

CLOSE 12 YEAR LEASE, LUBBOCK HOTEL

CABINET OFFICER AT DALLAS CRIES DOWN FEDERAL AID

FARMERS MUST HELP THEMSELVES, SAYS SECRETARY JARDINE

CO-OPERATION URGED BY U. S. AGRICULTURE HEAD AT DALLAS

NO-PRICE FIXING

DEPARTMENT OPPOSED TO ACTUAL GOVERNMENT MARKETING

DALLAS, Texas, March 11.—The Department of Agriculture contemplates no further regulation of farm products prices or marketing...

Mr. Jardine was the principal speaker at a luncheon in his honor by the Texas republican leaders...

Engineer on Hotel Job Loses Thumb

Engineer Robertson, in charge of the building equipment on the construction job at the Lubbock Hotel building, was painfully injured when his hands were caught between a steel cable and leverage drum while the machinery was in motion at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The thumb on his left hand was torn away and both hands were badly mangled. According to Dr. S. H. Stewart, in whose office the patient was given medical attention, it will be more than two weeks before he is able to return to his work.

Poison Hootch Kills A. B. Falls Secretary

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., March 11.—Walter Abbott, private secretary to A. B. Fall, former secretary of the interior, came to his death here today from drinking poison whisky.

KILLED IN WARD POLITICS ROW IN WINDY CITY

CHICAGO, March 11.—Believed to have been the victim of an enemy in Chicago ward politics, Harold Flynn was shot to death Thursday as he sat in his office in one of the republican clubs, overturned chairs and tables in the room indicated that a struggle had preceded the shooting.

VITALLY INTERESTING TO PEOPLE WHO NEED TO SAVE

A regular feature of the Saturday morning edition of this newspaper is PRICES quoted on the necessities of life—groceries—and to know where the best values are to be had you will want to see Saturday's edition.

American Beauty



Miss Kaye Martin of Waterloo, Iowa, has been elected by the artist, Prof. Ernest Linnenkamp of Vienna, as "America's most beautiful girl."

MOTHER KING'S LIFE THREATENED FOR PEN PROBE

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 11.—Following the revelation of conditions existing at state prison farms in Texas, Mrs. J. E. King, chairman of the supervisory board of the Texas prison system, has received letters threatening her life.

Mrs. King declared that "more millionaires have been made by the present prison system than by Texas oil fields."

Friends of Mrs. King are urging her to enter the race for governor but she declared that she had no intention of entering the race.

Houston Farmer is Killed in Gun Duel

HOUSTON, Texas, March 11.—As the result of a gun fight here, W. J. Hogan, 41, farmer, Hogan is dead and Charles Casner, is held in custody here charged with the murder. The shooting occurred early Thursday morning.

I. C. C. OUGHT TO LOOK INTO THIS MATTER

BRUMHELLER, Alberta, March 11.—Mrs. M. Cherry acquired a habit of swearing at her husband and finally unsuccessfully to break it. Tried she resorted to washing out her mouth with lye. Doctors say she may never swear again.

HE SPLIT THE POT TOO SOON

NEW YORK, March 11.—Five minutes after Albert Stone accepted \$3,000 in settlement of \$50,000 alienation suit against Charles Z. Weiner, automobile rim manufacturer a jury in Brooklyn supreme court returned a verdict of \$20,000 in Stone's favor. The verdict was disregarded.

TARIFF INQUIRY TO INCLUDE JAB AT PRESIDENT COOLIDGE

ALLEGED "INFLUENCING" IN SUGAR DUTIES TO BE PROBED

ATTACK IS OPENED

G.O.P. CONGRESSMEN FIGHT VAINLY TO LIMIT INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, March 11.—In ordering an investigation into the tariff commission—the first important inquiry this year and probably the only one—the senate has opened the door to possible developments which may be embarrassing to President Coolidge and the administration.

Democrats, at least hope for material for the fall congressional campaign out of the probe which the senate ordered Thursday. The resolution by Senator Robinson of Arkansas, democratic floor leader, which was adopted without a record vote Thursday, was broadened to inquire specifically as to whether attempts had been made by officials or others to influence the findings of the commission.

Senator Robinson, author of the resolution touched recently on a disclosure by Norris that President Coolidge has requested a blanket resignation from former Commissioner Lewis when re-appointing him, which Lewis refused.

Republicans did not consent without a fight to broadening the inquiry to include investigation of official influence. There were 30 while 38 voted for it.

Drys in Complete Control of Congress

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Prohibition would be overwhelmingly vindicated in any test vote in the present congress. Anti-Saloon league polls show that 72 of the 96 senators are dry.

Col. John Coolidge is Now Recovering

PLYMOUTH, Va., March 11.—Colonel John C. Coolidge, father of the president, was reported "much more comfortable Thursday night." Dr. Albert M. Cram, his physician regarded as highly satisfactorily the colonel's progress following his recent relapse.

AUTOS-GIVE-RIGHT-OF-WAY TO QUARANTINED WAGON

SHENANDOAH, Ia., March 11.—There is a rickety old covered wagon here which always is given the right-of-way by other vehicles. A child of Weldon Orin, who lives in the wagon has the mumps and authorities have placed quarantine signs on the rolling home.

COLLEGE PAPER STAFF QUILTS AFTER REPRIMAND

DETROIT, Mich., March 11.—Following an argument with college authorities of the city of Detroit over an alleged offending editorial in "the Detroit Collegian," every member of the student publication editorial staff has struck in protest against an order dismissing J. Paul Stokes, editor in chief from further connection with the periodical.

THIRTY CARLOADS FROM CHICAGO TO U. S. PEN

By United News WASHINGTON, March 11.—Attorney General Sargent announced Thursday that he had received the following prohibition report from the United States district attorney at Chicago:

"We have turned over to the United States marshal more than 30 carloads of prisoners; closed 18 breweries in 12 months; padlocked in a year more than 15,000 separate buildings valued at \$25,000,000; in 18 months; we convicted more than 2,000 illegal purveyors of poison and during the same period we had less than 20 acquittals."

CHINA OPENS RIVER UNDER PRESSURE OF POWERS

PEKIN, March 12 (Friday).—Pekin has bowed to the demands of the powers and foreign shipping has been held up for several days at the entrance to Taku bay en route to Tientsin. It was permitted to proceed up the Peiho river.

Two facts which have shelled the boats of one of the Chinese war lords at entering the river entrance were noted after the boxer uprising in 1900.

The army of General Feng Yu-Hsiang, however, determined to keep their enemy Chinese from landing mounted guns on the ruins of the two former strong holds and menaced foreign as well as Chinese shipping.

SIMPLE DRESS FOR HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS IS P. T. A. PLEA; GRADUATES WILL CUT COST OF COMMENCEMENT CLOTHING

Graduation dresses for girls who receive their diplomas from Lubbock high school this year will cost no more than \$12.50 each, according to an agreement made by the Senior girls with the P. T. A. as part of a campaign for simpler dress among the girl students.

Kleburg is Head of Texas Cattle Raisers

FT. WORTH, Texas, March 11.—R. M. Kleburg, ranchman of Corpus Christi, was elected president of the Southwestern Cattle Raisers' association, and El Paso, Texas was chosen as the next convention site of the association, at the final session of the golden anniversary celebration Wednesday.

Capture Suspect in Pawnbroker Death

TEXARKANA, Texas, March 11.—Virgil Stevens wanted here charged with the murder of Tom M. Powell Saturday night was captured today at Galveston according to telegram received by Sheriff Barker from Chief of Police at Galveston, Constable Austin Neeley and Deputy Sheriff John Shafer left this afternoon for Galveston. A reward of \$500 is outstanding for the arrest of Stevens.

STRONG MAN BIT OFF MORE THAN HE COULD CHEW

HUNTINGTON PARK, Calif., March 11.—Henry Steinhorn, nationally prominent strong man, underwent an operation for compound fracture of his leg here. Steinhorn was holding an automobile over his head, the weight of the car was so great that the bone in one leg was pushed through the flesh.

DE VALERA DESERTS SINN FEIN AFTER 10 YEARS AS LEADER

FIREBRAND OF ERIN, AS COMPROMISE REFUSED, QUILTS REBELS

BANE OF ENGLAND

HIS HISTORY WAS THAT OF IRELAND DURING LONG FIGHT

NEW YORK, March 11.—Eamon De Valera for 10 years the most troublesome thorn in the paw of the British lion, has left Sinn Fein. To thousands of Irish-Americans who still hold the worthless bonds of the Republic of Ireland, bearing the flourished signature of the scholarly rebel as its first president, the news is little short of astonishing.

It was ten years ago this coming Easter week that De Valera assumed leadership of the ages-old fight for Irish independence. He was the spirit of rebellion incarnate. When other Irish leaders of broader vision comprised, this academic, aesthetic zealot denounced them and fought on.

Now De Valera, after a decade devoted to fighting not only Great Britain but a majority of his countrymen, has himself sought to compromise, has been rejected by his followers and has resigned from the cause he espoused so fanatically and so long.

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STAMFORD WATER CO. GETS TEXAS PERMIT

AUSTIN, March 11.—Permits to do business in Texas were granted Thursday to the following foreign corporations: Stamford Water Works Co., New York capital stock \$25,000; Texas Acme Lumber Co., Tulsa, Okla., capital stock \$300,000; Texas headquarters at Panhandle.

THIS FAMILY IS NOW CORPORATION

By United News DOVER, Del., March 11.—The Wong family has incorporated itself, and taken out a charter which was issued by the Secretary of State of Delaware. Known as the Wong Wan Sun Association, Inc., the family including a number of children and grand children, stated in its application for a charter that the purpose of incorporation was "welfare and protection."

HIGDON JURY OUT; INSANITY IS DEFENSE

By United News WEWOKA, Okla., March 11.—A jury was deliberating the guilt or innocence late Thursday night of 22 year-old Erman P. Higdon, farmer boy who is said to have confessed to murdering his sweetheart, Rita Gosa, two hours before they were to have been married.

C. L. Hill, chief defense counsel, rested his case abruptly late Thursday afternoon after a short address to the jury in which he insisted that the youth was insane and should not be held responsible. The evidence was then placed in the hands of the jury and it began its deliberations.

One of the defense witnesses, Dr. M. M. Turlington, of Seminole, testified late Thursday, that "Higdon was in a jealous rage when he shot his sweetheart and although this is not classified as insanity, it should be."

Ma Pardons Him so U.S. Can Deport Him

AUSTIN, March 11.—Fred Berger, convict in the Texas penitentiary, was pardoned by Governor M. A. Ferguson, for the purpose of deportation to Germany. Berger was convicted in Tarrant county in 1922 in 12 felony cases of forgery and passing forged instruments and sentenced to six years.

Lubbock Antes Up for Highway Fund

Hamilton Wright, manager of the Stamford Chamber of Commerce met with the highway committee of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce yesterday at which time the campaign to raise Lubbock's quota of the \$2500 to be used in advertising the Lubbock-Fort Worth highway was launched and the greater part of the amount was raised during the day.

W. K. Dickinson, vice-president of the association that was organized at Spur last month to open the new highway, together with S. E. Cone, R. J. Murray and A. B. Davis, assisted Mr. Wright in the campaign here. Mr. Wright will leave early this morning for Lorenzo, Falls, Coalington, Dickens and Spur, where he will meet with chamber of commerce officials and raise additional money for the fund.

Operating Stock Offered

Stock in the Lubbock Hotel Operating company was offered to all those who had bought stock in the Lubbock Hotel company, in fact it is known that all stock holders were invited and urged to buy stock in the operating company.

Business Men Pleaded

Numerous Lubbock business men who have kept in close contact with the actions of the directors in charge of the hotel company, are pleased with the developments that have been made, and see in the action that has taken through the formation of the hotel operating company the placing of the institution on a sound basis and making it possible for all stockholders to realize something on their investment at the end of the ten year period.

Can Be Enlarged

The foundation for the six-story building has been so constructed as to accommodate a building of 15 stories, and according to officials of the building company, the additional floors will be erected in the same arc for these floors.

OPERATING CO. TO TAKE OVER BIGGEST PLAINS HOSTELRY

\$360,000.00 DEAL MADE, IS ANNOUNCEMENT THURSDAY

FUNDS OBTAINED

RUMORS SET AT REST AS COMPLETION IS ASSURED

Any rumors that might have been heard that the six story Lubbock Hotel that is now under construction will not be completed in due time were put to flight yesterday when announcement was made that all necessary monies to finance the completion and furnishing of the building have been secured, and that a 12 year lease of \$30,000 per year payable monthly in advance has been made to the Lubbock Hotel Operating company, involving \$360,000.

This is believed to be the largest lease ever made in Lubbock county, and the building now under construction will be the largest of its kind in this section when it is completed.

Loan Secured

It was learned yesterday that a loan to meet a large part of the expense involved in building the hotel which has reached higher figures than were first estimated has been secured and the Lubbock Hotel Operating company, which is composed of a group of local men will be rushed to completion.

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Members of the group composing the operating company have pooled their stock in the Hotel company and have placed it in trust to remain unchanged for a period of ten years, by which time it is hoped its value will be materially enhanced.

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The Weather

WEST TEXAS—Fair Friday, not much change in temperature.

# SOCIETY, CHURCH and CLUB NEWS

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## Plant "Shower" Will Beautify K. Carter School Grounds

At the meeting of the P. T. A. of the K. Carter school Thursday afternoon a report was made of the executive board in regard to the plans for beautifying the grounds. The flower beds will be planted soon, a "shower" being planned in which each child is expected to bring plants from his home garden. The forty Chinese elms which have been planted were donated by the children who each brought a dime to pay for them. The first two grades each have two trees to a room, the others having three each. The trees will be watered and cared for by the children of the grades, this being a valuable part of the training of the child.

The delegate to the district meeting of the Congress of Mothers and P. T. A.'s to be held in Canyon, will be named at the next meeting. T. E. May, chief of police, addressed the members of the K. Carter P. T. A., at the meeting held Thursday afternoon on the problem of the young people of the school and appealed to the organization to use its influence in correction of the evils. Mr. May stated that there was not enough parental supervision of the young boys and girls and that he believed the help of the association in creating sentiment against too much freedom would be of great assistance in correcting the evils.

## Dinner and Theater Party Given for Miss Johnson

Miss Johnson, who is recovering from an illness, was the guest of honor at a dinner and theater party given for her by her friends at the home of Mrs. J. P. Pyrtle, of Westbrook, Texas, last night. The guests enjoyed singing "The Lady Who Lied," after which they were served an elaborate dinner at the home of Mrs. J. P. Pyrtle. The party was given by Mrs. J. P. Pyrtle, of Westbrook, Texas, last night.

Those present were: Misses Mary Avey Johnson, Evelyn Posey, Frances Hoffman, Mildred Street, Laura Smith, Kathryn Atkins, Margaret Smith, Mary Meador, Lulu Mae Craven, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Roderick, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flaig, Mrs. W. D. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberts, Jr., H. Peico, E. C. Whorton, Francis Stevens, Henry Benson, Lawrence Benson, Jack May, Charles A. Guy, Dr. George Ingham and Frank Jones.

## Work Resumes on Myrick Building After Cessation

Final plans for the completion of the Myrick office building are being prepared by Peters & Haynes, local architects, and construction will be started in about two weeks. The reinforced concrete skeleton work has already been completed. The steel work has been delayed because Mr. Myrick has been out of the city on business. His original plans for a two-story structure, however, are being abandoned and a four-story building is being planned. The new building will be a fire-proof office building. Many minor changes in the arrangement of the different suites of offices have been made to suit the convenience of different practitioners and professional men who have applied for office space.

The first floor will be occupied by three stores and a large elevator lobby which will afford access to the floors above which will be divided into offices. Two elevators, one passenger and one freight, will be installed to render satisfactory service.

## Mrs. Lee Duggan, Seriously Ill, Hears Of Mother's Death

News was received here yesterday of the death of Mrs. W. C. Farnoux of Dallas, who is the mother of Mrs. Lee Duggan, of Lubbock. It is believed that Mrs. Duggan will be unable to attend the funeral, as she has been seriously ill for two weeks with pneumonia and influenza. Funeral arrangements had not been completed at the last reports from Dallas yesterday.

## COTTER'S SATURDAY NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB MEETS THIS EVENING

Mrs. and Mrs. W. A. Myrick, Jr., will entertain the members of the Cotter's Saturday Night Bridge Club at their home 1402 Ave. S. this evening.

**BUILDERS CLASS TO ENTERTAIN HONORING MRS. HORN**  
Honoring Mrs. P. W. Horn, the Builders Class of the Methodist church will entertain Monday evening, March 15, in the home of Mrs. E. E. White, 1419 Broadway. All the members of the class are extended a cordial welcome to attend.

**TWENTY-FOUR FORTY-TWO CLUB TO MEET TODAY**  
Mrs. R. W. Blair and Mrs. R. D. Benson will entertain the Twenty-four Forty-two club this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Benson, 1720 Main street.

**STEPHENS MEMORIAL CLASS TO MEET THIS AFTERNOON**  
The Stephens Memorial class will meet in business and social meeting at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. E. Garrison, 1402 Main street. All members are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

## LOCAL BRIEFS

Bruce W. Mitchell, of Crosbyton, was a business visitor in Lubbock yesterday.

H. C. Pearson, business man of Lorenzo, was a visitor in Lubbock yesterday.

Dr. J. P. Pyrtle, of Westbrook, Texas, is critically ill at the Lubbock Sanitarium.

E. J. Adair, prominent merchant of Clinton, S. C., is here visiting at the home of Mrs. Eugene Adair and Attorney Robert E. Higgins. He will be here several days.

W. E. Awtry, attorney for the Southern Bus Owners Association, was here yesterday and addressed a group of bus operators at the Union Bus Terminal last night.

Garland Woodward left yesterday afternoon for Stephenville, where he will look after legal business. Before returning to Lubbock Sunday he will visit his parents at Coleman.

Ray Stellings, principal of the Clovis, New Mexico, high school, returned to his home yesterday after being a patient at the West Texas hospital since Saturday of last week when he underwent an appendix operation.

**PERSONALS**  
J. F. Bacon and daughter, Miss Blanche, returned yesterday from Florida where they have been visiting relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. S. R. Clark of 1510 Ave. W. will leave today for Waco, where they will visit relatives.

## Routine Business Occupies Council at Thursday Meet

The approval of current bills, consideration of applications of citizens for extension of various water lines, and other routine matters composed the activities of the members of the Lubbock City Commission at the meeting yesterday afternoon, Manager A. B. Davis reported. The session was a lengthy one due to the numerous matters of business that accumulated since the last meeting, however there was nothing of great local importance transpired during the course of the meeting, Manager Davis said.

**Mrs. M. S. Gunn is Buried Thursday**  
Mrs. M. S. Gunn, who died at the family home 1612 Avenue Y Wednesday afternoon, was buried here Thursday at 3:30 o'clock following services at the First Baptist church, which Rev. W. A. Bowen, officiated. The deceased is survived by her husband, who is parcel post carrier at the Lubbock postoffice, a 13-year-old son, Floyd, her mother, Mrs. Wm. Woods of Paducah, Texas, together with three sisters and a brother, all of whom attended the services. Mrs. Gunn, who was 33 years of age, was a life-long member of the Baptist church, being a member of the First church in Lubbock, where she was active in Sunday school and social work. She was born in Georgia and came to Lubbock with her mother, Mrs. J. F. Kerr, while touring the South.

## Thirty-eight Towns to be Represented In Spirit of West Texas Pageant June 1

The finest pageant ever staged in West Texas is the goal of those in charge of the "Spirit of West Texas" pageant which will be staged at the Tech on June 1. Plans are being formulated for a grand exhibition. Each of the thirty-eight towns who made application for the Texas Technological College will be asked to send a representative to the pageant. They will be attended by a court.

The pageant will open with the dance of the winds representing the time when only the winds played about the great space now known as West Texas. This will be followed by the Flowers of the Prairie, representing the blooms of the section. This will be followed by the entrance of the "Spirit of West Texas." Then the characters of the section will come, including the cow boys, Indians, pioneers, farmers, Mexicans, and other people typical of this section. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce will then come in representing the rise of the resources of the west. This will be followed by the quest for the Texas Technological College and here the 38 towns will be represented. Then the Tech of today will appear and then the Tech of the future. The pageant will be climaxed by the crowning of the "Spirit of West Texas" and her entertainment with a fete. Over five hundred people will take part in the event. Letters will be sent out to all the towns, inviting them to send their representative to the pageant. It is hoped that every town send a representative. "The Spirit of West Texas" will be represented by some girl of the college, who will be selected later.

The pageant will be staged in the archway in the rear of the Administration building. Elaborate decorations will adorn the columns and everything will be planned to bring out the significance of the occasion.

Milton (Dutch) Bauer, a freshman in the School of Liberal Arts left for his home last night in Nixon, Texas, below San Antonio. He has just recovered from a severe case of pneumonia, having stayed in the hospital for over two weeks. He withdrew yesterday for the remainder of the year and will spend the next two or three months recuperating from his recent illness. "Dutch" stated that he planned to come back for the 1926-27 session.

## LUBBOCK TO AID IN FIGHT FOR U. S. COURT

A full report of the activities of the Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development since the last meeting of the board of directors was made by Manager Davis at the meeting yesterday morning, showing that the organization has succeeded in putting over some good programs and that Lubbock has been represented at all gatherings of importance on the plains and that much has been done toward the advancement of the city's interest.

**Much Activity**  
The sending of a large delegation to the Littlefield district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, February 22nd; the entertainment of Messrs. Walshaw and during their visit in Lubbock; the Gaston of the state board of control publication of a rainfall chart showing reports during the past 32 years in Lubbock County; development of plans for the entertainment of the convention of the Texas Commercial Executives, July 22nd, 23rd, and 24th; development of plans for a get-together meeting for Tech faculty members and Lubbock citizens; the attendance of a committee representing Lubbock at the high school meeting at Spur on February 17th and the concert of the high school band March 4th which was dedicated to the chamber of commerce were included in the report that was read by Mr. Davis.

It was also explained that since Lubbock is growing to such proportions that all daily products of this section will doubtless be consumed within this city within a few years, the Board of Commerce cannot establish a condensing plant here.

**Slaton Presides**  
Hon. O. L. Slaton, president of the organization, presided over the meeting at which lengthy discussion of important business was entered into. A report by Roscoe Wilson, chairman of the committee appointed to assist Congressman Marvin Jones to secure the creation of a new division and establishment of a Federal Court at Lubbock being the first business given attention. Lubbock will in all probability be represented at Washington by a committee from the Board of City Development and Chamber of Commerce, after her brief has been filed there.

**Back Compress Fight**  
The fight made by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in opposition to the movement on the part of Houston interests to eliminate interior compressing of cotton was endorsed by the directors, who voted to take such action as is possible to secure the safety of these industries in this state.

**Make Highway Decision**  
Upon receiving information that two routes have been recommended by state and federal engineers for the highway between Lubbock and Idalou, one going up the railroad coming into Lubbock from the north and the other going out of Lubbock along East Broadway past the experiment station and then angling in a northerly direction to Idalou, the directors voted to favor the latter route and instructed the highway committee to refer this recommendation to the engineers.

## That Something About Our Fine Dresses That Sets Them Out Apart From the Average



The French would possibly use "Chic"—unfortunately there is no similar word in the English language—in painting the picture of just how attractive these fine garments are.

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If you would choose your gown from a varied array of these fine models you will find here the unusual, the original—the style that suits you best.

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## GAS WAR LOOMS AS STATION CUTS PRICE

Retail price on gasoline plunged downward from 22 cents to 18 cents a gallon yesterday when a local dealer hung out a sign upon opening his place of business that the price of 18 cents per gallon would prevail at his station.

Numerous other stations that were expected to follow suit surprised observers by giving no attention to the threatened gasoline war, and it now looks like a battle in which few will engage, if indeed it is not a one-sided affair.

The failure of other station owners to cut the price to the 18-cent level caused some surprise on the part of the observers, but it is remembered that one time last year a gasoline war was threatened here but was averted without the reduced price remaining in effect.

Automobile owners are eagerly watching developments, fearful that the reduced price is only temporary but hopeful nevertheless that others will join in the low price and make stepping on the accelerator a less extensive pastime.

Traffic officers were as busy as usual yesterday, however, they claim the price of gasoline never affects their business. "They'd step on the gas if it was a dollar a gallon," Motor Cop Hardy told the Avalanche.

**L. E. DAVIS, HUP AGENT, BACK FROM FT. WORTH**  
L. E. Davis, owner of the West Texas Motor Company, Hupmobile agent, will return to his home here today from Fort Worth where he has been on business for the company and will probably make an announcement about employing another experienced Hupmobile salesman for his agency. The West Texas Motor Company is now temporarily located at 1010 Avenue H awaiting the completion of the modern new brick home that is being erected on Broadway.

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# TECH-NICAL TOPICS

## PAULINE TRIPPETT WINS ANNUAL SALE PRIZE

The Las Chaparritas La Ventana Sale contest closed Wednesday with a total of 150 books sold by the club. The girls worked hard and covered the school very well. Pauline Trippett won the five-pound box of chocolate having a total of 46 sales. The annuals will still be for sale by members of the staff until April 1. Every student in school should buy one of the first year books of the college. Every citizen of Lubbock should also take pride in the Tech and buy an annual to show in later years. This issue will be a commemorative one dedicated to the great spirit of West Texas.

## DR. PFLEUGER TO LECTURE TODAY TO HISTORY STUDES

Dr. Pfeuger, professor of German and French will lecture to the students of Miss Boone's history class on the minne singers of middle ages of the German nation. He will relate the story of Wolfon von Eschenboch, one of the great figures in German literature. He was one of the great of the minne singers, the people who practically established the literature of the nation. They were also responsible for many of the old German myths. Dr. Pfeuger's lecture will be accompanied by a showing of illustrated cards of the scenes of where Wolfon lived. Dr. Pfeuger visited the old castle in which he lived. The lecture will be given today at 11 o'clock in room 350. Everybody is invited to attend. It will be of special interest to students who are taking German.

## PROF. HARRISON TO TALK AT POST CITY COMMUNITY MEET

Prof. R. C. Harrison, head of the department of English will go to Post City tonight where he will lecture at a community meeting. His subject will be "Seeing Life With the Other Fellow." His talk will deal with community co-operation and betterment of social, educational, and literature activities. The program will also consist of reading from American literature.

## LOCAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE TO MEET TODAY

The local affairs committee of the college will hold its regular meeting today. They will attend to routine matters of the college only which will consist of checking accounts and other minor details of the business office. The committee consists of R. A. Underwood of Plainview, Clifford Jones of Spur and H. T. Kimbro of Lubbock. They will have lunch with Dean Hall of T. C. U. at the cafeteria.

## INQUIRIES ABOUT SPRING TERM BEING RECEIVED

The president's office and the dif-

ferent departments of the college have been receiving inquiries from all parts of this section relative to the spring term of the Tech. Many of the small schools will be closed for the year and several of the teachers have been writing asking for information concerning courses. High school students who finished during February will also be anxious to attend. Dr. Horn stated that he expects many new students for the term. New courses will be offered in nearly every department. The Deans are now preparing for new editions for the coming term.

## DEAN HALL OF T. C. U. TO BE HERE TODAY

Dean Colby D. Hall, Dean of men of Texas Christian University, will make a visit to Tech today. Dean Hall is the secretary of the Texas Association of Colleges. The Tech will enter an application soon and he is here to look the college over. He will be entertained with a luncheon at the cafeteria with the local affairs committee.

## BLOOD AND SAND FROM EL TORO

Well, they're cutting us rather short this time, but we don't care. Valuable things, come in small lots. And, so they tell us, so does pain.

We've got a whole, brand new idea a-poppin' out of our head recently. We're going to get a job as fireman over in the kitchen of the Home Economics Department. It leaked out of somewhere that those girls over there are just naturally learning how to cook—or know how already, and are forgetting some of the important details.

That's some "rolls rough" they've got out on the campus now ironing out the wrinkles in the topography of the greensward-to-be. After it's been plowed up for some time, you see; and now they're rolling it. That is, rolling something over it.

Part of the old-fashioned curriculum of the three R's (not the rah! rah! rah! kind, either,) was received in our English class yesterday. Did you ever stop to figure out the mechanics of reading? We didn't—until yesterday.

We aren't sure whether or not the weather will bear much more discussion; but we were out in the campus in the morning. And the sun was shining when we got there. Maybe, perchance, it saw us coming, and just had to brighten up.

The brother of the lad who told his school-teacher he couldn't exactly define a vacuum, but had it in his head, has a sister going up to Tech who told a vacuum-cleaner agent he couldn't sell her a cleaner

because she had no vacuum to clean.

And down at the old barn they tell us that one of the old hens down there devised a very good set of advices for some of the younger hens. "An egg a day keeps the axe away." And in the rest of the school, an hour of thinking a day keeps the flunking away.

## WILSON COMMUNITY ENJOYS STEADY GROWTH

By RAY B. McCORKLE Staff Correspondent

WILSON, March 11.—Although city is less than eight years old it has made a steady growth, and today the town of Wilson has a population of almost 500 people. In the Wilson independent school district there are some 2,000 people, and the assessed valuation of property is considerably more than \$1,500,000.

Wilson has never experienced a building boom, but on the other hand, has made a gradual but lasting growth. During the past three years the community has almost doubled in population.

Land in this section is similar to that found in other sections of the plains, though a larger per cent is being cultivated now than is true of neighboring communities. Cotton is the chief crop and many thousands of bales are ginned here each season. Grain, especially the sorghums, may be very profitably cultivated here, and very few farmers of this community are feed buyers. As a rule they have a surplus for sale.

Wilson has a good school, and the board in working out plans to raise its credits. Nine teachers are employed at this time, and there are something like 320 pupils in attendance. There are also three good churches. The three gins here have ginned almost 5,000 bales of cotton this season, though the 1924-25 crop is by no means normal. Lynn County is the greatest cotton producing area on the South Plains, and the county this year will make something like 30,000 bales, but had it not been for the drought and hail storms almost twice the amount would have been raised. The early freeze did considerable damage, but it was not so hazardous as the hail storms.

People of this community are interested in better roads and, considerable attention is being given to the improvement of highways.

Wilson may never be a large city, but it gives promise of being one of the liveliest small towns in this section of the state.

## Terry County Will Hold Fair, be Held Before S. P. Fair

Special to The Avalanche.

BROWNFIELD, March 11.—The Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce met last night and decided definitely that Terry county would hold a fair this year at a date that would enable the exhibit to be shipped to the South Plains Fair and Dallas fair and possibly others. It was also decided to begin immediately on the community trips over different school districts of the county in an effort to further cement the cordial relations that have heretofore existed between this town and its trade territory. A trades and dollar day will also be inaugurated the first one for April and each first Monday there-

after. It being brought to the attention of the board that the citizens were being imposed upon by grafters of different sorts, a committee was appointed to whom all cases will be referred hereafter and it is going to be a difficult matter for these gentry to ply the trade. The first luncheon of the year will be held March 15th and regularly each month throughout the year. Mercantile business in all lines is adequately represented in Brownfield but other industries are needed and an effort is going to be made to secure them. A cotton compress and cotton mill is needed and an effort is going to be made to secure them as we have sufficient trade territory to support.

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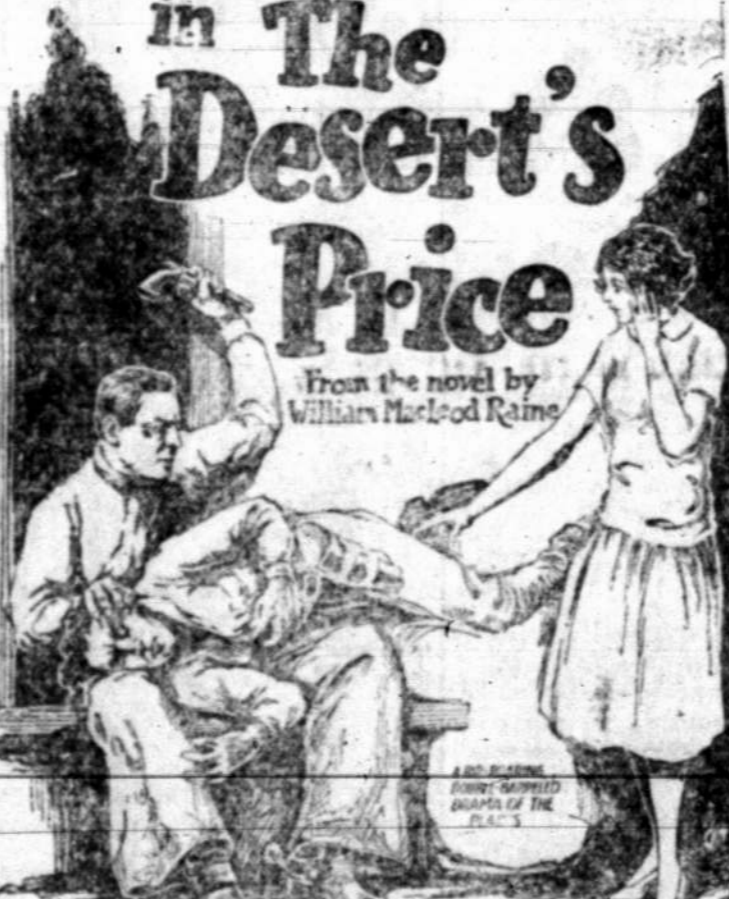
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## Home Dressmaking

By JEANNE ROLAND (Copyright 1924 by Pen-Art Service, Inc.)

Model for Striped Fabric



The dress is shirred at the shoulders, for shirring is one of the most important notes accentuated in the new season's styles. There are long sleeves, gathered at the wrists and attached to narrow bands of self-material, to which tie-strings of ribbon are added. The collar and narrow scarf are cut in one, the collar surmounting narrow revers formed by facing the slashed front and turning it back on either side.

At the side there are inverted plaits, so that the skirt will have the required fullness, although the effect of the dress is smartly straight. The diagram shows how the hem is managed, with plaits at the sides. It is best to use seam binding for the edge of the hem. Run the binding along the raw edge of material after turning the hem. Fold carefully at the sides, following the crease of the plaits, then back. Hem the upper edge of the binding with fine hemming stitches, taking extra stitches about the plaits to make the hem firm.

A dress of this type is not at all difficult to make and the home dressmaker will no doubt find it practical as well as stylish to reproduce it in several different fabrics. In fact, it is quite the vogue this year to select one type of frock that is generally becoming and repeat it in a variety of fabrics for all occasions. Some of the leading stage stars have adopted this method and, of course, well dressed women have followed their example.

Designed for Sports Wear

Exceptionally pleasing is this dress for sports wear. It is developed in striped flannel and has a border trimming at the lower edge of the skirt.

The gracious charm and true simplicity of this one-piece frock will make it a wide favorite with well-dressed women during the spring and summer. It is pictured developed in striped flannel, but the model is one that may be reproduced in any material, especially the handsome linens and cotton that are now exhibited in smart shops.

Ladies' and Misses' Dress No. 351, cut in sizes 16 years and 36 to 44 inches bust, will be mailed, postpaid, upon receipt of 25 cents. Be sure to give correct number and size of pattern desired when ordering. Write name and address plainly. Send orders to Pattern Editor, this newspaper.

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GOD'S PEOPLE—"Let my people go that they may serve me." Ex. 10:13.

TWO LEAGUES THREATENED

For the first time in the history of the League Nations Great Britain and France who control permanent council are blocked in their plans.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Not all who wear green neckties and other of like color on March 17, are sons of Old Ireland.

RAILROAD MERGERS

The decision against the proposed Nickel Plate railroad merger establishes the fact that interstate commerce commission will see to it the future that any railroad consolidation is in the interest of the public.

CHARACTER

The whole world is an archery field and its people are the targets, for at certain ages every man and woman unconsciously comes forward in an irregular turn and serve as marks for the darts.

THE BROOKHART CASE

Notwithstanding the fact that the sub-committee detailed to take evidence in the Brookhart election contest, completed its work more than a month ago, the matter has been pigeon-holed by the committee and no action taken.

Brookhart they will not only seat a democrat but may defeat Senator Cummins. If they vote for Brookhart they are validating the seat to one of the bitterest anti-administration members of the senate.

REPEAL OF WAR TIME ACTS

When summoned before the senate committee considering the repeal of war time acts of congress Secretary Kellogg vigorously opposed the repeal of these laws that are much like the old blue laws.

FRANCE IN BAD WAY

With the resignation of Premier Briand and the French cabinet over the tax question there began what may well be the most serious governmental crisis in the history of the third republic.

IT IS MURDER

Considerable interest has been aroused by a decision of the supreme court of Kansas which reversed a verdict of murder because the defendant who fired into an automobile killing a five year old boy, did so without intending to kill that particular person.

GETS CENT FOR PRINTING

When a citizen purchases stamped envelopes from the government he can have his name printed on the envelope for ten cents per 500 envelopes.

POWER COMPANIES

It is predicted that electric power companies in the eastern half of the United States will link their power systems in the immediate future, making possible an interchange of power from one system to another.

Little Avalanches

Since 1900 more than 500 different kinds of automobiles have disappeared from the markets. In 1892 only 86 were recorded at the national auto show, and in 1925 only 50 were shown.

Educating A Future Reckless Driver



SO THINK WE

We think the Chinese are a very selfish bunch. It is said that they feed their own hungry relatives before they send any of their food and clothing away to some other country.

We think there are two words that cover up a multitude of sins, and that is "economic conditions." It is really strange what a great amount of omissions these two words will cover.

We think there is very little difference in the associates of those in jail and the ones whom they had when they were outside.

We think this is the season of the year when the sport page possibly holds out the greatest interest.

We think that screening and draining is much better than quinine and caskets. Clean up.

We think that very few people ever get up in the world who do not also get up in the morning.

We think that sanitation is one of the best preventatives for typhoid.

We think that old Ty Phoid is liable to be in the county jail this summer if the county commissioners do not see fit to replace the sewerage connections in the building.

We think the greatest indoor sport of Americans is eating breakfast, dinner and supper.

We think that dinner tastes a great deal better at 12 o'clock in the day than at 6 in the evening. Guess we are just a bit foggy, though not "old."

We think that about all a fellow gets by waiting is a bill. And some of the people to whom the bill is owed do not even get that.

We think when you see a fellow is trying to do everybody, you can safely put him down as not being able to do anything.

We think that the reason so many women do not enjoy radio is because they have to stay at home to enjoy it.

IT IS REPORTED

That three more lives were lost yesterday at a grade crossing in Texas because the driver of the automobile did not stop, look and listen.

That the sanitary condition of the jail in Lubbock is not good, and the keepers know it, and they can't help it. So that is the condition. The county commissioners we understand also know it, but are not making any plans to improve the worst condition, if we have the report right, and therefore there is no chance for the conditions to be improved at this time.

That there is within 200 miles of Lubbock a cave that is as scenic as the Mammoth cave and not many people realize it.

That there is one thing that has not changed much in this great progressive country and that is that boys will not be boys.

That Pink Parrish says that he has never worked with republican organization, but in the federal building proposition he is ready to work harmoniously with them.

That some of the most interesting statistics have been gathered in compiling the brief that is to go to Congressman Jones to present to the committee on the federal building proposition. This brief contains some things that even the most sanguine people can hardly realize. The development of the South Plains is simply astounding.

This and That

Lady: "I want a pair of shoes for this youngster." Salesman: "French Kid?" Lady: "I should say not; born right here in Texas."

An excited motorist called up the hospital late one evening: "My car has just turned turtle!" Attendant: "Don't bother us, call up the aquarium."

"At least we've gotten rid of the rube who used to blow out the gas," "He's still with us," contradicted Uncle Bill Bottletop; "only he works different. He puts the gas in his flivver tank and hits sixty miles an hour."—Washington Star.

"Mah bredern," shouted Parson Potluck, "yo' want t' be ready to jump when yo' hears Gabriel blow dat horn." "Fo' goodness sake!" murmured Brother Simpson, "am he a-comin' in en auty-moebel?"—Ex.

An owner reports that he transplanted a gland from his monkey wrench to his Ford. Then he went out for a ride and a motor cop tried to arrest him for speeding, but the car bit the cop and then climbed a tree and hung from the branches by its tail light.

Ezra went to the doctor to learn what ailed him, and the doctor said: "You ought to take off flesh. Get a car and get more." "And so I got a car and got out more," says Ezra. "I got out six times in one block and took off a little flesh in four different places. The last time I got out was through the windshield. That was the time I took off the most flesh."—Ex.

Some day, somebody is going to write a joke about the motorist who does beat a train to a grade crossing.

Smart Dog Customer—Why does that dog sit there and watch me all the time? Waiter—I suppose you have the plate he always eats from.

TEXAS

By J. MARVIN NICHOLS

BUILDING OF AN EMPIRE

Fayette—1838 Organized January, 1838; created December 14, 1837. Built out of Colorado County and the original municipality of Bastrop, La Grange, the county seat.

Bowie—1841 Organized in 1841; created December 17, 1840. Built out of the original municipality of Red River, New Boston, the county seat.

Harrison—1842 Organized June 18, 1842; created January 28, 1839. Built out of the original municipality of Shelby, Marshall, the county seat.

Rusk—1843 Organized February 6, 1843; created January 16, 1843. Built out of the original municipality of Nacogdoches, Henderson, the county seat.

Lamar—1841 Organized 1841; created December 17, 1840. Built out of the original municipality of Red River, Paris, the county seat.

Galveston—1839 Organized 1839; created May 15, 1838. Built out of Liberty County and the original municipality of Brazoria, Galveston, the county seat.

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JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

YOUTH WILL LEARN WITHOUT OUR TELLING

Though minds are gay at twenty, At forty they'll agree, That life has cares a-plenty, And pleasures quickly flee, And youth will learn without our telling, That sorrow comes to every dwelling, Young hearts are seldom thrifty, They've strength and mirth to spend, Let us now close to fifty, Our falling fortunes mend, The young will learn when they get older, In autumn winds and blood grow cold.

DAILY LESSONS IN ENGLISH

By W. L. GORDON

WORDS OFTEN MISUSED: Don't say "he is a very affable salesman," if you mean courteous, or polite. OFTEN MISPRONOUNCED: grievous. Pronounce gre-vus, the e as in "the," u as in "us" and not as gre-vi-us. OFTEN MISPELLED: miscellaneous. SYNONYMS: solid, firm, hard, rigid, tense. WORD STUDY: "Use a word three times and it is yours." Let us increase our vocabulary by mastering one word each day. Today's word: HIDEOUS; shocking; dreadful; ghastly. "It was a hideous dream."

MATADOR TO TAKE AND

Last night the Stock Show Track which will be held yesterday afternoon both sides of the eleven men to meet for the Matador.

The entries in the 100 yard dash and the 680, which time due to the necessity for a fair ever there will be the 100 yard dash and low hurdles, and discus throw.

Lubbock Matador Corley, Christian all former Lubbock men will be among the trip to the tian has had one in college track as University. into a fleetly hurried under strict rules university coaches stride and hurdle.

Corley, a former is a 140 man. a good time in the Burroughs has been with the track college and has a Matador club. Brown, a former & M. college to part in the broader City meet. last season in the or college class.

The following trip: 100 yard dash, Woodridge; 200 Corley; 440—W low hurdles—B broad jump—B dridge; high r relay—Woodwa Burroughs, Moor

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# SPORT NEWS

## MATADOR CINDER PATH CLUD NAMED TO TAKE PART FAT STOCK SHOW TRACK AND FIELD MEET IN PANTHER CITY

Last night Coach Higginbotham left with Texas Tech Matador cinder path club to enter into the Fat Stock Show Track and Field meet which will be held on Saturday. Yesterday afternoon Coach Higginbotham stated that there would be eleven men to make the trip to the Panther City for the first contest meet for the Matadors.

However optimistic, "Hig" stated that they were not trying to take the meet by storm but were going down for their share of the honors and expected to show a good representation in the meet.

**Entries Are Made**  
The entries in the meet have been arranged and all events will be entered with expectation of the mile run and the 680, which are too hard for the Tech club just at the present time due to the lack of training that is necessary for those races. However there will be Tech entries in the 100 yard dash, 220, 440, high and low hurdles, broad jump, shot and discus throw.

**Lubbock Material to Make Trip**  
Corley, Christian and Burroughs, all former Lubbock high school track men will be among those that will make the trip to Fort Worth. Christian has had one year of experience in college track work with the Kansas University. He has developed under strict rules of the Kansas University coaches and has a smooth stride and hurdles with much ease.

Corley, a former Western star, is a 440 man and has established good time in the event. Burroughs has had some experience with the track club of A. & M. college and has trained hard for the Matador club.

**The Entries**  
The following men will make the trip: 100 yard dash, Burroughs and Woodridge; 220—Burroughs and Corley; 440—Woodward; high and low hurdles—Christian and Kirby; broad jump—Burroughs and Woodridge; high jump—Brown; mile relay—Woodward—Corley, Brown, Burroughs, Moore and Ashley.

## Tiger Coach Has Baseball Material Under Full Swing

**SLATON, March 11.**—Coach Gus Miller of Slaton High School has announced that base ball practice and track work has started in full swing. "We hope to present a formidable track team to compete in the Lubbock meet," said Miller, but at the present time, most of our time is being devoted to baseball. There are a number of new faces in the line-up and some of the boys are very inexperienced, but with the pitching staff we have, I feel confident that the team will make a creditable showing this season.

**GOLF SHOW**  
**CHICAGO, March 11.**—Hundreds of thousands of dollars are going to waste annually because golf clubs expect their professionals to be financiers as well as golfers, in the opinion of R. C. McManus, chairman of the special golf committee of the Chicago Association of Commerce. "We might as well expect a banker to go out and make a hole in one as to expect a golfer to operate a club properly. Yet we have the spectacle of club executives hiring golf professionals to handle the financial details of the club as well as to look after the operation of it," McManus said.

McManus and his committee will cooperate with the National Golf Show and Country Club officials in holding an exposition here April 6-10. "As the golf show," he said, "we are going to have discussions of budgets operating expenses, dues and assessments. Motion pictures of correct form for the golfer will be shown and methods of operating clubs successfully will be taught."

**WILLS WINS AGAIN**  
By United News.  
**NICE, March 11.**—Two more speedy victories, involving a loss or but two games in four sets, have been chalked up in Helen Wills' favor.

The American champion beat Miss Ridley, of England, in the women's singles of the Nice tournament, 6-0, 6-2, and with Charles Kinsley defeated Miss Standley and Deen, an English team, in straight love sets in the mixed doubles.

## SPORT FLASHES

**FANNING WITH FARRELL**  
By HENRY L. FARRELL

**NEW YORK, March 11.**—Several changes among the crown holders in the major divisions were to be expected in 1926 but there were very few critics who expected Harry Greb to be the first casualty of the year. Jack Dempsey, Paul Berlenbach and Greb were generally regarded to be as near security as it is possible to be in the boxing business but Greb was dethroned in a match against Tiger Flowers that was thought to be a pipe for him.

It has been the general feeling for several years that Greb would start slipping and that he would go fast once he started. But no one expected him to go so quickly. He never has taken care of himself and he couldn't keep ducking forever the penalty that no one can escape who does not observe the fundamental rules of training. The former champion kept going for a long time and he was a marvel to those who said two and three years ago that he was through. When he accepted the match with Flowers he jumped out into the country and said he would fight himself into condition and engaged in six bouts in five weeks. The task apparently was too much for him and he burned himself out.

Mickey Walker is another lad who should look out for himself or he'll lose the world's welterweight championship. Walker hasn't been taking the best care of himself and has been doing the Broadway supper club more than the gymnasium. With Dave Shade lurking around the corner, Walker's position is not any too secure at his best and he is fighting with a ticket out of the class if he doesn't pay more attention to his business.

He is a very likeable boy and is tremendously popular but he ought to realize that real friends, the kind he wants to keep, do not have their feelings hurt or their loyalty tested by an occasional no. Jack Dempsey offers a good example to any fighter or any champion athlete. He hasn't been doing much fighting, it is true, but he is not going soft through idleness or disipation.

The heavyweight champion hasn't a great number of intimates but he never has tried to cultivate personal pals. He has been through enough to know that the only friend that always can be depended upon is a bank account and he has a very large friend.

Dempsey doesn't really care for the bright lights. He used to show himself around the Broadway clubs but he did it for publicity at the suggestion of Jack Kearns who wanted to keep him in prominence. He has been criticized for not being a spender but his critics were of the type that wouldn't stake him to a meal if he threw away all his money.

**RAZORBACKS BREAKING IN TO HIGHER GRID CIRLES**  
By United News.  
**FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., March 11.**—With three football games scheduled next fall against Missouri valley teams, the Arkansas razorbacks are making a bid for permanent entry into higher company.

**FOOTBALL**  
**PHILADELPHIA, March 11.**—The beginning of a crusade against Thanksgiving Day football by colleges has been announced by the Presbyterian Board of Christian Education at their headquarters here. The intent it is said is to educate the American public toward restoration of the fundamental observance rather than as an athletic anniversary.

**PHILLIES 2; GIANTS 1**  
By United News.  
**BRADENTOWN, Fla., March 11.** The Philadelphia Phillies came through a close game Thursday by defeating the New York Giants 2 to 1.

The Phillies were out slugged throughout the game, but fast in-field work kept the Giants from scoring heavily. Barney Friberg was the hitting ace of the game, scoring Huber on a three batter to deep center, and scoring himself on Durning's sacrifice for the winning run.

## LANGFORD, ONCE OF LUBBOCK, BOSTON PROSPECT

**"MAY ADD SOCK TO RED SOX"** was the heading of one of the most handsome photos in the Sporting News, a publication that devotes itself solely to the development of baseball in America. This photo that we spoke of was that of our own Shelton (Sam) Langford who reported to the Boston Red Sox camp this spring which is being held in New Orleans.

**What the Sporting News Says:**  
"When blood transfusion was prescribed for the ailments of the Boston Red Sox, Dr. Robert Quinn held to the opinion that it was youthful sanguine injections that were needed. Casting about for fit subjects, there turned up one Elton Langford, who appeared to possess the necessary qualifications, and accordingly was listed for service."

**His Record**  
"Langford, who comes up from the championship Des Moines club of the Western league, batted .339 in that circuit last year, collecting 214 hits in 166 games. Included in his stack of safe raps were 31 doubles, 16 triples, and 13 home runs, totalling 316 bases. In the Western league where base padding amounts to little more than an incident, the new Boston protegee was credited with 16 larcenies."

**Is Native Texas**  
"Langford, who plays the outfield, throws with his right arm but bats from the left side. He stands six feet in height, weighs 180 pounds and is now in his twenty-fifth year. He is a native Texan, being born in Driggs on May 21, 1891."

**Not First Show in Majors**  
Langford's assignment with the Red Sox is not the first whiff of major league atmosphere for he had a whirl with the New York Yankees in 1923, after going through the initial paces at Ballinger, Mineral Wells and Lubbock. His trial heat with the Yankees was evidently premature, for early in the spring of 1923 he was shipped to Atlanta and thence to Macon in mid-season, most of 1924 found him with Peoria and he went to Des Moines at the close of that year and was one of the main reasons why the Demons landed the pennant in 1925.

**Welch Signs with Braves**  
By United News.  
**ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 11.**—Jimmy Welch, young outfielder of the Boston Braves, who had been holding out, has signed a contract. He put his name on the dotted line after Judge Fuchs, president of the club, had told him to go home, and probably will be in the Braves line-up against Washington at Tampa, Saturday.

**MONK EDWARDS PILOTS KANSAS AGGIE CAGERS**  
By United News.  
**MANHATTAN, Kan., March 11.**—A. R. "Monk" Edwards, of Fort Scott, Kansas, will pilot the Kansas Aggies basket ball team next year. The sparkling aggie guard who supplanted a regular this season was chosen unanimously as captain Thursday and he will be the first junior in years to pilot the aggie basketball.

**BENGE SLATED FOR MOUND**  
By United News.  
**ORLANDO, Fla., March 11.**—Rain and cold weather prevented the Cleveland Indians and Cincinnati Reds from meeting in their second exhibition game here. The game will be played Friday.

**SENATORS SWAMP BISON**  
By United News.  
**PALMETTO, Fla., March 11.**—The Washington Senators continued their training by defeating the Buffalo Bisons 15 to 1 in an exhibition game here Thursday.

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## Miss Ryan Defeats Miss Browne



Miss Elizabeth Ryan (left) of Santa Monica, California, yesterday defeated Miss Mary K. Browne (right) of California at Tampa for the singles championship of the Dixie tournament.

**ONE LOSES AND ONE WINS**  
By United News.  
**BROOKLINE, Mass., March 11.**—Gustave Froelich, German swimmer who with his partner, Rademacher, arrived in this country recently, was eliminated in the third heat of the one hundred yard handicap free style swim here tonight.

Froelich started from scratch, but could not catch Osborne, of the Brookline swimming club, who won the heat. Osborne's time was one minute two and four fifth seconds. Froelich's time was 2 seconds slower. Erich Rademacher, the other German invader fared better than his partner here tonight, winning two first places and equalling on world's record.

**MISS RYAN WINS DIXIE NET TITLE**  
By United News.  
**TAMPA, Fla., March 11.**—The Dixie women's championship tournament ended here Thursday with a double victory for Miss Elizabeth Ryan, of Santa Monica, Calif., who won the singles alone and took the doubles with Mrs. Hildegrade Taylor of New York.

Miss Ryan also defeated another Californian, Miss Mary K. Browne in the singles finale, 6-3, 8-6. She and Mrs. Taylor won the doubles from Miss Browne and Louise Raymond, also of New York, 6-3, 6-4.

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DEMOS MAY ASK FOR NATIONAL BOOZE REFERENDUM AS METHOD OF SETTLING EVERLASTING DISPUTE IN CONGRESS

By United News WASHINGTON, March 11.—Democratic leaders, seeking light on the vexing prohibition issue, have under consideration a proposal for congress to authorize a national official referendum on the question of modifying of the Volstead act.

The plan is suggested by Senator Robinson of Arkansas, minority leader and a dry. He is not finally committed to it, but has suggested it as a possible solution of the political difficulties which the belligerency the wets has caused.

Democratic leaders are in a uncomfortable situation on prohibition. Most of the wet leaders are democrats.

George Brennan, who will be a wet democratic candidate for senator in Illinois, Al Smith, Governor Ritchie and other wet leaders in the party believe, their side of the issue can be capitalized by the minority party. Dry democrats from the south are just as positive that this would be ruinous.

Robinson's idea would be to allow the country to decide through an official referendum.

"Congress has the power to authorize such a referendum by joint resolution," Robinson says. "Newspaper polls are being criticised by some as not being representative. I think it might be possible to hold a national referendum under proper safeguards and get a fair idea of the wishes of the country."

On the other hand, the house democratic leader, Congressman Oldfield, also of Arkansas and a dry, believes that any such proposal would be killed in congress by dry opposition.

One dry lobbyist said that he thought his people would stand for a referendum on whether the law should be enforced, but he doubted if they would approve a vote on the question of modifying the law.

Leaders of both house and senate are confident there will be no modification legislation by this congress. What will develop in the campaign as a result of the present show of wet strength is another question.

Democrats are not likely to take a direct stand on modification this year. They find the tariff a much safer issue.

"In some districts the wet candidates are republicans and in other places they are democrats," Oldfield said. There is no way it can be a party issue at present. Local conditions govern each case.

This is the view given to the United News recently by another important democratic functionary.

Meanwhile the senate judiciary committee has appointed a sub-committee to examine all wet bills and report back to the committee on them and on the advisability of holding hearings.

NORTHWEST WOMEN RULERS WELCOME MRS. LANDES

PORTLAND, Ore., March 11.—The election of Mrs. Bertha Landes as mayor of Seattle is a political victory for women in general, according to other feminine politicians of the Pacific northwest.

Miss Mary J. Spurlin, of Portland, who becomes district judge April 1, and Mrs. Louise Palmer Weber, candidate for the democratic nomination for governor, today expressed confidence that Mrs. Landes will establish a record during her administration of Washington's principal city.

Miss Spurlin holds to the opinion that Mrs. Landes will not be handicapped, because she is a woman. Mrs. Weber was even more to the point, declaring that "her sex is an asset to the woman in public life—not a handicap."

In a statement to the United News Mrs. Spurlin said: "Mrs. Landes will fill the office to which she has been elected with dignity and will render valuable service to Seattle. That a woman is chief executive of a great city may be interesting, but is important only to the extent that it proves woman's ability in positions of responsibility. Mrs. Landes is a woman of exceptional mental attainments and she will fulfill her trust with credit to all concerned."

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ated January 20, 1841. Built out of Washington and Robertson Counties and the original municipality of Milam. Bryan, the county seat.

One authority claims that about 1690 the Spanish adventurers called the river Brazos de Dios—meaning the Arms of God. In 1842, the Texans named the county for the river.

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Named for William B. Travis, a son of the famous pioneers in South Carolina and Alabama. He came to Texas in the winter of 1831, and began the practice of law in Anahuac. His heroic death in the Alamo has long since become an epic in Texas history and is now recited around every loyal fireside.

HOOVER INQUIRES INTO WATERWAYS PROJECTS

By United News WASHINGTON, March 11.—Secretary of Commerce Hoover announced Thursday that he was making an investigation of the economic phases of both the St. Lawrence and the New York barge canal routes as outlets for the Great Lakes waterways system, which have become the center of a dispute.

Hoover has been regarded as favoring the St. Lawrence route, which is sought by the middle west and is opposed by Governor Al Smith and the New York congressional delegation who want the federal government to take over the barge canal.

A joint commission of engineers and experts has been making studies of the two routes for nearly a year.

Representative Dempsey, New York, republican who is leading the fight here, carried his case to President Coolidge Thursday, telling the chief executive that the New York canal route would be as cheap, if not cheaper than the St. Lawrence. He answered the contentions of a delegation from the mid-west which informed the president Wednesday that the St. Lawrence would be the more economical route.

OFFICERS RUSH TO AID OF BUTLER'S VICTIM

LOS ANGELES, March 11.—Brigadier General Smedley D. Butler, agitator of the latest United States naval scandal, left here Tuesday night to return to his duties as commander of the marine post at San Diego.

Before departing, the dry marine chief told the United News that while he "was not proselyting prohibition, it has become obvious that military and naval men should be more respectful of the constitution and its amendments."

"The prohibition question does not enter into the present investigation at San Diego," he said "but military and naval officers should be more strict observers of national laws than ordinary citizens and that is what I am concerned about."

General Butler has recommended to naval authorities at Washington that he be relieved of his duties at a welcoming party, Colonel Alexander Williams, be court-martialed on charges of drunkenness and conduct unbecoming an officer and gentleman.

The accusations are based on Colonel Williams' conduct at a Coronado hotel party following a banquet he gave in honor of General Butler, which was said to have included the "traditional cocktails."

Several naval officers in southern California sympathetic to Colonel Williams, an over seas veteran, declared Thursday night that they had made affidavits refuting Butler's allegations. They asserted also that the general had failed to include a physician's affidavit attesting to his nervous condition, which is necessary under service regulations to compel a court-martial for intoxication.

General Butler said that a court-martial would be held within two or three weeks if his superiors in Washington upheld his charges against Colonel Williams.

General Butler, commenting on the prohibition polls being taken by newspapers throughout the country, said: "I feel that the opponents and proponents of prohibition should settle the question now and forever, and not keep all these conflicting arguments before the public indefinitely."

"However, I am a firm believer in law and order, and the constitution. As long as we have a dry law it should be enforced."

Look for Crooks to Flee Mrs. Landes

PORTLAND, Ore., March 11.—An anticipated rush of Seattle thugs, bootleggers and dope peddlers to Portland as a result of the election of Mrs. Bertha Landes was guarded against by Mayor George Baker here Thursday.

"I have given the police orders to tighten up and send each Seattle thug on his way and speedily as possible," said Mayor Baker. "Seattle's numerous undesirables undoubtedly will want to change addresses after Mrs. Landes takes office but we don't want them here."

Freidrich Holzman of Dresden fought off three bandits and saved his \$35,000 jewelry stock, but had a finger shot off during the battle.

Patrick and Bridgett Murphy of Dublin plied bankruptcy, but \$35,000 was found hidden in the wall of their home.

When triplets were born to the wife of Henry Armstrong in London, he fled and is being sought by the police.

Upon the death of Marcel Capdet of Marseilles it was discovered that he had been secretly married 40 years ago and that his wife died in 1924.

Follows Tradition



Raymond L. Houk, son of W. C. Houk, assistant superintendent of the house office building, has left Washington for his home in Knoxville, Tenn., to take the first step toward carrying out a family tradition—a tradition that one member of each generation must get ready to serve in congress.

U.S. Police Courts Only Pro Solution In N. Y.—Buckner

By United News NEW YORK, March 11.—United States Attorney Emery R. Buckner struck back Thursday at anti-Saloon League leaders who had attacked him for advocacy of a state referendum on the legislation of light wines and beers.

Buckner said he supported the Carlo-Pheps referendum law because it was in the best interests of prohibition law enforcement. Without a state enforcement law, Buckner said there was no prospect of relief from the present situation unless the federal government established police courts.

LEAGUE DE A DLOCK AT GENEVA STILL PERSISTS

By United News GENEVA, March 11.—Triumph for the claims of Brazil and Spain for permanent seats on the League of Nations council seemed Thursday night to be the only possible solution of the council dispute. As the Swedish delegate, Unden, alone remained firm in his stand against admittance of any nation but Germany, the combined attacks of the British, French and other delegates were begun on him in the hope that he might yield.

Second, an attempt will be made to induce Germany to accept the admission of Brazil and Spain along with the German delegates.

The task the league council is undertaking by pursuing such a course appears to be almost impossible of accomplishment. Both Unden and the German delegates have stated emphatically that they will not yield from their position. And the Spanish and Brazilian positions have been reiterated with the assertion that there will be no surrender by either group.

Premier Briand admitted after the secret session of the council Thursday afternoon that the negotiations for peace in the league faced obstacles almost insurmountable because all were based on positions which the various contending delegations claimed were matters of principle.

The British delegation declared that the situation was most grave. Informal approach was made to Unden Thursday evening by those seeking withdrawal of his threat. Representatives of the Locarno treaty makers will meet Friday prior to the league council meeting and at the council a final effort will be made to solve the enlargement dispute.

Paul Boncour of France and Foreign Minister Vandervelde of Belgium members of the same socialist organization as Unden will seek out Unden before the council meets Friday and urge upon him a change of heart, in case they succeed meanwhile in getting the German delegation to accept the admission of Brazil and Spain. Unless these earlier conferences succeed, the final and necessary battle will come in Friday's session of the council.

S. M. U. TRUSTEES TO MEET IN DALLAS MARCH 23

DALLAS, March 11.—The board of trustees and alumni of Southern Methodist University will meet here March 23, to formally open McFarland auditorium, S. M. U.'s \$500,000 assembly hall.

The "thanksgiving" celebration will consist of much merry-making, speech-making, buffet dinners and banquets, the institution's business manager announces.

To take care of out-of-Dallas visitors, The Greater Adolphus Hotel, Dallas' \$6,000,000 "Methodist Mecca" has reserved more than 25 "clique" buffet dinners.

PLAINVIEW PIONEER IS KILLED BY TRAIN

PLAINVIEW, March 11.—N. A. Price, 65, pioneer resident of Plainview, was fatally injured at 10 a. m. today when the automobile in which he was riding was struck by a South bound passenger train at the first grade crossing north of this city. Dr. J. L. Guest and Grady Dickey picked up the wounded man, where he had been thrown by the impact of the collision, and carried him to the Plainview hospital, where he died shortly.

Mr. Price is survived by a widow and a daughter, Mrs. M. M. Bonner, and by relatives in East Texas.

DE VALERA

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reds of ardent Irish rebels went unhesitatingly to their death for a hopeless cause, is where he was ten years ago, a school teacher in one of the ecclesiastical colleges of Dublin. The spark of freedom passes to less conspicuous hands.

The fection of De Valera is in no sense a sign that the fight for complete independence of Ireland is about to be abandoned. The very fact that there is sufficient intensity of feeling among the republicans to warrant their turning against their one outstanding leader serves to emphasize the sincerity of purpose in this little handful of rebels.

The story that De Valera has been the history of Ireland for the decade since the first shots were fired across St. Stephen's green on "Bloody Monday" of Easter week, 1916.

On that De Valera left his school books and inflamed the south of Ireland to vain rebellion.

Until 1921, De Valera led the Irish rebels against the British, then came the peace treaty negotiated by Ex-Premier David Lloyd George, Arthur Griffith and De Valera broke with his own comrades and became an arch rebel, his hand against every man's.

At times, his followers numbered only a few hundred, chief of the "Black Women" more fanatical than the men, wives who had been widowed and daughters who had lost fathers in the fight for Irish freedom.

On August 15, 1923, De Valera fainted on a platform in Ennis when Free State troops, advancing to arrest him, fired a volley over the heads of his followers to whom he was delivering an election speech. For more than a year, he was kept in prison by the Free State government.

Upon his release, his followers elected him to both the Dail Eireann in Dublin and the Ulster parliament. He went to Belfast, and was imprisoned by the Ulster government, only to be released a short time afterwards because he fitted too willingly into a martyr's role.

Little has been heard of De Valera lately, he has resumed his professorship in two Dublin colleges and the news that in the end he, too, decided that compromise was better than inevitable defeat, comes as a shock to his admirers in the United States.

NOT NO CLOTHES, BUT FEW OBJECTED TO BY GERMANS

By United News NEW YORK, March 11.—A little bit of clothing on actresses is more of a shock to the German theater-going public than none at all, according to Dr. Albrecht Claus of Berlin, who arrived Thursday on the North German liner Bremer.

"I have been twice," said Dr. Claus, who in Berlin is a police official with supervision of the theaters, "that newspapers here have received dispatches from Berlin stating that the public has arisen in protest against the nudity of female performers on the stage. Such is not the case."

"When women wore very little clothing we received many complaints. Since they are appearing with no clothes at all we have received very few complaints."

DAN MOODY'S ASSISTANT MAY ALSO WANT HIS JOB

By United News AUSTIN, March 11.—Friends of George Christian, ranking assistant attorney general indicated Thursday that it was very probable he would enter the race to succeed Dan Moody as attorney general.

Frances Meade, a 14 year old girl who fell from a speeding train near Keokuk, Ia., without injury, said she enjoyed the experience.

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Petticoat Poker Game in Gotham Raided by Robbers

By United News NEW YORK, March 11.—How three masked robbers "crashed in" on a women's poker game in a Bronx beauty parlor and relieved the seven players of jewelry valued at more than \$10,000 at pistol point last Friday became known Thursday despite the effort of the women and police to hush it up.

The women were enjoying a game in the rear of Madame Anna Silver's beauty shop when the three rushed in, ordering the women to deposit their jewels on the table. The men gathered them up and departed.

The heaviest loser was Mrs. Emile Gindin, owner of a jewelry shop, who had an \$8,000 diamond ring, and a bracelet taken.

GET RADIO SETS WITH TELEPHONES IN HOLLAND

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Telephone subscribers in The Hague can get radio over their lines by paying \$7.50 a year for a combination telephone and radio receiving apparatus, according to information at the commerce department here.

Asked to define a relative pronoun, a Chicago University student said it was "a family pronoun, such as mother, brother, aunt, etc."

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### PROHIBITION ARGUMENT CONTINUES TO MONOPOLIZE TIME OF CONGRESS IN SPITE OF EFFORTS TO SHUT IT OFF

By RAYMOND CLAPPER  
United News Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Prohibition monopolized attention in both house and senate Wednesday. Feeling over this question has grown so tense that congress can hardly talk of anything else. Leaders have tried to discourage prohibition debate and keep congress at work on the appropriation bills and other routine measures that must be passed before adjournment.

But it is futile. Every mail is bringing to senators and congressmen newspaper clippings showing prohibition polls, nearly all showing large wet preferences. Wets gleefully flaunt these at the dries. Prohibitionists feel impelled to explain that the newspaper polls don't mean anything. So it goes all day long.

Prohibition, being the only live political issue, breaks into debate at all hours of day or night despite all efforts to keep it outside. The prohibition controversy has created a tense situation in the senate judiciary committee which has been asked by wets to authorize beer hearings. A majority of the committee opposes the hearing. Chairman Cummins, thought to be dry, has been subjected to such pressure that he is tempted to order hearings on his own authority. Dry members challenge his right to do this without vote of the committee.

The fight will be resumed when the committee meets Thursday. Dries won the first test vote in the senate when Senator Willis, Ohio, republican, attempted to insert in the congressional record, an article entitled, "Lincoln the Prohibitionist." Senator Bruce, Maryland, democrat, had just read a poll taken in Arizona, which favored prohibition.

"If we are going to have these back door temporary returns inserted in the record, I am going to have some good prohibition articles put in," Willis shouted, flourishing the Lincoln article. "If the article says Lincoln was a prohibitionist I shall be forced to object to such falsifying of the record," Reed, Missouri, wet democrat warned.

A viva voce vote was taken and Willis won. Reed, of Missouri, then produced a newspaper clipping giving an account of the investigation of the state prohibition bureau in Ohio, Willis' state.

"That refers to a democratic governor and democratic appointees, so I assume no responsibility for it," Willis replied.

Glass, Virginia, dry, democrat, asked Bruce if beer and light wine were intoxicating. "The senator from Virginia has drunk too much of it not to know whether it is intoxicating or not," the wet Marylander retorted.

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Representative Tinkham, Massachusetts, wet republican, said, "History does not record, in so brief a number of years, such complete moral decadence."

This reminded Representative Howard, Nebraska, dry democrat, of a dream. It seems a voice had come to him calling itself the constitution of the United States. "Until I am changed," the dream voice said, John Barleycorn will never be brought back to life.

"After that I don't know what happened," Howard added. The Freudian experience caused the house to laugh heartily.

Bianton, Texas, dry democrat, asked Cellar, New York, wet democrat, if George Washington would violate the constitution were he alive today. "We know he would oppose the infamous law," Cellar replied. "He drank liquor at times, not wisely, but too well."

Timberlake, Colorado, dry republican, declared the newspaper poll in Denver meant nothing.

"When I was there I asked a policeman where to buy liquor," Cellar retorted. "No one need go without a drink in Denver."

### Wichita Falls Real Estate Board is Granted Charter

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, March 11.—The Wichita Falls Real Estate Board has been granted a charter at Austin. One of the chief purposes of the corporation will be to list and sell lands in the great Wichita Falls Irrigated Valley. The plan is for all lands to be offered for sale to be listed at a central office and from here the listing will be furnished members of the board. Many inquiries regarding the irrigated lands are being received.

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### ANOTHER HUNG JURY IN KANSAS BANKER'S CASE

WICHITA, Kan., March 11.—Shortly after 5 p. m. the jury deliberating on the fate of Phil A. Drum, former cashier of the defunct American State Bank, was called into court and dismissed by Judge Pierpont. They stood 11 to 1 for acquittal but were hopeless of agreeing. It was said this would probably mean dismissal of the case.

Herman Leach of Fairmont, Minn., who killed a man in an automobile crash, was fined \$1,000 and ordered to refrain from driving a car for the rest of his life.

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### BEAUTIFICATION OF PUBLIC PARK AT LITTLEFIELD

LITTLEFIELD, March 11.—Work has recently been started upon the beautifying of a public park in Littlefield. This park is located on Main street, three block out of the main business district. The Littlefield Chamber of Commerce with the aid of the city officials is sponsoring the project.

Over two hundred trees of various varieties that thrive well in this particular section are being set out as well as an abundance of shrubs and grass. The place is to be thoroughly supplied with water sufficient to care for all the plants, shrubbery and trees, and within a few years Littlefield will be able to boast of one of the most beautiful city parks in the state.

The construction of a large and correctly built band stand is to be built in the park within a short time where weekly band concerts will be given by the Littlefield Concert Band throughout the summer.

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### DENY ATTEMPTS TO HOLD UP TEAPOT DOME TRIAL

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Denial that this clients were trying to delay their trial was made Thursday by Attorney Frank J. Hogan, Jr., in filing further legal documents in connection with naval oil land conspiracy charges against Edward L. Dohoney and former Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall. Hogan claimed the government counsel had caused delays, however.

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# TAHOKA FARMS IN GOOD SHAPE VIEW OF BANKER

## NOT ONE FORECLOSURE IN PAST TWO SEASONS IS RECORD

TAHOKA, March 11.—"It is doubtful if there is another community in Texas where farmers are in better shape financially than here," is the statement of W. B. Slaton, cashier of the First National Bank. "We made pretty fair cotton last season, and there are very few farmers who failed to raise all the feed they will need during the coming year. Many of them have a surplus and will have feed for sale."

"We have never planted any great amount of wheat, though at times wheat crops are very profitable, Maize, kafir and similar grains do exceptionally well, and there is generally a surplus produced around here."

Mr. Slaton also told an Avalanche representative that his bank had not made a single foreclosure during the past two years—that is, in 1924-25 and the 1925-26 seasons. This is a record that the community may well be pleased to own, he says.

When asked what his patrons thought of the diversified program Mr. Slaton stated that they thought well of the plan and one by one the farmers in Lynn county are adopting the plan. Cotton will in all probability always be the leading crop here, but just because cotton does well here is no reason why farmers should overlook the importance of a feed crop.

## O'Donnell Installs Modern Fire Truck

O'DONNELL, Mar. 11.—With the installation of a modern fire truck, O'Donnell now has greater fire protection than ever before. The new truck, a La France, is only a chemical truck, but a modern water pumper will be installed as soon as water mains are put down.

A gaint siren that the alarm has also been installed here, and on a quiet day it may be heard for ten miles.

## FLOYDADA LEGION TO HEAR FAMOUS LECTURER

FLOYDADA, March 11.—American Legion members will have the pleasure of hearing Major E. A. Simpson, of world war fame, make an address here Monday evening, when he will be the guest of the membership at a banquet.

Major Simpson, who is at the present a member of a law firm in Amarillo, is well known here, as there are several Legion members who served under him during the war.

## Plainview Elks Elect Officers for Ensuing Year

PLAINVIEW, March 11.—The Plainview Lodge No. 1175 B. P. O. Elks elected the following officers at their regular meeting Tuesday night: Past Exalted Ruler, W. E. Settoon, exalted ruler; Judge L. C. Penry, leading knight; H. V. Tull, Jr. loyal knight; R. L. Hooper, lecturing knight; F. V. Pierson, secretary; S. J. White, treasurer; Wylie Brashear, three year trustee; Franklin Blockston, tiler; D. D. Bowman, trustee to fill the unexpired term of W. E. Settoon, resigned; representative to the grand lodge, Past Exalted Ruler, Bain McCarroll; alternate, Ben F. Smith.

## UNIVERSITY Y. M. C. A. LEAGUE FOR SPRING

PLAINVIEW, March 11.—Plainview's boys' baseball league was organized Tuesday morning when about eighty boys ranging in age from ten to fifteen met at the Junior High School and six teams of twelve players each were chosen. The number of players and teams will be increased later and the teams will meet soon to choose a captain and name. The league is to be sponsored in Plainview this spring by the Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs.

It is the present desire to start the games the 12th of March and to play two or three games a week until the end of school. Guy Allen, who has charge of the rules and regulations of the league, presented the last year's winners the "Turtles" with a silver loving cup at the meeting which had been donated to the winners by A. G. Spaulding & Co.

## KRYPTOK GLASSES THE INVISIBLE DIOPICALS

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## TAHOKA WATER BONDS SELL FOR PREMIUM

TAHOKA, March 11.—Attorney General Dan Moody has passed upon the \$80,000 water bond issue here and the bonds have been sold at \$101 plus accrued interest. Work on a modern system will begin in a short while.

## MINISTER HEADS O'DONNELL C. OF C.

O'DONNELL, Mar. 11.—Rev. W. B. Hicks, Methodist pastor, will serve as president of the local Chamber of Commerce during the coming year. Rev. Hicks was elected to fill this important station at a recent meeting of directors. So far no one has been named as secretary, though a committee will recommend some citizen of O'Donnell at a meeting to be held at an early date.

O'Donnell has a population of more than 2,000 and is one of the largest little cities on the South Plains. The Chamber of Commerce will make an effort to bring farmers and business men into closer relations, sponsor the diversified program, and solicit local and outside capital for the establishment of a number of needed institutions.

## Pre-School Children Clinic to be Held

PLAINVIEW, March 11.—Miss Margaret Hooper, Hale County public health nurse, will hold a clinic for pre-school children and infants at Plainview in the court house this afternoon. Free examinations of all children brought to these clinics will be made by Miss Hooper in connection with a local physician and dentist who will make recommendations to parents concerning their health. No treatment is given.

## Announcement

Dr. Frank C. Scott announces the opening of an office in the Leader Building, 1112 Avenue J. He will specialize on diseases and surgery—EYE, EAR, NOSE, THROAT and FITTING OF GLASSES 3-2-26

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## UNION BUS LINE SCHEDULE

RED BALL LUBBOCK TO SWEETWATER				
READ DOWN	FARE	FARE	READ UP	FARE
8:30AM 3:00PM	5:00PM	LUBBOCK	5:00 2:45PM	8:30PM 2:45PM
9:15AM 3:45PM	5:30PM 1.00	SLATON	4:30 2:00PM	8:00PM 2:00AM
11:00AM 4:00PM	6:45PM 2.00	POST	3:50 1:00PM	7:30PM 1:30AM
1:00PM 7:00PM	8:30PM 3.50	SNYDER	2:00 11:30AM	5:00PM 11:30PM
2:30PM 8:30PM	10:45PM 5.00	Sweetwater	10:00AM 2:30PM	9:45PM

RED BALL LUBBOCK TO AMARILLO				
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8:30AM 3:00PM	2:00PM	LUBBOCK	5:00 2:00PM	8:00PM
9:00AM 3:30PM	.75	Abernathy	4:25 1:35PM	7:15PM
9:35AM 4:05PM	1.25	Hale Center	3:55 12:00PM	6:30PM
10:00AM 4:30PM	2.00	Plainview	3:00 12:00PM	6:00PM
11:00AM 5:30PM	3.25	TULLA	1:75 11:00AM	5:00PM
11:45AM 6:00PM	3.75	HAPPY	1:25 10:20AM	4:25PM
12:15PM 6:15PM	4.25	CANYON	.75 9:45AM	3:45PM
1:00PM 7:00PM	5.00	AMARILLO	9:00AM	3:00PM

RED STAR LUBBOCK TO BIG SPRING				
READ DOWN	FARE	FARE	READ UP	FARE
8:00AM 2:00PM	6:00PM	LUBBOCK	5:00 10:00AM	4:00PM 8:00PM
9:00AM 3:00PM	7:00PM 1.50	TAHOKA	4:50 9:00AM	3:50PM 7:00PM
10:00AM 4:00PM	8:00PM 2.00	O'DONNELL	4:00 8:00AM	3:00PM 6:00PM
11:00AM 5:00PM	9:00PM 3.00	LAMESA	3:00 8:00AM	2:00PM 5:00PM
12:00 M	1.00	Big Spring	2:00 7:00AM	1:00PM

SUNSET CLOVIS TO ROSWELL				
READ DOWN	FARE	FARE	READ UP	FARE
8:15AM 2:00PM	1.00	LUBBOCK	8:00 12:35PM	6:15PM
9:15AM 3:00PM	1.25	Shallowater	7:25 12:05PM	5:45PM
9:45AM 3:30PM	1.50	LYNTON	6:55 11:40AM	5:15PM
10:15AM 4:00PM	2.25	LITTLEFIELD	6:25 11:15AM	4:45PM
10:45AM 4:30PM	2.50	ANTHERST	5:55 10:50AM	4:20PM
11:15AM 5:00PM	3.00	SUDAS	5:25 10:20AM	3:50PM
11:45AM 5:30PM	3.50	Muleshoe	5:00 9:30AM	3:00PM
12:15PM 6:00PM	4.00	TEXICO	4:30 7:15AM	12:45PM
12:45 M 6:45PM	4.50	CLOVIS	4:00 6:45AM	12:15PM
1:00PM 7:00PM	5.00	PORTALES	3:00	12:00PM
7:00PM	2.00	ROSWELL		7:15AM

LONE STAR CROSBYTON TO SPIRO TO WICHITA FALLS				
READ DOWN	FARE	FARE	READ UP	FARE
8:00AM 12:30PM	5:00PM 1.00	LUBBOCK	5:00 10:15AM	4:00PM 6:30PM
8:30AM 1:00PM	5:30PM 1.50	IDALOU	4:00 9:45AM	4:00PM 6:00PM
9:00AM 1:30PM	6:00PM 2.00	LOZANZO	3:50 9:00AM	3:50PM 5:15PM
9:30AM 2:00PM	6:30PM 2.50	RALLS	3:00 8:30AM	3:30PM 4:45PM
10:00AM 2:30PM	7:00PM 3.00	Crosbyton	2:50 8:00AM	2:30PM 4:15PM
12:30 M	4.00	SPICE		
11:00AM	4.00	Floydada		
4:30PM	9.00	QUANAH		8:00AM
6:00PM	10.00	Wichita Falls		
11:00PM	11.75	FT. WORTH		

LONE STAR LUBBOCK TO BROWNFIELD				
READ DOWN	FARE	FARE	READ UP	FARE
8:30AM 12:30PM	5:00PM 1.00	LUBBOCK	2:00 10:00AM	2:30PM 7:00PM
9:30AM 1:30PM	5:30PM 1.50	KOPPE	1:00 9:00AM	1:30PM 6:00PM
10:30AM 2:00PM	6:00PM 2.00	WEADOW	.50 8:00AM	1:00PM 5:30PM
11:30AM 3:00PM	7:00PM 2.50	Brownfield	8:00AM	12:30PM 5:00PM

12:30 P M car makes connection at Brownfield for Roswell, and for all points between Ft. Worth, Texas.

CITY BUS LEAVES BUS TERMINAL ON THE QUARTER HOUR, 15 BEFORE AND 15 AFTER THE HOUR

## COMMUNITY CLUBS IN DAWSON ARE PROSPEROUS

LAMESA, March 11.—Whether the Lamesa territory is blessed with any richer soil than other sections of the plains cannot be said, but it is a settled fact Lamesa farmers are as wide-awake as their neighbors. Here the diversified program is a feature and not an experiment, and farmers, to a man, will tell you diversification pays.

Even the younger generation is alert. There are 14 community clubs in Dawson county, and these clubs have a total membership of 164. C. T. Watson, county agent, is due considerable credit for the success of this organization, as he has labored in this county for more than eight years.

Following are some figures that may interest readers in other sections. In one year's time the community clubs of Dawson county produced the following:

125 pigs, valued at \$ 1,058.00  
586 chickens, valued at 586.00  
7 calves, valued at 700.00  
Row crops, valued at 12,000.00  
Prizes won 143.00

TOTAL FOR YEAR... \$4,746.00

## Many Girls and Boys Join 4-H Club Work

PLAINVIEW, March 11.—Many enrolling with Paul Huey, county agent, in 4-H club work in order to be eligible to compete for a free trip given by the Santa Fe Railway Co. to the Fifth National Boys and Girls Club Congress in Chicago's next December. Such trips are allowed to sixty-two boys and girls by the Santa Fe with all expenses paid, nineteen of which are in Texas.

The trip will be awarded to the boy or girl, living in a county traversed by the Santa Fe and having a full time agricultural extension agent, that makes the best record in crop or livestock projects.

## EIGHT HALE COUNTY CLUBS MEET WITH DEMONSTRATION AGENT

PLAINVIEW, March 11.—Eight Hale County community clubs and fourteen members were represented at the regular monthly council of the Hale County Women's Home-Demonstration Clubs Tuesday afternoon in the office of Miss Gladys Short.

## New Officers and Directors Chosen By Tahoka C. of C.

TAHOKA, March 11.—At a special meeting of the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce held in the county court room Tuesday night, a complete reorganization of the body was made. Robert H. King of the Security State Bank was elected president to succeed E. I. Hill who has been acting as president during the past year while W. G. Briley will serve as vice president of the organization.

President King was authorized to appoint seven members who will constitute the new board. No secretary was named, though the chairman appointed a committee of three to assist him in the selection of a man to fill this important station.

At the request of J. Brown Bishop, retiring secretary, the president was authorized to appoint an auditing committee to examine the books and to report their finding at the next meeting of the board which will be held some time next week.

The matter of a county farm agent for Lynn county was also brought up before the body, and while nothing definite was done it appears that there is a very strong sentiment in favor of the county agent plan. It is probable that the question will be put before the county commissioners' work in this county.

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demonstration agent. There are now fifteen women's clubs in the county and others are soon to be organized. It was decided at the meeting to sponsor a countywide year-end bread contest through March and April. Each community will handle the contest separately and winners will compete in the county contest to be held the first of June. The county winner will be sent to the short course conducted by the A. and M. Extension Service in July. A house dress contest will be conducted by the clubs in May.

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NOTICES

REMOVAL NOTICE to our coal and grain customers, beginning Monday, March 8th we will discontinue our office on North side of switch, all business and trade taken care of one block south of postoffice on 13th street. 127-7

MARCELLING 50c — Satisfaction guaranteed. 1607 Ave. L. 131-2p

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NEAT APPEARING SALESLADIES — To sell Pickwick house and street frocks direct to wearers; easily earn \$35 weekly; work all or part time. Write today. Pickwick Mfg. Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind. 132-1p

WANTED TO BUY — Vendor's Lien notes, Richard L. Douglas, 407 Temple Ellis building. 132-10p

WANTED — Two salemen, must have car. Not afraid of work. Good money. Pay every night. Call for Mr. Floyd at Merrill Hotel, Monday, from 10 to 12 a. m. 131-4c

WANTED — Boarders. 805 Ave. K. 131-4p

WANTED — A share crop or would work through crop for 25 acres. Call H. R. Hudson, Lubbock Sanitarium. 131-1p

WANTED — Real estate listings. If you want to sell and price is right will get action for you. See Mr. Townsend, Avalanche building, phone 236. 131-3

I WILL PAY \$10.00 — For 100 baby chicks. Deliver to Fair Park Filling Station, east Broadway. Lubbock. 131-3p

WANTED — Clean cotton rags. We pay highest price for first class rags. Avalanche. 275-1f

WANTED — Our readers and patrons of the classified ad department to know that we must have cash in advance for classified ads.

WANTED TO BUY — Your fat cows, yearlings, calves, hogs. Also have market for mitch cows, stockers, bulls and etc. Phone 833 or call at 717 Broadway. BOSLEY MARKET 95-30

WANTED your mattress and upholstery work. We give gold bond stamps. Lubbock Mattress Co., C. M. Hayes, Prop., Phone 263, 509 Broadway. 104-30p

WANTED — Young fat cattle and hogs on foot. Inquire at "M" System store. Phone 256. 112-1f

MONEY TO LOAN on diamonds, automobiles, or anything of value. See Crouch, Broker, room 205 Lubbock Natl. Bank Building. 117-1f

WANTED — Second-hand windmill tower and pipe. Must be worth the money. Phone 1246 or see T. Teal. 130-3p

WANTED — To buy cattle and hogs on foot. Try our meats. Can deliver any amount. Goodart & Son at Hodges Bros. 130-14p

FOR SALE

THIS WEEK'S BEST BUY — House — 5 rooms, near high school, edgedwood floors, extra large rooms, decorative light fixtures, built-ins, electric heater. \$5,350.00. A real value. \$1,000 cash will handle. See Mr. Townsend with Chas. F. O'Neal, 1213 Ave. L. Phone 236. 131-30

FOR SALE — One Oliver single-row cultivator, one P. & O. two-row Go-Devil. Both in good condition. 617 17th St. 132-3p

FOR SALE — R. I. Red eggs, pure strain. 15 for 75c. Mrs. Welfon Winn 1218 8th St. 132-3p

FOR SALE OR TRADE — Hudson Brougham, 1925, run less than 5,000 miles. Write "B. G." care Avalanche. 131-2p

FOR SALE OR TRADE — 6-room house with all modern conveniences. Large lot; garage and servant room. Cheapest place in town. See or phone C. A. Pierce. 132-1p

FOR SALE — Late model Ford Sedan. Good as new. Bargain for cash. Phone 1377-J. 131-2p

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COTTON SEED FOR SALE — Most all varieties adapted to this locality, per bushel \$1.00 to \$3.00. We also call cotton seed for the public. Stubbs Seed House, 506 Broadway. Phone 888. 119-30p

FOR SALE

FOR SALE — New 5-room house. Bargain. Call 1007. 131-4

FOR SALE — Jersey cow. 2203 7th. O. L. Meridith. 132-2p

FOR SALE — Half section land in Wheeler county. \$15.00 acre, or might trade for Lubbock property. J. H. Hamey, 2118 13th St. Lubbock. 131-2p

LEASE FOR SALE — Brick and concrete building 25x125 in heart of Main St. Call 736. 132-2p

FOR SALE OR TRADE — Modern 6-room house. Will take smaller place or lots clear for equity. 1412 Ave. T. Phone 437-J. 132-14p

FOR SALE OR TRADE — For auto, 3 south front lots near new Dupree School. Price \$300.00 each. See Mr. Townsend with Chas. F. O'Neal, 1213 Ave. L. Phone 236. 131-3

GO TO DADDY'S Filling Station, Ave. H and 14th. Phone 430. Best of gas, oils, service, expert auto repairing on any make of car. Work absolutely guaranteed. 110-1 m. p.

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Nice modern 6-room house close in, newly built, \$500 cash will handle. JARROTT REALTY CO., Leader building, Phone 346. 126-1f

HIGHLAND HEIGHTS LOTS — 56x140, North fronts, 24th street, \$475.

56x140 on 25th street, \$425.00.

56x140 on 26th street, \$350.

56x140 on 27th street, \$325.

56x140 on 28th street, \$300.

56x140 on 29th street, \$290.

56x140 on 30th street, \$280.

56x140 on 31st street, \$270.

56x140 on 32nd street, \$260.

56x140 on 33rd street, \$250.

56x140 on 34th street, \$240.

56x140 on 35th street, \$230.

56x140 on 36th street, \$220.

56x140 on 37th street, \$210.

56x140 on 38th street, \$200.

56x140 on 39th street, \$190.

56x140 on 40th street, \$180.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT — Newly furnished large bedroom, private entrance, furnace heat and bath. 2223 14th St. Phone 954-J. 132-4p

FOR RENT — 2 nice light housekeeping rooms furnished, with garage. Phone 409-W. 1914 Ave. H. 132-3p

FOR RENT — Nice modern 5-room house. Close in. \$45. Phone 137. 132-3p

FOR RENT — Two large furnished rooms for light housekeeping down stairs. 1116 15th St. 132-2p

FOR RENT — 14-room boarding house on pavement. Reasonable. Phone 33. 1311f

FOR RENT — Five-room cottage close in on pavement. Reasonable. Phone 33. 131-1f

FOR RENT — Nicely furnished bedroom, all modern conveniences, close in. 1614 Broadway. Phone 1169-M. 131-4p

FOR RENT — Seven-room house, all conveniences. 2103 13th St. Apply Y. & L. Electric Shop. 131-2p

FOR RENT — Light housekeeping rooms or board and room. \$7.00 per week. 2118 18th St. 131-2p

FOR RENT — One large room furnished for light housekeeping. Also a servant house. 1620 15th St. Phone 493. 131-1p

FOR RENT — Five-room brick veneer house, possession now. O. E. Sears. 131-1p

FOR RENT — Three nicely furnished bedrooms, hot water, on paved street. 1309 Ave. M. Phone 961-W. 131-4p

FOR RENT — Newly papered 3-room house and garage at 418 Avenue M. Open for inspection. See Mrs. Renfro at Avalanche. Don't phone. 131-1

FOR RENT — 150 to 300 acres near Meadow, can sell feed to renter on time if desired. Write A. L. Walker, Meadow, Texas. 127-7f

FOR RENT — Desirable bedroom, hot and cold water and furnace heat. Gentlemen only. 1720 Main St. 130-2p

FOR RENT — 2 light housekeeping rooms partly furnished, adjoining bath. 1615 18th street. 130-2p

FOR RENT — 5-room house with 3 acres land. In city limits. Phone 144. Stoctoy Henry. 130-3

FOR RENT — A modern 5-room house. Call B. F. Hodges, phone 25. 1304f

FOR RENT — Six-room modern stucco, also 3-room apartment. Ran Smith, 1910 Ave. H. 130-5p

FOR RENT — Store space first floor east Western Union on 13th St. E. Needles, phone 1288-J. 130-5p

FOR RENT — Ads bring fine results in the Avalanche Classified ads, but these ads must be paid for in advance, and no ads will be taken over the phone. Call the classified ad department anytime between 8:00 o'clock in the morning and 6:00 o'clock in the afternoon and the ad man will call and get your copy. Have the money to pay when they get the ad or same will not be run.

FOR RENT — Large steam heated offices. Very reasonable rent. Standard Abstract Co., Phone 944. 811 Broadway. 77-1f

FOR RENT — Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping, adjoining bath, front entrance. 1913 Ave. L. Call 1122. 122-1f

MISCELLANEOUS

ROOM AND BOARD — To transient people \$2.50 per day. Special rates to regular boarders. Cheri Casa Dormitory. 132-21p

REMOVAL NOTICE — To our coal and grain customers, beginning Monday, March 8th, we will discontinue our office on North side at switch. All business and trade taken care of one block south of postoffice on 13th street. Jackson Bros. 132-7p

TREE SALE TODAY — All shade trees will be sold absolutely at half price TODAY ONLY of this week on south side of H. E. Miller's grocery store. Sale begins at 9:00 a. m. 132-1p

EXCHANGE — Thousand bushel Mebane planting seed \$1.50 per bushel for No. 2 or better head maize at \$17.50 per ton at Lubbock. See L. O. Burford or phone 9809-F. 129-6p

TAHOKA COMMISSION BUYS BIG FIRE TRUCK — TAHOKA, March 11. — The city commission has just purchased a modern chemical fire truck for this city, and it is thought the machine will arrive within the next few days. The old fire truck will be discarded.

STOCKS

NEW YORK FINANCE

BY E. WALTER MCKLER

Financial Editor United News

NEW YORK, March 11. — Stocks continued to move upward Thursday

with more evidence of aggressive counter operations against shorts by bulls.

The latter group are renewing their courage at the front of constructive developments.

Special emphasis was placed on rail stocks Thursday. To some extent this was due to the leadership of the roads listed among the former Nickel Plate group.

This may be accepted as an indication that the roads are to receive more favorable terms under any new plan which may be suggested for the grouping of these roads.

Hocking Valley, Chesapeake & Ohio, Erie Nickel Plate and Pere Marquette make up this group the last named road has just increased its dividend 50 per cent.

Call money firmed up hursday in consonance with the higher stock market. This firmness will very likely continue until after the middle of the month.

After this turnover has been accomplished, however, there is nothing in sight other than the usual spring demand for funds to interfere with the normal course of the money markets.

One evidence of the revival of confidence in the market has been the increase in the number of favorable reports in circulation.

While the market was under pressure and for the first few days after the big break, every report was tinged with bearishness and the street was in no mood to consider constructive possibilities.

Considerable is now heard of the possibility of a merger of the General Petroleum Co., with the Standard of New York.

Other consolidation news, including railroads, is hatching out again and the street is beginning to see the possibility of enhanced value for the stocks considered as a result of these moves.

Belief that mergers necessarily improve the position of an individual stock is general, but not always accurate.

The various stocks included in the recent Nickel Plate plan are stronger since the plan fell through than they were before the plan was broached.

Other cases could be cited to show that individual concerns of corporations have been better off under the original management than under merger terms.

As a general rule, however, the elimination of wasteful duplication in overhead starts most merger groups with one distinct advantage and other improvements come from larger purchasing power as well as increases in importance in the trade concerned.

The latter groups are sufficiently representative of common experience to justify market appreciation of shares of companies entering into consolidation plans.

Recent recoveries in the stock market have made for like advances in the bond market.

High class investment issues have naturally improved in standing as the tremendous pressure was lifted when stocks rallied.

Furthermore, such bonds as the Delaware & Hudson; Chesapeake & Ohio; Norfolk & Western and other convertible issues have been marked up materially to coincide with the sharp gains in the stocks for which the bonds may be exchanged.

Minor speculative bonds are still in a trading position but here the improvement in the market's temper has served to cut down the element of uncertainty and allow the securities to move in response to normal market factors.

During the worst of the market hysteria, bonds as well as stocks were thrown overboard ruthlessly.

Kansas City Livestock

By United News

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 11. — Cattle receipts at the five western markets were about normal.

An average Thursday supply was yarded here but general quality was plain.

Very few loads of good killing steers or yearlings was among arrivals. Packers had limited orders but trade was slow and prices steady to weak.

Most steers sold around 800 @ 950.

Total supplies of hogs at the five western markets were slightly heavier than a week ago or a year ago but the demand here and at most points was good and prices everywhere were higher.

The market was fairly active and generally 15 @ 25 cents up. Stock pigs were steady with the best time yesterday with most sales ranging around 1350 to 1400.

Cattle 2,500, calves 500, practically nothing done on fed steers early, a few loads of fed heifers early 825 @ 875; mixed yearlings 950; top

veal 1200; stockers and feeders scarce in first hand.

Hogs 5,000, uneven 10 to 25 cents higher; desirable 170 to 200 lbs. averages 1315 @ 1350; sorted 130 to 160 lbs. averages 1365 @ 1400; a few 210 to 230 lbs. averages around 1300; steady to strong; packing sows 1050 @ 1100; stags 900 @ 975; stock pigs steady 1800 @ 1400.

Sheep 3,000; lambs slow; wool skins about steady top to shippers 1375; others to packers 1310 @ 1350; a few clippers 15 to 25 cents lower; best offered 1090.

Fort Worth Livestock

FT. WORTH, March 11. — Cattle receipts 1,800; calves 200; heaves 525 @ 950; stockers 500 @ 850; cows 300 @ 650; cutters 350 @ 385; canners 300 @ 335; heifers 450 @ 850; yearlings 500 @ 1000; calves 400 @ 950; bulls 375 @ 540.

Hogs receipts 1,200; medium 1275 @ 1300; heavy 1225 @ 1255; light 1300 @ 1325; mixed 1375 @ 1225; common 1125 @ 1177; packing sows 1025 @ 1100; pigs 1050 @ 1200.

Sheep receipts 200; spring lambs 1000 @ 1050; feeder lambs 750 @ 850; yearlings 900 @ 1000; wethers 800 @ 850; ewes 650 @ 750; culls 100 @ 225; stocker sheep 300 @ 600; goats 100 @ 300.

Market furnished by SAM S. DENMAN CO.

Correspondent J. N. Wisner & Co. New Orleans

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Closed Today Yesterday

Santa Fe 129.2 127.6

Am. Can 311.4 314.6

Am. Loco 105.1 105.6

General Asphalt 86.1 85.4

Am. Tel. 116.1 115.1

Baldwin 148.4 148.4

B. & O. 108.4 108

Beth. Steel 42.4 42.2

Natl. Bisc 82.7 82.3

Anaconda Cop. 46.6 46.2

Corn Pro. 39.1 39

Chandler Motors 21 20.2

N. Y. Cent. Ry. 128.1 126

Erie Ry. 28.6 29.6

White Eagle O. & R. 27.6 27.4

Fisk Rubber 19.6 20.2

Frisco Ry. 95.4 94.4

Gen. Electric 328.2 328.4

Genl. Mtrs. 125.4 125

Grt. Nthrn. Ry. 73.4 66.7

Goodrich Mtrs. 65.7 73.6

Hudson Mtrs. 113.4 114

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Int. Engrs. 46.6 45.1

Inspirator Copper 24.1 24

Int. Paper 54 53.3

Jordan Mtrs. 54.7 54.6

Katy Ry. 40 39

Kennecott Cop. 54.6 54

Coca Cola 141.6 140.7

La. Oil 15.5 15.4

Loews Corp. 38.2 37.5

Maricabo O. Exp. 25.4 25.4

Miami Corp. 12.2 12.1

No. Pac. Ry. 33 32.4

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NEW ORLEANS, La. — Domestic cotton goods markets easy with further price reductions on some lines, moderate turn over, taking market as a whole.

ARK-OKLA-W. Texas-Tonight and Friday fair.

East Texas—Fair somewhat colder frost in north portion Friday, fair, light northerly winds on the coast.

New Orleans—Weather map wet over cotton region with temperatures about seasonable.

Columbus, Ga.—Misting, rained all night.

Birmingham, Ala.—Rained all yesterday.

Dobson, Ala.—Rained all night.

Montgomery, Ala.—Cloudy and cool.

High barometer.

Temple cloudy.

Houston clear and warm.

Dallas threatening.

Waco cloudy and cool.

Wichita Falls cold.

Paris

# BUCKNER'S BOOZE REFERENDUM ASSAILED

By United News.  
NEW YORK, March 11.—With the light wine and beer issue commanding attention in congress and through newspaper polls, the recommendation of United States District Attorney Buckner for a state wide referendum on the question of modification and his proposal of a state enforcement act which would apply only to hard liquors have brought criticism from drys both here and in Washington.

Arthur J. Davis, superintendent of the New York Anti-Saloon League, voiced his protests in Washington, terming the proposed referendum "a straw vote" which would not be binding.

Orville S. Poland, attorney for the league in New York, said that Buckner's proposal for a state enforcement law providing no punishment for traffic in light wines and beers was "inherently dishonest," as it attempted to legalize wines and beers by non-action.

Mr. Buckner suggested the compromise state enforcement act Tuesday night as a palliative to the present condition of lawlessness, which he said attended non-enforcement.

"If the drys can not get a whole loaf," he said, "they should be glad to take four fifths."

"Such a state law as I suggest would at least stem the tide of hard liquor, denatured alcohol, the poor man's poison liquor which flows in the wake of non-enforcement. It would help us to clean out the dives and rendezvous of crooks, where the vilest of outlaw liquor is sold."

Davis and Mrs. Ella A. Boole, national president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union both said that the only place for a referendum was in congress.

# AGGIE PROFESSOR TO AID IN FEDERAL COTTON PROBE

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. March 11.—Announcement was made today of the acceptance by Dr. B. Youngblood, director of the Texas Agricultural experiment Station of the A. & M. College of Texas, of an invitation from Dr. William J. Jardine, secretary of agriculture and Dr. Thomas Cooper, chief of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, to conduct a cotton economics and technological research for the Bureau of Agricultural Economics of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Dr. Youngblood will be granted leave of absence from the college for one year, beginning about June 1, according to an announcement made by President T. O. Walton, who said "We feel that after a year at Washington as cotton economist, Dr. Youngblood will make a great contribution to the A. & M. college of Texas and the experiment station of Texas and the Experiment system. He has already done a fine piece of work for Texas and the United States Range Economics and when he returns as an international authority on cotton, the usefulness of this institution will be increased very appreciably."

Dr. Youngblood is well known in the Department of Agriculture, having been an agronomist in the office of Farm Management for four years, before becoming director of the Texas Agricultural Experiment station system in 1911. More recently he acted in the capacity of collaborator with the office of Farm Management, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, in economic studies of the ranching and range livestock industry of the West.

During the absence of Dr. Youngblood the duties of directing the Experiment Station System will be taken over by A. B. Conner, who has served as vice-director for many years.

A negro Baptist preacher of Tampa, Fla., has taken drastic steps to reform conditions in his church, as indicated by the following published notice: "To whom it may concern: I, Rev. G. W. Code, pastor, have turned out all the members of the Friendship church for not attending as they ought to. I am going to start a revival meeting and get a new congregation."

# NOTICE!

I have purchased the interest of W. E. Davis in the Elk Barber shop and am now in charge. I invite your consideration.

HARRY HALL

# Beginning Friday Morning, March 12th., The Entire Stock Of the Lubbock Dress Shop Is Placed On Sale At Absolute Cost. The Reasons Are Set Forth Herewith:

## At Cost

- Therefore
- No Refunds
- Exchanges
- or Approvals

All Sales Are Positively Final



We are leaving Lubbock! We are releasing our building and offering our fixtures for immediate sale. We are leaving just as soon as we can dispose of our stock

Now, folks, we are not leaving Lubbock because we don't like the town—we are leaving because we have a special opportunity in a distant city. In order that we take advantage of the opportunity that is offered us we MUST clear the entire stock AT ONCE! These are the facts in the case!

Your City's Most Select Assortment of the Spring Modes in

# DRESSES

At Cost—

- \$8.75
- \$12.75
- \$19.75
- \$22.75
- \$24.75

# Millinery

Exquisite new styles, new shapes and new colors—in a multitudinous display.

\$3 \$5 to \$7.50



# COATS

Delightful new styles will be found in our coat display — \$14.75, \$16.75, \$19.75, and \$24.75.

AT COST



# Values!

Emphasizing the supremacy of the values in this Event should be an easy matter. We are offering Shadow Clock all-Chiffon hose for \$2.50 and other all-Chiffon hose at \$1.75. You will do well to make your selection quick, as this stock is limited.

# Folks We've Only Stated Facts

Present conditions indicate beyond doubt to us that if we are to sell ALL our wonderful stock of Spring dresses, Millinery and Lingerie at ONCE we MUST forget what profits we might ordinarily and justifiably expect.

We realize that there are sales in Lubbock—price cutting—and no doubt in some instance—price-fudging! We are making the ONE and ONLY DIRECT method we know of to unquestionably settle the value problem at this time—that is to PLACE EVERYTHING WE HAVE AT WHAT IT COSTS US! NO MORE, but in some instances, LESS!

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