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MAY NOT ADMIT O'CALLAGHAN TO UNITED STATES

State Department Investigating Reported Arrival as Stowaway of Lord Mayor of Cork.

Unless Unusual Circumstnaces Surround His Case, Successor to MacSwiney Not to Be Passed.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Daniel J. O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork, who has come to America as a stowaway to tell the commission of the committee of one hundred investigating conditions in Ireland about the burning of his town by the British authorities, may be denied admission to the country.

In announcing today that an investigation into the circumstances surrounding his arrival at Newport News yesterday on the steamer West Cannon had been ordered, state department officials intimated that unless the inquiry developed unusual conditions in his case, the lord mayor would be given no greater consideration than usually is accorded aliens arriving without passports.

Immigration authorities here also are conducting an inquiry to determine whether Lord Mayor O'Callaghan is admissible under the immigration laws. Even should it be decided that he is, they said, the case would be referred to the state department.

Meantime the lord mayor is held in custody at Newport News. He is at a hotel there, but will be guarded by immigration officers, it is said, until a final decision in his case is reached.

Maintains Silence

By Associated Press

NEWPORT NEWS, Jan. 5.—Continuing the silence he has maintained since his arrival here yesterday as a stowaway on the steamship West Cannon, Daniel O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork, refused tonight to make any statement for publication until his status has been determined.

Meanwhile, friends of the Irish cause in the United States sent telegrams today offering all assistance possible to the lord mayor and Peter J. MacSwiney, brother of the late Terence MacSwiney, who also arrived on the West Cannon.

Both MacSwiney and O'Callaghan are understood to be confident that the state department will allow the lord mayor finally to enter the United States for his avowed purpose of testifying at Washington before the commission of the committee of one hundred investigating the Irish question.

Throughout the day O'Callaghan and MacSwiney, at their hotels, greeted friends who called to offer welcome and assistance. Tonight a reception was tendered the two by the Society of Friends of Irsh Freedom and auxiliary organizations.

Given Reception

During the reception, Lord Mayor O'Callaghan talked freely with his visitors, appearing for the first time since his arrival to have cast aside all worry.

Immigration Inspector L. R. Parker, in charge of this port, entered a formal order for the exclusion of Lord Mayor O'Callaghan from the United States because of alleged violation of immigration laws in coming here without a passport and notified the authorities at Washington by telephone of his action. Chief Inspector Schumaker at Norfolk, however, it was learned, asked for the passport condition to be waived and recommended that the lord mayor be permitted to enter the country.

It was said here tonight that if the Washington authorities should support Parker instead of Schumaker in the case, O'Callaghan can appeal to the department of labor, when, it is expected, bail would be granted for his appearance at any time Secretary Wilson might designate.

Peter MacSwiney said tonight that he plans to remain here pending final disposition of O'Callaghan's case.

INSANITY CHARGE FOLLOWS ATTACK

Special to The Record News.

DALLAS, Jan. 5.—Insanity charges have been filed against W. H. Euckert, Bonny View farmer, who Tuesday attacked R. C. Day, another farmer of the neighborhood, with a knife and inflicted serious injuries.

Euckert was adjudged insane two years ago, but was discharged from the asylum a short time ago as cured. He refuses to talk, and the only motive that can be ascribed for his attack on Day is the fact that the latter testified against him on the lunacy hearing two years ago.

The Weather

West Texas: Thursday and Friday, generally fair.

Oklahoma: Thursday, fair; Friday, increasing cloudiness.

RANGERS WILL BE WITHDRAWN FROM GALVESTON JANUARY 19 GOVERNOR NOTIFIES CITIZENS

Santone Weather Sets High Mark

Special to The Record News.

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 5.—With the exception of one day, December 12, the temperature in San Antonio today was the highest for the winter thus far. It reached 81 above at 4:10 this afternoon. December 12 saw a temperature of 83.

State Constabulary Has Been Policing City Since Militiamen Were Taken Away October 8.

By Associated Press.

GALVESTON, Jan. 5.—Texas Rangers, who have supervised the policing of this city since the withdrawal of National guardsmen on October 8, will leave Galveston at noon Wednesday, January 19, according to a letter from Governor Hobby, made public tonight.

The letter was addressed to Jacob Singer, chairman of the citizens' committee, which brought about the removal of Texas National guardsmen and the substitution therefor of a detachment of Rangers. It followed a report to the governor dated December 30, detailing labor conditions along the water front and recommending the ending of state control here.

The governor was informed in the report that the strike of coastwise longshoremen on the Mallory Line docks had been settled, but that Morgan Line dockworkers still remain out. The only point at issue between Morgan Line officials and the strikers, according to the report, is a refusal on the part of the company to guarantee that negro workers will not be mixed with whites, while engaged in working ships.

The strike of coastwise longshoremen occurred early last spring, when, roughly, 1,600 coastwise longshoremen of the Morgan and Mallory lines walked out upon refusal of the companies to accede to their demands for higher wages and changed working conditions. Disorders, alleged to have resulted from the employment of non-union workers along the water front, brought about the declaration of martial law and the sending of a brigade of Texas cavalry to this city.

TWO SERIOUSLY BURNED AS GAS TANK EXPLODES

Chief Engineer of Sinclair Casing Head Plant and Helper Injured When Compressor Blows Up.

J. H. Cecil, chief engineer of the Sinclair Oil and Refining company's casinghead gas plant on the Jackson-Haddock tract, northwest of Burkburnett and L. L. Dougan, a helper there, were seriously burned Wednesday afternoon by an explosion in the gas compressor. They were admitted to the Wichita General hospital Wednesday night.

Both men are burned about the hands and face. At midnight, the hospitai reported that the victims were "resting comfortably."

The cause of the explosion had not been determined at a late hour Wednesday.

The men were driven to Burkburnett and then sent here on the train. They gave no explanation of the accident.

Considerable property damage to the plant resulted. Some excitement was caused in Burkburnett when an unknown boy ran down the main street in search of a physician and shouted that two men had been killed and several injured in the reported explosion.

No one was killed.

The noise of the blast was heard for a mile or more in the adjacent territory. Hundreds of persons flocked to the plant from nearby oil leases.

Expect 150 at Trade Booster Dinner Tonight

More than 150 of the leading local business men will attend the Thursday night meeting at the Kemp hotel at which time further steps in the campaign for retail trade extension throughout the Wichita Falls territory will be taken, it was announced Wednesday by John W. Thomas, who is handling arrangements for the affair.

More than 100 acceptances from leaders in local business have been received, and 50 more are expected by Thursday afternoon, he stated.

RANKING OFFICER OF BARBER UNION ENTERS BURK ROW

Special to The Record News.

BURKBURNETT, Jan. 5.—Settlement by arbitration of the recent litigation between the local barbers union and the Electric Barber shop is expected since the arrival of M. H. Mehl of San Antonio, international vice-president of the barbers union. The tangle arose over a charge made by the local union that J. H. Melton, proprietor of the Electric shop, had received customers after the regular closing hours. Officials of the union filed suit in the justice court for possession of the union card, which was in the possession of the shop. They said Mr. Melton had threatened them with a pistol when they attempted to remove the card.

The four employes of the Electric shop were suspended by the local union some time ago, pending the arrival of a national official.

STEAL LOCOMOTIVE GIVEN SIX MONTHS

By Associated Press

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—For stealing a locomotive—six months in jail.

That was the sentence given by Federal Judge K. M. Landis today to Daniel Abogast and Thomas McDermott of the Chicago Yardmen's union, who turned an engine loose in the railway yards last August during the "outlaw strike" of switchmen.

It was the first conviction in the United States under the war-time law passed for regulating railroad traffic.

First Barber Shop Haircut in 79 Years Novelty to Farmer

Special to The Record News.

BALLENGER, Texas, Jan. 5.—R. McMillan, farmer of the New Home country, secured the first barber shop hair-cut of his life New Year's day. He made this departure in celebration of his 79th birthday. McMillan, who is no kin to "Bo" McMillen, figures that during his life he has saved $331.50 by getting "home" haircuts. He also does his own shaving.

EUROPE MOVING TO U. S., WILLIS TELLS SOLONS

Commissioner of Immigration at Ellis Island Warns Against Letting Bars Down to New Comers.

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Testimony by Commissioner Wills of the Ellis Island immigration station that Europe was "literally moving to the United States" and that a "flood" of aliens was imminent, still left members of the senate immigration committee doubtful tonight as to the action upon the Johnson bill prohibiting immigration for one year. Several members frankly expressed doubt whether any measures to stop or restrict immgration would be exacted at this session of congress.

The committee obviously was impressed with Commissioner Willis' statement as to the need for inspection of aliens before leaving Europe and for more rigid examinations after their arrival at American ports. The commissioner recommended particularly that facilities be established overseas for such inspection and declared that 90 percent of the immigrants arrivng under the existing system would be denied permission to sail if they were examined at the ports of embarkation by American officials. A proper system of examination in Europe and upon arrival, Mr. Willis said, would prevent an imminent flood of those diseased in body and mind.

"Fortunately," he added, "the steamships of the world can only bring 1,300,000 a year to the United States. It is in the limited transportation facilities and increased examinations that we will get the best protection."

The commissioner declared reports of the public health service indicated that eastern Europe today is in the grip of four epidemics—typhus, typhoid, disentery and tuberculosis.

The war has undermined the health of those countries and their emigrants are "dangerous to the public health of the United States."

Governor-Elect Of Arkansas Is Against Pardons

By Associated Press.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 5.—Governor-elect McRae in a statement to newspaper men tonight declared he would not consider any petition for a pardon which reaches him through a "pardon attorney" during his administration.

"I will make it clear," he said, "that petitions and prayers for executive clemency for prisoners in the penitentiary must reach me by some other avenue than the pardon attorney or professional politician. The presence of such a mediator will positively hinder and delay the hearing or determination of the plea.

Ranger Arrests Flying Aviator

GALVESTON, Jan. 5. — Border smugglers, Mexican "bad men" and cattle rustlers are an old story to Texas rangers. Up and down the Rio Grande members of the force have demonstrated their quick wit and ready courage.

Today, however, Ranger Jackman set a new record for the intreped organization when he "pinched" a low flying aviator for "disturbing the peace."

Another Bill to Cut Army Offered

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Another congressional resolution designed to curtail the size of the regular army was introduced today by Representative Kahn of California, chairman of the house military committee.

His measure provides that enlistments must cease until the army is reduced to 175,000 men, but would permit men who have served two or more enlistments in the regular army to re-enlist.

CONSUL TRANSFERRED.

By Associated Press.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Jan. 5.—Announcement was made here today that F. A. Pesqueira, Mexican consul at Douglas since last May, had been ordered to El Paso as consul and that he would be succeeded at Douglas by Ives Lelevier, who has been on consul duty at San Diego, Calif.

Thousand-Year Subscription Is Offer as Reward

Special to The Record News.

ROTAN, Texas, Jan. 5.—Following the theft of his overcoat—the only one he has, he says—H. C. Shelton, editor of The Rotan Advance, has offered a reward of $1,000 for the arrest and apprehension of the guilty party, with the proviso that instead of coin of the realm, he will give the captor 1000 years subscription to the paper.

Brough Grants Pardon to Man Chased to Texas

By Associated Press

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 5.—Clyde Campbell, convict, for whom a search which led to Midland, Texas, was made about six weeks ago, today was granted a pardon by Governor Brough. Campbell was convicted in connection with alleged automobile thefts, and, after serving ten months of a year's sentence, was granted a leave of absence by the governor to visit relatives who were ill.

Instead of returning at the end of his leave, Campbell went to Texas, where he was captured, but where he escaped from officers. He was picked up by local police yesterday, but was released when Governor Brough stated that he had promised Campbell immunity from interference if he would return and help clear up unsettled questions connected with the automobile thefts for which he was sentenced.

HIGHJACKERS BLOCK ROAD WITH AUTOMOBILE AND ROB FARMERS ON WAY HOME

A big touring car, turned partly on its side, barricaded the road from Wichita Falls to Seymour Wednesday night and served a trick of highjackers as a minature "tank" behind which they operated in holding up all who came that way. The car straddled the road about four miles on this side of Seymour.

Everybody who was held up, turned back with the sharp order to "burry on."

Will Ikald, farmer, was the first victim. Looking into two pistols, he "willingly allowed a third robber to take all his belongings. He had only a few dollars.

The second victim, whose name was not obtained by Sheriff J. R. Sells of Archer county, went through the same procedure. He was also hurried on.

The big touring car was turned sideways across the road and tilted over on one side. The victims offered their help. They thought the car was "in trouble."

Sheriff Sells telephoned to the police and sheriff here to watch for the men. The description given was meagre. Deputy sheriffs, assisted by citizens, were attempting to head off the escape of the men Wednesday night by guarding the bottoms south of Archer City.

White Scores Congress for "Veto" Action

By Associated Press.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 5.—Democratic National Chairman George White, in a statement here today, declared the action of congress in over-riding President Wilson's veto on the measure re-establishing the war finance corporation is a "complete reversal of the stand of the republicans who have in the past made the claim that he (President Wilson) has been bringing to himself unusual powers and authority by re-establishing a body with such autocratic powers as the war finance corporation."

Mr. White reiterated his desire to retire as chairman of the national committee and said that he intends to do so as soon as some one can be obtained who will be in a position to give his entire time to the party's affairs.

Building Trust Trial Postponed

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The trial of Robert P. Brindell, president of the building trades council under seven indictments charging extortion and attempted extortion was postponed today until Monday at the request of Special Deputy Attorney General Spence, who explained a pending appeal from the denial of a change of venue would not be argued until Friday.

Meanwhile a special panel of 100 talesmen was ordered to report Monday, when selection of a jury is to start.

"Volstead Highballs" Cause Divorce Suit

Special to The Record News.

DALLAS, Jan. 5.—Various kinds of Volstead "high balls" have been assigned by women recently as grounds for divorce. In a suit filed with the district clerk here today, a woman alleges that her spouse not only drinks "jake," but that he has also tried lemon extract, hair tonic and toilet water.

The only things he has missed so far, she alleges, is embalming fluid. She says that further living with an "experiment bureau" is insupportable.

Balloonists Are Mushing Way Back to Northern Outpost of Civilization on Snowy Trail

By Associated Press.

COCHRANE, Ont., Jan. 5.—Somewhere on the snow-packed trails that lead from the lone Hudson Bay post, Moose Factory, near where they descended 20 days ago after a great adventure in the air, three American naval balloonists were beating their way tonight toward this outpost of northern civilization.

In striking contrast to the stormy nights of the last two weeks, a full moon cast its gleaming rays over the snow tonight, the theormometer registered but a few degrees below zero and hardened veterans of the north country predicted the party would make better time.

With the clearing of the skies tonight a number of relief parties, each accompanied by one or more newspaper men, put out on the trial that leads northward, hoping to meet the party in a day or so. The relief parties carried extra dog teams and fresh food and were led by experienced "mushers" that their progress might be rapid.

GETS 5000 BARREL WELL AT 90 FEET

Special to The Record News.

FORT STOCKTON, Texas, Jan. 5.—A gusher, the miracle well in annals of oil history of the United States, was struck today by the Grant Oil company, drilling 14 miles from Fort Stockton, at the startling depth of 96 feet.

Superintendent Bewey estmates the flow at 5,000 barrels. Conservative estimates of other operators range from 3,000 to 5,000 barrels. Citizens are wild with excitement.

LEAGUE WILL DEAL DIRECT WITH HARDING

By Associated Press

PARIS, Jan. 5.—Individual members of the council of the league of nations have been talking informally among themselves on the advisability of sending a special intermediary or envoy to Mr. Harding immediately after his inauguration as president of the United States to present the cause of the league of nations and to urge upon him the difficulties which European countries would experience in abandoning the present league and setting up a new form of association of nations.

The principal grounds for this contention are that the league covenant is part of the peace treaty which gives the league administration over the Saare Valley, the Dansig region, and a number of mandates and plebiscites. The view is held among members of the French ministry that the solidity of the treaty itself would be shaken if the league part of it was abandoned.

This has led to a growing conviction among the principal allied powers that the league should be kept going in some form, but not necessarily as now constituted, the advisability of revision of the covenant being quite generally recognized. It is considered here that an understanding on the future form of the league could be more readily reduced if a representative of the league council were able to discuss the subject directly with Mr. Harding when he becomes president.

Confidence is expressed here that if direct discussion eliminated from the covenant all that is objectionable to the United States, the president-elect would not insist on the abandonment of the organization already at work which is held to be bound up with so many important European interests.

Twelve Bills Introduced in Sooner State

By Associated Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Jan. 5.—Twelve bills were introduced in both houses of the Oklahoma legislature today, neither body being in session more than an hour. Five bills claimed attention in the senate and seven in the house. A party clash forecast early in a contest between W. A. Drake, republican, and T. A. Parkinson, democrat, for the seat in the house from Wagoner county, was averted by the referring of a petition protesting against retaining Parkinson in the house roll call to the committee on elections.

The bills causing the most interest were regarding the barring from the state of moving picture films depicting actions of criminals, of any degenerates or acts of violence, a bill to create a board of advisors to the supreme court, of nine supreme court commissioners, to be joined in three divisions.

State Humane Society Elects Year's Officers

By Associated Press

FORT WORTH, Jan. 5.—At the annual meeting of the Texas State Humane Society here today, the following officers were elected:

T. J. Carr, Dallas, president; Judge J. L. Perry, Fort Worth, first vice president; Judge C. T. Prewett, Fort Worth, second vice president; W. H. Fuqua, Amarille, third vice president; C. E. King, Gatesville, director; H. C. Burke, Fort Worth, treasurer; Mrs. E. H. Ferres, Fort Worth, director, and Mrs. Oliv H. Brutler, San Antonio, secretary-general.

HOTEL KEEPERS OF WASHINGTON HIT HARD BLOW

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5—Measures proposing protection for inaugural crowds in Washington, March 4, from gouging hotel keepers, cafe proprietors and landlords, as well as from the light-fingered gentlemen were introduced today in the senate. The senate adopted a resolution appropriating $50,000 to build an inaugural stand at the capitol and to defray other expenses in connection with the induction of President-elect Harding into office. An attempt to cut the appropriation to $10,000 was unsuccessful.

A resolution introduced by Senator McCumber (Rep.), North Dakota, would prohibit hotels from charging guests more than the rate charged during last month and the present month. He told the senate that congress would provide police protection for the crowds from pick-pockets and asked if any protection was to be given from "the bigger robbers."

"A pick-pocket" he said, "may rob a visitor of $5 and if he is caught will go to jail. But a hotel proprietor may rob a visitor of $100 a day and insist upon doing it several times over. Is there to be no protection against him?"

Senator Jones (Rep.), Washington, offered a bill which would authorize the commissioners of the District of Columbia to regulate charges for meals and lodgings from February 28 to March 10, and persons violating the regulations would be liable to fines of from $100 to $1,000 and prison sentences of six months.

Parrish Shown On Film Screen In Washington

Special to The Record News.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 5.—Congressmen Fritz L. Lanham of Fort Worth and Lucian W. Parrish of Henrietta made their initial appearance on the silver screen tonight, when the film version of a pageant depicting the progress of America from the landing of the Pilgrims to 1920 was shown to members of the house of representatives and their families at the capitol.

Congressman Lanham appeared as James K. Polk, and Mr. Parrish depicted Sam Houston in the period showing the annexation of Texas.

The two Texas solons took a similar part in a pageant of persons here several months ago and were filmed at the time.

Tonight was the first showing of the photoplay.

WELFARE COUNCIL TO MOVE OFFICERS

The officers of the Welfare council have been moved from the county court house to a ground floor office of the City National Bank building on Scott street, in the Chamber of Commerce headquarters.

Mrs. C. E. Ousley, executive secretary of the Welfare council, is confined to her home by illness.

Women of Capital Give Benefit Ball

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Many notables of official Washington tonight participated in and paid for all expenses of a ball given for the benefit of destitute Serbian war orphans.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Mrs. Bainbridge Colby, Madame Jusserand, Lady Geddes, Baroness De Cartier and Madame Grouich, wife of the Serbian minister, were patronesses.

Other women of the official, congressional and diplomatic set were among those in the receiving line.

Seven Communists Killed by German Police in Riots

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, Jan. 5.—Seven persons were killed and twenty-two were wounded at Fulsberg by a police volley fired on riotious communists following the funeral of a communist named Hoffman who was shot by the police when he attempted to escape.

In the evening, after the funeral, a mob attempted to storm the police barracks. Several shots were discharged over their heads as a warning, when the mob continued to advance, a deadly volley was fired. Four were arrested, including a leader of the communist party.

Employing Printers Organize Department In Merchants Group

Employing printers in Wichita Falls have organized a department of the Retail Merchants' association such as recently organized by the grocers and butchers, John W. Thomas, secretary of the organization announces.

Officers of this departmental organization are as follows: John Murphy, president; Tom Parker, vice president; Ed Radley, secretary.

REALTORS GIVE SITE TO FOUND JUNIOR SCHOOL

Curlee and Johnson Donate 35-Acre Tract Provided $100,000 for Collegiate Buildings Is Subscribed.

University Club to Launch Campaign to Get Subscriptions Within 90-Day Time Limit Allowed.

Gift of a site for the junior college for which the University club is campaigning, a 20-acre piece of ground just beyond the residence of M. O. McDowell on the Seymour road, and within the city limits, valued at $35,000, was announced by A. C. Easley, president of the club, Wednesday. The ground was the gift of Walter S. Curlee and B. Frank Johnson.

According to the terms of the gift, subscriptions to the amount of $100,000 for the buildings of a junior college must be obtained in the next 90 days, and the plant erected on this gift.

An immediate campaign for funds for the institution is planned by the University club, Mr. Easley states, and he hopes to be able to announce a very substantial subscription list at the next meeting of the club at the William-Mary at noon on the coming Tuesday.

The establishment of a junior college here, which will give Wichita Falls boys two years of college work, has been one of the principal planks in the University club platform, and is a project which has been close to the hearts of Mr. Easley and his fellow members of the club since the club's inception. It is hoped that it may be gotten into operation by the beginning of the coming term.

The need of such an institution in Wichita Falls, and its value to the city, both from the added educational advantages it affords Wichita Falls boys and the cultural and advertising values to the city at large, has been stressed by a number of prominent speakers at the University and other club noon luncheons.

Mr. Easley, in making the announcement, voiced the appreciation of the club for the disinterested generosity of the two Wichitans whose gift went a long way toward making this project of the club immediately possible—generosity the more disinterested, the pointed out, in that neither of the donors owned other tracts of land near the one given for a college site, and could not in any way profit except through the profit of such an institution to the citizens of Wichita Falls.

Night Rabbit Hunting Hard On Livestock

Special to The Record News.

DALLAS, Jan. 5.—Following complaints from Dallas county farmers, announcement has been made by the district attorney that prosecution of rabbits at night, along the public road will follow promiscuous shooting in the roads.

It is alleged that hunters are very careless, and that as a result livestock shows up in the morning badly punctured.

HARDING INVITED TO MAKE ADDRESS TO NEWSPAPERMEN

By Associated Press.

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 5.—President-elect Harding was invited in a joint telegram by 50 Southern newspaper editors today to address the Southern Tariff congress, which meets in Atlanta January 27, 28 and 29.

The invitation which supplemented one recently extended by governors of the Southern states, also asked Mr. Harding to be the guest of the Southern press at a luncheon during the congress.

CHILD DIES OF FIREWORKS BURN

Special to The Record News.

DALLAS, Jan. 5.—Caroline Daviala, two-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Daviala, died this afternoon as the result of burns received Tuesday, while the child was playing with fireworks. The mother was also badly burned in attempting to rescue the child.

Tobacco Growers Planning Further Marketing Effort

By Associated Press.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 5.—Preparations were continued today for the mass meeting of tobacco growers to be held here Friday to protest against low prices which caused closing of most burley markets in the state and farmers to return their crops to storage.

CIVIC LEAGUERS PLAN TO SERVE C. OF C. DINNER

Preliminary plans for the Civic league's participation in the Chamber of Commerce annual banquet, on January 13, their part to be serving the banquet, were made at a meeting of the committee Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. T. B. Smock, the president. Mrs. J. M. Isbell, the chairman of the committee and the five other members, Mesdames R. E. Shepherd, R. J. Goodale, M. H. Glover, H. M. Larkum and H. N. Pounds, were present.

Each of the committee will be captain of a squad, it was decided at the meeting, and each will name twenty league members to be on their squad, and take care of their share of the work of serving the banquet.

A fetching and attractive uniform has been decided upon, and a meeting of the six squads will be called in a short time, when each member will make her uniform.

A social half hour enjoyed, following the disposal of business, Mrs. D. O. Long, the new active vice president, Mrs. C. J. Coyne and Mrs. J. C. V. T. Christensen, the new recording secretary, were present, in addition to the banquet committee.

Says President Must Keep Off War in Future

"No matter who sits in the White House, he must give us some kind of guarantee that there will be no more wars," declared Dr. Ira C. Landreth in the lecture delivered in the interest of the United Societies of Christian Endeavor, at the First Christian church Wednesday evening.

In this connection Dr. Landreth declared that of the four most important events in the development of civilization, three had happened in the past three years. He called them:

The overthrow of autocracy.

Granting of woman suffrage.

The advent of prohibition.

The first and most important event was declared to be the coming of Messiah. He pointed out that reforms and improved standards of civilization are not obtained until the peoples of the countries are ready for them.

In this connection he quoted:

"God is never in a hurry, we always are: God is always ready, we never are. God is always right and we seldom are."

The Christian Endeavor societies are the training grounds for practically all the church lay leaders and ministers in the church activities of the world, the speaker declared. Christian character is not a sudden development but a slow growth and it receives in no other organization the impetus that it does in the younger peoples' organizations of the church, he added.

"I believe in the omnipotence of undespairing right, and I believe that the church is God's expression for omnipotence on earth," said the speaker. "I wish to urge you to encourage the development and organization of the young peoples' organizations as a training ground for a greater and better church."

The speaker closed his address with an appeal that citizens raise the $5,000 quota asked of this city for Christian Endeavor funds.

Roy Breg, secretary of the Southwestern district, Christian Endeavor made a short address on the work of the organization. The Southwestern district includes six states beside Texas.

Health Board to Investigate Here

Dr. M. M. Walker, city health officer, plans to call a meeting of the city board of health, probably this week to discuss health conditions.

Dr. Walker said that while there was no evidence that an epidemic was imminent, some cases of scarlet fever had been reported.

Preventive steps may be taken at the meeting.

Auto Dealers to Convene Friday

Important business, including a discussion of proposed changes in the admission fees, is scheduled by the Wichita Falls Automobile Dealers' association at the Kemp hotel Friday night.

The meeting is the regular monthly meeting, according to F. D. Kehn, president. A dinner will be served.

MISS SUDIE HALL MADE ASSISTANT

Miss Sudie Hall was appointed assistant to Everett Hughes, county abstractor, by the commissioners' court Wednesday at a salary of $150 per month. Mr. Hughes reported that more than $200,000 of additional taxes are due under unreported conditions which his work has developed. It was estimated that more than half of this amount would be collected.

Mr. Hughes asked for an increase in salary. He asks $200 per month. Action will be taken at the next meeting of the board. Mr. Hughes has received several offers from private concerns at a larger salary than he

AUDITOR'S PLAN WOULD DROP MILLION DOLLARS OF COUNTY ROAD BONDS, SUBSTITUTE TAX

Pat Murphy, county auditor, has a plan whereby a million dollars of the $1,450,000 of unissued bonds voted as part of the $2,225,000 county highway fund, about two years ago, would never be issued, it came out in the meeting of the county commissioners court Wednesday. Bonds are difficult to sell now.

Under this plan, $450,000 of the bonds would be sold to give funds for early use. The county has about $200,000 of interest accumulated on these bonds which cannot be used now, but might become available under the Murphy plan.

Under this plan, further monies for county road construction would be voted by tax levies as needed. It has the advantage, it was pointed out at the meeting, of lopping a large part off of the road debt which would otherwise exist.

Judge Jones and Commissioner Prescott expressed themselves in an offhand opinion as favoring the plan. The objection was asked if the limit on the county tax rate would not prevent getting money fast enough to accomplish the needed results.

Claims Eighth Street Line Would Save Wichitans 2000 Hours Daily

"The Eighth street line which we have asked permission to put in from Ninth and Broad to Eighth and Indiana will shorten the trip from the factory district to such an extent that it will save Wichitans 2,000 hours per day," says L. L. Allbritton, general manager of the local traction company.

"It will shorten the trip on an average of 15 minutes each way. I figure that we will then be able to make the trip from the car barn to town in eight minutes.

"We estimate that we carry 4,000 people on an average of two trips per day, which will mean a saving through this line of half an hour a day, or, as I said above, 2,000 hours per day for the citizenship of Wichita Falls—nearly three months time every day.

"That is what this improved service will mean for the people of the city. For the company, it will mean the elimination of some 170 miles per day—a saving in mileage which at 20 cents per mile will make the expense of laying the new track, with the expense of cutting through block after block of paving, worth while."

It is estimated that the cost of the Eighth street line will run around $60,000.

If the permit is granted by the council after its hearing two weeks from now, Mr. Allbritton figures that the line can be in operation in 90 days time—30 days before the franchise can become operative, and 60 days for the construction of the line.

EXTEND PARKER OIL SAND OVER WICHITA RIVER

Striking of an oil sand between 1,250 and 1,310 feet, showing gas in quantity, was reported Wednesday from the No. 1 Blagg of Alford, Holbrook & Burton, a mile and a quarter northwest from the Temple & White and Cline wells on the Mattie Parker farm. This extends the Parker sand across the Wichita river.

The report was brought to Wichita Falls by J. B. Alford, one of the owners of the well, whose rig is drilling it, this being the official confirmation of the reports that had aroused interest earlier in the day.

The actual depth of the sand is not made public at this time, the information being that it is "somewhere between 1,250 and 1,310 feet." Wednesday night a number of local operators were at the test, where preparations were being made to set casing and drill in. The sand has been drilled in only a foot, Mr. Alford said.

In the opinion of the owners, this new strike indicates a northwestward extension of the Mattie Parker 1,300-foot sand, this being the first test put down in a northwesterly direction from the new shallow pool. The Alford, Holbrook & Burton test is on the J. M. Blagg land, block 28, of the Cowherd Brothers subdivision, and is in the midst of a shallow pool.

The test passed up a well at the usual shallow depth, it is reported. This is the first deep test put down in this block, which adjoined the Lee Farm Oil company properties.

TREES WILL GO ON SALE TODAY AT CORNER LOT

This morning, as soon after 8 o'clock as the car can be unloaded, the Civic League City Beautiful tree sale will open, on the McClurkan lot, corner of Ninth and Scott.

Mrs. W. S. Curlee, the chairman of the city beautiful committee, who made the arrangements for the trees, and her committee will be in charge of the tree sale.

One and a half, two, and three-inch trees will be on sale, at cost prices. From the inquiries that Mrs. Curlee has already received a heavy sale is anticipated. Early selection was advised. The purchasers make their own selection of the trees.

CAMPAIGN TO CUT BUILDING COST STARTED

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—A national campaign to reduce building costs was launched by lumber manufacturers from all sections of the country at a meeting here today.

"Lumber has come down in price an average of 30 percent," said R. B. Goodman of Marinette, Wisconsin, chairman of the session. "The lumber industry has absorbed its far-time inflation and we feel that it is up to other building commodities to follow suit. Lumber represents only about 30 percent of the cost of an average building and not more than 35 percent of the cost of a wooden building."

Plans were made for calling representatives of the brick, cement, tile, roofing and plumbing industries into conference. A national advertising campaign was also advocated.

Most Eloquent Speech He Ever Made Not Given

"The most eloquent speech I ever made," and an Electra lawyer insisted before Judge Napier that it was, alas, was not made.

And it never will unless, perhaps, John Barleycorn strikes again. The attorney was here to plead a divorce suit for a woman. The judge sensed something "queer" and began to examine the witness for the attorney.

The barrister interposed in mournful tones to berate the witness for "not telling this court the truth."

But the divorce was granted.

After the case was completed the attorney began:

"I am going to make the most eloquent speech I ever gave before, your honor."

"But you've already got the divorce," Judge Napier interposed.

The lawyer hesitated, half turned away, and then began in a pleading tone:

"Judge, please let me make this speech."

The court ruled otherwise.

Colonels Meet Second Defeat

Special to The Record News.

DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 5.—The Centre Colonels suffered their second defeat at the hands of the Katy basketball team here last night, the local aggregation trouncing them with the score of 24 to 14.

Completely outclassing the Centre team in every way, the team work of Katy was a big factor in the success, although the remarkable shooting of baskets by Foots and Sellers was the real reason for the Colonels' defeat.

A new lemon called the Ponderosa is now being cultivated. It grows to the size of grapefruit and although its flavor is rather mild, may be used in every way in which ordinary lemons are used.

Gulf Strike Three Miles From South Electra Pool Tests 300 Barrels; to Rush Other Wells

Pumping at the rate of 300 barrels a day, the Gulf Production company's No. 12 Burnett A, the wild cat three miles east of the South Electra shallow pool, caused a fresh sensation Wednesday in its first few hours on the pump, and became easily the most important completion recorded, not only for the new year, but for several months back, because of its distance from production, and its remarkable size.

When the well was first drilled into the 960-foot sand, oil filled the hole and ran over the top, and from the showing a 100-barrel producer was expected. The first few hours on the pump, however, far exceeded all expectations. When the tubing was first run and before the pump was rigged up, the well flowed through the tubing, according to reports from the field.

A number of new tests are to be drilled immediately around this new strike, and leases are changing hands at good figures, according to reports. Development is assured by the fact that the Burnett leases all are said to carry 60-day drilling clauses.

New Young County Well.

A new well is reported from the South Bend field in Young county, the Mid Texas Oil company No. 1 Graham, a 75-barreller, in the 2,100-foot sand. Previous reports from the field had indicated that this test was to be drilled down to the 2,500-foot sand, from which the Panhandle No. 1 McCluskey is producing. While not equal to the other 2,100-foot wells recently completed, it is still a good commercial producer. The well is in the north part of the pool.

Kemp-Munger-Allen Well.

Completion of the Kemp-Munger-Allen No. 12 Munger, drilled in on New Year's day, for approximately 200 barrels, according to reports from the field, features the operations in the K.-M.-A field this week.

In the south K.-M.-A. pool the No. 2 of Porter and Barnard, block 21, is reported good for 80 barrels.

A number of shallow completions, from the scattered shallow Iowa Park pools, have been effected in the last few weeks. The new wells include:

Texas Ranger Producing & Refining Co. No. 4 Kemp and Kempner, 10 barrels, 670-foot sand; Texas Ranger Producing & Refining Co. No. 6, Kemp and Kempner, 15 barrels, 670-foot sand; Stanford Oil company, No. 2 Kemp and Kempner, 10 barrels, 160-foot sand; No. 3 Kemp and Kempner, 25 barrels, 670-foot sand; Keystone Oil company, No. 1 Kemp and Kempner, 10 barrels, 670-foot sand; Coats Oil company, No. 1-Kemp and Kempner, Quadruple Oil company, No. 2 Kemp and Kempner, 10 barrels, 670-foot sand; Quadraple Oil company, No. 3 Kemp and Kempner, 15 barrels, 670-foot sand; Spencer Oil company, No. 19 Watkins, 15 barrels, 670-foot sand; Spencer Oil company, No. 21 Watkins, 25 barrels, 670-foot sand; Watkins Pool Oil company, No. 3 Kemp and Kempner, 25 barrels, 670-foot sand.

Operations are starting up again at the usual rate in the Texhoma pool, after the Christmas holiday vacation, but so far the Donovan Oil company's No. 1 Roller is the only completion reported since the Christmas holidays. This well, in the usual sand, is making 150 barrels, according to reports.

In the old Burkburnett pool the Pierce Oil corporation's No. 10 Schultz is reported a 50-barrel well. This lease is one of the oldest in the field, and developments have been stretched over a number of years.

Austin Mothers' Club Will Convene Tuesday

The Mothers club of the Austin school will meet this afternoon at 3:30 at the school building, corner Thirteenth and Broad.

All members were requested to attend. Work for the coming year will be outlined, and an entertainment, "See America First" will be planned.

JURY IS HUNG ON MORELAND BIGAMY CASE

Special to The Record News.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 5.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Lora Moreland, charged with bigamy, appeared tonight to be hopelessly deadlocked.

The state alleges that on March 16, while still the wife of J. Lee Moreland, Mrs. Moreland married Owen E. Anderson. Anderson was killed the day following his marriage, by Moreland, who was given a five-year suspended sentence.

Mrs. Moreland testified on her own behalf that Anderson threatened to kill her if she did not marry him. The defense also alleges that Mrs. Moreland was temporarily mentally unbalanced, as the result of a blow on the head, when she was robbed in her home the preceding January. Her husband took the stand in her behalf. He testified that they were married twelve years ago, and had lived happily until she was hit on the head by the burglar.

Mrs. Moreland was surrounded by her five children, the oldest ten years of age, at the trial. She wept bitterly during the argument.

Grocery Swapping Among Merchants Here Takes Well

Interchanging of groceries between members of the Retail Grocers and Butchers association, instituted some weeks ago, is going on at an increasing rate, and has already involved the transfer of hundreds of dollars worth of stock, according to John W. Thomas, secretary of the Retail Merchants' Association, of which this association is an affiliated body.

In this interchange one member exchanges stock on which he is "long" for stock on which a fellow member is "long" and he is "short."

BURK GUARD IS SHOT IN FIGHT WITH PROWLER

Special to The Record News.

BURKBURNETT, Jan. 5.—R. W. Ogle, aged 59 years, batchelor night watchman for the Western Oil corporation property in the Burkburnett field, was shot through the little toe of his left foot by an unknown property prowler, whom he attempted to run off of the company's property. Ogle fired at the prowler but missed. The visitor returned the fire and fled.

No arrests have been made.

Sheriff Fred Smith had no report on the oil field shooting Wednesday night. He has three deputies in charge there.

Burk Northwest Field Drops, but K. M. A. Runs Gain

Pipeline runs in the Wichita Falls district fell off approximately 2,500 barrels last week, from the previous week's averages, according to latest estimates, which show a total daily production around 76,750 barrels.

The drop is from the Burkburnett Northwest field, which is due to show a steady decline for some little while yet, owing to the natural decline in production, and the lack of new completions. The Kemp, Munger, Allen shows a 500-barrel increase daily, this total, with the Iowa Park shallow, now reaching 5,500 barrels.

The runs by pools are averaged as follows, the figures representing number of barrels:

Electra, 58,000.

Kemp, Munger, Allen and Iowa Park shallow, 5,500.

Young county, 2,000.

Petrolia, 375.

Holliday, 175.



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16. What is Pasteurized Milk?
17. What is the advantage in using milk that has gone through this process?
18. Why might it be worth your while, for you to visit their plant?
19. Will you please watch for the answer of all these questions in next Sunday's issue of this paper?

If you will we will thank you.

COUNTY HEARS IOWA PARK AND BURK TILT OVER ROAD FINANCE AND THEN RULES ON OLD PLAN

After hearing Burkburnett and Iowa Park delegations present rival claims that the balance of the money in the county treasury road fund be used in their territories, the county commissioners court voted to go ahead with the road-building program, as originally planned, until the money is all used. This means that the Wichita Falls-Iowa Park-Electra highway will be extended through the North Wichita refinery district until the funds run out.

Decision took the form of a vote to rescind the order passed Monday of last week suspending work on county roads because of the near exhaustion of the funds.

The rival delegations, though expressing regard for the interests of the "county as a whole" and presenting their cases with consideration, at one moment rose to a clash. The clash was between Mayor Arnold of Iowa Park and City Attorney McBride of Burkburnett.

Auditor Gives Road Figures.

County Auditor Murphy gave figures showing that since he has been in office that $74,580 has been expended on the cross-county highway running through Iowa Park from Wichita Falls and about $25,000 more was put into the Brown-Abbott contract for the same purpose.

Burkburnett has received only $6,000 out of the $750,000 of bonds originally voted for county highways since Mr. Murphy has been in office. County Engineer Isbell pointed out that far more of the $750,000 had been spent in grading the Burkburnett road before Mr. Murhpy took office.

Burk Received $6,000 Recently.

Mr. McBride declared on the face of the $6,000 report that it was "evident that Burkburnett had not gotten her share of the $750,000," and that her citizens were going to "demand" that the $76,000 Mr. Murphy said was in the road fund now be spent there.

Mayor Arnold retorted that Iowa Park was going to see to it that this was not done, because, he declared, the original contract provided that the cross-county highway be built through Iowa Park. In was not Iowa Park's fault, he said, that Burkburnett is not on that highway.

Later Mr. McBride introduced before the commissioners court a contract entered into between the city of Burkburnett and the county commissioners court providing that the court would pay its part (an 18-foot strip) of the roads that Burkburnett was to build through her city.

Financial String on Contract.

Though it is not written into the contract, Judge Jones pointed out that Mayor Laney of Burkburnett, who represented that city when the instrument was drawn, agreed that the county was to pay this money "as long as the fund lasted." Mayor Laney was present. He admitted the correctness of the statement.

County Clerk Harris said that he understood that the law makes invalid any contract for apportionment of county road funds to any part of the system, as such, but that the apportionment must be on the basis of a county system as a whole, to serve all of the county. He said that the contract introduced could only be an "optional agreement."

Judge Jones pointed out that there was no doubt that Burkburnett would get all of the paving due her when the final bond issue is sold. There remains $1,450,000 of the original bond issue which has not yet been disposed of on account of the "dead" bond market.

He explained that to move the road machinery, including an industrial railway line and vast machines, building of storage warehouses and of a tunnel, would use up the $76,000 referred to by Mr. Murphy, or the major portion of it, before the work could be begun.

Plan Aims at Economy.

The commissioners adopted a plan of building county highways with a view to the greatest economy. And movement of machinery is an enormous expense.

The vote was divided, however, on the motion to continue the work recently suspended. Commissioners Kuntz and Haynes voted yea. Commissioner Jackson, while he said he favored the motion, did not vote. Commissioner Prescott, from the Burkburnett district voted nay.

Judge Jones at the conclusion of the second conference with City Attorney McBride declared that he thought there was no practical doubt but what the county would be ready to pay its bills for the Burkburnett street paving as fast as they are presented. County Engineer Isbell reminded the Burkburnett delegation that they could have already been paid the full bill if the work had been done at Burkburnett.

Money Scarcity Delays Work.

Money matters have held up the work there. Mr. McBride said he expected that the money would be obtained in a few days now on a loan upon the bonds as security.

The county will have $50,000 of federal highway money next month. it confidently expects, when the Lake road paving is approved by the state highway department. It is expected that this will be done about January 13.

Mayor Arnold and E. A. McCluskey, former Iowa Park commissioner, represented Iowa Park.

Mayor R. D. Laney, City Attorney C. G. McBride, A. Lohoegener, J. P. Roodhouse, W. R. Hill, A. A. Kuehn, C. E. Lawrence, H. Wyatt, Dr. W. P. Martin and Sam P. Spence, secretary of the Burkburnett Chamber of Commerce, represented Burkburnett.

Ask Tax Ratio Expenditure.

Mr. Wyatt, Mr. McBride and Dr. Martin made speeches. They also declared that Burkburnett should get road money apportionment in proportion to taxes paid, which would be about 45 per cent. Judge Jones pointed out that about half of the taxes paid on property in Burkburnett district is on property owned by persons who live in Wichita Falls.

Dry Agents Take Booze and Stills In Oil Town Raids

FORT WORTH, Jan. 5.—Federal prohibition enforcement officers for this district, who returned today from raids in the oil fields, report the capture of a 100-gallon still in a ravine near Strawn and the confiscation of twenty barrels of mash.

As the result of the holiday raids, sixty-five cases, involving violations of the prohibition amendment, will be presented to the federal grand jury in Abilene January 17. The raids were staged around Strawn, Ranger, Breckenridge and Eliasville.

COSTS $1.50 ACRE TO IRRIGATE LAND IN PLAINS VALLEY

Special to The Record News.

PLAINVIEW, Texas, Jan. 5.—The average cost of irrigating land in the shallow water belt of the plains has been estimated at $1.50 an acre. This is only an approximate cost, according to John W. McCullum, special census agent for the government. He ascertained that for 5,000 acres in the vicinity of this place the total cost, as tabulated by owners, was $7,500, or about $1.50 an acre.

Sure Relief



BELL-ANS FOR INDIGESTION

Jap Newspapers Urge Reduction Of Armaments

By Associated Press.

TOKIO, Jan. 5.—The post holiday period is witnessing a resumption by the press of the disarmament discussion in which consideration of the Anglo-Japanese alliance plays a prominent part.

The Osaka Ashahi Shimbun has come out in advocacy of the abolition of this alliance as a means of reaching an understanding with the United States. If Japan and England desire to restrict armaments, it argues, it is essential that they eliminate the alliance which has the effect of arousing American suspicion, and it advises the foreign office to reconsider its practice of pivoting its policy on that alliance.

"Let us abolish the alliance," it adds, "and then talk to America face to face, with open minds."

The Jiji Shimpo urges the reduction of the Japanese army by half.

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GOOD WEATHER SPEEDS SEWER MAIN BUILDING

Favorable weather, coupled with the fact that material and labor are available when needed, is resulting in record-making time in building the $700,000 sanitary sewer, city officials report. If conditions continue favorable, and the same progress is made as at present, it is possible that the entire system will be completed by April. The work is being done by the C. R. Nichols Construction company under contract with the city.

Over a quarter of a mile of sewer line of varying sizes is now being laid daily in different parts of the city. On Wednesday the construction company laid 850 feet of 18-inch line, 1,000 feet of 6-inch and 100 feet of 39-inch main. The latter requires a ditch 18 feet deep and five feet wide. The laying of this line is being done by one of the largest ditch-digging machines in the state. Two other smaller machines are at work daily, with an additional machine expected soon.

To carry on the job more than 200 cars already have been unloaded in this city, the shipments being mainly pipe. Fifty cars are in the local railroad yards waiting to be unloaded.

Here's hoping the breaking of Plymouth Rock is a forecast of a big smash coming to the Puritans.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Oklahoma Solon Flies to Meeting Of Legislature

By Associated Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 5.—The aerial method of travel has been adopted by G. E. Davidson of Arnett, Okla., republican member of the lower house of the Oklahoma legislature, in session here. He flew to Oklahoma City today in his own plane, circling about the capitol and dropping literature before descending.

Davidson, a land owner, said he intends to fly to and from his home during the session whenever the weather permits.

Elks Give Informal Hop Thursday Night

The social committee of the Elks announce an informal dance to be given this evening at their club rooms, which probably will be the last dance given by them this season on account of the rehearsals which will commence for the minstrel show which they will present soon.

A novelty jazz orchestra will furnish music for the affair.

CHICOGOAN DIES IN SAN ANTONIO RIDING IN AUTO

By Associated Press.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Dec. 5.—Louis E. Spindler, aged about 38, apparently a well-to-date citizen of Chicago, died suddenly here this afternoon while traveling in a jitney. Addresses found on the person indicated that the man lived at 1500 North Dearborn street, and circulars found in his clothing led to the belief that he was in San Antonio for his health.

Police here have been unable to locate relatives.

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THE MASTER SAID.

Lay not up for yourselves treasurers upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal: But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal; For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.—Matthew 6:19, 20, 21.

CAPTAIN M'CALEB.

"Always keep plugging away at something that will be of benefit to your town. Do not become discouraged by lack of interest or the slowness to act on the part of the public. Keep digging away and it will come after a while."

That expresses the creed of service which the late Captain D. C. McCaleb, veteran of two wars and erstwhile head of four of the largest newspapers in Texas, believed in and carried out. His death itself, caused by injury in war, was a monument of national service.

When the European war came on Captain McCaleb could have stayed at home, drawn a far larger salary than an army officer and performed real service at home through his ability to plead in a public way for great causes. That he choose rather to volunteer, though he was past the age limit of the call for officers, and yet into the fiercest action overseas, is characteristic of the man.

Years before when the Spanish-American war came on, he took the same course. At that time he was a Washington newspaper correspandent, and such jobs are regarded as financial as well as influential "plums" in the newspaper world. But he gave it up for active service in the army.

Mr. McCaleb has guided the policies of the Galveston Tribune, the Fort Worth Record, and an Austin paper, and has been publisher of papers at Houston and San Angelo. He has carried out many publicity campaigns in the interests of Texas communities and of the state. Recently he spared time from his work as director of publicity and advertising for the great Wichita Motors company firm to write stories for papers here in urging the cause of the starving children of Europe.

Wichita Falls has lost a city-builder, an outstanding figure who was always ready to sacrifice himself to help others. Into the hearts of his family there can come that great balm of sympathy and consolation in knowing that Captain McCaleb so conducted himself that a vast throng of persons in public and private life are ready to write over his tombstone out of their own knowledge of the man:

"He Served."

POSITION MADE CLEAR.

The Record News wants to make clear its position in regard to an editorial which it reprinted from another paper and with which the editor of the Wichita Falls Open Shop association news booklet takes issue in its current number. The Record News does not sponsor the opinions set forth in editorials it reprints from other papers. These quoted opinions are taken only from big and successful papers. They represent the opinions of those editors, not of The Record News. They are printed to keep readers of this paper posted with movements and opinions which leaders of other parts of the country are sponsoring. Those editorials are signed at the bottom with the name of the paper originating them.

The Record News has never taken any editorial position on any open shop issue. It believes that the prime purpose of a newspaper is to give news, facts, and let the readers make their own opinions. Open shop questions are full of controversial elements and of opinion. The Record News has nothing to say of them. It goes into such matters only when facts of public interest are concerned.

Hang a lump of moistened sugar on the Christmas tree for the last fly.—Minneapolis Journal.

Nine hundred and fifteen seniors at Harvard cast 965 ballots in a class election, which suggests that the intellectuals may yet control this country.—Omaha Bee.

The British government is paying a high premium on its Irish policy.—Norfolk Virginian Pilot.

FEWER AND BETTER FILMS.

Announcement is just made that six of the largest motion picture producing corporations have agreed to curtail their productions of films by 50 per cent. Already this policy has been put into effect, and it is stated that more than 50,000 actors and others connected with the motion picture business in and around Los Angeles are out of employment. The big companies that have followed this course have decided upon the issue of fewer and better films, an announcement that will give great joy to motion picture patrons.

One of the criticisms aimed at the motion picture business in the last few years has been that they were producing too much, trying to keep too many films going at once, to fill too many screens. With the development of the large "picture palace" show house numbers of the smaller exhibition places have gone out of business, and the period for which a film is displayed at a certain point has been lengthened. Notwithstanding this change of condition the production has continued at the old rate, but the result has been to slow up the marketing of the films, and it has been estimated that one company alone has at the present time more than $6,000,000 worth of films on its shelves awaiting disposal.

With the policy of fewer and better films the public should be more than satisfied. The leading motion picture producers themselves recognize the need of a higher standard of film-making. They deplore the apparent necessity of catering to a low taste and to the excitement-loving demands of some of the people. They would rather do big things. One of the difficulties has been the engagement at enormous salaries of a few stars, who have had to be "worked" frequently in order to get a return on this investment. The result has been the production of much mediocre material that could far better have been eliminated.

"Fewer and better films" will give cause for less criticism on the score of the moral quality of the product than has prevailed heretofore. In view of the enormous range of the motion picture it is in the last degree desirable to keep it advancing steadily in quality and in its effect upon the minds of the people.—Washington Star, (Ind.)

FEDERAL MARKETING

The federal trade commission proposes the establishment of federal markets for perishable food products, to be operated in all large cities. It suggests, also, the setting up of a federal licensing system to apply to all dealers in such foods. The commission's position in regard to the matter is like that of a physician who has diagnozed a disease for which there is no recognized certain remedy, and who calls upon his skill, his experience and his knowledge of curatives in general, to evolve a remedy.

Leading farm organizations of the country recognized the disease even before the federal trade commission. They have been bending their energies for years to bring about a cure.

They recognize as the chief causes: (1) Too many middlemen; (2) Gambling in foodstuffs; (3) Inadequate transportation with high freight and express charges; (4) Improper control of food in storage warehouses; (5) Deliberate destruction of foodstuffs. The farmers' organizations have made some progress in remedying the first difficulty by co-operative marketing on a large scale. Doubtless they will continue to make progress by bringing about legislation to prevent speculation by hoarding and cornering necessary foodstuffs and by stopping wholesale gambling in such commodities.

The transportation problem is a mighty one. The increases in freight and express tariffs are such as to make profitable shipments of fruits, in small quantities and for small distances, impracticable. The other two destructive elements recognized by the federal trade commission—improper control in the warehouses and deliberate destruction to increase prices—doubtless could be controlled by a federal licensing system or by proper laws.

The suggestion for the federal market in all large cities comes as a result of the success of municipal markets, on a comparatively small scale, where the farmer drives in with his load of produce and the housewife goes and buys directly from him, or from the municipal agent. The question of the efficacy of the remedy suggested comes as to the feasibility of operating it on a national scale. The need certainly is great.—Boston Transcript (Ind. Rep.)

Caruso's doctors say his latest ailment "will confine him to his room for a period." In some cases a period means a full stop.—Philadelphia Record.

From now on the ambition of the small boy will be to grow up to be a judge and get $42,000 a year for using an annual pass to the ball games.—Marion Star.

Although they all endeavor to look and act alike, some secretaries of state are more important than others, the same as buttons.—Kansas City Star.

Villa appealing for protection from bandits contributes to the gayety of nations.—Springfield Republican.

Editorial Digest

IS A NAVAL INQUIRY SUFFICIENT?

Just why editorial writers should follow political lines in discussing the conduct of the American Marines in Haiti is difficult to explain, but the fact is that a whole-hearted acceptance of the report on the Haitian situation just made by the navy department is confined chiefly to democratic papers, while the republican press is united in a demand for a congressional inquiry which would be free from any hint of professional bias. "Americans were incredulous," the Philadelphia Record (Ind. Dem.) recalls "when they heard, apparently on high authority, that in Haiti the marines had gone gunning for the natives as if they were game and there was no close season." But these "irresponsible and malicious rumors" are now "effectually disposed of," the Chicago Daily News (Ind.) finds, "by the unanimous report of the court of inquiry" which has investigated every charge and has returned a judgment which is "a vindication," not in any sense a "whitewash."

The investigation, the Atlanta Journal (Dem.) informs us, "not only failed to substantiate the charge of 'indiscriminate killings of natives,' but established very clearly that it had no basis in fact." Further, the Newark (N. J.) News (Ind.) adds, "the facts of the case are that the marines have put an end to 'indiscriminate killings'." General Barnett, the Birmingham Age Herald (Dem.) concedes, "may have been sincere in his accusations and desirous of ending a condition of affairs which he believed contrary to American ideals of fair play * * * but he showed bad judgment in trying to create a public scandal and subjecting the marines to undeserved censure." The Mobile Register (Dem.) is not so lenient. "The affair will not be completed to the public's satisfaction," it asserts, "until the man responsible for the charge is brought sharply to account"; since this is one of many "charges and counter-charges and accusations directed at some of the most patriotic endeavors this nation has ever beheld," and it is time "to haul up and punish those responsible."

The Butte Miner (Dem.) agrees that "the accusers of the marines in Haiti deserve scathing censure," but it rejoices in the exoneration in which "the charges have been swept away," resulting in "another splendid triumph for Americanism." In clearing the record of the marines, the St. Louis Post Dispatch (Ind.) declares, "the honor of the United States in the matter is vindicated * * * and the good name which the marine corps has earned in many fields is not stained but enhanced by its Haitian record."

The suggestion of "a distinct aroma of politics about the matter" which the El Paso Times (Dem.) makes is amplified by the Nashville Tennessean (Ind. Dem.) into a frank opinion that the "slanderous charges" were "only attempts to strike the Wilson administration over the shoulders of the marines," and with the facts in the case established they "will be allowed to rest in the cemetery of outworn campaign lies." The Boston Post (Ind. Dem.) also takes the position that these charges were used, at any rate, "to help along the campaign," as does the New York World (Dem.), but the Louisville Post (Dem.) interprets it rather as a professional than a political affair, in which "General Barnett misrepresented the marine corps exactly as Admiral Sims misrepresented the navy."

While the report is, in effect, "a censure of General Barnett," it does not "dispose of the question of the justice of our rule in Haiti," the New York Evening Post (Ind.) holds, and since "all that we have had thus far are obviously biased and extreme charges and official denials" it is apparent that "nothing short of a congressional investigation can get at the facts." The procedure so far followed in the matter of investigation merely "sets the train of blocks all up again," says the Buffalo Express (Ind. Rep.):

"The marines on the ground having done their duty, the navy department did its duty and the administration in general did its duty. It is unnecessary to inquire into the policy and laws and orders given to the marines. The marines on the ground were made the goat, and the goat is exonerated."

DOG HILL PARAGRAFS

BY GEORGE BINGHAM.



Yam Sim's mule has again come into the limelight of publicity, having hollered right loud several times last Sunday while the preacher at Hog Ford was trying to talk.

Slim Pickens came near becoming involved in a lively fight at Tickville Tuesday evening. Bystanders say all that prevented it was that the fellow was a little too fat to overtake him.

Hi to Get Three Chute Fire Tubes

Three chute fire escapes of the latest type will replace the old model ladder escapes at the Wichita Falls High school, it was announced Wednesday by W. W. Brown, business manager of the city schools. The children slide down these models.

Two of these fire escapes also will be built to the Austin school building. The material was received Wednesday and the work is expected to be completed by January 15.

CATTLEMEN WARNED AGAINST DISEASES

Special to The Record News.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Warning to cattlemen to look out for the foot and mouth disease, is sounded by Secretary of Agriculture Meredith.

"This disease exists nowhere in the United States at the present time, but is a constant menace because of the facility with which it may be carried by animals, hides, and the various livestock products," Meredith says, and asks cattlemen if it appears to immediately notify the department.

We suggest that the Anti-Saloon league be awarded the mandate for d'Annunzio.—Johnstown (Pa.) Democrat.

On the Spur of the Moment

Solving the Farm Labor Problem.

Two wives for every farmer,
Some one suggests the plan,
To raise much larger crops of boys
To help the poor Old Man.

The farmer's wife does half the work,
From early spring till fall.
And if he marries two of them,
He need not work at all.

Everett Palmer declares that a woman is a good conversationalist if she can hold the attention of her guests while her husband is vainly trying to dismember a turkey into somewhere near equal parts.

"Bank Presses U. S. Suit."—Headline. "And you and I are paying the tailor's bill," ads George Sutton.

A Lynn, Mass., man snored so loudly his wife left him, But it should be worth something to know where one's husband is every night.

To the Time Ball.

We hope you never die, ball,
For, while you flop, ol'cuss,
There'll always be a highball
With a big drop left for us.
—Lester Lamb.

How about establishing an excess loss tax to sort of even up for the excess profit arrangement?

Maybe Business Wasn't Paying.

From the New York Mail: No trace could be found today of the assassin who shot and killed his restaurant at 3247 Elizabeth street, as he was taking the money out of a cash register preparatory to closing up last night.

If it is true as reported that wife beating has increased since prohibition, the Marysville Advocate says it is a sign the men are at last beginning to sober up.

For Constantine's sake, let it be hoped that slippery throne of Greece is equipped with stirrups.

The international reform bureau announces that it will ask congress for the right to regulate movie kisses. But we must submit the opinion that when a regular honest-to-goodness kiss gets started—it is past all regulation of detection.

The recent federal census cost $23,765,000. If might be cheaper to have every person count his own nose and mail in the result.

Some men are born with troubles, others acquire troubles and still others have political jobs thrust upon them.

The only thing that we ask of Mr. Harding is that he put some new flavoring in the stickum on the postage stamps.

Depot Mail Box No Last-Minute Saver

Mail taken to the box at the Union station will not be sent out from the city any quicked than from any other box in the city, according to announcement Wednesday by postoffice authorities. The mail at the station box will be taken to the postoffice and sent out to trains in the same manner as from other boxes in the residential and business districts.

In the past it has been customary for mail clerks on trains to take the mail from the box as soon as the train came in. The saving in time had made the box the most popular in the city, business men and others sending their mail down to the box just before the train was due.

Dallas Plumber Is Acquitted on Detroit Charge

By Associated Press

DETROIT, Jan. 5.—Patrick J. Reaney, Dallas, Texas plumber and politician, awaiting trial here on a charge of killing his wife, was acquitted in circuit court today of a charge of felonious assault growing out of the shooting last July of a bell boy in a downtown hotel.

Trial of the other case is set for January 20.

"THE PARDON THAT CAME TOO LATE"



INVESTIGATE NEW DISEASE AMONG STOCK

Special to The Record News.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The Department of Agriculture is not yet ready to make an announcement of the result of its recent investigation of the new disease among cattle in Texas, it was said today. Officials, however, reiterated their statement that the condition at the present time is seemingly an unwarranted cause for grave alarm.

Reports of the disease first came from Houston and so far it seems to be confined to south Texas. Locally in Texas the malady is known as loin or black disease. A specialist of the department recently went to Houston and then visited the area where the losses had occurred and is now making a preliminary study of the ailment and the conditions likely to be responsible for it.

Unsteadiness of gait is usually the first symptom observed. It was found that within 24 hours after going down the affected animal would be unable to rise, although definite illness may not be apparent from the general appearance—that is, from temperature, respiration, pulse rate, etc. Death may result in from 24 to 48 hours; on the other hand, animals frequently recover after being in a helpless condition for a period of from two weeks to a month. Animals that recover appear to be rather susceptible to second attacks.

Losses have been mainly confined to the warmer months, from May to October, and as far as could be determined the affectation is limited to the low-lying southeast gulf territory extending inland not more than 100 miles.

Some stockmen, the department says, have experienced sufficient trouble to prompt them to dispose of their calf crops rather than assume the risk of having their stock succumb to the affectation as it reaches maturity.

If the losses continue to be serious enough to justify it the Department will endeavor to make other investigations at a more opportune time to study a number of cases.

Poet D'Annunzio Loses Lire From Fiume Strong Box

By Associated Press.

ROME, Jan. 5.—Several million lire in cash have been stolen from the office of Gabriel D'Annunzio at Fiume by Arditi who forced the regency strong box, according to a dispatch to Tempo. The newspaper states that documents relating to D'Annunzio's enterprise also were stolen and the poet-soldier is considerably distributed by the robbery.

D'Annunzio, will leave Fiume tomorrow for an unknown destination, the ditspatch says. A thousand legionnaires left the city yesterday enroute to Venice and three hundred sailors of the regular forces left today for Pola.

REGULAR JOB

"And what might your work have been during the late war?" asked an old lady visiting the Atlantic fleet.

"Ma'am," replied the gob wearily, "I worked on a submarine and every time they wanted to dive I'd run forward and tip 'er up."

BANKS REPORT DEPOSITS GAIN SUBSTANTIALLY

Substantial increases over their deposits at the last call were reported by two local banks in reporting their condition as of December 29 on the call issued Wednesday, and two of the rest, who held their own, report increases in deposits ranging from a quarter to a half million in deposits.

This substantial showing—the total of deposits was nearly $29,000,000—was made in spite of the fact that the call came at a time when a large part of the individual deposits were lowered on account of expenditures at the Christmas season, and for the payment of taxes, and came before the receipt of the heavy deposits from oil runs for the last half of the month.

Deposits announced by the various local banking institutions follows:

First National, $8,658,169.95.
City National Bank of Commerce $14,214,100.00.
Wichita State, $2,665,028.38.
American National $1,098,055.76.
Exchange National $423,555.02.
State Trust Company $114,615.34.
Security National $1,740,960.42.
Totals, $28,914,484.87.

Negro Is Seated In Legislature

By Associated Press

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 5.—W. M. Moore, the first negro ever to be seated in the Missouri legislature, took oath of office today with other members of the house of representatives. Moore was elected from the Sixth district of St. Louis.

The sixth district is in the fashionable "west end" of that city. The seat occupied by Moore is one of the most conspicuous in the hall and his desk was literally covered with flowers.

CORNELL FUND GROWS

ITHACA.—Latest returns from all parts of the country show that Cornell University's endowment fund has passed the $6,000,000 mark. The goal sought by the university is $10,000,000.

SEWER CAVE-IN BURIES WORKER BENEATH DIRT

Quick work by fellow employes saved the life of Joe L. Boyd, employe of the C. R. Nichols Construction company Wednesday afternoon, when he was completely covered by several feet of dirt resulting from a cave-in on a 12-foot ditch on the south side near the Lake road.

Other employes saw the cave-in start and were able to uncover Boyd's head before he smothered to death.

The cavelngs were removed. He was taken to the Wichita General hospital. Examination showed that he had a broken ankle and minor body bruises. He was resting quietly, according to reports from the hospital Wednesday night.

Boyd was walking in the 12-foot ditch on the south side, which is part of the sewer work now being done by the Nichols company when a cave-in at the top of the ditch started. He was unable to escape and was knocked down and covered with the dirt.

According to other employes he would have been unable to have thrown off the dirt had assistance not been given.

Aching joints, rheumatic pains, neuralgia, can be relieved quickly by a rubbing application of Ballard's Snow Linament. It is a powerful penetrating remedy. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and $1.20 per bottle. Sold by your druggist.—Adv.

Notice is hereby given of the dissolution of the partnership heretofore doing business under the firm name of Ewalt & Waggener. As successors to the said partnership Messrs. Ewalt, Parfet & Marlow will continue business in the offices formerly occupied by Ewalt & Waggener, Suite 411-417, Morgan building. James P. Waggener, the retiring member of the firm, will continue in business in his individual capacity at his office in the City National Bank building, Room 1203.
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THE RECORD NEWS DAILY PAGE FOR WOMEN

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Little-McFall Wedding Solemnized Wednesday

The pretty and interesting wedding of Miss Ivy Little and Julian McFall was solemnized at the First Methodist church, south, Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

The ring ceremony was read by the Reverend H. D. Knickerbocker, pastor of the church.

Ferns, palms and cut flowers were used in profusion for decorations and Mrs. Fred Barron accompanied on the organ by Miss Ila Cook, sang the pre-nuptial solo, "I Love You."

As the wedding march from Lohengrin was played by Miss Cook, the wedding party entered, the bride on the arm of her brother, L. H. Little, who gave her to be married.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Elsie Little of Waco, as maid of honor and by Miss Gussie Keil, as bridesmaid.

Mr. McFall had for his best man, H. H. McFall and W. C. Chapman was groomsman. The ushers were B. B. Randolph and O. E. Brown.

The bride made a lovely figure in her traveling suit of brown duvetyne with fur trimmings and hat to match. She carried a shower boquet of pink Kilarney roses tied with pink tulle.

The bridesmaids wore charming afternoon gowns of blue. Miss Little wore the midnight blue velvet with black lace trimmings and Miss Keil was attractive in a gown of navy blue with silver trimmings. Both wore picture hats of lace and carried shower bonkuets of pink roses.

The bride is popular in church and social circles here, having made her home with her sister, Mrs. K. E. Bauch, Jr.

She has been connected with the Crane-Willis insurance agency for the past year. Mr. McFall is a member of the firm of McFall Bros., local automobile dealers.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding included the mother and sister of the bride, Mrs. Herbert Little and Miss Elsie Little of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. McFall left for a wedding tour which will include New York city and other points in the east, after which they will be at home at 2007 Huff avenue.

Matinee Party Honors Guest From Colorado

Honoring Mrs. Marion Wallace of Buena Vista, Colorado, attractive house guest of Mrs. D. G. Whitney, Mrs. G. Clint Wood entertained Tuesday afternoon with a matinee party at the Olympic, which was followed by a pretty tea and refreshment course at the home of Mrs. Wood.

The attractive blue and gold dining room of the Wood home was artistically decorated with poinsettias and white and gold Chinese lillies. The dining table was covered with cloth in the natural linen color, elaborately embroidered in orange and blue, with a pot of rose cyclomen for the center.

Hrs. Whitney poured tea and Mrs. Wallace served the salad course. They were assisted by Mesdames C. B. Felder, W. W. Gardner, C. R. Hartsook and C. W. Snider.

The plates were carried by the guests into the living room where Mrs. H. M. Young entertained with vocal numbers and Mrs. F. R. Collard with instrumental selections.

The guest list included Mesdames Wallace of Buena Vista, Colo., D. G. Whitney, Lester Jones, T. J. Waggoner, Preston Lea, P. M. Lea of Corsicana, W. B. Guthrie, C. W. Snider, Duff of Horton, Kans., W. W. Stk, T. P. Adams, J. R. Parks, Virgie Lowenstein, W. W. Gardner, W. R. Ferguson, W. J. Grisham, J. C. A. Guest, F. R. Collard, W. L. Robertson, H M. Young, C. B. Felder, N. H. Martin, C. B. Montgomery, W. B. Hamilton, Bert Broday and W. A. Freear.

Carlos Meinhard Opens Art Exhibition at Kemp

Carlos H. Meinhard of New York city, has opened a studio in the Kemp hotel and will have on display for a short time one of the largest and most elaborate displays of oil paintings ever shown in this city, it was announced Wednesday.

This collection contains pictures by both the foreign and American art leaders.

Among the great artists whose works Mr. Meinhard has in his collection are several National Academians, including Bruce Crane, George Inness, Ralph Blakelock, A. Wyant, Harry Ranger, Elliott Dangerfield and J. G. Brown. The subjects of the pictures are varied, including landscapes, animals, character pictures and the famous cattle pictures by Marie Dieterle who is the daughter of the famous Van Marke, the cattle painter.

"The Newsboy" and "Bootblack" are among the life-like character pictures shown in the J. G. Brown collection.

Miss Florence Prechel Entertains for Visitor

Miss Florence Prechel was hostess to a dinner party Monday evening at her home, 1835 Eleventh street, honoring Miss Lucile Walters of Dallas.

The house and dinner table decorations were pink and white sweet peas, and covers were laid for twelve.

Following the dinner the guests formed a party at the Wichita Theater.

NOVEL BOUDOIR CAP IS PARIS' LATEST



The most popular boudoir cap in Paris today is said to be this "Phrygian cap," or cap of liberty. It is made of Chantilly lace with medallion insets of brocaded ribbon outlined in narrow black velvet. The cap is also edged with the velvet and with a ruffle of the dainty lace. It is just the fitting accompaniment for one of the exquisite new negligees.

HEART AND HOME PROBLEMS
By MRS. ELIZABETH THOMPSON

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a young married woman and have not lived in this town long. Certain women from the church I attend have called and are doing everything to make me like the town. I do like it and am happy in all except one way.

We liave in an apartment on the second floor. After we had been here two weeks the woman in the apartment next door told me that the lady below was telling everyone I had stolen her tea towels. I have been unjustly accused of many things in my life, but I certainly have never been accused of stealing before.

You can't imagine how I felt when I heard about it. I thanked the woman next door for telling me and I assured her that the other woman was mistaken. I cried all the afternoon and thought I could not wait until my husband got home.

He felt very badly to have such a thing said and he was so angry that I didn't know what he would do to the woman. We decided to call on her and talk it over. When we got down to her apartment we found she was not at home. Later we learned that she was away for two weeks.

At the end of the two weeks I saw the woman was home and so I called on her. She said it was very strange about the towels, because she recognized them as her own as soon as she saw them on my line and so she took two of them down.

She brought out an armful of linen tea towels and showed me. I told her it was not unreasonable that we should have the same kind as long as they were so plain and ordinary. I have seen the same thing in the homes of almost all of my friends. Then I showed her my towels which were like hers.

She said she was sorry such a thing happened, but she felt it was a natural thing for her to assume. I told her I wanted my towels back and she gave them to me, but she was very angry when she did so and acted as if I were in the wrong.

What can I do to right myself with my neighbors? It is a terrible thing to be accused of being a thief.—Mrs. H. C.

It is a terrible thing for an honorable woman to be accused of being a thief, but at the same time it is a ridiculous thing. You might tell the woman next door the outcome of your talk to the woman, and let it go at that. Be as kind as you can in what you say about the woman who took your towels. If you are charitable toward her you will be more apt to get sympathy than if you are resentful.

In a few weeks the matter will have passed over. Your reputation has not been ruined with your neighbors. If your next-door neighbor knows the truth about the matter, and if she likes you, she will do all in her power to right the matter and it will not be necessary for you to think or do anything about it.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I was given a very pretty vase for Christmas from my finance. Our cat knocked it from the mantle and broke it into a thousand pieces. I tried to buy another like it, but cannot.

What shall I do? Shall I tell my fiance about the accident? We expect to be married in the spring and he will wonder why I do not have his vase in our home.—In Doubt.

Yes, tell your finance about the accident. He will see that you are sorry. Sooner or later he will have to know because he will expect to see it in use. If he does not see it and does not know the truth, his feelings will be hurt.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS
By MRS. MORTON

MENU HINT.

Breakfast.

Half an Orange Cornflakes
Poached Egg on Toast
Conserve Coffee Cake
Coffee

Luncheon.

Lettuce Sandwich Cake
Hot Chocolate

Dinner.

Cream of Tomato Soup
Celery Baked Veal Birds
Mashed Potatoes
Stewed Tomatoes
Bread Butter
Lettuce Salad (Thousand Island Dressing)
Apple Pudding Tea

TESTED RECIPES.

Baked Veal Birds—Get a veal steak, cut thin, and half as much pork sausage. Cut meat in small pieces and roll around a small piece of sausage, dust with salt and pepper and fasten together with toothpicks. Rub butter all around outside and put in baking pan with a little water and bake about one hour.

Lettuce Salad (Thousand Island Dressing — One-half head lettuce. Dressing: Make boiled dressing of one teaspoon butter, two teaspoons sugar, one-half teaspoon salt, one teaspoon dry mustard, add one egg beaten in one-half cup of vinegar. Let thicken in double boiler. When cool add half as much chili sauce as dressing, also one chopped egg and one sweet pepper. Pour this over dettuce.

Salmon Loaf—One can salmon picked fine with a fork, four eggs, four tablespoons butter, three-quarters cup bread crumbs, salt and pepper to taste.

Combine ingredients and steam one hour in a quart bowl. Serve with white sauce or egg sauce.

WHEN EGGS ARE SCARCE.

Suet Pudding for Cold Days—Suet pudding is a hearty dessert and is best to serve in cold weather. Often the butcher will include a piece of suet in with a roast for the asking. This may be put through the food grinder and flour rubbed into it and then put in a can. It will keep a long time in cold weather. No shortening or eggs are required, so the pudding is inexpensive and delicious.

One cup brown sugar, one cup sweet milk, one cup ground suet, one cup ground raisins, one teaspoon cinnamon, one teaspoon nutmeg, one teaspoon baking powder, two and one-half cups flour.

Steam three hours and serve hot with a hard sauce or any sauce preferred.

Pumpkin Tapioca Pudding—Take one-half cup pearl tapico and soak in a cup of water over night. In the morning or when ready to bake the pudding add this to two cups cooked or steamed pumpkin or squash, one cup top milk, one beaten egg, add one-half cup sugar or enough to make the right sweetness, and one-half teaspoon cinnamon and allspice and one-quarter teaspoon nutmeg, or one can use only one kind of spice if preferred. Many will like a little ginger.

One tablespoon of molasses will also improve this pudding.

Pour into a baking dish and bake for about 30 minutes in a moderate oven. The tapioca makes it unnecessary to use so many eggs.

Squash Pie—Here is a recipe for squash pie which may be new to some: Line a deep pie tin with rich crust and fill with a layer of thinly sliced steamed squash. Sprinkle with sugar and nutmeg. Then add another layer of squash, sugar and nutmeg. Pour over it one cup of sweet milk, one beaten egg and one-half cup sugar; cover with top crust and bake.



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For grateful relief from that swollen, dry and stiff sensation, bathe your feet with Resinol Soap and *hot* water. Then apply Resinol Ointment, rubbing it in thoroughly and allowing it to remain on for ten or fifteen minutes or over night, if possible.

This mild treatment rarely fails to soothe and invigorate tired, aching feet. All druggists sell Resinol Soap and Ointment.

D. A. R. to Meet With Mrs. Jackson Today

The D. A. R. will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. L. Jackson, 810 Denver. Members were urged to be present.

Beta Delphians Meet With Mrs. W. S. Curlee

The Beta Delphians will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Walter Curlee. All members are requested to be present.

Texas Postmasters Named by President

Special to The Record News.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The following postmasters have been appointed in Texas, Postmaster General Burleson announces:

Coleyville, Cottle county, Ransom H. Cline, vice Amanda Parr, resigned; Joxye, Madison county, Samuel A. Strend, vice Joel L. Blair, resigned; Weinert, Haskell county, Pearl B. Siddens, vice Margaret Li. Cockrell, resigned; Big Lump, Milam county, Guy Clymore, vice James L. Tally, resigned; Brad, Palo Pinto county, new office, R. A. Mallory; Guys Store, Leon county, Hester Thomason, vice Howard Y. Hollaman, resigned; Notia, Ochiltree county, new office, Mary L. Hamilton; Whiteflat, Motley county, Myra B. Bryan, vice Henry L. McEntire, resigned.

Wolves Rapidly Are Disappearing From This State

Special to The Record News.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—A census of the wolf population in the Texas Panhandle, western Oklahoma and New Mexico, if such a census were possible, would show that the coyote population has fallen off more than 50 percent in the last ten years, the United States biological survey today said.

However, that section of the country is still considerably infested with wolves, coyotes and bob-cats, the survey added.

BANK BECOMES MEMBER.

Special to The Record News.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The federal reserve board announces that the First Guaranty bank of Cross Plains has been admitted to the federal reserve system. The Cross Plains bank has a capital of $30,000 and total resources of $256,165.

To drive out worms that are eating away the strength and vitality of your child, ue Wsetaoinetsoian fuge, it expels the worms without injury to the child. Price 35c. Sold by your druggist.—Adv.

GAVE HER A SHOCK

Bill Smith, a country shopkeeper, went to the city to buy goods. They were sent immediately and reached home before he did. When the boxes were delivered Mrs. Smith, who was keeping the shop, uttered a scream, seized a hatchet, and began frantically to open the largest one.

"What's the matter, Sarah!" asked one of the bystanders, who had watched her in amazement.

Pale and faint, Mrs. Smith pointed to an inscription on the box. It read —"Bill inside."

Do You Want Some Bargains?

BEGINNING THIS MORNING AT 8:15 O'CLOCK, LASTING ONLY NINE DAYS, ENDING SATURDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 15TH

When We Will Invoice and Then Open Our Spring Campaign

IF THESE ARE NOT BARGAINS WE DO NOT KNOW HOW TO GIVE THEM—HERE THEY ARE

FIFTY DRESSES
In Tricotines, Serges, Messalines and other splendid materials. We were getting up to $37.50 for these this time last year. They go for $9.95

25 Misses' and Ladies' Coats
Values up to $25.00 go for..... $5.95

25 Plush Coats
Values up to $50.00, all go for ..$19.85

FIFTY SUITS
Sizes 16 to 44, values up to $39.85, for only $12.95
(Not a "junky" suit in the lot)
All other Suits go for Half price—you know what this means.

35 of Our Very Best Jersey Petticoats
Sold last year for $10.00—they'll all go for $2.98

"The Early Bird Gets the Worm"—COME EARLY

All Skirts, Half Price
You know what this means.

200 Pairs Ladies' Pure Silk Hose
Values up to $2.95, all colors—they go for 98c

100 pairs Ladies' Hose, pair 7c
100 Boudoir Caps, all silk—values up to $1.00 for 25c

1,500 Yards Gingham
Cost us 35c yard. These are the choicest patterns—while it lasts 12½c

2,000 Yards Outing
Standard grade, no junk, both light and dark, yard 11c

50 Boys' Suits
Values up to $12.95, sizes 10 to 18—they go for $5.95

All Boys' Overcoats, Half Price

50 Pairs Suede Gloves
Made in Belgium; values up to $1.55—they go for 79c

50 of Our Choicest Blouses
Values up to $12.50 go for $3.95

25 Bathrobes
Blanket and Corduroy—values up to $15.00, your choice $5.45

All Furs, Half Price
You know what this means.

40 Skinner's Satin Petticoats and Bloomers
We got $12.95 for them last year. They go for $5.25

All Sweaters, Half Price
If you don't believe these are bargains, see them

30 New Camisoles
Values up to $2.50 for 75c

50 Children's Gingham Dresses
Values up to $3.00 for $1.39

Blankets and Comforts
50 Comforts cost us high as $7.00—they go for $3.98
50 Blankets cost us high as $6.50—they go for $3.98

We Are Losing Money; Why Not? Everybody Else Is.

Everything in our splendid stocks will carry radical reductions. We must not lose our reputation as a Bargain Basement and we are going to give bigger and better bargains throughout the year of 1921.

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RICHARDSON'S BARGAIN BASEMENT
~The Ladies and Childrens Shop~

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STOCKS BONDS

DAILY FINANCIAL, OIL AND MARKET NEWS

GRAIN COTTON

ARGENTINE NEWS SENDS WHEAT DOWN

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Assertions that Argentina was offering wheat to Germany at 15c to 20c cheaper than United States wheat could be obtained, had a bearish influence today on the wheat market here. Prices closed nervous, 3½c to 4½c net lower with March 1.69½ to 1.69 3-4 and May 1.64 to 1.64 1-4. Corn lost 3-4 to 1 1-8c and oats at 5-8 to 3-4c. In provisions the finish was unchanged to 5c higher.

From the outset, lack of export buying gave an advantage to the bears in the wheat market and it was even considered that foreign purchases on a large scale in this country were about at an end. Strength in sterling exchange failed to act as a stimulus and so likewise did gossip that a majority of North Dakota farmers were holding out for $2 a bushel.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
Mar. ..	1.72	1.72½	1.68½	1.69½
May ..	1.66	1.67¼	1.63¼	1.64
CORN—				
May ..	74⅜	74⅜	71⅝	74⅛
July ..	75⅝	75½	74⅝	75⅛
OATS—				
May ..	49¼	50⅝	48¾	48⅞
July ..	48⅞	48⅞	47¾	48
PORK—				
Jan. ..	....	....	....	23.85
LARD—				
Jan. ..	12.75	12.85	12.75	12.85
May ..	13.50	13.52	13.37	13.50
RIBS—				
Jan. ..	11.40	11.45	11.32	11.45
May ..	12.12	12.17	12.05	12.17

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 5.—Cotton spot in improved demand; prices irregular. Good middling, 11.53; fully middling, 10.53; middling, 9.53; low middling, 7.78; good ordinary, 6.28; ordinary, 5.53. Sales, 3,000 bales, including 2,600 American. Receipts, 15,000 bales, including 12,300 American. Futures closed steady; January, 9.60; March, 9.72; May, 9.81; July, 9.82; October, 9.75; December, 9.74.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,500; market on beef steers uneven, but mostly steady, with best kind dull. Early sales, $7.50@9.40; best offerings held at $10.50@11.00; she stock, calves, canners and feeders steady; bulls and stockers strong to 25c higher; good and choice cows, $6.25@7.30; good heifers, $7.50; best vealers, $12.50; bulk bulls, $5.75@6.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; market uneven, steady to 15c lower; mostly 10c lower; early weakness regained at closed top, $9.35. Bulk of sales, $8.90@9.20; pigs steady to 15c higher; good and choice fat pigs, $9.75@9.90.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; market on sheep and lambs steady. Fed Western ewes, $4.15; yearlings, $8.50; lambs, $10.35.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Butter—Higher; creamery extras, 54½c.

Eggs—Lower; receipts, 3,045 cases; firsts, 63@64c.

Poultry—Alive, higher; fowls, 28c; springs, 27c; turkeys, 40c.

FORT WORTH LIVE STOCK.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; market steady. Beeves, $5.00@8.35; stockers, $4.50@7.25; cows, $3.00@6.60; canners, $2.00@3.00; heifers, $3.50@8.00; bulls, $3.00@5.00; calves, $3.50@9.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,500; market unchanged. Light, $9.00@9.25; heavy, $8.75@9.00; medium, $8.50@8.75; mixed, $8.00@8.50; common, $7.00@8.00; pigs, $7.00@8.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 350; market steady. Lambs, $5.00@11.00; yearlings, $5.00@8.00; wethers, $5.00@7.00; ewes, $3.00@5.00; culls, $1.00@3.00; goats, $1.00@3.00.

LIBERTY BONDS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s, 93.20; first 4s, 85.50 bid; second 4s, 86.40; first 4¼s, 86.80; second 4¼s, 86.68; third, 4¼s, 89.86; fourth 4¼s, 86.80; victory 3¾s, 96.72; victory, 4¾s, 96.76.

TEXAS COTTON.

DALLAS, Jan. 5.—Cotton middling—Steady; $13.45.

At Houston—Steady; 13.85.

At Galveston—Steady; 14.00.

SUGAR UNCHANGED.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The local market for raw sugar was unchanged at 4½c for Cubas, cost and freight, equal to 5.52 for centrifugal. There were additional sales late on Tuesday of 25,000 bags of Cubas, and today's business amounted to only 25,000 bags, the old and new crop all at the 4½c level.

There was no change in refined prices, which continue to be listed at 7.90 to 8.00 for fine granulated, and there is said to be a good steady demand. The futures market was easier and prices broke rather sharply, showing declines of 19 to 22 points at the close, or at the lowest level of the day. Trade interests were the principal sellers. Closing bids: January, 4.60; March, 4.89; May, 4.84; July, 4.90.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST

Stock—	Number of Sales.	Last Sale.
American Beet Sugar	1000	44½
American Can	3200	27
Amer. Car & Fndry.	2300	120
Amer. H. & L. pfd.	1300	46½
Amer. Inter. Corp.	3900	39¾
American Locomotive	400	82
American Linseed	1300	54⅜
Amer. Smlt. & Rfng.	4400	37½
American Sugar	2500	91
Amer. Sum. Tobacco	1600	76
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	4400	97¾
American Woolen	2000	61
Anaconda Copper	11300	37¾
Atchison	1100	83
Atlantic Coast Line	300	84½
Atl., Gulf & W. Ind.	11300	70½
Baldwin Locomotive	34000	87
Baltimore & Ohio	5600	35⅜
Bethlehem Steel B	5200	56¼
Canadian Pacific	2200	116
Central Leather	2500	38⅛
Chandler Motors	2100	65¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	1500	60
Chi., Mil. & St. Paul	3100	29⅛
Chi., R. I. & Pac.	3800	36
Chino Copper	5400	22½
Coca Cola	900	20¼
Colorado Fuel & Iron	400	27½
Corn Products	4300	66⅛
Crucible Steel	25200	79⅛
Cuba Cane Sugar	2300	22⅞
Erie	4900	14
General Electric	2400	121¼
General Motors	9500	14⅜
Great Northern pfd.	2000	75½
*Gulf States Steel	....	29
Illinois Central	200	89
Inspiration Copper	3400	33¾
Int. Mer. Mar. pfd.	2700	52
International Nickel	5800	15
International Paper	5000	44⅛
Kennecott Copper	8200	20
Louis. & Nashville	200	101¼
Mexican Petroleum	44700	154
Mimai Cipper	3100	18⅞
Middle States Oil	6300	13¾
Midvale Steel	2800	31¾
Missouri Pacific	1300	19⅜
New York Central	1700	71
N. Y., N. H. & H.	2100	18¾
Norfolk & Western	500	100
Northern Pacific	3200	82⅝
Okla. Prod. & Rfng.	2100	3½
Pan-Amer. Petroleum	18300	73¼
Pennsylvania	3100	41¼
Pittsburgh & W. Va.	500	28⅝
Pure Oil	2000	34⅞
Ray Con. Copper	4600	13½
Reading	7000	82½
Replogle Steel	100	34½
Rep. Iron & Steel	2800	62⅞
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	9900	64
St. L. & San Fran.	2000	22⅜
Seaboard Air Line	1000	6½
Do. preferred	300	11⅜
Shell Trans. & Trad.	1600	43½
Sinclair Oil & Rfng.	17800	22⅞
Sl.-Shef. St. & Iron	500	51
Southern Pacific	14700	98⅞
Southern Railway	5200	22½
Do. preferred	100	57¼
Std. Oil of N. J. pfd.	3100	105⅜
Studebaker Corp.	5300	46⅜
Tennessee Copper	3500	8½
Texas Company	7200	43⅞
Texas & Pacific	600	16⅜
Tobacco Products	2300	54⅞
Transcontinental Oil.	3500	7¾
Union Pacific	2600	118⅝
United Fruit	600	196
U. S. Food Products	3100	22¼
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	800	65¼
U. S. Retail Stores	4700	55¼
U. S. Rubber	5600	64½
United States Steel	20300	81¾
Do. preferred	400	107
Utah Copper	5800	54½
Vanadium Corp.	2300	32⅞
Vir.-Car. Chemical	500	36¾
Western Union	300	87¼
Westing. Electric	5600	44
Willys-Overland	1000	6¾

Total sales, 646,300 shares.

TEXANS URGE FIGHT ON TAX FOR DEPOSITS

Special to The Record News.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—A number of Texas banks and commercial organizations have written to Texas congressmen urging them to vote against the bill introduced by Representative Treadway, of Massachusetts, a republican member of the house ways and means committee, proposing a tax of one-quarter of 1 per cent on all bank deposits.

Texas members say there is little liklihood of the bill ever getting past a committee pigeon-hole. To one of his constituents, Congressmen John C. Box of the Second Texas district, remarked that it probably would get nowhere, and was introduced by Treadway to illustrate along with the bill introduced by Representative Tinkham, also of Massachusetts, to cut down Southern representation in congress, what the country migh expect now that New England has succeeded the South in the legislative saddle.

Treadway estimated that the bank deposit tax would net a revenue of approximately $1,000,000,000 annually. Congressman Box, on the other hand, said it would yield little revenue, would wreck many banking institutions and cause thousands of people to discontinue depositing and secrete their money about their homes and therefore would increase burglaries and other crimes.

NEW YORK COTTON

By Associated Press

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—There was a sharp advance in the cotton market today. Yesterday's reactions were more than recovered. The general list closed firm at a net advance of 86 to 105 points. Reports of increasing domestic mill activity and an improved tone in the goods market at home and abroad were considered confidential responsible for the movement. January sold up to 15.85 and May to 15.06 in the late trading when active months generally showed net advances of 88 to 95 points. Private returns indicating a ginning of 11,640,000 bales prior to January 1, and pointing to a crop of between 13,000,000 and 13,280,000 bales may have accounted for some of the early selling, but offerings were comparatively light later in the day and there was not a great deal of southern selling after the first hour. Private cables from Liverpool said better Manchester advices had caused covering and re-buying in the market there, and Liverpool houses were active buyers around the local ring during the first hour and again at the close. The strength of foreign exchange was a factor on the advance.

Reports of a steadier basis in the Southwest with rumors of export inquiry were received. Most of the local brokers, however, attributed the advance to the better news from the goods trade and reports that, owing to lower costs of production, mills might run up stocks pending a further improvement for forward business.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 5.—Cash wheat—No. 1 hard, $1.77@1.82; No. 2, $1.75@1.81; No. 1 red, $1.95@1.97; No. 2, $1.94@1.96.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 63c; No. 2 white, 65½c; No. 2 yellow, 67c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 45½@46c; No. 2 mixed, 46½c.

Rye—$1.55.

GOVERNMENT IS LOSING MEN BY HIGHER WAGES

Special to The Record News.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 5.—The government continues to lose valuable men from the various executive departments here because these men are unable to live on the low salaries paid.

The latest to go is Dr. F. G. Cottrell, director of the United States Bureau of Mines, who leaves to take up the chairmanship of the division of chemistry and chemical technology of the national research council.

Dr. Cottrell has been in office only since June, having succeeded Dr. Van H. Manning, who went to the American Petroleum Institute at a salary of four or five times as large as he received as head of the bureau of mines.

The quick changes in the bureau of mines has been especially disappointing to Congressmen Parrish, Lanham and other Texans representing oil producing districts. Shortly after coming here, Congressman Parrish succeeded in getting an appropriation of $50,000 for experiments to prevent waste in the Texas fields and this year an item for the same purpose of $50,000 is carried in the Sundry Civil bill.

Congressman Parrish had talked over plans of expenditure with Dr. Manning before he resigned. Then, just as Dr. Cottrell became acquainted with conditions he also is resigning. Mr. Parrish contends that the changes prevent proper administration of the bureau, but does not criticise these men for leaving when they find that the salary is entirely inadequate.

Congressman Good, republican, Iowa, chairman of the house appropriations committee, called attention to havoc wrought in the government service by low salaries, during discussion of the Sundry Civil bill and said they must be raised.

It is expected that Director Cottrell will be succeeded by H. Foster Bain of California. Mr. Bain was one of Herbert Hoover's assistants in London on the Belgian relief work during the war, and was once with the geological survey.

COFFEE STEADIER.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Coffee futures showed rather a steadier tone during today's early trading owing to the better feeling reported in the cotton trade and higher foreign exchange rates.

The market reacted later on reports of unsettled market in Brazil, with March selling back to 6.39 and May to 6.75. The close was net 2 points higher to 2 points lower.

Spot coffee, nominal; Rio 7s, 6¼@6½c; Santos 4s, 8¾@9½c.

In spite of her predilection for blizzards, Canada doesn't want to be snowed under at Geneva. — Boston Transcript.

STOCK MARKET SHOWS APATHY ON DULL DAY

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Business on the stock exchange today was almost wholly a matter of professional operations, the net result favoring an increasingly confident interest.

Trading was small in volume and variety of offerings than at any period in the last fortnight, but the weakness of certain obscure industrials and specialties denoted a recurrence of the December liquidation in those issues.

In its broader aspect the most interesting and significant feature of the session was the strength of foreign exchange, especially the British rate, which continued its advance to the highest quotations in several months.

Unlike yesterday, all the continental markets shared in the rise of sterling bills, as did also Canada, China and South America.

The money market pursued an unruffled course, both as to call and time loans.

Liberty issues were the conspicuous features of a strong bond market, the entire group making variable additions to recent gains. Copper issues also were strong, but tractions reacted.

Total sales, par value, $14,650,000.

Amusements

MAJESTIC

The next picture starring Will Rogers, the celebrated "cow-boy actor" playing for Goldwyn, will reveal him in an entirely different role from any he has yet attempted. In "Guile of Women" he takes the part of a Swedish sailor and does it to perfection. The film comes to Majestic theater for two days, commencing tomorrow (Friday.)

"Didn't I tole you about voman? By lies she makes herself strong, and by lies she makes man weak!" is the warning given Hjalmar Maartens (Will Rogers) by his friend Skole (Bert Sprotte) in the picture. The two are sailing men aboard an oil steamer. Yal, though at heart an idealist where women are concerned, is inclined to Skole's cynical view, because of his unhappy affair with Hulda, his sweetheart in the "old country." Skole tells Yal that all women are designing and deceitful, and Yal is moved to relate the story of Hulda. "Dat bane one queer ting, Skole. I sent t'ousand dollar to Hulda to come to America to marry me, and now it bane five years and no Hulda!"

There are exciting happenings before Hjalmar is reunited with Hulda and convinced that Skole is wrong about women. It is one of the best pictures Rogers has made.

OLYMPIC

Was it the superb acting of Viola Dana, she of the ever-present charm, or was it the pure deliciousness of the story itself, crammed with unlooked for twists and the stuff that romance is built of, that made the audience respond so enthusiastically to "Cinderella's Twin," the Metro special which had its first showing yesterday at Olympic theater, where it began a run of two days as the featured picture?

More than one must have asked the question, in turn tickled with the humorous characterization that Viola Dana spun into her role of a little scullery maid, and carried away by the sweep of the plot. But whatever the answer, there is no doubt that this production, written and scenarioized by the well-known writer, Luther Reed, is far out of the ordinary.

Wallace MacDonald plays Prentice Blue, consummately, as do the supporting cast, including Ruth Stonehouse, Edward Connelly, Edward Cecil, Gertrude Short, Irene Hunt, Victory Bateman, Gilbert Clayton and Calvert Carter. Dallas M. Fitzgerald directed the picture, under personal supervision of Bayard Veiller, director of production.

EMPRESS.

Buck Jones, the new addition to the William Fox list of stars, has put in weeks of strenuous work on "The Square Shooter," the new photodrama at the Plaza theater today.

Buck Jones is a cowboy—a real cowboy, as his work in this thrilling photoplay will probably attest. The story is said to be filled with tense situations, touching love scenes and delightful comedy. It tells of the amusing but at the same time nearly fatal results of mistaken identity. The scenes are laid in the picturesque Northwest, where cattle thieving is an unforgivable crime.

Pretty Josie Sedgwick plays opposite Buck Jones, and several other pretty girls add to the laughs and gayety of the play.

The cast includes Margaret Cullington, Frederick Starr, Ernest Shields, Lon Poff, Dick La Reno and H. W. Padgett. The story is by Alvin J. Neitz, and Charles Swickard directed the production.

New York Bonds

**U. S. 2s, coupon	101
**U. S. 4s, coupon	106
Amer. Smlt. & Rfng. 5s	74⅞
Amer. Tel. & Tel. cv. 6s	96¾
Atchison gen. 4s	76½
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	78
Baltimore & Ohio cv. 4½s	68⅛
Bethlehem Steel ref. 5s	79
Central of Georgia con. 5s	84
*Central Leather 5s	88⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio cv. 5s	83
Chicago, B. & Q. jnt. 4s	96⅜
Chi., Mil. & St. P. cv. 4½s	69⅛
City of Paris 6s	95
Colo. & Southern ref. 4½s	72⅜
Den. & Rio Grande con. 4s	64
Dom. of Canada 5s (1931)	87⅛
Erie gen. 4s	43
Illinois Central ref. 4s	75¾
Int. Mer. Marine 6s	78
Kansas City Southern ref. 5s	74¼
Liggett & Myers 5s	78½
Louis. & Nashville un. 4s	81
Mo., Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	58½
Missouri Pacific gen. 4s	54⅛
New York Central deb. 6s	91½
Norfolk & Western cv. 6s	104¾
Northern Pacific 4s	76½
Pennsylvania gen. 5s	88
Reading gen. 4s	79½
*Rep. Iron & Steel 5s (1940)	85
St. Louis & San Fran. adj. 6s	64⅞
Seaboard Air Line adj. 5s	37¾
Southern Bell Tel. 5s	81
Southern Pacific cv. 5s	98½
Southern Railway 5s	86¾
Do. gen. 4s	59⅞
Texas & Pacific 1st	78½
Union Pacific 4s	81
U. K. of G. B. & I. 5½s 1937	86
United States Steel 5s	93½
*Virginia-Car. Chemical 5s	90
Wabash 1st	85
Wilson & Co. cv. 6s	83

*Bid. **Offered.

Presidio Silver Mine in Operation Throughout Year

(Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The Presidio silver mine at Shafter, Texas, was in continuous operation during the year 1920, according to Charles W. Henderson of the United States Geological survey, Department of interior. Small shipments of copper and lead ores were made from the Van Horn and Sierra Blanca districts.

The metal production for Texas for the year was 520,000 ounces of silver and small quantities of gold, lead and copper.

COTTON CROP IN MEXICO REDUCED

(Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—According to information obtained by the Boletin Firvanciors y Minerales de Mex., it had been hoped 240,000 bales cotton would have been harvested in Mexico at the end of the season. It is stated now that only 70,000 or 80,000 bales were produced.

Various reasons have been given for this light crop, among them destructive insects, floods and the dought in certain sections.

RESUMPTION OF MILLING SENDS COTTON HIGHER

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 5.—Accounts of many mills increasing their running time, with large plants in some places going on practically full time, was the dominating influence in the cotton market today, and prices were higher from the opening. The rise was gradually widened until, in the last few minutes of the session, it amounted to 87 to 89 points on the more active months.

In the early trading a much better Liverpool market than due completely offset the effect of large ginning returns to private bureaus.

The strong rise in sterling exchange was a factor of consequence in the transactions of the day and so was the general covering movement among shorts, accompanied as it was by gossip that large traders were gunning for the short interest in the later months. Reports of factories outside of the cotton industry starting up proved quite as stimulating as the news from textile centers.

Patents Granted Texas Inventors

(Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The following patents have been granted to Texas inventors, the commissioner of patents announce:

Archie B. Brown, El Paso, tire; Benito J. Donado, Refugio, priming device for internal combustion engines; William R. Ford, Jacksboro, tire; Morris French, Waco, composing and typecasting machine; Walter S. Gillette, Bay City, tire-core; Lawrence H. Hart, Maypearl, tractor-coupling; Orla L. Huffman, Weatherford, power transmitting device; Charles D. McLintick, El Paso, method for vaporing fluids; John F. McMillan, Humble, and C. R. Reed, Houston, fishing tool; Otto W. Stoltz, Mission, auxiliary clutch-pedal lever; Arthur A. Verdell, Dallas, huller.

Herbine corrects biliousness, indigestion and constipation. It is a fine herbal medicine that drives out impurities and restores healthy conditions in the system. Price 60c. Sold by your druggist.—Adv.

Court Records

SUITS FILED.

H. B. Hartsman et al. vs. F. T. Webb et al.; suit to try title for damages.

J. D. Robertson vs. G. C. Cobb; debt.

J. D. Robertson vs. George T. Brown et ux.; garnishment.

The State of Texas vs. W. T. Cunningham, trustee; tax suit.

Olive Boyd vs. Thomas J. Boyd; divorce.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J. C. Boyd et ux. to E. T. Morrison, lots 35 and 36 out of Boyd's sub-division of lot 2, block 7, Bellevue addition; $5,000.

Joe Zaludek to H. T. Moore, tract of land in Wichita county; $7,500.

J. Caruthers et ux. to the State Trust company, lot 13, block 83, Floral Heights addition; $6,500.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

M. Vickery and Mrs. M. Foster, both of Duncan, Okla.

Joe Scoggin and Miss Susie Manning, both of Burkburnett.

George Tarcea and Mrs. Ida O'Brian.

M. F. Jones and Mrs. M. E. Creamer, both of Iowa Park.

OIL LEASES AND ASSIGNMENTS

M. F. Armstrong to W. A. Nash et al., 200.3 acres of land out of N. Debriski survey; $1 and other considerations.

D. F. Rhoads to S. T. Swenson, blocks 20, 21 and 37, Cowherd Brothers sub-division of Palo Pinto county school lands; $10 and other considerations.

W. H. Roberts et al. to L. E. Wilson, 50 acres out of S. Dennison survey; $1 and other considerations.

W. H. Barnett, 40-acre tract out of Waggoner's sub-division of George Wheelwright survey; $1 and other considerations.

L. E. Key et al., trustee to Texas D. K. D. Oil company to A. B. Stovall, 420 acres out of David Cowan survey; $1 and other considerations.

Greece Wants Oil From United States

(Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5. — The American consul at Athens advises that there is an active demand for petroleum products in Greece. Kerosene, however, is a government monopoly. At present, petroleum products are being supplied by only one American firm.

One difference between a railroad conductor and a column conductor is that the former always has a punch. —New York Mail.

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809 Ninth St. Telephone 5220

YOU CAN READ THIS.
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EL REY SISTERS
Assisted by Murray Mencher at the piano, in a novel dance revue.
NEAPOLITAN DUO
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"An Italian Vocal Vista."
Matinee Today, 2:30 p. m.
Two Shows at Night, 7:30 and 9:30

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THE PLUNGER

VICE PRESIDENT'S BANQUET TO PAGES OF SENATE IS A VERY POPULAR EVENT



The pages receiving Vice President Marshall's invitation.

The biggest event of the year in Washington, D. C., to the youthful pages in the senate is Vice President Marshall's annual banquet in their honor. The custom of entertaining and feasting the boys on Christmas day was inaugurated by Marshall the first year he was vice president and has continued each year since. The picture shows with what delight the boys greeted his announcement of the coming banquet.

DECKS CLEARED FOR ACTION ON TARIFF BILLS

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The way was cleared tonight for the unusual situation tomorrow of two congressional committees, one from each body, to hold hearings on two kinds of tariff, emergency and permanent.

The senate finance committee will take up the Fordney emergency tariff bill, designed as a relief measure for farmers. The house ways and means committee will start hearings on revision of the permanent tariff.

Chairman Fordney of the ways and means committee announced today he proposed to begin tomorrow with schedule A (chemicals, paints and oils) of the Underwood tariff act and hold hearings continuously until the whole list was worked over. He also announced his intention to have a tariff bill ready for introduction early in the extra session which President-elect Harding is expected to call within a month after his inauguration.

The senate finance committee will take testimony on the Fordney emergency measure for five days starting tomorrow. Chairman Penrose said his committee would exclude other matters until the bill was ready to report.

Representatives of wool interests will be first heard on the emergency tariff. They will speak for both producing and manufacturing phases of the industry. More than a score of other organizations and persons are seeking to testify, including farmers' organizations, livestock growers, foreign trade associations, exporters and textile manufacturers. The committee has decided also to call members of the United States Tariff Commission.

The house committee will hear views from all branches of the chemical, paint an oil trade. More than forty of these have been assigned places on the program tomorrow, and Friday.

A country boy was watching a parson making a fence. "Well," said the parson, "I suppose you are trying to learn a few tricks on carpentering?" "No, I ain't," said the boy. "I'm waiting to hear what a parson says when he hits his thumb with a hammer."

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HARDING NOW THIRTY-SECOND DEGREE MASON

By Associated Press.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 5.—President-elect Harding became a thirty-second degree Mason tonight at the end of a twelve-hour initiation ceremony participated in by ranking officials of the order from all parts of the United States.

Starting as a Master Mason, the president-elect was raised through the other 28 degrees at a continuous sitting arranged for his accomodation. He was the third chosen chief executive to travel through the higher degrees of Masonry before the Scioto Valley Consistory, James A. Garfield and William McKinley having been given their thirty-second degrees here.

At the conclusion of the ceremony Mr. Harding was presented with a Masonic ring given by the 32nd degree Masons of Marion, his home town, who had occupied posts of honor in the initiation. He may return here Friday to receive membership in the mystic shrine.

With Mrs. Harding the president-elect motored here from Marion this morning, his only conference before leaving home being with Fred Upham of Chicago, treasurer of the republican national committee. He will go back by motor tomorrow morning.

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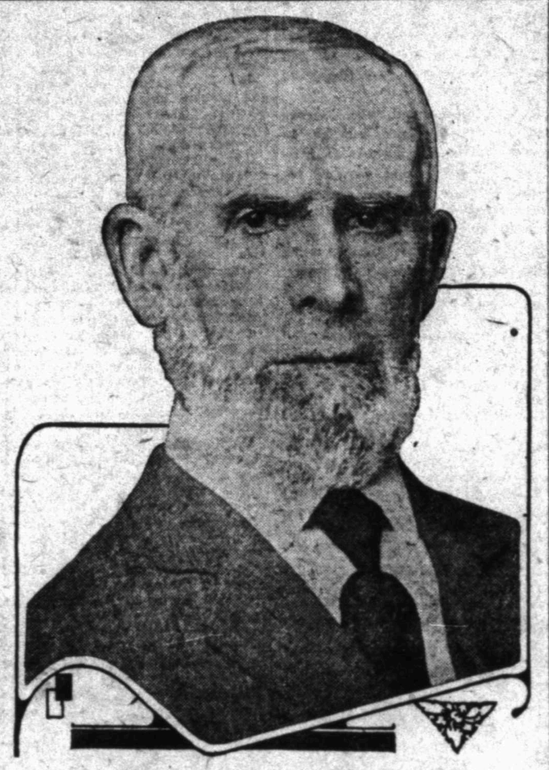
REPORT VALLEY MAY PURCHASE ABILENE ROUTE

Special to The Record News.

STAMFORD, Texas, Jan. 5.—Rumors going the rounds in railroad circles here are to the effect that the Wichita Valley railroad will shortly purchase the Abilene & Southern railway, running from Ballinger to Hamlin, through Anson and Abilene, and that an extension of the Stamford & Northwestern is contemplated from Spur, its present northern terminus, to Tucumcari, N. M. Local officials of the company declared that they had heard such information, but were not in a position to say whether or not such improvements and extensions were on foot.

The Abilene & Southern has about 90 miles of track and is owned and operated by Morgan Jones of Abilene, Texas. It runs its trains over the Wichita Valley from Abilene to Anson.

Quaker Minister Is Grateful To Tanlac



REV. PARKER MOON, CARTHAGE, MO.

Nearly everybody in Southwest Missouri either knows or has heard of the Rev. Parker Moon, who for a full half century has devoted his life and talents to Sunday school and organization work for the Society of Friends or Quakers. He resides at 628 Howard avenue, Carthadge, Mo.

"Uncle Parker" as he is more familiarly known, came from fine old rugged Quaker stock, and there is not a better known or more highly respected cities in that part of the state. In referring to his remarkable restoration to health by Tanlac, he said:

"About five years ago I suffered a general breakdown. My principal trouble was nervous indigestion. My appetite was very poor and my food seldom agreed with me, and I had to live on a very restricted diet. I suffered a great deal from headaches and dizzy spells; I had severe pains across the small of my back and was badly constipated most of the time. In fact, I was so weak and rundown I was not able to attend to my duties.

"This condition made me very nervous and I could not sleep at night. Frequently I would lie awake most all night and was in that condition more or less for five years. My physician said he could not do anything for me and suggested a change of climate. I then moved to Texas and went back and forth three times but did not get the relief I had hoped for. Finally, I got so bad off I was not able to get around with any degree of comfort. I was also told I had heart trouble.

"I had read about Tanlac and, as it had been very highly recommended to me, I decided to try it. I got a bottle and had taken only a few doses until I could notice a marked improvement in my condition. I noticed especially that I was not troubled any more with sour stomach after eating, which was a great relief.

"I kept on taking Tanlac until I fully regained my health. My appetite is splendid; I enjoy my meals and I do not find it necessary now to take any laxative medicine of any kind. I can sleep much better and am not nearly so nervous.

"I take great pleasure in recommending Tanlac to anyone who needs a good system builder, or who suffers with stomach trouble. I have recommended Tanlac to a great many of my friends and am pleased to reach others by giving this statement for publication."

Tanlac is sold in Wichita Falls by Miller Drug Store; in Electra by Tarlton Drug Co., and by all leading druggists.

Special Bargains—

THURSDAY—FRIDAY—SATURDAY

Every day is bargain day at our store, but we are offering Some Extra Special Bargains for These Three Days!

LADIES		GIRLS		BOYS	
Sweaters	$4.95	Sweaters	$2.98	Mayo & Savrin Union Suits	$1.05
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We are now showing some Spring Dresses, each one is a beauty and very reasonably priced. We would like to have you inspect them.

Our Wool Dresses, Suits and Coats are at bottom prices. If you miss these specials, you miss a bargain.

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Success Meets the Well Dressed Man or Woman More Than Half Way in the daily struggle for place—in business, as in social life—to be well clothed is to be well armed.

Clothes are credentials. The world reads them at a glance. "The apparel oft proclaims the man."

Clothes command self-respect—and the respect of others.

Clothes have most to do with the forming of first impressions.

And first impressions are generally the most lasting.

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Owing to the enterprise of American merchants and American clothes makers, America is noted as a well-dressed nation.

Machinery has multiplied the productive power of the ablest artisans in the craft.

Volume of output has made practicable minimum profits. Yet quality is never sacrificed—expense never spared.

It is not uncommon for a concern to employ a $20,000 a year designer to create a style in medium-priced suits or gowns and then buy the entire product of a mill for their materials.

Style, fit and fabric are thus embodied in clothes which could scarcely be produced at double the organization cost by the individual.

To be well dressed today taxes neither the patience nor the purse and never is there a lack of safe guidance in the choice of correct clothes for both men and women.

In the advertising columns of this newspaper, for example, there is almost an endless Revue of Fashions, in which quality and style vie in attractiveness with price.

Attention to the news of clothes in these advertising columns therefore, is a duty which you owe to yourself, remembering always that you can make your appearance an actual cashable asset.

Our readers choose among the choicest offerings in clothes, as well as all other living necessaries and luxuries that are advertised in the

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RECORD NEWS SPORT PAGE

FOOTBALL NEWS BASEBALL DOPE — BOXING RESULTS AND TURF NEWS — TRAPSHOOTING GOLF, TENNIS

JAKE MILLER CLAIMED ON RED WAIVER

Jake Miller, Spudder outfielder, who was drafted by Pittsburgh at the close of the season last year, has been claimed by Pat Moran via the waiver route. Barney Dreyfuss, who acquired him from Salm by draft, recently asked waivers on him and all National league clubs waived, except Cincinnati.

Salm was hopeful that Dreyfuss would turn him back to the Spudder fold in the event the outfielder didn't stick in the big time this year, but the Red's action in claiming upset Walter's dope.

Akron Pitcher Is Released to Galveston Club

AKRON, Ohio, Jan. 5.—Announcement of the sale of Pitcher Harry Harper to the Galveston, Texas league, club was made today by the Akron club of the International league. Harper was farmed to London in the Michigan-Ontario league last season.

Cardinals Will Do Conditioning At Orange, Texas

ORANGE, Texas, Jan. 5.—Branch Rickey, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, completed arrangements here today to train his team at Orange. He left late today for Lake Charles, La., to meet Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Athletics.

Both men are expected to return here tomorrow for a few days of duck shooting.

Umpire Miller's Brother Killed

FORT WORTH, Texas, Jan. 5.—Frank D. Miller, whose body was found in a room occupied by a woman in Kansas City, was a brother of George Miller, an umpire in the Texas league last season, who now resides in Fort Worth.

"Bambino" Will Be Regiment of Artillery Now

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—"Babe" Ruth today asked the police department for a permit to carry a revolver during the "crime wave," and was told he could have 54 of them, the number of home runs he walloped last year, if he desired. He declined the extra 53.

The home run slugger told the police he frequently had considerable money and much jewelry on his person. He intimated a lack of ambition to make any literal home runs with hold-up men at his heels.

Plan for Ketonen To Put on Public Workout Saturday

Plans for Waino Ketonin, middleweight champion wrestler of the world, to hold an exhibition training event Saturday afternoon at the Wichita theater, were announced Wednesday by W. F. Crosbie, manager of the Wichita theater.

Ketonin is expected to reach Wichita Falls Saturday morning to answer the championship challenge of Henry Irslinger, the former holder of the middleweight belt.

Mr. Crosbie plans to hold the workout immediately following the last act of the Saturday afternoon matinee, and invites the public to remain to see the champion in action. Continuing his daily training, Irslinger wrestled with Sailor Lewis and Steve Maryol Wednesday afternoon on the Wichita stage.

Manager Crosbie invites the public to "drop in" at the theater and see the events, which are held at about 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon when no matinee is being played.

Browns Choose Training Camp

By Associated Press.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 5.—The St. Louis Americans will train at Bogalusa, La., this year. The announcement was made in a telegram received here tonight from Business Manager Quinn, who has been in the south for several days looking over prospective camps.

CHAMPION WOMAN POOL PLAYER LEAVES TO PLAY MATCHES IN SOUTH AMERICA



Miss Carolyn Plattner making one of her daily practice shots.

Miss Carolyn Plattner, champion woman pocket billiard player who has defeated many of the best male stars, leaves soon for a year's trip to Panama, South America and Europe to meet all comers for the world's championship title. Miss Plattner will take her own table with her. She had it installed in her hotel suite in New York while she stayed in that city waiting to sail. She practiced daily.

SPORT SNAP SHOTS BY JACK KEENE

Down in Newton, Ala., there is a youth of great ambitions. He is Clarence "Shovel" Hodge, a righthanded hurler, who will attempt to make up part of the losses suffered when Eddie Cicotte and Claude Williams were suspended from the White Sox staff. Hodge joined the Sox late last season and in a game against Detroit made a whale of a showing for a newcomer.

The southern lad is of the tall, rangy variety, such as Frank Chance always demanded when picking mound talent for his great club machine. Hodge is a curve and fastball specialist and so far as can be learned from his record always has boasted fairly good control, something noteworthy for a minor leaguer.

Hodge made the grade from nowhere into the big show in a period of six years. He first played professional ball in 1915 with the Dathon, Ala., club of the F. L. A. G. league, winning fourteen and losing twelve games. His hardest battle that season and one he still looks upon as his greatest achievement, was a seventeen-inning affair the morning of July 4. He pitched the full route and gave only six hits and five passes, but was beaten, 3 to 2.

The season of 1916 found "Shovel" with the Montgomery club of the Sally league. Next year he was at Jacksonville, Fla., under Lee Tannehill, old Sox star. Waco, Texas, was his next stopping place and he finished the season there by winning his last six starts. In 1918 he was out of baseball because of the war, and when he returned to Waco the next season he was so far off form that he was shipped to the Nashville club of the Southern association. He wound up there in such impressive style that he was told to come back for his job in the spring.

His work at Nashville last summer was what attracted White Sox scouts. He seemed to be such a good prospect that a deal for him was consummated in August. He was brought on immediately because there then appeared to be a chance for the Sox to win the pennant and Gleason was woefully shy on pitching talent. He had something like eighteen victories against fourteen defeats with the Southern association team.

When Pat Moran traded Dutch Ruether to Wilbert Robinson for Rube Marquard recently the two managers switched problems. Ridding himself of one "temperamental" southpaw each manager invested in another no less puzzling. Reuther is the greater pitcher of the two involved in the trade. He is younger and has more physical ability. Last season he made a joy ride out of life and Pat Moran who rides a bit himself, couldn't put the brakes on him. The more serious-minded Robinson thinks he can curb Ruether's tendencies. If he can he will have all the best of the trade. Marquard was in bad with Brooklyn for various reasons. His brief career as a ticket scalper during the world's series was a climax to several grievances held against him and there was talk that he was done in Brooklyn before he began his ticket selling campaign during the series. Cincinnati fans are wroth over the deal. They think Ruether should have been kept and made to walk straight, and seem inclined to blame the management of the club more than the player. In Brooklyn they are not saying much—possibly out of regard for Cincinnati feelings. Meanwhile they are wondering what else Robby will do to match the threats of John McGraw and the Giants.

Fire Destroys House and Room Furnishings Just After Owner Buys and Before He Moves In

A few hours after Miss Grace Brown had sold the furnishings and lease rights in a two-story rooming house at Sixth and Lamar streets Wednesday to J. Brannon and before he took possession fire destroyed the house and all its contents. The fire took place at noon. All stations were called to prevent spread of the flames.

The beds, furniture and personal property of the roomers were destroyed. The gutted building was declared an $8,000 loss. The building was the property of F. H. Denison.

Firemen were unable to ascertain any estimate of the personal losses of the roomers. One woman reported the loss of $50 in currency left in the pocket of a $200 cloak, which was destroyed, together with the rest of her personal property.

Rubber hose connections were responsible for the fire, according to Fire Chief McClure. Occupants of the house gave conflicting reports of the origin of the fire. It seemed, according to firemen, that the fire broke out in a downstairs room from escaping gas and was swept almost instantaneously over the entire house.

Athletics Will Play Sancrabs

By Associated Press.

BEAUMONT, Texas, Jan. 5.—The Philadelphia Athletics will play the Beaumont Texas league club two exhibition games at Lake Charles, La., March 26 and 27. This announcement was made tonight by Joe Mathes, president of the local club, upon his return from Lake Charles, where he today conferred with Connie Mack, manager of the Athletics.

TECH ADDS SHOOTING.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 5.—Carnegie Tech yesterday added another branch of sports to its list when the formation of a rifle team was announced.

League to Give Noon Luncheon

A noon luncheon, place to be announced later, will mark the February meeting of the Civic league, according to a decision made at the business meeting held Tuesday afternoon at the Kemp library.

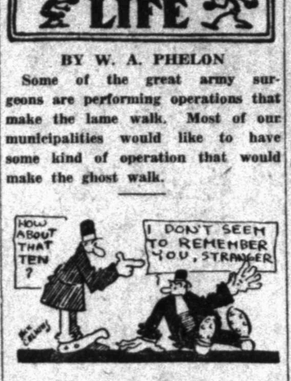
It is planned to make this a notable social event, with a program of numerous attractive features, and a business session in which the new year's work will be outlined by the chairman of the various departments.

Mrs. J .W. Stone, the chairman of the entertainment department, will have charge of this luncheon. Plans will be made, and the place selected at a meeting of her committee to be held in the near future.

THIS SPORTING LIFE

BY W. A. PHELON

Some of the great army surgeons are performing operations that make the lame walk. Most of our municipalities would like to have some kind of operation that would make the ghost walk.



Amnesia cases—total forgetfulness of all the past—are attracting considerable attention. Nothing new. Ever lend a guy $10 that he wasn't stricken with amnesia 'forever after?

Portland club of the Coast league has signed a player named Tuna. Fine—where would a tuna swim excepting near the Pacific coast? The club has also signed two brothers named Fry, indicating that poor Tuna is going to get his first hungry Friday.

According to a recent census, there are only 25,663 pure-blooded Hawaiians remaining. Must be a mistake somewhere. Five time that many "genuine Hawaiians" are playing the ukelele right now in this country.

RUBIYAT OF PROHIBITION

The pawing Foot, the Elbow, sadly bent
To lift things of "not more than half percent,"
The Face contorted at the awful Taste,
The evidence of direful discontent—

The Packages under arm—the much-bought Yeast,
Raisins sufficient to equip a Feast—
The Sugar, and the Recipes that say
To stand IT in the sunshine from the east—

The Neighbor tells you how he made the stuff
"Splendid to taste, and, say, just strong enough—"
But if you ask him for a Sample, you
Will find that all his Talk was futile Bluff!

Oh, wasted Time and Effort! All men use
Ingenious Schemes to Match the Banished Booze,
And what they make tastes like the bottom of
A cabbage, boiled down with ancient shoes!

W. A. P.

NO USE.

Prohibition statutes in New Jersey.
Buttons on your coat-sleeves.
Trying to dethrone Ban Johnson.
Showing kindliness to Germany.
Arguing with a woman.
Parsley on a steak.
Kicking on a rent-raise.

"LYKELLE"

Life is bright, Lykelle, Lykelle,
Life is full of cheer—
We are glad, Lykelle, Lykelle,
That wintry days are here!
We love the snow, Lykelle, Lykelle,
We worship sleet and ice—
And we would stew right here, Lykelle,
Nor leave at any price.

Apparently, the reformers have now fully determined that they will take the sun out of Sunday.

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Two Fires Result From RubberHose Gas Connections

A rubber hose gas connection was reported by firemen to have been responsible for a small fire Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock in a servant's house in the rear of the residence of Dr. E. T. Barker, 1603 Eleventh street.

Firemen estimated the damage at approximately $10. This was the second fire reported on Wednesday to have originated directly from rubber hose gas connections.

GENERAL MURGIA LEAVING MEXICO

By Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 5.—General Francisco Murguia, who several days ago was released from prison after a month's incarceration as a Carranza aide, General Rodolfo Herrero, who recently was ejected from the army after alleged proof that he had ordered the killing of Carranza, and General Juan Merigo, a former Carranza officer, have left Mexico City simultaneously, according to El Democrata today.

The three generals are believed to be making their way to the border, adds the newspaper, and it is thought here that San Antonio is their objective.

OPERATIC STARS FEATURE TIP-TOP VAUDEVILLE RUN

The glare of the footlights revealed many stunning gowns, much good music and some genuine talent at the Wichita theatre Wednesday night. The Medollo Twins rendered several operatic selections in Italian. Their voices were superior to any that have been heard recently in Wichita Falls. Eddie Vogt, whom many will recall in connection with the "Bride Shop" fame, now presents "The Love Shop," a one-act sketch similar to his former act and equal in brilliance of costume and acting.

The El Rey sisters, with Murray Mencher at the piano, put on an unusual act with roller skates. Miss Clare El Rey is said to hold the world's record for the toe spin. Their first presentation on skates is that of the Dancing Doll, after which they present, The Skating Girl from "Everything," "Kismet," and "The Fox Trot." The sisters were supple and clever.

Following this number came the Medoffa Twins, or "Neapolitan Duo" in their "Italian Vocal Vista." The twins wore the costume of the typical temperamental Italian making his start in this country. Their operatic selections and renditions prove them to be musicians of superior rank. Theirs is the achievement of the emotional appeal through their voices.

Speaking of a rainy day when the landlord raises your rent has come to be the pest of today. Clarence Oliver and George Olp in "The Bee Hive," give in imitation of that greatly feared incident of being "put out in the rain," much to the amusement of the audience. The act has an out-of-the-ordinary turn by ending in the rain.

"The eternal Feminine," presented by Grace DeMar, was one of the merry-makers of the evening. Miss DeMar's material was especially written for her by Herbert Moore. It is new and it is good, but Miss DeMar is always good. Her ready smile and genial humor make her a success wherever she goes. Her ready smile and genial humor make her a success wherever she goes. Her method of putting the lines across is that of taking the audience in her confidence and telling them clever stories.

Last on the program, but certainly not least, is Eddie Vogt, the tall, "skinny" man, who once before made us laugh in "The Bride Shop" and who now comes in "The Love Shop," an act very similar to the former one. The number lives up to its reputation of being a rhapsody in velvet, silk and lace. The fashion parade with Eddie Vogt, Dorothy Southern and chorus is a revue of stunning gowns and pretty girls.

The cast, music and costumes are all good. The Earl of Wickshire is just as one would expect him to be, cleverly stupid, and the widow and her daughter as charming and stunning, each in their way, as could be expected of a girl in love, and a brilliant woman looking for a title.

WANTED—2,000 girls to enter CHARM SCHOOL. Courses in Nature dancing, styles and sole music. Apply next Monday, 904 Indiana avenue.—Adv.

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WICHITAN PERFECTS STORAGE DEVICE EXPECTED TO REMAKE REFRIGERATOR CARS, PLANTS

A type of refrigerator which is expected by many Wichitans to revolutionize the manufacture of refrigerators and the construction of cold storage plants and railroad refrigerator cars, through its comparative cheapness of construction and its economy of ice, has been perfected and is in process of being patented by a Wichitan it became known here Wednesday night at a meeting of local business men, at which tentative steps for the formation of a company for the manufacture of the refrigerator here were taken.

W. K. Knutson, local contractor and planing mill proprietor, is the inventor. The meeting was held in the office of N. O. Monroe, local real estate man.

The refrigerator is constructed on a vacuum principle, and embodies a number of new ideas of construction which eliminate difficulties encountered in previous attempts to apply this system to refrigerating plants.

Another of the new ideas is the construction of the various compartments as complete units, shutting off the circulation of air between the various compartments as in most refrigerators. This tends for economy in the consumption of ice, as the warmer air from the outside is not circulated throughout all compartments through the opening of any of the doors, as in most of the refrigerators.

Maintenance of a temperature of 33 degrees Fahrenheit in tests undergone by the model refrigerator exhibited at the meeting, as against an average of 60 degrees for the ordinary refrigerators, and 45 for the best of the present ones, is claimed for the new refrigerator by those interested.

One hundred pounds of ice should suffice for the cooling of the new refrigerator for a 10-day period, Mr. Knutson declared. Through its economy in the consumption of ice alone, he stated, the first cost of the refrigerator should be practically saved the first season.

Its economy in construction—its manufacturing cost, pronounced to be a great deal less than the ordinary refrigerator—comes from the elimination of the expensive insulating materials used in the construction of the present type of refrigerators, as well as the elimination of necessity for a second lining.

Through the fact that the vacuum chambers are manufactured with interlocking tongue and groove connections, permitting their extension to any dimensions, the principle can be applied to either cold storage or refrigerator cars, at a great saving of expense and increase of efficiency, it is declared.

The chambers can also be used to line the ordinary refrigerator now in use in place of present linings, it is stated, giving the principle practically a limitless market field.

Mr. Knutson, the inventor, has been a resident of Wichita Falls for about two years, during which he has built up a reputation as a contractor and mechanic. He has had a varied experience, including government service for the British in India and for the United States in the Panama canal zone.

A second meeting to take further steps toward the formation of a company is to be held in the Monroe office at 7:30 tonight.

War Fleets Go To Maneuver In Panama Bay

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Screened by destroyers, the Atlantic fleet was steaming southward from Virginia Capes tonight to meet its sister armada from the Pacific, in the warm waters of Panama bay. Over the battleship Pennsylvania flew the four starred flag of Admiral H. B. Wilson, commander-in-chief of the United States fleet who will command the combined forces during the maneuvers and battle practice to come.

There were 48 craft under Admiral Wilson's command at the mobilization point off the capes when the flagship broke out the signal that set the fleet off on its long cruise. Ahead of them, sent in advance to meet the Pacific fleet airmen, the air force of the Atlantic had winged southward to join in the great war game.

CITY CHOICE OF INCINERATOR IS NORROWED DOWN

No definite decision was arrived at as to the awarding of a contract for a city incinerator, it was announced Wednesday night following a conference between Sanitary Commissioner McDowell, City Engineer Montgomery and City Sanitary Officer Douglas, who were recently authorized by the city council to negotiate for the construction of the incinerator. The construction of either a Nye or Stokes type of incinerator will probably be decided upon, it was announced.

A representative of the Stokes company met with the committee Wednesday and a representative of the Nye type will be heard today. Several deals for the location of the incinerator are now pending.

WANTED—2,000 girls to enter CHARM SCHOOL. Courses in Nature dancing, styles and sole music. Apply next Monday, 904 Indiana avenue.—Adv.

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This Date in Wichita Falls' History

JANURY 6.

1908—Postmaster Bacon announces 1907 postal receipts $16,728, gain of nearly 50 per cent over 1906.

1909—Judge Scurry, Henry Sayles of Abilene and others petition city council for street car franchise.

1911—North Texas Gas company moves headquarters from Bowie to Wichita Falls. Texas company No. 5 Waggoner at Electra comes in for 1,000 barrels.

1912—Y. M . C. A. starts membership drive, with opposing teams headed by Willim E. Huff and George Smoot. Authorities take steps to prevent meningitis epidemic reaching the city.

P. B. M. Co. DEPARTMENT STORE.

"The Courteous Service Store."

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Telephone your Want Ads to 4381

2 LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Brown fox fur near the Olympia theater; finder return to 1200 Indiana and receive reward.

LOST—One small bundle of baby clothes in front of William-Mary hotel. Finder return to Pond Laundry company and receive reward.

LOST—On Seymore road, brown leather purse, with Mrs. W. O. Downs written on name plate. Finder keep money, but return purse to 1209 Twelfth St. Phone 5076.

STOLEN from my car at 1709 Tenth; Sixteen gauge Winchester pump model 1897 shotgun, and olive drab army overcoat; $25 reward for information leading to arrest and conviction of parties or to recovery of articles. J. C. McCormick. Phone 6578.

LOST Saturday night, lady's purse between Palace of Sweets and Tenth street, containing one $20 bill, $10 bill and $5 bill besides two or three dollars in small change. Finder leave at Palace of Sweets for reward.

3 SPECIAL NOTICES

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER, NOTARY PUBLIC, ON MEZZAINE FLOOR. KEMP HOTEL, PHONE 4381.

WE HAVE "real service" in TRANSFER AND STORAGE. Don't let it be destroyed by rain, fire, rain or stolen; store it with us. We will store pianos for $2.50 per month. Large truck loads for $4 per month.
NORTH TEXAS TRANSFER AND STORAGE CO.
Office—906 Indiana Ave. Phones 5619 and 5466.

LET THE guaranteed Electric laundry do your washing. Phone 2196. 1004 Eleventh St.

WANTED you to know that we make them better and cheaper. What? Auto top and seat covers. Porch & Towell, Auto Top Shop, 1005 Austin. Phone 2497.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED—We do all kinds of mattress work; will bring samples of ticking to your home and return mattresses same day. Fulton Mattress Co. Phone 2880.

FOR PLUMBING, gas and steam fitting see or call I. C. Spivey, the old reliable plumber. 2214 Broad. Phone 6266.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED — Have your mattresses made new. We will bring samples of ticking to your home. Call for and deliver same day. Bell Mattress Co., Phone 3432.

HAVE your automobile painted at The City Automobile Painting Co. The place where price and quality count. Third floor Priddy Bldg. Corner Tenth and Scott. Phone 3412. Lucius & Duncan.

CALL the City Transfer and Storage company for moving, crating, packing, shipping and storage. If you value your furniture let us handle it. Phone 5601.

PLUMBING repair work. Phone 6769.

LOOK HERE
We can fix your trunk like new with new fittings and make you keys for any kind of lock you bring to our place. A full line of car switch blanks, keys. We duplicate keys of all makes, repair talking machines, repair cash registers, change combinations on safes and repair safes.
WE THANK YOU.
YOUNG & WEBB.
Phone 6265 504-A Eighth St.

DETECTIVE AGENCIES

Shelton Detective Agency incorporated. Does a legitimate line of detective service, both civil and criminal. Phone 3025, 424-426 Bob Waggoner Bldg.

4 AUTOMOBILES & SUPPLIES

1920 FORD coupe, $425, in good condition best bargain in town. Dean's Motor Co. 607 Ohio Ave.

IS YOUR CAR for sale? Leave it here if your price is right. For $10 we store it for two weeks in a first class garage under cover, advertise it and sell it on a small commission basis. We get results. Over 200 satisfied clients. Deans Motor Co., 607 Ohio.

FOR SALE — One Marmon Chummy roadster, 1919 model, in No. 1 condition. Telephone 3235.

WHO HAS a vacant corner lot close in, to trade for a good automobile. Call or write 312 Lee St., any afternoon.

WANTED—Ford; have six-cylinder car, good rubber, top, curtains and in good mechanical condition; will trade for good Ford. C. A. PARKER, ROOM 16, HINES BLDG. PHONE3696.

1920 Ford touring, almost new, $400. Ford coupe, fine condition, no starter, $350; Ford roadster, $340; Buick 1917 touring $300. Deans Motor Co., 607 Ohio.

FOR SALE—One 2-ton truck Dart; good condition; will sell or trade. Write or telephone No. 3 Magnolia Petroleum company Agent, Henrietta, Tex.

GOOD FORDS, Buicks, and Dodges wanted. Price must be right; will buy your car or sell it for 5 per cent commission.
L. & M. AUTO MARKET.
911 SCOTT
Several good bargains on hand now.

BEARINGS — TIMKEN HYATT DEPARTURE BEARINGS FOR ANY MAKE CAR AND TRUCK; MAIL ORDERS GIVEN SPECIAL ATTENTION. GAINES MOTOR SALES CO.

ATTENTION TO CAR OWNERS

Rim cuts and blowouts repaired in a jiffy; will buy your old tires or retread them for one-fourth the cost of a new one; all sizes of second hand casings for sale. Step and see me at 610 Ninth street.
JACKSON
THE TIRE MAN

4 AUTOMOBILES & SUPPLIES

NATIONAL, 5-passenger, 1917 model, good top, excellent rubber and fairly good running order. Bargain. Phone 5116; ask for Pitman.

GENUINE FORD PARTS
Why take a chance on inferior parts when you can get genuine Ford parts from us. We carry a complete stock of everything used on a Ford and can supply your every want. Call us when in need of service of gasoline for our delivery car carries an extra 40-gallon supply at all times. We back our solgans:
"YOU MUST BE SATISFIED."
Motor Supply Co.
Sixth and Indiana Phone 5857

USED CARS FOR SALE
Five Ford touring cars.
Five Ford roadsters.
One Ford roadster (tool pusher.)
One Ford speedster.
Three Ford one-ton trucks.
These cars are all in good shape and are sold under our usual guarantee.
"You Must B Satisfied"
Motor Supply Co.
Phone 5857 Sixth and Indiana

6 HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—To keep house for widower or bachelor. Call or write me at 502 Austin St.

WANTED—Colored women to cook and do housework, stay home at night. 510 Lamar.

WANTED—Six good girls to sell art needles. Make good money. Call for Mrs. Mullins, Room 19, Belmont hotel.

WANTED—Colored woman for general housework and cooking. Apply 1503 Tenth St.

10 Situations Wanted—Male

EXPERIENCED credit, collection and office manager; can operate typewriter; 28 years of age; married; A-1 references. Will accept moderate salary to start. Address C 17, care Record News.

WANTED—Position in bank; one year experience; can operate Burroughs posting machine; references. Phone 5582.

11 Salesmen & Agents—Wanted

SALESMAN and salesladies. Two big selling propositions. See Mr. Matthews, Room 316 Argonne hotel, every evening this week 4:30 to 7:30.

13 PERSONAL

MONEY to loan. Booth 12, Basement American National Bank Bldg.

CANCERS, Tumors, sores, goitre, piles, fistula. Write for testimonials of cures. Box 517, Dallas, Texas.

14 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

A DANDY good small cafe for sale; can give immediate possession. Phone 5654.

FOR SALE—A good established business that requires from five to ten thousand dollars. Address P. O. Box 524.

FOR SALE—One-half interest in good shine parlor and hat cleaning business. If you have not got cash don't answer. Box C-16, care Record News.

I CAN finance 50-50 drilling contract, handle small company, in need of money, or buy production in good field. D. E. Kellogg, 206 Commerce Bldg.

FOR SALE—A SMALL RESTAURANT DOING A GOOD BUSINESS. BUT HAVE OTHER BUSINESS OUT OF CITY; CANNOT TAKE CARE OF BOTH. A BARGAIN FOR CASH 507½ TENTH ST.

15 WANTED—Houses & Apts.

FOR RENT
We have the largest list of rental property in town. Stores, furnished homes, vacant houses and warehouses. We take you in our car and it costs you no more.
CURLEE & JOHNSON
Ground Floor Bob Waggoner Bldg.

17 ROOM AND BOARD

TABLE board, $4.50 per week. Phone 2706.

WANTED—Men to room and board at 1308 Burnett St. Phone 2941. Private home.

FOR RENT — Nicely furnished front room, with meals; modern conveniences; in private home, on car line. Phone 6266.

TRY OUR home cooked meals at reasonable price, close in. 510 Ninth street; hot waffles for breakfast, rolls and biscuits. Meals 3 times a day. Belmont hotel.

ROOM AND BOARD—Private, hot biscuits twice a day; mineral well; warm rooms; Southside car line; get off Collins and Bridwell, go two blocks south across Valley tracks. 1621 McGregor St. A. W. Ayers.

BOARD and room for $12.50 per week, meals served mother's way, at 510 Lamar.

VIRGINYA ROOMS—Rooms for working men; home-cooked meals; individual beds, with or without meals. 1200 Ohio Ave. Phone 2294.

20 Rooms For Rent—Furnished

ROOM-MATE wanted, college man preferred, to share comfortable room in large home at reasonable rates. Apply 320 Bob Waggoner Bldg. M. W. Wilson.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front bedroom, private home, connecting bath, phone privileges, to man and wife or young ladies; $25 per month. Garage if desired. 2402 Thirteenth. Phone 5349.

FURNISHED bedroom in private home; close in, on pavement; to gentlemen for sleeping apartments. $30 per month. 806 Travis.

FOR RENT—Bedroom with all conveniences to gentlemen only. 904 Austin. Phone 9436.

NICELY furnished room for rent with hot and cold water; private entrance, and on car line. 1311 Seventeenth St. Phone 2294.

FOR RENT—Furnished, desirable upstairs bedroom; hot and cold water; use of telephone; gentlemen only. 905 Bluff. Phone 5394.

FOR RENT—A furnished bedroom. 1106 Burnett. Phone 6449.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, $75 per month. 2304 Eighth St.

FOR RENT—Upstairs southeast bedroom convenient to bath. 1109 Travis. Phone 5697.

FOR RENT—Nice front bedrooms with connecting bath and phone. 1511 Eleventh St.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom connecting bath; private home, suitable for one or two gentlemen; also use of garage. The right price to right party. Phone 2310.

FOR RENT—Excellent 3-room furnished apartment; with private bath. Apply Hoffman & Co., Tenth and Lamar. Phone 5236.

FOR RENT—Two nice bedrooms with board. Phone 9576.

FOR RENT—Nice upstairs bedroom. Phone 2805.

21 Rooms For Rent—Unfurnished

FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished rooms. 1206 Mill St.

22 Light Housekeeping Rooms

FOR RENT—Large room furnished for housekeeping. 512 Travis.

TWO light housekeeping rooms for rent at 604 Scott Ave.

FOR RENT—One room furnished for light housekeeping; everything furnished. 108 Travis St.

TWO rooms furnished for light housekeeping, to couple without children; garage if desired. Phone 2664. 1506 Holiday.

23 Houses & Apts.—For Rent

GOOD 7-room house for rent; 3 blocks from Tenth, two blocks from car line, one block from pavement; $40 per month. Phone 2357.

FIVE-ROOM furnished house on Tenth for $100 per month. Phone 5587.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartments in brand new home; modern, close in. Apply Oklahoma garage, 605 Indiana.

FOR RENT—Modern 5-room house and garage, close in on Twelfth street. P. S. Tullis. Phone 6467.

HOUSES furnished and unfurnished for rent. Phone 5895.

THREE-ROOM furnished house. Phone 1404-Lamar. Phone 6084.

FOR RENT—7-room modern house, 704 Broad. See M. Levine, 626 Indiana.

FOR RENT—New, strictly modern 5-room house, 704 Holiday. C. C. Jones St. Phone 2572.

FOR RENT—Good 14x30 room, unfurnished; fine for small family or two men who want to batch. Rear 304 Mississippi.

FOR RENT—A 3-room house; bath, lights, gas, near Austin school. Apply 1402 Bluff.

FOR RENT—Five-room modern house, 1605 Elizabeth St. Call at 2100 Bluff St.

23 Houses & Apts.—For Rent

FOR RENT—5-room modern furnished house, located at 1206 Kemp Blvd. Phone 2191 or 2359.

TO RENT a house. Phone 5237.

FOR RENT—Good houses near Austin school. Phone 6618. W. H. Friese.

FOR RENT—My apartment, furnished or unfurnished; bargain if taken before January 15. Phone 3425.

25 Business Locations—For Rent

FOR RENT—One-half store room 18x40; suitable for warehouse or rent room. 502 Eighth St.

SHOW ROOM for rent in new brick building; ideal brick building; ideal for automobiles or small store; best location in the city. 906 Lamar Ave. Bingham Motor Co. Phone 3291.

FOR RENT—Nice office completely furnished in American National bank; furniture for sale, including lease and phone 3252.

29 Wanted To Buy—Miscellaneous

WANTED — Capital, established firm needs additional capital, will entertain proposition as partner or long-time loan. Address care Record News, Box C-21.

WANTED to buy good second hand bicycle. Phone 6752.

WANT to buy men's, women's and children's second hand clothing that are still serviceable. Phone 2533. W. K. Layfield.

WANTED TO BUY—Sixteen gauge gun; preferably Winchester. Phone C. R. Yanger at 2877.

SEE Central Abstract Co., Basement City National Bank Building, for office room. Phone 3565.

WANTED TO RENT
We want to rent your property for you. We bring the customer to you in person and our charges are small.
CURLEE & JOHNSON
Phone 6321

30 MISCELLANEOUS—For Sale

FOR SALE—One truck, in good condition, or will trade for larger truck. Wichita Transfer Co., 501 Eighth St.

FOR SALE—Millet hay $1 per bale, in 50 bale lots, delivered. Write J. B. Jenkins, Jolly, Texas.

THREE-BURNER gas cook range for sale cheap. 1816 Buchanan.

FOR SALE—Four beds with springs and mattresses, and three gas heaters. 502 Austin. Phone 2991.

FOR SALE—GOOD TRUNK. CALL 6492.

31 Furniture & Household Goods

PATTON Furniture company will take good salable second-hand furniture or stoves in trade for new goods. Phone 6660.

32 MISCELLANEOUS

GOOD pasture for stock 8 miles west of town. Phone 2396.

WANTED—I want your water wells to dig and clean out; work guaranteed. B. P. Holiody, Box 224, Burkburnett, Tex.

33 MACHINERY AND TOOLS

FOR SALE—Five sets new rigs, price reasonable. Apply 501 Eighth St. Wichita Transfer & Storage Co.

FOR SALE—Three sets of rig irons, all new, $1,500 cash; several strings of 3½-inch cleaning out and swabbing tools; 100 feet 40-pound, 10-inch casing, new. Phone 55, Henry M. Ray & Son, 113 W. Main St., Burkburnett, Tex.

FOR RENT—One set hydraulic jacks, either 30 or 100 ton, adjustable, with spider and slips for all size pipe; will furnish man if desired with them. Phone 55, Burkburnett, Tex., Henry M. Ray & Son, 113 W. Main St.

TANK BUILDERS
We dismantle as well as erect; get in touch with us. We can sell your tanks dismantled; tools now on ground at Burkburnett. Phone, write or wire THE GARRISON-LEE SUPPLY & CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC. PHONE 4547 600 MARKET ST. SHREVEPORT, LA.

34 OIL—GAS—MINERAL

PRODUCTION WANTED.
In the market for northwest extension production that will stand close investigation. If you want quick results, communicate with me. Room 416 Kemp hotel.

PRODUCTION — 20 acres, two small producing wells; price $4,000; a real bargain. C. A. PARKER, ROOM 16, HINES BLDG. PHONE 3696.

WANT TO BUY townsite production in Burkburnett. Phone price. 2458.

34 OIL—GAS—MINERAL

WANTED—Loan on new oil well supplies; market value, $2,000, or will sell or trade for Vendor Liens that can discount. Address P. O. Box 534, City.

SHALLOW PRODUCTION—If you are in the market for shallow production properties see me at once, as I have some of the best bargains there are on the market. Can be had at low prices and exceptional terms. C. A. PARKER, ROOM 16, HINES BLDG., PHONE 3696.

HYDRAULIC JACK FOR RENT; ALL SIZES SLIPS; BEST EQUIPMENT IN THE FIELD.
ROY CALVERT.
522 OHIO STREET. PHONE 2985.
423 AVE. B, BURKBURNETT, TEX.

36 Farms and Ranches for Sale

160 ACRES three miles west of town, 125 acres in cultivation, good improvements, 40 acres excess land; all will be subject to irrigation; $120 per acre; owner will take $5,000 clear home in the city and balance can be arranged. See Curlee & Johnson, Bob Waggoner Bldg.

40—REAL ESTATE—FOR SALE

TO EXCHANGE for Wichita Falls property, a fine residence located on one of the best residence streets in Sherman, Tex. Owner will exchange for business or residence property here. PHONE 5664.

FOR SALE—Five rooms, sleeping porch, breakfast room, garage and servant house; completely furnished and located on one of the best paved streets in the city. Cost $12,500 and want an offer on this choice home. PHONE 5434.

FOR SALE—Many houses, residences, vacant lots, rooming houses, stores and business property in Wichita property. You should see me before buying. Office in store. C. D. Wolfe, 1914 Kemp Blvd. Phone 3027.

41 REAL ESTATE EXCHANGED

FOR SALE or trade—We have three good cars in first class condition; a Peerless, 7-passenger; an Allen, 5-passenger, and a Buick, 5-passenger which we will sell for cash or on time at rock bottom prices, or will trade for lease, royalty, city or county real estate. Phone 2491. Bingham Motor Company, 906 Lamar Ave.

44 LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE to the public, the partnership heretofore existing at Bradley Corner, Burkburnett, Texas, under the firm name of Cohen & Nelkin has been dissolved, the said Nelkin having purchased the said Cohen's interest in and to said business. All parties indebted to the firm will settle their accounts with Mr. Nelkin and all accounts that the firm owe has been assumed by the said Mr. Nelkin. Witness our hands this the 29th day of December, A. D., 1920. H. M. Cohen. J. Nelkin.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Texas, County of Wichita.
By virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable District court of Wichita County, on the 14th day of December, 1920, by A. F. Kerr, district clerk, against the Power Oil and Refining company, a corporation, for the sum of Eleven Hundred Seventy-Seven and 55-100 ($1,177.55) Dollars and costs of suit in cause No. 6285, in said court, styled North Side Lumber and Building company, a corporation, versus the Power Oil and Refining company, a corporation, and placed in my hands for service, I, Fred K. Smith, as sheriff of Wichita county, Texas, did on the 14th day of December 1920, levy on certain personal property situated in Wichita county, described as follows, to-wit: One Western Electric Co. Generator Type R 4½ 16 K. W. 125 volt, 1,200 R. P. M., No. 47,753; two 6-4-6 Worthington pumps, one 4½-3-4 Worthington pump, one 10-4-10 Worthington pumps, one 7½ Worthington pump, one 6-8½ Worthington pump, two 250-barrel steel tanks, one 500-barrel steel tank, and levied upon as the property of said Power Oil and Refining company, a corporation, located at the Power Oil and Refining company plant, and on Tuesday, the 18th day of January, 1921, at the courthouse door of Wichita county in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. I will sell said personal property at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said Northside Lumber company, a corporation, by virtue of said levy and said execution. And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for 10 consecutive days immediately preceding said day of sale in the Wichita Falls Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita county. Witness my hand this the 4th day of January, 1921.
FRED K. SMITH, Sheriff Wichita County, Texas.
H. T. LANIER, Deputy.

ORDER OF SALE.
The State of Texas.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Texas, Greeting:
Whereas, on the 15th day of October 1920, J. A. Kemp, Wiley Blair and J. B. Owen recovered in the Seventy-Eighth District court of Wichita county, a judgment against B. O. Young and Rumsey Petroleum company, a corporation, in the sum of $18,653.95, with interest thereon from the 15th day of October, 1920, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum and costs of suit; and, whereas, the said judgment is a foreclosure of the vendor's lien on the following described property, to-wit: First tract: One hundred (100) acres in a square out of the northwest corner of Block 29 of Cowherds Brothers' land on Buffalo Head creek in Wichita county, Texas, as surveyed by John T. Fields, county surveyor of said county, references being here made to the record plat thereof, said Block 29 being a part of the H. & T. B. R. R. company survey No. 3 with field notes as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of said survey No. 3 a stake on the bank of the Big Wichita river, thence down the river as follows; S 58 E 493 Vrs. No. 48; S 147 Vrs S 31 E 134 Vrs S 51 degrees 50 minutes; E 197 Vrs. S 17 1-2 E 230 S 151 Vrs. S 41 W 282 Vrs. S 54 W 286 Vrs. S 71 degrees 10 minutes W 387 Vrs. S 7 W 240 Vrs. S 56 1-4 E 169 Vrs. S 68 degrees 55 minutes E 221 Vrs. N 81 1-2 E 299 Vrs. N 19 degrees 30 minutes E 66 Vrs. a stake in the southeast corner of said survey No. 3 and the southwest corner of the William Graves survey; thence north 2460 Vrs a stake the northeast corner of Block No. 28, thence west 968 Vrs. a stone the southwest corner of Block No. 30, thence south 1107 Vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 277 acres of land, more or less, being all of the land conveyed to L. F. Lee by J. P. McPherson, et ux, by deed executed Nov. 17, 1909, which deed is recorded in Vol. 52, page 482 deed records, Wichita county, Texas, to which deed reference is here made. Second tract: Beginning at the northwest corner of the tract of land of 412 1-2 acres of land out of William Graves H. B. survey as owned by W. A. Blagg, thence south with the west line of said 412 1-2 acres 2,460 Vrs. to Wichita river, thence down the river with it meanders the general course of which is north 83 3-4 degrees, east 258 Vrs. thence north 2,460 Vrs. to the north line of said 412 1-2 acres, thence west with the said line 256 Vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 193 acres of land. Third tract: All that certain tract or parcel of land located in Wichita county, State of Texas, being out of the William Graves survey, Abstract No. 41, certificate 4840-4961, and being the part of the 412 1-2 acres of land conveyed to W. A. Blagg and A. J. Dunn et ux, by deed dated Sept. 23, 1907, recorded in Vol. 44, page 251 deed records, Wichita county, Texas, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of the tract of land containing 193 acres, conveyed by W. A. Blagg et ux, to William Anderson Blagg et al, by deed dated Feb. 14, 1910, thence east 118 Vrs. a stake for corner, thence S 951 Vrs. to a Bois D'Arc stake for corner, thence S 277 Vrs. to a Bois D'Arc for corner, thence south 623 Vrs. to a two-inch iron stake for corner, thence north 132 Vrs. to a stake for corner, thence west 176 Vrs. to a stake for corner thence south 924 Vrs. to a stake on Wichita river, thence up the Wichita river in a westerly direction to the southwest corner of the William Anderson Blagg et al. tract, thence north 3,429 Vrs. with the east line of said William Anderson Blagg tract to the point of beginning, containing by actual survey 62.47 acres of land, and being the same land conveyed to J. M. Blagg by W. A. Blagg et ux, by deed, dated July 13, 1909, and recorded in Vol. 57, page 300 deed records of Wichita county, Texas, as said vendor's lien existed on the 26th day of July, 1919, and it is ordered and decreed by said judgment that said property be sold as under execution in satisfaction of said judgment. And if said property shall sell for more than sufficient to pay off and satisfy said sums of money, the excess should be paid over to the said B. O. Young and Rumsey Petroleum company, a corporation. But if said property should not sell for enough to pay off said sums of money, the balance due shall be made as under execution, and such order of sale shall have the force and effect of a writ of possession, and the officer executing same shall make a good and sufficient deed to same and place the purchaser of said property in possession thereof within 30 days after the date of sale, and you apply the proceeds thereof to the payment and satisfaction of said sum of $18,653.95 dollars, together with the interest that may be due thereon, and the further sum of .... dollars, costs of suit, together with your legal fees and commissions for executing this writ. And if the said property shall sell for more than sufficient to pay off and satisfy said sums of money, then you are hereby directed to pay over the excess thereof to the defendant, B. O. Young and Rumsey Petroleum company, a corporation. But if you fail to find such property or if the proceeds of such sale be insufficient to satisfy said judgment, then you are directed to make the money, or any balance thereof remaining unpaid, out of any other property of defendant, as in case of ordinary executions. Herein fail not, but due return make hereof within 90 days, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of the district court of Wichita county, at my office in Wichita Falls, this 23rd day of December, 1920.
A. F. KERR, Clerk, District Court Wichita County, Texas.
By BONNIE ZETZSCHE, Deputy.

County Pays Out $125,000 in Day

County Treasurer McHam paid out $125,000 of county money Wednesday. The payments were on warrants held by local banks. The total Wednesday was the largest single day's expenditures made by the county in several months. Other large payments are expected to be made in the near future as taxes are paid by the citizens.

PEARL STREET

New five-room house on pavement and is ready to occupy now; price $6,500; any terms you want.

COLLINS STREET

A dandy five-room home, near to Brook street; price $5,000; small cash payment will handle.

AUSTIN STREET

A beautiful eight-room home equipped with heating system, and is well located; price $20,000; it is the best bargain that can be found.

I have a few very fine bargains in nice homes. If you are buying let me show them to you.

R. P. WILLIS
REAL ESTATE.
612 American National Bank Bldg.
Office Phone 5270 Residence 2402

TO TRADE

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K. W. Brown, Dallas.
W. H. Donnelly, Breckenridge.
Miss Smith, city.
George A. Dale, Oklahoma City.
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Discovery has been made in the Holman iron mine near Taconite, Minn., not far from the source of the Mississippi river, of the trunk and branches of a prehistoric tree in an excellent state of preservation, with the cones on it. The tree is not petrified and the wood is perfectly sound.

TOWN TOPICS

J. G. Quinn, of the Texas Pipe Line company, will leave today for Houston, for a conference with the officials of that office.

The Kemp hotel has added to its list of conveniences, an aeroplane service. Two planes driven by two competent pilots are ready at any time to make either long or short trips.

W. Newton Maer, who recently underwent an operation at the Call Field sanitarium, has been removed to his home. Mr. Maer expects to be down town in the next four or five days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ehlert and little daughter, Zola Marie, have returned from Brenham, where they attended a reunion held by the Ehlert family.

G. J. Price, of Electra, is in the city on business.

Miss Nell McKibben of Vernon, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. N. Bonner, 1601 Buchanan street.

F. L. Mercer, manager of the mens' department for the Perkins-Timberlake store, has returned from a business trip to Dallas.

Dr. and Mrs. Everett Jones have returned after spending the holidays with friends and relatives in various Texas cities.

Bill Bonner of Electra, is in the city on business.

Miss Jesse Ford of Dalhart, is visiting friends in the city.

Dr. H. C. Falvey has returned from a business trip to Graham.

Miss Emma Murray, director of physical education in the State Normal in Durant, Okla., has returned to Durant to resume her duties, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Murray.

Harry Baum and wife have reutrned from San Antonio, where they have been the guests of relatives the past ten days.

Harry Viner has reutrned from Kansas City and Tulsa, where he spent the holidays with friends and relatives.

Mrs. John F. Murray has returned from Fort Worth, where she has been the guest of friends.

The new Shrine uniforms were issued to members of the patrol at the meeting last night. These uniforms are more costly than any worn by any patrol in the United States. They will be worn in the parade of the next ceremonial, which will take place in the near future.

Dave Backus will leave Thursday or Friday for Fort Worth for a short stay from where he will go to Mexico. Mr. Backus will be connected with an English oil company in that country.

Faye Gober is in Graham on business.

H. F. Bowder, secretary of the Denton Chamber of Commerce, was a visitor in the city Wednesday.

Beaumont Stinnett, of Amarillo passed through the city Tuesday enroute to Austin to re-enter the State university. While here he was the guest of Miss Ethel Cobb.

Hubert Harrison, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce has returned from Greenville, where he and his family spent the holidays. Mrs. Harrison and the children will not return for a week or ten days owing to the illness of their son Moulton B.

Joe Berliner is in Graham on business.

W. C. Hamilton, teller at the City National Bank of Commerce has returned from a visit with friends in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Evans and Mrs. Anna Witherspoon and little daughter have returned from Vernon where they spent the holidays.

Mrs. Crete Dockery of Vernon is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Charles Young.

H. Wyatt, attorney of Burkburnett, was in the city Tuesday on business.

Harry Hurt returned Tuesday from a visit with friends in Dallas.

The friends of Mrs. Leo Markowitz will be pleased to know that she is rapidly recovering from an operation, which she recently underwent at the Wichita General hospital.

Frank Wood has left for Abilene to resume studies in Simmons college, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Clint Wood, 1000 Brook street.

Jimmie Nixon will leave Saturday for San Antonio for a visit with friends and relatives.

Miss Beatrice Jackson has returned from St. Joseph, Mo., where she spent the holidays with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Lillian Kroymson of Indianapolis, will arrive Thursday for a visit with her sisters, Mrs. Louis Pink and Mrs. Louis Markowitz.

Miss Gertrude Hines has returned to Milford, Texas, to resume studies in Texas Presbyterian college, after spending the holidays with ther parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hines.

C. E. Crawford and wife, who formerly made their houie at the St. James hotel, have taken an apartment at Kemp Kort. Mr. Crawford is an oil operator.

Southland car No. 35 was moving peacefully down the track at Tenth and Scott streets Wednesday afternoon about 5 o'clock. One of the boards that is used to protect the new pavement was projecting just a trifle too far. Results, a broken front window and two frightened passengers.

SUGGESTS LAWYERS MEET EACH MONTH

Dick Bailey, member of the program committee of the recently reorganized Bar association, aired the suggestion in court house circles Wednesday that the lawyers' organization meet once a month. Some attorneys thought that too often. Others endorsed it.

Mr. Bailey suggested that at these meetings attorneys be assigned by the committee recent decisions of the higher courts to make reports on.

Sheriff's Home Wrecked by Bomb

By Associated Press.
PITTSBURG, Kan., Jan. 5.—The home of Undersheriff O. M. Lamb of Crawford county, near Girard, was wrecked by an explosion late tonight, according to word received here. Investigation is being made by Sheriff Milt Gould. It is understood the house was demolished and that Lamb's father-in-law was seriously injured.

Undersheriff Lamb has been actively engaged recently in conducting raids on violators of the prohibitory law.

Another Effort Made to Oust N. Y. Assemblymen

By Associated Press.
ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 5.—Resolutions calling for the expulsion of the three socialist members of the New York assembly were introduced today at the opening session by Assemblyman George H. Rowe of Erie and J. T. Carroll of Kings (republican). The resolutions were referred to the committee on judiciary without debate.

Negroes of Dahomey are generally short, but are especially robust and active.

Dorothy's Diary

Jan. 6.—My room looks so pretty that it must be spoken of hereafter as "my boudoir." The new desk is too pretty for anything.

Mother had no trouble in getting the chairs we needed by answering two or three ads in the Record News.

At first we didn't find the kind of desk my heart was set upon, so I went down to the Record News and had an ad of my own put in to run three days.

The pleasant girl at the counter there told me I could telephone my ads. I didn't know that. Isn't it wonderful? Just by saying a few words into the telephone mouthpiece I can send a message to most of the people in town.

BALLAST TRACK ON VALLEY TO CUT TIME USED

With the intention of thoroughly ballasting the entire Wichita Valley lines, including the Stamford & Northwestern railroad of 82 miles, the company has put on a large extra gang and appliances at gravel pits between Hawley and Abilene. Already several miles of this line where bad places occur have been ballasted.

The ballasting of this line with the superior gravel will admit of the cutting down of the schedule, two hours, it was reported. The company is contemplating considerable improvements on its road, including a much larger union station and paving at Stamford.

The company's passenger traffic has increased largely in the past two years.

M. G. Scovell, traveling freight and passenger agent of the Wichita Valley lines, has been assigned to Stamford as headquarters. His territory along his own lines extends from Seymour on the north to Abilene on the south, including the Stamford & Northwestern railroad. His territory on other lines embraces an area westward along the Texas & Pacific to El Paso, on the Santa Fe through the plains. Mr. Scovell has offices in the Spencer building here.

W. S. Briscoe Still Held Without Bail

W. S. Briscoe, former dairy manager, held on a charge of incest late Wednesday afternoon had not been granted bail despite the filing of an affidavit by a girl, who has just been married, that the charges she made against him were unfounded and untrue and made in a fit of anger. It was thought that his case is before the grand jury now in session.

University Regents Want Institution Moved to New Site

AUSTIN, June 5.—Proposal for the removal of the University of Texas from the present site to the five hundred-acre tract bordering the Colorado river, west of Austin, donated by the late George W. Breckenridge, with the text of a memorial addressed to members of the outgoing and incoming legislatures, were unanimously adopted by the board of regents at a special called meeting today.

Steamer Collides With Tug at Base Of Liberty Statue

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The steamer Korona, of the Quebec steamship line and a car float collided late today off the Statute of Liberty shortly after the steamer had put out from her dock for West Indian ports. Several tugs and police boats hurried to the scene.

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When your cold or cough is relieved, take the remainder of the bottle home to your wife and babies, for Aspironal is by far the safest and most effective, the easiest to take and the most agreeable cold and cough remedy for infants and children.—(Adv.)

Test for Shallow Oil at Jacksboro

Special to The Record News.

JACKSBORO, Texas, Jan. 5.—Oil operations in the Jacksboro territory reported at the end of last week follow:

Renewed interest is being shown in the shallow oil territory north of town. Leases are selling in some cases at $100 an acre. The Jacksboro Amber Oil company, composed of local business men, has been organized. It has four test wells in the Avis field.

The Holt well of the Sinclair, about four miles from the line, is being cleaned, preparatory for a shot. It is reported to have been making 70 barrels a day for over a year. Two shallow sands are producing about 25 barrels in that territory.

The D. McKinsey Knox No. 1 is fishing at 3,800 feet. West Virginia people have recently secured option on about 20,000 acres near the McKinsey leases, near the West Fork above and below the McKinsey.

The Plymouth company's Green well, near Barton's Chapel, is said to be at 4,000 feet and in black shale. The Wilson well, lost at 4,200 feet, is showing wet gas in considerable volume.

SAYS 25 PER CENT IS FAIR RENTAL ON FARM NEAR WICHITA

Twenty-five percent per year is the rental value which H. B. Horstman and John R. Weisbrodt of LaFayette county, Mo., place on a Wichita county farm, according to their petition filed in the Seventy-eighth district court Wednesday to try title and collect damages.

They allege that they were evicted from a farm without cause on September 20, 1920. They value the property at $6,000 and say that its "reasonable annual rental value is $1,500.

It is bounded on the north side by the John E. Roller estate; on the east, by the H. V. Meeker lands; on the south, by Mrs. Minnie Henne's holdings; on the west by those of H. C. Davis and John E. Roller.

The suit is directed against F. T. Webb, the unknown heirs of F. T. Webb, J. P. Minick and his unknown heirs, J. R. Frazier, William Carver, J. L. Allen, B. O. Bost, J. H. Duncan and their unknown heirs.

Celina Merchant Is Found Dead in Dallas Hotel Room

DALLAS, Jan. 5.—S. E. Metz, merchant of Celina, Texas, was found at noon today with a bullet wound in the head in his room at a local hotel. A large calibre pistol was lying in the room. While still alive at 1:30 o'clock, physicians said he probably would die.

Metz was shot several hours before he was discovered by a maid at the hotel, according to police. He registered at the hotel Tuesday, saying he came here on business. A purse containing $75 was found in his clothing but nothing to throw light on the affair has been discovered.

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Two Burned to Death in Fire A Desdemona

FORT WORTH, Jan. 5.—Two people were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Lone Star hotel at Desdemona, an oil town in Eastland county, this morning. The victims were Mrs. Bantell and her nineteen-year-old daughter.

They were members of a vaudeville company. Their bodies were recovered. The loss is $25,000.

WEDDING SUPERSTITIONS

The popularity of June for weddings is due to the pretty omen that June takes an especial interest in marriage and she protects and blesses all who are wedded in June. If a widow marries a second time in the same month in which she was married before she will be a widow twice.

Son at Sea, Father Talks With Him on Wireless Telephone

BERWICK, Pa., Jan. 5.—C. N. Walton answered the telephone in his house here yesterday and heard the voice of his son, Russell, who is on board the U. S. S. Kansas at sea in the Pacific, wish him a Happy New Year. The sailors used the wireless telephone aboard ship and a connection had been made with overland telephone wires from a Pacific coast wireless station.

The Kansas, according to young Walton, was somewhere between Hawaii and Panama.

PLANT GROWTH

It is said that the length of the day rather than the temperature affect the growth of plants. Iris given eighteen hours of light every day bloomed two months earlier than similar plants which experienced only the day of natural length.

HASKELL TEST OF KOURI 3400 DOWN

Special to The Record News.

HASKELL, Texas, Jan. 5.—The Kouri No. 1 well on the Ballard ranch, 12 miles east of town, is now about to proceed on its course following the securing of a hold on the four joints of casing which recently collapsed. The grip on the casing was obtained about Christmas after a difficult fishing job. It is owned by M. Kouri of Wichita Falls.

When the collapse occurred, the drill was at 3,400 feet, just touching the black lime, which was making some oil.

Mr. Kouri is here. As soon as the old casing is drawn and new casing substituted the drill will dig into the black lime, confident of bringing in a gusher.

Twenty-nine of the New York cutstone contractors have turned state's evidence, to save themselves, it is said, from cutting stone.—Detroit News.

New Supreme Court Justice Will Take Office Oath Today

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 5.—There were no proceedings today in the supreme court. The court met as usual but immediately adjourned without having transacted any business.

Associate Justice-elect William Pierson of Hunt county, will qualify tomorrow, succeeding Associate Justice W. E. Hawkins, who will open law offices in Dallas.

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