation to the resistance of the system should not be overlooked. The person who eats a wide variety of wholesome food fortifies himself against disease. Good food promotes good health. The Sugar Institute.

A washer tub as thick as the sole of a man's shoe; a tub that triumphs over time and elements . . . *life-lasting*, neat, compact . . . a *one-piece* tub holding four gallons more than ordinary washers. Such is the cast-aluminum tub, originated by Maytag; moulded to the *scientifically designed shape* that creates the most effective water action.

A washer is no better than its tub. The world's finest washer has *the finest tub* . . . the cast-aluminum tub with handy hinged lid, and counter-sunk gyratator. Underneath the gyratator is a sediment zone which collects the loosened dirt, and keeps the water clean.

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Use it wherever there is an electric wall plug. The only ironer with Alakrome Thermo-Plate that assures faster, more even heat distribution.

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HOOVER LAUDS RELIEF WORK

President Congratulates Red Cross' Efforts

WASHINGTON, April 13. (AP)—In a speech recalling the recent drouth relief controversy, President Hoover today congratulated the Red Cross for its work in that disaster and for its dependence upon voluntary assistance exclusive of federal charity.

Mr. Hoover, who is president of the relief organization, declared it had again been put to a severe test "not only as to practical ability to meet national disasters but a test involving its whole moral and spiritual purpose."

"You have, under most difficult handicaps," he said, "again demonstrated that it can meet and relieve human suffering in any national disaster."

James L. Fieser, vice chairman in charge of domestic operations, said almost 800,000 families had received help from the Red Cross during the drouth and that more than two-thirds of these have been restored to independence through farm loans or intermediate credit facilities.

"The drouth victims are again tilling the soil," he added, "and the country is again under cultivation and will play an important part in the re-establishment of national prosperity," he said.

Fieser listed the following as "assets" resulting from the drouth relief program:

"Hundreds of thousands of people are better fed than under prevailing standards, gardens and pasture lots have been encouraged, children are happier through better food, courage is re-established in drouth stricken America, special groups like the Oklahoma Indians have been aided, and new neighborliness has been created."

Capone Accused Of Influencing Court

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 13. (UP)—Scarface Al Capone was mentioned today as having henchmen here and wielding a powerful influence for the protection of his Kansas City interests.

Judge Albert L. Reeves of district federal court, now sitting at Springfield, asserted by long distance telephone that Capone's power was thrown into the case of Joe Tingle, oil man, sentenced to serve two years in the federal penitentiary on conviction of violation of the prohibition laws.

Judge Reeves made the statement in amplifying his comment in the Springfield court that the Chicago gangster brought an "amazing influence to bear on legal forces in efforts to free his agents."

Tingle was convicted twice, winning an appeal from the first sentence of two years but having a similar one returned at the second trial sustained by the appellate court. He was indicted in connection with the alleged operation of a brewery at his oil warehouse.

Nation-Wide Search On For Frank L. Kilton

NEW YORK, April 13. (AP)—Police in all parts of the nation were called upon today to search for Frank L. Kelton, 51, pioneer in the development of the coin-in-the-slot turnstile, missing from his home in Brooklyn since March 19.

On the day of his disappearance he packed two bags, put them in his coupe and drove off without telling his wife his destination. She believed he had set out on a business trip, but became alarmed when she received no word from him. Police of New York were asked to help when a private search had failed.

A large sum of money deposited in a Brooklyn bank had not been touched since his departure.

How to Stop Skin Itching In 2 Minutes

If you suffer from skin eruptions of any kind, pimples, itch, tetter, ringworm, eczema, etc., a pleasant odored ointment, known as Tetterine, containing highly effective parasite germ-destroying and skin-healing properties, never fails to bring quick and permanent relief.

Tetterine, by its cooling, soothing, antiseptic effect, kills the parasites that bore into the skin, causing irritation and itching. Tetterine is sold and guaranteed by all druggists at 60c a box, or sent direct, postpaid, upon receipt of price. Shuptrine Co., Savannah, Ga.—Adv.

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Every Spring take S.S.S. Tonic

Franklin D. Roosevelt Leads Poll Of Texas Demo Delegates of 1928

By RAYMOND BROKS

AUSTIN, April 13.—Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York is the first choice for president in 1932 of those who were Texas delegates to the Democratic national convention of 1928 in Houston.

Governor Roosevelt held a majority of expressions made by the former delegates in a poll this week, with Owen D. Young next and the rest of the endorsements scattered among seven others, including Will Rogers.

Answers were made by approximately 20 delegates out of the group of 100 who cast the 40 Texas votes at Houston for a favorite son, Jesse H. Jones of Houston.

Liquor Issue Rapped

Jed Adams, Democratic national committeeman from Texas, has condemned the reintroduction of the liquor issue in next year's presidential campaign, in reply to the poll made by John J. Raskob. Mr. Adams has not gone on record as to his presidential choice, but said, in conversations at Austin, that he "favors a man of the type of Joseph D. Robinson of Arkansas."

Governor Roosevelt ran away from all the others in the mail poll of members of the last Texas national delegation. He scored two and one-third times as many votes as Young. Senator Robinson of Arkansas, vice presidential nominee with Alfred E. Smith three years ago, trailed slightly behind Young. Former Governor Byrd of Virginia, William G. McAdoo, George White, Cordell Hull and Will Rogers were listed as preferences of others. Former Gov. Alfred E. Smith did not get a single expression of choice.

The poll was secret, except where specific authority was written by the delegates to quote their views.

Demos "Should Win"

F. M. Newman of Brady, a lifelong prohibitionist, said he "likes Governor Roosevelt and would not oppose his nomination, provided he develops sufficient strength to make him an available candidate.

"The Democrats should win the next election," he declared. "In order to do so, we should have a strong candidate who is acceptable to the people." Mr. Newman was a Smith supporter before. He protested that prohibition should not be an issue in the campaign.

Alvin S. Moody, Houston ultra-dry leader who turned to the Hoover camp after Governor Smith's nomination, wants a dry, progressive leader for democracy. He favors McAdoo as his first choice, and suggested both Senator Cordell Hull and George White as other suitable choices.

H. P. Hornby of Uvalde is favorable to Governor Roosevelt's nomination; but if Roosevelt isn't nominated, then he would join in a vote for the humorist-humanitarian Will Rogers who came to Texas to raise a drouth relief fund while congress quibbled.

Davidson for Robinson

Former Lieut. Gov. Lynch Davidson, chairman of the state harmony Democratic organization which assisted Gov. Dan Moody win a victory in the Beaumont state convention that named the Texas delegation in 1928, is a staunch supporter of Joe Robinson of Arkansas, and is opposed to Roosevelt's nomination.

A Central Texas delegate who did not authorize use of his name also declared himself against Roosevelt and in favor of Robinson.

Senator George C. Purl, Dallas, is opposed to Roosevelt, and ready to support Governor Byrd of Virginia or Senator Cordell Hull of Tennessee.

One of the commitments for Owen D. Young came from E. R. Cheeseborough of Galveston, who opposes Roosevelt. "I am opposed to making prohibition an issue. I favor making the economic condition and lack of Republican constructive leadership the theme," he said.

Others for Roosevelt

W. M. Sleeper of Waco is for Governor Roosevelt, as are also E. B. Alford of Henderson and W. J. Pollard of Paris. Dr. W. T. Dunning of Gonzales, former state commander of the American Legion, is another Roosevelt supporter out of the former national delegation.

R. E. Sherman, El Paso, stands solidly behind Roosevelt as the best party selection next year.

A North Central Texas delegate declared himself opposed to Roosevelt, and in favor of Owen D. Young for president and Senator Edward R. Costigan of Colorado for vice president. His vote called attention to Costigan's impending visit to Texas to address the legislature in what is expected to be a feeler in the presidential race for nomination.

Kester Denman, Lufkin, disapproves of Roosevelt as a potential Democratic candidate, and favors the nomination of Owen D. Young, the business man and international banker.

National Committeeman Jed Adams declared prohibition "just a pimple, compared with the cancers of economic maladjustment and distress that the Republican party has fostered or ignored.

"I believe we Democrats should operate to remove the cancers, rather than devote all our attention to the pimple," he said.

It's a question of filling empty stomachs, rather than slaking thirsty throats, Mr. Adams said. He adopted a phrase used by former Gov. Dan Moody in a condemnation of the Raskob influence in the party, made in Governor Moody's farewell address as governor.

"There are good Democrats on both sides the modification question," Mr. Adams commented.

FLIER KILLED

MARION, Ill., April 13. (UP)—Walter R. Frick, 26, secretary of the Gray Eagle Flying service here, was killed when his airplane crashed at the municipal airport while stunting for Sunday visitors at the field yesterday.

Lobby Registering Bill Considered

AUSTIN, April 13. (AP)—A bill to require registration of legislative lobbyists was considered temporarily in the house today but shunted aside for action on the Beck home rule constitutional amendment resolution set for special order. The lobby bill, by Representative Johnson of Carrizo Springs, would require all persons lobbying for or against any bill to file an itemized statement of expenditures with the secretary of state.

Johnson accepted an amendment by Representative Anderson of San Antonio, which would prevent state executive and appointive officers from lobbying for two years after they had relinquished office, but after the amendment was adopted moved to reconsider the vote, saying he had changed his mind and had not given careful consideration to the amendment before its acceptance. The vote was reconsidered.

An amendment was offered by Representative Graves to the Anderson amendment which would prevent lobbying by elective officers or heads of bureaus or commissions. It was adopted and the Anderson amendment, as amended, was left in the air when the Beck resolution was taken up.

Anti-Christ Display In Moscow Marks Easter

MOSCOW, April 13. (AP)—Demonstrations of the godless were staged as counter attractions to the Russian orthodox Easter but they failed to detract from the enthusiasm of thousands who crowded Moscow's 500 churches for the special services.

Bands of young atheists singing anti-religious songs held mock services in the streets of the capital, flaunting banners inscribed: "Down with Jesus Christ," and "Long Live Leninism." Old tram-cars were fitted as altars and manned by youthful mockers as they were pushed through the city.

For hours before the services in the churches started at midnight Saturday crowds strove to gain entrance into the churches, the number of which has been depleted by 1,100 in the last few years. Many were bruised in the crush.

Wellington Man Moved To Post at Jayton

Special to The Record News.

WELLINGTON, Texas, April 13.—B. Handley of Wellington has been named manager of the Texas Uutilities company's branch office at Jayton, Texas, it has been announced by the company's headquarters at Abilene, and he begins his new duties in that city immediately.

Mr. Handley has been employed continuously with the West Texas Utilities company in Wellington since it secured its properties in this city six years ago. Prior to that time he was employed at the city light plant in Wellington for a period of two years.

Filipino Held After California Slaying

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Calif., April 13, (AP)—A. J. Ateo, 23, Filipino, saved from an angry crowd at Avila, Calif., after the slaying of one youth and serious wounding of another, was held in the county jail today.

The Filipino was accused of fatally shooting Andy Scurri, 16, and wounding his brother, Johnny Scurri, 19. Police said Ateo told them the Scurri boys were teasing him.

Ateo hid in a store when the crowd collected. The sheriff arrived as the crowd was endeavoring to break into the building.

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W.T.C.C. INVITES CITY PLANS

Lubbock Convention to Act On Projects

Special to The Record News.

LUBBOCK, Texas, April 13.—All towns affiliated with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce are being asked to submit all matters of territorial import they want considered and acted on by the annual convention of the organization May 14, 15 and 16 in Lubbock, to the work of the convention committee, headed by Walter Cline of Wichita Falls.

The request for this action has gone to all local chambers of commerce in West Texas from the W. T. C. C. convention headquarters in this city in charge of Assistant Manager Maury Hopkins.

All such propositions, after being submitted to the Cline committee, will be presented before the business sessions of the annual convention for consideration, and will, if approved, be made a part of the program of the organization.

Construction Starts On Oklahoma City Hotel

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 13. (UP)—A large crater that on a downtown corner for a year has been a sore to civic pride, was being converted into a 26-story, $3,500,000 hotel today.

Crews started work today on the new Biltmore hotel. Foundations were completed a year ago, but work was halted when difficulties arose over financing the project. The hotel is expected to be ready for occupancy within a year.

Van Dyke Paid Full Amount He Claimed

M'ALESTER, Okla., April 13. (UP)—B. F. Van Dyke, who for three months was acting warden at the state penitentiary and had his $1,200 salary claim refused by the state auditor, left his post today—paid in full.

Convicts permitted drafts from thier personal funds to be drawn to pay the former acting warden's salary. A spokesman said they did this in appreciation to Van Dyke's policy of abolishing solitary confinement at the penitentiary.

They also gave him a gold watch.

Sam Brown, Elk City lumberman, replaced Van Dyke, a Granite attorney, as warden today. The senate refused to confirm Van Dyke's appointment and the auditor canceled his salary claim.

Instead of imposing the solitary confinement penalty, Van Dyke made unruly convicts do hard labor.

Dry Law Arrests Increase in March

WASHINGTON, April 13. (INS)—Arrests for violation of the federal prohibition law in March numbered 5,273, bringing the total for the nine months ending March 31, to 45,278, Prohibition Director Amos W. Woodcock announced today.

While arests were heavier than in February speedier court procedure cut the number of pending cases from 23,589 on Feb. 28 to 21,548 cases a month later.

Woodcock characterized March as the best month from the standpoint of prohibition since the justice department took over the task of enforcement July 1.

SOONER ROAD CONTRACTS DUE

Jackson, Harmon Bids Get Action Today

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 13. (UP)—Bids on grading, drainage and bridge work in three counties will be opened by the state highway commission tomorrow, Secretary Ed McDonald, of the commission, announced today.

The projects included:

Jackson County—3.521 miles on U. S. highway No. 62 east of Duke.

Harmon County—10.787 miles on U. S. highway No. 62, east of the Texas state line.

Mrs. Nixon-Nirdlinger Must Remain in Jail

NICE, France, April 13. (INS)—Definite decision was reached by the magistrate's court today that Mrs. Fred G. Nixon-Nirdlinger, who confessed to slaying her wealthy husband in self-defense, must remain in jail here while awaiting trial.

The former St. Louis beauty, whose fatal shooting of the Philadelphia theater magnate during a family quarrel provided the Riveira with an unusual sensation, will apper for trial at the forthcoming May court sessions.

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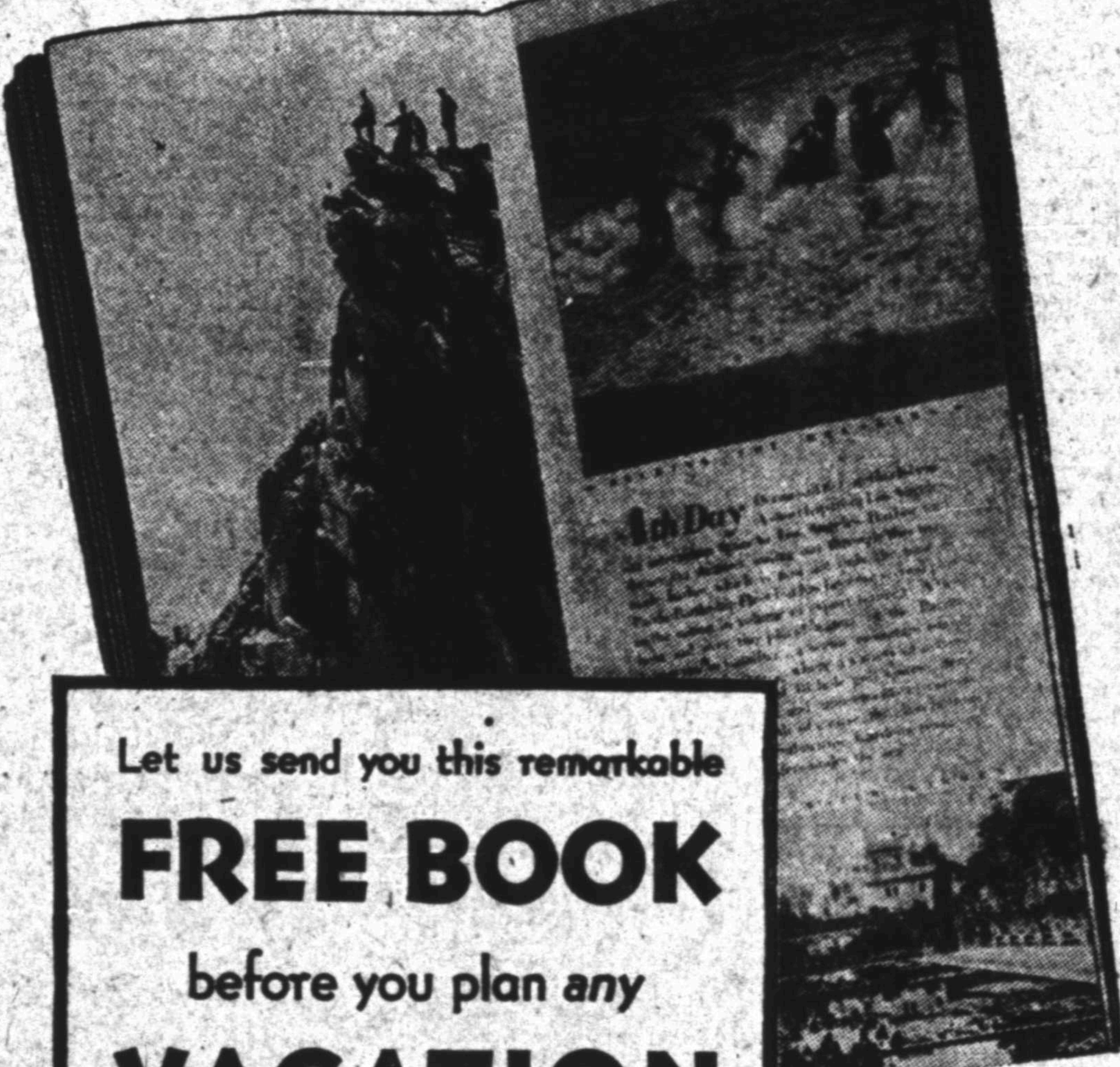

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Supreme Court Upholds Arkansas Train Laws

WASHINGTON, April 13. (UP)—The supreme court today upheld the Arkansas full train and full switching crews laws which were challenged by the Missouri Pacific railroad in a test case which may prove applicable to similar laws in other states. The decision for this reason was considered of great importance in labor circles.

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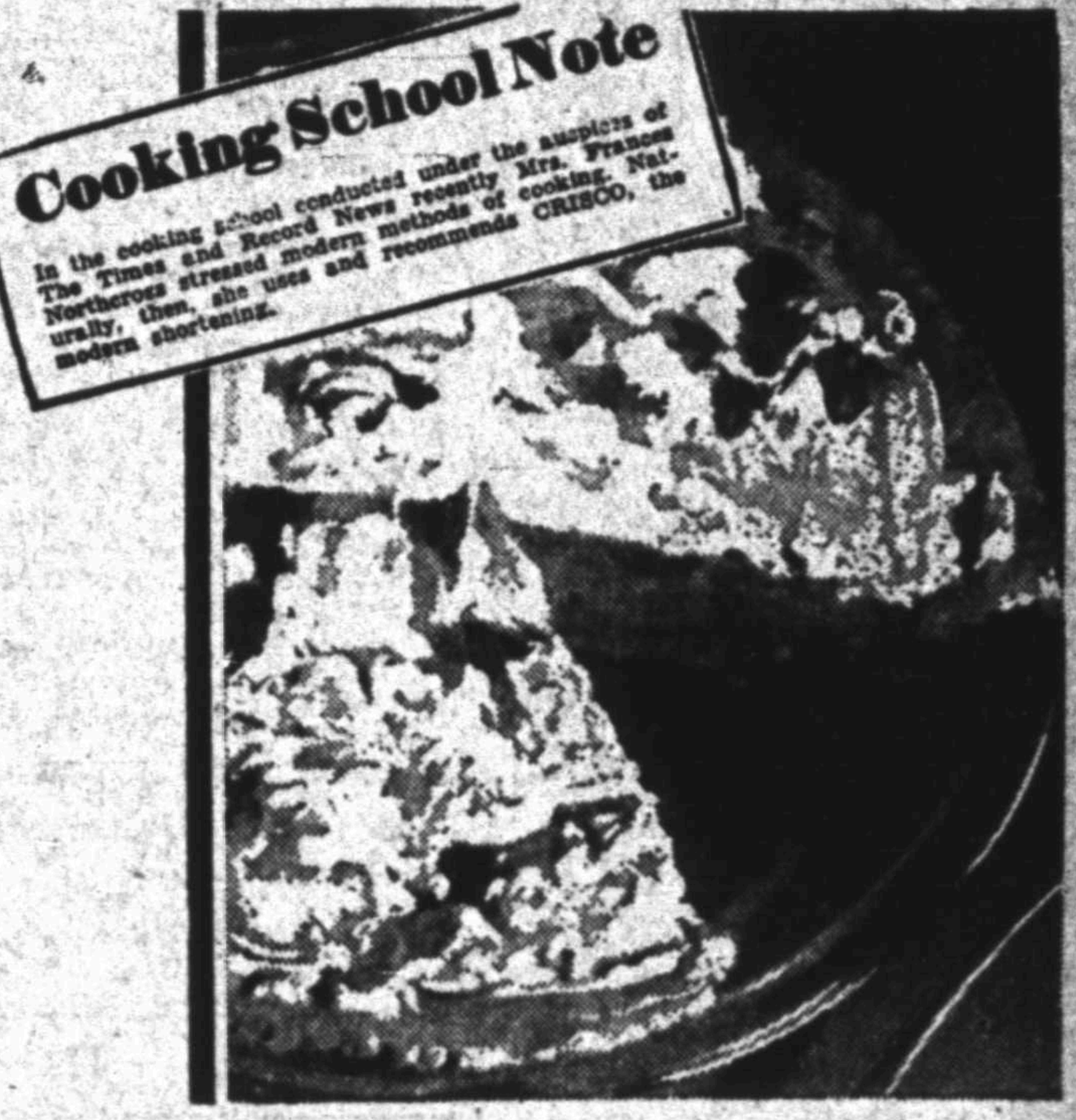

In the cooking school conducted under the auspices of The Times and Record News recently Mrs. Frances Northcross stressed modern methods of cooking. Naturally, then, she uses and recommends CRISCO, the modern shortening.

He rode 10 miles and crossed a river to get *Lemon Pie* like this

I CALL this "Matty's Lemon Pie" because a man from Missouri told me it was as good as that made by an old colored cook named Matty—and he once rode 10 miles on horseback and rowed a mile across the Missouri River just to eat her lemon pie.

"Matty's Pie" is just sweet enough—with an overtone of fresh, piquant fruit, crowned with a pert meringue, browned to a golden glow and served in a Crisco pastry shell, as crisp on the bottom as it is around the edge—as only Crisco pastry can be.

MATTY'S LEMON PIE

1 lemon, juice and grated rind	1 cup granulated sugar
1 orange, juice and pulp	½ teaspoon salt
2 egg yolks, beaten light	2 tablespoons Crisco
3 tablespoons cornstarch	1½ cups water

Beat egg yolks light and stir in mixed dry ingredients. Add liquids, lemon rind and Crisco. Cook in double boiler until thick. Cool. Pour into baked shell. Cover with meringue (2 egg whites beaten stiff blended with 4 tablespoons granulated sugar and 1 teaspoon lemon juice). Brown in moderate oven (350° F.) for 15 minutes.

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⅔ cup Crisco	6 to 8 tablespoons cold water

Sift flour and salt together. Cut Crisco in well with two knives until consistency of small peas. Add only enough water to hold mixture together. Roll ⅛ inch thick on floured board.

For baked shell, use half of recipe and cover inverted pie plate with pastry. Leave enough dough to fold back to make a firm edge. Prick well with fork to prevent bubbles. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) 15 minutes.

For two-crust pie, bake 10 minutes at 450° F., then reduce heat to moderate (350° F.); bake until filling is done.

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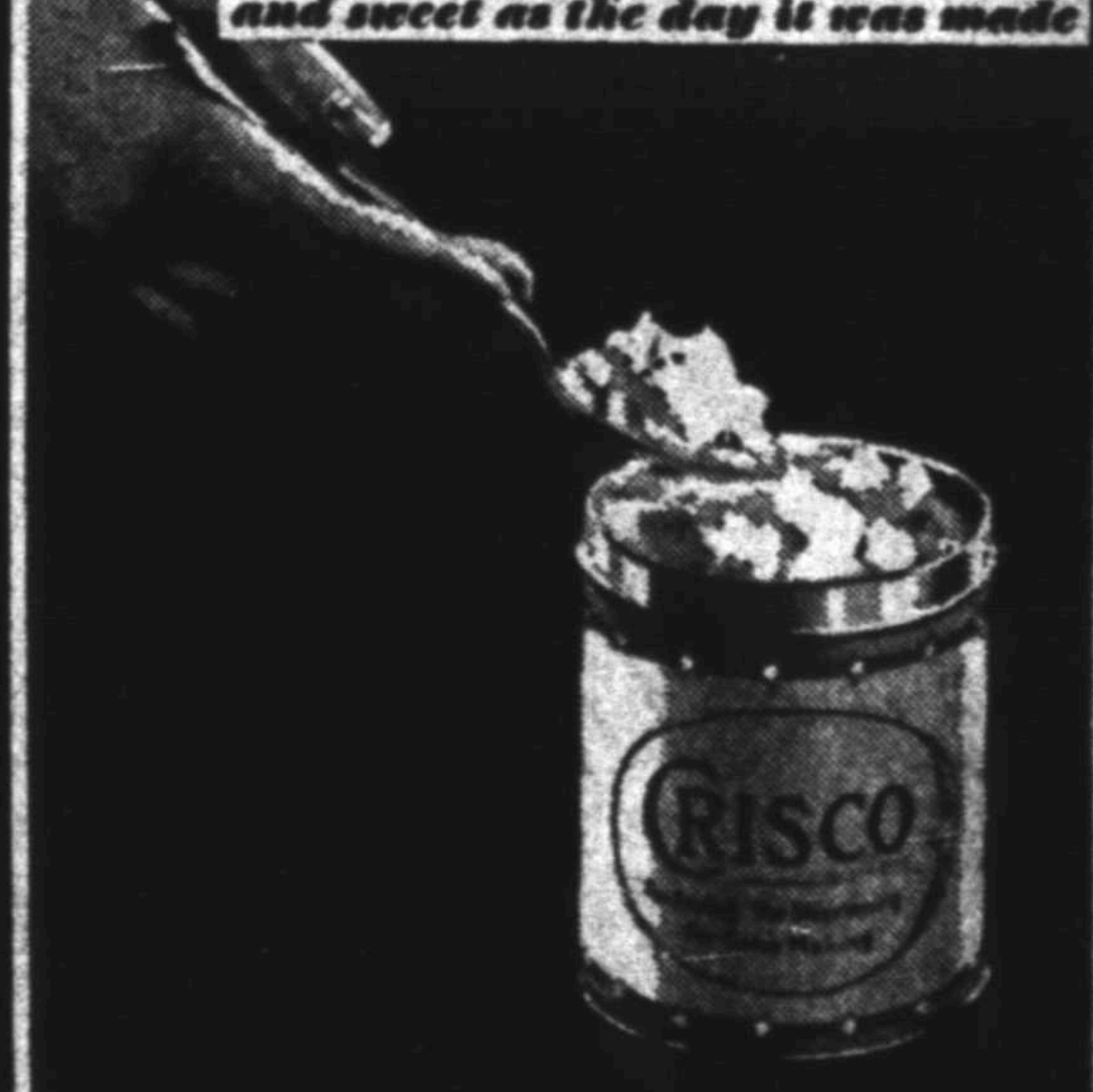

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NOW and ... THEN

Easter's Significance
Some Will Think About It
"Nimble Foods"
The Italians May Try It

By EMILE GAUVREAU

If you had stopped the man on the street on Easter Sunday and asked him what the day meant to commemorate, he would have had to think a long time, and then probably would have answered incorrectly.

How many, sporting their finery, gave a thought to the resurrection of Christ? Ladies and gentlemen were concerned chiefly in parading their new clothes on the public thoroughfares. The laborers rested or went to the movies to see the latest crime films.

The origin of the Easter celebrations goes back to the feast held in honor of the Teutonic pagan goddess Ostera, and celebrated by the early Saxons in the spring of the year. It is therefore also a spring rite, a festival of flowers. Easter eggs, Easter fires, etc., are derived from this same Teutonic festival.

In 68 A. D. it was decided to commemorate the resurrection of Christ, and the time chosen happened to coincide not merely with the Teutonic festival but with the Jewish Passover. Because, however, Passover fell at different times in different years, and because different churches were observing it on different days, the council of Nicea, in 325 A. D., designated Easter as the first Sunday after the full moon which follows the 21st day of March, and if the full moon happens on a Sunday, Easter day is the Sunday after.

We have had futuristic painting and futuristic poetry. Now we are to have futuristic food. The Italians are to have it first, if the manifesto of Dr. Filippo Tommaso Marinetti, father of futurism, is to be heeded.

Dr. Marinetti finds that "people think, dress, and act in accordance with what they drink and eat." If they eat and drink heavily, they will think and act in the same manner. Dr. Marinetti wants his Italians to be nimble, since the nimble ones, according to his prophetic vision, will win the next war. He has therefore put his foot down on spaghetti and macaroni because among other things "they develop scepticism." In his futuristic kitchen, the dishes must have neither volume nor weight. Science has already been called upon to provide "nimble" foods in the form of powders and pills.

Knives and forks are also to be abolished in this futuristic menage, since they interfere with the pleasure of direct food contact. Another innovation calls for a perfume before each dish which will be cleared from the table later by special fans.

Dr. Marinetti has submitted his plans to the minister of fine arts at Rome. Poets and philosophers have always eaten lightly. As for perfumes before each dish that is a familiar practice. In many of our restaurants, special flowers always grace the tables.

In the mad scramble for divorce business, three western states, Nevada, Arkansas and Idaho, are bidding against one another like cheapeners at a fair. To these states divorce is not a social problem. It is simply another prosperous racket.

Until recently Reno granted divorces after only a three-month residence. As a consequence, it did a $3,000,000 annual business. Cities in adjacent states grew envious and in an effort to take away the trade offered easier terms. Reno was not to be outbidden, however. It has passed a bill reducing the residence requirement to six weeks. At the same time, to make divorce doubly attractive, it has legalized gambling. Anyone going to Reno hereafter for the purpose of losing a wife may lose his shirt also. Very convenient.

State rights were never more shamefully abused than in this matter of Nevada divorces. A national uniform divorce law would soon put a stop to a practice which has put divorce on the auction block, selling only to people with money.

Hambone's Meditations

PAHSON WANTER KNOW HOW COME TOM'S OLDEST GAL AIN' GIT MAIED, BUT SHUCKS! HOW SHE GWINE GIT MAIED BY HER-SEF?!

Record News Program for Wichita Falls

1. **OIL**—Place the Wichita Falls district on a parity with other centers in the marketing of both crude oil and refined products.
2. **THE VALLEY**—Systematic, vigorous development of the irrigated valley in keeping with its possibilities as Wichita Falls' greatest physical asset.
3. **WATER**—An ample, assured supply of soft water.
4. **EDUCATION**—Maintenance of a junior college in Wichita Falls to give opportunity for higher education to our youth—the highest standards in elementary schools.
5. **THE LAKES**—Full development of the recreational opportunities offered by the three lakes.
6. **HIGHWAYS**—Early consummation of a highway program covering all the main routes radiating from this city and all the local roads that serve its agricultural community.
7. **DRAINAGE**—Solution of the drainage problem in all three phases; first, in the irrigated valley; second, with regard to Holliday creek; third, in those portions of the city now inadequately drained.
8. **GOVERNMENTAL ECONOMY**—The adoption of such means as may be found most feasible to reduce the cost of local government by elimination of unnecessary offices and consolidation of others.

Maybe the drum major preens like he does because of his high baton average.

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Then there's the Scotchman who, when asked for a tip, obligingly lifted his hat.

Hero-Worship

THIS nation seems to have a mania for hero-worship.

Ordinarily this is a perfectly harmless trait, and sometimes it does a good deal of good. But now and then something happens to make a thinking man wish that we could let up just a little on our desire to put somebody up on a pedestal.

Just as present young Bryan Untiedt of Towner, Colo., is the goat.

Bryan, you know, is the 13-year-old youngster who conducted himself so coolly and courageously when the school bus in which he and other children were riding became stalled in a snow drift, so that five of the children were frozen to death.

According to all accounts, Bryan was a sturdy chap on that tragic occasion. He did what he could to help keep smaller children warm, and he behaved in every way like a boy whose parents could be pretty proud of him.

But Bryan right now is being put through an ordeal that could turn the head of a grown man, leave alone a small boy.

First they had him in front of a talking picture camera. Then he began getting letters and presents from people all over the country. And in a day or so he is to be taken to Washington and introduced to President Hoover.

Now all of this is perfectly natural, of course—but it's terribly unjust to the boy himself.

Being a celebrity in America today, even if it doesn't last very long, is not exactly an enviable experience. The admiring mob creates a lot of pitfalls for its hero to step into, and it takes a pretty level-headed man to avoid them all.

It's all going to be rather tough on Bryan.

The chances are that he will come through it unspoiled, and go back to the normal privacy of boyhood to which every lad is entitled.

But it won't be our doing if he does. It will be because he is unusually sensible and sure-footed, and not because we adults have shown that we have any idea of how juvenile heroes should be treated.

By lionizing him as we are doing, we are taking a chance on ruining a fine, upstanding American boy—who happens, incidentally, to be right at the most impressionable age possible.

We have no right at all to take that chance. The kindest thing we could do to this lad would be to let him alone—and, at the same time, to give him a chance to forget about the horrible tragedy through which he has passed.

Do We Need a Third Party?

SOME of the most brilliant thinkers along political lines have declared recently that the United States needs a third political party. They assert that new ideas and ideals are needed, that a new outlook backed by platforms radically changed from those of the old line parties is necessary. That is a matter of debate.

That such a tendency is finding favor in some sections, especially in local elections, seems apparent. Groping for a way to solve their problems, many politically-minded individuals have broken away from the old parties and have succeeded in nominating and electing what may best be described as independent candidates. It is not at all unusual to find independent candidates fighting for office with choices of Republicans and Democrats far behind when the ballots are counted.

This at least suggests that there is dissatisfaction with the established parties in certain sections. It doesn't necessarily mean that a new national third party will be the outcome. But it most certainly does mean that the wise Republicans and Democrats have something significant to think about when planning for the future.

Jay-Walkers

BECAUSE the defenseless pedestrian is at the mercy of erratic motorists and has been considerably bumped around by them, the attitude is gradually taking hold that he can do no wrong. He gets the public's sympathy every time.

In a large middle western city the other day a traffic officer was roundly berated by a noon-day crowd for arresting a man who defied arrest after darting across the street against the signal. The policeman, jostled and jeered, was made a laughing stock. None would have considered it extraordinary if a motorist had been penalized for the same offense. Nor did the crowd seem to realize that the jay-walker might have been hit and that the policeman was acting for his safety.

The pedestrian, for his own security, should consent to be disciplined by the same rules which govern motorists at crossings. There is such a thing as sparing jay-walking enforcements and spoiling the pedestrian.

Quotations Worth Noting

Despite the flood of inventions, there still are innumerable important problems awaiting solution.—Charles Edison, son of Thomas Edison.

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It is too often true that it is not politically expedient to deal with a public question in a candid and direct fashion.—Senator William E. Borah.

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Thinkers and leaders are more subject to diseases than are other classes.—Dr. George W. Crile.

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I'm the world's biggest hick. Every time I leave my farm I get into trouble.—Sinclair Lewis.

WALTER WINCHELL
On Broadway

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Portrait of a Man Talking to Himself

Jimmy Walker's predicament proved one thing, at any rate. . . That Mr. and Mrs. General Public, like a fight crowd at the Garden, enjoy witnessing a sizzling mixup, but invariably embrace the one who is getting the worst of it. . . Nearly everywhere you go now you note evidence that Jim has the crowd with him, again. . . At the theater the other night, when one of the actors remarked that he thought Walker was out in front, the capacity attendance broke out into machine-gun tempoed applause. . . The shots of him in the newsreels arouse more sincere handclapping than the President entices. . . Even renowned newspaper men confess that their harsh comments have brought numerous complaints from subscribers who are "fed up" . . Some of the rags have switched already—and offer sugary editorial comment. . . Walker, they thought, would lose his head, and explode and say things that would make him a bigger target—but he remains the calmest of the lot. . . His comforters should remind him how Babe Ruth went through a long stretch of front page humiliation—only to remain baseball's outstanding hero. . . Didn't the rags take Henry Ford into court and try to prove him a boob? . . Ford remains the No. 1 man in his field, anyhow. . . Tunney whipped Dempsey twice. . . But ask the man in the street who is champ?

I must tell Jack Lait about George W. Hill, the boy president of the American Tobacco group. . . Jack could do a feature on him for the Sunday mag section. . . Hill is the genius who lifted the firm's stock so high they rewarded him with a million-dollar bonus. . . And what a kid. . . His chief pastime is leading B. A. Rolfe's Lucky Strike orchestra in the broadcasting studios. . . Roger Wolfe Kahn strained at the tribal leash for the same reason—to wield a baton—and play leader. . . You keep being a boy when you have a pastime, or even time to enjoy having one. . . What a contrast some of the wealthy fellows are to the wealthy loafers you see boiled every night in the sin-spots—squandering coin that someone else perspired for . . . Last night, frixample: At one table a chap who never labored an hour in his life bought alleged wine for $25 a half pitcher full. . . He ordered four of them, at last. . . At another table one of the sirens in the show asked a comrade: "I've been offered $100 if I would do Harlem with him. What shall I do?" . . "Why begin now going with those guys? Seeing Harlem with him isn't all he wants. Be careful." . . "I know," was the answer, "but my rent is due tomorrow, honey."

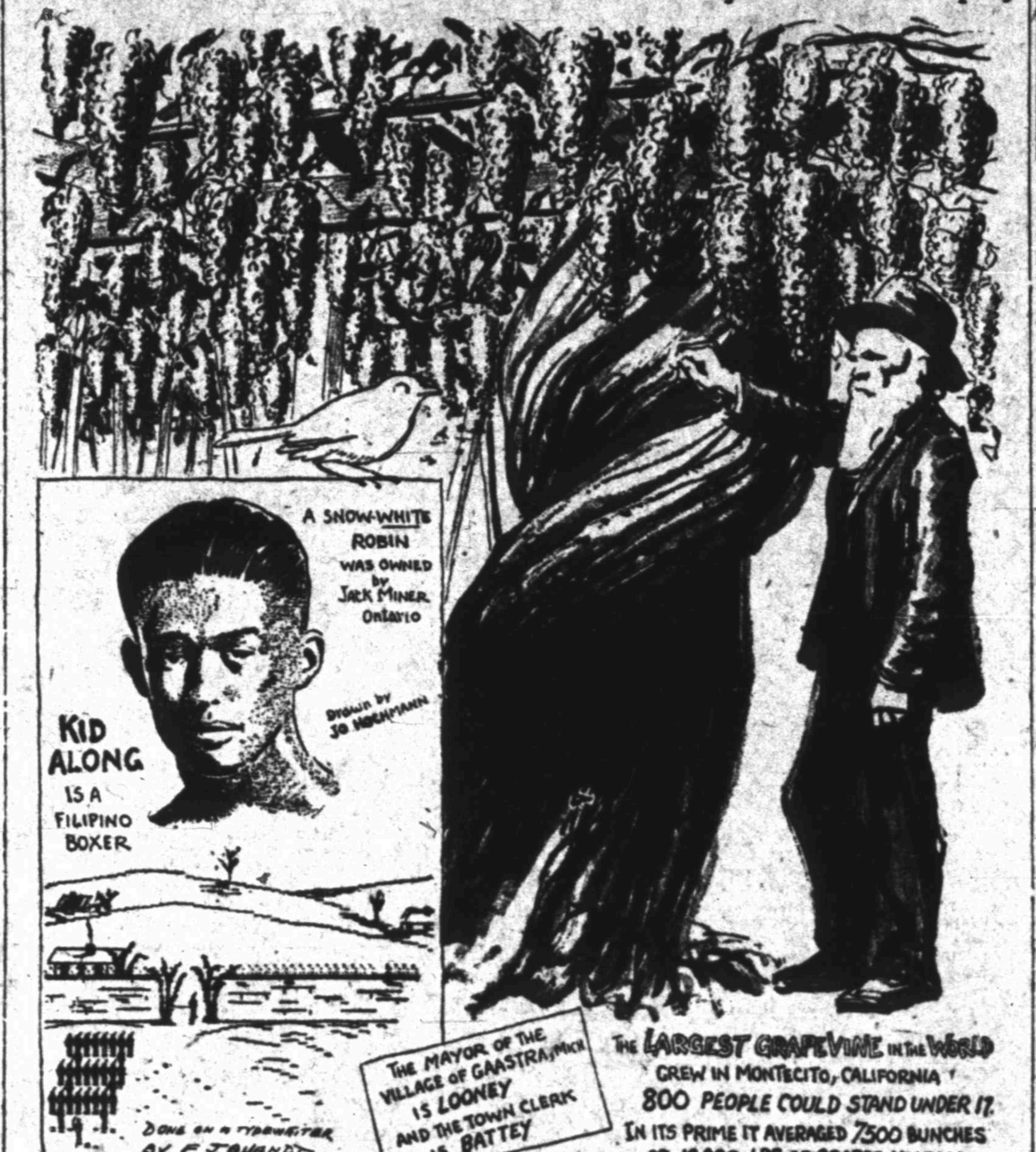
Oh, well, I suppose Gloria will have many other illusions shattered in her time. . . June had to go and tell her that bunnies do not bring Easter eggs, but that parents dye them and get their hands all gooey. . . And that there isn't any Santa Claus. . . And I'm supposed to be a gossip! . . There ought to be a good audience for "The End of the World," that new book to which so many World stars contributed. . . Page 221 is simply ducky. . . Eva Tanguay says that that Vth Ave. jeweler is using her name, and that she hasn't peddled her stones. . . Well, if that "Skippy" flicker doesn't make the toughest guy cry, then he isn't human. . . Wonder why that gal in Brooklyn who wants to sell her body for $100 to a medical crowd wants the coin? . . You hear more sob stuff in this racket than judges hear, I'll bet. . . Wonder who "Rosalie" is? . . The one who writes that she served in so many shows as chorus girl, and in night clubs, and is wasting away because she hasn't the necessary coin to take the dope cure? . . If she really wants the cure she can apply at Welfare Island.

Texas Guinan has taken greater risks, at that. . . Perhaps her visit to Paris will be the innovation she thinks it will be. . . Her night club will resemble a Western barroom. . . Her cuties will be cowgirls, with chaps, spurs, sombreros, etc. . . And Tex will go to work each midnight on a white horse! . . "Like Godiva?" I asked her. . . "No," she said, "I'm not that old-fashioned!" . . But, unless she does, I cannot see how novel it will be to the Frenchies. . . So accustomed are they to having their show girls parade about in the Eve manner. . . The glamor of First Nights, I guess, never will fade. . . No matter how indifferent you think you are to them—there always seems to be a person at them you've heard about and wondered what they looked like. . . And that is what keeps you interested. . . Between curtains, I mean. . . And even when the asbestos is up—the "actors" in the audience sometimes are funnier . . . and louder!

The hotel restaurant business is shot to bits, and they attribute it to the speakeasy-reastaurant. . . Well, little wonder. . . The average speakeasy-restaurant usually offers a grand meal—and for a reasonable tariff. . . And the waiters do not serve you as though they were doing you a favor. . . Three restaurant stickups in three nights—and the papers carried no report of them. . . All in the Gay Belt, too. . . In one of them the robbers worked so skillfully that the diners had no idea a holdup was going on. . . Two of the diners might have improved their technique. . . No wonder the circus couldn't make up its mind about its premiere date in New York—the managements of all circuses are going a little crazy trying to figure out routes. . . No good going through Iowa and Illinois until after the oat harvest. . . No good going South until the cotton is picked. . . And it would be suicide going into the wheat belt until we have another war and $2 wheat.

That cop in the night club doesn't see what I see. . . He hasn't been around long enough. . . He isn't seasoned. . . There he was making out his nightly report. . . "6 a. m.," he wrote, "and all is well." . . Yeah? . . Over at the table two feet away from him was a well-to-do feller, with everything he wanted—except the gal he adores. . . I saw him talking to her in foyer so sincerely. . . She was indifferent and he was begging her to be nice to him—and he was holding her hand. Then he began to cry. . . All is well? . . What do you mean all is well? . . And how about that movie magnate sitting over there? . . The one whose wife won't give him a divorce so he can keep his promise to that little girl who has been waiting all these years? . . And the young movie star who talked to her husband on the long distance phone a few minutes before and told him not to be so silly and not worry about her—that she was behaving herself. . . And all the time her honey boy was standing there next to her pinching her or kissing her dainty shoulder. . .

BELIEVE IT OR NOT - - - - - By Robert L. Ripley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JILTED —By Margaret Widdemeyer

Synopsis of Preceding Instalments

When Helen Heather becomes engaged to Tommy Delamata, there is more than a ripple of excitement in the social circles of Kingsway. Helen is quite the most charming girl in town. And Tommy, outside of being something of a spoilt child, has an assured social position, as his father is president of the bank in which Helen is a typist. Helen lives with her cousin, Nina Higginson, a young and wealthy widow, who had married a man much her senior, after throwing over the most desirable "catch" in town—the courtly Ethan Kingsway. Now that she is free again, Nina is "setting her cap" for Ethan once more, she even follows him to Europe. Meantime Tommy's father has secured a place for him in a bank in Wisconsin. Helen, though completely in love with Tommy, cannot forget the handsome face and chivalrous bearing of Ethan Kingsway. But, with her mind full of her engagement to Tommy, she puts aside all thought of Ethan and prepares to join her future husband in Wisconsin.

She gets a letter from Tommy breaking the engagement.

INSTALMENT IX

Nothing mattered very much at the time. Tommy had broken his engagement to her on the very edge of her going out to him to be married. After a thing like that you don't notice anything else except very dimly.

But looking back long after, Helen never liked to remember the first day, that day she went dazedly picking up all the threads she had dropped so gayly. Because in a place like Kingsway people are interested. The station master wasn't a nameless official; he was Mr. Wentworth, who took up the collection at the church she went to. He knew what the ticket was for; he said, "Changing your ticket, hey?" with friendliness, but also with keen curiosity.

"Changing my plans a little, too," she was able to say with a fair imitation of her naturally gay smile. She took the money back with a vague relief. Now the thing was done; now she could do the next thing, which was to get back her position at the bank. . . She telephoned Mr. Delamater. He was everything that was kind, and, she saw, unhappy. So he'd heard too.

"I've been trying to get you at the house," he said.

"It's locked and I haven't the key," she said. He made a little shocked noise.

"You must come and stay with us till you can turn around," he told her. . . Which seemed a crowning horror.

But it wasn't. He dropped everything and met her on the deserted porch at Nina's. He put her suitcases into his car and took her to his house. And for once he had asserted himself, for Mrs. Delamater neither purred nor scratched. Helen had braced herself for both or either. She knew that Mrs. Delamater had not wanted her to marry Tommy. She supposed, therefore, that she was none too sorry at what Tommy had done.

But she was incapable of anything but passivity. She had heard always of Mr. Delamater's weighty personality and executive abilities; of his charities and kindnesses, too. She had never seen much of anything but the kind, worried, rather henpecked man, primarily Tommy's father. Today Helen saw with a dimmed surprise that he could take the reins in his own hands even at home.

Helen had been in the house before, of course. The last time she had entered the house. . . It had been the engagement party.

Nina, always lavish in the right places, had insisted on buying her a dress for the occasion. They had been driven over in state, she and Nina, by Hiram. It had been a perfect day, cool and yet sunny. There was a long mirror at the turn of the stairs, where they went up to put Helen's hat, and Nina's coat and fur, on the bed of the guest room. And Helen had seen herself, with Nina like a maid of honor a little behind her, as they descended. The white chiffon with its patterning of black roses, fitting cunningly and close about her slim waist and hips, flaring out in an extravagant swirl of yards and yards down to black satin slippered feet. The quaint close short sleeves, the French toss of wide green satin bows and long ends at one side of the waist, where she pinned the big knot of small yellow orchids Tommy had sent. The long chain of black and white crystals Nina had lent her. And above it all, her own bright excited face, her short burned-gold curls filleted in by a twist of the green satin ribbon around her head, so that her hair, not yet long enough to pin up, made a frame for her face along her neck behind.

The girl in the morror, in the blue suit and blue shoes, holding a handbag very tightly and absently, had a fact from which all excitement and color had been taken. Her eyes stared and were dull, like a doll's. Her mouth was closed tightly, as if she was afraid she would cry. And behind her the little black thin figure of Mrs. Delamater had its powdered insignificant face composed to an expression of decent mourning. Was there an expression of gratification under the air of superior pity?

Mrs. Delamater was being kind. Remember that. Kind. . . .

Helen lay on the bed and counted the guest towels. Four hand towels embroidered in forget-me-nots and two bath towels with guest on their borders. The bed-spread had been fussily thrown back before she lay down, three neat folds. There was a system of curtains like a layer cake, at least three sets at each window. There were very ennobling mottoes about.

"Sleep sweet within this quiet room
O thou whoe'er thou art.
And let not troubled yesterday
Disturb thy quiet heart."

commanded the bed, and there were others by the pier-glass and the bureau. Evidently lots of people had troubles, or they wouldn't sell so many mottoes like that.

Presently—it seemed like a very long time and no time at all—Mrs. Delamater came up to fuss over her.

". . . A pity you announced it so publicly," she was saying from far off, "but young people are always so precipitate!"

"It was Tommy who wanted to," Helen said with dry lips.

"Ah—my poor boy—he was so young. . ."

Helen didn't know how much more she could stand of this sort of thing. Mrs. Delamater was wriggling the blame for Tommy's behavior slowly but surely in Helen's direction. In a few minutes Helen would be made to understand, too furtively to face and deny it, that she had entrapped Tommy.

"Mrs. Delamater, it's hard for us both, my being here," she said, sitting up, with her head aching intolerably. "Tommy asked me to marry him and then threw me over, and your husband had me come here because it was better for people to see that you both and I were friends. But we can't talk about Tommy, because we can't look at what he did the same way. . . ."

Oh, Tommy, so despicable and so obstinately dear yet!

Mrs. Delamater arched her thin, powdered neck, looked first insulted and then forgiving. She evidently remembered in time that Helen had to be propitiated into helping shield Tommy's name. That she had urged him into breaking the engagement, Helen believed, but had no way of knowing.

"Well, we must just love each other and be kind," she said smoothly, patting Helen's reluctant hand. Helen hated her. But after that she was better, because she talked about the thing she had really come up to talk about—what face to put on this to the village.

She and Mr. Delamater thought, it seemed, that the thing to do was to tell everyone that the marriage was postponed.

"Even if he marries Kay Heinemann?" said Helen, though the words cut her lips to speak.

Mrs. Delamater looked appalled.

"Did he tell you that?" she demanded with none of her usual suavity. She did not say "The fool!" but she might as well have.

How Helen went though the return to work she never quite remembered. She drove in with Mr. Delamater, which made it easier, and also made is impossible for the girls to ask her questions till the noon hour. When, of course, everybody did.

"At the last minute I just couldn't pull it off. Tommy's going to have to wait another six months after all. And if he doesn't like that, why—" She managed to shrug her shoulders and laugh with a creditable imitation of her old gay laughter, but she had forgotten to paint her cheeks to look like her burning roses of yesterday, and there were circles under her eyes.

She hated lying. The only thing that made it possible not to shriek everything out to everyone who asked, or looked, a question was that she was protecting dear old Mr. Delamater, who had looked so tired and haggard and ashamed ever since it happened, and—yes—Tommy. For she couldn't unlove Tommy all at once. She couldn't even resent. She saw him with such clearness, now, Tommy, who had been giving her marsh-fires instead of an enduring flame, because he hadn't anything else to give. And yet—his quick, wild thrilling ways of gayety, his sudden tragic depressions, his laughter, that queer rocking walk that was so characteristic . . . it all was close to her, hurting her, making her want Tommy, just the same as if he had been capable of courage and steadfastness and honor, and love.

Meanwhile, thank goodness, there were other, personal problems to take her mind from herself. She had to find a room to live in. She couldn't and wouldn't stay with the Delamaters longer than was necessary for appearances' sake. She had to make her salary stretch over more than before, for, as she had said to Tommy, she had only paid Nina what she actually cost her. Also she was beginning to think of trying for work in some other place. A fresh start in new surroundings, instead of this loved, hated place called Kingsway!

(Continued in Wednesday's issue)

Post Oak Club Gives Canning Demonstration

Special to The Record News.

STAMFORD, Texas, April 13.—Approximately 50 people from various parts of Jones, Shackelford and Taylor counties attended a meeting of the newly organized Post Oak Demonstration club held at the country home of Col. and Mrs. R. L. Penick all day Friday. The day was spent in canning chickens under the direction of Miss Millie M. Halsey, county home demonstration agent from Albany.

Lunch was served cafeteria style from long tables on the river bank and after a welcome and an explanation of the meeting by Colonel Penick and a short word of greetings from Mrs. F. E. Tonroy, the president of the club, Judge Otis Miller of Anson gave the invocation.

Special guests of the club were Judge and Mrs. Otis Miller of Anson, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jobson of Anson, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Locke of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Inglish of Stamford, W. T. Rainwater of Anson. Mr. Jobson is county agent for Jones county; Messrs. Locke and Rainwater are county commissioners, and Mr. Inglish is editor of the Stamford Leader. Other guests, friends and members of the club were in attendance.

There has been a movement on foot for some time to secure a home demonstration agent for Jones county.

Davidson School Names Senior Honor Students

Special to The Record News.

DAVIDSON, Okla., April 13.—Miss Ruth Ella Bacon, daughter of Mrs. C. B. Bacon, has been named valedictorian of the 1931 graduating class.

Wayne Gilpatrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Gilpatrick, won second honors and Miss Jewell Eppison received honorable mention, her average being only one point below that of the salutatorian.

Answers to Questions

By FREDERIC J. HASKIN

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Q.—How short a wave is used for radio broadcasting?—F. K.

A.—The shortest wave obtained which has proved successful is between 18 and 20 meters.

Q.—Can you give me the betting odds on some of the big heavyweight prize fights?—D. E. S.

A.—Betting odds when the heavyweight title changes hands were: Sullivan-Corbett, 4 to 1 on Sullivan; Corbett-Fitzsimmons, 5 to 3 on Corbett; Fitzsimmons-Jeffries, 2 to 1 on Fitzsimmons; Jeffries-Johnson, 10 to 7 on Jeffries; Johnson-Willard, 3 to 1 on Johnson; Willard-Dempsey, 6 to 5 on Willard; Dempsey-Tunney, first fight, 5 to 2 on Dempsey, and second fight, 6 to 5 on Dempsey until nearly ring time, with Tunney closing favorite at 7 to 5.

Q.—When was the first railroad built between Cincinnati and St. Louis?—L. O. H.

A.—The first road projected between Cincinnati and St. Louis was chartered in 1832, according to Carter's "When Railroads Were New," but actual construction was not begun. Sixteen years later the project was revived by a new company, the Ohio and Mississippi railroad. Preliminary surveys were begun Nov. 1, 1848, the first section was opened from Cincinnati to Cochran, April 2, 1854, and the road was completed in 1857.

Q.—Why can't airplanes be made to fly as the bird flies?—M. T.

A.—La Technique Aeronautique says: "It is well known that the primary feathers of a bird's wing are distinctly separated while in flapping flight. Tests made on models simulating this construction, showed that the lift increased three times and drag increased nine times. One of the most important assets of the bird's wing is its flexibility and control. A condition exceedingly difficult to copy mechanically. Many scientists are studying the flight of birds to find any hitherto overlooked details of nature's technique that will help man in mechanical flying. When inventors produce a material that has the strength, weight ratio of feathers, and the hollow bones of birds with an engine which has the efficiency of a bird's digestive system and muscles; it will then be easy to build an airplane as safe as a bird."

Q.—What is a true bill?—M. B.

A.—A true bill is the finding of a jury charging a certain person with the commission of an illegal act. In other words, when facts are presented to the grand jury by the prosecutor, tending to show that a crime has been committed and a certain person is accused of this crime, that person is indicted and the finding is known as a "true bill."

Q.—What did R. I. stand for after Queen Victoria's name?—M. McC.

A.—The initials stand for the Latin words Regina Imperatrix, meaning queen and empress, in reference to the fact that she was queen of England and empress of India. Similarly, King George V uses the same letters to stand for Rex Imperator, meaning king and emperor.

Q.—What is the origin of the expression, on the level?—C. T.

A.—It is said to have originated in Freemasonry, the level being an emblem of that organization.

Q.—Is it true that Revolutionary war pensioners are still being paid?—G. C. F.

A.—Daniel C. Dakeman was the last pensioner of the Revolutionary war. He died 86 years after the close of the war at the age of 109 years 8 months and 8 days on April 5, 1869. The last Revolutionary war widow receiving a pension was Esther Damon, widow of Noah Damon. She died Nov. 11, 1906, at Plymouth, Vt.

Q.—What is the area of Bermuda?—W. M. T.

A.—It is about 19 square miles.

Q.—How many legs has the common house fly?—E. M. E.

A.—It has six.

Q.—What kind of a banner did Joan of Arc have?—E. M.

A.—Joan of Arc herself designed her flag or banner. It was made of white linen and fringed with silk. On it was painted a figure of God holding the world in His hands with an angel kneeling at either side. The lilies of France were dotted over the linen, and the words "Jesus Maria" were inscribed. There is a record in the public library at Tours that this flag was made by a Scotchman named Poulroir who received 25 francs for his work.

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Delegates Report To Floral Heights Methodist W. M. S.

Interesting conference reports featured the meeting Monday afternoon of the Floral Heights Methodist Woman's Missionary society. Following the devotional by Mrs. M. E. Crowell and a beautiful prayer by Mrs. T. R. Boone, Mesdames C. M. Goodwin and A. L. Lane reported activities of the meeting in Dallas of the North Texas W. M. S. conference.

Mrs. Goodwin, delegate from the Young People's department, told of the business and social sessions stressing work of each department and stated that Floral Heights received honor credits in the young people's and children's departments and that honors also went to the adult department in supplies, study and Christian relation divisions.

Mrs. A. L. Lane gave a report in full on the devotional and missionary features. She told of the highlights in the addresses given by Mrs. J. W. Perry, new council president, of devotionals each noon by Dr. Humphrey Lee of Highland Park Methodist church, addresses by Mrs. S. M. Black, retiring president and a foreign student at S. M. U. Progress of connections in Dallas was stressed.

Mrs. Milton Johnson expressed appreciation of the Floral Heights W. M. S. for the honor given North Texas, Wichita Falls district, in the election of Mrs. C. M. Simpson as conference president. Mrs. Johnson spoke beautifully of Mrs. Simpson's qualifications as a Christian leader, and presented her with a potted plant in behalf of the society. Mrs. Simpson's response was a lovely appreciation.

A rising vote of thanks was given the conference delegates for their interesting reports and the meeting was closed with player. Circle six led in attendance.

Those in attendance were Mesdames A. F. Leach, J. W. Donehoo, S. E. Trevathan, Rhea Howard, F. H. Corbin, J. C. Brown, Clyde Tittle, J. M. Hawley, M. J. Michaelais, J. O. Presley, Robert Bridges, F. R. Collard, Ben Huddleston, T. R. Boone, W. J. Stuckler, C. M. Goodwin, R. B. Melat, Mart Roberson, M. C. Batey, L. E. Cowling, Lon Howard, George Thorburn, J. A. Gardner, S. W. Gibson, John Prewett, E. C. Newby, E. H. Cunningham, Merle Waggoner, Perry Browning, A. W. Simmons, R. G. Cocanower, M. E. Crowell, Charles Crowell, Homer Jasper, Marvin Smith, Edgar Ratcliff, Grady Payne, C. J. Bryans, John Tancred, B. T. Stone, J. W. Ford, R. J. Claypool, A. L. Lane, T. J. Waggoner, Lester Jones, R. B. Featherston, T. O. Shappell, Val Land, Murrell Hooper, O. W. Harvey, H. W. Barton, Earl Stuckey, O. M. Atkins, F. T. Kelleher, and Robert T. Walker.

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PEEPS AT PEOPLE

By MRS. L. N. CASON

On the road to Austin last week, I crossed so many picturesque little rivers. One was muddy water but the trees almost meeting over it made it a lovely spot. Then one was almost the color of seawater and there were little shoals where the water foamed under a flicker of sunlight through green leaves.

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Two rushing little streams were so clear that one could see to the pebbled bed. Large rocks threw miniature falls over their edges, the water rushing madly as if on important business bent, but idling further on beneath the trees where fishermen lounged on the warm banks.

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Two boys had driven a coupe into the river and were washing it in an ever changing current of clean waters. And the stream bubbled and muttered about it, as if indignant that one would put its pretty waters to such utilitarian use.

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Rivers make me think somehow of people. Quick flashing little rivers, limpid and clear, making a loud noise about their business but baring their souls to the observing world.

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Muddy rivers that throw back reflections of beauty in pictures of trees and sunlight and moonbeams; but no one knows what lies in their bosoms and no one knows what battle with the elements muddied the current of their lives.

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Great rivers like the Mississippi, that never show the strength of the current save in flood time or when the waters break through a winter binding of ice. Like the powerful persons that carry the burden of the nation's flotsam and jetsam as well as the barks of its prosperity on their bosoms. Men who burst into action with power when action is necessary.

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Rivers like the far northwest Missouri, who have grown lazy and let sandbanks choke their channels. Like self indulgent old people who have allowed their arteries to harden and their blood pressure grow higher and higher.

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Little mountain streams that remind one of youth as they dance and sing their way over the rocks with a flirt and a gurgle and chuckle that seems to spell young love and young lovers.

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And little country creeks and rivers that wander aimlessly beneath the willows; clear over a shady bed, then lying in deep, dark pools where overalled boys fish with bent pins. Little creeks that do not know the reason for their being and live their allotted time with no worry about the world—aimless and languid and without ambition to the end.

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The Guadalupe at New Braunfels, where the water is so clear that one looking in it feels sure he can reach to the river bed—only to find that it is many feet through the pellucid waters to the heart of the river. There are people like that also—people who let one think them light and bright and deceive the unwary into the belief that they can be read. But they have unknown depths. Yes, rivers somehow, remind me of people.

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Floral Heights Group Installs Officers

Members of the Floral Heights Presbyterian Woman's Missionary society met at the church at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon for their regular weekly meeting. Mrs. Frank Ray had charge of the program and also gave the devotional. The Yearbook of Prayer was given by Mrs. Grafton Nycum after which talks were made by Mesdames R. E. Miller, J. A. Hightower, J. R. Eason, L. L. Davis and Miss Lena Andrews.

The feature of the meeting was the installation of officers by Dr. N. F. Grafton. Mrs. Nycum closed the meeting with a prayer.

Those present included Mesdames Grafton Nycum, M. L. Patterson, J. A. Hightower, R. E. Miller, A. E. Moore, Frank Ray, Ralph Dick, W. L. Whittington, A. E. West, L. L. Davis, J. R. Eason, Wallace Smith of Tulsa, Okla., Dr. and Mrs. N. F. Grafton and Miss Lena Andrews.

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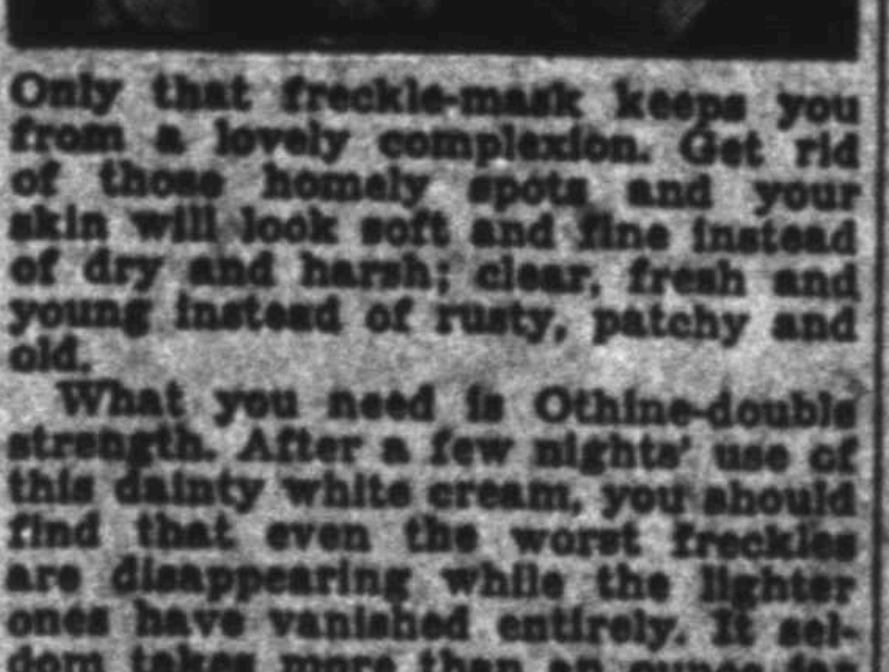

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Mrs. Snyder Addresses Episcopal Auxiliary

Mrs. Harley Snyder, secretary of the Children's Aid Society of North Texas was speaker at the meeting of the Episcopal auxiliary in the parish house Monday afternoon, making an interesting talk on placing homeless children and an appeal for clothing for the orphans who are being kept in school by the organization.

Mrs. Snyder told of the broken homes that brought many children under care of the society and explained why it was much easier to place orphans than deserted children. Members of the auxiliary were requested to remember the Aid society with clothing whenever possible so that school children might be properly clothed.

Mrs. W. E. Maxson, president of the auxiliary presided and Mrs. M. L. Stephens gave the devotional. Rev. Wm. D. Bratton introduced the speaker and gave an inspiring prayer closing the meeting.

Members present were Rev. and Mrs. Wm. D. Bratton, Mesdames M. L. Stephens, Guy Airey, Tom Coleman, George Bancroft, M. W. Blair, Carter McGregor, Miss Cornelia Morrow, Mesdames A. D. Montgomery, C. C. Eckman, T. R. Freeman, Creamer, E. O. Wheat, Omer Taylor, P. F. Gwynn, Peyton Gwynn, E. C. Jordan, W. E. Maxson, J. G. Oakley, L. W. Fritz, C. W. Walls, Arthur Johnson, A. L. Luques and Edwin Foran.

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Seventh District Opens Convention in Memphis

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Texas, April 13.—More than 400 women were present for the formal opening of the 10th annual convention of women's clubs of the seventh district which convened on Monday afternoon in the main auditorium of the First Baptist church here.

The house was called to order by the president, Mrs. J. T. Whitmore of Snyder, Texas, and the Lord's prayer was given by the audience, led by Mrs. Whitmore. Mrs. W. H. Ballew led the delegates in their opening song, "America, the Beautiful," followed by the various reports and introduction of state officers and chairmen.

Immediately following adjournment of the afternoon meeting delegates were guests at a seated tea with Mrs. R. S. Greene as hostess. A beautiful program was given.

The women assembled again at the church at 8 p. m. for the program arranged for president's evening. Mrs. Tilman Jones of Post presided over the meeting. C. C. Morgan, pastor of the local Christian church, gave the invocation and the addresses of welcome were given by Mayor Allen Grundy in behalf of the city of Memphis and Miss Edna Bryan, county clerk in behalf of the club women of Memphis.

About 38 towns are being represented in the annual convention to be held for three days of this week.

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First Baptist Circles Study Mission Topics

Business meetings and mission programs featured circles of the First Baptist W. M. S. Monday afternoon. Members of circle two met at the home of Mrs. Edwin Harris who gave the devotional and opening prayer. Topics from the mission study book, "Along the Highway of Service," were given. In a short business session plans were made to meet with Mrs. L. C. Cole April 27. The closing prayer was given by Mrs. I. A. Farris.

Those present were Mesdames J. H. Allen, A. B. McIver, I. A. Farris, J. Q. Word, L. C. Cole, Dillingham of Frederick and the hostess.

Circle Three

Mrs. H. E. Bradley was hostess to members of circle three and after the opening hymn, Mrs. M. Dodson led the devotional and taught the missionary lesson.

Mrs. R. W. Morgan gave the closing prayer dismissing Mesdames J. D. McMahan, J. H. Stanfill, R. W. Morgan, M. Dodson, J. A. Thompson, H. E. Adams, Charles Parker, M. B. Smith, O. L. McCormick and the hostess.

Circle Four

Members of circle four met at the home of Mrs. Tom Martin when Mrs. Daisy Dean opened the meeting with an inspirational talk on personal service work. In the business session a picnic was planned and a straw vote for the next leader was taken. The Bible lesson was taught by Mrs. Ralph Hines after which the meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. Charles Harr.

Those present were Mesdames W. A. Freear, W. E. Carter, Tom Martin, Bert King, E. P. Murrell, J. N. Huff, S. A. Rose, Vera Blackburn, O. B. Deason, M. W. Snoddy, Frank Wood, Daisy Dean, Wyatt Parrish, J. C. Shepherd, J. T. Gant, John Ground, Ralph Hines, Charles Harr and C. R. Neal.

Circle Five

Members of circle five met with Mrs. C. W. Rountree with Mrs. S. L. Mytinger, circle chairman, calling the meeting to order. Mrs. H. A. Covington gave the opening prayer and Mrs. H. N. Pounds the Bible lesson. The meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Alva Conner.

Members present included Mesdames Alva Conner, Leslie Humphries, H. A. Covington, Fred Stengel, M. L. Tittle, J. M. Van Houten, H. N. Pounds, Frank Cripliver, S. L. Mytinger and the hostess.

Circle Seven

Mrs. Cliff Everts was hostess to circle seven members at her home on Pearl when Mrs. J. J. Lory opened the meeting with prayer and an inspiring devotional was given by Mrs. M. D. Fagg.

Following prayer by Mrs. C. L. Oden, Mrs. O. B. Albritton, chairman of the circle, presided during a brief business session.

The lesson on "Stewardship in the Home," was led by Mrs. C. L. Oden and Mrs. J. N. Catter dismissed with prayer.

Those present included Mesdames M. C. Hughes, Dick Naylor, John L. Gibbs, C. L. Oden, L. T. Francis, W. T. Wells, E. W. Irvine, J. J. Lory, M. E. Stripling, J. L. Fooshee, J. H. French, M. D. Goodwin, A. C. Parks, J. Newton Huff, J. N. Catter, R. Lee Joiner, M. D. Fagg, O. B. Albritton and the hostess, Mrs. Everts.

Circle Eight

Mrs. H. B. Gilbert was hostess to members of circle eight at her home when Mrs. D. O. Johnson gave the opening prayer and devotional. In the short business session which followed, Mesdames Hi Willis, W. B. Baldwin and D. E. Jordan were appointed to furnish literature for the depot. Plans were made to give a shower for a girl in the sanitarium at San Angelo and papers were given by Mesdames W. L. Hawkins and Dell Brashear. The closing prayer was given by Mrs. T. P. Duncan.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames J. A. Hood, E. L. Ramey, W. L. Hawkins, W. L. Ponder, Dell Brashear, D. O. Johnson, H. Willis, D. E. Johnson, Mary C. Parker, Bryan Lovelace and T. P. Duncan.

Circle Ten

Mrs. C. E. Greenwood was hostess to members of circle 10 and gave the opening prayer. The lesson was taught by Mrs. E. S. Carter and Mrs. Solon Featherston gave the closing prayer.

Members present were Mesdames Walter Prechel, J. W. Sherrod, L. E. Wells, Paul Flake, W. B. Reeves, J. L. Wade, Solon Featherston, Glen Dixon, H. Thompson, J. I. Yates, Jimmie Sherrod, E. S. Carter, D. R. Wimberly, W. C. Cox and the hostess.

Circle Eleven

Mrs. Floyd Randel was hostess to members of circle 11 at her home on Kemp boulevard. Mrs. Charles R. Daniel gave the devotional and Mrs. L. A. Hedrick taught the mission study lesson.

Punch was served to Mesdames L. A. Hedrick, Howard Weaver, Fred Morris, C. J. Barnard, H. P. Ledford, Miss Nell Foley, Mesdames Ivan Murchison, Burton Stayton, C. E. Pimlott, Ray Arnheld, G. D. Fox, Charles R. Daniel and the hostess.

Ruth Nichols Speeds To New Woman's Mark

DETROIT, Mich., April 13. (US)—Flying faster than a woman has ever flown before in an airplane, Miss Ruth Nichols, famous Rye, N. Y., aviatrix, set a record today of 210.685 miles an hour.

The old mark, held by Miss Amelia Earhart, was 181.91 miles per hour.

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First Presbyterian W. M. S. Chairmen Entertain Circles

Circles of the First Presbyterian Woman's Missionary society met with their new circle leaders Monday afternoon in business sessions and for mission programs. Members of circle one met at the home of Mrs. H. J. Strief with Mesdames Arch Weidmer and R. L. Hargrave as assistant hostesses. The opening prayer was given by Mrs. J. W. Covington after which Mrs. Weidmer outlined the plans for the year's work and named her committees.

A round table discussion was held on the program for next year's work after which Dr. George P. Horst, pastor of the church talked on the mission work that can be done by the circle. It was voted to discontinue the serving of refreshments during the remainder of the year.

A feature of the entertainment was a reading, "Texas" by little J. B. Hubbard.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames E. T. Duff, J. W. Crews, J. A. Kemp, J. T. Erwin, W. D. Bolding, W. N. Maer, I. J. White, J. W. Culbertson, A. E. Hall, J. D. Robertson, R. T. Weidmer, J. T. Butts, F. E. Brandeberry, F. E. Rose, J. B. Hubbard, T. B. Smith, L. E. Stone, W. M. Priddy, R. L. Hargrave, Luther Thompson, Leon Cygon, William McIlheran, R. H. Schultz, C. C. Hagmann, T. B. Smith, J. R. Rodden of Hobart, Okla., and Dr. Horst.

Circle Two

Mrs. R. R. Robertson, circle chairman, was hostess to members of circle two at her home on Lucille, with Mrs. Luther Wright assisting. In the business meeting, Mrs. Robertson presided and Mrs. Wright, program chairman had charge of the program.

After the opening song, Mrs. A. H. Carrigan gave a beautiful devotional and Mrs. Fred Couper made an interesting talk on "Women and Missions." Mrs. T. B. Smith, president of the Woman's Missionary society made an inspiring talk.

In the social hour, delightful refreshments were served to Mesdames A. H. Carrigan, D. J. White, Will Gray, S. B. Heard, J. C. Hunt, R. H. Peterson, J. T. Montgomery, M. B. Oates, Max Shumake, Carrie Fidler, Curtis Atkinson, Fred T. Couper, Everett Jones, I. H. Roberts, T. B. Smith, Walter Campbell, and Misses Daisy Slopansky and Jodie Haynes.

Circle Three

Mrs. R. O. Harvey was hostess to members of circle three in a business meeting when the inspiring devotional was given by Mrs. B. L. Fain.

Circle officers who will serve with Mrs. Harvey were named as follows: Mrs. H. B. Patterson, program chairman; Mrs. J. T. Watson, secretary; Mrs. J. N. Prothro, treasurer and Mrs. Ed Howard, press reporter.

Plans were made for the year's work and members of the circle made pledges. Dr. George P. Horst made an inspiring talk on the work for the new church year.

In a short social hour, a delightful refreshment plate was served to Mesdames Orville Bullington, J. M. Bell, C. E. Beavers, T. J. Brock, Albert Crenshaw, John W. Caldwell, John Davenport, Luke McCrory, J. N. Prothro, Mills Tittle, W. A. Ehlert, Emma Goff, O. W. Hines, Ed Howard, O. E. Maer, H. B. Patterson, B. L. Fain, J. T. Watson, L. W. Lawler and the hostess.

Circle Four

Members of circle four met with Mrs. M. D. Walker at her home on Grant street and after a short business session in which Mrs. Walker presided, Mrs. O. W. Wilson, program, took charge of the meeting.

Mrs. J. D. Maddrey gave the devotional stressing personal responsibility and interesting talks were made on "The Negro in Africa," by Mrs. C. O. Nickell and "The Negro in America," by Mrs. W. W. Fraser.

In the social hour following the program, a delightful refreshment plate was served to Mesdames G. D. Anderson, O. T. Alles, W. H. Apple, C. W. Beavers, S. H. Burnside, W. E. Brothers, Emma Chandley, W. W. Fraser, J. C. Humphrey, L. N. Jernigan, Frank Kell, V. D. Miller, C. E. McCutchen, E. S. Morris, J. D. Maddrey, C. O. Nickell, H. O. Newton, H. J. Naylor, W. W. Robertson, E. E. Scannell, F. C. Uttz, O. W. Wilson and Mrs. Walker, the hostess.

Auxiliary Names Circle Officers In Monday Meets

Circles of the First Southern Presbyterian auxiliary met in business and social sessions Monday afternoon when officers were elected to act with the circle leaders already chosen. Mrs. Dan Castile was hostess to members of circle one and Mrs. C. McFayden, chairman of the circle conducted the business session. Mrs. H. S. Barnes was elected secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Dan Castile vice chairman and Mrs. George Fleming Bible chairman.

In the social hour, a delightful refreshment plate was served to Mesdames T. H. Clement, J. M. Nicks, G. L. Allen, H. S. Barnes, T. N. Colligan, Geo. Fleming, Guy Rolison, O. C. Dickson, C. B. Lowrance, C. McFayden and the hostess.

Circle Two

Mrs. J. E. Hall, who was hostess to members of circle two, gave the devotional and conducted the business session. Mrs. W. A. Goolsbee was elected secretary and treasurer and Mrs. Wilbur Newberry vice chairman. Mrs. R. C. Andersson was named Bible chairman. Mrs. Hall conducted the Survey lesson.

In the social hour, a light refreshment plate was served to Mesdames R. C. Anderson, L. L. Herald, W. A. Goolsbee, Ples Crouch, J. C. Morairity, Wilbur Newberry, Louis Hamlett, J. E. H. Railey, F. M. Rugeley, N. E. Moore, Misses Bertice Gibson and Alma Crouch and the hostess.

Circle Three

Members of circle three met at the home of Mrs. George T. Singleton and Mrs. J. A. Little led the devotional. Mrs. H. N. Bennett was elected vice chairman, Mrs. W. L. Whitlow secretary and treasurer and Mrs. Stanley Rugeley Bible chairman.

In the social hour a delightful plate was served to Mesdames J. A. Bass, H. N. Bennett, J. A. Little, A. W. Mount, T. M. McKinney, J. N. Scott, A. W. Taylor, Burke Taylor, W. L. Whitlow and the hostess.

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Grant Street Society Has Mission Study

Members of the Grant Street Methodist Woman's Missionary society met at the church Monday afternoon for a lesson on "The Life and Letters of Paul." The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. W. H. Black after which Mrs. I. L. Sides gave a prayer. Those taking part in the program included Mesdames I. L. Sides, T. M. Bridges, W. D. Smithson, W. H. Black, Marshall Doke, J. S. Gambrell, G. N. Walker, McElroy and H. A. Baker.

In the business session plans were made to attend the convention to be held at Iowa Park Tuesday. It was announced that members of circle two will sponsor a play "All a Mistake" at the tabernacle Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Those present were Mesdames John McMahon, T. M. Bridges, W. E. Hodges, H. A. Baker, Joe Counts, W. O. Dallas, F. Myers, W. D. Smithson, Louise Oltman, Marshall Doke, J. S. Gambrell, G. N. Walker, W. H. Black, D. O. Waymire, O. W. Holmes, McElroy, I. L. Sides and D. A. James.

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Nazarene W. M. S. Has Interesting Meeting

Members of the Woman's Missionary society of the First Church of the Nazarenes met in an interesting business session Monday at the church.

Mrs. George Manross gave the devotional and Mrs. Vernon led in the opening prayer. Mesdames J. E. Evans, Lucian Craft and M. M. Wall were received as new members.

In the business session, $22.65 was reported made in the cake sale held Saturday and two quilts were reported sold for $7. Mrs. J. E. Evans pronounced the benediction, dismissing about 18 members.

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Lucy Hansell Group Sews for Exchange

Mrs. W. B. Omohundro entertained members of the Lucy Hansell Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church at her home Monday afternoon when Mrs. Otis Nelson was associate hostess. The afternoon was spent in making garments for the thrift exchange.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames J. S. Bailey, Harrold Cramer, R. A. Wilson, Otis Nelson, F. M. Stauffer, G. D. Anderson Jr., Joe Carrigan, Charles Clough, A. B. Booth, J. H. S. Bonner, B. L. Beatty, A. M. Miller, Tom B. Medders, J. B. Baker Jr., G. C. Hand, R. L. Stringer, W. S. Abbott, O. R. Hartt, Julian Montgomery and Walter Backman.

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Pair Held After Jewels Disappear at 'Party'

DALLAS, April 13. (AP)—W. G. McCullers and O. W. Isaacson were held in jail here today, charged with theft of jewelry valued at $1,600 from Clyde McClung, Fort Worth contractor.

McClung reported to officers that two men cut in on a party at which he was a guest at a hotel here Saturday night, later going with the revelers to a residence in East Dallas. A ring valued at $1,500 was recovered but a watch had not been found.

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Lamar Circles Plan Boxes For Buckner's Home

Circles of Lamar Baptist W. M. S. met Monday for study of mission and Bible lesson and to plan boxes to be sent to Buckner's Orphan home. Members of circle one met at the home of Mrs. E. A. Turner, the hostess leading the devotional. Sentence prayers followed.

Mrs. D. H. Whittaker led the mission lesson and gave the closing prayer.

Those present were Mesdames H. C. Haynes, R. M. Lay, D. B. King, L. F. Kay, W. L. Garner, H. C. Glazner, R. E. Goode, C. W. Lile and the hostess and Mrs. E. O. Allred of Chillicothe, who was a guest.

Circle Two

Mrs. Riley Rawls was hostess to members of circle two at her home when Mrs. A. A. Foster gave the opening prayer. The devotional was given by Mrs. E. M. Teeters after which a short business session was held. Mrs. E. F. Moore had charge of the lesson. The meeting was dismissed with sentence prayers.

Those present were Mesdames W. D. Talley, E. M. Teeters, R. C. Milford, Audie Kinslow, Dora Carter, H. M. Marshall, Riley Rawls, Max Mallatt, A. N. Duckworth, E. F. Moore and two guests, Mesdames A. Crawford and A. A. Foster.

Circle Three

Mrs. L. C. Blakely was hostess to members of circle three when study of the mission lesson was followed by packing a crate of eggs to be sent to Buckner's Orphan home, Dallas.

Members present were Mesdames D. O. Stone, H. M. Brown, T. P. George, Charles Massey, Wm. C. McDonald, C. P. Walters, R. D. King, W. A. Strickland, A. V. Hibler, Roxie Strickland, H. M. Lindsey and the hostess.

Circle Four

Mrs. R. W. Rutherford was hostess to members of circle four when Mrs. E. O. Phillips gave the devotional and led the sentence prayers for the revival now in session at the church. Mrs. Rutherford's resignation as reporter was accepted and Mrs. S. F. Houchin was appointed to fill the vacancy. Plans were made to send a case of eggs to Buckner's Orphan home.

The lesson was taught by Mrs. W. B. Wood after which Mrs. W. P. Ruby gave the closing prayer.

Those present were Mesdames E. D. Parker, M. H. Buchanan, W. P. Ruby, E. O. Phillips, W. B. Wood, W. S. McGrady, F. C. Paul, R. W. Rutherford, S. F. Houchin, W. J. Morrison, A. E. Jennings, L. H. Hood and F. C. Johnson.

Circle Five

Members of circle five met with Mrs. W. O. Fisher with Mrs. H. D. Biles leading the devotional service followed by sentence prayers. Members brought eggs to be sent to Buckner's Orphan home and after these were packed, Mrs. W. F. Harris taught the lesson on "Along the Highways of Service." The closing prayer was given by Mrs. H. D. Biles.

Those present were Mesdames J. O. Vincent, G. E. Ford, L. R. Hall, J. E. Holder, J. R. Self, J. J. Nicholson, W. F. Harris, W. L. Davis, R. L. Ryle, L. F. Straley and the hostess.

Circle Six

Mrs. T. P. Walker was hostess to members of circle six and gave the devotional and Mrs. J. J. Bozeman gave the opening prayer. Mrs. W. R. Harper presided in the business meeting when Mrs. W. R. Hull was elected periodical chairman and Mrs. A. E. Stanley educational chairman. Mrs. G. W. Anderson closed the meeting with prayer.

Those present were Mesdames W. R. Harper, A. E. Stanley, V. M. Tillerson, G. W. Anderson, J. W. Tallent, J. W. Givens, J. E. Strain, J. J. Bozeman and the hostess.

Circle Seven

Members of circle seven met at the home of Mrs. M. V. Horton with Mrs. R. R. Ferrell giving the devotional and opening prayer. Mrs. Horton presided over a short business session in which plans were made to send a crate of eggs to Buckner's Orphan home. A quilt was also sent to the girl's training school in Fort Worth.

The lesson was given by Mrs. A. J. Catlin after which the meeting was closed with sentence prayers for the revival now in progress.

Those present were Mesdames J. L. Beavers, A. J. Catlin, R. R. Ferrell, E. L. Kemmerly and M. V. Horton.

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CALENDAR

TUESDAY

Austin Pre-School Study club meets 9:30 a. m. at school.

Austin Pre-School health clinic at 1 p. m. at the school.

Music Study club morning musicale, Mrs. Will McKemie, 10 o'clock.

Annual bridge tournament sponsored by Woman's Forum clubhouse morning and evening.

Musician's club open program, Episcopal parish house, 8:15 p. m.

Fidelis Sunday school class, First Evangelical church, with Mrs. D. Decker, 1621 Keeler, 2:30 p. m.

Rainbow Girls assembly 17 will entertain Burkburnett Girls assembly, evening. Eastern Stars and visiting Rainbow Girls invited.

Carrigan P.-T. A. executive board at school, 2:15 p. m.

Sam Houston Pre-School Study club with Mrs. H. G. Parker, 3007 Cumberland, at 9:30 a. m. Dr. C. W. Stevenson, speaker.

Benjamin Franklin Pre-School Study club meets with Mrs. A. L. Hecht, 1820 Woodrow street, 9:30 a. m.

Executive board Federated Missionary society at the day nursery at 9:30 a. m.

Executive board Zundelowitz P.-T. A. called meeting principal's office school at 9 a. m. Officers and sponsors urged to be present.

Fannin P.-T. A. executive board at school, 2:30 p. m.

Crockett P.-T. A. at school auditorium, 3 p. m.

High School and Junior College P.-T. A. meets school auditorium at 3 p. m.

Meeting of Tejas chapter, Delphian society, 10 a. m., at the Forum clubhouse.

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North Side Baptist Circles Meet Monday

Members of circle one of the North Side Baptist Woman's Missionary society met with Mrs. H. L. Perry Monday afternoon for a business session and Bible study. Mrs. Tom Parkinson gave the devotional.

Those present were Mesdames A. B. Bateman, H. L. Perry, G. R. McMinn, B. A. Farguson, Tom Parkinson, Effie Barkley, R. E. James, W. L. Hoskins, J. B. O'Bannon, W. O. Stephens, C. V. Terry, R. L. Anderson, R. L. Lancaster, A. C. Mundy, D. L. Shepherd and C. R. Walker.

Circle Two

Circle two met at the home of Mrs. J. L. Dudley. The devotional was read by the hostess after which Mrs. A. F. Harnish led the lesson. Mrs. J. B. O'Bannon closed the meeting with a prayer.

Those present were Mesdames Charles Huggins, C. B. Davis, E. A. Martinek, D. P. Douglass, O. E. Taylor, E. T. Wells, Seth Wehunt, G. C. York, A. F. Harnish, H. I. Hallahan, J. L. Dudley, T. A. Pratt, G. G. Howell.

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Wilson Memorial Group Has Monday Meeting

Members of the Wilson Memorial Methodist Woman's Missionary society met at the church Monday afternoon when Mrs. F. K. Brown opened the meeting with a prayer. The devotional was given by Mrs. F. E. McDonald after which Mesdames L. H. Gilbreath and J. W. Thomas, delegates to the North Texas conference held in Dallas, gave their reports.

Mrs. J. R. Moore was welcomed into the society as a new member and Mrs. L. H. Gilbreath closed the meeting with a prayer.

Those present were Mesdames L. W. Calloway, C. E. Collins, Ernest Owens, J. W. Thomas, A. M. Davenport, J. R. Moore, F. E. McDonald, G. H. Axline, H. A. Johnson, F. K. Brown, J. M. Kelm, C. P. Perkins, L. H. Gilbreath and A. Allday.

Following the appearance of the queen in a pair of black suede shoes, many factories in England are busy turning out that type of footwear.

Inspiring Bible Lesson at First Methodist W. M. S.

Mrs. W. W. Cook, president of the First Methodist Woman's Missionary society, was honored with a life membership in the North Texas conference of the W. M. S. convening last week in Dallas. Mrs. B. P. Williams of the same society was elected district secretary of the Wichita Falls area. Announcement of these honors was made at the afternoon Bible study meeting of the society held in the church parlors Monday.

The meeting was opened with song, Mrs. P. P. Langford, Bible study chairman, presiding. An inspiring devotional on "Building" was given by Mrs. B. P. Williams who stressed the beauty of character building that led to all other worth while building. "We are building every day," she said; "we build roads, bridges, houses, but the building of character leads to worthwhile building for eternity."

"The Fatherhood of God," was a beautiful talk made by Mrs. Guy Raley in closing the inspirational meeting.

Members present were Mesdames C. B. Haynie, J. L. Dashner, W. J. Ranbarger, P. P. Langford, C. E. Pross, W. P. Collier, E. A. Cox, J. L. Sibert, E. L. Gorhart, H. M. Evans, W. C. Cole, C. C. Collier, Ben G. Oneal, B. P. Williams, Maud Prince, J. E. O'Brien, Homer Lee, S. S. McKenney, J. C. Hanks, A. C. Walker, J. J. Perkins, A. W. Karrenbrock, W. J. McAllister, K. B. Dodge, J. D. Bright, W. J. Daugherty, J. P. Marrs, Guy Raley, T. P. Lynch, T. A. Baggett, W. D. Gaut, L. C. Ulrich, J. L. Eggleston, W. M. Summers, J. W. Akin, Wayne Somerville, A. B. Lipscomb, T. H. Lawson, G. A. Remington, R. M. Morrow, Stanley M. Raub and R. L. Underwood.

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Personals

Mrs. H. V. McConkey of Dallas and small son, Jimmie, are visiting at the home of J. A. Donaldson, 1607 Beverly drive.

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Mrs. Ben G. Oneal has returned from Austin where she has been since the legislative session opened and will remain in Wichita Falls through the week. She will return here from the First district convention in Graham on April 20, 21 and 22 for a brief stay.

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Mrs. R. O. Harvey has returned to the city after an extended trip to the East when after visiting her son, Ralph, in Washington-Lee university, he accompanied her to New York for the Easter holidays. Mrs. Preston Lea, whose daughter, Lida Lea, is in school at Randolph Macon, accompanied Mrs. Harvey and returned at the same time.

Kansan Has Plan To Raise Wheat Price

WICHITA, Kan., April 13. (UP)—A drastic plan to triple the price of wheat and put wheat growing back on a profitable basis has been laid before Gov. Harry H. Woodring by Donald Muir, Anthony.

Muir's proposals were:

A cut of 50 per cent in the acreage for the 1932 crop.

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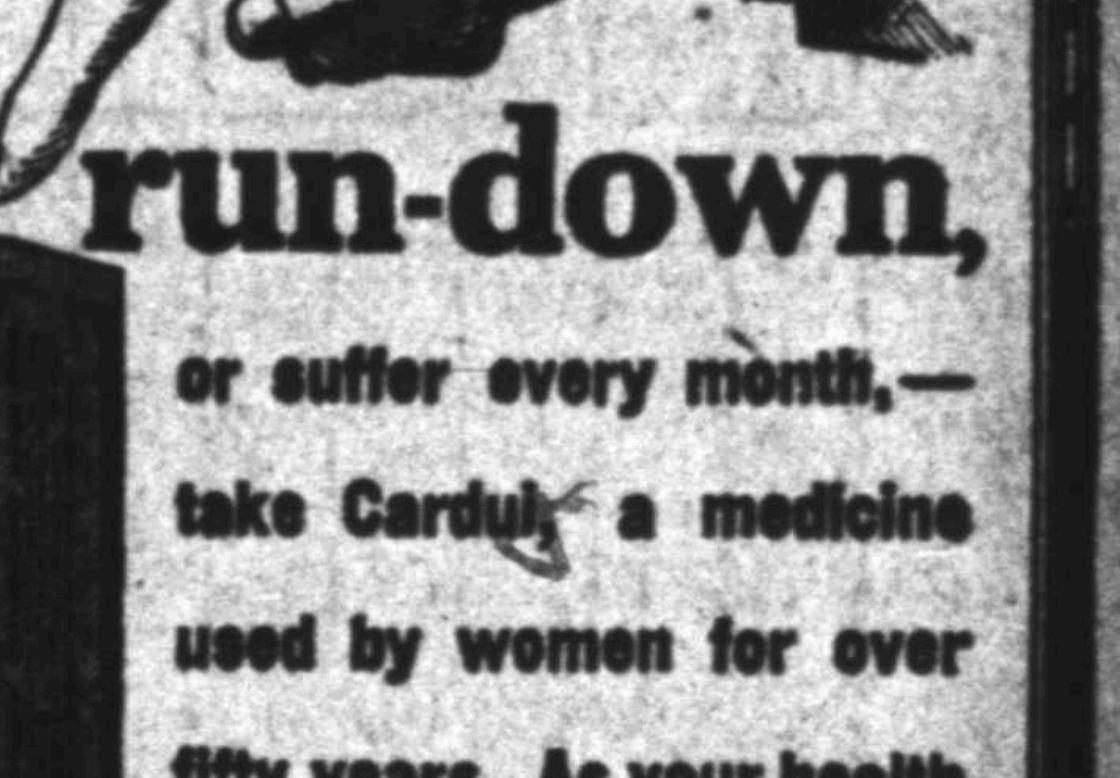

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Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY
Author of "The Fast Way to Health"

Questions in regard to health and diet will be answered by Dr. McCoy who can be addressed in care of this paper

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Dangerous High Blood Pressure

The number of deaths from apoplexy have been gradually increasing each year until apoplexy in 1930 became the fourth most important cause of death.

The conditions of life under which we live have a tendency to produce high blood pressure and arterial sclerosis, and these two disorders in combination are directly responsible for the majority of apoplectic attacks.

Doctors are often amazed at the large percentage of people past middle-age who are afflicted with high blood pressure, often without the patient's knowledge until he is told when the condition is discovered by an examination.

High blood pressure is considered so dangerous that every insurance company will turn down an applicant without further examination if they find the blood pressure is too high.

Many people have a high blood pressure for years without being aware of the fact, since there is no method of determining this without an examination with a device called a sphygmomonometer in the hands of a competent diagnostician.

Many of the untimely deaths from apoplexy could easily have been avoided by the proper fasting and dieting regimen, had these individuals been aware that they were afflicted by high blood pressure.

Many doctors consider high blood pressure a hereditary inclination and believe that there is very little that can be done to alleviate the condition. But it is often surprising how quickly the high blood pressure can be reduced with a fruit juice fast. I have never seen a case under my observation and control where the pressure could not be readily reduced to normal by this method.

When taking the blood pressure a doctor must be careful not to cause any undue worry or excitement of the patient, for it is well known among physiologists that the blood pressure varies greatly under emotional stress. It may rise as much as 50 or 60 millimeters during an examination. While free from all emotional excitement the systolic blood pressure should not be more than from 116 to 130 millimeters.

The blood pressure is greatest during a heart beat (systolic) becoming lower between heart beats (diastolic). The blood pressure is increased by exposure to cold, or by kidney disease, arterial sclerosis, neurasthenia, melancholia and some disorders of the ductless glands. Where the kidneys are involved, a moderate high blood pressure seems to be an advantage, and should not be reduced by drugs, although if the kidneys are relieved of their extra burden of elimination through the proper hygienic measures, the blood pressure will also become more normal.

Many doctors advise a diet which eliminates meat, alcohol and tobacco, but I seldom find that a patient with high blood pressure has used more of these so-called agents than the average person. After the fruit juice fast, to reduce the blood pressure to normal, it has been my observation that a permanent cure depends entirely upon the regulation of the use of carbohydrates. I have tested this fact carefully in thousands of cases. When patients use carbohydrates on one day and not the next, it is very easy to determine the day when carbohydrates were used by the rise in blood pressure.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Ridges on Fingernails

Question—R. B. asks: "Why do the fingernails have longitudinal lines? My nephew of 12 has healthy looking nails except for these up and down ridges and I feel there is some cause which should now be corrected. As to myself, I have a definite soreness right at the hinges of the jaw on both sides, flesh is sore, especially in the mornings. Then the feeling passes and just leaves the flesh tender, sometimes with little blisters. Does this mean the beginning of anything serious?"

Answer—Longitudinal lines on the finger nails are not of any particular significance. Sometimes they are found in those of a tubercular tendency or those having chronic bronchitis. I could not determine just what is causing the soreness in the jaws without examining you. This might be due to some disorder of the salivary glands or might be due to an impacted or abscessed wisdom tooth.

Papilloma of Bladder

Question—Q. N. writes: "An examination by cystoscope showed papilloma of the bladder. I will be glad for your opinion as to what should be done now."

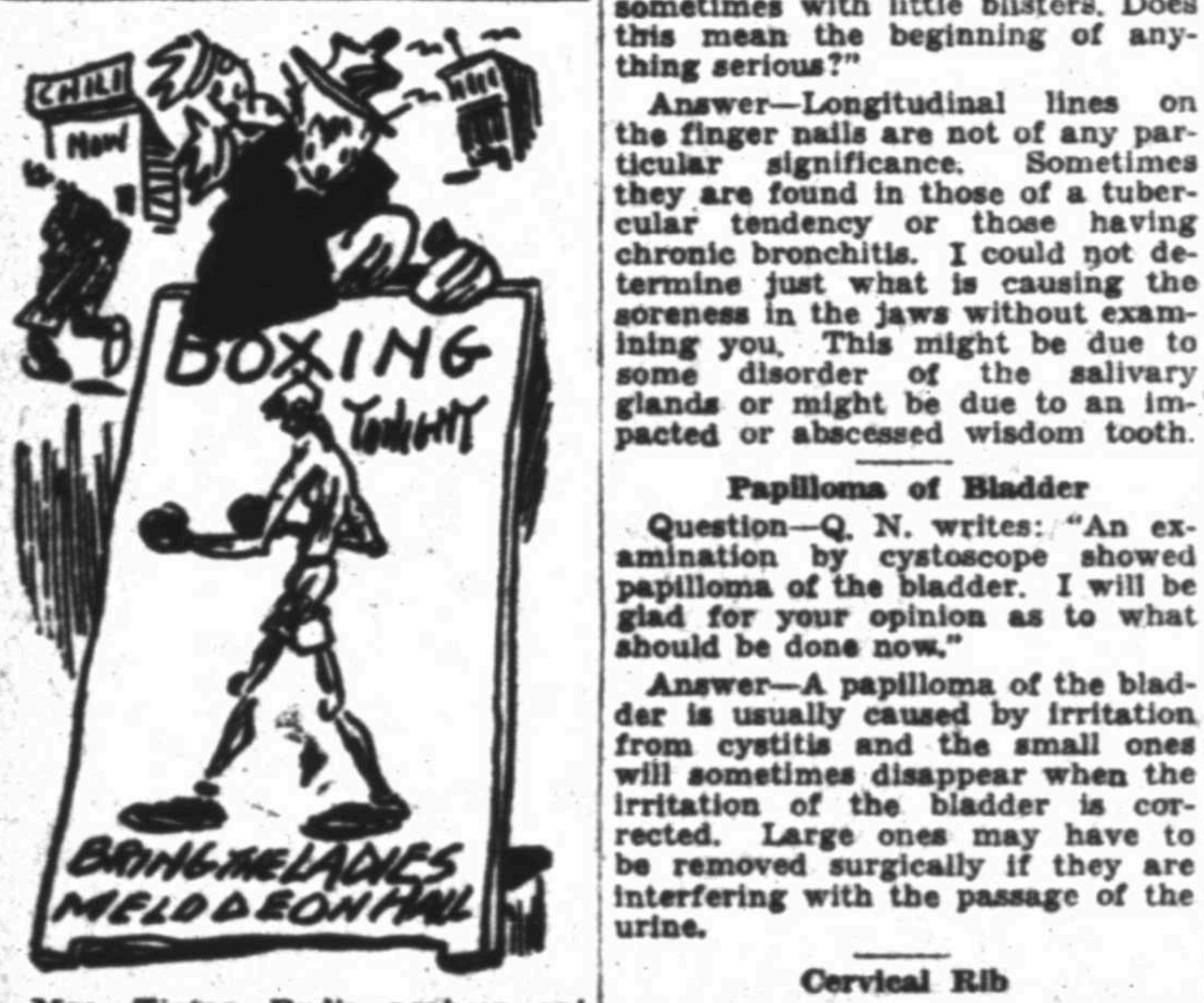
Answer—A papilloma of the bladder is usually caused by irritation from cystitis and the small ones will sometimes disappear when the irritation of the bladder is corrected. Large ones may have to be removed surgically if they are interfering with the passage of the urine.

Cervical Rib

Question—S. C. asks: "What treatment do you advise for cervical rib?"

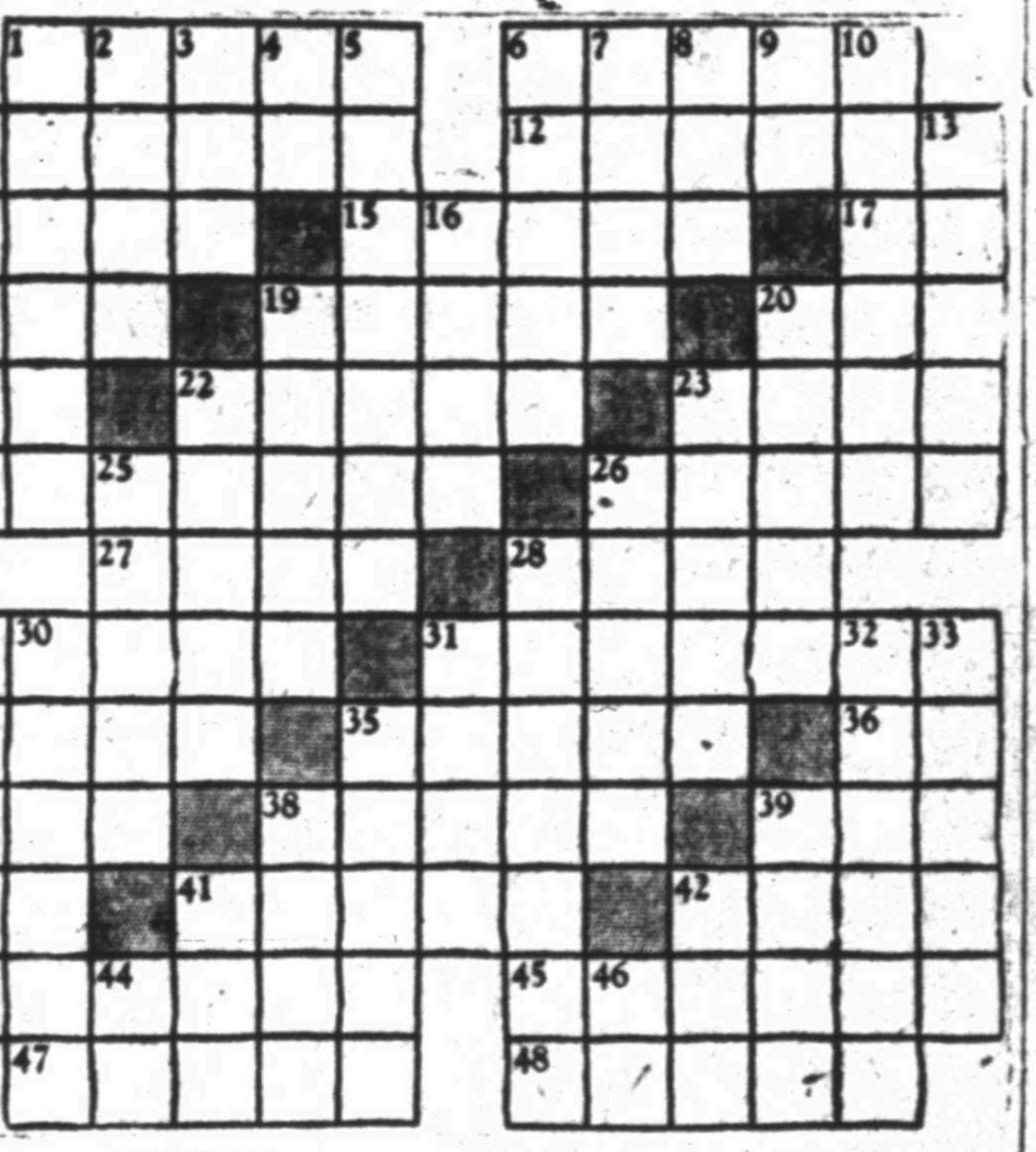
Answer—If your cervical rib is not causing trouble it should be left alone. If it causes pressure in the neck, then surgical removal is usually the best policy.

Abe Martin



Mrs. Tipton Bud's nephew an' family are livin' comfortably in Nice an' educatin' their children fer less'n it costs t' advertise fer a maid all th' time. Ther seems t' be an unwritten law against prohibition.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



HORIZONTAL

1. Appearance.
6. Twilled cloth.
11. Political division.
12. Gully.
14. Worthless leavings.
15. Subject.
17. Egyptian god.
18. Fuss.
19. Canvas-like substance.
20. Pronoun.
21. French article.
22. Consumed.
23. Pulsation.
24. To nestle.
26. Laments.
27. To corner.
28. Not good.
29. To change.
31. Wild.
34. Measures.
35. Shoes.
36. Symbol for samarium.
37. Black substance.
38. Classifies.
39. Beast.
40. Plural ending.
41. General fight.
42. To border.
43. To retreat.
45. Grins.
47. Gives sparingly.
48. Wearies.

VERTICAL

1. Fertile area.
2. Preposition.
3. Pronoun.
4. Thus.
5. To authorize to receive.
6. Hard black varnish.
7. Island.
8. Curve.
9. A negative.
10. An asiatic.
11. [illegible]
13. Ovens.
16. Molding.
19. Bet.
20. Core.
22. A heron.
23. Blessings.
25. To issue.
26. Ditches.
28. To dissent formally.
29. Behind.
30. Denied.
31. Forward.
32. Publishes.
33. Assigns roles.
35. Tree trunks.
38. Withered.
39. Capable.
41. 1-1000th inch.
42. Atmosphere.
44. Toward.
46. Musical note.

Answer to Yesterday's Puzzle.

ABYSS FLAIL
SPEECH LANCET
NU SUAVE TOGA
ALL DRIES NAP
RIOT DATUM TE
LAGER LEGUMES
EPOS RATE
RESISTS REDAN
AM DEALS DADO
BEL SLOOP LOT
BRAN LEARN RE
IGNORE ROAMED
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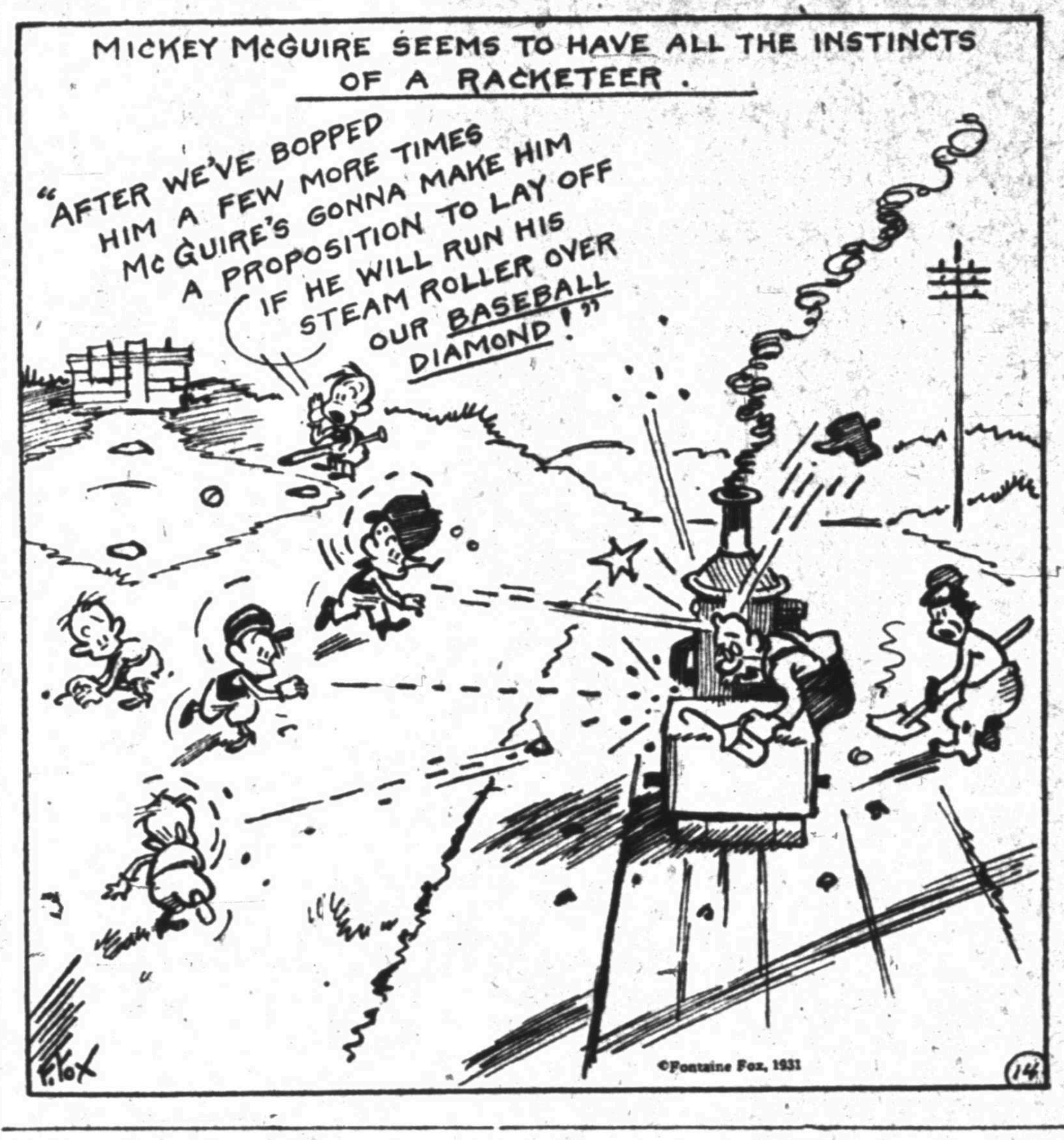
TOONERVILLE TROLLEY

By Fontaine Fox


MICKEY McGUIRE SEEMS TO HAVE ALL THE INSTINCTS OF A RACKETEER.
"AFTER WE'VE BOPPED HIM A FEW MORE TIMES McGUIRE'S GONNA MAKE HIM A PROPOSITION TO LAY OFF IF HE WILL RUN HIS STEAM ROLLER OVER OUR BASEBALL DIAMOND!"
F. FOX
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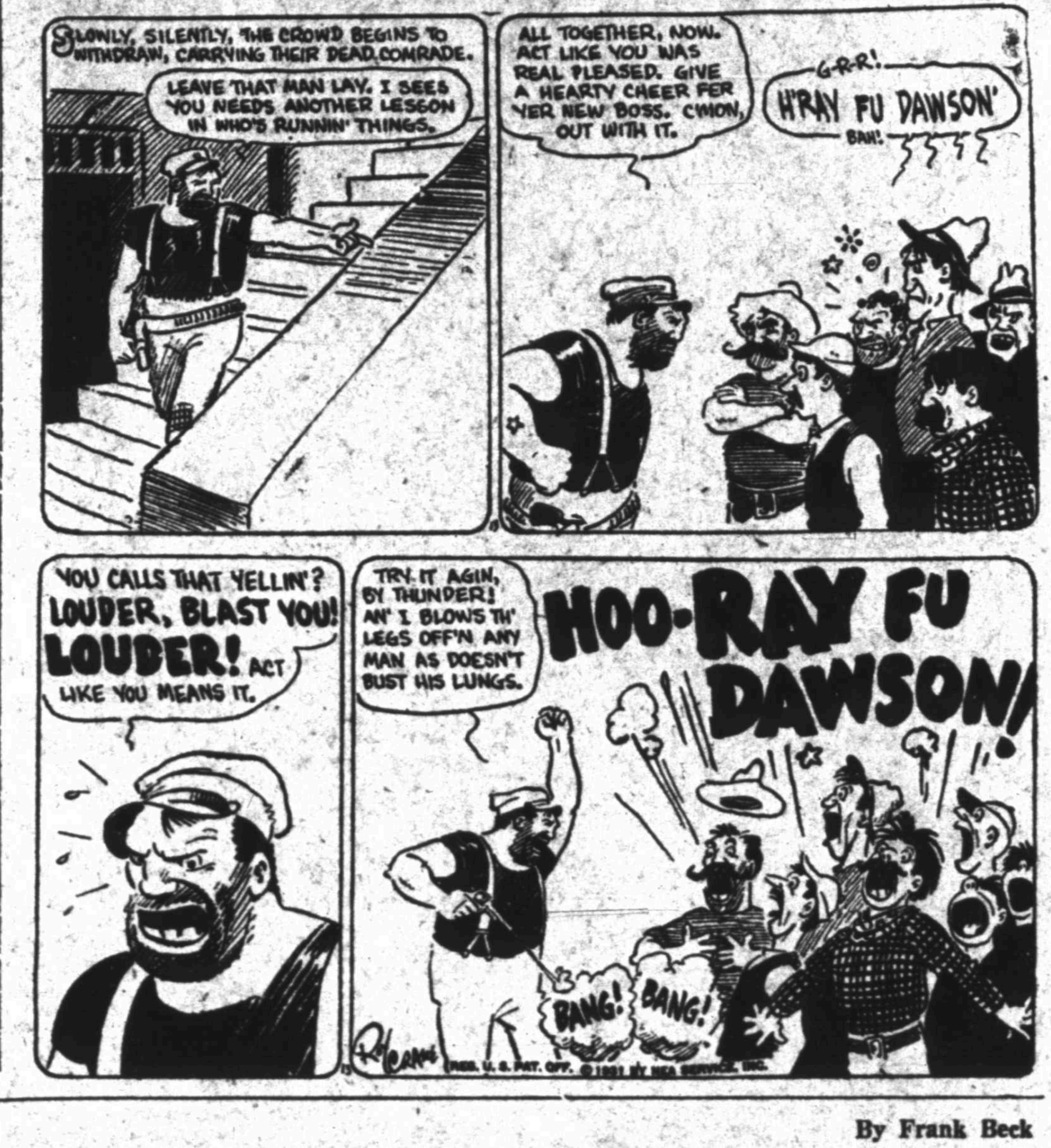
WASH TUBBS

By Crane


SLOWLY, SILENTLY, THE CROWD BEGINS TO WITHDRAW, CARRYING THEIR DEAD COMRADE.
LEAVE THAT MAN LAY. I SEES YOU NEEDS ANOTHER LESSON IN WHO'S RUNNIN' THINGS.
ALL TOGETHER, NOW. ACT LIKE YOU WAS REAL PLEASED. GIVE A HEARTY CHEER FER YER NEW BOSS. C'MON, OUT WITH IT.
G-R-R!
H'RAY FU DAWSON'
BAH!
YOU CALLS THAT YELLIN'? LOUDER, BLAST YOU! LOUDER! ACT LIKE YOU MEANS IT.
TRY IT AGIN, BY THUNDER! AN' I BLOWS TH' LEGS OFF'N ANY MAN AS DOESN'T BUST HIS LUNGS.
HOO-RAY FU DAWSON!
BANG! BANG!
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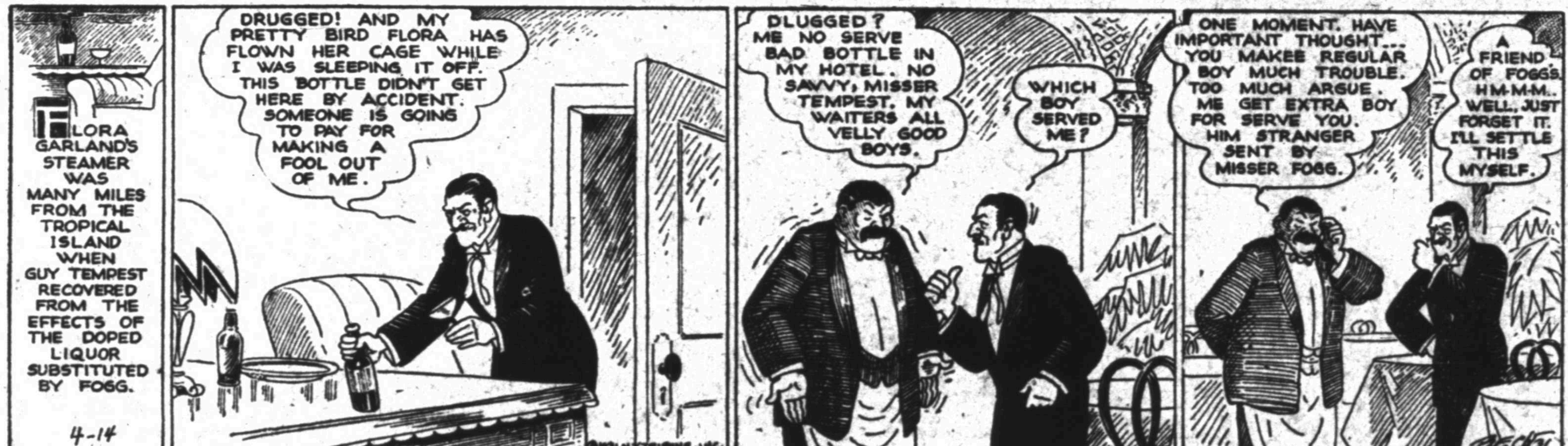
GAS BUGGIES

By Frank Beck


FLORA GARLAND'S STEAMER WAS MANY MILES FROM THE TROPICAL ISLAND WHEN GUY TEMPEST RECOVERED FROM THE EFFECTS OF THE DOPED LIQUOR SUBSTITUTED BY FOGG.
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DRUGGED! AND MY PRETTY BIRD FLORA HAS FLOWN HER CAGE WHILE I WAS SLEEPING IT OFF. THIS BOTTLE DIDN'T GET HERE BY ACCIDENT. SOMEONE IS GOING TO PAY FOR MAKING A FOOL OUT OF ME.
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DLUGGED? ME NO SERVE BAD BOTTLE IN MY HOTEL. NO SAVVY, MISSER TEMPEST. MY WAITERS ALL VELLY GOOD BOYS.
WHICH BOY SERVED ME?
ONE MOMENT. HAVE IMPORTANT THOUGHT... YOU MAKEE REGULAR BOY MUCH TROUBLE. TOO MUCH ARGUE. ME GET EXTRA BOY FOR SERVE YOU. HIM STRANGER SENT BY MISSER FOGG.
A FRIEND OF FOGG'S. HMMM. WELL, JUST FORGET IT. I'LL SETTLE THIS MYSELF.
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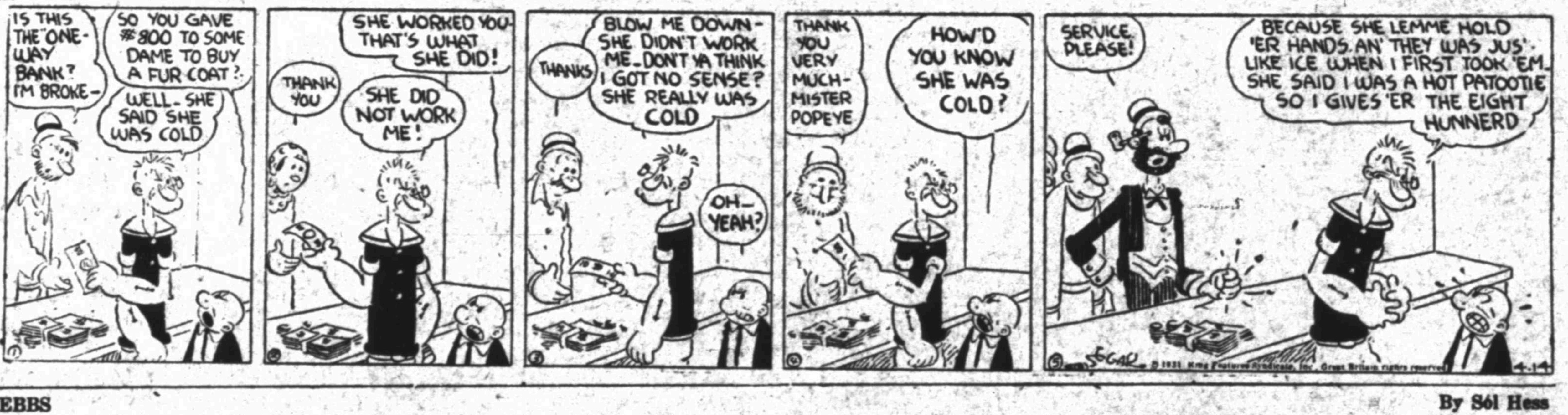
THIMBLE THEATER Starring POPEYE

By E. C. Segar


IS THIS THE ONE-WAY BANK? I'M BROKE—
SO YOU GAVE $800 TO SOME DAME TO BUY A FUR COAT?
WELL—SHE SAID SHE WAS COLD
THANK YOU
SHE WORKED YOU THAT'S WHAT SHE DID!
SHE DID NOT WORK ME!
THANKS
BLOW ME DOWN—SHE DIDN'T WORK ME—DON'T YA THINK I GOT NO SENSE? SHE REALLY WAS COLD
OH—YEAH?
THANK YOU VERY MUCH—MISTER POPEYE
HOW'D YOU KNOW SHE WAS COLD?
SERVICE, PLEASE!
BECAUSE SHE LEMME HOLD 'ER HANDS AN' THEY WAS JUS' LIKE ICE WHEN I FIRST TOOK 'EM. SHE SAID I WAS A HOT PATOOTIE SO I GIVES 'ER THE EIGHT HUNNERD
SEGAR
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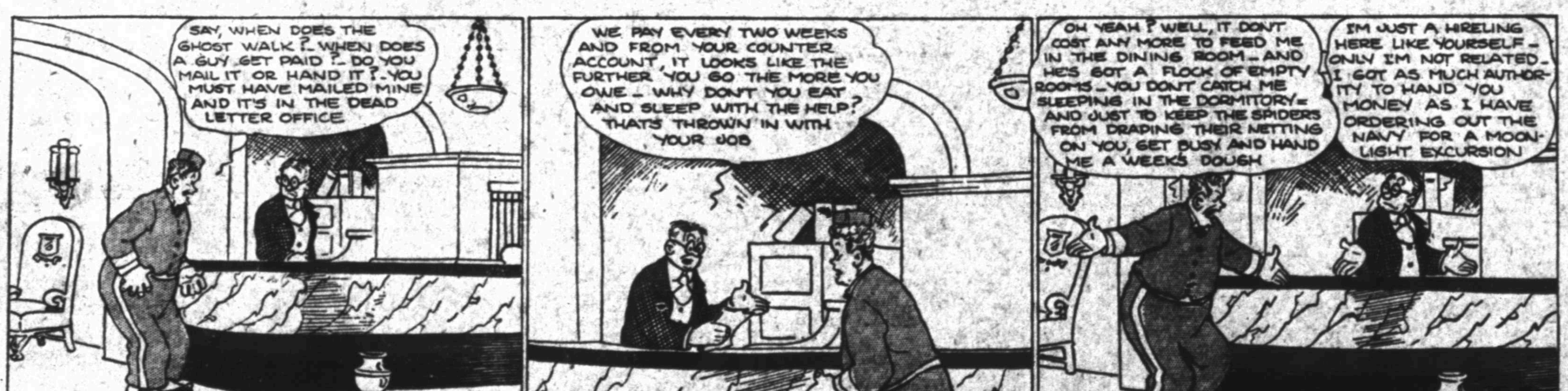
THE NEBBS

By Sol Hess


SAY, WHEN DOES THE GHOST WALK?—WHEN DOES A GUY GET PAID?—DO YOU MAIL IT OR HAND IT?—YOU MUST HAVE MAILED MINE AND IT'S IN THE DEAD LETTER OFFICE
WE PAY EVERY TWO WEEKS AND FROM YOUR COUNTER ACCOUNT, IT LOOKS LIKE THE FURTHER YOU GO THE MORE YOU OWE—WHY DON'T YOU EAT AND SLEEP WITH THE HELP? THAT'S THROWN IN WITH YOUR JOB
OH YEAH? WELL, IT DON'T COST ANY MORE TO FEED ME IN THE DINING ROOM—AND HE'S GOT A FLOCK OF EMPTY ROOMS—YOU DON'T CATCH ME SLEEPING IN THE DORMITORY—AND JUST TO KEEP THE SPIDERS FROM DRAPING THEIR NETTING ON YOU, GET BUSY AND HAND ME A WEEK'S DOUGH
I'M JUST A HIRELING HERE LIKE YOURSELF—ONLY I'M NOT RELATED—I GOT AS MUCH AUTHORITY TO HAND YOU MONEY AS I HAVE ORDERING OUT THE NAVY FOR A MOONLIGHT EXCURSION
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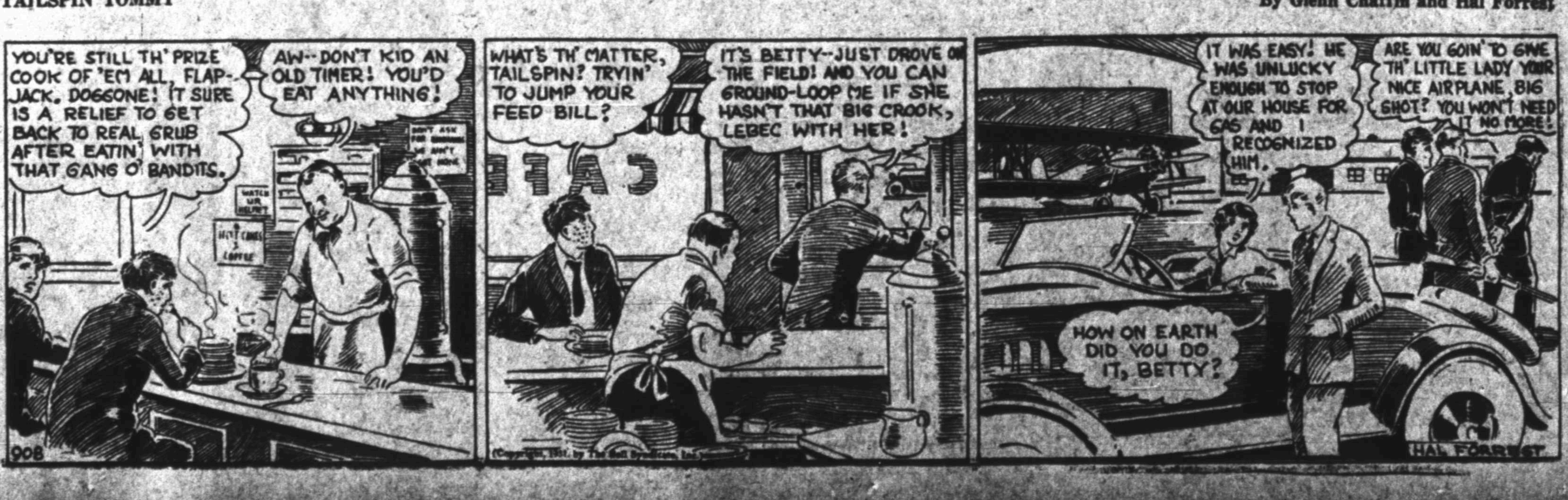
W. A. CARLSON

TAILSPIN TOMMY

By Glenn Chaffin and Hal Forrest


YOU'RE STILL TH' PRIZE COOK OF 'EM ALL, FLAP-JACK. DOGGONE! IT SURE IS A RELIEF TO GET BACK TO REAL GRUB AFTER EATIN' WITH THAT GANG O' BANDITS.
AW—DON'T KID AN OLD TIMER! YOU'D EAT ANYTHING!
WATCH UR HELMET
HOT CAKES & COFFEE
WHAT'S TH' MATTER, TAILSPIN? TRYIN' TO JUMP YOUR FEED BILL?
IT'S BETTY—JUST DROVE ON THE FIELD! AND YOU CAN GROUND-LOOP ME IF SHE HASN'T THAT BIG CROOK, LEBEC WITH HER!
CAFE
IT WAS EASY! HE WAS UNLUCKY ENOUGH TO STOP AT OUR HOUSE FOR GAS AND I RECOGNIZED HIM.
ARE YOU GOIN' TO GIVE TH' LITTLE LADY YOUR NICE AIRPLANE, BIG SHOT? YOU WON'T NEED IT NO MORE!
HOW ON EARTH DID YOU DO IT, BETTY?
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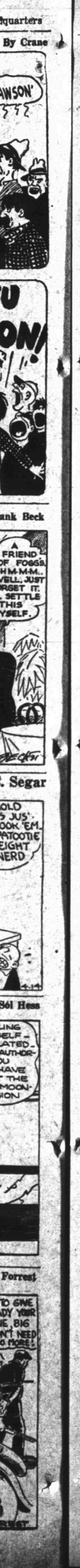
HAL FORREST



TED GULLIC DUE TO JOIN SPUDS IN TIME FOR LEAGUE OPENER

The Rambler's Corner

By FRED THOMPSON

Just to be different, the Rambler is picking the Chicago Cubs to win the National league pennant. The Cubs have Rogers Hornsby back in excellent physical condition, and that is one reason for our decision.

Another reason is that we just don't want the Cards to win—and that reason will hold just about as much water as any the experts are flinging about. If any St. Louis team is going to win pennants in the future we want it to be the Browns, and not the Cardinals.

And of course you know why I want the Browns to be champions—Levey to Storti to Burns—and Crouch—and Bettencourt.

And to be different again, the Rambler is picking the Browns to wind up higher than seventh place. That's where all the big sports writers up East say they'll finish. Well, I may be pretty shaky on judging base hits sometimes, and I may need a haircut and my home might be out here on the Texas plains instead of in an unventilated, stuffy city apartment, and I might wobble a bit on predicting the fate of teams I've never seen in action, but I have seen Levey, Storti, Burns and the rest on the field and I know what they can do now, and I know they'll get better as the days roll along.

In fact, if the boss were not standing over me telling me to be careful, I'd say the Browns this year will be somewhere in the first division.

"Old Pete"

It is good, but it is also touching to see the change that has come over Grover Cleveland Alexander.

Old Pete, here Sunday with the House of David team, said his new job is "all right—it's a good vacation."

"And I'm getting more money managing this team than any Texas league team would pay me for pitching.

"I made a bum showing down here last year because I was worried and all out of shape, but this year I'm better—yes," he wound up, "I'm all right."

"What kind of team have you got, Pete—are they winning any games—are they drawing crowds?" he was asked.

"Sure, we're winning—we're the champions of Texas now!"

We were talking before Sunday's game. That was the first the longbeards lost in Texas.

"We're the champions of Texas!"—Old Pete, once master of the mound who won world championships, speaking with a touch of pride of a team that has successfully encountered a bunch of bush league outfits in country towns!

It was a bit pathetic. None the less, it cheered the old Rambler to see Alex smiling—rather wistfully—and in a good humor.

For the first time in my life I had a real desire to be a millionaire. All I've wanted so far is a cot or something to sleep on, a shelf of books—preferably those by Mencken and Sinclair Lewis—four or five albums of Beethoven records, and a cob pipe. But Sunday I wanted to be a millionaire so I could say, "Here, Pete—here's half of all the coin I've got. Now go build you a nice house and get a herd of chickens, and build you a baseball diamond in the back yard—and you take life easy—you who have given baseball some of its most inspiring moments—and when you care to, call your friends together and take a round or so on your private mound just to keep alive the memories of the days of old—and when you want to go places you won't have to hop freight trains—and you won't have to take orders from minor league managers who five or six years ago wouldn't have been worthy, in a baseball way, of tying your shoe laces—and I'm giving you half of what I've got in return for only one thing: that you'll invite me to your house and let me talk to you about the days when you pitched real baseball."

I enjoyed that 30-minute talk with Old Pete Sunday as much as some of our glue magnates enjoy a breakfast with President Hoover.

He is still the good fellow—not a goody-goody boy. He hauled out a cigaret and forgot to offer me one and apologized profusely for his negligence.

"How are you feeling, Pete—I mean are you in good physical condition?" I asked.

A glow almost came to his rugged cheeks. "You bet, I'm all right," he said. "I trained hard down at Mineral Wells, and wasn't sore at all, not even after the first day." It was clear that he is no longer a charter member in the jug handle league, and it was good to see this.

"Well, how about the mental side—you're not as worried now as you were last year, are you?"

"No, I guess I'm all right"—"all right" seemed to be his answer to all questions.

But he had a dreamy look in his eyes. Then I happened to remember that Alex had written some newspaper articles up East last year. I thought if he'd write some more—for some magazine—it would increase his happiness, for the main consolation of the once-great seems to be in writing of the days when they were at the peak—it makes them relive the old days and yet the act of writing requires concentration, so that the memory of better times does not lead to a doleful state of mind.

"Alex," I said, "why don't you break down and write some magazine articles—they pay off well, you know."

But he had beaten me to it.

"You bet they do!" he said. "I just sold a story to a big magazine. I've already got my money from them, but they haven't printed my story yet. Guess they're saving it until the baseball season opens."

So Old Pete seems to be a different man than he was last year. I never will forget the way he carries himself on the mound, the way he handles himself, the way he poses before throwing the ball.

As he lobbed a few over in batting practice before Sunday's game I suddenly was able to forget I was in Spudder park, that funny-faced young men were howling the delights of soda pop and peanuts within an inch of my ears, that the Spudders were about to play a bunch of hirsute oddities—Grover Cleveland Alexander was warming up for a world series game!

BROWNS ALSO SEND PITCHER

Stores to Close at 3:30 Wednesday

By FRED THOMPSON

Ted Gullic, slugging outfielder who played here the latter part of the 1929 season, will be in the lineup when the Spudders meet the Fort Worth Panthers at Athletic park Wednesday in the opening game of the season. That is, if he arrives here in time.

News that Gullic and Forrest Pressnell, young right-handed pitcher, would play with the Spudders in 1931 was received in dispatches from St. Louis Monday afternoon.

The players were reported en route here. It is unlikely Pressnell will see service in the first game, but it is a certainty that Gullic will, even after a long train ride.

Pack the Park and Swell the Chest!

"Even if Gullic gets here just in time to crawl into a uniform, we'll use him," Skipper Williams said.

The addition of these two players will boost the chances of Carl Williams' 1931 entry immeasurably. Gullic gained fame during his short stay here in the 1929 season as a fielder par excellence and a steady hitter, and Pressnell last season was one of the leading pitchers of the Topeka club of the Western league. Gullic was with the Browns all of last season, and Pressnell has been with the Browns since the opening of the 1931 training season. Both have been in the Browns' lineup frequently this spring and will report here ready to go.

Stores to Close

Fortified by the assurance that Gullic and Pressnell will be in Spudder uniforms this year, Carl Williams and his clan and all civic forces in town went ahead with preparations for the big day tomorrow.

It was announced by the Retail Merchants association that all merchants and business men within its fold would close up shop at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in order that their employes might attend the game, which will start at 4 o'clock.

Meanwhile Secretary Guy Airey announced that the advance ticket sale was showing up to expectations, and that Wichita Falls would make a determined effort to again win the cash prize of $250 offered by the league to the class B city having the largest crowd opening day. Tickets are on sale at Renfro's drug store No. 1.

At the office of J. Alvin Gardner, league president, the Texas league umpires for 1931 assembled at noon Monday for their annual discussion of the rules, and Monday evening repaired to Mr. Gardner's home for the annual banquet tendered the blue-coats by the league president. All the umpires but one were present at the meeting. The absent one was John King, colorful arbiter who recently made a few grand in the East Texas oil fields. King was delayed by an important oil deal in Kilgore, Gardner said.

It was originally planned to have the umpires' feast at noon, but the delayed arrival of some of them postponed the event until Monday evening.

Umps Assigned Posts

At the noon meeting President Gardner announced the opening day assignments of his umpires. Lee Ballanfant and Steve Basil will officiate at the opening day game here, it was announced.

Other assignments follow:

At Shreveport: Barr and King.

At Galveston: Kane, Colfer and Tullos.

At Beaumont: Dominique and Sears.

Fans whose joy it is to charge the umpire with blindness at baseball games would have enjoyed one feature of the arbiters' meeting. They all went "blind" for an instant when a photographer snapped a flashlight picture of the group in President Gardner's office. At least the photographer decided that all of them had blinked at the wrong moment, and took another picture.

Manager Carl Williams sent his squad through a brief intra-camp game down at the lot Monday and followed it up with an infield workout. The final workout Tuesday before the league opener will be confined to a batting practice, he said.

Freeman Fights Thompson Tonight

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 13. (AP)—Tommy Freeman, world's welterweight champion, will engage in the first defense of his title tomorrow night by meeting the sharp-shooting young negro, young Jack Thompson of Oakland, Calif., from whom he won the crown here six months ago.

They will meet in a 15-round battle to a decision at the welterweight limit of 147 pounds. Because of an unpopular decision resulting from their first championship engagement, a new policy in rendering decisions will be introduced tomorrow night.

Two judges to be named by the Cleveland boxing commission at the ringside, will cast their votes at the end of the contest, and unless they disagree, the refere will have no voting power. In the event of a disagreement the third man in the ring will give a decision. Heretofore, it has been the practice to use only a referee.

New York Giants Nose Out Army, 4-3

WEST POINT, N. Y., April 13. (AP)—The New York Giants made their annual call to West Point today but had a difficult job eking out a 4 to 3 decision over the Army. The game was called at the end of the eighth to permit the Giants to catch a train for Philadelphia, where they open the season tomorrow.

Score: R. H. E.
New York .... 300 000 10—4 6 6
Army .... 010 110 00—3 6 2

Donohue and O'Farrell; Healy, Landry, Fields, Tieman and Hoy.

A's And Cardinals Begin Defense Of Their Titles Today

CURTAIN RISES ON BIG SHOW

Hoover's Toss to Open Tilt At Washington

(Continued From Page One)

the one and only Babe Ruth, but the New York Yankees and Boston Red Sox expect to draw an opening day crowd of 50,000 to the Yankee stadium. This was the top figure in advance estimates of all the openers.

More than 40,000, including Commissioner Landis, may see Roger Hornsby and his Chicago Cubs start the National league campaign against the Pittsburgh Pirates at Wrigley field, Chicago.

This affray brings together two of the five clubs picked to wage a merry scramble for the championship now held by the St. Louis Cardinals, who play the Reds at Cincinnati.

John Arnold Heydler, president of the National league, planned to see the New York Giants open the season at Philadelphia, while the rampaging Brooklyn Robins journey to Boson to trade heavy wallops with the Braves.

The Detroit Tigers will play the Browns at St. Louis, featuring a southpaw duel between Earl Whitehill and Walter Stewart, while the Chicago White Sox oppose the Indians at Cleveland in a game involving two "dark horse" contenders for American league honors.

Newcomers Watched

Nearly a score of newcomers will be closely watched as they trot out on the field Tuesday to hold down regular jobs. With the exception of the Athletics and Washington in the American league, the Cardinals and Cubs in the National league, every club has re-arranged its lineup for the 1931 campaign.

Pack the Park and Swell the Chest!

While standing pat on their regular lineups, the Cardinals and Athletics, outstanding favorites to repeat their 1930 pennant victories, both have strengthened their pitching prospects by acquiring sensational youngsters. The Cards, however, came up to the barrier temporarily without the services of their slugging outfielder, Chick Hafey, the last of the holdouts.

HOOVER READY TO TOSS FIRST BALL

WASHINGTON, April 13. (AP)—Before President Hoover, members of his cabinet and some 28,000 other fans, Walter Johnson's Washington Senators will open the baseball season here tomorrow against their old foes, the world's champion Philadelphia Athletics.

The chief executive whose throw last year was a bit low and on the outside, will toss out the first ball in accordance with time honored custom.

Mrs. Hoover is expected to accompany the president. Places also have been reserved for cabinet officers and their wives in the four presidential boxes, just at the left of the Washington bench. Numerous senators, representatives, diplomats and other dignitaries also will attend.

As the opening date falls on Pan-American day, the ceremonies are to include the raising of the flags of the 21 American republics ending with that of the United States and the firing of a salute of 21 guns.

Perfect baseball conditions were indicated by the weather man's official forecast of "fair and warmer."

The game itself has all the elements of a natural attraction, bringing together as it does two leading contenders for the American league pennant.

Texas Boxing Bouts Halted

AUSTIN, April 13. (AP)—William W. Sterling, adjutant general, today ordered the halting of two boxing bouts scheduled for tonight at Galveston and Temple. This was in line with the plan of the adjutant general and the governor to stop violations of the anti-boxing law.

SHERIFF HALTS TEMPLE BOUT

TEMPLE, Texas, April 13. (AP)—Boxing fans expecting to attend the combination amateur boxing and wrestling card here tonight were welcomed at the door of the Temple Athletic club by Sheriff Bigham and told the show could not go on.

Sheriff Bigham said the match had been stopped under order of Adjutant General Bill Sterling who had told him by long distance telephone that "if the local officers couldn't stop the fight, the rangers could."

FIGHT STOPPED AT GALVESTON

GALVESTON, April 13. (AP)—"No Fight Tonight" signs were hung out in Galveston this afternoon after Sheriff R. E. Kirk had engaged in long distance telephone conversation with Adjutant General William Sterling.

"I know all about the show," said the adjutant general, "and here we construe it a violation of the law. If your men can't stop it, I have men who can and an airplane that is hot and ready to start for Galveston."

So Matchmaker Walter Kriger of the Treasure Island club announced that no attempt would be made to stage the show, which was to have been headlined by Bobby Cohen of Galveston and the original Otto Wallace of Milwaukee.

It was believed here that the show as contemplated was not illegal because only club members are admitted.

Sam Houston Teachers Win Track Contest

HUNTSVILLE, Texas, April 13. (AP)—Sam Houston Teachers college defeated Southeastern university here this afternoon in a dual track meet, 62½ to 54½. Hoke, Sam Houston university, took high individual honors with 15 points. Bledsoe of Southeastern team followed with 11½.

BUFFS ALMOST UNANIMOUS CHOICE TO FINISH FIRST

OLD FACES MISSING AS BIG SHOW OPENS

BIG ALEX AND SISLER DROP OUT; FRESH TALENT APPEARS

By WILLIAM BRAUCHER
NEA Service Sports Editor

NEW YORK, April 13.—Faces of the heroes of other years vanish from the picture, as year by year new players come to the big leagues.

The baseball season will open April 14, for the first time without Grover Cleveland Alexander in a major league uniform, and for the first time without George Sisler. One of the greatest pitchers who ever lived, and one of the finest first basemen have given way to the big leagues' constant call for youth.

Breaking In

Several promising young players are getting their first taste of competition in the big show this season. One of them, Johnny Vergez, brought from the Pacific Coast league to fill the gap at third base for the New York Giants following the transfer of Fred Lindstrom to the outfield, is hailed as a find by John McGraw.

Joe Vosmik, who led the Blue Ridge and Three-Eye leagues in batting during the last two years, is breaking in with the Cleveland Indians, as an understudy to Charley Jamieson, the aging left fielder of the Tribe.

Another Burns

There is usually someone named Burns playing for one of the big league teams. A few years ago George Burns, playing first for the Indians, set a season's record for two-base hits. This year, Jack Burns, a left-handed first baseman, joins the Browns. Manager Bill Killefer personally scouted young Jack at Wichita Falls in the Texas league toward the close of last season, and has placed his stamp of approval on the player.

Mickey Heath, from the Coast league, is expected to add strength to the Cincinnati Reds. Manager Dan Howley had Heath with him at Toronto several years ago, and Heath was instrumental in winning a pennant for that team. He is a first baseman.

Ernest Lombardi, also from the Coast league, joins the Robins' catching staff, composed of Lopez and Picinich. Lombardi is said to wield a wicked bat, and Uncle Robbie probably will let him have some experience at pinch-hitting and relieving Lopez.

Mel Simons is expected to fill an outfield berth for the White Sox. Donie Bush says the young man looks as though he would make the grade.

These are but six of the promising rookies who have come up this year to attempt to take the places of fading stars.

Last Year

This is how the big league teams finished last year:

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	102	52	.662
Washington	94	60	.610
New York	86	68	.558
Cleveland	81	73	.526
Detroit	75	79	.487
St. Louis	64	90	.416
Chicago	62	92	.403
Boston	52	102	.338

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	92	62	.597
Chicago	90	64	.584
New York	87	67	.565
Brooklyn	86	68	.558
Pittsburgh	80	74	.519
Boston	70	84	.455
Cincinnati	59	95	.383
Philadelphia	52	102	.338

COYOTE TEAM LOSES STAR

Three Tracksters Ousted For Bad Grades

By BILLY JENKINS

The Coyote hopes in the district meet were shattered Monday when Jimmy Williamson, Ralph Davis, and Martin Noey were found to be scholastically ineligible. Coach Hall's aggregation did have a remote chance to capture the district flag but now all these hopes are without a foundation.

Jimmy Williamson captured first place in the 100 yard dash, the 220 low hurdles, the 220 yard dash, the 440 yard dash, and fourth place in the broad jump, for a total of 21 points and the honor of being high point man of last year's meet. And by his record in recent meets it seemed that he would not fail to repeat his accomplishment. He was without doubt the fastest man in this district in the events named, and his loss will mean that the only chance the Coyotes might have had are shattered.

The loss of the other men also will greatly dim the Coyote outlook.

Carson to Open For Tribe Against Bucs

SAN ANTONIO, April 13. (AP)—With Harold "Hobo" Carson, former Texas Christian university star, named as the starting pitcher, the San Antonio Indians, headed by Manager Claude Robertson, left here Monday night for Galveston where they will meet Del Pratt's Buccaneers in the opening game of the Texas league Wednesday.

The Tribe had its final workout on the local lot Monday and incidentally broke in its new road uniforms, holding up proceedings just long enough to pose before the camera for the newspapers.

Boston Braves Whip Holy Cross Crusaders

WORCESTER, Mass., April 13. (AP)—The Boston Braves made their annual visit to the Holy Cross college campus today and defeated the Crusaders, 7 to 2, in a well-played exhibition game.

Score: R. H. E.
Boston .... 003 001 120—7 10 2
Holy Cross .... 002 000 000—2 5 1

Delayey, McAfee, Frankhouse and Bool, Cronin; Friedrich and Maynard.

Opening Day Dope on the Major Leaguers

(By The Associated Press)

The weather forecasts, starting pitchers and probable attendances for the opening games of the major league season Tuesday are forecast as follows by the weather man and the managers:

American League

	Crowd	Weather	Pitchers (Visitors First)
Philadelphia at Washington	28,000	Fair	Earnshaw vs. Brown
Boston at New York	45,000	Fair	MacFayden vs. Ruffing
Detroit at St. Louis	13,000	Fair	Whitehill vs. Stewart
Chicago at Cleveland	22,000	Fair	Thomas vs. Ferrell

National League

	Crowd	Weather	Pitchers (Visitors First)
Brooklyn at Boston	25,000	Fair	Quinn vs. Zachary
Pittsburgh at Chicago	40,000	Fair	French vs. Root
New York at Philadelphia	18,000	Fair	Fitzsimmons vs. H. Elliott
St. Louis at Cincinnati	30,000	Fair	Rhem vs. Benton

Each League Will Have Three Champs

If Predictions of Managers Turn Out True

By HENRY M'LEMORE
United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, April 13.—If the annual pre-battle statements of the rival National and American league managers come true, the 1931 major league baseball season will prove the most unique in the long and honorable history of the—ahem—national pastime.

Granting that the managers' predictions will work out without a slip-up, there will be no less than three champions produced in each league, and not one cellar, or last place club. Rookies will come through to a man, without a single disappointment. Pitchers who slumped in 1930 all will make remarkable and gratifying comebacks.

But let the managers talk for themselves. Their statements to the United Press, in part, follow:

Connie Mack, Athletics: "I have the team that beat the Cardinals last year for the title and I face the campaign with complete confidence. My players . . . are in excellent frames of mind."

Walter Johnson, Senators: "There is no reason why my club should not finish at the top or close to it. . . . My pitching staff looks to be the best. . . . The regulars are in the best of condition and the reserves are capable."

Joe McCarthy, Yankees: "I am sure the Yanks will be in the race all season and make the other clubs hustle. We have plenty of power."

Roger Peckinpaugh, Indians: "I am confident the Indians will show a sharp improvement over their work in 1930. I am certain our pitching will be better and the weak or left side of the infield certainly will be no worse, and may be considerably better. I am sure we are a first division team."

Stanley Harris, Tigers: "I am quite enthused with our club and feel safe in saying it's the best Detroit has had since I've been manager. We are going to be hard to beat."

Donie Bush, White Sox: "Am satisfied White Sox will be a surprise club. My pitching has improved and we have good chance to land in first division."

William Killefer, Browns: "Ours is a great, hustling ball club and better than the 1930 edition."

John Collins, Red Sox: "Red Sox better than last year. Well fortified defensively and have as good pitching as any team. May not win pennant but will not finish in cellar."

Gabby Street, Cardinals: "I believe the Cards again will finish on top. Injuries handicapped us last year and with all men now in shape we are stronger than in 1930. Think my pitching to be as good if not better than any in league."

Rogers Hornsby, Cubs: "The Cubs ought to be a pennant contender from start to finish. The 1931 Cubs pack a terrific punch and I think the pitching staff has been strengthened by additions. Plenty of reserve strength."

John J. McGraw, Giants: "I think the Giants are better than in 1930 and will be one of five clubs to make a strong bid for the pennant."

Wilbert Robinson, Robins: "We have the best offensive strength in the league and the best catching staff. We will not have to worry about starting pitchers. We will finish on or near the top."

Jewel Ens, Pirates: "The Pirates are a good ball club and will be in the thick of a mighty hot race. Our pitching staff should prove strong. We have a capable infield and where can you find a better outfield? If we escape injuries, we'll be in the race, you can count on that."

William McKechnie, Braves: "The Braves are much stronger than last year and are likely to surprise the fans from start to finish. We have good pitching and a real punch at the plate."

Dan Howley, Reds: "I feel that we will cause plenty of trouble before the season is over."

Burton Shotten, Phillies: "We have a club that has been improved in all departments. We have plenty of hustle and fight."

Shields Pushed To Defeat Ed Teomans

PINEHURST, N. C., April 13. (AP)—Despite one near upset, all the seeded players came safely through the first and second round matches today in the 13th annual united North and South tennis tournament.

The sensation of the day was Ed Teomans, University of North Carolina star, who forced Frank X. Shields, of New York, seeded No. 1, to three sets before losing 5-7, 6-4, 9-7, in the second round. Shields used a smashing service and speedy court work to overcome his opponent.

John Van Ryn, Philadelphia; Berkeley Bell, Austin; Bryan Grant, Atlanta, and Wilmer Hines, Columbia, S. C., won easy victories in their second round matches. Clifford Sutter, New Orleans, advanced by default.

Two Pitchers Released By San Benito Club

SAN BENITO, Texas, April 13. (AP)—Two pitchers, Perkins and McCandless, and Keith, catcher, were released by the San Benito Saints of the Rio Grande Valley league here today. Medardo Chapa, Mission High school pitcher, was signed to the roster. Twenty three men now are in camp.

This Year

This is how the experts figure the races in both leagues will finish this year, according to a consensus conducted by The Associated Press:

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Philadelphia.
Washington.
New York.
Cleveland.
Detroit.
Chicago.
St. Louis.
Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

St. Louis.
Chicago.
Brooklyn.
New York.
Pittsburgh.
Boston.
Philadelphia.
Cincinnati.

WHITNEY ACE WINS PURSE

Equipoise, Derby Favorite, Makes 1931 Debut

BALTIMORE, April 13. (AP)—With a dazzling exhibition of speed, C. V. Whitney's equipoise, leading money winning juvenile of 1930 and future book favorite to win the Kentucky Derby and the preakness, made his 1931 debut in the Glen Oaks purse at Harve De Grace today, scoring impressively over a fair field of three-year-olds.

Although the first of the ranking Derby and preakness candidates to face the barrier in a public trial, the Whitney ace showed he was in fine physical trim for the coming $50,000 stakes, stepping the six furlongs in the fast time of 1:11 3-5.

The bearer of the famous light-blue and brown topped silks was asked to pack the heavy weight of 123 pounds, but he accomplished the task like a real champion. Not once was the colt let loose. Had he been forced, he probably would have equalled or bettered the track record of 1:11.

Three lengths back of the Whitney star trailed George D. Widener's Panetian, with H. T. Archibald's Dark Hero which recently turned in a sensational time trial, another four lengths back in third place.

The large charity day crowd, remembering Equipoise's great two-year old record, backed him down until he returned only $2.50 for a $2 ticket.

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EXPERTS PUT SPUDS FIFTH

Texas League Teams Await Opening Gun Wednesday

By BILL PARKER
Associated Press Sports Writer

With the concensus of Texas league sport writers favoring Houston to finish first, Fort Worth second and Dallas third, the Texas league will embark on its 24th pennant campaign Wednesday, April 15, with night baseball as its foundation of financial success this season. The first month of the pennant race will see most of the teams playing afternoon games, but with the coming of warmer weather, baseball under flood lights will become popular.

PACK THE PARK And SWELL THE CHEST

A composite selection from sport writers in Houston, Fort Worth, Dallas, Beaumont, Wichita Falls, Galveston, Shreveport and San Antonio, all Texas league cities, saw the Houston Buffaloes come within five votes of being unanimous choice for this year's championship. The composite pick follows:

Houston.
Fort Worth.
Dallas.
Beaumont.
Wichita Falls.
Galveston.
Shreveport.
San Antonio.

When "play ball" is heard in the Texas league Wednesday, each of the eight teams at the post will be ready for a flying start with the exception of the Dallas Steers. Up to Sunday, the Steers were eager for the opening, but Sunday in an exhibition game against Fort Worth, Cecil Stewart, one of the outstanding second sackers of the league, and a man Dallas was depending on this season, slid into second and broke his ankle. He will be out for six weeks or more. Thus the Steers will have to open with a crippled infield.

Cats, Spuds Lose Stars

The Fort Worth Cats, 1930 champions, will enter this year's race minus three of their great stars of last year in Lil Stoner, pitcher; Leslie Mallon, second baseman, and Pee Wee Tavener, shortstop.

The Wichita Falls Spudders, winners of the first half last year, will start this year's race without the infield service of such 1930 stars as Levey, Burns and Storti, and the hard-hitting Larry Bettencourt in the outfield.

But where yesterday's stars have traveled out of the Texas league picture, new ones have been purchased and are ready to make fans forget the brilliant players who have passed on.

The entry of Galveston into the league this year, replacing Waco, promises to help the league's attendance mark. Enthusiasm in the island city is reputed to be feverish. Galveston has erected a new stadium, and no longer will the small Katy park at Waco be an alibi for short home runs.

The first two days of the 1931 campaign will see Dallas at Shreveport; Fort Worth at Wichita Falls; Houston at Beaumont, and San Antonio at Galveston. After these openers, the following week-end games are scheduled: Shreveport at Dallas; Wichita Falls at Fort Worth; Beaumont at Houston, and Galveston at San Antonio. As usual, each of the eight Texas league cities, have an opening day campaign under way in an effort to win the J. Alvin Gardner prize for the largest opening day crowd.

At Shreveport, Oscar Tuero, veteran right-hander who won 17 and lost six last year, is scheduled to open against the Dallas Steers. Lee Meadows, former star of the Pittsburgh Pirates, will probably draw the mound assignment for Dallas.

Dick McCabe, who won 20 and lost seven for Fort Worth last year, is due to open for the Cats against Wichita Falls.

Milt Steengrafe, who cut Texas league opposition down for 19 wins against eight defeats last year, looms as the Spudders' opening twirler.

Manager Joe Schultz of Houston has selected George Washington Payne to oppose Beaumont. Payne is a knuckle ball artist.

Del Baker, skipper of the Beaumont Exporters, who says he is going to surprise a number of people with his team, plans to start Tom Vaughn or Haskell Billings against Houston.

Claude Robertson, San Antonio pilot, has three pitchers ready to go against Galveston opening day in Carson, Blankenship and Smith.

Hank Thormahlen, who played with Waco and Fort Worth last year, is due to start for Galveston against San Antonio. Thormahlen won 13 and lost 10 last year.

Impressive opening day ceremonies—keen desire of respective teams to win opening day games and knowledge that once again the national pastime is here, promises to make Wednesday a big day in the Texas league.

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DAILY COTTON TABLE

Port Movement

	Mdlg.	Rcpts.	Sales	Stock
N. Orleans	10.18	3,607	267	754,262
Galveston	9.95	689	506	550,149
Mobile	9.70	2,814	103	242,404
Savannah	10.06	942	289	361,487
Charleston	....	59	...	164,317
Wilmington	....	25	...	12,811
Norfolk	10.19	566	9	85,206
Baltimore	....	...	...	1,340
New York	10.45	...	...	228,471
Boston	....	...	...	3,100
Houston	9.80	436	608	1,117,137
Minor Ports	....	...	...	121,506
Corpus Christi	....	1	...	53,903
Total today		9,139	1,782	3,696,093
Total for week		18,449		
Total for season		8,516,239		

Interior Movement

	Mdlg.	Rcpts.	Sales	Stock
Memphis	9.30	1,232	2,221	251,400
Augusta	9.94	396	432	90,271
St. Louis	....	1,370	...	9,953
Fort Worth	9.30	...	19	......
Little Rock	9.20	...	22	31,724
Atlanta	9.70	...	...	......
Dallas	9.30	...	254	......
Montgomery	9.55	...	...	......
Total today		2,998	2,948	383,348

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, April 13. (AP)—An early decline in response to relatively easy Liverpool cables was followed by advances in cotton today on trade buying and covering. July contracts, after easing off to 10.45 during the early trading, advanced to 10.69 and closed at 10.68 compared with 10.55 at the close of Saturday. The general market closed firm at net advances of 13 to 16 points.

Part of the early pressure was supposed to be based on an idea that the recent rally had eased the market's technical position and there was some selling here for New Orleans account. No fresh news factor was mentioned in connection with the later advance but offerings continued light and the buying became a little more active in the late trading.

The Standard Cloth statistics for March published this morning showed a slight increase in the weekly rate of production as compared with February but sales were reported exceeding the production by 8.87 per cent. These figures attracted some comment but appeared to be without any important effect on the immediate market. The early selling may have been promoted by a favorable view of the weather map, but the failure of offerings to become more active or aggressive on the early decline increased a disposition to cover short contracts during the day.

	High	Low	Close
May	10.46	10.22	10.46
July	10.69	10.45	10.68-69
Oct.	11.04	10.79	11.02-04
Dec.	11.25	11.02	11.24-25
Jan.	11.35	11.10	11.35
March	11.59	11.32	11.56-59

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, April 13. (AP)—The cotton market was only moderately active here today. After opening fairly steady, despite very unfavorable cables and rather disappointing textile statistics for March the market eased off on some selling probably based on the textile figures. Later prices rallied on fair trade buying and covering by ring traders, recovering 13 to 14 points from the earlier lows.

The March textile figures showed sales 8.7 per cent in excess of production and shipments 16.8 per cent increase. Stocks on the other hand decreased 14.3 per cent and unfilled orders 5.5 per cent. During the early afternoon prices eased off 4 to 5 points from the highest on realizing. In the late trading the market became firm and active on advanced 22 to 25 points above the lows and closed steady at or near the top, the general market showing net gains for the day of 9 to 12 points.

Port receipts 9,139; for week 18,449; for season 8,516,237. Last season 8,168,104. Exports 10,697; for week 30,899; for season 5,673,729; last season 5,924,390. Port stocks 3,696,093; last year 1,807,692. Combined shipboard stock at New Orleans, Galveston and Houston 75,765; last year 103,801; spot sales at southern markets 4,730; last year 2,975.

	High	Low	Close
May	10.44	10.30	10.42-44
July	10.67	10.45	10.67
Oct.	11.01	10.76	10.99*
Dec.	11.22	11.00	11.22
Jan.	11.24	11.14	11.32bid
March	....	.....	11.54bid

*11.01.

Liverpool Cotton

LIVERPOOL, April 13. (INS)—There was a good business done in opening spots cotton today with prices steady. Sales amounted to 5,000 bales and receipts totaled 9,000 bales.

At midday, middling fair sold at 6.86d, strictly good middling at 6.41d, good middling at 6.06d, strictly middling at 5.81d, middling at 5.66d, strictly low middling at 5.46d.

Futures were quiet with May at 5.55d, July at 5.63d, October at 5.72d, December at 5.81d, and January at 5.85d.

SPOT COTTON

DALLAS, April 13. (AP)—Cotton 9.70; Houston 10.20; Galveston 10.35.

NEW ORLEANS, April 13. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 10 points up. Sales 267; low middling 8.83; middling 10.18; good middling 10.68; receipts 3,607; stock 754,262.

COTTONSEED OIL

DALLAS, April 13. (AP)—Prime cottonseed, unquoted; prime cottonseed oil, 6¾@¼¾c; prime cottonseed meal, 40 per cent, $25; prime cottonseed hulls, $10; linters, average mill run, $1.50@2.25.

NEW ORLEANS, April 13. (AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Prime summer yellow, 7.45; prime crude, 6.75@7.00; April 7.42, May 7.50, June 7.50, July 7.65, Aug. 7.68, Sept. 7.72, Oct. 7.73.

NEW YORK, April 13. (AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Prime summer yellow, 7.83, prime crude 6.57@7.00.
Sales, six contracts.

New York Bonds

BOND AVERAGES

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	10 Indl.	10 RR.	10 Util.	30 Tot.
Monday	86.1x	99.3	100.8	95.4
Previous day	86.3	99.3	100.8	95.5
Week ago	87.2	100.5	100.8	96.1
Month ago	87.8	101.9	100.8	96.8
Year ago	94.3	104.3	99.1	99.9
2 years ago	93.9	104.6	97.9	98.6
3 years ago	97.0	108.3	101.1	102.2
High, 1931	90.4	105.7	101.1	98.7
Low, 1931	86.3	99.2	98.4	95.4
High, 1930	94.9	109.8	101.4	101.9
Low, 1930	83.3	97.3	96.6	92.6
High, 1929	95.3	106.0	99.8	99.9
Low, 1929	90.4	100.8	96.0	96.3

United States Bonds

NEW YORK, April 13. (AP)—Government bonds: Liberty 3½s, $101.22; first 4¼s, $102.22; fourth 4¼s, $103.30. Treasury 4¼s, $111.27; 4s, $107.23; 3¾s, $101.14.

Foreign	
Argentine Sf 59 June	95⅝
Austrian 4½s	60
British 37, 5½s	106⅝
French 7½s	125¼
German 7s	105
Italian 7s	100¼
Japanese 6½s	105½
Panama 5s A	86
Polish 8s	85½

Domestic	
Am Ag Chem 7½s	104½
Am Smelt 5s	102⅝
Am Sug 6s	104¼
A T & T 5½s	110
A T S F Gen 4s	99
A G & W I 5s	59⅞
B & O Rf 5s	102
Beth Stl Rf 5s	103½
Can Pac Deb 4s	88⅛
Ches Corp 5s	99⅝
C & O Rf 4½s	100
C B Q 4½s	101⅝
C G W 4s	66⅞
C R I P 4½s	80⅝
Erie Rf 5s	72½
Gen Mot Ac 6s	104⅛
Goodyr 5s	91¼
Gt Nor 7s A	110⅞
Hud Man Rf 5s A	99⅝
Humble Oil 5s	102⅝
I G N Adj 6s	58½
Int Match 5s	92
Int T & T 4½s	93½
K C S Rf 5s	96⅝
M-K-T Adj 5s A	81¼
Mo Pac Gen 4s	60⅞
Nat Dairy 5¼s	101⅞
N Y C Rf 5s	105⅝
N Pac 6s B	111⅝
Pan Am Pet 6s	102
Phil Pet 5¼s	74¼
Pure Oil 5½s	90½
S P 4½s	95
Sou Ry Con 5s	106⅛
S W Bell 5s	106⅝
T & P 5s	93⅝
U S Rub 5s	71
West Elec 5s	105⅝

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK

Stocks firm; public utilities lead forward movement.
Bonds steady; rails improve.
Curb firm; several specialties strong.
Foreign exchanges irregular; Spanish peseta weak.
Cotton steady; local covering.
Sugar steady; trade support.
Coffee easy; disappointing Brazilian markets.

CHICAGO

Wheat firm; large export sales and small flour stocks.
Corn firm; bullish Illinois reports and firm cables.
Cattle weak.
Hogs lower.

Rally of Stock Market Reflects Internal Condition of the Market

By BROADAN WALL

NEW YORK, April 13. (US)—Stock prices today enjoyed a rally which reflected almost exclusively the internal position of the market. A sold-out condition had developed toward the end of last week, despite which many bearishly-inclined speculators had continued short-selling, thereby creating a somewhat overcrowded short-account.

Volume of trading today showed no expansion, indicating further that technical considerations were having full sway in determining the day's fluctuations.

There were a few items of cheer in the day's news, including the assertion by a leading public utility executive that Electric Power consumption has been showing expansion recently. External developments on the whole, however, were of insufficient importance to greatly influence the course of stock prices. In only a few issues was the buying of a character which seemed of investment caliber. Nevertheless the strength emphasized the tendency of late to dispute even moderate rallies by renewed short-selling.

Buying which seemed to be of better caliber than in most of the other utilities was witnessed in International Telephone & Telegraph, which rallied almost two points net. This stock has been persistently absorbed throughout the recent weakness in the general list. Most of the buying has been for the long-pull, and has been largely for the account of European interests. The Spanish political difficulties had no influence on the stock, since it is recognized in important quarters that the company's affairs are little likely to be affected by these developments.

Vanadium was the outstanding weak feature of the day, selling of the stock, as previously recorded here, being due to nervousness over the dividend. Among friends of the stock, who are looking to the more distant future, there is a disposition to ignore the dividend entirely, since obviously the yield on the stock even under the current rate is relatively moderate.

American Tobacco issues again reached new highs. Buying of these issues certainly is of more than speculative nature, since the company has been reporting record-breaking earnings year after year. Not all of the tobacco shares followed American, although Liggett & Myers' stocks gained more than a point each. Lorillard was a fraction lower and so was Reynolds "B." The latter has advanced materially since the pool in the stock commenced its operation some time ago.

Ingersoll-Rand declined five points on expectation that its annual report for 1930 will be disappointing, and knowledge that earnings thus far in this year have been well below dividend requirements.

McKeesport Tin Plate, in which a concentrated bear raid, caused a sharp decline on Saturday, recovered four points. The stock is attracting more attention from the bears, but its sponsors have shown themselves to be very powerful.

Case Threshing Machine, in which the short interest had been known to be very large, advanced more than five points, being one of the most persistently strong issues of the day. Recently the stock met important buying for the first time in months, but even that buying appeared to be primarily of "support" type. Radio, whose former most aggressive sponsors were recently reported active on the bear side of the market, recovered 2⅝ points, an advance of sufficient proportions to emphasize the size of the short account in the stock. Investment buying of Radio is practically nil.

Motion picture shares as a group were firm, Warner improving further on more definite indications of a nearby agreement with Paramount over interchange of pictures. This arrangement probably favors Warner more than it does Paramount, although the latter also shares in the benefits. Blaw-Knox held firm on reports that its European business has improved. It was reported that the Century Ribbon report for the first quarter of 1931 will show a material expansion in profits over the corresponding 1930 period.

Utilities and Rails participated in the day's advance, although the gains among the railroad stocks were very modest. In the utilities, some sharp advances were scored, including more than a two-point gain in Consolidated Gas, three points in Standard Gas & Electric, and three points in American Waterworks. Short covering was primarily responsible for the gains in the utilities, with investment buying understood to be very light.

Stocks with short interests of substantial proportions were most prominent among the strong issues; Allied Chemical gained 4⅞, and American & Foreign Power almost two points net. American Can, in which a rather large short account had been created last week, recovered more than two points.

One factor which may prolong the recovery longer than generally expected is the policy of numerous speculators to increase their short position on every rally, even of fractional duration. The improvement in prices, however, is considered purely as a rally.

Copper shares were firm throughout the session, and motors held their prices or improved on them.

Oils were still inclined to irregularity.

Wheat prices were sharply higher, with December option at a new high for the season.

DRY GOODS MARKET

NEW YORK, April 13. (AP)—Cotton goods were quiet and steady today. Fine goods were in fair demand. Reorders on finished goods came along quite liberally, chiefly for prompt shipment. Burlaps were slightly lower. Calcutta markets were closed on account of holidays. Silk showed little change. Moderate buying was reported on wool goods. Rayon men were much interested in a display of knit materials at Philadelphia at which the growing importance of rayon in that field was disclosed.

STOCK AVERAGES

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	50 Indl.	20 RR.	20 Util.	90 Tot.
Monday	128.2	90.1	187.8	132.8
Previous day	126.2	89.4	183.9	130.7
Week ago	126.1	92.3	183.5	131.0
Month ago	131.9	96.4	194.8	137.5
Year ago	202.3	137.8	279.8	205.6
2 years ago	215.0	130.9	206.3	199.9
3 years ago	166.4	125.9	147.8	156.7
High, 1931	140.2	106.2	203.9	144.3
Low 1931	118.6	89.0	159.3	122.8
High 1930	202.4	141.6	281.3	205.8
Low 1930	112.9	86.4	146.5	114.7
High 1929	252.8	167.8	353.1	253.5
Low 1929	141.3	117.7	156.3	140.2

Ahumada Lead	1	⅝	⅝	⅝
Air Reduc	89	92½	89¾	92½
Alleghany	26	8⅝	8⅛	8⅝
Al Chem & Dye	70	138	133	137½
Amerada	9	19⅛	19	19⅛
Am Can	143	123⅞	121	123⅞
Am & For Pow	356	41⅝	39⅝	41⅝
Am Internat	2	18⅝	18½	18½
Am Metal	2	18	17½	18
Am Pow & Lgt	10	53⅝	51	53⅝
Am Rad St San	32	17⅛	17	17
Am Roll Mill	8	32⅝	32	32
Am Smelt & Ref	12	48	47	48
Am Sugar Ref	4	53½	53	53½
Am Tel & Tel	79	190½	188	190½
Am Wat Wks	39	56	61½	65
Am Wool pfd	1	36⅝	36⅝	36⅝
Anaconda Cop	187	34⅝	33¼	34⅝
Andes Cop	3	15¼	15	15¼
A T & S F	13	175⅝	172¾	175½
Atlantic Ref	12	19	18⅝	19
Baldwin Loc	18	22¼	21⅝	21⅝
Balt & Ohio	26	70½	69	70½
Bendix Aviat	25	21⅝	20⅝	21⅝
Bethlehem Steel	154	53⅜	51⅝	52⅝
Briggs Mfg	63	20	19⅝	20
Burr Ad Mach	9	27¾	27⅝	27⅝
Calumet & Hec	6	8⅞	8½	8⅞
Canad Pac	28	39	38⅝	39
Cannon Mills	3	22½	22	22
Cerro de Pas	14	23⅛	22⅝	23
Chi M St P & P pf	10	9⅝	9¼	9½
Chrysler	200	23	22	23
Col Fuel & Iron	1	21½	21½	21½
Colum G & E	34	39⅝	38¼	39⅝
Colum Graph	118	12⅝	11⅝	12¼
Consol Gas	190	102¼	99⅝	102¼
Contl Can	33	60	58⅞	60
Contl Oil Del	7	9⅛	9	9
Curtiss Wright	68	4⅝	4½	4⅝
Drug Inc	28	75⅝	74⅝	75⅝
Du Pont de Nem	126	74⅞	91	94½
El Pow & Lgt	277	53⅛	50½	53
Fox Film A	100	26½	25⅝	26½
Freeport Texas	13	35⅝	34⅞	35½
Gen Am Tank	9	68	67¼	68
Gen Elec	376	46⅝	45⅝	46⅝
Gen Foods	80	56	54¼	55⅞
Gen G & El A	7	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞
Gen Mot	324	44⅞	43⅝	44½
Goodyear Tire	21	45¼	44⅝	45¼
Graham Paige	2	4⅝	4¼	4¼
Grant W T	1	36⅛	36⅛	36⅛
Hartman B	15	4¼	4	4
Houston Oil new	30	12½	12	12⅝
Hudson Mot	12	20	19½	20
Hupp Mot	29	10¼	9⅝	9⅞
Inspirat Cop	4	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Int Comb E	4	2½	2½	2½
Int Harvest	15	51½	50¼	51½
Int Hydro El A	5	26½	25⅞	26⅝
Int Match Ptc pfd	3	65½	65⅛	65½
Int Nick Can	121	18	17½	18
Int Tel & Tel	476	35⅝	33¼	35½
Johns Manville	87	58½	56⅝	58⅝
Kennecott Cop	44	25½	24⅝	25½
Kreug & Toll	79	26⅛	25⅝	26⅛
Loft	165	5⅝	5¼	5⅝
Mack Trucks	8	36	35⅝	35⅞
May Dept Stores	1	35½	35½	35½
McKeesport Tin	289	99¼	94½	99
Mex Seabd Oil	196	20⅝	19⅝	19⅞
Miami Cop	2	8	8	8
Mo Kan Tex	2	18⅛	18	18⅛
Montgom Ward	82	23⅛	22¼	23⅛
Nash Motors	30	37¼	36¼	37¼
Nat Cash Reg A	38	30⅞	29¼	30⅞
Nat Dairy Prod	67	48¼	47¼	48¼
Nat Pow & Lgt	70	38½	36¾	38½
Nev Con Cop	24	11⅞	11¼	11⅞
N Y Central	25	107⅛	105⅝	107⅛
N Y N H & H	7	76⅛	76	76
North American	64	79¼	78⅝	79¼
Ohio Oil	12	13⅛	12⅝	13⅛
Pacific G & E	16	51	50	51
Packard Motor	155	9	8⅝	9
Paramount Publix	34	43⅝	43	43⅝
Penn R R	15	55½	55⅛	55½
Phillips Pet	15	10⅛	9⅞	10
Pub Serv N J	41	87⅝	84¼	86⅝
Radio	1057	23⅛	20¼	23¼
Radio Keith Or	224	23⅛	22¼	23⅛
Rem Rand	22	12⅝	11⅞	12¼
Pure Oil	4	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
Repub Steel	50	17⅝	16⅝	17⅝
St L San Fran	3	30	29⅞	30
Sears Roebuck	15	54⅛	53⅞	54⅛
Seneca Cop	2	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
Shell Union	3	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Sinclair Con	61	12⅝	12⅛	12⅝
Southern Pac	3	92⅝	91⅞	92⅝
Southern Rail	27	40	39⅞	40
Stand Brands	59	18⅝	18	18⅝
Stand Oil Calif	21	43⅞	43	43⅝
Stand Oil N J	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stand Oil N Y	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stand Oil [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stewart Warner	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stone & Webster	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Studebaker	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Texas Corp	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tex Gulf Sul	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tex Pac C & O	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tex Pac Land Tr	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Timk Det Ax	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Union Carbide	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Union Pac	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Unit Aircraft	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Unit Carbon	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Unit Corp	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Unit Gas Imp	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
U S Freight	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
U S Rubber	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
U S Steel	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Util P & L A	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Vanadium	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Warner Pic	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
West Union Tel	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Westghs Air Brake	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
West El & Mfg	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Woolworth	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Yellow Tr C	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Grain

TEXAS CASH GRAIN

FORT WORTH, April 13. (AP)—Fairly heavy receipts over the week-end failed to halt demand on the cash grain market here Monday. Prices were strong with some slight advances.

Quotations basis carloads delivered Texas common points, freight paid.

Wheat—No. 1 ordinary hard 81½@82½c; No. 1 hard 14 per cent protein 82½@83½c; No. 1 hard 15 per cent protein 83½@84½c.

Corn—No. 2 mixed 72@73c. No. 2 white or yellow 74½@75c.

Oats—No. 2 red 42@42½c; No. 3 white delivered Texas group one 41½@42c.

Barley—No. 2 56@57c.

Sorghums—No. 2 milo per 100 pounds $1.30@1.33; No. 2 kaffir $1.23@1.24.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, April 13. (AP)—Likelihood that dust storms and drouth would sharply curtail spring wheat acreage in Northwestern states and Canada jumped grain prices upward today. Some reports said seeding was useless under existing conditions. A big falling off in the amount of wheat on ocean passage was shown, and No. 1 northern wheat went to a premium over May, the first time in months. December delivery of wheat established a new high price record for the season.

Wheat closed nervous, unchanged to 1@1⅛c higher, corn ½@⅞c advanced, oats ¼@⅜c up, and provisions varying from 2c decline to a rise of 12c.

Authoritative announcements were current that stocks of wheat in transatlantic countries had become dangerously low, simultaneous with unusual scantiness of flour supplies in the United States.

Assertions from milling sources said flour stocks in the United States on June 1 would be probably the smallest in a quarter century, and that demand for flour when the new domestic wheat crop moved after July 1 would require use of almost the entire facilities of the milling industry for at least 90 days to manufacture the flour needed. Contributing also to bullish sentiment was 2,271,000 bushels decrease of the United States wheat visible supply during the last week.

Corn and oats derived firmness from wheat strength. Other centers were reported sharply outbidding Chicago for corn. Primary receipts of corn were hardly half the total a year ago.

Despite lower hog values, provisions reflected upturns in grains.

Closing indemnities: Wheat, July, 63¼@63⅝c; 65¼@65⅝c; Sept. 61½@61⅝@63⅝c Dec. 64⅜@66⅛c. Corn, May, 61¼@62⅝c; July 62¾@64¼@64⅝c; Sept. 60⅞@62¼@62⅝c; Dec. 53⅞@54⅞c.

	High	Low	Close
Wheat—			
May, old	.83⅜	.83	.83⅛
May, new	.84¼	.84	.84
July	.64⅛	.63¼	.64
Sept.	.62⅝	.61⅝	.62¼
Dec.	.65⅝	.64⅝	.65¼
Corn—			
May, old	.61⅝	.60⅞	.61⅝
May, new	.62⅛	.61⅝	.62⅛
July	.63½	.62⅝	.63⅜
Sept.	.61⅛	.60⅝	.61⅛
Dec.	.54⅝	.53⅞	.54⅛
Oats—			
May, old	.30⅞	.30¼	.30⅝
May, new	.31	.30½	.30⅝
July	.31⅛	.31	.31⅛
Sept.	.31⅛	.31	.31
Dec.	.32⅝	.32⅛	.32⅝
Rye—			
May, old	.37	.36⅝	.37
May, new	.37⅝	.36⅝	.37⅝
July	.39⅛	.38⅝	.39⅛
Sept.	.41⅝	.40⅞	.41⅝
Lard—			
May	8.82	8.80	8.80
July	8.97	8.95	8.95
Sept.	9.15	9.10	9.10
Bellies—			
May	....	....	10.55
July	....	....	10.80

PIT NOTES

CHICAGO, April 13. (US)—Daily the evidence is piling up that European buyers are in a somewhat uncomfortable position despite sulprus stocks of wheat in exporting countries. Broomhall notes that exports are now thought to be insufficient for current requirements. At the same time the beginning of crop scare talk in North America add to the uncertainty of the situation.

With the depressing local cash situation, the corn market has a hard time attracting buyers, despite the long term possibilities the statistical position seems to hold.

The Millers National federation says that flour stocks on June 30 will probably be the smallest in 25 years and warns that stocks in all positions, including retailers will be at an absolute minimum. This confirms the steadily growing belief in the grain trade that the early domestic merchandising activity in the new crop will do much to alleviate the bearishness of the country marketing of supplies.

A better continental demand for wheat was in evidence in Liverpool today with weekly figures showing further bullishness.

Curb Sales

NEW YORK, April 13. (US)—High, low and close of stocks active on the curb market today:

	High	Low	Close
Agfa Ansco	18⅝	16¾	18⅝
Alum Ltd B W	45	45	45
Am Laund Mch	35	35	35
Am Sup Pow	15¼	14½	15¼
Am Yvette	6	5⅛	6
Bunk Hill & S	50	49⅞	49⅞
Cities Service	18¼	17⅞	18¼
Cities Service pf	84⅝	83⅝	84⅝
Cities Service P 7 pcp	89	89	89
Col Oil & G	4⅝	4½	4⅝
Cord Corp	14⅝	13⅞	14⅝
Cosden Oil	1⅜	1¼	1⅜
De Forest	7⅛	6⅞	7⅛
Derby Oil	3½	3¼	3¼
Draper Corp	46½	46½	46½
El Bond & Sh	49⅛	47⅞	49⅛
Ford Mot Ltd	15	14⅞	14⅞
Ford Mot Ltd Rts	1-16	1-64	[illegible]
G G & El Cv pf B	72⅞	72⅞	72⅞
Goldman Sachs	9	8⅞	8⅞
Gulf Oil Corp pf	62½	62	62½
Hud Bay M & S	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Livestock

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, April 13. (AP)—(USDA)—Hogs—Receipts 1,100, including 567 directs. Few sales 10c higher, later mostly 5c lower; early truck top $7.65; part load rail hogs $7.50; bulk better grades 170 to 240 pound truck hogs $7.45@7.50; packing sows steady, mostly $6.25.

Cattle—Receipts 5,600, including 600 calves. Bulk supply killing steers, yearlings and mixed butcher classes; small lots better grade yearlings and sorts of cutter and low cutter cows and sausage bulls about steady; steer trade extremely dull, bulk unsold; occasional bids sharply lower; tendency to plain slaughter yearlings, stocker and butcher cows also lower; slaughter steers mostly of value to sell around $5.00@6.25; small lots good fat yearlings $7.00@7.50; butcher cows around $3.50; low cutter sorts $2.25@2.75; few sausage bulls $3.25@3.65; slaughter calves barely steady to around 25c lower, several cars plain weighty grades $5.00@5.50.

Sheep—Receipts 18,000; practically no forenoon sales of shorn slaughter grades; packers talking unevenly lower; few spring lambs steady, four decks spring lambs $8.25; choice spring lambs up to $8.75, deck fat ewes $[illegible].00, shorn feeder lambs $5.25.

CHICAGO, April 13. (INS)—Hogs—Receipts 42,000, 10 to 15c lower. Top $7.90; bulk $6.25@7.80; heavy $6.75@7.30; medium $7.15@7.85; light $7.50@7.90; light lights $7.60@7.90; packing sows $6@6.50; pigs $7.25@7.75. Holdovers 2,000.

Cattle—Receipts 25,000; 25c lower. Calves—Receipts 4,000, 25 to 50c lower. Beef steers: Good and choice $9@10.25; common and medium $6@8.50; yearlings $6.10. Butcher cattle: Heifers $5@8.50; cows $4@6.50; bulls $4@6.00; calves $6@8.00; feeder steers $5.50@8.25; stocker steers $5@8.00; stocker cows and heifers $4@6.50.

Sheep—Receipts 19,000, 25c lower; choice $9.50@9.85 common $7.50@8.50; spring lambs $10@14.00; yearlings $7.50@8.50; ewes $2@5.00; feeder lambs $7@8.25.

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 13. (AP)—Cattle—Receipts 900. Calves—Receipts 300; slow, uneven to 25c lower on steers, yearlings and fat butchers; medium good steers, yearlings $6@7.00; plain steers $5@5.50; weighty beef cows, good-choice, up to $5.00; bulk medium-good $4@4.50; bulls $3.25@4.00; good choice heavy calves and vealers $6@6.50; medium good calves $4@5.00; stockers and feeders steady.

Hogs—Receipts 1,500; 15c lower; top $7.35; bulk $7.00 up; sows and stags steady, $6.50.

KANSAS CITY, April 13. (AP) (U.S.D.A.)—Hogs—Receipts 10,000; mostly 25c lower; top $7.45; packing sows, 275 to 500 pounds, $6@6.50; stock pigs, 70 to 130 pounds, $7@7.50.

Cattle—Receipts 20,000. Calves—Receipts 2,000; most killing classes tending lower; stockers and feeders 25 to 50c lower; steers, 600 to 1,500 pounds, $7.50@9.75; heifers 550 to 850 pounds, $6.50@8.50; cows $4.75@6.00; vealers (milk-fed) $5@7.50; stockers and feeder steers $6.25@8.50.

Sheep—Receipts 18,000; bidding 25 to 40c lower; lambs, 90 pounds down, $8@8.85; 150 pounds down $3@4.50.

MIDWESTERN LIVESTOCK REVIEW

KANSAS CITY, April 13. (AP)—(USDA)—Cattle trade around the 11-market circuit was slowed down today by heavy receipts. Fed steers, yearlings and fat she stock were tendered a general decline of 25@50c with weighty steers in Chicago 50@75c off. Most markets reported bulk of the steers unsold at a late hour with packers attempting to break values fully 50c. South Texas grass steers at some of the river markets cashed around $6.00@6.50. Fleshy fed Texas steers in Kansas City went to feeder buyers at $7.50. Aggregate receipts estimated at 89,400 were 25,000 larger than a week ago.

Opening hog trade on weight averages under 250 pounds ruled 10@25c lower but strong weight butchers closed dull at 25@50c lower prices. Total offerings were around 118,800 as compared with 111,559 last Monday.

The sheep supply numbering around 100,000 was 5,500 more than a week ago. Fat lambs were weak to unevenly lower with several points showing losses of 25@40c on old crop offerings. Choice fed wooled lambs in Chicago sold up to $9.75.

PRODUCE

DALLAS PRODUCE

DALLAS, April 13. (AP)—Hens, per pound 12@15c; young chickens, per pound, 12@32c; turkeys, per pound, 12@23c; guineas, dozen, $3.60; geese, pound, 8@9c; eggs, dozen, 12@16c; ducks, pound, 8@9c; packing butter, pound, 10@11c.

CHICAGO, April 13. (INS)—Butter—Receipts 15,321 tubs; creamery extras 24½c; standards 24⅝c; extra firsts 24@24¼c; firsts 23½@23¾c; packing stock 15@16c; specials 25@25½c.

Eggs—Receipts 47,145 cases; ordinary current receipts 17½c; graded firsts 18¼c; extra firsts 19⅝c; dirties 15½c; checks 15c.

Cheese—Twins, new 14½c; young Americas 15½c; daisies 15@15½c; double daisies 14⅝@15c; longhorns 15⅝c; brick, fancy 14c, prints 15@15½c.

Live Poultry—Turkeys 25c, old 18@22c; hens, five pounds and over, 20c; Leghorn hens 20c; roosters 14c; ducks 23c; geese 15c.

Potatoes—Receipts 215 cars; on track new, 28, old 305; U. S. shipments 1,021; Wisconsin sacked round whties $1.50@1.60; ungraded $1.30; Idaho sacked russets No. 1 $1.60@1.70; No. 2 $1.35@1.40; Colorado red McClures branded $2.00@2.05; Colorado russets No. 1 $1.50; Texas Triumphs jobbing $4.25@4.50; a few best $4.65; small $3.75@4.00.

Texas Produce

SAN ANTONIO, April 13. (AP)—U. S. D. A.—Carlot shipments fruit and vegetables from Texas over week-end: Spinach 4, cabbage 33, carrots 1, beets 2, potatoes 10, snap beans 10, sweet potatoes 1, onions 9, strawberries 6, mixed vegetables 53.

The strawberry market at Hammond, La., was steady during the auction Saturday, averaging $4.83 7-10 crate. Laredo reported onion market dull at 90c to $1 crate and 50-pound sack of yellows on cash basis. At Raymondville the same stock was $1.00@1.05 crate. Lower valley points reported potatoes steady with few sales, $2.75 cwt. The snap bean market was steady at $2.50@2.65. Cabbage dull at $5.00@6.00 ton, F. O. B. cash track. Beets and carrots dull at 90c@$1.00.

Cabbage at New York today: About steady; Texas western crates round type, $1.87½@2.12½. At Chicago: Slightly stronger; Texas western crates round type $1.75@1.90; poorer lower.

MONEY QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, April 13. (AP)—Foreign exchange irregular; [illegible]

NEW YORK, April 13. (AP)—Call money steady; [illegible]

REVIVAL MEETING

Special to The Record News.

HASKELL, Texas, April 13.—Rev. E. Gaston Foote, pastor of the First Methodist church at Haskell, is conducting a 10-day revival in Fort Stockton.

SINCLAIR HEADS RIO GRANDE OIL

'Closer Relation' Planned By Two Concerns

EL PASO, Texas, April 13. (AP)—Harry F. Sinclair, chairman of Sinclair Consolidated Oil corporation, today was elected chairman of the board of directors of Rio Grande Oil company.

Sinclair said he had accepted to the invitation to become chairman of Rio Grande to assist in its management and to provide an opportunity for both organizations to ascertain whether it would be mutually advantageous to establish a closer relation.

No present investment in stock or properties of Rio Grande is involved. It was announced, however, that an option to acquire a substantial block of Rio Grande common stock has been given by Rio Grande. Sinclair Consolidated, Bancamerica Blair corporation, and others were participants in a syndicate which last year provided a revolving credit of $5,000,000 for Rio Grande.

Sinclair products are not now sold through its own outlets on the Pacific coast, and while plans to that end have been under contemplation for some time, it was stated it was not to be assumed that Mr. Sinclair's acceptance of the chairmanship of Rio Grande made the absorption of Rio Grande by Sinclair a foregone conclusion. The arrangement now entered into, it was explained, simply affords an interim period during which the managements of both companies will arrive at conclusions with respect to their future course.

Two new directors also were elected to the Rio Grande board. They are Robert D. Cavanaugh, representative of Bancamerica Blair on the Pacific coast, and H. H. Rogers, president of the Exchange National bank, Tulsa, Okla., and a director of Sinclair Consolidated Oil corporation.

Stamford Guard Unit Prepares for Inspection

Special to The Record News.

STAMFORD, Texas, April 13.—Company K of the 142nd infantry Texas national guard is making preparation for the annual federal inspection to be held here on April 30, according to company officials. The company is at full strength and extra drills are being held each week. The orderly and property rooms are being re-arranged and repainted, being refreshened to meet the inspection of Major Henley of Fort Worth. Major Henley is senior instructor of the 144th infantry.

Company K was awarded 65 steel lockers on the showing made in inspection for last year and made the highest score in combat firing made in the 36th division at the summer camp held in Palacios last summer.

This company was organized in 1923 by Maj. E. V. Hardwick, who now commands the third battalion. The company is commanded by Frank M. Locke. Dudley D. Duncan is first lieutenant and Blufford W. Feris second lieutenant.

Wichita Falls Markets

A two-cent reduction in the price of sour cream, from 20c to 18c, was announced Monday by the Southwest Dairy Products company. The same concern reduced the price of butter from 29c and 30c to 25c and 26c.

Poultry and Eggs
(Quotations by Armour Creameries.)
All prices below are paid to farmers and producers:

Eggs, per dozen	12c
Hens, 4 pounds and up	15c
Hens, light and Leghorns	14c
Spring fryers, under 2 pounds	28c
Roosters	6c
Green hides	2c

Turkeys

No. 1 young toms, 14 pounds and up	18c
No. 1 young hens, 9 pounds and up	20c
Old toms	10c
No. 2 birds	10c

(Quotations by Noble Poultry and Egg company.)

Hens, heavy	16c
Hens, light and Leghorns	14c
Broilers, 1½ lbs. and up	27c
Eggs	11c

MILK AND CREAM
(Quotations by Southwest Dairy Products company)

Sour cream, per pound of butterfat	18c
Butter	25@26c

WHOLE MILK

Grade A:
Southwest Dairy Products Co., per 100 lbs., 4 per cent test $2.20
3c per each point differential above or 5c for each point differential below 4 per cent.
Lehrack-Ferguson Dairy Products Co., per 100 pounds, 4 per cent basis. $2.20; 3c per each point differential, below 4 per cent.
Ungraded Whole Milk:
Southwest Dairy Products company, [illegible]

COTTON PRICES

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CASH GRAIN

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FOARD COUNTY GASSER

Texas company No. 1 Less K. Johnson, located in section 36, block 1, S. P. R. R. survey in Foard county, is rated at 5,000,000 to 6,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily. The well, a rank wildcat about 15 miles west of the town of Crowell, encountered the gas sand at 3558 feet and was drilled five feet when a shale was encountered. At 5874 the bit scratched the heavy pressure and shut down.

IMPROVEMENT NOTED

L. P. Hammond, local operator who suffered injuries in an automobile accident last Friday on the Archer City highway, is reported on the road to recovery.

NORTH OF NEWCASTLE

W. E. Bernard and others No. B-1 Belknap Coal company, located in section No. 8, T. E. & L. survey, north of Newcastle in Young county, is spudded in and down 200 feet.

NORTHEAST OF ARCHER CITY

Otis Gilbert and associates No. 1 W. O. Davis, located in lot 64, block 5, Clark-Plumb survey, northeast of Archer City in Archer county, has spudded in on his 2300 foot test.

BURNS & LONG

L. T. Burns and C. B. Long are rigging up rotary to put down a test 1650 feet west and 450 feet south of the northeast corner of lot 6, block 125, Harris subdivision in Archer county.

NORTH WICHITA COUNTY

P. R. Flake and associates have staked out location for their No. 1 K. B. Harman test to be drilled 150 feet north and west of the southeast corner of block 53, Red river valley lands in north Wichita county.

NORTH YOUNG COUNTY

Pennell & Harris No. 1 A. J. Cantrell, located 150 feet south of the center of the north line of E. E. Cox survey, abstract 1920, in Young county, a wildcat, has spudded in.

SOUTHEAST OF DEEP WELL

Will C. Young No. 1 Langford Investment company, located in block 148 Harris subdivision southeast of the Deep Oil Development-Lindsay well in Archer county is drilling at a depth of 1797 feet.

Aged Haskell Man Claimed by Death

Special to The Record News.

HASKELL, Texas, April 13.—J. E. Steenson, 70, died suddenly at his home here Monday morning. The aged man had been in failing health for several months. He returned to his bed after arising Monday morning and died a few minutes later.

Survivors are two sons, C. N. Steenson, Hot Springs, N. M.; and Ed Steenson, Los Angeles, Calif., and three daughters, Mrs. R. B. Kennison, Mrs. R. V. Oliphant and Mrs. Aline Ford, all of Haskell.

Dry Agent Dismissed For Alleged Brutality

WASHINGTON, April 13. (AP)—Prohibition Director Woodcock today announced the dismissal of another federal dry agent, Carol T. Byrd, in St. Louis, on a charge of "having used his fists more than his brains."

Byrd figured in the recent grand jury investigation in St. Louis where citizens directed objections against him to federal officials in Washington.

Woodcock said the specific charge was "brutality."

Records

DEEDS FILED FOR RECORD

Miss Elizabeth Hall, County Clerk

J. T. Jaeggli, lot 20, block 62, Electra, to Mrs. Selma Jaeggli.

Velma W. Stewart, lot 1, block 44, Southland addition, Wichita Falls, to S. B. Daniel.

The North Texas Building and Loan association, block 8, John F. Kiel subdivision of part of C. L. Harrison survey No. 10, to Mrs. Emma Rone.

Mrs. L. M. Boyd, lots 18 and 19, block 16, Hillcrest addition, to Vida Douglas.

Mrs. L. M. Boyd, lots 10 and 11, block 14, Hillcrest addition, to Vida Douglas.

NEW SUITS FILED

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NEW AUTOMOBILE LICENSES

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DECLARATION OF INTENT TO MARRY

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ESTELLE MAY 'EXPOSE' JACK

Actress Scoffs at Divorce Plans of Dempsey

By FRANK GOODMAN JR.

HOLLYWOOD, April 13. (US)—If Jack Dempsey goes through with his announced intention of filing a divorce suit in Reno against Estelle Taylor, the beautiful portrayer of sybaritic screen roles "will fight—and tell plenty!"

After the former world's heavyweight champion arrived in the Nevada city last week for the announced purpose of "resting," tongues began to wag that he was there to take advantage of the new six weeks divorce law and the actress virtually became a recluse.

Dempsey's exclusive statement to Universal Service that he is in Reno to sever their marital ties at the behest of his wife brought her into the open today. Miss Taylor was a person of mixed emotions.

Still Loves Him

"I still love Jack and still believe in him. I don't believe he said one word of the interview attributed to him," said Miss Taylor, incredulity causing a slight tremble in her voice.

Then, with an upward jerk of her head and a glint of fire in her dark eyes, as she would portray on the screen a woman scorned:

"But if he did, I'll fight—and I'll tell plenty! I'll fight him to the last ditch! I'll never let him get a divorce!"

Miss Taylor denied Jack's charges that she put her motion picture career and the hope of operatic success before home life.

"Not made him a real wife? Let my career interfere with our domestic happiness? Why, I've given up dozens of engagements in order to be with Jack and have crossed the continent nine times just to be with him," she exclaimed.

Withholds New Job

"Right now I have an offer of a starring part in a motion picture, and have withheld acceptance until I can get in touch with Jack and find out what his plans are."

"Nonsense" was the way Miss Taylor described Dempsey's statement that she does not want a home and babies.

"I have always wanted babies more than anything else in the world," she declared, "and I love a home."

The former champion said they have lived apart for the last two years.

"Just read this," the actress said, poking around in a desk drawer until she found a telegram dated February 7.

"Here's what it says: 'Congratulations on six years of happy marriage. You've been a champion wife'."

"There," asked Miss Taylor, "does that sound like we've been separated?

"Why he was here on March 6, right in this house, and stayed for two days.

"I can't believe it," said the actress. "Why I've just returned from putting my mother and grandmother on a train for Salt Lake City, where Jack was to meet them."

So an unbelieving Miss Taylor today waited some word from Jack knowing deep in her heart that he had been misquoted, but hoping against hope he would telegraph or telephone that he wants her back.

JACK REITERATES PLANS FOR DIVORCE

RENO, April 13. (US)—Although Estelle Taylor declares she does not believe Jack Dempsey intends to divorce her, the former heavyweight champion today again told Universal Service he intends to and that it is at her request.

Church Meet Opens Today

Iowa Park Host to District Methodists

Special to The Record News.

IOWA PARK, Texas, April 13.—Between 200 and 300 delegates are expected to attend the Wichita Falls district conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, which opens at 9 o'clock in the First Methodist church here Tuesday. The district includes Wichita, Archer and Clay counties and a part of Montague county, representing a church membership of 10,000 men and women.

Dr. Charles A. Spragins, presiding elder, will conduct the conference. Layman's work will be under the direction of W. B. Hamilton, lay leader, assisted by Sam Householder and John Murphree, associate [illegible]

PANHANDLE PRODUCING & REFINING COMPANY

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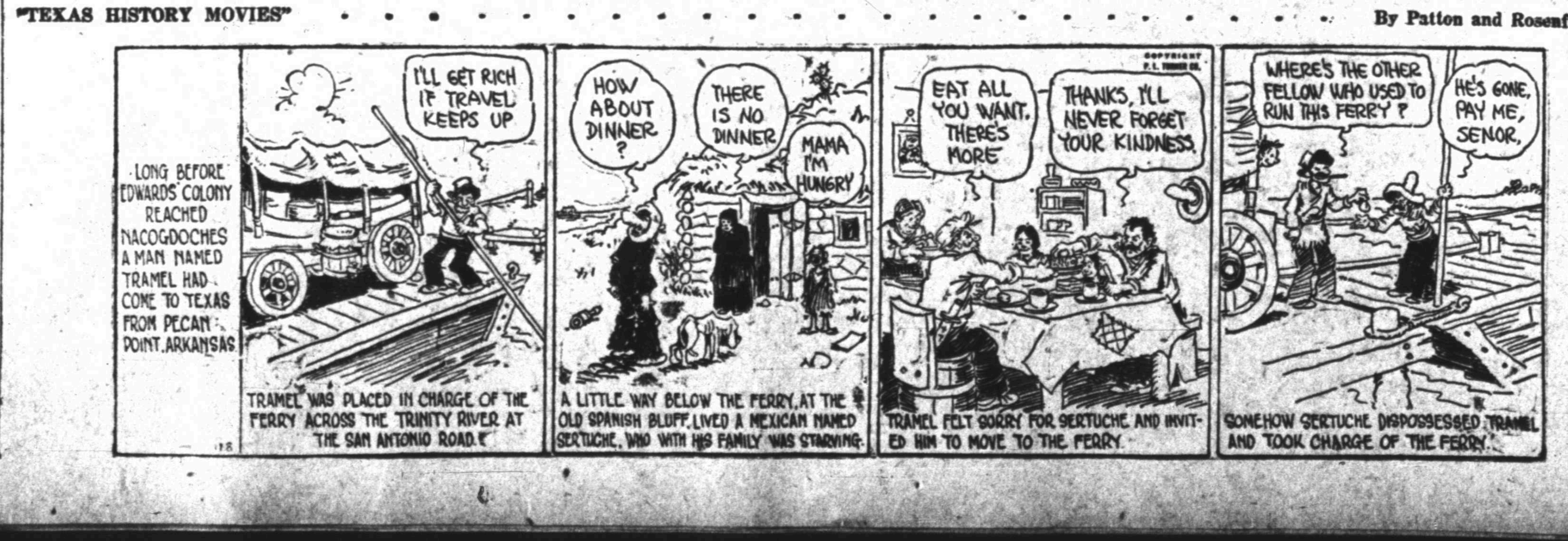
"TEXAS HISTORY MOVIES"

By Patton and Rosenfield



LONG BEFORE EDWARDS' COLONY REACHED NACOGDOCHES A MAN NAMED TRAMEL HAD COME TO TEXAS FROM PECAN POINT, ARKANSAS
I'LL GET RICH IF TRAVEL KEEPS UP
TRAMEL WAS PLACED IN CHARGE OF THE FERRY ACROSS THE TRINITY RIVER AT THE SAN ANTONIO ROAD.
HOW ABOUT DINNER?
THERE IS NO DINNER
MAMA I'M HUNGRY
A LITTLE WAY BELOW THE FERRY, AT THE OLD SPANISH BLUFF, LIVED A MEXICAN NAMED GERTUCHE, WHO WITH HIS FAMILY WAS STARVING.
EAT ALL YOU WANT, THERE'S MORE
THANKS, I'LL NEVER FORGET YOUR KINDNESS
TRAMEL FELT SORRY FOR GERTUCHE AND INVITED HIM TO MOVE TO THE FERRY.
WHERE'S THE OTHER FELLOW WHO USED TO RUN THIS FERRY?
HE'S GONE, PAY ME, SENOR.
SOMEHOW GERTUCHE DISPOSSESSED TRAMEL AND TOOK CHARGE OF THE FERRY.

TELEPHONE SERVICE
For your convenience Want Ads are received by telephone from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Phone 4391.

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Minimum charge for first insertion	$0.80
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Three and no more than six insertions, per word	2½c
Seven or more insertions, per word	2¼c
White space, per line	.20
Caps, per line	.25
Local readers, per line	.25

MINIMUM RATES

One time	$0.80
Three times	1.15
Seven times	2.10
One month (31 days) (10 words)	8.10

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Correction of errors in Classified Ads must be made before the second insertion. No allowance will be made for more than one incorrect insertion.

Cancellations and adjustments regarding errors should be telephoned to the Classified Ad department between 8 a. m. and 6 p. m.

Ads accepted for afternoon paper up until 11 a. m. same day.

Morning paper up to 6 p. m. for the following morning.

Sunday paper up to 7 o'clock Saturday night.

Same copy in both papers.

THE CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT IS OPEN ON SUNDAYS from 4 to 6 p. m. and telephone orders for classified ads to be inserted or to be discontinued will be accepted.

Exceptions: Want ads will be accepted over the telephone for all excepting the following classifications: Situations Wanted and Wanted to Rent. Ads for these classifications are cash with the order and will not be accepted over the telephone.

The Times reserves the right to classify all Classified Ads under the appropriated headlines and to revise or to withhold from publication any ads deemed objectionable.

2. CARD OF THANKS

WE WISH to thank our friends for the many deeds of kindness and the beautiful floral offerings at the death of our dear husband and father. (Signed) Mrs. G. W. Bolin, R. C. Bolin, Mrs. Agnes Stone and family.

3. PERSONAL

PICTURES, $1 each from Miller & Story negatives. Leaving May 1. Miller Studio, phone 2-6245.

THE SPECIALTY CORSET CO., 720 Tenth street, dial 4025, specializes in corrective supports, surgical and maternity girdles, brassieres, foundation and general wear garments. Supports for men.

ANY MOTHER wishing to attend the Texas roundup of state university may ride in my car for $10, round trip, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Emmett Johnson, 6478, or 2102 Ninth street.

3-A. BATHS

SULTAN Turkish bath, man masseur, Swedish masseuse, guaranteed to reduce. 708 Travis; phone 2-4665.

4. BEAUTY PARLORS

FRENCH OIL WAVES, $2. Mrs. Hansard, 204 Bluff. Phone 2-4972.

PERMANENT waves, two for $5.00. Mrs. Rexford, 500 Travis; phone 9878.

FRENCH oil waves, $2.00. 1208 Grant, 9082, Mrs. Lehmann.

SHAMPOO and wet wave 75c; marcel 50c; wet wave 35c. 1416 Twelfth. Phone 6222.

SPECIAL permanent waves $4 up. Malone's Bob and Beauty Shop. Phone 8873. Basement Staley building.

FREE shampoo with every 75c marcel; permanent waves $3.25. Florence's Beauty Shop, Fifteenth at Holliday. Phone 2-4515.

CROQUIGNOLE waves $5, two for $8, guaranteed. McGinty's. Phone 2-4910.

MARCELS, finger waves, shampoos, 25c. Free marcels by pupils. 710 Twelfth.

5. LOST AND FOUND

ONE BLACK MULE, about 7 years old, weight about 1,000 pounds. Wire cut scar on rear leg. Finder please notify Peoples Ice company, phone 5081.

WILL PARTY who picked up paper bag, containing elderly lady's clothes, in town or on road to Olney, Sunday, March 29, phone 2-1970. Reward.

LOST—One rubber boot. Phone 6596.

LOST—Monday, silk paisley scarf on Lucile or Elizabeth. Finder phone 2-2335 or 4177. Reward.

6. EDUCATION and INSTRUCTION

ELECTRICAL power experts needed. We train you. Help place you. Get facts. Box 174 care Times-Record News.

8. MALE HELP WANTED

DO YOU WANT A REAL JOB?

Then learn to become a linotype operator, monotype operator, machinist operator, compositor-stoneman, or pressman at the Southwest Vocational school. No previous experience required. Courses open to both men and women. Training is given by experts. Our graduates are in constant demand at from $100 to $140 per month on their first job. We also provide training in a number of other skilled trades. Let us train you for success. You may enter at any time. Write for free catalog, stating course desired. SOUTHWEST VOCATIONAL SCHOOL, Chamber of Commerce Building, Dallas, Texas.

COLLEGE trained man, (Christian) 23-40, interested in educational work; must be free to travel. Apply fully, give phone. Box 178, Times.

GRANDSTAND hustlers wanted at ball park Wednesday. W. H. Newell.

PERMANENT POSITION

There is an opening in the local office of a million dollar company for a man who can qualify. We require neat appearance, references and a real desire to make good. If you are willing to work hard for real money, apply 504 Hamilton building, 10 to 12 or 2 to 4.

WANTED—Boy with bicycle, to deliver. 312 Scott avenue.

9. FEMALE HELP WANTED

AMBITIOUS teacher or college trained woman (Protestant), 23-45; experience in Sunday school or club work helpful. Reply fully, giving phone. Box 177, Times.

EXCEPTIONAL opportunity for young unmarried woman under 30, well dressed and attractive. Sales ability and experience meeting the public desirable. Earnings about $40 a week to start. Apply 504 Hamilton building, 10:30 to 4.

BEAUTY parlor operator at once. Turners Barber Shop. 713 Brook.

WANTED—Unincumbered, middle-aged lady to keep house and care for children in nice, private home; permanent place to right party. Phone 2-3895.

BEAUTY course taught in six weeks. Position guaranteed. 710 Twelfth.

CHARLEY SAYS, "These are also times which try men's soles." Alert readers are making dollars do double duty through taking advantage of offers in the Daily Times-Record News Classified Want Ad section.

11. SALESMEN WANTED

WANTED—Man with car to sell Maytags. See Tommie Odell.

EARN UP to $20 daily. Protection at cost; $250 to $1,000 at death. Age 1 to 80. National Aid Society, Myers Bldg., Springfield, Ill.

13. SITUATIONS WANTED, MALE

GENTLEMAN must have employment; age 27. Mechanical experience. Will consider anything. 1307 Twentieth; phone 2-4786.

RELIABLE bookkeeper is open for part time work, terms reasonable. Box 181, Times.

STENOGRAPHICAL or general office work. Prefer working for lawyer; consider anything. Phone 8392.

14. SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE

WANT PLACE to earn room and board in private home by young lady entering Draughon's college. Phone 5656.

YOUNG LADY desires position as housekeeper or care for elderly folks. Write route 3, box 148.

MIDDLE-AGED lady must have house work or nursing. 512 Travis. Phone 5940.

IF IN NEED of a practical nurse, call 3880, Mrs. Combs.

WORKING GIRL wants to do part-time work for room and board and small salary. Phone 2-2466.

16. ROOM AND BOARD

ROOM AND board, private home, $25 month, garage. 1206 Austin.

BOARD AND ROOM, nice, private home, $22.50 month. Phone 6851.

ROOM AND BOARD—$7, with garage, 1107 Holliday street.

17 BEDROOMS FOR RENT

LYNN HOTEL, 708 Ninth, attractive bedrooms, with or without private bath, attractive prices. Phone 8101.

KEMP KORT—Attractive bedrooms, walking distance. Phone 5473.

COMFORTABLE bedroom with garage. Desirable and convenient location. Call 9310.

BEAUTIFUL southeast room in refined home, every convenience. Meals furnished; garage. 1601 Hayes. Phone 5366.

BEDROOM for rent, close in. Reasonable rent. 1207 Ninth.

NICELY furnished front bedroom, private entrance. 1647 Pearl street.

THE BACHELOR, 802 Travis, corner of Eighth; modern, fireproof. $3 weekly up. Phone 5390.

EXCEPTIONALLY nice southeast bedroom, connecting bath; gentleman only. Phone 6695.

NICE BEDROOM, convenient bath, twin beds. 1812 Eighth. Phone 2-4781.

18 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS FOR RENT

ONE NICE light housekeeping room, $3 and $3.50 weekly. 1205 Burnett.

19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT

APARTMENT headquarters. C. T. Tully Co., 813½ Scott; phone 9903.

FURNISHED apartments; apply basement office, 1504 Eighth street. Call Franklin, 2-4785 or 4664.

EXTRA NICELY furnished apartment, five-room duplex. Phone 3786; 1650 McGregor.

KEMP KORT—Furnished or unfurnished apartments; rents reduced. Phone 5473.

NICELY FURNISHED four-room apartment, 2006 Giddings, bills paid, $25. Call 6578.

3111 NINTH, lovely 4-room furnished apartment, $30. 5480—9870.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, private bath, downstairs, south exposure, bills paid. 1704 Holliday, phone 4451.

NEW FURNISHED apartment, private bath, garage, bills paid. 3105 Ninth.

NICELY furnished apartment, built-in features, private bath, garage. Phone 8484. Apply 1908 Eighth.

UNFURNISHED four rooms, private bath, newly papered and painted; garage. Apply rear. 3105 Buchanan.

FURNISHED apartments for rent, 1005 Holliday.

THREE-ROOM nicely furnished apartment, garage, bills paid. 1406 Monroe.

HALF DUPLEX, nicely furnished, garage, on pavement, adults. 1205 Holliday.

DUPLEX, nicely furnished 3-room and 2-room apartments. 1310 Eighth street.

FURNISHED garage apartment, hot water, men. 1813 Lucile. Phone 2-4542.

NICELY furnished 4-room apartment, garage. 1814 Tenth street.

UNFURNISHED 4-room apartment, new paper, private bath, garage. 2206 Tilden.

FURNISHED and unfurnished apartments. Modern, walking distance. Phone 9218.

LOVELY furnished 4-room apartment, modern; strictly private; couple only; $35. 1654½ McGregor; 6050.

UNFURNISHED large four-room brick, tile bath, double garage. 1408 Eleventh.

NICELY furnished lower apartment, bills paid. Phone 5753. 1619 Tenth.

WELL FURNISHED four-room apartment, bills paid. Phone 4420.

ONE 2-ROOM APARTMENT, $5 weekly; one bedroom nicely furnished, close in. 704 Travis. Phone 2-0267.

FURNISHED apartment, also duplex, near school; with garage. 1310 Thirteenth.

TWO-ROOM garage apartment, $15, bills paid. 2802 Holliday. Phone 5079.

THREE-ROOM furnished duplex, with garage. 1623 Collins. Phone 4861.

UNFURNISHED modern apartment, four rooms and bath. Porches. 1628 Eleventh.

FURNISHED apartment, rents reduced. Come and see it. 2304 Roberts. Dial 4753.

THREE-ROOM unfurnished duplex apartment; garage. Phone 2-0325.

FOUR-ROOM furnished apartment and garage, $32. 1211 Twenty-first. Phone 8635.

THREE-ROOM half duplex unfurnished; nice and clean; roll-away bed. 1624 Lucile.

FOR RENT—Half duplex, consisting four large rooms, 1612 Fourteenth. See owner, 1614 Fourteenth.

NICELY furnished apartment, 1404 Austin. Phone 9421.

HALF DUPLEX nicely furnished, newly papered, 2101 Avenue H. Phone 2-2663.

FURNISHED, four rooms, extra roll-away bed, private bath; greatly reduced rent. 1683 Eleventh street.

1908 SEVENTH—Furnished apartment, $4 week; bills paid. Phone 2-4712.

NICELY furnished apartment, also small modern house in rear. 409 Lamar.

FURNISHED three-room apartment, $35. 1512 Fourteenth. Phone 9946.

MODERN four-room unfurnished apartment, 2015 Tilden. Phone 9897.

FURNISHED duplex apartment, east side, reasonable. 2149 Avenue L.

THREE and four-room duplex apartments. Apply 518 Denver, phone 2-4739.

FOUR-ROOM furnished apartment, with southeast bedroom. $30 monthly. 1501 Kemp. Phone 6211.

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Lesson No. 61

FINESSING

IN Auction Bridge, when deciding whether or not to take a finesse, the effect of its winning or losing should be considered. If its loss would endanger contract or game, while its success would just mean an extra trick, it should not be tried, but if its success is necessary for game or contract, it should be taken. It is ordinarily, however, not wise to finesse toward an opponent who holds an established suit.

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19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT

NICELY furnished 4-room duplex apartment, private bath, to adults; pavement, on bus line, near car line; garage. Apply 1504½ Harrison. Voyle Armstrong, after 6:30.

ATTRACTIVE four rooms, furnished; bills paid; $30. Phone 8080 or 5436.

NEWLY DECORATED and newly furnished 4-room duplex apartment, private bath and garage, good location. Phone 8471.

NICE 2-ROOM apartment, $4.50 per week, bills paid. 504 Scott.

UNUSUALLY attractive modern three-room furnished apartment. 2007 Pearl.

FURNISHED apartment in nice home. Private bath. Also living room, dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms furnished or unfurnished. Garages. Reduced rates. 1505 Grant. Phone 7919.

20. HOUSES FOR RENT

RENTALS EXCLUSIVELY—All prices. Phone Jimmie Brannan, 4519; 1111 Holliday.

RENTALS—Houses and apartments, any location. Williams-Dwyer company, phone 8133.

FIVE-ROOM cottage; interior newly decorated. 1316 Twelfth. Double garage.

SEVEN-ROOM furnished home for rent, double garage, modern servant house, 1710 Elizabeth.

SIX-ROOM furnished house except linen and dishes, $50. 2133 Avenue J; phone 6825.

1701 BEVERLY DRIVE—Six-room brick, $50. 1510 Westlake, six rooms, $40. 5480—9870.

FURNISHED six-room house, good location, paved street. Reasonable rent. Call 5956 or 4680.

FOR RENT—Five-room house, 508 Sunset drive, $25. Phone 7500.

MODERN house on pavement, near Junior college. Garage. 1709 Monroe.

FIVE-ROOM furnished house, $30. Also two-room apartment, $15; phone 7652.

SIX-ROOM nicely furnished brick home, other furnished and unfurnished homes. C. C. Jones Sr., 1603 Fourteenth. Phone 9872—2-4217.

1703 KEMP BOULEVARD, five-room house; garage. Cheap. Phone 9602.

FIVE-ROOM furnished residence, double garage. Rent reasonable. 1705 Fillmore. Phone 4493.

SMALL FOUR-ROOM house in rear, $10 Bluff.

RENT HOUSES, price is right. Wanted small grocery. 9437-6471.

FOR RENT—Nice place 1417 Thirty-second street or write P. O. Box 384, Cleburne, Texas.

FOUR ROOMS, modern, 2114 Avenue E. Garage; $15 per month. Phone 8703 Sunday, 4135 week days.

FIVE-ROOM modern house, nice, garage. 711 Holliday.

DUPLEX apartment, four rooms, nicely furnished, private bath, pavement; on bus line; near car line; garage. Phone 7823, after 6:30.

SIX-ROOM house, A-1 condition, 2136 Avenue G, $30 month. Phone G. W. Sosebee, 4343 or 3508.

FOR RENT—My home, 803 Baylor, beautifully furnished, modern servant quarters, garage for two cars; or would rent unfurnished. E. F. Riley, 514 Indiana.

FURNISHED three-room house, in rear. Couple only. Built-in features. Yard, garage. 1810 Lucile. Phone 4738.

1523 WESTLAKE—Nice five-room house, $30 month. 5480—9870.

29. FURNITURE FOR SALE

ATTENTION bargain hunters. We have what you are looking for. Real bargains in slightly used furniture. You can buy it cheaper than in private places. Get our cash prices before you buy. Popular Furniture Co., 714 Seventh.

HAVE COMPLETE stock of used furniture, lowest price. Highest prices paid for your furniture. Exchange furniture to please you. John Hughes Furniture. 620 Front. Phone 2-2242. We deliver.

FIVE-PIECE walnut bedroom suite. 1006 Sixteenth street.

BEDROOM, living room, dining room and breakfast room suites. Three-fourths bed complete. Must be sold at once. Call 1671 Keeler street.

29-A SEWING MACHINES

MACHINES as low as $5, rents $3; all makes repaired. Ask about our costume art course. White Sewing Machine Co., 614 Eighth street. Phone 2-0903.

30. FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Hoover sweeper, practically new. Phone 6035.

QUILT SCRAPS, assorted prints, all fast colors; four pounds $1. Postage prepaid. Texas Scrap Material company, P. O. Box 2336, Dallas, Texas.

FERTILIZER, dirt, driveway and chicken yard gravel. Phone 2-5811.

FOR SALE—Gas range, two heaters and one ice box. One Easy washing machine. 103 Oriole street. Dial 2-2023.

32. RADIOS

CALL RIDLING for radio service and tubes. Day phone 6262, night 2-0916.

34. WANTED TO BUY

USED 42-inch roll, 5-foot flat desk, letter and legal size cabinets, Sunstran adding machine, cash register. Phone 2-2838.

WILL pay cash for good second hand furniture. Phone 6224.

WANTED TO BUY—Your secondhand furniture. E. F. Riley Furniture, 514 Indiana. Phone 7123.

FACIAL chair or shampoo board. Phone 4886. 712 Brook.

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38. FOR SALE OR TRADE

WILL TRADE electric washing machine, good condition, for ceiling fan and buzz fan. Phone 3284 or 5872.

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PATENTS, trade-marks, copyrights. Ernest A. Wood, U. S. patent attorney, 2-1026. 1012 Santa Fe building, Dallas.

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Childress Farmers Seek Increase In Supply of Poultry

Special to The Record News.

CHILDRESS, Texas, April 13.—There is under contemplation a move to increase the raising of poultry by the farmers this year in Childress county. The plan under consideration is for one of the large poultry firms of the Southwest to advance the money to purchase day old chicks for the farmers, this company to receive pay either in poultry in the fall or weekly through the sales of butterfat.

If this company declines the proposition it is expected the business men of the city will be asked to purchase 100 chicks for each farmer who will agree to take care of them, paying the purchase price in the fall, or sooner. The farmers are short on poultry this year and assistance will be required to increase the flocks.

Texas Knights Templar Convene in El Paso

EL PASO, Texas, April 13. (AP)—Knights Templar from all sections of Texas gathered here today for the 78th annual conclave of the Texas grand commandery. Streets were decorated with flags and banners and insignia of the order.

The conference will be formally opened tomorrow with the conferring of the super-excellent master's degree by El Paso council No. 90. An address by Jewel P. Lightfoot of Fort Worth was set for tonight. The program for tomorrow also included a uniformed parade, competition between drill teams of the school of Templar instruction and various entertainment features.

62. AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

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102. LEGAL NOTICES

CITY POUND NOTICE—Taken up and impounded by the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, under the provisions of ordinance No. 461, to prevent certain stock running at large: One sorrel horse about 10 years old, about 15 hands high, long mane and tail; IH on left shoulder, both hind feet white, spot in forehead, white spot on back. If the owner of said animal does not apply for same within five days from the date of this notice, I will proceed to sell said animal to the highest bidder for cash at the gate of the city pound, as provided in ordinance first aforesaid.—W. J. Tucker, city pound keeper. Date: April 13, 1931.

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What's On The Air Today

Capt. Tim Healy of the world war fame will give the second of his series of talks on "Spy Hunting in the World War" as a feature of Tuesday's program over KGKO. This feature will be broadcast from 7:30 to 7:45 o'clock during the evening program.

The program follows:
7:45-8:00—News flashes.
8:00-8:30—Pep club.
8:30-9:00—Shopping hour.
9:00-9:15—The fashionaire.
9:15-9:30—Shopping hour.
9:30-10:00—The Sunbeams.
10:00-10:15—Wichita County Medical association.
10:15-10:30—Moments with the masters.
10:30-11:15—Church of the air; Rev. A. E. Davis.
12:00-1:00—Luncheon concert.
1:00-1:30—Farm service hour.

Log of Stations Received Here

	Meters.	Kilocycles.
WFAA, Dallas	374.8	800
WBAP, Fort Worth	374.8	800
KDKA, Pittsburgh	305.9	980
KFAB, Lincoln, Neb.	389.4	770
KFI, Los Angeles	468.5	640
KGKO, Wichita Falls	526	570
KMOX, St. Louis	275.1	1090
KPO, San Francisco	440.9	680
KOA, Denver	361.2	830
KPRC, Houston	325.9	920
KRLD, Dallas	288.3	1040
KSAT, Fort Worth	241.9	1240
KTHS, Hot Springs	288.3	1040
KSL, Salt Lake City	265.3	1130
KVOO, Tulsa	263	1140
KWKH, Shreveport	352.7	850
WBAW, Nashville	201.2	1490
WBBM, Chicago	389.4	770
WCCO, Minneapolis, St. Paul	370.2	810
WDAF, Kansas City	491.5	610
WHB, Kansas City	315.6	950
WENR, Chicago	344.6	870
WGN, Chicago	416.4	720
WHAS, Louisville	365.6	820
WHO, Des Moines	300	1000
WKY, Oklahoma City	333.1	900
WLAC, Nashville	201.2	1490
WLW, Cincinnati	428.3	700
WLS, Chicago	344.6	870
WMAQ, Chicago	447.5	670
WOAI, San Antonio	252	1190
WOW, Omaha	508	590
WRR, Dallas	234.2	1280
WSB, Atlanta	405.2	740
WSM, Nashville	461.3	650

1:30-1:45—The Vagabond.
1:45-2:00—News flashes.
3:30-4:00—30 minutes with Paul Cooper.
4:00-4:30—Musical moments.
4:30-4:45—Nesco Royal cooks.
4:45-5:15—Kakuna Royalists.
5:15-5:30—The Blue Room String trio.
5:30-6:00—Old King Cole, the kiddies' friend.
6:00-6:30—The Vagabond and his gang.
6:30-6:55—Dinner hour concert.
6:55-7:00—Weather; time.
7:00-7:15—The Boswell sisters.
7:15-7:30—Harriett Bradley.
7:30-7:45—Capt. Tim Healy, "Spy Hunting in World War."
7:45-8:00—Winkin', Blinkin' and Nod.
8:00-8:30—Chevrolet chronicles.
8:30-9:00—Gems of the opera.
9:00-9:30—All American minstrel.
9:30-10:30—Spudder program.

Southwest

262.1—WOAI, San Antonio—1190
6:00-6:30—Sanderson and Crumit.
6:30-7:00—Phil Cook.
7:30-8:00—Coon Sanders dance frolic.
8:30-9:00—Bank program.
9:00-10:00—Orchestra.
10:00-10:15—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-11:15—Orchestra.

288.3—KTHS, Hot Springs—1040
8:00-8:15 a. m.—Jake and Lena.
8:15-8:30 a. m.—Music.
9:45-10:00 a. m.—Josephine Gibson, food chat.
10:00-10:15 a. m.—"Your Child Chat."
11:30 a. m.-12:15 p. m.—National Farm and Home hour.
12:15-12:30 p. m.—Arlington Hotel orchestra, Paolo Grosso, director.
6:30-6:45 p. m.—Phil Cook.
6:45-7:00 p. m.—The Kingsway Hotel orchestra, William Hoge, director.
7:00-7:30 p. m.—Paul Whiteman's Paint Men.
7:30-8:00 p. m.—Coon Sanders orchestra; Ashley sisters.
10:00-10:15 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-11:00 p. m.—Arlington Hotel orchestra, Paolo Grosso, director.

374.8—WFAA, Dallas—800
7:15-8:00 a. m.—Early Birds orchestra.
8:00-8:15 a. m.—Gene and Glenn.
8:15-8:30 a. m.—Bera Meade Grimes.
10:30-10:45 a. m.—Woman's hour.
11:00-11:15 a. m.—Woman's hour.
11:15-11:30 a. m.—Cooking school.
11:30-11:45 a. m.—Musicale.
11:45 a. m.-12:30 p. m.—Farm and Home hour.
5:30-5:45 p. m.—Sandman Soldiers.
9:00-9:30 p. m.—Texas Bakers association.
9:45-10:00 p. m.—Speed Blanders.
10:00-10:15 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.

10:15-10:30 p. m.—Studio program.
10:30-10:45 p. m.—Jean and Joanne, Almanac Man.
10:45-10:50 p. m.—Louis Faget and Lois Moseley.
10:50 p. m.—Sharps and Flats.
11:00-11:15 p. m.—Quartet.
11:15-11:30 p. m.—Grapevine Rabbit Twisters.
11:30 p. m.-12 midnight—Ligon Smith.

288.3—KRLD, Dallas—1040
6:00-7:00—Sunrise prayer service.
7:00-8:00—Setting up exercises; organ program; morning minstrels.
8:30-9:45—Morning moods; Aunt Mary's chat; Columbia mixed quartet; Novelty musicians.
10:30-11:15—Home efficiency; Three Men in a tub; Paul Tremaine and orchestra.
12:30-2:00—The Four Clubmen; Jole Lichter's orchestra.
2:00-3:00—Washington and Philadelphia opening baseball game; KRLD-S. M. U. College of the Air.
3:00-4:00—Italian Idyll; National Student Federation of America.
4:00-5:00—Rhythm Kings; Bert Lown and orchestra; President Hoover's speech at 50th anniversary Tuskegee institute.
5:00-6:30—National Security league program; Harry Tucker and orchestra; Spotlight reporter; Times-Herald tabloid; studio music.
7:00-7:30—Topics in brief; Lorna Fantin.
8:00-9:00—Jole Lichter's orchestra; Symphony Concert orchestra.
9:00-10:00—Events in the lives of Jo and Vi; Richie Craig Jr.; Radio Playhouse.
10:00-10:30—Fletcher Henderson's orchestra; Pryor's Military band.
11:00-12:30—Call for missing men; Ted and Doug, harmony pair; Jole Lichter's orchestra; program from local theaters.

374.8—WBAP, Fort Worth—800
8:30 a. m.—The Song shop.
9:15 a. m.—Frances Ingram.
9:30 a. m.—Dr. A. H. Flickwir, director of public health and welfare.
10:00 a. m.—Piver.
10:15 a. m.—C. A. M. highway report; markets.
12:30 p. m.—The Bohemians.
12:55 p. m.—"Port of Missing Men."
1:30 p. m.—Edna Wallace Hopper.
1:45 p. m.—Organland.
2:00 p. m.—Music in the air.
2:30 p. m.—T. C. U. Lecture forum.
5:00 p. m.—B. C. A. club.
6:00 p. m.—Fireside melodies.
6:30 p. m.—The Syncopets.

333.1—WKY, Oklahoma City—900
6:30-7:00—Early Risers.
7:00-7:15—On the 8:15.
7:15-7:30—Piano Flashes.
9:00-9:15—Aunt Susan.
9:45-10:00—Josephine Gibson.
10:00-10:15—Your Child.
10:45-11:00—Sweet and Low.
11:00-11:15—Studio Trio.
12:00-12:30—National Farm and Home hour.
12:45-1:00—Al and Dutch.
1:00-1:30—Charles Dornberger and his orchestra.
1:45-2:00—Charles Dornberger and his Orchestra.
2:00-2:30—Music in the Air.
2:30-2:45—Markets.
2:45-3:45—Paul Christensen and his orchestra.
4:15-4:30—Piano moods, Elizabeth Cline.
4:30-5:00—Tuskegee institute, fiftieth anniversary.
5:00-5:15—Organ melodies.
5:15-5:30—Oklahoma State Historical society.
5:30-5:45—Oklahoma program.
5:45-6:00—Aunt Polly's Play-Like Time.
6:45-7:00—Dr. Scholl Revelers.
7:30-8:00—Florsheim Frolic.
8:00-8:30—McKesson Musical magazine.
10:00-10:15—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15—Ayer weather report.
10:15-10:45—Christensen's orchestra.
10:45-11:00—Nip and Tuck.
11:00-12:00—Charles Dornberger and his orchestra.
12:00-1:00—Paul Christensen and his orchestra.

Central

428.3—WLW, Cincinnati—700
6:30-6:45—Phil Cook.
6:45-7:00—Sponsored program.
7:00-7:30—Paul Whiteman's band.
7:30-8:00—Bubble Blowers.
8:00-8:30—Sponsored programs.
8:30-9:00—Chronicles.
9:00-9:30—Cotton Queen.
9:30-9:45—Clara, Lu 'n' Em.
9:45-10:00—Bob Newhall.
10:00-10:30—Variety.

344.6—WENR, Chicago—870
7:00-7:15—Orchestra.
7:15-8:00—Features.
8:00-8:30—Orchestra.
8:30-9:30—Death Valley days.
9:30-9:45—Girl Reporter.
9:45-10:00—Gene Austin, crooner.
10:00-10:15—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-10:45—Cab Calloway.
10:45-11:00—Albin's orchestra.
11:00-1:00—Dance orchestra.

416.4—WGN, Chicago—720
10:30-10:45—Organ.
10:45-11:30—Everybody's hour.
11:30-12:00—Good health and training.
12:30-1:45—Luncheon concert.
2:00-2:30—Luncheon concert.
2:30-2:45—Women's club; Allan Grant, pianist.
2:45-5:00—Thompson's baseball menu, Cubs vs. Pittsburgh.
5:00-5:15—Organ.
5:15-5:30—"The Singing Lady," sponsored by Kellogg.
5:30-5:45—"Evening Time."
6:30-6:45—Goldenrod dinner dance.
7:00-7:05—WGN Syncopators.
7:30-8:00—Frolic.
8:00-8:30—Household celebrities program.
8:30-8:40—Tune Tangles.
8:40-9:30—Variety.
9:30-9:45—"Clara, Lu 'n' Em."
9:45-10:00—Mountain Valley program.
10:10-10:20—Phillip Kauffman, violinist.
10:20-10:30—Louie's Hungry Five.
10:30-10:45 p. m.—WGN syncopators and WGN symphony; Tom, Dick and Harry.
10:45-11:15 p. m.—Ted Weems and his orchestra.

M. P. to Run Special Train to Mexico City

The Missouri Pacific lines will run a special train to the World Press conference at Mexico City in August, it was announced here Monday by two officials of the railroad. C. W. Olive, district passenger agent at Dallas, and J. C. Woodward, district passenger agent at Fort Worth, were the two officials here in interest of the Missouri Pacific tour.

AROUND THE RADIO CLOCK

(Time is central standard throughout)

NEW YORK, April 13. (AP)—Two addresses by President Hoover, descriptions of two major league opening games and an address by the president of Mexico comprise Tuesday's radio highlights.

President Hoover is to be heard first at 1:30 p. m. in a Pan-American day program. It will last an hour, include several speakers, and will go on coast-to-coast networks of WEAF-WJZ and WABC. Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson will introduce the president.

The second address is to be made in connection with a program in observance of the 50th anniversary of Tuskegee institute, Alabama, the president to talk from Washington. The program will start on WEAF and stations at 4:30 p. m. and on WABC and network at 4:45.

The baseball openers to be given play-by-play will be the American league contests between the Yankees and the Red Sox from New York and that between the champion Athletics and the Senators at Washington.

The Yankees-Red Sox game will be broadcast by WEAF and network starting at 1:45 p. m., with Graham McNamee and Bill Munday as microphone experts.

The other game is to be described by Ted Husing over a WABC chain, starting at 2:00 p. m. President Hoover is expected to throw out the first ball.

To bring the Pan-American day address of P. Ortiz Rubio, president of Mexico, from Mexico City, to listeners of WOR, New York at 8:00 p. m., a special telephone circuit of 3,000 miles long will be used. The address in Spanish will be translated.

Otherwise your dials may be set for:

2:00—Music in the air, conducted by Dr. Osbourne McConathy, with address by M. H. Aylesworth, president of NBC.

5:00—New program conducted by James J. Corbett, former heavyweight champion; Guest Henry Hull, Broadway actor, WJZ and associates.

7:00—Waltz program by Paul Whiteman's band, WJZ circuit.

8:00—Howard Barlow symphony orchestra, WABC and chain.

9:00—Program of Carl Maria von Weber music, Guy Fraser Harrison, director, and Mathilde Arding, pianist.

10:00—Expose of fake ghosts by Nino Pecararo, self-renounced medium, WEAF chain.

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Officers Elected at Annual Meeting

Sam R. Hord was named president of Post I, Travelers Protective association at the annual election of officers Monday night.

Mr. Hord is president of the Magnolia-Wichita Falls Oxygen company. Other officers were elected as follows: D. L. Taylor, Auto Spring and Supply company, first vice president; A. L. Proctor, Western Commission company, second vice president; Henry D. Wolff, Wolff Bros. Cigar company, state director.

H. O. Newton was re-elected secretary-treasurer, and post directors included J. H. Allison, Times Publishing company, chairman; Willard Johnson, American Refining company; J. T. Anderson, Wichita Falls Wholesale Grocery company; Chas. S. Morris, Humble Oil and Refining company; C. M. Robinson, H. O. Wooten Wholesale Grocery company; M. J. Gaines, Gaines Motor Sales company.

Delegates to the state convention in Galveston May 8-9 include Sam R. Hord, Henry D. Wolff, H. O. Newton, E. F. Morgan and A. L. Proctor. Delegates to the national convention in San Francisco in June will be H. O. Newton and Henry D. Wolff.

Chairmen of various committees were named by President Hord as follows: Membership, O. V. Milstead, Wichita Falls Oxygen company; railroads and highways, Marvin W. Edgmon, Auto Spring and Supply company; publicity, V. N. Armstrong, Times Publishing company; employment, F. N. Work, Texas Electric Service company; relief, A. N. Lummus, Goodner Wholesale Grocery company; hotel, H. H. May, May Coffee company; chaplain, Rev. George P. Horst, First Presbyterian church.

Post I now has a membership of 635, ranking fifth in Texas on this point. Dallas, Houston, San Antonio and Fort Worth are the only cities which outrank Wichita Falls. The organization is open to manufacturing and wholesale firms, their office executives and traveling representatives.

I. O. Boosters Endorse Clean-Up Campaign

Endorsement of the clean-up and city-beautification campaign sponsored by the fire department and the Junior chamber of commerce was voted Monday noon by members of the I. O. Boosters club in their weekly meeting at the Y. W. C. A., and a committee was appointed to carry out a complete clean-up of the district represented by the club's membership.

R. S. Fidler, E. F. Riley and F. W. Work were named by President Frank Schramm to organize the movement to carry out on Ohio and Indiana avenues north of Sixth street the clean-up plans adopted for the city-wide campaign.

Dr. Fred Gross, manager of the baseball team entered by the club in the City league, announced that the I. O. nine will make its first appearance next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock against the M. W. A. team. The game will be played near the Ball Brothers' factory, he said.

Those who have subscribed to make the I. O. Boosters team possible are the Lee Cooper Service station, Auto Spring and Supply company, Clark Machine company, Sam Hord, W. S. Langford, Taylor Wheel and Body works, Central Feed store, McMullen Motor works, Hughes Brothers, Auto Parts company, Southern Electric Service company, Riverside Boiler and Welding company, Wichtex company, Dr. Fred Gross Veterinary hospital, Roy's Lunch, and the Lehrack-Ferguson Dairy Products company.

McFarland Hears Cases In County Law Court

Trial of two cases based on charges of aggravated assault consumed all of Monday in the county court at law with Judge C. M. McFarland acting as special judge. The defendant was acquitted in the one case completed.

Judge McFarland was appointed by the Wichita County Bar association Monday morning to serve as special judge in the county court at law pending the recovery from illness of Judge Irvin J. Vogel.

Fire Wrecks Home On Henrietta Road

Damage of $3,000 was caused by fire Monday morning to the home of J. P. Moore on the Henrietta road, according to information given by J. L. McClure, fire chief. It was believed the blaze originated from a kitchen stove.

Although the home was outside the city limits, fire apparatus attempted to save the structure, water being pumped from the Denver lake.

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RECORD NEWS
CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

(Secretaries of civic and industrial organizations in the city are invited to use this calendar for the daily announcement of regular or special meetings to be held within 30 days from the date of first announcement.)

April 14—Ad club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
April 15—Lions club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
Optimist club meets noon, Kemp hotel.
April 16—Ethel Barrymore in "The Love Duel," Memorial auditorium.
District interscholastic public speaking contests.
Rotary club meets noon, Kemp hotel.
April 21—Chamber of commerce goodwill tour to Waurika, Okla.
April 25—Irrigation district election.

Today { At the Theaters
By ELEANOR FLEMING

MAJESTIC: "Men Call It Love" with Adolphe Menjou, Norman Foster and Leila Hyams. Mack Sennett comedy, newsreel, scenic and screen song.

STRAND: Will Rogers in "A Connecticut Yankee." Mickey Mouse comedy, musical subject and newsreel.

GEM: "No Limit" with Clara Bow. Comedy.

That last line in "The Front Page" had worried me—not for the same reason that it worries the censors, but because I knew that if it were changed or left out of the movie version of the most profane play ever produced, the terrific punch of the ending would be ruined and consequently the whole play would be ruined. I knew also that if that line were left in, the Strand manager would have to cut off the ending or fight the P.-T. A. and the W. C. T. U.

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I was all set to go the first day, before somebody spoiled it, when Manager F. J. Patterson of the Strand arranged a special preview screening at midnight, bringing the film in here by plane and then sending it back by plane. It was to be an uncensored preview.

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And now it turns out that I might as well have waited. They can't do a thing with that last line, unless all the censors are lip-readers. When the managing editor says blankety-blankety-blank, his elbow hits the typewriter carriage in such a way as to make an awful racket. If only all newspaper men were as courteous about such matters!

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Of course the last line is not the only one, and there are places where the newspaper reporters call each other "you crazy baboon" instead of "you *&$$&)(*&!!!" However, those with imagination and newspaper experience can substitute, and those without will be better off just thinking of newspaper men as being big handsome men who call each other crazy baboons.

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But even with those mild epithets it is as terrifically real as the play itself. By rapid action and conversation, a lot of things slipped by the censors in too big a hurry to be deleted. The picture is, in fact, a skillful picturization of what would really happen in the press room of a criminal courts building a few hours before a big hanging.

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Howard Hughes, the producer, has now produced several of Hollywood's best movies. Mr. Hughes, according to Pare Lorentz in Judge, "has shown that all the great corporations in the world put together know less about pleasing the public and putting on shows than one mildly intelligent man."

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At least, it took this "mildly intelligent man" to find the best use yet devised for a worn-out Underwood typewriter!

Rites Tuesday For Mrs. Homer Beach

Funeral services for Mrs. Homer Beach, 61, pioneer resident of Northwest Texas, will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the Lamar Avenue Baptist church. The Rev. S. F. Martin, pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in the Burkburnett cemetery. The Merkle Undertaking company is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Beach had been residents of Burkburnett and Wichita Falls for 20 years, moving to Burkburnett in 1911. Mr. Beach engaged in the oil business.

The family moved a few months ago to Clarendon, where Mrs. Beach died Saturday following a heart attack.

Pallbearers for funeral services will be W. C. Burgess, J. C. Hampton, J. J. Nicholson, Fred Morris, Ellis Summers and Ben Scott.

Surviving Mrs. Beach are the husband; six sons, Cecil, Otto, Homer Jr., and O. L. Beach of Clarendon; Roy Beach of Long Beach, Calif.; and Jess Beach of Wichita Falls; a daughter, Mrs. Neise Robinson of Clarendon; two brothers, E. S. Richardson of Wichita Falls and J. J. Richardson of Plainview; and four sisters, Mrs. W. R. Cowan and Mrs. J. W. Douglas of Sadler, Texas, Mrs. J. W. Hendricks of Tulsa, Okla., and Mrs. N. O. Kinslow of Duncan, Okla.; and the mother, Mrs. L. J. Richardson of Sadler.

Sunrise Breakfast For Collegians Today

Final arrangements for an all-college sunrise breakfast to be given Tuesday morning in honor of Junior college sophomores were completed at a regular meeting of the freshman class Monday morning at the 30-minute period.

The college students are to meet at the college at 5:45 o'clock Tuesday morning, according to Miss Madge Davis, faculty advisor of the freshman class, and will go from there to Weeks park for the breakfast and entertainment.

An entertaining program of activity has been arranged by the entertainment committee, with Miss Earlene Longan, committee chairman, in charge of the games.

Two Arrested, Still Seized by Officers

Two men and one small still, all three making ready to work behind the cover of a jutting bank on Little Buffalo creek near Iowa Park, rewarded a posse of county officers who hiked across a wide field Monday morning to make the catch, according to information obtained from the sheriff's department.

Deputy Sheriffs E. L. Kincaid and Ben Smith, accompanied by two precinct officers from Iowa Park, formed the group which interrupted and terminated the setting-up process.

Wichita Dairymen Asked to Meet Friday

Wichita county dairymen have been requested to meet at the E. F. Riley furniture store on Indiana avenue on Friday evening at 7 o'clock instead of Thursday evening as previously arranged, it was announced Monday. The meeting at Windthorst, which the group is to attend, has been postponed from Thursday until Friday. The Wichita dairymen will leave the Riley store Friday night shortly after 7 o'clock for Windthorst.

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County Asks Bids On Gas, Oil and Materials

County Auditor Paul Barnett was authorized Monday by the commissioners court to advertise for bids to be opened on May 11 for supplying gasoline, oils, and building materials for one year for the four precincts in this county.

Specifications for the supplies to be requisitioned are available at the auditor's office it was said.

Aside from the call for bids to furnish supplies, the only business handled by the court Monday was the approval of numerous small bills originating in precinct road work and charity aid.

The court will meet again Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, principally to take care of bills for road work, it was announced.

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MANY TO JOIN TRADE TOUR

Every Wichita Business Asked to Send Delegate

An attempt to have every Wichita Falls business represented on the manufacturers and jobbers trade trip Tuesday, April 21, will be made, according to the announcement Monday of those in charge of arrangements, following a joint meeting of senior and junior chamber committees at the Holt hotel.

The trip is the first of the year. Towns to be visited include Jolly, Henrietta, Bellevue, Bowie, Montague, Nocona and Ringgold, Texas, and Terral, Ryan and Waurika, Okla.

Preparations were made at the luncheon Monday for a ticket sale drive. Tickets will cost $1, and cover expenses of a luncheon to be served at Nocona and toll bridge fees.

Committees named Monday to attend the making of final arrangements are as follows:

Ticket sales: Jim Durnal, chairman of the junior chamber good will tours committee, and Kendel Paulk, E. O. Wheat, W. P. Lacy, Lester T. Prothro, Ernest Stayton and W. J. Howard; Roy Mann, chairman of the good will trip committee of the manufacturers and jobbers division and H. R. Cramer and L. C. Robertson.

Program: Kindel Paul, W. P. Lacy and Paul Putty.

Flags: Lester T. Prothro and E. O. Wheat.

Transportation: Gage C. McDermett.

Parade: Milton Gaines.

Action Sought In Tillman Road Plans

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., April 13.—An early letting of the construction of state highway No. 14 from Frederick to the Davidson bridge over Red river is sought by citizens of Tillman county.

It is also desired that the remainder of the state highway in Tillman county be designated at an early date and a crew of engineers sent here to do the surveying. The three commissioners, O. C. Ball, John W. Williams and Ed Carson, E. M. Powell, county engineer, and L. M. Wagnon, secretary of the Frederick Chamber of Commerce, constituted the delegation from this place to the state metropolis, who conferred with the state highway commissioners.

Auto Auction

Fourteen automobiles forfeited by defendants in liquor cases before Judge William H. Atwell during the March term of federal district court for the northern district of Texas will be sold Wednesday morning, April 15, at public auction by J. T. Bentley, deputy United States marshal, it was announced here Monday.

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C-C Representative to Attend Air Mail Conference at Washington

A representative of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce probably will go to Washington next week to confer with W. Irving Glover, second assistant postmaster general in charge of air mail, in connection with the air mail line through Wichita Falls from Pueblo to Fort Worth, John Boswell, manager of the chamber here, said Monday.

Other towns along the proposed air mail route also probably will send representatives to Washington at the same time, it was said.

Judge William N. Bonner, chairman of the aviation committee, Monday expressed great satisfaction of the results obtained with the air mail conference held here Saturday, when delegates from all cities along the route met to draw resolutions to the postoffice department urging that the Pueblo-Fort Worth line be inaugurated at the earliest possible date. Appropriations for the line have already been made by congress. Judge Bonner declared that the conference exceeded his expectations in attendance and accomplishment.

Copies of resolutions drawn Saturday were being forwarded Monday to all chambers of commerce along the line and to Postmaster General Brown.

Period of Solid Prosperity Always Succeeds Depression, Kiwanis Told

Federal Report Shows Wichita Falls Second in Texas In Retail Sales and Employment

Growth of the United States from a poor, straggling seaboard commonwealth to a rich nation of 120,000,000 persons records a story of constantly increasing economic prosperity interrupted occasionally by brief spells of depression, according to a talk given by J. H. Allison of the Times Publishing company before members of the Kiwanis club at the Kemp hotel Monday noon.

The country's quick recovery from its intermittent economic maladies, and its subsequent vigorous attainment of prosperity not theretofore enjoyed, should support a definite hope for unprecedented growth and prosperity after the depression from which we are now emerging, Mr. Allison said.

The speaker contrasted the colonists of 1783, established in liberty but heavily in debt both individually and as a nation, with the United States of 1931 approximating more than 3,000,000 square miles of land and possessing unequalled wealth.

Depression periods of 1837, 1857-71, 1893, 1907, 1920 and of 1929 were discussed briefly by the speaker. He reviewed certain of the remembered characteristics of each "hard times" era, and used statistics and historical incidents to show that each such period was followed by a prolonged season of solid prosperity.

"The people of the United States have enjoyed unparalleled growth and prosperity, interrupted by brief years of depression and despondency," Mr. Allison said. "Following each such eclipse, however, the country has gone forward in a new light to new peaks of wealth, income, and achievement. The future should be considered in the light of our experiences of the past."

Figures quoted by Mr. Allison from a United States department of commerce report issued Monday showed that Wichita Falls ranks second among cities of Texas in the proportionate volume of retail business and in the number of people employed. This city ranks third in number of stores for its population, it was said.

"We should organize sensibly, think, study our problems, and pull together," said the speaker. "There is a brighter day ahead. Know the facts and abandon the fetishes."

Mr. Allison was introduced by Walter Nelson Jr. Vocal numbers by Dolores Myler, KGKO singer, with her own guitar accompaniments, were included in the program. Guests were introduced by J. L. Jackson Jr. Dr. J. B. Nail, vice president, presided.

When it became known recently that a "detector" was being used to find unlicensed radio sets in Leeds, England, there were 1,000 applications for licenses in three days.

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RITES SAID FOR J. R. CANNON

Former Wichitan Buried At Electra

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, April 13.—Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Baptist church for J. R. Cannon, 59, who died Sunday night at a local hospital. Rev. W. W. Rivers, pastor, officiated, and interment was in the new Electra cemetery.

Mr. Cannon was born in Mississippi but had lived in Texas more than 50 years. He moved to Electra 13 years ago from Wichita Falls and was engaged in the poultry business.

Survivors are the widow and four children. The sons are Clyde, Dallas; Chalmar, Wichita Falls. Daughters are Mrs. Jerry Beck and Miss Maurine Cannon, Amarillo. His brother is Tom Cannon of Fort Worth, and his sister, Jewel Cannon, Dustin, Okla. Three stepdaughters, Mesdames Willie Williams, Big Spring; George Stoneking, Earlsboro, Okla.; E. J. Smith, Rock Crossing, and a stepson, Oscar Pierce, Electra, also survive.

A psychologist is to be appointed to advise teachers of Northumberland, England, in the grading of pupils.

Seymour Girls Win Latin Meet Honors

Special to The Record News.

SEYMOUR, Texas, April 13.—In the first Latin tournament held at Stamford Saturday, April 11, Pauline Cassle of Seymour won first place in the third year Latin essay contest. Second place in the second year essay contest was awarded to Eufa Tidwell, also of Seymour. Dorothy Plants of Seymour was awarded third place in the individual contest in third year Latin. Miss Lucy Moore is teacher of Latin in the Seymour High school.

Brother-in-Law Of County Official Dies

Word was received Monday by M. A. Bundy, county commissioner for precinct No. 1, of the death of his brother-in-law, Carl Smith, at Otego, N. Y. Mrs. Smith, wife of the deceased, formerly lived in Texas. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon.

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BANANAS	Yellow Ripe Fruit, Lb.	6c
CARROTS	Better Quality Beets, Turnips Turnip Greens Green Onions, Bunch	5c
SPINACH	Young Tender Pound	5c
New Potatoes	Good Size Red Ones, Lb.	5c
Green Beans	Fresh Snappy, Lb.	12½c
Summer Squash	Small Tender, Lb.	10c
CABBAGE	Hard Green Heads, Lb.	2½c
Canada Dry Ginger Ale, 2 Bottles		25c
Asparagus Salad Points, Tall Can		29c
Green Olives	Full Quart Glass Barrel	39c
PINEAPPLE	No. 1 Sliced or Grated, 2 Cans	25c

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