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## NEGRO CONFESSES SLAYING OF FARMER COMMITTEE SAYS TAX SYSTEM OF TEXAS UNJUST

### BURDEN FOUND TOO LARGE ON HOMES, FARMS

#### DISCRIMINATORY RATE CHARGED AND RELIEF IS PROMISED

(By Associated Press)  
AUSTIN, July 12.—Texas' present tax system as applied to visible property "particularly farms, ranches, and homes" is "unjust and discriminatory," the "burden is excessive and relief must be had," the late tax survey commission declared today in a resolution adopted at the close of a two day session, urging the voters' support of the proposed constitutional amendment to separate the objects of taxation and abolish the state tax on visible property.

#### Amendment Up for Vote

The amendment, by Representative J. W. Stevenson of Victoria, one of the commission members, is to be voted on August 1, along with three others adopted by the forty-third legislature which created the commission to recommend a more equitable system of taxation.

Preliminary reports made by six sub-committees assigned to study 19 subjects of taxation were insufficient, the commission said, to pipe any definite conclusions as to methods of equalizing tax burdens.

#### System Discriminatory

"The commission can definitely and positively say, however," the resolution continued, "that the present tax system as to real estate is in fact as to all visible property, is unjust and discriminatory in its application."  
Another meeting of the commission will be held the second Monday in August.

### Mrs. John Gelin Is Buried At Midland

Funeral and burial services for Mrs. John Gelin were conducted yesterday in Midland, according to word reaching here.  
Mrs. Gelin died Saturday night in Midland following an illness of many months caused by cancer. While she has been in California for her health for some time, but went to Midland recently when her husband opened an office.

Coming to Lubbock about ten years ago with their family, Mrs. Gelin taught music and Mr. Gelin pursued his architectural business. Their home has been in Lubbock since then. Four children survive the deceased with Mr. Gelin. They are Lawrence Gelin of Houston, Harold Gelin of California, Miss Mona Gelin and a small son, both of whom were with their mother.

### Legion Attendants Wear Name Badges

Ex-service men who henceforth attend the regular bi-monthly sessions of the Allen Branch Post of the American Legion here will have no trouble getting acquainted under terms of a resolution unanimously adopted at the regular meeting Monday night, when it was decided that each man who is in attendance will wear a badge on which will be his name. The badges are similar to those used during the recent division convention here. Badges will be used during the meeting, and collected and stored at the close of the session.  
It was also voted to immediately begin concerted effort toward organization of a scout troop to be sponsored by the Legion, and the finance officer was instructed to pay the charter fee for the troop. "Abe" Lincoln will be scoutmaster for the new unit of scouts, which is troop No. 8 here.

### Höme Dem Agent To Be Named Soon

Satisfactory arrangements have been made between the county commissioners and the extension department of Texas A. and M. colleges for the appointment of a county home demonstration agent, an office left vacant by the recent resignation of Miss Hazel Hammer.  
No appointment had yet been made. An examination for the position will be given during the farmers short course at College Station, July 15-20. Shortly after the close of the course announcement of an appointment will be made.

### CALIFORNIA MEN APPROVE CITY AS ONE STATION ON AIRLINE FROM WEST COAST

#### Electric Plane Seen By Inventor

NEW YORK, July 12. (AP)—Locals Tesla, inventor of the alternating system of power transmission, in an interview on his 71st birthday, predicted that "planes and wireless work will follow freely through the use of electric motors receiving their power by wireless transmission from generating stations on earth."  
Power for manufacturing and for light and heat, he believes, will follow freely through the use of power transmitted from central generating stations to wherever they were needed.  
"I have already demonstrated experimentally that I can transmit power by wireless half way across the earth without losing one half of one percent of it," he said.

### FLIERS EMBARK FOR HOMELAND ON LEVIATHAN

#### CHAMBERLIN, BYRD AND WOMAN PILOT SAIL FROM EUROPE

(By Associated Press)  
SOUTHAMPTON, England, July 12.—Carrying back to the United States his long distance air record won on his trans-Atlantic flight from New York to Germany, Clarence D. Chamberlin, accompanied by Mrs. Chamberlin, sailed for home aboard the steamship Leviathan.

The giant steamship, which promises to become known as "the aviators' liner" left for Cherbourg where Commander Richard E. Byrd and his three trans-Atlantic companions of the monoplane America, plan to board the vessel with their plane.

Woman Flier Aboard  
To make the aviation flavor of the voyage even more distinct, Frau Thea Kasche, Germany's only woman licensed pilot, boarded the Leviathan at Southampton with her little stunt plane.

Chamberlin's mother, who came to Europe after the flight of her son, received her passage home-ward at the last moment because of her desire to remain with her sister, Mrs. George Pilotelle, whom she has been visiting at Wexley, Mrs. Pilotelle is ill and Mrs. Chamberlin did not care to leave her at this time.

#### Levine Remains Behind

Charles A. Levine, Chamberlin's companion on the New York to Germany flight, had been expected to make the run from Southampton to Cherbourg on the liner but changed his mind this morning and went back to London.  
Just before sailing Chamberlin said that he could not definitely say what his future plans would be until he returned to the United States and saw Giuseppe Bellanca, designer of the Columbia in which he and Levine made their trans-Atlantic flight to Germany.

### Crosbyton Victim Of Shooting Better

Lloyd Carson, 14-year-old youth who was accidentally shot by a playmate yesterday afternoon in Crosbyton, is resting nicely in the Lubbock sanitarium, following an operation last night, according to an announcement from physicians this morning.

Young Carson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Carson of Crosbyton. While playing around the home of Mrs. Caskey, a neighbor of the Carson family, Lloyd turned the corner of the house in time to receive a bullet from a rifle fired by David Hines, 12. The shot, intended for a tin can, struck the Carson lad in the lower abdomen and passed out of his back.  
He was rushed to the Lubbock sanitarium where an operation was performed last night.

### BRITON SEEKS REOPENING OF NAVAL CONFAB

#### NEW PROPOSAL TAKEN UP AT CONFERENCE WITH GIBSON

(By Associated Press)  
GENEVA, July 12.—Viscount Cecil of Chelwood, one of the British delegates at the naval conference, called on Hugh Gibson, American chief representative today for a further discussion of the new British proposal. This proposal fixed the maximum figure of 400,000 tons for cruisers but it accompanied by the condition that large size cruisers will be reduced to the minimum number.

#### Limit To 1924

It is now understood that the British would hope to keep within the above maximum tonnage up to 1924 or even 1926. They are unable to commit themselves further, however, and even indicate that their building programs would probably bring the tonnage up much higher by 1942.

#### Operate On Coast

The Aero Corporation of California, of which Mr. Frye is president, is now operating five to twelve planes, some of which are flying over a series of lines on the Pacific Coast. According to Mr. Cole, the company started several months ago with a capital of \$3,000 and today the transportation service of the California company represents an investment of almost \$500,000.

El Paso will be a feeding point for passengers and express from Dallas and San Antonio should the proposed lines materialize, it was announced by Mr. Frye. The National Air Transportation company, now operating between Chicago and Dallas, plans the extension of its line as far south as San Antonio, and thence to El Paso. The California line which would come in at Lubbock by way of El Paso would connect with the National Air Transportation's line in the latter city.

### End Of Locarno Seen By Prophet

CHESTER, England, July 12. (AP)—July eleven marked the end of the "spirit of Locarno" at Geneva, says the reverend Walter Wynn, prophet of the Pyramid, recalling his forecast of disaster for that day.

Mr. Wynn, who reads the world's future in "the great Pyramid" at London, predicted that the "spirit of Locarno" would be broken by the outbreak of a world war.

### EXPERT RAPS COTTON PRICE

#### MUST BE CHEAPER AND MORE PLENTIFUL, TODD SAYS AT AUSTIN

(By Associated Press)  
AUSTIN, Texas, July 12.—The United States will have to produce more than twelve to fourteen million bales of cotton per year and at a cheaper price than 12 to 15 cents per pound, if she expects to continue doing business with England, John A. Todd, principal of the city school of commerce at Liverpool told cotton marketing conferees here.

#### Many Experts Attend

Growers, buyers, and experts are here for a week-end session of "America's greatest fault" in fluctuations in price and crop," he said. "America should have a centralized organization and more cotton conferences. If America can give England an ample crop, let her do it. India has as big cotton growing area as America, Japan and China are purchasing American cotton when it is cheap and Indian cotton when the price rises in the United States."  
"The cost of producing cotton is in direct relation to the yield per acre," Victor H. Scholmayer, agricultural editor of the Dallas News said. "A lack of interest in improving the yield per acre is a detriment to the progress of farming."

#### Seed Selection

Other speakers included Henry Dunaway, of the Texas Experiment station at Temple, who told the conferees that "the biggest thing with the cotton breeder is the matter of seed selection which also is of great importance to the farmer."  
The school adjourned at noon to meet in joint luncheon with the Kiwanis club.

### Waghorne To Give Program At Church

Prof. W. R. Waghorne, head of the music department of Texas Tech, will present a varied program of popular and classical numbers in an organ recital at the First Methodist church evening at 8 o'clock. Along with a wide selection of numbers Professor Waghorne will give some of his own compositions. He will also play request numbers for those present.  
The recital is one of the entertaining features of the Tech summer school and the public is given an open invitation.

### SHORT CORN CROP IS SEEN OVER NATION

#### WASHINGTON, July 12.—Detailed by-states of the condition and acreage of the corn crop forecast by the department of agriculture as the shortest in 26 years were issued today.

The indicated corn crop is placed at 2,274,924,000 bushels, the winter wheat crop at 579,416,000 bushels and the spring wheat crop at 271,215,000 bushels.  
The condition of July 1 and the indicated production of the important crops includes corn:  
Texas condition 55 percent; production 106,156,000.  
Kansas 75 and 2,282,000.  
Oklahoma 80 and 47,745,000.  
Winter wheat:  
Kansas 67 and 123,329,000.  
Oklahoma 9 (x) and 23,750,000.  
Texas 9.7 (x) and 17,829,000.  
(x)—average yield per acre in bushels.

### QUAKE DAMAGE IS INCREASING AT JERUSALEM

#### 52 DEAD AND 250 HURT WITH LIST GROWING LARGER STEADILY

(By Associated Press)  
JERUSALEM, July 12.—Latest official reports from Nablus, which is 20 miles north of Jerusalem, give earthquake casualties of 52 dead and 250 injured. At Ramleh, 12 persons were killed and 25 injured, while at Ludd 30 persons were injured.  
The report from Nablus stated that most of the casualties took place when a bazaar collapsed. Work of recovering the bodies was begun immediately.

#### 30 Dead at Ludd

Revised figures from the city of Ludd showed that 30 persons had been killed and 70 injured there.  
Four persons were killed at Hebron.  
The towns of Gaza, Acre and Deersheba are intact, but Safad and Tiberias were slightly affected.  
Casualties occurred in more than twenty towns and villages.

The air force was used extensively at Ramleh and Ludd and rendered splendid service said the report.

### Jewish Institute Greatly Damaged

NEW YORK, July 12. (AP)—The Institute of Jewish studies established through the generosity of American Jews, and the department of chemistry, suffered most when the Hebrew university building and the government house on the Mount of Olives were shaken during the earthquake yesterday, say dispatches to the Jewish telegraphic agency.  
The buildings of the two institutions were badly cracked and experimental machinery in the chemistry department was damaged.

### Veteran Banker At Daingerfield Dies

TENNESSEE, Texas, July 12. (AP)—J. Bradford, 54, for more than 20 years president of the National bank of Daingerfield, Texas, died at his home there early Tuesday morning. He had been in ill health for about a year and had just returned from Mineral Wells, Texas.

### WARNING GIVEN REBEL LEADER TO DISARM MEN

#### ULTIMATUM IS SENT BY U. S. OFFICIAL WITH ATTACK PROBABLE

(By Associated Press)  
SAN FERNANDO, Texas, July 12. Major G. D. Hatfield, commanding a detachment of United States marines here, has sent an ultimatum to the rebel leader, General Sandino, who has been occupying American mines at San Fernando, to lay down his arms at El Ocotil by 8 o'clock of the morning of July 14.

#### Attack May Follow

General Sandino was notified that in case of his refusal to obey the order, an attack will be made upon him by joint American and Nicaraguan forces. The general was appealed to in the name of his patriotism to lay down his arms in order to save the lives of his soldiers.

General Sandino, who originally was a leader in the liberal army which recently laid down its arms, has been operating the American mines, assessing taxes and maintaining his forces at San Fernando. He is reported to have a force of 1,000 men and four machine guns.

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#### 300,000 Needed In Texas Cotton Crop

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### FLAPPER BANDIT Given Transfer

#### REBECCA BRADLEY ROGERS

(By Associated Press)  
SAN MARCOS, Texas, July 12.—Inability to obtain a jury here because of preconceived conclusions at noon today resulted in another transfer of the trial of Rebecca Bradley Rogers, young Texas university student, charged with holding up and robbing the Farmers' National bank at Buda, Texas, last December.

#### The case was sent to LaGrange, Fayette county, and set for December 5, after 18 venemans were examined without obtaining a single juror.

### FOUL PLAY IN YOUTH'S DEATH BEING PROBED

(By Associated Press)  
CHANNING, Texas, July 12.—The belief that foul play, and not a train accident, caused the death of the young man whose body was found Sunday afternoon on the Fort Worth and Denver right-of-way near here, grew today in the minds of officers, as additional evidence to support it came to light.

The body was discovered by the conductor of north bound No. 7 as his train passed it Sunday afternoon. Examination of the body yesterday indicated, it was said, that a gash on the head had been made after death, and that the man had been dead at least twelve hours when found, despite the fact that creases on other trains passing Sunday did not see the body.

#### Papers Found in Clothes

Papers in the pockets of the young man's clothing indicated his name was Ralph M. Davis. His address is undetermined. He was about 22 years old.

#### Harris county officials and Amarillo police are working on the case in Amarillo today and new developments are expected by night.

### Plunkett Held In O'Higgins' Murder

DUBLIN, Ireland, July 12. (AP)—George Plunkett, son of Count George Plunkett, was one of ten men who appeared in court today charged with conspiring to murder Kevin O'Higgins, vice president of the Free State county, who was assassinated on Sunday.

Plunkett who had been arrested several times previously on charges of being involved in republican activities and the other men, were arrested last night. They were remanded in custody until Monday.

All protested against being arrested on what they called an "obviously false charge."

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### BLACK INJURED IN GUN BATTLE WITH OFFICERS

#### LARGE POSSE HUNT FOR ANOTHER NEGRO SAID AN ACCOMPLICE

(By Associated Press)  
DALLAS, July 12.—Willie Robinson, negro, who is claimed to have placed his "mark" on a written confession of participation in the slaying of J. C. Terrell, farmer who lived near Justin Sunday night, is in Dallas county jail today seriously wounded from officers' bullets, and a posse of 100 men is combing the hills around Haslet, Tarrant county, for another negro implicated by Robinson's statement.

#### Robinson, who told officers he escaped from the Ramsey state prison farm last September where he was serving a 50 year robbery sentence, from Georgetown, Williamson county, was almost killed by bullets from the guns of Denton county Deputy Sheriff McCormick and Williams early this morning.

#### Negro Draws Gun

McCormick and Williams hid at Blue Mount Crossing, near Haslet, and Robinson came out from the brush, apparently waiting to catch a train. According to the officers, the negro saw them, drew a gun and backed about 30 feet, then turned to run. When he did so, the officers fired with pistol and shotgun, numerous bullets taking effect.

In a written statement typed by County Attorney Elbert Hooper and on which the negro is said to have

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Picking will be in full blast by next week in the South Texas area. Farmers are said to be already offering 75 cents a hundred pounds to pickers. Prospective pickers, especially those with families are warned, however, to consult with the bureau before going into either south Texas or the Rio Grande valley region in order that they may be sent to areas that really need their services.

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**What ho! Treasure HUNT**

No. 5433

HERE'S ANOTHER NUMBER

Take this number and look for its duplicate on merchandise in stores displaying Treasure Hunt signs. There are 50 prize winning numbers printed and distributed in the City of Lubbock for each edition of both the Avalanche and Journal. These fifty numbers can be matched. Who knows until they look who will be lucky?

# From Every Woman's Viewpoint

By Blanche E. Dean

## Chairman Nominated In Baptist W.M.S. Circle Monday

Chairmen were nominated in circles of the First Baptist W. M. S. Monday afternoon when regular Bible study lessons were studied. These chairmen will be passed on by a general committee.

Mrs. George Moore was nominated in Circle 4 and Mrs. J. I. Noah was nominated in Circle 5.

Circle 4 met with Mrs. A. W. Bates, 209 1/2th street, and Mrs. L. J. Akers led the lesson on "Women of the Bible." The hostess then served iced tea and cakes and the home of Mrs. Minnie Pullen, 1815 8th street, was designated as the next meeting place.

Circle 5 met with Mrs. M. H. Duncan and Mrs. G. M. James led the Bible study lesson. A transportation committee volunteered to carry members to meetings who would not otherwise attend. Those on the committee are Mesdames C. A. Paulger, F. K. Mitchell, M. H. Duncan and Ed Alexander.

## Parting Courtesy Is Extended Miss Bill Allen Monday

In compliment to Miss Bill Allen, who is leaving next week to make her home in Austin, Miss Louise Bates entertained with a theater party Monday afternoon. Guests gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsay, 2915 Main street, and went from there to the Palace. Grape sherbet and cake were served following the picture and place card clowns were in the prevailing colors of yellow and orchid.

Guests were Misses Bill Allen, Evelyn Stewart, Faye, Hunt, Frances Ford, Mary Stewart, Lois Harker, Virginia Murray, Laverne Garrison, Bob Holt, Annie Lou Barrior, Juanita Meredith, Thelma Jackson, Madeline Allen, Joe McCollum of Valley View, Lula Mae Wagner of Austin and Mrs. Lindsay. The hostess presented Miss Allen with a vanity as a parting gift.

## Sunday School Class To Have Picnic On Thursday

A picnic is to be attended Thursday evening by members of the First Methodist Builders class and their families. This affair will close an attendance contest that has been conducted in the class recently. Plans were made Monday evening at a regular meeting of the class at the home of the teacher, Mrs. Paul W. Horn. The class president, Mrs. Louise Hawkins presided over the meeting.

For the picnic, the members and their families are to gather at the County Park at 6:30 o'clock in the afternoon, each group bringing a basket lunch. Ice cream is to be furnished.

Those in attendance Monday evening were Mesdames C. E. Moreman, E. C. Wedemeyer, Louise Hawkins, J. A. Humphries, T. A. White, Mary E. Parke, Marvin McLaughry and Cadaway.

## Miss T. Hastings Is Wed Monday To Mr. Bernard Schmidt

Coming as a surprise to friends and parents of the principals was the marriage yesterday afternoon of Miss Thelma Hastings, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hastings, 1623 18th street, and Bernard Schmidt, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schmidt of Pampa. Rev. W. A. Bowen, pastor of the First Baptist church, performed the ceremony at his home.

Plans had been made for the marriage to be in the future instead of yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt left today for Colorado where they expect to spend about three weeks before returning to Lubbock to make their home.

The bride is an electro-therapy technician at the Lubbock clinic and Mr. Schmidt is an electrical engineering student at the Technological college. He has attended two years here and expects to complete his course.

## Conference Minutes Studied In Church Women's Club

Conference minutes were studied at a meeting of the church women's club yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Rufus Rush leading. Talks were made by Mrs. C. E. Moreman, Mrs. Roy Gamble and Mrs. John Richards, the latter talking on the jubilee year of the society. The next meeting is to be in the country with Mrs. N. A. Payne and Mrs. E. F. Alford as joint hostesses.

## Mrs. A. C. Jackson Hostess To Legion Auxiliary

Mrs. A. C. Jackson, 1914 15th Street, was hostess Monday evening to members of the American Legion auxiliary. Following some business discussion, bridge was played and the hostess served a salad course. There was an out-of-town visitor in attendance, Mrs. R. A. Rabun, of Amarillo.

Mrs. E. E. Tyler, of Amarillo, is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ellis, 1517 15th Street.

## Fair Damsels of Two Lands Meet



A recent American Legion benefit program at Santa Ana, Calif., brought together two of the most beautiful of the day—Miss Fay Langhler (left), who was Miss America in 1925, and Miss Phyllis Gibbs, who is Miss Australasia this year. Miss Gibbs intends to enter the movies.

## Life's Niceties HINTS ON ETIQUET

1. When, if ever, does a little walk unbecome to the lady?  
 2. If unescorted, does the bride walk clear up the aisle from the back of the church, or does she approach from the front on the opposite side from the bridegroom?  
 3. When young couples intend living with the bride's parents, what type wedding gifts are appropriate?  
 The Answers  
 1. At home weddings she may, or at small church weddings when she has only one attendant.  
 2. The latter.  
 3. Unless she is an only child who inherits everything, give the same presents as you would ordinarily. Otherwise think of something unusual.

## Honors Are Bestowed In Camp Fire

Camp Fire honors were awarded Nancy Ruth Loverton, Mary Frances Akard and Mary Geniece Hardberger at a council fire conducted Saturday evening at the S. A. Henry home with Mrs. Henry officiating in the absence of the guard.

## C. E. Union Meets At First Presbyterian Church Monday

Games, a sing-song and a skit, "Poky Huntas," were features of the evening Monday night when the First Presbyterian Christian Endeavor entertained the city union. This was a regular monthly business meeting and about fifty were in attendance. Ice cream was served.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kerr, 1928 Summerhill Avenue, have as their guests their daughter, Miss Cleo Kerr, and her friend, Miss Neely Mae Pearce, of Fort Worth, and their granddaughters, Joyce and Frances Marie Hammock. Misses Pearce and Kerr are nurses at southwestern Hospital, Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rabun, of Amarillo, are guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Porter, 1628 17th Street.

Mrs. F. M. Pratt has returned from Long Beach where she has been visiting a son and his family.

Mrs. J. T. Cooper, of Plainview, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Scott, 1901 Main Street. Mrs. I. C. Hem and two daughters, of Snyder, and Mrs. Frances Thomas, of Greenville have returned to their homes after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Scott.

Mrs. K. D. Winston of Laredo, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. E. Schenck, 1829 Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ater and daughter, Betty Joan, of Big Spring, are visiting their parents.

## Fliers Welcomed Home From Hawaii

SAN FRANCISCO, July 12 (AP)—A barrage of noise, the initial sign of a nation's acclaim, greeted Lieutenant Lester J. Mallard and Albert Hegeberger here today as they came back from their pioneer flight from California to Hawaii.

Whistles, bells, sirens and other available sound producing instruments were brought into play as the thousands lining the waterfront and the hundreds aboard ships in the harbor caught first sight of the Liper Maui, which brought the aerial conquerors from Honolulu.

Above the din, scores of aircraft—every plane that the army and welcoming organizations could muster—dipped and circled in salute as the Maui idled through the Golden Gate.



## Fire Wrecks Twenty Houses At Bedias

BEDIAS, Grimes Co., Texas, July 12 (AP)—Fire burned 20 business houses and left this little village commercially paralyzed early today.

Loss was estimated at a round \$150,000. No injuries were reported. The fire is believed to have started in a produce house. Only three business houses were saved from the flames. Bedias has no fire department.

## Two Hop Off August 11 In China Flight

DALLAS, July 12 (AP)—Francis Devillard of Hollywood, Calif., and W. H. Fine of Dayton, Ohio, flying separate planes will hop off from Dallas Aug. 11 beginning 10,000 mile flight to Hongkong, China, competing for the \$25,000 prize offered by W. E. Rosterwood, Jr., here, it was announced today.

Devillard and Fine will take the air from Love field one day ahead of W. E. Irwin, Dallas, in order that they may arrive in San Francisco August 12 to enter the Dole flight from San Francisco to Honolulu.

## Man Injured During Elephant Jam Dies

AURORA, Ill., July 12 (AP)—Edward Welch, 25, Loganport, Ind., injured Saturday night when an interurban car ran into a herd of elephants owned by the Hagelbeck-Wallace circus, died today. Welch was riding an elephant when injured.

John Benson, 25, Boston, who previously was identified erroneously as Audrey E. Stickwell, Strongheart, Ill., was killed in the accident.

## Farmer Gets Life For Curo Murder

CUIERO, Texas, July 12 (AP)—William Nack, wealthy Devitt county farmer, today was found guilty of the slaying of Jans Johnson in August, 1926, and assessed life imprisonment by a jury in criminal district court here.

Nack made a written confession in which he admitted killing Johnson, race horse owner, and throwing his body in the Guadalupe river, a heavy iron weight tied to the neck.

## Much Progress In Transportation Seen

CHEYENNE, Wyo., July 12 (AP)—The progress made in transportation in 45 years in the west was demonstrated today by Governor Frank E. Emerson, who left here at 4:05 a. m. for Rapid City by airplane over the same route traveled by the pony express riders bearing Wyoming's invitation to President Coolidge.

Dick Lefelink, piloting the airplane, expected to make the trip in three hours, while it was anticipated that the pony express riders would require at least 27 hours.

## Youth's Kidnap Sought By Poses

COALVILLE, Utah, July 12 (AP)—Business was suspended here today as every able man armed with a varied assortment of weapons scoured the hills for the unknown man who yesterday afternoon kidnaped Ellis Richins, 14, and is holding him for \$10,000 ransom.

## Ouster Of 58 Officials May Mean Death For Kentucky Derby



(By NEA Service)

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 2.—When the Kentucky court of appeals knocked 58 Republican officials out of their jobs in Louisville the other day it unintentionally and unwittingly sent a cold chill playing up and down the spines of all Kentuckians who love horse racing.

The famous Kentucky Derby is in danger. Across the hitherto cloudless sky of the Kentucky racing world is moving a small cloud, just now of the traditional bigness of a man's hand, but packed with winds that may blow the country's most historic race into the limbo of the things that were.

The situation is extremely involved but none the less menacing to the race lovers. Probably it could have arisen nowhere but in Kentucky, where both horse racing and politics are practiced with a deep subtlety and a passionate fervor unknown in other regions.

Here is what has happened:

Ousted 58 From Office

Not long ago the court of appeals swept Louisville and Jefferson county clear of 58 public servants—men who had been elected to city and county offices on the Republican ticket in the fall of 1925. The court found that grave irregularities had marked that election: dead men had cast ballots, live men had voted more than the allotted once, unlawful registrants had been admitted to the courthouse through back doors so that they might vote in peace, negroes had been given preference in the polling lines, and corruption had been rampant generally.

Accordingly, the court declared this election "no contest." And upon Governor William J. Fields, a Democrat, devolved the duty of appointing men to fill the places of those public servants whose places the court has vacated.

May Split Party

The maze of politics is dark and tangled; otherwise all of this would not affect the Kentucky Derby. Here are the wheels within wheels that bring the Derby into unrolling. Hasen with the Louisville election: Joseph T. O'Neal headed the Democratic city ticket in 1925. The Democratic city and county executive committee is insisting that Governor Fields now appoint him

mayor. But O'Neal is a strong anti-race man. He is a former Y. M. C. A. secretary, served with the A. E. F. in that capacity and looks on the Kentucky Derby with a hostile eye.

Governor Fields himself plans to run for the U. S. Senate. He has indicated that he will support Robert T. Crowe for the Democratic nomination for governor on a pro-racing platform. Crowe will be opposed by J. C. W. Beckham, a strong anti-racing candidate.

Should Fields appoint the anti-racing O'Neal mayor of Louisville, and then support the pro-racing Crowe for governor, the Democratic party would be torn pitifully. Almost anything might happen in the election—and Kentucky's "reform element," which has been sniping away at the Derby for years, might find itself able to abolish all racing in the state.

Tangled Politics

Thus far the anti-racing element has been unable to accomplish much. It really began its assault on racing after passage of the prohibition amendment; and the Kentucky legislature ever since has been the scene of some highly educated and informative log-rolling.

Western Kentucky, for instance, is largely populated by anti-racing folk. Western Kentucky has abundant roads; but never a highway bill can they get through the legis-

lature, which is dominated by pro-racers. Again, eastern Kentucky is filled with Republicans from the coal mining areas; these Republicans vote consistently with the pro-racing Democrats, in return for which the legislature keeps coal taxes down to a minimum. Thus has the game been played in the past.

Now, however, no one knows what may happen. If O'Neal is appointed mayor, Crowe may turn on Fields and read him from the senatorial nomination, Beckham or the Republicans may carry the next election and the Kentucky Derby may find itself out in the cold. The bulk of the pro-racing strength lies in Louisville; if the city Democracy gets to fighting among its own members the anti-racing vote, outside the city, may have things altogether its own way.

Chesterly Searcy, Louisville Republican boss, undismayed by the ousting of his ticket, is saying nothing and making deep plans. He has not yet indicated whether he will support for the Republican gubernatorial nomination, Robert H. Lucas, foe of races, or Judge F. D. Sampson, pro-racer. Mayor Arthur A. Will, head of the ousted ticket, is preparing to run for reelection. Sheriff Aubrey Cosbar, also ousted, is planning a similar course.

Meanwhile, Governor Fields is

furrowing his brow and taking thought, and the friends of the historic Derby are wondering what the future may hold.

**SAFETY RECORD SET BY CEMENT INDUSTRY**

Reducing lost time accidents 75 per cent the Portland cement industry finished the June race accident drive with only 58 mishaps. For a similar period last year 200 accidents were reported with 20 fatalities. Only one death was feared by the industry during the 30 day period just past.

These results are seven more points when it taken into consideration that more men were employed and more plants were in operation during the past month than in June 1926.

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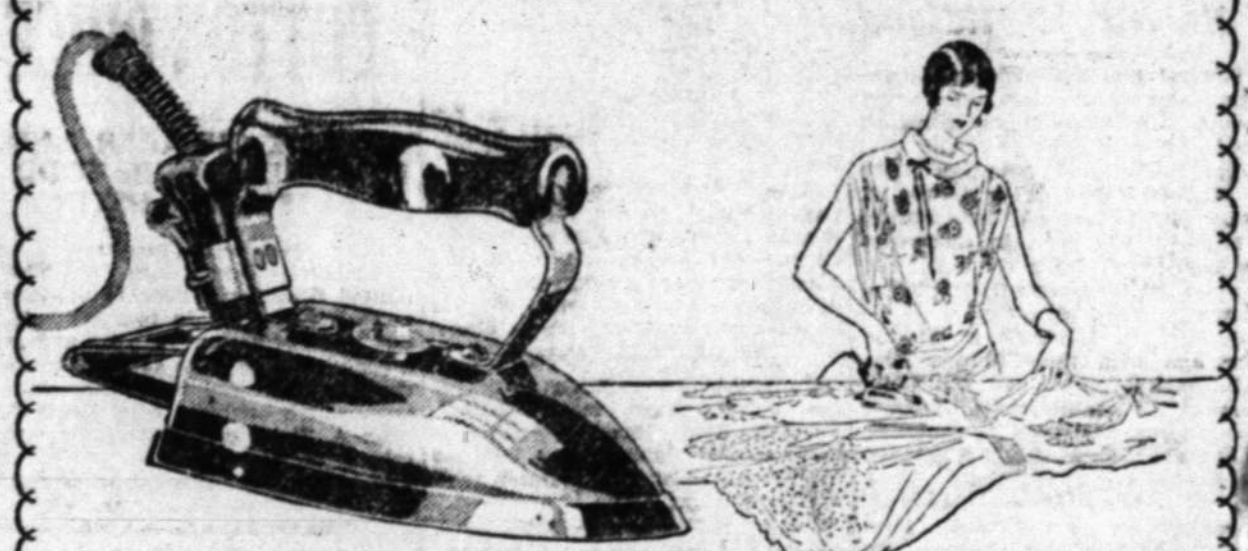
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# HARRIS STEALS HOME TO BEAT INDIANS SIXTH STRAIGHT GAME

## BARRETT ALSO STEALS PLATE IN CHI-SOX WIN

### GEHRIG AGAIN TIES UP WITH RUTH AS YANKS TROUCE TIGERS

(By Associated Press)

If base running is a lost art in modern baseball, it was found yesterday to win two games in the American league. Bucky Harris, leader of Washington's hopes, which seem to be centered on second place, stole home in the tenth inning against Cleveland and enabled the Senators to win their sixth straight from the Indians 3 to 2. Bill Barrett's daring thievery in the ninth won for the Chicago White Sox against Boston, 7 to 6. With the score tied in the final inning, Barrett singled, stole second, and then, when the catcher's throw rolled to the outfield, and came home while Flagstead juggled the ball.

**Yanks Drub Tigers**

The Yanks drubbed the Detroit Tigers, 8 to 6, in the last of the six game series. Lou Gehrig went into a tie with Babe Ruth for the home run leadership by slamming the ball out of the park in the seventh inning. Gehrig's wallop was the ninth four base blow in the series, which produced more base hits and saw the downfall of more pitchers than any other this year. Pat Collins started the Yankee assault in the fifth with a home run and in the next inning the Huguenots pounded Eli Stiner for five runs. Walt Hoyt was not in form but Bob Shawkey came to the rescue in the seventh and saved the game.

The Athletics hopped on Elam Vangilder for 14 hits and made it three out of four from St. Louis. The Browns drove Jack Quinn out in the second, but Johnson allowed only three hits in five innings until relieved by Joe Tate. Tate Cobb got three hits, including a home run with one man on base.

**Little Play in National**

There was little activity in the National league. St. Louis gained a half game on the Cubs and Pirates were idle. Grover Cleveland Alexander had a great day against Philadelphia, holding Melvin men to four hits and white-washing them 7 to 6. Alex did not permit any batter to get beyond first base. Frankie Fyles increased his hitting streak to 25 with one theft. Heine Schulte, the Cardinals' new shortstop, handled 11 chances without a boggle.

The league leading Chicago Cubs were rained out at Boston. Other teams were not scheduled.

## Deck's Loss Hits Columbia's Team

**NEW YORK, July 12.**—There's a plea emanating off the Columbia campus which goes something like this:

"Wanted—Another Stanley Deck for our track team!"

Deck, who captained Columbia's track team this season, leaves a vacancy in the sprint events that will be hard to fill because of his great varsity career.

In 12 meets, Deck won the 220 10 times and finished second twice. He won eight events in the century and finished second four times.

It's liable to be a long time ere Columbia gets another Deck!

## Stump Edgington Is Signed With Waco

**BEAUMONT, Tex., July 12.**—(AP)—Stump Edgington, leading hitter of the Texas League got into a Waco uniform this afternoon after signing with the Cubs, according to Manager Del Pratt. Edgington was released by Beaumont on July 4. He was one of the highest priced players on the local roster and his release is said to have resulted from economic measures.

## Film Employee Is Murdered In Home

**HOLLYWOOD, Calif., July 12.**—(AP) Police today began an investigation in the apparently violent death of Percival L. Linwood, 49, motion picture employee, who was found dead in his home with a two inch gash at the base of the brain. Mrs. Linwood, who said her husband was a director, was hysterical.

## GOLFERS YOU HAVE MET



## The Dope Column

### Texas League

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**  
Waco 1; Beaumont 8.  
Fort Worth 7; Shreveport 8.  
San Antonio 2 1/2; Houston 3-2.  
Dallas 4; Wichita Falls 5.

### HOW THEY STAND

Team	P	W	L	Pct
Wichita Falls	55	53	32	.624
Houston	57	47	40	.540
Waco	57	46	41	.529
San Antonio	59	44	45	.494
Shreveport	54	38	46	.452
Fort Worth	74	37	47	.440
Beaumont	87	37	50	.425

**WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY**  
Waco at Beaumont.  
Shreveport at Fort orth.  
Dallas at Wichita Falls.  
San Antonio at Houston.

### Western League

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**  
Des Moines 2; Lincoln 4.  
Oklahoma City 5; Amarillo 7.  
Wichita 10; Tulsa 14.  
Omaha 9; Denver 5.

### HOW THEY STAND

Team	P	W	L	Pct
Tulsa	53	55	31	.640
Wichita	56	55	34	.618
Denver	56	47	39	.547
Des Moines	55	45	40	.529
Oklahoma City	55	37	48	.435
Omaha	56	36	50	.419
Amarillo	52	35	47	.427
Lincoln	85	32	53	.376

**WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY**  
Oklahoma City at Amarillo.  
Wichita at Tulsa.  
Omaha at Denver.  
Des Moines at Lincoln.

### American League

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**  
Washington 2; Cleveland 2.  
Boston 6; Chicago 7.  
New York 8; Detroit 5.  
Philadelphia 7; St. Louis 6.

### HOW THEY STAND

Team	P	W	L	Pct
New York	81	57	24	.704
Washington	76	46	32	.590
Chicago	82	45	37	.556
Detroit	78	42	36	.538
Philadelphia	80	43	37	.538
Cleveland	89	34	46	.425
St. Louis	77	31	46	.404
Boston	78	19	59	.244

**WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY**  
Boston at St. Louis.  
New York at Cleveland.  
Washington at Detroit.  
Philadelphia at Chicago.

### National League

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**  
St. Louis 7; Philadelphia 8.  
Chicago at Boston, rain.  
(Only games scheduled)

### HOW THEY STAND

Team	P	W	L	Pct
Chicago	74	52	23	.692
Pittsburgh	72	45	27	.625
St. Louis	77	44	33	.571
New York	80	42	38	.525
Brooklyn	78	37	41	.475
Philadelphia	76	31	45	.408
Boston	72	29	43	.403
Cincinnati	77	25	49	.334

**WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY**  
St. Louis at Philadelphia.  
Cincinnati at New York.  
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.  
Chicago at Boston.

### City League

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**  
No games played.

### HOW THEY STAND

Team	P	W	L	Pct
Wholesalers	4	2	1	.750
Rix	4	2	2	.500
Auto-Barbers	4	2	2	.500
Po-Tailors	4	2	2	.500
Laundry	4	1	3	.250

**WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY**  
Bankers and Wholesalers at Merrill Park.  
Rix and Po-Tailors at Tech Park.

## Ankenman Says Houston Club Is Not To Be Sold

(By Associated Press)

**HOUSTON, July 12.**—Replying to Donak Robert's implication that the Houston Buffaloes may change hands within the next 90 days, President Ankenman of the Houston club Tuesday declared that the Buffaloes were going ahead with work on the new baseball park, and that there would be no alteration in the club's policy from this point forward in spite of the agitation that has cropped up in the northern section of the Texas league.

**Roberts Rapped**

"Why President Roberts gave out such publicity is beyond me," declared Ankenman. "The Texas league is not going to get any one to buy the ball club, and I fail to see what they expect to gain by circulating such reports. There is no truth in them."

"Donk Roberts and Branch Ricketts, vice president of the Houston club and official of the St. Louis Cardinals, have been appointed as members of a board of arbitration and a third man will complete the board. These men will meet in the near future to thresh out the whole thing."

"These three men will set a value on the Houston club, in accordance with the league wishes. However, they won't find a buyer."

Weddell didn't waste a second

## JONES GETS 71 SECOND ROUND OF GOLF PLAY

### TOTAL IS 147 FOR 36 HOLES AND MEHLHORN TOTAL IS 146

**ST. ANDREWS, Scotland, July 12.**—(AP)—Bobby Jones shot a 71 today in his second qualifying round in defense of the British open golf championship.

This equalled the lowest card turned in for the opening round yesterday. Jones' card of 71 today and 76 yesterday gave him a total of 147 for the thirty-six hole qualifying play.

**Mehlhorn Total 146**

Bill Mehlhorn, soon after turned in a 146 for the two days play which was the leading American qualifying score. Mehlhorn shot a 73 yesterday and another 73 today.

Jim Barnes of New Rochelle, N. Y., led the sorry qualifiers with a 133 for his two days play, but the young amateur, Edwin Haley, also of the United States appeared eliminated with 154.

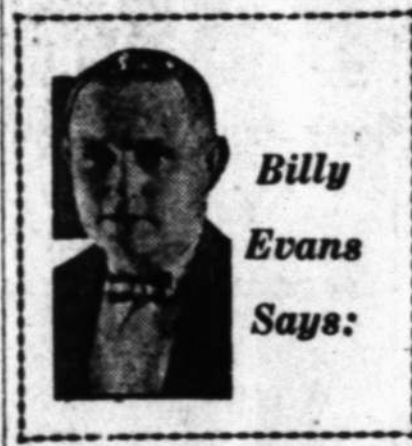
Bobby Jones, the Atlanta star, who is seeking to retain the open crown which he won so brilliantly last year, took off late today on his second round. He turned in a card of 76 yesterday, somewhat higher than his sensational practice rounds of last week.

A drizzling rain blew in from the north sea all morning and the early totals on both qualifying courses were high, the first half dozen cards all being eighty or over, Jim Barnes being the lone exception with a 79.

Cyril Tolley, former British amateur champion, this afternoon was leading the qualifying rounds with 144, two strokes better than Bill Mehlhorn, the leader among the American invaders.

Bobby Jones, who is defending the title which he captured last year was the second of American contingent, having 147. Joe Kirkwood turned in a 148.

C. A. Whitcombe, the British professional, had a 147.



There are a lot of major league twirlers who consider "12" a jinx, chief among them being Ted Lyons, ace of the Chicago White Sox pitching staff.

In 1925, Lyons scored 21 victories for the Sox, but it took him a couple of weeks before he registered number 13. If required four or five starts before he was able to get by the alleged hoodoo figures.

This season, after hanging up 12 wins, nine of them in succession, Lyons found it a difficult matter to go over for victory number 13.

Twice, despite the fact that he pitched six-hit games and deserved to win both contests, he was forced to accept defeat, simply because the breaks of the game refused to favor him.

Now Lyons feels better as he beat the Indians the other day to leave 13 behind. The way he is going he should win 25 ball games for Chicago this year and has a chance to reach the goal of every big league hurler, 30 victories in a season.

Lyons might well be classed the perfect twirler. He has great speed, a fast breaking curve, a beautiful change of pace, is a brilliant fielder, a good batsman and very fast on the bases. What more could you ask?

If I were a young pitcher breaking into the major leagues, I would cultivate speed as to my actions on the mound, rather than dilly-dally methods now so popular, particularly in the American league.

"Take your time, don't hurry," is the college yell of most big league managers relative to their young pitchers. The thought is that such methods tend to develop poise as well as irritate the opposing batsmen.

Perhaps there is considerable logic to such line of reasoning but the slow-working pitcher never becomes a truly great favorite with the public, even though he becomes highly efficient and a consistent winner.

As I recall the truly great favorites with fandom over, say the last 20 years, the fast working pitchers stand out. Take the three great right-handers of that period, Mathewson, Johnson and Alexander, and you will find all of them speedy performers.

With any one of the above trio on the rubber, you were assured of a fast game, because there was no waste motion, no dilatory tactics.

The late Eddie Plank and Rube Waddell, two of the greatest of modern southpaws, were tough to beat. In a sense, Plank was possibly more valuable as a team player, yet he was an also ran compared with Waddell as to public favor.

## George Voight Looming As Serious Contender For Nation's Golf Crown



**WASHINGTON, July 12.**—George Voight, who forgot golf for seven years because he couldn't stand the financial pressure of the game, may give the nation's capital its second big title of the year in that pastime.

Tommy Armour, who is "pro" at the Congressional Club, handed this city its first big title when he won the national open at Oakmont, and Voight is likely to be just as generous to his old home town, by copping the national amateur meet in August.

He may do it, too. There are hundreds of Washington golfers who think that his successes of the past few months entitle him to ranking among the favorites.

Voight, contrary to the general belief, did not start playing golf as a caddy. Nor has he been swinging clubs ever since.

He was a caddy before the World War, but he had to quit caddying and forget all about golf in 1914 to earn a livelihood in a government office here. He wanted to play golf, but how could he? He couldn't afford the green fees at a private club and municipal courses were unheard of at that time.

George played his first game in 1922 when the municipal links opened at East Potomac. He played nine holes every afternoon after work, and he played many, many holes on Sundays.

The result was that he was soon shooting par golf and those par figures won for him the District Municipal Links championship for two years.

When he became a member of a private club, he began playing in the club tournaments and for two years was a leader in local competition. More and more did he practice. He spent his vacations on the links and then came this past winter of successes along Florida and South Atlantic courses.

Voight hasn't lost an amateur meet this season. He has cleaned up everything, even capturing low medal honors in all but one of the eight meets he won.

That indicates one thing, something that Bobby Jones is famous for, and that is consistency in play.

Voight isn't a nervous man, and I am sure the fans much more so. Only at home was Eddie a great favorite. Fans in other cities knew it meant a long drawn out, tedious game any time Eddie was the Philadelphia pitching selection.

We find the present crop of young pitchers leaning to the take-your-time theory, rather than hurry-up methods.

Of the later-day stars unearthed during the past year, I regard Willis Hudlin of the Cleveland club as one of the most promising. He is, however, the opposite of Lyons—very slow.

Possibly the fact that this is only Hudlin's second year in fast company is the main reason for his beat. In a sense, Plank was possibly more valuable as a team player, yet he was an also ran compared with Waddell as to public favor.

But there's another thing that makes him more a menace to Bobby Jones, George Von Elm, Watts Gunn, Roland MacKenzie and others in August, and that is love for match play.

Voight is in his glory in match play. He developed, you know, from the crop of public link golfers who learn under difficulties, and it is because of this greatness in match play that Washington golfers are banking on Voight giving the nation's capital its second big title this year.

## DEMPSEY GETS GOOD DUCKING IN ICY WATER

### WHARF FLOOR BREAKS AND 100 GO UNDER IN SHALLOW POOL

(By Associated Press)

**HAGUE, N. Y., July 12.**—An accident that nearly proved serious but which finally furnished a crowd of about 5,000 spectators with the first laugh of the day, greeted Jack Dempsey's arrival here to start the Lake George Twenty-four mile swimming marathon today.

Just as the former heavyweight champion stepped from a steamboat that had conveyed him up the lake from the village of Lake George, after an automobile trip from Saratoga, a crowd rushed to greet him and the flooring of the wharf collapsed, down went Dempsey and his party, and amid the scramble of about 100 persons in two feet of water, Jack disappeared.

**Ex-champion Soaked**

As women screamed and spectators dashed to the rescue, the crowd thrashed in the water and from the center of the mob appeared Leo Flynn, Dempsey's manager, with his white flannel trousers all wet. Jack came next, dragging a woman from the heap, and his gray suit and white shoes soaked through.

Everyone escaped with no more than a wetting to the waist with the exception of Jerry Luvadis, the faithful little trained of the former holder. Jerry was lost from the middle, and as fast as he scrambled up the gang plank of broken boards he fell back again into the shallow water. He was finally rescued, drenched to the skin.

**149 Enter Races**

Perfect weather conditions under a cloudless sky and warm sun greeted the 149 entries as they lined up for the \$10,000 pull in the icy waters of this inland basin. There was every type of suit on the bank, every color, and ranging from scanty to full length. Lottie Schommel, originator of the grease bathing suit, appeared in the favorite costume as did many others. The water along the 24 mile course from here to Lake George Village ranged in temperature between 49 and 55 degrees. The race started

## Russian Must Die On Espionage Count

**MOSCOW, July 12.**—(AP)—After a trial in which the relations between the United States and soviet Russia were frequently mentioned, Sergius Drujlovsky was sentenced to death today on the charge of espionage and the fabrication of forged documents against soviet Russia.

Prosecutor Kitanyan in a four hour summation described the prisoner as the one who defated the movement headed by Senator Borah for recognition of the soviet union at the moment of Borah's greatest influence. The prosecutor said Drujlovsky had forged documents purporting to show communist international activities in the United States, which he declared, turned American sentiment against the soviet union, thereby causing untold damage and loss of prestige in credit markets.

## Reed Pennsylvania Suit Is Dismissed

**PHILADELPHIA, July 12.**—(AP)—The federal district court for eastern Pennsylvania today dismissed the suit of the Reed senate committee to compel the production of ballot boxes by Delaware county for examination in the Van-William senatorial election contest.

Judge J. Whitaker Thompson in dismissing the suit, declared that the court had no jurisdiction in the

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DAILY MARKETS

Cotton Markets

LIVERPOOL SPOTS
LIVERPOOL, July 12. (AP)—Cotton spot steady. American strict good middling 16.60, good middling 16.21, strict middling 9.86, middling 9.51, strict low middling 9.16, low middling 8.81, strict good ordinary 8.46, good ordinary 8.31, strict 16.00, bulk, 5.20, American Receipts 15,900, American 4,700.

NEW YORK FUTURES
NEW YORK, July 12. (AP)—Cotton futures opened steady; July 12.40, October 17.73, December 17.85, January 18.03, March 18.22.

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES
NEW ORLEANS, July 12. (AP)—Cotton futures opened steady. July 17.20 bid; October 17.50, December 17.81, January 17.88, March 18.10, May 18.34.

NEW YORK TRADING
NEW YORK, July 12. (AP)—A less favorable view of weather conditions in the south, combined with the bullish sentiment created by the recent average figures, seemed responsible for a further advance in the cotton market today. October sold up to 17.98, and January to 18.27, or about 22 to 25 points net higher. At this time there was a little more realization and the volume of business inspired off in the afternoon, when October was ruling around 17.81, with the active months 9 to 11 points net higher. Futures closed steady 4 to 5 points higher. Spot steady, middling 17.73.

NEW ORLEANS TRADING
NEW ORLEANS, July 12. (AP)—A rise based on the weather map was nipped by noon advices of no rain in the belt and before the close of the session the option market had registered a decline which carried prices 26 points from the highs. Anticipation of a favorable weather report tomorrow stimulated the decline.

NEW YORK OIL
NEW YORK, July 12. (AP)—Crude oil closed steady; prime summer yellow 9.20, prime crude 8.12 1/2, 9.82 1/2, January 10.05, July 9.40, August 9.50, September 9.67, October 9.51, November 9.55, December 10.04. Sales 6,500.

NEW ORLEANS OIL
NEW ORLEANS, July 12. (AP)—Cotton seed oil closed quiet. Prime summer yellow 9.05, prime crude 8.25 1/2, 9.50, January 9.45, July 9.25, August 9.25, September 9.30, October 9.35, November 9.40, December 9.45.

TEXAS SPOTS
DALLAS, July 12. (AP)—Spot cotton: Houston 17.50; Galveston 17.75.

CHICAGO FUTURES
CHICAGO, July 12. (AP)—Cotton futures closed July 17.42; October 17.67; December 17.92.

Livestock Prices

FORT WORTH QUOTATIONS
FORT WORTH, July 12. (AP)—Hogs 800; mostly 15 cents higher; top choice light weights 9.90; bulk butchers 9.50-9.90; packing sows 7.75-8.25; pigs 9.40. Cattle 4,700 including 700 calves; cows fed 25 cents or more lower; she stock slow; butcher cows 4.25-6.50; slaughter calves 16.00; light weaners 11.00. Sheep 300; slaughter lambs 50 cents or more lower; bulk 16.50-11.00; slaughter weathers 7.50-9.00.

CHICAGO QUOTATIONS
CHICAGO, July 12. (AP)—Hogs 25.00; steady; top 19.70; packing

OKLAHOMA CITY SALES
OKLAHOMA CITY, July 12. (AP)—Cattle 1,200; steady, grass steers 5.50, mixed cows 5.00, bulls 4.50-5.50, light calves 10.00. Hogs 600; 15 cents higher; top 9.70; choice sows 8.00-9.50.

KANSAS CITY QUOTATIONS
KANSAS CITY, July 12. (AP)—Cattle 10,500, calves 2,000; native fed steers and yearlings fully steady; western grassers generally steady; she stock scarce, unchained; bulls strong; weaners steady; stockers and feeders weak; choice heavy steers 13.00; best yearlings 12.40; native grain fed 10.25-11.50; veal top 12.40. Hogs 7,000; five to ten cents higher; packing sows 7.50-8.00, pigs 2.50-3.00. Sheep 2,000; steady; top lambs 14.00; best Texas yearlings 10.00; ewes 6.25.

ST. LOUIS QUOTATIONS
EAST ST. LOUIS, July 12. (AP)—Hogs 15,000; steady to 15 cents higher; top 10.10; packing sows 7.50-8.12. Cattle 6,000; calves 2,000; best western steers 15 cents lower; fat mixed yearlings and heifers strong; bidding lower on cows; medium bulls steady to 25 cents lower; choice weaners 50 cents lower; early top 14.50; top steers 12.50. Sheep 3,000; nothing sold.

Stocks And Money

FOREIGN EXCHANGE
NEW YORK, July 12. (AP)—Foreign exchange mixed. Great Britain demand 4.57 1/2; cables 4.53 1/2. 60 day bills on banks 4.87 1/2-10. France demand 3.51 7/8; cables 3.51 1/2. Italy demand 1.42. Belgium 12.89 1/2. Germany 23.72 1/2. Tokyo 47.29. Montreal 93.85 1/2-16. U. S. BONDS
NEW YORK, July 12. (AP)—United States bonds: Liberty 4 1/2% 100.20; 3 1/2% 104 1/2; 2nd 4 1/2% 100.30; 2nd 4 1/2% 100.25; 4th 4 1/2% 102.21; treasury 3 1/2% 102.7; 4s 105.8; 4 1/2% 112.7.

BAR SILVER
NEW YORK, July 12. (AP)—Bar silver 50 1/2; Mexican dollars 42 1/2-5.

CALL MONEY
NEW YORK, July 12. (AP)—Call money steady; all loans 4; closing bid 4 1/2 time loans firm; 60-90 days 4 1/2-5 1/2; 3-6 months 4 1/2-5 1/2; prime mercantile paper 4 1/2-4 3/4.

WALL STREET TRADING
NEW YORK, July 12. (AP)—Rising prices again ruled the stock market at the opening today with a number of spirited gains. Lehigh Valley and Norfolk and Western opened two points above yesterday's close and overnight gains of 2 points or so were registered by Radio Corporation, Colorado Fuel and Allied Chemical.

Reported increased sales by mail order houses was responsible for gains of a point or more in Sears Roebuck and Montgomery Ward, the former attaining a record price, a block of 10,000 shares changing hands at 60. Oil shares were well supported in consequence of the shrinkage in crude over-production in Seminole field and California. Norfolk and Western quickly extended its gain to 3 1/2 points, touch-

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Floyd Bennett, close friend and flying mate of Commander Richard E. Byrd, receives at St. Vincent's Hospital in New York word of the progress of the "America's" trans-Atlantic flight. Bennett, Byrd's sole companion on the historic flight to the Pole, was kept from the "America's" trans-Atlantic flight in an accident to the plane last April.

ing 100, the highest at which it ever sold. Baldwin jumped 2 1/2 to 24 1/2, a new record, and Commercial Solvents 1/2, spurted six points. Record highs also were made by Revue Cinet, Union Carbide and Electric, Auto Light, Dodge Brothers preferred moved up 2 points. Mack Truck, American Sunbata Tobacco and Kansas City Southern were among the soft spots, losses ranging from 1 to 3 1/2 points. Demand settling held steady around 14.85-16 and French francs above 291 cents.

Grain Market
CHICAGO TRADING
CHICAGO, July 12. (AP)—Owing

largely to the United States government crop report proving more bearish than was looked for, wheat underwent a heavy early setback

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today. Opening 1 3/8 to 2 cents lower; wheat showed but little lower to rally. Corn developed firmness, starting unchanged to 3/4 cents off, sagged a little more, and then scored gains. Oats were easier. Provisions held steady.

CHICAGO QUOTATIONS
CHICAGO, July 12. (AP)—Wheat No. 1 red 1.43 1/2. Corn No. 3 mixed 1.02 1/2; No. 2 yellow 1.00-1.01 1/2. Oats No. 2 white 0.67; No. 1 white 0.64-0.65 1/2.

Produce Prices
CHICAGO POULTRY
CHICAGO, July 12. (AP)—Poultry alive from old roosters 2 1/2; hens 2 1/2.

CHICAGO POTATOES
CHICAGO, July 12. (AP)—Potatoes steady; Virginia Irish cobblers 82.50-84.00; Kansas Irish cobbler's 82.50-84.00.

BUTTER AND EGGS
CHICAGO, July 12. (AP)—Butter higher; creamery extra 29 1/2; standard 28 1/2; extra firsts 29 1/2; firsts 27.00-27.50; seconds 24 1/2-26. Eggs unchanged.

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### George Field Takes Over State Highway Division Office Here Following Hemphill Resignation

Announcement of the resignation of Major Pettus Hemphill and the re-appointment of George A. Field as highway engineer of the fifth division was issued from the division office this morning.

Major Hemphill has been fifth division engineer for the last three months, accepting the position upon the resignation of Mr. Field. Mr. Field quit the position March 12, 1927, as the result of a general shake-up in the department which ordered him away from Lubbock.

Since coming to the fifth division Major Hemphill has almost completed the program of work on highway number 9, from Lubbock to Lamesa. On this job the great-

### When Three Famous Texans Meet



Three prides of the state of Texas are pictured together here. They met in New York. In the left background is Jesse H. Jones, multi-millionaire Houston lumberman, finance chairman of the last Democratic presidential campaign. In the center is Dan Moody, youthful and red-haired governor of Texas. At the right is Elizabeth Benson, child "phenom," daughter of Anne Austin, fiction writer.

### Prefers Marriage

CHICAGO—With his wealthy bride, who preferred another marriage to an European trip with a sister, Richard Bennett, actor, is to spend his honeymoon in Chicago at work. His bride received her final decree of divorce last Friday from Harry Coghill Hastings, San Francisco polo player.

### Two Won't Mix

SEATTLE—Falls under the influence of liquor should be prevented from going up in the air, in the opinion of a coroner's jury. It found that a crash in which four persons were killed was due to the intoxicated condition of three passengers.

### Dessert Taboo

SAN FRANCISCO—One of the hardships of flying for Lieutenant Lester J. Maitland is that dessert is taboo. He's a big fellow and takes no chances on being overweight. So Mather Maitland decided it was futile to bake him a nice apple pie for his home coming from Hawaii.

### Flies Preferred

RAPID CITY.—In Squaw creek the trout seem to prefer presidential flies to worms. Right after Mr. Dawes left Chicago for New Mexico announcing that he was for flies, the president changed his methods and hauled in six fish, one a two pounder.

### No Lemons Here!



One of the most remarkable displays of oranges ever given in California was held recently at "Anaholam" where the seventh annual Valencia orange show was held. Two peaches helped to enhance the beauty of this exhibit which was one among hundreds of attractive displays. Miss Billie McCarthy (left) and Miss Violet Boege are the peaches.

### Wheat Prices Break Following Report

KANSAS CITY, July 12 (AP)—Wheat prices broke sharply on the Kansas City market today following government crop report yesterday showing an increased forecast yield. Cash prices broke 1/4 to 5/8 cents a bushel, the fluctuations being spread over the various grades. Wheat futures were down 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 cents, July delivery showing the extreme loss of 1 1/2 1/2.

### One Man Held In Drink Stand Murder

PORT WORTH, July 12 (AP)—Suffering from blows said to have been inflicted with a bottle, Clarence Davis was in the county jail today, held on charges of murder in connection with the killing of Cad Williams, 46, at the latter's drink stand Monday.

### Crader, Healy, Ulen Released On Bond

PORT WORTH, July 12 (AP)—L. R. Healy, C. W. Crader and S. N. Ulen, charged Monday with using the mails to defraud were released today on bonds of \$2,500 each after they had waived preliminary hearing.

In the complaint of Postal Inspector Johnson, it was alleged that the men made untrue representations about an oil company in which the men are said to be associated.

### GAS AT WESTMINSTER

WESTMINSTER, July 12 (AP)—Natural gas soon is to be available here. Workmen already have started laying necessary pipe.

### UNION BUS TERMINAL SCHEDULES

LUBBOCK TO AMARILLO		SOUTH BOUND—READ UP	
8:00AM	10:30AM	LUBBOCK	4:15PM
8:30AM	11:00AM	ABERNTY	4:45PM
9:00AM	11:30AM	HALLENTY	5:15PM
9:30AM	12:00PM	PLAINVIEW	5:45PM
10:00AM	12:30PM	KRESS	6:15PM
10:30AM	1:00PM	TULLIA	6:45PM
11:00AM	1:30PM	HAPPY	7:15PM
11:30AM	2:00PM	CANYON	7:45PM
12:00PM	2:30PM	AMARILLO	8:15PM
12:30PM	3:00PM	AMARILLO	8:45PM

LUBBOCK TO SWEETWATER		SOUTH BOUND—READ DOWN	
7:45AM	2:00PM	LUBBOCK	4:00PM
8:15AM	2:30PM	SLATON	4:30PM
8:45AM	3:00PM	SOUTHLAND	5:00PM
9:15AM	3:30PM	POST	5:30PM
9:45AM	4:00PM	JUSTICEBURG	6:00PM
10:15AM	4:30PM	DERMOTT	6:30PM
10:45AM	5:00PM	SNYDER	7:00PM
11:15AM	5:30PM	HERMULEIGH	7:30PM
11:45AM	6:00PM	INADALE	8:00PM
12:15PM	6:30PM	ROSCOP	8:30PM
12:45PM	7:00PM	SWEETWATER	9:00PM

LUBBOCK TO CLOVIS		EAST BOUND—READ UP	
8:00AM	2:00PM	LUBBOCK	12:00PM
8:30AM	2:30PM	SHALLOWATER	1:00PM
9:00AM	3:00PM	LITTLEFIELD	2:00PM
9:30AM	3:30PM	AMHERST	3:00PM
10:00AM	4:00PM	SELAN	4:00PM
10:30AM	4:30PM	MULESHOE	5:00PM
11:00AM	5:00PM	TEXICO FAR	6:00PM
11:30AM	5:30PM	CLOVIS	7:00PM
12:00PM	6:00PM	CLOVIS	8:00PM

LUBBOCK TO BIG SPRING		EAST BOUND—READ UP	
8:00AM	2:00PM	LUBBOCK	4:00PM
8:30AM	2:30PM	TAHOKEA	4:30PM
9:00AM	3:00PM	ODINAVILLE	5:00PM
9:30AM	3:30PM	LAMESA	5:30PM
10:00AM	4:00PM	BIG SPRING	6:00PM
10:30AM	4:30PM	BIG SPRING	6:30PM
11:00AM	5:00PM	BIG SPRING	7:00PM
11:30AM	5:30PM	BIG SPRING	7:30PM

LUBBOCK TO BROWNFIELD		EAST BOUND—READ UP	
8:00AM	2:00PM	LUBBOCK	4:00PM
8:30AM	2:30PM	ROPPS	4:30PM
9:00AM	3:00PM	MEADOW	5:00PM
9:30AM	3:30PM	BROWNFIELD	5:30PM

LUBBOCK TO SPUR AND WICHITA FALLS		EAST BOUND—READ UP	
8:00AM	2:00PM	LUBBOCK	4:00PM
8:30AM	2:30PM	IDAHO	4:30PM
9:00AM	3:00PM	LORENZO	5:00PM
9:30AM	3:30PM	RALLS	5:30PM
10:00AM	4:00PM	CROSBYTON	6:00PM
10:30AM	4:30PM	DICKENS	6:30PM
11:00AM	5:00PM	SPUR	7:00PM

DICKENS TO WICHITA FALLS		EAST BOUND—READ UP	
11:00AM	5:00PM	DICKENS	7:00PM
11:30AM	5:30PM	GUTHRIE	7:30PM
12:00PM	6:00PM	BENJAMIN	8:00AM
12:30PM	6:30PM	SEYMOUR	8:30AM
1:00PM	7:00PM	WICHITA FALLS	9:00AM

### Flashes Of Life

(By The Associated Press)

**Curfew For Cats**  
PERRY, N. Y.—A curfew for cats is desired by the Poughkeepsie Kennel club. It has petitioned the town's supervisors, pointing out that dogs must be confined at night, while cats wander all day killing birds, then howl at night and keep dogs awake.

### Lindy Girl Shy

HASBROUCK HEIGHTS, N. J.—Lindy is so girl shy that names and telephone numbers were never written all over his Spirit of St. Louis. A coat of silver paint is to obliterate them all, except one that was carved with a knife on the shock absorber. Lots of boys looking over the plane before it was locked up copied some of the names.

### Holds No Fear

LONDON.—Thunderbolts mean nothing to Fraulein Thea Rasche, petite stunt flier. She and Mrs. Elliott Lynn outdared a storm by air, from Crocydon

### Smiles at Death

Mrs. Anna K. Montague, nurse, smiles as she enters the Asheville, N. C., courthouse to stand trial on a charge of slaying Mrs. Mary Cooper, New Hampshire. Aword of her was a possible death penalty.



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## NAVAL PARLEY

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Giza issued a warning in March to beware July 11, saying: "An event will take place which will greatly accelerate peace and cause all the nations of the world to show in intensified preparations for war."

Discussing his prediction today, Mr. Wynn declared that the murder of Kevin O'Higgins in Dublin, gave the disarmament conference at Geneva "a glorious diplomatic and welcome chance to adjourn indefinitely, bringing the obvious farce to an end." He added: "The nations will now go their own way, doing their own thinking and making war preparations until May 29, 1928, the next annual Pyramid day."

## Deliberation Is Needed—Coolidge

RAPID CITY, S. D., July 12 (AP)—Rapid deliberation will solve the long controversy which has been worrying the naval armaments conference at Geneva in the opinion of President Coolidge.

Still optimistic over the outcome of the parley, Mr. Coolidge is placing considerable hope in the pending plenary conference. At this point, he feels that Great Britain, Japan and this country will be able to discuss more fully their difficulties over the cruisers. Meanwhile the president is reported as believing the conference is making progress despite the long discussion which has developed over America's proposed strict restriction of cruiser construction.

## EARTH QUAKE

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department was destroyed. Reports received here today from Tel Aviv, Haifa and Tiberias confirm previous messages that these cities were not affected by the shock.

## Material Damage Is Reported Large

JERUSALEM, July 12 (AP)—The earthquake which terrified inhabitants of Jerusalem yesterday afternoon has brought destruction there and in many parts of Palestine and Transjordan. While not on as great a scale as some similar tragedies in the holy land in the past, took a

considerable toll of lives and caused widespread damage. An incomplete casualty list placing the Jerusalem district placed the dead at 26 and the injured at 28. Officials fear that whose reports are received from outlying places the death toll will reach a large figure.

In Jerusalem the material damages were extensive. The small dome of the Holy Sepulchre church, occupying a seat which has been looked upon as sacred for many centuries, was badly cracked. Only one death is recorded in the city proper, that of a servant at government house. Twelve persons are known to have been injured.

## 300 Believed Dead Eye Witness Says

CAIRO, Egypt, July 12 (AP)—An eye-witness who arrived here today by airplane from Transjordan said that 300 persons were believed to have been killed in yesterday's earthquake.

At Naam, Arabia, the eye-witness said that most of the houses were damaged or had collapsed completely, while a mosque in the course of erection was seriously damaged.

The movements of the earth lasted 40 seconds and were visible in the surrounding lava beds, the witness said, describing the effect as terrifying.

Many persons were killed at Amman, Palestine, the witness said, while others were killed at Radd and Kamleh, as well as in various villages in Transjordan.

Desert bedouins everywhere appeared terrified by the earth movement.

While the earthquake was felt in Cairo, no damage was reported.

**City Has Military Siege Appearance**  
JERUSALEM, July 12 (AP)—The city this morning had the appearance of having passed through a military siege as the result of yesterday's earthquake.

quake moved from north to south.

**Church Unsafe**  
The Allenby bridge was damaged at both ends. The Greek Catholic church of the Holy Sepulchre has been declared unsafe because of the cracks in the walls. The roof of the chemical laboratory of the Hebrew university on the Mount of Olives collapsed.

The government house, located on the Mount of Olives, was badly damaged. The rooms of the high commissioner, Lord Plumer, and Lady Plumer, who are now on vacation in England, were wrecked. This building was also declared unsafe by the authorities.

One of the three Indian women who were killed in a hotel in Jericho has been identified as the wife of Sir Abdul Raouf. Her companion perished with her.

## AIRLINE

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border city.

**Plan Taxi Lines**  
The California-Aero Corporation has established taxi lines along its air lines to expedite passage from the station into the city wherever its planes stop on the West coast. This service will be continued throughout the extension of new lines, it was announced.

Messrs. Frye and Grimes returned in Lubbock several hours this morning, hopping off for Oklahoma City shortly after noon. They will return Thursday morning, at which time the Aero club will entertain them.

## Three Men Die As Flaming Plane Falls

WINNIPEG, Man., July 12 (AP)—Exploding in midair, a hydroplane of the Royal Canadian air force burst into flames and in four separate pieces crashed to the ground near Hilbre, Man., yesterday, killing three men. The dead are: Flight Officer W. C. Weaver, pilot in charge; A. T. Hardley, photographic mechanic; and F. H. Wrong, surveyor of the topographical survey branch, Ottawa.

## Special Grand Jury Called For Murder

FRANKLIN, La., July 12 (AP)—Judge James Simon told the St. Mary parish grand jury today that it had been convened in special session to investigate the murder of James J. Lehoucq, prominent Morgan City business man, because public sentiment demanded such action.

Immediately after the brief charge of Judge Simon, the jury retired to consider the charges of murder which have been placed against Mrs. Ada Lehoucq, widow of the slain man. Dr. Thomas E. Dreher, her alleged lover, and James J. Beadle, trapper and fisherman.

## JUSTIN MURDER

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placed his "mark," being unable to write, Robinson is claimed to have said that he and another negro did the slaying, the other, he claimed, having actually fired the shots which took Terrell's life. Robinson described his companion as named Butler or Buckner and being dressed in brown with blue shirt.

Robinson, after he was shot, told the deputies that his companion intended coming the same route, by way of Blue Mountain Crossing.

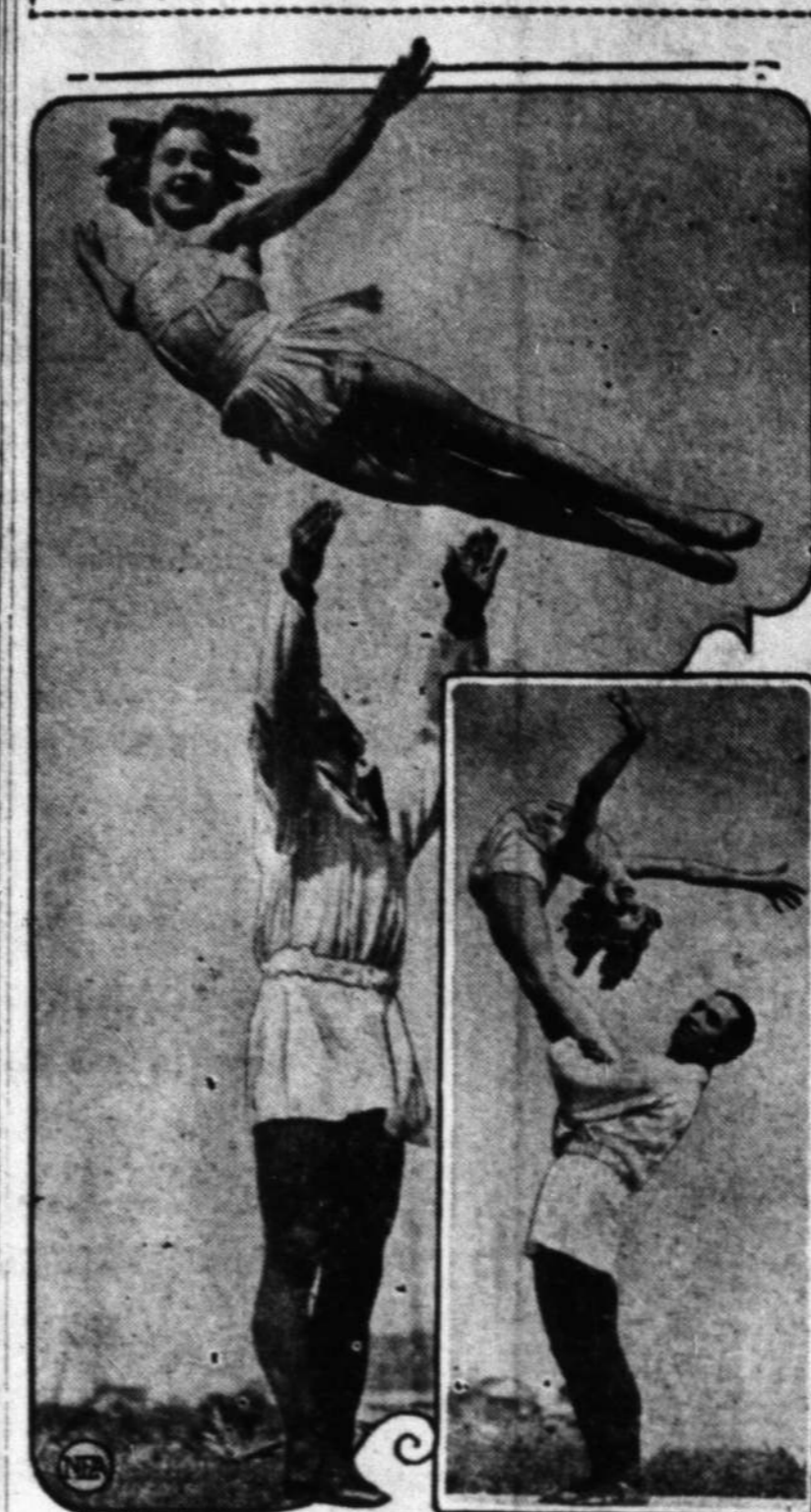
**Big Poss in Hunt**  
A heavily armed posse is beating down the brush today for the second negro.

Reporters do not definitely establish what motive Robinson ascribed for the crime.

**Ransacked Home**  
Robinson stated in his purported confession that he was the negro who called at the Terrell home Sunday afternoon seeking work. After Terrell and his wife left for church, Robinson and his companion entered the house through a window and ransacked each room, according to the negro's statement. When they heard the Terrell autograph returning they left by the window through which they had entered.

While Robinson ran toward a wood pile, his companion went to the rear of the house, uttered an exclamation and fired upon Terrell, later following up the attack by hitting the farmer over the head with a pound piece of concrete, the confession said.

## Upsy Daisy! Toor-a-loo! Whoop-ee!



Here's how Earline Wallace and John Sanna of Los Angeles play together. They are regarded as two of the best stage performers on the Pacific coast. The dance is a great little body builder, they say.

## DELAYS OF LAW RAPPED IN BAR ASS'N MEETING

### BUSINESS MUST PAY THE PRICE OF PEACE SAYS DAVIDSON

(By Associated Press)  
HOUSTON, Tex., July 12.—Industry cannot afford to go to court in this age of legal delay if the litigation involved a question on which its business policy depends, Atty. T. Whit Davidson, of Dallas, president of the Texas Bar Association, told that organization at its state meeting here.

"Industry must either pay the price of peace to its adversary or face disaster while waiting for justice," said Mr. Davidson in explaining some of the law's delays.

**Lawyers Hold Remedy**  
He told his fellow lawyers that the responsibility for the remedy lies with them.

"I tell you, gentlemen of the bar," he declared, "it is up to you to give the people a legal but rational, sane and business-like administration of justice. You need not be surprised when the incompetent undertake, with haphazard results, that which the more competent have neglected or refused."

**Delays Known To Masses**  
"Not only are there delays seen and known by jurist and statesman but they are known to the masses, you hear it upon the streets,—you see it in the press. You hear it echoed in the heart of the mob. You do not have to remind me that so recently as four years since a secret (hooded) political law and order society almost overwhelmed our country. The State house and court house were its special objects of attack. Hundreds of thousands of high class American citizens were bound under the inflexible hand of an emperor. With what choice piece of argument were its adherents won? In what fertile soil were the seeds sown to have brought forth such a harvest? Under every flaming cross sound the slogan: 'The arms of the law are too short.' There are too many crimes which the courts don't reach." The vigilantes said: "We will do it in short order, where only 100 per cent Americans will participate, and where lawyers cannot interfere."

**Protest On Delays**  
"What was it all about? Much of it was the protest of an unthinking public speaking in the language of the mob against the delays of the laws. Those who wrote the rules of procedure and invoked the laws delays had sown the seed. The Vox Populi were

about to help us to reap a whirlwind. Like the blind Sampson, it was about to pull the pillars of destruction upon the heads of friend and foe alike.

"The delays of the law are not peculiar to Texas. It is found to a greater or less degree in all the states,—in the North and in the South and in the West and in the East.

"The judicial council of Massachusetts caused a survey to be made and found by its tabulated report of February 13th, 1925, that Essex county was 3 years, 7 months behind; Lawrence, 2 years, 2 months; Fall River 2 years, 5 months; and in New Bedford it was 2 years, 9 months from the filing of the suit before a trial could be had by jury. These facts are not from an alarmist but are compiled under the direction of the judicial council, a select body of jurists and lawyers appointed by the Chief Justice and Governor of Massachusetts.

"If the litigants of New Bedford must wait three years and nine months for a trial he must wait for a period of from five to seven years before his case is finally passed upon by the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, and if it should be reversed he is back to where he started, i. e. if all parties are living and out of the hands of a receiver.

"The practice of law is the most beautiful of all the sciences,—the science of administering justice among men. The very nature of their labors should bring members of the bar to an exalted station of honor. The lawyer, though, is a human being. He, too, likes the popular acclaim and the laurels of victory. Success at any price is not a triumph of justice, but is a triumph of the advocate's skill or ability to manipulate his cause to a successful finish. His future depends upon success, and success he must have. In fairness to the lawyer himself, our methods of practice could well be changed. To many a lawyer, and in the eyes of the public in general, victory, and only victory, spells success. To the judge, on the contrary, every righteous decision rendered by him is success. As our English forefathers have already done, we, too, must take some of the responsibility away from counsel and impose more upon the judge.

"Society, itself, has yet a deeper and more persuasive interest. It is calling for protection from the criminal. It demands that every possible element of chance be eliminated from our court trials; that the arm of justice be swift and powerful; filling the offender with fear and inspiring the peaceful, honest man with a wholesome respect for the majesty of the law."

## Decision Reserved In Dempsey Motion

NEW YORK, July 12 (AP)—Decision was reserved today by Judge Knox of the United States district court on the motion of Jack Dempsey, heavyweight pugilist, for an injunction restraining his former manager, Jack Kearns, from prosecuting any one of the four suits which Kearns has brought against his former protégé other than one pending in the United States district court here.

All of the actions call for substantially the same relief, a third of a million dollars damages, an accounting, attachments, against Dempsey's belongings and injunctive relief.

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## Prosperity Laid To System Of Banking

ATLANTA, Ga., July 12 (AP)—Addressing a joint session of the Georgia legislature here today, Senator James A. Reed of Missouri, ascribed "whatever there is of prosperity today" to the federal reserve banking system, and gave to the democratic party the credit for the origin and perfection of the system.

The senator disputed "the great boast of the present administration that it has produced a condition of prosperity" and stated that no government can produce wealth. Wealth, he said is produced by the people under given favorable conditions. Speaking of the prosperity claim, Senator Reed stated that the present administration was run for and by the wealthy class. He devoted a large part of his address to reviewing incidents of scandal and corrupt use of money in politics for many years past.

## Jail Breakers At Breckenridge Sought

DALLAS, July 12 (AP)—Search for two men who sawed their way from the Breckenridge, Texas, jail late last night was being made today by police here on request of Breckenridge officers.

The men were awaiting trial on felony complaints. They sawed their bars from their cells, stole an automobile, abandoned it at Palo Pinto and took another.

## Inmate Of Leprosy Hospital Escapes

NEW ORLEANS, July 12 (AP)—John Early, turbulent inmate of the Leprosarium at Carrollville, La., has escaped from that institution for the sixth time, since he was confined there, officials have announced. It is believed that Early is making his way to his home at Tryon in the North Carolina hills and health officials along his probable route have been notified.

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Editorials

American Husbands

Forty-five per cent of the new human habitations built last year were apartment houses and only two out of every five families in the country now live in the one-family dwellings which used to be dignified under the group institutional title of "The Great American Home."

Walking is good for the complexion, according to a physical culture expert. Some of the ladies, however, insist on phoning for their shoes.

Old Master's
My birthday—what a difference! That word had in my youth a ring of glory.

Just a Jingle
They flopped down on the beach to rest. When there an hour they'd been they all awakened, ringing wet—The pesky tide came in.

The Mill
There has of late been much talk about the American dollar industries—the several railroads, steel companies, oil companies and other giant corporations with assets over the billion mark.

A Thought
Whatever is brought upon thee, take cheerfully.—Ecclesiasticus 1:14.

Flapper Fanny
Every boy-friend is a warm admirer in the summertime.

THE PLAINSMAN



Says:
Railroads of the United States use 125,000,000 new ties every year.

Headlines you never see: "I WAS INEFFICIENT, OUSTED DRY ENFORCEMENT OFFICER ADMITS."

Most of us—all of us who are normal—got a big thrill out of the heroic flight of Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh.

Airplanes are for sale in London now on the installment plan. Your bill collector of the future will have to carry a trans-Atlantic chart.

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The radio brings shows, fights, elections and almost everything else into the home—but the young people go out, just the same.

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WASHINGTON LETTER

FOREIGN DIPLOMATS OFTEN IN DUTCH OVER TRAFFIC LAW VIOLATIONS

By RODNEY DUTCHER, NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Back in George Washington's time a negro coachman one day drove the pole of his team into a pedestrian with fatal results.

THE SUPER-JANITORS

The Smoke Abatement League of St. Louis is not only teaching its janitors how to control fires, but what effect smoke has on trees and shrubs and flowers.

Traffic Offenses

Traffic offenses, however, provide the principal complaint of the cops. This may give you a secret of state, but one is given to understand that Mr. Kellogg's department has sent to all legations and embassies a selected set of rules of the road with the suggestion that it might help all around if everyone followed them.

Damages Hard to Collect

Occasionally one of the big boys gets into a jam, however. The Swedish minister some time ago smashed into a newspaper man's car, damaging it considerably.

Contemporaries

NOT WHAT IT USED TO BE

A hasty check Monday night revealed the fact that there was not a single fatal accident in Texas on the Fourth of July attributable to fireworks.

IN NEW YORK SEE-SAWING and DOWN BROADWAY

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Opinions Differ In School Grouping

AUSTIN, July 12 (AP)—The Five-Four plan of grouping the students of the Grammar schools and high schools and junior colleges is the most satisfactory one from the standpoint of the physical and mental development of the boys and girls. W. F. Doughty, superintendent of the Hillsboro public schools and president of the Hillsboro Junior college, told heads of Texas junior colleges at their annual conference here Monday.

Daily Almanac

WEST TEXAS: Tonight and Wednesday partly cloudy. Local showers in west and north portion.

EAST TEXAS: Tonight and Wednesday generally cloudy, moderate to fresh easterly to southerly winds on coast.

LOUISIANA: Tonight and Wednesday partly cloudy; not much change in temperature; light easterly to southerly winds on coast.

ARKANSAS: Tonight and Wednesday generally cloudy; thunder showers in extreme north portion Wednesday.

OKLAHOMA: Tonight and Wednesday generally cloudy, probably thunder showers in north portion.

Feast day of Saints Nabor and Felix, martyrs of the fourth century.

Calixtus Julius Caesar, born, 100 B. C.

Anniversary of the death of Alexander Hamilton, 1804.

Relatives Of Two Held In Lehouef Case Questioned

FRANKLIN, La., July 12.—Investigation of the murder of James J. Lehouef, prominent Morgan City business man, today turned toward an examination of the relations of Mrs. Lehouef and Dr. Thomas Dreher, both of whom are being held in connection with the killing.

Fort Worth Man Held For Murder Following Fight

FORT WORTH, July 12.—Clarence Davis, Fort Worth, was charged last night with the murder of Cad Williams, 46, proprietor of a soft drink stand here, at which he is alleged to have shot Williams twice following an altercation.

Now You Ask One

MISSING WORDS

Here's another new variation to the question and answer game. Blank spaces are left in the sentences below, in order that you may fill in what you think are the correct missing words.

1.—The Centaur is a monster in the form of a — from head to waist, with the body and legs of a —.

2.—Clarence — was counted

of the John — in the evolution of the —.

3.—"John" is the name given to the — and people in which the — religion is predominant.

4.—George — was "first" in the — of his countrymen.

5.—Joseph — founded the Atomium church, which now has its headquarters in —.

6.—The capital of Australia was recently moved from —.

7.—Moscow was found by — in the rushes along the —.

8.—The first famous American dictionary was compiled by Webster, and — Webster was a great lawyer and orator.

9.—The presidential yacht named the —.

10.—Commander Zachary — lost his life in the wreck of the ship — in 1925.

Answers: 1.—Horse, man. 2.—Clarence. 3.—John. 4.—George. 5.—Joseph. 6.—Canberra. 7.—Moscow. 8.—Noah Webster. 9.—The USS Albatross. 10.—Zachary Taylor, the USS Albatross.

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